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Professor's language concerns chem students

■ A UI professor's comments during a lecture raises students' concerns about "offensive words."

By Lisa Livermore
The Daily Iowan

A UI course Web site has become a forum for students' complaints about a UI visiting assistant professor of chemistry, Tim Smith, and his alleged conduct during an Organic Chemistry II lecture on Feb. 18.

A message board on the Web site contained approximately 10 messages Sunday night from students reacting to the professor's use of the word "pussy" while responding to a student's disruptive comments during class.

Smith responded to a student's audible comment about an upcoming test

after Smith had warned about the test's difficulty, class members said.

UI sophomore Josh Hamann said he witnessed the exchange between Smith and the student, who orally disrupted the class of approximately 250 students. Hamann said the professor's comments left the class in a stunned silence for the remainder of the lecture.

"It was extremely out of line. I was the first one to put the message on the message board," he said.

Although Smith declined to comment, he confirmed his responses on the course's Web site bulletin board to students' complaints about his conduct.

"I may have been harsh, and I apolo-

gize if the language was a bit rude, but I personally do not need to put up with students who think this is still grade school and cannot handle college," Smith wrote in one of his two apologies on the Web site bulletin board.

He said students with further concerns have a right to talk to the department chairman or other UI officials.

Since the incident, UI sophomore and class member Matt Kalinsky said his perception of Smith has changed.

"I was extremely shocked," he said, adding that prior to the exchange he had always perceived the teacher as a "nice guy."

Hamann said he is now less likely to

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— Tim Smith,
visiting assistant professor in chemistry
replying on course web site

approach the professor with class-related questions.

The first step to addressing student complaints is to take immediate action to improve a situation, said Daniel Quinn, the chemistry department chair-

man, who said he hasn't received any student complaints since the Feb. 18 class.

Quinn said a professor may defend his

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Brian Moore/The Daily Iowan

UI sophomore David Marxuach collects money from a driver in the IMU parking ramp Sunday afternoon.

Parking cards swipe hassle away

■ New parking cards may make parking easier in UI lots and ramps.

By Christoph Trappe
The Daily Iowan

Students parking at UI ramps and cashier lots won't have to dig for loose change anymore.

After more than a year of development, the UI Student Government and the UI Parking and Transportation Department are offering the option of pre-paid parking cards.

The cards come in denominations of \$10, \$25 and \$50. The \$25 and \$50 cards can be charged to the student's U-bill; the \$10 card has to be paid for in cash.

Upon leaving a UI parking facility, students can give the card to the parking cashier, who then deducts the amount from the card. Card-users can obtain receipts from the cashier showing their remaining balance.

Parking cards can be purchased in the parking office on Madison Street, across from the IMU and in the parking office on the first floor of UI Hospitals and Clinics ramp 2 between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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UI students get a taste of different worlds

■ Celebrating Cultural Diversity festival brings the world to the UI Field House.

By Andrew T. Dawson
The Daily Iowan

As the Latin and Caribbean sounds of the Orchestra de jazz Alto Maiz filled the main deck of the UI Field House Sunday afternoon, UI graduate student David Mohler watched as people from across the world danced in unison.

"People were out there dancing, and it wasn't just Latinos. It was Asian Americans, African Americans — all people just dancing together, having fun and enjoying the music," said Mohler, who performed with the rhythm group the Yahoo Drummers.

The 11th annual Celebrating Cultural Diversity Festival became a "microcosm of the world" by offering a blend of unique tastes, sights and sounds with the help of more than 50 UI programs.

Throughout the afternoon, guests enjoyed a variety of worldwide cuisine and cultural programs. Events ranged from tae kwon do demonstrations and an international fashion show to the sounds of the Thai Band.

"Music is something that goes across cultures. That to me is the essence of this whole festival," Mohler said.

Since the festival's origin in 1990, it has steadily grown in numbers, said Warren Slebos, an associate director of recreational services. Slebos, who was primarily in charge of the physical set-up and tear-down at the festival, said there were 4,000-5,000 people at this year's event.

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Matt Holst/The Daily Iowan

Maitreyee Shirolkar draws on the hand of Iowa City resident Jacquie Hall, using the art Mehmdī. Shirolkar, originally from India, said that Mehmdī is a very common skill among women in her country. "Most women know how to do it," said Shirolkar. She said the art is used mostly at weddings and is part of the bride's attire. The Mehmdī booth was one of the most popular booths at the festival. Throughout the afternoon, students enjoyed a variety of worldwide foods and cultural programs, with events ranging from tae kwon do demonstrations to an international fashion show to the sounds of the Thai Band.

No beating around the bush for McCain

■ The clock is ticking on the Arizona senator's campaign after his big loss in South Carolina.

By Ron Fournier
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — When John McCain woke up Sunday in Michigan, the clock was already ticking on his presidential campaign.

With just 48 hours to prepare for the state's Republican primary, a critical follow-up to George W. Bush's thumping win in South Carolina, McCain had no time to spare and few options to explore. And so he mocked Bush's claim to be a reformer and cost-cutting conservative, hoping to learn from the lessons of South Carolina.

"I'm more conservative than he is," the Arizonan said in a blitz of media appearances.

Time and demographics were on Bush's side, analysts said.

"I think Bush got a huge bounce out of South Carolina Saturday. He reclaimed the mantle of front-runner

with a vengeance," said GOP pollster Whit Ayres. "And McCain has few places to turn."

He can start with the results in South Carolina:

- Bush won by 11 percentage points, galvanizing religious conservatives and party regulars to swamp McCain's fragile coalition of independents, Democrats and Republicans who don't normally vote in GOP primaries.
- The Texas governor was supported by seven out of 10 Republican voters. The same ratio of religious-right voters backed him. McCain increased the participation of non-Republican voters in South Carolina but learned that he can't expand the party unless bedrock Republicans join with him.
- More voters considered Bush a political reformer than McCain,

proof that the Arizonan's centerpiece issue got lost in a debate over negative advertising that sprang from McCain's own actions.

Picking through those numbers, McCain realized he must siphon Michigan conservatives from Bush and reclaim his self-styled reformist image. Thus, he accused Bush Sunday of spending wildly in Texas while paying lip service to health care and campaign-finance reforms.

Appearing on NBC's "Meet the Press," McCain said Bush's record on spending compared unfavorably with Clinton's.

"Spending in Texas has almost doubled, while spending under Clinton has been increased by 20 percent," he said.

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Bush
Republican
presidential
candidate



McCain
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Police jail 54 in sweatshop protest

■ Police remove anti-sweatshop protesters from the Wisconsin chancellor's office after a four-day sit-in.

Associated Press

MADISON, Wis. — Police removed more than 50 anti-sweatshop protesters from the chancellor's office of University of Wisconsin, Madison, early Sunday, hours after the university told the students the two sides were "at an end point" on the sweatshop issue.

Fifty-four of the students were arrested and taken to Dane County Jail, where they are being held on bail, said Wisconsin spokeswoman Amy Toburen.

The students, who had camped out in Wisconsin's Bascom Hall since Feb. 16, had presented Chancellor David Ward with a list of seven demands, most designed to give manufacturing companies less sway in the monitoring accords universities around the country agreed to after a round of student protests a year ago.

Ward agreed on Feb. 18 to one of the protesters' major demands — entering the Workers Rights Consortium, a factory-monitoring group that includes workers and human-rights organizations.

"The issue had been resolved," Toburen said. "It had become clear

the issue was no longer sweatshops. We wanted to move forward to a way a university operates."

Sarah Spohn, a member of the anti-sweatshop group, said Ward's support of the workers' consortium was too lukewarm, and she criticized the chancellor for not negotiating directly with students.

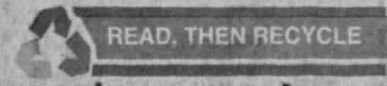
"He would just send his lackeys, who would repeat his rhetoric," said Spohn, in her first year at Wisconsin. "Ward is the only administrator who has the power to change any of this."

The student group hopes that the early-morning police action will help

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THE LEDGE

WEIRD HUMAN TRICKS

- Approximately 70 percent of Americans who go to college do it just to make more money.
- It's against the law to catch fish with your bare hands in Kansas.
- Bird droppings are the chief export of Nauru, an island nation in the western Pacific.
- Lee Harvey Oswald's cadaver tag sold at an auction for \$6,600 in 1992.
- Mosquitoes have teeth.
- Spotted skunks do handstands before they spray. (Can you?)
- Hypnotism is banned by public schools in San Diego.

- The three best-known Western names in China: Jesus Christ, Richard Nixon and Elvis Presley.
- Most cows give more milk when they listen to music.
- In 1980, a Las Vegas hospital suspended workers for betting on when patients would die.

- Aztec emperor Montezuma had a nephew, Cuicatlac, whose name meant "plenty of excrement."
- Thomas Edison was afraid of the dark.

Source: <http://affnow.com/humor/facts2.htm>

Monday's Big Picture



UI graduate student Marty Jones helps his 8-year-old son Christian put the finishing touches on a snow sculpture of Pikachu Sunday evening. The two spent an hour and a half creating the Pokémon character in their front yard. "You have to paint it so people know what it is," Jones said.

Matt Holst/The Daily Iowan

news makers

Santana not feeling so supernatural

WEST HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Attorneys for Grammy-nominated guitarist **Carlos Santana** say a trendy Sunset Strip bar and a charitable organization are using his name to promote a post-Grammy Awards fund-raiser without his permission.

Santana's attorneys and his record label, Arista Records, issued cease and desist letters to the Mondrian hotel's Skybar and the Pedro Zamora Foundation on Feb. 18.



Santana

The event, "Santana — Grammy Party Honoring Carlos Santana — Skybar at Mondrian," is scheduled for Feb. 23, the night of the Grammy Awards in Los Angeles.

The foundation, which raises money for AIDS awareness, and board member Brian

Quintana were listed as sponsors, a spokesman for Santana said.

When a carrot is too spicy

FINDLAY, Ohio (AP) — The University of Findlay has canceled an appearance by **Carrot Top** because the red-headed comedian won't clean up his act.

University officials were worried that vulgar language in Carrot Top's act would offend some students, and asked him to adhere to prime-time viewing standards, said David Emsweller, dean of students.

"We have a strong Church of God affiliation," Emsweller said. "For us not to have some groundwork in place as to what's appropriate and what's not appropriate wouldn't be very wise on our part."

Carrot Top's management said there was nothing to discuss about the agreement with the university and that he had already decided not to perform there later this month.

Menchú pleads for Peltier

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (AP) — Nobel Peace Prize winner **Rigoberta Menchú** said her

human-rights foundation is demanding the release of American Indian activist **Leonard Peltier** from a federal prison.

"I have been asking for clemency," Menchú said, speaking through a translator at a news conference on Feb. 18. "If clemency is not possible because of the political situation in the United States, then I would be satisfied with parole."

Menchú and an Amnesty International representative met on Feb. 18 with Peltier at the U.S. Penitentiary in Leavenworth, Kan. Peltier, 55, has served 24 years of two life terms for the killings of two FBI agents during a 1975 shoot-out on the Pine Ridge, S.D., reservation.

His supporters say he was targeted because of his leadership role in the American Indian Movement, but federal officials insist he is responsible for the killings.



Menchú

calendar

- The **Iowa Civil Rights Commission** will hold mediation in Meeting Room B, Iowa City Public Library, 123 S. Linn St., today at 9 a.m.
- The **Office for Study Abroad** will sponsor a lecture entitled "Doing Research on the Environment" in the IMU Purdue Room today at noon.
- Janice Weiner** will speak on "Poland 10 Years After the Round-Table Agreement: Domestic and International Challenges" as part of the Luncheon Lecture Series at the Congregational Church, 30 N. Clinton St., today at noon.
- Adriana Mendez** will speak on "Transculturated Tempo: The African Dance and Caribbean Identity" as part of the International Mondays in Room 230, International Center, today at noon.
- The **Business and Liberal Arts Placement Office** will hold a seminar on "Résumé/Cover Letter Basics" in Room 24, Phillips Hall, today 12:30 p.m.
- The **UI Research Council** will hold a regular meeting in the Danner Conference Room, Room 201, Gilmore Hall, today at 3:30 p.m.
- Gerald Lobet** will speak on "Rewarding Sequential Innovators: Patents, Prizes and Buyouts" as part of the Tow Seminar Series in Room W207, Pappajohn Business Building, today at 3:30 p.m.
- Glenn Storey** will give a lecture on "Excavations at Nijmegen, the Netherlands: Iowans on the Roman Frontier" in Room E109, Art Building, today at 8 p.m.

horoscopes

- Monday, February 21, 2000 by Eugenia Last
- ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Opportunities for advancement will develop through hard work. Colleagues who believe in you talents. Present your ideas or consider getting into your own business.
 - TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Romance will highlight your day if you get out and about. Social events, travel or groups you belong to will be a factor in bringing you a contact with interesting people.
 - GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Your best financial gains will come through property investments. You can accomplish a great deal if you handle personal legal matters today.
 - CANCER** (June 21-July 22): This will not be the best day to travel. New love connections will evolve through friends and/or relatives. Catch up on your letter writing.
 - LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): You may want to change your career direction. Opportunities should be present if you keep your eyes open. Your ability to work hard and diligently at details will help.
 - VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): You will be emotional concerning your personal life. However, if you involve yourself in social functions or activities that deal with children's events, your day will be favorable.
 - LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Behind-the-scenes activity will bring the highest-paying rewards. Do not hesitate to talk to superiors about advances. Use secret information to get your own way.
 - SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Group activities will lead to better business opportunities and more romantic connections. You will gain valuable knowledge through those you talk to.
 - SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Don't divulge your secrets to colleagues, who may not consider your best interests. You may be in the limelight for reasons you don't like.
 - CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Travel to distant lands will be rewarding. You can gain great insight from the cultural knowledge you obtain. Sudden changes will be to your benefit.
 - AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You can make headway through secret or private investments or by taking care of other people's money or possessions.
 - PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Deception regarding joint finances will set you off. Do not lend or borrow money or belongings. Take care of prevailing skin, bone or teeth problems.

UI brief

Summer Rep to feature playwright Edward Albee

Edward Albee, a three-time winner of the Pulitzer Prize for drama, has been selected as the featured playwright of the 2000 season by Iowa Summer Rep, the professional company of the UI theater department. Each season, Iowa Summer Rep presents a festival of plays by a single contemporary playwright.

The 2000 Iowa Summer Rep season, June 21 through July 23 in the UI Theatre Building, will feature Albee's most famous play, *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?* as well as two of his Pulitzer Prize winners, *A Delicate Balance* and *Seascape*.

"To me, Edward Albee means power and wit combined in breathtaking ways," said Eric Forsythe, a theater professor and the artistic director of Iowa Summer Rep. "He audaciously jumps into your living room or into your beach party and shakes things up. I can't imagine a more exhilarating roller-coaster ride."

Beginning in the late 1950s, Albee established a reputation for creating dramatic tension while simultaneously voicing serious social criticism, becoming a catalyst for the return to socially aware theater in the wake of the McCarthy Era.

In addition to *A Delicate Balance* and *Seascape*, he won the Pulitzer Prize in 1994 for *Three Tall Women*.

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CITY

Clock's ticking for Englert

■ The Englert Theatre Coalition begins to discuss fund raising and business planning.

By Sky Eilers
The Daily Iowan

The newly elected board of directors for the Englert Theatre Coalition will meet today to discuss the business planning and fund raising needed to purchase the theater from the city.

Today's meeting will be the first opportunity for the 13 directors, nine of whom were elected on Feb. 19, to take care of necessary "housekeeping" for the coalition, said board President Daryl Woodson.

The coalition needs to raise \$1.2 million to \$1.3 million in order to purchase and renovate the Englert, 221 E. Washington St., he said. Ultimately, the coalition would like to make the Englert Theatre a live performance, non-profit venue, Woodson said.

"The clock is ticking," he said. "We need to get as many people from the community involved as possible."

Directors will look at a fund-raising and development proposal from Compass Facility Management Inc., a company based in Ames, Woodson said.

Members of the coalition need to raise \$500,000 in fewer than nine

months in order to buy the theater from the city. If the coalition fails to raise the money, Iowa City bar owner Kip Pohl will re-purchase the theater from the city.

UI senior Don Schneider, a theater arts major, said he recently signed up for a committee to help raise funds for the Englert.

Downtown Iowa City is at a crossroads for what direction it's going to take, he said. But this isn't a "theater versus bars" situation, he said.

"I don't have a problem with the bars downtown, but I don't think they should be the only thing," he said. "The theater would be a good thing for all of downtown."

The new plans for the Englert would make it a great venue for local and national music performers, said board member Mike Partridge.

"People will come and go, but the pool of talent in Iowa City will always be there," he said. "Iowa City is the kind of community that will be very supportive of this."

Iowa City resident John Anderson said he opposes the coalition's plan to purchase the building because he would rather see it privately owned.

"I would trust a private enterprise more than local activists," he said. "I'm scared, because it's going to be another outlet for propaganda."

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Despite recycling program, Hy-Vee tosses glass

■ The area grocery stores say recycling bottles costs too much.

By Jeremy Shapiro
The Daily Iowan

Despite receiving 6 cents for every can or bottle returned to the store — for which they pay 5 cents apiece — Iowa City and Coralville Hy-Vee Food Stores have been throwing away returned glass bottles for the past year.

Hy-Vee and area beverage distributors reached a decision to no longer deal with glass because of the high costs and the trouble involved.

"It will cost us much more than 1 cent in labor costs to take the glass back," said Hy-Vee spokeswoman Ruth Mitchell.

Hy-Vee has installed recycling machines that crush cans and employ a scanner that reads the cans bar code to determine which vendor or distributor the cans came from. The distributor that sold Hy-Vee the product then picks it up.

According to the Iowa bottle bill, which was signed in 1978, beverage distributors must encourage the redemption of bottles and cans through the use of a deposit/refund system.

The line is so thin whether the stores make money or lose it. There are costs involved, such as storage, sanitation and getting employees to bring back empty bottles to the back.

— Ed Evans,
president of Evans Distributing Co.

Grocery stores that don't work directly with the distributors receive only 5 cents per can or bottle. Some grocery stores use a service such as the Can Shed, which collects the recyclables, crushes them, then has the distributors pick them up.

The 1-cent handling fee is paid directly by the distributors to the service.

Because Hy-Vee gets 6 cents, instead of the regular 5, other grocery managers question Hy-Vee's economic claims.

"The vendor pays them 6 cents, and that helps them cover the labor costs involved in recycling," said Gary Ancaux, the manager of Eagle Country Market, 600 N. Dodge St.

The potential is there to make profits, but it depends on the situation, said Ed Evans, the president of Evans Distributing Co.

"The line is so thin whether the stores make money or lose it. There are costs involved, such as storage, sanitation and getting

employees to bring back empty bottles to the back. So each situation varies," he said.

Evans added that companies such as the Can Shed must make some money from that extra penny because otherwise they wouldn't do it.

Last year, Evans Distributing was told by Hy-Vee that it did not need to pick up glass bottles anymore. Instead, the store would throw the glass away to be taken to landfills. Although Evans wasn't sure why, he speculated that the bigger distributing companies did not want to haul the glass back, so they reached an arrangement to throw the bottles away.

It costs stores money to recycle, said John Schewe, the manager of Cub Foods, 855 Highway 1 W.

"We give a nickel to the customers who returns the product, and we get a nickel back — so in that sense we break even. But when you add the labor involved

in returning the cans, the sorting and the extra facilities it takes up, with all the extra costs involved, it ends up costing us money," he said.

Under certain conditions, aluminum cans can be profitable, but glass isn't necessary so, Evans said.

"The penny Hy-Vee gets may not make up for the costs of separating the glass containers into different sizes and colors, plus the sanitation and labor costs," he said. "It really is an ugly job."

Also, the 1-cent handling charge Hy-Vee makes on the service might have helped pay to ship the glass to area landfills.

"The penny actually went to commercial garbage carriers to pull the extra weight to the landfills," Evans said.

Mitchell acknowledged there might be some added costs in getting it to landfills but there would not be a large increase in extra weight.

UI freshman Carrie Barbakoff, who takes her recyclables to Hy-Vee, feels deceived because Hy-Vee is throwing away the bottles.

"It defeats the purpose of us taking them in," she said. "If we make an effort to return them, we expect it to be recycled."

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City set to 'trim' Ped Mall kiosks

■ Construction to bring the \$53,000 kiosks into ADA compliance could begin next month.

By Christy B. Logan
The Daily Iowan

Construction to bring the Pedestrian Mall kiosks up to Americans with Disabilities Act standards may begin as early as next month.

The city will have the cement foundations of the structures repoured so that they sit approximately eight inches lower in the ground, in compliance with ADA requirements, said City Engineer Rob Winstead.

Before repouring the concrete, more-detailed drawings and measurements will be submitted to the city by West Liberty-based All American Concrete, the company responsible for repouring the foundations, Winstead said.

City officials are certain the process will not cost the city anything; the city initially paid \$53,000 for each structure, Winstead said. Officials are optimistic that work procedures are moving in a positive direction, and they don't envision any problems, he said.

"We have a goal and we're going to get things fixed. They're going to be ADA-compliant," said City Manager Steve Atkins.

The city's decision, made on Feb. 18, comes after reviewing proposals from the three companies involved in the planning, design and construction of the structures, he said.

"The parties involved have submitted what they believe to be a solution to the problem, and we have agreed with the options," Atkins said.

Although the kiosks remain unused, an official for All American concrete is optimistic that the changes can be quickly implemented.

"We hope to have them (drawings) done by next week," said Bill Simon, a spokesman for All American Concrete. "It's just a matter of drawing the kiosks and meeting the approved standards."

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Bustling Public Library is chock full

■ The Public Library is the busiest, per capita, library in the state.

By Hillary Wundrow
The Daily Iowan

Iowa City Public Library employees hope that taxpayers will realize how necessary the library expansion is when they vote on the proposed \$18.4 million project this fall.

Currently, the library operates with the highest number of items checked out per capita in the state while having the smallest amount of space among the state's high-circulation libraries, said library Director Susan Craig. "The current building is too small to serve the needs of the

community," she said. The cramped quarters have forced librarians to resort to removing books when they add new ones in order to conserve space because there is no more room, Craig said.

"It's very crowded, and we've also removed seating to make room for books and computers," she said.

Iowa City has the largest public library in Johnson County — thereby attracting people from western and southern parts of the county to downtown Iowa City, Craig said.

Hamps Niehus, a West Branch, Iowa resident, said he often comes to Iowa City to use the library and hopes it becomes a priority for the city.

"I would love to see the library grow because there are so many things it offers," he said.

The high circulation of materials is the reason the library's expenditures budget was more than \$3 million last year, Craig said.

"Checking out books and re-shelving them is labor-intensive and therefore costly," she said.

If the proposed expansion occurs, developers will tear down the Lenoch & Cilek True Value Hardware Store in order to build a structure that can support a second-story floor attached to the library.

In the future, the library could build a third and fourth floor if needed, and it will not have to purchase a new building, Craig said. The basement and first floor

would be used as commercial space.

"It's an economical solution to library space because it re-uses the property we already have," she said.

The additional 36,000 square feet will include an extra meeting room, a larger children's section, public access computers and a lab for teaching computer short-courses.

While some think the library needs space, Iowa City resident Debbie Thoe said better parking for commuters is needed.

"They need to move or build another library on the East or West Side, where it's easier for people to park," she said.

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NATION BRIEF

Police use drinking raid to find fire witnesses

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — Frustrated by an investigation grown cold, authorities used a raid on underage drinking at a popular bar to round up potential witnesses to a deadly dorm fire at Seton Hall University, the *Star-Ledger* of Newark reported Sunday.

Nearly a dozen of the students arrested during the raid at the New Hall Tavern just before 1:30 a.m. Feb. 18 were given subpoenas to testify Tuesday before a grand jury looking into the fire, the

newspaper said. Investigators had expected the group to be at the bar.

The Jan. 19 blaze killed three freshmen and injured 62 people. Law enforcement sources, whom the newspaper did not identify, said their investigation has been hampered because some students have been withholding information.

According to the newspaper, investigators believe the fire was deliberately set, and they are focusing on three freshmen. All three were in the bar early on Feb. 18, and at least one was given a subpoena, the paper said.

UI better than most universities at keeping students

■ Both the UI's rate of retaining freshmen and its percentage of graduates beat national averages.

By Bryce Fishman
The Daily Iowan

With the average number of freshmen returning for their sophomore year falling and fewer undergraduates completing their degrees, colleges are looking for new ways to stop the trends.

The national freshman drop-out average is 28.1 percent, according to a study done by ACT. At the UI, only 17 percent of freshman don't return, said Michael Barron, the UI director of admissions.

"Those are not all drop outs," he said. "Many of those have chosen to transfer or they end up coming back after some time to graduate."

According to the study, the national average of college students who complete their degrees is 42.2 percent; the UI's figure is 59 percent. This is partly due to more students graduating in five or six years, Barron said.

The UI is very pleased with the

percentages but it is still not satisfied, he said.

Because the UI has programs and activities to keep students motivated and comfortable, it is not hard to see why the students stick around to graduate, Barron said.

"When you stub your toe academically or emotionally, there are places you can go," he said. "Many people tell us that Iowa is just a friendly place. That's why Orientation is so important."

The UI sponsors the Weeks of Welcome at the beginning of the school year and runs continuous activities in the residence halls to get students involved with university life.

The UI also has the Academic Advising Center, Peer Advisory, Student Health Service and a Student Disability Center aimed at helping troubled students, Barron said.

The main reasons students drop out is they are not ready for college, have trouble adjusting, have financial restraints or lack the ability to be away from family and friends, said ACT spokeswoman Kelley Hayden.

"The main reason students drop out is because they are not prepared," she said. "They have trou-

ble adjusting to college life and the campus."

UI freshman Rachel Kolen said most people drop out because they are not mature enough to handle college life.

"Sometimes school isn't the right thing for people," she said. "Some have other interests that they cannot fulfill in college."

University of Illinois analyst Al Gentry said its retention rate has been pretty steady because of the

quality of students it chooses to accept.

"Sometimes the numbers jump around, but they usually stay at 91-92 percent retention," he said.

Robert Burk, the Northern Illinois University director of admissions, said its numbers are declining slightly. But like the UI, it has developed programs to aid the students.

DI reporter Bryce Fishman can be reached at: bfishman@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu

CITY BRIEF

21-27 month sentence recommended for ex-Lucas volunteer

A pre-sentence report recommends a sentence of 21-27 months of imprisonment without probation for Roland Thomson, 72, a former Iowa City teacher convicted of possessing child pornography.

Thomson, who volunteered in his wife's sixth-grade classroom at Lucas Elementary School, 830 Southlawn Drive, in 1997, pleaded guilty in December to taking indecent photographs of some students. He contested the photos were not pornographic.

After executing a search warrant at Thomson's residence in August 1998, authorities recovered pictures and

negatives of children's genital regions, exposing underpants.

Federal charges against Thomson allege child endangerment, indecent contact with a child and assault. The maximum sentence for this charge is up to five years in prison and a \$250,000 fine.

In similar charges in 1985, Thomson was convicted and received two years probation.

Because of Thomson's poor health, his lawyer, William Knutson of Des Moines, is asking the judge for home confinement rather than a prison-term.

The sentencing is scheduled for March 2. A state trial is set to begin on March 27. Thomson's wife, Shirley, also awaits trial set for April 24 for a child-endangerment charge stemming from the same incident.

— by Katie Bernard

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Reformers mop up in Iranian vote

The hard-liners' defeat in parliamentary elections seems to be of their own doing.

By Vijay Joshi
Associated Press

TEHRAN, Iran — Iran's hard-line ruling clergy wanted merely to spice up the 1997 presidential race when they approved the moderate candidacy of a relatively unknown mullah named Mohammad Khatami.

Instead, Khatami's surprising landslide victory set in motion a reform juggernaut that, according to weekend results, was sweeping hard-liners out of Parliament, dealing another blow to their shrinking influence.

Reform candidates — who have promised to create a civil society with individual and political freedoms — are riding on Khatami's success, popularity and vision. As of Sunday afternoon, they appeared to have won or be winning 72 percent of the parliamentary seats.

Khatami's election has been sanctified by the reformist movement. The coalition that seemed to be winning the Feb. 18 election calls itself 2nd of Khordad, a reference to the date in the Iranian calendar — equivalent to May 23, 1997 — when the presidential poll was held.

As a candidate, Khatami became a magnet for closet liberals and provided hope to the youth and women groaning under the rigid rules enforced in the name of Islam.

To the hard-liners, letting Khatami run was a blunder. To most Iranians it was a boon. Here, finally, was a cleric who understood their frustrations and promised something different. He won 20 million of the 29 million votes cast.

So far, Khatami hasn't let them down. Taking cue from his public statements, young men and women have been able to mingle without fearing the Baseej paramilitary forces who used to enforce religious values. Banned satellite dishes are discreetly appearing on rooftops,

the mandatory women's head scarves are sliding back to show more and more hair.

Khatami, a soft-spoken scholar, does not advocate doing away with the Islamic system that came with the 1979 revolution, but his moderate interpretation of the religion has been widely accepted by Iranians, most of them devout Muslims.

More importantly, Khatami gave Iranians the confidence to criticize the clergy, which saw itself as the interpreter of God's word and beyond reproach. Outspoken newspapers have flourished in his rule.

Until Khatami's election, presidential races in Iran were stage-managed. The Council of Guardians, a hard-line clique, would nominate the clerical contestants, usually one heavyweight and other unknowns. People had little confidence in the elections and turnout was low.

The 1997 race changed all that. Though an outsider, Khatami, a former culture minister, was not totally unknown. His main rival, Ali Akbar Nateq-Nouri, boasted during the campaign that the challenge was welcome. He even quoted a Farsi proverb to emphasize his point: It would nice "to heat up the furnace a little," he said.

POLICE

Sylvester J. Postley, 17, Cedar Rapids, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at 500 Maiden Lane on Feb. 17 at 1:59 a.m.
Sandra A. Jones, 38, Lone Tree, Iowa, was charged with fifth-degree theft at Cub Foods, 855 Highway 1 W., on Feb. 17 at 1:30 p.m.
Sharonka Bates, 14, 1916 Waterfront Drive, was charged with disorderly conduct at City High School, 1900 Morningside Drive, on Feb. 17 at 8:12 a.m.
Nikki Grell, 16, 1916 Waterfront Drive, was charged with fifth-degree criminal mischief and disorderly conduct at City High School on Feb. 17 at 8:12 a.m.
Davita Fuget, 17, 1916 Waterfront Drive, was charged with assault causing injury and disorderly conduct at City High School on Feb. 17 at 8:12 a.m.
Joseph B. Donaldson, 22, 812 Benton Drive Apt. 13, was charged with operating while intoxicated at 300 E. Jefferson St. on Feb. 17 at 8:52 p.m.
Douglas R. Wenzel, 38, 20 Butternut Court, was charged with driving under suspension at the intersection of Burlington and Johnson streets stemming from an alleged incident on Feb. 12.
Debra A. Davis, 39, 2231 Davis St., was charged with operating while intoxicated at 2200 Davis St. on Feb. 17 at 11:45 p.m.
Scott A. Park, 38, Cedar Rapids, was charged with driving while barred at the intersection of Highway 6 and Boyrum Street on Feb. 18 at 1:14 a.m.
Joseph C. Davis, 25, 528 S. Van Buren St., was charged with public intoxication at MJ's Tap, 13 S. Linn St., on Feb. 18 at 2 a.m.
Nathan S. Houser, 19, Slater Residence Hall Room 1130, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Burlington and Madison streets on Feb. 18 at 2:10 a.m.
Ian M. Durkee, 18, Slater Residence Hall Room 1146, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Burlington and Madison streets on Feb. 18 at 2:10 a.m.
Bart D. Knudtson, 29, 2422 Lakeside Drive Apt. 11, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Bowery and Van Buren streets on Feb. 18 at 2 a.m.
Jason A. Gritzer, 19, 510 S. Johnson St. Apt. 7, was charged with keeping a disorderly house on Feb. 18 at 3:10 a.m.
David L. Johnston, 31, University Heights, was charged with operating while intoxicated at 400 Washington St. on Feb. 18 at 12:52 a.m.
Brandon J. Wilson, 21, Cedar Rapids, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Burlington and Front streets on Feb. 18 at 2:46 a.m.
Thomas J. Venturini, 19, 929 Iowa Ave. Apt. 23, was charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct at 100 E. College St. on Feb. 18 at 1:39 a.m.
Patrick R. Harnett, 22, Crystal Lake, Ill., was charged with

public intoxication at the City Plaza Hotel, 210 S. Dubuque St., on Feb. 18 at 1:40 a.m.
Julie A. McCreedy, 39, 4760 Chandler Court, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Arlington and American Legion roads on Feb. 18 at 9:32 p.m.
Andrea D. Tuttle, 20, 613 S. Dubuque St. Apt. 10, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column, 12 S. Dubuque St., on Feb. 18 at 10:40 p.m.
Marcia K. McQuillen, 20, 402 S. Gilbert St., was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Sports Column on Feb. 18 at 10:30 p.m.
Jennifer R. Sevede, 19, 308 S. Gilbert St. Apt. 1137, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Union Bar, 121 E. College St., on Feb. 18 at 9:40 p.m.
Lisa M. Johnson, 19, 409 S. Dodge St. Apt. 7, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Union Bar on Feb. 18 at 9:40 p.m.
Taryn M. Vonbartheld, 18, Mayflower Residence Hall Room 701A, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Union Bar on Feb. 18 at 9:45 p.m.
Kristin M. Sokugawa, 18, Mayflower Residence Hall Room 601B, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Union Bar on Feb. 18 at 9:45 p.m.
Michelle J. Thompson, 19, 409 S. Dodge St. Apt. 7, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at the Union Bar on Feb. 18 at 9:40 p.m.
Richard A. Schumacher, 39, Swisher, Iowa, was charged with second offense operating while intoxicated and possession of a schedule I controlled substance at 1100 N. Dubuque St. on Feb. 19 at 12:39 a.m.
Harold T. Howard, 42, 916 N. Dubuque St. Apt. A6, was charged with public intoxication at the Linn Street parking lot on Feb. 19 at 2:18 a.m.
Ryan A. Ulrich, 21, 436 S. Johnson St. Apt. 1, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Burlington and Gilbert streets on Feb. 19 at 2:10 a.m.
Michael J. O'Brien, 23, 504 S. Van Buren St. Apt. 2, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Burlington and Gilbert streets on Feb. 19 at 2:10 a.m.
Ryan T. Slattery, 21, 507 Bowery St. Apt. 4, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Burlington and Gilbert streets on Feb. 19 at 2:10 a.m.
Michael S. Erbes, 22, 505 E. Burlington St. Apt. 4C, was charged with public intoxication and fifth-degree theft at QuikTrip, 323 E. Burlington St., on Feb. 19 at 1:48 a.m.
Andrew S. Peterson, 21, Cedar Rapids, was charged with fifth-degree theft at QuikTrip on Feb. 19 at 1:48 a.m.
Zachary D. Richard, 19, 637 S. Dodge St. Apt. 1, was charged with keeping a disorderly house on Feb. 19 at 12:45 a.m.

LEGAL MATTERS

Joseph K. Bradley, 19, Hillcrest Residence Hall Room N314, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Clinton and College streets on Feb. 19 at 1:37 a.m.
Michael C. Ferguson, 26, Chicago, was charged with operating while intoxicated at 200 Iowa Ave. on Feb. 19 at 2:03 a.m.
Michele S. Robertson, 23, Coralville, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Capitol and Benton streets on Feb. 19 at 2:59 a.m.
Ryan W. Herrig, 20, 505 E. Burlington St. Apt. 9A, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at 505 E. Burlington St. Apt. 9A on Feb. 19 at 4:57 a.m.
Benjamin M. Murphy, 27, 2730 Wayne Ave. Apt. 4, was charged with public intoxication at the intersection of Hollywood Boulevard and Boyrum Street on Feb. 19 at 1:18 a.m.
Patricia L. Lewis, 32, Coralville, was charged with driving while revoked at the intersection of Boyrum Street and Highway 6 on Feb. 19 at 4:54 p.m.
Courtney M. Green, 19, 648 S. Dodge St. Apt. 6, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at 648 S. Dodge St. Apt. 6 on Feb. 19 at 11:35 p.m.
Tonya C. Riley, 19, 701 Bowery St. Apt. 9, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at 648 S. Dodge St. Apt. 6 on Feb. 19 at 11:35 p.m.
Anne E. Schorille, 20, 648 S. Dodge St. Apt. 6, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at 648 S. Dodge St. Apt. 6 on Feb. 19 at 11:35 p.m.
Seth R. Beck, 19, 141 Woodside Drive Apt. C3, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Clinton and Burlington streets on Feb. 10 at 12:56 a.m.
Laron R. Gaden, 28, address unknown, was charged with possession with intent to deliver and possession of a schedule I controlled substance at the Linn Street parking lot on Feb. 10 at 3:17 a.m.
Nick E. Heinrich, 25, Muscatine, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Highway 6 and Scott Boulevard on Feb. 20 at 1:48 a.m.
Angie L. Halpin, 26, 1520 McKinley Place, was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Clinton and Washington streets on Feb. 20 at 1:41 a.m.
Brian M. Parker, 21, 319 E. Church St., was charged with keeping a disorderly house on Feb. 20 at 3:11 a.m.
Jacob J. Weber, 19, Ames, was charged with disorderly conduct and public intoxication at the intersection of Linn and Washington streets on Feb. 20 at 12:12 a.m.
Scott M. Hilleman, 21, Sioux Center, Iowa, was charged with public intoxication at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar, 111 E. College St., on Feb. 20 at 1:36 a.m.
Charles E. R. Moore, 19, 521 S. Johnson St. Apt. 3, was charged with disorderly conduct at 521 S. Johnson St. Apt. 3 on Feb. 20 at 2:05 a.m.

Sabrina M. Taylor, 18, North Liberty, was charged with driving under suspension at the intersection of Jefferson and Linn streets on Feb. 20 at 12:20 a.m.
Patrick M. Skuba, 19, Mayflower Residence Hall Room 335C, was charged with possession of alcohol under the legal age at 124 E. Bloomington St. on Feb. 20 at 12:45 a.m.
Dylan Chambers, 19, 124 Bloomington St. Apt. 1, was charged with keeping a disorderly house on Feb. 20 at 12:45 a.m.
Michael D. Hurley, 19, Chicago, was charged with public intoxication at 100 E. College St. on Feb. 20 at 2 a.m.
Joshua M. Valez, 23, 716 E. Burlington St. Apt. 16, was charged with obstructing at 320 S. Gilbert on Feb. 20 at 2:25 a.m.
Kathryn M. Slattery, 20, 401 S. Gilbert St. Apt. 302, was charged with public intoxication at 500 Burlington St. on Feb. 20 at 2 a.m.
Michael P. Slattery, 22, Chicago, was charged with public intoxication at 500 Burlington St. on Feb. 20 at 2 a.m.
Oscar F. Bellechasse, 23, Chicago, was charged with fifth-degree criminal mischief at 505 E. Burlington St. on Feb. 20 at 2 a.m.
Harry Steele, 41, 603 S. Dubuque St., was charged with public intoxication and disorderly conduct at QuikTrip on Feb. 20 at 11:35 p.m.
Jennifer A. Aversing, 39, Rock Island, Ill., was charged with operating while intoxicated at the intersection of Rochester and Seventh avenues on Feb. 20 at 6:31 a.m.

— compiled by Anne Huyck

COURTS

Magistrate
Fifth-degree theft — Cory Anderson, Coralville, was fined \$105.
Public intoxication — Joseph C. Davis, 528 S. Van Buren St., was fined \$155; Nathan S. Houser, Slater Residence Hall Room 1130, was fined \$155; Thomas J. Venturini, 929 Iowa Ave. Apt. 23, was fined \$155.
Disorderly conduct — Thomas J. Venturini, 929 Iowa Ave. Apt. 23, was fined \$105.
District
Operating while intoxicated — Joseph B. Donaldson, 812 Benton St. Apt. 13, no preliminary hearing has been set; David P. Johnston, 9160 Dukcrest, no preliminary hearing has been set; Bart D. Knudtson, 2422 Lakeside Drive Apt. 11, no preliminary hearing has been set; Brandon J. Wilson, Cedar Rapids, no preliminary hearing has been set.
Possession of a schedule I controlled substance — Brendan B. Hannah, Burge Residence Hall Room 4338, no preliminary hearing has been set.
Driving while barred — Scott A. Park, Cedar Rapids, no preliminary hearing has been set.

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VIEWPOINTS

Quoteworthy

This bill is long overdue.

— Rep. Minnette Doderer, D-Iowa City, on a proposed bill that would require prescription contraceptives be covered in all insurance plans that cover prescription medications.

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EDITORIALS

McCain still in the GOP race

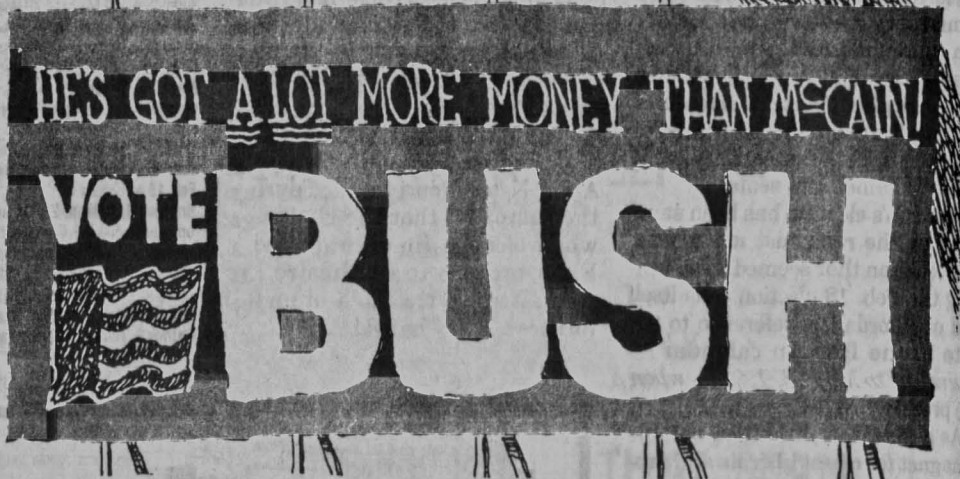
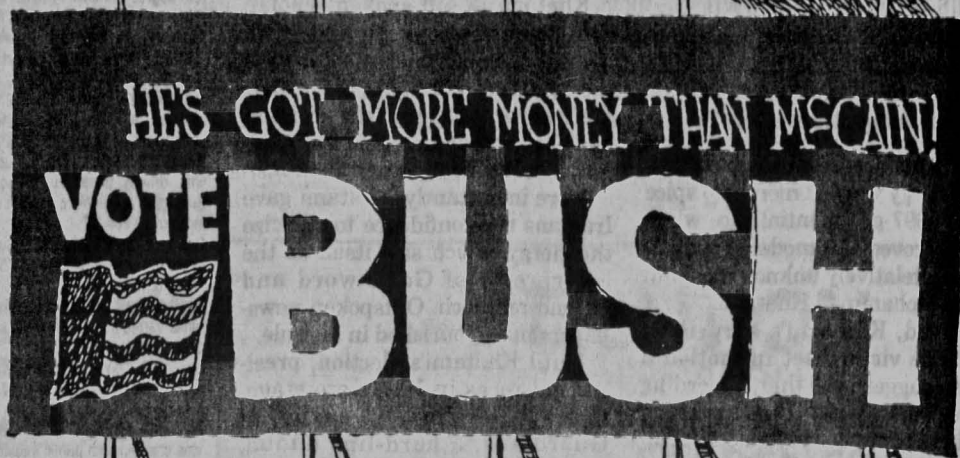
Despite defeat in South Carolina, Sen. John McCain is not yet done. Like Al Pacino in *Scent of a Woman*, the race for the Republican nomination is just getting warmed up. After tomorrow night, it will either catch fire and burn its way into the 12 primaries March 7 or fade out and coast to the national convention on July 31. What will determine its path are McCain's and Gov. George W. Bush's performances in Michigan's and Arizona's primaries. The factors determining their performance are a mix of key issues, the format of the primaries themselves and, ultimately (of course), the voters who end up at the polls.

There are a few issues and qualities that look to factor heavily into Tuesday's primaries. Perhaps the most prominent is purely pragmatic: who can win in November. After an eight-year absence from the White House, the issue has grown in importance for the Republican Party. It also holds weight due to the number of possible Supreme Court seats opening up within the next four years. With Al Gore's recent victories over Bill Bradley, many independents are suddenly in limbo. This bodes well for McCain, whose strongest showings so far have been with the moderate crowd.

South Carolina is one of the most conservative states in the nation; one-third of its voters identify themselves as members of the religious right. Thus, the results of its primaries are indicative of the most conservative elements of the Republican Party, a sector Bush had locked up since the beginning. McCain's hopes are pinned on more moderate Republicans, independents and "Reagan Democrats" (all of which are much more prevalent in Michigan). For McCain, there are two keys to victory: He must coax those on the left to his side, while convincing those on the right that he is on their side. While he can afford losses in heavily Republican states, he cannot afford anymore blowouts. By playing up his tendency for inclusion, his record and his devotion to pledges, he just might burn through the political flurry that is March 7.

Cory Meier is a *DI* editorial writer.

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Guns insure America's freedom

Every consideration must give way to the public safety. That admirable Roman maxim, *salus populi suprema lex*, governed the people in every emergency. It is a maxim that ought to govern every community.

"The safety of the people is the supreme law," Patrick Henry wrote 200 years ago. That's how the voice of the American Revolution explained its justification. No more British encroachment on the people's safety. No more confiscation of material resources. No more confiscation of firearms and other means of defense. The people have an inviolable right to self-preservation, and any government constituted in defiance of that right is illegitimate.

Henry spoke these words in opposition to Virginia's ratification of the federal Constitution. At that time it contained no Bill of Rights. The conspicuous omission of a right to keep and bear arms led Henry and others to fear that the people's right to self-preservation would be left without an effective defense. His vociferous protests provoked the debate that eventuated in the adoption of the Bill of Rights.

To some it might seem strange that the people's safety is the only sound argument for a well-armed citizenry. But in fact, that is the explicit rationale for the inclusion of the Second Amendment in the Bill of Rights, as the amendment itself clearly states: "A well regulated militia, being necessary for the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed." Thus the logic of the amendment makes the obvious connection between freedom and self-defense. If you wish to remain free, you must have adequate means to defend yourself against those who would enslave you.

Despite this clear reasoning, advocates of greater infringement would have us believe that the right to bear arms is an antiquated provision for bunny blasters and target shooters. Or if they grant the founders' concern to defend human life with lethal force, they dismiss it as a paranoia born of revolutionary conflict. In the 18th century, they claim, governmental threats to life and property were more real and immediate.

Such people evidently have slept through the last 100 years. They have apparently not noticed the systematic, government-engineered brutalities of Hitler, Stalin, Pol Pot and other bloodthirsty utopians who disarmed their opponents before butchering them.

It would be unforgivable stupidity to let ourselves be convinced that such atrocities could never happen here. Are there some accidents of climate or geography that make us immune to leaders with violent ambition? We cannot, for the sake of safe schools or anything else, begin to surrender the only effective means of maintaining our freedoms. If we give them up now in a misguided attempt to promote public safety, the day will soon come when we are no longer able to defend the *suprema lex*. Maybe we should begin accepting applications for tyrant right now.

David Noe is a *DI* editorial writer.

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Why would you marry for love?

As a wee-little ankle-biter, I believed in a connection between the love and marriage thing. In pubescence, I learned there wasn't always a direct connection — largely just a correlation. Last week, all of my ideal notions about love and marriage stopped cold.

Now I think it's necessary to become a millionaire if I ever plan on being hitched. In fact, I'll need multimillions. This way I can, very romantically I must say, choose a woman out of a litter of 50 to spend my golden years beside. Or at least have spend my money for me.

Such was the path Rick Rockwell took when he married Darva Conger on last Tuesday's FOX special, "Who Wants to Marry a Multimillionaire." A principled developer/comedian/ investor/motivational speaker, worth at least the required \$2 million and having at least \$750,000 cash, Rockwell remained in anonymity while he watched 50 equally principled women strut their stuff. After choosing his prey in Conger, unmasking himself and being OKed by her (surprise), the two were married on stage in front of a multimillion television audience.

I've yet to decide who put themselves at greater risk, Rockwell or the women. For Rockwell, marrying a virtual unknown, albeit one kind of his choosing, could lead to a divorce. And as a multimillionaire, a divorce could be a bad, bad thing. Financially, for him, that is. For the women, all they knew of their hopeful groom-to-be was he had lots of money. One doesn't need a very strong imagination to think of some pretty horrible attributes he could have carried along. And I mean horrible.

Maybe my abhorrence about this single episode is unjustified. Maybe marriage is, and should be, about gaining financial and social status for women and gaining a nice body for men. Maybe that our popular culture continues breeding such beliefs is beneficial. Maybe I'm in the wrong time period, where money and superficial beauty means more than life itself. Maybe I shouldn't worry about it.

Because it's not that I actually watched the show. I just can't avoid all of the reading material glorifying its

success. The "who wants to" craze seems to have hit almost *Pokémon's* heights. Scary thing is, we could all probably think of even better — and just as trashy — "who wants to" ideas. How I pity those people who get paid to think up such stuff. With "who wants to" ratings shooting through the roof, such programs will surely become less of a novelty and more of the norm. Soon we'll all be a part of a nationwide "who wants to be something-or-other."

That's the way we're raised, I guess. Just as I want to travel around the world, starting today, I also want to own a nice new leather coat so I can leave it at home when I go out to the bars. My personal I want to list keeps growing, and now I'm putting all my eggs in one basket, waiting for Regis to call me back. And you're the same way. Admit it.

Obviously, getting more of these "who wants to" shows gives a great reason to organize. I figure if we get enough of these shows going on, with everyone watching them, our chances of participation will go up. Even if we don't ever make it on the shows, at least there will always be something exciting on TV. Americans love to watch all but one person lose.

We should maybe give Rockwell some credit, then. First, he's on the front line of this "who wants to" surge — way to read the trends. Second, his new wife is — or was, would be my best guess — an emergency-room nurse, an admirable job. Third, from what I hear, she wasn't the most physically attractive choice on the stage — she had a degree of personality. Maybe, hopefully, the nuptial promises will last a while. Wouldn't that be fairy-tailish?

Now the newlyweds — or newly met, depending on how you look at the situation — are honeymooning in the Caribbean somewhere. FOX won't say exactly where because they want to protect their privacy. The network believed they may need some time alone to figure some things out — like each other's middle names, would be my best guess. With another "Who Wants to Marry a Millionaire" expected in May, FOX wants things to remain positive. I'm sure it'll do whatever it can to ensure the Rockwell-Conger match stays together until then. We want them to.

JOSEPH PLAMBECK



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On the SPOT

How did you deal with all the snow?



"I skipped class and watched TV."

Nicole Reimer UI freshman



"I stayed home."

Patrick McCarthy IC resident



"I went to class; I am used to the snow."

Lee Hassebroch UI freshman



"I didn't deal with it. I stayed in and missed two classes."

John Sullivan UI freshman



"I've been out of town."

Ryan Pederson UI junior

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& entertainment

TV HIGHLIGHT
"That '70s Show: Afterglow"
7 p.m. on FOX
Contrary to what she tells Eric, Donna's review of their first sexual encounter is not good — or private; Red celebrates his first paycheck and buys a motorcycle.



Going the whole 9 yards for a laugh

FILM REVIEW By John Mullin

I know somebody who refuses to see any movie that happens to have a cast member of "Friends" in a lead role. In the past, his strategy has proven to be very wise, sparing him from such torturous cinematic nuggets as *Fools Rush In*, *Lost in Space* and *Ed* (that one about Matt LeBlanc playing pro baseball with a chimp). It's almost a shame, however, that his code of movie-going ethics might prevent him from seeing *The Whole Nine Yards*, a very funny movie that stars Bruce Willis and, yes, "Friends" star Matthew Perry, among others.

Indeed, I caught myself laughing more frequently during this picture than I'd probably like to admit. The script (by first-time screenwriter Mitchell Kapner) is clever, but it's the actors that really make this film sing.

Willis plays a former hit-man for the Chicago Mafia who's just moved to suburban Canada after a highly publicized trial that sent a mob boss or two to jail. Perry is his new neighbor, a mild-mannered dentist who's in a lousy marriage with Rosanna Arquette and desperate to get the money he needs for a divorce. Arquette, who plays her role with a fiendishly obnoxious French accent, concocts a scheme to make Willis "whack" her husband under the impression that he's going to sell him out to the mob.

But wait, it gets more complicated: Willis wants Perry to sell him



Matthew Perry (left) and Michael Clarke Duncan in *The Whole Nine Yards*.

out in order to lure the remaining Chicago Mafia king-pin (played by the riotous Kevin Pollack, who speaks with a ridiculous Hungarian accent) up to Canada so he can whack him before he himself gets whacked. As if that weren't enough, other amateurish hit-men who were previously hired (and fired) by

Arquette start coming out of the woodwork, and the movie quickly becomes about who wants whom whacked and for what reasons.

The cast is as strong as any comedy has had recently, and it's clear that everyone had a blast working on this picture. Michael Clarke Duncan, who was just nominated for an Academy Award for his role of

John Coffey in *The Green Mile*, shows a remarkable gift for comic timing as Willis's burly sidekick. Natasha Henstridge (a.k.a. "the chick from *Species*") is primarily a love interest but occasionally has some funny lines. The biggest laughs, however, come from Amanda Peet (star of the WB's "Jack and Jill") as Perry's dental assistant, who has secret dreams of breaking into the hired-killer industry. She's got a bubbly, sorority girl air about her but is much more clever (and ruthless) than she looks.

The weakest part of the cast is Perry himself. Although he shows a

great talent for physical comedy here, his cartoony line delivery and 'constant mugging' wind up hurting most of the scenes he's in. Guys such as Willis and Pollack seem to know that an absurd situation played with the utmost seriousness and credibility, it can often get the biggest laughs. Indeed, during the first 10 or 15 minutes of the movie (which Perry mostly dominates) I found myself thinking that I had made a terrible mistake and wondered if there was still time to sneak into *Boiler Room* before it was too late.

I'm glad I stuck around. Usually a movie has trouble recovering from a bad opening and the occasional sprinkling of lame jokes, but this one does so fairly well. There are many more good ideas than bad ones in this movie, and as far as the recent string of wacky organized-crime comedies go, it's not as contrived as *Analyze This* or as just-plain-bad as *Mickey Blue Eyes*.

Maybe there's something to my friend's notion that "Friends" movies should be avoided at all costs, but every once in a while it seems that something fairly enjoyable (such as this picture) manages to make it out anyway. It's not going to win any awards (probably not even one of those special MTV ones), but for what it is, *The Whole Nine Yards* keeps going for the full distance.

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BOX OFFICE

Nine Yards, Hanging Up fight for top box-office spot

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The hit-man farce *The Whole Nine Yards* and the sister drama *Hanging Up* debuted in a box-office dead heat, according to studio estimates Sunday.

The movies had \$15 million each in ticket sales during their opening three days. The teen comedy *Snow Day* was in third place with \$11.4 million.

Pitch Black, a thriller about the survivors of a spaceship crash who are hunted by aliens, opened at No. 4. The weekend's other new movie, *Boiler Room*, a tale of seamy Wall Street brokers, debuted at No. 8.

With seven Oscar nominations, including best picture, *The Cider House Rules* took in \$3 million, double its gross from last weekend.

Estimated ticket sales for Jan. 18 through Sunday at North American theaters:

1. (tie) *Hanging Up*, \$15 million.
1. *The Whole Nine Yards*, \$15 million.
3. *Snow Day*, \$11.4 million.
4. *Pitch Black*, \$11.1 million.
5. *Scream 3*, \$9 million.
6. *The Tigger Movie*, \$8 million.
7. *The Beach*, \$7 million.
8. *Boiler Room*, \$6.8 million.
9. *American Beauty*, \$5.3 million.
10. *The Green Mile*, \$3.2 million.

FILM

The Whole Nine Yards

When: 1:15, 4:15 7:10 and 9:40 p.m.

Where: Coral Ridge 10

★★★ out of ★★★★★

ARTS BRIEFS

Cats runs through its ninth life

NEW YORK (AP) — The cast and fans of *Cats* Sunday coped with the news that the longest-running show in Broadway history will be closing.

"When I first heard the news, I was devastated," said Hector Montalvo, a Manhattan computer software salesman who said he has seen the show 670 times.

The musical, which has a score by Andrew Lloyd Webber, will bring down the curtain on June 25, nearly two decades after it opened at Broadway's Winter Garden Theater. There will have been a record-breaking 7,397 performances.

Cats, advertised as "Now and Forever," has long been a major tourist attraction. By its final night, it will have played to more

than 10 million theatergoers in New York.

Top 10 reasons to recover from surgery

NEW YORK (AP) — David Letterman's first show back after heart surgery was so busy, he ran out of time for the Top 10 list. Letterman's return, taped on Feb. 18 and due to air today, features Regis Philbin, Robin Williams appearing in doctor's scrubs and a cameo appearance by Jerry Seinfeld.

The veteran "Late Show" host also brings out his doctors and nurses from New York-Presbyterian Hospital for a public thank you. He underwent an emergency quintuple bypass there on Jan. 14.

Fear not, Top 10 fans. You'll still see the list prepared for his first night back —

Top 10 Things You Don't Want to Hear When You Wake Up From Surgery.

Forman shocked at Carrey snub

BERLIN (AP) — Milos Forman has an explanation for why Jim Carrey didn't get an Oscar nomination for his portrayal of the late comedian Andy Kaufman in *Man on the Moon*.

"He's so good, you don't see acting," Forman said on Feb. 18 at the Berlinale film festival. "You see Andy Kaufman. You don't see the sweat of acting, which not everyone appreciates."

Still, Forman said he was "shocked" at the snub, saying he had never worked with an actor "who gives so much of his heart and soul and mind to his work."

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Professor's language irks students

PROFESSOR

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use of words with him because of the right to academic freedom and freedom of speech.

"It's crude and it's upsetting, but it's not illegal," he said.

However, Quinn said, he did not see chemistry class as an appropriate place for strong language deemed as "academic freedom" — whereas it may be acceptable in a class that requires open discussion.

Upon receiving a complaint, the department will check for retaliation

— when a professor slants grades of certain students. If offensive behavior continues, the professor would be referred to higher administration at the college, Quinn said.

Higher administration would look at a situation in great detail, said Fred Antczak, the associate dean for academic programs in the College of Liberal Arts. Offensive language claims may lead to a formal reprimand from the dean.

"If you start offending people in your class, they are not going to learn as well," he said.

Although Antczak was unaware of the specifics involving the Feb. 18

lecture, he called the incident "deeply inappropriate."

Jack Scudder, a UI professor of physics and astronomy, would not comment on the specific situation, but he said that if a student had publicly disrupted class, he would talk to the student outside of lecture. If such disruptions continued, Scudder said, he would refer them to higher university officials.

"It's a tough time of year. It's test time. There are raw nerves on the side of students," he said.

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Getting a taste of different worlds

DIVERSITY

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"We had 2,000 programs printed up, and they were gone by 3," he said. "A couple days of snow, and people are just ready to get out and do something."

Holly Honken, who has been attending the festival since 1995, became a participant for the first time, displaying her collection of Native American art. She said food and music is the main attraction of the festival.

"I had to get a piece of fry bread from the Native American booth — it's always popular," Honken said.

Near the Native American booth was that of the Scottish High-

landers, a UI student group. UI junior Jeff Slauson played drums during the group's musical performance and also helped by selling neeps (mashed turnips), tatties (mashed potatoes) and haggis (ground sheep or beef organs, oats and spices), all traditional Scottish dishes.

Slauson said the money earned will go towards the group's activities. The Highlanders provides free lessons and uniforms for those who want to learn bagpipes, he said.

"We want to increase visibility of the group," he said. "That's why we're all running around in kilts."

The American Muslim Association participated for the first time, offering festival goers the opportuni-

ty to see their names written in Arabic. Asma Haidri, the group's president and a UI sophomore, said one problem with the festival was the amount of space allowed for each group. Haidri said her group needed more room.

This year's theme of "Getting Culturally Connected" was a success, said Lois Gray, the assistant director for media relations for international programs and a festival committee member.

"There was a dynamic interaction between everyone who attended the festival," she said. "That is what we were trying for. We made the connection."

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Cards make UI parking a swipe away

PARKING CARDS

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Using the card can lead to reduced rates. After 4:30 p.m. and on weekends, students pay 50 cents per hour with the card instead of the regular 60 cents per hour rate, said Linda Noble, the manager of parking services.

Although the program has only sold approximately 70-80 cards since it began on Jan. 18, Noble expects that sales will increase.

"It's not that many, mainly, because we haven't promoted it that much, yet — we want to make sure there are no problems," she said.

UI parking employees have spent the last month ironing out problems with the new system, said Dave Ricketts, the director of parking and trans-

portation.

"The magnetic stripe malfunctioned sometimes," he said. "We also had to return about 5,000 cards because the language on the back was wrong; we think all the problems are fixed now."

Parking and Transportation had to spend approximately \$100,000 to buy new equipment for 17 cashier booths before implementing the system, Ricketts said.

The card is easy to use, said UI cashier Dave Marxuach.

"It's not more or less time, it's just a different way of paying," he said. "I've had four or five people in the last few weeks come through who had a card."

Although the cards can be more convenient than cash, UISG President Lana Zak said, students don't have to buy them to park in the lots or the ramps.

"This is not like a computer lab, where if you don't have a print card, you can't print," she said. "Students can still pay with old-fashioned change in the lots."

Because of the initial expense, Noble hopes students will begin to take advantage of the new program.

UI sophomore Larry Houston said he bought a \$25 parking card two weeks ago and has been happy with it.

"It's pretty convenient, and you can keep it in your car," he said. "And it might be a little bit quicker, but the cashiers still have to get used to it."

UISG began developing the card more than a year ago, under former UISG President Brian White. Zak recently finished the project.

"It's nice to say we've got the cards students said they wanted," she said.

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Clock ticking on McCain's campaign

SOUTH CAROLINA

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At a rally in Livonia, he added that Bush had been a supporter of last year's omnibus spending bill in Congress, a measure he said contained the "most outrageous pork barreling spending."

"I voted against it," said McCain, who represents Arizona in the Senate. "Gov. Bush said he'd support it and sign it."

To renew his appeal to independents, McCain criticized Bush's record on campaign-finance reform in scathing terms.

"Gov. Bush is the governor of a state that has the most liberal campaign contribution laws," he said.

"If Gov. Bush is a reformer, I'm an astronaut," he said.

The two-pronged message was

personified by conservative activist Gary Bauer and campaign-finance reform stalwart Sen. Fred Thompson of Tennessee, both of whom traveled aboard McCain's bus.

"He does have to win Michigan," Bauer said, acknowledging what McCain aides say privately: A second-straight loss would be devastating.

Arizona Republicans will also vote Tuesday, but McCain won't get much credit for winning his home state. Three states conduct GOP contests a week later, on Feb. 29, but McCain won't campaign hard in one of them, Virginia, and the others won't generate much momentum.

That makes Michigan his best hope of gaining a head of steam before March 7, when 13 states conduct GOP contests.

54 arrested in sweatshop protest

PROTEST

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to build public support for the anti-sweatshop cause, Spohn said.

"Violence has been used on nonviolent protesters. It's difficult to put a positive spin on that," she said. "But the real issue at hand is sweatshops. It's a serious human-rights and women's rights issue when people are being paid substandard wages for very grueling labor."

Wisconsin junior Ben Runkle said demonstrators were unfairly portrayed as "a bunch of radicals who are pushing their own agenda. In all honesty, we're a wide variety of students."

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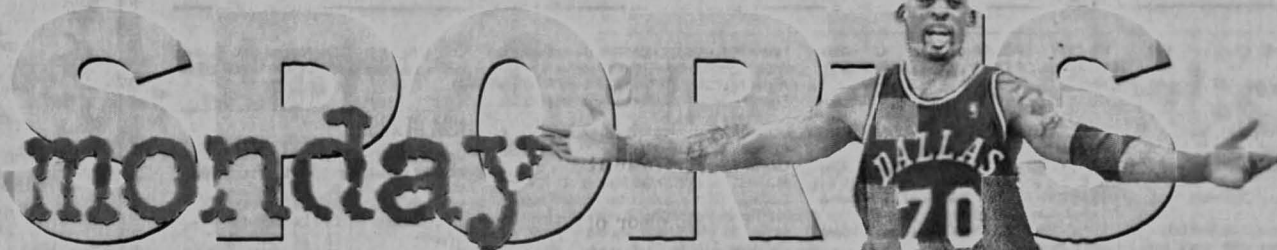
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Hawks follow Hand's lead

Iowa KO's No. 2 Gophers Sunday in Minnesota

By Greg Wallace
 The Daily Iowan

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — The Iowa wrestling team talks about maintaining a gap between themselves and the competition.

The gap remains. But most here would agree that it is measured in mere millimeters.

Using three key swings of momentum, the No. 1 Hawkeyes (18-0) squeezed past a determined No. 2 Minnesota, 20-13, in front of a raucous sellout crowd of 13,128 at Williams Arena.

The win clinched Iowa's first undefeated dual season since 1996, and avenged two dual losses the Gophers (17-2) handed the Hawkeyes in Iowa City.

"It's big," 125-pound Jody Strittmatter said. "It's not the performance we wanted, we didn't go out and dominate. But it's big. They had a lot of people here. It was our team against the whole place. It means a lot to us, an undefeated season."

The match teetered between the two squads the entire afternoon, and was in doubt until the final bout pitting Eric Juergens and Brett Lawrence.

The outcome hung with three key moves: A T.J. Williams reversal of Luke Becker, Strittmatter somehow turning sure back points into a match-winning takedown of Leroy Vega, and an amazing hip toss of Gopher heavyweight brute Brock Lesnar, courtesy of Wes Hand.

Iowa trailed, 13-10, heading into the heavyweight bout. Midway through the first period, Hand caught Lesnar in a toss, sending his much-larger opponent to the mat for back points with a thud which may have been heard all the way from Rochester to Duluth.

The throw gave Hand a 4-0 lead, and Lesnar never recovered. Hand controlled the rest of the match, winning 5-3 to tie the score and send the momentum Iowa's way heading into the final two matches.

The win salvaged Hand's wounds from two 1999 losses to Lesnar in Carver-Hawkeye Arena, one by pin and a 6-0 decision.

"(Minnesota) had a lot of momentum coming out of the timeout, winning two matches in a row," Iowa coach Jim Zalesky said. "You have to stop the momentum; in a meet like this it's big. And once we got that

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Dawn Villella/Associated Press

Iowa's Wes Hand and Minnesota's Brock Lesnar butt heads during the heavyweight wrestling match Sunday at Williams Arena in Minneapolis. No. 3-ranked Hand beat No. 1-ranked Lesnar with a score of 5-3 to help the Hawkeyes clinch a win over No. 2-ranked Minnesota 20-13.

Hand destroys underdog tag, defeats Lesnar

By Jeremy Schnitker
 The Daily Iowan

■ Wes Hand's upset of top-ranked Brock Lesnar turned the tides Sunday for the Hawkeyes.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn. — Wes Hand was right — all the talking his opponent Brock Lesnar did before Sunday's match was just that — talk.

In the days leading up to the highly anticipated dual between top-ranked Iowa and No. 2-ranked Minnesota, Lesnar had said that Iowa "ain't nothing" and that his Gophers were going to knock Iowa off of the pedestal they were on.

Hand responded by saying "talk is just talk, let's walk the walk." In his 5-3 upset over No. 1-ranked, and previously undefeated Lesnar, Hand's assessment was correct, and he walked to one of the biggest wins of his career.

The scoring got started in the first period when Hand caught Lesnar on a faulty double-leg takedown attempt and put him on his back for two seconds to pick of four points.

(Lesnar) just took a shot, and I countered him. It's a good win. My goal is to win the nationals this year, so this is just a stepping stone.

— Wes Hand

More like a leap.

Hand, who had been beaten by Lesnar twice last year in almost embarrassing fashion, being pinned once and being shut out the second time, proved to the wrestling world that he can hang with the best. After the match, Hand was not the least bit surprised of his upset.

"I know my ability and what I can do," Hand said. "I'm not surprised by what I did."
 The much ballyhooed match did not let down the record crowd of 13,128 fans in attendance. There was all the ingredients of a good wrestling match: Some extra pushing after the whistle, crowd eruptions, refs bringing the wrestlers back to the center of the mat to settle them down.
 But after Hand got the backpoints in the first period, the crowd began to simmer-down and so did the wrestling. Hand didn't attempt a shot after he earned his points and used good defense to preserve the win.

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ON THE AIR

Main Event

The Event: College Basketball, Connecticut at St. John's, 6 p.m., ESPN.

The Skinny: Coming off its huge upset win against Syracuse, St. John's looks to build on its five-game winning streak. The team is trying to rise, despite the NCAA conducting its second investigation in two weeks into possible rules violations by the program.



NBA

7 p.m. Heat at Pistons, TBS.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

8 p.m. Oklahoma State at Missouri, ESPN.

11 p.m. UNLV at Utah, ESPN.

SPORTS QUIZ

How many different NHL teams has Flyers coach Roger Neilson coached?
 See answer, Page 2B.

SCOREBOARD

MEN'S HOOPS • TOP 25

15 Temple	77	24 Kansas	53
1 Cincinnati	69	20 Oklahoma	50

NHL

Chicago	6	Philadelphia	3
Detroit	4	N.Y. Rangers	2

Dallas	2	Phoenix	4
Colorado	1	Atlanta	2

NBA

Dallas	100	L.A. Lakers	87
Toronto	96	Philadelphia	84

Miami	85	San Antonio	113
Charlotte	80	Houston	111, OT

New Jersey	91	Golden State	112
Minnesota	89	Washington	103

Portland	108		
Sacramento	103, OT		

READ, THEN RECYCLE

Swimmers crown first champ since 1990

■ Iowa's Melissa Loehndorf wins the Big Ten Championship's longest race.

By Melinda Mawdsley
 The Daily Iowan

Melissa Loehndorf is the 1,650 freestyle Big Ten Champion.

The Hawkeye sophomore is the first Iowa women's swimming champion in a decade and the first for Iowa coach Mary Bolich.

Loehndorf broke the Iowa record in the 500 free twice before finishing second in the conference.

Loehndorf also finished 10th in the 200 butterfly finals. All three times were good enough to qualify her for the U.S. Olympic Trials in August and most likely the NCAA Championships in mid-March.

Iowa coach Mary Bolich said that Loehndorf's efforts were outstanding. The 200 fly and the 1,650 are two of the toughest events and to compete in the two events during the same day was impressive.

The 1,650 is the longest event in the college meet. Loehndorf had only swam it once prior to Saturday so her time was only good enough to get her in the slower afternoon heat, but she finished nearly 20 seconds ahead of her closest competitor, posting a 16:33.95 to set the standard.

From the bleachers, Loehndorf watched the 1,650 faster heat that night and watched every swimmer fall short of her time, giving her the crown.

Loehndorf wasn't the only swimmer at her best in Indianapolis. Bolich couldn't have been prouder of her team's finish. Iowa may have placed eighth but once again swam season-best times, breaking four

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The Dominator of Daytona: Dale Jarrett wins 500

■ Dale Jarratt dominates from the start of Sunday's Daytona 500, leading for 89 laps.

By Mike Harris
 Associated Press

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. — Call him the Dominator of Daytona.

Defending Winston Cup champ Dale Jarrett won his third Daytona 500 in eight years, passing surprise contender Johnny Benson for the lead four laps from the end.

Jarrett cruised to the victory Sunday, driving the last two of 200 laps at Daytona International Speedway under caution after Jimmy Spencer crashed on lap 198.

Jarrett, who won just about everything there was to win in the last week at the track, was the favorite and had the pole. But his red, white and blue No. 88 Ford was damaged in practice Saturday and his crew had to work overnight on repairs.

It couldn't have worked out any better for Jarrett in NASCAR's biggest race.

"I would never have dreamed when

I came into this sport that I could win this race three times," he said on Victory Lane, where he was greeted by a burst of confetti and hugs from his crew.

Jarrett, who now has 23 career victories, dominated early in a race that lacked any drama until the last 50 laps. He ended up leading for 89 laps, by far the most.

He appeared to have everything in hand even as he trailed Mark Martin midway through the race. Just about everyone expected Jarrett to make his move any time he wanted.

He still trailed Martin when debris on the 2 1/2-mile oval brought out the third of six yellow flags and all the leaders pitted on lap 157.

Benson, driving a Pontiac, was one of five drivers who chose to change only two tires while everyone else changed four. That put Benson, the 1996 rookie of the year who has yet to win a Winston Cup race, out front and left Jarrett fifth.

With almost everyone among the estimated 190,000 fans watching in amazement, Benson's unheralded Pontiac was able to stay out front as

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Crowds small, team falls in Carver

By Molly Thomas
 The Daily Iowan

■ Iowa wins three of the four events during its home meet Saturday, but still falls to Illinois.

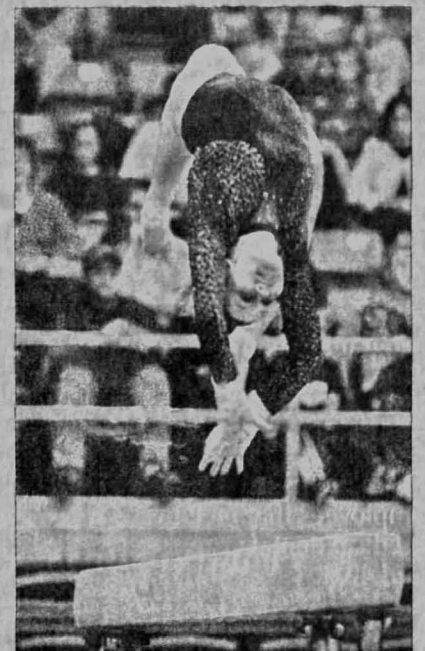
For the Iowa women's gymnastics team, Carver-Hawkeye Arena didn't live up to its expectations.

The Hawkeyes suffered a disappointing loss to conference opponent Illinois 194.375-193.575 Saturday. Coach Mike Lorenzen said he was more upset with the low attendance at Carver, since the staff had put so much time into the marketing of the event, than the actual point difference.

"I guess that we just have to be patient," Lorenzen said. "The reputation is not going to change overnight. I just hope that the people that were here had a good time and spread the word."

Though the crowd wasn't what they had hoped for, the Hawkeyes improved their overall score and set a team school record on the uneven bars. The record was previously 49.025, and Iowa bettered it with a 49.050. The Hawkeyes were led by senior Giselle Boniforti on the bars, scoring the third-highest mark in school history with a 9.900.

Iowa won three out of the four



Brian Ray/The Daily Iowan

Iowa's Angie Hungerford competes on the beam Saturday night in Carver.

events in the meet, but the balance beam proved to be the deciding factor once again. Though the

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SPORTS QUIZ

IOWA-MINNESOTA BOX

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Results from the Iowa-Minnesota wrestling meet Sunday.
 141—Doug Schwab (I) maj, dec. Chad Erikson, 23-10.
 149—Jaren Lawrence (M) dec. Mike Zadick, 8-4.
 157—T.J. Williams (I) dec. Luke Becker, 11-10.
 165—Brad Pike (M) dec. Matt Anderson, 11-4.
 174—Gabe McMahan (I) dec. Delaney Berger, 12-6.
 184—Brandon Eggum (M) maj, dec. Jessman Smith, 15-6.
 197—Owen Elliott (M) dec. Lee Weber, 8-6.
 198—Wes Hand (I) dec. Brock Lesnar, 5-3.
 125—Jody Strittmatter (I) dec. Leroy Vega, 9-6.
 133—Eric Juergens (I) maj, dec. Brett Lawrence, 19-6.

DAYTONA 500 RESULTS

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Results Sunday of the NASCAR Winston Cup Series NAPA Daytona 500 at Daytona International Speedway, with starting position in parentheses, driver, make of car, laps completed, reason out (if any) and money won:
 1. (1) Dale Jarrett, Ford, 200, \$1,277,975.
 2. (14) Jeff Burton, Ford, 200, \$940,825.
 3. (3) Bill Elliott, Ford, 200, \$528,475.
 4. (5) Rusty Wallace, Ford, 200, \$420,775.
 5. (9) Mark Martin, Ford, 200, \$326,175.
 6. (13) Bobby Labonte, Pontiac, 200, \$228,275.
 7. (25) Terry Labonte, Chevrolet, 200, \$198,825.
 8. (6) Ward Burton, Pontiac, 200, \$166,775.
 9. (23) Ken Schrader, Pontiac, 200, \$143,975.
 10. (24) Matt Kenseth, Ford, 200, \$182,875.
 11. (19) Jeremy Mayfield, Ford, 200, \$129,075.
 12. (27) Johnny Benson, Pontiac, 200, \$119,975.
 13. (6) Dale Earnhardt Jr., Chevrolet, 200, \$107,775.
 14. (18) Kenny Irwin, Chevrolet, 200, \$120,025.
 15. (2) Ricky Rudd, Ford, 200, \$119,475.
 16. (4) Mike Skinner, Chevrolet, 200, \$112,225.
 17. (7) Tony Stewart, Pontiac, 200, \$118,875.
 18. (17) Robby Gordon, Ford, 200, \$99,725.
 19. (15) Scott Pruett, Ford, 200, \$98,475.
 20. (32) Robert Pressley, Ford, 200, \$102,825.
 21. (21) Dale Earnhardt, Chevrolet, 200, \$116,075.
 22. (30) John Andretti, Pontiac, 200, \$113,725.
 23. (29) Chad Little, Ford, 200, \$105,375.
 24. (38) Sterling Marlin, Chevrolet, 199, \$104,325.
 25. (42) Kyle Petty, Pontiac, 199, \$108,175.
 26. (33) Stacy Compton, Ford, 199, \$94,225.
 27. (31) Dave Blaney, Pontiac, 199, \$89,625.
 28. (28) Rick Mast, Chevrolet, 199, \$92,075.

(39) Kenny Wallace, Chevrolet, 199, \$99,275.
 (22) Jimmy Spencer, Ford, 197, accident, \$99,225.
 (36) Steve Park, Chevrolet, 197, \$98,275.
 (43) Darrell Waltrip, Ford, 197, \$89,325.
 (35) Mike Bliss, Pontiac, 196, \$88,875.
 (11) Jeff Gordon, Chevrolet, 195, \$106,100.
 (20) Jerry Nadeau, Chevrolet, 195, \$93,450.
 (41) Kevin Lepage, Ford, 195, \$93,000.
 (26) Ed Barber, Ford, 193, track bar, \$84,550.
 (8) Elliott Sadler, Ford, 192, accident, \$92,100.
 (10) Michael Waltrip, Chevrolet, 192, accident, \$91,550.
 (34) Wally Dallenbach Jr., Ford, 174, handling, \$83,200.
 (12) Derrick Cope, Ford, 169, engine failure, \$82,750.
 (19) Joe Nemechek, Chevrolet, 131, oil pressure, \$90,300.
 (37) Bobby Hamilton, Chevrolet, 68, engine failure, \$90,100.

Time of race: 3 hours, 12 minutes, 43 seconds.
 Winner's average speed: 155.669 mph.
 Margin of victory: Under caution.
 Caution flags: 6 for 24 laps.
 Lead changes: 9 among 7 drivers.
 Lap leaders: Rudd 1, Skinner 2-4, Jarrett 5-33, Elliott 34, Jarrett 35-90, Little 91-92, Martin 93-157, Benson 158-196, Jarrett 197-200.
 NASCAR Winston Cup Points Leaders: Jarrett 185; J. Burton 170; Elliott 170; Martin 160; R. Wallace 160; B. Labonte 150; T. Labonte 146; W. Burton 142; Schrader, 138; Kenseth 134.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
 ANAHEIM ANGELS—Signed RHP Derrick Turnbow to a one-year contract.
 CLEVELAND INDIANS—Agreed to terms with OF Mark Whiten on a minor-league contract.
MINNEAPOLIS TWINS—Agreed to terms with LHP Eddie Guardado on a two-year contract extension through 2002.
 TAMPA BAY DEVIL RAYS—Agreed to terms with OF Kenny Kelly on a four-year contract, and OF Bubba Trammell, RHP Dan Wheeler, INF Damian Rotis and LHP Cedrick Bowers on one-year contracts. Placed LHP Tony Saunders on the 60-day disabled list.
National League
 ARIZONA DIAMONDBACKS—Released RHP Al Garcia.
 LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Agreed to terms with 1B Eric Karros on a three-year contract extension through 2003.
Frontier League
 LONDON WEREWOLVES—Exercised the option on OF Rick Nadeau, OF Willie Edwards, OF Keith Goodwin, DH Chris Gavriel and 3B Todd DeGraffenreid.
RIVER CITY RASCALS—Sold the contract of INF Torre Tyson to the New York Yankees. Signed RHP Brian Moody.
 Western League

QUICK HITS

TRI-CITY POSSE—Signed C Alex Sutherland, OF Chin Hua Lee and RHP Chris Boyd.
 YUMA BULLFROGS—Signed INF Lonnie Gubbery.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
 CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Signed G Earl Boykins to a second 10-day contract.
 HOUSTON ROCKETS—Signed G Mookie Norris to a second 10-day contract.
 LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Named Kareem Abdul-Jabbar assistant coach.
 ORLANDO MAGIC—Activated F Derek Strong from the injured list. Placed G Chaunay Billups on the injured list.
 PHILADELPHIA 76ERS—Activated G Kevin Ollie and F Jumaine Jones from injured reserve.
Women's National Basketball Association
 PHOENIX MERCURY—Acquired F Brandy Reed from the Minnesota Lynx for a 2000 first-round draft pick.
Continental Basketball Association
 CBA—Placed Quad City G-F Kris Johnson on the league inactive reserve list.
SIOUX FALLS SKYFORCERS—Added G Corey Beck to the roster. Placed G Chris Smith on the injured reserve list.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
 CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed DT Tom Barnitz to a five-year contract.
 CLEVELAND BROWNS—Agreed to terms with S Percy Ellsworth on a contract.
 DETROIT LIONS—Agreed to terms with FS Kurt Schult on a five-year contract. Named Pat Ruel offensive line coach.
NEW ORLEANS SAINTS—Signed TE Andrew Glover and DT Kevin Thomas to one-year contracts. Agreed to terms with LB Phil Clarke, G Phil Hunt and DT Kevin Thomas. Named Bob Palocz tight ends coach.
ST. LOUIS RAMS—Named Larry Pasquale special teams coach.
Canadian Football League
 SASKATCHEWAN ROUGHRIDERS—Signed LB Anthony McLanahan to a one-year contract.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
 ATLANTA THRASHERS—Recalled G Scott Langkow from Orlando of the IHL. Reassigned G Scott Farkousier to Orlando. Acquired F Joel Irving from the Calgary Flames for future considerations.
 DALLAS STARS—Activated D Derian Hatcher off injured reserve.
 TAMPA BAY LIGHTNING—Recalled RW Matt Elch and D Marek Posmyk from Detroit of the IHL. Assigned RW Dan Kessa and D Chris McAlpine to Detroit.
American Hockey League
 AHL—Suspended Louisville D Brent Thompson for seven games for abuse of an official in a game against Wilkes-Barre-Scranton on Feb. 12.
 CINCINNATI MIGHTY DUCKS—Recalled G Jason Saal from Dayton of the ECHL. East Coast Hockey League
 BATON ROUGE KINGFISH—Added G Pavel Nastak to the roster.
 CHARLOTTE CHECKERS—Activated D Mike Jaras from injured reserve.
 DAYTON BOMBERS—Signed G Wayne Cowler.
 FLORIDA EVERBLADES—Placed D Dane Litke on the seven-day injured reserve list. Activated F Tim Ferguson.

HAMPTON ROADS ADMIRALS—Activated D Trevor Johnson from injured reserve.
 HUNTINGTON BLIZZARD—Placed RW Pete Breahey on the 14-day injured reserve list, retroactive to Feb. 17.
 LOUISIANA ICE CATS—Activated D Corey Neilson from injured reserve. Signed G Darren Wilkinson.
 MOBILE MYSTICS—Placed D Derek Gosselin on the seven-day injured reserve list. Transferred F Chad Onufrechuk from the seven- to the 14-day injured reserve list.
 Released G Carter Ozyk.
 PENSACOLA ICE PILOTS—Activated D Marc Dupuis from injured reserve.
 RICHMOND RENEGADES—Added G Rick Nichol to the roster.
 TOLEDO STORM—Traded D Mike Herrera to Birmingham for future considerations. Added G Chris Frey to the roster.
 TRENTON TITANS—Signed G Craig Fiander. Waived F Walker McDonald.
Central Hockey League
 COLUMBUS COTTONMOUTHS—Placed RW Doug Mann and C Mike Martens on the 14-day injured reserve list, retroactive to Feb. 13. Activated D Trevor Folk from injured reserve.
United Hockey League
 FLINT GENERALS—Traded C Dean Roach and LW Jonas Eden to Asheville for future considerations.
Western Professional Hockey League
 AUSTIN ICE BATS—Waived F Martin Williams. Claimed F Roger Lewis off waivers.
 FORT WORTH BRAHMAS—Placed C Dave Gilmore on the season-ending injured reserve list.
SOCCER
Major League Soccer
 D.C. UNITED—Traded MF Jason Moore to Colorado for a 2001 first-round pick.
National Professional Soccer League
 HARRISBURG HEAT—Acquired D Ian Carter from St. Louis for F Eloy Salgado.
TENNIS
 WTA TOUR—Named Christopher De Maria vice president for communications.
COLLEGE
 ATLANTIC 10 CONFERENCE—Suspended Duquesne basketball C Simon Ognesi for two games for fighting during a game against Xavier on Feb. 15.
 DAYTON—Named Tama Aondofar and Alberto Mendez men's assistant soccer coaches.
 DELAWARE STATE—Named Carl Wyche director of public safety.
 GEORGIA TECH—Announced the retirement of Bobby Cramins, men's basketball coach, effective at the end of the season.
 MISSOURI WESTERN—Released F Randy Dickerson from the basketball team for unspecified reasons.
 OKLAHOMA STATE—Announced the resignation of Rob Ryan, defensive coordinator, to accept the position of linebackers coach with the New England Patriots.
 RUTGERS—Agreed to terms with C. Vivian Stringer, women's basketball coach, on a three-year contract extension, through 2004-2005.

UNC-GREENSBORO—Named Carl Fleming men's assistant soccer coach, effective Feb. 21.

NBA GLANCE

EASTERN CONFERENCE		L Pct GB	
Atlantic Division			
Miami	32	19	627
New York	31	19	820
Philadelphia	28	24	539
Orlando	25	27	481 1/2
Boston	22	30	423 1/2
New Jersey	21	31	404 1/2
Washington	15	37	288 1/2
Central Division			
Indiana	34	17	657
Charlotte	29	22	569
Toronto	27	24	529
Milwaukee	27	26	509
Detroit	25	26	490
Atlanta	20	29	408
Cleveland	21	31	404 1/2
Chicago	12	38	240 1/2
WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Midwest Division			
San Antonio	34	18	654
Utah	31	19	620
Minnesota	28	23	549 1/2
Denver	23	28	451 1/2
Dallas	22	29	431 1/2
Houston	21	32	395 1/2
Vancouver	16	35	314 1/2
Pacific Division			
Portland	42	11	792
L.A. Lakers	41	11	788
Phoenix	31	19	620 1/2
Seattle	33	21	619 1/2
Sacramento	31	21	596 1/2
Golden State	13	37	260 1/2
L.A. Clippers	11	42	208

Saturday's Games
 New York 87, Indiana 73
 Utah 91, Detroit 87
 Vancouver 111, Milwaukee 100
 Chicago 74, L.A. Clippers 72
 Seattle 94, Boston 91

Sunday's Games
 Late Game Not Included
 Dallas 100, Toronto 96
 Miami 85, Charlotte 80
 New Jersey 91, Minnesota 89
 Portland 108, Sacramento 103
 L.A. Lakers 87, Philadelphia 84
 San Antonio 113, Houston 111, OT
 Washington at Golden State, (H)

Monday's Games
 L.A. Clippers at New York, 12 p.m.
 Dallas at Indiana, 5 p.m.
 Vancouver at Cleveland, 6:30 p.m.
 Miami at Detroit, 7 p.m.
 Phoenix at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
 Atlanta at Utah, 8 p.m.
 Sacramento at Denver, 8 p.m.
 Boston at Portland, 9 p.m.
Tuesday's Games
 Milwaukee at Washington, 6 p.m.
 L.A. Lakers at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
 Houston at Charlotte, 7 p.m.
 Golden State at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
 Vancouver at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
 Denver at Phoenix, 8 p.m.
 Orlando at Seattle, 8 p.m.

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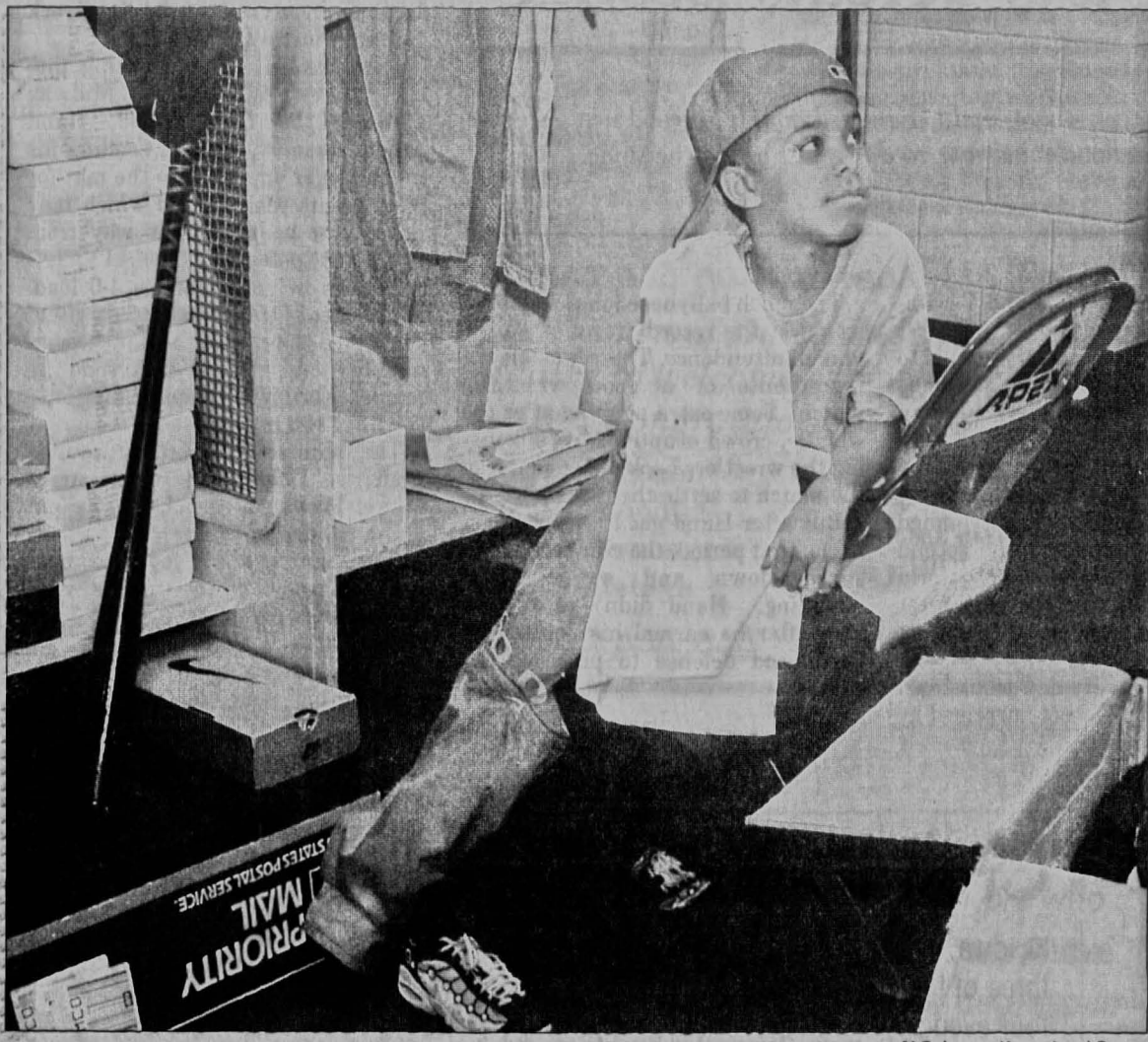
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BY THE NUMBERS
10
 years since an Iowa woman won a Big Ten championship. Melissa Lohendorf ended the string last weekend.

SAY WHAT?
 If I get a base hit, this place is going to act like we just won a pennant. If I ground out, these people are going to do the same. They're sweet to me like that.
 — Mets outfielder **Garth Brooks** on his first day in training camp. The country music star participates in spring training to raise money for his Touch 'Em All foundation for disadvantaged youth.

BY THE NUMBERS
1
 strokes over par Tiger Woods finished at the Nissan Open, his worst finish since last year's British Open.

SPORTSWATCH



Ken Griffey Jr.'s son Trey looks up at his father after they arrived at the Cincinnati clubhouse to unpack. Al Behrman/Associated Press

Griffey makes low-key arrival in Sarasota

■ Ken Griffey Jr. said spring training would be different without wearing blue and green Seattle colors.
 By Joe Kay Associated Press
 SARASOTA, Fla. — The star of the show arrived with plenty of boxes but absolutely no fanfare. That will change soon enough for Ken Griffey Jr.
 Griffey slipped unannounced into the Cincinnati Reds' spring training complex Sunday to unpack his things and start the next phase of his baseball career, a day before his formal introduction.
 Most of his new teammates had already headed out after a morning workout when Griffey drove in with his wife and two children,

then spent a half-hour unpacking. "It's a little different," he said. "Everything I've had for the last couple of years is blue, and now it's red."
 That's just the beginning of the changes for Griffey, the Reds' biggest star since the Big Red Machine of the 1970s.
 The 4-for-1 trade with Seattle on Feb. 10 set off a wave of calls to the Reds' offices, overwhelming their phone system. It also generated three times the usual number of calls to their spring training complex in Sarasota, which was making final preparations for his arrival Sunday.
 The Reds planned a news conference Monday that will be the biggest thing to hit these parts since Michael Jordan showed up at Chicago White Sox camp with a bat instead of a basketball six years ago.

"The excitement around town has been nonstop," said Pat Calhoun, who manages the complex. "I don't think there's been any time when the box office was open in the last eight days that there hasn't been a line."
 Even Griffey's teammates-in-waiting were enthusiastic about an arrival that has overshadowed the rest of training camp.
 "It's definitely exciting," said first baseman Sean Casey, whose cubicle is next to Griffey's. "It's going to be awesome to see him play every day. That's going to be awesome. It's also going to be nice to get to know him as a person. I've heard good things about him."
 Griffey showed up about three hours after the Reds' workout ended. Michael Tucker was the only teammate in the clubhouse when Griffey walked in with his son, Trey.

DATEBOOK

- Men's Basketball**
 ■ **Wednesday** vs. Wisconsin. The Hawkeyes return to a sold-out house after spending the past three games on a road trip. Tip-off in Carver-Hawkeye Arena is scheduled for 7 p.m. The game will be broadcast on KGAN.
 ■ **Sunday** vs. Minnesota. Tip-off is scheduled for 1:07 p.m., and the game will be broadcast on KGAN. There are no more tickets remaining in Carver for the game.
Men's Swimming
 ■ **Thursday-Saturday** at the Big Ten Championships. The Hawkeyes will swim against the league's best in Canham Natatorium in Ann Arbor, Mich.
Men's Track & Field
 ■ **Saturday-Sunday** at the Big Ten Indoor Championships. Most of the team has had a week off from competition, and will compete in the Indiana Field House in Bloomington, Ind.
Men's Gymnastics
 ■ **Friday** vs. Nebraska in the North Gym of the UI Field House. The meet is scheduled to start at 7 p.m.
Men's Tennis
 ■ **Sunday** vs. DePaul in the UI Rec Building. The meet is scheduled to start at 11:30 a.m.
Baseball
 ■ **Friday-Sunday** the men will face national powerhouse Wichita State. The games will be played at Eck Stadium, Home of Tyler Field, in Wichita, Kan. The Hawkeyes will play one game each day.
Women's Basketball
 ■ **Thursday** hosts Michigan in Carver-Hawkeye Arena. The women currently own their first three-game winning streak of the season. The game is scheduled to begin at 7 p.m., and it is Iowa's final home contest.
 ■ **Sunday** at Purdue. The game is scheduled to take start at 1 p.m.
Women's Golf
 ■ **Friday-Sunday** at Midwest Classic in Dallas, Texas.
Women's Gymnastics
 ■ **Saturday** at Minnesota. Iowa will be looking to rebound from Saturday's home loss to Illinois.
Women's Tennis
 ■ **Saturday-Sunday** the women will take on Purdue and Indiana, respectively.
Women's Track & Field
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Iowa wins tournament, starts 5-0

Iowa upset No. 9 Arizona State and gave coach Gayle Blevins her 500th win.

By Melinda Mawdsley
The Daily Iowan

Domination describes the Iowa softball team's performance this weekend, as the Hawkeyes swept the competition at the Louisville Slugger/Arizona State Classic. The 5-0 start to the season is a first in Iowa's storied softball history.



Blevins

The weekend was packed full of highlights, beginning with Iowa's first game against Illinois State. The Hawkeyes defeated the Red Birds 3-2 giving coach Gayle Blevins her 500th-career victory at Iowa. The Hawkeyes were led by Alicia Gerlach. The sophomore recorded Iowa's first homerun of the year, a solo shot in the bottom of the fourth inning, putting Iowa up 2-0.

It looked like Illinois State was going to go ahead on a three-run homerun by Bridget Fournie in the top of the fifth, but Fournie was called out after she passed her teammate on the base path, leaving things tied.

Iowa loaded the bases up in the bottom of the sixth, and sophomore Kristi Hanks drew a walk to give Iowa its winning run. Hanks went 2-0 on the weekend with 13 strikeouts.

Iowa took the field later Friday evening against No. 17 Michigan State. The Spartans, one of two Big Ten teams ranked ahead of Iowa, were held to only three hits, as senior Kelly Zeilstra pitched the 5-0 shutout.

Freshman Kristin Johnson led Iowa's attack, taking a 1-2 pitch over the left field wall for her first collegiate homerun.

Iowa came back in the sixth and put the Spartans away off three-straight singles from sophomore Liz Dennis, Gerlach and Hanks. Hanks recorded two RBI's on her hit. Zeilstra later singled to score Hanks.

"A win like this helps," said Blevins. "We have a number of young players. We emphasized better consistency down in Arizona. There's a time in this season where that will be important."

The two runs Iowa gave up on Friday were the last opponents would score off Iowa's pitching and defense.

The second day of the tournament was huge for the Hawkeyes. Iowa upset host Arizona State, handing the No. 9 Sun Devils their first loss on the season.

The game was scoreless until the bottom of the fifth. Johnson led off with a double, and senior Jill Knopf sacrificed Johnson over

to third. Dennis stepped up to the plate and drove a double into centerfield to bring Johnson in. One run was enough for Zeilstra and the Iowa defense.

Iowa applied early and constant pressure in the game. Every inning the Hawkeyes had base runners, and Zeilstra allowed only two hits on her way to a perfect 3-0 weekend.

"This is the kind of game that builds confidence," Blevins said. "It was a great game to remember. It had all the elements of a NCAA Championship game. You have to get comfortable in those close games. That's the difference between having a good year and an average year."

The game against Arizona State was a pitching and defensive dual, but two games against Eastern Illinois were all Iowa bats.

It took only five innings for the Hawkeyes to put away the Panthers both Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning. The Hawkeyes jumped out early, scoring three runs in the bottom of the first in both games.

Before the season, Blevins touched on the necessity of Iowa to get steady output offensively. In Arizona, Iowa scored 27 runs.

"We've been more productive because we have more possibilities," Blevins said. "We've got the speed, we've got the short game and kids who can hit for power."

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Hawks win third-straight game

The Iowa women's basketball team won its first Big Ten road game of the season against Minnesota.

By Lisa Colonna
The Daily Iowan

Iowa entered Sunday's game against Minnesota needing to accomplish a feat it had not been able to do all season.

The Hawkeyes, who have struggled on the road, got the job done Sunday and picked up their first Big Ten road victory, 77-53, against the Golden Gophers.

The win extends Iowa's winning streak to three games for the first time all season and better the Hawkeyes' record to 9-15 overall and 6-8 in the Big Ten.

"We needed to have this win on the road," assistant coach Dana Eikenberg said. "We have not won in the Big Ten on the road all year and that's not a good sign; not something we anticipated. We thought we'd come around much more quickly than we did. If we want to get it done and we don't want our season to end so soon, then we've got to be able to win away from Carver-Hawkeye Arena."

Iowa is now 2-10 overall on the road and 1-6 in away Big Ten competition. Minnesota has now lost 24-straight Big Ten games at home, dating back to its last home victory against Ohio State, Feb. 22, 1997. The Golden Gophers are

now 9-16 on the season and 2-11 in the conference.

At Williams Arena Sunday, the Hawkeyes' hot shooting and bench scoring made the difference in the game.

Iowa shot above 50 percent for most of the game and finished shooting 48 percent overall. Minnesota shot around 20 percent in the second half and scored only 24 points total in that half.

The Hawkeye bench contributed 34 points to Iowa's victory, including 12 points from Amber O'Brien and 11 from Patrice Jennings. Lindsey Meder led the way for Iowa with 15, and Cara Consuegra added 12 points.

"Thirty-four points, that's unbelievable," Eikenberg said about Iowa's bench scoring. "I thought Amber O'Brien did her home state (Minnesota) well and came back and really proved a point. Patrice Jennings did the things we know Patrice can do, but she has to make the decisions to do them."

Iowa jumped out to an early 8-0 lead to begin the contest. Iowa extended that lead to 10 points at times before closing out the half, 38-29. Iowa kept

things going in the second half, extending the lead to 27 points at its highest mark.

This game marked the second meeting between these two teams this season. In January, Iowa defeated the Golden Gophers 80-51 in Iowa City. Iowa has now won 10 straight against Minnesota.

The Hawkeyes next take on Michigan Thursday at Carver-Hawkeye Arena. Tip-off is scheduled for 7 p.m.

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3-Point goals—Iowa 4-12 (Wagner 0-2, Meder 3-5, Berdo 0-2, P. Jennings 1-1, Podolak 0-2), Minnesota 4-16 (Olson 1-2, Vander Heyden 1-8, Lieser 2-4, Harris 0-2). Rebounds—Iowa 37 (O'Brien 5), Minnesota 36 (Bowden, Pickens 6). Assists—Iowa 20 (Consuegra 9), Minnesota 12 (Vander Heyden 9). Total fouls—Iowa 15, Minnesota 18. Technicals—Iowa bench. A—1,612.

Iowa women endure a pair of losses

The women's tennis team lost to No. 20 South Alabama and No. 23 Fresno State over the weekend.

By Todd Brommelkamp
The Daily Iowan

The No. 32 Iowa women's tennis team lost to No. 20 South Alabama 6-3 on Friday and fell to No. 23 Fresno State 5-4 on Saturday to drop to 2-4 on the season.

Coach Paul Wardlaw had mixed reactions on the play of his team during the trip. He said he was pleased with the play of his doubles combinations, but felt singles play left something to be desired.

"We just didn't seem to get out of our comfort zone," he said. "I thought we definitely could have played more aggressively at times. It just boils down to attitude and effort."

Shera Wiegler led the Hawkeye effort against South Alabama. She upset the Jaguars' Silvia Sosnarova, ranked No. 37 in

singles, 6-0, 6-3.

Natalya Dawaf scored Iowa's only other singles victory, rebounding from a 0-6 loss in the first set with a pair of victories, 7-5, 6-4.

Wardlaw also gave praise to Megan Kearney, who battled to a tough 6-3, 4-6, 6-3 loss to Iva Pufferova.

"Megan had a great match," said Wardlaw. "It was really tough to see her lose."

Iowa picked up its only other victory of the match with a win from Kearney and partner Erica Johnson in doubles play, fighting for a 9-8 victory.

Things didn't look to get any better from the beginning for the Hawkeyes on Saturday against Fresno State. Iowa lost at the top four singles spots before picking up victories from Johnson and Jen Sinclair, who fought a string of tie-breakers to pick up her victory.

Johnson defeated Anke Bier 1-6, 6-4, 6-4. Sinclair had a much tougher time disposing of Renee Kops-Jones. Sinclair won the first set 6-2 before battling

through consecutive tie-breakers, dropping the first 6-7 (8) but taking the final set 7-6 (4).

Iowa than picked up victories from Wiegler and Toni Neykova at No. 1 doubles 8-5 and Dawaf and Sinclair at No. 2, 8-4. However, Johnson and Kearney fell to Chantel Wiggins and Bier 8-6 at the No. 3 spot to seal the victory for Fresno State.

"It was a tough weekend," said Wardlaw, "we had a lot of tie-breakers and a lot of close matches."

Adding to Iowa's troubles was the fact the matches were played outdoors, a factor Wardlaw said helped to show the team's struggles with timing and other aspects of its game.

"You can only control what you can control," he said, "and we just didn't get the type of effort we needed to get."

Iowa opens Big Ten play next weekend with a pair of matches against Indiana and Purdue on the road.

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Flu bug bites Iowa in opening weekend

Iowa's sick baseball team did not win a game against Belmont this weekend.

By Todd Brommelkamp
The Daily Iowan

Baseball is a game of struggles. Normally those are struggles against pitchers and hitters, not sickness.

The flu bug took its toll on the UI baseball team this weekend, as the Hawkeyes could only manage single runs in their three-game series with Belmont University. Iowa lost both games of Saturday's double-header, 3-1 and 4-1, then fell on Sunday to the Bruins 2-1.

"Nobody likes to be 0-3," said Coach Scott Broghamer, "but this team showed a lot of heart this weekend."

With starters Toby Humes, Andy Jansen, Brad Carlson and Kurt Vitense all struggling with a bout of the flu, Broghamer turned to several players to fill in. Brad Husz caught all three games for Iowa as Humes was relegated to designated hitting duty. Vitense managed to play in every game for the Hawkeyes.

The entire Iowa lineup ran up against tough pitching from the Bruin staff, scoring only one run and managing only five hits in each

of its three games. Sunday, the tough pitching came from Cody Fisher, who hurled a complete game five-hitter for Belmont.

"There aren't enough adjectives to describe the performance of our pitching staff this weekend," said Belmont coach Dave Jarvis. "It's just very exciting to see our team play so well against top-notch competition."

Broghamer was pleased with the performance of his pitching staff as well.

"We had a great staff effort," he said. "They were very aggressive and threw a lot of strikes."

Matt Gruber, Matt Hasz and David Kot combined to allow only five hits on Sunday, but the five hits were enough for the Bruins to muster the two runs needed to win.

The Bruins scored both runs in the bottom of the first on RBI's from Luke Hansen and Jerrod Smith. It proved to be all the support Fisher needed.

Iowa's lone offensive highlight came on a solo homer by Lance Guyer in the third inning, but the Hawkeyes couldn't muster enough offense for a comeback.

"We found out a lot about our team," said Broghamer. "We swung our bats, put balls in play and made good plays in the field."

Iowa travels to powerhouse Wichita State on Friday for a three-game weekend set with the

Nobody likes to be 0-3, but this team showed a lot of heart this weekend.

— Scott Broghamer
Iowa baseball coach

Shockers.
"We play these guys for a reason," said Broghamer. "Our game is going to have to be ready."
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Iowa breaks pommel horse record

The Hawkeye men's gymnastics team took second-place at Ohio State.

By Melinda Mawdsley
The Daily Iowan

The Iowa men's gymnastics team placed second and broke the school record on pommel horse en route to posting its best team score of the year in Columbus, Ohio, Saturday afternoon.

The Hawkeyes posted a 39.075 on the pommel horse, breaking the previous record by .025 points set in 1997.

The No. 4 Hawkeyes finished with 228.700 points, in front of No. 9 Brigham Young and No. 11 Minnesota at Saturday's quadrangle meet. Host No. 2 Ohio State won with its season-best score of

230.725.
"We had our best away from home performance this season," Iowa coach Tom Dunn said. "A lot of our guys got season-best performances."

Todd Strada put together his strongest performance ever as a Hawkeye. The senior showed he belongs with the nation's elite, placing second in the all-around with a career best score of 58.10. Strada finished .5 behind BYU's Guard Young, ranked second in the country but defeated the country's highest ranked all-arounder Buckeye Jamie Natalie.

Strada also tied for second on the parallel bars with a team season-best score of 9.8. Senior Anthony Petrocelli scored a team season-high 9.65 on the vault.

"The seniors plus (junior) Kevin Agnew stepped it up for us," Dunn

said. "Todd, Anthony and Kevin put it together well. That really helped our team."

This meet marked a mid-season point for Iowa, as they look ahead to Big Ten Championships and the NCAA Championships, which they host.

Fighting injuries and inconsistencies, this was an important meet for the Hawkeyes.

"Before the season, we set this meet as a time to get serious," Dunn said. "I think this gives us some confidence. I think we'll start to put it together."

Iowa returns to action this weekend at home. They Hawkeyes will host Nebraska Friday at 7 p.m. in the Field House.

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Short game hampers Hawkeyes

The Iowa women's golf team finished last at the Mountain View Classic.

By Molly Thomas
The Daily Iowan

In Iowa's first meet of the spring season, the women's golf team let its short game get the best of them.

The Hawkeyes finished last in a field of 10 teams at the Mountain View Classic in Tucson, Ariz., on Saturday and Sunday. Iowa finished with a 54-hole score of 640 on the par-72 Mountain View Golf Course.

Coach Diane Thomason said the team was a little nervous for their first outdoor competition

and struggled primarily in their short game.

"I really thought we would play better than we did today," Thomason said. "I'm sure it is just a matter of getting back into the swing of things and getting more outdoor experience."

Senior Kelli Carney and freshman Heather Suhr played most consistently, each of them shooting close to their scoring average. Carney led the team individually, shooting a score of 156 and tying for 22nd place.

Senior M.C. Mullen and junior Meghan Spero battled it out in the bottom half of the competition tying for 39th with 161. Suhr tied for 42nd with 162, and freshman Leslie Gumm finished 50th.

Carney said that different parts of every game need improvement, but overall she felt like she played consistently.

"I think I played decent for my first time out," Carney said. "Now I have something to gain on. I was just happy to go out and shoot a solid game in our first meet."

Thomason said that the wind picked up on the last few holes and could have played a part in the outcome of the tournament. She added that part of Iowa's problem was the lack of outdoor course practice.

"This meet really shows us what we need to be working on," Thomason said.

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Hawks gear up for Big Tens

By Molly Thomas
The Daily Iowan

Four Iowa men's track and field competitors traveled to Cedar Falls on Friday to compete in the UNI-Dome Open. The meet was an extra competition for those competitors that needed more experience before the Big Ten Indoor Championships in Indiana next weekend.

Senior Merrill Coleman was the only Iowa competitor in the running events and placed third in the 60-meters, running a personal best of 7.00. Junior Jeremy Allen led Iowa in the weight events, placing second in the shot put and third in the weight throw. Allen has already provisionally qualified for the NCAA Indoor Championships in both events.

Arno van der Westhuizen recorded season bests in both the shot put and the weight throw. Chris Cassata said the meet was an important preparation for the weight throwers the week before Big Ten competition. Cassata placed sixth in the weight throw recording a season and career-best 56-1 3/4.

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Temple stuns No. 1 Cincinnati

■ The Owls are the first team to shoot over 50 percent against the Bearcats this year.

By Terry Kinney
Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Temple beat No. 1 Cincinnati in all the unconventional ways Sunday, stopping the nation's longest winning streak and confusing Bearcats coach Bob Huggins.

"We did everything you're not supposed to be able to do against Temple," Huggins said after the No. 15 Owls beat Cincinnati 77-69. "But they made the shots."

Huggins looked at the statistics in amazement. Cincinnati had 24 points in the paint to 12 for Temple; the Bearcats had twice as many points off turnovers and second-chance points.

But Temple also did something nobody had done against Cincinnati in 63 games. The Owls shot 52 percent from the field. Nobody had shot 50 percent against Cincinnati since Alabama-Birmingham did it March 7, 1998.

"There were a lot of big shots that broke our hearts," said freshman DerMarr Johnson, who led Cincinnati with 16 points.

With Mark Karcher scoring 22 of his 28 points in the second half, Temple made the most of its usually gritty defense and rallied after Cincinnati took a seven-point lead, its biggest of the game.

"Coach told me to slow down and take what they gave me," Karcher said.

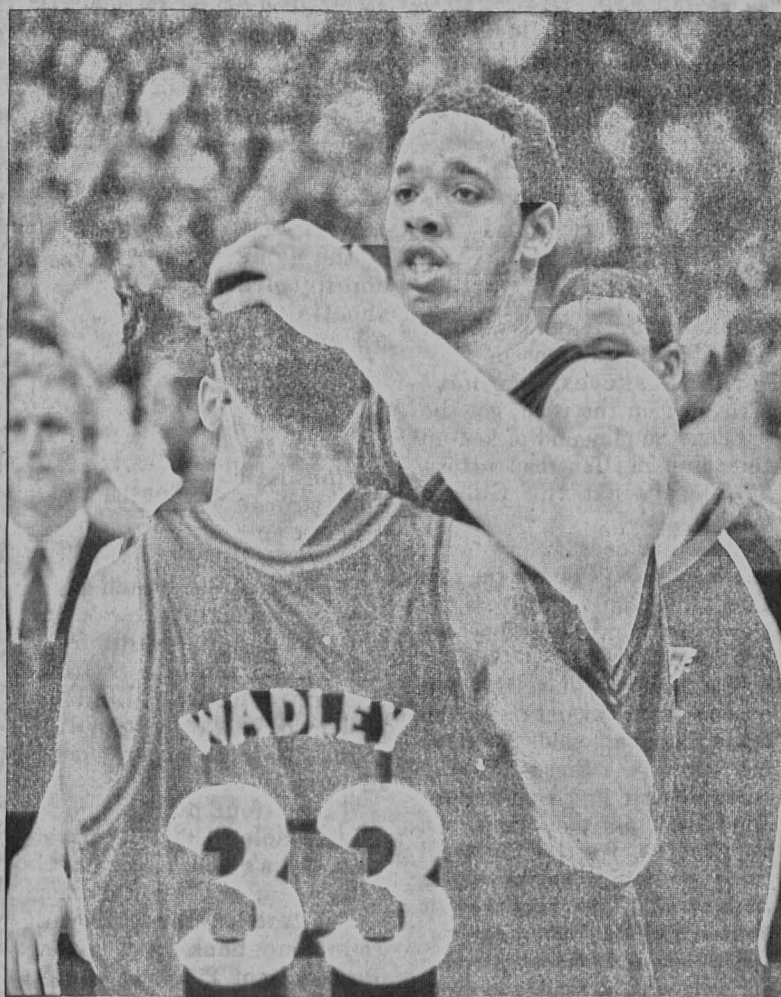
"He has a tendency to come off screens and just shoot it. But today he was a little more patient," said Temple coach John Chaney.

"He can hit that mid-range jumper. We had to do that to keep it out of the middle and away from the big guy."

The "big guy" — Kenyon Martin had 13 points and 10 rebounds for Cincinnati (20-1). Pete Miceal had 14 and Kenny Satterfield 10.

Quincy Wadley added 16 points for Temple (20-4), and Lynn Greer had 15, all in the first half.

Cincinnati had won 16 in a row — tops in Division I — and its home winning streak was at 42



David Kohl/Associated Press

Temple's Kevin Lyde congratulates teammate Quincy Wadley after their 77-69 win over No. 1 Cincinnati on Sunday.

before Temple took command. The Owls have won 11 in a row, the most since the 1993-94 season.

"They're good," Huggins said. "They beat us today. But if we play them again, I don't know if they beat us again."

Chaney said beating Cincinnati might have been good for both teams.

"They can walk away knowing they lost a very close game and knowing they can win a game like this," Chaney said. "I don't think this is the worst thing that could have happened to them."

Huggins wasn't buying that. "Everybody keeps trying to convince me losses are good. I'm having a hard time with that," he said.

Temple's tight, matchup zone bothered Cincinnati all afternoon as the Owls delivered yet another blow to the Bearcats. It was Temple that knocked Cincinnati out of

the NCAA tournament in the second round last year.

Cincinnati was unable to generate any perimeter offense in the early going. Temple, however, had no problems from outside.

Greer, who averages 12 points and has been shooting 36 percent from long range, came off the bench to go 5-of-5 in the first half.

"Greer has been instant offense for us," Chaney said. "He and Quincy — they have been taking turns."

Temple led most of the first half, with Cincinnati's first lead coming with 1:25 left when Johnson hit the second of consecutive 3-pointers.

The Bearcats led 34-33 at half-time and cranked up its defense — briefly — at the start of the second half. That produced a 9-0 run in which Logan hit two 3-pointers. His second gave Cincinnati a 53-46 lead at 10:31.

Minnesota center NBA bound

■ Joel Przybilla says he will not return to the Gophers this season following his suspension.

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Joel Przybilla says he's through with college basketball and is ready for the NBA.

The 7-foot-1 sophomore center was suspended last Tuesday by Minnesota men's basketball coach Dan Monson for skipping classes.

Speaking publicly Saturday for the first time since his suspension, Przybilla blamed his suspension on a lack of communication and said he would not return to the team.

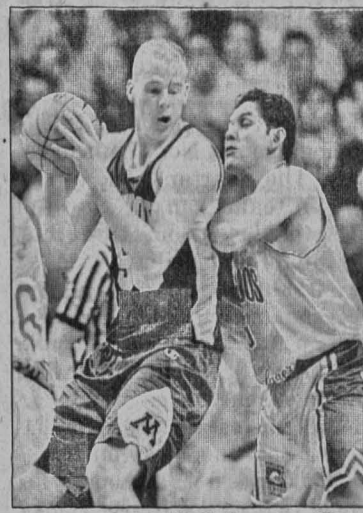
Przybilla told the *Star Tribune* his father, Doug, is hiring an agent and that they will take whatever steps the agent recommends in an effort to make him a lottery pick in the NBA draft June 6 in Minneapolis.

"I made a mistake by not attending classes on a regular basis," the 20-year-old Monticello native said, but he added he wasn't worried about his grades. "My GPA was over 2.0, so there was no danger of being ineligible to play."

He said he was surprised Monson suspended him.

"True, Coach Monson had warned me about going to class, but I thought he made a bigger thing out of it than it really was," he said. "I think we had a lack of communication, Coach Monson and myself, and that seemed to be the problem all season."

He said he didn't want to be critical of Monson but that they "seldom talked."



Dawn Vilella/Associated Press

Minnesota's Joel Przybilla said Saturday that he plans on leaving college to play in the NBA.

Monson confirmed Przybilla was not in danger of becoming ineligible under NCAA rules, but said his leading scorer had plenty of warning.

"Obviously, I'm not going to get into a debate in the media about it. On this, we had more communication than with any other player," Monson told the newspaper.

The Gophers lost their past two games without Przybilla, who averaged 14.2 points and 8.4 rebounds per game. They were beaten by Purdue 97-61 Saturday in West Lafayette, Ind. Przybilla averaged 17.2 points per game in Big Ten play, and led the conference in field-goal percentage (.614) and rebounds per game (11.2).

"My real feelings right now ... are for the 10 guys that have to go to West Lafayette and endure something like yesterday. That's

where I feel the most disappointed," Monson told WCCO Radio on Sunday.

Monson replaced Clem Haskins, who recruited Przybilla and coached him last season but left the university after widespread academic fraud was found in the men's basketball program.

"I'm sure that if Clem Haskins was still coaching the team, I would still be playing basketball for Minnesota," Przybilla said. "Clem and I had a great relationship. I promised Clem when he recruited me that I would spend four years at Minnesota, and that was my plan. However, it was Clem who suggested that if I had a great junior season it might be smart to maybe turn pro."

Przybilla said he never gave any thought to transferring when Haskins left.

"At that time I had no idea but to play four years at Minnesota and then turn pro," he said.

But Przybilla is convinced he is ready to play in the NBA now.

"My dad has visited on the phone with several agents in the last 24 or 48 hours since we made our final decision, and the agents tell my father that I will definitely be a lottery pick," he said.

Monson told WCCO he wished Przybilla well in the draft, but said agents are part of the problem with college sports today.

"Obviously the agents are going to tell these athletes what they want to hear, and that's something that's unfortunate," Monson said.

Przybilla said the negative reaction to his leaving school had been far stronger than what he expected.

On 266th try, Triplett comes through

■ Kirk Triplett wins the Nissan Open, his first in 11 years on the PGA Tour.

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — After 11 years of grinding on the PGA Tour, after 266 tournaments wondering whether this would finally be his week to win, Kirk Triplett anticipated a wild wave of emotions and errant shots down the stretch in the Nissan Open.

That's just what he got Sunday. His lead fluctuated between three shots and one shot in a matter of holes. His mind drifted from a victory speech to trying to get up-and-down from the lip of a bunker. His eyes couldn't avoid the hot pink pants worn by Jesper Parnevik.

"He looked like the Pepto-Bismol man," Triplett said. "That was great, because I was feeling a little queasy."

Triplett survived it all, including bursts of rain that fell from gloomy skies over Riviera Country Club, and got his first career tour victory with a 4-foot par putt on the final hole.

He thrust his fist high in the air and smiled wide under his bucket hat for a victory that was a long time coming.

"I'm so thrilled," he said. "I'm relieved in a sense. It's not as good of a career if you don't win."

Triplett took care of that on one



Mark J. Terrill/Associated Press

Mark J. Terrill/Associated Press
Kirk Triplett reacts on the 18th hole as he wins the Nissan Open, Sunday. This was his first tour win.

of the most storied courses on tour. They should rename Riviera "Triplett's Alley," but the 39-year-old player who once toiled on the "minniest of mini-tours" must have felt like Ben Hogan for at least a day.

With birdies on five of the first 10 holes to build a lead he refused to give away, Triplett closed with a 4-under 67 for a 272 total and earned \$558,000 — more than he earned in all but two previous seasons on tour.

Parnevik birdied two of the last

three holes for a 68 that left him one stroke behind. Robin Freeman, who provided the stiffest challenge to Triplett until a three-putt bogey on the 17th, was another stroke back after a 68.

A week after the end of The Streak, Tiger Woods failed to record a top-10 finish in a stroke-play tournament for the first time since he tied for 18th in the MCI Classic on April 18, a stretch of 13 PGA Tour events.

Woods got within two shots of the lead at one point early in the round, but closed with a 1-over 72 and finished in a tie for 19th. It was only the fifth time in his last 36 rounds on the PGA Tour that he failed to break par, dating to the British Open at Carnoustie.

"It's just a bad round," Woods said. "I didn't really have it going this entire week. If I would have putted a little better, I would have been right there. But you can't have everything."

Triplett wasn't asking for everything, just a victory to show for his labor — on mini-tours, in Australia, Asia, Canada and anywhere else he could make a buck.

Even his first win didn't come easily.

With a two-stroke lead going to the 18th, he hit his drive into the left rough on the famed, 451-yard closing hole and had to lay up 61 yards short of the pin. Parnevik applied even more heat by lacing his approach into 25 feet below the hole.

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Iowa State still controls own destiny

■ The Cyclones are no longer in sole possession of the Big 12 lead after their loss to Colorado.

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) — Despite its loss at Colorado, little has changed for Iowa State.

The 14th-ranked Cyclones are no longer alone at the top of the Big 12 standings, but they're tied for the lead and even more important, they still control their own destiny.

Sparked by Jacquay Walls' miraculous shot at the end of regulation play, Colorado beat Iowa State 102-90 in overtime on Saturday, dropping the Cyclones to 22-4 overall and 10-2 in the Big 12.

Texas and Oklahoma State also are 10-2 and both visit Ames this week, Texas on Tuesday night and

Oklahoma State on Saturday. They will be the two biggest games Iowa State has played in a long time and the Cyclones will need a supreme effort to win, certainly stronger than they had at Colorado, forward Marcus Fizer said.

"We've got to play better in our remaining games or we're not going to win," Fizer said. "This was a setback for sure. We just have to go out and not make it a major setback."

Fizer did his part to prevent a setback Saturday, scoring a season-high 30 points while playing all but three minutes. But Iowa State had no answer for Walls, who scored 15 points in the overtime to finish with 42, the most ever in a Big 12 game.

His biggest basket came after Iowa State had seemingly secured

the victory when Fizer sank two free throws with 4.4 seconds left for an 80-77 lead. Walls took the inbound pass and, hounded by boyhood friend Jamaal Tinsley, dribbled up the left sideline.

"I was told not to foul," said Tinsley, who grew up with Walls in Brooklyn and played AAU ball with him. "What I was doing was trying to get him to burn up the clock."

Walls shook Tinsley with a behind-the-back dribble at half-court, then angled across the court as Michael Nurse picked him up. Just past the center circle, Walls launched a running one-hander. The buzzer sounded while the ball was in the air and it swished through the net.

"I just put it up and closed my eyes," Walls said. "No question that was the biggest shot in my life."

Kansas rebounds from ISU loss, beats Oklahoma

■ The Sooners did not make a field goal in the final four minutes Sunday.

By Doug Tucker
Associated Press

LAWRENCE, Kan. — Those 10 points by Oklahoma's Eduardo Najera against Nebraska last Monday night no longer are his lowest output of the season.

The 8 he managed against Kansas on Sunday are.

Holding the 6-foot-8 Najera to his worst game of the season, the No. 24 Jayhawks survived terrible free-throw shooting and held on for a 53-50 victory over the No. 20 Sooners and their slumping star.

"We knew we had to contain Najera," Kansas forward Kenny Gregory said. "We just kept trying to (help out) and keep doubling down on him. We knew we had to contain him on the inside."

Kirk Hinrich's free throw was the only point Kansas (19-7, 8-4 Big 12) scored in the final 4:19 and the Jayhawks missed four straight foul shots in the final minutes.

But after Oklahoma (20-5, 8-4) rebounded Jeff Boschee's second miss with 29 seconds to go and started down court, Najera lost the ball out of bounds. A few seconds later, Hinrich hit one foul shot, making it 53-50.

Oklahoma's Kelly Newton missed two 3-pointers in the final seconds as Kansas avoided what would have been its first two-

game home losing streak in 12 years.

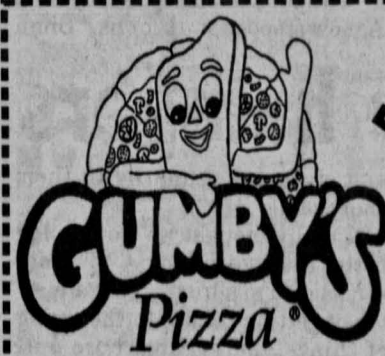
"I was not very aggressive today, especially down the stretch," said Najera, the Big 12's second-leading scorer with 19 points per game.

He was only 3-for-12 from the floor. But his turnover after Boschee's missed field goal was the killer.

"That was a huge possession for us," Najera said. "That was the game right there, that play, that turnover."

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Georgia Tech's search for coach begins

■ Bobby Cremins says he will step down at the end of this season.

ATLANTA (AP) — Bobby Cremins put a quick end to the growing speculation about his future at Georgia Tech.

The white-haired coach who took Georgia Tech's basketball program to national prominence before watching it fall into mediocrity the last four years, announced Friday he will retire at the end of the season. The Yellow Jackets are 11-13 this season, and

3-8 in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

"I feel the time has come for new leadership in our basketball program," Cremins said. "I had hoped to have a better record at this time and be in the hunt for an NCAA bid. Had this occurred, I planned on coaching at Georgia Tech for a long time."

"This isn't just a one-year decision. This has been going on for four years. It's just what's right for the program. It's business. It's just the right thing at the right time."

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a pack of powerful Fords remained in his wake.

After former Daytona winner Derrike Cope hit the wall on lap 169, bringing out the fourth caution, Jarrett began to assert himself.

He was sixth on the restart on lap 176, but quickly moved up to fourth on lap 177. He followed

Martin to third on lap 180 and took advantage on lap 187 when Martin's Ford slipped up the banked track in turn two, moving right onto Benson's rear bumper.

Benson kept the lead until Spencer banged together with 1998 Daytona winner Dale Earnhardt on lap 193 in the middle of a big pack. That started a six-car wreck in which Michael Waltrip's car was hit nearly broadside by Elliott Sadler and the race was slowed again.

Bolich pleased by effort at Big Tens

SWIMMING

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school records.

"The meet in general was incredible," Bolich said. "Hands down, not even close, this is the best conference swim meet in the country. To put it in perspective, we broke our 400 freestyle relay record by one second and finished ninth."

Other top performers for Iowa included junior Andrea Pennington. She placed seventh in the 100 breaststroke, and her time of 1:04.51 was a B-Cut NCAA Championship time and good enough for the Olympic Trials, giving Iowa two Olympic hopefuls.

Other B-Cut NCAA qualifiers were junior Becca Schwartz in the 200 free (1:50.78) and junior Loredana Zisu in the 200 back (2:00.67). Both were lifetime bests

and Zisu's was a new school record.

Other finalists for the Hawkeyes included sophomore Allison Lyle and senior Alisha Stitts. The two finished seventh and eighth, respectively.

Before the championships, Bolich said she felt the relays, distance and backstroke events were going to be the strongest, although she felt the relays could have been stronger, the 400 freestyle relay broke a school record with a 3:25.47. Relay members were Schwartz, sophomore Regan Fields, freshman Erin Strub and junior Stacey Wertz.

"The effort was there this weekend," said Bolich. "I'm very pleased with the team's performance, not only as individuals but as a team. The support was there for the team. They performed well and had a great time doing it."

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Brian Ray/The Daily Iowan

Iowa's Courtney Burke competes on the parallel bars for Iowa in Carver-Hawkeye Arena Saturday night. The Hawkeyes hosted Illinois.

Three events not enough for Hawkeyes

GYMNASTICS

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Hawkeyes only counted one fall on the balance beam, Illinois performed five solid routines on the event for a score of 48.850.

"We trained a lot on beam this week, and we did improve a little," Lorenzen said. "It is always frustrating to win three events

and then lose the meet."

Freshman Stephanie Benson suffered two falls on the balance beam, but turned in an impressive floor routine to win the event. Benson also had a career high 9.850.

Lorenzen said that Benson is normally the most solid beam competitor on the team, but just had an off day. He added that for

her to leave her poor performance behind and win the floor exercise is the mark of a true competitor.

"I was pretty disappointed with my beam routine," Benson said. "I guess I was just mad and really wanted to rock on floor, so that is what I did."

Benson is one of the four freshmen competitors in Iowa's lineup. Senior gymnast Robyn Gamble

said that the freshmen have played a significant role in backing up injured players for the Hawkeyes.

"I am so impressed with the underclassmen," Gamble said. "We are doing really well without some key performers and the freshmen are a big part of that."

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IOWA WRESTLERS DEFEAT NO. 2 MINNESOTA



Dawn Villella/Associated Press

Iowa's Doug Schwab, top, gets a hold of Minnesota's Chad Erickson during the 141-pound match Sunday.

Hand looks to next step: NCAA title

HAND

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"He did nothing," said Minnesota coach J Robinson of Hand. "He just waited for Brock to shoot."

The much larger Lesnar didn't create much action either, though. He may have attempted a few shots, but none were close enough to threaten Hand, who was outweighed by at least 25 pounds in the match.

After the dual, Lesnar put a lid on the trash talking and gave some credit to Hand.

"Hand wrestled a great match, he did what he had to do," Lesnar said.

It may have been Hand that picked the win up this time, but it's far from over for the two heavyweights. Both are predicted to meet again in the Big Ten Tournament and the NCAA Tournament.

"That match was huge," Iowa's 125-pound Jody Strittmatter said. "That's not the last of that match though. They're going to be in the finals of Big Ten's and the NCAA's."

Hand was happy with the win but not totally satisfied. He said he won't be content until the NCAA Championship medal is around his neck in March.

"Win or lose, I was going to keep working towards a national title," Hand said. "I'm not totally satisfied with the way I wrestled. I can still get better."

Coach Jim Zalesky said that

Hand has as good a chance as any to pick up the NCAA title this year, and he attributes that to a rise in his senior's confidence.

"At the end of the year last year, he had no confidence," Zalesky said. "Right now, he's gained momentum and confidence. There's three heavyweights that are pretty tough this year, and I

think Hand's one of them."

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Williams maintains unblemished Iowa record

WRESTLING

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that throw, it gave Hand some confidence. It was a big win for us."

The outcome still hung in doubt going into the final period of Strittmatter's match with No. 3 Leroy Vega. Second-ranked Strittmatter fell behind early, 6-2, and still trailed 6-5 late in the third after surviving two scrambles, in which he narrowly avoided being taken to his back.

Strittmatter shot on Vega, nearly rounded him for the take-down, but let Vega take control. The taller Strittmatter scrambled off of his back with no points given up and planted Vega firmly to the mat, taking a lead he would not relinquish.

"They weren't positions I wanted to be in," Strittmatter said. "I've gotta be on him. I've got to be scoring."

"I was on my back for a second. I just arched my back, got the leg, and once I got the leg, he gave up the TD. That was all the fighting he was going to do."

It was all the fighting Minnesota would do, as well. In the final match, the top-ranked 133-pounds Juergens dominated No. 11 Lawrence, 19-6.

But Hand's and Strittmatter's triumphs may not have meant much if Williams had been unable to snatch a victory from the jaws of defeat.

Williams led throughout his

match with ninth-ranked Luke Becker, but couldn't seem to put the Gopher away. With 20 seconds left, Williams drew an uncharacteristic stalling call, his third, to pull Becker within 9-8.

Becker then took Williams down with five seconds left, to take a 10-9 lead. Everything — the roaring, sold-out Barn crowd, time and the scoreboard — were against Williams. But no one should have counted him out. Williams reversed Becker, as time expired for a 11-10 win, narrowly avoiding his first-ever collegiate loss in an Iowa singlet.

The points proved crucial, as the two teams split the following four matches, giving the Gophers a 13-10 lead going into the heavy-weight match.

Zalesky was unhappy with Williams' lack of offense in the final period. "T.J. stopped wrestling," Zalesky said. "He got ahead, and Becker kept wrestling. Anytime that happens, when you're waiting for time to run out, you're going to give a guy a chance to win, and that's what he did."

The only true Iowa negative in the end was No. 3 Mike Zadick's 8-4 loss to No. 5 Jared Lawrence in

their 149-pound bout. Ten seconds into the match, Zadick went for a takedown and took a blow to the head, stopping the match briefly. He appeared dazed and was surprisingly quiet, going scoreless until late in the third period.

"It was weird," Zadick said. "I remember going in for the take-down, and next thing I know I'm sitting on the mat calling for timeout." Zalesky said the 90-second injury timeout which was allotted for Zadick may not have been sufficient.

"I don't think he knew where he was at," Zalesky said. "He really didn't recover until the last minute."

The Hawkeyes won't get much time to savor their amazing escape. The Gophers loom twice more, both at the Big Ten Tournament, March 4-5, and at the NCAA Tournament, March 16-18.

"Both teams are going to improve a lot between now and Big Tens," Zalesky said. "This is just the start of it."

The Hawkeyes also competed on the road Friday night against Wisconsin. Iowa dominated the unranked Badgers 37-6.

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SPRING TRAINING ROUNDUP

Irabu may need elbow surgery

■ Griffey came to spring training, but Pedro Martinez stayed in the Dominican Republic.

By The Associated Press

The morning workout was long over and nearly all of the Cincinnati Reds had gone. And then, for the first time, Ken Griffey Jr. came walking into the clubhouse.

Griffey slipped unannounced into the Reds' spring training complex Sunday to unpack his things and start the next phase of his baseball career, a day before his formal introduction.

A little farther south in Fort Myers, Fla., Boston ace Pedro Martinez missed the first spring training workout for the second straight year. For the second straight year, Red Sox manager Jimmy Williams shrugged it off.

"It's not a big deal," Williams said Sunday.

So while 24 pitchers, including Pedro's brother, Ramon, hustled on a hot day fielding grounders and covering first base during a two-hour practice, baseball's best pitcher was in his native Dominican Republic.

The Red Sox voluntary reporting date for pitchers and catchers was Saturday, with the first workout Sunday. But the mandatory reporting date under the collective bargaining agreement is March 1.

The AL Cy Young winner had personal business to take care of, but will be in



Duane Burleson/Associated Press
Hawaiian-born former sumo wrestling champion Konishiko takes a cut from Detroit pitcher Masao Kida Sunday.

camp Monday, Ramon said. Williams said he learned Saturday night that Pedro wouldn't report Sunday but hadn't spoken with the pitcher.

The reason for his absence was unclear. Williams said he'd let Pedro discuss it when he arrives. But Sunday was Pedro's father's birthday.

Last year, Pedro reported two days after the reporting date for pitchers and catchers so he could be home for his father's birthday. Then, he went out and had one of the best seasons of any pitcher in baseball history.

The Montreal Expos, meanwhile, want to know whether pitcher Hideki Irabu is having a problem.

Irabu, acquired in the off-

season from the New York Yankees, may have elbow chips in his right elbow and could need arthroscopic surgery.

Irabu had an MRI Saturday. The Expos said Sunday the test indicated the possibility of a bone chip or chips, but none could actually be seen.

"There may be a bone chip in there, maybe not," Irabu said through his interpreter. "They haven't found anything. Why open it up if there's nothing there?"

Said Expos general manager Jim Beattie: "He could pitch tomorrow, but not if it's a risk to himself. We may stay concerned all season. He could have arthroscopic surgery at the end of the year, maybe sooner, maybe never."

In Tucson, Ariz., Diamondbacks reliever Dan Plesac says his 15th major league season almost certainly will be his last.

"It would take a minor miracle" to bring him back, he said after a workout. "I can walk away with my head held high. There aren't very many guys who can say they've played 15 years."

Arizona manager Buck Showalter remains unconvinced.

"I wouldn't hold him to that," Showalter said. "We'll see what the end of the year brings us."

Plesac, who just turned 38, was traded from Toronto to Arizona last season. In 34 appearances with the Diamondbacks, the lefty was 2-1 with a 3.32 ERA.

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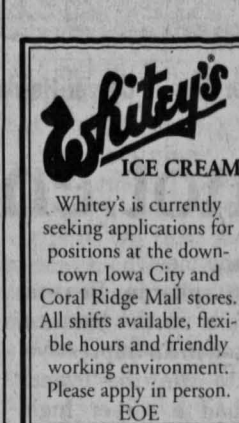
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• Wastewater
• Refuse
• Water
• Streets/Traffic Engineering
Full and part-time positions available; schedules and start dates vary. Job Vacancy Notices containing job descriptions are available in Personnel. All positions require a valid drivers license and good driving record. Some require and Iowa CLD Positions requiring a CDL are subject to a pre-employment drug screen.
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• Ed. Assoc. (assist in the English as a Second Language classroom) - 4 hrs. day - Longfellow
• Ed. Assoc. 3 hrs. day - Science & Technology Center
• Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. - 7 hrs. day - City
• Ed. Assoc. Supervisory - 7 hrs. day - West
• Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. (1-1) - 7 hrs. day - West
• Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. (B.D.) - 6.5 hrs. day - Coralville Central
• Ed. Assoc. Sp. Ed. (Resource) - 5 hrs. day - Twaivn
• Head Day Custodian - 8 hrs. day City
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• Night Custodian - 8 hrs. day - City
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Phone 335-5784 or 335-5785 Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8-5
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SPORTS

Marbury shines in return to Minnesota

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — And you thought Minnesota was cold before?

Fans were merciless Sunday when Stephon Marbury returned to Target Center for the first time since he forced the Timberwolves to trade him to New Jersey, in part to escape Minnesota's winters.

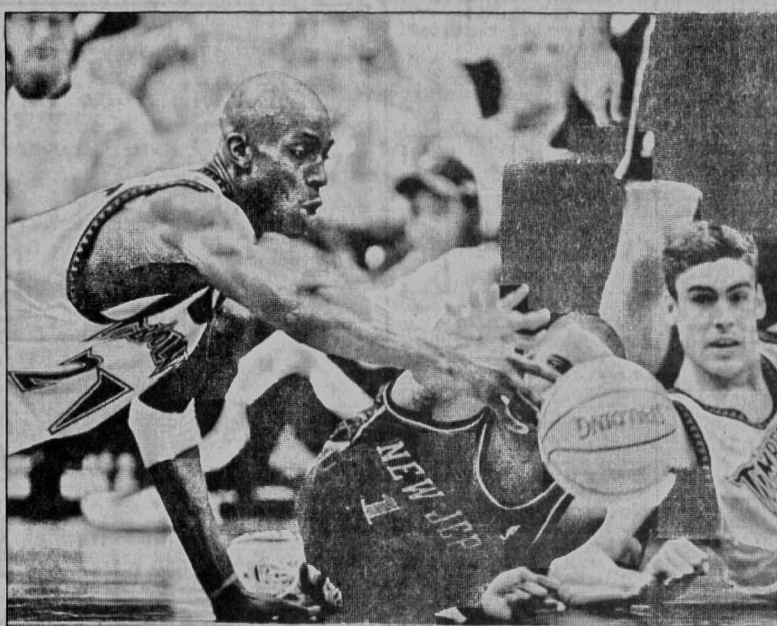
Marbury gave the packed house plenty to boo about, scoring 39 points in leading New Jersey past his former team 91-89.

Marbury missed a 3 from the top of the circle with 8.9 seconds left, and the ball hit the shot clock, giving Minnesota possession. But Kevin Garnett missed an off-balance runner, Malik Sealy missed the tip and nobody was able to foul rebounder Kerry Kittles before time expired. Garnett scored 27 points, but missed 24 of 33 shots.

Blazers 108, Kings 103

SACRAMENTO, Calif. — Rasheed Wallace had a key basket near the end of regulation and scored seven of his 24 points in overtime as Portland beat Sacramento for its eighth straight victory.

Scottie Pippen added 21 points, Steve Smith had 15 and Bonzi Wells 12 for the Trail Blazers, who improved their



Ann Heisenfeld/Associated Press

Minnesota's Kevin Garnett (21) and New Jersey's Lucious Harris (12) dive after a loose ball in the second quarter in Minneapolis, Sunday.

league-best road record to 22-8. Arvydas Sabonis had 11 points and 14 rebounds.

Chris Webber led Sacramento with 33 points and 19 rebounds, and Predrag Stojakovic added a season-high 25 points.

Heat 85, Hornets 80

CHARLOTTE, N.C. — Tim Hardaway and Jamal Mashburn led a 3-point barrage to help Miami end its three-game slide on the road.

The Heat, who had lost six of seven away from Miami, were 12-for-16 from beyond the arc, including a 6-for-8 performance by Hardaway and a 3-of-4 showing by Mashburn.

Hardaway finished with 23 points, Alonzo Mourning had 21 and Mashburn 20. Eddie Jones led Charlotte with 18 points.

Mavericks 100, Raptors 96

TORONTO — Cedric Ceballos and

Michael Finley each scored 23 points as Dallas beat Toronto.

Erick Strickland added 18 points for Dallas, which won its fourth road game in a row. Vince Carter led Toronto with 24 points, and Antonio Davis had 20 points and eight rebounds.

Dallas' Dennis Rodman, returning from a one-game suspension, had 16 rebounds and hit one free throw for his only point.

Lakers 87, 76ers 84

PHILADELPHIA — Kobe Bryant held Allen Iverson scoreless in the second half and scored his team's final six points to lead the Los Angeles Lakers to their seventh straight win Sunday, 87-84 over the Philadelphia 76ers.

Bryant and Shaquille O'Neal each blocked shots by Iverson in the final 3.3 seconds, contributing to his 0-for-11 second half. Bryant finished with 18 points, seven assists and five blocks,

Zhamnov keys Chicago win over Detroit

CHICAGO (AP) — Alexei Zhamnov is back at full speed for the Chicago Blackhawks.

Zhamnov, playing his fifth game after missing eight because of a pulled hamstring, scored two goals in a 6:11 span in the third period as Chicago beat the Detroit Red Wings 6-4 on Sunday.

Zhamnov, who also had an assist, gave Chicago a 4-3 lead at 7:08, scoring off a rebound of Tony Amonte's shot. Zhamnov made it 5-3 with 6:41 left, bursting up the slot and beating goalie Ken Wregget on the short side.

"Right now, I'm feeling more comfortable," Zhamnov said. "I think we had a great effort in the third period and had a lot of jump. That's why we beat Detroit."

Detroit's Vyacheslav Kozlov cut it to 5-4 with 6:04 remaining, but Michael Nylander added a power-play goal with 3:06 left as Chicago snapped a three-game losing streak.

Dallas 2, Colorado 1

DENVER — Mike Modano and Scott Thornton scored goals as Dallas beat the Colorado Avalanche 2-1 on Sunday, the defending Stanley Cup champion Stars' seventh victory in nine games.

Modano, who scored his 26th goal midway through the third period, has 10 goals and nine assists in his last 13 games.

Ed Belfour made 23 saves for the Stars, allowing only Alex Tanguay's power-play goal with 11 seconds remaining.

Flyers 3, Rangers 2

NEW YORK — John LeClair scored his 30th goal midway through the third period Sunday night to rally Philadelphia to a 3-2 victory over the New York Rangers in the Flyers' first game without



Frank Polich/Associated Press

Chicago's Bryan McCabe upends Detroit's Chris Chelios Sunday in Chicago.

coach Roger Neilson.

Neilson, 65, has multiple myeloma — a rare form of bone marrow cancer — and will be away from the team for the remainder of the regular season and at least through one round of playoffs while undergoing treatment.

LeClair became just the third Flyers player to record five straight 30-goal seasons when he put Philadelphia ahead 7-41 into the final period.

Keith Jones passed to LeClair at the right of Rangers goalie Kirk McLean and LeClair knocked it in.

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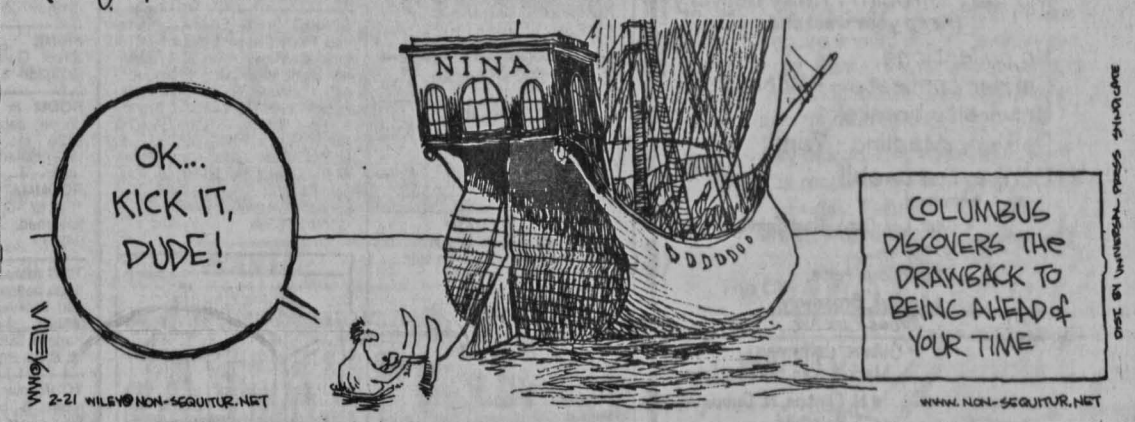
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- China's Chairman
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- Words to live by
- Foremost
- were (seemingly)
- Cosmopolitan's Gurley Brown
- Classic Disney character
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- Baba
- "Listen up!"
- Archaeologists' finds
- Varieties
- Close loudly
- Was on a jury
- Mystery writer's prize
- Close
- Like Playboy models
- Hard-to-eat-just-one item
- Rickshaw
- Legislative excess
- December 25 visitor
- Colorado indian
- Bees' home
- Time capsule activity
- Say another way
- "Oh yeah?" who?
- Docs, for short
- Decorative vessel
- Shakespeare's shrew tamer
- Island (immigrants' site)
- Dr. Frankenstein's assistant
- Suffix with origin
- "Live free or die," to New Hampshire
- Shallike
- Typesetting unit
- Merlin of football and TV
- WNW's opposite
- Conrery of 007 fame

DOWN

- Rioting
- Was of use
- Slowing a horse, with "in"
- Brain-teasing Rubik
- Like corn flakes sitting in milk (and others)
- Unfortunate
- Sharp divide
- Black-and-white cookies
- Actor Dom
- Old poem
- Tue. preceder
- Shoestrings
- French deer
- "Holy smokel," e.g.
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