

## Senate Republicans retreat on gun control

$\square$ President Clinton and other Democrats promise they will make gun control an issue in the 2000 elec tions.


Those votes established a voluntary
ystem of background checks for sosystem of background checks for so-
called private sales at gun shows, rather than the mandatory checks required of licensed dealers.
Under the revised GOP proposal Sen. Larry Craig, R-Idaho, said all sales at gun shows would be subjected
to the instant background checks to the instant background checks.
Craig, a member of the National Craig, a member of the National
Rifle Association board of directors,
said the organization said the organization had "grudgingly" agreed to the changes.
Craig described the changes as "clarification" and an attempt to build on "the accomplishments we had
made" Wednesday. made" Wednesday.
Some Democrats offered a different
"He got caught weakening the gun
"He got
aws. A lot of people here got sucked in laws. A lot of people here got sucked in no got upset," said Sen. Barbaráa can senators. Republicans including Sen. Gordon
Ren Repubicans including Sen. Gordon
Smith of Oregon and MeCain - a contender for the GOP presidential nomiation - said they had been unhappy
with the outcome of Wednesday's votes, even though they had supported Craig's position at the time. the shifting in political dynamic on gun control following last month's fatal
hootings at Columbine High School in shootings at Columbine High School in
Colorado.

## Yeltsin impeachment looms over Russia

- The Russian president is accused of, among other things, destroying the Soviet Union $\frac{\text { destroying the Soviet Union. }}{\text { By Mitchell Landsberg }}$ By Mitchell Landsberg
MOSCOW - President Boris Yeltsin faced accưations Thursday of carrying out policies that claimed the
lives of millions of Russians as lawmakers opened impeachment hearings
that could test the strength that could test the strength of Russia's
fragile democracy. Inagie democracy.
In an atmosphere of anger and fore-
boding, the lower house of Parliament, boding, he lower house or Pariament,
the State Duma, accused Yeltsin of
destroying the Soviet Union, selling
out Russia to the West, starting war in the breakaway province of Chechnyya, and waging genocide against the the Russian nation with policies that Russian nation with policies that
wrecked the economy. Yeltsin himself "didn't kill anybody,
of course", said Vadim Filiment of course," said Vadim Filimonovo,the Communist head of the impeachment
commission. "But he gave orders, to commission. "B
kill people.,
The hearing The hearings began one day after
Yeltsin propelled the country itito peltsin propelied the country into Prime Minister Yevgeny Primakov
and his Cabinet. The shat third in little more than a year, gave
added impetus to the hearings, which

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Ul senior Rob Smart reads Jerry Springer's book in his house Thursday. Smart will be an intern on "The Jerry Springer Show" this summer
UI student heads for shock TV - A film-television major will spend the summer interning for "The Jerry Springer Show."

By Crissy McMartin
Not many UI students would willingly spend their summer vacations breaking up fights and dodging chairs. As a summer intern for
"The Jerry Springer Show" tho "The Jerry Springer Show," that
may become a part of UI senior Rob may become a part of UI senior Rob
Smart's daily routine. On May 18, Smart will begin a
On Matine two-month, unpaid internship for
what he calls "the best show on
television." In addition to gaining aluable professional experience, he said, working for the infamous
alk show host will be a dream come true. "I've been a fan for a long time,"
he said. "Jerry Springer always de said. "Jerry Springer always While Smart, a film and televi-
ion maior, said he does not sion major, said he does not know
what his specific duties will what his specific duties will
include, he does not expect to disnclude, he does not expect to dis-
cover that the show's antics are
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Monkey business makes vas deferens

At the L.A. Zoo, the chimps though the males have had vasectomies.

By Deborah Hastings $\frac{\text { Associated Press }}{\text { LOS ANGELES - There's some }}$ real monkey business going on at
the Los Angeles Zoo. The chimpanzees keep getting
pregnant, even though all the pregnant, even though all the
males thought capable of breeding have had vasectomies. No one is quite sure why it is
happening, but it's created the happenig, of excitement zoos lust for "The zoo has never had this
much publicity about anything" much publicity about anything,
zookeeper Vicki Bingaman said. zookeeper Vick Bingaman said.
In the past three months, two
chimps have given birth and a chimps have given birth, and a third is pregnant. DNA tests to
determine the father - or fathers determine the father - or fathers

- cannot be done for months, until the babies are old enough to be separated from their mothers.
The real mystery is this. Thre The real mystery is this: Three of the four adult males had vasec-
tomies in 1996. And Toto, who is 45 , has never shown sexual interest in
anyone but himself As anyone but himself. As for 2 -year-old
Ripley and 4 -year-old Glenn, they Ripley and 4 -year-old Glenn, they
were considered too young to breed.


## STATE BRIEFS

 Authorities make an arrest in 18-year-old slayingTIPTON, Iowa (AP) - Eighteen years after the body of a teen-age
girl was found by a a airond crew
in a roadside park in eastern lowa, girl was found by a rairoad crew
in a roadsidid park in eastern lowa,
her head bashed in with a hammer or crowbar, police have made Dean Ray Tumey, 53, was arrested Wednesday, in KKonville
and charged with first-degree and charged with first-degree
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her body in a roadside park on
U.S. Highway 30 a mile west of U.i. . Highway 30 a mile west of
Clarence. Investigators first sought
Tumey for questioning a week autrey Pittman's sodiny was found
but declined at the time to say he but decined at
was a suspect.
Pittman's was a suspect. mother, Eleanor
Pittimants
Strong of Montpelier, said she
never met Tot never met Tumey and does not
know if her daughter knew him.
Fire damages Fort Dodge church
$\qquad$ ageed a church expear the dam- city's
downtown historic district early Thursday.
"There was a lot of heat and fire "There was a lot of heat and fire
in the first floor and down in the in the first flior and down in the
basement. The doors were blown
off,", Fort Dodge Fire Chief Jerry Eslick said. The fire at St. Paul's Lutheran The fire at St. Paul's Lutheran
Church broke out about 5 a.m. No
. one was hurt, but some neigh-
bors were evacuated because firefighters feared the steeple

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Yoshi carries her offspring Toshi at the Los Angeles Zoo Wednesday. The male chimpanzee was born on Jan. 31 and is the result of one of several recent mystery pregnancies that have puzzed $\mathbf{z 0 0}$ official
Bingaman thinks the vasec-
tomies may have failed; vasectomies may have failed; vasec
tomies are known to have a 1 per
cent failure rate in humans. failure rate in humans. 1 per- Vasectomies in chimps are the Chimps are very resilient. It same as vasectomies in people, wouldn't surprise me if they found except that chimps are much
some way around" their vasec- more prodigiously endowed tomies, Bingaman said. more prodgiousty endowed. Charles Sedgwick, the zoo's -Charles Sedgwick, director of animal health sciences "Vasectomies in chimps are the $\qquad$
Zoo have sex every day, Sedgwick $\begin{array}{ll}\text { that chimps are much more prodi- } & \text { Zoo have sex every day, Sedgwick } \\ \text { giously endowed," Sedgwick said. In } & \text { said. The zoo started trying to curb } \\ \text { both humans and chimps, the tubes } & \text { its chimp population about eight }\end{array}$ both humans and chimps, the tubes
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would spontaneously reattach." \& $\begin{array}{l}\text { erent an endangered species. } \\
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\end{tabular} the youngsters are the fathers. He birth control pills. But the females said there have been rare cases of passed them around. Babies at

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them. So did males. Then Bing $\begin{aligned} & \text { young chimps impregnating females, } \\ & \text { The chimps at the Los Angeles }\end{aligned}$
$\begin{aligned} & \text { them. So did males. Then Binga- } \\ & \text { man tried contraceptive implants. }\end{aligned}$

## The eyes have it at new ATMs

- A Texas bank offers the nation's first iris-recognition cash machine.

By Terri Langford $\frac{\text { Associated Press }}{\text { HOUSTON - If you can't tell }}$ Richard Swartz apart, do what Richarr Swartz apart, do what
Bank United of Texas does - look them in the eye.
On Thursday On Thursday, the bank became
the first in the United States to offer the first in the United States to offier
iris-recognition technology at automated teller machnines, providing
the Swartzes and other customers the Swartzes and other customers a cardess, password-free way
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you," said Ron Koben, a Bank

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Elderly victims try to cope in aftermath of tornadoes
Many have been forced to start over at a time of life
when they may be least when they may be least

## prepared to do so. <br> By Rachel Zoll Associated Press <br> MOORE, Okla, - Kathryn Ceyler, a widow in her 70s, hid in a closet a when twisters shattered the home wher where she had where she had lived for 29 years. Unhurt but shaken, she wanted no part of the crisis senters and food kitchen no part of the crisis centers and food kitchens that sprang up around the destruction. around the destruction. "I'm an independent "The said. independent woman," A week later, however, she walked into the First Baptist Church in Church in Moore for a hot meal and some groceries. "TVe never asked for any help in my life," she said, then admitted she needed some.



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## No. 2 airline hitt with antitrust suit

- The Justice Department charges that American Airlines tried to monopolize air traffic at its hub airport. By Michael J. Sniffen WASHINGTON - The Justice Department Thursday charged
that American Airlines, the nation's second-largest carrier, cut fares and added flights temporari-
ly to drive low-cost competitors out of its giant hub airport near Dal-las-Fort Worth.
The departm
The department's antitrust Joel I. Klein, said his staff is investigating whether other air-
lines engaged in the same tactics
at other
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In a civil lawsuit filed in U.S. District Court in Wichita, Kan., the government accused American of monopolizing and attempting to and from Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport, the nation's third largest airport.
"It is the pub when major airlines succeed in driving low-cost competitors out," a ntorney General Janet Reno told shouldn't have to pay sky-high prices because one airline drives
put low-cost competitors., out low-cost competitors."
American was charged wit American was charged with
repeatedly trying to drive small, startup airlines out of the Dallas-

Claritin maker not allergic to its patent

- Schering-Plough has hired top lobbyists in the fight to extend its patent.

By Jonathan D. Salant $\frac{\text { Associated Press }}{\text { WASHINGTON - Fighting to }}$ protect its $\$ 1.9$ billion market fron generic drug makers, the manufac
turer of the allergy drug Claritin has assembled an all-star lobbying team
of former federal officials to press for of former federal officials to press fo
legislation that could extend patént set to expire next year. The lineup includes former Fed
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Daschle, former Democratic Sen Daschie, former Democratic Sen
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House Chief of Staff Howard House Chief of Staff Howar
Baker and former Watergate pros ecitor Richard Ben-Veniste. Pharmaceutical giant Schering
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Gicited help from former Surgeon
General C. Everett Koop, who
wrote a letter to the wrote a letter to the lawmakers
who are leading the charge for leg. who are leading the charge for leg-
islation that could allow the patent to be extended. While not a front-page issue to
mericans, the Claritin Americans, the Claritin patent has nies. And where's there's money here's lobbying.
"When you hear is spending you heare that a companany of mone and hiring the best and most-expen ive lobbyists in town, they're out to Henry Waxman, D-Calif., an opponent of extending the patent.
On the other side, the gener On the other side, the generic ng battle of their own, eager to reak into new, lucrative markets.
They spent more than a half-milThey spent more than a hal
lion dollars lobbying in 1998 . When Schering-Plough's pa

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ment alleged. Reno said American increased its prices between Dallas-Fort
Worth and Wichita by 50 perce Worth and Wichita by 50 percent lower-cost competitor, out of that route.
Klein Kein said, "American adopted a
predatory responsive policy predarory responsive policy ...
American knew this strategy would be costly and pursued it only in order to drive out the new
carriers so it could return to its carriers so it could return to its
monopoly pricing." American replied in a statement,
"We believe these allegations of
and go paist the of free-market competition." Kleein said American's tactics were successfully employed against three new entrants into
the Dallas-Fort Worth market: Vanguard, Sun Jet and Western Pacific. "The effect on the travel-
ing public was devastatin" in ing public was devastating" in
terms of higher prices and fewer terms of higher pri
flights, Klein said.
"The traveling public ends up
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American deliberately endured short-term losses in order to drive
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Kosovars land in U.S. with next to nothing

One Kosovar woman had so little time when the Serbs came that she forgot to bring her false teeth.

> By Eun-Kyung Kim
Associated Press
> MANASSAS, Va. - On a swel ering spring day, Fatime Sylejframe in a turtleneck and buttoned weater, with wool tights beneath "This is all I have. It's all I could take with me," she says, pulling at her sleeve.
Sylejmani Sylejmani has said little since
he left Macedonia and landed in the United States less than a week go. She roams the three-bedroom ouse she shares with seven other she left behind at her home in ristina in the Serbian province of Kosovo. Her house, her jewels, her photographs.
"Her teeth!"
er-in-law, Ali Shala. The household
explodes in laughter, a rare comic moment for a family forced to start over in a new country, all the while
hoping to return to their old one. hoping to return to their old one.
"I forgot the teeth," Sylejmani says. "My head was not thinkin
had no time to grab them." Serbian police didn't give her the
chance, explains her 15-year-old chance, explains her 15 -year-old niece, Shpresa Shala. The girl, now her family's inter-
preter and link to understanding preter and link to understanding
their new world, is undaunted by the new home and responsibilities. She
is simply grateful to have her fall is simply grateful to have her family.
When Serbian soldiers forced their When Serbian soldiers forced their
way into the home of an aunt she was visiting, hhpresa never thought
she'd see her parents again. she'd see her parents again.
"They come into our house they said, 'What are you waiting for? We didn't know what to say.
We were just eating breakfast, We were just eating breakfast,"
she says, shaping her hands into she says, shaping her hands into
rifles before continuing. "They rifles before continuing. They
said, 'Go out, go out! Leave the
house! If you don't leave, we will
kill you!'"
U.S. loses Chinese respect in aftermath of embassy bombing For many Chinese, the bombing - and the attacks on Serbia in general - marks America's fall from grace.

By John Leicester
BEIJING - In 1989, Chinese students enamored of democracy arected a Statue of Liberty lookSquare. This week, as they laid siege to the U.S. Embassy, they For many Chinese the Yankees!' America evaporated with the mbassy in Yugoslavia. To the disembassy in Yugoslavia. To the dis-
enchanted, the attack left the feeling that American talk of human
rights and liberty for all is empty hetoric.
"Through American films, we place," said one protester, an employee at an American-run
Internet firm who gave his sur-
name, Sun. "Now, we are full of
doubts."
Protesters burned the American
flag, yelled profanities against flag, yeelled dprofanities americanst U.S. Embassy buildings, and burned a U.S. consul's home in southwest China. Like the students who protested on Tianan-
men Square, they marched in men Square, they marched in
ranks proudly waving their school flags, wore headbands scrawled with slogans, and were cheered on
by bystanders. In 1989, the student protests were aimed at the government. By contrast, during the four days of protests
that erupted on May 8, protesters that erupted on May 8, protesters
marched with government support. Yan Xuetong, a scholar of inter-
national relations, national relations, said many Chi-
nese believe the air campaign in Yugoslavia has exposed Amprican double-standards: The United with missiles while seeking to pre vent missile proliferation and pro-
moting $h y$ ing civilian casualties.

Israeli election looks very American U.S. strategists are shaping its final weekend before the May 17 the way candidates campaign are reshaping Israeli politics. in Israel.

By Dafna Linzer
TEL AVIV, Israel - James Carville is exhausted but optimistic. His candidate, Ehud Barak, is ahead by 10 points and looks like a
winner. Five months ago, the U.S. wimner. Five months ago, the U.S.
campaign strategist couldn't find anyone who thought the sincere, but uncharismatic Labor Party leader had a chance to defeat
Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu.
Kecking his feet up onto a coffee thair, the Louisiana native who helped get President Clinton elected smiles with satisfaction at the suggestion that American cam-
paign techniques - simple slopaign techniques - simple slo-
gans, endless repetition, up-to-theminute polling of voter whims travel well.
As Israel's As Israel's' 99 campaign heads into Even Natan Sharansky, a former Soviet dissident who heads a Russ ian immigrants American pollster Netanyahu, whose reputation as a media king has been shaken in Finser - strategist Arthur Finkelstein, who has helped Rubing Netanyahu's 1996 paign, Finkelstein peppered cam paign ads with shocking images of terror attacks and painted Pales
tinian leader Y main beneficiary of the as the process in order to portray
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on security.
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on security.
That ass tion. Three years later, Labor went American, hiring Carville, Washington pollster Stanley Greenberg
and media specialist and media specialist Rober
Shrum.


Serbs 'stage' troop withdrawal, allies say
Western reporters trucked in from Belgrade see 120
Serb troops leave Kosovo.
$\qquad$ By Candice Hughes
Associated Press
$\qquad$ BELGRADE, Yugoslavia - Smil-
ing and waving to the cameras,
approximately 120 Yugoslav troops approximately 120 Yugoslav troops
left Kosovo in a convoy ob buses and
trucks left Kosovo in a convoy of buses and
trucks Thursday in what Western
authorities said was an insignifiauctorities said was an insignifi-
cant move and possibly a sham. The soldiers broke into grins for foreign reporters, who were driven
to Merdare on the main road to Nis, a military stronghold in southern Serbia. The pullout was
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withdrawal order Sunday.
"It's the easiest thing in the withdrawal order Sunday. world to put a few tanks on the
border, invite a TV crew and say, border, invite a TV crew and say,
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 Gayette F. Grimm, Lort C. Groninga, Shannon E. Harris, Adam R. Henn, Tara L. Henrichsen, Jonie M. Hines, John B. Holt, Yvonne Hsu, Gary M. Hunninghake,








| 'Star Wars' is just a children's film |  |  |
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| (and 'Moby Dick' is merely a fish story) |  |  |
| The creator of the legacy realizes the critics will be harsh and the fans will be loyal. | have gotten mostly bad reviews," Lucas said. "They've mostly been trashed one way or another, espe cially by the major media. I certainly expect not to do well critically; I never have. You sort of accept this. When you get a situation like this where you have so much high expectations, you can't possibly <br> has a good time and that the film is shown the way it should be shown," he said. <br> The original "Star Wars" broke existing box-office records and won seven Academy Awards, but Lucas tried to paint himself as a Hollytried to paint himself as a Holly- wood outsider completely dependent on merchandising spin-offs to |  |
| By Beth J. Harpaz Associated Press |  |  |
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| himself as an independent filmmaker from San Francisco simply out to make a movie for kids. | ent | "T'm an independent filmmaker |
|  | three, Lucas said, "I don't think it' | from San Francisco, |
| And Cecil B. DeMille made a litthe Bible story. | any more kid-friendly than th | loited anything I possibly can," |
| The man is George Lucas and his movie "Star Wars: Episode I - |  | hen asked about |
|  | at the movies actually | pired by "The P |
| The Phantom Menace," which opens on May 19, already has fans camping out in anticipation. "We tried very hard to not let the |  |  |
|  | has | This is |
| at a New York press conference on May 9. "It kind of got out of control and got over-hyped anyway.There's not much you can do about |  | king movies. I really don't have |
|  | where it is shown. | interest in be |
|  | "Everybody says I control ever |  |
|  | thing. All I do is make the movie |  |
|  | eve | make, $\$ 5$ million le |
| that." Lucas said a backlash by the |  |  |
| critics is inevitable. On May 9 , New York Daily News reviewer |  |  |
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| Jack Mathews gave the film a lukewarm $2^{1 / 2}$ stars. | film commercials and keeping the | ts, Episodes II and III. But, |
|  | movie in a large room. "I want to see that the audien | "Star Wars" movies after that. |
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# VEMPOINTS  



A final column about Finals Week

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URPRISE! It's Fri- $\quad \begin{gathered}\text { However, I give total credit } \\ \text { and }\end{gathered}$ day. The semester, $\begin{aligned} & \text { and empathy to those folks } \\ & \text { who, due to, I suppose, some } \\ & \text { hideous acts committed in }\end{aligned}$ as we know it, is over! Well, for most of us, it is. Gosh, for some of us, it's been over for some time now. Ive been out of here since Wednesday.
Think of this as sort of a message from the Other Side. The Other Side being the Land
of No Classes, the Happy Fjord of Summer of No Classes, the Happy Fjord of Summer
call it what you will. call it what you will
dents who aren't as fortunate to be able to merrily jaunt out of town at the beginnin
of finals week. Me? Oh, I was done um of finals week. Me? $\mathrm{Oh}, \mathrm{I}$ was done, um ...
let's see, finished on (cough, cough) Monday let's see, finished on (cough, cough) Monday.
Yeah, yeah, I know. Isuck, and other color-
ful expletives. Well, sorry. ful expletives. Well, sorry. But through luck and outrageous good
fortune, I seem to usually have a short fortune, I seem to usually have a short
finals week, to the general consternation my roommate. I suppose it's sort of disheartening when my biggest concern is how
to successfully pack up my ar without como successsuily pack up my car without
mitting some sort of moving violation.
"Why no officer I can see perfectly "'Why, no, officer, I can see perfectly
through that bookcase, really!") through that bookcase, really!") with terms and calcuacions. But 1 am departure, and I would never rub it in. Naturally, I don't see how singing the "Happy Happy Joy Joy" song and skipping across
the room, tossing my textbooks around with carefree abandon actually constitute rubbing it in

|  | ground of general frustration and stress. <br> So, instead of being faced with written essays and multiple-guess tests (Q: "How do you correctly pronounce Neanderthal? -100 points), I had three projects, a portfolio and a presentation loom- |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | ing over my head for the last two weeks of the semester. And, being the exemplary scholar that I am (stop that laughing), I got right on these things the second that they were assigned. I did not - would not even dream of leaving things to the last |
|  | My finals studies basically consisted of trying to force myself to stop procrastinating. That most of my time was spent in my |
|  | on my walls became fascinating.Tryin |
|  | Grail. I took to staring at my calendar, writing in things that were so simplistic, I could |
|  | only be doing it to waste time. "Monday, |
|  | May 3. Go to classes. Pay attention. |
|  | Wednesday, May 5. Chance of rain. Tak umbrella." I was really reaching here. |
|  | But, it's over. And if it's not over for you, |
|  | Ill lead you through a deep breath tomor- |
|  | thought of me, at homee, possibly not evenawake yet, maybe going to raid the fridge, |
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|  | awake yet, maybe going to raid the fridge, which, being that it is at home, is always |
|  | full. Tee heel Tm |
|  | sidered rubbing it in? In any case, |
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Bob Bowisby, director of the men's Athletics Department, deserves the honor of newsmaker of the 1998-99 school year. Two UI coaching legends left this year, and
Bowlsby oversaw the controversial searches for their replacements and tooka lo of heat in the process. Without him, The Daily lowan would not have had much to write about this past year. Thanks.

## 'Tis the season to give unsolicited advice to graduates'

THIS final weekend of the spring semester is, of course, marked by graduation. That means three days of people who've forgotten what it means to be a new graduate advising you on what you should do, now that you are one (a new graduate, that is). 1 know whereof 1 speak ( 1 know, that unusual for $m e$, but le tit t pass 5 ust $t$ this
oncel), because I have
iven charges to oncel), because I have given charges to
graduating classes myself. The format is raduating classes myself. The format is are to have spent their parents' or their own money for five or six years, and then
you wish them well Ideally you take at you wish them well. Ideally, you take at
least an hour to do this. Any less than that and the parents and relatives in the audience will feel cheated. But of course, itst not just the person
iving the charge to the rraduates who gets to offer advice to graduating students this weekend. Itse everyanoe e especiully rel-
the atives they invariably knowit it ill).
only marginally clad. I know dorm life is eclectic, but really!
You're probably focusing on career plans You're probably focusing on career pr
and the like, and this is good. Keep on focusing, but remember one thing as you
plan your life for the next 50 years: It has often been said that if you really want amuse God, tell Her your plans! ious about career-planning. You can end up spending your whole life trying to get somewhere else, instead of enjoying where you are. Now pay attention here, because
even if this is "old fart" stuff, it's good stuff, too.
There is
There is nothing wrong (necessarily) with wanting to be rich, famous or even just successful. But such aims can become
overriding concerns for some folk. Unless you win the lottery, you are unlikely to achieve fortune or fame overnight. The time you spend single-mindedly pursuing
these goals could also be spent on other, these goals could also be spent on other,
less heralded but perhaps more worthwhile and certainly more rewarding activ
or other such old-
fashioned thing The important thing here is that
according to the adage, nobody ever says when they die, "I wish I Id spent
more time at work." WILFRID_NIXON Work pays the bills (or some of them, at any rate) and may, if you're lucky, be
enioyable and personally rewarding (I) enjoyable and personally rewarding (I
count myself among the lucky). But don count myself among the lucky). But
let it become your sole focus in life. If you didn't take advantage of your undergraduate status to travel abroad
(and shame on you i you didn't - there (and shame on you if you didn't - there
are lots of opportunities) then the first year after graduation is the best time to do this, for two reasons.
First, you won't First, you won't have maxed out your credit cards yet, and second, it's much ear he dogs, cat wh the encumbrance of above all childdren that spouses, and the years go by. Do it now, while you can
$\qquad$ will of course be $m$ it fully. Some days regard than others, and it can be pe this larly tough to pull off while standing at a copy machine, for example. However, I
shall now divulge the secret to achieving this strong sense of urgency.
It's very simple really and It's very simple really, and it's surpris- : ing that it takes years of study to figure it : tion to 42 , which is today's obscure refer- ence) is coffee. Preferably strong, and defit
nitely hot and in the morning, but above nitely hot and in the morning, but above ;
all, coffee. Drink lots, and a life of success, will be yours.

Wiltrid Nixon is ol ol
Wiltrid Nixon is a $D 1$ columnist.

## DI graduates

SAY What is your most secret obsession?

## CITY \& WORLD

## UI student slogs off to shock TV

## SPRINGER

I don't think the stories are false," he said. "
that stupid." Whatever his responsibilities may be, Smart said the experi-
ence on a nationally recognized ence on a nationally recognized
show will help him after graduashow when he hopes to pursue a career in either television or film
production. "Td like to work for the WWF," he said. "I could be a manager and lead people down to the ring and throw stuff in, or I could help
with the story lines."

Smart received the internship
after submitting a cover letter and résumé emphasizing his work in television production classes.
Like Springer, Smart is native of Cincinnati, where the talk show host once served as mayor and from where "The
Jerry Springer Show" initially aired. The two met for the first time when Springer was speaking at an event at Smart's high
school, where Springer's daughschool, where Springer's daugh-
ter was also a student. "He's a smart guy." Smart said.
"He's really down to earth." "H's's really down to earth.",
Smart said his summer plans
have dr
others.
"Whe going to well people where I'm going to work this summer, peo-
ple either cheer or cringe and try to be polite," he said. UI senior Nicole Palomado said that although she doesn't share her friend's enthusiasm for the
show, her viewing would increase show, her vewing would increase
if there were a chance Smart could get some air time.
ald "I'd like to see a show about
interns with Rob on it", she said interns with Rob on it," she said.
"That would be my favorite episode."
01 reporter II Ireporter Crisy Memartin can be reachered at:

Club gets its kicks in glub, glub, glub

GLUB
$\qquad$ shipwrecks and ob shipwrecks and ob
wildlife of coral reefs. "It is relaxing and amazing -
you cant' really describe it to other you can't really describe it to other people," said U sophomore Claire
Thomas. "When you are down in the middle of the ocean looking at wildife, it makes all of your problems seem trivial." mores club members, UI sophodelke, have used their recently pacquired diving skills to land internships for the summer in
Florida with Coral Island Charters. "We will be getting communica- $\qquad$ tion credits, because we are going,
to do some underwater filming,"
Fiddelke said The SCUBA Club is advised by Phil Gibson, a UI biology research
assistant and a certified scuba-diving instructor. Gibson has 10 years
of professional teaching experience of professional teaching experience
in California and Florida and more than 3,000 dives under his belt.
Gibson also furnishes some o the diving equipment the club uses, although most of the mem-
bers own some of their For a student just getting started, basic equipment such as fins, a
mask and a snorkel will cost about $\$ 200$, Gibson said.
Despite the cost, UI freshman
Lori Russell said then Lori Russell said that being in the and there is a really diverse group of us," she said. "I really look forward to scuba diving every other week." SCUBA Club is in the process of planning trips for next year. Two possible destinations include Bonne Terra Mines, Mo. also looking into making scub gear available for night games a gear available for night games a
the Field House next fall. For more information, contact the club's We D/ reporter Carie Johnston can be ereached

Parliament moves to impeach Yeltsin RUSSIA
Continued from Page 1A
had been scheduled previously It seems less than likely that the It seems less than likely that the
upper house of Parliament would vote to remove Yeltsin from office in what would be Russia's firs,
presidential impeachment. Yeltsin's presidential impeachment. Yeltsin'
ouster would also require two thirds majorities of the supreme and constitutional court
is considered unlikely.
is considered unikely.
And the whole matter could be moot if Yeltsin dissolves Parliamot in Yeltsin dissolves Parlia-
ment and calls for new elections, as many observers think he will do. With 443 deputies in the Com-
munist-dominated Duma, it will munist-dominated Duma, it will
require 300 to impeach Yeltsin. So far, at least 125 have indicated tha
they oppose impeachment suggest they oppose impeachment, suggest
ing that the vote could be close. Among those opposing impeachment and urging Yeltsi
to dissolve Parliament was flam to dissolve Parliament was flam
boyant nationalist leader Vladimir Zhirinovsky. There were reports Thursday that Zhirinovsky was being
top Kremlin post.

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Cartoonist Saul Steinberg dead at 84 NEW YORK (AP) - Satirical car-
foonist Saul Steinberg, who created Yorker, including the famous image of what the world looks like to the egoCenticinhannattanite, has died at 84 . urned out angular and otten brooding that of Pablo Picasso and Joan Miro. His drawings were tull of thin, sharp
ines and populated with cats, doos and crocodiles - his symbols for primitive political society.
"Saul Steinberg was our Picasso, our great original," said New Yorker
editor David Remnick. "Welll miss his eye, his line, his language, his wit and lis triendstip."
Steinbero direw
Steinberg drew 85 covers and 642 50 years. Among his most tamous cartoons
was "View of the Worid trom Avenue," which appeared on the magzin's', March 29,1976, cover. The
drawing is a bird's-ye view of the drawing is a bird's-eye view of the
world looking west from Manhattan, with the detailed streets of New York Iading into ill-defined clumps for the Researchers: Stem cells can convert WASHINGTON - Special bone-
marrow cells have been shown to convert into basic liver tissue, raising the own marrow to repair faliling livers, researchers say. University of Pittshurch at the Center, researchers found in bone marrow a master - or stem - cell that itself iftot ounctioning liver-rissuo cells.
Bryon Petersen, lead author of the Bryon Peiersen, lead author of the
study, which will be published today in
Science, said the work is the tirst step Science, said the work is the first step
toward learning how to rescue faling livers using the body's own stem cells,
Petersen said that Petersen sald that in new experi-
ments he already has shown that injecting the special marrow cells into
rats cause rats causes the animals to form new
liver tissul liver tissue.
Although the work only has been demonstrated in laboratory animals, Petersen said, other studies strongly suggest humans also have bone-mar
row cells that will convert into liver row cells that will convert into liver
cells. "What we have learned from the rat, we should b ba abble to oxtrapolate to the
humans," said Petersen.


Speaker to provide 'chicken soup for soul'

COMMENCEMENT

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dents, but parents, faculty and everybody attending," he said. ""t's
more touching, and it will affect different people differently." The selection process for the commencement speaker included
an application, a summary of activan application, a a summary of activ-
ities on campus and a synopsis of a speech, Hubbard said.
iI think I "I think I made Peter Hubbard
oo deaf when I found out; I was
screaming so loud, Frederick said.
"I was pretty ectatacic.
Fredrick said she chose to try
out for the commencement speak-
er because she has been involved
in numerous extracurricular
activities.
"'ve tried to be involved as much
as possible," she said.
Out out her many memories at
the UI, Frederick said, she will
never forget one snowy night in
particular.
"When I lived in Slater three years ago, my roommate, Karen,
and I stole lunch trays from the lunchroom and went sledding on
the law hill," she said. "We had on too many peppermint schnapp and cocoa that night.
The liberal arts commencemen is scheduled to be held in Carver Hawkeye Arena Saturday at $9: 30$ a.m. Graduates should arrive by s.ame, a.m., seating is on a firstcome, first-serve basis. DI reporter Eitise silie can be reached at:

Free public lecture

## Murray Sperber

speaking on

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This event is the keynote of an international symposium on "Sport and Cultural Distinctiveness" supported by the Iowa Arts and Humanities Initiative, with additional support from the Center for Asian and Pacific Studies, Obermann Center for Advanced Studies and International Programs.
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## The Hanks team

The family of former Hawkeye Merton Hanks has stayed positive while battling their 5-year-old daughter's autism

By Wayne Drehs

W
 book, shared stories or her beloved
family, and showed pictures of her celebrity father, it would have
seemed to any outsider like a typical afternon of show
But it wasn't.
But it wasnt.
For Milan and her parents, former
Iowa athletes Merton and Marva Iowa athletes Merton and Marva
Hanks (formerly Marva Fulle), Hanks (formerly Marva Fuller), the
presentation was heroic. It was the presentation was heroic. . t was the
ultimate peak in what has been a volatile roller coaster ride since 1996 ,
when Milan was diagnosed with the when Milan was diagnosed with the
life-long neurological disease autism. "For her to stand and do that in
front of ataselase front of a classroom was just a phe
nomenal moment in our lives," Marva nomenal moment in our lives,", Marva
said. "The language was minimal.
five word sentences at the most, but said. "The language was minimal-
five word sentences at the most, but
compared to when we got the diagnocompared to when we got the diagno-
sis and there weren't even two-word sis and there werent even two-worr
sentences, it was just monumental."
 disease is now the third most com-
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mental retardation and cerebral
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dren born. Many celebrities, including NFL dr
Hanks, Dan 66
Marino, and Doug Flutie 66
hawkere sortball
Streaking lowa hopes to make Big Ten noise
The fifth-seeded Hawkeyes will begin play today at the Big Ten Tournament in Ann Arbor. By Tony Wirt
Luckily for the Iowa Hawkeyes, the
Big Ten Softball Tournament expandBig ten Sorbail Tournament expand-
ed to five teams this year After a dreadful month of April,
Iowa had to fight to gain a spot in this weekend's postseason dance. The
fifth-seded Hawkeyes will take on
fourth-seeded Michigan State at 10 fourth-seded Michigan State at 10
a.m. today. The winner will advance on into a double-elimination tourna-
ment with Michigan, Penn State and Minnesota.
While the Hawkeyes just made the one of the better teams in the Big Ten. This was evident when they took two
games of a three-game set against th games of a three-game set against the
Spartans last weekend. "We're playing really well right
now," coach Gayle Blevins said. We've learned how to play hard from the start, somenteng we weren weks,
before. In the last two or three weeks we've really picked up our game." ment. Her players can feel the differ
ence between how they are playing now and how things were going in
April. "We're on an upswing right now",
third baseman Liz Dennis said "Wer' playing well and our spirit is way up.
It's a good feeling going into Big "We're playing much better now,
and we're having more fun," left fielder Amber Morrow said. "Considering
the roller coaster ride wéve had

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Utley could be the spark for the lowa softball team

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'We don't give much thought to the other part' hanks



49ers safety Merton Hanks returns a fumble against the Washington Redskins last season.


However, the heavily religious
plished a lot,"' Marva said, "You all that when you are in
dankses see prayer as the the battle"
Hankses see prayer
strongest method of any.
"Everybuty

## "Everybody knows that's the way Celebrity status

we run our household and that the
first dynamic in her lifebrity status
The Hankses are lucky in that
ooing to be prayer." Marva said. going to be prayer," Marva said.
"That's what
It
success to.
Milan's treatment with the team includes a lotof of hands-on, one-on-
one, in-the-face coaching one, in-the-face coaching
lessons like how to talk proper
and how to behave in public. and how to behave in public. T
Hankses believe in putting Mil Hankses believe in putting Mila
in these situations and the encouraging her to mimic thei
behavior, as well as that of he behavior, as well as that of h
older sister Maya.
Maya's role has been critica Maya's role has been critical
Like many siblings, Milan idolize her older sister and copies $h$
behavior in every way imaginable ehavior in every way imaginab
Thus, Marva and Merton haver Thus, Marva and Merton hav
helped Maya build a sense of prid
to work with her sister in such to work with her sister in such
capacity. "She has been an excellent
teacher, probably the primar source of teaching for Milan Marva said. "They are pretty muc
like twins if people didn't know any
better. "We just had to not put so much pressure on her so that she could
be a kid and a sister, too. We've honed in on that."
Scholastically, Milan will enter a Scholastically, Milan will enter a
normal kindergarten this fall, with Childress accompanying her.
There, the Hankses are hoping There, the Hankses are hoping
Milan will be able to continue to learn about being a kid, as well as
pay attention to lessons pay attention to lessons. "It's been ... interesting," Merton
said. "It's just like any other father said. Its just like any other father
wanting what's best for their kids.
We try to put her in te We try to put her in the typen of sit-
uations where she is uations where she
most successful."

CAN a is currently lobbying behind a pair of bills in the House
and Senate tabbed, The
Advancement in Pediatric Authem
Research Act." They believe the Advancement in Pediatric Autism
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legislation is the most important segisation is the most important
single piece of legislation on
autism and ever, and If passed, the autism and ever, and If passed, the
bill would release the greatest
amount of funds ever released for pediatric autism.
"Not everybody can afford the
resources we have, can afford a
shadow, but the government is say shadow, but the government is say-
ing they will pay for 90 -percent of
it ," Marva said. "We want autism hear about anybody getting it.
"That's our goal.,
While at the Super Bowl in
January the Hankses visited with While at the Super Bowl in
January, the Hankses visited with
Miami Dophins quarterack Dan
Marino, whose 9 -year-old son Michael is autistic. They toured
Marino's "one-stop shop" for Marinos "one-stop shop" for
autism in South Florida, where
you can get diagnosed and treated you can get diagnosed and treated
in the same facility.
"One of the things that leads to a "One of the things that leads to a able to cope with the circumstances,
is changes in the environment," is changes in the environment,"
Marva said. "So getting all the Marva said. "So getting all the
treatments under one roof helps put
these kids in a these kids in a suceessful environ-
ment where they feel comporthble, ment where they feel comfortable."
Said Marino, "The majority the money goes to working with
kids with autism and kids with kids with autism and kids with
related problems," Marino said
"Mien Mromael has done incredible, gone would talk to a 4th grader who is
mainstreamed in regular school. mainstreamed in regular sch

## Staying positive

With her continued improve
ment and imminent arrival in re
ment and imminent arrival in reg ing more positive than ever for
Milan. But Marva and Merton Milan. But Marva and Merton
have experienced too much to get overly confident now.
They know that at any point,
things may again take a turn for
things may again take a turn for
the worst.
"Of course, there are moment when yourse, tose all hope, you get all
depressed, and let your mind wandepressed, and let your mind wan-
der into what if she doesn't recover der into what if she doess't recover
and needs to be institutionalized," and needs to be institutionalized,"
Marva said, "But then, that would last only a moment or two, because we are so upbeat and into winning,
that we don't give much thought to that we don't give much thought to
the other part - the worst case sce-
nario,
It's an easy attitude to have at
this point, when everything sems
this point, when everything seems
to be going right, and outsiders cant identify a simple day of show-
n-tell from a monumental perforn -tell from a monumental perfor-
mance by an autistic five-year-old. mance by an autistic five-year-old
"That's the greatest complement Thats the greatest complement
that anybody can give you, to say, Which one is your daughter or your child' because they don't see
anything wrong with her," Marva anythin
said.
said. That's just great because that's
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what we strive for."
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## Blue Jays humble Royals in 8-2 victory

| y after playing nearly perfect | brought tears to his eyes. <br> "They played so good last night, |  |
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| seball, reality and the Toronto | it caught up to them that inning," | Angels 2, Yankees 0 |
| e Jays came crashing down on | said Toronto manag | Angels 2, Yankees 0 |
| young Kansas City Royals. | Delgado, who wound up 4-for-5, | NEW YORK - Even a team meeting |
| The Blue Jays scored six runs |  | Idn't snap the New York Yankees out |
| of them unearned | ninth. | their recent slump. |
| cond inning - and | Pat | Omar Olivares alowed five hits in 62 - |
| th an $8-2$ victory Thursday, |  | 3 innings and Mo Vaughn hit a solo |
| ding what Royals manager To |  | homer as the Anaheim Angels capped |
| user called a valuable $e$ | retiring 14 in a row. But |  |
| It is a tremendous learning | relief help from Dan Plesa | Stadium in 15 years with a $2-0$ victory |
|  |  | Thursd |
| a great night and maybe came | one out to retire Carlos Beltran on | The Yankees, who hadn't been shut |
| the ballpark a little |  | ut twice at home in a season since |
| ad took things for granted | "Obviously, it's huge when the | 1997, were blanked in consecutive home |
| $r$ said. "You |  | games for the first time since 1991 and in |
| thing for granted." | said of the six-run second | back-to-back games overall for the first |
| Carlos Delgado ha |  | time since 1 |
| ts an | one | After Chuck Finley and Troy Percival |
| decisive second inning while the Roy- |  | combined on a 1-0 shutout of the |
| misplayed at least three b | g | Yankees on Wednesday night, the players |
| The night before, in a $7-1 \mathrm{v}$ |  | called an impromptu team meeting. |
| the Royals turned in about | e | Interim manager Don Zimmer broke up |
| sparkling defensive plays in | AL with a 1.93 ERA, was charged | that meeting and called one of his own |
| formance which general ma |  | the |
| rk Robinson said aln | only two were earned. He | team's mental approach. |



## Keeping the

legal drinking age at 21
saves lives and prevents injuries
Since the 1970 s, at least 40 studies have examined the effects of either increasing or
decreasing the minimum legal drinking age. Here are the findings:

- When the drinking age is lowered, injury and deaths increase.
- When the drinking age is raised, death and injury rates decline
- A legal drinking age of 21 saves well over 1000 lives each year
- Opponents of a higher legal drinking age argue that because many minors still manage to purchase alcohol, raising the legal drinking age doesn't work. The
evidence shows however, that although many youth consume alcohol, they drink less and experience fewer alcohol-related injuries
When the drinking age is 21 , minors drink less overall and continue that pattern through their early twenties.

Toomey, Traci L. e tal. The Minimum Legal Drinking Age: Histor, Effectiveness and Ongoing

Which probably explains why
so many people support it
Nearly 60 percent of University of lowa students said they support a "crackdown on underage drinking." Among non-drinkers, more than 90 percent of the UI espondents agreed with that statement. Nearly 80 percent of UI non-bingers agreed. Even 52 percent of the occasional bingers on the UI campus agreed with he need to crackdown on underage drinkers.
Harvard School of Public Health survey, 1997)
78 percent of lowa City and Coralville residents said they favored cracking down n underage drinking even if it hurts business in bars and stores that sell alcohol. (lowa Social Science Institute survey, April 1998)

An overwhelming majority of Americans view underage drinking as a significant problem and support measures to reduce it. 84 percent oppose lowering the legal drinking age from 21 to 19.83 percent support laws that penalize aduits who supply alcohol to minors. 82 percent believe bars and stores are lax in selling to

Join the crowd.
Tell your police and city council that you support enforcement of the minimum legal drinking age

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## BASEBALL

## lowa's select head to Tucson

By Matt Bowen

Before the Big Ten Champineld squad will send a select few final meet.

We are
type of meet for
specific type of
guys," coach
said. relay squad of Tim Dodge, Tim
Dwight, Tony Branch and Bashir Yamini, along with the $4 \times 100$ meter team of Kurt Felix, Branch, pushing for a spot also. Thrower Jeremy Allen will make the trip to warmer territory as well.
The $4 \times 400$-relay team is To move up the charts in the provisional rankings of the NCAA's, and will have good competition to push team has run a 3.06 .11 to the Hawkeyes' 3.06.18.
can run a little faster and move me

## Struggling Hawkeyes to end season in Evanston

## By Roger Kuznia

 In some respects for the Iowa aseball team, it might be glad the At the beginning of the the team had high expectations of makingthe Big Ten Tourna nent for the first time in eight years. After beating national powerhouse
Miami, the Hawkeyes looked to have all the confidence and talent to do that.
But this se
But this season has been a year of 24 conference games. And no matter how good the Hawkeyes played, it seemed like they could never et
aictory in the win column "It's been real real frustrating at times," Iowa left Fielder Terry didn't want to be there. But you just have to dig real deep and find what you've got inside and give
100 percent everytime you take the 100 percent everytime you take
field. That's all you can control." Iowa (21-31, $5-19$ Big Ten) has
four more games to finish the season strong, as they play the Northwestern Wildcats $(21-28,7-17 \mathrm{Big}$
Ten). Today's game begins at 1 pm . in Evanston. A doubleheader is scheduled for Saturday at 2 p.m. he teams will finish Sunday with "We're going to play for some pride this weekend and finish on a
good note," Ramsey said "They good note," Ramsey said. "They
beat us four times last year, so beat us gour times last year, so
we're going to try to return the favor," Wildcats were 6-6 midway
The

Jeremy Allen has not yet qualified for the NCAA's and will be
looking to do so this weekend, as
well as warming up for the Big Ten "He needs a meet to catch up, after coming off
Wieczorek said. Yamini, who was an All-American last year, is in the same boat as
Allen. He has yet to qualify for the Allen. He has yet to qualify for the
NCAA's. Yamini, who has already won
four long jump titles in his career, is still nursing a sore ankle, which
only bothers him while jumping. Wieczorek plans to hold him out another week, until the Big Ten's,
which would set the stage for a do or die for Yamini.
"We are going to rest him," Wieczorek said. "He wants, to win the
title at the Big Ten meet" A jump of 26 feet, 3 inches automatically $q$ qualifies an athlete for
the NCAA's, while a jump of $25^{\prime} 1$ the $\mathrm{NCAA}^{\prime}$ 's, while a jump of $25^{\prime} 1$
will provisionally qualify will provisionally qualify. week, it would juth him in," Wieczorek said.
The The Big Ten meet is in West
Lafayete, Ind., May 21-23.

have won only one game in their ast 12 tries. Six of those Wildcat losses during this stretch were ecided by one run.

One of Northwestern's best hitOne of Northwestern's best hitbattimg. 356 with 10 home runs
and 42 RBIs. He is second on the and 42 RBIs. He is second on the
team in batting average, but is team in batting average, but is
tops in the other two categories.
Three of his home runs came Three of his home runs came against Minnesota last weekend. The Wildcats have one of the best
closers in the Big Ten in Ryan Bos. closers in the Big Ten in Ryan Bos.
He has saved eight games, good enough for second in the Big Ten. With finals out of the way, Ram-
sey said he's hoping for a slew of sey said he's hoping for a slew of "We're going to be out there for
three days with nothing but basethree days with nothing but base-
ball on our minds," Ramsey said.
"We ball on our minds," Ramsey sai D/ sportswiter Roger Kunziaia can be erached at Iogerkurniewiowa. edu

## Rowing

This week: The lowa women's
rowing team travels to Dakridge, owing team travels to Oakridge,
Tenn. for the Central Sorints segatta. Meet Notes: The rowing team is coming offt a strong performance at the Midwest Rowing Championships two weeks ago and cracked the top 20
coaches poll for the first
time this season lowa is time this season..lowa is
ranked 19th in the counTanked
try...Last weekend, the
Hawke Hawkeyess peekend, the
boats in the finals of the Midwest Rowing Championships. The Varsity $8+$ finished second in their heat with a time of 6.22 .22 before tinishing fourth overall in
final witha time of 6.33 .38 . final with a time of 6.33 .3.
Coach's Quote: "Practices h been going extremely well and I
believe the girls will be believe the girls will be up to the
challenge of such a big race, "Kowal chalienge of such a big race." "Kowal
said "This is one of three big meets we have this season and so 1 xpect
we will perform well." we will perform well." $\quad$ Next weel:: lowa is of next we Nexx week: lowa is of next week
before heading to the NCAA Championships on May $28-30$.
Women's track \& field Up next: The lowa women's track
and field team travels to West and field team travels to West
Latayette, Indiana, for the Big Ten Latayette, Indiana, or the Big Ten
Outdoor Track and Field
Championships May $21-23$. Championships May $21-23$.
Meet notes: The Hawkeyes are Meet notes:
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best time in the $100-$ meter dash.
Roatrint tinished in Boatright finished in 12.17 seconds,
ust edgoing teammate senior Paula ust edging teammate senior Pash ...
Ruen, and later won the 200 dash The Hawkeyes are trying to improve on a ninth-place finish at last year's
Big Ten Outdoor Championships. Big Ten Outdoor Championships.
This season they have broken two school records and finished second
at two different at two different outdoor meets.
Junior Colleen Prenderaast set Junior Colleen Prendergast set a
school recerd in the 100 hurdles and provincially qualified for the NCAA
Outdoor Chamionships Outdoor Championships, as did
senior hammer thrower senior hammer thrower Kern
Blackstone, who set the other lowa Blacksto
mark.
Player Player's comments: "We're peaking at the right time." sophomore
Gina Shannon said. "Everyone's healthy, and everybody's in the best shape of the season right now, so
think well do well."

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