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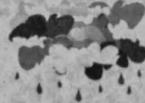
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## Harkin votes for China deal

■ The Iowa senator worries about China's record on human and workers' rights.

By Ken Thomas  
Associated Press

DES MOINES — Sen. Tom Harkin voted Tuesday to normalize trade relations with China, calling the deal the best way to improve human rights in the country. "I have strong reservations

about China's practices and its treatment of workers and its condoning of child labor," Harkin said in a statement. "But I believe that on balance, we will be able to make more progress on human rights and the rights of workers by



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**GRASSLEY**  
voted "yes"  
"... Improve the likelihood of a bigger paycheck for Iowa workers"

working to open China further to new influences and ideas rather than by trying to isolate them." The Iowa Democrat had been a holdout on the deal approved by the Senate, 83-15, Tuesday. The proposal, which next moves to President

Clinton for his signature, has the support of the Clinton administration and both presidential candidates — Democrat Al Gore and Republican George W. Bush.

The legislation — considered the most important on trade since the 1993 North American Free Trade Agreement — would give China the same low-tariff access the United States gives most trading partners and eliminate the annual

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## Council OKs killing deer, aiding mall

■ Under the plan, sharpshooters will kill up to 500 deer.

By Megan Eckhardt  
The Daily Iowan

The Iowa City City Council Tuesday night ended the current debates on two major issues — the local deer population and Sycamore Mall development.

The council voted 5-2 to accept the 2000-01 deer-management plan, which calls for sharpshooters to kill 500 of the deer living within city limits.

Last year, the council voted to kill 360 deer. This year, the council wants sharpshooters to try to kill 140 more because of a higher population and more accidents.

Councilors Irvin Pfab and Steven Kanner opposed this year's plan, with Kanner proposing that the deer committee bring back another proposal for the council on Oct. 3.

"I find both figures — the number of deer being killed and the money being spent — unexceptional," Kanner said. "I believe that we haven't looked into less-expensive, more-humane methods."

Pfab agreed, saying the council and deer committee needed to look at creative ways to control the deer.

"I hate to see \$100,000 go to a shooting contest," he said.

Other councilors believed the plan is the best available

option. "It is incumbent on us to do the best for the community and the best for the deer," said Mayor Ernie Lehman. "I reluctantly support the plan because I don't see any other alternatives."

Lehman also said he was encouraged by Florence Boos' statement at Tuesday's meeting, in which she introduced new information about using birth control to regulate the deer population. He said he wanted the council to consider contraception for deer within the year.

Boos, who firmly opposes the killing of deer and has spoken to the council numerous times, said she was disappointed by the vote but that she looks forward to next year, when deer contraception may be available. For the future, she said, she will continue to present her case.

The council-approved plan also calls for non-lethal methods for controlling the deer population, such as adding deer reflectors to roads, creating animal underpasses beneath roads, and offering information to the community about living with deer.

The council also voted 5-2 to pass a tax-abatement ordinance for the property located within the Sycamore and First Avenue Urban Renewal project area, allowing five owners to apply for tax

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**THE AMERICAN DREAM**

Iowa City's youth work to become future Olympians

## Keeping her eyes on Olympic gold



Jerry Hynes/The Daily Iowan

Michelle Chase, 12, practices on the parallel bars Friday at Iowa Gym-Nest in Coralville. Michelle has been practicing gymnastics for eight years and hopes to one day emulate her gymnastic heroes at a future Olympic games.

■ A young local gymnast aspires to be an Olympian.

By Anne Webbeking  
The Daily Iowan

Twelve-year-old Michelle Chase chalks her hands just like the gymnasts on television do. She swings gracefully around the uneven bars, does flips on a narrow balance beam, and sometimes she falls just like they do, too. Someday, Michelle hopes

to follow in the footsteps of gymnasts such as U.S. competitor Elise Ray and experience the glory of the Olympics for herself.

Michelle, a resident of Iowa City and a seventh-grader at South East Junior High, 2501 Bradford Drive, has been practicing gymnastics for almost eight years to try to make these dreams a reality. Through her practice at the Iowa Gym-Nest in

Coralville, Michelle's hard work has paid off. She has already won a state championship and is the highest-scoring level-eight gymnast in Iowa. Level 10 is the highest rating a gymnast can receive in U.S. gymnastics. After this level, gymnasts may enter a league in which they compete for the opportunity to represent the U.S. Olympic team. "She's a very high-level athlete," said Jim Schlott,

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**Olympic Medal Count**

Tuesday, Sept. 19

Country	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
United States	7	6	5	18
Australia	6	5	6	17
China	6	2	7	15
France	5	6	2	13
Russia	2	4	3	9
Italy	3	2	3	8
South Korea	1	4	3	8
Japan	3	3	1	7
Germany	2	3	2	7
Britain	1	3	2	6

## Blind vets compete in local golf tourney

■ The 126 veterans do not let their vision impairments stop them from golfing.

By Tony Robinson  
The Daily Iowan

Although Harold Sutherlin has lost his central vision and is required to examine golf courses through the corners of his eyes, the 68-year old veteran from Green Castle, Ind., will compete in a local golf tournament.

Sutherlin is one of 126 veterans with vision impairments from 24 states who will participate in the seventh annual TEE (Training, Exposure, Experience) Tournament for Blinded Veterans in the Iowa City area today and Thursday. The event will be hosted by the Iowa City Veterans Affairs Medical Center and co-sponsored by the Blinded Veterans Association and the Department of Veterans Affairs.

The event, which officially began Tuesday, will consist of bowling and casino nights as well as the golf tournament.

Volunteers help the golfers by transporting them to local courses, instructing them in bowling and escorting them on the greens.

Many of the tournament participants, like Sutherlin, played golf before losing their eyesight. While considered legally blind, many still have some vision. Categories range from novice to competitive expert. Seeing-eye dogs will assist 10 of the participants.

Kirt Sickels, a VA public affairs specialist who helped



Zach Boyden-Holmes/The Daily Iowan  
Chester Golem practices his putting Tuesday at Quail Creek golf course in North Liberty. Golem suffers from macular degeneration and has only peripheral vision.

organize the three-day golfing event, said the vets are enthusiastic about the recreational activities for visually impaired

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## UI faculty upset over rising health-care costs

■ Health-care premiums exceeding UI's health-care budget will mean higher premiums for faculty.

By Sharyn Hosemann  
The Daily Iowan

The rising costs of health-care premiums through the UI health-care plan rattled faculty members at Tuesday's Faculty Senate meeting.

UI Professor of law Sheldon Kurtz, a co-chairman of the

Funded Retirement and Insurance Committee, broke the news of the increase in health-insurance premiums, saying the overall cost of insurance would rise.

"Due to the nationwide growth in pharmaceutical prices, health-care premiums will go up, and that means it will come out of our paychecks," he said.

In addition, the mounting age of the average UI faculty member creates more demand for health care; thus insurance

costs have risen and may continue to rise.

Kurtz showed little optimism about receiving help from Iowa lawmakers, who, he said, have reviewed health-care costs once or twice in the past seven years. However, UI administrators have a strong commitment to managed-care plans with under-control costs, he said.

Different employees have different coverage through the UI, with cheaper premiums for employees with families than for employees with spouses

only in their coverage plans. The cost of health care will raise more for employees with spouse-only coverage.

"Everything will be on the table this year, and we will start from ground zero, but you may want to rethink the health-care plan you are currently under with the university," he said. "It is less expensive to be in an employee-family (plan) than an employee-spouse."

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**CITY & NATION**

# Tragic death leads to date-violence crusade

■ A father whose daughter was killed by her ex-boyfriend speaks against violence at the UI.

By Amanda Gorsche  
The Daily Iowan

The dark-haired young woman with the radiant smile could have been another UI student, enjoying the exhilaration and freedom of college life, but she never got the chance.

Lisa Santoro was 18 and about to begin her freshman year at the UI, but three weeks before the beginning of the 1994 fall semester, her dreams tragically ended not far from her home in Chicago.

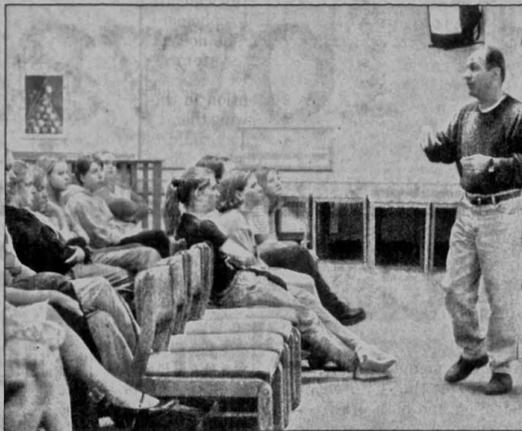
Santoro, a recent high school graduate, became a victim of dating violence when she was beaten to death by her ex-boyfriend on July 29, 1994. Tragically, no one knew that shortly after she ended the five-month-long relationship, her ex-boyfriend began stalking her and planning her murder, of which he was later convicted.

Since her death, Santoro's father, Tom Santoro, has made it his mission to help young people identify abusive relationships and encourage healthy connections by sharing the tragedy that befell him and his family. Tom Santoro presented "Dear Lisa: A Dating Violence Prevention Program" to the UI at the Quadrangle Residence Hall and Phillips Hall Auditorium Tuesday night.

With appearances on both the "Oprah Winfrey Show" and the "Montel Williams Show," Tom Santoro has taken his message across the country in hopes of making a difference in just one person's life.

"It's powerful, from the heart, and it wakes people up," Tom Santoro said.

An ex-firefighter and Vietnam veteran, Tom Santoro said no experience in his life can compare to the pain of losing a child to homicide. Attending support groups and keeping a journal of letters that he has written since her death have helped him to cope with the loss.



Conrad Schmidt/The Daily Iowan  
Tom Santoro speaks to students about date violence in Quadrangle Residence Hall Tuesday night.

Tom Santoro said that while his daughter's ill-fated relationship had none of the usual warning signs, identifying abusive relationships is not impossible. Healthy relationships include trust and respect, while abusive ones have characteristics of control and verbal, emotional and physical abuse, he said.

Thousands of students have written Tom Santoro letters, telling him that his daughter's story has made a difference in their lives. UI junior Sara Comer said the presentation moved her and she would recommend attendance to any of her friends.

"It was very powerful," she said. "It helps me to know what to look for."

Tom Santoro recounted the painful months following his daughter's death through the therapeutic letters he has written to her. Emotions swelled as he told the captivated audience that his wife not only lost her mother seven months following their daughter's death but was also diagnosed with breast cancer shortly thereafter. It was impossible to ignore the sniffles and tears of audience members, who watched a short home video of his daughter growing up.

Iowa City resident Tyler Sackrison attended the presentation with his fiancé. He said it opened his eyes to

subtle things like verbal abuse and the effect it can have.

"The video was really good and made the presentation much more personal," Sackrison said. "Someone with personal stories can make a huge impact."

Tom Santoro's presentation sheds light on dating violence, which does not get much attention, said Kristie Fortmann-Doser, the director of education at the Domestic Violence Intervention Program. The program takes 500 women and children who are victims of abuse into its 24-hour shelter each year, she said.

To close his presentation, Tom Santoro handed out tiny yellow ribbons attached to white doves. He said that his family wore the ribbons for the 21-month-long murder trial that led to the conviction of their daughter's killer.

"I call this the dating-violence prevention ribbon," he said. "The next time you go on a date, look at it and remember Lisa's story."

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# Possible hijacking downs Cuban plane

■ The aircraft crashed into the Gulf of Mexico, killing one.

By Adrian Sainz  
Associated Press

KEY WEST, Fla. — A small Cuban plane crashed into the Gulf of Mexico on Tuesday, killing one of the 10 people aboard and leaving the rest clinging to debris before they were rescued by a cargo ship.

Air-traffic control in Havana said the aircraft reported a possible hijacking before the crash, but U.S. authorities offered no immediate explanation before interviewing the survivors, a meeting expected late Tuesday.

In Cuba, in-laws of the man believed to be the pilot said he apparently left an airstrip at Los Palacios, west of Havana, and picked up his wife and two sons at an airport in Pinar del Rio before flying out over the open ocean.

It was unknown whether the single-engine plane ran out of gas.

Konstantinos Kalaitgis, the captain of the Panamanian freighter Chios Dream, which rescued the survivors, said the plane circled his ship several times and dropped a box into the sea. The plane crashed nearby, and the survivors scrambled out.

"People go all over the place," he said.

The crash site is about 50 miles west of Cuba or about 150 miles east of Mexico's Yucatan peninsula. It was 285 miles from Key West.

Of the survivors — three men, three women and three children — a 36-year-old man had serious neck injuries. He was picked up by a Coast Guard helicopter late Tuesday and flown to Florida for treatment.

On board the cargo ship was a doctor from the Carnival Cruise ship Tropicaire, which was nearby on a voy-

age from Tampa to Grand Cayman Island. Carnival spokesman Andy Newman said a female survivor had a broken collarbone and another a severe leg cut. He said the other five had no serious injuries.

A Coast Guard cutter planned to meet the freighter Tuesday night and pick up the survivors. The most seriously injured were to be flown to Florida for treatment.

Mercedes Martinez — believed to be the pilot's wife — "never talked about doing this, not even in jest," said her brother, Jorge Martinez, in Pinar del Rio. Relatives identified her husband as Lenin Iglesia Hernandez, 35, and their sons as Erik, 13, and Danny, 7.

The mother and sons left home with no suitcases and no other indication they were headed on a longer trip, the relatives said.

In Washington, Immigration and Naturalization Service spokesman Maria Cardona said an INS official was aboard the cutter and planned to interview the survivors.

Cubans wishing to return to the island would be permitted to do so. Those who expressed a credible fear of persecution would be sent temporarily to the U.S. naval base at Guantanamo, on Cuba's eastern tip, for further processing, Cardona said.

Details of who was on the flight and where it was going were unclear late Tuesday. The Coast Guard said it was heading west — away from both Florida and Cuba — when it went down.

Air-traffic control in Havana notified the air-traffic control center in Miami at 7:45 a.m. CDT that the aircraft reported a possible hijacking, said Kathleen Bergen, a Federal Aviation Administration spokeswoman in Atlanta. Contact was lost 15 minutes later.

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## Vito's fire damage set at \$85,000

■ The restaurant's co-owner hopes to re-open by next week.

By Erica Cox  
The Daily Iowan

Investigators have completed their scene analysis and damage assessment of the fire Monday at Vito's, and though the cause of the early morning blaze is currently listed as undetermined, authorities estimate the damage at \$85,000.

While Fire Department officials have not said what started the fire, Vito's co-owner Aziz Longou pointed to a kitchen cabinet as its origin.

The cabinet, Longou said, contained recipes, kitchen utensils and other cooking-related items.

As of 5 p.m. Monday, the restaurant, 118 E. College St., was turned over to the property owners, city Fire Marshal Roger Jensen said. Cleaning crews have concentrated on restoring the minimally damaged restaurant and bar areas. The kitchen received the most damage but should be usable within seven to 10 days, Longou said.

Cleanup efforts are to be finished today after workers from

two companies, Steamatic, 783 Highway 1 W., and Labor Ready of Cedar Rapids, remove an estimated 4,000 gallons of water left by sprinklers and firefighters' hoses, said Neil Prior of BMS Catastrophe, a Chicago-based company.

Longou is still uncertain when Vito's will reopen but said he would like to open the dance floor and bar by Sept. 25.

"The opening depends on the progress of the cleaning crews," he said. "We're hoping

*So many customers have called me ... to say how sorry they are that this happened, especially because the restaurant was just remodeled. Their support has been tremendous.*

— Aziz Longou,  
co-owner, Vito's

included a new exterior, a new oak floor and all-new furniture while creating space for additional indoor and outdoor seating.

Longou said the incident was discouraging not only for him, but for the customers as well.

"So many customers have called me or stopped me on the street to say how sorry they are that this happened, especially because the restaurant was just remodeled," he said. "Their support has been tremendous."

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## Students upset over HawkID's waste

■ Receipts for printing on the UI system generate a lot of wasted paper, some students say.

By Kellie Doyle  
The Daily Iowan

Since the implementation of HawkID this fall, an additional piece of paper, acting as a receipt, spews out of the printer for every document printed on UI computers, upsetting some students and garnering officials' attention.

At UI President Mary Sue Coleman's fireside chat Monday, UI junior Katharine Donelson demonstrated the problem to the president. She brought in two boxes, one of which was approximately three times larger than the other. Both were filled with paper.

Donelson said the smaller box contained the amount of paper she would recycle in a two-week span last year. The larger box held the amount she recycles every two weeks this year as a result of the HawkID receipts she receives with each printout.

"I was really happy someone brought it up," Coleman said. "If there's a way we can do it better, we should do it."

Coleman said she contacted David Dobbins, the UI assistant vice president for Information Technology Services, to inform him of the students' concern and to request that he look into the situation.

Don McClain of ITS said that when the department was planning the HawkID system, it discussed several methods of identification for printouts.

"We've thought about it, and we can't think of any other way, but I'm sure we will solicit any ideas from the students," he said. While he realizes that some

students remain concerned about the increase in paper waste caused by HawkID, McClain said, ITS officials feel the program has reduced overall waste.

"People aren't printing things they don't want," he said.

The system that the UI used in the past required students to carry print cards. After they printed, students would collect their outputs from the computer lab monitor, who would in turn punch their cards to indicate the printed pages were paid for.

McClain said print jobs were often left unclaimed, and monitors had no way of identifying

their owners. The HawkID receipt prevents that.

"It identifies your job and makes sure no one else takes it," he said. "In an open, public area, we have to have some way to identify who printed."

UI sophomore Amy Blumhoff said she doesn't think the current system is very efficient because most students don't pay attention to the header pages, throwing them away instead.

"They could put (the receipt) information on ISIS, as they do with U-bills. It would save paper," she said.

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Zach Boyden-Holmes/The Daily Iowan  
A UI printer sends out another receipt at the Main Library.

## 1 hurt as train derails, crushes laundry

■ A Union Pacific train carrying grain derails on an overpass in Webster City.

Associated Press

WEBSTER CITY, Iowa — Eleven cars of a freight train derailed on the U.S. Highway 20 overpass Tuesday night, with two cars falling into a laundry, injuring the manager.

The cars from the 75-car Union Pacific train crushed the laundry, authorities said. Three people were in the business at the time, one of whom needed to be pulled out of the wreckage by emergency crews.

"The next thing I knew, the whole wall was coming in," said Art Wood, one of two customers inside. "There's no time to move — just a mass of machines coming at you ... To go through this

and only get a tiny little scratch ..."

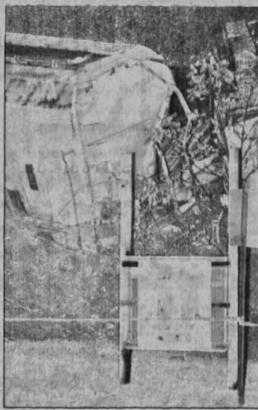
Wood and the other customer climbed to safety out the roof. The manager suffered a punctured lung, but officials did not believe that his injury was life-threatening.

Mark Davis, a spokesman with Omaha, Neb.-based Union Pacific, said the two-person crew of the train was unhurt.

The train was carrying grain, and witnesses said much of the grain was scattered about near the building and on a road. The train was en route from Klemme, Iowa to Imperial, Calif.

The accident happened around 7 p.m. Railroad crews were en route Tuesday night to begin cleaning up the area.

"The railroad people tell me it's a substantial job because it's on an overpass," said Fire Chief Mike Lund. "But as far as any



Renee Dietrich/Associated Press  
A car from the 75-car Union Pacific freight train sits derailed in Webster City, Iowa, Tuesday.

hazards, that's been taken care of."

## State agencies scrutinized after tumult

■ A review finds most hire consultants unnecessarily and don't review their work.

By Susan Stocum  
Associated Press

DES MOINES — The recent uproar over two highly paid consultants in the Department of Human Services illustrates problems in how the state handles the awarding and oversight of \$400 million in contracts, officials and lawmakers said Tuesday.

One DHS consultant has been asked to repay travel expenses. Another was paid a big consulting fee before taking a full-time job with the state at a much lower pay scale.

Mollie Anderson, the state personnel director, has been reviewing state contract procedures at the request of Gov. Tom Vilsack since January, months before an annual state audit of DHS records revealed the consultant payments.

Her review so far has found that some state agencies don't require an analysis on whether they got their money's worth after the work is done, don't consider whether an employee already on the payroll could do the same job and don't seek advice from the Department of General Services in setting up a contract.

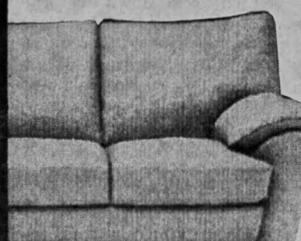
Anderson, DHS Director Jessie Rasmussen and Warren Jenkins of the state auditor's

office were called to appear before the Legislative Oversight Committee, a joint committee

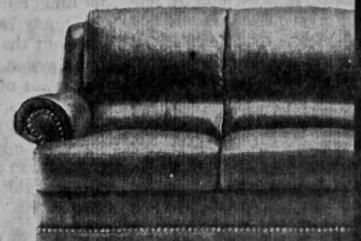
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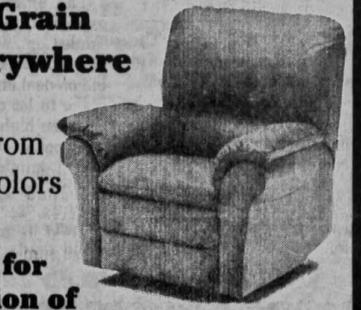


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**WORLD**

**As Israel stalls, Palestinians fume**

■ Palestinians call a time-out from peace talks until Israel explains its behavior.

By Karin Laub  
Associated Press

JERUSALEM — After Israel called a time-out in peace talks Tuesday — and then called it off just hours later — the Palestinians called their own time-out, saying they wanted an explanation for Israel's "confusing" behavior.

The brinkmanship reflects the deadlock that has characterized the talks since the collapse of the Camp David summit in July, and it comes as the United States drafts proposals to bridge the gaps that could be presented as early as the weekend in a final effort to conclude a peace deal.

The Palestinian leadership decided not to resume the negotiations without having an official clarification by the prime minister of Israel about his decisions today, which confused us," said a statement released after the senior Palestinian negotiators briefed Yasser Arafat in the West Bank town of Ramallah. "First he asked us to stop the negotiations, and later in the evening, he asked us to resume it."

Saeb Erekat, Arafat's top negotiator, said the mood at the meeting was "angry."



Eyal Warshavsky/Associated Press  
**Israeli Prime Minister Ehud Barak speaks at his office in Tel Aviv, Israel, Tuesday.**

"We informed the Americans and other international parties about the way the Israelis are behaving," Erekat said. "Israel can't play with the negotiations. It's very clear they are trying to find a strategy to get out of the peace process."

Earlier Tuesday, Prime Minister Ehud Barak's security adviser, Danny Yatom, announced a time-out that would last for a few days at most, saying the break was needed to assess the negotiations.

"There is no doubt whether the Palestinians need to be not only good in public relations but also straightforward in the nego-

tiations," Yatom told Israeli army radio, referring to Israeli complaints that the Palestinians have rolled back on understandings reached in previous sessions.

Barak said Arafat has not budged since the Mideast peace summit at Camp David in July, which broke down over the Jerusalem issue.

"Negotiations will be resumed when Chairman Arafat will be ready to take the ideas that were raised at Camp David by President Clinton or the ideas that were raised by the Americans since then as a basis for negotiation," he said.

**WORLD BRIEF**

**Bomb blast kills 16 in Pakistan**

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — In the deadliest bombing this year in Pakistan, a bomb tucked into a crate of grapes tore through a bustling produce market Tuesday, killing 16 people and wounding more than 80.

Bombs in Pakistan have killed at least 74 people this year, but no one

has been convicted in any of the more than 40 attacks.

Pakistan's military ruler, Gen. Pervez Musharraf, condemned Tuesday's blast on the outskirts of Islamabad as a "dastardly act of terrorism."

Police and doctors said that 16 people were confirmed dead, and several of the wounded were in serious condition.

Pakistan has blamed rival India for many previous bombings, but the gov-

ernment made no such accusation Tuesday. India has consistently denied any involvement.

The explosion scattered grapes, apples and bananas over the grounds of the open-air market as workers were unloading crates from delivery trucks shortly before 8 a.m. local time. The blast sent workers and shoppers stampeding from the city's largest wholesale produce market.

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**EU concerned by AOL-Time Warner deal**

■ The Europeans are worried about the behemoth's ability to dominate online music.

By Robert Wieleard  
Associated Press

BRUSSELS, Belgium — The European Commission said Tuesday it has serious reservations about America Online's proposed merger with Time Warner, heightening pressure on the companies to amend their deal.

The concerns arise in part from the merger's potential to dominate the online distribution

of music. The European Commission is simultaneously examining a planned joint venture between Time Warner Inc.'s music subsidiary and Britain's EMI Group PLC, two of the biggest music companies.

The snag adds to worries expressed by the U.S. Federal Trade Commission, which is prepared to block the proposed \$129 billion deal unless the companies agree to let competing services use their high-speed cable lines.

A spokeswoman for the European Commission, the administrative body of the European Union, declined to confirm reports Tuesday that the EU stood ready to block the Time

Warner-AOL merger. But she said the EU remained concerned about the proposal.

The commission has set an Oct. 24 deadline to rule on the AOL-Time Warner deal and Oct. 18 deadline for Warner Music's venture with EMI. Time Warner and AOL have until Sept. 24 to offer concessions.

EMI issued a statement in London Tuesday, saying it has sent EU Competition Commissioner Mario Monti "a balanced set of remedies intended comprehensively to address the issues raised by the commission (and) intended to increase competition across the European music industry."

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# ARTS

& entertainment

## Cliburn returns to Hancher

■ The pianist performed during the auditorium's first season and has since entertained the world.

By Anne Kapler  
The Daily Iowan

Legendary American pianist Van Cliburn was one of the first musicians to perform at Hancher Auditorium during its inaugural season, 1972-73.



Van Cliburn  
pianist

Tonight, he returns to Iowa City as the featured soloist in a concert with the University of Iowa Symphony Orchestra. Cliburn, who was born in Louisiana, became a national hero in 1958 when he won the first International Tchaikovsky Piano Competition in Moscow. At tonight's concert, he will play the piece that brought him international attention, Tchaikovsky's "Piano Concerto No. 1," as well as Tchaikovsky's "Symphony No. 4."

"It's a good bit of nostalgia," said Hancher

Director Wallace Chappell. "He's been a bit of a legend in the American art scene for a long time."

Cliburn has played for every U.S. president since Harry S. Truman. He performed at the opening of Carnegie Hall's 100th anniversary season with the New York Philharmonic and has been invited to play at numerous other openings and dedications of arts centers.

Cliburn's name is known around the world. He has performed for many royalty and heads of state and with most major conductors and orchestras. He recorded a CD with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra that became a bestseller.

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[Cliburn] is a very strong, robust player. I'd have to describe him as being one of the really exceptional talents of the 20th century.

—William LaRue Jones  
Conductor of the UIISO

LaRue Jones.

Jones previously played with Cliburn when Jones was a bassist in the Madison (Wis.) Symphony. The experience was a memorable one.

"He is a very strong, robust player," Jones said. "He plays the type of full-bodied repertoire that can take the powerful playing and superb technique that he's always demonstrated. I'd have to describe him as being one of the really exceptional talents of the 20th century."

Cliburn's style will be evident in tonight's performance. The piano concerto is a vigorous and demanding piece, Jones said.

Cliburn is known not only for his exceptional musical abilities but also for his assistance to young musicians. In 1962, he established the Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, and he has provided scholarships for students studying music at institutions such as the Juilliard School in New York and the Cincinnati Conservatory.

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#### Etheridge, Cypher call it quits

NEW YORK (AP) — Rocker Melissa Etheridge and her girlfriend, director Julie Cypher, announced Tuesday they were ending their relationship after 12 years. The couple has two small children.

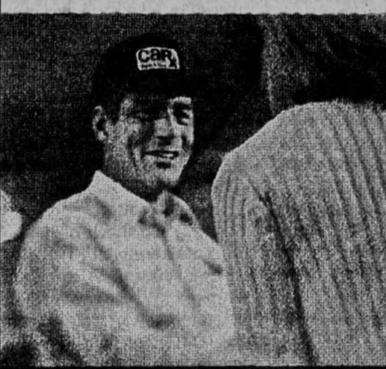
"With the utmost of love and respect for one another, we have decided to separate," the couple

announced in a statement released by Etheridge's label, Island Records.

"As committed parents, our top priority continues to be what is in the best interest of our children. Though elements of our lives will change, our family will always remain intact."

Cypher gave birth to the couple's 3-year-old daughter and 1-year-old son. Rock legend David Crosby is the children's biological father.

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## Court TV muffles 'Confessions'

■ The series, which interviewed real criminals, has been canceled after only two installments.

By David Bauder  
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Court TV has scrapped its "Confessions" series after only two weeks, saying it erred in telecasting the much-criticized program with videotapes of criminals confessing their crimes.

The second, and last, "Confessions" episode aired Sunday on the cable network. "It's not the first time we've made a mistake," said Henry Schleiff, the chairman of Court TV. "Hopefully, we'll make more favorable decisions as time goes on."

Even before it aired, the so-called reality series attracted criticism from people who considered it a lurid exercise in bad taste that was insensitive

to crime victims' feelings.

The first show, which aired Sept. 10, featured the confessions of New York City criminals. They included Daniel Rakowitz, charged with killing his female roommate in 1989 and boiling her body, and David Garcia, a prostitute found guilty of murdering a client in 1995.

At first, Schleiff vigorously defended the program, saying it was "kind of ridiculous" for a network that covers trials and criminal investigations not to show bad people describing their actions.

Upon reflection, he said Court TV should have taken into account the feelings of crime victims. And he said one criticism of the show — that the confessions were placed in virtually no context — hit the mark.

"The depth of these feelings was probably something we underestimated," he said Tuesday.

Court TV had bought 13 episodes of the series from producers Richard Kroehling and Eric Nadler, both TV news-magazine veterans. The final 11 won't air, but Schleiff said tapes of some confessions may be used at some point in another format, perhaps a documentary about criminal confessions.

The "Confessions" debut was seen in 265,000 households, roughly double the number of homes that were tuned to Court TV on the same night a year ago. Ratings for the final telecast were unavailable.

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To be honest, I find American men more difficult to deal with than the foreign men.

— Secretary of State Madeleine Albright, publicly reflecting on nearly four years as the first woman to direct U.S. foreign policy.

## POLICIES

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## EDITORIALS

### Violence, media and America's youth ...

# Give kids more credit

After last year's shootings at Columbine High School, President Clinton ordered the Federal Trade Commission to investigate violent movies, video games and music targeted at minors. More than a year later, the FTC has finally confirmed what we all knew in the first place — the entertainment industry does indeed market products with violent content to children and teen-agers.

To their credit, Clinton and other government officials have refused to impose regulatory measures at this point, instead giving the entertainment industry a chance to develop voluntary guidelines to stop marketing violence to children and increasing the enforcement of self-regulatory measures such as parental warning stickers and rating systems.

Because violent entertainment is marketed to minors, the argument goes, teen-agers and children will want to consume that violent content and will stop at nothing to do so.

*The FTC seems to think, however, that teen-agers are merely the pawns of the entertainment industry.*

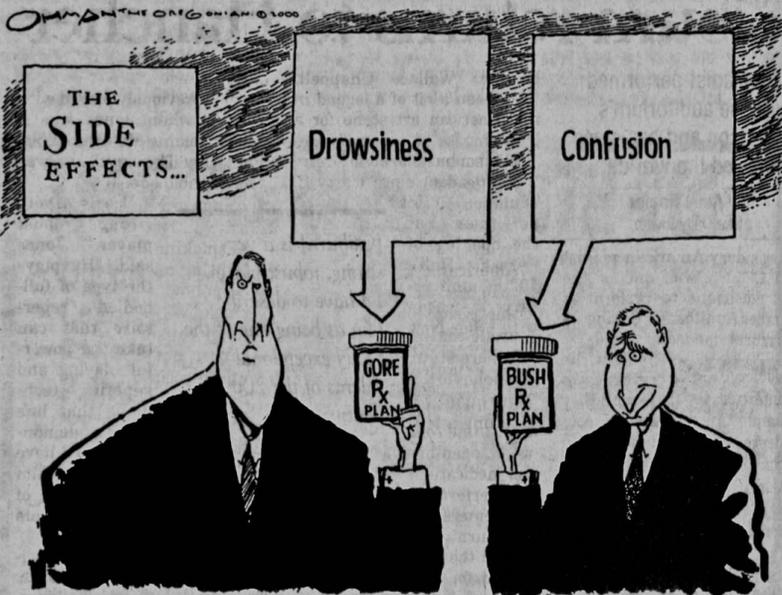
The FTC's report even contains the shocking revelation that "unaccompanied children have various strategies to see R-rated movies when theaters refuse to sell them tickets." The FTC seems to think, however, that teen-agers are merely the pawns of the entertainment industry, completely without minds of their own. The truth is that teen-agers are able to discern between advertising and reality and make their own entertainment choices. How else can you explain that some teens choose to listen to Limp Bizkit singing about breaking stuff despite the constant influx of Britney and Christina from MTV and other media?

The relationship between violent entertainment and actual violence is more complex than the most intense marketing

efforts. Most teen-agers are able to listen to violent music or play "Mortal Kombat" without acting violently themselves. A few, however, allow the same songs and video games to color their outlook on life and act violently themselves. Just as the entertainment is never the sole cause of teen violence, however, marketing is never the only thing that led them to choose violent entertainment.

Although the marketing of violence to minors is definitely part of the puzzle that Clinton was trying to solve when he ordered the FTC's report, the government must be careful not to lay too much blame on the entertainment industry until we better understand the relationship between violent entertainment and actual violence. Our problems with youth violence are far from over, and the last thing we need is to head down the slippery slope of laying blame before we fully know who's at fault.

Ellen Schwarzkopf is a *DI* editorial writer.



## The new GOP soap: 'As the Shrub stumbles'

So it seems as if the wheels are starting to come off George W. Shrub's campaign, clickety-splat, clickety-splat.

Maybe he's been using those famous Firestone tires.

Whatever he's been using, the Republican bigwigs are starting to get restive. Actually, they've been starting for a long time. Now, they're up and running at full restiveness, which is quite a sight. It's almost as much fun as watching undergrad males who, after a night spent getting re-acquainted with Jose Cuervo, demonstrate their prowess at IQ tests by pulling parking signs out of the ground.

The campaign isn't going the way the Republicans had it scripted, you see. What was supposed to happen was: His Shrubness raises a campaign war chest larger than the Gross Domestic Product of most island nations combined, then spends a leisurely spring and summer

using the lucre for TV ads painting George W. Gore as Bill Clinton's little brother, then cakewalks through the fall straight into 1600 Pennsylvania Ave. Things didn't quite work out that way, as we all know, having survived both "Survivor" and the primary season. Though a lot of times it was hard to tell the difference. (I kept my bearings straight by reminding myself that politics is just TV.)

First, much to the Shrub's chagrin, there was that pesky John McCain, who just wouldn't go away even when he was told to nicely,

if not compassionately, and his Shrubness had to spend most of his war chest making McCain go away.

Of course, as the Shrub would tell you if you just gave him a moment to remember how to pronounce things in English, his big problem with McCain was that the Arizona senator became the darling of the liberal media. Yep, that's right — the same McCain who's anti-abortion rights, pro-military spending, anti-gun control, pro-tax cuts for the rich, anti-environment, privatization of Social Security, anti-gays in the military, pro-Star Wars, anti-regulation of business — that McCain became the darling of the liberal media.

With liberals like that, who needs conservatives? Then, having spent his money vanquishing St. John, his Shrubness had to

spend the summer ducking pesky questions about the fairness of the death penalty in Texas (The death penalty, the

Shrub says to the restive Republicans, why are they bugging me with this? W. Gore is pro-death penalty.) and how much time he actually served in the National Guard. (Damn that Gore, his Shrubness says to the restive GOP, he went to Vietnam and served as an Army journalist. Why didn't I do that? Because you hadn't learned how to write yet, the restive Republicans reply.)

And after all that, his Shrubness holds his carefully written out in advance coronation, complete with some actual black people up on stage (though not, of

course, out in the hall as actual delegates) — and what happens? Nobody watches.

It turns out that the American people are too busy watching real TV — "Survivor" and "Who Wants to be a Millionaire."

Then, to top it all off, W. Gore pulls the ultimate dirty political trick:

He kisses his wife. In full view of the TV cameras.

Bingo. What was once a 15- to 20-point lead in the polls becomes a 9-point deficit. Just like that.

Life isn't fair, the Shrub tells the restive Republicans. I had black people at my coronation. I'm a different kind of conservative.

You also embraced the Bob Jones University kind of conservatives, the Republicans say.

Life isn't fair, his Shrubness intones. I'm really pro-environment, just like the soccer moms want me to be.

Texas became one of the leaders in air pollution during your tenure as governor, the restive Republicans say. Maybe we shouldn't bring up the environment.

Health care, the Shrub shouts. I'll be pro-health care.

During your terms as governor, Texas slipped to 49th in the country in delivering health care to children, the restive Republicans say. Maybe we shouldn't bring that up, either.

I know, his Shrubness declares with the forthrightness of a man on a mission. I'll tell them that I kiss my wife, too.

We don't know, the restive Republicans say. "I kiss my wife, too," sounds ... well, so ... Republican.

The Republicans are getting restive. As W. Gore charges ahead, they're afraid of this:

When the rubber meets the road, the Shrub is a few treads short.

Kind of like Firestone.

Beau Elliot is a *DI* columnist.

### With a controversial new co-host ...

## 'Win Ben's Money' lost its funny

On Sept. 11, Comedy Central's "Win Ben Stein's Money" got a face-lift. Stein's new, overly mascaraed sidekick Nancy Pimental is far more attractive than the slightly double-chinned Jimmy Kimmel, whom she replaced, and that leads one to question why the show's producers chose a female to replace Kimmel on a previously male-oriented venue.

Kimmel's dry humor was of the implied dirty-sexual variety. But his jokes were tasteful — to a certain extent. Even the more crass jokes on the show did little more than imply their sexual overtones, and, even though those overtones were clearly intended, the jokes were more or less in good taste.

Enter Pimental, who has been a writer for Comedy

*It's sad that for many shows, shock value is what it takes to get ratings these days.*

Central's "South Park" since 1998. Since her debut on "Win Ben Stein's Money" a week ago, the show's humor has become less and less veiled behind a shade of implication. To put it plainly: Pimental seems more crass than Kimmel. Traditionally, it's not going to be a woman who's going to make the dirty jokes. However, with Pimental engaging in just such a role, it seems she was chosen as Stein's new sidekick simply as a way of stepping up the shock value of the show. While Kimmel co-hosts "The Man Show" with his same dry, typically male humor, with its new

female addition, "Win Ben Stein's Money" now challenges the value of shock in a league not far removed from the Howard Stern variety.

It's sad that for many shows, shock value is what it takes to get ratings these days.

Perhaps if Pimental is popular as Kimmel's replacement, more other shows will start mimicking the sexually crass female co-host bit. But the shock value of Pimental and others like her will soon wear off once we're used to that format. And then what? The American public will have become callous to just one more level of shock value. It's nothing new: The chalk with which we're drawing our moral lines is getting softer.

Tom Tortorich is a *DI* editorial writer.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### Wedemeyer's vilification of 'pseudo-science' sanctimonious

You have to wonder what Micah Wedemeyer (*DI*, Sept. 8) is so afraid of. If, as he suggests, the differences between pseudo-science and "true science" are so obvious, why is it necessary to point them out?

Wedemeyer's claim that the differences are self-evident is contradicted by his spending all his energy constructing those differences through evidence, examples and good old-fashioned sarcasm. Clearly, anything that must be constructed through language cannot also be objective or self-evident. If, because of this contradiction, you aren't quite satisfied by Wedemeyer's handling of the issue, you have good reason.

It seems more productive to read Wedemeyer's essay as an argument

for (rather than a statement of) the supremacy of science. Like all discursive formations, science depends on sympathetic audiences for its social authority, audiences that must be continually re-produced through rhetoric and argument.

The important thing about Wedemeyer's argument is that it is targeted to those who already endorse the social authority of science, NOT towards those who place some truth-value in astrology or feng-shui. In this way, his essay should be seen as an attempt to bolster true believers in science — not to engage with those who may feel differently.

This isn't a bad thing, of course. There is no requirement that editorials attempt to engage the perspec-

tives of others or reconcile differing beliefs.

Yet, Wedemeyer's selection of evidence to support his argument ("X-Files," feng-shui, faith healing, alien autopsy) clearly indicates his main objective in the essay: to vilify and silence those who think differently from him. The irony is that this kind of sanctimonious "defense" of science is precisely what is encouraging people to embrace alternative ways of understanding the world. Readers may be excused for asking themselves why something as "obvious" as "true science" has to maintain its supremacy through defamation and division.

McCain Watson  
UI rhetoric instructor/graduate student

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## On the SPOT

Actor Alec Baldwin reportedly said that he'll leave the country if George W. Bush wins the election. Does this make you any more likely to vote Republican?



"I'd say anything to get a Baldwin out of the country."

Pete Hoffman  
UI senior



"No, I don't base my political judgment on actors' opinions."

Jeff Mach  
UI senior



"No, it doesn't persuade me one way or the other."

Lena Baker  
UI sophomore



"No, it doesn't. An actor saying something does not mean I'll go along with it."

Nino Losacco  
UI freshman



"I wouldn't vote for George Bush regardless."

Gary Hohmann  
UI senior

**VIEWPOINTS**

**Blowing 'addiction' smoke**

Some "scientists" claim to find something about cigarette "addiction." What the "researchers" failed to inform us was that tobacco does not create addicts — junk science does.

The problem with "addiction" ideology is that it applies to everything. Supposedly, one can be addicted to work, sex, the Internet, food, shopping, amphetamines, exercise, depressants, gambling, etc. Such a list is only limited by the imagination of health-care "professionals." But as any logician knows, when "addiction" is everywhere, in everything, it is nowhere.

Look at the claims made about 12- and 13-year-old tobacco "addicts." (Recall the article "First cigarettes can hook smokers, study says," [DI, Sept. 12] actually claimed nicotine

quit?! The "scientists" concluded there are three types of smokers: (1) those who become addicted quickly; (2) those who get addicted gradually; and (3) those who can quit.

Say what? Some people smoke but elect not to repeat the activity? If nicotine causes addiction, how can someone who inhales it not get "hooked?" I guess addiction is not in tobacco — at least for lucky genetic freaks called "most Americans."

To read between the lines, the "researchers" really argue that they think smokers are stupid and engage in a behavior with no redeeming qualities. But instead of calling a few kids "stinky losers," "scientists" must tell (themselves) us, there is a "reason" some 12- and 13-year-olds smoke — "addiction."

I wonder how many of the tobacco "addicts" are messy-room "addicts" as well. Think about it — why would any rational person leave dirty socks, sweaty shirts

and trash strewn about a room? Such a person could only be an addict, one who knowingly engages in unhealthy behavior. Sure, some guys grow out of the "habit," but it depends on their genes.

You know the messy room "addict." When a parent complains about the mess, the youth feels discomfort (anxiety) and may start to shake at the mere prospect of being forced to clean (detox). Even after the messy-room "addict" cleans up, or experiences tidiness, the room does not stay that way. In a day, week, month or year, the "addict" is back to the old habit, living in a

rubbish heap.

Could I be wrong? Do some people just not care how a room looks or smells? I wonder if youth smokers prefer the social benefits (e.g. hanging out with other cool smokers) and the physical sensations of tobacco to not smoking. If we believe the "scientists," I must be mistaken.

But if tobacco smoke brings cravings and withdrawal, how come children of smoking parents are not lighting up by age 4? Somehow, second-hand smoke will get into your lungs causing bronchitis or cancer, but it will not generate "nicotine craving." Second-hand smoke even fails to affect those few teens for whom one puff leads to a life of compulsive tobacco consumption — five packs a day!

Wait, does anyone smoke 100 cigarettes a day? Well "addiction" theory holds that no matter what the agent/stimulus, the "addict" will always do more to recreate that first "high." But when nobody smokes "non-stop," how can we recognize an insatiable "addict?" In fact, surveys in 1994 and 1995 at Stanford University found that 90 percent of smokers there did not use tobacco daily.

There is no such thing as tobacco "addiction." Some people like to smoke. Just as people recognize exercise is always better for the body than 400 grams of fat (say "Oprah"), we know that inhaling tar and other chemicals is detrimental to our health. It is just that sometimes ice cream and tobacco are more fun than alfalfa sprouts, tofu wraps and mini-triathlons.

America will be a better place when we reject the victim ideology of "addiction" (be it to sports, reading or vacuuming) and the empires of social control it has created.

John Calvin Jones is a DI columnist.

**JOHN CALVIN JONES**

*I guess addiction is not in tobacco — at least for lucky genetic freaks called "most Americans."*

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**Harkin goes with majority on China trade deal**

**HARKIN**

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review of the trading partner. Farm groups had been lobbying members of the Senate to approve the deal because they said it would increase exports. China is the world's fastest growing market for livestock feed, primarily corn and soybeans — Iowa's major field crops. Iowa State University has estimated that opening Chinese markets to U.S. pork would increase the value of Iowa's 21 million hogs by \$5 a head. Harkin said the trade deal

had been wrongly cast as a windfall for farmers, calling the claims "overstated" and "exaggerated." "Farmers have been ill-served by the claims that China is a boon market just waiting to buy up large quantities of U.S. food and agriculture products," Harkin said. "Certainly, there will be opportunities, but China will not reverse today's disastrous commodity prices or bail out the failed Freedom to Farm bill." Critics had cited China's human-rights record and the potential for U.S. job losses.

Harkin, a strong backer of organized labor and human rights, traveled to China, South Korea and Indonesia in August to help make an informed decision. Labor leaders in Iowa said they were disappointed with Harkin's decision. "If it were about trade with China it would be a different matter. It's not," said Mark Smith, the president of the Iowa Federation of Labor. "The issue is about transnational corporations moving production facilities to take advantage of 13 to 35 cents-an-hour labor."

Harkin urged his colleagues to "redouble our efforts" to end human rights abuses, workers' rights and strengthen laws to "encourage greater investment in our American workers." Sen. Charles Grassley, R-Iowa, a strong supporter of the plan, also voted with the majority. "If you're employed by the agricultural, manufacturing or service sectors, normalizing trade with China once and for all will increase export opportunities for Iowa businesses and improve the likelihood of a bigger paycheck for Iowa workers," Grassley said.

**Council supports deer kill**

**COUNCIL**

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rebates. The council would then individually review the applications. Kanner and Pfab opposed the ordinance. Councilor Dee Vanderhoef said she believes the ordinance will help the city's tax base. "Taxes are declining on this property," she said. "This is another way to build our tax base." Councilor Ross Wilburn said the goal is to increase economic activity in the area, and he believes the ordinance will accomplish that.

"A lot of people have commented that the Sycamore Mall portion of the area has dwindled," he said. "This is a good way for the city to accelerate development for developers and greatly increase the value." Pfab disagreed, saying he believes that the \$2 million designated for the tax rebates should be used for other items, such as hiring additional firefighters, police officers and additional library staff. "There are so many needs for that money," he said. "I don't think that that's the best need." DI reporter Megan Eckhardt can be reached at: megan-eckhardt-1@uiowa.edu

**Local girl aspires to be Olympian**

**OLYMPICS**

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the owner and competitive director of the Gym-Nest. She is at a high level both mentally and physically, he said. Television coverage of Olympic women's gymnastics started Sunday, and Michelle has been glued to the TV all week, watching her heroes compete for Olympic glory. The team took a disappointing fourth place in the finals Tuesday in Sydney, Australia, but Michelle is still looking forward to the individual events, which will air Thursday. While she thought the Americans had a good chance, Michelle said, she had read in a magazine that the Romanian team was very good. Michelle's knowledge of the competition was right on the mark; the Romanians won the gold. "When American gymnasts don't do well, she sympathizes

with them," said Michelle's mom, Linda Chase, a nurse at UI Hospitals and Clinics. Four years ago, at the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta, the American women won the gold medal in the team finals. Michelle remembers it vividly. She said she still recalls Kerri Strug performing on the vault with a twisted ankle and sticking the landing to help the Americans win the team title. "At first I thought she (Strug) lost it, but she stuck it. I was like 'Wow,'" Michelle said. Besides her favorite Olympic gymnast, Ray, who competed in the all-around competition, Michelle admires her friend and fellow-gymnast Ana Rickard, 14, who is a level-10 gymnast. Ana said she wouldn't mind being Michelle's teammate at the Olympics someday. "It would be nice, but so few get to go," she said. In the meantime, Ana said, she is also going to cheer on the American gymnasts, including her favorite gymnast, Dominique Dawes. Dawes was

Strug's teammate in the 1996 Olympics and helped the Americans win the team title. Linda Chase said she supports her daughter's aspirations of being in the Olympics. "Every kid deserves to have a dream," she said. Most of the kids sign up for gymnastics because of their Olympic dreams, Schlott said. They see such people as Shannon Miller compete, and they want to do it, he said. "Shannon Miller looks neat, but you can't go out in your backyard and do gymnastics, like Michael Jordan and basketball," Schlott said. Linda Chase said Michelle and other gymnasts understand how difficult gymnastics are. They see the positive aspects of their heroes, although many television shows focus on what the Olympians do wrong. "They're loyal to the (American) team, just as they are loyal to each other at the gym," she said. DI reporter Anne Webbeking can be reached at: anne-webbeking@uiowa.edu

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**I.C. golf tourney hosts blind vets**

**GOLF**

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people. "If we try to make special rules for them, they don't like it," he said. "They like to compete like anyone else." Approximately 350 community and VA volunteers contributed to the program. The volunteers range from local citizens to members of VA medical centers from around the country; they assist veterans by serving as golf buddies, van drivers and bowling instructors. Jane Beachy, a volunteer from Rock Falls, Ill., said the program is important because it brings

blind veterans together from around the nation. "We give the veterans confidence that they can do anything they put their mind to," she said. Bill Plummer, 67, of Cleveland is participating for his sixth year. The veteran, who suffers from macular degeneration (the loss of central vision due to malfunctioning cone cells in the retina), said the tournament is very rewarding and would not be possible without the help of volunteers. "They are the most important people here," Plummer said. "We love spending time with the volunteers because they really take care of us." The majority of funds for the tournament come from the Iowa

City VA, and volunteers and businesses also make contributions. The tournament will be held at three area golf courses: Lake Macbride Golf Course, Solon; Fairview Golf Course, 4670 American Legion Road; and Quail Creek Golf Course, North Liberty. Orrie Rew, the Fairview manager, said the course became a tournament supporter after discussions with members from the Iowa City VA. The blind veterans pay a reduced fee for playing at Fairview, he said. "We like to help out the vets, and we don't have a very hard course, so it fits perfect with the program," Rew said. DI reporter Tony Robinson can be reached at: tony7474@aol.com

**Rising health-care costs irk faculty**

**FACULTY**

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Kurtz brought a positive outlook to the meeting despite the premium-price hike. "We want to add wellness and preventative health care to the UI employee health-care program," he said. While budget shortfalls are not the main reason for the raise in insurance cost, UI Provost Jon Whitmore informed faculty members that difficulties do exist. "The state budget failed to meet allocations this year, but the UI has redoubled its effort," he said. Whitmore said he felt that Gov. Tom Vilsack's visit to campus last week gave him the opportunity to better understand the contributions the UI makes to the state. A multimillion-dollar private fundraising campaign recently launched by the UI Foundation is one way Whitmore says the UI will offset the disappointment in funding. "We plan to partner with the faculty and Faculty Senate along with deans, students and departments for this new academic year," he said. UI Professor of epidemiology Jim Torner, a member of the Senate Governmental Relations Committee, said that budget requests may be met more fully since UI officials had a preliminary discussion with board office for the state of Iowa Board of

Regents and state lawmakers. "We hope to improve government relations this year,"

Torner said. DI reporter Sharyn Hosemann can be reached at: sharyn-hosemann@uiowa.edu

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Who has the most career passing yards in NCAA history?  
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#### BASEBALL

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Baltimore	4	N.Y. Mets	4
White Sox	6	San Diego	7
Detroit	2	Colorado	2
Toronto	16	Pittsburgh	12
N.Y. Yankees	3	Philadelphia	8
Boston	7	Houston	8
Cleveland	4	St. Louis	6
Seattle	5	Los Angeles	2
Tampa Bay	2	Arizona	1
Kansas City	5	Cincinnati	7
Anaheim	1	San Francisco	1
Minnesota	15	Milwaukee	9
Texas	7	Cubs	8
Florida	3		
Montreal	1		

See Baseball on Page 2B.

## Woods banks without golf

Tiger Woods will make \$54 million this year from various endorsements.

By Doug Ferguson  
 Associated Press

The total purse on the PGA Tour the year Tiger Woods turned pro was \$69.1 million. It might not be too long before he makes that much in a year, on and off the golf course.

Once his new five-year contract with Nike Inc. takes effect next August, Woods will bring in about \$54 million each year from endorsement deals he has with 12 companies, according to this week's issue of *Golf World*.

The magazine cited a variety of sources familiar with the contracts, which range from the \$100 million deal Woods signed Friday with Nike to a five-year, \$10 million deal with the company that performed Lasik eye surgery on Woods a year ago.

On the course, Woods already has earned close to \$8.3 million this year with three tournaments still to play. He receives a reported \$1 million appearance fee when he plays overseas, such as the Johnnie Walker Classic in Thailand, and he also plays the unofficial Grand Slam of Golf and his own Williams World Challenge.

While Woods grew up in a middle-class home, such riches are nothing new since he turned pro in 1996 and signed a five-year, \$40 million deal with Nike. Since then, he has won 24 times on the PGA Tour, including the career Grand Slam.

READ, THEN RECYCLE

## Ferentz not ready for radical adjustments

Scott Mullen will remain at quarterback Saturday, when Iowa takes on No. 1 Nebraska.

By Melinda Mawdsley  
 The Daily Iowan

Iowa has played only three games, but Kirk Ferentz answered just as many questions about next season as he did about Saturday's game against top-ranked Nebraska. With losses to Western Michigan and Iowa State, some feel the Hawkeyes' opportunity to win has been squandered. At a press conference Tuesday, the Iowa foot-

ball coach reiterated that his team won't start waving white flags.

"If you ever start thinking that way, you're doing a great injustice to the guys on your team today, everybody on your staff and your fans, for that matter," Ferentz said. "The object is to win today, and that's what we're trying to do."

He also addressed questions about the quarterback, saying every position is re-evaluated on a weekly basis. Scott Mullen gives Iowa the best chance to win, he said, and Mullen will be calling the signals this weekend when Iowa takes the field against

Nebraska, the Hawkeyes' biggest challenge to date. Ferentz said freshman quarterback Jon Beutjer is still running third after senior Kyle McCann, although the race is close.

Last year in Iowa City, the Hawkeyes played Nebraska tough in the first half, holding it to one touchdown, before the Cornhuskers handed them a 42-7 loss in the schools' first meeting since 1982.

Ferentz said this year's Nebraska team is better but so are his Hawkeyes.

"Just look at the films," he said. "We are a better football team in every facet. We

haven't taken a step backwards, and that's important."

One area Ferentz noted for its improvement was the special teams. Other than the two missed field goals against Iowa State, he said, it's an area in which he's seen exceptional progress, and he feels it's stronger now than at any other time last season.

On the other hand, special teams may be Nebraska's weakest link. Notre Dame scored two touchdowns off a punt and kickoff return in the Huskers' overtime win. However, Nebraska is coming off its bye-week, so it has had two weeks to correct those

See FERENTZ, Page 5B

## Buck-Crockett relives Olympics

### Sydney 2000

Many people dream of participating in the Olympic games, but few are afforded the opportunity. Rita Buck-Crockett spent two years preparing for the 1980 games, only to see politics derail her plans. Four years later, in 1984, she helped lead the U.S. National Volleyball Team to the gold-medal match with China at the Los Angeles games. The same year, Sports Illustrated called her the best athlete in the world and dubbed her "The Rocket" for her 42-inch vertical leap and 100 mph kills. DI sportswriter Todd Brommelkamp spoke with Iowa's current volleyball coach about the 1980 U.S. boycott, the joy of representing her country and the whereabouts of her silver medal.

**DI: How were you selected for the U.S. national squad?**

**RBC:** I didn't go through a tryout. They saw me play at my university, and the head coach invited me to join the U.S. team for the World Championships in 1978.

**DI: What were your feelings when you found out you would be representing the United States?**

**RBC:** At first, I wasn't sure

### FACE FACE

with Rita Buck-Crockett



what I was doing. I had to move to Colorado to the training center, and it was a big change in my life. I was just playing, and it didn't hit me until I made the cut to go to the World Championships. Then my American pride set in, and it was like, "I'm with the USA team."

**DI: When President Carter announced that the United States would boycott the Moscow games in 1980, how did you feel?**

**RBC:** I was very upset because we had worked hard to qualify and make it, but it was out of my hands. We were athletes, and they wanted to put politics into it. There was nothing we could do except be athletes. I knew I was young enough to still be able to go for the '84 games.

**DI: You didn't have to go through a selection process again for the Los Angeles games, did you?**

**RBC:** I continued with the 1980 team. I was a part of the '84 team already. There were no open tryouts, but people came to tryout for our team.

**DI: What was it like playing in front of U.S. fans in Los Angeles rather than in a foreign country?**

**RBC:** Any time you're playing in front of U.S. fans and you're playing another country,

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## U.S. tumbles in Sydney

The American women's gymnastics team takes fourth in the team finals.

By Eddie Pells  
 Associated Press

SYDNEY, Australia — The American women finally let loose, filling the floor with group hugs, team cheers and even a bit of flirtatious sex appeal.

In other corners, leggy Russian Svetlana Khorkina wept her way through another Olympic disappointment and tiny Andreea Raducan became the latest Romanian darling to win gold.

The Americans finished a disappointing fourth, but it was still a riveting night of gymnastics — their best since winning gold at the Atlanta Olympics.

All "glitz and glitter," as Bela Karolyi likes to say. That's why it seemed crazy that Karolyi, a 58-year-old man sitting on press row in a sportscoat, was the center of attention.

Romania broke through years of frustration to win the gold medal Tuesday by 0.205 points over favored Russia, which took silver for the second straight time. China won the bronze, denying the United States a medal by a comfortable 1.075 points.

"It's a big victory for Romania, a big victory for our Olympic movement," Romanian coach Octavian Belu said. "We come from a small country. Now, these girls have a chance to be seen. Two billion people around the world will finally know who they are."

## Iowa's Leister glad to be scoring goals again

Tiffany Leister wants to continue her offensive prowess when Iowa takes on Penn State.

By Roseanna Smith  
 The Daily Iowan

Iowa sophomore Tiffany Leister could breathe a little easier after Sunday's 6-1 win against Delaware, in which she scored her first goal of the season.

Leister went into last weekend's Big East Challenge with 16 shots on goal but no tallies, and she also missed the net during the Syracuse matchup on Sept. 16. Iowa had dominated play during much of the game, coming up short in the 6-on-6 overtime for a 2-1 loss.

"It was a relief to finally score," she said. "Before the game, I guess I was kind of taking my frustrations out from Saturday in my shooting because it's both myself and Tiffany's (Fodera) job to shoot



Amy Sancetta/Associated Press

U.S. gymnast Elise Ray competes on the balance beam during the women's gymnastic team finals at the Olympic Games Tuesday.

Still, they'll probably never have the mass appeal — or the ability to unite and divide — quite like the sport's most famous Romanian.

USA Gymnastics brought Karolyi back 10 months ago to rebuild a team stinging from a disastrous sixth-place finish at world championships. The Olympics were the culmination of a project in which he called all the shots.

His team came up short. Now, he must answer all the questions, and not all of them are going to be easy.

"He takes the credit when we do good, and blames every-

one when we do bad," said Jamie Dantzscher, a frequent Karolyi target who had the night of her life. "It's so not fair."

So almost to spite Karolyi, the 18-year-old spitfire put on one of the most electric performances of the night.

She strutted onto the floor, tumbling high and never budging on her landings. She finished the routine by pointing at the judges, but not before batting her eyes toward the corner of the arena — right where Karolyi was sitting.

She scored a 9.7 on the floor

to go with a 9.712 on her uneven bars routine, the same one Karolyi scratched her from Sunday in preliminaries when the Americans endured a sixth-place finish.

"Yeah, that felt good," Dantzscher said. "I could have done it the first day, too."

On that first day, Karolyi looked like a caged animal, brooding in the stands as his team missed routine after routine and came dangerously close to missing the finals altogether.

He talked about how badly the team needed a motivator on the floor — not just the calm influences of coaches Kelli Hill and Steve Rybacki. It could have been him out there, and many people thought it would be, until the meet started and Karolyi took his seat.

He was a changed man this time, pumping his fist, wiping his brow and lifting his hands in the air as if to say, "I knew you could do it," on a night in which the Americans didn't miss a routine.

"Obviously, attitude was the difference," Karolyi said. "It was a better attitude, a stronger attitude, an attitude that was geared toward success. That's the most important ingredient of the major successes during this competition."

He's bound to get a lot of the credit for the late attitude adjustment and just about anything else good that happens to this team.

But not all the gymnasts were so quick to sign on.

"I think it's mostly our personal coaches' responsibility,"

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DI file photo

Iowa's Tiffany Leister scored 29 goals as a freshman in 1999.

the ball and put it in the cage."

Last year, Leister made a showing on the field for the Hawkeyes as a midfielder and back, scoring 29 goals, second on the team. She took 88 shots on goal.

Originally from Oley, Pa., Leister said that while she

liked Iowa, making the freshman transition last season wasn't easy.

"I loved the team, the coaches and the university. On the plane ride back, I could just tell that it was where I was supposed to be," she said. "At first, it was very hard to get used to college. It's a big

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# QUICK HITS

## SPORTS QUIZ

Ty Detmer

### AMERICAN LEAGUE GLANCE

East Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	85	64	.570	—
Boston	79	70	.530	6
Toronto	79	71	.527	1/2
Baltimore	66	85	.437	20
Tampa Bay	61	89	.407	24
Central Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	89	61	.593	—
Cleveland	80	67	.544	1/2
Detroit	74	77	.491	1/2
Kansas City	70	81	.461	1/2
Minnesota	66	84	.440	2/3
West Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	85	66	.563	—
Oakland	81	67	.547	1/2
Anaheim	76	74	.507	1/2
Texas	69	83	.451	1/2

### Monday's Games

Detroit 5, Chicago White Sox 2  
Oakland 12, Baltimore 3  
Cleveland 2, N.Y. Yankees 0  
Seattle 4, Tampa Bay 3  
Minnesota 3, Texas 1

### Tuesday's Games

Chicago White Sox 6, Detroit 2  
Seattle 5, Tampa Bay 2  
Toronto 16, N.Y. Yankees 3  
Kansas City 5, Anaheim 1  
Oakland 7, Baltimore 4, 1st game  
Oakland at Baltimore, 2nd game, p.p.d., rain  
Boston 7, Cleveland 4  
Minnesota 15, Texas 7

### Wednesday's Games

Cleveland (Woodard 1-3) at Boston (P.Martinez 17-5), 12:05 p.m.  
Oakland (Heredia 14-11) at Baltimore (McCelroy 1-0), game 1, 12:05 p.m.  
Oakland (Zito 5-3) at Baltimore (Mercedes 12-6), game 2, 5:05 p.m.  
Chicago White Sox (Garland 3-7) at Detroit (Moehler 12-8), 6:05 p.m.  
N.Y. Yankees (Cone 4-12) at Toronto (Loaiza 9-11), 6:05 p.m.  
Cleveland (Burba 15-6) at Boston (Schourek 3-10), 6:05 p.m.  
Seattle (Sele 15-10) at Tampa Bay (Lopez 11-12), 6:15 p.m.  
Anheim (Larvine 3-4) at Kansas City (Suzuki 8-10), 7:05 p.m.  
Texas (Davis 7-5) at Minnesota (Romero 2-6), 7:05 p.m.

### NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDINGS

East Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	85	66	.563	5
New York	71	79	.473	1/2
Florida	64	86	.427	1/2
Montreal	62	87	.416	2/3
Philadelphia	62	87	.416	2/3
Central Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	89	61	.593	—
Cincinnati	79	72	.523	1/2
Houston	67	83	.447	2/3
Milwaukee	65	85	.433	2/3
Pittsburgh	62	88	.413	2/3
Chicago	60	90	.400	2/3
West Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
San Francisco	89	60	.597	—
Arizona	79	69	.534	1/2
Los Angeles	79	72	.523	1/2
Colorado	76	73	.510	1/2
San Diego	72	78	.480	1/2

### Monday's Games

Montreal 11, Florida 4  
Pittsburgh 6, Philadelphia 5  
Atlanta 6, N.Y. Mets 3  
Milwaukee 2, Chicago Cubs 1  
Los Angeles 2, Arizona 1  
Cincinnati 7, San Francisco 1

### Tuesday's Games

Atlanta 12, N.Y. Mets 4  
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia (n)  
Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee (n)  
Houston at St. Louis (n)  
San Diego at Colorado (n)  
Arizona at Los Angeles (n)  
Cincinnati at San Francisco (n)

### Wednesday's Games

Pittsburgh (Benson 9-12) at Philadelphia (Person 9-5), 6:05 p.m.  
Florida (Cornelius 3-9) at Montreal (Vazquez 10-7), 6:05 p.m.  
N.Y. Mets (Leter 15-7) at Atlanta (Glavine 19-8), 6:10 p.m.  
Chicago Cubs (Lieber 12-10) at Milwaukee (Wright 6-8), 7:05 p.m.  
Houston (Holt 7-14) at St. Louis (Ankiel 9-7), 7:10 p.m.

San Diego (Eaton 5-3) at Colorado (Rose 4-2), 8:05 p.m.  
Cincinnati (Paris 12-14) at San Francisco (Ortiz 12-11), 10:15 p.m.

### TRANSACTIONS

#### Tuesday's Sports Transactions

#### BASEBALL

**DETROIT TIGERS**—Placed 1B Tony Clark on the 15-day disabled list.

**TORONTO BLUE JAYS**—Signed a two-year player development contract with the Charleston Alley Cats of the South Atlantic League.

**ATLANTIC LEAGUE**

**SOMERSET PATRIOTS**—Signed INF Paul Esposito.

**EASTERN LEAGUE**

**TRENTON THUNDER**—Named Brad Taylor assistant general manager.

**SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE**

**COLUMBUS REDSTOCKX**—Named Bill Levy assistant general manager.

#### BASKETBALL

**National Basketball Association**

**CLEVELAND CAVALIERS**—Waived G Gary Grant.

#### FOOTBALL

**National Football League**

**NFL**—Named John Collins senior vice president of entertainment programming and marketing.

**CLEVELAND BROWNS**—Released OT Orlando Brown, LB Kendall Ogle and DB Tim McTyer.

**DENVER BRONCOS**—Re-signed LB Keith Burns.

**WASH. REDSKINS**—Signed C-G Tom Schau to the practice squad.

**JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS**—Waived RB Chad Dukes. Signed RB Anthony Johnson.

**KANSAS CITY CHIEFS**—Signed WR Arland Bruce to the practice squad. Waived WR Andy McCullough from the practice squad.

**NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS**—Waived G Derrick Fletcher. Signed G Adam Davis from the practice squad.

**NEW YORK JETS**—Signed KR Dwight Stone. Waived KR Damon Dunn.

**PHILADELPHIA EAGLES**—Signed DT Hollis Thomas to a five-year contract extension.

**SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS**—Waived LB Edward Thomas.

#### Canadian Football League

**CALGARY STAMPEDEERS**—Released QB Troy Kopp.

#### HOCKEY

**National Hockey League**

**NHL**—Suspended New York Islanders F Oleg Kvasha for three exhibition games and fined him and fined \$1,000 for an elbowing incident during a Sept. 15 game.

**ANAHEIM MIGHTY DUCKS**—Named Neil Smith consultant to the general manager. Assigned C Jarrett Smith, C Bob Wren, C Marc Chouinard, LW Jay Legault and LW Torrey DiRobertto to Cincinnati of the American Hockey League. Returned LW Maxim Rybin to Samia of the Ontario Hockey League. Returned LW Alan Smitov to Dynamo Moscow.

**NEW YORK RANGERS**—Reached a tryout agreement with D Mike Mottau. Reassigning F Ken Gamander and F Brad Smyth to Hartford of the American Hockey League.

**PITTSBURGH PENGUINS**—Signed G Rich Parent.

**ST. LOUIS BLUES**—Signed Joel Quenneville, coach, to a three-year contract extension through 2003-2004.

**SAN JOSE SHARKS**—Re-signed G Evgeni Nabokov.

**VANCOUVER CANUCKS**—Re-signed LW Donald Brashear.

#### COLLEGE

**INDIANA**—Named Julius Smith and Dan Panaggio men's assistant basketball coaches.

**LIVINGSTON**—Named Jason Hughes sports information director.

**LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY**—Named Christi Lagouex and Bill Carpenter women's assistant basketball coaches. Rich Borawski assistant volleyball coach and Anyhove Ketrourvong women's assistant soccer coach.

**MARYLAND**—Named Jon Stainbrook men's assistant lacrosse coach.

**NEWBERRY**—Named Jeffrey Bodenhamer assistant trainer. Tim Perry assistant baseball coach. Matt Colin assistant basketball coach and Sondri Creglow assistant softball coach.

**NOTRE DAME**—Signed Dave Poulin, hockey coach, to a contract extension.

**ST. JOHN FISHER**—Named Bob Simms men's golf coach and Rob Komaker men's assistant basketball coach.

**SAVANNAH STATE**—Named Jack Grant men's inter-collegiate basketball coach.

#### NFL LEADERS

NFC Individual Leaders

#### By The Associated Press

#### Week 3

#### Quarterbacks

Player	Att	Com	Yds	TD	Int
Warner, S.L.L.	116	83	1221	6	6
Collins, N.Y.G.	87	62	641	3	1
Beverlein, Car.	95	62	788	5	3
Cunningham, Dal.	60	37	378	4	1
King, T.B.	75	40	545	4	0
Chandler, Atl.	80	46	566	3	0
Garcia, S.F.	90	56	724	6	4
Plummer, Ariz.	73	46	561	4	3
Blake, N.O.	104	65	587	4	3
McNown, Chi.	106	65	588	3	2

#### Rushers

Player	Att	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Barber, N.Y.G.	41	326	8.0	78	4
Faulk, S.L.L.	54	260	5.2	30	6
Smith, Min.	61	272	4.5	59	1
Staley, Phi.	50	272	5.4	60	1
R. Williams, N.O.	67	241	3.6	19	0
Gatner, S.F.	41	222	5.4	34	0
Anderson, Atl.	53	212	4.0	42	1
Blakabuluka, Car.	49	208	4.2	41	1
Dayne, N.Y.G.	63	197	3.1	13	1
Alstott, T.B.	52	193	3.7	20	4

#### Receivers

Player	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Horn, N.O.	24	242	10.1	19	2
Faulk, S.L.L.	20	250	12.5	72	1
Muhammad, Car.	19	190	10.0	36	2
Staley, Phi.	19	181	9.5	26	0
Browne, S.L.L.	18	245	13.6	78	1
Owens, S.F.	18	177	15.4	53	2
C. Carter, Min.	18	261	14.5	42	0
M. Robinson, Chi.	18	195	10.8	48	1
Holt, S.L.L.	16	238	14.9	49	0
Toomer, N.Y.G.	16	139	8.7	25	1
Ingram, Chi.	16	109	6.8	25	0

#### Punters

Player	No	Yds	LG	Avg
Knorr, Dal.	9	426	58	47.3
Landeta, Phi.	15	710	60	47.3
Gowin, N.C.	15	662	58	44.1
Dwight, Atl.	5	71	14.2	25
Rogers, G.B.	7	93	13.3	43
Morton, N.O.	11	135	12.3	51
Milburn, Chi.	6	55	9.2	19
Williams, S.F.	4	35	8.8	18
Barber, N.Y.G.	7	78	11.1	11
Williams, T.B.	9	72	8.0	42
Mitchell, Phil.	8	50	6.3	13

#### Punt Returns

Player	No	Yds	LG	TD
Kopov, Det.	6	142	23.7	95
Hakim, S.L.L.	4	93	23.3	86
Dwight, Atl.	5	71	14.2	25
Rogers, G.B.	7	93	13.3	43
Morton, N.O.	11	135	12.3	51
Milburn, Chi.	6	55	9.2	19
Williams, S.F.	4	35	8.8	18
Barber, N.Y.G.	7	78	11.1	11
Williams, T.B.	9	72	8.0	42
Mitchell, Phil.	8	50	6.3	13

#### Kickoff Returns

Player	No	Yds	Avg	LG	TD
Vaughn, Atl.	5	223	44.6	100	1
Bates, Car.	6	221	36.8	92	1
Howard, Det.	11	239	29.9	70	0
Thrash, Was.	7	185	26.4	49	0
Jenkins, Ariz.	8	203	25.4	37	0
Dwight, Atl.	9	223	24.8	48	0
T. Carter, Min.	7	173	24.7	38	0
Morton, N.O.	15	368	24.5	45	0
Rossum, G.B.	8	195	24.4	41	0
Milburn, Chi.	17	409	24.1	34	0

#### Scoring

#### Touchdowns

Player	TD	Rush	Rec	Ret	Pts
Faulk, S.L.L.	6	5	1	0	36
Beasley, S.F.	5	2	3	0	30
Alstott, T.B.	4	4	0	0	24
Barber, N.Y.G.	4	4	0	0	24
Culpepper, Min.	3	3	0	0	18
Owens, S.F.	2	0	2	0	14
Boston, Ariz.	2	0	2	0	12
Friesman, G.B.	2	0	2	0	12
Hakim, S.L.L.	2	0	1	1	12
Holcombe, S.L.L.	2	0	0	1	12
Horn, N.O.	2	0	2	0	12
King, T.B.	2	0	0	1	12
McNabb, Phi.	2	0	0	1	12
Muhammad, Car.	2	0	2	0	12
Sanders, Ariz.	2	0	2	0	12
Walls, Car.	2	0	2	0	12

#### Kicking

Player	PAT	FG	LG	Pts
Hollis, Jac.	6	6	7	7
Stover, Bal.	5	5	6	7
Elam, Den.	7	7	5	5
Christie, Buf.	6	6	5	7
Hall, N.Y.J.	7	7	4	7
Mare, Mia.	4	5	5	5
P. Dawson, Cle.	6	6	4	4
Happner, Sea.	6	6	6	6
Vanderjagt, Ind.	7	7	3	4

#### Blanchard, Ariz. 3-3 5-5 54 18

#### Brien, N.O. 3-3 5-5 6 48 18

#### AFC Individual Leaders

#### By The Associated Press

**SPORTS**

**SEC referees battling perception problem**

■ After two weeks of questionable calls, the credibility of SEC refs have come into question.

By Jay Reeves  
Associated Press

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. — The SEC's coordinator of officiating conceded Tuesday that the conference's referees have a credibility problem.

"We've been unlucky in that these things have been in the last minute or have occurred when the game is very close," Bobby Gaston said.

As Tennessee players and fans continued to complain about a questionable touchdown in the Vols' loss to Florida last weekend, the league apologized for a call blown seven days earlier in the Alabama-Vanderbilt game.

Still, Gaston said SEC officials are the best in the nation and better than their counterparts in the NFL.

Gaston said a seven-man officiating crew judges each of the 160 or so plays in a football game. That means more than

1,000 decisions are made. "If we've narrowed it down to four or five (debated calls), we'd pass any course," Gaston said. Some SEC fans would probably give the refs an F, however. Consider these controversial calls:

- A crew ruled last season that a Georgia player fumbled at the 1-yard line in the final seconds against Georgia Tech with the score tied, although replays showed the ball popped out after he hit the ground. Tech won in overtime, and the SEC suspended the officials.

- A referee missed what could have been a key fumble by Alabama on Sept. 9 against Vanderbilt, which lost 28-10. Vandy coach Woody Widenhofer also complained the crew twice failed to award the Commodores a touchdown when it appeared they scored.

Gaston apologized for the fumble call. But he said the officials were correct in not awarding the touchdowns. "No one saw leather cross the goal line," he said.

- Last Saturday, a referee awarded Florida a hotly disputed touchdown in the Gators' 27-23



Cathy Clarke/Associated Press  
**Florida wide receiver Jabar Gaffney grabs the game-winning touchdown pass Sept. 16.**

victory over the Vols. Gaston said replays were inconclusive, and the official was in the best spot to make a call. "I think he was right," Gaston said.

Gaston said there has been no increase in disputed decisions. It's all a matter of public perception, he said.

"I think we've got the most avid fans, and we are the most televised conference," he said.

"We had six games televised last week. That's a lot of cameras."

And, he might add, that's a lot of chances for instant replay to show instances when the officials make the wrong call.

Some fans and media critics have been hard on referee Al Ford of Florence, who was on the field for each of the three disputed games. Ford is one of the league's senior officials, with more than two decades of experience.

But Gaston said Ford wasn't involved in any of the questioned calls, and it isn't the job of a referee to overrule his colleagues. It's also a mistake to say the same officiating crew keeps blowing calls, he said.

"It's not Al Ford's crew," Gaston said. "The big deal was the (touchdown) call by Al Matthews in the Florida-Tennessee game. He was not in the Alabama-Vanderbilt game."

Yet another official, Bud Williams, was publicly faulted for missing the call in the Georgia-Georgia Tech game. No one on the crew overruled him on the fumble call, leading in part to the suspension.

**Browns release Brown**

■ Orlando Brown has not played since being hit in the eye with a penalty flag last year.

By Tom Withers  
Associated Press

CLEVELAND — Orlando Brown, who hasn't played since his right eye was struck by a referee's penalty flag last season, was released Tuesday by the Cleveland Browns.

Brown sustained permanent damage to his right eye in a game against the Jacksonville Jaguars on Dec. 19.

The 6-foot-7, 350-pound offensive tackle dropped to one knee in pain and staggered

toward the sideline. He came back onto the field and shoved referee Jeff Triplette to the ground. Brown said he became enraged because he was afraid of going blind. His father lost his sight to glaucoma.

"I would have had a difficult time putting him back on the field in view of his personal concerns and his inability to recover from the injury," Browns coach Chris Palmer said.

The eight-year veteran was initially suspended indefinitely, but the NFL lifted its penalty in February. The team placed Brown on the physically-unable-to-perform list Aug. 27.

**Derby winner returns**

■ Fusaichi Pegasus hopes to get back in shape in time for the Breeders' Cup.

NEW YORK (AP) — Kentucky Derby winner Fusaichi Pegasus, out of racing since May with a hoof injury, probably will make his comeback Saturday in the Jerome Handicap at Belmont Park.

"The primary goal is the Breeders' Cup," trainer Neil Drysdale said Tuesday of the Nov. 4 races at Churchill Downs, where the colt is expected to end his racing career in the \$4 million classic.

"It is not necessary for him to win. This is a preparation race.

I want to emphasize that."

Before officially entering Fusaichi Pegasus in the 1-mile Jerome, Drysdale wants the approval of Japanese multimillionaire owner Fusao Sekiguchi and Coolmore Stud, the Irish breeding operation that bought the colt for about \$60 million.

Drysdale called Jerome "a good stepping stone" for the Breeders' Cup, but said Saturday's race is "unattractive because it's a much stronger field than usual. The weight is especially unattractive."

Fusaichi Pegasus is being asked to carry 124 pounds, even though he hasn't raced since finishing second in the Preakness.

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**SPORTS**

**Johnson readies to repeat in relay**

■ Michael Johnson wants to break the 43-second record.

By Bob Baum  
The Associated Press

SYDNEY, Australia — Michael Johnson plans to end his magnificent Olympic career with a pair of medals to match his new running shoes — gold.

And maybe break the 43-second barrier in the 400 meters while he's at it.

Far more relaxed than he was in his successful quest for an unprecedented double gold in the 200 and 400 four years ago in Atlanta, Johnson is relieved that only the 400 and 1,600-meter relay are on his agenda this time.

"This time around, I'm not coming in as the focus of the games trying to make history and do something that's never been done before," Johnson said.

Still, there are a couple of milestones on his agenda. He wants to be the first man to repeat as Olympic 400-meter champion, and most of all he wants to break that 43-second mark.

"I don't know when it's going to come, but I'm running out of time," he said. "I always perform best at the big championships — the world championships, the Olympic Games. All of my world records have come at the world championships, the Olympics, major championships."

"So certainly if the weather cooperates here, the opportunity may be here to break 43 seconds. I think I'm in shape to do it right now. I think I'm capable of doing it right now. But it takes more than that."

He doesn't want 43.18 to be his 400-meter legacy.

"I'm very proud of it, but I just feel that I can do much better than that," he said. "I would like to have my 400-meter world record in my mind equal to what my 200-meter record means."

**U.S. still faces Aussie challenge**

■ Ian Thorpe may swim another relay after Tuesday's 800m gold.

By Paul Newberry  
The Associated Press

SYDNEY, Australia — The Olympic pool is filled with rivalries as well as records — even a bit of trash-talking.

The Australians taunt the Americans. The Yanks sneer at the Aussies. And on it goes, sure to be a recurring theme throughout the remaining four days of the meet.

Then there's Pieter van den Hoogenband — otherwise known as "Hoogie" — giving Ian Thorpe a run for the title of world's most dominant male swimmer.

Speaking of Thorpe, he may not be done yet. After winning his third gold medal Tuesday in the 800-meter freestyle relay, the 17-year-old Aussie star skipped the news conference and returned to the practice pool.

The word is: He might just swim another relay for the home team. So this swimming-crazed nation will spend the next three days wondering if there's another gold in the offing.

The Australian men have two straight relay victories over the Americans, who lost the 400 freestyle for the first time Saturday.

"Australia had the momentum after the first night," Gary Hall Jr. said. "We really just stopped them dead in the tracks."

Granted, the U.S. team has rebounded from that shocker to lead the medals race, with six golds and 14 medals overall to four and eight for the home team.

But the Aussies rallied Tuesday with the relay record and Susie O'Neill's triumph in the 200 freestyle.

"Gary Hall says some hard



Tom Hanson/Associated Press

Australian swimmers celebrate their world-record, gold medal win in the 4x200m freestyle relay Tuesday.

things," said William Kirby, who swam the anchor leg. "When he does, we usually come back with a gold. Maybe he will be quiet for another day."

Tom Malchow swam to the gold medal he's longed for since settling for silver at the Atlanta Games four years ago. The St. Paul, Minn., native set an Olympic record in the 200 butterfly.

The U.S. relay team picked up a silver and Cristina Teuscher of New Rochelle, N.Y., added a bronze in the 200 individual medley.

Hall and Neil Walker qualified for Wednesday's final in the 100 freestyle, where Russian star Alexander Popov will try to win his unprecedented third straight gold medal in the event.

But no one — not even the "Thorpedo" — seems able to swim faster than Van den Hoogenband, the Dutchman who seems to have a world record in every stroke.

Having already beaten Thorpe and the Aussies' world record in the 200 freestyle, Van den Hoogenband became

the first man in history to crack 48 seconds in the 100 free, going 47.84 seconds in a semifinal heat.

"Absolutely amazing," Hall said. "I don't know if anyone can catch him."

Oh yeah, Van den Hoogenband anchored the Dutch's bronze-medal team in the 800 relay, turning a faster time on his leg (1 minute, 44.88 seconds) than anyone else for his country's first medal in that event.

Spurred by rousing chants of "Thorpe! Thorpe!" from the 17,500 fans, Thorpe gave the Aussies a commanding lead with a sizzling 1:46.03 off the starting blocks. But he missed a chance to eclipse Van den Hoogenband's record of 1:45.35 in the 200.

The Flying Dutchman's final leg doesn't count as an individual record, but that made it no less impressive. "I'm swimming so fast," he said.

Van den Hoogenband nearly caught the Americans, but Klete Keller touched the wall first by 0.06 of a second to claim silver at 7:12.64.

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# Hawkeyes eager for challenge

**FERENTZ**

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problems and prepare for Iowa. Though Nebraska is almost a seven-touchdown favorite, Ferentz said, the game is a great opportunity for Iowa

because it gets to play in Lincoln, one of the premier places to watch college football, against the top-ranked team in the country. In addition, the game will provide great exposure for Iowa. Ferentz said he and his staff enjoy the challenge of getting ready for big games.

"These are fun games to prepare for," he said. "Heck yeah, it's a great, great challenge for our guys, and you know going in that you have to be at your best to have a chance to win."

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# Romania takes gold; Americans fourth

**GYMNASTICS**

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Amy Chow said. "I think it's their hard work, too." "It's a two-way street," national champion Elise Ray said. "He had a huge part to do with it. Coming out of retirement, that was important to us. But it wouldn't have happened without our desire to succeed."

The desire showed everywhere the gymnasts went Tuesday.

Kristen Maloney stuck the landing on her second vault, threw up her hands and gave a little fist pump.

Teammates rose and rushed to greet 15-year-old Tasha Schwikert after she moved back and forth on the uneven bars with ease, planted her feet firmly on the mat and recorded a 9.675, her best score ever on the apparatus.

The Americans didn't even use that score thanks to Dantzscher, who nailed her routine, smiled broadly toward Karolyi's seat then got a congratulatory "Whoa, baby!" from Ray on her way off the mat.

In between rotations, the Americans huddled up and let out chants of "U-S-A, U-S-A," while dozens of Dantzscher's family members sat at the end of the arena and egged on other U.S. fans.

It was a fun night for the United States. All that was missing was a medal.

It was the team's first shutout since 1988; still, Karolyi and the Americans were spinning this as a success story.

"We're very happy," said Kathy Kelly, the women's program director. "You can't ask much more when they go 20-for-20 and don't have a fall or

major break."

"We came in here with a really good attitude, thinking nothing was impossible," Maloney said. "We wanted to have fun tonight and we did."

Khorkina couldn't say the same, especially after an unfathomable fall from the uneven bars on the second rotation of the night — one that may have been the difference between gold and silver.

She knew her team was too far behind the Romanians as it headed to the last rotation, the floor exercise. So, just as she did in 1996 when the Russians took silver — about the exact time Kerri Strug was vaulting to the gold — she put her head down and wept.

Minutes later, she pranced and tumbled her way to the best floor routine of the night, a 9.787. It wasn't nearly enough.

# International experience aids Leister

**LEISTER**

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"I still need to concentrate on shooting on corners because it's one of the jobs I'm sent out to do," she said. "I'm playing more of a defensive role and doing as much as I can offensively. It's more of a challenge, and I'm hoping I can do a good job."

Leister attributes an added awareness of the game to her

experience on the U.S. under-21 national team last spring.

"I got a lot of international play, and the level of play was excellent," she said. "It was a good experience playing with and against players of equal or greater talent. It was a lot of fun, and I made a lot of friends because we were all going through the process together."

Leister said that when her friends are on the opposition,

they keep their friendship out of the game, but they stay close even after tough games. She also shares a strong bond with her teammates, who, following Sunday's game, went to Whitey's Ice Cream.

"We are very close and get together as much as possible. It's the little things that are important," she said.

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# Buck-Crockett proud of medal

**CROCKETT**

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the heat is just awesome. We always had thousands of people in our crowds, and they just got pumped every time you hit or dug a ball. Even when we were down on points, the crowd was pumping us up to get us back up there. It's very hard to explain.

DI: What were you feeling during the gold-medal match with the Chinese?

RBC: A lot of pain in my leg. I was injured, Flo Hyman was injured, and Debbie Green was injured, so we knew that our big guns were hurt. We were trying to maintain a level of competition that was very hard to maintain against the Chinese. They're always good, and we're always good. It just so happens they caught us on a bad day. We beat them in the first round then had some injuries during the Olympics, and that cost us in the gold-

medal match.

DI: What was it like standing on the podium for the awards ceremony, seeing the flag raised but not hearing the "Star Spangled Banner?"

RBC: I didn't think about that at all. A silver medal means you're one of the top two teams in the world. For me, that means we lost in the gold-medal match, but we didn't lose a gold medal. We never had one to begin with. China was an awesome team, and they beat us. We were an awesome team, and we beat everyone else. I held my head high, and I'm very proud of it.

DI: What was your favorite part of being an Olympian?

RBC: You can't really put your finger on one thing. You get to see other top athletes in the world and watch them. You get to take pictures with them. Everyone there is a celebrity. It was a boost for your self-esteem in a way. The opening

ceremonies were unbelievable, not to mention the closing ceremonies. Everything there was like you would read about in a story book. It's not real, it's a fairy tale.

DI: Some athletes give their medals to relatives or others. Do you still have yours?

RBC: (Laughing) Of course I still have it. It's in a safe place, and my players have already asked to see it. I haven't brought it yet, but I will. I worked too hard for it — it's mine.

DI: You've had a lot of honors and great experiences in your career. Where do the Olympics rank among them?

RBC: On the very top. Looking at the opening ceremonies brought it all back like it just happened yesterday. In my athletic career, my Olympic experience was No. 1 of all.

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# Inger Miller out of 100 meter

Marion Jones' toughest competition may not run in the Olympics.

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) — Marion Jones' quest for five gold medals at the Sydney Games just got a lot easier.

Inger Miller, second to Jones in the 100 and 200 meters at the U.S. trials and considered one of Jones' chief rivals in both events, will miss the 100 and is questionable for the rest of the games because of an injury.

Caryn Nguyen, a spokeswoman for the HSI track club for which Miller runs, said Tuesday that Miller has pulled out of the 100. She was scheduled to address her status for the rest of the games at a news conference Wednesday morning (Tuesday night CDT).

Karen Dennis, head coach for the U.S. women's team, said Miller was seeking medical advice before deciding whether she had a chance of running in Sydney. In addition to the 100 and 200, she was

supposed to be part of the U.S. 400-meter relay team.

"I know there's a possibility that Inger will not run," Dennis said.

The injury to Miller, a silver medalist in the 100 at the 1999 World Championships, was the latest blow to a U.S. track team that had already lost another athlete with strong possibilities of earning medals in Sydney.

C.J. Hunter, world champion in the shot put and Jones' husband, is out following arthroscopic knee surgery.

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Hiring: \$7.50/hour  
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**TONIGHT ON WB20...**  
**7pm Dawson's Creek**  
**8pm Felicity**  
**WB20 KWKB-TV IOWA CITY**

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	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
<b>HOME ANTENNA</b>												
KGAN	News	Seinfeld	Big Brother	Survivor	48 Hours	News	Letterman		News	Letterman	Paid Prg.	
KWWL	XXVII Summer Olympics: Basketball, Gymnastics, Swimming										News	Olympics
KFXA	Rose	Carey	The Nutty Professor (PG-13, 96) ***		Star Trek: Voyager	3rd Rock	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Rose			
KCRG	News	Home	Behind the Scenes	Carey	Carey	Hopkins 24/7	News	Friends	Home	Nightline		
KIIN	NewsHr.	Cooking	Live From Lincoln Center		Bonhoeffer: Agent of	Grace	Business	Ballykissangel				
KWKB	Unhappily	Sabrina	Dawson's Creek	Felicity	Heart	Date	Heart	Love	Date	Love		
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>												
PUBL	Programming Unavailable										Programming Unavailable	
GOVT	Programming Unavailable										Programming Unavailable	
PAX	Shop	Sweep	Twice in a Lifetime	Touched by Angel	Diagnosis Murder	A Miracle	H'wood	Paid Prg.	Paid Prg.			
LIBR	Programming Unavailable										Programming Unavailable	
EDUC	Programming Unavailable										Programming Unavailable	
UNIV	France	Spanish	It Happened One Night (34) ****		Business	In Iowa	Korean	Greece	France	Italy		
KWOC	XXVII Summer Olympics: Basketball, Gymnastics, Swimming										News	Olympics
WSUI	Programming Unavailable										Programming Unavailable	
SCOLA	Hungary	Quebec	Croatia	China	Cuba	Iran	Korea	Greece	France	Italy		
KSUI	Programming Unavailable										Programming Unavailable	
DISC	Tarantulas & Reels	On the Inside	Raging Planet	Raging Planet	On the Inside	Raging Planet	MacGyver	In the Heat of Night				
WGN	Prince	Full H'se	Dying Young (R, 91) ** (Julia Roberts)	News								
C-SPN	House of Reps.	Prime Time Public Affairs										
UNI	Locura de Amor	Mujeres Enganadas	Laberintos Pasion	Mejores Familias	Impacto	Noticiero	Viviana Medianoche					
C-SPN2	U.S. Senate (3)	Public Affairs										
TBS	Prince	Prince	Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder	Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder						
TWC	Travel	Travel	Atmospheres	Travel	Travel	Travel	Travel	Travel	Travel	Travel		
BRVA	Moonlighting	The Out-of-Towners (G, 70) *			Twitch	Twitch	The Out-of-Towners (G, 70) *					
CNBC	XXVII Summer Olympics (4)	Rivera Live			News/Williams	Business Center	Rivera Live					
BET	106/Park	Hits From Street	Amen	ComicView	BET Live	News	Tonight	Midnight Love				
BOX	Music Videos (5)				Music Videos							
TBN	Religious Special	Behind	C. Doller	Gaither	Van Impe	Praise the Lord		Chironna	Duplantis			
HIST	20th Century	Carlos the Jackal	Military Blunders	Battlefield Eng.	The Wrath of God	Carlos the Jackal						
TNN	Marital Law	O Pioneers! (PG, 92) ** (Jessica Lange)			18 Wheels Justice	Marital Law	Bass	Outdoor				
SPEED	PrixView	Aviation	Oshkosh Fly-In	Ship	Boat	Racing	PrixView	Aviation	Oshkosh Fly-In			
ESPN	Baseball (Live)				Baseball (Live)							
ESPN2	Baseball (Live)				Baseball (Live)							
FOXSP	BB	Chi. Spo.	Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Milwaukee Brewers (Live)		Nat. Sports Report	Sports	Word	Design.				
LIFE	A Matter of Justice (93) ** (Patty Duke, Martin Sheen)				Golden	Golden	Design.					
COM	Daily	Stein	Blankman (PG-13, 94) * (Damon Wayans)	South Pk	BattleBot	Daily	Stein	Man Sh.	South Pk			
EI	Style	Homes	Talk S'p	Myst.	True Hollywood	Celebrity Profile	H. Stern	H. Stern	Wild On ...			
NICK	Arnold!	Rugrats	CatDog	Facts	Gilligan	Brady	Lucy	Hillbillies	AlliFam.	Jeff'sons	Wonder	Laverne
FX	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	NYPD Blue		M*A*S*H	Married	Married	The X Show	The X-Files			
TNT	The Pretender	Murder in the First (R, 95) ** (Christian Slater)			Murder in the First (R, 95) ** (Christian Slater)							
TOON	Scoby	Bravo	puff	Dexter	Duffy	Jerry	F'stone	Scoby	puff	Dexter	Gundam	Dragon
MTV	Real	Real	Karaoke	Karaoke	TRL	Uncensored	Make.	Karaoke	Undress	Sisqo		
VH1	Behind the Music	Behind the Music	The David Cassidy Story **		The David Cassidy Story **							
A&E	Law & Order	Biography	American Justice	Investigative Report	Law & Order	Biography						
ANIM	LiaDog	Animals	Reptiles of Desert	Crocodile Hunter	O'Shea	Contact	Reptiles of Desert	Crocodile Hunter				
USA	JAG: Ghost Ship	Nash Bridges	Cover Me	The Huntress	Str Poker	Marlin	Marlin	Nikita				
<b>PREMIUM CHANNELS</b>												
HBO	Prince of Egypt (5)	REAL Sports	Sex/City	Ari\$S	Oz: Legs	The Corner	C. Rock	Movie				
DIS	Freaky Friday (95) **	Titans	Kids of the Round Table (8:10) (95) **	Heart	Smart	Zorro	Mickey					
MAX	Cruel Intentions	Soldier (7:15) (R, 98) ** (Kurt Russell)	Love Stinks (R, 99) *		Creating the Perfect Man (99)							
STARZ	Movie	One/One	The Best Man (R, 99) ** (Taye Diggs)	Bulletproof (9:05) (R, 96) *	Dog Park (10:35) (R, 98) **							
SHOW	Neil Simon's The ...	In Too Deep (R, 99) **	Boxing	Soul Food	Resurrection Blvd.: (9:45) Pilot	Boxing						

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## calendar

Dialogue and Support for Working and Student Moms Interested in Breastfeeding, today at noon, Room 223, Jessup Hall.

International Writing Program Panel, "Playwriting and the Dialogue Between Language and Action," by Mike Finn, Shivaprakash, Motti Lerner, today at 3 p.m., Gerber Lounge, English-Philosophy Building.

Women and Money Workshop Series, "Putting Your Money Where Your Mind Is: Financial Empowerment & Socially Responsible Investing," today at 6:30 p.m., Iowa City Public Library.

WRAC Information & Referral Advocate Training, today at 6 p.m., Women's Resource and Action Center, 130 N. Madison St.

Student Organization Orientation Meeting, today at 6 p.m., IMU Terrace Room.

Women's Lacrosse informal meeting, today at 8 p.m., IMU Minnesota Room.

## horoscopes

Wednesday, September 20, 2000 by Eugenia Last

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19): Investments made today will be prosperous. You should concentrate on issues that affect your career goals. Your partner may not agree with your decisions. Act on your past experience.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Luck will be yours in financial dealings. Involvement with hospitals or government agencies will turn out to be favorable. Acceptance will be the deciding factor where success is concerned.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Making new friends may not be that easy. Consider their motives, and don't be too eager to let others in on your personal secrets.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22): Help will be yours for the asking. Friends and relatives will gravitate toward you, offering sound advice and any other assistance you may require.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): Opposition from your family is likely if you haven't been honest or reliable in doing your share of the work. Make amends by doing something special for your loved ones.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Romantic opportunities will unfold if you attend big events or travel. Discipline will be the key to getting ahead. Don't let others stand in your way. You should take control of your destiny.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You will be able to make remarkable financial agreements if you are willing to spend a little time putting everything down on paper. You should take time to help the children in your life.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Romance will be possible. Be sure not to lead someone on if you really aren't interested. You can establish good friendships if you take the time to develop them.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Matters pertaining to work will be favorable if you plunge ahead. You must be careful not to offend someone you live with. Don't push your opinions on others. Take what you can get.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You need to test your endurance and get back into shape. You'll feel good if you have taken time to pamper yourself. Plan to participate in activities that involve the youngsters in your life as well.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Expect changes in your home. Moves or the possibility of having someone different living with you may be difficult at first. Sit tight. Things aren't as bad as they appear to be.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): Your temper will be tested if your principles are threatened. Avoid confrontations at group meetings. It's best to help those unable to help themselves.

## The Ledge

- Classes that didn't make the UI's fall course list
- Introduction to Recreational Chemistry
  - Management Strategies in Narcotics Trafficking
  - Intermediate Pig Latin
  - Online Gambling at Iowa
  - Elements of Pornographic Photography
  - Advanced Boozology
  - Principles of Post-Football Game Recklessness
  - Contemporary Uprisings: The American Revolution, the French Revolution and the Sexual Revolution
  - Neurophysiology for Non-Majors
  - Great Alabaman Philosophers
  - Explorations in Romance Novel Writing
  - Nude Ballet II
  - Psychology of Rude Hand Gestures
  - Air Guitar Recital
  - Intermediate French Kissing
  - Modern Break Dancing I
  - Experimental Psychology II: "Under the Influence"
  - Impossible Calculus

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## Crossword

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**ACROSS**

- Prefix with sailing
- They're made of whole cloth
- Holiday music?
- Toward the windless side
- Island
- Sound
- Blue Bonnet product
- Drape holders
- Company once called Allegheny
- Players wear masks for this
- Start of a silly question
- Treeless tract
- Just enough to wet the lips
- Frowning
- Coat with plaster, say
- Witch's laugh
- Question, part 2
- Rose's husband, on Broadway
- Study, and then some
- Question, part 3
- "Whoa, \_"
- Cozy
- Draft letters
- "Yay"
- CNN's Rowland
- End of the question
- 1986 World Series site
- Indian head, once?
- Indian head, once
- Chicken
- Pontificate
- Clearasil target
- Emerald
- 68 59-Across player, in brief
- 69 Devour, in a way

**DOWN**

- Home of L'Express
- Overhead
- Cover the gray again
- "The Boy Who Cried Wolf" writer
- "Doonesbury" cartoonist
- "I understand," facetiously
- Poop out
- Help during hard times
- Shortens a sentence, maybe
- 1973 Pacino blockbuster
- Funny Bishop
- Chalet ship, perhaps
- End of a series
- Pulitzer winner
- Awards since 1956
- French twist, e.g.
- On \_\_\_ with
- Mini, midi or maxi
- 1942 Preakness winner
- "The Silence of the Lambs" director
- Yen
- They may be tossed back
- Multiple of XXXV
- Bambi et al.
- 52 Half of the Odd Couple
- 53 Dorothy, to Em
- 54 Fashion's Karan
- 55 Put a stake in a pool
- 56 \*\*\*\* review
- 57 Ersatz
- 58 Yahoo.com, e.g.
- 59 Hit the slopes
- 60 Holiness the Pope
- 61 It can be shocking

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