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The Daily Iowan will discontinue publication until Aug. 23. The business office, Room 111, Communicatons Center, will remain open over the interim Monday-Friday, from 8.a.m.-4 p.m. The advertising and editorial offices will reopen on Aug. 16. Thanks for reading and have a great break!

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# Rampage stuns Atlanta

A disgruntled investor slays 9 and wounds 12 in an office shooting, after killing his wife and children.

> By Shelley Hill **Associated Press**

ATLANTA - An investor upset over stock trading losses opened fire Thursday in two brokerage offices, killing nine people and wounding 12 before escaping, then killed himself when stopped by police. Earlier, the gunman's wife

and two children were found beaten to death in their suburban home.

Mayor Bill Campbell said the gunman, Mark O. Barton, 44, committed suicide after police cornered him in a



dark green van at a service station in Atlanta's northern suburbs approximately five hours after the office shootings.

"He was pulled over, and then killed himself," Campbell said.

Two weapons were found at the scene, and notes were found with the family members' bodies, he said. It was the latest in a grim wave

of mass shootings at schools and workplaces and was among the worst office massacres ever. Campbell said several witnesses at the office buildings recognized

the gunman as Barton. Roadblocks went up after the 3 p.m. shootings, and SWAT teams fanned through the complex of offices searching for him.

"It's a terrible tragedy for our go out to the victims."

Barton, a chemist, walked into a brokerage office at Securities Center in the upscale Buckhead sec-

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Ric Feld/Associated Press

People flee the building across the street from where a gunman opened fire in the Buckhead section of Atlanta Thursday, killing nine people, as police officers crouch behind a vehicle.

# **UI** sorry for IWP discord

University administrators were contrite about the fate of the program at a public forum Thursday.

> By Jill Barnard The Daily Iowan

UI administrators apologized for the way they handled the restructuring of the International Writing Program at a public forum held Thurs-

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dealt with in its early stages," said Provost Jon Whitmore. "We could have had a more effective way to communicate with people on the status of the program."

But David Skorton, vice president for research, made

UI provost no apologies for the program's future, which will be scaled down indefinitely. As opposed to an average of 30 writers that the program had attracted in the past, only nine writers will come to the UI

in the immediate future, he said. Although the UI is scaling the program back, it will continue to be very

important to the university, he said. "There is no question that, locally and internationally, this is of huge value to the university," Skorton

Many in the audience, which numbered more than 100 people, felt the forum was a step in the right direc-

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# Pomp, circumstance & some brand-new worries

Graduates face a real world empty of free Internet access and medical insurance, among other things.

The Daily Iowan

The days of freebies are over for this summer's UI graduates, who will take the leap into the real world

"I will miss the free access to the Internet and the other benefits students get," said UI senior Tim Beachy. "I don't have a computer of my own to access the Internet.

E-mail accounts, library and Internet access and coverage on parents' insurance plans all go out the window after college graduation.

But there are options for concerned graduates who want some sort of nsurance plan, said Barb Bennett, a UI financial-aid counselor.

"We get students who call us and are concerned about losing their insurance," she said. "Most students are able to get insurance with the company they begin employment with."

For those without immediate jobs, the American Insurance Administrators provides a reduced group-rate insurance for members of the UI Alumni Association, said Kathy Sayre, assistant director of marketing for the association.

"All the feedback " e have gotten on the insurance bene as have been positive," she said. "Students take insurance for granted while they are in school because a lot of times their parents are paying for it. They don't realize the benefits they are getting."

There is another big stress in store for graduating students: getting employment.

"I am not nervous about losing any enefits, but'I am a little nervous about graduating, because I don't have



a job lined up," said Phil Mueller, a management information science

major. "There are a lot of unknowns." But for now, many graduates are just seeking relief from the years of

While some are celebrating at the bars, Anne Brenner, an English and anthropology major, will be spending time with her family.

"Next week, I am going on a vacation with my family," she said. "Hopefully, I will be able to not worry about my future and just relax.

Graduate students will walk across the Hancher stage at 2 p.m. today. At

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### ■ A judge orders Clinton to pay Paula Jones' lawyers for lying about his relationship with Monica Lewinsky.

By David A. Lieb **Associated Press** 

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. - A federal judge ordered President Clinton to pay almost \$90,000 to Paula Jones' legal team Thursday in an unprecedented action aimed at penalizing him for false testimony and deterring others "who might consider emulating the president's misconduct."

The money, which is in addition to \$850,000 paid to Jones to settle her sexual-harassment lawsuit, is to compensate for legal costs related to Clinton's denial that he had a

For Clinton, sex, lies and \$90,000

Lewinsky.

Clinton's testimony in the Jones case led to his impeachment by the House. He was later acquitted in a Senate trial

The president's lawyers, who had argued that he should pay no more than \$33,737, said he would comply with the ruling. It was unclear whether the money would come from Clinton's legal-defense

Part of the money will be passed on to Jones, her lawyers said.

"The court takes no pleasure in imposing contempt sanctions against this nation's president and, no doubt like many others, grows weary of this matter," U.S. District Judge Susan Webber Wright wrote in her order.

"Nevertheless ... sanctions must

sexual relationship with Monica be imposed to redress the president's misconduct and to deter others who might consider emulating the president's misconduct," she said.

The penalties could end the president's five-year battle with Jones in the courts, although at least one of her attorneys is considering an appeal for more money. The Jones attorneys had asked for five times as much.

"We feel the court vastly underestimated the reasonable amount of time" spent working on perjury and obstruction-of-justice issues, the Dallas-based law firm of Rader, Campbell, Fisher & Pyke said in a statement. "In sum, we continue to assert that Jones' attorneys are entitled to the full amount of fees claimed, if not more."

# Kosovars cheer Albright; Serbs jeer

■ The secretary of State visits Kosovo to see the postwar tensions for herself.

> **By Tom Raum Associated Press**

PRISTINA, Yugoslavia - Secretary of State Madeleine Albright got a firsthand look at postwar tensions in Kosovo Thursday.

Thousands of Kosovars warmly welcomed her as their liberator from Yugoslav forces, chanting "USA, USA." But a smaller group of Serbs outside an Orthodox monastery made obscene gestures and spit at her motorcade as she sped away in an armored car.

And a gunshot a block away from a U.N.-controlled building where she was meeting with Kosovar leaders put security forces on high alert and led some officials to briefly consider postponing her outdoor speech.

Albright, the highest-ranking American official to visit the war-scarred Serbian province, told several thousand

cheering Kosovars in downtown Pristina that "as long as you choose, Kosovo will remain your home."

But Albright also appealed for restraint among the Kosovars, urging them not to retaliate against minority Serbs now that they are under the protection of international peacekeepers.

"Democracy cannot be built on revenge," she said on a city street in the shadow of a burned-out shell of what was once the Serb police headquarters. "Otherwise, it is not victory. It is changing one form of repression for another." Many in the crowd waved American,

British and Albanian flags. Albright also met with U.N. and U.S. relief and reconstruction workers and Kosovar political figures in Pristina,

the capital. She took her motorcade to a Serb enclave in Grachanitsa, just south of Pristina, and visited a 13th-century monastery, meeting with Serb Orthodox Archbishop Artemijie, a major figure for the Serbs.

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Mike Nelson/Associated Press U.S. Secretary of State Madeleine Albright waves as Kosovars cheer her during a speech in downtown Pristina. in the Yugoslav province of Kosovo, · You are sitting around making lists about how you know you've been in college too long.

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of it. · You'd rather clean than study. . "How did it get so late!" comes out of your mouth at least once a · Half the time you don't wake up in your own bed, and it

seems normal · You schedule your classes around sleep habits and soaps. · You know the pizza boy by name. You go to

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a shower without shoes You start thinking and sounding like your room-· Wal-Mart is the coolest store. · The weekend lasts from Thursday to Sunday. Source:

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# newsmakers

# And a Partridge in a casino show

LAS VEGAS (AP) — David Cassidy has a reason to be happy - he's signed a multi-year contract to perform at one of the city's resorts.

Cassidy and the Rio Suite Hotel & Casino announced Wednesday that the former teen idol will produce a new show at the resort, opening in January. "I will do a hybrid Broadway musical," Cassidy said. "It will have a

Cassidy

story, and it will appeal to a large demographic audience.

Cassidy began his career as a sibling in the '70s television series "The Partridge Family." He moved to Las Vegas three years ago to headline the \$75 million "EFX" stage spectacular at the MGM Grand Hotel and Casino, leaving the show in December.

### **Columba Bush gets** accustomed to Customs

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) - Florida's first lady said she made an "awful mistake" when she failed to declare \$19,000 worth of clothes and jewelry she bought from Paris last

Columba Bush, the wife of Gov. Jeb Bush, was fined \$4,100 by U.S. Customs officials in Atlanta and became the subject of jokes by Jay Leno and others after the incident made headlines across the nation.

"The embarrassment I brought on myself made me ashamed to face my

family and friends," Bush said Wednesday in her first public appearance since the incident. International travelers do not have to pay duties on foreign purchases that total less than \$400. Bush declared only

\$500 worth of merchandise. Bush said her husband has helped her make it through the public criticism following the incident.

## Princess may be gone, but the dresses linger

LONDON (AP) - Fans of Princess Diana can admire some of her famous dresses at her former home this fall, for a \$15 fee.

The Historic Royal Palaces announced Wednesday that 14 gowns, by designers such as Catherine Walker and Bruce Oldfield, will be included in Kensington Palace's Royal Ceremonial Dress Collection until March 31, 2000.

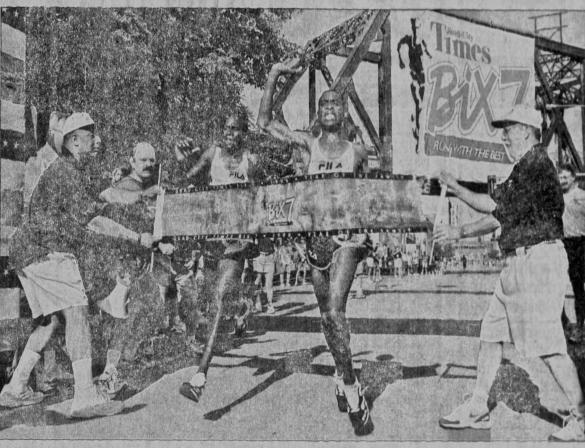
Diana "was a person with extraordinary style, and the exhibition seeks to capture that part of her life," said Nigel Arch, director of Kensington Palace.

All of the dresses belong to Maureen Rorech-Dunkel, an American collector who bought them at Christie's auction in June 1997. After Diana's death two months later in a Paris car crash. Rorech-Dunkel set up a charity to raise funds for causes that the princess had

# calendar

The UI Registrar's Office will sponsor Graduate Commencement in Hancher Auditorium today at 2 p.m. The UI Registrar Office will sponsor Undergraduate Commencement in Hancher Auditorium today at 7:30 p.m.

# weekendgetaway



# Bix fest will leave you 'in a mist'

Get away to Davenport for "booze and entertainment" this weekend.

> By Glen Leyden The Daily Iowan

The excitement is brewing in Davenport for this weekend's Bix Beiderbecke Festival.

The event will begin today and will host live music, food vendors and the world famous Bix 7 race.

"We have all kinds of booze and entertainment for people to enjoy," said Bill Teubel, board member of the Cornbelt Running Club. "We just hope people come out and enjoy the entertainment and the weekend celebration."

Performers on this year's main stage will include such blues and rock ensembles as Cobalt Blue, the Blue Band and New Complexion. A second stage will provide quality family entertainment, including comedy acts and local high school performers.

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your own way.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): You will

have an added interest in educational

and cultural affairs as well as travel.

Your ability to deal with people in an

open and honest way will help you get

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Try to get

your whole family working together in

order to get your residence in order.

Thoughts of selling your home and

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Get out

uals you can become intimate with.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Over-

with friends, and you will meet individ-

indulgence will lead to poor health and

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Organize events

that will require endurance. Include all

your friends. Spend more time with

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Your lover

will want your undivided attention. You

must look at life in a positive manner. If

you support the ones you love, you'll

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The fest will also host blues legend Hawkeye Herman, who will bring his 30 years of acoustic blues experience to the stage.

Herman has toured across the country and is well-known for providing his audience with a traditional blues experience.

While the variety of music is expected to draw a large crowd, there is more to do at the fest than just music.

With hundreds of tents and vendors, Bix organizers hope to have entertainment for all ages and

Teubel will also be on hand to experience the 24th running of the Bix 7 road race on Saturday morning, which is a grueling seven-mile run on the hot streets of downtown Davenport.

Racers come from around the globe to participate in the event, which boasts \$10,000 or a 1999 Pontiac for the winner.

For those who just can't make the seven-mile run, this year's fest will also host a two-mile run

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You should

be spending more time with friends

and relatives. They will help you put

your personal situations back into per-

spective. Don't be so hard on yourself.

for finding solutions to problems will

help you when it comes to making

ends meet financially.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your talent

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Don't

let your lover push you into situations

that will make you feel uncomfortable.

You need to follow your heart and be

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CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 20): Your

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AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Your

know it will give you an edge regarding

ability to talk about interesting subjects

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PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Sudden

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feeling uncertain. Ask questions if you

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> - Bill Teubel. board member of the Cornbelt Running Club

and a kid's run.

"We expect 25,000 runners all together with runners from all around the world," Teubel said.

While some of those involved with this year's fest may be concerned about the tremendous heat, festival organizer Heather Kearns takes the temperature in stride

"It's part of our job, and the show must go on, but for families, we have tents to cool off in and plenty of water," she said.

The free event starts today and ends Saturday. It will begins at 9 a.m. and go until 11 p.m.

DI reporter Glen Leyden can be reached at: gleyden@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu

# briefs by Eugenia Last

# Graduate students to have new

Orientation

Beginning around 1 p.m. on Aug. 15, new graduate students are encouraged to come to the IMU for a day of informational sessions and mingling with fellow new graduate students

Activities include speeches from Leslie B. Sims, dean of the Graduate College, and the assistant dean, Sandra H. Barkan.

New students will also have the opportunity to meet with all the deans of the Graduate College in a question-and-answer session after the speeches.

After an information fair, the Orientation will offer sessions on different aspects of graduate student life - from how to be effective teachers, to where to go for fun and

After the day's informational sessions, an indoor picnic party will be held at the IMU from 5-7 p.m. - by Gil Levy

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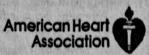
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# A long goodbye for new superintendent

■ Lane Plugge, who will be living outside Nebraska for the first time, discusses his upcoming move to Iowa City.

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By Gil Levy The Daily Iowan

The new Iowa City School District superintendent is so busy saying goodbye to well-wishers in Grand Island, Neb., that he has had no time to worry about the details of his move here.

"I've never been busier than in the last week, since they announced me as new superintendent," said Lane Plugge. "My wife and I haven't even talked about what kind of house we want. She almost needs to schedule an appointment."

Plugge said he and his wife. Debra, have been receiving dinner invitations all week and friends have been stopping by his office, e-mailing or calling to say

goodbye. As a result. the Plugges have not been able to look for a house in Iowa City although they plan to move here on Aug. 15.

Lane Plugge said it will be the first time

that he will live outside Nebraska. He grew up in Nebraska, living in the Omaha area, where he

Plugge

began his teaching career. During his freshman year at Dana College, in Blair, Neb., Plugge said, he worked first as a school custodian, then as a lunchroom aide and finally as a bus driver, all of which prompted him to continue to be involved in

He began his career as a sixthgrade teacher, then moved on to become an elementary school

principal, a small public school's superintendent and, in 1987. assistant superintendent of the Grand Island School District. Five years later, Plugge was promoted to superintendent.

There have been a lot of changes in and challenges for the Grand Island district during his time, Plugge said, pointing to an increase in diversity and major facility improvements.

On the problem he faced with the Grand Island School Board last summer, he said: "In any superintendence, there are going to be bumps in the road. Our board and I have learned a lot and come out stronger. It's a healthier school district."

Debra Plugge is also involved in education, working part-time for Community Plus in Grand Island, a support group that promotes training for educators and adolescent development.

"She's excited to come to Iowa City," Lane Plugge said. "She's lived all over her whole life - at one point in Cedar Falls. She wants to find her sixth-grade teacher, if he's still around."

The Plugges' daughter, Angela, s a senior at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, and their son, Brian, is a sophomore at Doane College, Crete, Neb.

Plugge said he plans make an effort to meet people in Iowa City right away.

"My first priority is getting to know parents, community members and staff," he said. "I'm very anxious to get to know people.'

He is confident that the school year will have a successful start, he said, without major changes on his part. Plugge plans to focus his first few months in Iowa City on making connections.

"There's one of me and a lot of everyone else. You learn about the problems when connecting with staff and community," he said.

> DI reporter Gil Levy can be reached at: glevy@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu

# FDA approves second morning-after pill

Studies show that the new treatment, known as Plan B. causes fewer side effects.

**Associated Press** 

WASHINGTON - A new emergency contraception treatment that causes less nausea and vomiting than a product now on the market has been approved by the Food and Drug Administration.

The treatment, which will be marketed under the brand name Plan B, consists of two tablets of levonorgestrel, a synthetic hormone that prevents conception by

blocking ovulation or fertilization. Susan Cruzan, an FDA spokeswoman, said Thursday that studies suggest Plan B is as effective as the current product on the market but has less severe side effects.

A "morning-after" contraceptive technique approved earlier by the FDA involves the selective use of pills normally used for monthly contraceptive protection. A kit containing only the required pills, sold under the brand name PRE-VEN, is now on the market. It follows what is called the Yuzpe regimen, which uses four hormone pills, including levonorgestrel, and must be started within 72 hours after unprotected sex.

Studies sponsored by the World Health Organization in 15 countries, involving approximately 3,000 women, showed that levonorgestrel used by itself is also an effective emergency contraceptive and causes less nausea and vomiting.

The studies showed that the use of Plan B reduces the risk of pregnancy from a single act of unprotected sex from about 8 percent to 1 percent. The drug will not terminate an existing pregnancy. The first pill has to be taken within 72 hours of unprotected sex; the second pill is taken

In addition to nausea and vomiting, Plan B can, in some patients, cause abdominal pain, fatigue, headache, changes in menstrual bleeding, dizziness and breast tenderness

12 hours later.

Plan B will be distributed in the United States by the Women's Capital Corp.; it initially will be available by prescription through Planned Parenthood clinics. Pharmacists in Washington state also will have access to the drug during its initial distribution.

A Women's Capital Corp. announcement said that Plan B will eventually be available in markets nationwide.

The corporation is a privately held company that was organized to bring Plan B to the U.S. and Canadian markets. Financing for development of Plan B has come from several U.S. charitable foundations, along with five Planned Parenthood affiliates.

Information about Plan B is available through a 24-hour phone line: 888-NOT-2-LATE. An emergency contraception Web site be addressed www.go2planb.com.

### STATE BRIEFS

### lowans try to cool off as heat continues

DES MOINES (AP) - Melvin Smith spent the morning fighting the heat and cooking burgers at the Parrot Head Burger Barge, an outdoor grill just north of downtown Des Moines.

Asked how he deals with the heat as he flipped burgers and the temperature crept toward 100, Smith said, "I don't, I just keep cooking.

"Keep water, keep water," he said as he put a burger on a bun.

Temperatures hit the 100-degree mark in several lowa communities Thursday as the heat wave continued. Both downtown banks in Iowa City recorded 102 degrees. The National Weather Service noted the mercury reached 100 degrees at the Des Moines International Airport around 3 p.m., the first time since July 13, 1995, that the temperature hit the 100-degree mark in Des

The record in Des Moines for the date was 102, set in 1887.

The high reached 101 in Burlington and 103 in Ottumwa Thursday.

### **Penitentiary** official suspended during probe

FORT MADISON, Iowa (AP) -The head of the furniture plant at the Fort Madison penitentiary has been suspended during a probe of business practices in a prison industries program.

Kenneth Wittry said Wednesday he has been suspended with pay. Wittry said he expects to be exon-

erated by the investigation and reinstated to his post.

"The only thing that has been mentioned to me is a hostile work environment," Wittry said. "Nothing illegal. I really can't comment on it at this time. I really don't know a whole lot about it."

Wittry, a state employee for 22 years, is head of the furniture plant at the Fort Madison prison, where inmates manufacture products for offices and for student dormitories.

Wittry said prison workers came to his home this week to pick up some state-owned office equipment. But he said he had been authorized to have the state property for his home office and there was nothing improper about his use of the office

### Purse prank reels in 2nd perpetrator

CLINTON, Iowa (AP) - A second man was fined for his role in a prank involving tying a fishing line to a purse, tossing it into a street, and then reeling it in once someone went for it.

Ronald G. Cundiff. 20. of Low Moor, was fined \$250 for disorderly conduct. Cundiff had pleaded guilty to the charge.

Cundiff was one of two men cited by the Clinton County Sheriff's Department for conducting the prank at an intersection in Elvira.

Last week, Thomas Cooper of Elvira pleaded guilty to disorderly conduct and was fined \$250.

Cooper said he and a group of 24 people tied fishing line to his mother-in-law's purse and threw it out into the intersection.

**LEGAL MATTERS** 

# COURTS

Magistrate Public intoxication Taylor, 419 First Ave., was fined \$90. Theft, fifth-degree - Thomas J. Spielbauer, West Branch, was fined

District

Theft, fourth-degree - Aaron C. Kimber, 2030 Broadway Apt. B, preliminary hearing has been set for

Delivery of a schedule II controlled Chiquita Johnson, 3213 Lakeside Apartments, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9. Possession of a schedule I controlled substance - Troy A. Dalrymple, Waterloo, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 19; Jarvis J. Woods, Washington, Iowa, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9. Criminal mischief, fourth-degree ichael w. Mayberry, address unknown, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 19; Adam D. Musser, Solon, preliminary hearing

has been set for Aug. 19. Operating while intoxicated — Michael C. Murphy, Coralville, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 19; Robert P. O'Leary, Beverly, Mass., preliminary hearing has been

set for Aug. 9.

Carrying a concealed weapon -Martin L. Knox, 716 N. Dubugue St. Apt. B2, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9; Leonardo T. Sparks, 716 N. Dubuque St. Apt. B1, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9. Possession of schedule II controlled substance - Martin L. Knox, 716 N. Dubuque St. Apt. B2, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9; 605 Highway 1 W., on July 28. St. Apt. B1. preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9.

Theft, second-degree - Martin L. Knox, 716 N. Dubuque St. Apt. B2. preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9; Leonardo T. Sparks, 716 N. Dubuque St. Apt. B1, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9.

Possession of a schedule I controlled substance with intent to deliver - Jarvis J. Woods, Washington, Iowa, preliminary hearing has been set for Aug. 9.

- compiled by Gil Levy

POLICE

Aaron L. Kimber, 24, 2030 Broadway Apt. B, was charged with fourthdegree theft at Iowa City Auto Center,

Leonardo T. Sparks, 716 N. Dubuque Troy A. Detweiler, 27, Solon, was charged with assault causing injul at RT's, 826 S. Clinton St., on July 28 at 11:50 p.m.

Jarvis J. Woods, 37, address unknown, was charged with possession of a schedule I controlled substance at 1115 Clements St. on July 28 at 11:55 p.m.

Adam D. Musser, 18, Solon, was charged with fourth-degree criminal mischief at 100 S. Dubuque St. on July 29 at 2:38 a.m.

- compiled by Steve Schmadeke

### CITY BRIEF

# Mall seeks more tenant diversity

Old Capitol Mall announced Thursday that it will undergo changes to make it the Old Capitol Town Center, a more communitybased shopping site.

To fill the mall's vacancies, leases have been sent out to potential tenants, said Lisa Rowe, the mall's property administrator and marketing director. She said she is expecting to hear from them in the coming weeks.

"We want to distinguish ourselves from typical malls," she said. "We will have national, local and regional tenants, but we want to be a little more diverse."

The mall was purchased by the

Madison Realty Group, a Philadelphia-based company, in April. The property, formerly owned by Heitman Properties Ltd., had been on the real estate market for nearly a year before being bought by Madison Realty.

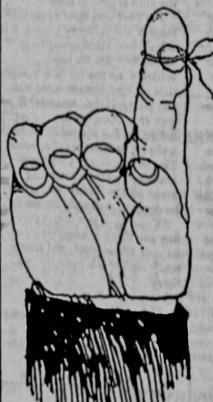
When Madison Realty first aguired the property, its plan was to fill the vacancies in the mall, especially the space that was formerly occupied by JCPenny

Rowe said that out of courtsey, she would not comment on the prospective tenants at this time.

A press statement released by the mall said the management is seeking both local and national stores that "address community needs.'

- by Gil Levy

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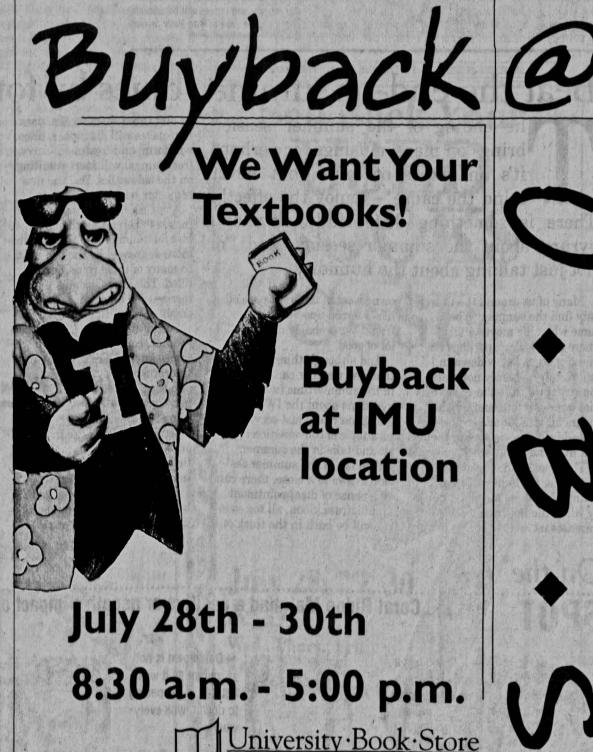
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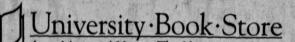
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### Quoteworthy

Good grief, where does this end? If they had their way, old-time books like the Wizard of Oz would be outlawed.

— Clarence Hagen, owner of Hawkeye Amusement Co., in response to requests by a local group to remove "violent" video games from area businesses.

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# Woodstock '99 was not something for 20-somethings to be proud of

s if there ever was a need to strongly define the complete separation of the generations, as if the 40- and 50somethings needed another opportunity to point and laugh, the 20-somethings have given it to them.

No, not just a simple gesture, but they have served it up to them on an overpriced silver platter with garnish. The answer comes in one word, "Woodstock." Yes, that little yellow bird friend of Snoopy is up to his old tricks yet again.

No, if only it was another "Peanuts" character acting up. (Can any of us really forget the infamous "Pig Pen vs. Martha Stewart" episode?) This certain Woodstock takes the form of a concert, 30 years ago, revamped for the present, with the result left in shambles and charred T-

shirts. Angered over paying \$98 for a cheeseburger and \$23 for a pretzel, the Woodstock Class of '99 rioted and looted. Ahh, nothing like the soothing sound of police in riot gear subduing a crowd to the tune of "Light My Fire" as interpreted by the Red Hot Chili Peppers to soothe the savage heart.

Because no one was killed or seriously injured, I feel completely at ease laughing uproariously at the entire thing. Of course, being part of the generation that felt there was nothing too wrong with destroying and

burning property is slightly embarrassing, but then again, I wasn't there. I only run amuck in the privacy of my own home, not with 250,000 of my closest

But the TV footage I viewed was honestly funny. Most news, produced and delivered by age brackets that either mocked or attended Woodstock, reveled in this story. Most of the bits I saw involved splitting the screen with scenes from the original juxtaposed with those of now. Woodstock '69 people gently moving together to the strains of Crosby, Stills & Nash. At Woodstock '99, huge and violent mosh pits form, and fistfights break out continually. (You'd probably pound people too, if you found out they took your \$50 bottled water.) And that's another disturbing theme of this

Woodstock - commercialism. When you have an enormous concert spanning multiple days, it seems very crooked to force people to either buy your approved food and drink or go completely without. At Woodstock '69, hamburgers were a buck, and eventually the vendors just started giving them out free, trying to make sure everyone got

brought in LEAH KIND their own food and

something to eat. People

water, too. Try telling Susie Butterfly Rainbow Peace, circa 1969, that she can't bring in her canteen, but for \$11, this lovely bottle of Evian could be all hers! Bringing the hippies of the original concert back to the most recent would be very interesting. One faction was rioting to end world hunger and racism, the other is on a desperate hunt to buy a Tshirt that is something other

than a cotton/poly blend. Somehow, I doubt whether it would work all that well.

Another major flaw in the entire concept of Woodstock '99 is the theme of recreating the past. The '60s look very alluring to those born post-cultural revolution. People who

think most folks have generally settled into a stagnant mindset ache for the powerful upheavals of that era, when injustices sparked interest and outrage. In many ways, the goings-on of that time easily surpass those of now. But the important thing to remember, would-be 18-year-old hippies, is that those times have passed. Our parents lived those lives,

fought those fights, wore those

clothes. We should be discovering our own battles, not trying to re-live those of the '60s.

If Woodstock '99 was intended to replace the original, in musical depth or the sheer force of people's benevolent attitudes, it has not succeeded. This concert will go down not as a revival of the spirit of those times gone by but as a blazing (ha) reminder of the huge differences that exist between the generations. An example of when the times are a changin', they are really a changin'.

For now, it seems as if another cultural landmark can remain unchallenged. For I doubt whether anyone will ever produce a stunning documentary on Woodstock '99. Oh wait, it's already been done - I forgot they had made The Inferno.

Leah Kind is a DI columnist.

### **OPINION**

# UI making progress in technology centers

Lots of changes will be occurring in the UI Information Technology Centers in the fall semester. For example, all of the centers will convert completely to laser printing, and every registered student will initially receive a free laser printing punch card in the mail, continuing a practice that was experimented with this summer.

Other positive changes include a broader availability of the punch cards. The old ITC system only made punch cards available in a few locations, and most students often scrambled around, trying to purchase one in order to get their projects printed on time.

Laser printing cards will still be offered through these same locations in the fall - however, the new system will make "emergency" print cards available at all of the ITCs so that those who do not have cards will still be able to print at their current location.

Another change that should be applauded is the move to make these new print cards payable only by UI student/staff ID. This way, those who need the printers, as opposed to anyone off of the street, will have first access to them.

Yet, the UI might consider making some other necessary changes in the ITCs. Some possibilities would include better lighting, more staff to help with computer difficulties and more comfortable seating. More importantly, longer hours at other ITCs besides the Weeg Computing Center would give students without cars access to computers late at night or in the early mornings before class.

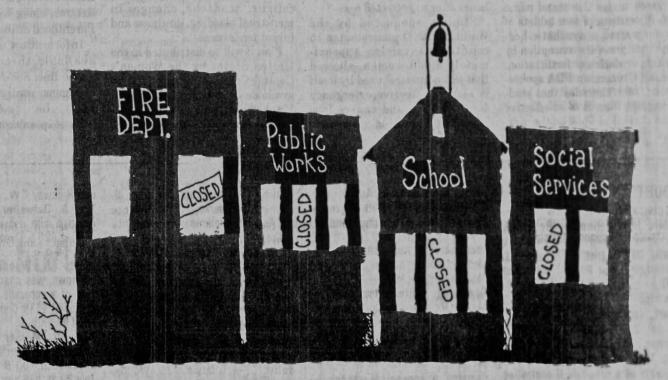
The UI could further advance its cause by bringing newer computers and different technologies, such as color printers, to the ITCs. Even more convenient would be mini-computer stores at each ITC, in which students could buy disks and other needed computer products for their schoolwork.

The UI has taken a step in the right direction with this recent updating of the ITCs. In an age in which computer skills are vital to obtaining a job, these sorts of changes are necessary. Let's hope the UI continues to make these crucial transi-

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# TAX-FREE AMERICA



# Beat the end-of-summer blues by forgetting the delusional hopes we had

he ending of the summer session brings on many musings (or perhaps it's an excess of coffee, but never mind the cause — enjoy the effect!). There is something delightfully slow and syrupy about the summer session, and I'm not just talking about the humidity.

Many of us around the university find the summer to be a time when life moves a little more slowly. True, perhaps for most of us any slow down in effort may be barely noticeable, but trust me, it is there. We may not cram our four and a half hours all into Monday and Tuesday. No - we spread them out over the whole week.

The weather has a lot to do with this. It's impossible for many of us to do anything quickly when the hot humid Iowa air caresses us and bathes us in our

own sweat. A different pace of life is forced upon us, and frankly, it probably does us all a

lot of good. And although things other than the weather can get heated in the summertime (witness the gyrations about the IWP), such goings on really just serve to give us a topic of conversation as we sit and take in the summer.

And so, as the summer session draws to a close, there can be a sense of disappointment and distress. Soon, all too soon, we will be back in the thick of it.

In just three short weeks, parking spaces will disappear, lines will form, and freshmen (sorry, freshthings) will start vomiting on the sidewalks. Yes, the new semester begins all too soon.

A natural reaction to such endings is to ponder all the hopes we had for summer and to get even more depressed by the fact that so many of them remain unfulfilled. The infamous end-of-summer-session blues can come

crashing down upon us. Fortunately, there is hope. Yes, you, too, can beat the blues with some simple exercises to help you return

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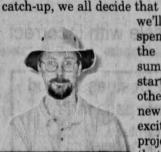
hazy version of life, whereby we all seek to insulate ourselves from the harsh realities of our unfulfilled expecta-

into that

The first step is to realize how hopelessly deluded our expectations were in the first place.

Most of us see the summer as a time to catch up on all the things we didn't get done in the (metaphorical) heat of the spring (and fall?) semester. That would be a healthy and ambitious goal right there, but, no, that's not enough for us, is it?

On top of perennial games of



the summer starting other, new and exciting projects that will flower,

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flourish, and bear fruit before the students return in the fall. We delude ourselves, in the euphoric aftermath of the end of the spring semester, that these projects are really quite small and manageable. In fact, they

are anything but. Typical projects include writing five volume histories of the world or developing whole new theories of relativity.

Coffee, in spite of its wellknown stimulating effects, can be helpful in handling this delusional state but only if drunk in sufficient quantities and at the right time. Unfortunately, the right time was May, and the quantities are astronomical, so that's never worked for me.

So given that coffee won't solve this particular dilemma (a rare admission from me, a dedicated member of the coffee achiever's club), what we really need at this point in time is a healthy sense of perspective (although, as Douglas Adams pointed out, too much perspective is NOT a good thing, unless you're Zaphod Beeblebrox).

First step to recovery is acknowledging the delusional nature of our summer hopes.

After all, this is only eight weeks long, and it's filled with other things to do. Given that, the huge mismatch between hopes and reality comes into focus, and the guilt begins to ease.

The next and most important stage of the recovery process is to acknowledge and reward ourselves for what we have achieved, no matter how meager that may be. For example, did you play golf this summer? If so, well done. As a reward, go out before the fall semester begins and play at least another round. This will dissipate your blues and stop you from worrying about all the things you ought to

be doing to get ready for the fall. Of course, if you didn't play any golf this summer, you wasted your whole time, and there really isn't much hope for you.

Wilfrid Nixon is a DI columnist

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66 Downtown is not as vibrant as it was, but that is happening to downtowns everywhere. ??



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# Laura Bush sees hunger for new leader

George W. Bush's wife swings into Ames for her debut campaign with a message about character.

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By Mike Glover **Associated Press** 

AMES - Laura Bush opened her first solo campaign swing Thursday on behalf of her husband, George W. Bush, arguing that the nation yearns for "a new kind of leader" just like the Texas governor.

"Gov. Bush has represented Texas with dignity and honor," Laura Bush said. "I'd love to see him do the same thing for our nation in its highest office.

The geography of her debut campaign stop was far from accidental - she spoke to approximately 75 activists just down the street from the site of next month's high-profile straw poll.

"This is my first trip on George's presidential campaign, Laura Bush said. "I'm glad the first trip is to Ames, Iowa, because I hear there's a fairly important event on the horizon here. Something about a straw

After speaking with activists,



Rodney White/Associated Press Laura Bush, wife of Texas Gov. George W. Bush, reads to a second-grade class at Morton Elementary School in Des Moines Thursday.

Laura Bush, a former elementary school teacher, went to an inner-city elementary school, where she read to secondgraders and chatted with fifthgraders, underscoring the theme

Laura Bush interrupted a family vacation in Kennebunkport, Maine, for the campaign swing. Her husband didn't show at a big Latino event Wednesday, and aides cited the

vacation as the reason.

In an interview, Laura Bush said she would push to have privacy during the campaign and also should he be elected president.

"I think families ought to have the opportunity to have private family life," she said. "I'm comfortable campaigning. I like to campaign."

She said character issues would be the central theme of her message.

"I do think that's something Americans are now interested in," Laura Bush said. "I think Americans want somebody whom they do trust, someone who they feel like won't embarrass them but instead will make them proud."

In her speeches, she was talking about the role of education but the most interest was in "our partnership," which hasn't gotten heavy public scrutiny.

'Marrying him was apparently the smartest political move that I ever made," she said. "Not bad for somebody who didn't know anything about politics.

Her early message was clearly focused on character, a lessthan-subtle distinction with the sex scandals that have rocked the White House.

# Disgruntled investor in Atlanta slays 12

RAMPAGE

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tion north of downtown Atlanta around 3 p.m., opened fire, then walked across the street, and began shooting at another brokerage firm there, the mayor said.

Four of the victims were killed in one building and five in the other, shot with 9 mm and .45-caliber handguns, he said. Seven of the injured were in critical condition at Atlanta hospitals.

In 1993, Barton's first wife and mother-in-law were bludgeoned to death at a campground in northeast Alabama. Authorities said Barton was the prime suspect, but he was never charged. The couple had two children, who were in Barton's custody after the slay-

He was the No. 1 suspect all the way through and still was," said Richard Igou, district attorney at the time of the killings. Current District Attorney Mike O'Dell said there is a suspect in the case but declined to say whether it was Barton.

Blunt-force trauma was the cause of death for Barton's wife, Leigh Ann Barton, and two children, who were found dead at an apartment in Stockbridge, the town 16 miles southeast of Atlanta where Barton lived, police said. The children's bodies were found in their bed, and Leigh Barton's body found in a closet, said Jimmy Mercer, police chief in Henry County.

A handwritten note was left on each body, and a computer-generated note was left in the living room explaining "why he did what he did," Mercer said.

Mercer said the notes indicate that the wife may have been killed Tuesday and the children Wednesday.

Campbell quoted witnesses as saying Barton was upset about recent stock losses but said there were no accounts of any specific provocation Thursday.

Those who have identified Mr. Barton indicated he came in, had a normal conversation, and then began shooting," Campbell said.



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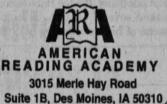
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Jerry James Hynes Jr./The Daily Iowan UI Professor Peter Nazareth addresses the IWP forum Thursday in the Pappajohn Business Building

# UI apologizes for IWP flap

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"I think it's a wonderful thing to do - a necessary thing," said John Harper, an assistant professor of English. "I think that they're addressing it very openly and very truthfully, and

that's something long overdue." But the forum was not enough to heal the wounds created by the controversy for some members of the audience. "I am heartsick by what has

been done by this university," Valerie Lagorio, a professor emeritus of English. "I am ashamed to be a member of the university, given what it has done to the IWP."

Many of the questions were anonymous, as the audience members filled out index cards. One asked, What had happened to the IWP budget?

Albright and the archbishop, who

is a critic of Yugoslav President Slo-

Outside the monastery, a group

of Serbs booed and hissed at

Albright, some chanting "Slobo,

Slobo," a reference Milosevic. Sev-

eral of the Serbs made obscene ges-

tures at Albright and spit on her

bodan Milosevic, met privately.

ALBRIGHT

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"It's not true that the money is disappeared and all gone, burrowed into the fabric of the College of Liberal Arts," Skorton said. "The college will contribute proportionally to the program.

Another issue discussed throughout the forum was the task force, or program review committee, that has been appointed by UI administrators. The committee will meet this the fall to discuss the program's future options. In December, the committee will

report on its findings. The report that will come from the committee will be a public document at some point in the process," Whitmore said. "People will be able to access and comment on it to the review committee that will be advising myself and the president."

DI reporter Jill Barnard can be reached at:

Albright, in her later remarks to

U.S. troops, called the Serb protest-

ers "a rent-a-crowd from Belgrade

Inside the monastery grounds, a

Serb nun, Sister Theodora, shook

her head sadly. "For us the war is

not over," she said. "The war does-

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ing force, set up by NATO and

known as KFOR, "will continue to

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# **Researchers: Stem cells** can aid in nerve damage

■ The studies give hope to people with such nerve disorders as Parkinson's disease and multiple sclerosis.

> **By Paul Recer** Associated Press

WASHINGTON - Researchers have shown that master cells from rat embryos can be used to repair nerves in the spinal cord and brain, a step toward new treatment for such nerve disorders as Parkinson's disease and multiple

In laboratory studies using rats, researchers guided the evolution of embryonic stem cells into mature nerve cells that then produced a nerve insulating material lacking in the rats.

"We have shown that you can make olgiodendrocytes and astrocytes (two types of nerve cells) from embryonic stem cells", said Dr. Ronald D.G. McKay, a molecular biologist at the National Institutes of Health. "This approach could be used for a number of diseases," including Parkinson's and multiple sclerosis.

McKay is a co-author of the study appearing today in Science. In the study, the olgiodendrocytes and astrocytes grown from stem cells were put into rats with a genetic disease that blocks formation of the nerve insulating material called myelin. The rats' disorder is the rodent equivalent of a human myelin disorder called Pelizaeus-Merzbacher disease.

The researchers found that the transplanted cells caused myelin to grow around the nerve fibers in the rats.

The loss of myelin is a key part of several neurological diseases, particular multiple sclerosis. In MS, the body attacks and destroys myelin, causing a crippling loss of nerve function.

"A considerable amount of science has to be generated before it can be used in humans with multiple sclerosis, but this holds great promise," said Dr. Ian D. Duncan of the University of Wisconsin, a co-author of the study.

Stephen Reingold, a vice president for science at the National Multiple Sclerosis Society, said the study is "intriguing and exciting" because it showed stem cells could be used to grow new myelin. But he cautioned that the myelin disorder in the rats is different from multiple sclerosis.

"We have to keep the perspective that these are not human cells they are playing with," Reingold said. "One can hope that a similar (technique) will be applicable to human stem cells," but that has yet to be proved, he

Reingold also said that even though the researchers showed that the transplanted cells grew new myelin, it is not clear if this improved the function of the nerves themselves.

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# Graduates face real-world worries GRADUATION

Secretary of State faces Serb scorn

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7:30 p.m., 280 undergraduates will get their diplomas.

Ellen Heywood, the assistant to the registrar who is in charge of the nmencement, said preparations for the ceremonies started the

minute spring graduation ended. "Faculty have been signing up to participate, and we have been busy

getting the organ delivered and the special music arranged," she said. "I don't expect it to be any different from any other ceremony.

All students should take part in the commencement because it ends an academic life well, she said.

"It marks the end of a lot of hard work for many students," Heywood said. "We should all celebrate beginnings and endings."

> Di reporter Troy Shoen can be reached at: shoen@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu



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# A 'very strange trip' it's been

Dave Wolverton talks about his new novel and the making of the Star Wars novels.

> **By Nellie Stensvaag** The Daily Iowan

Dave Wolverton is the best-selling author of the recently released novel, A Very Strange Trip, based on a story by L. Ron Hubbard. Over the Fourth of July weekend, Wolverton set a new world record for the largest single author book-signing. An accomplished writer, Wolverton has published several short stories and eleven novels, including The Courtship of Princess

Leia. DI: Tell me about A Very Strange Trip.

Wolverton: It's a comic, time-travel novel. It's about a young army private who is carrying a load of secret Russian military equipment across the country, and among his load is a time machine that goes off whenever he hits a bump. It's an off-road adventure.

DI: How did L. Ron Hubbard's story evolve into a

Wolverton: He wrote it as a screenplay, just a couple of years before he passed away (in 1986). His publisher, Bridge Publications, asked several authors to look at some of his screenplays and turn

The story line and characters are (Hubbard's) but ... those all change a little bit when you get into my head and my voice. - Dave Wolverton,

author of A Very Strange Trip them into novels. I happened to be

one of the three authors that worked with the project. DI: What was it like collaborating on a previously written

Wolverton: The story line, I really liked, so it was fun to handle.

If you like the story, it's easier to do. But beyond that, it was mainly a matter of trying to get into the author's head and figuring out what he was trying to say. Basically, the story line and characters are his, but, of course, those all change a little bit when you get into my head and my voice. All in all, it's a pretty seamless collaboration

DI: Tell me about your involvement with Star

Wolverton: I've done a number of Star Wars novels. Basically, what happened was a similar kind of thing (to the Hubbard project) - a publisher knows that you're a good writer and he asks whether you're willing to work with a project. After

it, Lucas Films had to approve me as a Star Wars author. Then you create your story outline and send it to them, and once it's been approved, you can go

ahead and write the story. I did The Courtship of Princess Leia and The Rising Force, plus I've done eight other books for Scholastic for its Star Wars fan club. I'm doing another eight this year.

DI: What are some of your other current projects?

Wolverton: I'm working on a big fantasy series. And I'm also working on a project called The Young Olympians, which is about the children of the Greek gods and is being developed into a series of books, comics and video games.

DI: Can you tell me a little bit about your background?

Wolverton: I started writing when I was in college to earn money to pay my way through school. I found out that I was doing quite well and making more money than I would at a regular day job. That sort of served as a springboard for me. Then (in 1987) I won the Writers of the Future contest that L. Ron Hubbard had started, and that got my career going. I've been writing ever since.

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### FRIDAY PRIME TIME

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## **ARTS BRIEF**

## Korn, Martin, TLC and Smith top MTV video award nominees

NEW YORK (AP) - With a backdrop of screaming teen-age girls, a grinning Ricky Martin reaped one more reward of his wild life: six MTV Video Award nominations for "Livin' La Vida Loca.'

TLC and Will Smith also earned six nominations, but they couldn't hold a candle to Korn. The rock band led the way with nine nominations for its video "Freak on a Leash.'

The show is scheduled for Sept. 9 at the Metropolitan Opera House in New York City. Comedian Chris Rock will be the host. Selected viewers, journalists and industry representatives determine the award

winners by secret ballot. **Nominees for the MTV Music Awards** Video of the Year: Backstreet Boys, "I Want It That Way"; Lauryn Hill, "Doo Wop (That Thing)"; Korn, "Freak on a Leash" Ricky Martin, "Livin' la Vida Loca"; Will Smith featuring Dru Hill and Kool Mo Dee, "Wild Wild West."

Lenny Kravitz, "Fly Away"; Ricky Martin, "Livin' la Vida Loca"; Will Smith, "Miami."

Female Video: Lauryn Hill, "Doo Wop That Thing)"; Jennifer Lopez, "If You Had My Love"; Madonna, "Beautiful Stranger" Britney Spears, "Baby, One More Time." Group Video: Backstreet Boys, "I Want

It That Way"; Limp Bizkit, "Nookie"; 'N Sync, "Tearing Up My Heart"; Sugar Ray, "Every Morning"; TLC, "No Scrubs."

Rap Video: 2Pac, "Changes"; DMX, "Ruff Ryders' Anthem"; Jay-Z featuring Ja and Amil-lion, "Can I Get A ... "; NAS

Featuring Puff Daddy, "Hate Me Now." R&B Video: Aaliyah, "Are You That Somebody?"; Brandy, "Have You Ever?"; Lauryn Hill, "Doo Wop (That Thing)"; Whitney Houston featuring Faith Evans and Kelly Price, "Heartbreak Hotel."

Hip Hop Video: Beastie Boys. "Intergalactic"; Busta Rhymes featuring Janet, "What's It Gonna Be?!"; Lauryn Hill, "Doo Wop (That Thing)"; TLC, "No crubs

Dance Video: Cher. "Believe": Fatboy Slim, "Praise You"; Jordan Knight, "Give It to You"; Jennifer Lopez, "If You Had My Love"; Ricky Martin, "Livin' la Vida Loca."

Rock Video: Limp Bizkit, "Nookie"; Korn, "Freak on a Leash"; Kid Rock, "Bawitdaba": Lenny Kravitz, "Fly Away"; The Offspring, "Pretty Fly (For a White Guy).

Pop Video: Backstreet Boys, "I Want It That Way"; Jennifer Lopez, "If You Had My Love"; Ricky Martin, "Livin' la Vida Loca"; 'N Sync, "Tearing Up My Heart"; Britney Spears, "Baby One More Time."

New Artist: Eminem, "My Name Is"; Kid Rock, "Bawitdaba"; Jennifer Lopez, "If You Had My Love"; Orgy, "Blue Monday."

# WORLD

# **Balkan leaders discuss stability**

In a prelude to today's summit in Sarajevo, the region's top politicians, sans Milosevic, try to shape the future.

> By Colleen Barry **Associated Press**

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina - Ahead of an international summit on bringing peace to the Balkans, the European Union Thursday offered the nations of the region a greater place in the West if they end differences that have fueled nearly a decade of ethnic war.

Under heavy security, Balkan leaders met here to consider a "stability pact" promoted by the United States and Europe that aims at promoting peace in the region. The unstated - but everywhere apparent - goal is to isolate Slobodan Milosevic, the Yugoslav president blamed for much of the Balkans' bloodshed.

President Clinton, who will arrive today for the summit of some 40 nations, emphasized in letters sent to seven regional leaders that Yugoslavia will not benefit from the world's efforts to rebuild the Balkans as long as Milosevic is in power.

'We certainly want to make clear to the Serbian people that we want Serbia to be a part of the regional-negotiation process, but that is not possible as long as Milosevic is in power," said Mike Hammer, a National Security Council spokesman.

Western officials view the pact as a crucial first step toward bolstering a region that dragged Europe into World War I, endured a halfcentury of communist misrule, and exploded into violence when Yugoslavia disintegrated in 1991.

"The stability pact is a unique window of opportunity to build lasting security, prosperity and democracy in southeastern Europe," said the EU's Balkan coordinator, Bodo Hombach, in opening remarks on two days of meetings on the future of Balkans.

The benefits of the pact would be extended to Yugoslavia if it made a clear move toward democratization, Hombach said.

He referred to ongoing anti-Milosevic protests in Serbia, saying: "I have the impression that work is proceeding where the stability pact can grow.'

Milosevic, who has been indicted as a war criminal over the conflict in Kosovo and is considered to have been a main force behind the bloody Bosnian war, was not invited to the Sarajevo meetings. In Belgrade, Serbian officials denounced the gathering and warned stability in the region depends on Serbia.

"There is no united Southeastern Europe without Yugoslavia." said Ivica Dacic, a spokesman for Milosevic's ruling Socialist Party.

Instead of a government delegation, three Yugoslav opposition figures were invited to the conference: Serbian Democratic Party president Zoran Djindjic, Social Democratic League of Vojvodina leader Nenad Canak and ex-central bank chief Dragoslav Avramovic.

"It would be bad if all the countries of the region worked on concrete projects and Yugoslavia were excluded," Avramovic said. The stated purpose of Thursday's

meeting was for Balkan leaders to offer their own vision for bringing stability and democracy to the region, but few specific proposals were announced.

Bosnian leaders announced a 15 percent reduction in their country's military forces and called on its neighbors to make similar cuts. Albania also pressed for the summit to make specific mention of Kosovo, Bosnian leaders said at the news conference.

There is hesitation over the pact, however. Slovenia and Croatia are reluctant to commit themselves to a pact that might tie their own chances for membership in the EU to the performance of poorer candidates, such as Albania and Macedo-

Presenting the deal Thursday, EU officials tried to persuade the Balkan delegates, who are eager for the international aid that come with the pact but wary about some of the strings that are attached.

EU President Martti Ahtisaari said the Balkan countries' ability "to cooperate and establish good neighborly relations" would be an important criterion for eventual EU membership.

# Crossword Edited by Will Shortz

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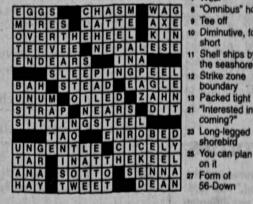
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# TELEVISION

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**Main Event** The Event: Major League Baseball, Yankees at Red Sox, 7 p.m., Sunday, ESPN.

The Skinny: One of the greatest rivalries in all of baseball and a pennant race to boot. It can't get much better as the "dog days" of summer begin.



Major League Baseball Mets at Cubs, WGN White Sox at Indians, WGN Phillies at Braves, TBS 6:35 p.m.

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# QUOTABLE

"I don't think they're going to give me away for a bag of balls and some kitchen matches .'

- Angels pitcher Chuck Finley when asked if he thought he would be traded at the trading deadline.

# SPORTS QUIZ

Besides Dominik Hasek, who are the only goalies in NHL history to win the Hart rophy for most valuable player? See answer, Page 2B.

# SCOREBOARD

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Seattle	8	Colorado	4
Kansas City	4	Houston	2
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**HAWKEYE BRIEF** 

### **Hawkeye gymnasts** ranked second in academics

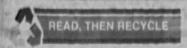
The University of Iowa men's gymnastics team finished the season ranked second by the College Gymnastics

The association ranked the Academic Top 20 based on the teams' overall grade-point average.

The GCA also announced its 1999 all-American scholar athletes.

Five Hawkeyes made the list of 55 gymnasts honored.

Sophmores Kevin Agnew and Brian Christie, junior Brian Hamilton, senior Adrian Johnston and freshman Andrew Thorton all made the list.



# The Dominator to retire after one more season

Citing a desire to give his children a

Czech upbringing. Dominik Hasek is the second major athlete to retire in two

**Associated Press** 

PRAGUE, Czech Republic - He's earned millions of dollars, won Olympic gold and piled up five trophies as the NHL's top goalie. But for The Dominator, there's no place like

Appearing relaxed and even relieved, Dominik Hasek said Thursday he would retire from the Buffalo Sabres at the end of next season so he could raise his children in his homeland, the Czech Republic.

The 34-year-old goaltender said his kids, 9-year old Michal and 4-year old Dominika, find it increasingly difficult to adapt to Czech life when they go home in the offseason.

"I decided to retire because of my friends and my family," Hasek said, adding he and his wife, Alena, want their children to get a Czech educa-

"When Michal turns 18, it will be his decision whether he becomes an American or a Czech boy. But now, we want both kids to live with us in the Czech Republic.'

Hasek also is tired of the limelight

too many requests for autographs, too many people stopping him on the street, not enough peace of mind.

"In America, they say, 'Out of sight, out of mind," Hasek said. "I hope this will work for me at home," he said.

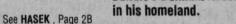
"The attention I've received is overwhelming. It's something I don't enjoy at all. It's time to step back." Hasek's decision came a day after

Barry Sanders stunned the Detroit Lions and the rest of the football world by announcing his retirement. Other high profile retirements this year include Michael Jordan, Wayne Gretzky and John Elway. Sabres assistant general manager

Larry Carriere flew to Prague for the news conference and praised Hasek's contributions to not only the team but to Buffalo. "Obviously it will be difficult to

replace somebody of the caliber of Dominik Hasek," he said. "But he gave us the opportunity to plan ... our future a year in advance. Commissioner Gary Bettman noted that Hasek would be playing in

the upcoming season and hoped for





Buffalo's Dominik Hasek will retire after next season so he can raise his children

# Iowa students working (out) late

A wide range of fitness options will be open to night owls this fall.

> By Todd Hefferman The Daily Iowan

Student schedules just got a little more flexible when it comes to working out at UI recreation facilities.

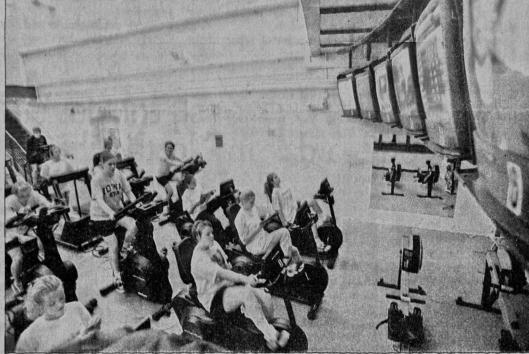
Beginning Aug. 23, the UI Field House, Recreation Building and Fitness East will stay open an extra hour Monday through Sunday. The facilities will all close at 11:30 p.m. during the one-year trial run in an attempt to give students, faculty, staff and the UI community more time to fit in a workout.

Recreation Services Director Harry Ostrander said that Rec Services will pick up the costs incurred by staying open an extra hour and will do a survey at the end of the year to see if the later schedule should be continued. The move will not require hiring more staff.

"I'm sure that there will be people that work different shifts that will appreciate the later hours," Recreation Services Director Harry Ostrander said.

The move was approved by the recreational services committee in its final meeting last spring and given the go-ahead by UI administrators this

"We've done it at the request of the administration to provide students an alternative to



Brett Roseman/ The Daily Iowan

Students watch television while they work out at Fitness East in Halsey Hall. They will be able to catch some late-night TV shows with the extended hours this fall.

activities," late-night Ostrander said. "We're just giving them an alternative to going downtown."

Fitness East, located in Halsey Hall, is already open until 10 p.m. this summer. It has experienced some increased use because of the extra hours. Senior Nick Henningsen, who works at the Fitness East desk, said that attendance at the facility has been varied throughout the summer, but in the last week

the use has gone up. "I have a feeling that people

were stressed out studying and came here to workout," Henningsen said.

Beginning on the first day of the fall semester, the Field House will be open until 11:30 p.m. but will still close the Fitness Loft and swimming pool one hour early. The South Gym, North Gym and Main Deck, in addtion to the track, will all stay open until 11:30 p.m., which met with approval from some students.

"I would like it a lot because then I could go running late at night during the winter,"

sophomore Jennifer Skelton

Students said that the move might help them deal better with final exams and give them an opportunity that they may not have had before.

"People have busy schedules, I think they'd use it if it was open later," senior Rebecca Shearer said. "It would just be more convenient, especially during finals."

Exercise facilities staying open later is somewhat of a new trend in the Iowa City

See FITNESS, Page 2B

# Mullen cruises in State Am

**By Mike Kelly** The Daily Iowan

It was not really a question whether or not Iowa golfer M.C. Mullen would win the Women's State Amateur Championship. It was only a question of if the course record would fall or not. The senior came into Thursday's

final round with a commanding 12stroke lead over her closest competition, assuring that unless she completely collapsed, she would go home a champion. She fell just short of the record, but

managed to win the tournament by 19 strokes over Iowa State freshman Erin DeNeefe. Mullen ended up with 68-72-71-211 for the tournament.

"I was trying to break the course record," Mullen said. "I'm disappointed, but I played three solid rounds and winning means a lot."

Mullen got herself in position to break the course record of 67 by birdieing the 9th and 10th holes.

She sputtered late, bogeying the final two holes of the course. "I really thought I was going to break the record," Mullen said. "But

I got hot and tired." The Peosta, Iowa native did manage to secure a few records, though.

Mullen put her name in the record books by shooting championshiplows of 211 over 54 holes and 140 over 36 holes. Fellow Hawkeye Kelli Carney

started the day in second place but shot a 10-over-par 82 and fell all the way to eighth.

DI sportswriter Mike Kelly can be reached at mwkelly@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu.

# Lance Armstrong's triumphant return to America



Kathy Willens Associated Press Lance Armstrong stops to autograph a cover photo of himself on a sports magazine for trader Raphael Goodman.

■ It did not take the Tour de France winner long before realizing he was a national hero.

> **By Tom Castro Associated Press**

NEW YORK - Lance Armstrong has barely paused since his inspiring victory in the Tour de France. On Thursday, when he saw the size of the crowds welcoming him home, he finally was stopped in his tracks.

A clearly startled Armstrong was greeted by raucous, cheering New Yorkers four days after winning the grueling race.

"I had no idea how much America, how much the communities around America were following the Tour de France," he said. "To see the turnout and the response in the sports world and in the media, it makes my day." Armstrong, who overcame an

advanced form of testicular cancer two years ago before winning cycling's most prestigious race, spent the day being interviewed on talk shows, touring the New York Stock Exchange and making a promotional visit to Nike's Manhattan store.

Since winning the Tour, Armstrong has ridden in races in Europe on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Then he flew to New York for Thursday's round of appearances at the "Today" show, "Good Morning America," the stock exchange, the Nike store and a taping of "The Late Show with David Letterman."

New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani proclaimed July 29 "Lance

Armstrong Day" in New York. And the impact of his victory still

hasn't sunk in. "We have to try and do this every year," Armstrong said. "I still can

hardly believe I won the race." In his interviews with NBC and

ABC, Armstrong, accompanied by his wife, Kristin, talked about the cancer that nearly took his life in 1996, when it spread to his abdomen, lungs

"I'm able now to look a year out, two years out, 10 years out, 20 years out, whereas in the first couple of months of my illness I was only able to look a day away, and in the first year I was able to look a week away or a month away," Armstrong said on NBC. "But now we feel confident in my health and feel confident as a couple and as a family, and we want to have a child."

Kristin, whom Armstrong met toward the end of his chemotherapy, is expecting the couple's first child in October.

On "Good Morning America," Armstrong received a congratulatory phone call from Olympic skater Scott

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### TRANSACTIONS

National League
FLORIDA MARLINS—Optioned LHP Vic Darensbourg to

Calgary of the PCL.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Signed RHP Ben Sheets to a

minor-league contract.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

MINNESOTA TIMBERWOLVES—Signed coach Flip
Saunders to a multiyear contract extension.

Women's National Basketball Association

DETROIT SHOCK—Traded Cindy Brown and Korie Hiede
to Utah for Wendy Palmer and Olympia Scott-Richardson. FOOTBALL

National Football League
DALLAS COWBOYS—Agreed to terms with DL Alonzo
Spellman on a one-year contract.
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed LB Anthony Davis.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Signed LB Mike Peterson.
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KANSAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed WR Larry Parker to a

NRNAS CITY CHIEFS—Signed WR Larry Parker to a three-year contract.

NEW YORK GIANTS—Signed OL Luke Petitgout, OL Mike Rosenthal, RB Joe Montgomery, RB Sean Bennett, TE Dan Campbell, S Lyle West, CB Andre Weathers, DT Ryan Hale and LB O.J. Childress.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Signed WR Mark Harris to a one-year contract, Waived WR Jim McElroy.

Arena Football League

AFL—Awarded a franchise to Chicago to begin play in the 2001 season.

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DETROIT RED WINGS—Signed D Aaron Ward to a oneyear contract.

NEW YORK ISLANDERS—Signed C Tony Hrkac.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Signed D Terry Virtue.

PHILADELPHIA FLYERS—Signed RW Mikael Renberg

and RW Sandy McCarthy to one-year contracts.

TORONTO MAPLE LEAFS—Signed LW Frederik Modin

and LW Todd Warriner to one-year contracts.

WASHINGTON CAPITALS—Announced the retirement of

C Dale Hunter.

OLYMPICS

USA HOCKEY—Named Kevin McLaughlin director of ice
hockey and arena relations, Mark Tabrum, manager of
adult hockey, Shelby Bright member services specialist.

Announced the resignation of Darryl Seibel, director of
media and public relations.

COLLEGE

APPALACHIAN STATE—Named Latrice McLin women's assistant basketball coach. BETHEL, IND.—Announced the resignation of Sam Riggleman, baseball coach. Named Dave Hicks interim baseball coach. C.W. POST—Named Michael Judenis equipment manag-

CENTRAL STATE, OHIO-Named Kevin Sanger men's and women's track and field coach.
DAVID LIPSCOMB—Announced the resignation of Jonathan Seamon, athletic director.
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EVANSVILLE—Named Taryn Nance assistant director of marketing and promotions, Named Jeff Williams assistant sports information director.

KINGS POINT—Promoted Steven LaSaile to assistant athletic director for recruitment, Named Mike Maire men's

assistant soccer coach.

MERCYHURST—Named Seth Appert men's assistant hockey coach and assistant director of the Mercyhurst ice MIDDLE TENNESSEE-Named Bobby Barlow athletic

NORTH CAROLINA-ASHEVILLE—Named Jeff Duncan men's and women's tennis coach. PEACE—Named Christian Dysart athletics director and women's basketball coach, Katie Carpenter women's tenST. LAWRENCE—Named Wally Johnson director of athletic media relations, Courtney A. Erickson director of athletic publications and Lauren Zimmerman sports informations. tion graduate assistant. SAMFORD—Named Glen Faneili men's and women's ten-

nis coach.

SETON HALL—Named Clark Holle golf coach.

SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI—Named Sonya Varnell associate athletic director/senior woman administrator and Tracy Robinson director of the student academic enhancement program.

UNLV—Named Ken Niumatalolo assistant football coach.
WEST ALABAMA—Named John Russo assistant baseball

### AMERICAN LEAGUE LEADERS

BeWilliams, New York, 338; MiSweeney, Kansas City, 334; Surhoff, Baltimore, .333; MiSweeney, Kansas City, 334; Surhoff, Baltimore, .333; McGriff, Tampa Bay, .333, RINS—Lofton, Cleveland, 89; Aklomar, Cleveland, 37, Jeter, New York, 86; SGreen, Toronto, 83; Durham, Chicago, 80; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 80; MRamirez, Cleveland, 70

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RBI—MRamirez, Cleveland, 106; Griffey Jr, Seattle, 91;
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Texas, 85; RPalmeiro, Texas, 84; MOrdonez, Chicago, 82.
HITS—Jeter, New York, 144; Surnoff, Bajtimore, 142;
Belltran, Kansas City, 133; Stewart, Toronto, 131; Randa,
Kansas City, 130; BeWilliams, New York, 128; MOrdonez,
Chicago, 127. Chicago, 127.

DOUBLES—Greer, Texas, 31; Damon, Kansas City, 30;

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RIPLES—Jeter, New York, 8; Durham, Chicago, 8; ebles, Kansas City, 7; Singleton, Chicago, 6; Encamacion, Detroit, 6; Dye, Kansas City, 6; Damon, Kansas City, 6; Randa, Kansas City, 6; Offerman, Boston,

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HOME RUNS—Griffey Jr, Seattle, 33; Canseco, Tampa Bay, 31; SGreen, Toronto, 29; MRamirez, Cleveland, 27; CDelgado, Toronto, 25; Jaha, Oakland, 25; Palmer, Detroit, 25; JuGonzalez, Texas, 25; Belle, Baltimore, 25; McGriff, Tampa Bay, 25.

TOLEN BASES—Stewart, Toronto, 30; TGoodwin, Texas, 27; BLHunter, Seattle, 26; Encamacion, Detroit, 24; Lotton, Cleveland, 24; RAlomar, Cleveland, 24; Vizquel, Cleveland, 26; Vizquel, Cleveland, 27; Vizquel, Cleveland, 27; Vizquel, Cleveland, 26; Vizquel, 26

Cleveland, 23.

PITCHING (12 Decisions)—PMartinez, Boston, 15-3, 833, 2-51; Colon, Cleveland, 9-3, 750, 4.50; Petkovsek, Anaheim, 9-3, 750, 2-01; Mussina, Baltimore, 13-5, 722, 3.69; Clemens, New York, 9-4, 692, 4-67; OHermandez, New York, 12-6, 667, 4-07; Nagy, Cleveland, 12-6, 667, 4-73; Cone, New York, 10-5, 667, 2-83.

STRIKEOUTS—PMartinez, Boston, 187; Mussina, Baltimore, 114; DWells, Toronto, 113; CFinley, Anaheim, 112; Cone, New York, 109; Burba, Cleveland, 105; Colon, Cleveland, 105-Wettland, 104, SAVES—Wetteland, Texas, 31; RHermandez, Tampa Bay.

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### NATIONAL LEAGUE GLANCE

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RUNS—Bagwell, Houston, 95; JBell, Arizona, 84; LWalker, Colorado, 81; Biggio, Houston, 95; By Mary Colorado, 81; Biggio, Houston, 96; Houston, 97; Afreu, Philadelphia, 76; Alfonzo, New York, 76.
RBI—MaWilliams, Arizona, 92; Bagweil, Houston, 91; LWalker, Colorado, 88; McGwire, St. Louis, 87; Sosa, Chicago, 86; Bichette, Colorado, 81; Biordan, Atlanta, 79.
HITS—Glanville, Philadelphia, 137; LGonzalez, Arizona, 135; Casey, Cincinnati, 133; Alfonzo, New York, 131; Biggio, Houston, 130; MaWilliams, Arizona, 130; Cirillo, Milwaukee, 123.
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York, 29; Kent, San Francisco, 29; Karros, Los Angeles,

Arizona, 27; Burnitz, Milwaukee, 26; Coones, Atlanta, 25; GYaughn, Cincinnali, 25; STOLEN BASES—Cedeno, New York, 52; Womack, Arizona, 43; EYoung, Los Angeles, 34; Cameron, Cincinnati, 29; LCastillo, Florida, 28; Henderson, New York, 27; DJackson, San Diego, 24; RSanders, San Diego,

24, PITCHING (12 Decisions)—Hampton, Houston, 14-3, .824, 3.05; Bottenfield, St. Louis, 14-4, .778, 3.95; Schilling, Philadelphia, 14-4, .778, 3.24; Nomo, Milwaukee, 9-3, .750, 3.97; RReed, New York, 9-3, .750, 4.92; Lima, Houston, 14-5, .737, 3.16; Miliwood, Atlanta,

Milwaukee, 9-3, 750, 3.97; RReed, New York, 9-3, 750, 4-92; Lma, Houston, 14-5, 737, 3.16; Milwood, Atlanta, 12-5, 706, 3.15.

STRIKEOUTS—RaJohnson, Arlzona, 240; Schilling, Philadelphia, 141; KBrown, Los Angeles, 134; Hitchcock, San Diego, 131; Reynolds, Houston, 131: Astaclo, Colorado, 126; Lima, Houston, 117.

SAVES—Wagner, Houston, 27; Hoffman, San Diego, 26; Nen, San Francisco, 23; Shaw, Los Angeles, 21; Rocker, Atlanta, 20; Urbina, Montreal, 20; Wickman, Milwaukee, 20.

### **GOLF SCORES**

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# New coach, new era, "It's actually being done to go

■ The black paint will be gold and the gold paint will be black next year at Carver.

> **By Greg Wallace** The Daily Iowan

Carver-Hawkeye Arena will have a new look next season.

In addition to the new men's basketball coach and new players, the floor of the arena itself will have a decidedly different look to it.

As part of its annual refinishing, the floor will get a new coat of paint and color scheme. The gold outer-rim of the court will be painted black, and the black lettering all around the court will be

"Whatever is gold will be black," Carver facilities manager Del Gehrke said.

Gerhke said the change can be attributed to the hiring of basketball coach Steve Alford.

with a new style, new look, new era, that sort of thing," Gehrke

The idea was not originally

Alford's, but the incoming coach has had his say in the floor redesign. "He's had a lot of input in its

new design and play," Gehrke said. "It goes well with the new

In addition to the floor's new

look, plans for the new student section are also progressing nicely. No actual work will have to be done to accomodate the move, but seating plans had to be altered to move the students closer to the arena floor.

"We've got the plan laid out," Gehrke said. "We don't have to do any actual (physical) work to make the move."

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# Workouts available 24 hours a day in North Liberty

# **FITNESS**

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area. In North Liberty, the only 24-hour workout spot in the area is celebrating its fifth year in business. Northside Fitness and Tanning is open all-day, every day because of a system that has made it accessible without the staff being present.

The approximately 2,500 square-foot building has a scanner on the right side of the front entrance that will work with either a customer's driver's license, military ID, library card, or other identification that is programmed into the system. All participants sign a waiver form that says that they workout at their own risk, so that the facility isn't held responsible for injuries incurred when there is not staff present, and are free to go and leave as they please.

"We just opted for this key system so that it could be open 24 hours," co-owner Tammy Becick

said. "It seems that there's always someone that wants to work out outside normal business hours. On Thanksgiving I counted 25 people working out."

Northside is staffed until eight in the evening so that people can sign up for the program, and relies on security cameras to catch would-be thieves.

The UI has experimented with keeping the Field House open later in the evening, staging Night Games three times last year. Night Games was a program sponsored by the Stepping Up Project, Rec Services, Residence Services and others. It kept the Fieldhouse open until 2 a.m., and included food, movies, and music from college radio station KRUI.

More than 870 people participated in the program, which ran last Dec. 5, Feb. 13, and April 10. The program is scheduled to continue beginning this fall.

DI sportswriter Todd Hefferman can be reached at fil toddler@hotmail.com

# **Armstrong gains his motivation from cancer victims**

# LANCE

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Hamilton, also a survivor of testicular cancer, and spoke to Kelly Davidson, an 11-year-old cancer patient in Fort Worth, Texas. Armstrong, a native of Plano, Texas, developed a friendship with Davidson after meeting her during a promotion in Austin in 1997, and he had wished her well on camera while riding in the Tour de France.

Davidson, her head bald from chemotherapy, wore a ring on a chain around her neck given to her by Armstrong.

"It makes me really, really happy that he won," she said.

Armstrong presented Davidson with a mountain bike on the air, and Davidson showed Armstrong a stuffed animal she had bought as a gift for his baby.

"A lot of the three weeks (of the

race) I thought about Kelly and people like Kelly and the entire cancer community," Armstrong said. "I get so much of my own motivation and inspiration from them, that extended family. They're so special to me and to Kristin and to the whole team."

Armstrong, 27, was found to be cancer-free in 1997, and his chances of a recurrence are estimated at 2 percent by his doctors. But Armstrong, who started the

Lance Armstrong Foundation during his recovery to raise funds to help people manage and survive cancer, feels the need to share what he has learned in his battle with cancer with others suffering from the disease.

"You have to believe," he said. "You have to want to live. "I have a responsibility to tell

my story, to encourage people to

# teacher in his retirement Hasek to become a history

# HASEK

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"We wish him well and we wish he could change his mind," Bettman said.

Hasek said he first started thinking about retirement nine months ago and met with Sabres' management about it. He and his wife made the final decision to quit just before the playoffs, he said.

Despite struggling much of last season with a groin injury. Hasek helped the Sabres reach the Stanley Cup finals, losing to Dallas in six games.

Hasek, known for flopping to the ice to block shots and even releasing his stick and grabbing for the puck with two hands, was paid \$7 million last season. Only Patrick Roy of the Colorado Avalanche, who made \$7.5 million, had a higher salary among goalies.

Hasek is walking away from millions of dollars. He has two years remaining on his contract, \$7 million for the upcoming season and \$7.5 million for 2000-01, and the club holds an option at \$9 million for the following season.

"I have enough money to live a nice life, not only for me but for kids and wife," Hasek said. "If somebody offered me \$25 million to play one more year, I wouldn't."

He is the third Czech ice hockey superstar to decide to head back home immediately after ending an NHL career.

Last week, the Pittsburgh Penguins' Jaromir Jagr and the Phoenix Coyotes' Robert Reichel both said they prefer their homeland over the United States and will return as soon as their

careers are over. Still, Hasek wants to stay connected with the Sabres in some

fashion after retirement and said he will remain active with Buffalo's Variety Club, an organization that takes care of children from poor families and pays for their hockey training.

The Czech won the NHL's most valuable player in 1997 and 1998, and helped the Sabres reach the Stanley Cup finals this year.

His career highlight, however, came in the 1998 Winter Olympics in Nagano, Japan, where he led the Czechs to the gold medal with performance that made him a national hero.

Buffalo acquired Hasek in 1992 in a trade from Chicago, where he was a backup to Ed Belfour.

He went to the NHL in January 1990 after the fall of the Iron Curtain. It took him three years to make his big breakthrough, and his years as a backup left him contemplating a return to Europe. He won his first Vezina Trophy as the NHL's best goalie in 1994 with Buffalo - at the age of 29, rather late even for a goalie. He won it four more times, including this year.

Besides the Stanley Cup, the other big prize missing from his career is a world championship trophy.

Hasek is one of the few top Czech athletes with a university degree - he studied teaching, specializing in history and the Czech language.

His future, he said, will include working with children to educate them as well as teach them hock-He also plans to promote his

for the last time, that's going to be

forever," Hasek said.

Dominator hockey equipment. But there will be no comeback after next year, he pledged. "Once I take off my equipment

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# Payton involved with Arena ball

■ The former Bears star is getting involved with Arena Football, but he still awaits a new liver.

> **By Nancy Armour Associated Press**

Six months after announcing he has a serious liver disease and needs a transplant, Walter Payton is still waiting, occupying his days with his two greatest loves: his family and football.

His son, Jarrett, leaves for the University of Miami next week. And on Thursday, Payton became a part-owner of an Arena Football team when Chicago was awarded an expansion squad for the 2001

"I am feeling as good as can be expected for someone who needs a transplant," he said. "I have good days and bad days. I am in good spirits regardless - following doctors orders and getting lots of rest, which is a challenge in and of itself when you are accustomed

to the pace I am used to keeping."
The NFL's career rushing leader announced in February he has primary sclerosing cholangitis, a rare liver disease that can only be treated with a transplant. He was placed on the transplant list a few weeks later.

While he still makes occasional ppearances, he's spent much of is time lately getting Jarrett ready for college. They've also been talking plenty of football. The younger Payton, a running back just like his dad, will play for the Hurricanes.

"Tve enjoyed watching him prepare for his freshman football seaon," Payton said. "Since good 'ole dad here has a little bit of experience in that area."

That experience will come in



Charles Bennett/Associated Press

While he awaits a liver transplant, Walter Payton is keeping busy, bringing a new Arena Football team to Chicago and helping his son, Jarrett, get ready for college.

handy with his new team, too. Chicago's AFL team, which doesn't have a name yet, will begin play in the spring of 2001 and brings the number of teams in the indoor football league to 18.

The league also announced Thursday that its minor league will begin next May. Those teams will be in: Birmingham and Huntsville, Ala.; Greenville, S.C.; Jacksonville, Pensacola and Tallahassee, Fla.; Norfolk, Richmond and Roanoke, Va.; Oklahoma City and Tulsa, Okla.; Little Rock, Ark.; and the Quad Cities in Illinois and Iowa

Shreveport, La., and Fort Myers, Fla., will get minor league teams in 2001.

"Our goal is to grow the game of football at the grass roots level," AFL commissioner David Baker

Chicago had one of the original AFL teams, the Chicago Bruisers, when the league began in 1987, but it folded two years later. While Payton is a minority owner

former CBS Entertainment executive Alan Levin is the team's primary owner - his name and popularity in Chicago will give the new team instant credibility in a city that already has more than a half-dozen other professional teams

"Football has always and will always play a large role in my life," Payton said. "I have become involved with AFL due to the fact that it has become a mature league and I saw enormous opportunity, especially for the Chicago

Payton is a member of the Chicago Bears' board of directors and has said in the past he'd like to be the NFL's first black owner. His ownership of the AFL team won't prevent that if something comes up in the future.

# **Birth Night not laborious for Spinners**

The first woman to give birth will still win a year's supply of diapers.

> By Jimmy Golen **Associated Press**

LOWELL, Mass. - A sellout crowd kicked with excitement on Thursday night as 30 pregnant women and their nervous husbands waited to see who would be the first to go into labor and win a year's supply of free dia-

In the latest - and perhaps strangest - twist on the oldtime ballpark giveaway, the Class A Lowell Spinners invited local expectant mothers for the first-ever "Birth Night." Women who registered were given free tickets to the game against the Vermont Expos and the promise

None went into labor during the game, though the women did begin leaving midway through the game in varying degrees of discomfort. The first to deliver a baby will still win if she notifies the team.

"Nobody's even warming up at this point," said Dr. Ed Lipham, who was standing by along with four paramedics and a fleet of ambulances. "You can't do it on command. It's a matter of waiting for nature to run its course."

Led by childbirth coach Linda Jezek, the full house of 5,000 and threatening to multiply at any minute - joined the women in their breathing exercises. "All right, everybody take a nice big breath and blow it out," she said over the loudspeaker.

"Remember: Think birth



Charles Kruna/Associated Press

Five pregnant women pose prior to the Lowell Spinners vs. Vermont Expos game on "Birth Night" in Lowell, Mass., Thursday.

right?'

tonight," the public address announcer added, as the sound of a crying baby blared in the background. The team also sponsored contests to name the baby and guess the time of deliv-

Lisa Armstrong signed up when she saw a notice posted at her doctor's office and realized that the promotion was scheduled for her due date. But she wasn't willing to guarantee victory, a la Joe Namath.

'We heard there's someone that's overdue," said Armstrong, who's been having "mild contractions" all week. "It'll be a tight

One man called owner Joann Weber on Thursday morning as his wife was in labor in the next

"He said, 'If she hasn't given birth by then, can I wheel her in in a wheelchair?" Weber said. "I said, "This is your first baby,

"He said. 'Yes.' "I asked him if he discussed it with his wife, and he said, 'No.'

"I said, 'You talk to your wife. If she thinks this is as good an idea as you do, it would be our pleasure to have you.' I'd like to be a fly on the wall for that one." He did not call back.

The team wasn't expecting any lucky fan to go home with a new, bouncing baby. No matter when it happens, the woman who delivers first will win the free diapers and a birthday party at the ballpark next year.

The giveaway day originated with former White Sox, Indians and St. Louis Browns owner Bill Veeck, who used the prizes to lure children to the ballpark, then made his money back on all the peanuts and hot dogs they ate while waiting for the game to

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# Konerko slugs Sox past Yankees, 5-1

leading John Snyder and the Chicago White Sox over the New

ork Yankees 5-1 Thursday. The Yankees have lost two straight and three of their last

Snyder (8-6) gave up one run and three hits in seven innings. He won for the first time since \* 32 slump. being called up Friday from Triple-A Charlotte, where he went 3-0 in three starts.

Keith Foulke got the last six

outs for his fifth save. Konerko hit his 14th home run in the sixth off David Cone (10-5), who has not won since pitching a perfect game July 18 against

Montreal. Konerko led off the eighth with a homer off reliever Ramiro Mendoza. It was Konerko's first multihomer game in the majors.

Cone, who entered the game ranked second in the AL in ERA, gave up four runs and eight hits in seven innings.

Greg Norton singled home a run in the White Sox sixth and rank Thomas hit an RBI single in the seventh.

Derek Jeter, the AL batting leader, went 1-for-3 and is hitting

The Yankees took a 1-0 lead in the third on Jeter's sacrifice fly. The Yankees scored in their half with Chris Singleton's RBI sin-

# Phillies 12, Marlins 1

PHILADELPHIA (AP) -Slanville homered and tied a careerhigh with four RBIs, and Alex Arias hit three-run shot to lead the Philadelphia Phillies over the Florida Marlins 12-1 Thursday.

At 56-46, the Phillies moved 10 dames over .500 for the first time since July 13, 1995 (40-30):

Arias' three-run homer off Brian Meadows (8-11) capped a four-run third inning that put the Phillies ahead 7-1. Bobby Abreu was 4-for-4 with a homer, two doubles and four runs

# Rockies 4, Astros 2

DENVER (AP) - Vinny Castilla mered and Darryl Kile boosted his trade value Thursday as the Colorado Rockies ended Houston's six-game ning streak with a 4-2 victory over the Astros

The Rockies stopped their losing streak at six and avoided going winless on a seven-game homestand. Since bining the majors in 1993. Colorado has never lost every game of a multi-

CHICAGO (AP) - Paul Kon- Kile (6-10), frequently mentioned in trade talks over the past month, held his former team to two runs on seven hits in eight innings. He won for the first time in five starts.

Kile retired the side in order four times and stranded the tying run at second when the Astros loaded the bases with two outs in the eighth. He also hit an RBI single, ending an 0-for-

# Rangers 3, Orioles 1

BALTIMORE - Mike Morgan pitched six innings of two-hit ball in his 400th career start, and the Texas Rangers hit three solo homers off Juan Guzman in a 3-1 victory over the

Baltimore Orioles on Thursday. Roberto Kelly, Royce Clayton and Ivan Rodriguez connected for the Rangers, whose 10th win in 11 games expanded their lead in the AL West to a season-high nine games. Texas is 12-2 since the All-Star break.

Morgan (11-6) allowed one unearned run, struck out two and walked two in taking over the team lead in wins. He became the 99th pitcher in baseball history to start 400 games and celebrated the occasion by beating an old nemesis- the Orioles.

# Mariners 8, Royals 4

KANSAS CITY, Mo .- Alex Rodriguez hit his first career home run at Kauffman Stadium and John Halama won his eighth straight decision as the Seattle Mariners beat the Kansas City Royals 8-4 Thursday

Rodriguez hit a 418-foot shot into the water fountain behind the left-field fence in the third inning. The solo drive put the Mariners ahead for good at 3-2 and gave him a home run in every AL

Rodriguez hit a two-run double off the top of the left-field fence in the sixth for a 7-4 lead.

Russ Davis, who drove in three runs, and Edgar Martinez also homered as the Mariners broke a three-game losing

# Reds 7, Dodgers 5

LOS ANGELES - Eddie Taubensee homered and drove in four runs, and Pete Harnisch pitched six effective innings as the Cincinnati Reds beat the Los Angeles Dodgers 7-5 Thursday for their fifth win in six games.

Taubensee's 10th homer with two on

and one out in the sixth off Darren Dreifort (8-10) capped a four-run rally and put the Reds ahead 5-2.

Dmitri Young opened the inning by hitting Dreifort's first pitch for his sixth homer to tie it.

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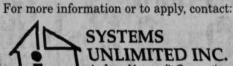
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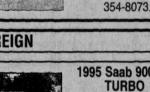
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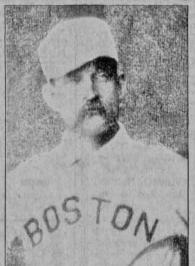
> By Josh Dubow **Associated Press**

NEW YORK - Al Leiter isn't asking to be a modern-day Old Hoss Radbourn. The New York Mets pitcher would just like to get one chance to complete what he started.

One hundred fifteen years after Radbourn completed all 73 games he started - and finished two in relief as well - Leiter and the Mets are still looking for their first complete game.

"I get sick and tired that we don't have a complete game," said Leiter, who had four last year but hasn't gone past the eighth inning this season. "There are other teams that have one. But when you just have the goose egg up there, it's something to write

In fact, every other team has at least one. And Curt Schilling and Randy Johnson have eight each. The Mets, however, haven't thrown a complete game since



AP Photo/The Pantagraph 115 years ago, Charles "Old Hoss" Radbourn completed all 73 games he started.

Leiter did it last Sept. 4 against Atlanta - a streak of 124 games. That is the second-longest stretch ever, 16 short of the record set by the Anaheim Angels in 1998-99.

The closest the Mets came was an 8 1-3 inning performance by 40-year-old Orel Hershiser on June 29 against Florida.

"It makes no difference nor any sense for me to worry about that,"

Mets manager Bobby Valentine said Sunday after pulling Leiter with a 5-1 lead after eight innings. "He threw 130 pitches. I didn't want him to throw 150 just to get the complete game."

The lack of complete games hasn't hurt the Mets in the standings, where they trail Atlanta by a half-game in the NL East. But it is taking its toll out on the team's bullpen.

Mets relievers, who average more than 3.1 innings per game, are second in the majors with a 3.26 ERA. Turk Wendell leads the NL with 54 appearances, followed by teammates Armando Benitez (52) and Dennis Cook (49).

General manager Steve Phillips is concerned enough about possible burnout in the bullpen that he is aggressively looking to deal for another reliever before Saturday's trade dead-

The Mets starters aren't the only ones struggling to complete what they began. In recent years, the complete game has gone the way of the scheduled doubleheader and the two-hour game. There just aren't many anymore.

Stevenson mum about her father

The tennis phenom is talkative, unless the name Julius Erving is mentioned.

> By Danica Kirka **Associated Press**

WINNIPEG, Manitoba The first woman to reach the semifinals of Wimbledon as a qualifier has been described as a cross between Andre Agassi and a Valley Girl. It's easy to see why.

Tennis star Alexandra Stevenson loves to talk - about boys, black cocktail dresses, Julia Roberts, dancing and her high school prom. Things aren't good, they are "awesome." She is only 18, after all.

There are some subjects, though, that aren't discussed, most notably the attention that surrounded the revelation she was the out-of-wedlock daughter of Hall of Fame basketball player Julius Erving.

The news broke in the midst of her Wimbledon success and trailed her to the Pan American Games, her first tournament since then. "It's all old news,"

The games are sort of a debutante ball for the teen-ager who is now ranked No. 37 in the world, a way to glide back into tennis before the overwhelming scrutiny she will face from the U.S. media when she appears at the U.S. Open in New York later this summer.

Safely in Canada, Stevenson can be herself and not just the daughter of someone famous. It's a different sort of tournament than the pros normally take on. The prize is a gold medal, no cash added.

For Stevenson, it also provides a chance to move on. Her first press conference here in Winnipeg showed off the strate-

The questions, given the subject, were polite. She easily deflected hapless efforts to dig out a response to the "Dr. J." question with an almost cheerful "No comment."

A teen-ager clearly unafraid of attention instead pointed out to reporters that it wasn't fair her teammates were being ignored. She gushed about how much fun she was having on the Canadian prairie in a big international event.

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Stevenson's presence should direct attention to the U.S. team, which otherwise lacks stars. That's good for everyone, says U.S. coach Lynne Rolley even if Stevenson gets most of the attention.

"This is the Olympics for us," Rolley said. "We're here to win."

The U.S. coach, who has known Stevenson for years, sees her coming into her own, taking her game to a new level. Wimbledon was only the first

"Everyone in sports is building for that moment when they make a breakthrough, and everyone recognizes that," Rolley said. "It feels good. That's why we're in sports.'

Though she also eventually wants to act, dance and sing, Stevenson is working right now on being No. 1 in tennis. In the Pan Ams, she's focusing on winning a gold medal, having a "blast," and dismissing the dad

# Tribe still looking for a Yankee killer

Cleveland GM John Hart doesn't know if he'll trade for a starter or a role player, but he will be dealing.

> By Tom Withers **Associated Press**

CLEVELAND - Indians general manager John Hart's July phone bill must be something to

Hart, one of baseball's busiest GMs any time of the year, has

been calling teams from "If the talent coast to coast isn't there, then week trying to see we won't make if he can a trade. But I'd be surprised if Cleveland's chances of we didn't do winning a something." World Series

- John Hart, title. So far, he Cleveland Indians hasn't made general manager.

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been doing our work, and seeing what's out there," he said. "It's been an active week.

As the clock ticks down toward Saturday's midnight EDT trading deadline, Hart says the likelihood the Indians will pull off a big deal is small. But short of landing a No. 1 starter - something the Indians have been unable to do the past three years - Hart expects to make some kind of

"We're looking at a lot of different things and a lot of it is going to come down to the price for the type of talent we need," Hart said. "If that talent isn't there, then we

won't make a trade. But I'd be surprised if we don't do something."

Cleveland doesn't need much. The Indians' fifth straight division title is a near certainty, and if they can get all their players healthy they haven't had their opening lineup together since April 22 -Cleveland might not have to do anything.

Sure, getting an ace starting pitcher like Curt Schilling, David Wells or Mike Mussina would be nice. But they aren't available, at least not for a reasonable price.

What's more likely is that Cleveland will get a second-tier starter, another reliever or a backup third baseman. Indians scouts have been watching Tampa Bay closer Roberto Hernandez and starter Rolando Arrojo very closely the past week.

Pittsburgh third baseman Ed Sprague probably could be had for a minor leaguer, and the Tribe has reportedly asked about left-handers Terry Mulholland and Jeff

But if the Indians' goal is win it all, then that means beating the New York Yankees. And to do so, the Indians may need a Yankee

Chuck Finley is just that.

Anaheim's 36-year-old left-hander has a 16-9 career mark against New York, including two good outings against the Yankees this year. The Angels have been one of baseball's biggest disappointments, and Finley has made it known he would love to pitch for a contender.

"At this point in his career he wants a chance to win a World Series," said Indians pitcher Mark Langston, a former teammate of Finley's and one of his closest friends. "We've talked about it a

lot and he's always said he'd love to come to Cleveland. This team has been playing with one goal in mind since the spring, and that's to win a World Series. He'd fit in nicely."

Although he's just 5-9 this year with a 5.68 ERA, Finley, who is scheduled to start at home against Minnesota on Saturday, makes sense for the Indians.

He brings experience, and because he is eligible for free agency, Cleveland wouldn't assume much of a contract obligation. But the biggest plus is that he beats the Yankees, and in October there is nothing more important to the Indians.

Whether or not Hart can get Finley depends on what the Angels want in return.

"I don't think they're going to give me away for a bag of balls and some kitchen matches," Finley said Wednesday night in

Because of injuries to starters Sandy Alomar, Travis Fryman and Wil Cordero, the Indians have been forced to play some of their youngsters. Einar Diaz, Enrique Wilson and Richie Sexson have stepped in and done a nice job. But because they're playing so much, Hart isn't in a position to deal any of them.

But that hasn't stopped teams from asking, especially about Sex-

In his first full major league season, the 6-foot-8 first baseman/outfielder is batting .243 with 19 homers and 62 RBIs.

"Richie has done a great job for us offensively," Hart said. "He's done a great job at first base and in the outfield. If I'm excited, I'm sure other people are looking. But I'm more excited because he's our



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