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The NCAA champs may be even better next year **1B**

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U.S. News ranks grad schools

UI law school ranks high; business school ranks low **3A**

The Daily Iowan

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Iowa scores Alford for hoops job

■ The coach who took Southwest Missouri State to the Sweet 16 sets his aim high as he succeeds Tom Davis.

By James Kramer
The Daily Iowan



Newly hired Iowa men's basketball Coach Steve Alford speaks at a press conference at Carver-Hawkeye Arena Monday. His wife, Tanya, is seated beside him. "Iowa was on top of my list, and I was on top of Iowa's list," Alford said.

The effort to push the UI to the forefront of the national college basketball scene was given a boost Monday with the hiring of Steve Alford as head coach.

Already a familiar name around the Midwest because of his All-American heroics as an Indiana player, Alford increased his visibility nationwide this season by leading Southwest Missouri State to the Sweet 16 in the NCAA tournament.

After spending a full year searching the country for Tom Davis' replacement, UI men's Athletics Director Bob Bowsby decided over the last few months that the 34-year-old Alford was the man for the job.

"I spoke with dozens of people about basketball coaches, and a few names kept coming up over and over and over again," Bowsby said Monday at a press conference.

"One of those was Steve Alford. It

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Police: Fire set to hide killings

■ Police say they are reviewing hundreds of leads in a double homicide on S. Van Buren Street.

By Zack Kucharski
The Daily Iowan

An apartment was set on fire intentionally last week to cover up the slayings of two women, one of whom remains unidentified, police said Monday.

However, police stopped short of saying how the fire was set, how the women were killed or if any suspects in the arson and murders have been identified.

The fire began on March 19 at about 12:30 p.m. at 427 S. Van Buren St. Apt. 4; firefighters discovered two bodies in the burnt apartment. The apartment's three tenants — all of whom are UI students — were out of town at the time.

Investigators hope to use dental records, fingerprints and missing-persons reports to identify one victim, said Iowa City police Sgt. Mike Lord.

The woman was so badly burned

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Election nears on local-option sales tax

■ If the measure passes, such items as cigarettes, candy and books could be affected.

By Steven Cook
The Daily Iowan

UI students and Johnson County residents could be paying more for items ranging from textbooks to cigarettes come July 1 if voters approve a 1-cent, local-option sales tax next week.

Supporters of the measure say the tax's benefits, such as expanding the Public Library and adding new police officers, outweigh the cost to residents.

However, opponents say, local governments do not need the tax, and they further argue that it unfairly targets the poor.

Johnson County voters will decide when they go to the polls on March 30 in a special election.

If approved, the sales tax would rise from the current 5 percent to 6 percent.

The average college student spends \$803 on textbooks each year, according to a national study. College textbooks are currently covered under the sales tax, which, if hiked, would raise the total bill for the books to \$851.18 from \$846.15.

The cost of a \$2.25 pack of cigarettes with tax would increase by 3 cents from \$2.36 to \$2.39.

Students can afford the extra money, UI freshman Alyson Carlson said.

"It wouldn't be that bad of a deal," she said. "It's only a couple of dollars; that's not much."

However, UI sophomore Ryan Roope said, it is money that students do not have.

"Every little bit helps," he said. "I already have to scrape and save to make the rent."

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Sales tax and student life

The Iowa City City Council has proposed a local option sales tax of 1 percent, which would raise the current sales tax from 5 percent to 6 percent beginning on July 1. The tax would apply to everything that is currently applicable in the state sales tax. Below, the tax of several items with and without the proposed increase.

	Cost	Tax now	Tax with increase
Textbooks			
Average expenses at college bookstores for two semesters:	\$803.00	\$43.15	\$48.18
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Miller Lite 16-gallon keg at Hy-Vee:	\$58.99	\$2.95	\$3.54
Pizza:			
One large:	\$6.99	\$0.36	\$0.42
Cigarettes			
Pack of brand-name cigarettes:	\$2.25	\$0.11	\$0.14

Source: DI Research DI/Dave Selden

Union lounge to rock out with a Phair

■ The artist of *Exile in Guyville* will perform on April 14 in SCOPE's first solo effort of the semester.

By Erin Crawford
The Daily Iowan



Phair

MUSIC

Liz Phair

Where: Main Lounge, Union
When: April 14
Tickets: \$18

Going from *Guyville* to Iowa City — modern rock artist Liz Phair is scheduled to perform at the UI in April, SCOPE announced Monday.

Phair is currently touring the U.S. to promote her album, *Whitechocolate-spaceseq*, her first in five years. SCOPE spent more than \$10,000 to draw the musician to Iowa City, a stop not originally included on her current tour.

Phair will play in the Main Lounge of the Union on April 14. Tickets for \$18 plus fees will be available Friday.

The concert will be the first this semester sponsored solely by SCOPE.

A musician known for her struggle against the stereotyping of women, Phair may also struggle for recognition among UI students.

She has a strong niche of fans, but her popularity with mainstream audiences is limited. Her last major hit, "Supernova," from the 1994 *Whip-Smart*, took place five years ago.

"I've heard the name, but I can't really remember anything she did," UI senior Bradley Anderson said.

Local radio station KZIA doesn't play much of Phair's music, said Eric Hanson, the station's program music director.

"I like her as an artist," Hanson said. "There aren't any requests for her from the local listeners."

But SCOPE is betting UI students will figure out who she is soon.

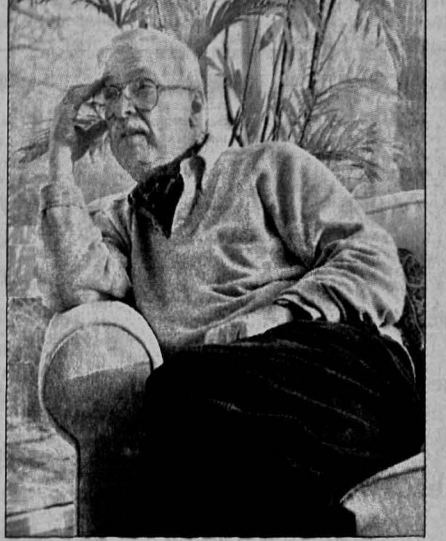
"She has a dedicated core of fans,"

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After 33 years, Burns Weston retires

■ Known among his colleagues as a "towering figure," the law professor will turn to writing and human-rights projects.

By Shirin Sadeghi
The Daily Iowan



Andrea Bauer/The Daily Iowan
UI law Professor Burns Weston talks to the DI about his retirement and future plans at his Iowa City home Monday.

After 33 years at the UI, law Professor Burns Weston has announced his retirement, which will take effect at the end of the spring semester.

It will, however, be the start of a new life for the professor.

"It'll be busier during retirement than during my time on faculty," said Weston, who holds titles as the Bessie Dutton Murray distinguished professor of law, associate dean for International and Comparative Legal Studies at the UI and chairman of the UI's Global Focus: Human Rights '98 committee.

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DI names Heinauer new editor

■ The SPI board announces its choice for the 1999-00 school year Monday evening.

By Julia Di Gangi
The Daily Iowan



Heinauer

After being selected as the 1999-2000 editor for *The Daily Iowan* Monday, UI junior Laura Heinauer said she felt relieved.

"The interview process was tough, but I think I did a good job," she said. "I have many goals that I want to get accomplished next year, and I think the interviewers saw that."

The interview process consisted of a written application and an interview with the Student Publications Inc. Board of Directors, a panel composed of students, facul-

ty, alumni, professional journalists and publishers.

A native of Ankeny, Iowa, Heinauer has worked for the *DI* for three years, beginning as a reporter, and is currently one of the metro editors. She also is a recipient of the *DI* Scholarship, a four-year tuition award for outstanding young journalists. Heinauer is a journalism and political science double major who intends some day to land a political reporting job in Washington, D.C.

Though she was the only candi-

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speed read

Kevoorkian allowed to represent himself

PONTIAC, Mich. — Acting as his own lawyer, Dr. Jack Kevoorkian went on trial on murder charges for the first time Monday — this time for a videotaped suicide shown on "60 Minutes" — and told a jury that, like an executioner, he was merely carrying out his professional duty.

Kevoorkian was charged after CBS aired the lethal injection of a patient with Lou Gehrig's disease and the retired pathologist dared prosecutors to do something about it. **PAGE 4A**

Serbs remain stubborn

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia — Despite NATO threats, a U.S. envoy failed to persuade Yugoslavia's president to accept a Kosovo peace plan.

Richard Holbrooke spent four unsuccessful hours in talks with President Slobodan Milosevic. **PAGE 7A**

Georgia Huskies end Iowa State's season

CINCINNATI — Kelly Miller scored 33 points to lead Georgia to its fifth Final Four appearance with a victory against Iowa State Monday.

Miller had four 3s and 18 points in the first half as Georgia ran away from the Cyclones. The loss ended Iowa State's run after the Cyclones had upset top-seeded Connecticut on Saturday.

In that game, Iowa State rallied for the win against the Huskies on the strength of five straight 3-pointers in the closing minutes. **PAGE 5B**

First lady considers run

CAIRO — In a most unlikely place to talk about American politics — at an Egyptian health clinic — Hillary Rodham Clinton acknowledged an interest in running for the U.S. Senate. **PAGE 7A**

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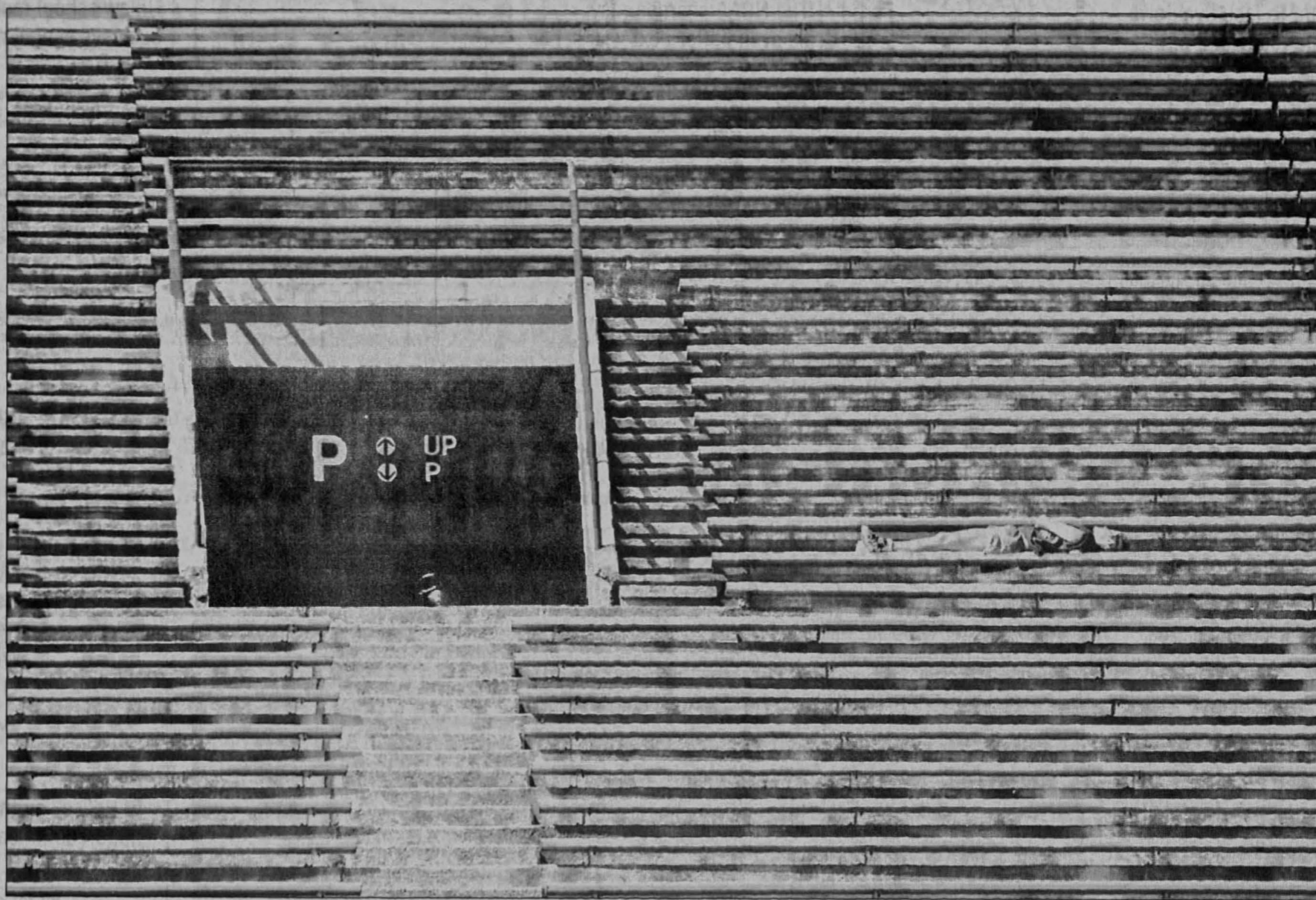
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THE LEDGE

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- In a Bangkok temple: It is forbidden to enter a woman even if a foreigner is dressed as man.
- In a Bangkok dry cleaner's: Drop your trousers here for best results.
- Outside a Paris dress shop: Dresses for street walking.
- In a Rhodes tailor shop: Order your summer's suit because in big rush we will execute customers in strict rotation.
- A sign posted in the Black Forest: It is strictly forbidden on our Black Forest camping site that people of different sex, for instance men and women, live together in one tent, unless they are married with each other for that purpose.
- In a Zurich hotel: Because of the impropriety of entertaining guests of the opposite sex in the bedroom, it is suggested that the lobby be used for this purpose.
- In an advertisement by a Hong Kong dentist: Teeth extracted by the latest Methodists.
- In a Home laundry: Ladies leave your clothes here and spend the afternoon having a good time.
- In a Czech tourist agency: Take one of our horse-drawn city tours — we guarantee no miscarriages.
- Advertisement for donkey rides in Thailand: How would you like to ride on your own ass?
- In a Swiss mountain inn: Special today — no ice cream.
- In a Copenhagen airline ticket office: We take your bags and send them in all directions. source: www.copydesk.com

the **BIG** picture



Clemson University student Colleen Earley rests on the bleachers at Death Valley Stadium in Clemson, S.C., while waiting for her friend to finish running Monday. "I attempted to exercise," she said while reclining in the sun.

Tracy Glantz/Associated Press

newsmakers

Carter pitches in for Filipino homes

MARAGONDON, Philippines (AP) — Under a scorching tropical sun, former President Carter laid cement blocks Monday to build new homes for the poor.

Carter is leading more than 2,000 volunteers with Habitat for Humanity in an effort to build 293 homes in one week around the Philippines.



Carter

Wearing a straw hat, Carter labored alongside his wife, Rosalynn, former Philippine President Fidel Ramos and his wife, Amelita.

Carter has worked as a volunteer for the nonprofit organization since 1984. It has built more than 70,000 homes for the poor worldwide.

■ **NEW YORK (AP)** — Trouble-prone rapper **ODB** was arrested Monday after police allegedly found three small containers of crack cocaine on him during a traffic stop in Brooklyn.

The Wu-Tang Clan rapper, whose real name is Russell Jones, was stopped by officers who saw a 1996 Range Rover without license plates, double-parked.

The driver did not have a license or registration, police said. When Jones, 30, gave his name, a record check revealed he had a suspended license and was wanted for failure to pay child support — leading to a search that turned up the drugs.

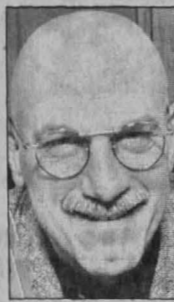
■ **NEW YORK (AP)** — **Mary Jo Buttafuoco** and Amy Fisher have made up.

Buttafuoco has forgiven the Long Island Lolita who had an affair with her husband and shot her in the head in 1992.

"At this stage, forgiveness is appropriate," Buttafuoco told the *New York Post* from West Hills, Calif., where she lives with her husband, Joey.

Minnesota = movieland, Ventura says

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) — Gov. Jesse Ventura rubbed elbows with Hollywood hot shots last weekend as he tried to burnish Minnesota's growing reputation as a great place to shoot movies.



Ventura

The former actor strode past paparazzi at the Independent Spirit Awards, an Academy Awards warm-up show that honors lower-budget film industry stars.

The retired professional wrestler presented the "Truer than Fiction" award to Barbara Sonnenborn for "Regret to Inform," a documentary about Vietnam widows.

UI briefs

Grad to receive dissertation award

A UI graduate whose doctoral research focused on communication processes among participants of a therapy group has been selected for an Outstanding Dissertation Award in Human Development.

Kristin Sturdevant, who graduated in December with a doctorate in education counseling from the UI College of Education, was selected for the award by the American Educational Research Association, Division E, which is based in Montreal. The award will be presented at the association's annual meeting in April; it includes a plaque and \$200.

Sturdevant, an individual and group psychotherapist at Psychiatric Associates in Iowa City, titled her dissertation "A Case Study: Processes and Group Development in a Marathon Encounter Group." Her adviser was Professor E. Richard Dustin.

Sturdevant examined 17 videotapes of a "marathon encounter group" made up of 18 participants and three facilitators that, as the name implies, met for extended periods of time over five days, sometimes for as long as 24 hours at a stretch.

The objective of such sessions, Sturdevant said, is to break down people's natural defenses and allow them to interact on a personal level. The sessions also provided Sturdevant a glimpse of individual, interpersonal and group dynamics, which she analyzed with the aid of computer software that isolated themes in the discussions.

City High special education teacher gets statewide award

Paula A. Ellsworth, a special education teacher at Iowa City City High School, has been selected by the UI for an Iowa Distinguished Teacher Award.

UI President Mary Sue Coleman will present the award to Ellsworth during a school assembly at 2:30 p.m. Friday at City High, 1900 Morningside Drive.

Ellsworth, a 21-year educator who works in the school's Behavior Disorders Program, is one of only four teachers selected statewide for the 1998 awards. In addition to the award, she will receive a \$1,000 grant from the UI for school equipment and teaching materials.

"The Distinguished Teacher Awards are our way of recognizing some of the very deserving people who don't often hear the words 'Thank you,'" Coleman said.

horoscopes

by Eugenia Last

Tuesday, March 23, 1999

ARIES (March 21-April 19): You have an unreal assessment of your surroundings. You need to talk to someone who can help you recognize the problems you face at home.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your emotions will be unstable due to trivial matters. Do not overreact to financial situations you can do nothing about. Put your efforts into ways that you can earn extra cash.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your lover will be able to make you angry with little effort. You should ignore the comments and busy yourself with activities that will relax you.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Think before you act. You have someone around you who may not be telling the truth. Minor accidents will occur if you are careless or preoccupied.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Try to avoid gambling or taking unnecessary financial risks. Travel will be exciting, but be prepared to spend more than you had planned. Career moves will be positive.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Changes in your position are apparent. It is best to move with the times rather than putting up a fuss. Your new job will give you more creative freedom. Make alterations to your image.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Visit friends if you get the chance. Knowledge will be easily retained. Sign up for lectures that will not only interest you but further your career direction as well.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You may want to make changes to insurance policies or other personal documents. You can make a little extra money through investments.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Don't take chances. You may risk the most important thing in your life. Your partner has had about enough and will be prepared to walk if you don't straighten out your work affairs.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You can present your ideas and expect to have them well-received today. Your originality will be admired and support will be forthcoming.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You will enjoy getting together with friends. Don't be surprised if a friendship turns into a serious connection. Look into educational pursuits that further your position.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Friends or children may cost you dearly. Self-deception may be an issue if you refuse to look at the whole picture on the home front.

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CITY

Business school can't crack top 50

■ The U.S. News and World Report rankings of graduate schools doesn't look kindly on the school.

By John G. Russell
The Daily Iowan

The UI Henry Tippie School of Business received a big boost with a \$30 million donation from Henry Tippie in January 1998, but, according to U.S. News and World Report, the school has a long way to go before being ranked among the nation's elite. The business school failed to crack the U.S. News list of the nation's top 50 graduate business schools for the third straight year. The magazine's well-known index of the top business, engineer-

ing, law, education and medical schools hit newsstands Monday. The UI Colleges of Law, Education and Medicine received rankings of 23rd, 27th and 30th, respectively.

The rankings are based on surveys sent to schools and employers around the country. Each educator or professional gave each school a reputation ranking of 1 to 5. The numbers were then entered into an equation that includes such factors as grade points, test scores and employment rates.

But the U.S. News method of ranking is biased toward schools on the East Coast, according to Sharon Scheib, director of communications for the Tippie School of Business.

Scheib said business schools in the Midwest are relatively unknown to employers in New York, so they often receive low marks.

"Wall Street doesn't come here to recruit, so it's difficult to get our name out," she said. "Some companies that recruit don't fill out a survey for us."

Despite the flaws in the rankings system, Scheib said, the school has no choice but to participate in the survey because prospective students rely on it so much.

"Fortunately or unfortunately, many students use the rankings to decide where to go," she said. "They are a pain in the neck. But if they give us visibility, they are worth it." Scheib said the recent name change from the College of Business Administration to the Henry Tippie School of Business might help bring the school more fame nationally.

William Hines, dean of the law school, said he is pleased with his

school's ranking but added that the focus on prestige is bad for the students.

"They only measure things that can be easily quantified," he said. "I think the things that make a school strong are hard to quantify, such as the quality of faculty and students."

Hines and other deans around the country have sent a letter to all LSAT participants, asking them to consider factors other than rankings when choosing a law school. "This might be the most important decisions of their lives, so they should look at more than a magazine ranking," he said. "They should look at each school and see how it fits their situation."

DI reporter John G. Russell can be reached at jrussel@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu

LEGAL MATTERS

POLICE

Kristen M. Martin, 19, 2216 D St., was charged with driving under suspension at the intersection of Highway 6 and Taylor Drive on March 21 at 8:02 p.m.

Tammy M. Busa, 19, Coralville, was charged with possession of a schedule IV controlled substance at the intersection of Wayne Avenue and Williams Street on March 21 at 9:04 p.m.

Michael B. Samuel, 21, 627 Orchard Court, was charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct at 630 S. Capitol St. on March 21 at 3:28 a.m.

Daniel S. Cooper, 27, 520 W. Benton St., was charged with public intoxication at 400 W. Benton St. on March 22 at 1:27 a.m.

Bobby D. Craton, 35, 1100 Arthur St. Apt. 4, was charged with violation of a no-contact order at 1100 Arthur St. Apt. J10 on March 22 at 12:06 a.m.

Kelsi A. Colby, 21, 151 S. Johnson St., was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Highway 6 and Broadway on March 22 at 1:54 a.m.

Jessica L. Ellickson, 17, Cedar Rapids, was charged with operating while intoxicated and possession of a schedule I controlled substance at 200 E. Washington St. on March 22 at 2:04 a.m.

— compiled by Zack Kucharski

Magistrate

Public intoxication — Trevor G. Burke, 726 Walnut St., was fined \$90; Jamie R. Clasen, LaMotte, Iowa, was fined \$90; Daniel S. Cooper, 520 W. Benton St., was fined \$90; Shad M. Griffin, Albia, Iowa, was fined \$90; Anthony R. Guyer, 1529 Prairie du Chien Road, was fined \$90; Heath W. Harvey, Wilton, Iowa, was fined \$90; Jason L. Hefer-Dacoteau, Hiawatha, Iowa, was fined \$90; Mark A. Hopkins, Albia, Iowa, was fined \$90; Jeffrey R. Moll, Wapella, Iowa, was fined \$90; Oscar G. Perales, Muscatine, was fined \$90; Patrick H. Rios, Coralville, was fined \$90; Michael B. Samuel, 627 Orchard St., was fined \$90; Ahmed N. Shams, 630 S. Capitol St. Apt. 405, was fined \$90; Kyle C. Wilson, Albia, Iowa, was fined \$90.

Criminal trespassing — Uwen K. Inliama, address unknown, was fined \$25.

Littering — Jennifer M. Larson, 914 S. Dodge St., was fined \$90.

Public urination — Heath W. Harvey, Wilton, Ia., was fined \$90.

Possession of alcohol under the legal age — Jamie R. Clasen, LaMotte, Iowa, was fined \$145.

Disorderly conduct — Shad M. Griffin, Albia, Iowa, was fined \$90; Mark A. Hopkins, Albia, Iowa, was fined \$90; Michael B. Samuel, 627 Orchard St., was fined \$90; Ahmed N. Shams, 630 S. Capitol St. Apt. 405, was fined \$90.

Filing false reports to law enforcement —

Johnston J. Jenkins, Rolling Meadows, Ill., was fined \$90.

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Interference with official acts — Jason A. Rowe, Coralville, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Delivery of a schedule I controlled substance — Eric C. Sirinsky, 314 S. Johnson St. Apt. 4, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Obstruction of emergency communication — Bobby D. F. Craton, 1100 Arthur St. Apt. 4, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Domestic assault causing injury — Bobby D. F. Craton, 1100 Arthur St. Apt. 4, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Possession of a schedule II controlled substance — Daniel J. Gerbasi, 1519 Broadway, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Driving while suspended — Omar M. Shams, 630 S. Capitol St. Apt. 404, no preliminary hearing has been set; Daniel J. Gerbasi, 1519 Broadway, no preliminary hearing has been set; Jeremy M. Becker, Wellman, Iowa, a preliminary hearing has been set for March 20 at 8 a.m.; John N. Hall, Cedar Rapids, a preliminary hearing has been set for March 21 at 8 a.m.; Angie J. Horak, 339 W. Benton St. Apt. 2, no preliminary hearing has been set; Kelsi A. Colby, 151 S. Johnson St. Apt. 4, no preliminary hearing has been set; Matthew D. Streets, 115 N. Dubuque St. Apt. H, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Violation of the tax stamp law — Eric C. Sirinsky, 314 S. Johnson St. Apt. 4, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Operating while intoxicated — Timothy M. Byers, Cedar Rapids, no preliminary hearing has been set; Daniel Hernandez, 302 Finkbine Lane Apt. 4, no preliminary hearing has been set; Jose O. Ramos, West Liberty, no preliminary hearing has been set; Frederick L. Brockman, 520 E. Church St., no preliminary hearing has been set; Kelsi A. Colby, 151 S. Johnson St., no preliminary hearing has been set; Jessiie R. Thompson, Cedar Rapids, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Driving while revoked — Frederick L. Brockman, 520 E. Church St., no preliminary hearing has been set.

— compiled by John G. Russell

Film charts growing up 'Yidl in the Middle' of middle America

■ A new documentary depicts the struggles of a girl growing up Jewish in Des Moines.

By Anita Chilpala
The Daily Iowan

Iowa native Marlene Booth said she became a filmmaker to answer one question: What does it mean to be Jewish?

Growing up in a Jewish Orthodox home in Des Moines while trying to find her niche in mainstream America, Booth has captured her struggle existing in the two often-separate worlds in the documentary "Yidl in the Middle: Growing up Jewish in Iowa."

The film's Iowa City premiere took place Monday with a double showing

at the Johnson County Senior Center and the Buchanan Auditorium in the Pappajohn Business Building.

Booth is on a nationwide tour, showing the film in different cities. She has already made stops in Boston and San Diego and plans to visit Des Moines and Sioux City, Iowa, next week.

In the documentary, Booth portrays her real-life experiences, including the struggle she went through trying to find her Jewish identity in an overwhelmingly Christian environment.

"I realize now I lived in two separate worlds," she said. "I had an enthusiasm for being Jewish, but I was Jewish at home," she said.

Booth joked that she grew up as part of a "mixed" marriage, with a

Jewish mother and an Iowan father.

The "Iowa part" of her attended football and basketball games and American concerts with her father. Part of these "mainstream" activities implicitly included hiding her Jewish identity.

"Being Jewish was not for show-and-tell," Booth said. "It was my Iowan side I wanted to show off, not my Jewish one."

But she came to terms with herself and her identity through her work on the documentary, she said.

"Making the film itself allowed me to break down barriers I built myself," Booth said.

The biggest barrier she faced was self-censorship. "I'm now able to be fully Jewish in public, to be who I am," she said.

Iowa City resident Stanley Good said he was made more aware of the problems people face regarding religion because of Booth's film.

"In many ways, her presentation showed that customs can separate people by their religious beliefs," he said. "But she has turned it all positive."

Samuel Becker, member of the board of directors for Humanities Iowa, which partially funded the documentary, said the importance of "Yidl in the Middle" lies in what is gained from its portrayal of a different culture in Iowa.

"The more we understand other cultures, the more we understand about our own culture," he said.

DI reporter Anita Chilpala can be reached at anita-chilpala@uiowa.edu

S.E. Iowa students get aid boost

■ Two large donations — worth \$6 million — will serve as financial aid for some UI students.

By Quinn O'Keefe
The Daily Iowan

Students from Keokuk, Iowa, could now have an easier time paying for their UI education due to two recent donations, one of which is the largest ever given specifically for financial aid.

In a press conference on March 19, Gov. Tom Vilsack, UI President Mary Sue Coleman and the UI Foundation announced that the large bequests — totaling nearly \$6 million — had been awarded to the foundation for financial aid to students from southeastern Iowa.

"Educational access is one of the top statewide priorities," Vilsack said. "These generous gifts will help ensure that additional deserving young people can take advantage of the excellent educational opportunities offered by the UI."

UI alumnus Clyde James and

his wife, Francis James, both Keokuk natives, granted \$3.9 million from their estate, the largest donation ever made to the UI that was earmarked for financial aid. The donation requests that priority be given to students from Keokuk.

The other contribution, totaling nearly \$2 million, came from Berenice Gardner of Bonaparte, Iowa, who stated that first preference for funds should be given to students from southeastern Iowa. Gardner did not attend the UI but valued higher education and wished to make it more accessible to those from the southeastern part of the state.

Susan Shullaw, UI Foundation associate vice president, said such donations "make dreams come true." "The cost of a higher education is rising," she said. "And we are entering an era in which a higher education is necessary to succeed. These donations will make a great education more accessible."

Only the James scholarship will be immediately available to students in the fall, said Mark Warner, director of Student Aid. Stu-

The cost of a higher education is rising. And we are entering an era in which a higher education is necessary to succeed. These donations will make a great education more accessible.

— Susan Shullaw,
UI Foundation associate vice president

ents who receive the merit- and need-based scholarship will get a full ride at the UI.

Jerry Fine, a Keokuk High School guidance counselor who specializes in helping students apply for scholarships and financial aid, said he had not yet heard about the donation but called the bequest a "pleasant surprise."

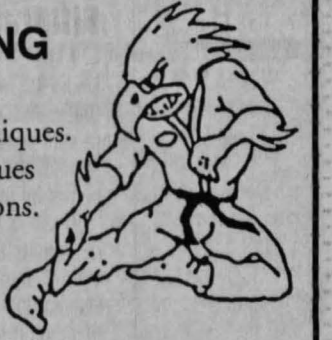
"Keokuk is your basic industrial town, and a lot of students here going to the UI definitely need financial aid," he said. "It will certainly benefit those students who might not have been able to go to the UI because they could not afford it."

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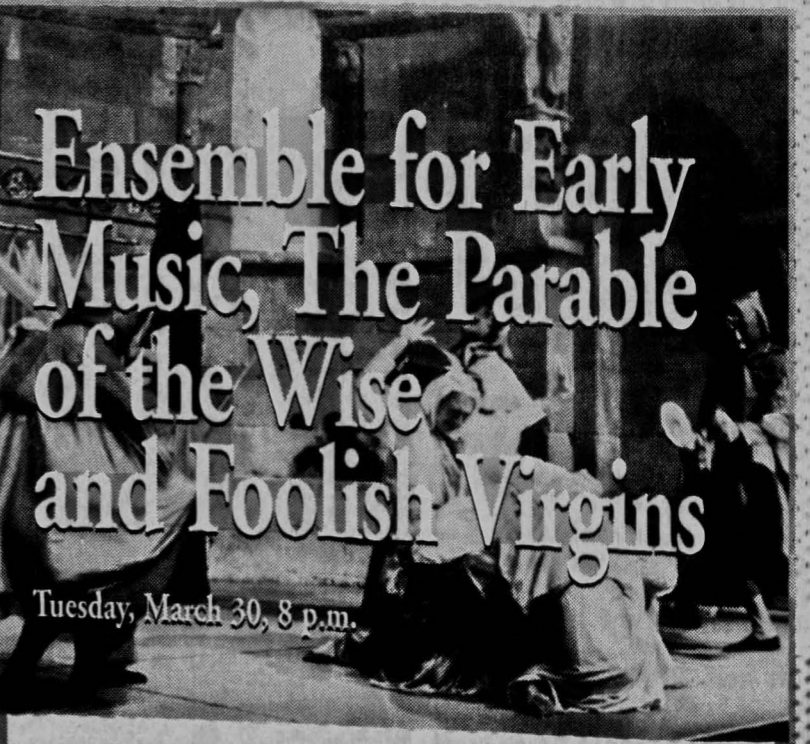
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NATION

Food fight at lunch

■ Though schools offer salads and fruit alongside pizza and fries, efforts at nutrition seem to be in vain.

By Karen Gullo
Associated Press

HANOVER, Pa. — During lunchtime at South Western High School, teen-agers rush to squeeze in a meal and chat between final exams, loading up on the cafeteria's best-sellers — stuffed-crust pizza, meatball sandwiches and French fries.

It's not exactly the picture U.S. Department of Agriculture officials had in mind when they issued orders to the nation's schools in 1995 to cut fat and salt in federally subsidized student meals.

Now in the first year of mandatory compliance with the rules, school lunchrooms are still dishing out plenty of chicken nuggets, burgers and — in increasing numbers — brand-name fast foods such as Taco Bell and Pizza Hut, an Associated Press review has found.

In fact, a majority of school districts in several states — Arizona, California, Delaware, Indiana, Oregon, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin — are still using meal plans based on 1940s-era ideas about nutrition, sometimes with modifications, according to interviews with state officials.

Other schools are dressing up fast-food entrées with a fruit or vegetable that often winds up in the trash. Parents and consumer groups question whether most school meals are really any healthier than they used to be.

"It's scary," said Robert Jones of Los Angeles, who said that, in one week, his 7-year-old son was fed pepperoni pizza, chicken nuggets and a pepperoni calzone for lunch at school. "There is widespread availability of good, healthy food in places where it hasn't been available before. Why are schools mired in the past?"

Under the new rules, meals must average no more than 30 percent of calories from fat per week and less than 10 percent of calories from saturated fat. Diets high in fat and saturated fat have been linked to childhood obesity and heart disease.

School and federal officials said most federally subsidized lunches, even those centered on pizza, can meet the new guidelines with a few simple changes, such as adding more servings of fruits, vegetables and grains and altering cooking methods and ingredients.

"Schools are moving toward meeting the guidelines," said Shirley Watkins, undersecretary at the U.S.D.A., which administers the national School Lunch Program. "They are offering more fruits and

vegetables and more variety." The agency is conducting a survey, due to come out next year, to determine whether schools are complying.

Meanwhile, school officials say it's not easy getting young people to eat healthful foods.

At South Western High's cafeteria, such low-fat items as salads and plain baked potatoes are on the line but attract few takers.

Sophomore Sean Logue, who chose the Red Baron-brand pizza and fries, said he wants to eat well to stay in shape for basketball.

What about salads and vegetables? "I'm not really interested in that," he says.

The federal school lunch program feeds some 26 million children across the country, costing taxpayers \$4 billion a year. Schools are re-imposed for every meal they serve, so they can sell lunches for as little as \$1.50 and provide free meals to the poorest students.

Kevorkian likens self to executioner

■ The "suicide doctor" is being allowed to represent himself in a murder trial concerning a death aired on "60 Minutes."

By Justin Hyde
Associated Press

PONTIAC, Mich. — Acting as his own lawyer, Dr. Jack Kevorkian went on trial on murder charges for the first time Monday — this time for a videotaped suicide shown on "60 Minutes" — and told a jury that, like an executioner, he was merely carrying out his professional duty.

Kevorkian was charged after CBS aired the lethal injection of a patient with Lou Gehrig's disease and the retired pathologist dared prosecutors to do something about it.

Kevorkian said, in his opening statement, that he acted out of compassion for 52-year-old Thomas Youk. "To have a crime, you need a vicious will and a vicious act," he said.

Prosecutor John Skrzynski objected, contending that Kevorkian was arguing law rather than summarizing his case. Judge Jessica Cooper agreed, and she briefly dismissed the jury to ask Kevorkian what he was trying to say.

Kevorkian said he wanted to tell jurors he had the duty to kill and

was no more culpable than an executioner or a soldier.

"What I was trying to prove here is that I didn't have the intent to kill, just as the executioner doesn't," Kevorkian said. "His intent is to do his duty, because he may despise what he is doing. But he's forced to do it by his position."

Earlier, Kevorkian won the right to represent himself despite the misgivings of the judge, who asked him: "Do you understand you could spend the rest of your life in prison?"

"There's not much of it left," the 70-year-old Kevorkian said.

After the ruling, 12 jurors and two alternates quickly were selected out of a pool of 80 people. The judge asked candidates whether they knew anyone who had suffered a terminal illness, and several people were dismissed after saying they had strong opinions about the case.

In his opening statement, Skrzynski told the jury that Kevorkian is not above the law.

"Begin to focus on what Jack Kevorkian does, and what you will see is a man breaking the law," the prosecutor said. "Jack Kevorkian killed Tom Youk, and Jack Kevorkian does not have the right to kill."

By his own count, Kevorkian has taken part in more than 130 suicides since 1990. He has been tried four times on assisted suicide charges, with three acquittals and one mistrial.

Kevorkian will be allowed to consult with lawyers David Gorosh and Lisa Dwyer during this trial but said defending himself was "what I've planned all along."

"There are certain points I can bring out better than anyone else," Kevorkian said. "There are certain questions I can ask."

When Cooper asked Kevorkian whether he knew what the inside of a state prison looked like, Kevorkian replied that he had seen "The Shawshank Redemption" twice.

NATION BRIEFS

Comcast to buy MediaOne in cable TV deal

NEW YORK (AP) — In the cable industry's biggest merger ever, Comcast Corp. struck a deal Monday to buy MediaOne Group Inc. in an effort to hasten the day when cable companies offer TV, telephone service and high-speed Internet hookups.

The \$44.3 billion stock swap deal would combine the nation's third- and fourth-largest cable TV providers.

The new Comcast would serve 11 million cable customers. It would still rank behind Time Warner Inc. and AT&T Corp., which recently acquired Tele-Communications Inc.

That's cause for worry among consumer advocates, who decry the fact that cable rates have been rising well above the rate of inflation. Government rate regulations have been relaxed in recent years and will end on March 31. Critics fear that could allow these giant companies to raise rates even faster.

"We see the dramatic effect of relaxed public oversight, and it will only continue now," said Gene Kimmelman, co-director of Consumers Union's Washington office.

Cable companies are hoping demand will increase for high-speed Internet access and phone service over cable lines, which have much greater capacity than phone lines. Comcast hopes the deal will allow it to offer expanded all-in-one packages of TV, Internet and phone services.

Web site warns motorists about speed traps

BOSTON (AP) — Drivers trying to avoid speed traps might want to take a spin on the information superhighway first.

At a Web site called speedtrap.com, motorists have posted details on thousands of speed traps around the country, including location, average fine, the type of car police use and the local scanner frequency.

"This is the most notorious speed trap in Georgia, perhaps the U.S.," reads an entry for Ludowici, Ga., where former Gov. Lester Maddox once posted billboards warning tourists to avoid the town because ticket-related corruption was so bad.

The Web site was created in 1995 by Andrew Warner, a 23-year-old Atlanta resident who says he has only one speeding ticket to his name.

"It started out mainly in the South, looking at entrapment cases," says Warner, who works as a network engineer. "But it's evolved into a general drivers' service. Everybody can relate."

An entry for the Massachusetts town of Dover reads: "They will pull you over for less than 5 mph over the limit at any location, even if you're riding a bicycle."

An exaggeration, says Dover Police Chief Joseph Griffin, who laughed when he heard the description. "We're not quite that zealous," he says. "But if somebody says, 'I better not speed in that town,' then someone else has done my job for me."

Aid for C. America delayed until April

WASHINGTON (AP) — A bill initially designed to speed aid to hurricane victims in Central America now seems all but sure to linger in Congress until at least next month.

The House is likely to approve a \$1.3 billion version of the legislation this week. But the Senate's \$2 billion measure has been slowed by disputes over Kosovo and the federal surplus, plus a desire by majority Republicans to vote on the fiscal 2000 budget before Congress begins a two-week Easter break this weekend.

Both versions have drawn veto threats from President Clinton, largely because Republicans would pay for them by cutting food stamps, funds that back World Bank loans and other programs the administration supports. Clinton preferred to pay for most of the expenditures using this year's projected federal surplus.

As a result of all the fights — plus a parade of 49 possible amendments awaiting Senate votes — Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., is expected to halt consideration of the bill Tuesday.

The measure, which has collected more than three dozen amendments for senators' favored projects, is unlikely to resurface in the Senate until at least April 12, when Congress returns from its recess.

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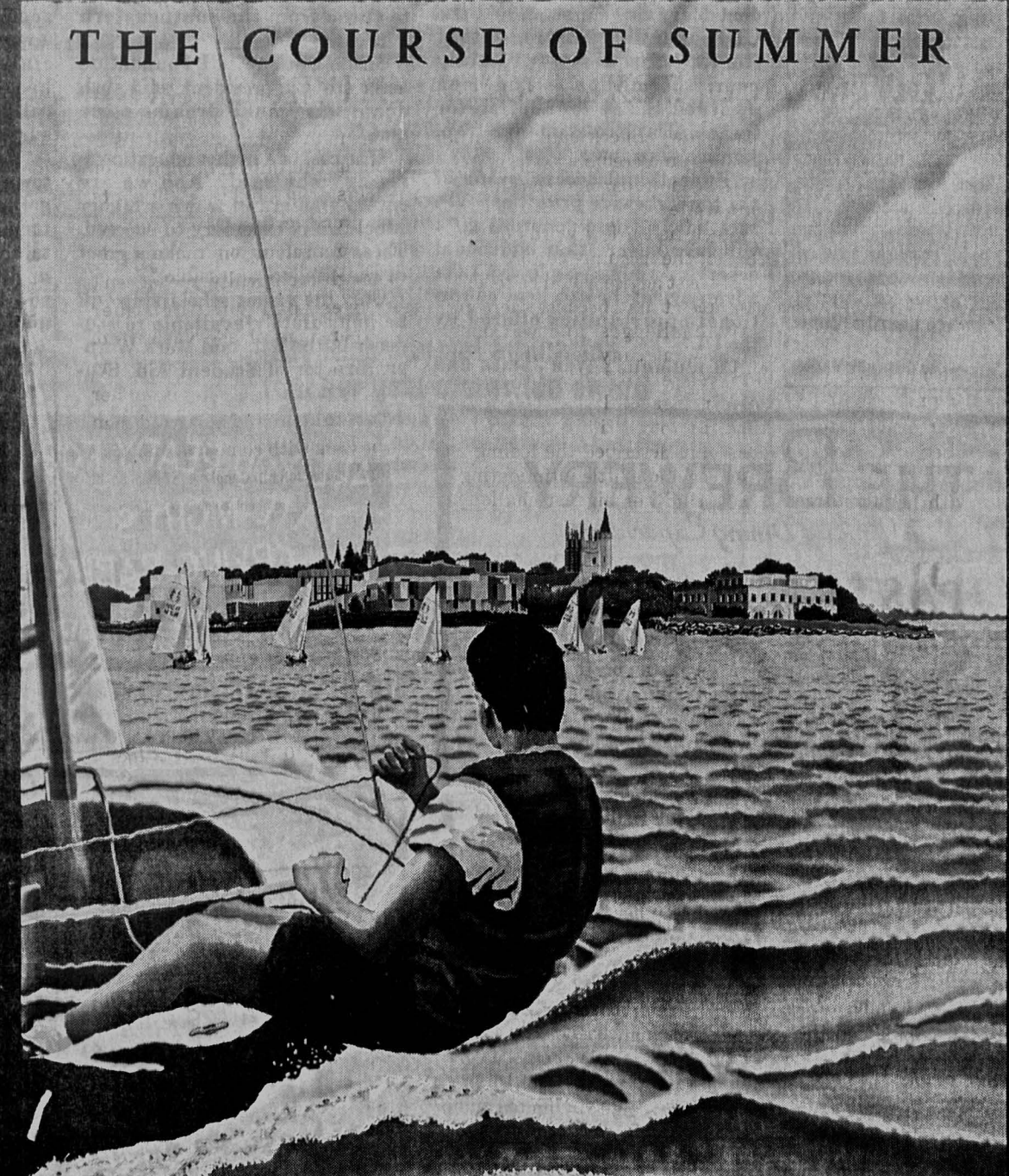
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CITY & NATION

UI basketball nets ex-Hoosier sharpshooter Alford

ALFORD

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became apparent, the more research I did, that he had an awful lot of things that we look for at the UI."

Bowlsby said he initially contacted SMS Athletics Director Bill Rowe last December about the possibility of speaking with Alford about the Hawkeyes' soon-to-be-vacant position.

The discussions became more serious, and by mid-February — after Bowlsby had narrowed his list of about 50 candidates down to a dozen or so — the two reached a "gentlemen's agreement," Alford said.

"(We agreed) that Iowa was on top of my list and I was on top of Iowa's list," he said. "Then we let it rest."

The official negotiations began after SMS was eliminated from the NCAA tournament by top-ranked Duke on March 19. The Bears finished the season at 22-11 and pulled off major upsets over Wisconsin and Tennessee in the NCAAs.

Davis stepped down after the Hawkeyes experienced a similar fate in the national tournament, losing to Connecticut in the Sweet 16. Davis, the school's all-

time winningest coach, was told last April that his contract would not be extended past the 1998-99 season.

Although the particulars of Alford's financial package have yet to be finalized, Bowlsby said, the Hawkeyes' new coach will receive a five-year contract. Alford will be paid a \$350,000 base annual salary; incentives could elevate the package to \$600,000.

Bowlsby said an additional schedule of incentives, which could raise Alford's annual take-home pay to \$900,000, will also be put in place.

"Since going to the Sweet 16, we're still negotiating," Alford joked.

The new coach mixed wit with a no-nonsense air of intensity during the 90-minute press conference. He repeatedly referred to his "passion" for basketball and devoted work ethic as reasons for his rapid success.

Just eight years ago, Alford landed his first college coaching job at Division III Manchester (Ind.) College. In 1995, he took over at SMS; four successful seasons later, he's back in the Big Ten — this time, as a coach.

"I always tried to get places a

"I want to be here for a long, long time. There's a great foundation here, and we'd like to further that."

— Steve Alford, new UI basketball head coach

little quicker than the norm," Alford said.

A native of New Castle, Ind., Alford quickly developed a love for the game. He was voted the state's top high school player as a senior, then moved on to play at Indiana under legendary Coach Bob Knight from 1984-87.

Alford was a member of the 1984 U.S. Olympic team, which won a gold medal, and his clutch outside shooting helped to lift the Hoosiers to the 1987 NCAA title.

"He's well-articulated, has a terrific work ethic and a desire to develop a model program," Bowlsby said. "Any way you want to slice it, he's a winner."

UI President Mary Sue Coleman also expressed her optimism about the school's ability to "lure one of the best young coaches in the country ... to come to the UI."

Based upon Alford's comments Monday, Bowlsby and Coleman can look forward to a long-term relationship with the new coach, who will bring his father, Sam,

Fire set to destroy evidence

KILLINGS

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The woman was so badly burned that investigators originally were unable to determine her sex.

Police have identified the other victim as Laura Watson-Dalton, 29, of Creston, Iowa. Police impounded a vehicle owned by Watson-Dalton near the apartment.

Police said Monday there was no indication that the car and the deaths are connected. However, police said, the car and the events leading to the women's deaths and the fire are the focus of the investigation.

Investigators continue to follow hundreds of leads, canvassing nearby businesses as well as area bars for clues, said Iowa City Police Chief R.J. Winkelhake.

A "heightened" police presence will continue to be felt in the area of the crime, Winkelhake said. Seven Iowa City officers and five state Department of Criminal Investigation officers are assigned to the investigation, he said.

Winkelhake also said it is early in the investigation and no suspects have been identified.

Over the weekend, two of the apartment's tenants said they did not know Watson-Dalton or how the women got into the apartment. The third tenant is studying in Australia.

Watson-Dalton's mother, Jean Watson, of Omaha, said Sunday her daughter was in Iowa City last week visiting a cousin and friends. She did not know why her daughter was in the apartment, she said.

Police described the unidentified victim as an adult white female, age unknown, approximately 5 feet tall, weighing 180 pounds. She had light

brown to blond hair and brown eyes. The victim also wore soft contact lenses and has had prior gall bladder surgery.

A window adjacent to the stair landing was reported broken three days before the fire, said Tim Crist, maintenance supervisor for Lincoln Real Estate, which manages the apartment complex.

Crist boarded the window up the next day, he said.

"There was no sign of any people there or of missing things," Crist said. "It looked like someone left and went to work that day."

Meanwhile, housing inspectors ruled that the front three apartments in the complex are safe and ready for occupancy, Crist said. Residents of those apartments are expected to be allowed back later this week after minor repairs are completed.

Residents of the three rear apartments — including those of the burnt apartment — aren't expected to be able to return for some time, he said.

Students who signed a lease to live in the burnt apartment next year say the recent events will probably not change their decision to live there.

"I think that this was some kind of freak accident," said UI junior Charlotte Ohrt. "This could happen anywhere. I think that it will be safe once it is repaired."

Lincoln Real Estate will let the future tenants of the apartment out of the lease if they so choose, Ohrt said.

Police are asking anyone with information on the fire and murders to contact them at 356-5275.

DI reporter Zack Kucharski can be reached at: zkuchars@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu

Voters to decide on local option sales tax

TAX

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"Every little bit helps," he said. "I already have to scrape and save to make the rent."

Families that make less than \$20,000 per year — which include those of many students — would pay on average \$96 more per year with the tax, said Ken Stone, an Iowa State University economics professor and sales-tax expert.

Families making more than \$50,000 per year would pay on average \$336 per year with the tax.

While a 1 percent hike may seem negligible, state estimates from 1997 figures say more than \$9 million per year would be generated in Johnson County if all the towns pass the tax. The money could then

be distributed back to the cities for renovation projects or to fund city services.

Iowa City would get the lion's share of the money, approximately \$5.2 million. Coralville would receive \$1.7 million, and the rest of the towns would split the remainder.

Iowa City's share would be divided in several ways: expansion of the Public Library, construction of a new community-events center, stabilization of the water rates and funding for public transit, the police department and various projects.

Six towns will vote as a block in the election — a majority of votes in the six as a whole is required to pass the measure. The towns include Iowa City, Coralville, Hills, North Liberty, Tiffin and University Heights. The rest of the county's towns will vote independently.

More than 500 Iowa cities in 62 counties have approved a local-option sales tax since the Legislature began allowing the tax, in 1985, according to Iowa Department of Revenue and Finance figures.

Included among those with the tax are Waterloo, Council Bluffs and Davenport. Iowa City, Cedar Rapids and Des Moines are the only major metropolitan areas without a local-option sales tax. Cedar Rapids voters turned down such a tax last year; the tax was narrowly defeated in Des Moines recently.

Area voters defeated the first attempt at a local-option sales tax in Johnson County in 1987.

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Heinauer named next Daily Iowan editor

EDITOR

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date for the position, Heinauer said, the selection process was stressful.

"The pressure was still there, and I was nervous to hear the final result," she said.

Sarah Lueck, the current DI editor, said Heinauer probably would have won out over other candidates because of her extensive DI experience.

"I've worked with her for three

years now," Lueck said. "I know she'll do an incredible job as editor. She's been preparing to do this job for a while."

Lueck had a few words of wisdom for the incoming editor.

"My best advice would be to keep it simple at first, because there are many challenges, and you don't know what they're going to be until you're in it," she said.

Heinauer said she recognizes that the tough times are still to come and described the feeling as "exciting and a little intimidating." She said her biggest challenge

will be maintaining campus trust.

"Being the only newspaper for the UI is a big job. I want students to be proud of this paper and feel good about relying on it," she said.

Though technically she doesn't take over until June, Heinauer said, there is much she needs to do. However, for Monday evening, she said, her plans included calling her parents to share the news and then celebrating with some friends.

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SCOPE looking for a Phair crowd

PHAIR

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said Jaime Hearst, SCOPE public relations director. "It's probably going to be people who know who she is and will tell their friends."

KRUI DJ Joanna Angelopoulos is already using her women's rock show to spread the word about Phair's music.

"I play her all the time," Angelopoulos said. "I get a lot of requests for her; she's wonderful."

Phair's music is popular on the college-music circuit, said KRUI general manager Dave Elfing. Her debut album, *Exile in Guyville*, and her sophomore effort, *Whip-Smart*,

both nearly made the half-million mark. A *Rolling Stone* review of her first album said her music "embodied the contradictions of contemporary chickdom."

That perhaps explains why the artist's appeal may be limited to female concertgoers, some students said.

"Some of my friends would be interested in her — the girls," said UI freshman Misty Martens. "None of my guy friends would go."

"It's pretty much the girls who like her," said UI senior Dax Landeen. "I know my friends like her. If they were to drag me along, I'd go." But SCOPE doesn't feel Phair's lack of recent singles or limited audience appeal will hurt ticket sales.

"It's pretty much the girls who like her. I know my friends like her."

— Dax Landeen, UI senior

"She'll be introducing new material and going back to the old stuff that people like, too," Hearst said. She added that SCOPE expects the show to fill the 1,600-capacity ballroom.

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Distinguished law Professor Burns Weston retires

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His post-retirement plans include writing more articles and books, becoming more involved in various human-rights missions and international organizations, and teaching in many parts of the world.

Although Weston had planned to retire for some time, the move came a bit earlier than he had originally intended. He has throat cancer and decided to rearrange his priorities for the future.

"I have a very good prognosis and every expectation to live to a ripe old age, but I've decided to rethink my life priorities," he said. Weston plans to spend time with

his wife, Marta, his children and his close friends.

"This is a big loss," said Professor John Reitz of the comparative law program. "He's a towering figure in his field, having done a tremendous amount for the school, the students and the faculty."

Reitz will be the acting associate dean for the next year until a permanent replacement is chosen.

For Weston, the retirement announcement has brought an uncomfortable amount of attention.

"There are an awful lot of very distinguished people who have given of themselves for many years and had accomplishments far greater than mine," he said. "I feel awkward about the publicity."

Retirement will also give Weston an opportunity to devote more time to the achievement he cherishes the most — scholarship.

"I'm one of those very lucky people who has never felt his work is work," he said. "My work is my love affair, my hobby — unless there's a faculty meeting."

Weston's future plans are academic in nature.

"He's been an activist all his life," Reitz said. "I'm hoping this will be a good opportunity for him to widen the impact he's already had in this world."

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Break may be over, but Madness remains

AND so the days are getting longer, and the song birds are returning. Gentle breezes are wafting in from the Gulf of Mexico, followed 15 minutes later by gentle gales screaming in from the steppes of Canada. (And you thought Canadians couldn't get revenge for America's ludicrous salmon policy.)

True Iowans prefer this time of year over all others. It gives them something to talk about, which in Iowa is often a difficult proposition. And it reaffirms



BEAU ELLIOT

their faith in Andy Warhol. You don't like this kind of famous weather? they say. Just wait; in 15 minutes, we'll have another kind of famous weather.

Like the song birds, students are wearing their various ways back from Spring Break (like song birds in their returning, not in their sense of music). They come back bearing tans from such exotic foreign lands as Florida, Texas and Arizona. They also come bearing week-long hangovers and stories of their journeys, stories not at all hindered by the two or three minutes of the week that they can actually remember.

All this can mean only one thing: March Madness has descended upon us again, as inevitable as death, taxes and Pat Buchanan running for president.

March Madness is a special time of year, enabling otherwise sensible people to invest only a few bucks in a basketball pool in order to discover the deep, inner meaning of the universe: Gonzaga. (Hee-hee-hee.)

The best thing about March Madness is watching all the thousands of people who know several metric tons more about coaching basketball than Tom Davis have their tournament picks go down the proverbial toilet (and, in some cases, not the proverbial one).

Which brings up a point about the new Iowa basketball coach, Steve Alford. He demonstrated a nice, quick sense of humor in his press conference, which is good. Because, far more than anything else, that's what the Iowa coach needs.

The problem for any Iowa basketball coach is this: Iowa has a population of 3.5 million or so. As luck or the universe (motto: Gonzaga. Hee-hee-hee) would have it, 2.75 million of these Iowans are, when they're not discussing the weather, extraordinary experts on basketball. They would've become great basketball coaches themselves, except that they accidentally became investment bankers and lawyers and corporate hoodies-hoodies and plumbers and carpenters and farmers and university vice presidents. But whatever their occupations, they're a much better coach than the person occupying the office.

So it's a good thing Alford's got laughter. He'll need it a year from now.

March Madness isn't limited to mere basketball. There is, for instance, the Great Banana War. Or, as it's known around my household, Yes, we have no bananas, and we didn't have them first.

That's the way things are working in the U.S.-European part of the world, which is the only part that counts if that's the part you're clever enough to be born in. As it has been ever since human beings quit stalking the odd wild nut and berry and started dreaming of condominiums, choosing your parents is the key to success. Of course, if you spend much time hanging around the New Pi Co-op, you'd get the idea that much of humanity is still stalking the odd wild nut and berry. While dreaming condominium dreams.

The Great Banana War is pretty simple: Europe won't accept bananas from the U.S. banana republics because Europeans want to protect their own banana republics. It's very touching and proves that Europeans have always had the best interests of the native people at heart wherever they've gone conquering in the world.

America has responded to this outrage by refusing to export any more Marx Brothers movies to Europe (or old Jerry Lewis movies, in the case of France) until those uppity Old Worlders buy our bananas. And fill our coffers with banana bread.

And Iowa has chipped in to do its part by having the state Legislature vote to make English the state's official language. Yeah, so what? some of you might say.

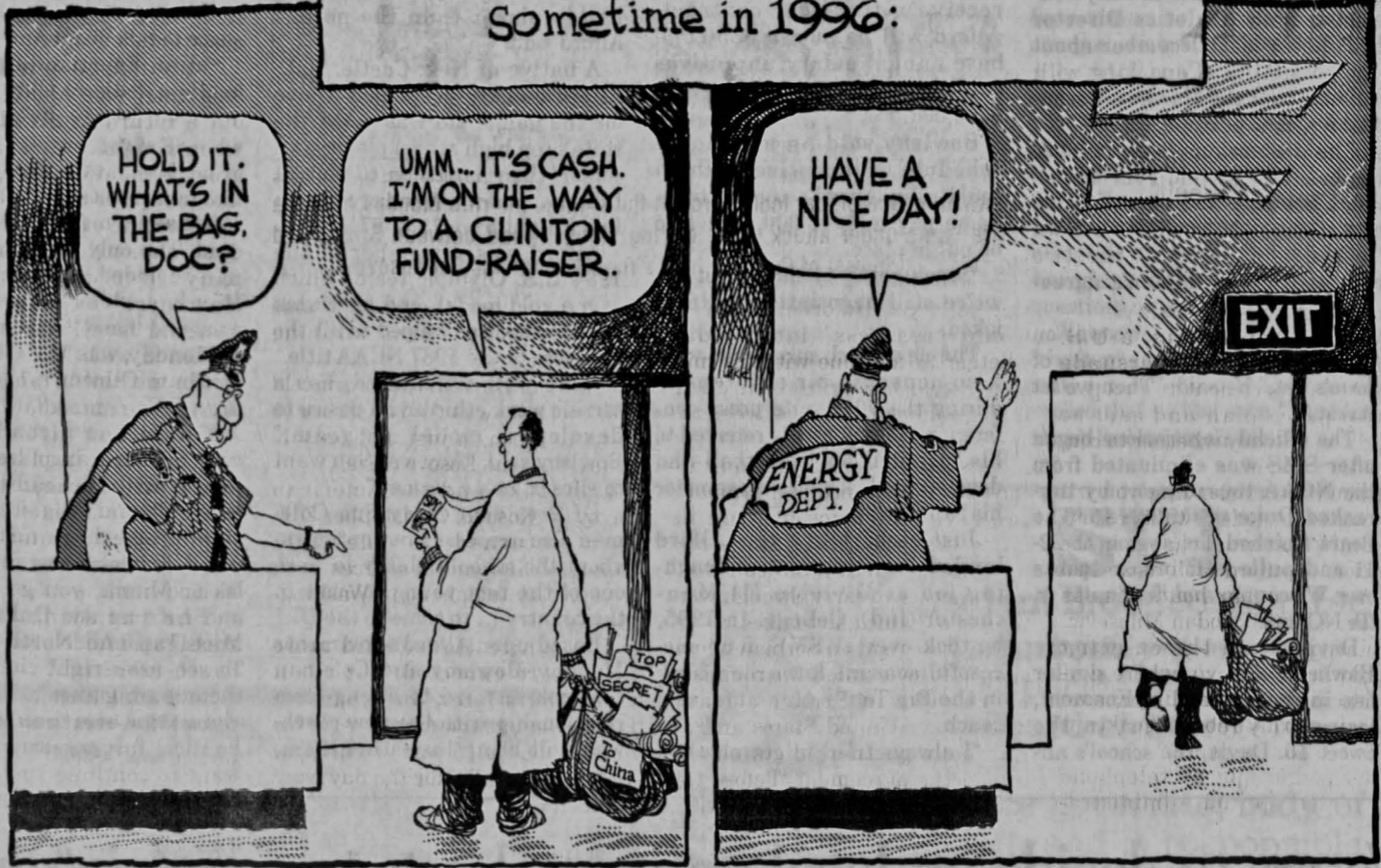
Well, for one thing, the legislation effectively precluded the UI from pursuing Roberto Benigni to be the new basketball coach. And he was the front-runner for a while, inside sources have assured me, because Ann Rhodes realized that being funny is much more important than basketball knowledge in a state awash in basketball experts.

The episode proves that March Madness is everywhere. Either that, or Nature abhors a vacuum.

And we know the latter can't be so, because, if Nature abhorred a vacuum, Dan Quayle couldn't possibly exist. Neither, for that matter, could Bob Bowsby.

Stick around. The forecast is that March Madness will be around for a while. I'm betting on till the end of time. Or until we all go bananas.

Beau Elliot is a *DI* columnist.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Hawaii native offended by columnist's remarks

To the Editor:

I'm a first-year student at the UI, originally from Waianae, Hawaii. I was strongly annoyed by Lance Hamby's poorly researched and opinionated column about several campus clubs in the March 2 *DI*, "The limited appeal of UI groups."

I was shocked when I read about the "University of Hawaii Club." I didn't know that the University of Hawaii had its own club on the UI campus. A little advice to Hamby: If you're going to criticize an organization under the pretense of being credible, at the very least, get the name correct. To clear the record, there is a UI Hawaii Club, and yes, one of its objectives is to "help new students make a smooth transition from Hawaii to Iowa City."

If Hamby hadn't been so occupied with making clever movie analogies and instead had done more research, he might have been able to include a few facts about the actual club instead of peppering his article with his "tourist" perceptions of Hawaii.

He also insulted my intelligence and other students from Hawaii who decided to come to the UI. Does he think that poorly of our university and the state? The simple act of calling up a club member or maybe even reading his own paper would have informed him that another purpose of the club is to educate people like him and, in general, perpetuate the Hawaiian culture.

Only a couple days before his article, the Hawaii Club was featured in a front-page article about our involvement in the Cultural Diversity Day. Granted, even that article included misquotes and misconceptions, but it did describe how a number of club members were dancing in the cultural event in hopes of informing people about Hawaii's unique culture. He would've also

found out that club members don't have to be from Hawaii, or even Hawaiian, to join.

I want to know what kind of inferiority complex Hamby is suffering from that allows him to voice which university organizations "serve legitimate student interests and needs," and which "seem more ripe for a dose of levity." Sounds like the "*DI* columnist" Lance Hamby could benefit from his own prescription of levity.

Linda Morris
UI freshman and UI Hawaii Club member

Praise for UI's decision, criticism of backlash

To the Editor:

I commend the UI for changing the word "freshman" to "first-year." Language is not static. Many people use "African American" instead of "black" or "sexual orientation" instead of "gay" because they are more descriptive than their older counterparts.

It has been my experience that opposition always follows when anyone takes control over the language. I use an alternative spelling for "woman and women" — "womyn" and "wimmin," respectively. I changed the spelling because including "man" in these words implies that wimmin must be defined according to men. I am giving more power to the words "womyn" and "wimmin." This alternative spelling has met opposition in the same way "first-year" has been opposed.

Gender-inclusive language is essential for a safe environment. Men have always known they are included in masculine gender-neutral language. Wimmin, however, do not have the luxury of knowing when they are included and when they are not.

I feel empowered by this change in language. It is not weak to fight for equality. It is not weak to take power back from gender-specific words. It is not weak for a man or woman to call himself a "first-year" student. The backlash from some men who feel threatened by this term is weak. Changing to "first-year" is not an easy, feel-good answer, as another letter-writer has suggested. It is an essential change. I am proud of the UI wimmin and men for taking this step to use gender-inclusive language.

Elle Pospisil
Iowa City resident

Columnist shouldn't stereotype Southerners

To the Editor:

I found Beau Elliot's use of the racial slur "cracker" in his March 3 column to be grossly inappropriate.

The purpose of this editorial was to denounce hate-mongering practices prevalent in American society; yet this type of language only serves to inspire more spite among readers.

What difference is there between Elliot's sweeping anti-Southern and Republican statements and the anti-gay and minority rhetoric of the conservative right? By what standard can a person decide that certain people are righteous targets of hatred and others are not?

If the cycle of hatred is to be broken, people must resist the temptation of prejudice in all situations. If a person's cause is just, he or she shouldn't have to stoop to the lowest common denominator. The facts and arguments should speak for themselves.

Adam Feeney
UI student

NCAA requirements were low hurdle for student-athletes

THIS month, Federal District Court Judge Ronald Buckwalter took the "student" out of student-athlete, as he overturned the National Collegiate Athletic Association's minimum test requirement for prospective freshmen athletes.

The NCAA rule, known as Proposition 16, the successor to Proposition 48, was found to be an unfair measure of acumen for black students and, as a result, was held to be in violation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act. Proposition 16, however, is hardly a burdensome standard.

It required incoming freshmen to score at least an 820 on the SAT and have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher. The GPA minimum was two full standard deviations below the national mean, whereas the SAT requirement was one standard deviation below the national average.

Nonetheless, the court emphasized that 21.4 percent of blacks were disqualified under Proposition 16 in 1997, compared with just 4.2 percent of whites.

Using the doctrine of disparate impact, the court found Proposition 16 to be in violation of blacks' civil rights.

That conclusion, however, is not commensurate with the equal protection clause of the 14th Amendment. In *Washington v. Davis*, the U.S. Supreme Court held that a rule designed to serve neutral ends is not invalid if it "benefits or burdens one race more than another." The court reasoned that to do so could "invalidate a whole range of tax, welfare, public service, and licensing statutes that may be more burdensome to the poor and to the average black than to the more affluent white."

Regardless of that holding, Proposition 16 is not an unjust burden to potential black collegiate athletes. Charles Whitcomb,

chairman of the NCAA Minority Opportunities and Interests Committee, has said, "The standards were put in place because of our concern about graduation rates for student athletes, including minority athletes, and as a result of the standards, more African-American student-athletes graduate each year than did before the standards."

Whitcomb's analysis is correct. Since the NCAA first instituted national standards for freshmen athletes during the 1986-87 academic year, black student-athletes have graduated at higher rates, the graduation gap between blacks and whites has narrowed and now more black student-athletes are receiving their degrees.

Still, civil-rights leaders say Proposition 16 is racist because it denies inner-city kids "their chance at a college education."

The rule, however, does not affect whether a student-athlete can be admitted into an institution. Rather, the rule only determines whether that athlete can compete in athletics during his or her freshman year. That rationale being that if a student could not meet the modest requirements of

Proposition 16 then that student's time was best left to remedial studies rather than the practice field.

Furthermore, Proposition 16 gave inner-city kids a much needed incentive to do well in school. With the rule in place, high school athletes knew that, in order to attend a big-name athletic program, the classroom would require as much practice as the playground. As a result, student-athletes under Proposition 16 actually had higher graduation rates than student-non-athletes.

Black activists, however, do not want to offer those inner-city kids an incentive to do well in school. Rather, they have done the opposite by advocating for the elimination of Proposition 16. Thus, instead of expecting more from the kids they are pretending to help, they are demanding less.

It is said that past is prologue. Unfortunately, that phrase will soon be illuminated as college athletics makes a return to its not-so-glorious past. A time when athletes were exploited by unscrupulous coaches for

their talent and often left after four years with no diploma or real education.

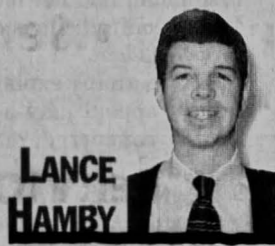
Proposition 16 helped mitigate that exploitation.

Without a national standard, however, our universities will once again become nothing more than a turnstile for unprepared athletes.

That fact is disturbing because NCAA athletics are a zero sum game. That means that for every athlete who receives a scholarship, another athlete must be rejected. In football, each university is allotted no more than 85 scholarships, and basketball programs are only allowed 13.

Under Proposition 16, those slots were meted out to qualified athletes who were also deserving students. Now, however, due to an unfortunate play of the race card, and the subsequent overruling of Proposition 16, the term "student-athlete" will soon become nothing more than a contradiction in terms.

Lance Hamby is a *DI* columnist.



LANCE HAMBY

readers

SAY Do you have any regrets from spring break? And if so, what are they?



"Yes. I got a haircut."
Matt Mac Dougall
UI senior



"No. I went to Georgia."
Lisa Gentry
UI junior



"Yes. I didn't go anywhere. It kind of sucks."
Andrew Bell
UI senior



"Yes. I wish I would have went to Cancun."
Gwendolyn Lill
UI freshman



"Yeah, I regret having so much sex over break."
George Kleier
UI senior

WORLD

Serbs face brink

■ After meeting with the Yugoslav president, Holbrooke says pursuing peace is more difficult.

By Katarina Kratovac
Associated Press

BEGRAD, Yugoslavia — Despite NATO threats, a U.S. envoy failed to persuade Yugoslavia's president to accept a Kosovo peace plan and said he would decide today whether to continue his mission.

"I would be misleading you if I suggested that today's talks resulted in any substantial change in the situation," Richard Holbrooke told reporters after four hours of talks with President Slobodan Milosevic.

Holbrooke said the on-going crackdown in Kosovo, where government forces are battling Kosovo Liberation Army rebels, "makes it difficult to pursue peace."

After conferring by telephone with senior Clinton Administra-



David Brauchli/Associated Press

A Serbian police officer looks through the sight of his rifle Monday after the police came under attack while driving along a road between Srbica and Mitrovica, northwest of Pristina, in the Yugoslav province of Kosovo.

tion officials, Holbrooke said he would "reassess" later today whether to continue with his mission. Senior U.S. officials in Washington said more talks between the two were likely.

Holbrooke's comments indicate that, in the absence of a dramatic reversal, diplomacy has run its course, and the United States and its allies will face a difficult decision whether to carry through with threats to launch air strikes.

In a statement on Serbian television, Milosevic called two rounds of peace talks in France a fraud because the United States and its European partners dictated the text of the agreement "before the start of the negotiations" and with-

out consulting "the state whose interests are at stake," meaning Yugoslavia.

The statement said Milosevic told Holbrooke he was ready for serious talks to reach "a just and tenable solution" to the Kosovo crisis.

Holbrooke and the American envoy for Kosovo, Christopher Hill, then returned to the U.S. Embassy, diplomatic sources said, to report by telephone to Washington.

The White House said more talks were expected, but about three hours later, an exhausted Holbrooke left the embassy for his hotel about 3:15 a.m. local time and said his talks for the day were at an end.

In Egypt, first lady talks of Senate

■ Saying she wants to maintain a role in the public eye, Rodham Clinton discusses her possible political future.

By Sandra Sobieraj
Associated Press

CAIRO — In a most unlikely place to talk about American politics — at an Egyptian health clinic — Hillary Rodham Clinton acknowledged an interest in running for the U.S. Senate.

She's been making "lots of calls" on the subject over the past month but hasn't made a decision, she said. The only thing she is certain of, she added, is that she wants to keep a public role after she and her husband leave the White House.

Monday was the second day of Rodham Clinton's 12-day tour of Egypt, Morocco and Tunisia; word of her possible candidacy for a New York Senate seat got here before she did. At the Khan al Klaili marketplace, Mona Abdel clapped her hands together and shook with excitement as Secret Service agents filed down the market's alleyway.

"She's applying for the Congress," said Abdel, 25. "I will nominate her for sure."

Rodham Clinton told reporters that, whatever happened in her political future, "I do know that I want to continue speaking out on behalf of the issues that I've spent

more than 25 years working on. Any way I can continue to do that, I intend to. But the form that will take I really can't predict at this time."

The news conference Monday was her most expansive discussion of running for office. Rodham Clinton took six questions.

In the lobby of Cairo's El Bassatine clinic for women and children, reporters noted that her husband had expressed his support for her if she decides to run for the Senate. An Egyptian journalist stepped forward to ask Rodham Clinton

about her "plans for the future."

She momentarily played it coy. "Well, tomorrow I'm going to Luxor," she said to chuckles from the assembled doctors, nurses and Egyptian officials.

It took three more questions to draw her out on the topic.

"As you know, I've made lots of calls over the past month," she said. She has been sounding out friends, advisers and political consultants on her chances in a bid for the seat of retiring Democratic Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan.

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Israel prevents villagers from exiting South Lebanon security zone

■ The move is the most recent in a series since an Israeli general was killed by a bomb on Feb. 28.

By Sam F. Ghattas
Associated Press

BEIRUT, Lebanon — Israeli forces are barring 11,000 Lebanese residents of the town of Hasbaya and at least two nearby villages from leaving South Lebanon, security officials said Monday.

The move was the latest in a broad clampdown on Lebanese civilians in Israel's occupied "security zone" in South Lebanon since an Israeli commander was killed in a bomb blast on Feb. 28.

On Sunday, Israeli troops arrest-

ed a member of the Israeli-backed South Lebanon army, which helps Israel in policing the enclave. Lebanese security officials said he was suspected of helping a high-ranking militia officer defect to the Lebanese government.

Israel has not commented on the report. But Israel's Channel 2 TV said Monday that a South Lebanon army soldier was suspected of passing information to Syrian intelligence. The broadcast did not give his name.

On March 19, the Israeli ally detained seven civilians — one a former militia member — on suspicion of aiding Hezbollah guerrillas in recent attacks.

The leftist Beirut newspaper *As-Safir* said as many as 40 Lebanese may have been picked up for ques-

tioning, with some later released.

The suspicion that some militiamen could be working with the guerrillas would undermine Israel's confidence in the South Lebanon army, which it finances and trains.

The Israeli moves apparently are in response to the death of Brig. Gen. Ezer Gerstein, the commander of Israeli forces in Lebanon, who was killed along with three other Israelis in a bomb blast near the southern town of Hasbaya, 40 miles southeast of Beirut.

An Israeli newspaper, *Yediot Ahronot*, reported Monday that the Israeli military was investigating whether Hezbollah guerrillas were tipped off by South Lebanon army members about Gerstein's movements the day he was killed.

Also Monday, Israeli jets raided

suspected guerrilla hideouts for a second consecutive day in the mountains around Sojod, 12 miles southeast of the port city of Sidon, Lebanese security officials said.

Jets also struck in the Iqlim al-Tuffah, or Apple Province, which is south of Beirut, and near the village of Abou Rashed in the eastern Bekaa Valley.

The Israeli army confirmed the strikes near Sojod. There were no immediate reports of damage or casualties.

Lebanese security officials said Israeli troops and members of the South Lebanon army told residents of Hasbaya and the neighboring villages of Ain Qinya and Ibl Saqi that they cannot leave Israeli-controlled territory. The officials spoke on customary condition of anonymity.

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Raise high the manuscripts, J.D.

■ The famously reclusive author has a secret cache of unpublished books, a neighbor claims.

By Mike Recht
Associated Press

CONCORD, N.H. — A neighbor of writer J.D. Salinger says the author of "The Catcher in the Rye" has a cache of up to 15 unpublished books locked up in his home.

Jerry Burt, of Plainfield, who was friends with Salinger in the 1960s and lives near the author, told the Associated Press on March 20 that Salinger said in 1978 he'd written 15 or 16 other books.

Burt said the books were apparently hidden in a walk-in bank safe installed in Salinger's home. During a visit, Burt saw the safe open, but, he said, it was dark inside and he didn't see any books.

"He told me he had his finished manuscripts in there," Burt told AP. "I didn't see them. Who knows now; he may have burned them all. He may have published them under another name. He didn't have any idea at the time what he was going to do with them."

Since publishing "Catcher in the Rye" in 1951, Salinger has released only two other books — "Franny and Zooey" and "Raise High the Roofbeams, Carpenters and Seymour: An Introduction."

In a memoir published last year, Joyce Maynard, the novelist who lived with Salinger for nine months beginning in 1972, recalls the reclusive author writing every day and keeping manuscripts locked in a safe. Salinger has completed at least two books in the years since he last published his work, according to the memoir.

The *Sunday Times of London* quoted Burt and two other friends as saying the author had numerous

unfinished manuscripts. They said they don't know what Salinger plans to do with the books.

Ian Hamilton, who tried to write a biography of Salinger in 1986 but was thwarted after the author sued, told the *Times* he believes the unpublished works all involve the fictional Glass family, the central figures in "Franny and Zooey."

The newspaper said Phyllis Westberg, Salinger's agent in New York, would not comment on whether there were any unpublished books. A telephone call to her agency by the AP rang unanswered Sunday.

Bright orange "No Trespassing" signs are nailed to nearly every tree on the dirt road leading to Salinger's house. Burt said he has not been to Salinger's home in five or six years.

"He never talks about his work. Not a word," Burt told the AP. "You didn't ask him 'why' questions. He's very suspicious."

ARTS BRIEFS

Wherefore art thou, Oscar audience?

NEW YORK (AP) — Without "Titanic," the Oscar telecast hit the iceberg.

Sunday night's telecast drew a 32 rating and 49 share in Nielsen Media Research's overnight estimate of 44 top media markets. That's a 21 percent drop from the comparable ratings in 1998.

An estimated 70 million Americans watched some or all of the longest Academy Awards show ever, said Larry Hyams, vice president of audience analysis for ABC.

Oscar ratings tend to be largely dependent on the box office power of the major winners, and ABC knew that "Shakespeare in Love" and "Saving Private Ryan" couldn't hope to live up to last year's "Titanic" standard.

Still, the network hoped that moving the Oscar telecast from Monday to Sunday night

would give the ratings a boost, but that appeared to make little difference.

At 73, rolling 'around the world'

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — Jim Thomas feels more comfortable on roller skates than off. For six years, he dreamed a true devotee's dream — to skate 25,000 miles.

Semi-retired now at 73, Thomas pursued this goal while volunteering at Derrick's Roll Arena. "I don't consider it work," he said of duties as floor monitor.

On Dec. 17, 1998, when Thomas hit the milestone, more than three dozen buddies were there to cheer.

In 1997, Thomas watched one man attempt to circle the Earth in a hot-air balloon, a journey of 24,902 miles and decided to set a similar goal



Thomas — in his heart. And he didn't care. "I'm going to stay on skates as long as I can," he said. "As long as I can walk I will skate."

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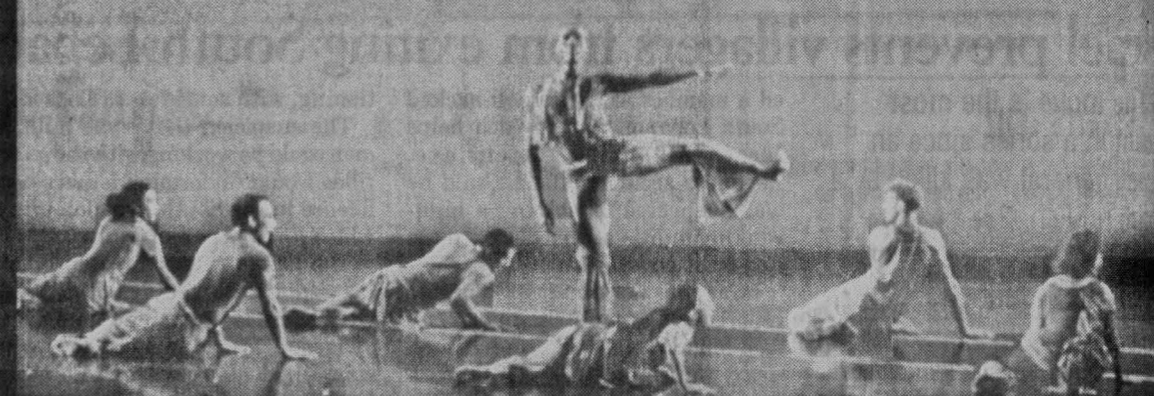
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Section B

TELEVISION

Main Event

The Event: NBA, Miami Heat at Utah Jazz, TNT, 7 p.m.
The Skinny: The Atlantic Division-leading Heat are trying to show the old-and-gray, Midwest Division-leading Jazz that Miami will make a run for the NBA title.



Tennis

Noon Lipton Championships, ESPN.

College Basketball

6 p.m. NIT semis, Oregon vs. California, ESPN.
 8 p.m. NIT semis, Xavier vs. Clemson, ESPN.

NBA

7:30 p.m. Toronto at Chicago, Fox/Chi.

QUOTABLE

"I either bring him along or I start worrying about nursing homes."
 — Steve Alford, new Iowa men's basketball coach, on why he is bringing along his father, Sam, to become a Hawkeye assistant.

SPORTS QUIZ

Name the two NBA teams for which Iowa basketball coach Steve Alford played. See answer, Page 2B.

SCOREBOARD

NBA			
Indiana	90	L.A. Lakers	96
Washington	86	Dallas	93
New Jersey	106	Milwaukee	115
Toronto	87	Detroit	86
Atlanta	80	Phoenix	89
New York	71	Vancouver	84
Houston	110	Philadelphia	late
Sacramento	100	Seattle	late
NHL			
San Jose	1	St. Louis	5
Montreal	1	Carolina	2
Tampa Bay	6	Calgary	2
N.Y. Rangers	3	Edmonton	2
Philadelphia	3		
Toronto	1		
WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL			
Duke	69	Purdue	75
Tennessee	63	Rutgers	62
Georgia	89	Louisiana Tech	
Iowa State	71	UCLA	late

From Hoosier to Hawkeye



Pete Thompson/The Daily Iowan

Iowa men's basketball coach Steve Alford speaks with reporters Monday in the Big Ten room of Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

Alford the perfect cure for all of Bowsby's ills

The hiring of enthusiastic 34-year-old Steve Alford will help Iowa fans forget about the way the university treated former coach Tom Davis.



Wayne Drehs

Iowa athletics director Bob Bowsby did quite a bit of smiling Monday, and with good reason. After all the flak he received for dismissing Tom Davis this year, Bowsby got the last laugh when he pulled the hottest young coaching prospect out of his hat and introduced him as Iowa's 29th men's basketball coach. Steve Alford is the perfect man to help people forget about Davis and the negative feelings stemming from the former coach's departure. Alford is a charismatic coach that has even the staunchest of Davis supporters eager to get next season started, and for many reasons. First of all, he's a winner. Everywhere Alford has played or coached, he has won. There is no reason why he can't do the same in Iowa City. He is 156-77 (.670) as a college coach, and was 92-35 during his four



Pete Thompson/The Daily Iowan

Iowa men's athletic director Bob Bowsby (left) may have earned points with Hawkeye fans by hiring Steve Alford to replace Tom Davis as basketball coach.

years as a Hoosier. In the 1987 NCAA championship game, he hit a then-record seven 3-pointers to give Indiana the title. The reason he is so successful? A genuine passion for the game. Alford

is the first one to jump out of his chair after an entertaining dunk or chest-bump one of his players after a coffin-nailing three. Players like that. They like coaches

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Anxious players believe Iowa found right man for the job

By Megan Manfull
 The Daily Iowan

Iowa freshman Rod Thompson's smile returned Monday. He stood quietly in the back of the Big Ten room in Carver-Hawkeye Arena and searched for a reason why he wouldn't like new coach Steve Alford. He couldn't find one. "Man, this is a reliever for me," Thompson said. "We thought we'd get a terrible coach." Thoughts of transferring had been weighing heavily on the freshman's mind since arriving at Iowa. Conversations with assistant coach Rich Walker convinced Thompson to stick it out for the remainder of his freshman year, but he wasn't sure he'd be back for a sophomore season at Iowa. He didn't know everything would change Monday. He got a message on his answering machine from his girlfriend telling him the new coach was being named on TV. And at 12:36 p.m., he flipped on the tube to see the beginning of the press conference. "I was like, 'Oh, my God,'" Thompson said. "When I turned it on, I saw (teammates) Guy Rucker and Jason Price walking in, so I had to rush to get over there." The Galesburg, Ill., native wasn't the only player in a good mood following the 90-minute press conference that introduced Alford to a packed room of players, reporters and supporters. Monday marked the first time the players were able to meet Alford, despite months of rumors indicating he would be their next coach. Alford was no stranger to some, though. For junior Ryan Luehrsmann, the day was almost too good to be true. His new coach was a former NCAA champion with the Indiana Hoosiers, an Olympic gold medalist who played with Michael

See PLAYER REACTION, Page 2B

Minnesota's Haskins repudiates allegations

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — University of Minnesota men's basketball coach Clem Haskins denied Monday giving money to a former player and to a tutor who says she wrote hundreds of papers for basketball players. "I deny the allegations of former player Russ Archambault. I again deny the allegations of Jan Gangelhoff. They are not true," Haskins said in a statement issued through the university with the approval of his attorney. "The people of the state of Minnesota are smart and recognize that people in leadership positions can have false allegations raised for whatever reason or agenda," Haskins said. "Fortunately, America has a system of justice that preserves the rights of all people, including those of athletes and coaches." Gangelhoff's claims that she wrote papers and did course work for at least 20 current and former Golden Gopher players has triggered an investigation into academic fraud at the university. She said Haskins paid her to keep tutoring a player after the university's academic counseling unit told her to stop. Subsequently, Archambault has said Haskins gave him several hundred dollars in cash while he was a member of the team from 1996 through February of 1998, when he was dismissed by Haskins for leaving his hotel after curfew the night before a Big Ten game at Illinois. "We are disappointed that the University of Minnesota is now fighting so hard to deny the existence of a conspiracy to keep university basketball players eligible to play," replied Gangelhoff's attorney, Jim Lord. He also is representing her sister, Jeanne Payer, another former tutor for the players.



Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan
 National champion Doug Schwab (right) has two more years of eligibility left for the Hawkeyes.

Iowa should only get better

The NCAA champion Iowa wrestling team will return a bundle of talent next season.

By Tony Wirt
 The Daily Iowan

In the sport of wrestling, experience plays a large factor in winning. A talented freshman can come into the national tournament as a favorite, then leave dejected after a couple losses. Just ask Iowa State's Joe Heskett, who failed to reach the semifinals despite a No. 1 ranking. But if a team as young and inexperienced as this season's Iowa Hawkeyes can win an NCAA cham-

ampionship, imagine what it can do for an encore. Returning are NCAA and Big Ten champions Doug Schwab (141) and T.J. Williams (149), along with All-American Eric Juergens (133). "This is good experience for us, even the guys who didn't place," Hawkeye coach Jim Zalesky said. "It's always good to get the experience of getting in this tournament, because it's the key. It's just one roller-coaster ride after another." "It's just going to make us that much better," Schwab said. "We really came together as a team this weekend and we've got a lot of guys

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IOWA BASEBALL

Hawkeyes to open at home against ISU

Iowa will try to extend its five-game winning streak today against the intrastate rival Iowa State Cyclones, who defeated the Hawkeyes earlier this season.

By Roger Kuznia
 The Daily Iowan

Coming off the team's biggest win of the season against Miami, the Iowa baseball team is riding a five-game winning streak and a lot of momentum. Iowa defeated the Hurricanes, 9-3, in the championship game of the Homestead Challenge last Saturday, finishing off an impressive Spring Break trip that spanned seven games. "Last week was a good week for us," Iowa coach Scott Broghamer said of his team's 5-2 record in Florida. "The kids just got better and better. The thing that I liked best was that everybody contributed." But that was last week. Iowa (7-9) will have to turn its attention to intrastate rival Iowa State when the teams meet today at 2 p.m. at Iowa Field. Wes Obermueller (1-3) will start the game on the mound for Iowa. Freshman center fielder Ian Mattiace said he's glad to finally be playing a home game after 16 straight on the road. "We want to put on those white uniforms and play in front of our home crowd," Mattiace said. "We don't have to catch a plane or a bus home. You



Brian Moore/The Daily Iowan

Iowa senior Brian Mitchell will try to lead the Hawkeyes to a victory in today's home opener against Iowa State.

can go home to your apartment and relax after the game." Though the Hawkeyes are on a winning streak, the Cyclones (5-16) are headed in the opposite direction. The Cyclones have won one game in their last 17 tries. However, the team's lone win during this span was against Iowa on Feb. 28, which should catch the Hawkeyes' attention. Mattiace said payback will be on the minds of the Iowa players, but he's hoping the game will prove that the

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SPORTS

SPORTS QUIZ

Dallas Mavericks and Golden State Warriors.

NBA STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE		W	L	Pct	GB
Atlantic Division					
Miami	18	6	750	—	
Orlando	18	8	692	1	
Philadelphia	14	10	583	4	
New York	15	12	556	4	
Washington	10	15	400	8	
Boston	8	15	348	9	
New Jersey	5	20	200	13	
Central Division					
Indiana	18	7	720	—	
Milwaukee	15	10	600	3	
Atlanta	15	11	577	3	
Detroit	14	12	538	4	
Cleveland	12	11	522	5	
Toronto	11	13	458	6	
Charlotte	9	14	391	8	
Chicago	8	17	320	10	
WESTERN CONFERENCE					
Midwest Division					
Utah	19	6	760	—	
Houston	17	9	654	2	
San Antonio	16	9	640	3	
Minnesota	14	12	538	5	
Dallas	9	18	333	11	
Denver	7	18	280	12	
Vancouver	5	21	182	14	
Pacific Division					
Portland	20	5	800	—	
L.A. Lakers	19	9	679	2	
Seattle	12	11	522	7	
Phoenix	13	13	500	7	
Golden State	10	14	417	8	
Sacramento	11	16	407	10	
L.A. Clippers	2	22	083	17	
Monday's Games					
Late Game Not Included					
Indiana	90	Washington	86		
New Jersey	106	Toronto	87		
Atlanta	80	New York	71		
Houston	110	Sacramento	100		
L.A. Lakers	96	Dallas	93		
Milwaukee	115	Detroit	86		
Phoenix	99	Vancouver	84		

Philadelphia at Seattle (n)

Tuesday's Games
 Charlotte at Orlando, 6:30 p.m.
 Boston at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
 Miami at Utah, 7 p.m.
 Denver at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
 Toronto at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
 Golden State at Portland, 9 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
 Minnesota at Boston, 6 p.m.
 Chicago at Charlotte, 6:30 p.m.
 Detroit at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
 Philadelphia at Atlanta, 6:30 p.m.
 Houston at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
 Miami at Milwaukee, 7:30 p.m.
 Washington at Seattle, 9 p.m.
Thursday's Games
 Philadelphia at Vancouver, 9 p.m.
 New York at Sacramento, 9:30 p.m.
 Phoenix at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.
 Golden State at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

NHL STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE		W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Atlantic							
New Jersey	38	22	8	84	201	169	
Pittsburgh	35	22	12	82	210	182	
Philadelphia	32	22	17	81	208	172	
N.Y. Rangers	29	32	10	68	196	199	
N.Y. Islanders	20	42	9	49	162	209	
Northeast							
Buffalo	40	23	13	77	180	152	
Ottawa	31	27	11	73	181	159	
Montreal	28	32	10	66	164	179	
Southeast							
Carolina	30	27	14	74	183	178	
Florida	28	28	17	69	178	183	
Washington	29	35	6	64	179	184	
Tampa Bay	17	47	5	39	151	249	
WESTERN CONFERENCE							
Central							
Detroit	34	30	6	74	208	182	
St. Louis	30	29	11	71	202	185	
Nashville	24	39	7	55	166	225	
Chicago	21	39	10	52	164	219	
Northwest							
Colorado	35	25	9	79	197	178	
Calgary	27	32	11	65	187	196	

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 Tampa Bay at N.Y. Rangers, 3 p.m.
 Philadelphia at St. Louis, 5 p.m.
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 Calgary at Edmonton, 2 p.m.
Tuesday's Games
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 Chicago at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.
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 Nashville at Tampa Bay, 6:35 p.m.
 San Jose at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
 N.Y. Rangers at Florida, 6:30 p.m.
 Buffalo at Detroit, 6:30 p.m.
 Vancouver at Colorado, 8 p.m.
 Montreal at Edmonton, 8 p.m.

TRANSACCIONS

BASEBALL
 NATIONAL LEAGUE
 Florida Marlins—Optioned LHP Michael Tejera, RHP Justin Speier, RHP Ryan Dempster and RHP Joe Fontenot to Calgary of the PCL. Assigned RHP Rob Staller, RHP Darin Perez, INF Pablo Ozuna and C Lionel Hairstings to their minor-league camp.
 New York Mets—Signed RHP Oscar Henriquez to a minor-league contract. Traded OF Jonathan Guzman to the Kansas City Royals for INF-OF Shane Halter.
 Pittsburgh Pirates—Reassigned RHP Bob Mizek, RHP Todd Van Poppel, C-OF Steve Bieser, INF Matt Howard and OF Ray Montgomery to their minor-league camp.
National Basketball Association

HOUSTON ROCKETS—Activated F-C Antoine Carr from the injured list. Placed G Matt Maloney on the injured list.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Placed G Sam Cassell on the injured list. Activated F Scott Williams from the injured list.
 NEW JERSEY NETS—Placed C Jim McIlwaine on the injured list. Signed F Jamie Feick to a 10-day contract.

FOOTBALL

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE
 CLEVELAND BROWNS—Named Dan Arthur director of public-relations-internet, Todd Stewart director of publicity-media relations and Ken Mathers media relations coordinator.
 SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Signed RB Travis Jewell.
 SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Named Douglas Smith director of corporate sales.
Arena Football League
 IOWA BARSTORMERS—Recalled QB Charles Puleri from waivers.

HOCKEY

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE
 NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Traded C Sergei Nemchinov to the New Jersey Devils for a 1999 fourth-round draft pick.
 NEW YORK RANGERS—Activated C Wayne Gretzky from injured reserve. Reassigned C Christian Dubé to Hartford of the AHL.
 PHOENIX COYOTES—Assigned LW Louie DeBruin to Long Beach of the IHL.
 TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Recalled RW Corey Spring from Cleveland of the IHL. Assigned D Mike McBain to Cleveland.
 WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Traded LW Tom Chorske to the Calgary Flames for future considerations. Reassigned D Steve Poaspi to Portland of the AHL.
COLLEGE
 IOWA—Named Steve Alford men's basketball coach.

MEN'S NCAA GLANCE

THE FINAL FOUR
 At Tropicana Field
 St. Petersburg, Fla.
 National Semifinals
 Saturday, March 27
 Ohio State (27-6) vs. Connecticut (32-2), 4:42 p.m.

Duke (36-1) vs. Michigan State (33-4), 30 minutes after first game.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
 Monday, March 29
 Semifinal winners, 8-18 p.m.

WOMEN'S NCAA GLANCE

THE FINAL FOUR
 At San Jose Arena
 San Jose, Calif.
 National Semifinals
 Friday, March 26
 Duke (28-6) vs. Georgia (27-6), 6 or 8:30 p.m.
 Purdue (32-1) vs. West champion, 6 or 8:30 p.m.
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP
 Sunday, March 28
 Semifinal winners, 8 p.m.

MEN'S NIT GLANCE

At Madison Square Garden
 New York
 Semifinals
 Tuesday, March 23
 Oregon (19-11) vs. California (20-11), 6 p.m.
 Xavier (24-10) vs. Clemson (19-14), 8 p.m.
Championship Round
 Thursday, March 25
 Third Place
 Semifinal losers, 4 p.m.
Championship
 Semifinal winners, 6:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S NIT GLANCE

Seminifinals
 Saturday, March 20
 Wisconsin 92, Memphis 73
 Arkansas 80, Drake 55
Championship
 Tuesday, March 23
 Wisconsin (18-13) at Arkansas (19-14), 7 p.m.

Hawkeyes look to avenge 8-5 loss to Cyclones

BASEBALL

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victory over Miami wasn't a fluke. "Coming off the big win against Miami, this game against Iowa

State will say something about the character of this team, if we can maintain this level of play," Mattiace said.

In the Feb. 28 contest, pitcher James Magrane held Iowa State

scoreless through five innings, but ran into trouble in the sixth, giving up four runs. Iowa State ended up winning, 8-5.

Broghamer said his team must continue to pitch well, swing the

bat well and play good defense.

"We need to build on what we've done so far and continue the momentum," Broghamer said.

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Zalesky tabs Iowa State as early favorite for next season

WRESTLING

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coming back. We just have to keep that work ethic going and reap the benefits."

Besides the wrestlers, the head coach gained some valuable experience at this year's NCAA Championships.

When he guided the team to last year's title, Zalesky was the acting head coach while Dan Gable took a leave of absence. Even though he was the man in charge, many peo-

ple still saw it as Gable's team. And with the performances he got from Mark Ironside, Jeff McGinness and Joe Williams at nationals, many felt that anyone could have coached the team to a title.

This year, however, things were different. Zalesky took a team that many Hawkeye fans thought was destined for second or third to the top.

"This one is a little more satisfying," Zalesky said. "Last year, everyone was saying we won because we had the horses. This

year, we only had one guy that had been (in the finals) before, in (Lee) Fullhart. Schwab wasn't even an All-American last year, and Williams is a first-year guy."

Iowa wasn't the only team picking up valuable experience last weekend, though. The Iowa State Cyclones finished in a tie for fourth with Penn State, and they will return most of their team next season, including NCAA champion Cael Sanderson and All-Americans Heskett and Cody Sanderson. Heskett and Cael Sanderson were both ranked No. 1 going into the

tournament as freshman.

Add to the mix 1998 NCAA runner-up Trent Hynes, who will return to the lineup after a red-shirt year, and it is easy to see why Zalesky labeled the Cyclones as the early favorite for next year.

"I think any coach would be excited with the team we've got," ISU coach Bobby Douglas said. "When you see freshmen wrestling the way ours did this season, you get excited about next year."

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Iowa can now become a force on national level

DREHS

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they can relate to and they like to be around winners. Alford is both.

In addition, the two-time college All-American is a nationally recognized figure that can put Iowa basketball on the map. Before the Davis saga, the Hawkeyes had received little, if any, national attention.

They were a team that almost always made it into the tournament, but created little harm as they typically bowed out in the second round. They weren't much

interest for anybody.

Now, the nation will be watching. They want to know what the former Indiana star can do at another Big Ten school. Just this year, Alford received tons of hype over Southwest Missouri's Sweet Sixteen bid. Alford was featured in articles in many of the nation's biggest papers, and was the guest on ESPN's "Up Close."

Even Monday, the news was everywhere. On a relatively slow sports news day, the hiring of Alford is among the nation's big stories.

CNN's Headline News led its sports segment with the hiring,

and ESPN's SportsCenter followed its coverage of the Final Four with the news.

It's the perfect way to recover from the poor handling of Davis' departure, as well as tell prospective recruits across the country that the Iowa program is on the rise. And Bowlsby knows it.

No longer will college basketball commentators Dick Vitale, Bill Raftery and Al McGuire tear apart Bowlsby or the Iowa basketball program. They won't cry at the injustice with which Davis was treated. Instead, they will praise the Hawkeyes for a great hire.

Unlike little-known football

coach Kirk Ferentz, Alford is one of the biggest names on the college basketball circuit and has everybody counting the days to next year's basketball season.

Alford has his sights set high. He wants to take the Hawkeyes to the Final Four. He wants their apparel in sports stores across the country. He wants every Iowa prep star to dream of being a Hawkeye.

And most of all, he wants to win. And all Bowlsby can do is smile.

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Alford: I won't beg players to come to Iowa

PLAYER REACTION

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Jordan and a five-year veteran of the NBA.

"I had a great deal of respect for him as a player," Luehrsmann said. "I looked up to him a lot. I had all of his instructional videos. He was amazing. I can't believe it's happening that I get the chance to work with him."

It wasn't so much the impressive résumé that drew Thompson to Alford. It was the high intensity and honest demeanor.

Thompson came to Iowa with high hopes after finishing his high school career as an honorable mention All-American. However, he averaged just 3.9 minutes in the nine games he played. He didn't travel with the team to the NCAA tournament.

But he hopes that is in the past. He's ready for a new coach and a new year.

"When I came here, I talked to the coach (Tom Davis)," Thompson said. "I take a person's word that when they say they are going to do something, that they are going to do it. I had a vision when I came here. Things just didn't work out how they were supposed to. I just want to see eye-to-eye with Coach Alford."

Alford met briefly with the team prior to the public announcement and plans to meet with each player over the next two weeks.

He said he wants to talk to them about passion, work ethic and the pride that goes along with wearing an Iowa uniform. He wants to discuss aspirations of a Big Ten title and competing for a national championship.

Alford is aware of the rumors that some of the Hawkeyes were looking to transfer. He plans on

being honest with them, articulating his philosophies and giving them the option of either following or leaving.

"I'm not in the business to beg," Alford said. "I don't beg players to come to Iowa. You come because this is what the university and the coaching staff is about and you want to be a part of it."

"Hopefully, the individual players we have right now are going to have the same visions I have. And if that takes place, I don't think you'll see anybody leaving."

Iowa freshman Joey Range was at his home in Galesburg, Ill., during the announcement. The rest of the team was in attendance.

While some animosity had separated Iowa athletics director Bob Bowlsby from players in recent weeks, much of it was gone Monday.

Sophomore Dean Oliver had spoken last week about how disappointed he was about players not being involved in the process of finding a new coach. However, team members seemed to be com-

fortable with the decision after meeting Alford.

"I'd talked to Bowlsby throughout the year and he guaranteed he wouldn't bring in a coach that was terrible," Thompson said. "He said he'd bring in a young coach that had a good love for the game and cares about individual relationships. I think Bob has come through with his promise."

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A NEW ERA BEGINS

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New coach ponders assistants

■ Current Iowa assistant Rich Walker is one of the coaches Steve Alford is considering for his new staff.

By James Kramer
The Daily Iowan

During the course of the next two weeks, new Iowa men's basketball coach Steve Alford expects to have his entire coaching staff assembled.

Since Alford and Iowa athletics director Bob Bowsby had relatively few opportunities to speak over the last few months, the task of building a new staff is not an easy one. As of last Friday, Alford was still the head coach at Southwest Missouri State.

"Through this difficult process, (Bowsby and I) haven't had a lot of contacts," Alford said. "But I think the staff will fall into place and will be full of energy."

One of the assistant coaching positions is a no-brainer, and a second slot could be filled quickly by a familiar face.

Alford confirmed Monday that his father, Sam, would also make the move to Iowa City from Springfield, Mo., to become an assistant coach. Sam Alford had formerly held the same title at SMS.

Alford also expressed interest in retaining Rich Walker from Tom Davis' staff. Walker is well-liked among Iowa's current players and is considered an outstanding recruiter.

"(Walker) is definitely somebody I want to sit down and talk with," Alford said. "I think the possibilities are high, because I'd like to have a tie. There's been great tradition and great success here, and I don't wanna lose touch with that."

Alford has never met Davis' other assistants, Gary Close or Frank DiLeo, so Walker seems to be the only legitimate candidate among the trio.

"I've had a relationship with Rich," Alford said. "I've seen Rich before in the recruiting process. For me to start interviewing somebody that I've never had contact with can be a scary situation."

Walker and Alford were expected to get together Monday afternoon to discuss Walker's future.

One thing, however, is certain: Sam Alford, a longtime coach at New Castle (Ind.) Chrysler High School, will be on the Iowa sidelines next season.

"I either bring him along or I start worrying about nursing homes," the younger Alford joked. "He's been in high school coaching



Photo courtesy of UI Sports Information

Iowa assistant coach Rich Walker, who recently finished his ninth season with the Hawkeyes, is one current assistant Steve Alford may retain.

for 30 years and college coaching for four years.

"There's not a high school that he can't get into from a recruiting standpoint. He has great rapport with coaches across the country because of what he's accomplished as a coach."

"He was a favorite at SMS and he'll be a favorite here."

One of the first tasks for Alford and his new staff will be some last-minute recruiting. Davis' lame-duck status during the past year has immobilized the program's recruiting efforts, so picking up a player or two could be crucial.

Many of the nation's top high school players committed to colleges during the fall signing period, but some wait until the spring signing period to latch on. That gives Alford a couple weeks to get some work done.

"The entire recruiting season is

not over," he said. "We have to get to work now. I haven't been working for Iowa until now, so I couldn't tell you how many (recruits) its gonna take."

Iowa City West High School star Glen Worley, considered one of the top juniors in the country, attended Monday's press conference to hear Alford speak.

Worley's West High teammate, Joe Walker, is Rich Walker's son. There has been speculation that Worley's chances of going to Iowa would increase if Walker was retained. The prep star said that wasn't necessarily true.

"I would like to see Rich here, but if he left, there would be nothing I could do about it," said Worley, who also ranks Kansas, Michigan State and a few other schools high on his list.

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The making of a coach

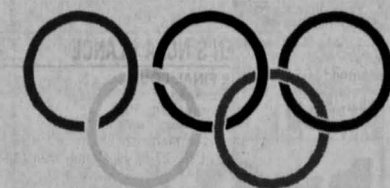
On Monday afternoon, UI Athletics Director Bob Bowsby announced that the UI had hired a new head coach for the Hawkeye men's basketball team. The new coach, Steve Alford, is quite young compared with former coach Tom Davis, but his distinguished career more than makes up for the difference in ages. His story begins in the small town of New Castle, Ind.

Chrysler High, New Castle, Ind. 1979-1983

A strong tradition of Indiana basketball may have influenced young Steve Alford, who grew up just 160 miles from the birthplace of another Indiana boy, Boston Celtics great Larry Bird. Or perhaps it was the encouragement of his father, who was the head coach at Chrysler High for more than 20 years. In 1983, Steve won Indiana's prestigious Mr. Basketball award after averaging more than 37.7 points per game as a senior. He was also named the FCA Basketball athlete of the year and Converse High School National Player of the Year the same season.



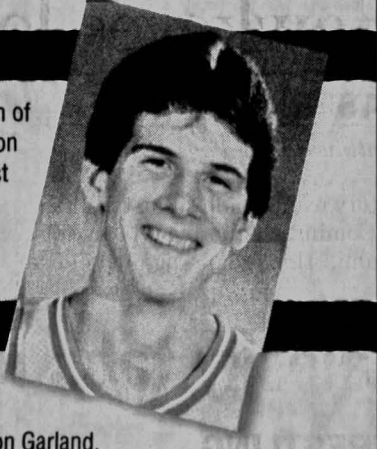
1984 Olympic Games, Los Angeles



The summer following his freshman year as a starter at Indiana (see below), Alford played on the 1984 Men's Olympic Basketball team, led by Hoosier Coach Bob Knight. His selection for the team was a little controversial, with many saying it was purely because he played for the Hoosiers. These skeptics were silenced, though, when Alford joined North Carolina guard Michael Jordan in the team's starting back court. Alford shot .644 from the field, averaged 10.3 points per game and finished second on the U.S. team in assists as he helped the squad of collegians to the gold medal.

Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. 1983-87

A starting guard in all but five of his 125 games as a Hoosier, Alford was named captain of the 1986-1987 team that would win the NCAA championships his senior year. In addition to becoming the Hoosiers' all-time scoring leader with 2,438 points, he became the first player to win the Indiana MVP award four times, and he was a consensus first team all-America and Big Ten MVP as a senior. His career also included a .897 free-throw percentage, fourth-best in NCAA history.



Dallas Mavericks, Dallas, Texas 1987-91

Alford was the 26th pick in the 1987 NBA draft, playing most of his career with the Dallas Mavericks. His only time away from Dallas was 1988-89, when he was with the Golden State Warriors and a teammate of former Southwest Missouri State star Winston Garland. Alford had 744 points, 176 assists and 87 percent foul line accuracy in his NBA career.

Manchester, North Manchester, Ind. 1991-1995

Alford came to Manchester, a Division III school in North Manchester, Ind., following his NBA career, where he began coaching in 1991. He capped a spectacular four-year run at Manchester by guiding the 31-1 Spartans to a runner-up finish in the 1995 NCAA Division III tournament. Manchester lost the NCAA title game to Wisconsin-Platteville just 12 days before Alford was hired at Southwest Missouri State. His Manchester success included consecutive Indiana Collegiate Athletic Conference Coach of the Year honors in 1993, 1994 and 1995 as he made a 4-24 team into a 20-8 ball club from his first season to his second.

Southwest Missouri State, Springfield, Mo. 1995-1999

Alford was named head coach at Southwest Missouri State before the 1995-1996 season, and he led the Bears to a 16-12 mark in his first season at the Division I level. The Bears were 24-9 overall in his second season and tied for second in the Missouri Valley Conference. This season, the Bears advanced to the Sweet 16 of the NCAA Tournament before losing to top-ranked Duke in the regional semi-finals. Alford's win-loss record in his four years at Southwest Missouri is 74-48, bringing his eight-year career average to .670.



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THE RECRUITING TRAIL

Iowa City prep star shows up for news

■ West High junior Glen Worley was among those in attendance at Monday's press conference.

By Roger Kuznia
The Daily Iowan

There were a lot of interested eyes looking at Steve Alford Monday.

Eyes of sports fans across the country. Eyes of sportswriters. Eyes of his former players at Southwest Missouri State.

Eyes of Glen Worley, a first team all-state player from Iowa City West High School.

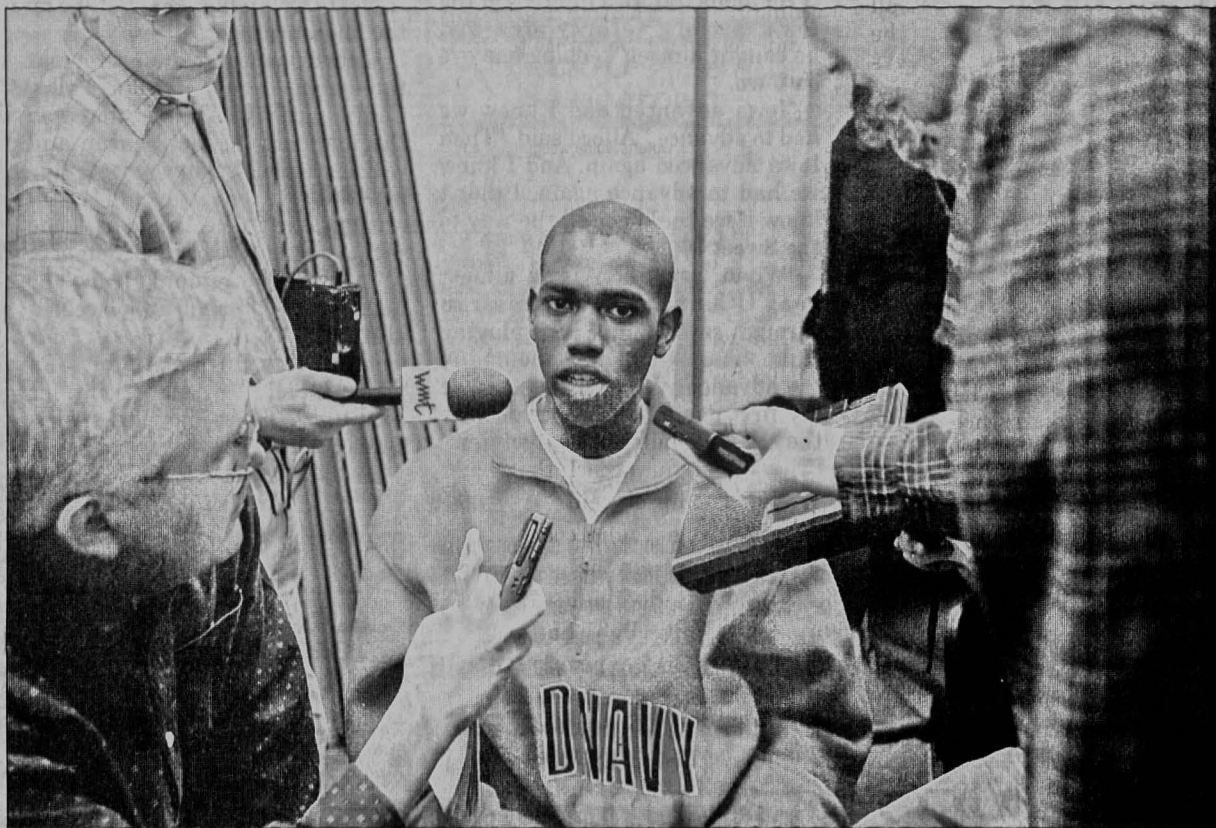
Worley was in attendance at the press conference that named Alford the Iowa men's basketball coach.

Worley, who will undoubtedly be one of the top national recruits next year, has Iowa on his short list of college destinations. Worley has already garnered interest from Kansas and one of this year's Final Four participants, Michigan State.

"Iowa is on my top 5 or so," Worley said. "I've always wanted to look at them. It's been a dream of mine." Though he knows very little of Alford to this point, he likes what he's seen and heard so far.

"He sounded very interesting, enthusiastic, I like that," Alford said. "I listened to most of his interviews on ESPN and as you can tell, he's enthusiastic."

Worley said he's got some mixed emotions about the coaching change. He enjoyed Tom Davis' style of basketball, but he also likes the style of play Alford



Pete Thompson/The Daily Iowan

West High basketball player Glen Worley talks to reporters Monday after Steve Alford's press conference.

promised Monday — get up and down the court and run.

"It's sad to see Coach Davis leave with the situation," Worley said. "I wish him the best of luck. However, I'm happy they are getting another coach; someone that can bring the Iowa team to national prominence and a Final Four."

Worley is one such recruit that Alford would no doubt like to win over. He's still planning to recruit players from Indiana, where he did very well while coaching Southwest Missouri State. Alford biggest recruit was Kevin Ault, Indiana's Mr. Basketball in 1996, whom he snatched away from Bob Knight's Indiana Hoosiers.

However, the state of Iowa will be priority one.

"I'm not just going to recruit Indiana, but Iowa is the most important," Alford said. "The best players in this state, I want them to know they want to go to Iowa. I want them to know that this is the best place for them, that it is better than if leave home."

Worley said this strategy looks very good to him too.

"It makes you feel a lot more important that they want you to stay here and that they aren't pushing you away."

After recruiting Iowa, Alford said he'll look at the Midwest and then nationally.

"With my contract with Nike, I'm hoping that there will be more nationally based recruiting than in the past," Alford said.

Alford also has plans to get on the recruiting trail right away, while there is still time before the April signing date.

"We've done this quick enough that the recruiting period isn't over," Alford said. "We still have some work we can do and I'm going to talk with (Iowa assistant) Rich (Walker). He's been keeping up on recruiting. I haven't been working for Iowa until today."

While Alford is jumping on the ball, Worley on the other hand has some deciding to do. He's got plenty of time to make the decision best for him.

"It's sad to see Coach Davis leave with the situation. However, I'm happy they are getting another coach; someone that can bring the Iowa team to the Final Four."

— West High junior Glen Worley

Former players vow Alford's the real thing

■ Alford's departure from Southwest Missouri State was met with mixed reaction.

By Roger Kuznia
The Daily Iowan

Steve Alford's decision to become the new Iowa men's basketball coach was met with mixed reaction from his Southwest Missouri State players Monday.

For some of the graduating seniors on the team that advanced to the Sweet 16 round of the NCAA tournament, Alford's departure was easier to take, but for some of the returning players, the pill was harder to swallow.

Bear sophomore forward Matt Rueter was among those who felt a bit down.

"We're all disappointed that he's leaving, but we're all happy for him," Rueter said. "We're all going to miss him a lot because he brought our program to a national level."

"But it's not going to stop here. We've got the ball rolling now."

One thing is very clear. When Alford called a team meeting Sunday, everyone knew what it was about even before he spoke a word. There was speculation the whole season about a possible Alford move to Iowa.

Though their coach has left, Rueter said no one on the team plans on leaving with him.

"We've been hanging out together a lot these last few days," Rueter said. "We're a pretty close-knit bunch, and I don't think anybody plans on leaving next year."

There's one thing that the Bear players readily agree upon. Southwest Missouri State's loss is Iowa's gain.

Bettenhausen said Alford knows the game "better than anyone he's been around." He also thinks he's a great competitor and a veteran, though a young one at age 34.

"He's not a coach who hasn't been there and hasn't done it, because he has," Bettenhausen said of his team's trip to the Sweet 16 this year. "He did it as a player too, winning the championship at Indiana."

Bettenhausen liked how Alford prepared the team for games with his film work. What Bettenhausen saw while at SMSU is only the tip of the iceberg, as far as Alford's potential goes.

"The best is ahead of him by far," Bettenhausen said. "With his attitude and desire to win, he's only to get better and better as a coach."

"Now that he's coaching at a major university, he's going to get the respect he deserves. Hopefully he can build on what Tom Davis has done over the years."

SMSU athletic director is Bill Rowe is sad to see Alford go, but understands the opportunity Alford now has.

"I'm pleased because that's as good as we can ask for," Rowe said during a press conference. "I know we're not at the top of the heap. I love this school ... but in his situation, there's a lot of things they can do we can't do, and that's why he chose to go there."

The news of Alford's hiring was nothing but good for Minnesota Timberwolves center Dean Garrett, who played with Alford in college at Indiana, winning the NCAA championship in 1987. Garrett said he was "really proud and happy for Steve and his family."

"The bottom line is that Steve wants to win," Garrett said. "He's a competitor and he's won at everything he's done. I'll definitely be following him."

The only strange thing to Garrett is that Alford will be pacing the Hawkeye sideline instead of a Hoosier one.

"It's funny seeing him go to Iowa," he said.

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HOOSIER DADDY

New Iowa men's basketball coach Steve Alford made a name for himself with his dazzling play as a two-time All-American at Indiana. Monday, he returned to Iowa City, where he suffered one of the final losses in his college career.

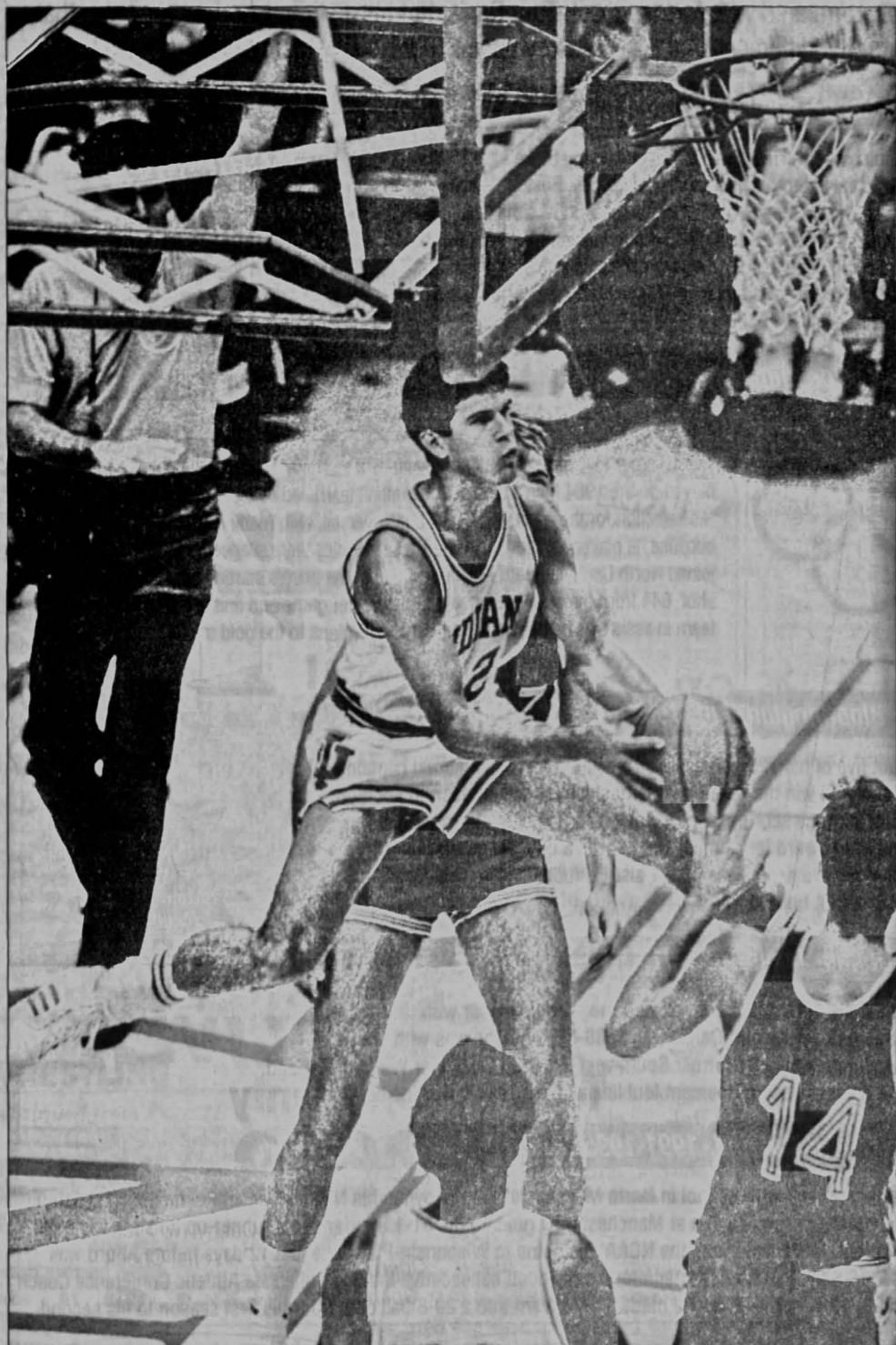


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Steve Alford hovers under the basket while looking for an open teammate during his senior season at Indiana, the year the Hoosiers won the NCAA title.

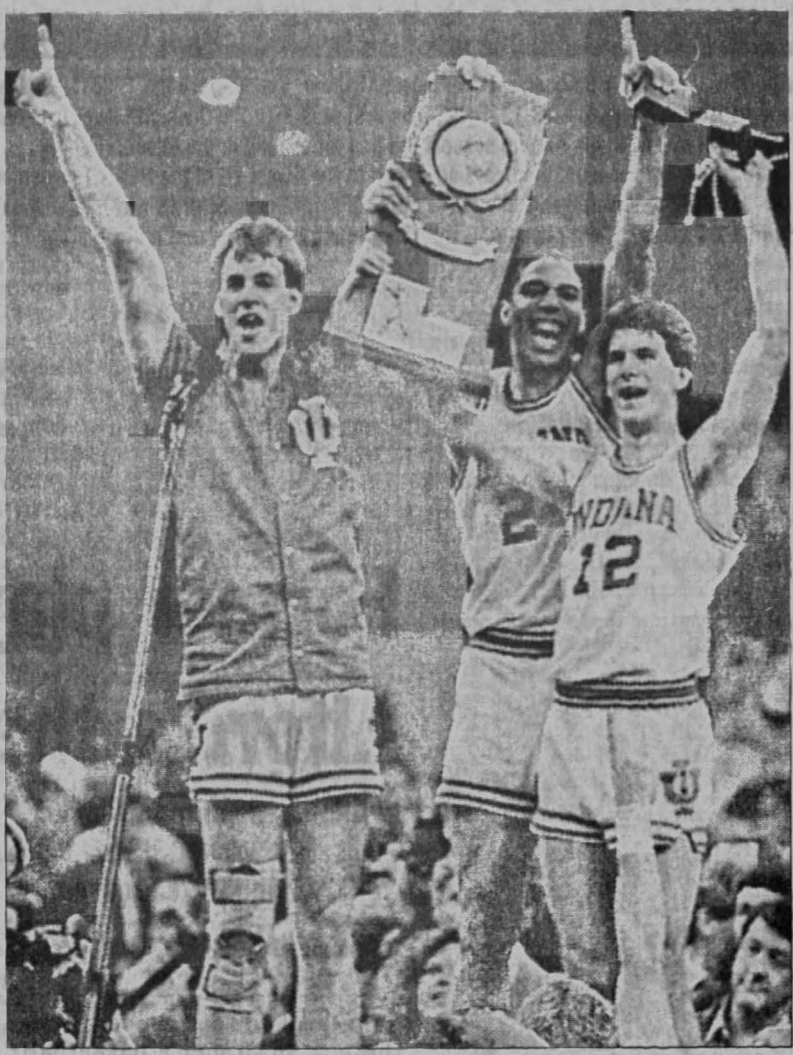


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Steve Alford (No. 12, far right) celebrates with two of his Indiana teammates after winning the 1987 NCAA title. Alford hit seven three-pointers in the title game.

Steve Alford news conference transcript

The following is the opening statement Steve Alford gave Monday after being introduced by athletics director Bob Bowlsby as Iowa's 29th head basketball coach.

Thank you very much. I guess I want to start also by congratulating Coach Davis and the staff and the players of this year's team for your efforts, because I know it was a difficult season.

I think things got a little bit difficult for our team as well. Coming to Des Moines to play Drake, going to Northern Iowa to play those two teams in the Missouri Valley (Conference) and hearing the hecklers behind the bench saying "He's moving on" type of comments. It was hard on our team as well.

I think that's why I'm proud of both teams. For the Iowa players to stay to the grind and go through what I think were a lot of all the possible distractions and still accomplish the things that they accomplished really intrigued me more about the situation at Iowa.

I have not spoke with Coach Davis as of yet just because of the timing of everything, but I will do that because I do respect him and the situation and as (UI Athletics Director) Bob (Bowlsby) said change can sometimes be difficult. But we hope it is going to be as smooth as possible and be very, very exciting.

I'm proud of our kids at SMS for what they accomplished. With all the rumors that started at the beginning of the national tournament, I think I knew Iowa was in so I was very pleased that we got an at-large bid. I think that helped matters. Then it seemed like Iowa was always playing a day ahead, it was kind

of match-play. Iowa advanced and I knew we needed to advance (chorus of laughter). Iowa advanced again and I knew we needed to advance again. I didn't know if we could get all the way to the Sweet Sixteen.

Then watching your game with UConn and seeing how that went down and almost beating them, the thoughts ran through my mind that we're playing Duke and this is probably the end of advancing. It is a very exciting situation and that could be my first game. Depending on how the schedule falls out next winter, we could get Duke again.

This is just a very exciting time for me and my family. I really enjoyed the conversations I had with Bob over the year and am really appreciate of his respectfulness. He's gone about his job in a very professional way. Never calling me on a game day, in fact, I don't think ever calling me the day before a game. He always picked and choosed very carefully, not because he knew I didn't want any distractions with my team, and yet I think he knew there was some big time interest on my part with the University of Iowa.

I really respect that in him because I really did have a very special team at SMS with some great players and great people. We were able to really have a nice run and do something that hadn't been done there before. That was a lot of fun for us as a coaching staff and the players there at SMS. It really turned out as well as it could possibly turn out and now for this to come full circle and be introduced as the new basketball coach at Iowa is a very exciting time for me.

I'm glad that I'm still being labeled as a young coach. I don't know how long that can keep up, but at 34 it's exciting to have the opportunity to be back in the Big Ten. As a

player in the Big Ten I know full well what the Big Ten Conference is all about and the rigors and wars of all the places you have to go. It doesn't matter how much time passes, (Indiana) won a national championship in 1987 and one of our losses was right here because I think an official made a mistake and said I stepped out of bounds on a three-point shot. Now it's fun to head up this program and knowing that now I think it was a good call. It's amazing how those changes happen.

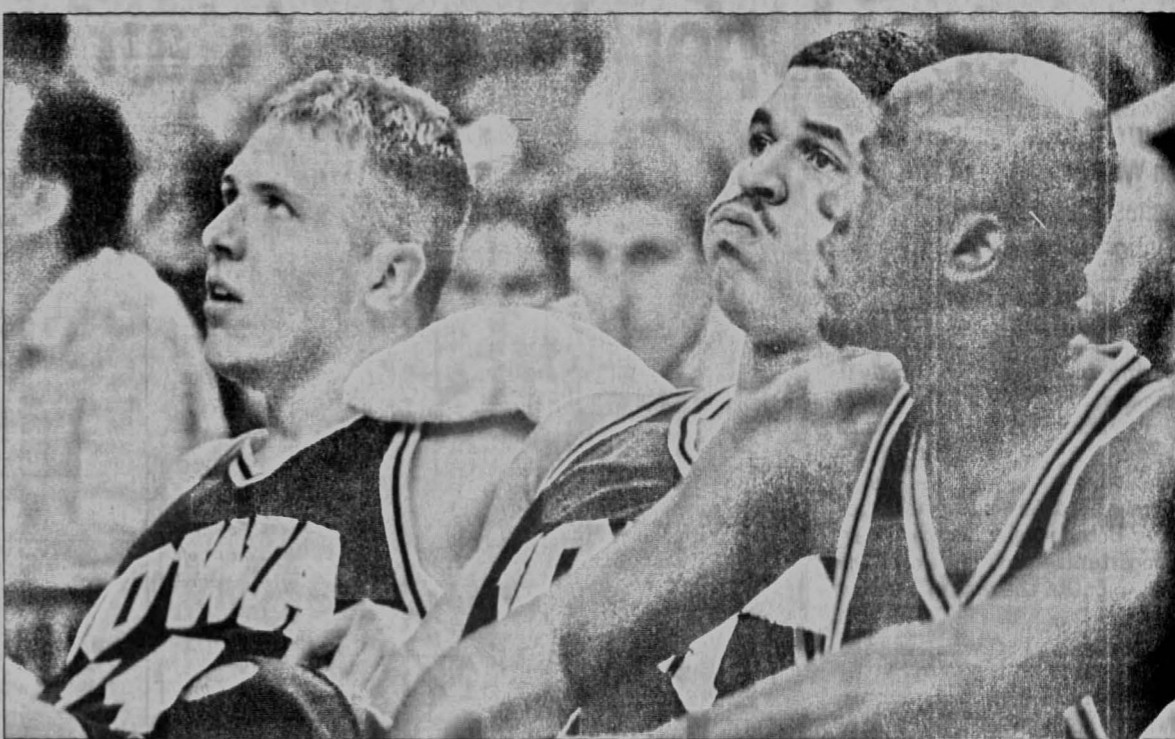
Tonya and I are very excited and fortunately she was able to come with me today and our kids were not because of our advancing to the national tournament. My kindergartner has missed an awful lot of school. As I talked and met my new team very briefly, and I think we will get to do so more over the next several weeks, one thing that I usually don't tolerate is missing any school.

I think it's a great fit, as Bob said. I think this is the first time since starting out at Manchester, going on to SMS, all the recruiting that goes on and I have to go into Mom and Dad's homes. I think they enjoy my style, they enjoy the system and what we put on as far as our emphasis on academics and representing yourself well in the community, the type of people we want to produce and help produce from each institution that I've been at.

All that sounded great, but when that question came up "Will you be her for four years?", that's always been a very difficult question. Now I think the most rewarding thing for me is at 34 I've got an opportunity to be at an institution where I would like to be here for a long, long time. I have no aspirations of looking anywhere else, or moving on anywhere else. It's exciting to be where you want to be.

I now know through the recruiting

A LOOK AHEAD



Duke could be up first for Alford

By Megan Manfull
The Daily Iowan

The last time Steve Alford coached, his 12th-seeded Southwest Missouri State team was knocked out of the Sweet 16 by top-seeded Duke.

Alford, Iowa's new basketball coach, could seek revenge a little sooner than he'd like.

When Alford begins his first season as a Hawkeye next fall, he will have to conquer one of the toughest schedules in the program's history.

The Hawkeyes will start the 1999-2000 season at the Coaches vs. Cancer Classic, and Duke, Stanford and Connecticut will also be in the field.

"The schedule is something I probably would have done a couple of years down the road," the 34-year-old coach said. "Unfortunately, it's going to hit right away."

But Alford is not new to challenges. In his fourth and final season at SMS, he took the Bears to the NCAA tournament for the first time in school history. As the pressure mounted, Alford's team rose to the occasion.

The Bears shocked both Wisconsin and Tennessee before giving Duke its closest contest of the tournament, eventually losing by 17 points.

All along, Alford's interest in the Iowa coaching vacancy grew and he caught himself keeping one eye on Iowa.

"Iowa advanced and I knew we had to advance," Alford said. "Then Iowa advanced again. And I knew we had to advance again. I didn't know if we could get all the way to the Sweet 16."

"When I saw how Iowa almost beat UConn, the thoughts ran through my mind, 'We're playing Duke. This is probably the end of the advancing.' Now, that could be my first game, depending on how the schedule falls out next winter."

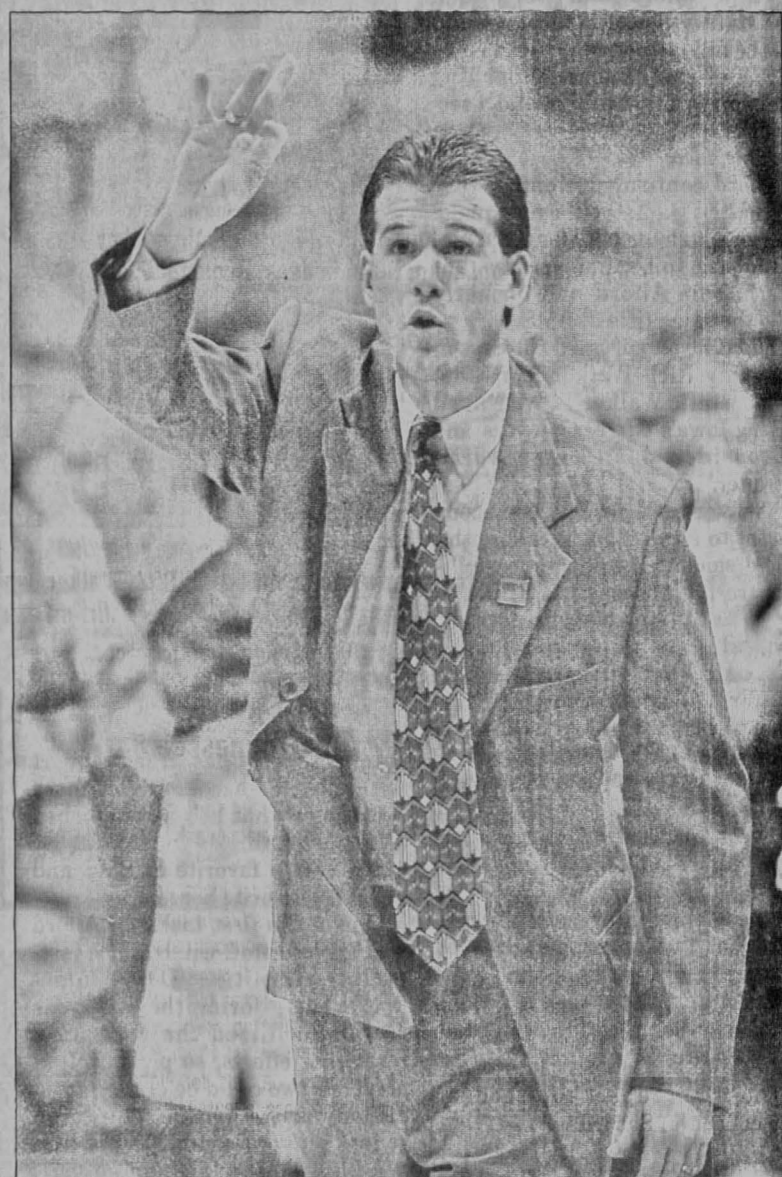
process, the scheduling and the development of players, now you know you can see the development of a national program start to take place. I think there's a great foundation here, there's great tradition here and we'd just like to further that. It's going to take a lot of hard work out of the coaches and in particular the players, but if we can get the demeanor and attitude instilled in the players — there's a pretty fine line between a Final Four team and a Sweet Sixteen team and a team not making the tournament.

You've got to have that edge and that edge usually has to do with your passion. Of all the teams we've played this year, Duke not only had the most talented team but had the most driven passion. That's what we want to instill in our players is that you've got to have great passion to play this game. I had it as a player, I definitely have it as a coach. I love being involved with young people and I love being involved with the game of basketball and trying to teaching the things that we try to instill on a daily basis within our program.

Challenging our kids spiritually, socially, academically and athletically — those are all the things that an 18-22 year old needs to be challenged in. You get an education at the University of Iowa and the experiences you get on the basketball floor and you are very well equipped at the age of 22 or 23 to be very, very productive leaving this institution.

It's a great day for our family and we are very excited to take over this position. We hope it's an exciting time for all Iowa fans and hope this is just the beginning of something that's going to be very, very special as we start to compete for the things that mean the most to us.

—compiled by Eric Petersen



Top: Iowa's Jake Jaacks, Guy Rucker and Joey Range wait out the final minutes of their NCAA loss to UConn. (Brian Ray/The Daily Iowan)

Above: New coach Steve Alford, seen here during the 1998 season, could open the 1999 season with top-ranked Duke. (AP Photo)

The schedule won't get easier for the new coach after the Coaches vs. Cancer tournament.

Iowa will host Kansas in Carver-Hawkeye Arena next season and travel to Columbia, Mo., to take on the Missouri Tigers.

Alford will also face at least three of his former Missouri Valley Conference rivals. Creighton won the league title last season and will host the Hawkeyes next season. Iowa will also travel to Northern Iowa and face Drake at home in non-conference competition.

"It's not your ideal first-year coaching assignment from a scheduling standpoint, but you get your feet wet in a hurry," Alford said. "From a recruiting standpoint, it's good because you show this is the kind of schedule you want to play."

Alford faced only top-caliber competition during his years as a player under Indiana's Bobby Knight. Because of those challenges, he and his teammates formed an attitude that he hopes will begin to grow in the Iowa players.

"I always thought of myself and our (Indiana) team as high-major players," Alford said. "There weren't a lot of players any better than we were. We had that swagger to us, we had that air of confidence because of our passion and work ethic."

"And it was always more fun to play against teams that felt the same way. The only way to do that is to schedule up."

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Pete Thompson/The Daily Iowan
Alford ponders a reporter's question during Monday's press conference.

WOMEN'S



Georgia guard Coco Miller during the first half of a game.

Miller's past Iowa

After upsetting Missouri, the Cyclones hold off the Bulldogs and now headed to the Sweet 16.

By Terry Kincaid
Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Georgia scored 33 points, including 3-pointers, to lead Georgia in the fifth Final Four appearance, an 89-71 victory against Iowa State on Monday night.

Miller had four 3-pointers in the first half as Georgia away from the Cyclones ended Iowa State's run. The Cyclones had upset Connecticut on Saturday.

In that game, Iowa on the poor outside shot. The Huskies rallied for the strength of five-pointers in the closing minutes. But Georgia refused to happen, turning the game into its own most formidable and taking the outside from Iowa State with man defense.

Miller's twin, Courtney Irwin-Osbolt added 11 points and Ball had 11.

Desiree Francis scored 16 in the second half. Iowa State (25-8) added 17, Tracy Gahan and Angie Welle had 11.

Kelly Miller hit 4-of-8 range in the first half. Osbolt hit another 21-point game. Kelly capping a personal 7:20 to make it 31-10.

Meanwhile, the Big Ten Iowa State without nearly eight minutes just four free throws. Iowa State 17-4.

Both teams tried to transition in the early game. Georgia soon overpowered Iowa State with its speed. And when Iowa State into a tight zone, an against Connecticut, tallied on the 3-point line.

Iowa State, which on the 3-pointer, was the first half and was penetrate against Georgia. Georgia also forced 13 first half, and 13 second.

It was the 34th consecutive victory for Georgia.

Purdue 75, Rutgers

NORMAL, Ill. — Purdue to seniors Stephanie White-Figgs when things got tight they delivered — this time from sophomore Camille C. White-McCarthy and Figgs that sent No. 1 Purdue straight victory, a 75-62 win on Monday night in the finals.

Urged on by several thousand in the crowd of 8,844, the Bulldogs didn't panic after falling behind in the first half, scored the first in the second half to get back on their two seniors down.

"I didn't want this to be a White-McCarthy, who several crowd by waving her hands to be our team's last game up."

The victory also gives Purdue one more game as the coach leaving to become coach at

WOMEN'S NCAA TOURNAMENT



Al Behrman/Associated Press

Georgia guard Coco Miller chases a loose ball with Iowa State's Stacy Frese during the first half Monday night at the NCAA Midwest Regional finals.

Miller's 33 lifts Georgia past Iowa State, 89-71

■ After upsetting No. 1 UConn, the Cyclones couldn't hold off the Bulldogs, who are now headed to the Final Four.

By Terry Kinney
Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Kelly Miller scored 33 points, including 6-of-8 3-pointers, to lead Georgia to its fifth Final Four appearance with an 89-71 victory against Iowa State on Monday night.

Miller had four 3s and 18 points in the first half as Georgia ran away from the Cyclones. The loss ended Iowa State's run after the Cyclones had upset top-seeded Connecticut on Saturday.

In that game, Iowa State preyed on the poor outside shooting of the Huskies and rallied for the win on the strength of five straight 3-pointers in the closing minutes.

But Georgia refused to let that happen, turning the 3-pointer into its own most formidable weapon and taking the outside shot away from Iowa State with solid man-to-man defense.

Miller's twin, Coco, had 16 points for Georgia (27-6). Pam Irwin-Osbolt added 15 and Angie Ball had 11.

Desiree Francis scored 19 points — 16 in the second half — to lead Iowa State (25-8). Stacy Frese added 17, Tracy Gahan had 13 and Angie Welle had 11.

Kelly Miller hit 4-of-5 from long range in the first half, and Irwin-Osbolt hit another as Georgia stormed to a 21-point lead, with Kelly capping a personal 8-0 run at 7:20 to make it 31-10.

Meanwhile, the Bulldogs held Iowa State without a basket for nearly eight minutes, allowing just four free throws while outscoring Iowa State 17-4.

Both teams tried to score off transition in the early going, but Georgia soon overwhelmed Iowa State with its speed and depth. And when Iowa State pulled back into a tight zone, as it had done against Connecticut, Georgia capitalized on the 3-pointer.

Iowa State, which relies heavily on the 3-pointer, was just 2-of-9 in the first half and was unable to penetrate against the Bulldogs. Georgia also forced 13 turnovers in the first half, and 11 more in the second.

It was the 34th NCAA tournament victory for Georgia coach Andy Landers.

Purdue 75, Rutgers 62

NORMAL, Ill. — Purdue once more turned to seniors Stephanie White-McCarty and Ukari Figs when things got tight. And once more, they delivered — this time with a big assist from sophomore Camille Cooper in the game that put the Boilermakers in the Final Four.

White-McCarty and Figs sparked a strong finish that sent No. 1 Purdue to its 30th straight victory, a 75-62 win against Rutgers on Monday night in the Midwest Regional finals.

Urged on by several thousand of their fans in the crowd of 8,844, the Boilermakers (32-1) didn't panic after falling behind by 10 points in the first half, scored the first seven points of the second half to get back in it and then relied on their two seniors down the stretch.

"I didn't want this to be my last game," said White-McCarty, who several times roused the crowd by waving her hands. "I didn't want this to be our team's last game. We just got fired up."

The victory also gives Carolyn Peck at least one more game as the coach at Purdue. She's leaving to become coach and general manager

er of the new Orlando franchise in the WNBA. Purdue, which made its only other Final Four trip in 1994, will play the West Regional champion — either Louisiana Tech or UCLA — in the national semifinals in San Jose, Calif., next Friday.

Duke 69, Tennessee 63

GREENSBORO, N.C. — Duke needed a supreme effort and an off night from Tennessee star Chamique Holdscrow to win the NCAA East Regional title.

It got both Monday night. The Blue Devils (28-6) joined their men's team in the Final Four with a stunning 69-63 victory over the top-seeded and three-time defending national champion Lady Volunteers.

Holdscrow, the top women's player in the game, missed her first 10 shots and finished 2-for-18 from the field for eight points — matching her season low.

She fouled out with 25.4 seconds left to end her stellar career, receiving a standing ovation.

Georgia Schweitzer matched her career high with 22 points as third-seeded Duke became the first program to place both its men's and women's basketball teams in the Final Four since Georgia did it in 1983.

Duke, which lost to Tennessee by 14 points in December, will face Georgia in the national semifinals in San Jose, Calif.

The women did it in front of male counterparts Trajan Langdon, Chris Carravell and Shane Battier, who had driven an hour from the Duke campus to the Greensboro Coliseum to cheer the women on.

Semeka Randall led Tennessee (31-3) with 18 points.

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Healthy males and females not of child-bearing potential, age 16 and over with facial cystic acne are invited to participate in a 16 week acne study involving the use of an oral investigational medication. Department of Dermatology, University of Iowa Hospital. Compensation. (319) 353-8349.

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INTEGRATED DNA TECHNOLOGIES, INC. RA I/II Position Open INTEGRATED DNA TECHNOLOGIES is presently interviewing for a Research Assistant I/II in the Specialty Production Department. Applicants for the position should have experience in the use of HPLC's or Mass Spec. Qualifications for the position include a B.S. degree with 1-2 years relevant research experience or a M.S. degree with 0 to 1 years experience. Responsibilities include: assisting in the characterization of synthetic oligonucleotides by HPLC, CE, and Mass Spec. IDT offers an excellent salary and benefits package. To apply, send a resume with a cover letter including a description of past research experience to: Shad Eubanks, Assistant V.P. Specialty Synthesis Integrated DNA Technologies 1710 Commercial Park, Coralville, Iowa 52234 Applications may also be made to: seubanks@idtdna.com No phone calls please.

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The Circulation Department of The Daily Iowan has openings for carriers' routes in the Iowa City and Coralville areas.

- Route Benefits:**
- Monday through Friday delivery (Keep your weekends FREE!)
 - No collections
 - Carrier contests - WIN CASH!
 - University breaks
 - Delivery deadline - 7am
 - Earn extra cash!

Spring Routes Available

- Brown, Dubuque, Jefferson, Linn, Market
- Gilbert, Jefferson, Johnson, Market, Van Buren
- Bloomington, Davenport, Dodge, Johnson, Lucas

Please apply in Room 111 of the Communications Center Circulation Office (319) 335-5783

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

Need extra \$\$\$\$ for the end of the semester? FUN job with summer employment possibilities! We work with your class schedule-You only need to work 3-4 hours 2 or more days a week. 337-4411

SEASONAL CAMP MANAGER

Asst. Directors, resident counselors staff positions available (6/6-8/13) to work with children experiencing special social, economic, or medical needs. Camping/Supervisory/recreation programming/development experience preferred. Internships possible. For further information call 319-365-9164, ext. 333 or ext. 316 for an application. Apply to: Tanager Place, 2309 C Street SW, Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52404 email: hr@tanangerplace.org Fax 319-365-6411 EOE

HELP WANTED

ELECTIONS TECHNICIAN, ELECTIONS CLERK, ACCOUNTING CLERK, AND RECORDING SECRETARY

Johnson County Auditor's Office, Iowa City, Iowa Four part-time temporary job openings with multiple positions now being hired. Elections Technician: Testing, repair, maintenance, delivery and set-up of electronic voting equipment; some lifting involved. Aptitude for repair and maintenance of electronic/mechanical devices desirable. No experience required, in-house training supplied. Up to 20 hours a week. Elections Clerk: Performs routine entry, counter work, and other clerical duties. Office experience desirable. Up to 20 hours a week. Accounting Clerk: Provides assistance in the preparation of Accounts Payable and Payroll warrants and actual financial statements, and performs other routine duties. Approximately 12 hours a week. Recording Secretary: Transcribes and edits the minutes of the meetings of the Johnson County Board of Supervisors. Strong communication, writing, typing, and word-processing skills essential. Up to 20 hours a week. \$7.28/hour. Flexible schedule. JOHNSON COUNTY IS AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER. WOMEN, MINORITIES AND ELDERLY ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY. Now interviewing and hiring. Send application and resume to Workforce Center, Attn: Kathy, Box 2390, Iowa City, IA 52244 immediately.

HELP WANTED

IOWA CITY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

✓ CHECK OUT OUR EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Full health insurance for 6 hour/day positions
- Retirement benefits
- Winter break, Spring break, Summer vacation for certain positions

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IOWA CITY COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

- Ed. Associate (hearing impaired) 6 hrs. day - Longfellow. Candidate for this position must be proficient in sign language
- Computer Lab Associate - 7.5 hours day - Northwest
- Ed. Associate (Special Ed.) - 6 hrs day - Kirkwood (This position can be divided into 2-3 hr. positions)
- Ed. Associate (Special Ed.) - 6.5 hrs. day - Twain
- Ed. Associate - 6 hrs. day - Wood
- Ed. Associate (Preschool) - 3 hrs. day - Twain
- Ed. Associate (Preschool) - 2 hrs. day - Mann
- Ed. Associate - 1.25 hrs. day - Wood
- Night Custodian - 8 hrs. day - West
- Night Custodian - 8 hrs. day - Various Buildings
- Night Custodian - 6.2 hrs. day - Hills
- Night Custodian - 4 hrs. day - Day Care/ Tech Center
- Food Service Assistant - 6 hrs. day - Various Buildings
- Food Service Assistant - 2.25 hrs. day - Wood
- Food Service Asst. - 2.25 hrs. day - Weber

Apply to: Office of Human Resources 509 South Dubuque Street Iowa City, Iowa 52240 EOE

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

HAVE AN AMAZING SUMMER AT CAMP TACONCI IN MASS. Caring and motivated college student and grads who love working with children needed as GENERAL and SPECIALTY counselors. Swim, sail, windsurf, water ski, athletics, tennis, musical theater, piano, arts, crafts, silver jewelry, video photography, newspaper, ropes/wall pioneering, gymnastics, etc. Join a dedicated team. Competitive salary plus room, board and travel. 1-800-762-2820.

BOOKS

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U.I. SURPLUS STORE 1225 S. Gilbert solid core doors at \$15 each desks from \$10-75 tables \$20-\$100 swivel chairs \$10/each straight back chairs \$7/each carpet pieces from \$10 -48 computers from \$150 -Premium PCs from \$225, includes screen, keys, and mouse

Open Thursdays 10am-6pm. For public sale 335-5001

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THE DAILY IOWAN CLASSIFIED AD BLANK

Write ad using one word per blank. Minimum ad is 10 words.

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Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____

Ad Information: # of Days _____ Category _____

Cost: (# words) X (\$ per word) Cost covers entire time period.

1-3 days	92¢ per word (\$9.20 min.)	11-15 days	\$1.83 per word (\$18.30 min.)
4-5 days	\$1.00 per word (\$10.00 min.)	16-20 days	\$2.34 per word (\$23.40 min.)
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NO REFUNDS. DEADLINE IS 11AM PREVIOUS WORKING DAY.

Send completed ad blank with check or money order, place ad on the phone, or stop by our office located at: 111 Communications Center, Iowa City, 52242.

Phone 335-5784 or 335-5785 Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8-5 Friday 8-4

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BRENNEMAN SEED & PET CENTER Tropical fish, pets and pet supplies. pet grooming. 1500 1st Avenue South. 338-8501.

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ring, 1500 1st Avenue
8-8501

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HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
piece Nostalgia china dinner set.
Pattern #12, 21200' cbo. Call
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QUALITY CARE ORANGE COMPANY
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24 hour security,
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The Accounting position will input journal entries, balance daily receipts and fill in as vacation relief.

Send resume and a cover letter describing interests, activities, professional goals and why you wish to intern at The Gazette to Trish Thomas. Interviewing will start immediately.

The Gazette
P.O. Box 511, Cedar Rapids, IA 52406
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FAX (319) 368-8834
E-mail: gazcohr@tjyowa.com

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Spend your summer making some money, building your resume and having some fun! We have temporary full or part time positions available in our Summer Program, a seven-week community program which provides recreational and educational activities for children with disabilities.

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Systems Unlimited, Inc.
1556 1st Ave. South • Iowa City, IA 52240
(319) 338-9212
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Become an employee with the Coralville Parks & Recreation Department, where we offer many exciting and self-fulfilling jobs within the Parks & Recreation field. Share the excitement of a successful recreation program by taking a leadership role in Coralville Parks & Recreation.

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Water Safety Instructor & Aides
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Outdoor Pool Manager
Indoor Pool Manager
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Recreation Center Supervisors
Center Facility Aid

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\$280 plus utilities
Downtown. (319)888-9074.

AVAILABLE now and fall. One
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Starting at \$255, all utilities paid.
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AVAILABLE now and fall. Three
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\$225/\$230 plus electric. Call 354-
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TWO bedroom duplex. Close to
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CLOSE-IN Rooms for rent. Avail-
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W/D, share kitchen and bath. Park-
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203 Myrtle Avenue. Call (319)338-
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FEMALE, FURNISHED. Cooking,
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IN QUIET, clean, cute, newer
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MAY or August: quiet singles; flexi-
ble lease; call possible; laundry;
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COMMUNICATIONS CENTER
FOR DETAILS.

NONSMOKING, quiet, close, well
furnished. \$275. \$310 own bath,
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month to month. Share bath/ kitchen.
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FEMALE, non-smoker, live-in aide/
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FEMALE, non-smoking, own room
in two bedroom apartment. Close to
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FREE ROOM AND BOARD in ex-
change for child care. Flexible
hours. Non-smoker. Must have car
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MARCH rent free. Own room in two
bedroom. W/D, all major applian-
ces, garage. West side. \$330/OBO.
plus 1/2 utilities. (319)339-4330.

SHARE elderly person's home. Re-
duced rent for chore services. Pol-
ice check required. Available now
and in summer. Call David @
(319)358-5215.

SUBLEASE one bedroom of two
bedroom apartment. \$200 plus 1/2
utilities. March free. (319)354-1245.

THREE bedroom apartment. Avail-
able April 1st. Close-in, \$220/1 1/2
utilities. (319)887-9509.

YOU'RE IN LUCK...MARCH RENT IS
PAID. One bedroom of three bed-
room apartment. Call Shea or Nick
(319)341-7085.

SUMMER SUBLET
ACROSS from Holiday Inn. One
bedroom. Would share apartment
with two females. Parking. Afford-
able. Call (319)341-5936.

CLOSE to UIHC/law. Summer sub-
lease. Spacious three bedroom
apartment. Looking 1-3 people.
Rent negotiable. (319)338-1724.

DOWNTOWN. Three bedroom, two
bathroom. Deck, parking, central
air. 613 S Dubuque St. Available
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FURNISHED studio downtown.
Available mid-May to mid-July.
\$450/month. Call (319)341-5861.

MAY FREE! One room in two bed-
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Dental Building. Call (319)354-
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THREE bedroom house, available
May 16th. 429 South Van Buren.
Furnished. Free parking. Available.
Call (319)358-8118.

THREE to four bedroom house
Close-in. Available May 1 through
August 1. Call Karla or Peter at
(319)354-9906.

TWO bedroom available in three
block close to campus and downtown.
Fully furnished. One garage avail-
able. \$1200/for whole summer.
(319)466-9227.

TWO bedroom, one bathroom. Eat-
in kitchen. C/A, large living room.
free parking. 1012 N. Summit.
(319)337-4032.

SUMMER SUBLET, FALL OPTION
3/4 bedroom house. Free parking.
Available June 1st. Call (319)339-
7773.

AVAILABLE June 1. Larger one
bedroom near UIHC. New carpet,
Laundry, parking, busline. HW paid.
\$420. (319)339-4222.

DOWNTOWN opposite P&B, cozy
efficiency. \$355, heat, water, HW
paid. Available June 1st. (319)338-9390.

FRIENDLY, small creek-side one
bedroom house. Hardwood floors,
one car garage. Cats okay. \$450/
month plus HW, sewer. Available
June 1. (319)338-7129

FULLY furnished, one bedroom
apartment. Full kitchen, A/C, hard-
wood floors. Four blocks from Cam-
pus. \$470. Available Mid-May.
(319)354-9486.

JUNE, two bedroom, near UIHC
and Law Security, balcony, garage.
(319)341-9212.

SPACIOUS sunny room, complete with
private bath. Available in beautiful,
spacious house. Available April 1st.
\$325. (319)358-9006.

LARGE two bedroom, pets okay,
near Mayflower, balcony. \$575.
(319)338-9153.

ONE bedroom sublet/ fall option.
Off-street parking. Westwinds
Drive. W/D in building. C/E. Ground
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OWN room in two bedroom. West
side, 10 minute walk to hospital,
quiet, clean. \$300 plus 1/2 utilities.
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SCOTSDALE APARTMENT has
sublets available immediately
through June 1st. \$490 to \$535 in-
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SPORTS

Hawks rolling through preseason

Coach Gayle Blevins has her team playing extremely well despite relying on a big crop of newcomers.

By Tony Wirt
The Daily Iowan

Coming into the 1999 season, there were a lot of questions surrounding the Iowa softball team. They were a very young, with an inexperienced pitching staff, and Hawkeye fans weren't sure what to expect.

So far this season, the questions have been answered.

Boasting a 20-7-1 record, the No. 21 Hawkeyes are coming on after a pair of strong showings in highly respected tournaments. Iowa finished second in the National Invitational Softball Tournament after the championship game was rained out, then shared the championship at the Sacramento State Capitol Classic with No. 10 Michigan.

"I'm not the least bit surprised with the success we've had," coach Gayle Blevins said. "We've worked hard on our communication and working as a team. We graduated a lot of leadership out of the program last year, but it's carried over to this year. I'm seeing it evolve every week."

The key to the success has been the performance of the pitching staff. With the top two starters newcomers and the third pitching few innings last season, there was some doubt as to how well they would do.

The staff of Kelly Zeilstra, Kristi Hanks, and Megan Petersen have erased that doubt, throwing great on the mound and keeping the Hawkeyes in every game.

"We've been getting solid efforts from the entire staff," Blevins said. "They've all given us great outings, and I couldn't ask for more."

One of the biggest surprises has been the pitching of third starter Megan Peterson. The sophomore has a 5-1 record and has been giving the Hawkeyes quality innings whenever she toes the rubber.

"It's nice to see what Petey's



DI File Photo

Iowa senior Tammy Utley lays down a bunt last season at the UI softball complex against the Iowa State Cyclones.

doing," Blevins said. "She gives us great composure even though she is still young. She can really be a model for the rest of the staff. She's great under pressure."

While grateful for the attention, the staff is quick to heap some of the praise back onto their teammates.

"We can't take all the credit," Zeilstra said. "These wins have been great team efforts - tough defense, hitting, moving the runners over. Everyone is doing their part."

It's not just the pitching newcomers that are picking things up, but the young kids in the field are coming on strong also.

Currently making the most waves is freshman leftfielder Amber Morrow, who first earned a chance at the starting lineup over

Spring Break.

"When I first came here, I knew I was going to be primarily a pinch runner and not be in the starting lineup," Morrow said. "Then I got to play a little in (the Speedline Invitational), and I was shocked to start out in California. After that I just wanted to prove that I could do it."

That she did. Morrow went 12-22 in the Capitol Classic and scored six runs, making the all-tournament team. She also has been a terror on the basepaths.

"She's really tough to throw out," Blevins said. "Everyone knows she's going to be running, it's no secret, but when she gets on base, she makes things happen."

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TUESDAY PRIME TIME

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
HOME ANTENNA												
KGAN (2) News	Seinfeld	JAG: People V. Mac	Only You (PG, '94) ***	(Marisa Tomei)	News (10-10)	Late Show w/ Letterman						
KWVL (7) News	Wheel	Frasier	Lateline	Just Shoot Will/Grace	Dateline NBC	News	Tonight Show	Late Night				
KFXA (8) Roseanne	Roseanne	King of Hill	The PJs	Funniest Kids' Outtakes	Mad About The Nanny	Cops	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Cheers			
KCRG (9) News	Home Imp.	Home Imp.	Hughleys	Spin City	Sports Ngt.	Strange World	News	Friends	Coach	Nightline		
KJIN (15) NewsHour	Trailside	Nova	John Glenn, Hero	Frontline	Business	Thin Blue	Mr. Bean	Democracy				
CABLE CHANNELS												
TBS (2) Roseanne	Roseanne	48 HRS. (R, '82) ***	(Nick Nolte, Eddie Murphy)	The Punisher (R, '90) *	(Dolph Lundgren)	Any Which Way You ...						
UTV (2) France	Spanish	International Writers	Education	Universe	Culture	Korean	Greece	France	Italy			
DISC (3) Ten Deadly Snakes	Invisible Places	Detectives: Science	The FBI Files	Invisible Places	Detectives: Science							
WGN (10) Matters	Matters	Buffy, Vampire Slayer	Rescue 77	News	MacGyver: Hind-Sight	In the Heat of the Night						
CSPAN (17) Representatives	Prime Time Public Affairs											
BRV (41) Inside Actor's Studio	Johnny Stecchino (R, '91) ***	(Roberto Benigni)	Charles Aznavour	Torch Song Trilogy (R, '88) **	(Harvey Fierstein)							
BET (41) Planet Groove	Hit List	Sparks	Thea	Comicview	Tonight w/Tavis Smiley	Sparks	227					
FAM (20) Show Me	Show Me	Life	The World's Greatest Magic	The 700 Club	Show Me	Show Me						
TNN (21) The Waltons	Life of Ray Stevens	Prime Time Country	The Road to Stardom	Blame	Loveline	Dukes of Hazzard						
ENC (22) To Be or Not to Be	The Accidental Tourist (PG, '88) ***	Cocoon (9:05) (PG-13, '85) ***	(Don Ameche)	Medusa Touch (11:05)								
AMC (23) Big Jim McLain (5:30)	12 Angry Men (57) ****	(Henry Fonda)	McQueen: King of Cool	The Sand Pebbles ('66) ***	(Steve McQueen)							
MTV (24) Beavis	Sit/olly	Say What? Cliches	Total Request	Sex in '90s	Loveline	Blame	Loveline	Sex in '90s				
USA (25) Xena: Warrior Princess	Walker, Texas Ranger	Renegades (R, '89) **	(Kiefer Sutherland)	New York Undercover	Silk Stalkings							
FX (26) M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	The X-Files (Part 2 of 2)	NYPD Blue: Head Case	Fast Food Films	The X-Files (Part 1 of 2)	NYPD Blue						
NICK (28) Doug	Rugrats	Thorn	Skeeter	Brady	Jefferson	Laverne	Love Lucy	Bewitched	Brady	Happy Day		
TNT (24) ER: Don't Ask, Don't Tell	NBA Basketball: Miami Heat at Utah Jazz (Live)	Inside NBA	Kung Fu: The Legend	Trial (R, '94) **								
ESPN (17) College Basketball: NIT Tournament (Live)	College Basketball: NIT Tournament, Second Semifinal (Live)	SportsCenter	Baseball									
A&E (29) Law & Order: Big Bang	Biography	Inside Story	Inspector Morse	Law & Order	Biography							
SPC (27) Sports	Last Word	Game R'm	NBA Basketball: Toronto Raptors at Chicago Bulls (Live)	Locker R'm	Sports	Fox Sports News						
LIFE (16) Party of Five	Chicago Hope	Any Day Now	Intimate Portrait	Attitudes	Golden Girl	Golden Girl	Mysteries					
UNI (19) Gotha	Preciosa	La Usurpadora	La Mentira	Primer Impacto	Impacto	Noticiero	Al Ritmo de la Noche					
PREMIUM CHANNELS												
HBO (5) Fathers' Day (6:15) (PG-13, '97) **	Earthly Possessions (99) (Susan Sarandon)	The Sopranos	Larry Sanders Show									
DIS (16) Sleeping Beauty (G, '58) ****	Zenon: Girl of the 21st Century	Growing	Growing	Walt Disney Presents	Zorro	Mickey						
MAX (4) Crossworlds (5:30)	Bram Stoker's Dracula (R, '92) ***	Campfire Tales (9:05) ('96)	Club Wild Side (10:35) ('98)									

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BY GARRY TRUDEAU



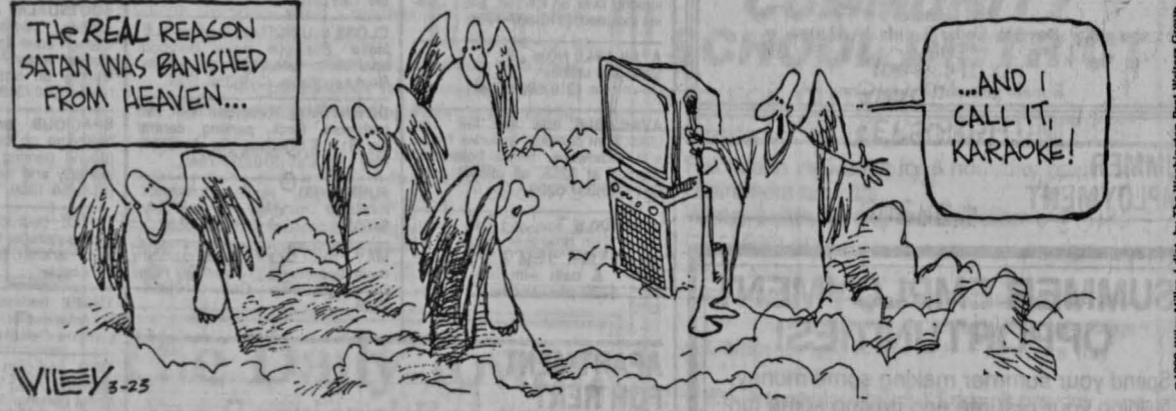
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SPORTS BRIEFS

Tyson bound to extra 60 days in Maryland

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Mike Tyson won't be leaving a Maryland jail anytime soon, Indiana authorities said Monday.

A judge's ruling Friday could reduce the former heavyweight champion's one-year sentence for assault in Maryland to time already served.

But Tyson then would have to begin serving 60 days for violating terms of his Indiana probation for a 1992 rape conviction.

"The bottom line is, even if the Maryland sentence is modified, he will not be released from jail on Friday," spokeswoman Beverly Phillips of the Marion County prosecutor's office said.

Tyson has requested that his assault sentence be reduced to eight months, and a hearing is set for Friday at Montgomery County (Md.) District Court.

Ballesteros, Alcott inducted into World Golf Hall of Fame

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla. — The World Golf Hall of Fame made room Monday for a little girl who couldn't live without golf and a dashing Spaniard who gave golf life.

Seve Ballesteros and Amy Alcott, who each started with nothing more than a sawed-down club and big dreams, were inducted into the hall along with the late Lloyd Mangrum, a World War II veteran and U.S. Open champion.

"Who was going to tell me that a little boy who started as a caddy in Pedrena, a small village in Spain, would be here today," said Ballesteros, the winner of five major championships and nearly 80 tournaments around the world.

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SHE'S ALL THAT (PG-13)
1:00 & 7:00

THE RAGE: CARRIE 2 (R)
1:10, 4:10, 7:00, 9:40

SHAKESPEARE IN LOVE (R)
12:50, 3:50, 6:50, 9:50

WING COMMANDER (PG-13)
1:15, 4:15, 7:10, 9:45

OCTOBER SKY (PG)
1:10, 4:10, 7:00, 9:55

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TRUE CRIMES (R)
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THE OTHER SISTER (PG-13)
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ANALYZE THIS (R)
1:15, 4:15, 7:10, 9:40

LIFE IS BEAUTIFUL (R)
1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:40

CRUEL INTENTIONS (R)
1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 9:30

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1:10, 3:45, 7:10, 9:40

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ACROSS

1 Does a standard dog trick
5 Flock members
9 Actor Cary of "Twister"
14 To be, in Toulon
15 Ernie's "Sesame Street" pal
16 —lance (pit viper)
17 Kind of instrument
18 The "B" of N.B.
19 Nourishes
20 Country club employees
23 Ink for one plume
24 Sulky state
25 Lao—
28 Originally named
29 Coral formation

DOWN

1 "Murphy Brown" star
2 Timeless, to a poet
3 Where Zeus was worshipped
4 Passover meal
5 Recedes
6 Time span
7 Sea eagle
8 Brew
9 Decadent
10 Playboy's gaze
11 Hulk Hogan, for one
12 Hall-of-Famer
13 His or her, in France
21 Audacity
22 Energy
26 Late ruler
Mobutu—
Seko
27 River through Bavaria
30 Poetic contraction
in surgery
31 Three-time speed skating gold medalist
Karin
32 Circus impresario Irvin and others

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

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33 Long John Silver, e.g.
35 Ironed
37 —majesty
38 Col. Klunk player on "Hogan's Heroes"
43 Certain util.
44 Channel swimmer Gertrude
45 Remove the pits from
48 Capt. Hook's companion
49 Martians, e.g.
52 Glimpse
53 Animal doc
55 Assail
57 Peppermint liqueur
62 Hinder
64 Actress Campbell
65 "God shed His grace on—"
66 News subject
67 Large number
68 Projector load
69 Gives up
70 They're seven positions after today's theme
71 Scots Gaelic

1 Mirth
35 Suffix with exist
36 Consider
38 Joins in holy matrimony
39 Gen. Robt.
40 Completely excised, in surgery
41 G.I. chow in Desert Storm
42 Military academy freshman
46 Turns inside out

47 Rep. foe
49 Book after Nehemiah
50 Giggles
51 TV's "Remington"
54 High-strung
56 — nous

58 Actress Russo
59 Place for a farmer?
60 Daredevil
Knieval
61 British stables
62 Jan. precursor
63 Night before

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Puzzle by Janet R. Bender

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