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Astros streak by Braves

Braves pitcher Greg Maddux reacts at Turner Field Tuesday. The Astros defeated Atlanta, 6-1, in Game 1 of the NL division series. See story, Page 1B

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I.C. to remain a Tower of Babel

English-only legislation is not in Johnson County's future, the Board of Supervisors says. See story, Page 4A

HALF STAFF

The flag is flying at half-staff today in memory of Delores Cordle, a medical technologist and supervisor at the UIHC Blood Bank.

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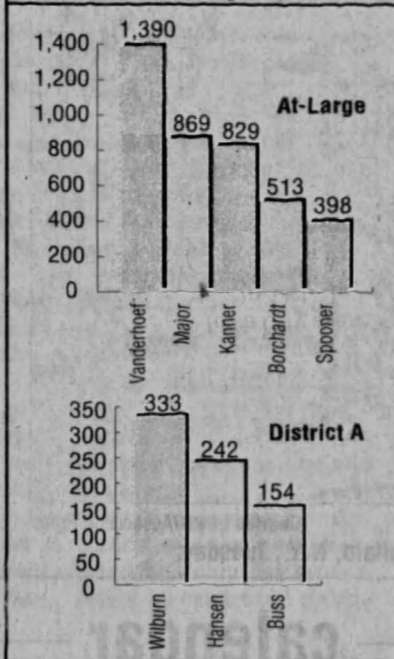
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READ, THEN RECYCLE

City Council Final Preliminary Results



Source: Johnson County Auditors Office

Iowa City voters stayed home and broke a 16-year-old record.

By Corrie Dosh
The Daily Iowan

Ross Wilburn and Dee Vanderhoef led the Iowa City City Council primary election Tuesday, as voters turned out in record-low numbers.

Candidates Jerry Hansen, Charles Major, Steven Kanner and Tim Borchardt also received enough votes to continue to the Nov. 2 general election; Anna Buss and Rick Spooner were eliminated from the race.

The turnout of 2,477 voters (6.9 percent of those registered to vote in Iowa City) smashed the 1983 record of 3,418 votes (10.7 percent) for low turnout in a primary.

Precinct officials were disappointed by the numbers.

"Voting is embarrassingly light," said Orson Brown, a Precinct 5 official at Burge Residence Hall. As of 6 p.m., six people had voted at Burge since the polls opened at 7 a.m., two of whom were students.

Precinct 6 officials at the IMU couldn't seem to make it past their 5:30 p.m. total of 12 votes.

"Maybe nobody wants number 13," said Joyce Sanders, a precinct official. "Our biggest rush was a couple."

By the end of the night, the IMU had finally reached 13, finishing with a total of 16 voters. District 23 at Regina High School gathered the most votes with a total of 218.

"It's a record low by any measure," said Tom Slockett, the Johnson County auditor.

The last primary, in 1997, had a voter turnout of 5,498 votes. Early ballot requests this year also reached a record low in primary history, with only 352, compared with 892 in '97.

Wilburn won District A with 45.4 percent of the vote; Jerry Hansen followed with 33 percent. Anna Buss was eliminated from the race after gathering 21 percent.

"I'm glad the primary's over with, and I'm looking forward to November," said Wilburn, who said he was disappointed by the low voter turnout.

"I wish the other two guys well; it's a



lot of work," Buss said.

For the two at-large seats, incumbent Vanderhoef led the pack with 56.1 percent of the vote.

"I'm relieved, and I'm most grateful," she said. "I really appreciate the voters who did come out."

Major secured 35.1 percent of the vote, followed by Kanner at 33.5 percent and Borchardt with 20.7 percent of the vote. Spooner, with 16.1 percent was eliminated.

Charlie Wittmack/
The Daily Iowan
Ross Wilburn, a
candidate for City
Council, celebrates
with Ginny Naso,
left, and Janelle
Rettig Tuesday at
Jimmy's Brick
Oven Cafe.

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Williams resigns over game comments to

MONROEVILLE, Ala. (AP) — Monroeville State football coach Mike Williams resigned Monday, carrying with him comments he made in a press conference following last weekend's game at Samford.

Williams, in his third season with the team, announced his resignation at the end of his weekly luncheon. He said that after the 34-13 loss at Samford on Saturday dropped the team's record to 1-3, he told the team that it was his fault and he would resign.

After the ballgame in the dressing room, I said something to my team about regret saying, and the reason it was to get a different reaction from them," he said.

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Bush paints GOP as frowning conservatives

The presidential candidate accuses the Republican leadership of focusing on economics.

By Ron Fournier
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Tiptoeing away from an unpopular Congress, Gov. George W. Bush said Tuesday fellow Republicans are too often dull, pessimistic and focused on economics "to the exclusion of all else."

"Too often, my party has confused the need for limited government with a disdain for government itself," the GOP presidential front-runner told New York conservatives.

It marked the second time in a week the Texas governor has declared his independence from the congressional wing of the party, suggesting that he feels comfortable challenging elements of the GOP establishment — a contrast to the 1996 presidential nominee, Bob Dole, who continually struggled to keep party leaders satisfied.

Unveiling his second education initiative in the Democratic bastion of New York also underscored Bush's intention to pursue a general-election strategy that courts voters outside the GOP base.

In a speech to a conservative think-tank, Bush said:

"Too often, on social issues, my party has painted an image of America slouching toward Gomorrah." He borrowed the line from the title of a book by conservative Robert Bork.

"Too often, my party has focused on the national economy, to the exclusion of all else — speaking a sterile language of rates and numbers, of CBO this and GNP that."

"Government should be limited but not to the point that Americans get hurt. That should be our goal: A limited government, respected for doing a few things and doing them well."

In each case, he said Republicans have a good point: There are too many broken homes and lives; a vigorous economy should be sought; and small government is good government.

But he weighed in with a flip side — a rosier view — by saying welfare, education and crime problems are being combated with compassion by Republican reforms.

GOO GOO FUN FOR EVERYONE



Brad Causey/The Daily Iowan

Though the MP3.com festival Tuesday reportedly bordered on being a bust, the Goo Goo Dolls concert Tuesday night was a raging success, judging by the enthusiasm of the 5,000 or so in attendance.

Students make with the Goo Goo eyes



Brian Ray/The Daily Iowan

Julie Corbo asks Justin Sroufe a question during a preliminary round of "The Dating Game" in the colleges.com tent, part of the MP3.com Music and Technology tour Tuesday in Hubbard Park.

The Goo Goo Dolls draws a crowd, but attendance at the MP3.com festival's was low.

By Leah Reinstein
The Daily Iowan

Finishing an otherwise bleak day for SCOPE, the Goo Goo Dolls and Tonic played to an enthusiastic crowd of approximately 5,000 at Carver-Hawkeye Arena Tuesday night.

"It's awesome! Tonic can write some really great music," said UI senior Lucas Sparks. "I wish there would have been a bigger crowd. The Goo Goo Dolls really get into the crowd."

Mike Lynsky, the SCOPE public relations director, said it will take some time for SCOPE to re-establish its reputation after a dry spell during which no shows were performed in Carver-Hawkeye.

"I am very impressed that the university could put on this event," said UI senior Bradley Reineke. "I didn't go to the MP3.com fair. I am here for an education, not a music festival."

The MP3.com Music and Technology Tour at Hubbard Park, which lasted from 1-8:30 p.m. prior to the Goo Goo Dolls performance, did not fare so well in drawing a crowd.

SCOPE was unable to disclose the exact ticket sales for both the fair and concert, but it was estimated that approximately 100 people gathered throughout the day as MP3.com bands such as Vida Blue and Still Gravy played.

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Coralville Vine Tavern hit by robber armed with frying pan

It is the second robbery in four days in the Iowa City area.

By Gil Levy
The Daily Iowan

Coralville police officers and the Johnson County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of an armed robbery at the Vine Tavern, 39 Second St., Coralville, just before 1 a.m. Tuesday.

It was the second robbery to hit the Iowa City area in four days.

On Oct. 1, the Iowa State Bank & Trust branch office at 2233 Rochester Ave. was robbed by an unarmed white male. At this point, authorities are not saying if there is a connection between the two incidents, said Iowa City police Sgt. Mike Lord.

"There has been communication

between the two departments, and we have compared information on the suspect, but we're not aware of any connections yet," he said.

The suspect in the Vine robbery is described as a white male, approximately 6 feet tall, weighing 170 pounds. He was wearing dark clothes and a ski mask when the incident occurred.

At the time of the robbery, one of the Vine's managers, Lonn Lease, was counting money alone in an upstairs office; he was approached and assaulted by the suspect, according to police reports.

Lease said that while it was a scary experience, he's not going to let it change his life.

"It's something you don't want to have to deal with, but hopefully, the police can get everything sorted out," he said. "I'm going to work as normal; I'm not going to let something like this stop me."

The suspect entered the restaurant through the back door leading to the kitchen, Lease said, and on his way upstairs, picked up a sauté pan with which he used to assault Lease.

"The guy just came in and said, 'Don't look up,' but it's a natural reaction to look up," said Todd Boswell, the Vine's area manager, who met with Lease throughout the day. "He hit him across the head, took the money, and then kept hitting him."

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On Tuesday afternoon, Vine management and Coralville police collaborated to piece together what happened. The Vine management determined the amount taken to be \$3,027.62.

Normally, there are two employees present at closing, Boswell said, but the cook had left five minutes early the night of the robbery.

No one is sure why the back door was open, he said.

Coralville Police Chief Barry Bedford said that at this point, the police have found nothing to link the two robberies. But, he said, robberies have a tendency to lead to other robberies.

"In 25 years in the business, I don't believe in coincidence," he said. "People

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the **BIG** picture



John Robert Burck of Cincinnati, the "Buck-Naked Buckeroo," promotes his CD at the corner of Church and Main streets in Buffalo, N.Y., Tuesday.

Charles Lewis/Associated Press

THE LEDGE

BREAKING UP IS HARD TO DO

FRENCH REVOLUTION: It was the best of relationships, it was the worst of relationships. **GEOGRAPHY:** Both people decide to simply move far away to avoid each other. **GEOLOGY:** Although both felt the earth move under their feet initially, both later express the sentiments that the relationship was rocky at the foundation and slated for a volcanic eruption. **HISTORY:** Each party argues the breakup was caused by something the other party did in the past.

JOURNALISM: "Today was the end of an era. Jack, 19, and Jill, 18, called an end to their relationship of two weeks ..."

LAW: They sue each other for breach of a pre-dating agreement. **PHILOSOPHY:** If two people break up in a dorm and there's no one to witness the breakup, are they really single?

PHYS. ED.: Despite her bad track record, he put the ball in her court, but she dropped the ball, didn't go the extra mile, and he ended up sitting on the side lines of love.

Source: <http://www.geocities.com>

newsmakers

Slater remembers Radio City days

NEW YORK (AP) — Christian Slater had a personal reason to show up at the grand reopening of Radio City Music Hall.



Slater

"I performed here as a child," Slater said as he was rushed past the media and into the renovated theater Monday evening. "It's a place of history, and it's a cornerstone of New York City. It's great it was restored."

Caroline Kennedy to remember her brother

BOSTON (AP) — In her first public appearance since her brother's death, Caroline Kennedy made only a brief reference to John F. Kennedy Jr., honoring his commitment to public service.

Caroline Kennedy expressed thanks to her brother, who died in a plane crash this summer with his wife and sister-in-law.

"There are a few people I'd like to salute. The first is my brother, John, who brought his own sense of purpose and idealism to public service, which I wish we can all continue," she said.

Reagan plated in California

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Former first lady Nancy Reagan helped salute her husband as the current governor signed a law to honor the 40th president.

On Oct. 4, Gov. Gray Davis authorized the creation of license plates bearing a picture of Ronald Reagan, the former president and California governor.

"It's so great that he's being honored in this way," said Nancy Reagan, who looked on during the ceremony at the Ronald Reagan State Building.

"He took this country to new frontiers of human freedom," Davis said, standing in front of a poster-size personalized license plate reading "GIPPER."

horoscopes

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): It's time to establish a solid, stable, loving relationship.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You can make major career changes. Praise those in higher positions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Mix business with pleasure. You will get in the boss' good books.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You should be concentrating on yourself. Let your family fend for themselves.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Someone from

your past may drift back into your life.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Changes at home will not be exactly what you had in mind.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You'll be dreaming about unfamiliar territory. Mental and physical pursuits will lead to travel.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Don't lend money. You can make financial gains, but they must be through your own efforts.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your

partner will overreact if you question her or his whereabouts or spending habits.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Don't let your emotions stand in the way of doing a good job. You will be overly sensitive to personal criticism.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You will feel competitive today, but don't overdo it, or exhaustion or minor injuries will slow you down.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Don't get involved in other people's problems. It will backfire on you at a later date.

by Eugenia Last

calendar

The Center for Health Effects of Environmental Contamination will have an Advisory Board Meeting in the Gold Room, Oakdale Research Building, today at 1 p.m. The meeting is open to the public.

The Business and Liberal Arts Placement Office will sponsor a Résumé/Cover Letter Basics Workshop in Room S401, Pappajohn Business Building, today at 2 p.m.

The Campus Christian Fellowship will sponsor a mid-week fellowship meeting titled "The Hawkeye Huddle" in the Danforth Chapel today at 7 p.m.

UI brief

Museum of Natural History presents search for record trees

Children and families can help to search for the state's largest trees during Iowa's "Searching for the Record Trees in Your Neighborhood" program on Oct. 10. The event will be held from 2-3:30 p.m. on the Pentacrest. Participants should meet in Iowa Hall.

The program, which is being presented by the Museum of Natural History, is free and open to the public. The activity will be led by education major Carrie Farrell.



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Coleman

The president unveils strategy to improve UI programs.

By Katie Bernard
The Daily Iowan

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Drug testing

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Pulliam Journalism

Graduating college seniors can apply for annual Pulliam Journalism summer internships to August 1999-June 2000.

Previous internship or experience is not desired. Winners will receive either *The Indianapolis Star* or *The Pulliam Journal*.

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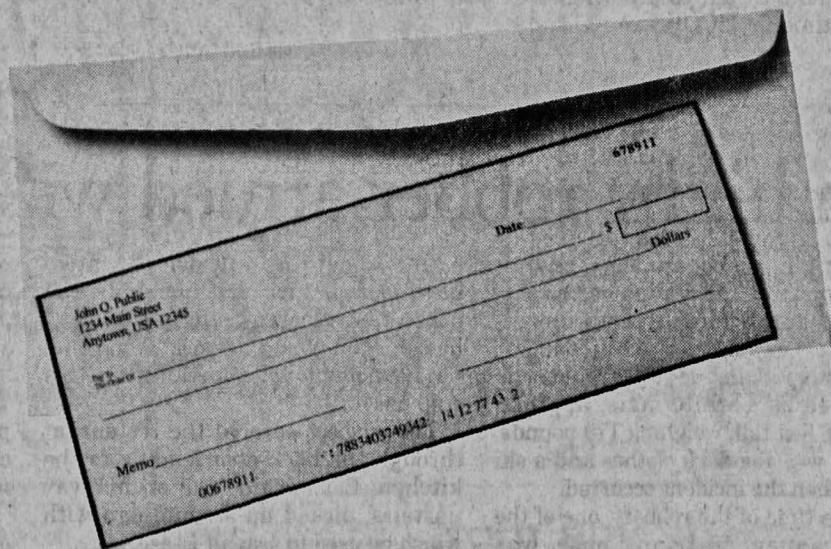
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CITY & STATE

Coleman draws out rosy future for UI

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"A superb library is critical to the realization of all five of our strategic goals," she said. "Our system of UI Libraries has risen to 25th place among research libraries in the United States."

Other investments include upgrading all technological media on campus and providing more instructional facilities.

"By comparison with our Big Ten peers, Iowa was using the equivalent of slide rules instead of computers," she said.

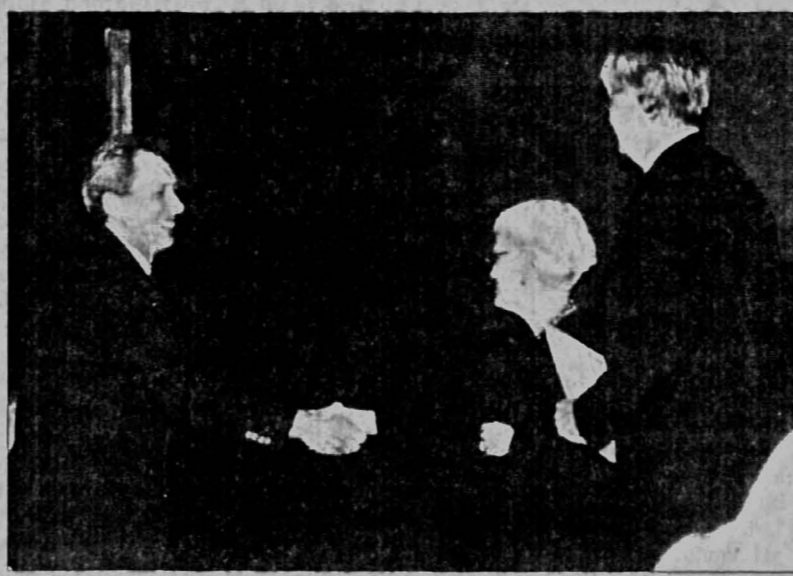
Offering a Certificate in Writing, obtained through a program to improve writing skills, and introducing interdisciplinary courses are also goals included in the plan, Coleman said.

The president's final goal is to raise student graduation rates. While the six-year graduation rate is 63.6 percent, only 35 percent have graduated in accordance with the "Four-Year Graduation Plan."

"Why are Indiana and Michigan State graduating students at a rate 2-3 percentage points above ours?" Coleman said.

As Coleman presented optimistic goals for the UI's future, the convocation also acknowledged the efforts and achievements of faculty and staff with awards.

Diane Davis, an assistant professor of rhetoric, won the 1999 President's Award for Technology Innovation. Davis incorporated online



Brian Ray/The Daily Iowan

John Knutson from the Department of Psychology accepts the Regents Awards for Faculty Excellence from UI president Mary Sue Coleman and UI provost Jon Whitmore Tuesday night in MacBride Auditorium.

publishing of journal entries into The CyberZine, the class magazine.

Several faculty members were recognized for their research and teaching efforts. Baba Shiv, an assistant professor of marketing, received the Collegiate Teaching Award in the Tippie College of Business.

"He's one of our best and most popular teachers," said Gary Fethke, dean of the business school. "He's made big progress in his

research." Several deans and administrators presented awards with along with Coleman.

"It's nice that we have this opportunity to reflect on what remarkably gifted faculty we have," said UI Provost Jon Whitmore. "The parade of faculty we see here tonight surely tells us the UI is a successful institution of higher learning."

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Drug tests not likely here, educators say

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"It's inconceivable to me that something like that would happen in Iowa," said William Hines, dean of the UI College of Law. "Nothing at the high school or college level indicates a need."

The decision, which carries no legal precedent, does not worry local high school administrators either.

"It seems unusual," said Jack Kennedy, City High School assistant principal. "It's like poking in the dark for something bad. I think it's one of those classic brouhahas that's going to go nowhere."

The lack of evidence of drug use among teachers would impede any attempt to adopt such a policy in Iowa City, said law professor Jim Tomkovicz.

"To my knowledge, there's absolutely no evidence that drug use among teachers is a problem and is causing harm," he said.

Although the Iowa City School District does require student athletes and bus drivers to take drug tests, there has never been any

opposition, and the policy has never been extended to other school employees, said Ann Feldman, the school district's director of human resources.

"I cannot think of a time when we had to discipline an employee for drug abuse," she said. "I haven't heard of any initiative on behalf of our School Board or community, not that we don't take it seriously. We closely monitor our employees."

However, on Aug. 14, 1997, Iowa City police and School District officials announced that a four-month undercover drug investigation at Grant Wood Elementary School had implicated district support staff members with the use of cocaine and marijuana on school grounds,

police Sgt. Jim Steffen said. Four employees were dismissed by the School Board shortly after the results of the investigation were announced. There was no evidence that any students or teachers had any involvement in the alleged drug use, police said.

In the rare event that a drug policy would be implemented on the college level, Hines said, he foresees a great migration of professors.

"In the absence of any evidence that there's a problem — that's an insult to be tested," he said. "Who would want to teach in an institution where you're subjected to that kind of invasion of privacy?"

DI reporter Chao Xiong can be reached at chao-xiong@uiowa.edu

LEGAL MATTERS

POLICE

Corey J. Miller, 20, Washington, Iowa, was charged with possession of a schedule I controlled substance and driving under suspension at 200 S. Madison St. on Oct. 4 at 6:45 a.m.

Miranda L. Hauser, 37, address unknown, was charged with fifth-degree theft at Hy-Vee Food Stores, 812 S. First Ave., on Oct. 4 at 4:50 p.m.

Jeff A. Yontler, 17, 938 Cottonwood Ave., was charged with possession of tobacco under the legal age at 925 S. Dubuque St. on Oct. 4 at 5 p.m. Santos Martinez, 23, Cedar Rapids, was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar, 111 E. College St., on Oct. 5 at 12:11 a.m.

Summer Joebgen, 19, Perry, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication and public urination at the corner of Burlington and Front streets on Oct. 5 at 1:47 a.m.

Aaron J. McKay, 19, Coralville, was charged with possession of a schedule I controlled substance at Park Road on Oct. 5 at 1:24 a.m.

Jonathan M. Willis, 21, 318 Ridgeland Ave. Apt. 18, was charged with public intoxication, simple assault and interference with official acts at One-Eyed Jake's, 18 1/2 S. Clinton St., on Oct. 5 at 1:25 a.m.

Jeffrey A. Droste, 20, 318 Ridgeland Ave. Apt. 9B, was charged with public intoxication and obstructing officers at One Eyed Jake's on Oct. 5 at 1:25 a.m.

Bradley R. Meyers, 20, 613 E. College St. Apt. 4, was charged with possession of a schedule I controlled substance and interference with official acts at 300 E. College St. on Oct. 5 at 1 a.m.

Sarah E. Hulgan, 19, Cedar Rapids, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Burlington and Front streets on Oct. 5 at 1:31 a.m.

Kendra L. Bering, 23, Cedar Rapids, was charged with operating while intoxicated at 10 S. Linn St. on Oct. 5 at 1:59 a.m.

PUBLIC SAFETY
Brianna M. Stoll, 19, Mayflower Residence Hall Room 840D, was charged with fifth-degree theft at

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Anne M. Gogel, 18, Mayflower Residence Hall Room 840D, was charged with fifth-degree theft at Mayflower Residence Hall Room 840D on Oct. 4 at 1:52 p.m.

— compiled by Gil Levy

COURTS

Magistrate

Public intoxication — Summer S. Joebgen, Perry, Iowa, was fined \$155; Santos Martinez, Cedar Rapids, was fined \$155.

Public urination — Summer S. Joebgen, Perry, Iowa, was fined \$90.

District

Possession of controlled substance — Susan K. Arbizu, 2221 H Street, a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 22 at 2 p.m.; Linda C. Lampell, Elmhurst, Ill., a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 13 at 2 p.m.; Emily M. Peters, Cedar Falls, a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 22 at 2 p.m.; Jennifer C. Ross, 1115 Deforest Ave., a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 22 at 2 p.m.; Aaron J. McKay, Coralville, no preliminary hearing has been set; Bradley R. Meyers, 613 E. College St. Apt. 4, a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 15 at 2 p.m.

Operating while intoxicated, first offense — Kendra L. Bering, Cedar Rapids, no preliminary hearing has been set; Sarah E. Holgan, Cedar Rapids, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Serious assault — Mustapha S. Barnes, Wellman, Iowa, a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 22 at 2 p.m.

Interference with official acts — Mustapha S. Barnes, Wellman, Iowa, a preliminary hearing has been set for Oct. 22 at 2 p.m.

— compiled by Glen Leyden

CORRECTION

In the article "I.C. lags in ending homeless discrimination" (Oct. 5, D), the 1997 count of homeless people in Iowa City was incorrect. The correct number of homeless during a two-week period in 1997 was 1,423 statewide, not 4,293 in the Iowa City area as the article said. The Daily Iowan regrets the error.

STATE BRIEF

Iowa caucuses' status in jeopardy

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — The national Democratic and Republican committees took a hands-off approach Tuesday on the political calendar battle between Iowa and New Hampshire, preferring to let the two states fight it out themselves.

Iowa Secretary of State Chet Culver had set Jan. 31, 2000, for the Iowa caucuses, only to have New Hampshire Secretary of State William Gardner come along last week and set the state primary one day later, on Feb. 1.

Now Iowa is furious because it says it can't move to Jan. 24 — a major hog convention has taken up all hotel and meeting space. Officials have tried to get Gardner to move back to Feb. 8, but he has stood firm.

"I've never changed it once I've set it. I know once you change it, when does it stop?" Gardner said Tuesday.

"I always just assumed that whenever we decided (on the primary date), they would decide (on the caucus date). They never called me. Now it's turned around that it's my fault that they got themselves in this mess."

Gov. Tom Vilsack and New Hampshire Gov. Jeanne Shaheen spoke by telephone Monday but reached no solution.

"She indicated, I believe, a certain level of frustration that a single individual in her state, without consultation with political leaders of either party, unilaterally decided to create chaos," Vilsack said.

Vilsack said Shaheen mentioned the possibility of legislative action. In addition, Vilsack said he would pressure national Republican and Democratic leaders to intervene.

Shaheen's spokeswoman, Pam Walsh, said the governor was traveling Tuesday and could not be reached for comment.

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English-only draws local ridicule

Johnson County might not make English its official language.

By Ryan Foley
The Daily Iowan

Although 10 Iowa counties have made English their official language — and two more are discussing such measures — the Johnson County Board of Supervisors said English-only legislation is not in the county's future.

Louisa County, which borders Johnson County to the southeast, became the latest county to declare English as its official language when its Board of Supervisors unanimously passed an English-only resolution on Sept. 27.

The purpose of the resolution is to avoid having to publish government documents in several languages, said Louisa County Supervisor Jeff Story.

The county must still provide translators at police scenes and in courtrooms, and the resolution does not affect foreign-language programs in the schools, Story said. The number of people in Louisa County whose primary language is Spanish has not been measured, he said.

"With all the diversity in Johnson County, it (the Board of Supervisors)

should definitely consider it," he said. "Johnson County is probably the most diverse county in Iowa. With more diversity, more groups become politically active."

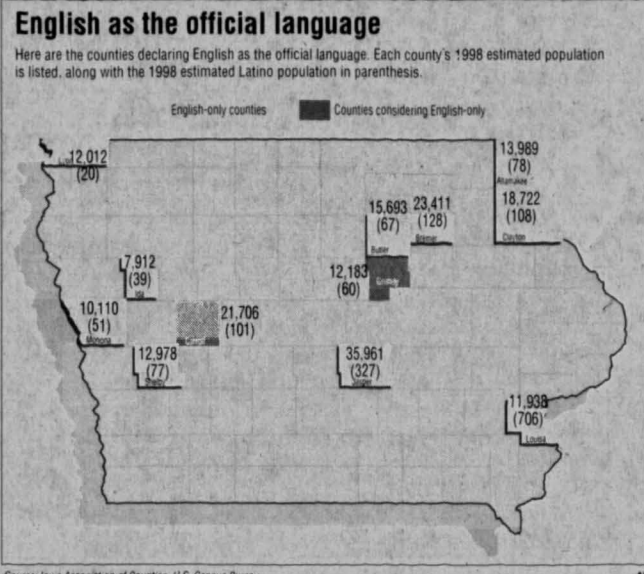
A situation could arise in the future in which different groups of people demand that all public documents be translated into various languages, Story said. By declaring English as the official language, these problems could be avoided, he said.

Jonathan Jordahl, the chairman of the Johnson County Board of Supervisors, said a similar measure will not happen in Johnson County for some time. Rather, Louisa County's English-only resolution was a "slap in the face to recent immigrants," he said.

"It seems English-only legislation is motivated not by saving money in printing costs but rather by xenophobia," he said.

A proposal to make English the official state language passed last year in the Iowa Senate but failed in the House of Representatives. Twenty-five states have declared English to be their official language.

"We ridiculed the proposal," said Rep. Minnette Doderer, D-Iowa City. "We have had absolutely nothing published at the state level in another language. We've got real problems, and this is not one of them."



"This won't happen in Johnson County. Our guys are smarter than that."

According to a 1996 census, Iowa City has a Latino population of 2.6 percent. This number does not necessarily reflect the number of people whose primary language is Spanish.

While the Johnson County Board of Supervisors doesn't believe the resolution would pass in the county, some say they can see some benefits it may have.

"Once you start printing documents in different languages, it is hard to draw the line in terms of

where you would stop," said Johnson County Supervisor Michael Lehman.

Donna Grenstad, a French teacher at City High School, 1900 Morningside Drive, said making English the official language could produce two very different effects.

"If it works to give more assistance to people who need help learning English, that's one thing," she said. "But it could also be very ethnocentric and unwelcoming to other cultures."

DI reporter Ryan Foley can be reached at: ryan-foley@uiowa.edu

Vilsack renews call for immigrant center

Diversity is pivotal for development in a global economy, the governor says.

By Mike Glover
Associated Press

DES MOINES — Gov. Tom Vilsack renewed his push for the creation of an immigrant-assistance center Tuesday, arguing that adding diversity to the workplace should be central to economic-development strategies.

"We've got to remove barriers," he said. "We can no longer shut ourselves out from the world."

Vilsack opened an annual conference on diversity by renewing his call for an immigrant center, an issue that surfaced during the last legislative session and is certain to come up again when lawmakers convene in January.

The immigrant-center idea surfaced during debate over a measure declaring English to be the state's official language, a proposal that drew fire from minority-group leaders.

Critics suggested instead that the state should spend \$150,000 creating a center that would coordinate services for new arrivals in the state, offering a variety of assistance to immigrants seeking to settle in the state.

Lawmakers initially

approved the center as a replacement for an English-only requirement, but the measure did not receive final approval.

More debate is certain when the Legislature gathers again, because the package is sitting in the Senate.

Vilsack said it's clear that the state must compete in an increasingly global economy, conceding that "this is threatening to some" who want to "pull in, pull back and hang on to what you know."

"The world is not going to let that happen," the governor said.

Vilsack had just returned from a trade mission to Asia, and he said the mission hammered home the point that trading relationships are based on ties that can be developed between countries; approving English-only requirements sends the wrong message.

"You're sending a message that you don't really want to learn about them," Vilsack said. "I don't think that's a message we want to send."

In his first year in office, Vilsack has pushed hard to boost export of farm commodities processed in the state. He argued that there were vast untapped markets but said the state is going to have to be open to new ways of thinking.

After concert, Ames posts no-Phishing sign

Fishy activities may lead to the band's being banned.

By Anne Huyck
The Daily Iowan

As SCOPE looks to bring more bands to Iowa City, Ames Police Chief Dennis Ballantine is urging Iowa State University to prevent future appearances by the band Phish.

The potential Phish-ban in Ames, in addition to upcoming Phish concerts in Iowa City, upsets local fans.

"It isn't fair to the musicians," said Dee Dee Cada, a UI freshman

who attended the Ames concert. "It's fans who don't have anything to do with the band and the music."

Phish fans' alleged illegal activities outside Hilton Coliseum at the Oct. 1 concert led Story County deputies and Ames police and ISU campus police officers to arrest 26 concertgoers, Ballantine said. Most face drug possession charges for allegedly using marijuana, LSD and hashish.

"If it never comes back, it will be too soon," he said of Phish.

SCOPE has looked into bringing the popular band to Iowa City, said Emily Villhauer, SCOPE talent-buying director.

"We had a hard time coordinating the days it could come into town and days we had available," she said.

Potential drug use would not affect SCOPE's decision to bring Phish to Iowa City, Villhauer said.

"We brought Widespread Panic, which has a similar crowd, and we had a few problems. But it wasn't like we had no idea of what to expect," she said.

Kevin Kennedy, a UI junior, was at the Ames Phish concert and said he didn't see why the police were so concerned.

"I saw (drug use) happening, but it was a little more low-key than at other shows," he said. "The crowd

associated with Phish is just stereotyped as potheads."

Cada said she was more focused on the music at the concert than the alleged drug use.

"I didn't see much of a parking-lot scene — it was a lot less than at other concerts," she said.

The Iowa State Center has never banned a band from returning to Hilton Coliseum, said Mark North, executive director of the center.

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

DI reporter Anne Huyck can be reached at: anne-huyck@uiowa.edu

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The \$115 billion takeover is the largest in history, has FCC wondering about competition.

By Noelle Knox
Associated Press

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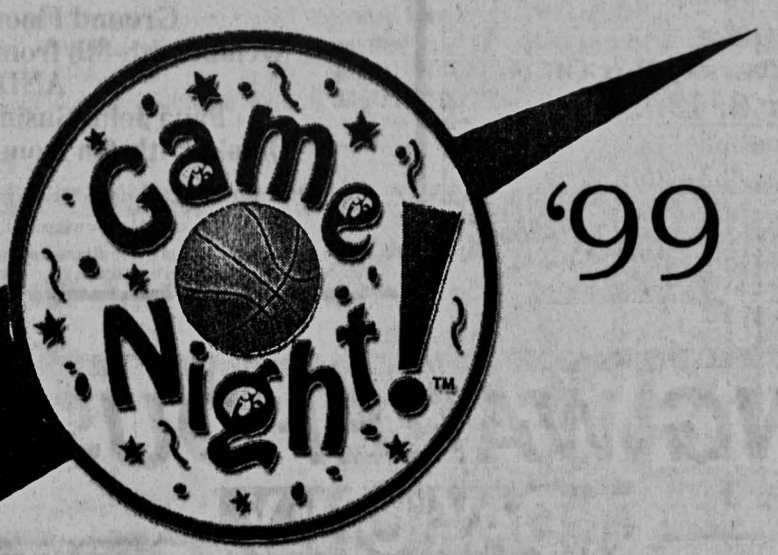
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market. This merger appears to be a surrender," William E. Kennard, chairman of the Federal Communications Commission, said in Washington.

Kennard said the companies "will bear a heavy burden to show how consumers would be better off."

In addition to FCC approval, the deal also faces antitrust scrutiny from the Justice Department.

Kennard's concerns were echoed by consumer groups and rival Baby Bell companies. The static coming out of Washington had many people, including investors, wondering if the deal would fall apart.

Sprint stock unexpectedly fell \$2 to \$58.87 1/2 Tuesday on the New York Stock Exchange, despite MCI WorldCom's offer of \$76 a share. MCI WorldCom slumped \$3.68 to \$67.93 1/2 a share on the NASDAQ Stock Market.

Bernard J. Ebbers, president and chief executive of MCI WorldCom, defended his deal.

"We understood from day one it is our burden of proof to show this is pro-competitive," he said. Kennard "told us he would keep an open mind."

Congress passed the Telecommunications Act of 1996 to pro-

mote competition in local and long-distance markets and cable television. But in the past three years, new technology has changed the competitive landscape and started a wave of mergers and acquisitions.

People can now make a telephone call that is carried over the Internet, receive e-mail over their wireless phones, and watch movies on their computers.

MCI WorldCom topped a competing \$100 billion offer from BellSouth Corp. to win control of Sprint. MCI WorldCom, based in Clinton, Miss., sweetened its offer rather than risk losing Sprint's 4 million wireless customers and 1.7 million paging customers.

Ebbers, 58, will be president and chief executive of the new WorldCom. William T. Esrey, 59, chairman and chief executive of Kansas City, Mo.-based Sprint, will be chairman of WorldCom.

For Ebbers, it is the second stunning takeover in two years. His upstart WorldCom acquired what was then MCI Communications in 1998, beating out foreign rival British Telecommunications PLC.

MCI WorldCom and Sprint hope to complete the deal in the second half of next year.

Follow-up required in colon cancer

■ A study shows, many older Americans do not receive the proper testing.

By Randolph E. Schmid
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Many older Americans who test positive in colon cancer screenings are not getting the proper follow-up procedures, a study shows — a potentially deadly situation when dealing with the nation's second leading cancer killer.

Failure to obtain proper follow-up testing could delay discovery of the disease and "the later you find it, the more difficult it is to cure," warned one of the researchers, Dr. Jon D. Lurie of the Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center

in White River Junction, Vt. The federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta estimates that 129,400 people will be diagnosed with colorectal cancer this year and that 56,600 will die.

The American College of Physicians recommends that patients whose initial colon cancer screening — a fecal occult (meaning hidden) blood test — comes up positive should then undergo two follow-up tests: A colonoscopy or a flexible sigmoidoscopy, in which instruments are inserted into the colon to check for cancer, plus a barium enema X-ray examination.

Lurie and co-worker Dr. H. Gilbert Welch studied the records of 24,246 people aged 65 and over who underwent the ini-

tial screening between Jan. 1 and April 30, 1995.

Of 2,245 who went for follow-up testing, only 34 percent received both of the recommended procedures, the researchers report in the Oct. 6 edition of the *Journal of the National Cancer Institute*. Another 34 percent got just one of the tests, and the remaining 32 percent received other gastrointestinal exams.

Of the 774 who got both recommended follow-up tests, 241 were diagnosed with colon polyps and 32 had colon cancer.

In clinical trials, when patients testing positive got proper follow-up tests and treatment, deaths from colon cancer were reduced by 15 percent to 35 percent, the study said.

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and sacrifices of our soldiers, sailors, airmen and Marines, frequently deployed far from home and family in defense of our security interests around the world, are understood and appreciated," said Army Gen. Henry H. Shelton, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The bill, which authorizes an \$18 billion increase in the defense budget over fiscal year 1999, which ended Sept. 30, also directs a reorganization of the Energy Department to create a largely independent nuclear-weapons agency within the department. The reorganization was prompted by controversy over allegations of lax security and Chinese espionage involving the nuclear weapons labs under the Energy Department's control.

The 4.8 percent pay raise is the highest since a 14.3 percent boost in 1981, during the Reagan administration's military buildup. The Clinton administration had proposed a 4.4 percent increase for 2000.

The Pentagon announced Tuesday that the Air Force ended the 1999 fiscal year with a manpower shortage of approximately 10,000 — a combination of too few recruits and too many people, particularly pilots, leaving the service for commercial aviation jobs.

The Army, Navy and Marine Corps reached troop strength levels set by Congress, although only the Marines — the smallest of the

major services with 172,500 people — met goals in both recruiting and retention.

The Air Force, which for years didn't need to bother with TV advertising, fell short in both recruiting and retention, whereas the Army overcame a recruiting shortfall by exceeding its retention goal. The Navy, which was nearly 7,000 recruits short in 1998, met its goal this year.

Among reserve forces, only the Army National Guard and Marine Reserve met their force goals. The Army Reserve, Air National Guard, Air Force Reserve and Navy Reserve fell slightly short.

The fiscal 2000 defense budget attempts to address the problem of maintaining adequate force levels by providing a combination of financial incentives. In addition to the pay raise, the Pentagon also is authorized to adjust pay scales next summer to put more emphasis on rewarding performance than longevity.

Also, Congress authorized the Pentagon to make a major change in its retirement pay system. Service members will be allowed to retire after 20 years of service at 50 percent of basic pay, up from the current 40 percent. Or, a service member could take a one-time \$30,000 cash bonus after 15 years of service, stay another five years and then get the 40 percent retirement pay instead of 50 percent.

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WORLD

British train wreck kills 26

■ The crash involves the same rail line and company as a fatal wreck in '97.

By Mara D. Bellaby
Associated Press

LONDON — Two London commuter trains crashed into each other during rush hour Tuesday, killing 26 passengers and injuring 160 on the same rail line as another fatal crash two years ago.

Ambulance and fire crews, police and rail workers swarmed around the overturned, mangled rail cars for hours, locating and freeing injured survivors in the smoldering wreckage near the Ladbroke Grove residential area in West London.

Many passengers sobbed as they described frantically crawling out broken windows after Britain's worst train accident in more than a decade.

"I was thinking, 'God, please don't let me die,'" Stuart Allen said. "You've got flames. You've got smoke. You've got a big bang. You've just got to think the worst."

Police said one badly damaged

car could contain more bodies but called off the search for more victims until daylight today.

The cause of the collision was not immediately known; health and safety officials began an investigation.

Great Western, one of the train companies involved in Tuesday's disaster, had been fined \$2.47 million for "dereliction of duty" in connection with the crash in 1997 that killed seven people and injured 150 others.

"I felt an almighty bang," passenger David Taylor said of Tuesday's crash, which occurred at 8:11 a.m. "I looked up, and I could see the front of the coach was on fire. There were balls of flames coming down both sides."

Emergency crews said 18 people were seriously injured and 124 transported to area hospitals.

"Injuries are among the worst I have seen in my professional career," said Robin Touquet, an accident and emergency consultant at St. Mary's Hospital.

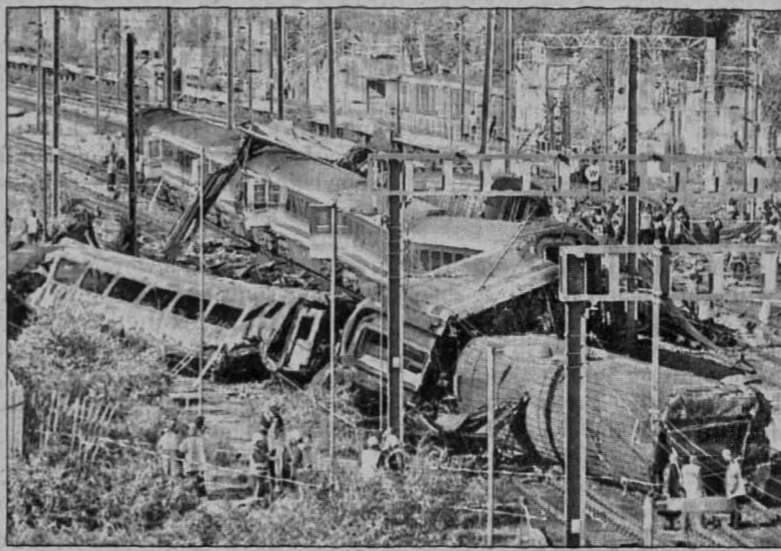
Others were haunted by the cries of those trapped in the wreckage.

"I could see people with blood pouring down their faces," said Joe Bannerman, who was working nearby. "Someone was running with their clothes on fire. I could see lots of people were burned badly on their faces and hands. They were shouting 'Help! Help! Get us out!'"

Authorities could not immediately determine the number of passengers aboard the trains. Great Western said as many as 500 people might have been on board the train, which was minutes away from its destination of London's Paddington Station. Thames Trains' cars may have carried 150 passengers.

While safety officials were cautious about speculating about the cause of the collision, many said it was possible that the investigation would study the 1997 Southall crash in its search for answers.

The immediate cause of the Southall accident was that the driver had bent down to pack a bag and went through two amber warning lights and a red signal. But an inquiry said a contributing factor was that two automatic



The wreckage of two railway trains lies across the tracks following a crash near Paddington Station in West London Tuesday.

safety devices were not fully operative as the train traveled from Wales to Paddington at speeds of up to 125 mph.

Great Western pleaded guilty to the charge that it exposed passengers to health and safety risks in that crash.

"To have two very serious fatal accidents is a great tragedy and obviously a great disappointment," said Victor Coleman, Britain's

chief inspector of railways. "What we need to do is to learn the lesson and prevent this sort of thing from happening again."

Andrew Rosenheim, 44, an American traveling on the Great Western train, felt fortunate just to be alive.

While Rosenheim said he would get on a train again, he added, "It is very depressing to think in the light of this terrible tragedy that it can still happen."

Alastair Grant/Associated Press

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22 people exposed to radiation in S. Korea

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It said the radioactive water was contained inside the plant and did not escape into the environment.

The mishap followed Japan's worst nuclear accident, in which at least 49 people were exposed to radiation last week. The town of Tokaimura was temporarily closed down amid heightened fears about the safety of Japan's nuclear plants.

Those exposed to radiation in the Wolsung accident were employees of the state Korea Electric Power Corp., which runs three nuclear reactors in Wolsung. The Canadian-designed reactors use heavy water to generate electricity.

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The leak occurred during repair work on a cooling-water pump at Wolsung-3, which has a capacity of 700 megawatts and started commercial operations on July 1, 1998. It was the first scheduled maintenance work on that reactor since it opened.

Gaza-West Bank link will reunite Palestinian families

■ The latest Mideast peace move should boost the prospects of a Palestinian state.

By Samar Assad
Associated Press

JERUSALEM — Ayman Lubedeh hasn't been home to the Gaza Strip to see his parents and siblings in six years.

Lubedeh, 29, lives with his wife and son in the West Bank, where he works at a hospital in Ramallah. Israel has refused to let him cross its territory to get to Gaza, citing security concerns, so Lubedeh has had to make do with frequent phone calls home. His family even missed his wedding two years ago.

That will soon change, in the wake of an Israeli-Palestinian agreement Tuesday to establish a land link between the West Bank and Gaza.

The 28-mile route through Israel will, for the first time, enable Palestinians to travel relatively freely between the two areas they control, boosting prospects for eventual statehood.

Israeli and Palestinian negotiators signed an agreement Tuesday on how to operate the so-called "safe passage," which should open next week. Despite last-minute disputes and delays — the route was to have opened last week — both sides said the agreement helped improve relations after three years of deadlock.

"Viewed from the experience of these talks, I see that we can

rapidly get back to business, and resume the spirit of mutual trust," said Israeli negotiator Shlomo Ben-Ami. "This is exactly what Chairman Arafat told me yesterday."

The land route is part of the latest interim peace accord, reached in September, under which Israel will hand over 11 percent of the West Bank to Palestinian rule and release 350 security prisoners in exchange for Palestinian security measures.

Israel's Prisons Authority said Tuesday it was set to release the second group of prisoners — 151 inmates — by Thursday, a day ahead of schedule.

The safe passage gives the Palestinians, especially the 1 million residents of fenced-in Gaza, greater freedom of movement.

Until now, hundreds of thousands of Palestinians were consistently refused permission to travel through Israel; even when permits were granted, they were usually valid for only a few days.

According to Israel's military administration in the territories, no more than 70,000 Palestinians out of the 2 million residents have had permits at any one time since the outbreak of the Palestinian Intifada in 1987.

Most of the passes were granted to those who had jobs in Israel, but young, single men and those

once held on suspicion of anti-Israeli activity were singled out for exclusion, as were people with criminal records.

Under the new arrangement, everyone is eligible in principle, though Israel reserves the right to turn down applicants. Former Palestinian security detainees, who in the past would have been unable to make the trip, can now travel twice a week in special buses under Israeli police escort.

Palestinians will also be allowed to use their own cars for the first time.

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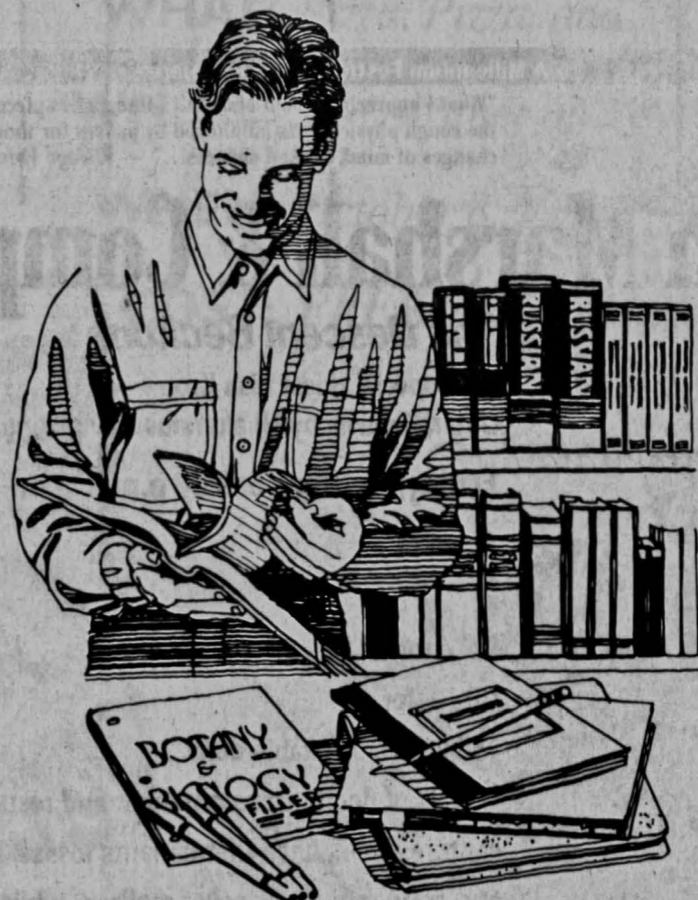
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By T.J. Besler
The Daily Iowan

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Publicity Photo
 Tadeu Coelho (left), Maurita Murphy Mead, Kristen Thelander, Mark Weiger and Benjamin Coelho will perform at Clapp Recital Hall tonight.

by permanent faculty members, the quintet returned to the concert stage last spring; it is continuing its performances in the 1999-00 academic year.

A self-described "child of nature" who "heard the aborigines' drums in the mysterious nights" of his native country, Villa-Lobos is widely considered one of the landmark composers of the 20th century.

In fact, Leonard Bernstein, another famous composer, once said of Villa-Lobos, "He was not only a great composer but also a great Brazilian and an eminent personality of the world artistic community."

Villa-Lobos composed his *Quintet* in 1928, when he was living in Paris. The style is purely Brazilian, and the performance of it tonight will represent the several Brazilian connections that exist for the Iowa Woodwind Quintet.

The most obvious link is that the two newest members of the ensemble, the Coelhos, are from Brazil. They continue to promote the music of Brazil in their performances in the United States and around the world.

Further, clarinetist Maurita Murphy Mead has performed and recorded Brazilian *choros* with pianist Rafael Dos Santos, another

native of Brazil, who graduated from the UI several years ago.

In November, the quintet will travel to Brazil to perform and serve as judges for the Curitiba International Chamber Music Competition.

Harbison's *Quintet* was composed in 1978, written for a commission from the Naumberg Foundation. Oboist Weiger said the five-movement *Quintet* "is quite beautiful, with its sound-painting effects, adding that "it pushes the instruments to extremes in range, dynamics and technique."

Farrenc, the last of the composers, was recognized throughout her lifetime for her chamber music, including a cello sonata, two piano trios, two violin sonatas and two piano quartets.

The *Nonetto for Winds and Strings* was composed in 1849 and is one of her most successful works.

The Iowa Woodwind Quintet has been in existence since approximately 1932. Prior to its recent hiatus, it frequently toured Iowa and the Midwest.

DI reporter T.J. Besler can be reached at daily-owan@uiowa.edu

Judd's stalker apologizes

FRANKLIN, Tenn. (AP) — A Kentucky man who got into Ashley Judd's house by posing as a police officer has been ordered to stay away from the actress.

"Once this order is entered, you are to have no contact; you are not to follow, stalk or harass Judd again," Judge Jeffrey Bivins told Guy Dukes on Monday.

Dukes, who was charged with trespassing and impersonating a police officer, was ordered to come no closer than 100 feet to Judd and her residence. Dukes apologized for his actions and said, "It won't happen again."

Minnesotans get a case of celebrity-itis

CHICAGO (AP) — She's a multimillionaire talk-show host, actress and — most recently — college professor. Now some Reform Party members are talking about President Oprah Winfrey.

Party members from Minnesota have created a Web site to draft Winfrey for the 2000 presidential race.

"It is Jesse Ventura times 100," said Paul Larsen, chairman of the draft committee and a party leader from suburban Minneapolis. "She's got a thousand times as much money, 100 times the name recognition. She has a sterling reputation for honesty."

The queen of talk is not interested, a spokeswoman said.

But Larsen said he is not giving up and will ask Ventura, Minnesota's governor and the nation's highest elected Reform Party official, to help persuade her to run.

Former rockers become toy inventors

NEW YORK (AP) — Years ago, Gary Rottger played keyboards with Kiss and Lee Shapiro sang with Frankie Valli & The Four

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Seasons. They relished life in the spotlight and playing to thousands of cheering fans.

But those days have long since passed, and now these 40-something former rockers are using their talents in a much different world of entertaining — as toy inventors.

This year, they are getting a standing ovation for their creation of the Rock & Roll Elmo and Ernie dolls, two toys for the holiday season that are already flying off store shelves.

Rottger and Shapiro thought there had

to be a way to further develop the Elmo character.

"We also wanted to create something that parent and grandparents and their kids could relate to," Shapiro said. "That was important when we developed this doll."

They came up with a singing Elmo doll dressed as a rock star, clad in a leather jacket and holding a guitar, and presented it to the manufacturer of Sesame Street toys. They also created a back-up band, made up of other Sesame Street characters.

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—Jessica James, manager of Mind Matters, a downtown toy store, on the upcoming addition of another bar to the downtown area.

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EDITORIAL

Global Internet tax an ill-conceived idea

The Internet Age has seen economic growth rivaling that of any other period in history. In spite of those who would like to hamper further innovation, two congressmen's proposal to end any and all Internet taxation is an invaluable step in the right direction. House Policy Committee Chairman Christopher Cox, R-Calif., and Sen. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., authors of two other important Internet-related pieces of legislation, recently unveiled a proposal that would recommend that the United States work to prevent any and all global forms of Internet taxation.

This legislation is a welcome alternative to the U.N. recommendation three months ago that the countries of the world enact a tax on users sending electronic data.

This tax would help to level the Internet playing field for poorer nations, the United Nations says. It surely will — but only by retarding the progress of Internet innovators. Internet taxes would raise the cost of all forms of e-commerce and e-communication for everyone, rich and poor. If the United Nations truly wants to make the Internet more accessible, it needs to allow competition to drive prices down.

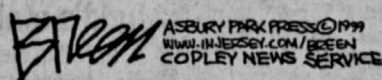
The power of the free market is hardly the only reason that Internet taxes don't work. As pointed out by Cox's House resolution (available at <http://www.house.gov/chriscox/>), "electronic commerce is not bound by geography, and its borders are not easily discernible ..."

Instituting a global Internet tax would require bringing more than 200 national governments to a consensus on tax rates, on the method of assessment and collection, on the recipient of funds and on many other issues. Considering the diversity of goals of the world's governments, the possibility of this occurring is virtually zero.

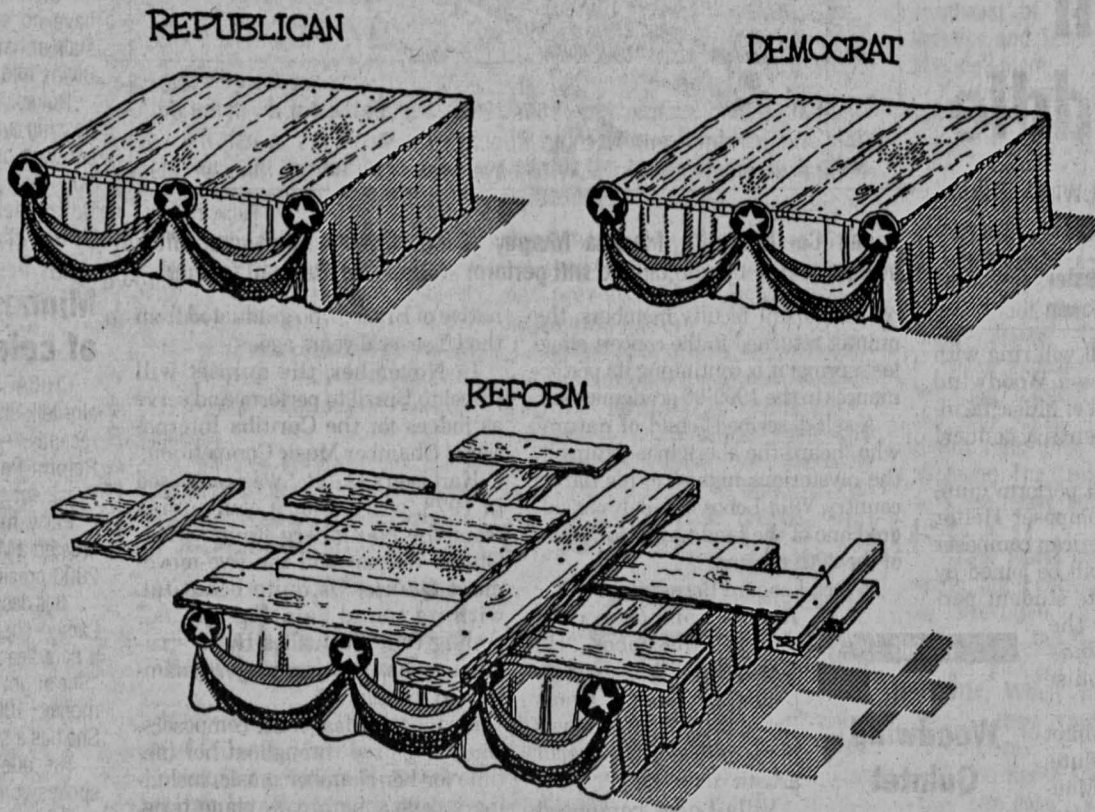
Moreover, the technology of the Internet makes efficient taxation very difficult. Information is carried across the Internet via packet-switching. An e-mail sent from one person to another doesn't travel directly between them; rather, it is divided into small "packets" and sent across the entire Internet until it is captured by the correct server. National boundaries are largely irrelevant to the process.

As e-commerce grows at an explosive rate, taxing the flow of information would surely raise heretofore unseen amounts of money for the United Nations. If the goal of this proposed tax is to greatly expand the powers of the world government, the tax would surely serve its purpose. If, on the other hand, the goal is to make the Internet more accessible for everyone, raising the cost of e-communication is the worst thing global governments could do.

Adam White is a *DI* editorial writer.



PARTY PLATFORMS



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

I.C. residents should appreciate Ped Mall change

I am writing this letter to express my approval and appreciation of the downtown Pedestrian Mall renovations. I have heard many harsh criticisms and generalizations from people who may not have even seen the improvements yet. I feel that many people have overlooked an important aspect of the new structures: safety.

The playground's rubber mat provides a firm, yet cushioned surface for children to enjoy, while giving their parents a sense of security. The rubber mat also offers many mess-saving and sanitary advantages over sand. The towers, ladders and slides are all plastic or plastic-coated, preventing deterioration or hazards. The city will save a lot of money in the long term. The new fountain offers a new level of safety as well, especially considering the injuries that resulted from people climbing on the old fountain. People can run through and enjoy this fountain without putting themselves at risk, and there is no reason for people to be stopped from doing so. So, students, UI faculty and Iowa City residents, enjoy the Ped Mall's improvements and try to keep an open mind. Don't be intimidated by change.

Dan Sorce
UI sophomore

On-line booksellers sell students short

I am writing in regard to the Oct. 1 *DI* article "Ordering virtual textbooks can involve real-time delay." My name is Melissa Lettiere, and I was cited in this article. I do not believe, however, that the extent of my situation was clearly explained. The article depicted that I just waited for four weeks and then canceled my order, when, in actuality, I called Bigwords.com on several occasions. I did relay this information to reporter Nicole Shuppert, but she failed to include this important information.

I would like to add that Barbara Dewey, also cited in the article, failed to consider that this advice is not foolproof or error proof. She claimed that students should check up on their orders and make sure that there was proper inventory for the books that are ordered on line. Well, I did both and still encountered these problems. The computer told me that all of my books were readily available. It wasn't until two weeks later that the company notified me that they were not.

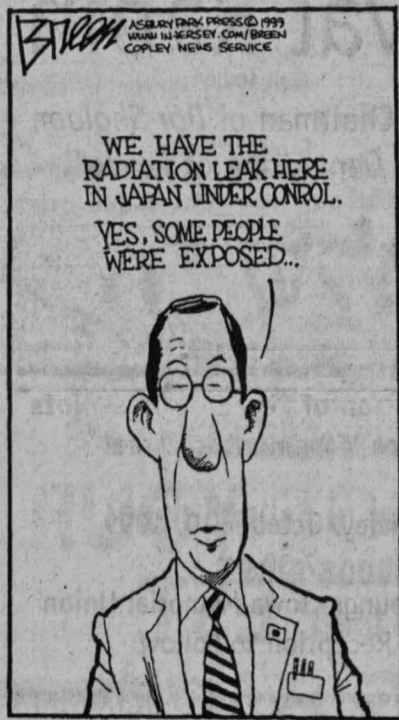
However, I would not have been notified if I had not called once a week for three weeks. The first week, I was told that my books had been shipped out. When I still hadn't received my texts two weeks later, I called again and was told that they

were not shipped out but that I would have them by the end of the week. The following Monday, I still did not have my books and spent every day that week on the telephone with different people from Bigwords.com, only to conclude that the texts actually had not been sent out.

The initial reason for my requesting that this article be written is that the company lied to me twice and failed to compensate me for my time and losses. Students across the campus should be aware of the stakes when dealing with online companies. I would like to emphasize that the information that these companies give you is not always correct. I think that information like this is valuable and should not be disregarded, as it gives a false impression of the actual situation at hand. I hope that this letter will better interpret the severity of Bigwords' actions.

Melissa Lettiere
Iowa City

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Hollywood disaster flicks attack good taste with hurricane force

If there has been any speculation over what Hollywood movie will take home the Oscar for best film of 1999, it can end now. A clear-cut front runner has finally emerged; even its brief previews have a nation anxiously awaiting its imminent release.

I saw the commercial for *Bats* a few days ago and, after only a half minute of highlights, can safely assure anybody that sees it that this film is destined for immortality. The plot, from what I have gathered, details the eternal duel between human civilization and the thousands of vicious bats that share our habitat. Can these two species peacefully co-exist? Apparently not — the bats go wild in this movie, and mayhem, hilarity and romantic intrigue ensues.

If this can't win an Oscar for forging tremendous ground in the bat-film genre, it should at least grab a prize for originality. After all, how many movies these days grapple with such day-to-day threats to human society as bat swarms, asteroids, man-eating snakes, volcanoes and 50-foot crocodiles? Few indeed. Only several films within the past year, in fact, have confronted these pressing concerns.

Natural disasters and potentially evil creatures have preoccupied many filmmakers' minds over the past few years. It makes one wonder where it all got started. Perhaps it was with *The Birds* or *Cujo*. Or maybe *Twister*, the creatively titled tornado flick, left some minds spinning. In any case, a trend has emerged that involves low creativity, poor script writing and millions of dollars.

Filmmakers in Hollywood, like street hustlers in New York or Washington, D.C., have stumbled upon a method of duping the public and generating money. Films such as *Armageddon* and *Deep Blue Sea* (asteroid and shark flicks, respectively) are the fake Rolexes of the film world. People are eating them up like, well, man-eating snakes.

So while it is little wonder that producers have an interest in these films, what is there to say of the actors

involved? "The Academy Award for *Midnight Cowboy* was a highlight," Jon Voight might reminisce 10 years from now, "but I was most proud of my work in *Anaconda*." Yeah, and so was Ice Cube. Nevertheless, with the full support of the film industry and its actors, the cheap-thrills genre continues and will do so until there are no threatening animals, viruses or natural disasters left to exploit. With that in mind, here is a preview of some upcoming releases that you won't want to miss:

Severe Thunderstorm Warning — Get ready for some window-rattling, rain-splattering, pulse-pounding action as a thunderstorm rolls through an unsuspecting metropolis. What will happen when the rain comes down? Could lightning strike? That will be up to a local meteorologist, played by Tommy Lee Jones, to find out. *STW* will strike fear into people of all ages the next time a five-minute storm warning interrupts their favorite television show.

Fall Harvest — What harm can be done by a fuzzy, innocent ground squirrel? Not much, unless it happens to be 40-feet tall with a voracious appetite for human flesh. Indeed, as

this squirrel gathers food for the winter, nuts and berries will be the last thing on its mind, as terrorized residents of one suburb will surely find out. Sylvester Stallone stars as the town mayor, and James Earl Jones provides the voice of Lothar, the rampaging squirrel.

E. coli — It began with just one undercooked burger. But *E. coli* will be one bacteria that a small Wisconsin town will wish it had never met. Dozens are hospitalized, and only a savvy local doctor played by Susan Sarandon can save them. But will *E. coli* strike her as well? After this heart-stopping thrill-ride, you may never eat bratwurst again.

Outbreak — Meltdowns at nuclear power plants are always a threat, but what should happen if a local grain manufacturing plant slips madly out of control? An explosion at an urban cereal factory leads to chaos this time; as a myriad of whole grain oats spill across city streets and into a nearby river. One thing, for sure, is that residents of this town will be getting plenty of fiber in their diets.

Starring Kevin Bacon, Drew Barrymore and Harvey Keitel.

The Sever-Month Itch — After young Billy stumbled into some brush in the woods, he had no idea that the

rash he'd soon encounter was caused, in fact, by a mutant strain of poison ivy that would soon engulf his entire body. As doctors race to find a cure for Billy (portrayed by Jake Lloyd of *Star Wars: Phantom Menace* fame), the crimson nightmare spreads quickly... Who will survive?

Let's face it. The only natural disasters associated with many of these movies are the films themselves. But as quickly as heavy rains can wipe out a town or a runaway virus can cause hundreds of deaths, these films will inevitably blow through America's theaters with the force of a very strong twister. Brace yourselves.

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On the SPOT

Are you familiar with any of the candidates for city council?



"I wasn't aware of that. I have minimal interest in the politics of Iowa City."

Ben Naylor
UI sophomore



"Not really. I didn't even know the election was today."

Raeann Nordmeyer
UI sophomore



"I don't know any of the candidates. I'm tired, and I've got tons of homework."

Matt Brennan
UI sophomore



"Not really. I'm more interested in presidential elections. I don't follow it too closely."

Brooke Hingtgen
UI junior



"I'm deeply saddened there will be no Karen Kubby this time around."

Nathan Br-Leach
UI senior

Low turnout plagues primary

PRIMARY

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Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan
The ballot-counting machine reads 12 ballots total at 6 p.m. in the IMU, as Tom Anglin, right, and Norman Rogers wait for voters to use the booths behind them. "We'll be lucky to have more by the time we close," Anglin said.

information and knowledge about the candidates," Slockett said.

The six candidates continuing on to the Nov. 2 general election will join Dean Thornberry and Irvin Pfab, candidates for the District C seat.

The eight candidates will participate in a forum at the Iowa City Civic Center on Oct. 20 at 7:30 p.m.

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COGS files complaint on payroll problems

COGS

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campuswide."

The UI has used a mainframe program to issue payroll checks for the past 30 years. The decision to switch to the PeopleSoft program last summer was made because of anticipated Y2K problems, said Joseph Joynt, the manager of university payroll.

"The new program is Y2K compliant, and it was a matter of spending \$500,000 to \$1 million on trying to update a program that was just too old," he said.

But PeopleSoft is not the cause of the problem, said Richard Saunders, assistant director of UI human resources.

"The problems are really not much different from any other year," he said. "It's the crush of new people we have at the beginning of every year."

The UI has known there

would be a change in the software program for a couple of years, Joynt said.

"(But) everything came together at the last minute, and so it took training time away," he said.

The UI was as prepared as it could be, said Larry Meyer, UI data systems manager.

"You can prepare as much as you want, and there was training, but there still wasn't enough," he said.

Several people who have had problems with their paychecks have gone into the payroll office and immediately been issued checks, Joynt said.

Coy was one of those people who had to go to the office.

"They are really nice, but it just seemed to me that they were just overwhelmed," she said.

The issue is not whether the problems are a result of the new software, Herman said.

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— Deborah Herman, COGS president

those people who are living paycheck to paycheck?" she said.

Not enough people to handle data entry may also contribute to the problems; more people would help, but payroll just can't hire more right now, Saunders said.

Coy said she got that impression when she talked to officials in the payroll office.

"Even if this is an annual problem, it would seem to make sense to get more temporary workers to help with the problem," she said.

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Goo Goo fans go ga-ga over concert

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UI sophomore Casey Cooney said he was impressed with at least the bands he saw at the fair.

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Iowa City was the first stop for the inaugural festival, which will

visit college campuses throughout the nation. The lack of fame may account for the low attendance, Lynsky said.

"There have been some startup problems. Because the tour is kicking off at the UI, there is no rhythm yet. That develops after the show goes from stop to stop," he said. "In a sense, how well today goes will decide if we do anything big like this again."

Tents on the festival site housed exhibits of MP3.com and its affiliates, including Bigwords.com, Body @ Best and Maxim Magazine.

MP3.com is a Web site for musicians and music lovers. Bands can sign up and build their own sites with "downloadable" music. MP3.com sells the music for the bands, and the artists keep half of all sales, said Heather Wajer, editor

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— Mike Lynsky, public relations director for SCOPE

of artist communication at MP3.com.

SCOPE will showcase such bands as the Backstreet Boys, the Funky Meters and the Get Up Kids later this semester.

"We are definitely in the market to attract big-name bands," Lynsky said. "Goo Goo Dolls has had a lot of exposure on the radio, MTV and VH1; interests tend to wane after such exposure. These concerts are



Brad Causey/The Daily Iowan
Goo Goo Doll Johnny Rzeznik performs Tuesday at Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

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Coralville Vine hit in robbery

ROBBERY

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hear and see about something like this and see someone get away with it, then think they can, too. I hope it's not a start of a string of robberies."

Coralville police officers and Johnson County Sheriff's deputies spent approximately an hour after the robbery searching the area for anything suspicious or possible witnesses, Bedford said.

Investigators will continue to interview people and test for possible physical evidence at the restaurant, he said.

"Whoever does these things, they end up talking; that is why we ask people to keep an ear out," Bedford said.

People with information are asked to call the Coralville police at

354-1100.

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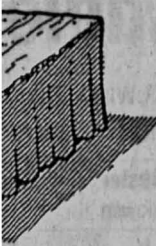
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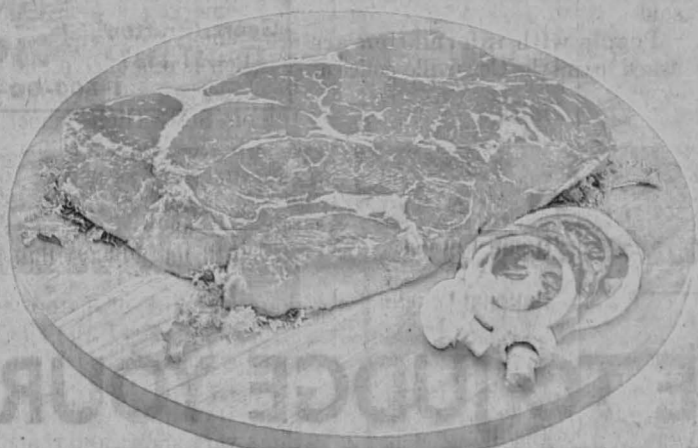
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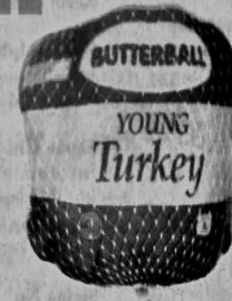
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BASEBALL

New York Yankees	8	New York Mets	0
Texas Rangers	6	Arizona Diamondbacks	1
Atlanta Braves	6	Houston Astros	1

NHL

Ottawa Senators	2	Colorado Avalanche	1
N.Y. Rangers	1	Nashville Predators	2
Dallas Stars	3	Anaheim Ducks	2
Detroit Red Wings	2	at Phoenix Coyotes	2

PRO FOOTBALL

Warner leads St. Louis Rams to strong start

The Cedar Rapids native led the Rams to a 3-0 start the first time since 1995.

By R.B. Fallstrom
Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — The St. Louis Rams, one of two unbeaten teams in the NFC, see no reason why they should keep rolling.

"People are going to have a hard time taking us for granted after we've been preparing and getting ready for a good team," quarterback Matt Leinart said Monday.

Warner, former quarterback of the Iowa Barnstormers in the Arena Football League, is a native of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He's a graduate of the University of Northern Iowa.

The Rams haven't had a winning season since 1989 and haven't started since 1995, their first start since then. That year, they won their first four games thanks to the play of Warner, who worked out of the backfield because of the fact they had no turnovers.

So far this season, they're 3-0 with five touchdowns and four giveaways. They're 1-0 with solid plays, especially Warner's.

"I told the squad, because about that year, that we were very interested in winning by Tom Vermeil said Monday. "If you have a good team, you've got to have good fundamentals and have good players."

They're not just winning big. The Rams outscored their opponent with the Cincinnati Bengals on Sunday the latest victory. Teams went into the game with an NFL-high 99 losses in the first round. The Bengals became the first

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No. 2 Nittany Lions worry Hawkeyes in Kinnick

By Mike Kelly
The Daily Iowan

Iowa will look to tame the Nittany Lions offense Saturday in Kinnick Stadium.

Growing up in Pennsylvania, Iowa coach Kirk Ferentz wanted to be a Nittany Lion, recruit just like any high school football player. He was even going to try to walk on to Joe Paterno's squad after his senior year in high school. However, he could not find any takers in Happy Valley, so his high school coach talked him into going to Connecticut and playing linebacker there. Former Dallas Cowboy standout

Tony Dorsett was the prize recruit in Pennsylvania during Ferentz's senior year. Ferentz said all eyes were on Dorsett in the recruiting war.



What: Iowa (1-3) vs Penn State (5-0)
When: Saturday at 11:10 a.m.
Where: Kinnick Stadium

like me. I was too small and too slow." Ferentz said he is not concerned with seeking revenge on the program that scorned him during his high school days. Instead, Ferentz is worried about stopping an experienced Penn State team that brings a No. 2 ranking and a fearsome defense into Saturday's 11:10 a.m. game.

Iowa on the other hand is falling deeper into a downward spiral that seems to worsen with each passing week. However insurmountable the odds may seem, Ferentz said neither himself, nor his players are prepared

to give up on the season. "I take it day-by-day and try to improve," Ferentz said. "That is how I coach and it is how I live my life. We have seven games left to play and I am not prepared to give up on any one of them."

In order to be stay competitive in the game against the Nittany Lions, Iowa will have to muster some offense against Penn State's highly touted defense that includes All-American linebacker candidates LaVar Arrington and Brandon Short.

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So far this season, they're plus-1 in turnover ratio with five takeaways and four giveaways. They're winning with solid plays, especially from the previously unknown Warner, not gimmicks.

"I told the squad, because I knew about that year, that we weren't really interested in winning by accident," Vermeil said Monday. "If you're going to have a good team, you've got to win because you're fundamentally sound and have good players."

They're not just winning, they're winning big. The Rams have outscored their opponents 100-27, with the Cincinnati Bengals (38-10 on Sunday) the latest victim. The two teams went into the game with an NFL-high 99 losses in the 1990s, so the Bengals became the first to 100.



Warner

The NL East champion Braves dropped the first game of the playoffs, 6-1, to the Astros in Atlanta.

By Paul Newberry
Associated Press

ATLANTA — For the Houston Astros, it was a positive start toward ending a history of postseason flops. For the Atlanta Braves, it was a troubling reminder of previous October shortfalls.

Darley Ward hit a tiebreaking homer in the sixth off Greg Maddux and Braves-killer Ken Caminiti clinched it with a three-run shot in the ninth as the Astros defeated Atlanta 6-1 Tuesday in Game 1 of the NL division series.

"The guys should be more relaxed now," Houston's Jeff Bagwell said. "But we've got to be careful not to get too carried away about this."

The Braves have made an unprecedented eight straight play-off appearances, with only one World Series title to show for it. Now, they've got to win three of the

next four games against Houston. "The noose tightens a little quicker in the short series," Chipper Jones said. "It's important for us all to bring our 'A' games to the ballpark tomorrow."

Houston was a clear underdog against the powerful Braves, having lost six of seven meetings during the regular season.

Atlanta clinched its division with a week to go, winning 11 of its last 13 games. After a 12-game winning streak in September, Houston lost nine of its last 15.

"This is a good feeling," Caminiti said. "We can hold our heads up a little bit tonight. But tomorrow is another day."

The Astros sealed the victory in the ninth with four runs against reliever Mike Remlinger. Carl Everett had a sacrifice fly before Caminiti haunted the Braves again. Playing for San Diego, Caminiti

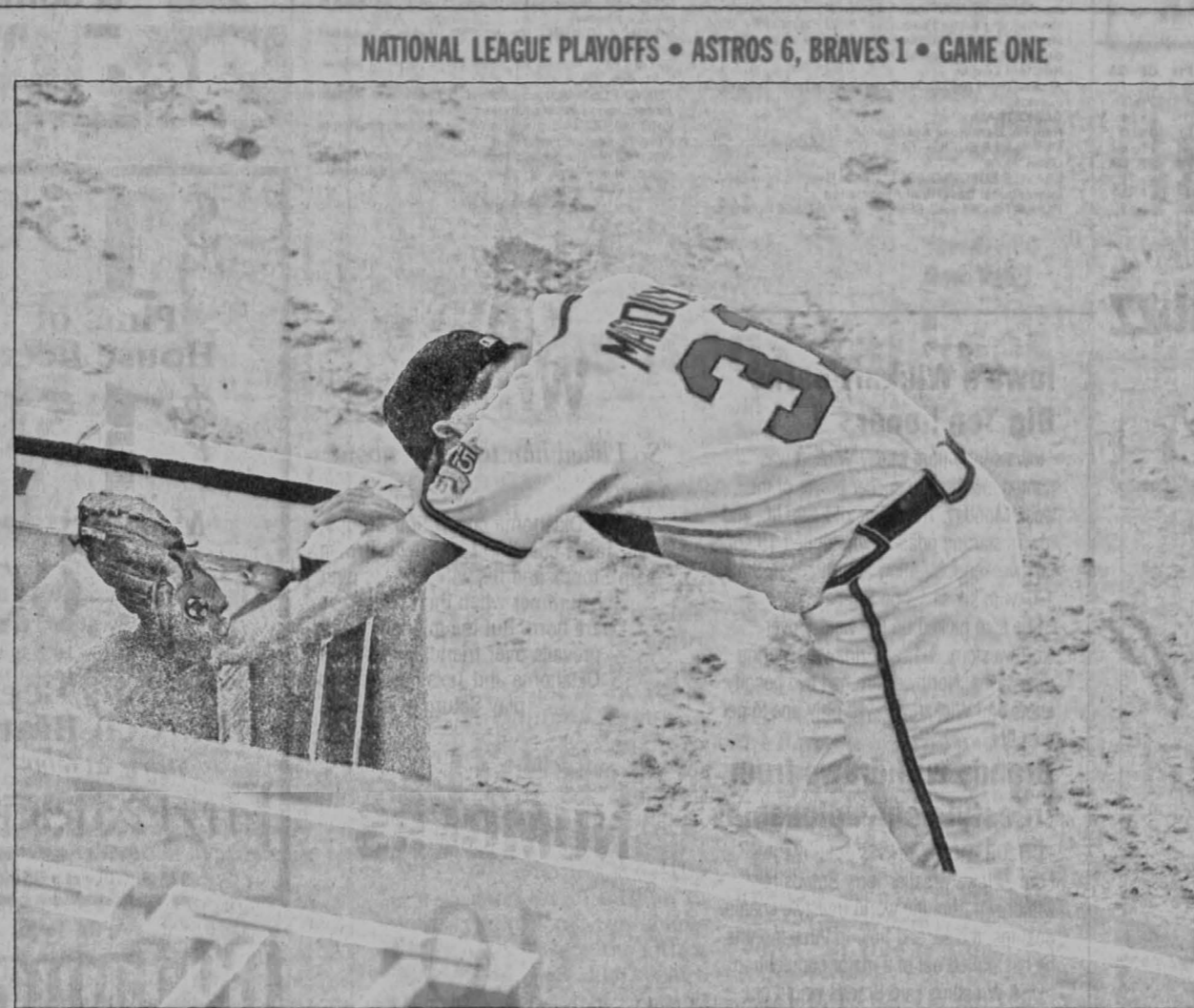
hit a 10th-inning homer against Kerry Ligtenberg to win the first game of the 1998 NL championship series. The Padres went on to a 4-2 victory over Atlanta.

The East champion Braves lost only their second division series game since the format was instituted in 1995. Before Tuesday, they were 12-1 overall, including 10 straight victories.

Houston, which clinched its third straight Central title on the final day of the season, has never won in five playoff series, including a 3-0 sweep by the Braves in 1997. The Astros won't get swept this year, seizing the home-field advantage in the best-of-5 series.

"Two years in a row, we lost the first game," Bagwell said. "This gives us tremendous momentum." The Braves led the majors with 103 wins but drew the smallest

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Ric Feld/Associated Press
Atlanta pitcher Greg Maddux reacts during the third inning of Game 1 of the National League division series at Turner Field in Atlanta Tuesday. The Astros beat the Braves 6-1.

Beaten Braves

Paterno rides PSU during off week

Despite their No. 2 ranking, Joe Paterno and the Nittany Lions are not sitting back and enjoying the success.

By David Kinney
Associated Press

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — Penn State is 5-0 and ranked No. 2. That hasn't stopped Joe Paterno from declaring them stupid, taking them to task for too many fumbles and threatening personnel changes.

"We're undisciplined and sometimes just plain dumb," he griped last week following four days of idle-week practices.

And that was just his cleaned-up, off-the-practice-field version.

"We called it 'Preseason II,'" Rashard Casey said. "We were out there banging, going full speed, conditioning, things we really wouldn't do during a regular week. Coach just tried to get us ready and get our

minds right, make sure we stay in shape."

With the season's only week off followed by this Saturday's visit to 1-3 Iowa, the timing seemed right for some old-fashioned abuse.

"I've been critical of them because they're things I know they can correct," Paterno said Tuesday. "I have not been critical of their effort. I've been critical of them because I think they've been careless."

Paterno is talking about a few troubling trends:

— The Lions have fumbled 17 times — 3.4 times a game — and lost six, second-worst in the Big Ten.

— The offensive line has given up a conference-worst 19 sacks for 98 yards in losses. The defense has only

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Chris Gardner/Associated Press
Penn State coach Joe Paterno yells at an official after he flagged Penn State for a personal foul in the second quarter against Indiana Saturday, Sept. 25 in State College, Pa.

IOWA SOCCER

Freshman phenom leads young squad

Iowa's Sarah Lynch is taking over the Hawkeye records book and moving up in the national rankings.

By Melinda Mawdsley
The Daily Iowan

Freshman Sarah Lynch has emerged a sensation, and no one is surprised.

Lynch is one of five players on the Iowa soccer roster from four-time Illinois State High School champion St. Charles High. A high school team captain, she was named to the 1999 All-Tournament, All-State and All-Area Teams.

"Sarah has always had a tremendous amount of potential. She is strong and fast," St. Charles High girls' soccer coach Joe Moreau said. "She became more aggressive and grew into an overall better player. She's very smart and coachable."

Iowa coach Stephanie Gabbert sees the same things in her college athlete.

"I'm not really surprised by (Lynch's) impact," Gabbert said. "She has a special natural ability. She's tall and strong. She does things you don't coach."

Lynch's impact can be seen at the national and conference level. She is currently tied for 11th in the nation in points per game (2.55) and goals per game (1.09). She has set the record for Big Ten freshman game-winning goals (6). She sits atop the 1999 conference rankings in points (28) and goals (12).

She is starting to re-write the Iowa soccer record books as well. Lynch is the all-time leader and single season record holder in game-winning goals (6). She holds the single season marks for shots (53), points (28) and goals (12).

"The best part of my game is the scoring aspect. I can get shots off quickly, but I need to work on my ball

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POSTSEASON GLANCE

DIVISION SERIES (Best-of-5)
American League
 New York vs. Texas
Tuesday, Oct. 5
 New York 6, Texas 0, New York leads series 1-0.
Thursday, Oct. 7
 Texas (Helling 13-11) at New York (Pettitte 14-11), 7:17 p.m. (FOX)
Saturday, Oct. 9
 New York (Clemens 14-10) at Texas (Loaiza 9-5), 6:40 p.m. (NBC)
Sunday, Oct. 10
 New York at Texas, 4:09 p.m. (ESPN) or 7:50 p.m. (FOX), if necessary
Monday, Oct. 11
 Texas at New York, 8:17 p.m. (FOX), if necessary

Cleveland vs. Boston
Wednesday, Oct. 6
 Boston (Martinez 23-4) at Cleveland (Colon 19-5), 7:17 p.m. (FOX)
Thursday, Oct. 7
 Boston (Sabersham 10-6) at Cleveland (Nagy 17-11), 3:09 p.m. (ESPN)
Saturday, Oct. 9
 Cleveland (Burba 15-8) at Boston (Merker 2-0), 3:17 p.m. (FOX)
Sunday, Oct. 10
 Cleveland at Boston, 12:09 p.m. (ESPN) or 6:50 p.m. (FOX), if necessary
Monday, Oct. 11
 Boston at Cleveland, 3:09 p.m. (ESPN) or 7:17 p.m. (FOX), if necessary

National League
Atlanta vs. Houston
Tuesday, Oct. 5
 Houston 6, Atlanta 1, Houston leads series 1-0
Wednesday, Oct. 6
 Houston (Lima 21-10) at Atlanta (Millwood 18-7), 3:09 p.m. (ESPN)
Friday, Oct. 8
 Atlanta (Givens 13-11) at Houston (Hampton 22-4), 3:09 p.m. (ESPN)
Saturday, Oct. 9
 Atlanta at Houston, 12:09 p.m., if necessary (ESPN)
Sunday, Oct. 10
 Houston at Atlanta, 3:09 p.m. (ESPN) or 6:50 p.m. (FOX), if necessary

Arizona vs. New York
Tuesday, Oct. 5
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Wednesday, Oct. 6
 New York (Hogers 5-1) at Arizona (Stottlemyre 6-3), 10:09 p.m. (ESPN)
Friday, Oct. 8
 Arizona (Daal 16-9) at New York (Reed 11-5), 7:10 p.m. (NBC)
Saturday, Oct. 9
 Arizona at New York, 12:09 p.m., if necessary (ESPN) or 6:50 p.m. (FOX), if necessary
Sunday, Oct. 10
 New York at Arizona, 6:50 p.m., if necessary (FOX)

LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES (Best-of-7)
American League
 (FOX)
Wednesday, Oct. 13

Boston-Cleveland winner at New York OR Boston at Texas OR Texas at Cleveland, 7:15 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 14
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Saturday, Oct. 16
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Sunday, Oct. 17
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 Boston-Cleveland winner at New York OR Boston at Texas OR Texas at Cleveland, 3:19 p.m., or 7:15 p.m., if necessary
Thursday, Oct. 21
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National League
 (NBC)
Tuesday, Oct. 12
 Arizona-New York winner at Atlanta OR Houston at Arizona OR New York at Houston, 7:12 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 13
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Saturday, Oct. 16
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Sunday, Oct. 17
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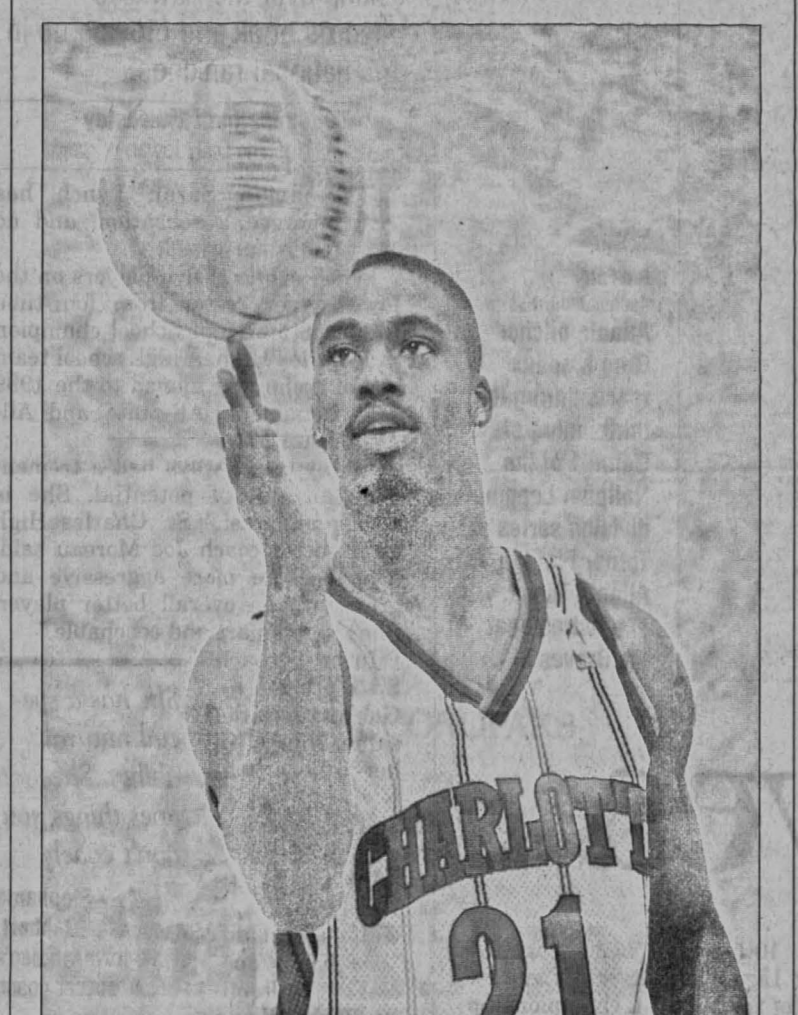
WORLD SERIES (Best-of-7)
 (NBC)
Saturday, Oct. 23
 American League at National League, 7:05 p.m.

BASEBALL
American League
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Signed DH John Jaha to a two-year contract.
Southern League
KNOXVILLE SMOKIES—Announced that the team is moving to Sevierville, Tenn., beginning with the 2000 season, and will be known as the Tennessee Smokies.
Midwest League
BELOIT SNAPPERS—Named Bruce Keller general manager, Brent Wheeler assistant general manager, Dave Costello director of community and media relations and promotions, Rebecca Braun director of group sales and merchandising, Bob Preston director of food and beverage services and account executive, Jared Parcell advertising representative and account executive and Chuck Cannon director of stadium operations.
Northern League
ALLENSTOWN AMBASSADORS—Named Joe Calapietra manager.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Signed G Brandon Williams and F Galen Young.
SEATTLE SUPERSONICS—Signed F Rickie Wintlow.
International Basketball Association
FARGO-MOORHEAD BEEZ—Signed F David Robinson.

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Charlotte's Ricky Davis spins a ball as he waits to have his photo taken on the first day of training camp in Fort Mill, S.C., Monday.

SPORTSWATCH

Sprewell escapes punitive damages
 MARTINEZ, Calif. (AP) — New York Knicks guard Latrell Sprewell was ordered Tuesday to pay about \$105,000 to a man and woman injured in a highway wreck that he admitted caused.

ond-round draft pick, have been signed by the Milwaukee Bucks, the team announced Tuesday.
 The 6-foot-6 Williams, undrafted from Davidson College in 1996, was with the San Antonio Spurs last season after stints in the CBA and professional leagues in Greece and France. He played nine games for Golden State in 1997.

But Sprewell was not ordered by a Contra Costa County Superior Court jury to pay the couple punitive damages, which could have been costly to the former Golden State Warrior.

The 6-7 Young led North Carolina Charlotte last season with 14.7 points, 7.2 rebounds and 1.5 steals a game.

Juco transfer out for season with knee injury
 LINCOLN, Neb. — Nebraska basketball player George Mazzyck will miss the season with a broken knee cap.

Successful surgery for Jamal Anderson
 ATLANTA — Atlanta Falcons running back Jamal Anderson underwent successful knee surgery Tuesday.

Mazzyck, a 6-foot-9, 270-pound forward/center who played briefly at Missouri two years ago, was scheduled to have surgery on Wednesday. The same injury limited Mazzyck to just eight games last year at Coffeyville (Kan.) Community College, where he averaged eight points and 8.5 rebounds per game.

Anderson, an All-Pro who rushed for 1,846 yards last season, tore the anterior cruciate ligament in his right knee during a loss to the Dallas Cowboys on Sept. 20.

Williams, Young signed by Bucks
 MILWAUKEE — Free agent guard Brandon Williams and forward Galen Young, a sec-

The surgery was performed at Piedmont Hospital about two weeks after the injury, allowing time for a reduction in swelling.

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Doctors at the Mayo Clinic said the infection would be treated and no date has been set for the replacement surgery. The 52-year-old Alvarez will remain hospitalized and will not attend Saturday's game

lowa's Wickart earns Big Ten honor

Iowa sophomore Missy Wickart was named the Big Ten soccer player of the week Monday. The native of Lisle, Ill., and Iowa's starting goalkeeper stopped 15 shots last weekend, shutting out Michigan State, 1-0, with six saves on Sunday.

Brands withdraws from freestyle championships

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (AP) — Former Iowa wrestler Terry Brands has withdrawn from the world freestyle championships, the second time in three months he has pulled out of a major competition. USA Wrestling said Brands would not compete because of an illness and will be replaced at 127.75 pounds by Eric Guerrero in the tournament that begins Thursday in Ankara, Turkey.

SAID WHAT?

"So I liked him there for about a week."
 — Oklahoma coach Bob Stoops, on Texas coach Mack Brown. Brown sent Stoops and his wife flowers over the summer when their twin sons were born. But the intense rivalry prevails over friendship as both Oklahoma and Texas prepare to play Saturday in Texas.

BY THE NUMBERS

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Hometown star looks to shine at Iowa

Freshman forward Teesa Price was a member of the F.C. Iowa Club Team and was selected to the Regional Team Pool in 1997 and 1998. She was a first-team All-Conference and second-team All-State soccer member her senior year. The Iowa City High graduate currently holds one school volleyball record and five track records. She was a conference, district and state champion in the 100 hurdles in 1997 and the 400 hurdles in 1998. Price was named the Outstanding High School Female Athlete of the 1999 Drake Relays. At Iowa, Price has tallied nine points on four goals and one assist. DI sportswriter Melinda Mawdsley talked to Price about being a Hawkeye, her decision to play soccer and the growing interest in soccer as a whole.

DI: You were a five-sport letterwinner. Was it tough to decide which sport you wanted to continue?

TP: Yeah, I kind of was. I was hoping to get playing time. I wasn't expecting to start.

DI: What is your role on this team?

TP: My role is to play as hard as I can. I'm not the most skilled player on the team, but my biggest asset is that I work hard. I'll do anything to play.

TP: I had a hard time deciding between track and soccer, but I'm really happy with my decision. I still might want to run track. I'm keeping my options open, but I'm still working on balancing school and soccer right now.

DI: There's only three players on the roster from the state of Iowa, but do you see the interest in soccer growing?

TP: I really see it growing. I didn't start club soccer until seventh grade. There are good coaches now, and I see little kids getting involved around third or fourth grade.

DI: Where does this freshman class want to take Iowa Hawkeye women's soccer?

TP: We just want to keep moving up and establishing Iowa soccer. Teams are going to start worrying about us. We are a threat in the Big Ten now.

DI: Describe this team in three words.

TP: Hard-working, enthusiastic, determined.

DI: Were you surprised to start as a freshman?

FACE FACE

with Teesa Price



Lynch to help Hawkeyes into first postseason

LYNCH

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"We've been playing together since fifth grade. I know how she plays, and I know where she's going to be," Atkocaitis said.

Speaking of people who know a lot about Lynch, her older sister Stephanie, a sophomore on the team, is happy her younger sister is on the team.

"I think it's awesome how she's doing. I'm not surprised," Stephanie Lynch said. "I have friends that go to Michigan, and they've asked about her. It helps promote our program."

Lynch had no reservations joining the third year Iowa program despite the 14-21-2 overall record and the failure to qualify for the Big Ten Tournament, which takes the top eight conference finishers.

"I knew I would have a chance to



Brian Moore/The Daily Iowan
Iowa freshman Sarah Lynch hits a header during a home game.

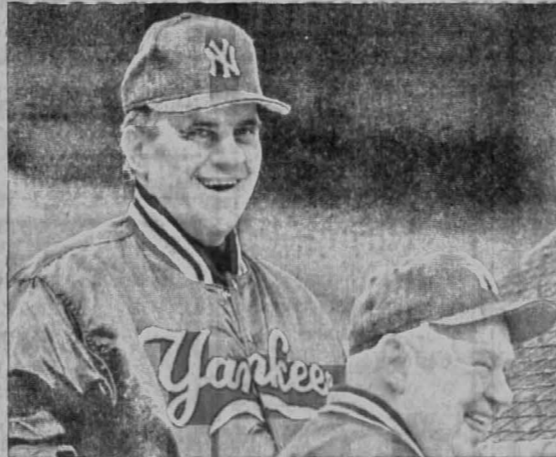
play at a new program, and I wanted to come in, play and have fun," Lynch said. "I wanted to be close to home, and it's fun to be with Steph. I'm so glad I chose Iowa. College has been so much fun."

Iowa, behind the offensive explosion of Lynch thus far, is on its way to securing a Big Ten Tournament berth for the first time ever.

"The team is ready to step up to the level of our competition," Lynch said. "The results of last year have no effect on our play this year. It's fun to show other teams that were capable of playing with them. We have goals and dreams."

DI sportswriter Melinda Mawdsley can be reached at melinda-mawdsley@uiowa.edu.

AL PLAYOFFS • YANKEES 8, RANGERS 0



Mark Lennihan/Associated Press
New York's Joe Torre, and coach Don Zimmer smile during warm ups before game one of the AL playoffs against Texas Tuesday in New York.

Williams leads Yankees

By Ronald Blum
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Talk about instant replay.

Picking up right where they left off last October, the New York Yankees blanked Texas yet again, with Orlando Hernandez allowing two hits in eight innings and Bernie Williams driving in six runs as the World Series champions beat the Rangers 8-0 Tuesday night in their AL playoff opener.

While "El Duque" smoked the Rangers, at the plate it was Bern, baby, Bern.

Williams, showing why the Yankees paid \$87.5 million to keep him, had a two-run double off loser Aaron Sele in the fifth, a three-run homer off Mike Venafro in the sixth and an RBI single off Jeff Fassero in the eighth.

Texas has just one run in its last 42 innings in the playoffs,

all against New York, and has lost seven straight postseason games since beating the Yankees in the Rangers' first one, in 1996.

After a day off, the series resumes at Yankee Stadium on Thursday, with Andy Pettitte (14-11) pitching for New York against Rick Helling (13-11).

Last year, then New York came off its record 114-48 regular season and flattened Texas in a first-round sweep, holding the Rangers one run and a .141 average.

This year, the Yankees' record slipped a league-high 16 wins to 98-64, creating doubt whether they were strong enough to win their third Series title in four years.

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cited medical reasons in the death certificate. He declined to elaborate. While Shoate's family issued a statement saying that he had died of a long-term illness, Sims said the family did not know the exact cause of death. She said family members suspected it could be tied to an off-and-on struggle with drug abuse. Sims said she saw her brother Friday night, and he seemed well. Family members grew concerned over the weekend after they had not heard from him, and he did not answer the door, she said.

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Mitchell has a 'good shot' to play in Iowa

PENN STATE

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gotten to the opposing quarterback 11 times, third-to-last in the Big Ten.

— They've been flagged for 29 penalties for 253 yards.

— They have not been able to depend on the running game, averaging only 127 yards in the past three games.

So last week was not a time for rest. On Friday, Paterno had them on the field at 6 a.m., although players say they asked for it so they could leave early for the weekend.

"We obviously had some things to go over," Kevin Thompson said.

"It was very tough, very tough, something we needed. We worked very hard, and I think we got a lot out of it," tailback Eric McCoo said. "We made some changes as far as how we run the ball, when we run the ball, aiming points for running backs and linemen — trying to get on the same page."

The best news for the running game is that tailback Cordell Mitchell, who started the first two games, has a "good shot" of playing against Iowa.

But the week off did not help the offensive line. Backup center Josh Mitchell (knee) is hurt, and Eric Cole, still recovering from a shoulder injury of his own, is taking snaps at center to spell Frank

Spano. Cole's backup, Greg Ransom, is also questionable.

Other injured starters are defensive tackle David Fleishhauer (ankle) and wideout Corey Jones (hamstring). Paterno also must replace defensive lineman Jason Wallace, who broke his ankle against Indiana.

"If we were playing tomorrow, we'd be in tough shape," Paterno said.

Actually, the spate of injuries shouldn't be a problem against Iowa.

There is concern down the road. Five of the Lions' next seven opponents are currently ranked: No. 21 Ohio State, No. 17 Purdue, No. 25 Minnesota, No. 3 Michigan and No. 11 Michigan State.

Reiners will start at quarterback Saturday

FOOTBALL

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Randy Reiners remains the starter at quarterback for Iowa. Ferentz said the senior is the signal-caller the coaches feel can move Iowa's offense the best. He said the coaches toyed with the idea of pulling Reiners in the second half of the Michigan State game, but decided against it.

Iowa had trouble gaining yards against the Spartans Saturday,

gaining only one first down in the first half. Iowa tackle Bruce Nelson said despite the poor performance offensively, his team can move the ball against Penn State.

"If you don't think you can run the ball, you've lost the battle already," Nelson said.

Defensively, Iowa should have senior defensive back Matt Bowen back in time for Saturday. Bowen left the Michigan State game with a hip pointer. He said he was going to try and practice Tuesday after miss-

ing the team's Sunday workout.

Bowen also reiterated Ferentz's resolve to salvage what is left of the 1999 campaign and said he is trying not get too downtrodden by what he sees in the media.

"I read everything people write about us and it is not fun," Bowen said. "It is interesting to see what kind of courage and character you have after reading those. We just have to bounce back as best we can."

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Home field advantage does not help Braves

BRAVES-ASTROS

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crowd in Atlanta's 44-game post-season history.

The turnout of 39,119 was nearly 11,000 short of capacity at Turner Field and easily eclipsed the previous low of 42,117 for Game 1 of the 1998 NL championship series. In the right-field upper deck, only a few dozen people occupied seven sections of blue seats.

"It was certainly disappointing," Jones said.

Game 2 is this afternoon in Atlanta before the series shifts to Houston for Game 3 Friday.

Ward, the son of former major leaguer Gary Ward, was recalled from Triple-A New Orleans for the second time on July 20. He took over for the slumping Derek Bell and came through with two of Houston's biggest hits this season: a two-run homer against Cincinnati last week and a three-run double Sunday in a 9-4 victory over Los Angeles, securing the division title.

On Tuesday, he came through again, hitting the first pitch of the sixth into the right-field seats against Maddux to break a 1-1 tie.

"He's a great hitter, he really is," Bagwell said. "You've got to give him credit for working his butt off to become a good left-fielder. He could always hit."

Ward's dad, by the way, hit .276 with 130 homers in a solid 12-year career but never played in a postseason game.

"There's not too much of a burden on me," the younger Ward said. "No one is expecting me to do too much."

The Braves managed seven hits against winner Shane Reynolds, who went six innings and allowed the lone run. He pitched around Jones, walking the MVP candidate twice on four pitches, and three relievers finished up with

three hitless innings.

The Astros went ahead in the second when Everett led off with a

bunt single, Caminiti walked and Tony Eusebio drove in the run with a line drive up the middle.

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AMC	Safe at Home! (5:30)	The Sea Chase (55) ** (John Wayne)	Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf? (9:05) (66) ***	Land of the Pharaohs								
MTV	Beat Suite	Video	TRL	Karaoke	True Life	BiOrhythm	LoveLine	Undressed	Death			
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- chic
- like some calls
- Stuff to be crunched
- "Let's Make a Deal" host
- Put in the cup
- Spy exchanged for Powers
- The biggest of seven
- LP half
- Fire
- Start of a Mark Twain quote
- Valley, Idaho
- First name in mystery writing
- C.I.A. progenitor
- Increase, with "up"
- Concert hall cry
- Quote, part 2
- Gave sparingly, with "out"
- Masterstroke
- Journalist's 40-Across
- Believers
- Bit of high jinks
- Quote, part 3
- Join anew, in a way
- Pay stub?
- Cambodia's Lon
- Tillicaca, por ejemplo
- "... your dime!"
- End of the quote
- Jim Davis dog
- Singer Marie
- Go bonkers
- Rustic pipe
- John who played Gomez
- "A Death in the Family" author
- Pieta figure
- Heroes' exploits
- Lily locale

DOWN

- Popular cuisine
- Prickly heat, e.g.
- "Essays of ..."
- Europe's largest ethnic group
- Remote selections
- Give the slip to
- Holy oil source
- When haroseth is eaten
- 1920's swimming sensation
- Gertrude
- Punchy state
- Opposite of hinder
- Bulls or Bears
- One who's in your corner
- It's worth around a dollar
- Put up, as money
- Hollywood treasure
- Teatime treat
- Puts out of business
- One of a Caesarean trio
- Bob, e.g.
- "Helzapoppin" star Ole
- Like some styles
- Blind followers
- "Waiting for Lefty" playwright
- compos mentis
- Jail or pot lead-in
- Critters with pouches
- Like the eye of a storm
- Pro
- Employer of commercialism's idle repairman
- Level
- Actress Lamarr
- Hand or foot
- "Othello" fellow
- It's within your range
- Brainwave
- Exigency

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Though rising, UI default rate stays low

The national rate is down but is still twice the default rate as that at the

By Tom Tortorich
The Daily Iowan

While the national default government student loans has decreasing, rates at the UI are rising.

Rates released for fiscal year show a 0.8 percent decrease from the previous year. The default rate for the UI has the last year, from 3.5 percent, said Catherine Wilcox, director for the student aid office.

The increase is not a concern for the UI, because the 4.2 percent rate is less than the national average of 8.8 she said.

But the UI's default rate is being discounted, said Marc supervisor of student loans in business office; if the rate is high, the federal government denies loans to UI students.

The ratio of students who making payments due on their relation to the total number of borrowers is defined as the default rate.

Six months after a student school, he or she must begin payments on any outstanding Wilcox said, or be considered default.

Shaun Aghili, a certified planner and author of No Credit Manual, said the average student comes out of college with amount of debt. This can be dangerous because once defaulted on, credit rating is severely damaged and agencies will try to seek repayment.

"The best defense for a student who is about ready to default is to contact the loan holder," Aghili said. "Then, the next step is to

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