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Iowa twists up Michigan State

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Amtrak might hit I.C. by '03

By 2007, two trains may connect UI students to downtown Chicago.

By Eric Coop
The Daily Iowan

Amtrak officials hope a passenger line running from Chicago to Des Moines through Iowa City will be operating by 2003.

The line, to be known as The Hawkeye, will be an attractive traveling option for UI students, many of whom come from the Chicago and Des Moines areas. The trains will have a top speed of 79 mph.

Other stops planned for the Hawkeye are Newton, Grinnell, Davenport and Clinton. The train is also planned to stop in Savannah and Rockford, Ill., before stopping in Chicago.

Chicago will be the regional hub, the place where travelers can be connected to other Amtrak services that will go to major cities around the United States and Canada.

The train through Iowa City will also carry freight as well as mail, which will give business owners more options for shipping goods.

Details need to be worked out
But before service begins, Amtrak must work out several details.

The company must rent railroad space from the Burlington Northern-Santa Fe and the Iowa Interstate Railroads. Currently, the companies are negotiating use fees.

Several railroad ties and crossings must be replaced, and bridge repairs must be completed before passenger rail traffic can start through

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Possible local train service draws raves

Some students say it may mitigate their dependence on friends and family for rides.

By Kellie Doyle
The Daily Iowan

UI freshmen Beth Stringham and Tony Argentino said they sympathize with their parents.

A few times each semester, the students depend on their parents to make a three- to four-hour trip from the Chicago area to Iowa City so they can spend a weekend or long break at home.

A bill the Iowa House plans to introduce this week, however, may cut back on some of this traveling hassle. The proposal would implement Amtrak railroad service along the I-80 corridor — a project that some UI students believe will mean a quicker, less-expensive and more convenient way for them to get around.

"(My parents) would probably like it if I took a train much better than having to come get me," said Stringham, whose hometown is Orland Park, a Chicago suburb. "(The distance) is just long

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Court may pull plug on free Napster

Many local Napster users say they would subscribe to the service.

By Mike McWilliams
The Daily Iowan

Some local users of Napster say they would be interested in subscribing to the popular music-file-sharing Web site if an appellate court shuts down the free service.

The 9th Circuit Court of Appeals in San Francisco is expected to hand down a decision today on the lawsuit brought about by four major record companies. The companies claim that Napster could eventually rob the music

industry of billions of dollars. The court's decision is a response to an appeal made last July by Napster, when a U.S. district judge ordered Napster to shut down pending a trial.

If Napster is forced to cease operating for free, a likely alternative will be for it to establish a subscription-based service that would pay artists royalties.

Bertelsmann AG, the parent company of BMG, bought Napster in October 2000 and has promised to provide funding for Napster if a subscription service is initiated.

The site is popular at the UI. Approximately half of the bandwidth in the dorms is used by students downloading songs from Napster, UI officials have said.

UI freshman Laura Johnson, who uses Napster frequently, said she is upset that the site may be shut down today, but she would be interested in subscribing to Napster if it implemented a subscription-based service.

"I'm definitely disappointed but not shocked or mad about it," she said. "I expected Napster would eventually

shut down, but not this quickly."

Roger Elizondo, an employee at Vibes Music, 119 E. Washington St., and a DJ at the Fieldhouse Restaurant & Bar, 111 E. College St., also said he would subscribe. Napster makes his job as a DJ much easier, he said.

"As long as (subscribing) makes the people who are complaining about Napster happy, then it's fine by me," Elizondo said.

"I love Napster, but if it closes down, it won't really affect me much because there are other places on the Internet to download songs from," he

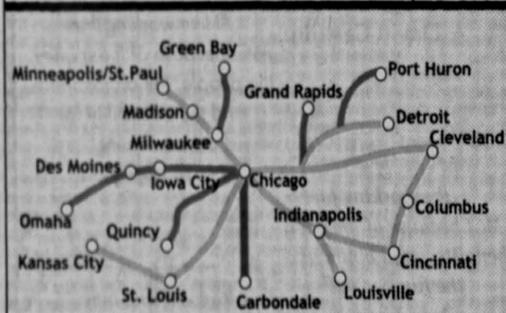
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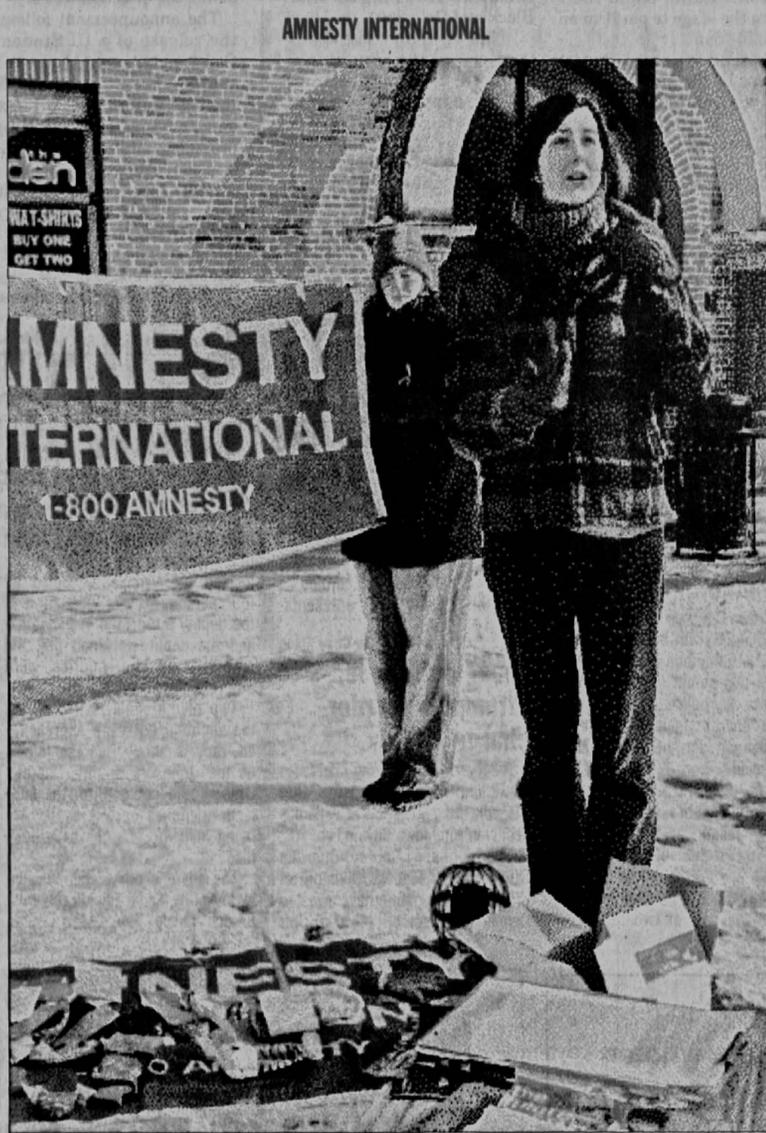
NAPSTER TRIAL

Midwest High-Speed Rail Corridor Initiative

This week the Iowa House will discuss a bill proposing a Midwest High-Speed Rail Corridor. If passed, officials plan to build the route by 2007.



Source: www.amtrak.com



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Audra Slocum, the president of the UI chapter of Amnesty International, speaks on the Pedestrian Mall Sunday afternoon about the group's campaign against the torture of children. Slocum said the purpose of the group is not just to make people aware of the torture but to take action. The hats and mittens on the ground were donations collected from the Quaker Meeting House and used to symbolize tortured children. They will be donated to the Children's Youth Center.

Relay for Life celebrates cancer survivors

The event that raised more than \$165,000 strengthens family bonds.

By Mary Johnson
The Daily Iowan

Doris Ruth was laughing and joking with her family during Relay for Life on Feb. 10.

On Tuesday, the day she turns 61, she's scheduled to receive her next chemotherapy treatment for the breast cancer she was diagnosed with five months ago.

A total of 32 of Ruth's friends and family members formed a team to support her at the Feb. 10 event at the UI Recreational

Building. The team was one of 100 teams that helped raise more than \$165,000 for cancer research.

"Funding cancer research is not only important to me as an individual but to everyone here," Ruth said.

According to the event rules, at least one person out of each group must be walking during the 12-hour event to fulfill promises made to donors. At the indoor track, more than 1,000 participants filled the building's floor with several "moral centers" for walkers to take breaks in between laps. During breaks, walkers generally took time to eat, rest, or

watch the day's events. The UI Hospitals and Clinics and Mercy Hospital also provided floor exhibits to promote cancer awareness.

Ruth said Relay for Life gives her the opportunity to meet people with the same medical diagnosis.

"It's very pleasing to be able to talk to people who were sick 15 years ago and still surviving," she said. "It gives me hope."

Jeanie Morsch, Ruth's daughter, said her mother's first months of treatments were difficult to handle. When Ruth is not involved with chemotherapy, Morsch takes

her 10-month-old daughter, Carlin, to visit her grandmother. Morsch said she feels the contact between Ruth and Carlin is the best medicine for her.

Morsch arrived at 9:30 a.m. with Carlin in her arms. The Coralville resident said most of the family either donated time or money for the relay.

"As time goes on, our faith does grow," she said. "But our family still wanted to come to the relay and spend what time they had left together."

At 4 p.m., Ruth, her team and the other participants rested during the Celebrity

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Nick Tremmel/The Daily Iowan
UI juniors April Rotert and Audra Anderson walk in the Relay for Life on Feb. 10 in the UI Recreation Building.

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CITY

Miss Black and Gold shines

■ Eight UI students competed in the event, which pays homage to black women.

By Peter Boylan
The Daily Iowan

Eight UI women competed for the Miss Black and Gold crown at the IMU on Feb. 10, but the pageant wasn't about good looks.

"This event is the furthest thing from a beauty pageant," said Theron Lowrey II, one of Alpha Phi Alpha's four local active members. "It's an event to pay homage to the black women and their personality and charisma."

"The judges do not have beauty down as one of the criteria for the contestants."

The event, conducted nationally by every chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha, marked the 14th anniversary of the pageant at the UI. UI sophomore Kimberly Stevenson was crowned the winner.

The eight contestants — UI students between the ages of 17 and 20 hailing from as far away as Toledo, Ohio, to as close as Waterloo — worked together for months preparing for the festivities.

"We've clicked as a group," said UI sophomore Tiffany Bradley, 19, of Des Moines. "All eight of us have come together."

"We're behind each other 100 percent," said Yolanda Davis, a UI freshman from Waterloo. "We are all princesses and queens in our own right."

Contestants entered the IMU second-floor ballroom dressed in ornate feathered masks as a solemn chant resonated in the background. A spotlight illuminated the women as the emcee introduced them as the spiritual embodiments of prominent black women such as Wilma



Kim Kennedy/The Daily Iowan

Kim Humbles, mother of second runner up TaLisa Humbles, shares a hug with Miss Black and Gold 2001 Kimberly Stevenson on Feb. 10 at the IMU.

Rudolph and Bessie Coleman.

Following the introductions, the contestants made their way to the stage to perform an ensemble dance.

The dance was immediately followed by the introduction of each contestant. Then, they delivered their personal mission statements.

During the talent segment, Stevenson read and acted out a poem she wrote regarding her African-American feminine pride. At the conclusion of the talent segment, the contestants donned their favorite

evening wear and met the judges for an impromptu question-and-answer session. Then came the crowning of Miss Black and Gold 2001.

"This is a very big deal," said crowd member Ronni Caldwell, a friend of many of the participants. "It's one of the few events we have here for young African-American females to meet people and showcase their abilities. I love coming here; it's for black people by black people."

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UI considers alcohol-free venue

■ An official says the UI will hold meetings on alcohol-free possibilities for downtown.

By Pam Dewey
The Daily Iowan

A UI official said he will send 40 letters to local government officials, private business leaders and students, inviting them to attend meetings to discuss the possibility of creating an alcohol-free venue downtown.

We're thrilled that some effort (to provide more late-night activities) has been made already.

effort (to provide more late-night activities) has been made already," he said. "We're also looking forward to the progress that is being made with the university and the community."

One site the UI is considering for the possible downtown venue is the Old Capitol Town Center because of the space available, Jones said.

But one local business owner said it's not the UI's responsibility to offer an alcohol-free venue. "I agree with the Mayor (Ernie Lehman) — (more alcohol-free businesses) should come from the private sector," said Dave Full,

the owner of Planet X Family Fun Center, 115 Highway 1 W. "I think the university should encourage some other alternatives."

If business owners take the initiative, he said, it would help take some pressure off the community in dealing with underage and binge drinking. The UI should focus on other options, such as the remodeling of the IMU currently in the works, he said. As a business owner, Full said he doesn't want the UI as a competitor any more than it already is with sporting events and other activities.

Ultimately, Linn said, the fight to curb underage and binge drinking at the UI must be an "across-the-board effort" involving the city, university, business owners and students.

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Phillip Jones, the UI vice president for Student Services, said the meetings should be held sometime this month. There will probably be at least two meetings, he said, because the UI wants to hear a wide range of opinions.

Jones declined to offer specifics, saying it's too early to tell, but the venue would offer some form of alcohol-free entertainment.

"We will explore the possibilities in collaboration with the city and private business owners," he said. "What comes out of these sessions will define the direction we go."

The announcement follows the release of a UI Student Government survey last week that showed students think the best way to combat binge and underage drinking is by providing late-night, alcohol-free alternatives.

UISG Vice President Chris Linn said his group is very happy with the way the UI has responded to the drinking-survey results.

"We're thrilled that some

CITY BRIEFS

Local man allegedly assaults girlfriend

After allegedly assaulting his girlfriend, an Iowa City man may be turned over to Illinois authorities for an outstanding warrant there.

Troy Maurice Salter, 19, 2709 Wayne Ave., was charged with domestic assault causing injury on Feb. 9.

Salter allegedly attacked his girlfriend at 12:34 p.m., leaving redness on her cheekbone, said police Sgt. Brian Krei. The victim's name was not released.

"He choked and punched his girlfriend several times whom he was living with, but has no relation to her," Krei said.

A warrant had been issued for Salter's arrest in Cook County, Ill., for a stolen vehicle, Krei said.

There is no bail set in Iowa; Salter is being held in the Johnson County

Jail. He will have an extradition hearing either today or Tuesday to determine whether he will be sent to Illinois.

— by Tony Robinson

Area woman charged with child endangerment

An Iowa City woman was arrested and charged with child endangerment with serious injury Sunday after a two-month investigation by the Iowa City police.

The charge against Shannasey Kay Gannon, 21, of 2533 Nevada Ave., stems from a Dec. 7, 2000 incident in which her 7-month-old child suffered a broken humerus.

Police responded to a call on Dec. 7 at 236 Blackfoot Trail at 6:30 p.m. Gannon had left her three children, ages 4 years, 2 years, and 7 months old, in the care of two people —

including a 15-year-old male — on the night of Dec. 7, said police Sgt. Kevin Heick.

Heick did not know whether Gannon's two other children also suffered injuries.

Gannon is being held on \$5,000 bond, and her preliminary hearing is set for 8 a.m. today, according to Johnson County Jail representatives.

— by Chao Xiong

Local man faces attempted murder charge

A 21-year-old Iowa City man faces an attempted-murder charge after allegedly firing gun shots at a sheriff's deputy in rural Iowa City on Feb. 10.

The Johnson County Sheriff's Office and the Iowa Division of Criminal Investigation have arrested Dennis Jay Seeman of 3740 Taft

Ave. According to reports from the sheriff's office, the shooting occurred on Taft Avenue just south of Herbert Hoover Highway.

Sheriff's records show the deputy was responding to a report of a suspicious vehicle. The deputy located the vehicle, occupied by four persons. Shots were fired at the deputy during the investigation and the deputy returned fire, the reports said. No injuries were reported.

Two of the subjects fled during the shooting but were apprehended, reports show. Representatives of the Johnson County Sheriff's Office could not confirm the subjects' identities or where they are being held. No charges have been filed.

The sheriff's office was assisted by Iowa City, Cedar Rapids and West Branch police, the Cedar County

Sheriff's Office and the Iowa Highway Patrol.

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JUMPING FOR LIFE



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Jenny Sexton and Olivia and Samuel Brookhart play at Relay for Life on Feb. 10 at the UI Recreation Building.

Fires under investigation

■ Passers-by rescue six children from Iowa City fire.

By Megan L. Eckhardt
The Daily Iowan

Firefighters tamed two fires at homes in Iowa City last weekend, but the cause of both blazes is still undetermined.

Seven people escaped a fire that broke out Feb. 10 at 1023 Highland Ave. when passers-by spotted flames.

Iowa City residents Marty and Leanne Jacobs phoned 911 around 8 p.m. after seeing flames leaping from the front window of the house. Marty Jacobs then knocked on the back door of the house to rouse inhabitants, including renter Robert Rogers and six children, Leanne Jacobs said.

Rogers exited the house through an upstairs window and then re-entered to lift the children to Marty Jacobs through a basement window, Jacobs said. The couple then put the children in their van until rescue vehicles arrived at the scene.

"It was a state of shock ... I'd never come across that driving or walking before," Leanne Jacobs said. "I think we just happened to come by at the right time."

The cause of the blaze is under investigation by the



Scott Morgan/The Daily Iowan

Burned out furniture sits on the lawn of 1023 Highland Ave. after a fire on Feb. 10. Damage to the house was estimated at \$50,000.

Iowa City Fire Department; it was extinguished in approximately one hour, Battalion Chief Elmer Brenneman said in his report.

No injuries were reported but two children were taken by a private vehicle to a hospital to be examined.

The total loss was \$50,000, according to the Fire Department. The house also suffered severe smoke and water damage throughout, said Robert Maske, son of owner Leo Maske.

The owner is unsure how much of the damages his insurance company will cover but he intends to rebuild, Robert Maske said.

A second fire at the home of

the James Croker family, 6 Warwick Circle, was reported Sunday morning.

The Iowa City Fire Department responded at approximately 11 a.m. and found smoke seeping from the front door of the house. The four inhabitants safely exited the house before rescue vehicles arrived at the scene. No injuries were reported.

The cause and origin of the fire is under investigation by the fire department, said Acting Battalion Chief John Grier. Damages were undetermined.

The Croker family could not be reached for comment.

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Losing streak doesn't hamper Hawk hoop-la

■ Fans are disappointed by two close losses but have not given up on the men's basketball team yet.

By Peter Boylan
The Daily Iowan

UI senior Travis Beecher knows what's been wrong with the men's basketball team over the past week.

"Iowa is undefeated when I wear my yellow Hawkeye T-shirt," said Beecher, a life-long Hawkeye fan from Fort Dodge. "I've been in Arizona for the last two games and forgot to bring it along. I believe we'll be back on track once I wear my yellow T-shirt again."

He is one of many Hawkeye basketball fans who hopes the once-promising team hasn't derailed.

Ten days ago, the Hawkeyes were perched atop the Big Ten with a 6-2 conference record and a 17-4 overall record. The

loss of leading scorer Luke Recker to a hair-line fracture in his knee had not yet resulted in defeat.

Then came a one-point home loss on Feb. 7 to the Ohio State Buckeyes. And then the Hawks suffered a loss at the hands of the lowly Northwestern Wildcats, who earned their first Big Ten victory in two years when they knocked off the Hawkeyes on Feb. 10.

With the loss to Northwestern, Iowa looks to drop out of the top 25 for the first time in almost two months. Some fans have found the new brand of Recker-less basketball frustrating to watch.

"I think that losing to Northwestern wasn't great," said UI junior Brendan Huck. "They're coping with Recker's loss poorly."

But fans have not given up on the squad yet. Many have rallied around the Hawks and have viewed their recent

decline as a need for further fan support.

"They'll turn it around," said Jake Wilson, a UI senior. "I think Iowa has pretty loyal fans who will stick with them. They recognize that they've got a pretty talented basketball team."

Iowa has a Valentine's date with the Michigan Wolverines before heading to East Lansing to play the fourth-ranked Michigan State Spartans. After the MSU contest, the team has four conference games before the Big Ten tournament.

The rest of the season will be exciting to watch, if nothing else, fans said.

"I think the rest of the season will be interesting," said Joel Wilcox, the provost of the Web ISIS Project. "Will they win a national championship? No. I'm more interested in them as students and as people."

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Clinton speech a mistake, firm says

■ The head of Morgan Stanley says the company should not have invited the ex-president to talk.

Associated Press

NEW YORK — The president of Morgan Stanley has told clients it was a mistake to invite former President Bill Clinton to speak at a company conference last week, a company executive said Sunday.

Chairman Philip J. Purcell said the decision to invite Clinton did not receive the proper review within the investment firm, Judy Hitchen, Morgan Stanley Dean Witter's vice president of communications, said in a telephone interview.

"We should have been far more sensitive to the strong feelings of our clients over Mr. Clinton's personal behavior as president," Purcell wrote in an e-mail message. "We should have thought twice before the speaking invitation was extended."

"Our failure to do so was particularly unfortunate in light of Mr. Clinton's actions in leaving the White House," he added.

Clinton has come under fire for pardoning billionaire fugitive Marc Rich and for accepting thousands of dollars worth of gifts. Clinton has stuck by his decision to pardon Rich, but he has returned several of the gifts.

Morgan Stanley Dean Witter acknowledged last week that it received several phone calls from customers irate that Clinton spoke at the company's annual High Net Worth conference, which was held this year in Boca Raton, Fla. Clinton was paid between \$100,000 to \$150,000 for his first speech since leaving office. It was closed to the press and the public.

"I fully understand why you are upset that former President Clinton spoke at one of our conferences," Purcell wrote. "We clearly made a mistake."

Purcell's comments were initially reported by the *New York Times*.

Hitchen said the majority of the complaints that led to Purcell's e-mail came from consumers rather than major financial firms.

Clinton spokeswoman Julia Payne Sunday referred calls to Joe Lockhart, Clinton's former press secretary, who attended the conference.

Lockhart, who left the White House last fall, criticized Purcell's comments. He said Clinton was given a warm reception, and many of the people who attended "came up and thanked him for the last eight years."

Legislature seeks budget solution

■ Facing a \$160 million shortfall, lawmakers must devise plans for teacher salaries, tax cuts and child protection.

By Ken Thomas
Associated Press

DES MOINES — A projected shortfall in revenues has raised budget concerns at the Statehouse as lawmakers craft plans for such priorities as teacher salaries, tax cuts and child protection.

The Legislature expects to continue work this week on the state's proposed \$5 billion budget. Underlying its planning is a budget shortfall that officials estimate at \$160 million for this year and a new reality imposed after lawmakers and Gov. Tom Vilsack agreed last week on a \$100 million tax cut on utilities.

Majority Republicans said budget committees would continue to look for areas to tighten spending. But no one is suggesting across-the-board cuts yet.

"We have not laid out any plans — we haven't set our feet into concrete on anything," House Majority Leader Christopher Rants, R-Sioux

City, said. "We're going through the whole process for evaluating."

Democrats have raised concerns that the tax cut — placing a two-month freeze on sales taxes on utilities and phasing out the tax by 2007 — would dry up resources for education and child-protection measures.

The tax cut exacerbated the budget picture after January tax revenues showed flat growth and projections of a \$160 million shortfall in revenue for the current budget year. The questions also linger for the next budget year, which the Legislature expects to approve before finishing its work in April.

House Democratic Leader Dick Myers, D-Coralville, led a chorus of criticism last week questioning whether majority Republicans would risk \$40 million set aside for an overhaul of the state's teacher pay system.

The proposal would tie the pay structure to continuing education for teachers and student achievement. The plan is expected to cost more than \$100 million over several years, but the spending details are still under discussion.

"I want to see some evidence

that the so-called priority has not become a competitor as far as other issues in the budget are concerned," Myers said.

Rants called Democrats the "ultimate pessimists" and said Republicans would honor their commitment to the teacher-pay plan.

"All this wringing of hands and nervousness on their part is nothing more than partisan attempts to try to drive our agenda," he said. "We've got our agenda, and we're going to keep marching our way through it."

Democrats have also raised concern about an \$8 million initiative to provide more child-protection workers and supervisors after the beating death last year of a Spirit Lake toddler.

On taxes, Democrats said they will drag out debate on significant tax reductions and demand that GOP leaders show areas in state government where cut backs will be made to balance the books.

"We have to put the brakes on if we're going to preserve our priorities and move the state forward toward a better economic future," said Sen. Mark Shearer, D-Washington. "You just can't put everything on hold and say 'Iowa's going to be OK.'"

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Eyes Palestinians face reality of Sharon

■ Five months of violence have left many Palestinians wondering if peace with Israel is possible.

By Laura King
Associated Press

AIDA REFUGEE CAMP, West Bank — Before last week's Israeli election, Mahmoud Alayan — like most of his Palestinian neighbors in this ramshackle hillside refugee camp — liked to say that it made no difference whether Ehud Barak or Ariel Sharon was chosen as prime minister.

But as the reality of Sharon's landslide victory sinks in, he and other Palestinians are

beginning to acknowledge that fundamental realities have changed — some to their detriment, some perhaps to their eventual advantage.

Israel says Barak's far-reaching peace proposals are now off the negotiating table. Among some Palestinians, there is growing introspection about whether nearly five months of violence have brought them anything but suffering.

"Who needs more bloodshed?" said the 70-year-old Alayan, dressed in a traditional long Arab robe and white headdress, leaning against a cracked concrete wall for support as he spoke. "I hope to God we can stop all this fighting."

Publicly, the Palestinians

are insisting that any new peace talks under Sharon pick up where they left off — with Barak's previous offers of shared sovereignty of Jerusalem and a Palestinian state encompassing 95 percent of the West Bank and virtually all the Gaza Strip.

Both Barak and Sharon — with the backing of President Bush — say that's impossible. Some Palestinian officials are saying privately that they do not really expect Israel to soften its stance, and they may simply have to wait out the Sharon administration, however long it may last.

Such an impasse could set the stage for an escalation in the level of daily violence. In the first days after Sharon's election, a little-known

Palestinian group set off a car bomb in a devoutly religious Jerusalem neighborhood, a fierce gun battle broke out near the West Bank town of Ramallah, and Islamic militants burned a Sharon effigy and threatened new attacks.

"There is absolutely no chance to negotiate with Sharon — we must not waste our time even thinking about that," said Marwan Barghouti, a leader of the Tanzim militia movement in the West Bank town of Ramallah.



Letteris Pitarakis/Associated Press
Palestinian refugee Mahmoud Alayan, 70, sits in the Aida refugee camp in the West Bank town of Bethlehem on Feb. 10.

In Fox's village, poverty rules

■ On the eve of President Bush's visit, the Mexican leader's meager pay for his workers draws fire.

By Niko Price
Associated Press

SAN CRISTOBAL, Mexico — When President Bush comes to this village baked by dust and sun Friday, he will see newly planted grass, freshly painted walls and gleaming telephone poles that soon will connect San Cristobal to the world.

What he is unlikely to see are the village's poor peasants and the bleak choice they have long lived with: work for the family of President Vicente Fox for subsistence wages or cross illegally into the United States to try to make their fortune.

Illegal immigration is expected to figure at the top of the agenda when Fox and Bush meet on the U.S. president's first foreign trip. It would be hard to find a more appropriate place to discuss it.

Rita Cruz, 23, said almost all the men in San Cristobal are either in the United States or have spent years there. Seven of her nine brothers are there, as are two uncles and countless cousins.

"There are no men here, only little boys," she said. "You can find work, but it pays very little. They leave with the hope of coming back with some money so they can do something here."

It's hard to do much with the wages paid by the Fox family, which is pretty much the only employer in town. Laborers currently make about \$8 a day, better than in many rural communities in Mexico, but hardly

a living. Ausencio Nila, 80, sat in front of his house holding a cowboy hat and a warped wooden cane. He is crippled by rheumatism, he says, from more than 40 years of working in the fields of the Fox family.

Six years ago, when he could no longer walk, he said he asked his boss — Fox's brother, Jose — whether he could retire.

"He told me I was a day laborer, and he couldn't help me in any way," Nila said.

His boss eventually agreed to give him \$9 a week as a pension.

"God is very powerful, and that's why my wife and I are still alive. And because of my three children in the United States," he said. "They're the reason I have this house, because with the miserable pay from the boss ..."

NATION & WORLD BRIEFS

Florida retires Confederate flag

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (AP) — The Confederate flag that has flown at the Florida Capitol since 1978 has been removed.

The flag was retired quietly Feb. 2, in contrast to the uproar in other states over the Confederate flag, which some say symbolizes Southern heritage but others contend represents slavery.

"The governor believes that most Floridians would agree that the symbols of Florida's past should not be displayed in a manner that may divide Floridians today," Gov. Jeb Bush's spokeswoman Katie Baur said in a statement.

Last month, the Georgia Legislature

approved a new state flag that is dominated by a gold state seal. The previous flag, with the Confederate emblem, is depicted among five tiny flags from Georgia's history along the bottom of the banner.

In July, South Carolina removed the Confederate flag from its Statehouse after pressure from a boycott led by the NAACP. And voters in Mississippi will decide in an April referendum whether to retain the current flag's design, which incorporates the Confederate emblem.

Dozens of whales beached in Japan

TOKYO (AP) — Fifty melon-headed whales ran ashore Sunday on a beach near Tokyo, and about 20 died despite efforts by surfers to turn

them back to sea.

The whales were among a group of 300 that appeared off the coast of Japan. The whales measured about 8-feet-long and weighed about 352 pounds on average, said Akihiro Iwakami, an official of Oarai Aquarium in Ibaraki state.

Twenty-eight of the surviving whales went back to sea. The aquarium took the remaining two.

Surfers and local residents found the whales ashore on Hasaki beach, about 54 miles east of Tokyo, early Sunday, Iwakami said.

Officials are investigating why the whales came to Japan, Iwakami said. They usually are found farther south, close to the Philippines.

About 50 whales ran ashore on a beach near Hasaki in 1990, he said.

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VIEWPOINTS

Quoteworthy

This event is the furthest thing from a beauty pageant.

— Theron Lowrey II of Alpha Phi Alpha, on the Miss Black and Gold Pageant, held on Feb. 10.

POLICIES

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EDITORIAL

Nike vs. Students Against Sweatshops, Round 2 ... SAS: Might makes right?

In the war between Nike and the anti-capitalists, the anti-capitalists portray themselves as moral crusaders who protect human rights. Unfortunately, their crusade looks more like the Chinese Cultural Revolution and is threatening the most fundamental of human rights — free speech.

The anti-capitalists, known locally as Students Against Sweatshops, claim that the First Amendment is so strong it makes them immune from trespassing charges. Consistently applied, that means that property rights should crumble before another person's right to free speech. However, when politically incorrect people associated with Nike decide to use the First Amendment, the right to free speech becomes meaningless.

Nike is routinely criticized in public forums. In response, Nike representatives point out that

The anti-capitalists appear to prefer coercion to public discourse.

they often make life better for the people they indirectly employ.

Normally, the ethics implemented by Nike would be a topic for open debate. However, the anti-capitalists appear to prefer coercion to public discourse. Over the last year, anti-capitalist Mark Kasky has led a court fight under a plea of "false advertising" to punish Nike for defending itself in public forums. Nike and its opposition are engaged in the same types of speech. However, Kasky's attorneys have argued that, unlike its opposition, Nike's speech is commercial speech that does not deserve First Amendment protection.

This tactic has shown the

anti-capitalist forces to be more like Maoists than humanitarians. Their goal is not to protect individual rights, but to impose an ultra-leftist worldview upon others through force. Their position of "free speech for me, but not for thee" is chilling.

Fortunately, the anti-capitalists led by Kasky have not been successful. The First Amendment protected Nike before both lower courts. As the case goes before the California Supreme Court, Nike has gained a powerful new ally. The ACLU has filed an amicus brief in support of Nike's position.

If the anti-capitalists want to make a positive difference in the long run, they should put rights before coercive politics. At the very least, the local anti-capitalists should publicly oppose the lawsuit against Nike and defend the First Amendment.

James Edward Johnson is a *DI* editorial writer.



Essential techniques for Valentine romance

Amid the grueling 365-day stretch that is our year, it is perhaps convenient that a mandatory 24-hour lovefest observed by millions each Feb. 14 has been thrown in.

For couples, there are many Valentine's Day requirements to follow, but perhaps most important is The Date. This rule, I expect, will soon be made into law by Congress or some other governmental body. Until then, it's just an unwritten but well-understood code.

It's tricky business, though, and the success of one's Valentine's Day often hinges upon proper execution of the dinner/movie or other exotic

nighttime combo. God forbid, after all, that you end up spending the holiday as you did last year, or on that damn Valentine's Day '92.

Here are a few holiday dating tips, then, for guys and gals to keep in mind as they head out to seduce each other this week ...

Guys

• **Skip the flowers.** Let's face it — girls just don't like flowers as much as men do, so why bother? Besides, under rational circumstances, how often would you spend over \$25 on something that will wither and decay in a matter of days?

• **Dress casually.** On the big night out, forget the tie or sweater. You'd end up looking like every other schmuck in the joint anyway, and women love a guy with self-confidence and a sense of individualism. In other words, this is the perfect time to wear your "J. Geils Band Tour '84" T-shirt that's been neglected

for so long. I can guarantee that your female companion will be at a loss for words.

• **Let her pay.** If one thing is certain, it's that women love picking up the tab for everything. Whether it's a fancy dinner for two, a couple of movie tickets, or a few souvenirs along the way, girls just can't resist paying the entire costs. Allow your date the pleasure of doing this on Valentine's Day, and she will be overwhelmed with excitement.

• **Try something new.** Nothing spells romance like a dramatic shift in routine, so this is the time to do something wild and ambitious. If your date is a strict vegetarian, for example, order her a pound

of rare, bloody sirloin just to "shake things up." She'll love it!

• **Mark your territory.** Women seem to find it cute when men display basic animalistic instincts from time to time. When in public, then, be sure to grunt or growl at other men and urinate around your restaurant seats to ensure that no other males invade your turf.

• **Show up drunk.** What better way is there to spend an evening than in an obnoxiously intoxicated state? After your date gazes into your bleary, reddened eyes, inhales the alcohol fumes from your breath, and listens to your gracefully slurred

speech, she will be yours forever.

Girls

• **Don't talk about sports with your date.** Quite simply, men are not interested in this subject, so save your speech about Dikembe Mutombo's rebounding prowess or the Washington Redskins' salary cap dilemmas for another day.

• **Take extended restroom breaks.** If you happen to be on a double date or a female friend is present, the two of you should follow each other to the bathroom to stay for indefinite periods of time. Nothing thrills men more than fidgeting and watching the time go by as their dates converse about every imaginable subject behind the doors of a bathroom. Go for it.

• **Complain about the quality of any gifts you receive.** So he gave you a \$100 necklace. Why, you

must ask, wasn't it a \$500 one? What sort of cheapstake is this guy, anyway? Don't ask this to yourself — ask him. Remember, meanwhile, that a dozen roses just doesn't cut it anymore. If he presents you with any fewer than 36 flowers, dispose of them immediately.

• **Bring another guy along.** Your date will be impressed with your introduction of a competitive element to the event, and you will expand your options in the meantime. As the two of them talk football and crack dirty jokes, you can sit back and ogle them. This is a win-win situation.

Yes, using any of these romantic tactics will make a Valentine's Day dinner memorable for you and your companion. On such an occasion, there's nothing better than having a few "sure-fire" techniques to use en route to success. Enjoy.

Jesse Ammerman is a *DI* columnist. His columns generally appear on Mondays.



JESSE AMMERMAN

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Examine Nike's record

The recent guest opinion by Nike in the *DI* (Feb. 7) has prompted me to ask a lot of questions. Questions that I think we all should be asking.

• If Nike were so willing to work with a recognized union and to support the rights of these workers, why has it only let 70 of the 850 workers that were fired and subsequently beat up back to work? And why did it force the workers to sign with a union the workers themselves did not choose before it would allow them back to work? This doesn't seem like the "concern for the workers" Nike has reported it holds.

• Why has its Verite monitoring organization representatives tried to restrict workers from entering the factory?

• Where has Nike's partner in crime, the Fair Labor Association (FLA), been since the workers were fired on Jan. 12? And why was its only statement a mirror of that we've seen recently from Nike, while the director of the Worker Rights Consortium got on the next plane to

Mexico to see how he could help the plight of these workers?

• And perhaps the most important question: Why are we all sitting back and letting our university get away with supporting companies such as Nike and the FLA that only pay lip service to the rights of workers across the world? Why aren't we asking Mary Sue Coleman and Phil Knight to reinstate workers under fair and safe working conditions without further threats of hospitalization and firings?

Sherene Judah
UI junior
Students Against Sweatshops

Letter writer shouldn't promote censorship

There are a few things that need to be said regarding James F. Tracy's letter to the editor, "An opinion page is not a place for free advertisements" (Feb. 8). I find it humorous that every time something is written that goes against the agenda of Students Against

Sweatshops and is published by the *DI*, SAS claims the *DI*'s "editorial integrity" has been "jeopardized." Isn't allowing people to voice their opinions and say what they want, no matter how much someone else may disagree, the purpose of the Viewpoints page? According to Tracy's reasoning, the *DI*'s publishing of previous SAS letters and guest opinions would also be "jeopardizing" its "editorial integrity." I wonder why Tracy hasn't written to complain about that?

Nike, just as everyone else, has the right to defend its actions. Nike does have a licensing agreement with the UI and thus has a vested interest in the UI and is a part of the "UI community." Nike shouldn't be prohibited from telling its side of the story just because it is a company.

Regarding Tracy's comment about Nike "seducing" newspapers "in order to prop up its sagging image," it seems SAS is doing the exact same thing by trying to promote its agenda through the Viewpoints page. His statement that Nike couldn't

get a UI student to defend its policies wasn't exactly true, either. Obviously Nike didn't look hard enough because all it needed to do was to give me a call, and I would have

gladly written something for FREE.

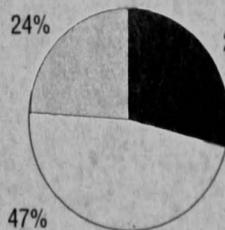
Oh, because Tracy said that Nike needs to stop "advertising" in the *DI* because it has "interests quite distinct from UI students and the Iowa

City community in general," why doesn't he listen to his own advice and do the same?

Steve Goodall
UI freshman

Viewpoints Web Poll

2-5-01: How will the Hawkeye men's basketball team fare without Luke Recker, its leading scorer?



- The team will be lost without him.
- The team will probably win and lose about the same number of games.
- It doesn't matter. The Hawkeyes are still the best team ever.

This week: Should the UI cancel classes for inclement weather, as ISU and UNI have done recently?

A. Definitely!

B. No Way!

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On the SPOT

How long will the Hawkeye men's basketball team's losing streak last?



"They'll win the next one."

Chad Hines
UI freshman



"Until Luke Recker returns."

Kristina Exline
UI junior



"Not very long."

Jerry Barton
UI sophomore



"Not long at all. They'll win on Wednesday."

Lindsay Hove
UI junior



"I didn't realize that there was a losing streak."

Joel Rickard
UI junior

ARTS

& entertainment

Q: What was Forrest Gump's (Tom Hanks) favorite drink?

These Old Broads

7 p.m. on KCRG

Shirley MacLaine, Debbie Reynolds, Elizabeth Taylor and Joan Collins wink at their pasts in this 2001 TV-movie about three Hollywood has-beens (Taylor plays their agent) who are back in the limelight.

A: Dr. Pepper

Writing in the posthumous present

■ Marvin Bell, Iowa's first poet laureate, will read from his newest collection of poems today.

By Darby Harn
The Daily Iowan

Today, Marvin Bell, Iowa's first poet laureate, will be in Room 101, Biology Building East, doing that time-honored Iowa City tradition: the Reading.

Bell has held the position of Flannery O'Connor Professor of Letters in the Iowa Writers' Workshop since 1986 and has been a regular member of the faculty there since 1965.

Bell will read from his recently published collection *Nightworks: Poems 1962-2000*. The book is a collection of

poems Bell selected from his 15 previous books and is the first major such collection of his four decades' worth of poetry.

His poems deal with the themes of love and death. They track across his work in ever-changing and innovative ways, always with a charming and plain-spoken diction "that doesn't scare you away with its density," said Ben Joy, an employee at Prairie Lights who is familiar with Bell's work. However, though the poems aren't dense, each is full of images and ideas. He cited one poem in the collection that exemplifies this, a sonnet-length poem to his wife, "To Dorothy", the first lines of

which follow:

*You are not beautiful, exactly.
You are beautiful, inexactly.*

Bell's voice is big-hearted and jazzy in its nature, Joy said. His voice is truly American; he has written and lived through constantly changing times.

READING Marvin Bell

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Bell has a large collection of accolades: He won the Lamont Award from the American Academy of Poets, fellowships from the Guggenheim Foundation and the National Endowment of the Arts, and his collection *Stars Which See, Stars Which Do Not See* was a finalist for the National Book Award in 1977. Bell has read at the

White House, the Guggenheim Museum and the Library of Congress.

Bell says the honorary Iowa poet laureate position he was appointed to last year has no set duties, and he'll continue to do as he's always done.

"That is, I try to be accessible, and to talk turkey about poetry," he told *The Daily Iowan*.

Through his writing, Bell is continuously breaking new ground. *Nightworks* features further poems of the Dead Man, a character from a 1994 book of poetry, *The Book of the Dead Man*. In this book, each poem is

simply numbered, and each features the third person perspective of the Dead Man. Bell has described the origin of these meditative poems as coming from a Zen saying: "Live as if you are already dead." The Dead Man traveling through all these poems is alive and dead to the world and its



Bell

possibilities at the same time — a unique character in poems that the folks at Prairie Lights believe is unlike any being written about.

"After two books of Dead Man poems, I found myself writing 'Sounds of the Resurrected Dead Man's Footsteps,'" Bell said. "You could say I'm writing in the posthumous present. It's another path through the imagination to the philosophic and ethical issues that have always preoccupied me."

DI reporter Darby Harn can be reached at dharn@blue.weeg.uiowa.edu

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An aggressive, talented individual is sought as editor of *The Daily Iowan*, Iowa City's largest newspaper, with an editorial staff of more than 60 young professionals, an editorial budget exceeding \$300,000 and circulation of 20,500. The board of Student Publications Incorporated and the publisher of *The Daily Iowan* will soon interview candidates for the position of editor for the term beginning June 1, 2001 and ending May 31, 2002.

The editor of *The Daily Iowan* must have strong journalistic abilities, skills in management and a clear sense of editorial responsibility. The board will weigh heavily scholarship, previous newswriting and editing experience (including working at *The Daily Iowan* or another daily newspaper), and proven ability to lead, organize and inspire a staff.

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Felisha Terrell
Chair

William Casey
Publisher

Application forms are available at and should be returned to:
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The Daily Iowan

Gigs weekend Music Reviews

Wicked Liz and the Belly Swirls The O Bar, Feb. 10

As she bounces across the stage, it's hard to tell whether it's her growling voice or stunning good looks that draw you to lead singer Liz Townsend.

The experienced quartet from the Quad Cities worked in a few popish covers with a variety of originals to form a quality set that kept you guessing throughout the night. A crowd favorite was the Cranberries' "Zombie," led by Leo Kelly's piercing guitar playing. It was Townsend's Gwen Steffen-esque stage presence, though, that commanded the attention of the audience. Townsend worked her way through a number of highlights, including the melodic pop original "What's Wrong Now" and the fun-loving Jackpierce cover "Three of Us and a Boat."

Along with Wicked Liz, opening band Scarlet Runner turned in an impressive performance with its hard-edged, blues-rock songs. Front man Jason Christianson's explosive sound has obvious blues roots, but it's the influence of such modern innovators as Tom Morello that takes Christianson's playing to another level.

If you missed either of these groups, you can catch them when they return to the area in late March.

— by Dan Fletcher

Bo Ramsey & the Middle of Nowhere Green Room, Feb. 9

Bo Ramsey is a front man. There was no mistaking this on Feb. 9, as Ramsey lead the Middle of Nowhere straight into town. Landing smack dab on the stage of the Green Room, Ramsey abandoned his lurking side-man mentality and took to the wheel for a night that personified cool.

Ramsey covered the likes of Bob Dylan's "Everybody Must Get Stoned" and the Rolling Stones' "Factory Girl." Originals off his latest release, *In The Weeds*, displayed Ramsey's maturity as a writer. Numbers such as his dusty love ballad "Desert Flower" showcased a softer side of the guitar slinger, and his vocals were clear and strong.

The night seemed a turning point of sorts. In what was billed as one of the last appearances Ramsey will make for some time with the band, he made his father/son debut when son Benson Ramsey backed him up on acoustic guitar for one song.

The entire performance was recorded, though Ramsey said he's not sure what would become of the recording. He is preparing to tour with Lucinda Williams in support of her upcoming release, *Broken Butterflies*, which Ramsey produced and played on.

— by Becca Suttive

DI photographer Scott Morgan contributed to this review.

Youngblood Brass Band, Psychosomatic Gables, Feb. 8

Jazz has profoundly influenced hip-hop. The Youngblood Brass Band demonstrated on Feb. 8 that hip-hop is also influencing jazz.

Psychosomatic opened the show with hip-hop accompanied by live instruments. The group's lyrics made references to everything from Sigmund Freud to the Industrial Revolution, but Psychosomatic was at its most loose and entertaining when freestyling about the weather.

The Youngblood Brass Band began as a traditional New Orleans-style jazz band, and it has moved steadily in the direction of hip-hop. Youngblood skillfully mixed the loud joyousness of a brass band with the more simplistic and menacing sound of hip-hop.

The band played music ranging from traditional jazz songs to "Ya'll Stay Up," a powerful piece of hip-hop co-written by Talib Kweli of Black Star. Youngblood's new album, *Unlearn*, features Talib Kweli performing the song. The Youngblood Brass Band has an original sound that creates a distinctive balance between hip-hop and jazz. "No one else really does what we do," McIntosh said.

— by Daniel Wilmoth

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B.

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CITY & NATION

Amtrak line may include Iowa City by 2003

AMTRAK

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Iowa City, according to a study done by the Iowa Department of Transportation.

A connecting line between the Iowa Interstate and Burlington Northern-Santa Fe also has to be constructed at Davenport. Funds for the infrastructure upgrades will come from a combination of state and federal funds.

Midwest Rail Initiative

By 2007, officials hope another train going through Iowa City will be able to connect UI students to Chicago. This train would be part of the Midwest Rail Initiative, a project to link several Midwestern cities between Cleveland, Ohio and Omaha, Neb.

The high-speed rail line, which would go up to 110 mph, would run through Davenport, Iowa City and Des Moines and on to Council Bluffs before terminating in Omaha.

Officials estimate that 2,000 rail jobs and 4,000 construction jobs would be created. The line would also help support revitalization in the downtowns of many Midwestern communities, officials said.

State may support the project

The Iowa House is expected to introduce a bill this week that would promote development and implementation of the rail initiative. Eight other states would be partners in the project.

Tom Jackson, a rail policy specialist for the Iowa Department of Transportation, said the pending legislation has been discussed for several years. Several states have been interested in promoting passenger rails but haven't been able to start work on a system until recently, he said.

In the meantime, the state's departments of transportation have been collaborating in an effort to put together a working plan for the passenger line.

States would own the rolling stock and other equipment needed to maintain the line and would reap its revenue, but the service may be operated by Amtrak. The project, implemented over a 10-year period, would depend on federal funding and need \$4.1 billion in capital investments to get rolling.

The U.S. Senate has proposed a measure to help states fund high-speed rail networks by providing \$12 billion in assistance through bonds. The bonds would be matched by state governments

to purchase stock and pay rent to the railroad companies for operating service on their tracks. The project could cost Iowa around \$50 million.

Trains may affect airlines

Congestion on the nation's highways is helping fuel a renaissance in rail travel, Johnson said. Last year, Amtrak carried 22.5 million passengers.

"Rail travel provides a transportation alternative," Johnson said. "It also provides a more relaxing form of travel."

Jackson and Johnson both said the trains through Iowa City and Des Moines should be competitive with other forms of transportation to Chicago, including airline service. The trains will be attractive because they will go directly to the heart of Chicago, Jackson said.

"The service could possibly hurt airline service from Des Moines to Chicago O'Hare," Jackson said. "The train will provide downtown to downtown service."

The impact on the Eastern Iowa Airport in Cedar Rapids may not be as high because most of its flights are bound for destinations besides Chicago, Jackson said.

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Some excited by possible I.C.-Chicago line

LOCAL REACTION

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enough that my parents can't come get me very easily."

Argentino, who is from another Chicago suburb, Wheeling, said he supports having a more convenient mode of transportation for his parents' sake more than for his own.

"I don't think it would matter for me, but it'll be easier for my parents," he said. "They're probably sick of getting me."

Amtrak rails are currently present in southern Iowa — passing through, among other towns, Burlington, Mount Pleasant and Ottumwa.

If the proposal passes, Amtrak would extend its routes to serve well-populated areas in Iowa and Illinois by 2009. The new line would begin in Chicago and hit such cities as Davenport, Iowa City, Grinnell and Newton. It would end in Des Moines.

Since she moved to Iowa City last fall, Stringham said, she is dependent on other peo-

ple to get home. "A lot of women on my floor are from different suburbs of Chicago," she said. "We take turns with whose parents will come get us."

Carpooling has not eliminated all of her travel inconveniences, she said. During one of her trips home, her parents had to drive nearly an hour from Orland Park to pick Stringham up at a meeting place.

UI freshman Chad Sultan of Buffalo Grove, a suburb of Chicago, uses his own vehicle to get home, he said. If and when Amtrak comes to Iowa City, he would still prefer using his car because he needs it when he is home.

"I think a train would be a good idea, though," he said.

Greyhound Bus Lines has been another option for students. Buses, however, tend to

extend travel time — sometimes by hours.

For example, depending on departure time, a Greyhound trip from Iowa City to Chicago can last just under six hours, compared with a three- to four-hour journey by car. Similarly, it could take up to four hours to travel from Iowa City to Des Moines by bus, but only two hours by car, according to a Greyhound informational hotline.

Despite the advantages rail travel may have over buses, Dennis Stevens, a ticket agent at the local Greyhound depot, 404 E. College St., said it is too early to tell whether Amtrak will have an effect on the bus business.

"It's hard to say," he said. "If it's faster, I'm sure it may affect it a little bit."

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Local Napster users await court decision

NAPSTER

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said.

CD sales at Vibes have remained steady because, despite the low cost of burning CDs, people are still interested in the cover sleeves and jewel cases distributed with store-bought recordings, Elizondo said.

UI freshman Kristy Meyer said Napster should still be allowed to operate for free.

People will continue to buy CDs for portable use because most people just listen and store the Napster files on their computers, she said.

"I understand why the artists are mad, but it should still be free," she said.

Napster opponents such as Hilary Rosen, the president of the Recording Industry Association of America, are optimistic about shutting down Napster.

"We're confident that the 9th

Court understands the severity of our claim and will uphold the decision of the U.S. Federal Court," she said. "Monday's decision may finally clear the way for the legitimate online marketplace to thrive in an environment that encourages both creativity and a respect for copyright."

But Napster also is confident about its case. Under the "doctrine of fair use" in U.S. copyright law, a work may be copied without permission from the

author as long as the copy is intended for nonprofit use and won't have an effect on the market value of the creative work in question.

It's now up to the appellate court to decide whether Napster's feature to allow millions of users to share files with one another infringes any copyright laws.

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Human genome map may provide alternatives

GENOME

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treated to prevent changes in their vascular walls during adulthood," thus preventing heart attacks.

It may now be possible, said Barbara Trask of the Hutchinson Cancer Center, for medical science to pinpoint in each patient the genes that have gone awry and caused cancer and then to design a treatment specifically for that prob-

lem. "Cancer is really a disease of the genome," she said. Some gene within the cell suddenly is changed or silenced, sending the whole cell spiraling into a pattern of uncontrolled growth and division.

Having a map of the whole genome as a reference base, Trask said, "will allow you to more rapidly find those places where the cancerous cells deviated from the reference."

Relay for Life celebrates survivors

RELAY FOR LIFE

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Walk, in which KCRG-TV newsmen Liz Mathis and John Campbell kicked off the opening leg, passing the baton to various radio personalities and UI representatives.

Mathis actively participates in Relay for Life events in Linn and Black Hawk counties. She said she tries to build excitement and give the runners a

break in such celebrity competitions.

"Relay for Life events are very well organized," Mathis said. "Everyone can take action — people from very young to old."

The official total of money raised at the event will not be released until next week, said Al Lorenzen, a national Relay for Life adviser. He said \$165,000 had been raised as of 4:30 p.m. on Feb. 10, and

more money may come in later.

"The relay is not about the money raised," he said. "We celebrated survivorship today."

Next year's scheduled Relay for Life alterations include moving the event outdoors, postponing the date until May, and changing the time so that it is an overnight event, Lorenzen said.

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ON THE AIR

Main Event

The Event: ESPN's Espy Awards, 8 p.m.
The Skinny: ESPN's version of the award season features the best athletes and most memorable moments during the past season. See who will take home the trophies.

College basketball

6 p.m. TBA, ESPN2
 8 p.m. Baylor at Kansas, ESPN2
 11 p.m. TBA, ESPN2

SPORTS QUIZ

How many times has the Iowa wrestling team not placed first or second at the NCAA Tournament in the last 25 years?
 See answer, Page 2B.

SCOREBOARD

NBA

East	111	West	110
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NHL

New Jersey	1	Carolina	2
N.Y. Rangers	1	Anaheim	2
Minnesota	4	St. Louis	3
Pittsburgh	2	Dallas	3
Montreal	4	Chicago	3
Buffalo	3	Phoenix	late

MEN'S TOP 25

3) Duke	101	20) N.D.	69
N. C. State	75	W. Virginia	66
Georgia Tech	62	23) Fresno St.	86
6) Virginia	56	Hawaii	63
12) Iowa St.	72		
Missouri	64		

WOMEN'S TOP 25

2) Tenn.	103	15) SMS	91
6) Florida	73	Evansville	65
3) UConn	78	18) Vandy	72
B. College	53	Miss	58
5) Purdue	74	20) Wisc.	70
Ohio State	71	N'western	54
13) Xavier	92	25) Clemson	72
Fordham	73	W. Forest	55
14) LSU	62		
Arkansas	58		

HAWKEYE SPORTS

Wednesday

6 p.m. Men's tennis, vs. Drake, Rec Building
 7 p.m. Men's Basketball, at Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.

Thursday

1 p.m. Softball, at Central Arizona, Coolidge Arizona
 7 p.m. Women's basketball, at Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich.
 All Day Women's swimming, Big Ten Championships, Bloomington Ind.

Friday

9 a.m. Softball, vs. BYU, Tempe, Ariz.
 11 a.m. Softball, vs. Illinois State, Tempe, Ariz.
 12 p.m. Men's Tennis, at Kansas, Lawrence, Kan.
 7 p.m. Wrestling, vs. Ohio State, Carver-Hawkeye Arena
 TBA Men's Track, at UNI Dome, Open, Cedar Falls
 All Day Women's swimming, Big Ten Championships, Bloomington Ind.

Saturday

10 a.m. Women's tennis, at Indiana, Bloomington, Ind.
 1:30 p.m. Softball, vs. BYU, Tempe, Ariz.
 5:30 p.m. Softball, Arizona State, Tempe, Ariz.
 7 p.m. Men's and women's gymnastics, vs. Ohio State, Carver-Hawkeye Arena
 All Day Women's swimming, Big Ten Championships, Bloomington Ind.

Sunday

8 a.m. Softball, vs. Michigan State, Tempe, Ariz.
 11 a.m. Women's tennis, at Purdue, West Lafayette, Ind.
 1 p.m. Wrestling, Minnesota, Carver-Hawkeye Arena
 3 p.m. Men's Basketball, at Michigan State, E. Lansing, Mich.
 5 p.m. Women's basketball, vs. Ohio State, Carver-Hawkeye Arena
 All Day Women's swimming, Big Ten Championships, Bloomington Ind.

Women's basketball extends winning streak

Iowa moves into second place in the Big Ten with a win over Minnesota.

By Roseanna Smith
 The Daily Iowan

Iowa coach Lisa Bluder let her Hawkeye women's basketball team members pat themselves on the back for the last time on Feb. 9 after their 96-87 upset of No. 5 Purdue on Feb. 8.

Following the victory, she said her toughest challenge would be getting the Hawkeyes settled down to play in

Minneapolis Sunday. Bluder apparently met the challenge; Iowa overpowered Minnesota, 82-71.

The win secured a spot for the Hawkeyes (14-8 overall, 9-3 Big Ten) in second place in the conference tied with Penn State, which had a bye weekend.

Despite Bluder's fears that Iowa would be overconfident after its fifth-straight win, the Hawkeyes dominated first-half play.

Leah Magnier had the early hot hand, scoring 11 of her 14 points in the first half. With just over seven minutes to play, her sailing 3-pointer put Iowa ahead by its biggest

advantage, 32-11.

Lindsey Meder and Cara Consuegra gave the Golden Gophers a double threat from the field, combining for the Hawkeyes' 60 percent shooting in the first half. Consuegra also had 16 assists, solidifying her place as the No. 2 Big Ten assist leader.

Randi Peterson crashed the boards hard, as the young

Minnesota squad consistently missed easy shots in the paint. Peterson wrapped up first-half scoring from the free throw line, adding one for a 43-28 Iowa advantage.

In the second half, the Golden chipped away at the lead, helped by cold shooting from the Hawkeyes — 40 percent.

Lindsay Lieser paced the Minnesota scoring with five 3-point goals and tied Meder with a game-high 17 points.

Time after time, the Hawkeyes couldn't coax the ball through the hoop. Iowa assistant coach Michael Morgan said 6-7 Gopher center Kim Bell presented a problem

for Peterson at the post.

With 6:15 on the clock, Minnesota narrowed the deficit to three points, 60-57. The point spread wavered for the Hawkeyes before Magnier sunk a fourth 3-pointer and saved the day. With less than three minutes to play, she sent an inside pass to Lillis, who drew a foul on the lay-up. Lillis converted for the three-point play, and Meder heated up from the free-throw line to seal the win for the Hawkeyes.

"She (Magnier) played well in the game," Morgan said. "It's easy to fold under that kind of pressure. But we have kids

See IOWA-MINNESOTA, Page 4B

IOWA 31, MICHIGAN STATE 9

Hawkeyes prove to be rude hosts

Iowa decimates Michigan State by gaining valuable bonus points.

By Jeremy Schnitker
 The Daily Iowan

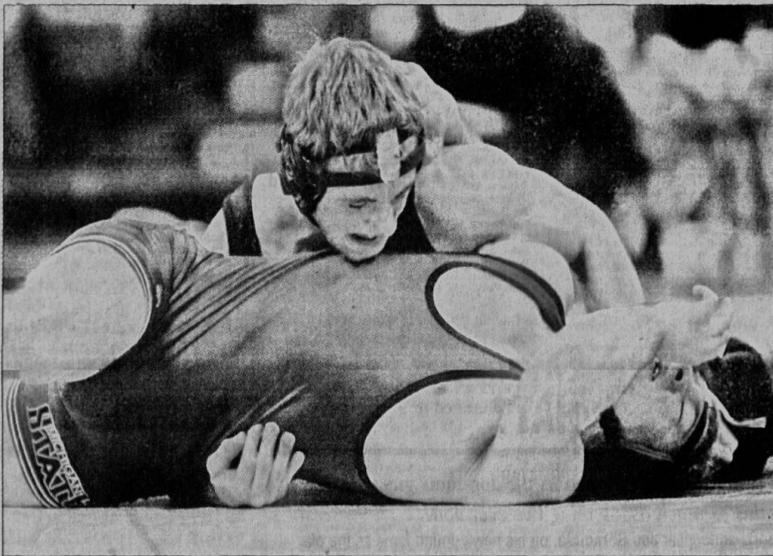
The bonus points were brewing and the beer song was sung Sunday afternoon in Carver-Hawkeye Arena, as the Iowa wrestling team slapped Michigan State with a 31-9 whipping.

The third-ranked Hawkeyes, powered by two pins and four major decisions, moved their record to 17-3, 5-1 in the Big Ten, with a big win over the No. 7 Spartans.

"It's important to get bonus points this time of year," Iowa coach Jim Zalesky said. "With the Big Ten tournament coming up, it's really important for us to start getting those bonus points."

After having a full seven days off from competition, the Hawkeyes looked fresh, especially in the lower weights. Jody Strittmatter (125) and Ben Shirk (165) picked up Iowa's two pins, Strittmatter's coming against fourth-ranked Chris Williams.

Iowa's top-ranked T.J. Williams, Eric Juergens and Doug Schwab continued their dominating ways as all three



Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan

Iowa's Ben Shirk pins Michigan State's Cory Posey Sunday at Carver-Hawkeye Arena. The Hawkeyes defeated the Spartans 31-9.

racked up major decisions. Juergens avenged a loss from his sophomore year by pummeling Pat McNamara, 13-4. McNamara, currently ranked fifth in the nation, beat Juergens in 1998.

Strittmatter said Iowa's week off really helped.

"We trained really hard this week; it was exactly what we needed this time of year," he

said. While the Hawk wrestlers in the upper weights still lost, they improved at 197 pounds and heavyweight, Zalesky said. Ryan Fulsaa fell to Matt Lamb, 8-4, at heavyweight, and his brother, Randy Fulsaa, lost to Nik Fekete, 12-6. Although the scores were somewhat lopsided, Zalesky said, he saw

some encouraging things from the two redshirt freshmen.

"The Fulsaaes made a little improvement, I think," he said. "The still have to come out attacking. They've been waiting for guys to attack them, and they've put themselves in a hole. But you can't be tentative like that."

Senior Gabe McMahan (174 pounds) came back after sit-

ting out for nearly a month with a rib injury. The Gakona, Alaska, native notched a 15-6 win over Nate Mesyn.

"I felt good out there today," McMahan said. "If somebody comes up and punches me in the ribs, I can definitely feel it, but as long as I stay in good position out on the mat, it will feel all right."

About the only major surprise in the meet was the performance of Mike Zadick, Iowa's sixth-ranked 149-pound junior. Giving up a takedown in the last 30 seconds of the match, Zadick was upset by MSU's Karl Nadolsky 5-3.

Jessman Smith rounded out Iowa's victories, recording a 10-5 win over John Wechter at 184 pounds and pushing his record to 15-6.

The Hawkeyes seem to be putting things together at the right time of the season. Iowa faces off with top-ranked Minnesota on Feb. 18 in Carver-Hawkeye Arena. Strittmatter said his team seems to be progressing since last week's upset to Michigan.

"We had a much better team performance this week," he said. "Next week is a big match. It's going to take a team effort to beat them."

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IOWA'S LOSS TO NORTHWESTERN

Futile 'Cats beat Iowa

Iowa loses to a Northwestern team that had not won a Big Ten game in two years.

Associated Press

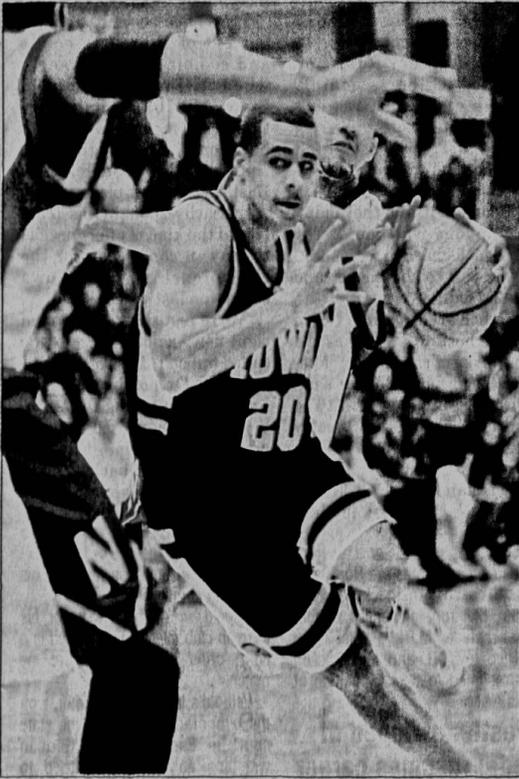
EVANSTON, Ill. — How quickly everything can change.

Ten days ago, Iowa was leading the Big Ten Conference. Now, the Hawkeyes have sunk to about as low as it can get.

They lost to Northwestern. Yep, a team that had not won a Big Ten game in two years beat No. 14 Iowa, 69-61, Feb. 10.

After a one-point loss at home to Ohio State on Wednesday night, senior guard Dean Oliver said the Hawkeyes faced the choice of coming back strong or becoming, as he put it, a laughingstock.

Now? "I'm sure there's plenty of peo-



M. Spencer Green/Associated Press

Iowa's Dean Oliver drives on Northwestern's Jason Burk, left, and Ben Johnson, right, Feb. 10 in Evanston, Ill.

Life does go on

Will someone, anyone, please let the Hawks out?

So what if the Wildcats hadn't won a game since Feb. 6? It just happens that it was Feb. 6, 1999. It was just a game, right?

The answer to that is both yes and no.

Yes, in fact every team loses its share of games. College basketball hasn't had an undefeated team since Indiana cruised to an NCAA Championship in 1976. Teams lose games, and sometimes they lose them to a squad that hasn't won since that Dr. Tom guy was still coaching here.

OK, so maybe the Northwestern loss was pretty hard to swallow when you look back on things. There may be no such thing as a gimme in the Big Ten, as Dean Oliver said before the debacle in Evanston, but this was about as close to one as you could possibly come. After all, 32 conference games without a win hardly qualifies a team as



a challenge. The truth is, Iowa needed this win to get back on track, and it didn't get it. Now, with two more road trips against Michigan and Michigan State, the Hawkeyes find themselves with their proverbial feet to the coals.

After this weekend's loss, some folks around town seemed to be taking things a little too hard just because Iowa has dropped a couple of games it probably should have won. While members of the Hawks Nest may be crushed, it's not time to break out the Kool-Aid just yet.

Iowa's problem seems pretty easy to figure out, and it's one that can still be rectified in time for the Big Ten Tournament. Someone needs to tell the Hawks that life must go on without Luke Recker — after all, basketball is still a team game.

Since the Hawkeyes found out they would be without Recker for possibly the

See COLUMN, Page 4B

QUICK HITS

SPORTS TRIVIA

TRANSACTIONS
BASEBALL
American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Agreed to terms with RHP Arvid Priebe on a minor league contract.
National League
SAN DIEGO PADRES—Sent SS Chris Gomez out-right to Portland of the PCL.
BASKETBALL
International Basketball Association
BILLINGS RIMROCKERS—Released F Darryl Barnes.
DAKOTA WIZARDS—Placed G Rob Mestas and C Darius Beard on injured reserve.
FOOTBALL
XFL
BIRMINGHAM THUNDERBOLTS—Activated TE Reggie Johnson. Placed TE Ed Smith on practice squad.
MEMPHIS MANIAX—Activated QB Craig Whelihan, TE John Jennings, WR Alvin Harper, RB Rafael Cooper, and CB Tyrone Bell. Placed LB Casper Stiles, WR Kevin Cobb, QB Jim Druckenmiller, S Jackie Kellogg, and RB Brent Moss on practice squad.
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY HITMEN—Activated RB Mike Archie, CB Tawambi Settles, and TE Eric Stolz. Placed RB Joe Aska, CB Mark Tate, and LB Ben Hankins on practice squad.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ATLANTA THRASHERS—Assigned F J.P. Vigue to Orlando of the IHL.
BOSTON BRUINS—Sent F Eric Manlow to Providence of the AHL.
DALLAS STARS—Activated RW Mike Keane and RW Jamie Langenbrunner from the injured list.
FLORIDA PANTHERS—Recalled RW Denis Shvidki from Louisville of the AHL.
NEW YORK RANGERS—Called up F Tony Tuzzolino from Hartford of the AHL.
VANCOUVER CANUCKS—Recalled D Bryan Helmer from Kansas City of the IHL.
International Hockey League
GRAND RAPIDS GRIFFINS—Signed D Marty McSorley.
East Coast Hockey League
AUGUSTA LYNX—Added RW Andrew Rodgers to the roster.
BIRMINGHAM BULLS—Added G Dave Waddleton as emergency backup. Activated D Branoslav Kvetan from injured reserve.
DAYTON BOMBERS—Moved F Jeff Mitchell from 7- to 14-day injured reserve. F Cody Label from 30- to 60-day injured reserve and F Dave Flanagan from 14- to 60-day injured reserve.
PEE DEE PRIDE—Announced C Darryl Bousquet has been returned by Providence of the AHL.
RICHLAND RENEGADES—Announced D J.F. Fortin has been recalled by Portland of the AHL.
ANNOUNCED F Mike Slikenka and D Gerard Adams have been assigned from Portland.
TRENTON TITANS—Added G Dennis Bassett to the roster.
Western Professional Hockey League
FORT WORTH BRAHMAS—Activated F Ryan Shannon from 21-day injured reserve. Announced F Jason Parn has been suspended by the league.
COLLEGE
ALABAMA—Named Ron Case safeties coach and Lee Fobbs running backs coach.
NEW JERSEY CITY—Named Ira Thor sports information director.

BY THE NUMBERS

22 — the number of wins Stanford and North Carolina have. They have the most in college basketball.

BIG TEN GLANCE

W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Illinois	9	2.818	19	5	792
Michigan St.	8	3.727	19	3	864
Iowa	6	4.600	17	6	739
Wisconsin	6	4.600	15	6	714
Indiana	6	4.600	15	9	625
Ohio State	7	5.583	16	8	667
Purdue	5	6.455	13	9	581
Penn State	4	6.400	14	7	667
Minnesota	4	7.354	16	8	667
Michigan	3	8.273	9	13	409
Northwestern	1	10.091	9	15	375

NBA GLANCE

W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Atlanta	36	14.720	—	—	—
New York	29	18.6175	1/2	—	—
Miami	30	20.600	6	—	—
Orlando	25	23.521	10	—	—
Boston	22	27.44913	1/2	—	—
New Jersey	17	34.33319	1/2	—	—
Washington	12	37.24523	1/2	—	—

WESTERN CONFERENCE

W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Utah	32	15.681	—	—	—
San Antonio	31	16.660	1	—	—
Minnesota	32	18.6401	1/2	—	—
Dallas	31	19.6202	1/2	—	—
Ozark	27	24.529	7	—	—
Houston	25	25.5008	1/2	—	—
Vancouver	13	36.265	20	—	—

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Mike Weir	\$133,000	67-68-69-272
Jay Williamson	\$109,083	68-69-71-273
Jay Don Blake	\$109,083	68-68-69-273
Greg Kraft	\$109,083	68-68-69-273
Chris Smith	\$87,500	67-71-67-274
Harrison Frasier	\$87,500	68-70-68-274
Cameron Beckman	\$87,500	68-68-68-274
Kevin Sutherland	\$60,000	68-68-68-275
Shigeki Maruyama	\$60,000	69-69-68-275
Mike Sposo	\$60,000	70-69-69-275
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Chris Riley	\$39,340	67-71-70-276
Bob Tway	\$39,340	68-69-70-276
J.L. Lewis	\$39,340	68-69-70-276
Dennis Paulson	\$39,340	68-69-72-276
Bernhard Langer	\$29,400	67-69-70-277
Frank Nobilo	\$29,400	70-69-71-277
Steve Jones	\$22,808	71-71-68-278
Corey Pavin	\$22,808	72-68-70-278
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Chris Tidand	\$22,808	68-71-72-278
Billy Mayfair	\$22,808	68-69-71-278
Fred Funk	\$22,808	69-69-72-278
Bob May	\$22,808	68-67-72-278
David Morland IV	\$22,808	69-68-74-278
Joe Durant	\$16,485	69-70-71-279
Tom Pernice Jr.	\$16,485	69-71-70-279
Jeff Stuman	\$16,485	70-69-69-279
Jason Gore	\$16,485	72-69-68-279
Robin Freeman	\$16,485	70-73-67-279
Bob Estes	\$12,250	70-71-68-280
Chris Perry	\$12,250	72-70-71-280

NHL GLANCE

W	L	T	OL	Pts	GF
New Jersey	28	43	11	3	70
Philadelphia	28	18	9	6	168
Pittsburgh	27	20	6	2	182
N.Y. Rangers	22	29	4	1	49

IOWA HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS RATINGS

CLASS 4A	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
1. Cedar Falls	20-0	1st	2. Sioux City East	19-12nd	3. West Des Moines Dowling	17-23rd	4. Des Moines Lincoln	18-24th	5. Ames	18-25th

CLASS 3A

1. LaPorte City	Union	20-0	1st
2. Washington	18-2	2nd	
3. Perry	16-2	3rd	
4. Pella	17-3	4th	
5. Cedar Rapids Xavier	15-5th		
6. Atlantic	17-6	10th	
7. DeWitt	Central	16-27th	
8. Epworth	Western Dubuque	17-30th	
9. Denison	Schlesinger	18-41st	
10. Shawnee	North Central	15-17th	
11. Estherville	Lincoln Central	16-42th	
12. Davenport	Assumption	13-68th	
13. Waverly	Shell Rock	13-51st	
14. MOC-Floyd	Valley	16-41st	
15. Sioux City	Hesslein	11-91st	
16. Waterloo	West	15-6	
17. Sioux City	North	12-6	
18. Cresco	Crestwood	15-417th	
19. Carroll	14-6		
20. New Hampton	14-61st		

CLASS 2A

1. State Center	West Marshall	20-0	1st
2. Council Bluffs	St. Albert	19-0	2nd
3. Hinton	20-0	3rd	
4. Adelphi	Parkburg	18-2	
5. Rock Valley	19-1		
6. Delhi	Maquoketa Valley	19-1	
7. St. Ansgar	20-1		
8. Sloan	Westwood	18-1	
9. Avoca	AHS	18-1	
10. Solon	20-0		
11. Mediapolis	19-1		
12. Corydon	Wayne	19-2	
13. Shamrock	North Central	15-411th	
14. Husley	Ballard	17-14th	
15. Wall Lake	View-Auburn	17-21st	
16. Garner	Hayfield	17-3	
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18. Boone	Apr 13		
19. Underwood	14-517th		
20. West Union	North Fayette	16-2	

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2. Victor	HLV	21-0
3. Keokuk	Cardinal	Stritch
4. Rockwell	Swaledale	19-24th
5. Walnut	20-0	
6. Tippah	18-1	
7. Lone Tree	18-2	
8. Bellevue	Marquette	15-4
9. Colo-NESCO	15-4	
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SPORTS

WOMEN'S GYMNASTICS

Gymnast reaches perfection

Iowa's Stephanie Gran scored a perfect 10 in the vault.

By Jeremy Shapiro
The Daily Iowan

In a season in which the Iowa women's gymnastics team has set every school record imaginable, perhaps the most impressive record is one that can only be tied.

With a slim lead heading into the final event, Iowa coaches wanted a strong vault score from freshman Stephanie Gran to hold off Kent State and host North Carolina State and win the five team Hearts Invitational on Feb. 9.

They got perfection.

Gran scored a 10, lifting the team's vault score to a 48.725, enough for No. 20 Iowa to not only set a school record 196.125 but also win the invitational. No. 23 Kent State finished second with 195.550.

"It was amazing. I didn't know what to do," Gran said.

"I knew it was always a possibility to get a 10, but I didn't expect it."

The team went out to dinner afterwards with one of the judges, who told them in 29 years of judging she had only twice given a perfect score.

Gran's was the second. "She was the last to go, and she nailed it," said freshman Alexis Maday. "We were jumping and cheering for her. Everyone was so proud. She was almost crying on the mat after hearing the score."

Kim Baker is the only Hawkeye gymnast previously to score a 10. She did it twice on the vault in 1996. Besides joining her in the record books, Gran said she thought she heard somewhere it was only the fifth perfect score in the country this year.



Gran

Gran executed a Phelps vault, which is a half-on, half-off front layout. It is named after U.S. Olympian Jacey Phelps and is considered to be a difficult move.

Gran also won the all-around with a 39.300, just ahead of Maday's 39.250. Senior Giselle Boniforti was tied for third (39.225).

The GymHawks (8-3) also set a school record on the balance beam, scoring a 49.225, breaking the previous mark of

48.975 set in 1998. Iowa has now set a school record in every single event.

"With all the team records broken, I would say this has been the most successful season in school history," Gran said.

Maday also agreed with that assessment and was quick to point out the year is not over yet.

The Hawks had a little bit of an adventure getting to North Carolina. Because of bad weather, two of their flights were canceled. The team ended up taking a bus to Chicago, and after another delay, it ended up flying out from there. The Hawkeyes arrived in Raleigh at 1:45 a.m. The trip took 17 hours.

"It was a very long day," Gran said while laughing.

The trip was made a little less painful by the 65-degree weather, which meant T-shirts and shorts; of course, beating four other schools was also a high point.

With its record score, Iowa could jump up in the national rankings, heading into its co-ed meet with Ohio State at Carver-Hawkeye Arena Friday. The meet will begin at 7 p.m.

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MEN'S TRACK

Iowa sees four runners qualify for the NCAA indoor meet

Iowa's 4x400 team made the provisional qualifying time in Ames this weekend.

By Julie Matolo
The Daily Iowan

The battle to reach Ames through Iowa's harsh reminder of winter on Feb. 9 proved to be more than worth it for the Iowa men's track and field team. Conquering the weather was only the first of Hawkeye successes last weekend.

Iowa added four runners to the list of Hawkeyes who have provisionally qualified for the NCAA Indoor Championships this season.

Seniors Tim Dodge and Scott Williamson and sophomores Liam Card and Russell Peterson had a fourth place finish in the 4x400-meter relay (3:08.82), breaking the NCAA qualifying time of 3:10.40, to earn a spot at the championships. The Iowa NCAA qualifiers' roster now includes six Hawkeyes, including two senior throwers, Jeremy Allen and Jim Costello, who made the cut earlier this season.

"We are excited about it," Dodge said. "We are focused on the Big Ten meet right now, but it is a relief to qualify now to the

NCAAs."

The speedy performance of the 4x400 team will earn it a top-10 national ranking. Last year brought Hawkeye disappointment after Iowa's relay squad just missed making the NCAA championships by one place. Iowa holds a strong history in the event and will look to continue improvement in the 4x400 through the rest of the season.

Head coach Larry Wiczorek credits assistant coach Pat McGhee for the team's continued success.



McGhee

"Coach McGhee has built a powerhouse team in the event," Wiczorek said. "He has coached Big Ten champions, and he continues to be a strength in the program."

Iowa continued to show strength in the meet that brought in an abundance of NCAA championship-caliber competition from all over the nation. Dodge was the runner-up in the 200-meter with a time of 21.36 and placed ninth in the 60-

meter with a finish in 6.89. Freshman Adam Kunkel clung close behind in the 200-meter with a third-place run in 21.57.

A second freshman to step it up over the weekend was freshman thrower Ken Keme-ny, who placed ninth in the shot put. He threw a personal best of 51-17.5.

No team scores were recorded, but several Hawkeyes turned in impressive performances in the meet, in which runners pushed to make NCAA qualifying scores.

Sophomore Russ Peterson finished 16th in the 400-meters in 48.30, while sophomore Justin Poots ran a personal best in the 60-meter hurdles in 8.26, also good for a 16th place race. Senior Sean Moeller carried the weight for the distance runners, crossing the line 16th in the 3,000-meters race in 8:25.78.

Iowa will compete at the University of Northern Iowa-Dome Open before heading to Penn State on Feb. 24-25 for the Big Ten Championships.

"I am very excited and looking forward to representing Iowa at the NCAA Indoor Championships," Wiczorek said.

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MEN'S GYMNASTICS

Hawks have strong performance

However, Iowa did not win the Winter Cup Challenge.

By Laura Podolak
The Daily Iowan

The story of David defeating Goliath didn't play out exactly like it's written in the Bible — this time Goliath prevailed, but not by much.

Blaine Wilson secured the title of the nation's best gymnast this weekend at the Winter Cup Challenge in Las Vegas, by only 0.6 of a point. He landed in first place by winning the still rings with a score of 9.650 and the high bar with a 9.400, tallying a total score of 52.650.

Although Iowa didn't end up as the winner, the Hawkeyes had a strong showing this weekend while competing against the nation's top gymnasts.

Justin Leavitt finished as the Hawkeyes top placer, 26th with an overall score of 46.800. The freshman from Las Vegas ignored hometown jitters to lead the Iowa

team not only in the all-around but also on parallel bars, on which he scored a 7.500.

Sophomore Cameron Schick was next in line in 30th place with an overall score of 42.800, while leading the team on vault (9.000) and high bar (8.25) going into the final day of competition.

Freshman Mike Kelly and junior Andy Thornton, who was returning from an Achilles tendon injury, finished 35th and 36th, respectively.

Junior Don Jackson provided a splash of excitement for the Hawkeyes when he won the preliminary competition on the pommel horse. The returning national champion on the event recorded his best score of the season with a mark of 9.100. Jackson did not compete in the all-around competition.

Although none of the Hawks stood on the podium on Feb. 10, two of their Big Ten rivals can't say the same.

With the top three finishers receiving an invite onto

the U.S. Men's National Team, the Big Ten Conference can boast that two of theirs made the cut.

The University of Minnesota's Clay Strother earned himself a spot on the team by finishing second in the all-around, only .575 points behind Wilson. Strother, the nation's leading collegiate all-around performer won the floor exercise with a score of 9.350 and pommel horse with a score of 9.250.

Raj Bhavsar rounded out the top three with an all-around score of 52.050. Although Bhavsar didn't claim the top spot in any of the six events, he never scored lower than a 8.350 on any of the apparatuses.

Next up, the Hawkeyes will compete against national team member Bhavsar and his Buckeye teammates, as Iowa takes on Ohio State Saturday. The meet will be a co-ed competition and will take place in Carver-Hawkeye arena at 7 p.m.

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Weather dampens Hawkeyes' trip

Because of icy roads, the women's track team missed a few events at the Cyclone Classic.

By Jeremy Shapiro
The Daily Iowan

They don't get much icy weather in Aisha Hume's hometown.

In fact, the Trinidad & Tobago native probably never had to experience bad weather, which initially prevented the women's track team from traveling to Ames for the Cyclone Classic. However, Hume and the Hawkeyes eventually made it and put on a strong performance, with Hume winning a silver medal.

Icy conditions kept the team in Iowa City on Feb. 9, causing the Hawkeyes to miss a couple of events scheduled for that evening. On Feb. 10, team members did board a bus for a ride that ended up taking three hours; they arrived in time for the Hawkeyes to participate in most events.

Hume, a freshman who joined the team in January, finished second in the 60-

meter run in a time of 1:25.22. Sophomore Sarah Steffen was right behind her, placing fourth at 1:26.48.

This was only the third collegiate performance for Hume. "She is getting in better shape every time," said coach James Grant. "I'm looking forward to watching her run outdoor and see how she fares at the Big Ten championships."

Despite not training a lot, sophomore Sarah Arens still nabbed fifth in the mile run, just 9 seconds behind the winner. Arens had been battling strep throat and hasn't been able to train at full pace.

Grant said she has worked out in the pool to maintain cardiovascular activity.

The classic provided a step up in competition for the Hawkeyes, as more than 70 schools sent athletes. With the Big Ten championships coming in two weeks, it gave the team a taste of what the biggest meet of the indoor season will feel like.

"They competed well with a level of competition that increased significantly," Grant said. "They should get some confidence from this week."

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WOMEN'S TENNIS

Hawkeyes nab third win

Toni Neykova got a big win at No. 1 singles.

By Nick Firchau
The Daily Iowan

The Iowa women's tennis team grabbed its third win of the season on Feb. 10 at Marquette, fueled by strong showings from the team's veterans and a straight-set win in the return match of one of the fall season's top players.

The Hawkeyes (3-1) won matches at all singles spots except No. 3 and won two of the three doubles matches to win the meet, 6-1.

Junior Toni Neykova led the team with a solid come-from-behind victory at the No. 1 singles spot. Neykova dropped the first set, 2-6, to Marquette's Laura Garcia and then rallied to grab the match's second two sets, 6-4, 6-3.

"Toni really had a great match," said coach Paul Wardlaw. "It was really big for her to come from behind like that and win. And her opponent was tough; she beat last year's Big Ten player of the year. This was one of the better matches Toni has ever played at Iowa."

Wardlaw's Hawkeyes saw the successful return of sophomore Cassie Haas to the lineup follow-

ing an injury that forced her to miss the first three meets of the season. Haas downed Marquette's Gen Charrone, 6-1, 7-6, to earn her first victory in a dual meet at Iowa.

Haas's return also served as a successful alteration in the team's doubles lineup, as she teamed up with senior Erica Johnson to get an 8-6 win at the No. 3 doubles spot.

Iowa's top doubles team of Neykova and freshman Jody Scheidt faltered over the weekend in the Hawkeyes' only doubles loss, a 8-4 defeat at the hands of Garcia and Charrone.

"We definitely made the meet closer than it should have been by the way we played in doubles," Wardlaw said. "It was just made clear to us what we have to work on from here."

The team's core of four freshmen players also enjoyed success over the weekend by winning three matches, including wins for Deni Alexandrova, Steffi Hoch and Jennifer Hodgman.

The Hawkeyes will open conference play Saturday, when they travel to Bloomington to face off with Big Ten power Indiana. The team will then meet up with Purdue on Feb. 18 in West Lafayette.

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MEN'S TENNIS

Iowa tops Western Michigan, loses to Irish

Tyler Cleveland suffers his first loss of the year.

By Nick Firchau
The Daily Iowan

What a difference a day makes.

The Iowa men's tennis team split two road meets over the weekend, earning a solid 5-2 win over Western Michigan on Feb. 10 before failing to crack the scoreboard against No. 30 Notre Dame Sunday in a 7-0 loss.

The Hawks (2-1) started the weekend off with strong performances from their doubles teams, as they faced a Western Michigan team they defeated last season. The team of senior Tom Buetikofer and sophomore Eric Kozlowski outlasted Western Michigan's Ryan Maarschalk and Ravishankar Pathanjali at the No. 2 doubles spot, 9-8, while sophomores Hunter Skogman and Pete Rose grabbed an 8-4 win at the third doubles spot.

"Winning the doubles point was very important," said coach Steve Houghton. "Kozlowski and Buetikofer really stepped up when the chips were down and played very well."

The Hawkeyes got singles

wins from senior Tyler Cleveland, sophomore Stuart Waters, Skogman and Rose to secure the meet. The No. 1 doubles team of Cleveland and Waters were dealt its first loss of the season.

Sunday's 7-6 (7-5), 6-4 loss to Notre Dame's Casey Smith was Cleveland's first loss of the season. Cleveland lost only twice last season on his way to a 19-2 record.

"Tyler's match was one that I think he could have won if he played it in a week or two," Houghton said. "He's still shaking some of the rust off his game, and the guy he was playing was a very highly ranked player."

Junior Petar Mandic had the team's strongest performance against the Fighting Irish Sunday, winning the first set 6-3 before dropping the second two sets to Luis Haddock-Morales.

"The 7-0 result was a pretty close reflection of what happened," Houghton said. "But I think getting beat like this to a good team early on in the season will turn out to be better in the end for us."

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SPORTS

Hawkeyes still missing Recker

IOWA'S LOSS

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ple laughing at us" Oliver said. "If I was a fan, I'd be laughing at us."

Iowa (17-6) has fallen to 6-4 in the Big Ten and plays three of its next four on the road, including trips to Michigan State and Illinois. The Hawkeyes' next game is Wednesday at Michigan, which beat them in Iowa City last month.

It's not a promising schedule for a team that's reeling.

"I'm going to continue to stay positive," Oliver said. "It's the low point so far this season. But we still have a shot of going to the NCAA tournament and doing some things in the Big Ten."

"We can forget about it and keep going or we can go the opposite route and fall apart. It's time for us to turn around and stay positive."

Iowa has played the last two games without leading scorer Luke Recker, who is out for at least six weeks with a broken kneecap. He was sorely missed Saturday.

The Hawkeyes made only five-of-22 3-point shots and shot 36.7 percent overall. They missed eight of 20 free throws, including the front end of three 1-and-1 opportunities in the first half.

"We have to make a lot of changes," Iowa coach Steve Alford said. "I think we have a lot of problems, not to mention finding somebody who can knock down shots. Our offense is very stagnant right now."

Two starters, Duez Henderson and Jared Reiner, did not score. Nor did Brody Boyd, who has been a key reserve. Ryan Hogan, who has started in Recker's place, had eight points but has made only five-of-18 shots the last two games.

"We haven't adjusted well,"

Hogan said. "This has been a tough transition for us. We're taking bad shots and that leaves good shots for the opposing team."

Northwestern (9-15, 1-10) broke a 32-game losing streak in conference play. The Wildcats outthrew Iowa down the stretch and made 7-of-9 shots in a 17-4 run that gave them control of the game.

Iowa seemed to panic in the final minutes, casting up 3-pointers when there was still time for Oliver to penetrate or work the ball inside the Reggie Evans.

Oliver led Iowa with 20 points. Evans had 18 points and 14 rebounds.

Sophomore Winston Blake scored 20 points for Northwestern, all in the second half. Freshman Jitum Young added 16.

"They were very tough minded," Alford said. "And, as what normally happens, tough-minded teams win."

Iowa is still good without Recker

COLUMN

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remainder of the season, they have played as if someone told them their dog had just been run over. They've been lazy to get back on defense, they've been out-jumped and out-hustled in both games. Steve

Alford keeps saying it's a matter of toughness. The question is, how long can Alford keep using the mental and physical toughness excuse?

The Hawkeyes have been playing with a rather large chip on their shoulders as of late, and it's time to move on. Even without Recker, Iowa still has the nation's toughest rebounder in Reggie Evans

and a pretty good guard in Oliver, as well as a talented, though relatively green, bench. The message is clear, they are still a good team without Recker. They just need to realized it for themselves. If they don't, they will be hard pressed to find sympathy from any of their Big Ten opponents.

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Hawkeye women keep rolling with win against Gophers

IOWA-MINNESOTA

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who care, and because they wanted it, they played really hard."

Despite a cold offense in the second half, the Hawkeyes never wavered from cleaning

the glass, outrebounding Minnesota 42-19. Iowa also continued to bring in a balanced scoring, with five players in double figures, something Morgan said Bluder would be happy with.

The Hawks will travel to Michigan Thursday night, looking to defend their Big Ten position yet again.

"We feel really confident going in," Morgan said. "Michigan has the capability to beat us, but we just have to take our road attitude and take care of business. We feel really good where we are sitting right now and will continue to take one game at a time."

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McSorely finding trouble again in the International Hockey League

■ Marty McSorely's coach said he will be a target for fighting in the IHL

By James Prichard
Associated Press

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. — Old habits die hard. Ask Marty McSorely, who just can't seem to avoid trouble on a hockey rink.

In his first professional game since being suspended by the NHL for one year for slashing an opponent's head with his stick, McSorely was ejected from an International Hockey League game for fighting.

Hours after signing with the Grand Rapids Griffins, McSorely received a five-minute penalty and two game misconducts late in the game against the Utah Grizzlies Saturday night.

At the 17:41 mark of the third period, McSorely joined in a melee involving several players from both teams. Three other Griffins and three Grizzlies also were penalized.

McSorely said he jumped in when he noticed two Grizzlies pummeling a Griffins player.

"With a teammate in trouble, with two men on top of him, I had to get in there," he said after the game, which the Griffins won 3-1.

Last season, the NHL suspended McSorely for a year after he swung his stick into the head of the Canucks' Donald Brashear with 2.7 seconds left in a game at Vancouver. Brashear, who was knocked unconscious and suffered a concussion, missed 20 games before returning to his team.

McSorely, who played for the Boston Bruins at the time and ranks third in the NHL for career penalty minutes, was convicted in a Vancouver court Oct. 6 of assault with a weapon and

given 18 months probation. McSorely said Saturday he felt badly about Brashear's injury but added that his own intentions at the time were good. He bristles at notions that the episode left him second-guessing his decisions on the ice.

"A lot of people seem to think it has been really traumatic for me," he said. "It really hasn't." Grand Rapids has the IHL's best record and is the top farm team of the Ottawa Senators, who reportedly are interested in McSorely. He will be eligible to play in the NHL on Feb. 21, one year after he hit Brashear.

McSorely said he "expected nothing" in the way of a possible NHL offer and isn't looking any farther ahead than the next Griffins game.

"I'm just appreciative to get the opportunity to play again," he said. "It's really great to get back out there and compete."

About five minutes into his first game with the Griffins, McSorely briefly tangled with Utah left wing Jason Shmyr. McSorely said the 25-year-old Shmyr was trash-talking him, something McSorely expects more of from young opponents as the IHL season progresses.

"It's probably something he'll have to live with every game, some young guy challenging him," Griffins coach Bruce Cassidy said.

If McSorely had received three game misconducts in Saturday's game, the IHL would have automatically suspended him for Sunday's game against the Houston Aeros. As it turns out, the IHL told the Griffins that it will likely rescind one of his two game misconducts, team spokesman Randy Cleves said Sunday.

McSorely said he had no regrets about being kicked out of his comeback game because of fighting.

"If it happens again, I'm

going to get involved again," he said. "But I'm not here looking for fights."

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Bolts stave off Hitmen in XFL

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — (AP) Winter hit the XFL, and the weather beat up the new league big time.

Freezing temperatures and 22 mph wind that made it feel like it was six degrees sent most of the 36,458 fans at the New York-New Jersey Hitmen's home opener to the exits early Sunday night.

Only about 5,000 hardy fans were left when Charles Puleri's fourth-and-14 pass from the Birmingham 19-yard fell incomplete in the end zone, allowing the Bolts (1-1)

to beat the Hitmen, 19-12, in a very sloppily played game.

New York-New Jersey is 0-2 in the fledgling league owned by NBC and the World Wrestling Federation.

"It's just freezing," said Joel Rudy of Mount Laurel, who left at halftime. "It's as cold as I can remember. We weren't dressed properly."

Xtreme 39, Enforcers 32

LOS ANGELES — A hot tub brimming with bikini-clad women,

a lifeguard stand on a patch of sand and a party tent just beyond the end zone: Pro football returned to Los Angeles on Saturday night, but it obviously wasn't the NFL.

Former UCLA quarterback Tommy Maddox, an NFL castoff, threw 65 passes, completing 38 for 412 yards and four touchdowns Saturday night, the last on Los Angeles' second possession of overtime, as the Xtreme won their home debut, 39-32, over Chicago.

A loud, slightly rowdy crowd of 35,813, many of whom wore Raiders' gear, watched as the Xtreme evned their record at 1-1.

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NBA ALL-STAR GAME

East comes back and nets a close win

■ Allen Iverson leads the East with a 25 point performance.

By Chris Sheridan
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Turns out the West isn't better than the East. At least not in the NBA All-Star game — and certainly not when Allen Iverson's leading the way in the fourth quarter.

Iverson transformed what looked like a blowout loss into a thrilling, improbable 111-110 comeback victory for the Eastern Conference with a performance Sunday fitting of the 50th anniversary of the game.

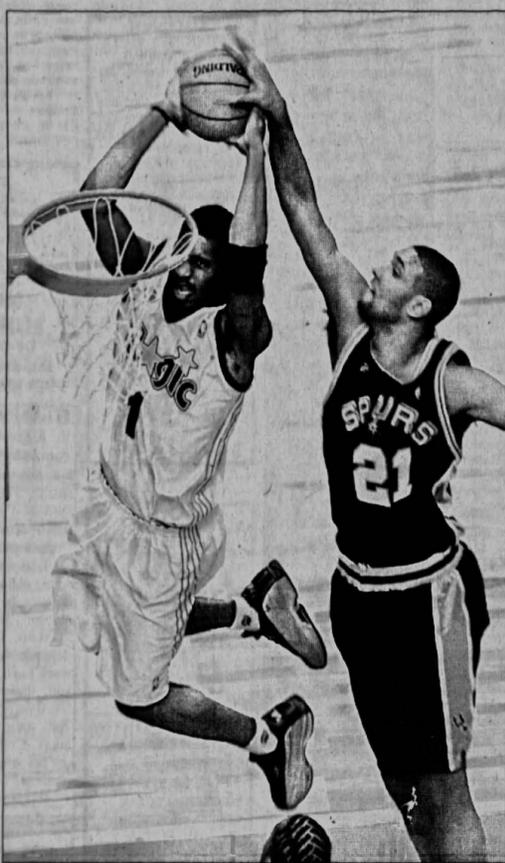
He scored 15 of his 25 points in the final nine minutes, and Stephon Marbury hit two 3-pointers in the final 53 seconds as the East came back from a 21-point deficit.

While presenting the MVP award to Iverson, NBA Commissioner David Stern, with a sly grin on his face, told Iverson that great basketball "can be wrapped — if you pardon the expression — in very small packages."

The comment was a clever reference to Iverson's height — he is an inch or two shy of 6 feet — and Iverson's rap album, which was criticized for its lyrics and led to a meeting with the commissioner.

The East trailed, 95-74, with nine minutes left after the West dominated the first 39 minutes of the game behind its superior size. It appeared the game would come out looking like a mismatch that would back up all the Western Conference superiority theories that have been thrown around so frequently this season.

But the East started pecking away, and Iverson walked over to the scorer's table dur-



Doug Mills/Associated Press

Eastern Conference All Star Tracy Grady has his shot blocked by Western Conference All Star Tim Duncan during the first half of the 50th NBA All-Star Game at the MCI Center Sunday in Washington.

ing a timeout and asked if anyone wanted to wager whether the East would make a comeback.

That's exactly what the East proceeded to do, with Jerry Stackhouse and Vince Carter making 3-point shots that were followed by a three-point play by Iverson to cut the West's lead to 100-96.

Iverson scored the East's

next two points from the line, and Tracy McGrady tied it on a putback with 3:10 left.

Iverson scored the East's next five points, and a chant of "M-V-P! M-V-P!" was heard after his two foul shots gave the East a 105-104 lead.

But that chant might have revved up someone else, instead.

Someone named Kobe

Bryant.

In a down-the-stretch performance reminiscent of his play in the Lakers' Game 4 overtime victory over Indiana in last year's NBA finals, Bryant kept getting the ball and putting it in the basket.

His short jumper made it 106-105, and his 20-footer gave the West a 108-105 lead with a minute left. Marbury, ecstatic over making his first All-Star appearance, tied on a 3-pointer with 53 seconds left.

Bryant answered right back with another jumper, but Marbury did him one better with another 3-pointer that gave the East a 111-110 lead with 28 seconds left.

The West set up for a final shot after inbounding with 10.9 seconds left. Bryant got the ball, but with everybody in the building expecting him to shoot — his injured teammate Shaquille O'Neal was probably certain of it — Bryant faked Marbury off his feet and then threw the ball to Duncan for a short shot that missed just before the buzzer.

"I was actually expecting him to shoot," Duncan said. "I was wide open, he got me the ball, and I should have finished it. It just didn't go down. It was a great final four minutes."

Prior to that, it was almost an embarrassment for the East.

How bad was it? They fell behind 11-0, committed 10 turnovers in the first quarter and seemed incapable of stopping any of the big men from the West.

The starting frontcourt of Duncan, Chris Webber and Kevin Garnett finished with 14 points apiece, although Duncan was scoreless and Webber and Garnett had only two apiece in the fourth.

Iverson finished with 25, Carter had 16 and Ray Allen 15. Dikembe Mutombo grabbed 22 rebounds.

XFL ratings down in after second week

■ The league's Nielsen ratings were cut in half from last week.

By Howard Fendrich
Associated Press

The novelty factor didn't last long for the XFL.

NBC's second broadcast of the fledgling football league owned by the network and the World Wrestling Federation drew about half as many viewers as the debut did, despite a boost in the final 45 minutes from a double-overtime game.

Tellingly, NBC finished last among the four major networks in prime time on Feb. 10, just a week after beating ABC, CBS and Fox with the opening of the part-sports, part-spectacle program.

The preliminary overnight rating for the Feb. 10 XFL show was a 5.1, meaning an average of 5.1 percent of television homes in the country's largest 49 markets tuned in at any given time.

That's a steep fall from the 10.3 preliminary Nielsen number last week and reminiscent of the viewer erosion experienced by the USFL in the 1980s.

Another bad sign: Repeating a pattern seen in Week 1, the XFL rating decreased each half-hour from 7 to 9:30 p.m. CST.

That was followed by a razor-thin increase for the next 30 minutes, but then the audience expanded by 25 percent from 10 to 10:45 p.m. as the Los Angeles Xtreme pulled out their 39-32 victory over the Chicago Enforcers in two extra periods.

There was a major glitch 12 minutes into the show, when an NBC power generator gave out and the feed from Los Angeles was lost. Viewers saw an on-screen graphic for 1½ minutes before being taken to the night's other XFL game, San Francisco at Orlando, for about 25 minutes.

Still, it took just seven days for the loud and sometimes lurid XFL to go from vastly exceeding expectations to hovering right around the 4.5 national rating NBC promised advertisers. National ratings

for Feb. 10 should be released Tuesday.

"We remain a work in progress, and our numbers last night are exactly where we said they would be the last six months," NBC Sports Chairman Dick Ebersol said.

The size of the drop surprised some industry observers.

"I had anticipated perhaps a 25 percent decline from the first week to the second," former CBS Sports President Neil Pilson, who now heads a TV consulting firm, said Sunday.

The Feb. 10 program had more WWF influence, with one of that group's star wrestlers opening the on-field proceedings in Los Angeles with rambling bluster about being "sick and tired of NFL suits telling us what they want."

The main play-by-play voice changed, with wrestling announcer Jim Ross supplanting Milwaukee Brewers broadcaster Matt Vasgersian as the setup man for Minnesota Gov. Jesse Ventura. Vasgersian worked the game in Orlando.

There were a few other on-air tweaks orchestrated by Ebersol and his XFL partner, WWF impresario and marketing wizard Vince McMahon, as they strive to attract wrestling's core audience of young male viewers.

The USFL, another outdoor spring football league, went from a 14.2 rating in its first game, on ABC in 1983, to 7.4 in its second game. It was down to 3.3 by Week 15 and folded after three seasons.

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Third-ranked Duke tops ACC foe N.C. State

DURHAM, N.C. (AP) — Jason Williams and No. 3 Duke are back in the groove.

After a couple of mediocre games by Duke standards, the Blue Devils shot 53 percent, forced 24 turnovers, and used a 17-0 first-half run to roll over North Carolina State 101-75 Sunday.

Williams, coming off a pair of season-low eight-point games against Florida State and Clemson, scored 23 as Duke's starters all hit double figures.

Nate James added 19, while Shane Battier had 18 and Carlos Boozer 17 in front of members of the 1991 national title team, who were honored at halftime.

Duke (22-2, 10-1 Atlantic Coast Conference) had beaten the Wolfpack by just six in Raleigh a month ago, but stormed to a 20-point halftime lead and then made eight straight shots and 11 of 12 to start the second half to go up by 30 with 11:02 left.

Williams and Battier had two 3-pointers each during the early second-half scoring spree as Duke made five straight long-range shots and 13-of-29 from beyond the arc for the game.

The win keeps the Blue Devils one game behind No. 1 North Carolina in the race for the ACC regular-season crown and gives them 51 straight victories over unranked league opponents.

No. 20 Notre Dame 69, West Virginia 66

MORGANTOWN, W.Va. — One of Troy Murphy's worst games of the season couldn't keep No. 20 Notre Dame from its seventh-straight victory.

Murphy scored just 15 points, but his final one — a free throw with a minute left — gave Notre Dame the lead for good and the Irish held on for a 69-66 victory over West Virginia Sunday.

Murphy shot just four of 10 from the field but West Virginia's defensive pursuit of the Irish shored his teammates to get open shots.

Martin Ingelsby led the Irish (16-5, 8-2 Big East) with 17 points. Matt Carroll had 15, and Ryan Humphrey scored 11. Humphrey had to be helped off the court with an injured ankle.

Georgia Tech 62, No. 6 Virginia 56

ATLANTA — Tony Akins scored 19 points, Halston Lane hit two key shots, and Georgia Tech pulled off

another big upset, beating No. 6 Virginia, 62-56, Sunday.

The surprising Yellow Jackets (14-8, 6-5 Atlantic Coast Conference) defeated their second ranked team in five days and fourth of the season, enhancing their hopes of reaching the NCAA tournament for the first time since 1996.

Georgia Tech, picked to finish near the bottom of the ACC, is tied for third after sweeping the season series from Virginia.

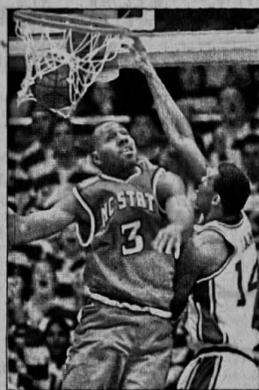
The Cavaliers (16-6, 5-6) again struggled on the road in league play, losing their second in a row and dropping to 1-5 for the season.

Indiana 72, Michigan 59

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — Kirk Haston scored 30 points, Jared Jeffries added 26 and the Indiana defense forced 24 Michigan turnovers as Indiana held on for a 72-59 victory Sunday.

Haston finished with his second straight career-high scoring total and added eight rebounds to lead the Hoosiers (15-9, 6-4 Big Ten). Jeffries' total also was a career-high and he had 12 rebounds.

Part of the problem for Michigan (9-13, 3-8) was that two starters — Avery Queen and Bernard Robinson Jr. — were benched during the first



Grant Halverson/Associated Press
Duke's Nate James dunks over North Carolina State's Damon Thornton in the first half Sunday, at Cameron Indoor Stadium in Durham, N.C.

half by coach Brian Ellerbe.

A much larger part, however, was the Hoosiers' defense.

Indiana, which had not played in eight days, looked sluggish for about 10 minutes. But the Hoosiers stayed close because of their defense, and when Michigan committed eight turnovers in 11 possessions, the Hoosiers pounced.

Mickelson takes home Buick Invitational title

■ He becomes the first back-to-back winner in 25 years at Torrey Pines.

By Doug Ferguson
Associated Press

SAN DIEGO — A repeat victory for Phil Mickelson in the Buick Invitational didn't come without the kind of finish that made his stomach churn. And it had nothing to do with food poisoning that he battled all week.

Mickelson became the first back-to-back winner at Torrey Pines in 25 years by making double bogey on the third playoff hole and winning when Frank Lickliter three-putted from 12 feet for a shocking loss that nearly left him in tears.

Davis Love III was eliminated from the three-man playoff

one hole earlier when he failed to save par from a plugged lie in the bunker. His final words as he left the course were, "It looks like a disaster out there."

He had no idea. All three players finished at 19-under 269. All had eagle putts to win in regulation on the par-5 18th and again on the first extra hole.

The third playoff hole, the 425-yard 17th, was a script right out of a horror show.

Mickelson hit first and fanned his drive into a canyon left of the fairway, leaving him with virtually no chance at par. Lickliter followed by hitting his drive in the exact same spot.

Both hit provisional tee shots, assuming the balls would not be found, and both hit the fairway with their third shots.

But Lickliter found his ball and had to go back to the tee and hit his third shot over again. Mickelson was already in the fairway and didn't want to find his. Much to his chagrin, someone in the gallery found it for him and he had to replay his third shot, too.

Lickliter hit the fairway for the third time. Mickelson's ball headed for the canyon once again.

"Oh, no! Spit it out!" he implored.

A tree obliged, but left him a tough lie, and Mickelson hit a great approach to 25 feet. From the fairway, Lickliter hit his wedge to six feet and appeared on the verge of victory.

Mickelson two-putted for his double bogey. Lickliter's winning bogey putt, however, ran 4 feet by and he missed it coming back.

"I'm in shock right now," Lickliter said, holding back tears. "When Phil fanned his shot into the garbage, I got too excited. Other than getting stupid, I feel like I played pretty good."

After spending a week having to digest a bitter loss at Pebble Beach and a bad meal that gave him food poisoning, Mickelson found winning to be the best remedy — even though it was far from painful.

He closed with a 66 to become the first repeat winner of the Buick Invitational since J.C. Snead in 1976, and the first three-time winner on the course that used to be his stomping grounds as a kid.

Mickelson won \$630,000 for his 18th career victory. He has won five times over the past 12 months, more than anyone except Tiger Woods' seven victories.

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Iowa City, IA 52242

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The University of Iowa Water Plant is looking for Part-Time Student Employees for the following positions:

Student Operator/Maintenance:

Weekly and weekend shift work, duties include simple chemical analysis, plant operation and monitoring. Would prefer undergraduates with a major in science or engineering. Computer background with experience in relational databases and MS Office highly desirable.

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Applicants must be registered University of Iowa students

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MONDAY PRIME TIME

	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
HOME ANTENNA												
KGAN	News	Seinfeld	King	Yes Dear	Raymond	Becker	48 Hours	News	Letterman	Feud		
KWWL	News	Wheel	Hunter: Snakes	Dateline NBC	Third Watch			News	Tonight Show	Late Ngt.		
KFXA	Rose	Carey	Boston Public	Ally McBeal	Star Trek: Voyager	3rd Rock	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Rose			
KCRG	News	Friends	These Old Broads (01)	(Shirley MacLaine)	Gideon's Crossing			News	Spin City	Home	Nightline	
KIUN	NewsHr.	H'metime	Antiques Roadshow	American Experience		Williams	Business	Mulberry	Wait ...	Entrepre.		
KWKB	7 Heaven	Sabrina	7th Heaven: V-Day	Kiss the Bride	Heart	Date	Smarts	Sex Wars	Arrest ...	Cops		
CABLE CHANNELS												
PUBL	Programming Unavailable											
GOVT	Programming Unavailable											
PAX	Shop	Sweep	Miracle Pets	Touched by Angel	Diagnosis Murder			A Miracle	H'wood	Paid Prg.	Paid Prg.	
LIBR	Programming Unavailable											
EDUC	Programming Unavailable											
UNIV	France	Spanish	Race to Save Planet	Classic TV Comedy	One Step	One Step		Korean	Greece	France	Italy	
KWOC	News	Wheel	Hunter: Snakes	Dateline NBC	Third Watch			News	Tonight Show	Late Ngt.		
WSUI	Programming Unavailable											
SCOLA	Hungary	Quebec	Croatia	China	Cuba	Iran		Korea	Greece	France	Italy	
KSUI	Programming Unavailable											
DISC	Untamed Indonesia	Stings	Cosmetic Surgery	The Face Makers				Justice Files	Stings			
WGN	Prince	Susan	Men of War (R, '95)	** (Dolph Lundgren)	News			MacGyver: Thin Ice	Matlock (Part 1 of 2)			
CSPN	House of Reps.	Prime Time Public Affairs						Prime Time Public Affairs				
UNI	Locura de Amor	Abrazame Fuerte	Mi Destino Eres Tu	Cristina ... Especial				Impacto	Noticiero	Que Te Atreves?		
C-SPN2	U.S. Senate (3)	Public Affairs						Public Affairs				
TBS	Prince	Prince	Wyatt Earp (PG-13, '94)	** (Kevin Costner, Dennis Quaid)						Wyatt Earp (PG-13)		
TWC	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel		Weather Channel	Weather Channel			
BRAY	St. Elsewhere	Caught (R, '96)	** (Edward James Olmos)					Caught (R, '96)	** (Edward James Olmos)			
CNBC	Bus. Center (5:30)	Chris Matthews	Rivera Live	News/Williams	Chris Matthews	Rivera Live						
BET	106/Park	Oh Drama!	Amen	ComicView	BET Live	BET Live		News	Tonight	Midnight Love		
BOX	Off the Air											
TBN	Dr. to Dr.	Jakes	Behind	Scham.	Dino	Duplantis		Praise the Lord		Majesty	E.V. Hill	
HIST	Found	Hist. IQ	History's Mysteries	The Enforcers: ATF	Garage Gadgets	Secrets of Sex		History's Mysteries				
TNN	Miami Vice	Martial Law	WWF RAW	WWF War Zone	Rodeo (10:05)	Miami Vice (11:05)						
SPEED	News	Motor	Auto Racing	Story of the Beetle	Festival of Speed	News	Motor	Auto Racing				
ESPN	SportsCentury	ESPY Pregame	2001 ESPY Awards					2001 ESPY Awards				
ESPN2	College Basketball (Live)		College Basketball: Kan. at Baylor (Live)			SportsCenter		College Bask (Live)				
FOXSP	NASCAR	Word	Chi. Spo.	Fox Sports Awards	Beyond the Glory	Preps		Nat. Sports Report	Sports	Word		
LIFE	Intimate Portrait	Weddings	A Mother's Fight for Justice (01)			Golden		Golden	Design.	Design.		
COM	Daily	Silv'man	Whose? Whose?	Whose? Whose?	Comedy	Premium		Daily	Stein	Saturday Night Live		
EI	Wrap-Up	Talk S'p	Myst.	Myst.	The EI True Hollywood Story			H. Stern	H. Stern	Wild On ...	Ibiza	
NICK	Arnold	Rugrats	Thom.	Brady	Facts	Facts	3's Co.	3's Co.	AllFam.	Jeff'sons	Lucy	Facts
FX	NYPD Blue	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	A Fish Called Wanda (R, '88)	**	X Show		In Color	The X-Files			
TNT	The Pretender	WCW Monday Nitro Live!			Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's The Lost World	Monday Nitro						
TOON	Scooby	Bravo	Chicken	Dexter	Daffy	Jerry	Fistone	Scooby	Chicken	Dexter	Dragon	Outlaw ...
MTV	MTV Ultra Sound: Awards Uncensored	Sound	Video	Grammy Uncen.	Undress	Daria: Is It Fall Yet? (00)						
VH1	Behind the Music	Weird Al Live!	Behind the Music	Where Are They?	Collect.	Rock		Behind the Music				
A&E	Law & Order	Biography	100 Centre Street	Investigative Report	Law & Order	Biography						
ANIM	Croc File	Animals	Moose on Loose	Gordon	Contact	Encoun.	Animal X	Moose on Loose	Gordon	Contact		
USA	JAG	Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show: Opening Night (Live)			Martin	Martin		La Femme Nikita				
PREMIUM CHANNELS												
HBO	Starman (5) (PG)	Blue Streak (PG-13, '99)	**	Love Stinks (8:45) (R, '99)	**	Orgasm: Real Sex	Movie					
DIS	Horse Sense (99) (Joey Lawrence)	James and the ...	Ms. Bear (9:15) (G, '97) (Ed Begley Jr.)	Zorro	Mickey							
MAX	Beverly Hills Cop II	Two Shades of Blue (R, '00)	Drop Zone (R, '94)	** (Wesley Snipes)	Carnal Desires							
STARZ	Ghostbusters II	Drowning Mona (PG-13, '00)	Dill Scallion (8:35) (PG-13, '99)	Body Snatchers (10:15) (R, '93)	**							
SHOW	My Blue Heaven	The General's Daughter (R, '99)	**	Resurrection Blvd.	The Hot Spot (R, '90)	*** (Don Johnson)						

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FOURTH FLOOR

by Troy Holtz



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by Scott Adams



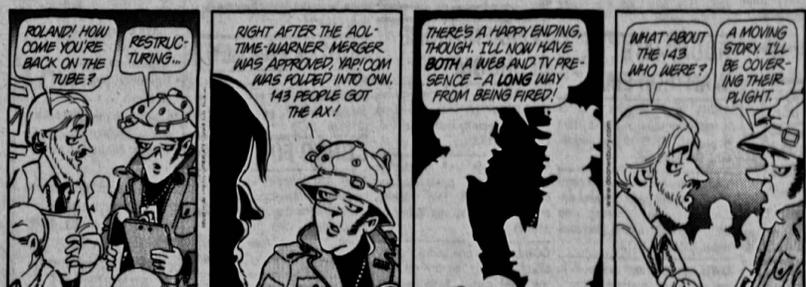
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calendar

"Surveying the Digital Future: A Longitudinal International Study of the Individual and Social Effects of PC/Internet Technology," Jeffery Cole, University of California, Los Angeles, today at 10:30 a.m., IMU Terrace Room.

"Research Support on Campus — a Sampling of Available Assistance," Charlotte Talman, Iowa Trials Office, Bill Haynes, General Clinical Research Center, Arthur Miller, Iowa Social Science Institute, today at noon, Public Policy Center Seminar Room, South Quadrangle.

International Mondays, "Street Vendors in Mexico: Small Enterprise Developments in a Global Economy," Tom Walz, today at noon, International Center Lounge.

Plasma-physics seminar, "Dust in the Plasma of the Interstellar Medium," Steven Spangler, today at 1:30 p.m., Room 309, Van Allen Hall.

Lecture seminar: "Biogeochemistry of a Shallow Sand Aquifer Contaminated with Jet Fuel," Jiasong Fang, University of Michigan, today at 4 p.m., Room 125, Trowbridge Hall.

"The New Intifada," Iowa International Socialist Organization, today at 7 p.m., IMU Minnesota Room.

horoscopes

Monday, February 12, 2001

by Eugenia Last

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Partnerships will be strained if one of you has been disagreeable. Try to be understanding and sort the situation out before things get out of hand.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Don't waste your time trying to get others to understand why you are doing things the way you are. Work diligently on your own and avoid being dragged into conversations that will lead to disagreements.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You should be involved in activities that include children. Your creative input will be welcomed at any group gathering. Go shopping for that special outfit you've been wanting.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Your temper will be pushed to the limit if you allow family members to take you for granted. Disillusionment regarding your partnership will lead to moodiness.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Keep your thoughts to yourself. You may have been given false information that could damage someone's reputation. Find out the facts before you take action. You can excel if you are diplomatic.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Unforeseen expenses will cause worry. Talk to someone who can advise you of ways to improve your financial situation. You need attention today. Spend time with someone you

love. **LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Disharmony will lead to anguish and minor illness. Don't let others force you to do or say things that will be upsetting. You need to pamper yourself for a change.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Pick your friends and acquaintances carefully. You must not let anyone talk you into spending your money on something you don't fully believe in.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You will have a problem with colleagues. Try not to back yourself into a corner. You need to allow others to do their own thing. If you focus on your own goals, you will get ahead.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You should look into seminars that will help you obtain a more positive outlook. Be prepared to adjust your attitude for a more upbeat approach to life.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You will have to be careful not to go over your budget. Take the time to help a friend in need, but don't go overboard. You can find solutions to existing problems, but you must act upon them if you wish to turn things around.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You need some time alone with your lover. Take the lead and let your mate know how much you care. It's time you were getting serious and making a commitment.

public access tv schedule

Channel 2	9:30 p.m. Voicing the Chinese
7:30 p.m. Country Time Country	10:00 p.m. Holocaust
8:30 p.m. Nancy Cree Keyboard Highlights	10 p.m. Live at the World Marketplace
9 p.m. 30 Minutes	11 p.m. Mushroom Hunters

The Ledge
By Jesse Ammerman

Grammy pairings that could top the Eminem/Elton John duet

- Backstreet Boys and Gwar
- Limp Bizkit and Wang Chung
- Reba McEntire and Slayer
- Snoop Dogg and Styx
- Ozzy Osbourne and Ace of Base
- Wu-Tang Clan and Amy Grant
- Britney Spears and Iron Maiden
- Dionne Warwick and Godsmack
- Puff Daddy and Bachman Turner Overdrive
- Kid Rock and DC Talk
- Bob Dylan and 'NSync
- Jay-Z and Jefferson Starship
- Wham! and Marilyn Manson
- Busta Rhymes and Billy Joel
- Wilson Phillips and Whitesnake
- Axl Rose and Dick Cheney

By Bob Hewitt

Masked Dropout

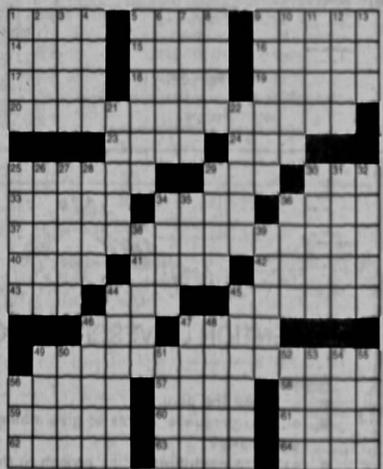


Crossword

Edited by Will Shortz

No. 0101

- ACROSS**
- Jacket
 - the night before ...
 - Popular Ford auto, informally
 - Slangy denial
 - Cry before disaster
 - Singer Ford from Tennessee
 - Ceremonial act
 - Complains and complains and ...
 - Good places for hen parties?
 - Voice amplifier on a pole
 - Like squashed insects
 - Edge
 - Negligent
 - Needle hole
 - Banking device, in brief
 - Correct, as text
 - Bullets, e.g.
 - "En garde" weapon
 - Do wondrous things
 - "Cogito" sum
 - One who stands to gain a lot?
 - Matter of fact?
 - Strong cleaner
 - Fish steerer
 - Like some winter sidewalks
 - Ca** or Cf, e.g.
 - District
 - "You'll have to show me"
 - Once more
 - Verdi heroine
 - Crude group?
 - Greeting said with a tip of the hat
 - One-inch news story
 - District
 - "This way" sign
 - Muse's instrument
 - Conclusions
- DOWN**
- Street's edge
 - Buckeye State
 - Hyundai or Honda
 - Unnamed ones
 - Invigorating drinks
 - Hit hard
 - Raging
 - Fair to middling
 - Computer whiz
 - Saw and laws have them
 - Netlike
 - So be it
 - New millennium year, or a part of 20-, 37- and 49-Across
 - Force back
 - Nail filer
 - Make one
 - Facts
 - Kuwaiti chief
 - Tiptop, on a report card
 - Postal delivery
 - Leak slowly
 - Friendliness
 - Abreast of
 - Tear
 - Cold desserts
 - "So that's it!"



ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HA-OTAT POLKA
EPITAPHS ORIOLE
MONTREAL KENNEL
PPG RELOUSE EARL

-IKI PRIM
SMEE AHA PERI
TARDE ONEONONE
ROM MORSE WED
ELISIONS LAGER
-IELL TEA DOLT
ISAW THE

MEAD BOATEL BAG
ALBINO MILITATE
DARNER SCENARIO
-LIGHT ANEC-ES

Puzzle by Manny Moskowitz

31 Saws and laws have them

46 "Don't mind" _____

51 Postal delivery

52 Leak slowly

32 Netlike

47 Friendliness

53 Abreast of

34 So be it

48 Equestrian

54 Tear

35 New millennium year, or a part of 20-, 37- and 49-Across

49 Composer

55 Cold desserts

50 Bryn _____ Pa

56 "So that's it!"

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