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TODAY IN SPORTS

Football star dies

Kansas City Chiefs football star Derrick Thomas died Tuesday after a Jan. 23 auto accident. See story, Page 18



AROUND TOWN

More minority faculty wanted

A diversity forum says the UI needs to enhance cultural diversity. See story, Page 7A



HALF STAFF

The flag is flying at half-staff today in memory of Kelly Trecka, a UI graduate.



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Point, click, vote – UISG hopes for high turnout

For the first time, UI students will be able to go online to cast their UISG votes.

By Heather Pavnica
The Daily Iowan

UI Student Government elections will go online this year for the first time in an effort to coax more students to vote in the March 7 election.

The UISG will host an online election this year to both make voting easier for UI students and to cut costs associated with traditional paper balloting, said Megan Bygness, the chairwoman of the Student Election Board.

Students can vote in the UISG online election under the "My UIowa" link on the quick menu of the ISIS on the Web! program, which was launched Aug. 18, said Joel Wilcox, the

director of the Web ISIS development program.

In the 1999 election, approximately \$8,000 was budgeted out of student activities fees for UISG elections. Roughly two-thirds of that amount was used to pay the Johnson County Auditor's Office and student groups to run the polls, and for voting poll set-up, Bygness said.

The online voting program is expected to cost approximately \$1,000 to \$2,000, Wilcox said.

A portion of the money budgeted last year for the 2000-01 UISG elections will be used to create more voter awareness through UISG campaigning, but none of the funds will go

directly to candidates, Bygness said.

The remaining funds will revert to the supplemental budget for funds not allocated in the student-group budgets but needed for new projects, she said.

UISG has been pushing for an online election for several years, Bygness said, but online voting was not possible until Web-based ISIS was put into place.

An online UISG referendum for the 2000-01 tuition hike prompted over 1,300 students to vote last fall in the only online vote the group has sponsored thus far.

The program for online voting has not yet been completed; it will require a student's Social Security number

and ISIS password. Once the vote is final, a student's vote is secure. He or she will not be able to change a vote once it has been submitted, Wilcox said.

Students will be allowed to log on to "My UIowa" to verify that they have voted. The Web ISIS team keeps track of how many people vote and where they cast their ballots, Wilcox said.

UI junior Eric Smith, who voted in last year's UISG elections, said online voting isn't a big deal.

"I don't think it will be easier or harder because voting wasn't hard before," he said.

While he doesn't know if there will be a higher turn-out this year because

of the online voting, Smith said, "I think the kids that are interested will vote either way."

The Election Board hopes the online election will encourage more students to vote, but UISG Vice President Andy Stoll said with such low voter turnouts every year, students may forget to vote via the online elections.

"Polls are a visual reminder," he said. "The hope is that it will be more accessible ... because you just have to have a computer. I hope the online election will bring out more students." The UISG election is scheduled for March 7.

DI reporter Heather Pavnica can be reached at: heather-pavnica@uiowa.edu

QUEEN OF THE MOUNTAIN



Matt Holst/The Daily Iowan

UI sophomore Andrea Jensen trains Tuesday night at the Touch the Earth climbing gym in the UI Field House.

I want my MP3, says a generation

Unlike some universities, the UI has no plans to block students from accessing MP3 Web sites.

By Michael Chapman
The Daily Iowan

An increase in Internet congestion because students are downloading from an MP3 provider site have caused universities nationwide to begin blocking access to the site in their campus computer labs.

The UI, however, does not plan to follow suit.

"There is no interest in blocking Web sites of any type," said Ann Rhodes, the UI vice president for university relations. "Nobody is inclined to do this."

Northwestern University and the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, are two of many colleges nationwide that have blocked access to Napster.com, a Web site that provides a search engine to look for MP3s.

MP3s are free, CD-quality audio files that are easily downloaded by anyone with Internet access. Music recordings can also be transferred to the MP3 format and uploaded onto the Internet, which means the variety and number of songs available for download is immense.

A number of Web sites offer the files, including www.mp3.com and www.mp3box.com. One of the most popular sites among UI students is Nap-



Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan
UI freshman Andy Sparesus looks on a Web site for MP3s on his computer in his Burge dorm room Tuesday afternoon.

ster.com because of the number of available songs and the speed with which new songs appear, said UI freshman Darren Kachan.

"You hear a song for the first time on the radio, and it's on there that night," he said.

The popularity of MP3s has been evident at colleges across the nation. Northwestern University reported a 20-30 percent increase in Internet congestion due to Napster.com file-transfer traffic, said Jane Drews, a senior sys-

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Sparesus said he started using MP3s after all of his CDs were stolen.

Tension flares on Israel-Lebanon border

The flare-up between Israel and Hezbollah threatens the Israeli-Syria peace process.

By Dina Kraft
Associated Press

KIRYAT SHEMONA, Israel — Tens of thousands of Israelis living near the Lebanon border huddled in underground shelters or fled south out of rocket range Tuesday, fearing reprisals by Lebanese guerrillas for the heaviest Israeli bombardment in eight months.

In its second straight night of attacks, Israel's air force struck Hezbollah offices in the coastal city of Tyre and the guerrilla stronghold of Iqlim al-Tuffah, 40 miles southeast of

Beirut, Lebanese security officials said. At least two people were wounded.

The Israeli army confirmed the attack late Tuesday and early today on Iqlim al-Tuffah, but identified the other target as a Hezbollah radar station.

Prime Minister Ehud Barak ordered a military state of emergency along the northern border, a sign that Israel was preparing for extended fighting. Hezbollah guerrillas Tuesday killed an Israeli soldier — the sixth in two weeks — only hours after Israeli air strikes cut electricity across parts of Lebanon.

"In all that is connected with the protection of our people, our settlements and our soldiers, we will do

everything required," Barak told residents of Kiryat Shemona, who had spent the night in shelters.

Israeli leaders blamed Syria for the latest flare-up and said peace talks will not resume with Damascus until it ends the wave of Lebanese guerrilla attacks. Syria is the main power-broker in Lebanon, and Israel says it encourages the violence.

In Washington Tuesday, the Lebanese ambassador accused Israel of deliberately targeting civilians.

"I expressed my government's concern — grave concern — for the Israeli attacks on civilian targets and explained that these were deliberate attacks in contradiction of law and

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UI forced to wield budget knife

A \$1.6 million cut in the budget will mostly affect equipment purchases; officials say.

By Ryan Foley
The Daily Iowan

UI faculty members may have to go without new equipment until the next fiscal year because of a nearly \$1.6 million cut in the UI budget for fiscal year 2000 — but students will not be affected by the cuts, university officials say.

Approximately \$450,000 of the administration's originally appropriated administrative equipment purchases will be deferred, totaling about one-third of total equipment purchases, said UI President Mary Sue Coleman.

"Sometimes, the effect will be more serious than others," said Coleman. "Many times, it will mean that a faculty member will have to go an extra six months without getting new equipment — which could be anything from a new computer to a new microscope."

The UI's reduced budget is expected to

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	Original Appropriations	Reductions
General University	248,481,025	1,153,376
Primary Health Care	901,405	4,507
University Hospital	32,679,312	163,397
Psychiatric Hospital	8,241,465	41,207
Hospital School	7,305,037	36,525
Oakdale Campus	3,169,417	15,847
Hygienic Laboratory	4,074,514	20,373
Family Practice	2,398,895	11,994
Specialized Child Health Services	655,199	3,276
Public Health Initiative	1,050,000	100,000
Ag Health and Safety	279,690	1,398
Sate Of Iowa Cancer Registry	214,020	1,070
Substance Abuse Consortium	75,536	378
Biocatalysis	1,074,259	5,371
National Advanced Driving Simulator	297,104	1,486
Advanced Drug Development	283,094	1,415
Oakdale Research Park	239,777	1,199
Tech Innovation Center	110,920	555
Birth Defects Registry	51,984	260
	311,582,653	1,563,634

Source: Board of Regents

DI/CO

Johnson County mulls buying Sycamore Mall

Some county offices are squeezed for space, so the supervisors will take a look at the mall.

By Avian Carrasquillo
The Daily Iowan

The Johnson County Board of Supervisors will tour the Sycamore Mall today with hopes of finding a solution to space problems in some county offices.

The supervisors are entertaining the idea of purchasing the mall and using it to house the Johnson County Department of Health and Human Services and the county's SEATS

office. The current SEATS office must be vacated by 2001.

"At this point, things are tentative. We will be participating in a walk-through to assess if the property would address our needs," said Supervisor Sally Stutsman.

Sycamore Mall, 1160 Sycamore St., carries a price tag of \$3 million and is scheduled to be auctioned off on Feb. 24 by Chicago-based Benjamin E. Sherman & Sons Auction Services.

Several questions will need to be addressed before the county will decide whether to purchase the mall, said Supervisor Charles Duffy.

"We'll see what kind of shape it's in and if it will fit our needs," he said. "It's a big property — do we really

need all of it, or would leasing part of it solve our problems?"

Several other projects, including

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TASTY SPAM FACTS

- The average consumers of Spam are families with several children, especially in the Southeastern United States.
- In 1989, the U.S. armed forces bought 3.3 million pounds of Spam.
- A can of Spam dropped from a 50-story building would hit the ground at the same time as a severed human head.

• Nikita Krushchev once criticized Spam with the survival of the Russian army in World War II. "Without Spam, we wouldn't have been able to feed our army," he said.

• Hawaii, Alaska, Arkansas, Texas and Alabama rate the highest in Spam consumption respectively.

• Among the 90 foreign countries where Spam is sold, the United Kingdom and South Korea are the largest markets.

Wednesday's Big Picture



Mike Peters, of Sioux City, Iowa, sails across the ice on Crystal Cove Lake in South Sioux City, Neb., on an ice boat as his Dalmatian Oreo follows on a sunny Monday.

Jim Lee/Associated Press

news makers

Hollywood madam no snitch

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Former Hollywood madam **Heidi Fleiss** filed a slander lawsuit against E! Entertainment Television, contending that the cable channel aired an unauthorized biography that characterized her as a police informant.



Fleiss

The suit filed Monday claims the segment last year on "The El True Hollywood Story" fabricated stories and events and

included a dramatization that falsely depicted her wearing recording devices and assisting police in "several narcotics cases." "Hard-core criminals — many of whom were 'set up' by undercover snitches — at the Dublin Federal Correctional Institution where Heidi was incarcerated viewed this biography and immediately saw Heidi as a threat to their existence," said Gary Frischer, Fleiss' publicist. "E! Entertainment Television said in a statement saying it had not yet seen the claim but is confident the information 'was accurately reported.'"

The Blair bitch project

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The company that bought *The Blair Witch Project* is suing a

theater chain, claiming it is owed \$3.1 million in uncollected ticket receipts. The horror film was one of the most profitable ever, making \$140 million after Artisan Entertainment bought the rights and a sequel for \$1 million. Artisan filed the breach of contract lawsuit Monday against Denver-based United Artists Theatre Circuit Inc. Kurt Hall, the chain's chief executive and president, wouldn't comment. The lawsuit says United Artists agreed to pay 90 percent of the gross ticket receipts and to truthfully report the price charged for admission and the total number of tickets sold. The chain "continues to fail and refuse, to make full payment of the license fee due and owing to Artisan," according to the suit.

calendar

The Iowa Department of Human Services will hold a supervisor meeting discussing current topics in child protection in Meeting Room B, Iowa City Public Library, 123 S. Linn St., today at 9:30 a.m.

United Way Agencies Health Insurance Group will hold its annual meeting in Meeting Room A, Public Library, today at 10 a.m.

The Business and Liberal Arts Placement Office will hold a conference on successful interviewing in Room S401, Pappajohn Business Building, today at noon.

The Center for Teaching will hold a conference on Effective Lecturing in the IMU Miller Room today at 12:10 p.m.

Women's Spirituality and Support will sponsor a brainstorming session for women on creating powerful and meaningful lives in Meeting Room C, Public Library, today at 1 p.m.

Sarah Schmitt will perform a short recital of arias, art songs and musical theater pieces for the Iowa City Music Study Club at 628 Larch Lane today at 1 p.m.

There will be a Staff Council meeting in Room N133, Nursing Building, today at 2:30 p.m.

Progressive Iowa City will hold a political issues forum reporting on roles and functions of city and county boards, committees with openings for citizen appointees and a report on the City Council's "Watchdog Program" in Meeting Room A, Public Library, today at 7 p.m.

Central Iowa Women's Caucus for Art will present a slide show in Meeting Room B, Public Library, today at 7 p.m.

Ian Frazier will read from his nonfiction as part of the "Live From Prairie Lights Series" at Prairie Lights Books, 15 S. Dubuque St., today at 8 p.m.

horoscopes

Wednesday, February 9, 2000

by Eugenia Last

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Superiors will appreciate your contributions. Join groups that will bring you in touch with people in a position to get ahead.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Involvement in groups or organizations will be beneficial. You can meet individuals who will listen to your ideas and contribute valuable input. Be discreet about personal matters.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Luxury items will cost you dearly today. Decisions made in haste will be regretted. Don't jump to conclusions; be cautious while traveling.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You can get backing if you ask for favors. Don't hesitate to share your interests with those you would like to get to know better. Your added discipline will help you complete projects.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Travel for business or pleasure will be advantageous due to the people you will meet. Lasting relationships or business partners are likely.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Romantic encounters will develop through work or colleagues. Be receptive to your boss's suggestions. Minor infections may cause setbacks.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Social events will lead to new romantic encounters. Your open and sophisticated nature will attract members of the opposite sex.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Avoid making extravagant purchases to please your lover or spending on unnecessary luxury items. Get sound financial advice before you sign any contracts or financial documents.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Travel will lead to new adventures, but don't be surprised if your journey costs you more than you bargained for. Friends may get on your nerves if you spend too much time together.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Someone you live with will be impossible to get along with. Don't try to deal with important issues or make changes that will upset the apple cart.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): If you trust friends with your secrets, you can expect them to blow the whistle. It is best not to depend on others.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Your energy should be directed into moneymaking ventures. Don't hesitate to look into new jobs or careers. You should use your creative talent.

contest

It's that time of year again. Roses, hearts, blah, blah, blah. And *The Daily Iowan* is seeking those oh-so-memorable tales of how our reader-couples met. You know, long moonlit walks along the Iowa River, romantic dinners for two at the Quad cafeteria, sitting together in the Macbride Auditorium lecture hall... You get the picture. So send your narratives to us at the DI — be they funny, clever, cute, or even romantic — and we'll print the best story on Valentine's Day and set the winners up with dinner for two at a downtown restaurant.

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CITY

Sorry about payroll glitch, UI says

■ The human resources director apologizes and vows to improve communication.

By Robin Wright
The Daily Iowan

In the aftermath of numerous complaints about late paychecks last semester, Robert Foldesi, the UI associate vice president for human resources, spent Tuesday night apologizing to members of the Graduate Student Senate.

Many of the paycheck problems stemmed from the UI's changing its

payroll database to a system called PeopleSoft in anticipation of the Y2K virus, Foldesi said.

During a meeting Tuesday night, he assured graduate students that the problems in the computer system have been fixed.

Paycheck delays also stemmed from personnel problems in the payroll office, Foldesi said. Callers to the office had difficulty reaching a real person because a 48-second automated message played before transferring the call into the office, he said.

"I do apologize. All of us have been students at one time or another and can imagine what your budget was

like," Foldesi said.

The Campaign to Organize Graduate Students-UE Local 896, the UI graduate student union, was cited by Foldesi as shouldering responsibility in August for communicating with employees about payroll problems.

"I appreciate his coming but am left with some questions. Why wasn't there a public apology to all the employees and students affected?" said Jen Sherer, the COGS vice president.

Foldesi suggested e-mailing all Graduate Senate members about university developments as a method of preventing future communication breakdowns.

Under the current system, information sent out by the UI is passed on to Graduate Senate leaders, who then have the same information as the College of Liberal Arts, Foldesi said.

Karen Rodriguez, a graduate student representative for cinema and comparative literature, said computer communication still holds problems.

"I think it would help to spread these messages through e-mail, but (it) wouldn't reach everybody," she said. "They have everyone's addresses to send paychecks, so they could just as easily send notices through the mail."

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CITY BRIEFS

Internet sites may be subject to ADA

A UI College of Law professor is in Washington, D.C., today to tell Congress that private Web sites may not comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Peter Blanck, the co-director of the law school's disability law institute, will testify today before a House of Representatives subcommittee that commercial Internet sites may be subject to reconfiguration if so mandated by the ADA.

"When someone puts up a Web site, he or she has to consider people with seeing and hearing problems," said Leonard Sandler, the co-director of the disability institute. "They are the new places of business and commerce."

There is some debate over whether e-commerce should be subject to the ADA, but, Sandler said, e-commerce is a marketplace for which Web sites should be designed to accommodate everyone.

"When you design a new building, you think about people with various disabilities," he said. "They're saying cyberspace business shouldn't be treated like every other business."

The ADA won't specify how any one Web site should be formatted, just require that the sites comply, Sandler said. Although studies show that the change would be cost-effective, he said, some people oppose all forms of regulation.

— by Andrew T. Dawson

Council predicts \$64 million decrease in city projects by 2004

The Iowa City City Council discussed capital-improvement projects in its budget talks for fiscal years 2001-03 during Tuesday's council workshop.

City Manager Steve Atkins said the capital-improvement plan for the next three years includes an annual increase of the debt service tax rate, which will increase gradually from 2.3 percent per \$1,000 in 2000 to 3.891 percent by 2004.

The debt service pays for the principal and interest on general obligation bonds not covered by funds derived from the user fees of various enterprise funds such as water, sewer and parking.

Estimates for active capital-improvement projects are expected to decrease from \$68.2 million in 2000 to \$4.4 million in 2004.

Parks and recreation development improvement began the workshop's discussion of capital-improvement projects, with attention drawn to the Peninsula Park, Waterworks Park and skateboard park projects.

"I'm going to support this because I think we need a skateboarding park," said Councilor Mike O'Donnell about the skateboard project, which is not budgeted until 2001.

In other action, the council explored the possibility of constructing extensions of Captain Irish Parkway and First Avenue simultaneously to save the city money.

— by Chao Xiong

Study goes close to the chattering crowd

■ Internet addictions may be indicative of more serious disorders, says UI researcher.

By Cassie Huisman
The Daily Iowan

Compulsive online chatting, surfing and playing games may be linked to serious personality disorders, according to a study done in the Iowa City area by Donald Black, a UI psychiatry professor.

The disorders are linked to an increasing number of Americans who are compulsively using computers, he said.

"I think it's quite common," Black said. "I don't think it's hit home that this could be a serious problem."

Black, assisted by UI junior Geeta Belsare, studied 16 men and five

women, mostly in their early 30s, in the Iowa City area who said they used their computers for recreation an average of 27 hours per week. Most typically spent their time online searching the Web, playing games or chatting, Black said.

The study, funded by the remains of a previous grant, found that those who used their computers excessively were more likely to have personality disorders such as social isolation.

Approximately 52 percent of the people in the use study had at least one personality disorder. By comparison, a personality disorder was present in 12 percent of the people involved in a community-wide survey.

UI sophomore Daniel Hartz said the study makes sense.

When someone spends most of her or his time chatting online, there is more time to think about everything

he or she wants to say, but when someone is faced with a social situation, he or she might have difficulty relating, Hartz said.

"You can't say you have a slow modem when you're talking face to face," he said.

People who already have personality disorders are more prone to use their computers compulsively, Black said. Although no one has a definite answer, other studies have shown that compulsive computer use may actually lead to a disorder, he said.

However, UI graduate student

Rachel Blake questions the study. She said she would not be surprised if the results are the same as someone who excessively watches TV or anything else.

Blake said if a person replaces online chatting with regular social activities, he or she might develop problems interacting.

"Some people develop alter-egos online or play multi-user online games," Blake said. "They can get pretty sucked in."

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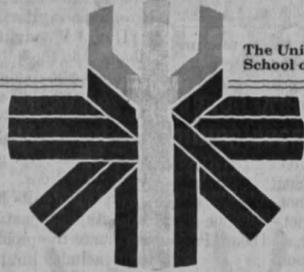
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Midair crash kills WGN radio host

■ Two small planes collide over a hospital in a Chicago suburb; three are dead.

By Shaun Tandon
Associated Press

ZION, Ill. — Two small planes collided over a hospital parking lot in suburban Chicago Tuesday, killing three people, including a popular radio show host.

Bob Collins, the host of Chicago's top-rated morning program for the past decade, was in a plane that crashed onto the hospital's roof, said WGN-AM spokeswoman Debbie Lynch. The other person on the plane, 58-year-old Herman Luscher, was also killed. The second plane, a four-seat Cessna 172, crashed into a nearby street, killing the one person on board, said Zion Fire Chief David LaBelle.

Collins, 57, had been at the talk and sports station since 1974. "We were just talking this

morning about how safe flying is," said Tom Peterson, the WGN-AM's news director and the news anchor on Collins' show.

Collins' show blended news and talk, including calls from listeners and frequent interviews with public officials such as Chicago Mayor Richard M. Daley, Gov. George Ryan and former Gov. Jim Edgar.

"He sort of presided over a daily town meeting of Chicago," said Robert Feder, a television and radio columnist at the *Chicago Sun-Times*. "His show could run the gamut from what was in the news to what was on listeners' minds — whatever struck his fancy."

Collins co-owned the two-seat aerobatic plane that crashed on the hospital roof.

The impact of the crash blew the windows out of the top floor of

Midwestern Regional Medical Center. Two hospital workers were slightly burned, and the hospital was evacuated, said hospital President Roger Cary.

Les Mussared said he was standing in a parking lot near the hospital when the planes crashed.

"I looked up because I heard a gurgling noise. I saw two small planes collide in the air — they pulled away from each other," he said.

The Cessna was registered to ATE of New York, a flying school. A message to the company's office in Chicago was not returned.

Preliminary reports indicated both planes were approaching the Waukegan Airport, near the site of the collision.

Zion is approximately 45 miles north of downtown Chicago, near the Illinois-Wisconsin line.

Man charged with prostitution

■ Police allege that a Harper, Iowa, man offered money for sex at a Coralville arcade.

By Katie Bernard
The Daily Iowan

A 30-year-old Harper, Iowa, man was arrested on Jan. 31 on prostitution charges stemming from an alleged incident at the Time Out arcade, Coral Ridge Mall, on Jan. 15.

Gregory M. Redlinger confessed to approaching a 17-year-old boy and rubbing up against him while he was playing a video game, according to court documents.

Redlinger approached the minor again and began rubbing the boy's buttocks with his hands, the records said. Redlinger then said to the victim, "You wanna go out to the parking lot? I will give you a blow job," according to the records.

When the boy refused, Redlinger told the boy that if money was the problem, he would pay him to participate in the sexual act, according to court records.

"This sort of thing is not very common, or we just don't hear about it," said Coralville Police Chief Barry Bedford. "University towns tend to be more liberal, so there is not a lot of strong prostitution. It happens, but it's usually consensual."

Redlinger admitted to Coralville police that what he did was "wrong and uncivilized," according to court records.

Under Iowa Criminal Law, prostitution is an aggravated misdemeanor, Bedford said.

"This kind of thing is prevalent wherever people congregate; a mall has a large number of people," he said.

Coralville Detective Rob Swank was in charge of the investigation; he could not be reached for comment.

When the incident was reported, Swank interviewed the victim, took a description and gathered evidence, Bedford said.

"He may have been identified through a photo lineup, previous encounters or by friends," he said. No preliminary hearing has been set.

There is no set sentence for prostitution, but penalties can range from monetary fines and jail time to sexual therapy and counseling, Bedford said.

"It depends on determination of the problem. Chances are counseling will be mandated by the courts," said Bedford.

Officials at Coral Ridge Mall were unavailable for comment Tuesday.

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Tennis lights still acing those near City High

■ People who live near City High are still upset about the tennis court lights.

By Jeremy Shapiro
The Daily Iowan

Residents of Third Avenue and Dunlop Court clashed with local tennis players during an Iowa City School Board meeting Tuesday night over the evening use of tennis court lights at City High School. The board declined to take action.

Because the problem is an administrative issue and not a policy issue, the board decided not to pursue any action in the matter, said board President Matt Goodlaxson.

Some residents are upset about the light shining into their homes and would like the board to take action. Shields for the lights were installed

last summer, but, residents say, they have been largely ineffective.

"Shields were supposed to eliminate the light pollution, but that is not the case," said Robert Pleib, 2002 Dunlop Court. "It hasn't come close to eliminating the problem."

David Woodruff, 2004 Dunlop Court, said the intense light has created adverse conditions in his home. While the lights were installed to benefit students, Woodruff is not in favor of the general public using the courts at the expense of affecting his living conditions.

Area residents have developed a five-step suggestion to reduce or eliminate the problem. The suggestion includes limiting the lights to the tennis team's March through May season, instituting an 8:30 p.m. curfew on the courts and installing timers for the lights.

The idea of limiting court use was met with opposition. Brett Green, a member of the City High tennis team, said the courts are extremely important to the team.

"The opportunity to play at 8:30 p.m. is a big help," Green said. "We all live around here, and, while there are other places to play, they're not so convenient as City High."

The proposal to limit the lights to summertime also bothers Green.

"We must be able to play year-round, and City High has the best courts and is the most convenient place to play in the summer."

City High courts are also very pop-

ular with members of the community. Carl McLaughlin, the City High tennis coach, said the courts are always busy, and people often wait until 9 p.m. for an available court.

The light issue has been discussed with Superintendent Lane Plugge. Problems exist because while the light falls on school grounds, they are city lights.

The board could potentially purchase the lights from the city for \$10,000 in order to gain full control over the lights, according to the board.

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Last 12 minutes for Alaska jet 'terrifying'

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Radar data show a piece of Alaska Airlines Flight 261 may have broken off seconds before the plane plunged into the Pacific, investigators said Tuesday.

Analysis of radar and the flight-data recorders portrays a terrifying final 12 minutes, during which the MD-83 jetliner went into a 7,000-foot dive, then regained some semblance of control for approximately nine minutes. Then it pitched nose-down, rolled upside down, and plunged 17,900 feet into the ocean in just over a minute.

The detailed description given by James Hall, the chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board, didn't fix a cause for the Jan. 31 crash, which occurred 10 miles off Southern California and killed all 88 people aboard. The flight originated from Puerto Vallarta, Mexico, and was en route to San Francisco and Seattle.

4 escape from hijacked Afghan plane

STANSTED, England (AP) — Four men dropped from the cockpit window of a hijacked Afghan plane and ran to safety Tuesday night, fleeing the aircraft that has been parked for two days while negotiators seek the release of more

than 150 passengers.

In the darkness shortly before midnight, the men used a rope to help lower themselves about 20 feet to the tarmac of Stansted airport. Authorities said the four appeared to be hostages.

They were being questioned after receiving medical attention, and they appeared to have suffered no serious injuries, said Joe Edwards, an Essex police assistant chief constable.

"The negotiations with people on board the plane continue," he said. "The mood on board remains calm."

Earlier, negotiators warned that the talks, which gained the release of a ninth hostage during the day Tuesday, could go on for days.

"The negotiations are going forward in a professional way, in a fairly calm way," said John Broughton, an Essex police assistant chief constable. "The principal concern here is the safety of the passengers on board that aircraft."

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UI forced to cut \$1.6 million from budget

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gain approval from the state of Iowa Board of Regents during its meetings today and Thursday in the IMU.

After a Jan. 18 bill signed by Gov. Tom Vilsack reduced statewide budget appropriations by \$30 million, the UI was forced to cut almost \$1.6 million from its fiscal year 2000 budget. The bill cut \$3.4 million from the regents' institutions budgets.

The UI's original budget appropriation for fiscal year 2000, which will end on June 30, was \$311.6 million.

The UI cut a higher percentage of funds from recently appropriated programs such as the Public Health Initiative, which funds the College of Public Health and other health-related equipment and programs. Approximately \$78,000 was cut from its more than \$1 million budget, putting faculty recruitment on hold, said James Merchant, the dean of the College of Public Health.

"It is something we can absorb for

one year," he said. "The fear is that this is going to be a recurring thing; (\$78,000) is about the salary of a new faculty member."

Approximately \$25,000 was cut from the College of Liberal Arts, but this will have virtually no effect on students, said Doug True, the vice president for university finance.

"If it would have been a proportional share, it would have been 10 times that much," he said.

When making the cuts, the UI worked under principles Coleman set forth, which clearly state there would be no employee layoffs, reductions in financial aid, funding cuts in the UI Libraries or cancellation of any class required for students to graduate on schedule.

Although funding was cut from every college's budget, how the cuts are implemented will be at each dean's discretion, True said. The deans must also follow Coleman's principles when instituting the cuts, he said.

"The deans can't do anything that would hurt students," True said.

Students at Iowa State University will be more directly affected by the cuts. The number of teaching assistants has been temporarily decreased for the spring semester, which will result in some larger class sizes.

"We were very concerned about undergraduate students," Coleman said. "We tried as hard as we could to preserve the academic core, and I think we did it successfully."

Regent Beverly Smith agrees with the UI's approach to the cuts, saying the cuts should affect the students as little as possible.

Frank Stork, the regents' executive director, said that while \$1.6 million is a lot of money, it is only approximately 0.5 percent of the UI's original budget.

"Regardless, we never want a 'deappropriation' — especially in the middle of the fiscal year," he said.

Cutting the money was difficult because it happened in the middle of the fiscal year, after institutions had already made monetary commitments to certain projects, Stork said.

The UI is also beginning to review

budget plans for fiscal year 2001 because of another expected shortfall in statewide revenue.

Under Vilsack's recommended fiscal year 2001 allocations, no increase in the level of state funding for the UI is expected, except \$237,000 for opening new buildings and \$1.7 million for public-health initiatives.

Vilsack's recommendations for 2001 stem from the same miscalculations that forced the cut in the current fiscal year budget. The Revenue Estimating Conference projected a 1.8 percent increase in state revenues for the 1999 fiscal year, said Cynthia Eisenhauer, the director of the Iowa Department of Management.

Revenues only grew 1 percent, which resulted in a \$40 million shortfall in revenues, she said.

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No MP3-free zone at UI, officials say

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tems programmer with the UI information technology services.

However, because the UI does not have direct Internet connections in its dorms, the problem here has not been as significant, she said.

"We've seen some of it here on campus," Drew said. "But the impact has not been that great at this point."

Several UI students have amassed large collections of MP3s. UI freshman Andrew Sparesus, who owns an estimated 750 of them, said one advantage of MP3s is that they can be transferred onto a CD.

"If you have MP3s and a CD burn-

er, then you don't even need to bother buying CDs," he said. "You can make compilations of whatever you please."

For UI freshman Hannah Cohee, MP3s offer the ability to keep in touch with her favorite small indie-punk bands, such as the Alkaline Trio and Jimmy Eat World, whose music is often released on an MP3 format to gain more of an audience.

"It's a way to get music before the album comes out," she said. "It's free, and the quality is good."

However, the free music doesn't come without its costs. Because many of the MP3s available are copyrighted songs and are therefore illegal to duplicate, MP3 provider sites have been under fire with accusations of copyright violations.

Even with the increased popularity in music replication technology, local businesses say MP3s and CD burners have not affected their sales.

Michelle Bradley, the manager of Vibes Music, 119 E. Washington St., said that although sales in her store haven't suffered, she feels MP3s should be made illegal if business is affected.

"We are a CD retail outlet, and if it gets to be too big of a problem, we're going to need something to happen," she said.

The prices of retail stores are the reason Kachan turned to MP3s.

"I haven't bought a CD this year," he said. "\$15 for a CD is not fair, considering it costs about \$3 to make it."

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County considers buying Sycamore Mall

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finding a solution to county jail overcrowding, will take priority over the mall proposal, Duffy said.

If the price and conditions are

right, Supervisor Michael Lehman said, the board would seriously consider a formal proposal.

"The auction begins at \$3 million and can go anywhere from there. Then we have to figure in maintenance and renovation costs," he said. "It's too early to say for sure what will happen.

Right now, we're working on our budget to see if we can provide the figures they're asking."

Lehman said he expects that the supervisors will determine if the project is feasible before the auction opens on Feb. 24.

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Israel, Hezbollah exchange attacks

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the April 1996 agreement," said Ambassador Farid Abboud.

He was referring to a U.S.-brokered understanding that forbids attacks on or from civilian areas in southern Lebanon.

Secretary of State Madeleine Albright said, however, that Israeli air strikes were a response to deadly attacks on Israeli soldiers by Hezbollah from Lebanese villages, in violation of the 1996 agreement.

"What the Israelis have done is to send a very clear signal about the fact they don't want this to

escalate," Albright said.

The air strikes late Monday and early Tuesday destroyed three power stations at Jambour near Beirut, in the mountains east of the port city of Tripoli and in the eastern Bekaa Valley town of Baalbek, a Hezbollah guerrilla stronghold where a base for the group also was targeted. The base remained sealed, and damage could not be assessed.

Fifteen civilians were wounded in Baalbek and were treated at hospitals for various injuries from broken glass, debris and shrapnel. Parts of Lebanon were left without electricity, and severe rationing was imposed.

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I understand the problem, but only so much building space is available on campus. We would also need money from the Legislature, and I don't think it would fund it.

— UI President Mary Sue Coleman, on prospects for a new building to house the UI International Center.

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EDITORIALS

Leave the final chapter of Elian's saga up to INS

On Nov. 25, 1999, Elian Gonzalez was found in the ocean, three miles off Fort Lauderdale, Fla. He had been clinging to an inner tube for some 48 hours. The journey from Cuba, which caused the death of Elian's mother, seemed to have been in vain; the Immigration and Naturalization Service decided that Elian was to be sent back to Cuba. That was, of course, until a Florida judge ruled that he was to stay in the United States until a custody hearing could be held.

Following his rescue, Elian became the source of international debate and concern — a poster child for Cuban/American politics. The boy never made it to shore on his own, so, under U.S. policy, he could have been returned to Cuba without debate. However, this is being treated as a technicality, and the tale continues to play with the hearts of Americans. A mother dying for her son's freedom is not something to take lightly.

But the fact remains that Elian's biological father lives in Cuba and, by all accounts, was actively involved in his son's life. Who are we to decide that Elian would have a better life here? If the United States were to decide that this was a good enough reason to keep Elian in this country, away from his father, a dangerous precedent would be set, demonstrating that the government can take a child from a parent, especially in this case of what seems to be the United States vs. Cuba.

Some Americans claim that Elian's father is being coerced by Fidel Castro. It must be impossible for us to believe that a father might just love and miss his son. In addition, the United States has laws about immigration, policies that state whether an immigrant can be allowed to stay in our country. The government should base its decision on Elian on legality and not on the emotions of Americans or feelings toward the country of Cuba.

Amy Leisinger is a *DI* editorial writer.

AIDS can be prevented through moral means

One of the things that, sadly, is too often missing in our public discussion of important issues is the truth.

A conspicuous example of this is what passes for AIDS education in public service announcements. A familiar television spot cites this statistic: "30 Million People in the United States Now Have HIV." Something even more shocking follows, "90 percent of Them Don't Even Know They Have it."

The obvious question arises: If 90 percent don't know they have the virus, how is that we know? Has someone failed to notify those 27 million people? Seems like a dangerous practice, not to inform those who have the disease so that they can benefit from treatment. These numbers were probably based on estimates, and the intention seems to be to mislead in order to engender fear.

Another announcement shows individuals from various walks of life saying, "It can happen to anyone," "Don't think you're immune," and the like.

But the opposite is in fact true. What no one seems to want to say is that the contraction of HIV depends almost exclusively on behavior. No matter how many celebrities say it can happen to anybody, there are only four known ways to acquire HIV: have sex with someone who has the disease, use a contaminated needle for injecting drugs, contract it from your mother during birth, or receive a transfusion of HIV-tainted blood.

Obviously, the third and fourth modes have no relation to controllable behavior. But the first two just as clearly do. In fact, according to some researchers, 93 percent of all HIV cases in North America arise from either sexual activity (hetero- and homo-) or IV drug use (the other 7 percent are from blood transfusions and "unknown").

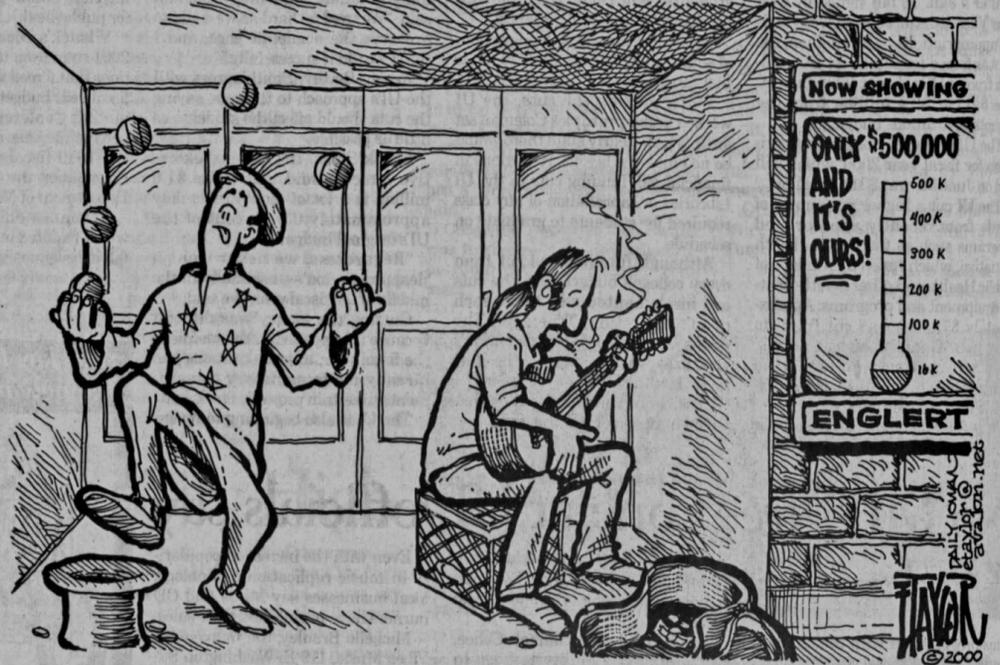
So as it turns out, there is in fact a fail-safe method for protecting yourself from this horrible condition: Don't use drugs, and don't have sex with anyone who has HIV. Simple prudence dictates that the best way to guarantee that the person to whom you are opening your heart will not leave you with a nasty gift is to share that moment with only one person per lifetime, preferably in the context of a marriage relationship where there are societal and religious prohibitions against risky behavior.

All objections to this endorsement of monogamy presuppose a basic lack of self-control. The embrace of licentiousness that passes for education begins with the notion that we are no better than breeding animals, incapable of reigning in our passions — that we are not in fact moral creatures with choices to make, some of which will bring benefit and others harm. Thus, we need the intervention of condoms and other forms of external control to make up for our deficiencies.

This divorce of action from consequence actually does great harm to those it intends to help. Try as you might, you cannot separate the spread of sexually transmitted diseases from human sexuality, and you cannot rip human sexuality out of its moral context. So long as such life and death issues are treated apart from their natural context of decision and moral choice, we will continue to witness the dire consequences. What possible motive can there be for restraint if HIV can prey upon you regardless?

David Noe is a *DI* editorial writer.

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Sanctions against Iraq won't end without a fight

Why did the United States and other U.N. Security Council members agree to continue the economic sanctions against Iraq?

The sanctions heretofore have resulted in great suffering and misery for the Iraqi people. The World Health Organization estimates that 5,000 children a month under age 5 are dying as a result of sanctions, but the sanctions continue. Why?

The sanctions and the food-for-oil program have not led to Saddam Hussein's ouster, but, rather, have allowed Saddam to strengthen his grip on things by using food and medicine as bargaining chips to punish his enemies and reward his friends. It has, in short, allowed him to strengthen internal security. If the sanctions were truly designed to topple Saddam, then they have failed.

When Secretary of State Madeline Albright was confronted with the fact that 5,000 children are dying per month, she said, "It is a high price to pay, but we think it's worth it." That was months ago, and after thousands of more dead children, it is still worth it to the likes of Albright.

UNICEF and the W.H.O. report that more than 1 million people, mostly children, have died from cancer and disease in the nine years following the Gulf War. What has been

Guest Opinion

KEITH KINION

the reaction of the United States and other Security Council members in the face of these numbers? It came up with the food-for-oil program, a means for masking the horrors being inflicted on Iraq by the sanctions and the bombings.

The food-for-oil program does not address the needs of Iraq to rebuild its civilian infrastructure, which was destroyed during the war. Its schools, hospitals, electric grids and water treatment facilities lie in ruin.

Once the envy of the Middle East for its health-care system, with one of the lowest infant mortality rates in the world, Iraq now has one of the highest infant-mortality rates.

Children are dying from birth defects as the result of the depleted uranium used in the war; still others are dying from contaminated water because the water-treatment plants, bombed during the war, lack the parts needed to repair them.

It is time we built a movement à la the '60s anti-war movement to stop the suffering in Iraq. Frederick Douglass once said: "Power concedes nothing without a demand. It never has, and it never will." History has proven him right.

If it weren't for the women's movement, women would still be denied the right to vote (Not that this matters much these days without struggle). If it weren't for the civil-rights movement, black people would still be denied the right to vote and sit at lunch counters and be denied equal education with whites. And if it weren't for the anti-war movement, the U.S. war machine would still be pounding Vietnam with bombs.

We can build a movement large enough in scope that we can raise the social costs high enough to make the powerful think twice about continuing their genocidal war in Iraq. We in the group "Iowans for Peace with Iraq" invite everyone to come to our meetings in the upcoming months, or years if need be, to brainstorm ways in which we can end the sanctions.

Keith Kinion is an Iowa City resident.

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This modest proposal will lead local ravens to cry 'nevermore'

Crows, as described by the American Heritage Dictionary, are "any of the several large, glossy, black birds of the genus *Corvus*, having a characteristic raucous call."

To Iowa City residents, however, the crow is much more than that. Anybody who has dared to traverse certain segments of the downtown area is well-aware of the fear and mayhem that these seemingly innocuous birds can inflict upon the everyday citizen.

Perhaps they first served notice of their presence on the windshield of your car, or on the sidewalk that you followed on your way to class. Perhaps their first greeting landed on your head.

In any case, it has been difficult not to notice the menacing crowds of crows that have spent their winter on the branches of downtown trees. This disturbing trend initially came to my attention on a brisk November night, as a friend and I were walking down the street near my house.

My recollection of the precise event that triggered the sequence is dim, but

before we knew it, several hundred ravens had burst from their treetop perches and flew above us in a manic bout of stool-dropping terror. Somehow, amid the putrid splatter of crow feces on the pavement, we managed to escape the scene virtually unscathed.

I'll never forget the horror, and dung, that was reigned upon us that night. This is probably because I re-lived the drama the very next evening, as well as the night thereafter and, well, countless evenings since.

The raven-fueled havoc has continued unabated to this very day, as I have experienced the good fortune of sharing my block with approximately 7.3 million of the beaked beasts for the past two and a half months.

So it was with a degree of comfort that I noticed some attention paid to the issue in the local media over the

past week. It seems that, lately, I am not the only one who has endured the rank and hideous fury of these winged instruments of Satan.

The crows, as local authorities assert, have relocated to Iowa City in order to find food while the rural fields they typically inhabit are barren. Meanwhile, the friendly confines of Iowa City afford the ravens a respite from their predators out in the wild. Such is the mainstream assessment of the situation.

This explanation was relieving, no doubt. I had been convinced prior to the new year that the bevy of birds was nothing more than an indication of a coming apocalypse. Hey — when you look outside your bedroom window and see hundreds of ravens giving you that beady, steely stare that ravens are known to give, it is not uncommon to slip into full conspiracy mode.

The doomsday hypothesis, thankfully, has been debunked by experts on winged animals with deathly connotations. But while the reasoning behind the birds' presence in town has been ascertained, nobody seems to have a clear idea of what to do with the nefari-

ous creatures.

"We can't do much about (the birds)," Steve Parrott, the director of university relations, told the *Iowa City Gazette*. "Our emphasis is on cleanup." One local official declared the crows "ingenious," conceding our town to the harsh, cold grip of the devil-birds.

"Killing the birds," meanwhile, "is out of the question," City Manager Steve Atkins told the *DI*. Hmm. I guess so. The slaughter of hundreds of animals is a shocking task that could never gain support in Iowa City. Aside from that whole dirty business with the deer, such a brutal removal of living creatures is unprecedented. "It just wouldn't be acceptable in this community," said Joe Fowler, the city parking and transit director, to the *Gazette*.

Well, I suppose it would be quite distasteful. But the crows should be done away with nevertheless. Forget the raven-filth that festoons the sidewalks,

and ignore the paranoia that the birds instill in passers-by, or their alarming eco-monopoly of the downtown area's trees. These crows should be finished off on general principle and by any means necessary.

I normally hold a place in my heart for all of earth's fine creatures, including even the most intrusive of deer, but crows barely qualify.

After months of wading through excrement on the way to class and observing the crows' disarming nightly gatherings, I have concluded that enough is enough: The crow-removal process should begin without hesitation.

Go ahead and tell me that it's not viable, or that it's not politically correct. Feel free to draw comparisons with the deer situation, and remind me of the predestined public uproar. But first, let me know — when was the last time a deer laid waste in your hair?

Jesse Ammerman is the *DI* Viewpoints editor.

JESSE AMMERMAN



On the SPOT Are you interested in the MP3 trend?



"I think it's a pretty cool idea."

Brian Dwyer
UI junior



"I've tried to do it, but I can't figure it out."

Heather Jones
UI junior



"No, not at all."

Sarah Herrman
UI senior



"I think it's nice where some sites provide an example of an album, so you can listen to it before you buy it."

Justin Pfeiffer
UI junior



"I'm not interested in it at all."

Bryan Cataldi
UI sophomore

CITY

Panel urges recruiting minority faculty

A forum concludes that the UI needs to enhance cultural diversity.

By Lisa Livermore
The Daily Iowan

The UI needs to place a higher emphasis on recruiting minority faculty members in an effort to enhance cultural diversity in the community, some UI faculty members say.

The remarks came during a faculty discussion forum titled "Enhancing Faculty and Staff Diversity: Challenges and Opportunities" Tuesday in the Old Capitol Senate Chamber.

Approximately 40 UI employees attended the forum, which was sponsored by the UI Committee on Diversity. The forum was led by a six-member panel and moderated by Bob Foldesi, the UI associate vice president for Human Resources.

He said one of the goals of the committee was to "maintain and enhance a culturally diverse community."

Recruiting diverse faculty applicants would attract a wide variety of

talent and backgrounds to the UI, representative of diversity in the United States, Foldesi said. By the year 2025, minorities will make up 38 percent of the population, he said.

"These are the talented, creative people we cannot leave out of our applicant pool," Foldesi said.

By addressing case studies concerning management, recruitment and hiring of minorities, the panelists discussed a number of challenges and solutions for maintaining work-environment relations at the UI.

The first case study concerning minority recruitment generated discussion about competition with other universities in larger cities.

Emphasizing the Iowa City atmosphere, salary benefits and high quality health care, panelist Phyllis Chang, a UI associate professor of surgery, said there are viable ways to attract quality minority faculty applicants to the UI.

William Hines, the dean of the College of Law, said professional schools budget more money for recruitment, but other departments should put in extra effort by inviting prospects to the UI and organizing



Ethan Fry/The Daily Iowan

Diane Finnerty, a diversity educator in the UI Office of Affirmative Action (right), listens as Janice Simmons-Welburn, associate director of UI Librarians, speaks at the Faculty Diversity Forum held in the Old Capitol.

recruitment teams.

Panelists then discussed problems that may arise from hiring new people, such as supervisors who are hesitant to work with minority employees or rumors.

"Rumors about new people that come on board are divisive and bad for the morale of the department. Ignoring them creates problems," said panelist Dave Jackson, an assistant to the director of the Facilities Services Group.

DI reporter Lisa Livermore can be reached at: lisa-livermore@uiowa.edu

LEGAL MATTERS

POLICE

Brooke E. Howard, 22, Coralville, was charged with operating while intoxicated, second offense, at the intersection of Iowa Avenue and Riverside Drive on Feb. 8 at 2:46 a.m.

Scott A. Fairweather, 27, 301 Grandview Court, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Iowa Avenue and Riverside Drive on Feb. 8 at 2:46 a.m.

Eric M. Blackman, 20, 816 N. Dubuque St. Apt. 2, was charged with public urination and public intoxication at City Plaza Hotel, 210 S. Dubuque St., on Feb. 8 at 2:33 a.m.

Michelle M. Michael, 22, 414 Brown St. Apt. 4, was charged with driving under suspension at the

intersection of Clinton Street and Iowa Avenue on Feb. 8 at 1:53 a.m.

Luis Valladares, 26, address unknown, was charged with public intoxication, third and subsequent, at 302 S. Gilbert St. on Feb. 8 at 12:10 a.m.

Ramona E. Rocha, 20, Des Moines, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the intersection of Burlington and Clinton streets on Feb. 8 at 1:40 a.m.

— compiled by Zack Kucharski

COURTS

Magistrate

Public intoxication — Eric M. Blackman, 816 N. Dubuque St. Apt. 2, was fined \$155; Tracy A. McCoy, address unknown, was fined \$155.

Public urination — Eric M. Blackman, 816 N. Dubuque St. Apt. 2, was fined \$105.

District

Prostitution — Gregory M. Redinger, Harper, Iowa, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Third-degree theft — Michael D. O'Neal, North Liberty, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Possession of a schedule I controlled substance — Vincent C. Allen, Coralville, no preliminary hearing has been set.

Operating while intoxicated — Scott A. Fairweather, 301 Grandview Court, no preliminary hearing has been set; Brooke E. Howard, Coralville, no preliminary hearing has been set.

— compiled by Katie Bernard

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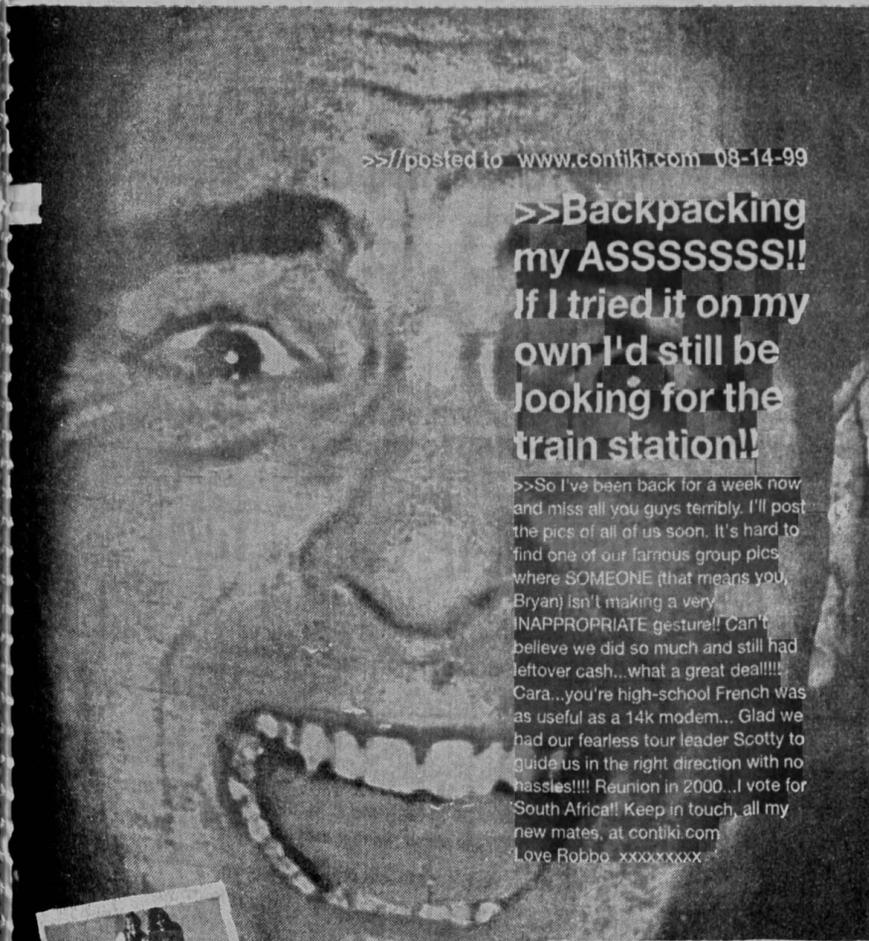
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Finding hope and despair in Dakota

Ian Frazier's latest work documents life on the Pine Ridge Reservation.

By Tyler Steward
The Daily Iowan

Ian Frazier is a lover of places. During the 1970s, he wrote about New York for *The New Yorker*, and he's written essays about Brooklyn and Los Angeles. And his first full-length nonfiction book, *Great Plains*, dealt in part with the human history of the expansive flatlands of the Middle West.

In his newest work, *On the Rez*, the place is the Pine Ridge Reservation, and the people are the Oglala Sioux.

"I had written a lot about the West," Frazier said. "I just wanted to write about a specific place."

"I wanted to look at it from the point of view of the people who lived there."

In the book, Frazier uses his friendship with a mercurial Indian named Le War Lance as a vehi-

cle to explore the often troubled lives of the Oglala on the reservation. In the process, he deals with both the darkest aspects of life there — alcoholism, suicide — and its brightest — the heroism of a young Oglala named SuAnne Big Crow. Frazier will read from his book tonight at 8 at Prairie Lights Books, 15 S. Dubuque St.

Frazier traces his own interest in American Indians to childhood searches for arrowheads. His interest was augmented by the 1973 occupation of Wounded Knee by members of the American Indian Movement.

AIM distinguished itself from other radical movements for Frazier by its interest in tradition as well as in radical change.

"Most radical movements of that time wanted to destroy what was old," he said. "AIM was talking about changes it wanted to make but also about past treaties."

Though AIM's activism brought American Indian issues to national attention, it also caused great

internal strife on the reservation, some of which Frazier addresses in *On the Rez*. Frazier also uses much of his book to trace the life of Big Crow, who led the reservation's high school basketball team to the state championship in 1989, and in the process doing much more.

"She was someone who helped knit the reservation back together after this strife (of 1973)," he said.

Big Crow, who died in a car accident, is, Frazier says, a modern-day Oglala hero in the tradition of Crazy Horse.

"I was fascinated by the fact that this tribe, which has produced heroes in the past, is still producing heroes," he said.

In addition to telling the story of Big Crow, *On the Rez* was written to remind people of the persistence of American Indian culture. Because American Indians make up a small percentage of the population, their existence is still overlooked entirely, Frazier said.

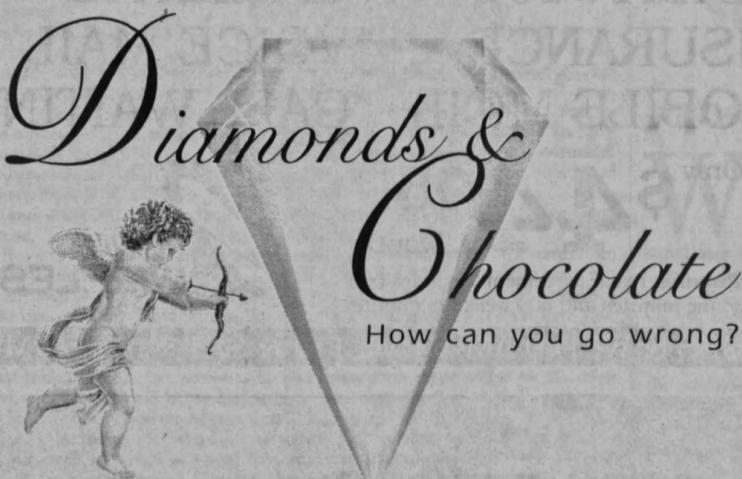
"The idea of a minority, it doesn't just mean the size of a voting block," he said. "It just means a smaller group."

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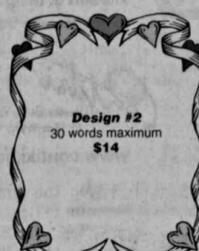
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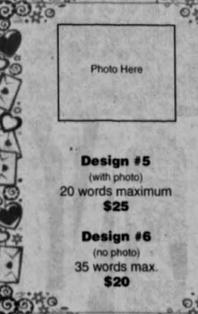
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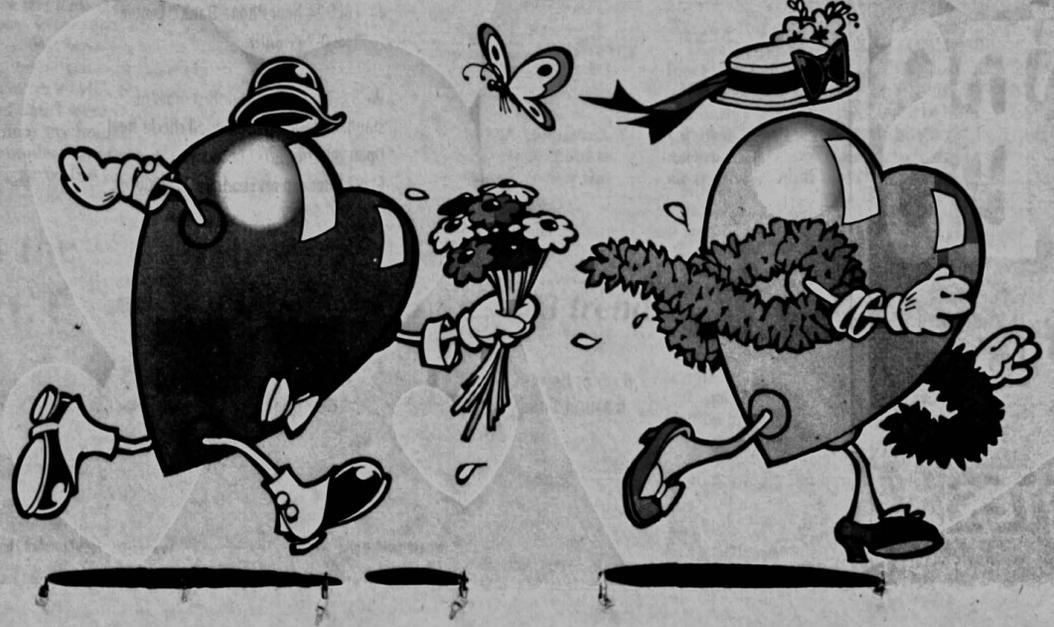
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ON THE AIR

Main Event

The Event: College Basketball, Iowa at Ohio State, 7 p.m., KGAN.

The Skinny: The Hawkeyes are coming off an embarrassing performance against Purdue, while the Buckeyes are coming off a win against Michigan.



COLLEGE BASKETBALL

6 p.m. North Carolina at North Carolina St., ESPN.
 8 p.m. Seton Hall at Rutgers, ESPN.

SPORTS QUIZ

How long did it take for Tiger Woods to be named PGA Tour Player of the Year? See answer, Page 2B.

SCOREBOARD

NBA

Toronto	109	Houston	91
Atlanta	88	Cleveland	83
New Jersey	131	Phoenix	94
Boston	115	Vancouver	76
San Antonio	79	Sacramento	119
Seattle	77	Chicago	80

NHL

Washington	2	San Jose	8
Boston	2	Tampa Bay	0
Edmonton	5	St. Louis	4
Montreal	4	Detroit	1
Carolina	4	Buffalo	2
N.Y. Islanders	3	Colorado	0
New Jersey	2	Anaheim	
N.Y. Rangers	2	Los Angeles	late

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Purdue	70	16 Oklahoma	85
Michigan State	67	Kansas State	64
12 Florida	90	See Big Ten standings on Page 2B	
11 Kentucky	73		

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Mariners give Griffey's agent permission to talk to Reds

Ken Griffey Jr.'s agent said the slugger wants to play for his hometown team.

By Joe Kay
 Associated Press

CINCINNATI — The Seattle Mariners gave Ken Griffey Jr.'s agent permission Tuesday to talk directly with the Cincinnati Reds, apparently breaking baseball's rules in an attempt to end a trade impasse.

Until now, the Mariners had insisted that Griffey's agent, Brian Goldberg, could not talk to the Reds about contract matters. Griffey will make \$8.25 million this season, then become eligible for free agency.

With trade talks stalled and the start spring training approaching, Mariners president Chuck Armstrong changed the team's position.

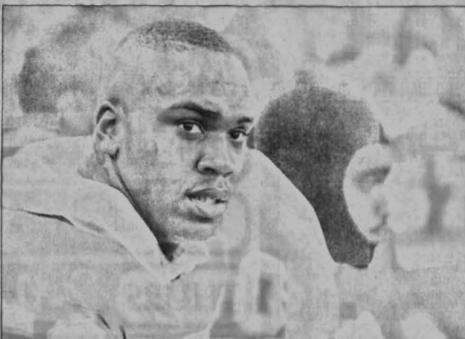
"Chuck Armstrong was nice enough this morning to give me permission to generally speak to the Reds to try to bring some closure to Junior's situation prior to spring training," Goldberg said.

Under baseball's rules, teams may not talk with players under contract to other clubs. Baseball's procedure calls for teams to agree to the players who would be involved in a trade, then ask the commissioner's office for a 72-hour window to allow the acquiring team to negotiate a new contract with the player.

Baseball said permission had not been granted to the Mariners and Reds for a window involving a Griffey trade and that contact between Goldberg and Cincinnati was not allowed.

"If that, indeed, did happen, then we're going to have to investigate it," baseball spokesman Rich Levin said.

NFL star Thomas dead at 33



AP File Photo

Derrick Thomas died Tuesday in a Miami hospital where he was being treated for injuries from a car crash.

Doctors may perform an autopsy on the Chiefs linebacker after his shocking death in a Miami hospital Tuesday.

By Mark Long
 Associated Press

MIAMI — Derrick Thomas, one of the most feared defenders in the NFL and a nine-time Pro Bowl player, died Tuesday less than a month after being paralyzed in a car crash on an icy road. He was 33.

Thomas was being transferred from his hospital bed to a wheelchair on his way to therapy when he uttered something to his mother and

his eyes rolled back, said Dr. Frank Eismont, a neurosurgeon at Jackson Memorial Hospital.

"We were hoping that Derrick's story would have been a happier ending," he said. "This is very much unexpected."

The Kansas City Chiefs linebacker, who held the NFL record of seven sacks in a game, went into cardio-respiratory arrest, he said.

Doctors have not determined an exact cause of death and might perform an autopsy. One of Thomas' doctors, Dr. Barth Green, said a massive blood clot probably killed Thomas.

"This is a total shock," Green said. "Derrick was an extraordinary person and was breaking all the records while he was here."

A shaken Chiefs coach Gunther Cunningham recalled telephoning Thomas at the Miami hospital from the Pro Bowl on Sunday in Hawaii, after seeing players and fans honoring Thomas by wearing his number. Thomas had not been selected for this year's game.

"Derrick said, 'Coach, be strong.' He never told me how strong I needed to be," Cunningham said.

After a game, Thomas would always walk across the field "with a smile on his face," the coach said. "Not because the Chiefs won, but because that's the way he was. And that's the way I'll always remember him."

Flags were lowered to half staff at

See THOMAS, Page 8B

IOWA AT OHIO STATE

Hawks hit the road again

Iowa's three-game road stretch starts tonight against No. 5 Ohio State.

By Mike Kelly
 The Daily Iowan

The Iowa basketball team has every right to have a bit of pent-up rage against the machine this season.

Tonight's game against No. 5 Ohio State kicks off the Hawkeyes' second three-game road trip of the season. The Hawkeyes also travel to Illinois and Purdue on the swing. "It's a messed-up computer," Steve Alford said of the Big Ten's computer scheduling program. "It's definitely something I'll bring up at our spring meetings."

"But we're excited to go," the coach added in jest.

In the best-case scenario, Iowa (10-11, 3-6) goes into Ohio State and comes out with the same result as last season.

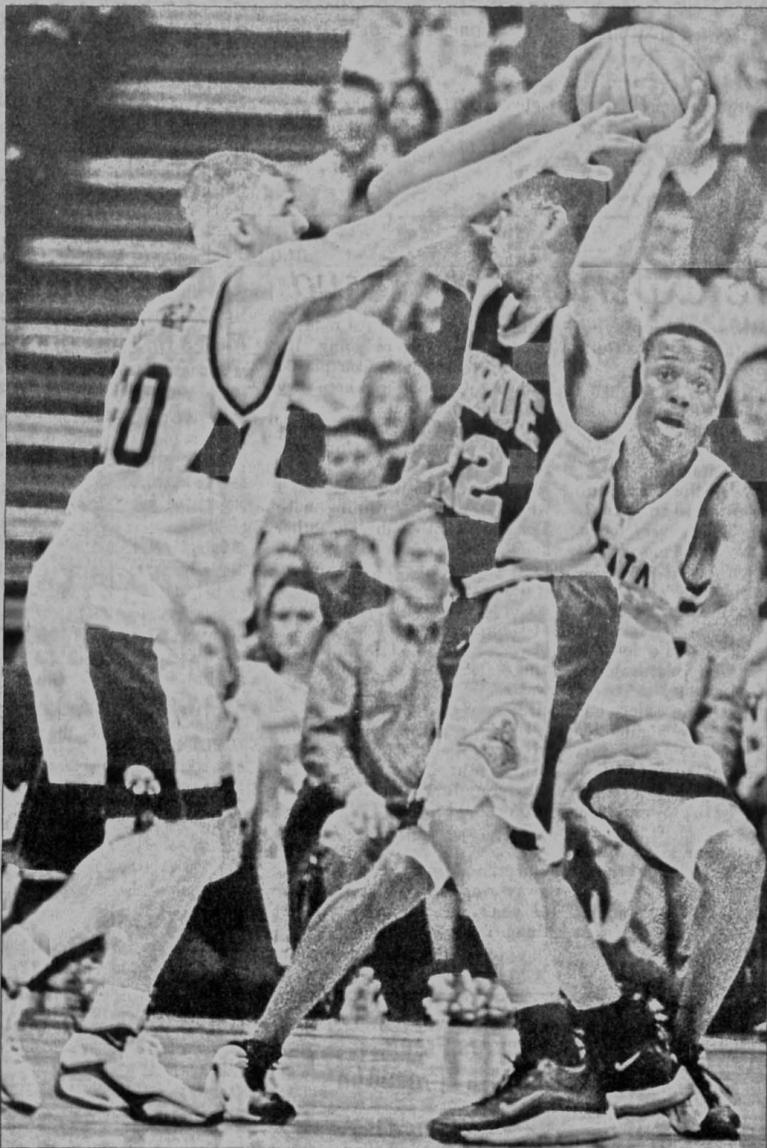
Iowa's 71-68 win over the Buckeyes last season was the first time the Buckeyes lost in the Value City Arena. The win increased in significance after Ohio State made a surprise run at the Final Four, coming from a No. 4 seed to take the South Regional title.

Dean Oliver's off-balance 3-pointer with 23 seconds keyed the win, and Ohio State coach Jim O'Brien hasn't forgotten.

"Oliver has always played very well against us," O'Brien said. "In fact, the only time we lost at home last year was to Iowa and he had his hand involved in that big-time."

In the worst-case scenario, Iowa will repeat its performance of Saturday night, a 84-58 disaster

See MEN'S HOOPS, Page 8B



Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan

Iowa's Dean Oliver and Jason Price defend Purdue's Jaraan Cornell in the second half Saturday night at Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS

Coach keys gymnastics turnaround

Mike Lorenzen and his staff have revitalized the Iowa women's gymnastics program.

By Molly Thomas
 The Daily Iowan

In the aftermath of last season's turmoil, including the resignation of a head coach and the suspension of several players due to noncompliance of the team's drinking policy, the Iowa women's gymnastics team is heading in the right direction.

With a new coaching staff and a new outlook on the sport itself, the seniors of this year's team are looking forward to making the season a positive one that they will remember forever.

"After last year's season, I just felt alone," senior Courtney Burke said. "I just felt like no one in the community really respected this team. It was at that point I knew that something had to change, or I don't think I could have come back."

Burke has returned to the squad, along with the rest of the senior class, due to the addition of new head coach Mike Lorenzen, and his two assistants.

Lorenzen brought with him a new attitude and impressive credentials. He was previously the team program director, the head level technical director and the assistant elite coach at the Cincinnati Gymnastics Academy in Ohio, where Olympic gymnasts such as J.C. Phelps, Amanda Borden, and Kim Zmeskal trained.

Upon arriving at Iowa, Lorenzen found an attractive challenge in taking a fully-funded Div. I program that has suffered a great deal in the past, and seeing if he could push it to the limit and turn it into a nationally recognized program.

"I took this job despite knowing that, without assigning blame to anyone, a lot of stuff happened last year that was pretty traumatic to the program as a whole, to the department, and to the athletes," Lorenzen said.

"What I have been so pleased to

See WOMEN'S GYM, Page 8B

Undisputed Lewis vs. undefeated Grant for heavyweight title

Lennox Lewis will take on Michael Grant in April in his first attempt to retain his heavyweight belt.

By Hal Bock
 Associated Press

NEW YORK — Heavyweight champion Lennox Lewis figures undefeated Michael Grant is the perfect candidate for a first defense of the undisputed heavyweight championship.

"I'd rather get him now, before he gets any better," Lewis said after the pay-per-view fight was set Tuesday for April 29 at Madison Square

Garden. Grant is plenty good already, unbeaten in 31 fights with 22 knockouts, the most recent an impressive recovery against Andrew Golota last November.

Golota dropped Grant twice in the first round but was unable to finish him off and wound up being stopped in the 10th round. Lewis thought that spoke volumes about the big guy from Norristown, Pa.

"He got hit. He got hurt. He got knocked down. And he came back to win," Lewis said. "That showed good heart and good desire."

And it earned Grant a \$2.5 million payday for the championship shot. Lewis will make \$7.5 million, down

from the \$15 million he earned when he beat Evander Holyfield for the heavyweight championship in Las Vegas a week before the Golota-Grant fight. The pay-per-view price on TVKO is \$44.95, down from the usual \$49.95.

Grant said he took a lot away from the Golota experience.

"I learned about myself in the Golota fight," he said. "I learned that I'm going to stay in there, that there's no quit in me. I wasn't hurt. I didn't even see the punch. I got caught with my hands down."

There was speculation that Golota's knockdowns made Grant a more desirable challenger for Lewis.



Beth A. Keiser/Associated Press

Lennox Lewis and Michael Grant stand back to back as they pose for photographers, Tuesday.

See LEWIS-GRANT, Page 8B

QUICK HITS

SPORTS QUIZ

BIG TEN STANDINGS

Big Ten Basketball Standings
By The Associated Press

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Ohio St.	7	16	3.842
Indiana	7	27	3.850
Mich. St.	7	27	6.739
Purdue	7	3	7.696
Illinois	5	4	7.650
Penn. St.	4	4	8.600
Wisconsin	4	6	10.524
Michigan	3	5	7.632
Iowa	3	3	11.476
Minn.	3	3	11.545
Nevada	0	9	4.17.190

Tuesday's Result
Purdue 70, Michigan State 67

Wednesday's games
Michigan at Illinois
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Iowa at Illinois
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Penn State at Ohio State

PHOENIX SUNS—Activated F Shawn Marion from the injured list.
Continental Basketball Association—Suspended Yakima G Raja Bell four games for throwing a flagrant elbow in a game against Idaho.
FORT WAYNE FURY—Placed F Antonio Lang on the roster.
GRAND RAPIDS HOOPS—Signed G Ronnie Fields. Released G Jeff Capel and F Jerod Ward.
IDAHO STAMPEDE—Placed F Joe Stephens on the roster. Waived G DeJuan Wheat.
International Basketball League—IBL—Named Mike Hardsky director of public relations.
United Basketball Alliance
HARRISBURG HORIZON—Signed F Jonathan Roberts.
LANCASTER STORM—Signed F Jamaime Williams.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
CLEVELAND BROWNS—Named Pete Carmichael offensive coordinator, Pete Carmichael Jr. offensive quality control coach and Joe Kim assistant strength coach.
INDIANAPOLIS COLTS—Signed WR Darran Hall. Promoted Larry Hall to vice president of ticket operations. Named Eric Mahlum manager of internet development and Chris Brengle and Pat Smith sponsorship sales account managers.
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Named Lenny McCall to the college scouting staff.
MINNESOTA VIKINGS—Announced the resignation of Andre Patterson, defensive line coach, to take the same position with the Dallas Cowboys. Named Fred vonAppen defensive line coach.
PITTSBURGH STEELERS—Named Tim Lewis defensive coordinator. Released OT Justin Strzelczyk.
SEATTLE SEAHAWKS—Release G Brian Habib.
Canadian Football League
CALGARY STAMPEDE—Signed LB Jason Clemet.
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ROANOKE STEAM—Signed QB Al Clark and OL-D Kerwin Halston.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
DALLAS STARS—Acquired D Sylvain Cote and D Dave Manson from the Chicago Blackhawks for D Kevin Dean, C Derek Plante and a second-round pick in the 2001 draft.
American Hockey League
HARTFORD WOLF PACK—Announced LW John Whitehall has been recalled by the New York Rangers of the NHL.
PROVIDENCE BRUINS—Announced RW Cameron Mann and C Andre Savage have been recalled by Boston of the NHL.
SAINT JOHN FLAMES—Announced C Steve Begin, RW Chris Clark and G Jean-Sebastien Giguere have been recalled by Calgary of the NHL.
WILKES-BARRE/SCRANTON PENGUINS—Announced D John Slaney and Jean-Sebastien Aubin have been recalled by Pittsburgh of the NHL.
WORCESTER ICECATS—Announced D Bryce Salvador has been recalled by St. Louis of the NHL.
International Hockey League

CHICAGO WOLVES—Announced LW Kris King has been assigned to the team by Chicago of the NHL.
Major League Soccer
NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION—Agreed to terms with MF John Harkes.
INDIANA BLAST—Signed F Steve Pugh to a one-year contract.
COLLEGE
NCAA—Ruled St. John's sophomore G Erick Barkley ineligible for three games for a rules violation.
FLORIDA—Promoted running backs coach Buddy Teevens to passing game coordinator, and defensive coordinator Jon Hoke to assistant head coach.
HARTFORD—Named Kathy Manizza men's and women's track and cross-country coach.
JUNIATA—Named Tim Lantz football recruiting coordinator and defensive coordinator.
MICHIGAN—Announced the resignation of Tom Case, athletic director, effective at the end of March.
REGIS—Named Michelle Buckner women's assistant volleyball coach.
TROY STATE—Suspended F Abby Boone from the basketball team for the rest of the season for violating team rules.
UPPER IOWA—Named Sarah Storms women's volleyball coach.
WEST VIRGINIA—Named Frank Kurth receivers coach.
YORK—Named Dan Matte trainer, Eric Holiman equipment manager, Jessica Chelney assistant to the athletic director, and John McKeown manager of aquatics, intramurals and recreation.

NBA LEADERS

By The Associated Press
Through Feb. 6

G	FG	FT	PTS	AVG
Iverson, Phil	38	422	2761	178.31.0
O'Neal, LAL	46	530	2212	28.7.8
Hill, Det.	42	406	3051	140.27.1
Malone, Utah	46	424	3211	170.25.4
Webber, Sac.	43	437	1810	74.25.0
Duncan, S.A.	47	421	3161	159.24.7
Carler, Tor.	45	419	2181	83.24.1
Stackhouse, Det.	47	342	3821	101.23.4
Garnett, Minn.	45	439	1491	05.23.4
Payton, Sea.	49	412	1881	35.23.2
Robinson, Mil.	48	435	1641	09.22.8
Whitney, Fla.	46	404	2401	48.22.8
Finley, Dal.	47	430	1651	09.22.7
Rider, Atl.	42	361	173	94.22.2
Marbury, N.J.	47	363	2681	04.22.2
Aiken, Mil.	49	375	2211	07.21.8
Abdur-Rahim, Van.	46	338	280	97.21.1
Houston, N.Y.	46	365	168	96.20.9
Walker, Bos.	47	369	160	96.20.5
Jamison, G.S.	42	350	122	62.19.6

Assists

Kidd, Phil	46	458	10.0
Cassell, Mil.	49	450	9.4
Branden, Minn.	38	333	8.8
Stockton, Utah	46	395	8.6
Payton, Sea.	49	418	8.5
Van Exel, Den.	44	373	8.5
Marbury, N.J.	47	398	8.5
Jackson, Ind.	47	390	8.3
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NHL SCORING LEADERS

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Through Feb. 3

GP	G	A	PTS	
Jagr, Pit	47	36	44	80
Recchi, Phi	51	19	44	63
Bure, Fla	44	37	24	61
Notan, S.J.	56	32	28	60
Ronicki, Phi	48	24	35	59
Katya, Ana	53	30	28	58
Turgeon, Stl.	46	23	35	58
Bure, Cal	53	28	24	52
LeClair, Phi	51	27	25	52
Demina, Stl.	50	21	31	52
Sundin, Tor	45	25	26	51
Monte, Chi	53	23	28	51
Sesanne, Ana	51	23	27	50
Whitney, Fla	51	22	28	50
Yzerman, Det	53	22	28	50
Kozlov, Fla	52	14	36	50
Shanahan, Det	51	28	21	49
Paffly, LA	46	19	30	49
Ronning, N.H.	54	19	30	49
Lindros, Phi	43	20	28	48

TRANSACTIONS

By The Associated Press

AUTO RACING
NASCAR—Named Danielle Humphrey manager of communications.
BASEBALL
American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Agreed to terms with RHP Chris Nething, RHP Marc Pisciotta, RHP Mike Bovee, C Matt Curtis, C Cesar Davanzo, INF Kelsey Mucker, INF Jeff Palzke and OF Andy Tomberlin on minor league contracts.
NEW YORK YANKEES—Agreed to terms with OF Luke Wilcox on a minor-league contract.
National League
CHICAGO CUBS—Agreed to terms with RHP Greg McMichael on a minor league contract.
NEW YORK METS—Designated INF David Lamb for assignment.
Minor League Baseball
MLB—Announced the resignation of Rob Diagonia, executive director of business development.
Northern League
FARGO-MOORHEAD REDHAWKS—Signed RHP Justin Pletsch.
Western Baseball League
CHICO HEAT—Signed RHP Reese Borges. Agreed to terms with INF Justin Drizos.
FEATHER RIVER MUDCATS—Signed INF Carlos A. Ashley Bautista.
SOLANO STEELHEADS—Signed RHP Tim Scott and INF Nate Vopata.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Placed F Cedric Henderson on the injured list. Signed G Earl Boylston to a 10-day contract.
HOUSTON ROCKETS—Signed G Mookie Norris to a 10-day contract.

NBA GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	29	17	63.0	—
New York	29	18	61.9	1
Philadelphia	26	22	54.2	4
Orlando	23	26	46.9	7.2
Boston	21	27	43.8	9
New Jersey	19	29	39.6	11
Washington	15	33	31.3	15

Central Division

Indiana	31	16	66.0	—
Cleveland	26	20	56.5	4.2
Toronto	26	20	56.5	4.2
Milwaukee	26	23	53.1	6
Detroit	24	23	51.1	7
Cleveland	19	29	39.6	12.2
Atlanta	18	29	38.1	12.2
Chicago	10	35	22.2	20

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB
San Antonio	30	18	62.5	—
Utah	28	18	60.9	1
Minnesota	27	18	60.0	1.2
Denver	21	25	45.8	8
Dallas	20	27	42.6	9.2
Houston	20	29	40.8	11.2
Vancouver	13	33	28.3	16

Pacific Division

Portland	37	11	77.1	—
L.A. Lakers	31	17	76.6	1.2
Seattle	31	19	62.0	2
Sacramento	28	18	60.9	3
Phoenix	27	18	60.0	4
Golden State	12	34	26.1	24
L.A. Clippers	11	35	23.4	25.2

Monday's Games

FG Percentage

O'Neal, LAL	58	927	57.2
Paterson, Sea.	214	387	55.3
Mutombo, All.	174	317	54.9
Mourning, Mia.	404	745	54.2
Davis, Ind.	209	406	51.5
McGehee, Den.	331	645	51.3
Garnett, Minn.	439	858	51.2
Potapenko, Bos.	178	348	51.1
Harrington, Van.	241	475	50.7
Stockton, Utah	209	414	50.5

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Mutombo, All.	45	189	468	657	14.6
O'Neal, LAL	46	204	447	651	14.2
Duncan, S.A.	47	175	444	619	13.2
Garnett, Minn.	45	127	419	540	12.1
Felix, Bos.	186	182	507	11.0	
Webber, Sac.	43	113	343	456	10.6
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WHO'S HOT

Injured Montreal Canadian Trent McLeary maintains his sense of humor while talking to reporters Tuesday about his recovery.

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WHO'S HOT

You saw one of the great sportsmen of all time. I had the best seat in the house.

— Former baseball commissioner Peter Ueberroth, who was in the foursome with Tiger Woods when he won at Pebble Beach.

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Wyckoff brings pro experience to Iowa

When the UI baseball team begins play later this month, the pitching staff will be under new leadership. Former college stand-out Travis Wyckoff will begin his first year as a coach in a Hawkeye uniform. The 26-year-old played four seasons at powerhouse Wichita State before entering professional baseball. He spent time with the Florida Marlins and Texas Rangers before retiring in 1998.

DI: sportswriter Todd Brommelkamp spoke with Wyckoff about playing at Wichita State, the transition from college to the pros and advice he would offer former Hawkeyes now in the minors.

DI: What was it like playing for a college legend like Gene Stephenson at WSU?

TW: There were times when I didn't like playing for him, but the majority of the time I enjoyed it. I learned a lot about baseball from my days at Wichita State.

DI: How was the transition from college ball to the pros?

TW: It was tough, very tough. College life is a little more structured and then you're thrown into the fire by yourself. There's not the camaraderie there is in college.

DI: What are some lessons you learned in professional baseball?

TW: You see this in college ball as well, but it's really highlighted in pro ball — guys going out every single day and taking care of business. You've got to show up every day, be prepared to play and be in shape.

DI: Do you ever keep up on some of your former teammates?

TW: I talk to a few of them, like Casey Blake and Brent

Billingsley, but I always read up to see what they're doing. It's exciting to see guys you played with in the minors and here they are in the big leagues.

DI: Many players dream of playing pro ball. Why did you retire?

TW: I was 25-years-old and I went to Spring Training with Texas, and I thought I'm either going to make AA, or they're going to release me. The last day of training they sent me back to the A ball team so I had to take a look at where my future was going. I prayed a lot about it that night and talked with my family, but I was really content with my decision.

DI: What advice would you give to former Hawkeyes like Jim Magrane and Wes Obermueller who entered the minors last season?

TW: This is a big time cliché, but it's not a sprint, it's a marathon. Just keep plugging away every single day. Take care of your own business and let things fall where they may.

DATEBOOK

Men's Basketball

■ **Wednesday** at Ohio State. The game will be held at Value City Arena in the Schottenstein Center in Columbus, Ohio. Tickets are sold out, but tip-off will be at 7 p.m. and broadcast on KGAN.

■ **Saturday** at Illinois. The game will be held at Assembly Hall in Champaign, Ill. Tip-off is scheduled for 1:30 p.m., and the game will be broadcast on KGAN. There are no more tickets remaining for the game.

Wrestling

■ **Friday** at Carver-Hawkeye Arena vs. Illinois. The meet is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m., and tickets are available for \$7 by calling the Iowa athletics ticket office.

Men's Tennis

■ **Sunday** at Kansas. The meet is scheduled for 1 p.m., and will be held at the Alvarado Racquet Club in Lawrence, Kan.

Men's Track & Field

■ **Friday and Saturday** at the Cyclone Classic in Ames. The two-day meet will be held in the Jacobson Athletic Building.

Women's Basketball

■ **Sunday** at Carver-Hawkeye Arena vs. Illinois. The game is scheduled to start at 2 p.m. Tickets are still available for \$5.

Women's Track & Field

■ **Friday and Saturday** at the Cyclone Classic. The meet will be held in the Jacobson Athletic Building.

Women's Tennis

■ **Saturday** hosts Marquette in the Rec Building. The meet is scheduled to start at 11 a.m., and is free to the public.

Women's Gymnastics

■ **Thursday** at Iowa State. The meet is scheduled to start at 7 p.m.

SPORTSWATCH

NHL Hall of Famer Sid Abel dead at 81

DETROIT (AP) — Hockey's famed "Production Line" has lost its sparkplug. Hall of Famer Sid Abel, who centered Detroit's high-scoring line between Gordie Howe and Ted Lindsay, and later coached the Red Wings to the Stanley Cup Finals four times, died Tuesday at age 81.

The cause of death was heart failure, said his daughter-in-law, Karin Abel. Lindsay's wife, Joanne, said Abel had also battled cancer and emphysema, and underwent hip surgery.

The Production Line was the NHL's premier offensive juggernaut that made Detroit the first of the league's great postwar dynasties. With Abel centering Howe and Lindsay, the Red Wings won the first four of their league-record seven consecutive regular-season titles and three Stanley Cups.

Nina Smith to miss rest of regular season

MADISON, Wis. — Wisconsin women's basketball starting center Nina Smith, who has been out with a foot injury, is not expected to return during the regular season, the team said Tuesday.

An X-ray taken Monday showed Smith's

foot still has some tenderness. She is expected to remain in a walking boot for another week, the team said in a statement.

Smith, a freshman, has been out since Jan. 1 with a broken bone in her right foot.

Smith, of Waterloo, Iowa, started nine games. She averaged 11 points per game and was Wisconsin's fourth leading scorer.

Missouri, Iowa State play for Big 12 lead

One more victory, and it'll be tough to keep Missouri out of the rankings.

The Tigers have a seven-game winning streak in Big 12 play and can tie for the conference lead with a victory over 17th-ranked Iowa State on Wednesday night in Columbia, Mo.

"We've had gut checks," coach Quin Snyder said. "Here's another one, and it's against a team that's playing as well as anybody. It's an exciting time for us."

Snyder's first season was supposed to be a transition season, considering Missouri (14-6, 7-1 Big 12) has only one starter taller than 6-5 and that he inherited most of the roster. After losing the conference opener 86-81 at Iowa State Jan. 8, the Tigers have been the surprise team of the league and are coming off road victories at Colorado and Nebraska.

Packers Freeman receives probation

GREEN BAY, Wis. — Antonio Freeman was sentenced Tuesday to a year on probation after pleading no contest to lying to police about a traffic accident.

Freeman was also fined \$1,000, ordered to pay \$315 in court costs and do 50 hours of community service. He had faced a maximum punishment of nine months in jail and a \$10,000 fine on a misdemeanor charge of obstructing police.

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MICHIGAN STATE (17-6)
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PURDUE (16-7)
Cardinal 6-13 4-4 17, Smith 2-3 0-0 4, Robinson 4-8 9-12 16, Cornell 5-10 1-5 12, Cunningham 2-8 2-4 8, McQuay 0-1 1-4 1, Lewis 2-5 2-2 6, Allison 1-1 2-2 4, Kerkhoff 1-1 0-0 2, Wetzel 0-0 0-0 0, Lowe 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 23-60 20-33 70.

Halltime—Michigan St. 41, Purdue 35, 9-point game—Michigan St. 3-19 (Granger 2-6, Cleaves 1-3, Bell 0-2, Richardson 0-2, Peterson 0-3

SPORTS



Michael Conroy/Associated Press

Purdue forward Brian Cardinal, right, and Michigan State forward Andre Hutson battle for a rebound in the first half Tuesday.

Purdue's seniors don't go quietly against Spartans

The Boilermakers' three seniors keyed Purdue's upset of No. 6 Michigan State Tuesday.

By Hank Lowenkron
Associated Press

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — Purdue's seniors have grown hungry as their college careers wind down.

On Tuesday night, they showed they aren't ready to go away quietly.

Seniors Brian Cardinal, Mike Robinson and Jaraan Cornell rallied the Boilermakers from a 10-point deficit in the second half to beat No. 6 Michigan State 70-67.

Cardinal led the way with 17 points and Robinson added 16, while Cornell had 10 of his 12 in the second half.

The seniors recalled last year's visit by Michigan State when the Spartans broke a 30-30 tie and went on to a 60-46 victory.

"We were very hungry, hungrier than we were last year," Robinson said. "We took a lot of their plays away and made them run motion. ... That made them stand a little bit."

The Boilermakers (16-7, 7-3 Big Ten) trailed 57-47 after Mateen Cleaves hit a 3-pointer with 13:20 to play. Michigan State (17-6, 7-2) then saw Purdue score 10 consecutive points to tie the score on a free throw by Robinson with 8:19 remaining.

"We missed a layup and dunk

during that stretch that allowed them to get back in it," Michigan State coach Tom Izzo said. "I really thought that we lost the game in the first two minutes. I challenged our team after that."

Cardinal ignited the 10-point run with a 3-pointer and two free throws. Cornell hit a 3-pointer that gave Purdue a 62-61 lead with 3:54 remaining.

Robinson's layup with 2:54 remaining put the Boilermakers ahead to stay at 64-63.

Michigan State, which fell out of a tie for first place in the conference with Ohio State, then had three consecutive turnovers in 76 seconds and the Boilermakers went up 66-63 following the third when Cardinal snared an offensive rebound and laid it in with 1:19 left.

The Spartans fouled Robinson with 40 seconds left and he gave the Boilermakers a 68-63 lead with two free throws.

Andre Hutson put in an uncontested layup with 28 seconds to go for Michigan State and the Boilermakers held off the Spartans as Robinson and Carson Cunningham each made one of two free throws.

"When they got down 10, I asked them in the huddle if they really thought they could win. They said yes without hesitating, so I believed them and their eyes said that," Purdue coach Gene Keady said. "I was hoping that if we got them into a close game, because they hadn't had one in several games, that it might help us."

Florida clubs Wildcats in the Swamp, 90-73

No. 12 Florida made the SEC East very tight, beating Kentucky to pull into a three-way tie for first place.

By Eddie Pells
Associated Press

GAINESVILLE, Fla. — No. 12 Florida validated its spot among the nation's elite Tuesday night, getting 11 points and 18 rebounds from Mike Miller in a wire-to-wire 90-73 victory over No. 11 Kentucky.

It was the fourth straight win for Florida (18-4, 7-2 Southeastern Conference), which pulled into a three-way tie for first in the SEC East with Kentucky (17-6, 7-2) and No. 8 Tennessee.

The Wildcats came in as arguably the hottest team in the nation, having gone 13-1 since splitting their first eight games and brought up questions as to whether the dynasty was in decline.

Certainly it isn't, although the Gators made it look that way at times before a frenzied crowd of 11,818, many of whom waited outside overnight to get seats at the O'Connell Center.

Full-court trapping the Wildcats into a state of frustration, the Gators took a 34-17 lead with seven minutes left in the first half and spent the rest of the game holding off Kentucky rallies.

Florida got the lead up to 19 points early in the second half. Kentucky got the deficit down to 76-66 with three minutes remaining but committed a turnover when it had the ball with a chance to trim it to eight.

Florida scored the next seven points and the Gators began celebrating their second straight victory in the series after dropping 11 of the previous 13.

When it was over, the Wildcats could target foul trouble and their own trouble at the foul line as culprits for the loss. They finished 18-of-29 from the line, but endured a 3-for-9 stretch late in the first half that kept them from capitalizing on a 4-minute scoring drought by Florida.

Meanwhile, Kentucky center Jamaal Magloire drew his second foul four minutes into the game and his third three minutes into the second half. He played a total of 17 minutes and finished with four points and eight rebounds.

No. 16 Oklahoma 85, Kansas St. 64

NORMAN, Okla. — J.R. Raymond scored 17 points and Eduardo Najera had 15 points and nine rebounds as No. 16 Oklahoma handed Kansas State its ninth straight loss, 85-64 Tuesday night.

The Sooners (19-3, 7-2 Big 12) played as though they were looking ahead to Saturday's game with No. 14 Oklahoma State. They lacked the intensity they will need in that game and, while never threatened, didn't take control for good until the second half.

Kelvin Howell had 12 points and 11 rebounds for Kansas State (8-13, 1-9), which has lost 10 of its past 11 games. Nolan Johnson had 11 points and 10 rebounds for Oklahoma, winner of five in a row. Tim Heskett had 11 points and Jameel Heywood 10.

The Wildcats trailed by as many as 11 points in the first half, after a 14-2 run by Oklahoma, but they cut the lead to 43-40 on a 3-pointer by Galen Morrison with 16:40 left in the game.

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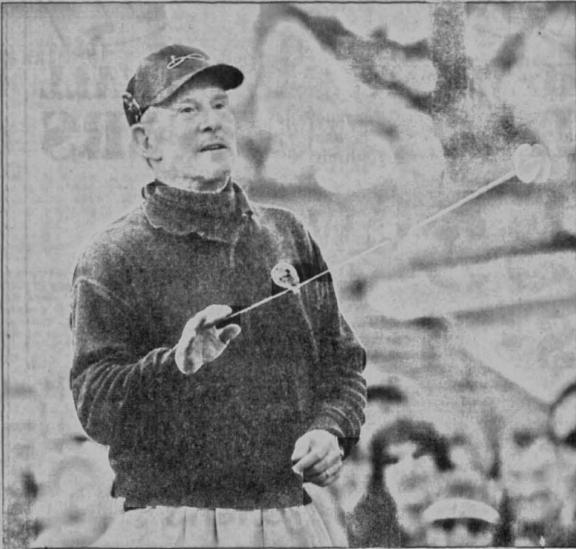
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Comedian Tommy Smothers does tricks with his yo-yo during the Pebble Beach National Pro-Am Saturday. Tiger Woods won the event after his impressive comeback victory over Matt Gogel. The win was Woods' sixth in a row, the longest winning streak since Byron Nelson.

A party at Pebble, a pain at the Phoenix

Borderline offensive golf fans made some players not want to go back to the Phoenix Open.

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. — Before Tiger Woods and his foursome could hit their approach shots on the 18th at Poppy Hills, they had to wait for comedian Tommy Smothers to finish his yo-yo tricks and get off the green.

No wonder it took six hours to complete 18 holes in the Pebble Beach National Pro-Am. And that was without weather delays.

Ryder Cup star Hal Sutton had to wait for the jeers to subside before he could hit his tee shot on the par-3 16th in the Phoenix Open. A chorus of boos resounded even louder when he hit into a bunker.

Why? Because of his assessment a day earlier that the "fans" didn't like.

"I think there's a pretty damn good party going on here, and there's a golf tournament lost somewhere in the middle of it," Sutton said.

That's true on both accounts. From Phoenix to Pebble, the last two weeks have been one big party on the PGA Tour, only not everyone was pleased to be there.

Unmerciful heckling nearly caused David Duval to withdraw from Phoenix after the third round. Another rain delay in the first round at Pebble Beach made Lee Janzen wonder why he came back for the first time since 1996.

For those who have a problem with Phoenix, Rocco Mediate offered a piece of advice.

"If you don't like it, don't come," he snuffed.

For those who are weary of the weather, the amateur distractions and the marathon rounds at Pebble Beach, Duval had a similar answer.

"The people that don't come, don't come," said Duval, who hasn't missed Pebble in seven years. "The players who enjoy being here keep coming."

So why is Pebble Beach so celebrated, and Phoenix such an embarrassment?

One tournament has Hollywood stars, All-Star athletes and For-

tune 500 CEOs. The other has refugees from the WWF. Pebble represents an important chapter in tour history. Phoenix represents everything golf is not.

The Phoenix Open is notorious for its mammoth galleries on the TPC at Scottsdale, along with its mammoth beer sales at the 24,000-square-foot Bird's Nest tent across the street. It's almost as though fans have a reputation to live up to when they walk through the gates.

Remember, this is the same crew that cheered Justin Leonard's poor shots when he lost in a playoff to hometown hero Phil Mickelson four years ago. And this is the same tournament where a drunk following Tiger Woods last year was found with a gun in his fanny pack.

Woods didn't return this time. Duval won't next year.

Care to guess why? "That's the kind of thing that's over the top," said Phoenix winner Tom Lehman, who tried to hush the crowd when it booed Sutton. "It's only a small percentage, but it's enough to hurt what is otherwise a great event."

That small percentage decided to razz Duval for choosing to play it safe off the tee on the short par-4 17th, and to boo him a day later when he three-putted. Casey Martin caught the most ruthless barb of all after an errant shot on the 16th.

"Walk it off," some genius shouted.

Suddenly, watching (Everybody Loves) Raymond Romano try to hit a ball off the beach doesn't seem so bad.

That doesn't make Pebble Beach perfect. Bill Murray took the year off, meaning old ladies could stand next to bunkers without fear, but Smothers' routine wore thin. And what has happened to all the celebrities? Instead of Jack Lemmon and James Garner, we now get the CEOs from IBM and AT&T.

As for the weather, no one ever said golf had to be played in sunshine. Keep in mind that the '62 Crosby Clambake had one round postponed because of snow. Jimmy Demaret rolled out of his bed in the Lodge, looked at the 18th green and said, "I know I had a lot to drink last night ... but how did I end up in Sun Valley?"

A long road for Agassi

Andre Agassi has won in Zimbabwe and Australia since the last time he won in the United States.

By Rob Gloster
Associated Press

SAN JOSE, Calif. — Since his last tournament in the United States, Andre Agassi has added another Grand Slam title, a new girlfriend and a ton of frequent flier miles.

Now, after victorious stops in Australia and Zimbabwe, his journey takes him back to the Sybase Open — a tournament at which he was defaulted in the second round last year for repeatedly cursing a linesman.

Agassi plays his first match in the Sybase Open on Wednesday night against Mark Woodforde. The world's No. 1 player is the only top 15 player in the tournament, which he has won four times.

It will be his first tournament in the United States since he won the U.S. Open in September. The following day, he returned to the No. 1 ranking and took off on a journey that included stops in Switzerland, Germany and France late last year.

This year, he won his second Australian Open in late January with girlfriend Steffi Graf applauding in the stands. He then flew to Zimbabwe, helping the United States rally for a 3-2 Davis Cup win.

Agassi won two matches in that first-round series despite altitude sickness and dehydration that

caused him to vomit into a court-side trash can during his second victory.

"It is not easy. There are so many difficult parts of a professional tennis player's life, such as the continual change in time zones and jet lag and hours spent in the air and strange cultures and strange foods, things you are not familiar with," he said.

"You learn to kind of take care of the necessities and focus on your work. I have gotten it down to a pretty good science."

Agassi worked feverishly to rebuild his game after falling as low as 141st in the world in 1998. He has remained No. 1 since that U.S. Open victory last September, but fears all the travel could prevent him from getting stronger.

"You win a tournament like the Australian Open and you immediately think to yourself, 'How can I get better?' And when you are kind of jumping across the world competing, what seems to be sometimes never-ending, you don't have the time to take those steps and that gets a little frustrating to me," he said.

After defeating Byron Black in straight sets on the final day of the Davis Cup on Sunday, Agassi experienced severe vomiting and cramping in the locker room. He returned to his hotel room, received intravenous fluids and a few hours later got on a plane with his Davis Cup teammates.

He arrived in San Jose on Monday evening. To win the Sybase Open, he'll have to win matches on five consecutive days beginning Wednesday.

Rocker's case to be heard

John Rocker will appeal his suspension for making offensive comments.

By Paul Newberry
Associated Press

ATLANTA — With history on its side, the players' association on Wednesday will attempt to overturn

John Rocker's suspension for offensive comments against homosexuals, minorities and foreigners.

Baseball commissioner Bud Selig banned Rocker until May 1, saying the Atlanta Braves' top reliever "offended practically every element of society" with his comments in a December issue of Sports Illustrated.

The players' association quickly appealed the decision, setting up the hearing in New York before Shyam Das, baseball's new arbitrator.

Das will hear testimony from Selig and Braves president Stan Kasten. Gene Orza, the union's chief lawyer, will argue on Rocker's behalf, and union head Donald Fehr is expected to testify on past suspensions.

Rocker will attend the hearing, but it's unclear if he'll be asked to testify. He told Sports Illustrated in December that he would never play for a New York team because he didn't want to ride a subway train "next to some queer with AIDS." He also mocked foreigners and called a black teammate a "fat monkey."

Time and time again, the players' association has convinced arbitrators to reduce or overturn suspensions imposed by baseball.

In 1981, St. Louis shortstop Garry Templeton was suspended and fined after making a series of obscene gestures toward heckling fans at Busch Stadium. Two days later, an arbitrator ruled the suspension should be lifted when Templeton checked into a hospital for treatment of depression.

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SPORTS

Tom Goss resigns as Michigan AD

■ A large budget deficit and Jamal Crawford's suspension made Goss' reign rocky.

By Harry Atkins
Associated Press

ANN ARBOR, Mich. — Tom Goss demanded his employees be accountable. Goss' boss demanded the same thing.

Goss, whose 2½ years as athletic director were marked by a budget deficit, a stadium controversy and the suspension of the basketball team's leading scorer, announced his resignation Tuesday.

A source close to the situation said university President Lee Bollinger asked Goss to step down and would likely have fired Goss had he refused. Bollinger neither confirmed nor denied that.

"I want to express my admiration and gratitude for the many qualities that Tom has brought to the position as athletic director," Bollinger said at a news conference at the Michigan Union building. "Tom has a deep and emotional connection to the university rooted in his days here as a student athlete."

Goss conceded that the move caught him by surprise.

"But I felt it was time to step aside," Goss said.

Reports of Goss' resignation began surfacing last week, although he said at the time he had no plans to resign.

Media reports said that Goss angered Bollinger by not telling him of an NCAA probe of the eligibility of Wolverines freshman basketball player Jamal Crawford.



Carlos Osorio/Associated Press

Michigan AD Tom Goss, whose two years as athletic director were marked by a budget deficit, a stadium controversy and the suspension of the basketball team's leading scorer, announced his resignation Tuesday.

Bollinger refused to comment on that.

The NCAA last week suspended Crawford, the team's leading scorer, for six games for his living arrangements while in high school.

Goss, 53, a former defensive lineman for the Wolverines, was the university's ninth athletic director, but the fourth in the last decade. He was the first black ever to run the department and didn't want to leave.

"I love this place, I'd like to stay, but I think it's time to make the next move," Goss said.

Goss, who earned \$275,000 per year, will receive \$280,500 in severance pay in April less unspecified deductions, the university said.

Was Goss perhaps a scapegoat?

"Well, I hope not," Bollinger said. "And if that's what's being said, it's not true."

Goss was criticized by some of the university's regents for a budget deficit last year. He was placed under close scrutiny by the administration after a \$2.8 million budget deficit was revealed last June.

Last year he had to cut a proposed \$8 increase in football ticket prices to \$4 after regents complained.

There also was a controversy over the decision to redecorate Michigan Stadium with a bright maize "halo" and phrases from the school's fight song. Last month, workers removed the large letters and icons surrounding the stadium's exterior.

Study finds andro could be dangerous

■ The supplement Mark McGwire made famous may cause hazardous testosterone levels.

By Lindsey Tanner
Associated Press

CHICAGO — Androstenedione, the supplement once used by Mark McGwire, really does raise testosterone above normal levels and could be hazardous, Harvard researchers say in a study financed by major league baseball.

Both baseball and its players' union said additional study is needed to determine whether andro affects athletic performance.

A study last year found that the over-the-counter drug had no effect on testosterone levels or strength and instead may promote breast enlargement, heart disease and cancer.

The new study lasted just one week and did not measure whether andro can do what promoters have claimed — make bigger muscles. But the researchers said andro could have that effect because it increases levels of the male hormone.

"If a patient of mine came to me and asked whether he should take androstenedione, I would caution against it simply because we don't know what the long-term effects are," said Dr. Benjamin Z. Leder, the Harvard University endocrinologist who led the study, published in Wednesday's Journal of the American Medical Association.

Side effects of elevated testosterone levels include acne, male pattern baldness and a decrease in "good" cholesterol, which could lead to heart disease. In women, high testosterone can also cause increased body hair, deepening of the voice and other male characteristics.

Androstenedione supplements are made of a naturally occurring steroid hormone the body uses to make testosterone. When supplements of testosterone are taken in high doses, they are known to have an anabolic effect — increasing muscle size and strength.

Andro sales soared after McGwire acknowledged using it in 1998, the year he hit a record 70 home runs for the St. Louis Cardinals. He has since said he has stopped using it.

Andro is considered a dietary supplement, but the federal government is reviewing whether it should be reclassified as a steroid, which would remove it from store shelves and make it available by prescription only for legitimate medical uses.

It is banned by the Olympics, the NCAA, the NFL and the men's and women's tennis tours, but not by major league baseball.

"That androstenedione, when taken in higher than suggested doses, elevates testosterone levels appears to be a significant contribution to the science surrounding its use," baseball commissioner Bud Selig said in a statement. "While we are pleased to have played a part in the advancement of science, we

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Harvard endocrinologist

are also concerned about the effects of androstenedione use. More research is needed."

The study of 42 men found increases in testosterone levels when andro was taken for seven days in a single daily 300-milligram dose — an amount that is probably far smaller than what athletes and bodybuilders use.

The subjects, ages 20 to 40, were divided into three groups and received either no androstenedione, 100 mg daily, or 300 mg daily.

In the 300 mg group, testosterone levels in the blood increased by an average of 34 percent by the seventh day, though levels had returned to normal by the following day. The lower dose had no significant effect on testosterone levels, though levels of the female hormone estrogen increased substantially with both doses.

An eight-week Iowa State University study published last year in JAMA found no increased testosterone levels with 300 mg, but the dosages were given in 100 mg increments three times daily.

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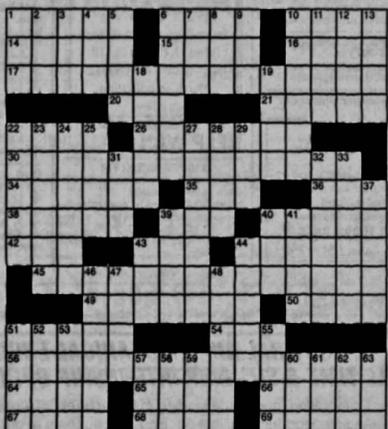
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 - Start of a quip
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 - Quip, part 2
 - Like black/white issues
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- DOWN**
- Paul's "Exodus" role
 - Person who whistles
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 - "...you happy now?"
 - Do some postal work
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 - High dudgeon
 - Get-up-and-go
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 - Kind of trip
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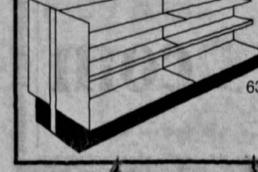
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COOK needed for 60 people Sun-Th. Good pay, experience wanted to start ASAP. Please call at (319)338-1224.

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LIFE SKILLS, INC., a private, non-profit human service agency, is accepting applications for a full-time Family Centered Skills Counselor to provide skill development and family counseling. The applicant must have a BA or BS in a human service related field and two years of full-time experience. Send resume and references to LIFE Skills, Inc., 1700 South First Avenue, Suite 25E, Iowa City, IA, 52240. EOE/AA. Apply by 2/14

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OFFICE ASSISTANT permanent, part-time opportunity with reputable local insurance office. Accuracy, phone and communication skills are a must. Pay \$8-\$11.50/hour. Send resume to Bill Schneider, 935 S. Gilbert, Iowa City, Iowa 52240.

OUR nursery needs a loving, responsible childcare worker: 8:15 to 12:15 Sundays and/or 7 to 9:30p.m. Wednesdays \$7/hour. Apply at Saint Andrew Presbyterian Church, 1300 Melrose Avenue, Iowa City, or call (319)338-7523.

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STUDENT custodians needed for immediate openings at U of I Laundry SVC. M-F, 3:30p.m. to 7:00p.m. \$8.00 per hour, must have own transportation. Apply weekdays in person at U of I Laundry SVC, Oakdale Campus, 2000 Crosspark Road, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30p.m.

SYSTEMS UNLIMITED, a recognized leader in the provision of comprehensive services for people with disabilities in Eastern Iowa, has job opportunities for entry level through management positions. Call Chris at 1-800-401-3665 or (319)338-9212.

UI STUDENTS: Multiple student jobs available with patient contact. 5:30am-8:30am, Start at \$8/hour. Contact Kathy Eyres (319)356-8620.

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PART-TIME WAREHOUSE WORKER to pick food orders approximately 20 hours per week; daytime and evening hours available. Weekend hours required. Earn average of \$10.11/hour (base + incentive). Must be able to lift up to 50lbs frequently. Pre-employment physical required. Apply in person: Blooming Prairie, 2340 Heinz Rd. EOE.

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POSTAL JOBS to \$18.35/hour. Inc. benefits, no experience. For appointment and exam information call (800)813-3585 ext. 1806. 8am-9pm, 7 days/week.

RTS is hiring bouncers and doormen. Must be available on weekends. Please apply within 826 South Clinton, 11:00a.m.-3:00p.m.

25-HOUR position providing medical services for clients in the gynecology and abortion clinics. Rotating week hours Monday-Saturday. Qualifications: NP or PA, experience providing gynecology exams and HRT. EGC is committed to having a diverse staff to serve our diverse community.

Mail or Fax resumes: ATTN: Jennifer EMMA GOLDMAN CLINIC 227 N. Dubuque St. Iowa City, IA 52245 319-337-2754 Fax admmdep@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu Email

MR&A offers flexible work schedules including, daytime, evening and weekend hours. Minimum of 20 hrs per wk required. Starting rate \$7/mr.

You may complete an employment application form at: 125 South Dubuque St., Suite 230 Phone: 319-466-9500

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SECURITY COURIER Full-time, work in the Iowa City area. Daytime. Weapons permit desirable. Must be 21 with a good driving record. Call and leave number at 351-5466.

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Aspiring Writers
Inform, expose, provoke, explain, tell, ask, vent, change an online college community. E-mail: earn@maincampus.com \$25 per article!

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CAMP CANADENSIS, Pocomo Mountains, PA. Excellent residential coed summer camp. We are looking for an energetic, qualified and caring staff to teach gymnastics, all general athletics, hockey, tennis, mountain bikes, golf, motorcycles, outdoor adventure sports, archery, drama, video, photography, fishing, WSI, water-skiing, arts and crafts, cooking and much more! Excellent facilities and great salary! 621.00 - 8/18.00. Call 1-800-832-8228 or apply online. www.canadensis.com

CAMP COUNSELORS needed for Girl Scout Day Camps in metro Denver and Overnight camps in the mountains SW of Denver. General counselors and instruction positions in Horseback riding, crafts, nature, back packing, challenge course, farm, dance, tennis, sports, archery, June-August 2000. Must enjoy working with girls in an outdoor setting. Salary and much more! Excellent benefits and staff. Over 30 and water activities. Looking for MF counselors, activity directors, nurses, trip leaders, office staff more. Competitive salary. Call to set up an interview or stop by our table at the Summer Job/Internship Fair on February 15. 1-800-292-2929. www.lincoln-lakehubert.com

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HORSEBACK Riding Staff needed at Girl Scout Overnight camp SW of Denver. Must have recent experience riding and teaching basic riding skills. Live and work in the mountains. Must enjoy working with girls. Salary + food + ins. June-August 2000. Call 303-778-0109, x281 or email: ronaldm@gsmhc.org

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Both Birchwood (all girls) and Gunflint (co-ed) offer staff unique leadership and teaching opportunities in a variety of activities and areas in Northern Minnesota. Staff care, teach, lead, support, and interact with campers day and night and are role models and mentors for campers in a variety of ways. Both camps provide exceptional director support and offer fun and meaningful challenges with in a close-knit community of friends. Positions run 9 weeks (Gunflint) and 11 weeks (Birchwood) long, with competitive salaries plus room and board.

www.campbirchwood.com

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The Daily Iowan Carriers' Routes

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

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

Michael, Rider, Lee, Otto, Black Springs Circle, Teeter's Ct. Pentacrest Apts. Downtown Apts. Keokuk, Broadway, Cross Park Ave.

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

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ATTENTION! The Iowa City Community School District currently has the following positions open.

Payroll/Accounting Clerical Position - Full Time Head Varsity Volleyball; Iowa Coaching Authorization required Head Boys Swim; Iowa Coaching Authorization required Food Service Assistant - 6 hrs. - City and West Food Service Assistant - 2 hrs. - Shimek and Hills Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. (SCI) - 7 hrs. day - City Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. (Autism) - 7 hrs. day - City Ed. Assoc. B.D. - 6 hrs. day - Lemme Ed. Assoc. Supervisory - 7 hrs. day - West Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. (1-1) - 7 hrs. day - West Day Custodian - 8 hrs. day - City Night Custodian - 8 hrs. day - City Night Custodian - 5 hrs. day - Wood Night Custodian - 5 hrs. day - Lincoln

Apply to: Office of Human Resources 509 S. Dubuque St., Iowa City, IA 52240 www.iowa-city.k12.ia.us (319) 339-6800 EOE

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SPORTS

'True hero' dies following auto accident



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THOMAS

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Arrowhead Stadium in Kansas City, and the Missouri Legislature paused for a moment of silence after Thomas' death was announced by state Sen. Bill Kenney, a former Chiefs quarterback.

"Derrick Thomas was a true hero," said Kenney, who urged lawmakers to support a bill for spinal cord research in Missouri.

Thomas was driving a car during a snowstorm on Jan. 23 as he and two friends headed to the Kansas City airport to fly to St. Louis for the NFC Championship game. He lost control of the car and it overturned at least three times, police said.

Police said Thomas was speeding and weaving in traffic, but prosecutor Don Norris said there wasn't enough evidence to file charges.

Thomas and passenger Michael Tellis, 49, were not wearing seat belts and were thrown from the car. Tellis was killed and Thomas' spine and neck were broken. The third person in the car, who was wearing his seat belt, sustained only minor injuries.

Thomas was brought to the hospital in Miami, his hometown, where doctors stabilized his spinal column with screws, rods and hooks and grafted bone from his hip. Though he was paralyzed from the chest down, doctors had hoped he would walk again.

Jackson Memorial is the home

of the Miami Project to Cure Paralysis, the world's largest spinal cord injury research center, and its surgeons have operated on injured athletes before, including race car driver Emerson Fittipaldi.

An All-American at Alabama, the 6-foot-3, 255-pound Thomas became an immediate star as a pass-rushing specialist after being taken in the first round of the 1989 draft. He was an All-Pro in his first nine seasons and ranked ninth on the career list with 126.5 career sacks.

He set the single-game sack record in 1990 in a game against Seattle. That game was the same week as Veterans Day and Thomas dedicated his performance to his father, an Air Force

pilot killed in Vietnam.

Kansas City Chiefs president Carl Peterson had visited Thomas on Monday.

"He was upbeat, he was positive, he was Derrick," a tearful Peterson, wearing a button with Thomas' No. 58, said from Arrowhead Stadium.

"He was in a wheelchair. ... I said 'Son, you're mobile.' He said, 'Father, I am. I've got wheels.'"

Thomas was one of the most popular athletes in Kansas City, and Peterson called the death a "devastating tragedy."

"He has done so much for this team and our city during the time that he had with us," Peterson said. "He had so much love for the game, for his teammates and for our town. ... A light has gone out."

Coaches' demeanors mesh

WOMEN'S GYM

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find is that this is just a terrific group of student athletes that are so eager to learn, to grow, to do better and to take advantage of a second chance," he added.

According to senior Julie Matolo, the team has always had faith in gymnastics but lost their unity and leadership last season. In her final year, Matolo has found success as she has placed first and third in all-around competition during the team's last two meets, respectively.

Matolo said that she hopes at the end of the season the senior class will be able to take some positive memories with them.

"All of us, but especially the seniors, have been through a lot," Matolo said. "I really feel like I could make it through anything now. I feel really lucky that I have the chance to be with such a great new coaching staff. It is great to be reminded of how things should be."

Lorenzen is joined in his eagerness by two assistants who also bring extensive experience as well as other great qualities to the program. Chris Buchheister is the team's beam coach, head choreographer and marketing director.

According to Lorenzen, her choreography is among the most impressive in the country, and Iowa's floor team could challenge some of the nation's best. Buchheister also provides a good balance with Lorenzen in the aspect of personality.

"I am a fairly intense, demand-



Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan
Iowa junior Giselle Boniforti competes on the balance beam against Northern Illinois.

ing coach," Lorenzen said. "Chris is fairly laid-back, compassionate person, and both are important to have in the gym."

Joanna Parrett, another assistant coach, has broken through the traditional gender roles and works as the team's primary spotter on the vault and the floor.

When added together, Iowa's three newcomers provide a sense of structure and stability that the team has never seen before.

"I love how all three of them balance each other out," senior Robyn Gamble said. "We have been so unstable in the past, but now I think we have the best gymnastics coaching staff that Iowa will ever have."

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Iowa wary about Ohio State guard tandem

MEN'S HOOPS

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against Purdue. The defeat was the worst home loss for the Hawkeyes since Carver-Hawkeye Arena opened.

Alford attributed the loss partly to Purdue's experience and partly to his team's psyche. He said Iowa received a standing ovation at the Hawkeye wrestling meet the day after they upset Kansas.

The coach was standing in the tunnel below the stands at Carver-Hawkeye and thought the ovation was for former Iowa wrestling coach Dan Gable.

"(Gable) would be worth some kind of standing ovation, not a 10-10 basketball team," he said.

Iowa players said it was a lack of mental toughness, not a lack of effort, that hampered their play against Purdue.

"Losses like that should never happen to the home team," for-

ward Rob Griffin said. "I don't care how horrible the team is."

If Iowa wants to avoid another blowout, it will have to combat one of the best backcourt duos in the nation, Scoonie Penn and Michael Redd. The 5-foot-10 Penn runs the Buckeyes' up-tempo offense and Redd complements him at the two spot.

Both Penn and Redd average more than 15 points per game.

The Buckeyes (16-3, 7-1) come into the game in the thick of a

race for the Big Ten crown with Michigan State. Ohio State is playing their best basketball of the year, winning seven of its last eight games and 12 of its last 13. They are coming off an 88-67 win over Michigan Sunday on the road at Crisler Arena.

"Ohio State does not have many weaknesses," Alford said. "If they see a mismatch, they'll exploit it."

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Lennox Lewis finally in position to dictate terms

LEWIS-GRANT

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"If that's what they saw, that's the mistake they've made," Grant said. "They didn't see it clearly."

Trainer Don Turner shrugged off Golota's knockdowns. "Forget Golota," he said. "Did you ever see a horse race? The backstretch and clubhouse turns don't count. It's who crossed the finish line first."

Lewis is enjoying his status after finishing off Holyfield in the rematch following their disputed draw at the Garden last March.

"Now, I'm undisputed," he said. "There's no disputing that."

That meant he couldn't be bothered with watching the Mike Tyson-Julius Francis fight last month in Manchester. He saw that match as irrelevant.

"There was only one guy fighting," he said. "I was on the beach

in Jamaica. I knew the result already."

Just because he didn't watch Tyson doesn't mean Lewis doesn't think about him. And just because Don King isn't around for this promotion doesn't mean a little fractured English didn't surface.

"Tyson's definitely a fight I would want," Lewis said. "But politricks get in the way. I'll definitely push for it. I want it. Tyson's the only man of my era

that I haven't fought. I want to put a whipping on him. He paid me money once not to fight him. If he still feels that way, I don't mind."

When he was a No. 1 contender in 1996, Lewis was paid \$4 million to step aside so that Tyson could fight WBA title holder Bruce Seldon. Now, with all the championship belts in his possession, he's in position to dictate the terms.

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