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Alleged meth lab found

An Iowa City man has been charged with the manufacture of methamphetamine.

By Peter Rugg
The Daily Iowan

Prompted by a report of strong odors, Iowa City police arrested an Iowa City resident Thursday night and charged

him with the manufacture of methamphetamine and a schedule II controlled substance.

Police obtained a search warrant for Donovan Scott Wyse's residence, 2017 Keokuk St. Apt. 7, after receiving a complaint at 2:21 p.m. about unpleasant odors coming out of the apartment. After investigating the incident, officers obtained a war-

rrent to search the apartment and contacted members of the Iowa Drug Enforcement Agency, the State Patrol, the Johnson County Attorney's office and the Iowa Department of Narcotics Enforcement. Upon searching the apartment, officers assert that they found evidence that Wyse had been manufacturing methamphetamine. Iowa City police Sgt. Doug

Hart, who was among the investigating officers, said the apartment contained items consistent with the production of methamphetamine.

"There were numerous chemicals and instruments in the apartment," he said. "As well as a sizable portion of meth itself."

Wyse is employed at

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UI backs off on post-comp fees

University officials decide not to implement a controversial fee hike for some graduate students.

By Ryan Foley
The Daily Iowan

University officials will not implement a policy change that would have increased fees for hundreds of graduate students by almost 600 percent.

The announcement — which cancels the implementation of a continuous registration fee for post-comprehensive exam doctoral students — came in a letter UI President Mary Sue Coleman sent to the state of

Iowa Board of Regents Thursday.

Post-comp students, who are finishing their dissertations and often are instructors in various academic departments, would have been forced to register for two credit hours and pay the \$412 rate starting July 1. This year, those approximately 500 students paid a \$70 fee.

The decision to cancel the fee implementation follows two months of public protests from graduate students, who say they were not adequately notified of the change. The regents approved the UI's proposal in a

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Student Health receives accreditation



Kim Kennedy/The Daily Iowan

Rita Krause, a staff physician at Student Health, takes down the medical history of first-year UI law student Daniel Shoeni's health concern Thursday afternoon. Student Health recently received accreditation from the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations.

This marks the first time the UI service is honored.

By Kellie Doyle
The Daily Iowan

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Health Care Organizations recently accredited the UI Student

Health Service for its clinical and laboratory services — marking the first time the center, which serves approximately 38,000 patients annually, has received the recognition.

The accreditation is good for three years, after which time the center must undergo another inspection.

"We feel this is a great accomplishment, and it speaks toward the dedication of our entire staff," said Mary Khowassah, the director of Student Health. "It's good for students to know it is a quality place to receive care."

The commission, which inspected the university

service in December 2000, is a national organization stationed in Oakbrook Terrace, Ill. In 2000, it accredited 19,000 organizations, including hospitals, home care and ambulatory care, said Lynnette Rimkus, the group's media-relations spe-

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Soloski leaves UI J-school for Georgia

The director of the School of Journalism will take over as dean at the Georgia school in July.

By Danielle Plogmann
The Daily Iowan

John Soloski, the director of the UI School of Journalism and Mass Communication, announced Thursday that he has accepted the position of dean of the Grady College of Journalism at the University of Georgia.

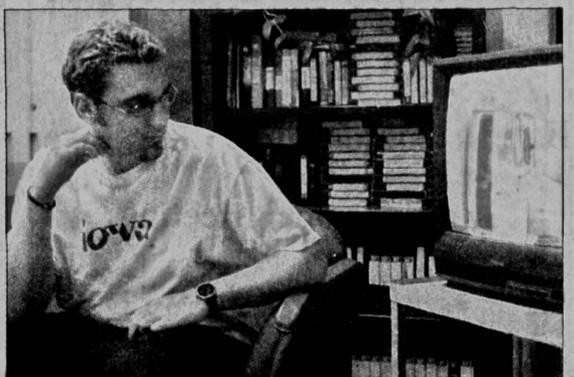
Soloski is scheduled to assume his new position in

July. UI journalism faculty members are slated to meet

with Linda Maxson, the dean of the College of Liberal Arts, on April 13 to discuss finding an interim director, who Soloski will help assume the office.

Soloski to be dean of Georgia J-school

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Charlie Curtin/The Daily Iowan

UI freshman and Safewalk volunteer Ryan Anderson watches a movie while waiting for a call Monday at the Safewalk office.

A stepping stone to business, politics & infamy

Former UISG presidents talk about what they are doing now.

By Kathryn Anderson
The Daily Iowan

Having had a packed schedule during the past year, neither UI Student Government President Andy Stoll nor his Partner, Vice President Chris Linn, have clear plans for their life after their term ends on April 1.

Stoll said he will continue his education at the university. He has several projects in mind, including writing an honors thesis and producing a film, he said. He would also like to work on student-leadership development and diversity-issues projects.

"I don't have any clear plans right now," he said. "I want to continue working in student life but in a less-visible role."

Linn said he hasn't decided

his future career path just yet, but he will probably get a job after graduating next spring. He may return for graduate school.

While their futures are unclear, one thing is certain: They will join the ranks of other former student leaders who made an impact at the university and have done a variety of things afterward.

A conservative in liberal land Steve Grubbs' time as a stu-

dent leader began a political career that led to his posts as senior adviser to Steve Forbes during the 2000 primaries and chairman of the Iowa Republican Party and possibly a future candidate for an Iowa congressional seat.

But for now, Grubbs, who served as UI Student Senate president during the 1985-86 school year, runs a technology-communications company

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Between hosting meetings, balancing budgets and filing papers late into the night, here are a few of the out-of-office projects — some successful and some not so — President Andy Stoll and Vice President Chris Linn have undertaken in the past year.

Timeline of events from 4-4-00 to 5-27-01, including Stoll and Linn's activities.



Andy Stoll Most encouraging aspect of the last year: "Our work in Des Moines has paid off — relations with state senators and local representatives such as Mary Mascher. We were able to restore some funding last year." Most discouraging: "The whole alcohol debate was the most frustrating part — getting the city and administration to listen. We've been working to encourage responsible drinking and less of a parental standpoint on the part of the university and Ccty."



Chris Linn Most encouraging: "The State Legislature worked well with us when we fought to keep tuition reasonable." Most discouraging: "But the tuition issue was both good and bad. A low point of the year was when we were so misinterpreted for our stand on the tuition increase. This was difficult to overcome at the beginning. But we worked to gain a student voice out of the 10 percent raise."

On their toes for safety

Though Safewalk has extended its hours, most nights pass quietly.

By Sara Faiwell
The Daily Iowan

The phone does not ring once at Safewalk Monday night — an occurrence no different from most nights the service is available for UI students.

Volunteer and UI freshman Anne Cherry spends most of her two-and-a-half hour shift studying for an upcoming test and watching a movie. Cherry has only actually walked someone home four times in her first semester on the job.

Safewalk is a student-run organization that provides campus-wide evening escorts. Calls can either be made at the time of a needed walk or they can be pre-arranged.

In October 2000, Safewalk decided to extend its hours,

hoping to draw more calls from students who were at bars or studying late at the Main Library. Currently, Safewalk runs Sundays through Thursdays from 7 p.m. to 2:30 a.m.



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READ, THEN RECYCLE

CITY

Christie Vilsack to speak in Iowa City

■ The state's first lady will be part of a women's mental-health conference this weekend.

By Mary Johnson
The Daily Iowan

Presentations on everything from food, mood and sex lives of today's women will be part of the UI's first women's mental-health conference this weekend.

The conference, "Women's Mental Health Through the Life Cycle," kicked off Thursday with presentations on topics that included eating disorders, depression and alternatives for treating mental-health disorders. Researchers at the three-day event will discuss how to re-orient medical practice to include appropriate sex-based treatments.

Keynote speaker and Iowa's first lady Christie Vilsack will speak about motivating young women to become politically involved today at 7 p.m. at the Sheraton Hotel, 210 S. Dubuque St.

Vilsack said her interest is to empower young women, noting that she has spent her life working with adolescents. The governor's wife was a teacher for more than 28 years in Mount Pleasant, Iowa.

"My interest is not so much in health care but to empower young women," she said. "If we get them politically involved, they will go back to their schools and use strategies learned at conferences."

The conference is hosted by the UI College of Medicine, the Office of the Associate Provost for Health Sciences, Women in Science in Engineering and the Colleges of Dentistry, Nursing

and Pharmacy.

Katherine Wisner, the conference chairwoman, said she got the impetus for having a women's health conference when she met Vilsack during the state's presidential caucuses in January 2000. She is scheduled to present a lecture on the sexual side effects of anti-depressants.

She said the conference also aims to promote the development of health services for the UI Women's Health Center. Facilities such as the new center are important, she said, because women are recognized as active health-care consumers.

"Women are demanding integrated health care," she said. "They want one-stop shopping and to receive all their primary care from the same facility."

Monique DiCarlo, the director of the Women's Resource and Action Center, is scheduled to present a self-development workshop Saturday. WRAC normally provides assistance to women through counseling and referral services. Discussion at the workshop will explore the way people develop a message through their mind, body and spirit, she said.

"We want to make sure the women have the resources and skills needed to add to their toolbox, so to speak," DiCarlo said.

The program will also mark an opportunity for a conversation between science and policy experts about women's health, said Karin Brunck, a planning committee member.

"It will be a fantastic and groundbreaking conference," she said.

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CITY BRIEF

Police alert public of local sex offender

The Iowa City police are informing the public that a sex offender is living in the area.

Mary Susan McGeorge, 33, is a registered sex offender in the state of Iowa residing at 1112 St. Clements Alley. McGeorge was convicted of third-degree sexual abuse with a 4-year-old female in Polk County, Iowa, on Aug. 5, 1994. McGeorge is a 5-foot-6 white

female, weighing 202 pounds. She has scars on her left and right wrists.

After a Iowa Department of Public Safety assessment, she is considered at "high risk" to re-offend.

Police say the notification is to serve only as a means for members of the public to protect themselves; any action taken by anyone against her, including vandalism of property, oral or written threat of physical harm, or physical assault against her or her family can result in arrest and prosecution.

— by Tony Robinson

Lawmakers look at teacher pay

■ One out of every six first-year teachers leaves the state after one year, a high-school teacher says.

By Anne Webbeking
The Daily Iowan

Local residents made suggestions to area state legislators about proposed teacher-compensation plans Thursday night, with the lawmakers saying they are optimistic that some legislation will pass before the current legislative session ends.

Reps. Mary Mascher, D-Iowa City, and Vicki Lensing, D-Iowa City, and Sens. Joe Bolckow, D-Iowa City, and Robert Dvorsky, D-Coralville, listened to the suggestions at the Iowa City School Board office.

John Hieronymus, a teacher at Iowa City High School, said his biggest concern is the loss of teachers to other states. One

out of every six first-year teachers in Iowa leave their teaching job after only one year, he said. Iowa has created a system that is educating people for other states to raid, Hieronymus said.

The new legislation hopes to combat the problem by raising teachers' pay. Although not every teacher will see a salary increase, legislators told the concerned teachers that first-year teachers and the lowest-paid teachers should have a pay increase to help keep teachers in the state.

An education assistant at Iowa City West High School, 2901 Melrose Ave., offered his opinion on how to raise every K-12 teachers' salary in the state — double tuition at state universities over a period of four or five years.

With the extra money from the state universities, John Gelhaus said, Iowa would be able to raise all teachers' pay.

Although college students would be paying considerably more, he said, the investment in their education would eventually pay for itself. Those who are not able to pay the increased tuition could apply for financial aid, he said.

While many suggestions were made at the forum, the legislators said it will take longer than the current session to fix what they call a major problem in the state.

"This is just the first year," Lensing said. "It's going to take several years to get this up and running."

Dvorsky said he heard some interesting ideas at the forum but that the large amount of concern brings even more difficulties to the legislation.

"I think something will be passed," he said. "I just hope it's something useful."

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City may limit vehicles on property

■ The ordinance is not aimed at one particular residence, councilors say.

By Megan L. Eckhardt
The Daily Iowan

The city may limit the number of vehicles that Iowa City residents may park or store outside on private property if the Iowa City City Council passes an proposed ordinance on April 3.

The council's consideration of the measure comes in the wake of the city's receiving several complaints about private lots having an "excessive" number of vehicles.

The ordinance would regulate the number of vehicles parked or stored outside in residential areas for single-family or duplex lots. Residents would be allowed to have six vehicles stored on the property. If a family had more than four licensed drivers, it would be allowed to have one additional vehicle for every additional licensed driver.

Concern has been raised in the past that this ordinance

was drafted to concentrate on one specific property, but Doug Boothroy, the director of the city's Department of Housing Inspection Services, said the ordinance addresses a much larger problem.

The city inspectors receive approximately 80 complaints a year concerning the number, location, condition and appearance of stored vehicles, he said. Neighbors say the vehicles affect the quality life in the neighborhood.

Originally, the council began examining so-called excessive vehicles because of complaints regarding a particular property, Boothroy said.

"One specific property became like a vehicle storage lot," he said. "It appeared to be a commercial lot in a residential area. It pointed out weakness in our existing regulations."

That property, Mayor Ernie Lehman said, was on First Avenue and contained 17 vehicles.

"It originally brought (the problem) to our attention, which generated interest," he

said. "But historically, there have been a lot of complaints."

Lehman said he expects the ordinance to pass and the owner of the property to abide by the ordinance.

"The owner said the vehicles could be removed," Lehman said. "Because there doesn't appear to be any hardship, I think it will pass."

Councilor Connie Champion said originally she believed this was a solitary problem, therefore she was against the proposal. But after receiving a large number of phone calls from residents all over the city who said they were experiencing similar problems, she now said she will vote for the passage of the ordinance.

"I was surprised by the number of calls that I received," she said. "This is a neighborhood problem. It wasn't just an isolated incident."

If the ordinance passes, property owners who violate it will have until May 1, 2002, to comply.

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Bring your computers and favorite network games to the Quadrangle Residence Hall's Recreation Room. From noon to midnight, we will be playing games and having fun.

Setup starts at 10:00 a.m. and when that is done we'll be ready to go. Feel free to come by for part or the whole day.

We'll be playing games such as Carmageddon, Age of Empires, Starcraft, Warcraft, Quake, Doom, Unreal Tournament, Dune 2000, Nox, or whatever else people have to bring to play.

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I.C. woman joins breast-cancer board



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Mary Spaight, right, the principal coordinator for STAR at the UI, instructs her patient, Judy Hupfeld, on the use of breast-cancer prevention medications.

Judy Hupfeld has been named to serve on the nation's largest cancer-prevention study.

By Natasha Lambropoulos
The Daily Iowan

An Iowa City woman announced Thursday that she will serve on a national board advising the nation's largest cancer-prevention study in the fight against breast cancer.

Judy Hupfeld accepted a nomination to join the advisory board of STAR — Study of Tamoxifen and Raloxifene — which advises breast-cancer investigators on issues pertaining to the study's participants.

The purpose of the 91-member board is to inform the researchers on how to approach and recruit women for the study, as well as notify the investigators about symptoms and symptom management.

STAR is a nationwide five-year clinical trial that compares the effectiveness of Tamoxifen with Raloxifene in breast-cancer prevention. A previous study showed that Tamoxifen, a drug that has been studied for more than 20 years, reduced the risk of developing breast cancer among women with high risk for the disease by 50 percent. The group's current study hopes to determine which drug is more effective.

Board members will use their

personal experiences as a way to guide the researchers, said Mary Spaight, the UI principal coordinator for STAR.

Peter Jochimsen, a surgery professor and the principal investigator for the STAR study at the UI, and Spaight nominated Hupfeld because of her clear understanding of the study and commitment. Hupfeld has been a participant in two STAR studies.

"She had been on the previous prevention trial and agreed to take part in the second one," Spaight said. "She is very committed and articulate, and we know she would be a wonderful advocate for the study."

Hupfeld has a history of malignant cysts in her breasts and has two sisters — one of whom died at 47 — who have been diagnosed with the cancer. She joined the prevention trial in hopes of preventing future breast-cancer development.

Six-and-a-half years ago, Hupfeld, a retired school teacher, started the free study under the care of Jochimsen, a surgical oncologist whose specialty is breast cancer, and Spaight, Jochimsen's nurse.

"The program is a sense of security and relief," Hupfeld said. "Knowing that someone is taking care of me, with the latest medical developments, I don't feel any pressure or stress."

STAR is the only ongoing

breast-cancer prevention study in the country, as well as in Canada, involving 199 institutions. The National Surgical Adjuvant Breast & Bowel Project, supported by the National Cancer Institute, is conducting the STAR studies.

More than 9,000 women who are at high-risk for the disease are participants in the trial. There are 105 participants affiliated with the university's STAR program, the 14th-largest clinical site, and nearly 200 participants in Iowa as a whole. The women on the anonymous trials have to take two pills a day, one which is a placebo and the other either Tamoxifen or Raloxifene. The patients do not know which drug they are on and do not find out until the end of the study.

Hupfeld is very pleased with the results of her first study; she began her second trial 18 months ago. Since she began the trials, she has neither had cysts nor the expected post-menopausal side effects.

Hupfeld's first Participant Advisory Board meeting is scheduled for April 6 at STAR headquarters in Pittsburgh.

"It's exciting being able to do something for my family and all the women of the world," she said. "I encourage women who have cancer in their family to get involved in the study."

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UI to host Muslim convention

The event, designed to unite Muslims throughout Iowa, will include people from around the world.

By Jackie Hammers
The Daily Iowan

The first Iowa Muslims Convention aims this weekend to unite Muslims from across Iowa, UI Muslim Student Association members said Thursday.

The convention, which is free and open to non-Muslims, is being sponsored by the Iowa Muslim Student Association and Justice and Spirituality Publishing.

Orators from across the nation have been invited to talk. Rep. Jim Leach, R-Iowa, will be among the well-known speakers appearing Saturday.

"It is a great opportunity for Muslims who may have seen these speakers on video to actually hear them speak in person and have an opportunity to interact with them," said Aman Aminzay, a member of

the Muslim Student Association.

The convention could also help non-Muslims with an interest in Islam learn about the religion and meet people who practice it, he said. Others affiliated with the convention agreed.

"We want to make sure that we know how to apply the greatness of Islam in a way that plays a positive role in American society," said Imad Benjellou, the chairman of Justice and Spirituality Publishing. "People can benefit from Islam whether Muslim or non-Muslim."

Though more people practice Islam than any other religion except for Christianity, Asma Haidri of the Iowa Muslim Student Association said Muslims are often misunderstood.

"We have a special workshop for non-Muslims" in which they can ask Muslims any questions they may have about Islam, she said.

Convention organizers expect approximately 500 people to attend.

"We made it so big because we realized we have a lot of potential in the students, the families and all the other Muslims in Iowa," Benjellou said.

The guest list ended up being more national or international than simply statewide.

"We have people from all over the world coming: England, Guiana, Singapore and from other states such as Nebraska and New York," Haidri said.

Even more international guests would attend, Benjellou said, but that some had difficulties getting visas.

The number of UI students in the Iowa Muslim Student Association was a major reason that Iowa City was chosen as the site this year.

"It is possible that we could have it elsewhere in the future if it has the facilities," Haidri said. Cedar Falls and Ames were mentioned as possible future locations for the convention.

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1st Iowa Muslim Convention Highlights

- Today**
- 6:30 p.m. • Maghrib prayer and Short talk
 - 8-10:30 • Panel 1: "Impact of the Muslim Woman in America" by Dr. Jamal Badawi, Sr. Aminah Assilimi, and Dr. Rasha Al-Disuqi
 - 10:30 • Isha prayer and Short talk followed by Night Prayer (Yeayamu Lay!)
- Saturday**
- 10-11 a.m. • American Muslims and their Voices in Government, by Rep. Jim Leach
 - 11-12:30 p.m. • Panel 2: "Progressing Islam: The Mission is Yours!" by Dr. Amir Ali and Dr. Rasha Al-Disuqi
 - 2-4:30 • Keynote address: "Prophetic Model of Impact in a non-Muslim Country" Scholar Abdessalam Yassine (via telephone-Morocco)
 - 5:30-6:30 • Workshop for non-Muslims only: open questions and answers
 - 8-10:30 • Panel 3: "Winning the Modern World for Islam" by Dr. Jeffery Lang, Sr. Aminah Assilimi and Br. Imad Benjellou
- Sunday**
- 9-10 a.m. • Workshops by Br. Taha Tawil, Dr. Amir Ali and Br. Hassan Lachheb
 - 10-11 • "One Ummah" by Sr. Aminah Assilimi
 - 11-1 p.m. • Exhibition and Bazaar
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STATE BRIEF

Both sides trade fire on English-only measure

DES MOINES (AP) — Critics say declaring English the state's official language smacks of veiled racism, while supporters say they simply seek to help immigrants adjust.

Lawmakers and activists spent most of the day Thursday focused on the issue, with critics far outnumbering supporters.

"English-only laws are unnecessary, patronizing and divisive," said Dennis Barnum of the Iowa Civil Liberties Union. "They foster anti-immigrant bigotry and intolerance and exacerbate ethnic tensions."

"A common language is the most powerful unifying force known to mankind throughout history," countered Sen. Steve King, R-Kiron, main supporter of the measure. The issue is one of the most emotional facing lawmakers this year. The measure has been approved by the Senate; it was scheduled to be approved by a House committee Thursday, but that was delayed.

Approximately 150 critics gathered on the Statehouse steps to protest the measure, singing songs and giving speeches.

"We're here to celebrate freedom, we're here to celebrate diversity," said Ivan Webber of Amnesty International.

The critics also collected the endorsement of former Republican Gov. Robert D. Ray and former GOP gubernatorial candidate David Oman.

"Why should we offend these people who are learning our system of government and who have so much to offer us?" asked Ray.

Have you had a near-death experience?

The near-death experience is a profound, transcendent event that can occur when a person comes close to physical death. The International Association for Near-Death Studies (IANDS) is sponsoring a support and study group for people interested in these phenomena.

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2:00 - 4:00 P.M.

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UI decides against post-comp fee

POST-COMP FEES

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Jan. 17 conference call before student leaders were aware of the change.

"This is a victory for organized student protest," said Kyle Gassiot, the president of the Graduate Student Senate. "The whole issue with this was the notification."

In the letter, Coleman — who was unavailable for comment — said the notification was not up to the university's standards, although she believes the higher rate is necessary. The change would have brought the university's policy in line with the state's other public universities and generated funding to be used for the post-comp students' research activities, administrators say.

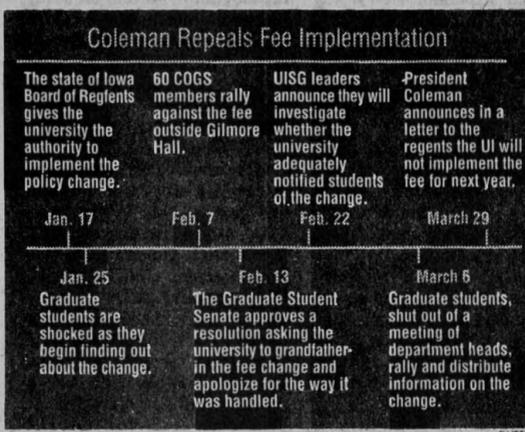
In future years, dues from post-comp students will be referred to as tuition and considered by the regents in

September before they vote on it in October along with other tuition decisions, officials decided.

The two governing bodies for graduate students — the Graduate Student Senate and the Graduate Professional Student Senate — will work with administrators to come up with an acceptable proposal to be considered in September for the 2003 fiscal year (July 1, 2002, to June 30, 2003).

A committee of students will be appointed to work on the proposal over the summer, Gassiot said. It's premature to speculate on what kind of hike students will face then, he said.

"This is a substantial victory for graduate students," said Lise Vandervoort, the graduate student senator who spearheaded the protests, in a statement. "There's no fee hike in July, and they're going to involve us in writing the



new proposal."

Because the regents merely gave the UI authority to implement the fee, Coleman's decision to repeal its implementation will not formally come before the board, said Frank Stork, the regents' executive director.

Stork said that usually when an institution gets permission to increase fees, it goes into effect the next school year without much protest. "This case is an exception," he said.

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Waiting to (Safe-)walk

NIGHT HAWK

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However, Cherry said, neither she nor the other 40 volunteers of Safewalk have received a call from anyone coming from the bars during the week.

In order to become a volunteer, students must train for seven hours. Most of the training involves learning how to communicate on the radios.

Program co-ordinator Stephanie Soileau, a UI graduate student, says Safewalk — which used to receive \$15,000 in the university student fees every year but now receives \$10,000 — is most likely not very popular because people feel safe on campus.

"Our numbers always increase after a sexual assault," she said. "We try not to focus on our numbers but how safe people on campus feel."

Midnight — Cherry arrives at the Safewalk office, located in the Women's Resource and Action Center, wearing gray Iowa sweatpants and a T-shirt. She immediately sees a note on the desk saying one of the three people on the shift tonight has been in the hospital all day and will not be coming in.

"If people don't show up for their shifts, there is no Safewalk," she says.

Cherry begs a volunteer from the previous shift to stay on until 2:30 a.m. so that if there is a call, they can do a walk. He agrees to stay. She says there have been a few times when someone has called to be walked, but because all three volunteers were not present, no one was able to go out.

Cherry says the job is kind of like lifeguarding.

"You sit around and wait for

something interesting to happen," she says.

This semester has not shown much activity, with a total of only six walks so far.

12:15 a.m. — Cherry cracks open her Elementary Psychology textbook and looks over the pages that she has already read thoroughly. She is just reviewing, she says.

If someone happens to call tonight, the volunteers all will suit up in their Safewalk jackets to prepare for the walk. They all carry walkie-talkies and flashlights with them. Depending on where the walk takes place, the volunteers would radio into the office at designated checkpoints. Cherry also notes that there are certain boundaries that Safewalk has to abide by, such as not going past Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

"I don't think we are supposed to go to Mayflower, either, but if someone asked me to, I think I would do it," Cherry says.

12:40 a.m. — UI freshman Ryan Anderson, whom Cherry asked to stay 40 minutes ago, comes in the room carrying three videos and asks if Cherry wants to watch a movie. *X-Men* is the pick of the night, and the two walk toward the lounge and roll out the TV that sits on a cart. A third volunteer for the evening suddenly appears and lies on one of the couches to start the movie.

1:30 a.m. — A Public Safety officer makes his nightly stop to the office and checks to see that all the doors are locked. The officer walks around the perimeter of the building to double-check everything.

2:30 a.m. — Cherry is ready to go home and get some sleep for the evening. Before leaving, she writes in the communication log that tonight was just another uneventful night at Safewalk.

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Student Health receives accreditation

STUDENT HEALTH

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Structural deficiencies in the service's former home, the Steindler Building, prevented the commission from making any previous visits to the center, Khowassah said. Building stability, medical records, policy on confidentiality and patient care are all characteristics the commission considers during an inspection.

Student Health moved to Westlawn two years ago — ensuring building stability — and set the goal to reach accreditation quickly.

"We want to make our health service the best it can be," Khowassah said.

The commission's inspection team also inquired about the handling of patient complaints. Student Health has suggestion boxes in every waiting room, and the center

performs a patient-satisfaction survey semiannually to address patient concerns. The results of the survey are generally very positive, Khowassah said.

But some former patients of Student Health said they were surprised to hear of its

accomplishment after having had displeasing experiences at the center.

When UI sophomore Courtney Ellis was infected with pink eye last week, she chose to go to Mercy Hospital, 500 E. Market St., instead of the student service. Last year, Ellis was

diagnosed with asthma and was given an inhaler by the center. She later visited a doctor in Chicago who told her she had walking pneumonia, not asthma, she said.

"(Mercy Hospital) costs a lot more money, but it's worth a correct diagnosis,"

she said.

Students will pay \$137 in student fees for the Student Health next year.

UI junior Shelley Hurst has also been disappointed with the service, she said. Rather than receiving medication when she felt very ill, she was told on at least two of her five visits to "just wait it out."

"I know they're busy there, but we're busy, too," she said. "We can't just sit around and wait to get better. I felt like I wasn't getting the total amount of care I could get if I went to a different doctor or clinic."

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Soloski chooses to leave UI for Georgia

SOLOSKI

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"I care deeply about you and about the UI," Soloski said at a faculty meeting Thursday afternoon.

Although he called the decision to move to Athens, Ga., "very difficult," it "is a great opportunity to move into a dean's position."

"I'm really sorry that he's leaving," said Jane Singer, an assistant professor of journalism. "He's very capable of getting what is good for the school."

As colleagues here adjusted to news of Soloski's departure, Karen Holbrook, the vice president for academic affairs and provost at the University of Georgia, announced to the faculty that Soloski accepted the dean's position.

"They spontaneously broke out in applause, and it's great to see faculty react that way," she said.

Soloski said Grady College is

ranked among the top 20 in the nation. It is home to the Peabody Awards, the top award for broadcast journalism.

Holbrook believes that Soloski will draw organizations such as Atlanta-based CNN to the college.

"He will carry the college to a new level," she said. "He has a lot of energy, a lot of vision and an excellent track record."

The Georgia position opened when Thomas Russell, the former dean, resigned.

Steve Bloom, a UI associate professor of journalism, said Soloski mastered the necessary skill of advancing the school's outreach to the professional journalism world and maintained its reputation as a first-class institution of communication research.

"I think they're going to have to go outside the school to find (a replacement for Soloski). I don't know one if exists," Bloom said. "He is a tremendous figure in journalism today."

Despite some concerns that Soloski's departure would set back the plans for a new journalism building, he assured his colleagues that "everything that is planned will come to fruition."

Aside from Soloski's contributions to the building project, Bloom said, Soloski has influenced the journalism school through instituting a merit-based system of raises for faculty as well as a program to motivate professors to work in professional newsrooms during Winter and Summer breaks.

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CITY & NATION

Children report seeing 'suspicious' van

Three elementary students say a van "creeped up" on them as they walked home from school.

By Tony Robinson
The Daily Iowan

After three elementary students reported that a van was "creeping up" on them Tuesday afternoon, Iowa City police are advising parents to practice appropriate safety precautions and discuss them with their children.

The children, ages 7, 9 and 10, reported being followed by a van after school in the area of Ashwood Drive and Glendale Road. After seeing the van driving slowly behind them, the children ran away; they did not see the van after that.

The vehicle was described as a white, newer-type of conver-

sion van with no windows on the sides.

"We are starting extra patrols in school areas before and after classes and at various recreational areas on weekends because incidents like these occur more frequently during warmer weather," said Iowa City police Sgt. Mike Brotherton.

As a result of the incident, a parents' safety committee has been established at Hoover Elementary School, 2200 E. Court St., said Principal Marilyn Wirtz. The neighborhood also has "block parents" who have signs in their windows in case students need assistance before and after school hours, she said.

"Safety has always been a very high priority for us," she said.

Wirtz also personally visited

all teachers within the school, directing them to address the students about proper safety measures to take walking to and from school, she said.

Iowa City School Board President Matt Goodlaxson said staff members at all local schools were notified of the incident, and they have been instructed to "keep an eye out" for any suspicious activity.

"We are always concerned about the safety of students in the district, and we need to address safety in general around the district in future meetings," he said.

The board president, whose 11-year-old son experienced a similar situation with a suspicious motorist earlier this year, said there is a strong need to educate students about possible situations they might face.

He said children should trav-

el in groups when possible, and parents should be aware of where their children are at all times. He also said children should be advised to never talk to strangers, and if approached by one, contact an adult immediately.

"We are not trying to alarm anyone, but the public needs to know about events such as these," Brotherton said, adding that anyone with further information should call police at 356-5275.

Police are also investigating an incident that occurred on March 15, when an anonymous caller reported that a subject driving a dark green Jeep exposed himself to her while she was driving her vehicle in western Iowa City, Brotherton said.

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Library Board discusses business leases

The leases of businesses in the Leno & Cilek Building expire by Aug. 1.

By Mike McWilliams
The Daily Iowan

Members of the Iowa City Public Library Board discussed plans for the near future of the Leno & Cilek building at a meeting Thursday evening.

The city purchased the building after local voters passed a library referendum last November authorizing expansion of the Public Library, 123 S. Linn St. The building, 130 S. Dubuque St., is slated to be demolished later this year to make way for the expansion. The leases of the few remaining tenants will expire on Aug. 1.

Public Library Director Susan Craig said the consensus of the board is to not lease

space in the building in the meantime.

"It does not seem practical because they would have to move out by Aug. 1 anyway," she said.

Used-bookstore owner Gary Sanders showed an interest in leasing space in the building at 10 percent off the current rate. But Craig said she feels uncomfortable offering space at such a cheap rate without publicly advertising it. She added that it takes a lot of time and money to advertise and negotiate leases.

"By that time, you've invested a substantial amount of money for something that will only be here for a couple months," Craig said.

Sanders was out of town and unavailable for comment.

Though the board doesn't intend to seek any new tenants, Craig said she is open to providing space for nonprofit organizations to use for one-time events. In particular, she said, she plans to work with

Part of our goals and objectives are to try to foster relationships with community groups.

— Jim Swaim,
Library Board member

place for concert and festival people to use as a home base during their busy season will benefit their operations," she said.

Library Board member Jim Swaim echoed Craig.

"The library has, as one of its goals, to promote itself as a community gathering place,"

he said. "Part of our goals and objectives are to try to foster relationships with community groups."

The library will use the windows of former Leno & Cilek tenant Freshens Premium Yogurt & Ice Cream to display plans and drawings of the expanded library, Craig said.

Two businesses remain in the building: the Fit Zone and China Star.

Xinwen Chen, an employee of the family owned China Star, said the restaurant's lease will expire at the end of July. His family plans to relocate the restaurant, but it hasn't been able to find a new place yet, he said.

"Right now, we are searching," Chen said. "But we will probably postpone because we cannot find a new location."

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Soft-money ban leaps last Senate hurdle

McCain-Feingold nears passage in the Senate, opponents of the bill concede.

By David Espo
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Legislation to cleanse the nation's scandal-scattered campaign-finance system moved to the brink of Senate passage Thursday, after Sen. John McCain and his allies fended off one final attack on the bill's centerpiece, a ban on big-dollar donations to the political parties.

"I believe that we've gone over the last hurdle, but I just don't know," McCain, R-Ariz., said after the 57-43 vote that aimed to preserve the "soft money" ban if the Supreme Court rules other portions of the legislation unconstitutional.

A short while later, GOP Sen. Mitch McConnell of Kentucky, the measure's most outspoken opponent, conceded,

"This bill is going to pass ... and if I were a betting man, I'd bet it's going to be signed into law."

McConnell couped his concession with a fresh attack, saying the bill's passage would mark a "stunningly stupid" act that would disadvantage political parties and their candidates, while strengthening the hand of well-heeled, outside interest groups.

The vote on the issue of constitutionality and the Supreme Court marked the latest in a nearly unbroken string of victories for a bipartisan coalition that has held together throughout nearly two weeks of turbulent debate.

"This is where the Senate takes a stand," said Sen. Russell Feingold, D-Wis., shortly before the vote. "This is the test." Forty-four Democrats and 13 Republicans rejected a proposal to direct the high court to lump three main provisions together when ruling

on the bill's constitutionality. Among them were some Democrats who had previously spoken on the other side of the issue, and lawmakers involved in the bill said Democratic leader Tom Daschle of South Dakota played a key role in lining up votes.

Previous attempts to push campaign-finance legislation through the Senate have perished as the result of Republican filibusters.

But public outrage over the current system has slowly increased as the result of scandals in recent years. After President Clinton's re-election campaign in 1996, Congress held hearings over the coffees the president held at the White House for high-dollar donors, the fund-raising calls that Vice President Al Gore made from his office and allegations that the Chinese government had covertly made huge campaign donations in an attempt to influence American elections.

NATION BRIEF

House clips 'marriage' tax penalty

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House voted overwhelmingly Thursday to cut income taxes for most married couples and to gradually double the \$500-per-child tax credit, endorsing two major pieces of President Bush's \$1.6 trillion tax relief plan.

A few hours after the 282-144 vote, in which 64 Democrats supported the plan, the House Ways and Means Committee approved a third component of the Bush plan: a measure that would eliminate the estate tax by 2011 at a cost of almost \$193 billion. That bill is expected to reach the House floor next week.

In the first congressional vote on the \$300 rebate idea, the House defeated, 240-194, a Democratic measure that would have substituted its \$50 billion in immediate tax relief for the \$399 billion over 10 years in the GOP-written bill to ease the marriage tax penalty by 2009 and increase the child credit beginning in 2001.

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EDITORIALS

'RAMPANT SCHOOL VIOLENCE' ...

Another media exaggeration

Every morning across America, millions of parents drive their children to school. As the children disappear behind the school door, their parents pray that they will be alive at the end of the day. Like a war-torn wasteland, our schools produce a seemingly endless stream of young corpses.

Or do they? According to most media sources, violence in our schools is a huge problem that threatens the very lives of millions of children that attend these schools every day. News broadcasters frequently talk of metal detectors, SWAT training for teachers and armed guards. The same question is always asked: "How can we protect our children at school?" The answer is simple: We do not have to.

The statistics on school violence tell the true story. According to the National School Safety Center, in the 1997-98 school

The school-violence problem does not exist. It is a farce created by intense media coverage.

year 44 students were murdered on-campus. By contrast, 10,026 people aged 15-24 were killed in automobile accidents in 1998. By these numbers, a child is 228 times more likely to die in an auto accident than at school. The parents should be praying on the way to school. That is when their children are in danger. When their child steps out of the car and enters the school, the chance of dying plummets.

The reason that school violence seems such a menace has to do with the media. In their desire for ratings, the media create an interesting paradox. The public does not want to hear about everyday events and tragedies; people want sensa-

tionalism. In order to gain an audience for their advertisers, the media report only the most sensational and unusual events. This, in turn, causes the public to perceive these events as happening all the time. This is why some people are terrified of flying, even though vastly more people die on the roads than in airplane crashes. Plane crashes make the national evening news, while car crashes only appear in the obituaries. The same principle applies to school violence.

The school-violence problem does not exist. The entire epidemic is a farce created by intense media coverage. Our children are safer at school than anywhere else. There is no need to turn our schools into daytime prisons complete with metal detectors and armed guards. These efforts to protect the children from a nonexistent threat only serve to terrify them. Our children are already safe from violence; now let them be safe from fear.

Micah Wedemeyer is a *DI* editorial writer.

Violence in America

Part four of four

UISG ELECTION POLITICKING CONTINUES...

UI finds its own private Florida

Forget about the voting scandal down in Florida during the presidential election. Iowa City itself boasts of such scandals as only political campaigns seem to be able to provide.

UI Student Government presidential and vice-presidential elections were held on March 5 and 6, and the Nick Klenske/Dan Rossi ticket won with 32.5 percent of the votes. But the slate's triumphant day did not come without the controversy that is now characteristic of a political campaign, whether it is national, or only local, such as the humble UISG.

Only days after the two-week campaign started, the Student Elections Board issued two \$50 fines against the Klenske/Rossi ticket. One fine was in response to a complaint that the ticket used non-approved fliers and posters with endorsements by the UI Environmental Coalition and the UI Green Party. The other fine was in response to a letter to the editor by Julia Butterfly Hill

When will the useless bickering and pointless struggle come to an end?

that was printed in the Feb. 23 edition of *The Daily Iowan* and was not pre-approved by the Election Board. The first fine was upheld; the second was overturned by the Student Judicial Court.

But then the ticket received another harsh blow when two more fines were levied against it — one \$50 fine for posting an unapproved endorsement letter and a \$75 fine for sending an unapproved e-mail to listservs for several groups to which Klenske belongs. Once again, the first fine was upheld, and the second was overturned.

The Klenske/Rossi ticket is again in the news for receiving a \$700 fine for a "breach of contract" during the two-week campaign. The Student Judicial Court ruled there was "no concrete basis" for the fine after a four-hour hearing.

When will the useless bick-

ering and pointless struggle come to an end? The seemingly unending stream of fines and court hearings has once again managed to pull the attention away from a campaign's real issues — the candidates' platforms — and focus only on scandal. The Klenske/Rossi ticket maintains that it was only practicing its right to free speech in the campaign, and it is useless for the Election Board to feel it needs to keep bothering the winning ticket with more pointless and expensive fines that will only exist in the bitter memories of UISG campaign 2001.

While the national presidential election was controversial for months after Election Day, let the Klenske/Rossi ticket get past the election and on to the ticket's current focus: performing its new duties. As Klenske said in the March 26 edition of the *DI*, "We were elected to work for students, not to do all this legal stuff."

Carolyn Kresser is a *DI* editorial writer.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dorm Ethernet project deserves more credit

Opportunity-cost, there's a term. In response to Mary Mroch's "Dorms serve up Net loss" (*DI*, March 26), I thought I would clarify the way Residence Services spends money for capital projects.

First, it asks students. I know this is out of character to assume that administration asks before doing things in our best interest, but it does.

The Ethernet did cost a lot of money. However, there are two costs associated with it: the actual wiring and the annual upkeep costs. The actual wiring did cost more

than it would have a few years ago; we call that inflation. The annual upkeep costs did rise by more than 600 percent; however Residence Services has no control over that, as those are the costs passed on by ITS. So how do other schools do it so cheaply? Some get state money, and others use student fees. Being a self-supporting department, Residence Services uses only room-and-board money to fund its projects. I don't see anything wrong with that.

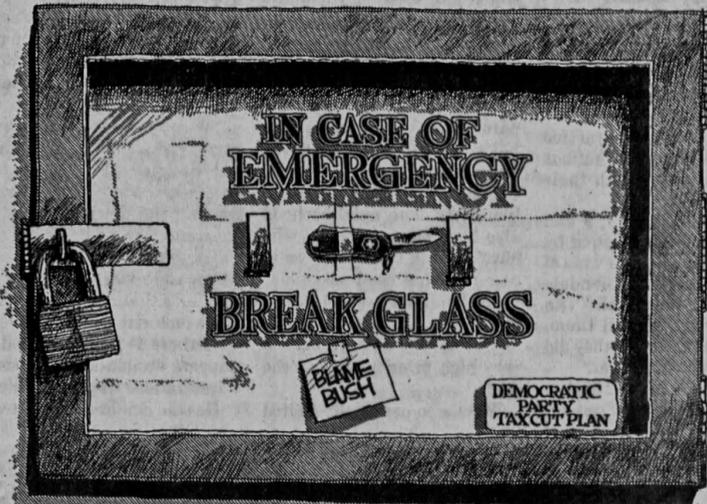
Further, I haven't heard any students complaining about the \$1.4 million renovation to the Mayflower lobby or the \$8 million change to Hillcrest dining (in fact, that was so

great we're spending another \$8 million on Burge dining). And what about the upcoming improvements to Currier (\$6 million) and the new residence hall (\$25 million-\$30 million)? These are also things students have been saying that they want. So back to opportunity-cost, what are we going to give up to get what we want?

Last, I am proud to say that I and many other students, as part of ARH, helped to determine the room-rate increase of 6.2 percent for next year. I think we're getting a pretty good deal for a \$200 increase.

Chris Galbreath, Associated Residence Halls president

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY



Monitoring students: fascism's newest face

Seventeen years after 1984, things are a bit different. Gone are the Cold War and the U.S.S.R., but Big Brother lives on, albeit with a postmodern face.

Secretive governmental apparatchiks monitoring the public for dissenters, erstwhile revolutionaries or thought-criminals are passé. In their place we have kinder and gentler xenophobic agents of the Immigration and Naturalization Service imposing an egregious \$95 fee on international students. The fee is to fund the monitoring of international students, and it will make their tracking, surveillance, harassment, and perhaps prosecution and deportation, slick, high-tech, easy and quiet.

Ostensibly to counter the surge in terrorism on U.S. soil by foreigners — never mind the native terrorists — the good folks in Congress revamped immigration law in 1996, one change being a focus on international students. They passed a despicable piece of legislation called the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996.

While the act did not mandate that any new information be collected on international students, it did require information be gathered electronically and made easily accessible to federal and state agencies. It created the Coordinated Interagency Partnership Regulating International Students to execute the electronic data collection and surveillance.

Initially the INS, through the interagency, wanted universities and colleges to collect the one-time \$95 fee from each international student and forward the fees to the INS. When universities and colleges balked, the INS backed off. As it stands, the INS is looking at the possibility of contracting with private

corporations to collect the fee — Bank One has offered its services — but the final details remain up in the air.

All international students currently attending U.S. schools and those who began their studies after Aug. 1, 1999, will be affected. Although U.S. students are ostensibly protected from such invasions of privacy and surveillance via the Family Rights and Privacy Act, international students are exempt. The legislation behind the interagency includes a waiver of the act for international students.

In addition to basic identification information, the interagency will also collect and maintain in electronic databases such information as international students' full- or part-time status, date of commencement of studies, degree program and field of study, practical training including beginning and ending dates, and termination date and

known reasons.

The fee amounts to an unfunded mandate as international students

do not benefit from the fee. They are disingenuously labeled as potential criminals without a modicum of evidence. In essence, if you come to the United States to attend post-secondary school, you're suspect. And it's only a short step from blanket suspicion to monitoring, surveillance and the suspension of the collective civil rights of the estimat-

ed 500,000 international students in the United States.

As the self-professed bastions of free thought and the unfettered pursuit of knowledge, one would think institutions of higher education would be in the forefront of opposition. Alas, it isn't the case. Universities and colleges, with few exceptions, did not register opposition to the imposition of the fee or the electronic monitoring of information; rather, they opposed having to sully their collective hands by extracting the fees. As prime recipients of billions of dollars in federal largess, universities are unfortunately loathe to defecate where they eat — be it federal or corporate troughs. So while the interagency will gather its information without the direct assistance of universities and colleges, they are neither agitating for its repeal nor acting to prevent its implementation.

All too often, questionable practices receive little or no media scrutiny or publicity, and the public remains ignorant and apathetic. It's no different with the illicit monitoring of international students. I don't see opposition or hear outrage, which isn't unusual with contemporary U.S. neoliberal Orwellian groupthink.

At least in the good old days of the Cold War, some right-wing neo-fascist would tell folks like me to go to the Soviet Union when we didn't uncritically accept the U.S. status quo. You can't even get that in our postmodern world. While we haven't eradicated nativism, xenophobia or the totalitarian excesses of Big Brother, we can pat ourselves on the back for having a more inclusive and diverse oppressive regime. The Bush Cabinet epitomizes this. Welcome to the compassionate 21st century, and by the way, have you met Big Sister?

Matthew Killmeier is a *DI* columnist. His columns generally run on alternate Fridays.

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How can society best prevent school violence?



"Probably by showing less violence on TV."

Tim Bertie
UI junior



"Teach the kids the true impact of the media at an early age."

Megann Michael
UI sophomore



"It definitely has to start with the family instilling good values in their kids."

Ron Dunlay
UI sophomore



"By providing support services for kids who are made fun of so they can talk it out instead of exploding."

Scholastique Nikuze
UI sophomore



"Instead of P.E., start having anger-management classes."

Roger Randolph
UI junior

ARTS

& entertainment



The Brothers McMullen 7 & 10 p.m. on Bravo

Three Irish-American brothers (Edward Burns, Jack Mulcahy, and Michael McGlone) mull over their relationships with women.

His kingdom for a horse

■ *Equus*, about a boy who creates a religion around horses, opens tonight at Riverside Theatre.

By Leanna Brundrett
The Daily Iowan

Equus has a plot that would make any animal-rights activist cringe. A 17-year old boy in Hampshire, England, has gone on a rampage, blinding six horses with a metal spike for no apparent reason. The alleged criminal is Alan Strang, a socially separated 17-year-old who creeps into the great unknown with his worship of horses and an overactive imagination.

After a judge sentences him to a mental hospital, Strang starts off on a journey accompanied by his parents, the judge who laid down his verdict and his psychiatrist, Martin Dysart. Under the direction of Michael Sokoloff, the cast of Peter Shaffer's *Equus* will take the stage beginning today at 8 p.m. at Riverside Theatre, 213 N. Gilbert St.

Shaffer's play has won numerous awards, including a Tony, an Outer Critics Circle award and a N.Y. Drama Critics award, and it was made into a movie in 1977 starring Richard Burton as Dysart and Peter Firth as Strang.

This modern classic has been popular with audiences for the past 30 years, Sokoloff said. It does contain nudity, which he hopes will not keep audiences away.

"It's always a risk," Sokoloff said. "You never know if the subject matter will turn people away. Sometimes I feel nudity on stage distances audience

members, but the nudity in this play serves a meaningful purpose."

Strang, played by UI sophomore Jackson Doran, is the one who must shed his clothing on stage. Doran admitted that it was difficult at first to subject himself to such vulnerability, but has learned that his body is nothing to be ashamed of, especially when it comes to art.

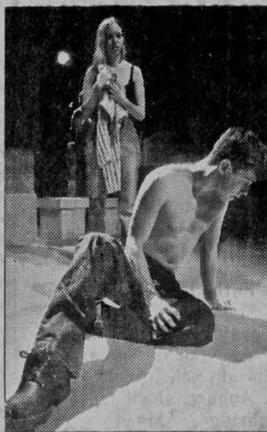
Being nude in front of an audience of more than 100 people isn't the only difficulty Doran has had to face during rehearsals. The complexity of Strang's character and the ability for Doran to conduct himself on stage without actual horses were two difficult aspects to grasp.

"It was hard for me to bring myself to the understanding of my character," he said. "He's a 17-year old kid who blinds six

horses." Even though Strang's mother may not understand why her son committed such a vicious act, Dora Strang, played by UI graduate student Allison Moore, loves Alan. Dora is a conservative, religious mother who has a very deeply rooted faith, but she isn't a Bible-thumper or a mean religious person, Moore said.

Worried about playing a character who is approximately 10 years older than herself, Moore said she worked with Sokoloff, who told her to not let age be a factor. Now, she isn't worried about portraying a certain age during *Equus* and isn't going to go to any extreme measures to ensure her character's age comes across.

Another thing Moore isn't concerned about is whether the audience will follow the plot.



Scott Morgan/The Daily Iowan
Riverside Theatre actors Kate Thompson, playing Jill, and Jackson Doran, playing Alan, rehearse for *Equus*, which opens today and plays through April 22.

"*Equus* is a completely wacky play," she said. "It's about a boy who develops a religion around horses. Although the plot shifts between the present and the past, the structure of the play is fluid and easy to understand. It's almost like the audience is solving a mystery. They hear about something happening, and then they go back and actually see how it occurred."

Taking a twist on the typical set-up of the theater, Riverside has chosen to shake things up a bit with the scene design, Sokoloff said. The set-up for *Equus* is constructed like an amphitheater with approximately 15 bleacher seats on stage in addition to the more than 100 permanent seats in the house.

"We want to pull the audience into the mystical world of this boy's imagination," he said.

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THEATRE
Equus
When: 8 p.m. today
Where: Riverside Theatre, 213 N. Gilbert St.
Admission: \$8 to \$18

ARTS BRIEF

Brockovich back in limelight

RENO, Nev. (AP) — The story of gutsy legal assistant Erin Brockovich earned Julia Roberts a best-actress Oscar, but the real-life Brockovich's courtroom drama continues — this time starring her second husband.

Reno stockbroker Steven Michael Brockovich is suing his ex for libel and slander. He contends in a lawsuit filed in Los Angeles Superior Court that Erin

Brockovich falsely claimed in *People* magazine and the *Star* tabloid that he failed to pay child support for their daughter, who's now 11.

Steven Brockovich claims the article hurt his reputation in Reno, causing his business to drop.

"We've got all the canceled checks to prove he paid," said John Denove, a Los Angeles attorney representing Steven Brockovich. "They never tried to contact us after they were notified, and they didn't care to retract those

statements, or correct them."

Brockovich's attorney, Ed Masry (Albert Finney in the film *Erin Brockovich*), said the articles were accurate and called the lawsuit frivolous.

"Erin and I have been extorted. I've been sued," Masry said. "We've had people coming out of the woodwork trying to get money from us."

The Brockoviches lived in Reno for approximately a year, until their divorce on April 30, 1990.

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and an online store offering campaign and business product services.

"The UISG is a microcosm of the real political world," he said. "It's a great place to cut your teeth."

Grubbs spent four of his six years (1990-96) in the Iowa House of Representatives as the chairman of the Education Committee. He also ran against Jim Lightfoot in the 1996 Republican primary and worked on Bob Dole's presidential campaign.

Despite his long list of political accomplishments, he said nothing in his professional experience has compared with being a Republican president on a liberal UI campus.

"The UI was a tough environment to serve in," he said. "Everything I've ever done in politics has been a cakewalk compared with running a Student Senate campaign."

Starting a Saturday night bus routed among the residence halls was one of his party's major accomplishments, he said. His ticket also provided students a card that gave them discounts at local businesses in response to tuition increases.

In addition to running his businesses, Grubbs raises four children and serves as an adjunct professor at St. Ambrose University in Davenport.

"Raising my family and growing our businesses are at the top of my list right now," he said.

Left in infancy

One of the UI's most infamous student body presidents is Juan "Pepe" Rojas-Cardona, who served during the 1989-90 school year.

In September 1989, Rojas-Cardona chaired the Big Ten Student Association — a group designed to improve communication among Big Ten university students, he wrote in a press release at the time. A police investigation later dis-

covered, however, that the association marketed products — such as insurance policies and credit cards — to students. The other student organizations involved in the association canceled their membership when they learned that Rojas-Cardona was the only legal member.

In April 1990, the state auditor accused Rojas-Cardona of misallocating Student Senate funds. He was ordered to pay back \$2,000.

This would be only the beginning of Rojas-Cardona's legal troubles. In February 1992, he was convicted on one count of second-degree theft, and in November 1992, he was convicted of six counts of forgery and one count of third-degree theft.

Police arrested him in February 1994 in New Mexico, claiming he was in possession of 17 pounds of marijuana. Rojas-Cardona could not be reached for comment.

Missing Iowa

On Feb. 19, 1992, Dustin Wilcox won the UISG presidency by nine votes in what he called "the closest election in UI history."

Wilcox, who graduated from the university with a political-science degree in 1993, now works in St. Louis as the information technology director at General American Financial, a branch of Met Life Insurance Co.

Married with three daughters, Wilcox said he and his wife are now actively looking for an opportunity to return to the Iowa City area.

"We want to get back there and raise our kids the same way we were brought up," he said.

His ticket started the blue-capped emergency phones scattered across campus and also began the Safewalk program.

"We tried to make life on campus — especially life for women — safer," he said.

Being student-government president taught him how to work with people of many different backgrounds, something that is essential in his work today, he said.

"There's no facet of the business world that isn't fraught with politics."

Staying in politics

Allison Miller now works for Rep. Jim Leach, R-Iowa — a man she lobbied while UISG president in 1997-98.

"I wanted to work with someone who represented an area I understood and was comfortable with," she said. "It worked out well for me."

Miller handles telecommunications and technology issues in Leach's Washington, D.C., office. She also helps formulate policy by meeting with lobbyists and tracking issues.

Fostering a good relationship with the administration during a time of conflict over tuition is something Miller said she remembers most about her time with UISG.

Her party was the first to do a random scientific tuition survey and to set up a charge-free phone to let the state of Iowa Board of Regents know how students

felt their money should be spent.

"We let students call the regents and the governor to tell them how they felt about a tuition increase," she said. "It got to the point where the governor stopped answering his phone."

A short break from politics

Lana Zak, who held the UISG presidency from 1999-00, has temporarily left her politics in the U.S. while teaching English to 1,000 high-school students and conducting research in Korea as a Fulbright Scholar.

In August, she'll move to Cambridge, Mass., and study at the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University.

Her advice to future UISG officers: "Be real. It's UISG, it's not the world, but you do have the potential to change the lives of UI students if you choose to. Make sure you use it."

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Zak 1999-00



Miller 1997-98

I.C. meth lab allegedly found

METH LAB

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Community Motors, 1911 Keokuk St., said one of his neighbors, Chris Dill.

"He seemed like your average guy you'd see on the street," Dill said. "He never seemed to be the kind of guy who would be into a meth lab. It's kind of an eye opener that someone that close to you is into drugs."

The Iowa Narcotics Division Web site says state and local authorities seized 39,863 grams of methamphetamine in 2000, down from a high of 70,658 grams in 1998.

Methamphetamine is a stimulant chemically related to amphetamines but with a stronger effect on the central nervous system. It is often used in pill form, or as a powder, which is either inhaled or injected into the body. The drug has been found to cause irreversible damage to blood vessels in the brain, resulting in strokes. Street names for

the drug include speed, meth and crank. Possession of more than five grams of the drug but less than five kilograms is a class B felony, punishable by up to 10 years in prison. The maximum penalty for manufacturing the drug, also a class B felony, is 25 years. Wyse has been charged with a class B felony.

Sean McIntyre, the property manager for Southgate Management, 2051 Keokuk St., said Wyse was a good tenant.

"He never really bothered people, never made any noise," McIntyre said. "We never had any problem with him, and this is very much a surprise."

Tenants in eight apartments near Wyse's residence were evacuated and housed in area hotels because of the incident, McIntyre said he was unsure when they would be able to return.

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(NBA)

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Golden State	110	Ho
Atlanta	104	Bo
Indiana	93	Ch
San Antonio	106	Va
Utah	88	Ne
Milwaukee	104	Se
Miami	96	Pa

(IHL)

Pittsburgh	5	Na
Chicago	2	Ph
Montreal	6	Co
Tampa Bay	2	Ca
N.Y. Rangers	6	Co
N.Y. Islanders	4	Lo
Toronto	2	An
Philadelphia	1	Sa

HAWKEYE S

Friday

All Day	Men's track, at Open, San Diego
All Day	Men's track, at Stampede, Kalamazoo
2 p.m.	Softball (2), at Columbus, Ohio
3 p.m.	Baseball, vs. O Duane Banks St
4 p.m.	Women's tennis, Dame, South Be

Saturday

noon	Baseball (2), vs. Duane Banks St
11 a.m.	Men's tennis, at University Park
7 p.m.	Women's tennis, and Mary, South
6 p.m.	Softball, at Penn University Park
All Day	Men's track, at Open, San Diego
All Day	Men's track, at Stampede, Kalamazoo
All Day	Women's Track, Invitational, Spr
All Day	Rowing, at Kans Kan.

Sunday

All Day	Men's track, at Open, San Diego
All Day	Men's track, at Stampede, Kalamazoo
Noon	Baseball, vs. O Duane Banks St
Noon	Men's tennis, at Columbus, Ohio
Noon	Softball, at Penn University Park

SPORTS

John Grisham Little League WILLIAMSPORT, There won't be any lawyers in John Grisham movie. No multi-scams, no bodies in the Instead there will be a G rating Little League baseball. Grisham was at the Museum on Thursday filming on "Mickey" week month in Virginia, with Williamsport in June during the Little League in August.

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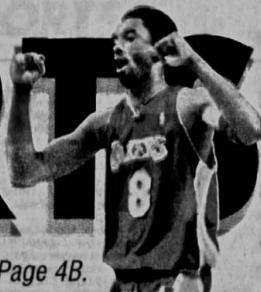
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ON THE AIR

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The Skinny: Some may say this is the real national championship game with these two teams regarded as the best in the nation.



Women's Final Four

8 p.m. SMS vs. Purdue, ESPN

Preseason Baseball

7 p.m. Indians at Braves, TBS

SPORTS QUIZ

Who made the most field goals in one NCAA basketball tournament? See answer, Page 2B.

SCOREBOARD

NBA			
Washington	116	Phoenix	90
Golden State	110	Houston	85
Atlanta	104	Boston	106
Indiana	93	Chicago	104
San Antonio	106	Vancouver	89
Utah	88	New York	68
Milwaukee	104	See NBA on Page 2B	
Miami	96		

NHL			
Pittsburgh	5	Nashville	4
Chicago	2	Phoenix	3
Montreal	6	Colorado	1
Tampa Bay	2	Calgary	0
N.Y. Rangers	6	Columbus	
N.Y. Islanders	4	Los Angeles late	
Toronto	2	Anaheim	
Philadelphia	1	San Jose late	

HAWKEYE SPORTS

- Friday**
- All Day Men's track, at San Diego Open, San Diego, Calif.
 - All Day Men's track, at Bronco Stampede, Kalamazoo Mich.
 - 2 p.m. Softball (2), at Ohio State, Columbus, Ohio.
 - 3 p.m. Baseball, vs. Ohio State, Duane Banks Stadium.
 - 4 p.m. Women's tennis, at Notre Dame, South Bend, Ind.
- Saturday**
- Noon Baseball (2), vs. Ohio State, Duane Banks Stadium.
 - 11 a.m. Men's tennis, at Penn State, University Park, Pa.
 - 1 p.m. Women's tennis, vs. William and Mary, South Bend, Ind.
 - 6 p.m. Softball, at Penn State, University Park, Pa.
 - All Day Men's track, at San Diego Open, San Diego, Calif.
 - All Day Men's track, at Bronco Stampede, Kalamazoo, Mich.
 - All Day Women's Track, SMS Invitational, Springfield, Mo.
 - All Day Rowing, at Kansas, Lawrence, Kan.
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 - Noon Men's tennis, at Ohio State, Columbus, Ohio.
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SPORTS BRIEF

John Grisham writes Little League movie
WILLIAMSPORT, Pa. (AP) — There won't be any conniving lawyers in John Grisham's next movie. No multimillion-dollar scams, no bodies in the bayou. Instead there will be a family-oriented story, a G rating and plenty of Little League baseball. Grisham was at the Little League Museum on Thursday to announce filming on "Mickey" would begin next month in Virginia, with crews coming to Williamsport in June, then again during the Little League World Series in August.

Iowa baseball set to face surging Buckeyes

The Hawkeyes have a four-game set against Ohio State this weekend at home.

By Todd Brommelkamp
The Daily Iowan

The Iowa baseball team's intrasquad scrimmage Thursday didn't seem important. The scoreboard was off, and the only umpire was coach Scott Broghamer, but the action on the field wasn't the focus — simply getting on the diamond itself was.

After literally weathering the elements for the past two weeks, in which there were four cancellations, Broghamer just wanted to get the Hawkeyes on their own field

before the outs and runs count for real this weekend against one of the Big Ten's hottest teams.

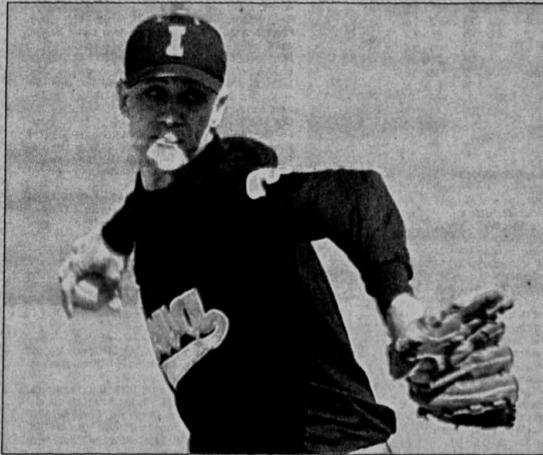
"We finally got the chance to be outside, and we need it to help us be ready for Ohio State," he said.

The Hawkeyes will finally get a chance to play their first game at Duane Banks Field when they host the Buckeyes this weekend. Iowa will entertain Ohio State today at 3 p.m. in the first of four games against the Buckeyes. The two teams will meet twice Saturday beginning at noon before finishing the four-game stand with a single contest on April 1 at noon.

"They're a very solid team, and they'll play the game hard," Broghamer said.

Ohio State, which has averaged nearly 40 wins per year for the past 10 seasons, has played well enough to earn a spot in the Top 25. Coach Bob Todd's team rode a 14-game winning streak into the number No. 24 spot in the latest college baseball poll.

"Our team is playing really good baseball right now," he said as the Buckeyes prepare to open the Big Ten season. Iowa, on the other hand, has lost four of its last five, including a 5-3 loss to Iowa State Tuesday, after beginning the season 7-3. The 8-7 Hawkeyes are looking to turn things around this weekend with solid pitching and timely hitting. Pitching hasn't been the problem for Iowa, as the staff has maintained a solid ERA,



Brett Roseman/The Daily Iowan
Iowa takes on Ohio State in a four-game series this weekend at Banks Stadium.

See BASEBALL, Page 5B

The Final Four

Duke-Maryland Part IV set

Duke-Maryland, virtually one word now.

By Jim O'Connell
Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Maryland's first Final Four will forever be linked with Duke — and not only because the teams play each other in the national semifinals.

The Terrapins' wild ride of a season can't be talked about without mentioning Duke, Duke and Duke.

There was the Blue Devils'

stunning comeback in College Park, Md., with Jason Williams scoring eight points in 14 seconds; Maryland's impressive victory in Durham, N.C., a month later; and finally, Duke's win in the semifinals of the ACC Tournament, with Nate James' last-second tip-in.

Part IV will be Saturday at the Metrodome in the second national semifinal, where the Terrapins advanced partly because of lessons learned playing the Blue Devils. Defending champion Michigan State faces Arizona in the first

semifinal. "What I like is when we play Duke, both teams respect each other. There's no trash talking," Maryland coach Gary Williams said. "The players know each other by now. You just go play."

Williams is the only Final Four rookie among the coaches in Minneapolis. Blue Devils coach Mike Krzyzewski has been to the Final Four 10 times, winning two national championships.

See DUKE-MARYLAND, Page 5B



Chris Gardner/Associated Press
Duke's Shane Battier.



Nick Wass/Associated Press
Maryland's Drew Nicholas.

Bittersweet tourney for Olson

Arizona is in the Final Four three months after the death of coach Lute Olson's wife Bobbi.

By Bob Baum
Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS — Nearly a half-century ago, high-school sweethearts Lute and Bobbi Olson began their life together in Minneapolis.

They met in tiny Mayville, N.D., 260 miles to the northwest, where her father owned

a Dairy Queen. They married when Olson was a sophomore at tiny Augsburg College, just down the road from the Metrodome, where his Arizona Wildcats play Michigan State Saturday. For five years, as he coached at Minnesota high schools, they built a family that has grown to five children and 13 grandchildren.

Olson brings a team to the Final Four for the fifth time this week, one at Iowa and four with Arizona. Yet it will be a bittersweet homecoming,

because it is his first without Bobbi, who died of ovarian cancer on Jan. 1.

On the bus to the game, Olson will see a giant billboard that reads, "Four Bobbi." The sign, bought by Arizona alumnus and billboard magnate Karl Eller, reflects how loved Olson's wife was by those in and around the Arizona program.

"She was the one who kept us at ease," said Eugene Edgerson, a fifth-year senior

See ARIZONA, Page 5B



Al Goldis/Associated Press
Michigan State's David Thomas.

WOMEN'S FINAL FOUR • TONIGHT AND SUNDAY • ST. LOUIS, MO.

Purdue tries to contain Stiles

Big Ten regular-season champions next for Stiles, Southwest Missouri State.

By R.B. Fallstrom
Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — Approximately 10 minutes remained in Southwest Missouri State's Final Four practice session Thursday when coach Cheryl Burnett pulled her players off the floor.

All except Jackie Stiles. Her prolific scoring is the reason the Lady Bears (29-5) emerged from the mid-major Missouri Valley Conference and made it to the national stage as a No. 5 seed.

The rest of the session became a personal shootaround for Stiles. Fans clapped rhythmically as the 5-foot-8 guard drained shot after shot from the perimeter, and when the show was over, they gave her a standing ovation.

"This is definitely very wild," Stiles said. "It's been quite a ride."



Michael Conroy/Associated Press
Southwest Missouri State's Jackie Stiles works on her shot during workouts Thursday.

Tonight, Big Ten regular-season champion Purdue (30-6) becomes the latest team that will try to control the NCAA women's career scoring leader, who is averaging 30.6 points. Coach Kristy Curry isn't sure that can be done.

Stiles, who set the NCAA career scoring record earlier

this month, has 3,371 points after getting 32 in the West Regional final against Washington.

"Can you stop her?" Curry asked. "No one has stopped her. But we're going to try."

Good luck. Stiles, who has a very quick first step on the drive and an accurate 3-point shot, has done it all.

"We have seen basically, I would think, everything this season," Burnett said. "If we haven't seen it, I don't know for sure what it could be."

Burnett began recruiting Stiles, from the tiny town of Clafin, Kan., at age 12. In the last month, the nation has discovered Stiles, too. Despite her celebrity, Stiles is having no trouble concentrating.

"Your ultimate dream is to play in the Final Four, and you are the most focused you have to be, because that's what it is all about," she said. "You just have to come in here and try to get the distractions out of your mind."

See PURDUE-SMS, Page 5B

Rematch becomes biggest game yet

Forget Tennessee; UConn-Notre Dame is the rivalry now.

By Chuck Schoffner
Associated Press

ST. LOUIS — The more Connecticut and Notre Dame play each other, the more important the game becomes.

They first met in a regular-season game, then faced each other in the final of the Big East Tournament. Three weeks later, they're getting ready to play it again, this time with a berth in the national championship game at stake.

A new rivalry in women's basketball has been born.

"We and Tennessee used to be Ali-Frazier," Connecticut coach Geno Auriemma said. "This is Ali-Foreman."

Connecticut, the defending champion, plays Notre Dame tonight in the national semifi-

nals. Both are 32-2. Both advanced as No. 1 seeds. Both went 15-1 in the Big East. The winner advances to the April 1 title game, against either Purdue or Southwest Missouri State.

This is Connecticut's fifth Final Four, and the Huskies usually run into Tennessee about now. They beat the Lady Vols for both of their national titles, last year and in 1995, and lost to them in the 1996 semifinals.

But Tennessee isn't here, leaving the Final Four to the new rivalry. Notre Dame coach Muffet McGraw is just happy she can call it that. Before the Irish beat Connecticut, 92-76, in South Bend on Jan. 15, they had been 0-11 against the Huskies.

"This is the first year we actually have had a rivalry," McGraw said. "Because I don't

See UCONN-IRISH, Page 5B

SPORTS

SPORTS QUIZ

Michigan

NBA GLANCE

NBA Playoff Races Glance
EASTERN CONFERENCE

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-Philadelphia	49	22	.690	—
x-Milwaukee	45	26	.634	4
New York	42	28	.600	1/2
Miami	42	29	.592	7
Charlotte	40	31	.563	9
Orlando	39	32	.549	10
Toronto	39	32	.549	10
Boston	33	38	.465	16
Closing in				
Indiana	32	39	.451	17

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
x-San Antonio	51	21	.708	—
Sacramento	48	22	.686	2
Utah	47	24	.662	1/2
L.A. Lakers	47	25	.653	4
Dallas	46	25	.648	1/2
Portland	46	25	.648	1/2
Phoenix	44	27	.620	1/2
Minnesota	42	29	.592	1/2
Closing in				
Houston	39	33	.542	12
Seattle	40	34	.541	12

TRANSACTIONS

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BASEBALL

American League
BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Reassigned RHP Chad Paronto and RHP Jorge Julio to their minor league camp.
BOSTON RED SOX—Fined OF Carl Everett \$97,222 and suspended him for one spring training game after failing to ride the team bus for the second time this spring and then skipping a workout. Released LHP Kent Mercker.
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Optioned RHP Sean DePaula to Buffalo of the International League and RHP Ryan Drese to Akron of the Eastern League. Reassigned OF Karim Garcia to their minor league camp. Granted RHP Jermey Spradlin his unconditional release.
TAMPA BAY DEVIL RAYS—Optioned RHP Jason Standridge to Durham of the International League, INF Jace Brewer to Charleston of the South Atlantic League. Reassigned LHP Trevor Enders and LHP Jeff Wallace to their minor league camp. Designated OF Alex Sanchez for assignment.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Reassigned RHP John Frascatore to their minor league camp.
National League
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Released INF-OF F.P. Santangelo.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Added 3B Tony Fernandez, RHP Ben Sheets and OF James Mouton to the 40-man roster. Designated RHP Kane Davis for assignment.
NEW YORK METS—Placed RHP Eric Cammack, RHP Rick Croushore, LHP Bobby Jones on the disabled list, retroactive to March 20. Released LHP Rich Rodriguez. Reassigned INF Jorge Valeridia, INF Mark Johnson, INF Matt Franco and LHP Tom Martin to their minor league camp.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Released OF Quinton McCracken and 3B Shane Andrews. Placed RHP Garrett Stephenson, LHP Jason Christiansen, RHP Luther Hackman and C Carlos Hernandez on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 23.
Frontier League
COOK COUNTY CHEETAHS—Signed OF Tim Still.
RIVER CITY RASCALS—Traded OF Scott Boyd to Springfield for a 2001 second-round draft pick.
Northern League
ALLENTOWN AMBASSADORS—Agreed to terms with SS Jesus Azuaje.
NEW JERSEY JACKALS—Named Jackie Hernandez third-base coach.
SIOUX CITY EXPLORERS—Agreed to terms with OF Brent Bowers.
SIOUX FALLS CANARIES—Traded INF Travis Hardin and INF Josh Hudson to Evansville of the Frontier League for INF Paul Barzuzzi and a player to be named. Released INF Steve Hartsburg and RHP Jess Siciliano. Acquired OF Jeff Key from Allentown to complete an earlier trade. Signed LHP Mike Duperron.
Basketball
National Basketball Association
CHICAGO BULLS—Activated C Jake Voskuhl from the injured list. Placed C Dragan Tarlac on the injured list.
NEW JERSEY NETS—Signed G Eddie Gill to a 10-day contract.
International Basketball League
ROCKFORD LIGHTNING—Signed F Rob Feaster. Suspended F Rashad Tucker for five games for violating league policy.
USA Basketball
USAB—Named Nate Gammage assistant director for competitive programs.
United States Basketball League
OKLAHOMA STORM—Named Bryan Gates coach and David Jeager assistant coach.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
BUFFALO BILLS—Re-signed DB Ray Hill.

Los Angeles	34	28	12	2	82	235
Nashville	31	34	9	3	74	173

Carolina Panthers—Signed OT Todd Steussie to a four-year contract.
San Diego Chargers—Signed OL Ed Ellis to a three-year contract and WR Rodney Williams to a one-year contract. Released DL Antoine Simpson.
Washington Redskins—Re-signed LB Kevin Mitchell.
Birmingham Thunderbolts—Claimed QB Chris Perkins off waivers.
Houston
National Hockey League
MONTREAL CANADIENS—Signed D Ron Hainsey to a three-year contract.
American Hockey League
SYRACUSE CRUNCH—Recalled F Jonathan Schill and F Ben Keup from Dayton of the ECHL.
Central Hockey League
SAN ANTONIO GUANAS—Signed RW Joe Gray.
East Coast Hockey League
ARKANSAS RIVERBLADES—Activated RW Trevor Roenick from injured reserve. Placed RW Russ Gutzler on 7-day injured reserve.
Pete Constantine from injured reserve. Placed LW-D Jason McKee on 7-day injured reserve.
DAYTON BOMBERS—Announced F Jeff Ambrose was loaned to Syracuse of the AHL. Added F Emilio Hartlieb and D Mike Garrow to roster.
FLORIDA EVERBLADES—Placed F David Vallieres on 7-day injured reserve. Transferred F Matt Demarski from 7- to 14-day injured reserve. Added F Jean-Francois Dufour to roster.
LOUISIANA ICECATS—Added D Ryan Marsh to roster.
MISSISSIPPI SEA WOLVES—Announced G Chuck Thuss has been loaned to Worcester of the AHL.
TOLEDO STORM—Activated C Sam Katsuras from injured reserve and waived him. Waived C Dave Cameron. Placed LW James Patterson on 7-day injured reserve. Added D Chris Cava, C Jeff Petrie and RW Chris George to roster. United Hockey League
ADIRONDACK ICEHAWKS—Activated RW Mike Varhug from league suspension.
ASHEVILLE SMOKE—Activated RW Bogdan Rudenko, LW Bruce Watson and LW Lee Swangstu from league suspension.
KALAMAZOO WINGS—Placed C Steve Moore on team suspension.
KNOXVILLE SPEED—Activated F Mike Henderson and D Dean Shmyr from league suspension.
ROCKFORD ICEHOGS—Activated D Evgeny Kromov from league suspension.
West Coast Hockey League
TACOMA SABERCATS—Placed RW Gavin Hodgson on season-ending injured reserve.
SOCCER
Major League Soccer
NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION—Claimed MF Andy Williams off waivers from Miami. Agreed to terms with D Alan Woods. Placed D Adam Eyrre on waivers.
SAN JOSE EARTHQUAKES—Signed F Landon Donovan to a four-year contract. Waived F Corey Wootfolk.
COLLEGE
AZUSA PACIFIC—Named Sean Rochelle defensive coordinator.
CARTHAGE—Named Greg Earhart director of aquatic and men's swimming coach.
HOUSTON—Named Theron Aych tight ends coach, Bradley Dale Pavetto co-defensive coordinator, Dick Bumpas assistant football coach, co-defensive coordinator and defensive line coach, Travis Pridle wide receiver and quarterback coach, Frank Hernandez cornerbacks coach and Greg Cantilli offensive graduate assistant.
INDIANA—Named Diron Reynolds defensive tackles coach.
LEWIS-CLARK STATE—Announced resignation of Mike Divibiss, women's basketball coach.
NEW ORLEANS—Named Monte Towe men's basketball coach.
MASSACHUSETTS-LOWELL—Announced the resignation of Tim Whitehead, men's ice hockey coach, effective April 30.
MISSISSIPPI STATE—Announced junior basketball C Robert Jackson is transferring to Marquette.
OHIO—Named Tim O'Shea men's basketball coach and agreed to terms on a seven-year contract.
PACIFIC—Announced the resignation of Sherry Peterson, women's assistant basketball coach.
PITTSBURGH-JOHNSTOWN—Announced the retirement of C Edward Sherlock, athletic director, effective September 28.
PURDUE—Extended the contract of Gene Keady, men's basketball coach through 2005.
UC IRVINE—Named Jamie Surprenant women's assistant soccer coach.
UNLV—Named Charlie Spoonhour men's basketball coach and gave him a three-year contract.
WISCONSIN—Named Bo Ryan men's basketball coach.

NCAA MEN'S BASKETBALL

THE FINAL FOUR
At The Hubert H. Humphrey Metrodome
Minneapolis
National Semifinals
Saturday, March 31
Michigan State (28-4) vs. Arizona (27-7), 4:42 p.m.
Duke (33-4) vs. Maryland (25-10), following first game
National Championship
Monday, April 2
Semifinal winners, 8:18 p.m.

NCAA WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

THE FINAL FOUR
At The Savvis Center
St. Louis
National Semifinals
Friday, March 30
Purdue (30-6) vs. Southwest Missouri State (29-5), 6 p.m.
Connecticut (32-2) vs. Notre Dame (32-2), 8:30 p.m.
National Championship
Sunday, April 1
Semifinal winners, 8:30 p.m.

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Third Round
Wednesday, March 21
Tulsa 57, Mississippi State 75
Thursday, March 22
Memphis 81, New Mexico 63
Friday, March 23
Alabama 85, Purdue 77, 2OT

Semifinals
At Madison Square Garden
New York
Tuesday, March 27
Semifinals
Alabama 74, Detroit 63
Tulsa 72, Memphis 64

Championship Round
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Championship
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CLUB BRIEF

Women's lacrosse

The Iowa women's lacrosse team will host the Universities of Chicago and Wisconsin Saturday in its first action of the season. The team will also travel to Truman State on April 1 to compete against Knox and Kansas.

Women's lacrosse is not a varsity sport at Iowa, but team members hope to eventually obtain that status as they build the program from the ground up.

In its first season of competition last year, the women finished 4-4 in the Women's Collegiate Lacrosse League. The league consists of Iowa, Truman State, Knox College, Wisconsin and Chicago.

"We're looking forward to intense competition that we hope will carry us to the playoffs," said Jennifer Sommers.

— by Todd Brommelkamp

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NHL GLANCE

NHL Playoff Races Glance
EASTERN CONFERENCE

Team	W	L	T	OL	Pts	GF
x-New Jersey	44	18	12	3	103	275
x-Ottawa	45	20	9	3	102	256
x-Philadelphia	40	24	11	2	93	230
Buffalo	42	28	5	1	90	200
Washington	39	25	10	2	90	219
Pittsburgh	39	27	9	2	89	282
Toronto	35	27	11	5	86	223
Carolina	34	31	8	3	79	193
Closing in						
Boston	32	29	8	7	79	207

BY THE NUMBERS

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—The number of years between wins in Central America for the United States' soccer team.

SAY WHAT?

Batters don't care if you shut out Cuba. They don't care that you have a gold medal. All of that means nothing here. This is the major leagues.

—U.S. Olympic baseball hero Ben Sheets, on how much his Olympic experience matters in the major leagues. Sheets is trying to make the Milwaukee Brewers.

BY THE NUMBERS

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—the number of stolen bases by Boston lead-off hitter Jose Offerman in the 2000 season.

Panthers find left tackle in two-time Pro Bowler Steussie

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — Todd Steussie, a two-time Pro Bowl left tackle, and the Carolina Panthers, who surrendered a league-high 69 sacks last season, agreed Thursday to a six-year, \$28 million deal.

The 30-year-old Steussie is Carolina's third major free agent acquisition on the offensive line in as many weeks, joining Ravens center Jeff Mitchell and Dolphins guard Kevin Donnalley.

Steussie was released by the Vikings in a salary-cap move.

"We think he's one of the better left offensive tackles in football," Panthers coach George Seifert said. "He brings experience at that position and that's something that we've been looking for. Aside from that, he's also been a very durable player throughout his career."

Once paralyzed Penn State player to complete rehab

STATE COLLEGE, Pa. — A Penn State football player who was paralyzed after sustaining a neck injury during a game last fall is scheduled to complete his outpatient rehabilitation.

Adam Taliaferro, 19, suffered a shattered neck bone and a bruised spinal cord when he made a head-first tackle Sept. 23 in a game at Ohio State.

Doctors didn't know whether Taliaferro would ever walk again, but on Jan. 5 he checked out of Philadelphia's Magee Rehabilitation Hospital on crutches. He was walk-

Al Davis influential in absentia

PALM DESERT, Calif. — Even in absentia, Al Davis had quite an impact on the NFL owners' meetings this week.

The owner of the Oakland Raiders, in the midst of a trial in Los Angeles in his \$1 billion lawsuit against the league, affected the gathering in several ways:

- Ten other owners did not attend, some because they feared being subpoenaed to appear at the trial. Among the missing were such influential team executives as the Giants' Wellington Mara and the Bills' Ralph Wilson. Davis was a no-show, too.
- Realignment was discussed, but no vote was taken, partially because Commissioner Paul Tagliabue has been occupied for several weeks with the trial. A number of business issues either were shelved or merely debated, with no decisions made.
- Tagliabue seemed distracted at his news conferences throughout the week, possibly because Davis' specter was lurking.
- Not that nothing was achieved. In fact, Tagliabue called the meetings "very productive."

Naked truth ends runner's career

LOS ANGELES — Leilani Rios was a runner on the Cal State-Fullerton track team when some other students spotted her dancing at a strip club. That was the end of her track career.

Rios said coach John Elders told

her to choose between her sport and her job at Anaheim's Flamingo Theater. She chose to keep dancing because, as a non-scholarship athlete, she needed the job to pay for her education.

"He gave me an ultimatum between running and stripping, and I couldn't do both," the junior kinesiology major told the Associated Press on Wednesday. "He thinks what I do is morally wrong."

Rios, 21, left the team in February 1999 after several members of the Fullerton baseball team saw her stripping.

Her absence went largely unnoticed until the campus newspaper, the *Daily Titan*, reported the story earlier this month. Since then, several local television stations have shown film of her stripping at the Flamingo and interviewed her at the college track stadium.

Elders has declined to be interviewed, but he issued a written statement saying he felt Rios' conduct reflected badly on her school and teammates.

"I determined that Ms. Rios' decision to remain an exotic dancer would detract from the image and accomplishments of her teammates, the Athletics Department and the university," he said.

Rios complained she was the target of a double standard, saying members of the university baseball team were never disciplined for going to the club and possibly embarrassing the school.

The school's Athletics Director, John Easterbrook, said the issue was dropped after the baseball team was given a review of the university's code of conduct.

Easterbrook also said the school supported Elder's action.

Another coach said this week that Rios was welcome to try out for his team if she wanted to transfer.

Notre Dame sweeps AP women's awards

ST. LOUIS — Ruth Riley and Muffet McGraw, who led Notre Dame to its first No. 1 ranking and second Final Four, won the Associated Press player and coach of the year awards in women's basketball.

Riley, a 6-foot-5 senior, edged Southwest Missouri State's Jackie Stiles for the player of the year award. She became the first player from a school other than Connecticut or Tennessee to receive the AP honor, which was started in 1995.

McGraw, in her 14th season at Notre Dame, was an overwhelming choice as the coach of the year. Both awards, announced Thursday, were determined in voting by AP member newspapers nationwide.

Riley received 30 votes, Stiles 26. Last year's winner, Tennessee's Tamika Catchings, had 19 votes. Catchings injured her knee on Jan. 15 and missed the rest of the season.

McGraw received 60 votes for the coaching award. Tennessee's Pat Summitt was next with 12.

The AP award is the latest in a string of honors for Riley, the only unanimous selection on this season's All-America team and also an academic All-American with a 3.64 grade-point average.

Her averages on the court also are impressive: 18.4 points, 7.7 rebounds and three blocks. One of the surest things in the college game when she gets the ball in the low post, Riley is shooting 63 percent from the field.

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The new co doesn't mind

By Arnie Associate

MADISON, W was Plan B for coaching job after Majerus turned "I don't know if first choice, either. "But we've had a 'riage." Ryan was hired gers' new coach although he won't Regents meets r Terms won't h until then, but h package is expected \$2 million over fi what he was ma sin-Milwaukee. "We were look with a nation someone right a Chancellor Joh "We found the ri here in Wisconsin delighted to hav

Iowa softball

This Weekend Hawkeyes (21-6) their 2000 Big Ten today, when they t double-header agai Columbus, Ohio. I the road trip in S with a Saturday ev afternoon contest Penn State. Last Hawkeye home opener, the ed Indiana State 5 doubleheader. Scouting Ohio State: This season Ohio State is off to a 15-8 start and boasts a team batting average over .300. Jennifer Link (.394) Chrissy Fowler (.378) and Kristi DeVries (.375) are the Buckeye b On the mound, b Katie Chain have pr ERAs below 1.00. Scouting Penn S Lions finished thro softball powers lov last season. Compference record, Per to do what few tean son — beat the Ha Iowa came away 2-1 win on April 28. Lions answered wit the second game header on Pearl Fie Coach's comme ence is always goo Gayle Blevins said. Our team prepared step out on the field well, but I'm convin our best yet."

— by Me

Women's ro

This week: The rowing team head this weekend to tak and Kansas State in Saturday through A Last race: The H up their spring sea on March 17-18, w city races they Longhorn Invitati victim was Clemson winning the Seco First Varsity and Va Iowa kept up the pay of competitor varsity races agai of Texas. A final University complete streak of success, three varsity race Novice competition. Home cancellati to host its first hom son on March 2 because of ice on The event was sch competition againt Wisconsin. Next week: The attempt to host the event of the season. will hold a triangul the University of M State University.

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This weekend: T take a brief break play and once again

SPORTS

Badgers hire Wisconsin-Milwaukee's Ryan

The new coach says he doesn't mind being Plan B.

By Arnie Stapleton
Associated Press

MADISON, Wis. — Bo Ryan was Plan B for the Wisconsin coaching job after Utah's Rick Majerus turned it down.

"I don't know if I was my wife's first choice, either," Ryan said. "But we've had a great marriage."

Ryan was hired as the Badgers' new coach Thursday, although he won't sign his contract until the Board of Regents meets next month.

Terms won't be made public until then, but his compensation package is expected to be about \$2 million over five years, double what he was making at Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

"We were looking for a coach with a national reputation, someone right for this team," Chancellor John Wiley said. "We found the right coach right here in Wisconsin, and we're delighted to have him."

Ryan, who won four NCAA Division III national championships in 15 years at Wisconsin-Platteville before moving to Milwaukee two years ago, takes over a team that has reached the NCAA tournament four times in the last five years and went to the Final Four under Dick Bennett a year ago.

The 53-year-old Ryan replaces Brad Soderberg, who wasn't retained after going 16-10 after Bennett retired in November. The Badgers lost in the first rounds of the Big Ten and NCAA tournaments this season.

Athletics Director Pat Richter said Ryan was a better man for the job than Soderberg, 38, largely because of experience and also because he has more name recognition in college basketball, which should help recruiting.

Ryan said he would keep assistant coach Tony Bennett, Dick's son, and hoped to bring his top assistant, Rob Jeter, over from the Panthers. Jeter, however, might be a candidate to replace Ryan at Wisconsin-Milwaukee.

"It's a win-win," said Jeter,

who played four years for Ryan at Wisconsin-Platteville and has assisted him for seven seasons.

Tony Bennett, like Jeter a 31-year-old rising recruiting star, said he'll serve as a bridge between the old regime and the new one.

"I heard some people say it's to appease my father; I don't think so," Tony Bennett said. "But, I think it's important to have some continuity and also to keep this team intact."

Ryan indicated he wanted to continue playing the other Division I programs in the state. Wisconsin-Milwaukee is on next year's schedule.

Ryan is a former Badgers assistant who wanted the job in 1992 but was beaten out by Stu Jackson, who left for the NBA in 1994 and was followed by Stan Van Gundy. Bennett replaced Van Gundy in 1995.

"I am so happy for this opportunity," Ryan said. "To be a Badger is great. To be a successful Badger is even better."

Richter said Ryan emerged as the only serious candidate Monday after Majerus withdrew from the running.

Ryan's record in two years at Wisconsin-Milwaukee was 30-27, a turnaround for the Panthers after five dismal seasons in which they were 31-105 before his arrival.

Richter's criteria were a coach with a national reputation and state ties, things that could attract better athletes to Madison.

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fying performances, Allen and van der Westhuizen are ranked amongst the nation's best. Nationally, van der Westhuizen is ranked third in the hammer throw, while Allen is ranked fourth in the shot put.

Coaches comment: "The UC San Diego Open has been a great meet for throwers in the past, so we wanted Jeremy and Arno to be able to compete with the best," Larry Wiecek said. "The rest of the team will compete at the Purdue Open, because of the cancellation of the Bronco Stampede we were originally scheduled to compete in."

Next week: The Hawkeyes will travel to Bloomington, Ind., for the Indiana Quadrangle on April 7.

— by Julie Matolo

Men's tennis

This weekend: The Hawkeyes will try to earn their first Big Ten win of the season as they hit the road to play Penn State and Ohio State. Iowa (8-5, 0-2 in the Big Ten) will meet the No. 48 Nittany Lions (9-4, 0-3 in the Big Ten) Saturday at 11 a.m. in State College, Pa. They will then travel to Columbus, Ohio, on April 1 for a noon showdown with the No. 24 Buckeyes (14-1, 3-0 in the Big Ten).

Last weekend: Iowa opened the Big Ten season at home with meets against Indiana and Purdue, losing both 4-3. Iowa failed to earn the doubles point in either meet and was forced to rely on its singles, anchored by senior Tyler Cleveland. Cleveland upped his record to 12-1 with two wins at the No. 1 singles spot and earned Big Ten Player of the Week honors. Junior Peter Mandic was the only other Hawkeye to earn two singles wins over the strong competition, upping his dual meet record to 7-5 on the season at the No. 3 singles spot. Junior Tom Buetikofer and freshman Eric Kozlowski also earned singles wins.

Iowa's keys: Iowa's success will once again hope it can rely on its doubles play, which is anchored by the top team of Cleveland and sophomore Stuart Waters. The Hawkeyes have dropped the doubles point in four of this season's five losses, and they hope to grab the early lead against two strong conference foes.

Coach's comment: "People tend to underestimate the strength of the Big Ten in tennis, maybe because we're not a warm weather conference," Steve Houghton said. "But if you look at the situation we're in, there are a lot of ranked teams playing each other all the time. And the teams are all very well matched, and the results are always close, as we saw last weekend."

— by Nick Firchau

Iowa road briefs

Iowa softball

This Weekend: The No. 12 Hawkeyes (21-6) begin defending their 2000 Big Ten Championship today, when they take the field for a double-header against Ohio State in Columbus, Ohio. Iowa will conclude the road trip in State College, Pa., with a Saturday evening game and afternoon contest on April 1 vs. Penn State.

Last Hawkeye action: In their home opener, the Hawkeyes defeated Indiana State 5-0 and 3-1 in the doubleheader.

Scouting Ohio State: This season Ohio State is off to a 15-8 start and boasts a team batting average over .300. Jennifer Link (.894) Chrissy Fowler (.378) and Kristi DeVries (.375) are the Buckeye bats to watch for. Oh the mound, both DeVries and Katie Chain have proved reliable with ERAs below 1.00.

Scouting Penn State: The Nittany Lions finished third behind Big Ten softball powers Iowa and Michigan last season. Compiling a 12-5 conference record, Penn State was able to do what few teams could last season — beat the Hawkeyes at home.

Iowa came away with a narrow 3-2 win on April 28, but the Nittany Lions answered with a 2-1 victory in the second game of the doubleheader on Pearl Field.

Coach's comment: "Our conference is always good, top to bottom," Gayle Blevins said. "We need to have our team prepared every time we step out on the field. We are playing well, but I'm convinced we're not at our best yet."

— by Melinda Mawdsley

Women's rowing

This week: The Iowa women's rowing team heads off to Kansas this weekend to take on both Kansas and Kansas State in Lawrence, Kan. Saturday through April 1.

Last race: The Hawkeyes opened up their spring season with a bang on March 17-18, winning all the varsity races they entered at the Longhorn Invitational. Iowa's first victim was Clemson, with the Hawks winning the Second Novice race, First Varsity and Varsity Four races. Iowa kept up the pace in the second day of competition, winning three varsity races against the University of Texas. A final win over Tulsa University completed the Hawkeye's streak of success, as they won all three varsity races and the First Novice competition.

Home cancellation: Iowa's plan to host its first home race of the season on March 25 fell through because of ice on the Iowa River. The event was scheduled as a dual competition against the University of Wisconsin.

Next week: The Hawkeyes will attempt to host their second home event of the season. On April 7, Iowa will hold a triangular meet against the University of Michigan and Ohio State University.

— by Julie Matolo

Women's tennis

This weekend: The Hawkeyes will take a brief break from conference play and once again hit the road, this

time to South Bend, Ind., to face off with No. 7 Notre Dame and No. 45 William and Mary. Iowa (7-5, 2-2 in the Big Ten) will play the Fighting Irish (15-6) today at 4 p.m., and William and Mary (6-7) Saturday at 1 p.m. Notre Dame holds a 5-1 edge in overall meetings between the schools, with its only loss to Iowa coming in the 1999 NCAA Tournament. The Tribe have won all three previous meets with the Hawkeyes.

Last weekend: Iowa split two Big Ten home meets, losing 6-1 to Ohio State, then rebounding with a 4-3 win over Penn State. Senior Erica Johnson led the charge for Iowa, winning both of her singles matches and teaming with sophomore Steffi Hoch to grab the only doubles win of the weekend. In the victory over Penn State, Johnson, Hoch, freshman Deni Alexandrova and senior Meagan Kearney all posted singles wins.

Iowa's keys: Johnson will look to extend her three-match winning streak in singles, while junior Toni Neykova will attempt to end a four-match losing streak at No. 1 singles. Iowa coach Paul Wardlaw said Wednesday he was unsure of how the lineup would turn out for the weekend because a number of his players are nursing injuries. The Hawkeyes will need their best players to be healthy for the matchup with Notre Dame, which will be the third top-15 team that the Hawkeyes have faced this season.

Coach's comment: "The Notre Dame match will be an interesting one. They hate us. It's become quite a rivalry over the last few years because we knocked them out of the NCAA Tournament two years ago, and I know they haven't forgotten what we did to them under the dome."

— by Nick Firchau

Men's track and field

This week: The Iowa men's track-and-field team will split its talent between two separate competitions this weekend. Most of the team will appear in West Lafayette, Ind., for the Purdue Open Friday and Saturday, while senior throwers Jeremy Allen and Arno van der Westhuizen will compete in the UC-San Diego Open in California.

Last meet: Iowa sprinted into its outdoor season two weeks ago in Tucson, Ariz., at the Willie Williams Invitational. Allen and van der Westhuizen returned home with NCAA provisional qualifying times in the shot put and hammer throw, respectively. Allen won the shot put with a throw of 60-4½, while van der Westhuizen broke the school record in the hammer throw with a toss of 222-11. Senior Tim Dodge captured a win in the 200-meters, crossing the line in 21.33. He also tied for fourth in the 100-meters with a time of 10.59. In the 1,500-meters, juniors Shaun Allen and Adam Thomas led Iowa by placing second (4:00.51) and third (4:00.77). Other top Hawkeye performances included freshman Adam Kunkel, third in the 400-meter hurdles in 51.77, and Bill Neuman, third in the javelin (210-7).

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SPORTS

Earnhardt photos will not be seen after all

■ Unanimous Florida Senate votes to close all autopsy photos to public.

By Mike Branom
Associated Press

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. — Spurred on by fans of racing star Dale Earnhardt, the Florida Senate voted 40-0 Thursday to close autopsy photos from public record.

The bill, which has already passed the Florida House, now goes to Gov. Jeb Bush. He was expected to sign it later Thursday with Earnhardt's widow, Teresa, looking on. She led the public drive for the bill, saying she wanted to protect her family's privacy.

The new law would bar public access to all autopsy photos unless a judge approves the release. Such photos have been open records as part of Florida's Sunshine Law.

Dale Earnhardt, a seven-time Winston Cup champion, died in a last-lap crash in the Daytona 500 in February. A day after his widow won a court order to keep the autopsy photos private, the Orlando



Mark Foley/Associated Press

Florida Gov. Jeb Bush hands a pen to Teresa Earnhardt after signing the Autopsy Records Bill into law Thursday, in Tallahassee, Fla.

Sentinel went to court and, citing the state's open-records law, asked that its medical expert be allowed to look at the autopsy photos.

During the ensuing legal battle of access to the photos, racing fans bombarded the offices of Bush, legislative leaders and the Sentinel with thousands of e-mails, letters

and telephone calls, protesting efforts by the media to see the photos.

"I never knew Dale Earnhardt, but through this bill, I've gotten to know his family and his wife," said the measure's sponsor, Sen. Jim King.

But King said he was more moved by the letters and calls from family members of ordi-

nary people who didn't know that their autopsy photos could be made public.

Similar legislation is awaiting the governor's signature in Georgia and is still under consideration in South Carolina.

The Florida measure would prevent members of the public and media from viewing anyone's autopsy photos unless they can convince a judge there is good cause to see them.

Bush had already made room on his Thursday schedule to sign the bill. Although Teresa Earnhardt was expected to attend the signing, poor weather had prevented her arrival by midmorning.

King said the measure allows families to see those photos and establishes a hierarchy within a family to establish who has the final say over them.

If the bill becomes law, it would be retroactive, although the Sentinel's effort to view Earnhardt's autopsy photos was handled in mediation. A court-appointed expert has reviewed them and will issue a report that will go the widow and the newspaper.

SPORTS BRIEF

Purdue extends Keady's contract

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (AP) — Gene Keady, whose name invariably is mentioned whenever a major college coaching vacancy occurs, has received a two-year contract exten-

sion to stay at Purdue.

The announcement extending his contract through the 2004-05 season was made Thursday.

Keady is the longest-serving Big Ten basketball coach. His contract was supposed to expire after the 2002-03 season.

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Lakers don't look like champs anymore

■ Since Kobe Bryant has been injured, Los Angeles has struggled.

By John Nadel
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES — The Los Angeles Lakers' second-straight blowout loss had the Staples Center crowd chanting "Kobe, Kobe."

But Kobe Bryant couldn't help because he was sitting out his fourth-straight game with an injured left ankle.

There's no telling when the NBA's third-leading scorer will return. And even when he does, the way things have been going, nothing is guaranteed.

"I don't want to speculate about Kobe being out," coach Phil Jackson said sharply after a 104-84 loss Wednesday night to the Sacramento Kings. "I just want to talk about the game we played tonight and how we played."

"We miss Kobe, and it's too bad he's not here for this game. But, you know, it's what we've got."

The Kings scored seven of the first half's final nine points to go ahead for good, then outscored the Lakers 51-31 in the final 24 minutes, when Los Angeles made only 11-of-43 shots (25.6 percent).

Two nights earlier, the Lakers dropped a 104-83 decision at Phoenix.

"We didn't have energy," Derek Fisher said. "When we started to feel the pressure, we took some poor shots and got out of our offense."

Shaquille O'Neal scored 25

points in the first half, but was held to eight in the final 24 minutes to finish with 33; he left Staples Center without speaking to reporters. The only other Laker to score in double figures was Rick Fox, with 12 points.

With the playoffs three weeks away, the defending NBA champions are playing anything but their best ball. And they aren't assured of having homecourt advantage in any series, much less throughout the playoffs, as they did last spring.

Guard Ron Harper, a stabilizing factor, underwent knee surgery last week and is sidelined indefinitely. The Lakers hope to get him back at playoff time.

"The beat goes on until we get them back," Fox said.

O'Neal and Bryant have feuded, openly at times, and Jackson made some unflattering remarks about Bryant to a Chicago columnist last week, among them that Bryant had told him he was unhappy with the triangle offense because it didn't give him a chance to display his talent.

In addition, Jackson was quoted as saying: "Someone told me that in high school, Kobe used to sabotage his own games, so the game could be close, so he could dominate at the end. To sabotage the team process, to be so self-centered in your own process ... it's almost stupefying."

Gregg Downer, Bryant's coach at Lower Merion High in Ardmore, Pa., has called Jackson's comments ridiculous, and Bryant used the same word, also saying the remarks were not worth comment.

Going out to ball games not so cheap

■ Average ticket price reaches \$18.99.

By Ronald Blum
Associated Press

NEW YORK — Baseball fans had better go to the cash machine before they sing "Take Me Out To The Ball Game" this spring.

The average ticket price increased nearly 13 percent, to \$18.99, this year, and the Boston Red Sox have the highest average at \$36.08 — more than \$7 above any other team.

Eight teams increased their average price by more than 20 percent, according to the Team Marketing Report's annual survey, which was released Thursday.

Pittsburgh, which moves to PNC Park from Three Rivers Stadium, had the largest rise at 82 percent, from \$11.80 to \$21.48. Milwaukee, which moves from County Stadium to Miller Park, increased its average 55 percent, from \$11.72 to \$18.12.

Cincinnati was next with a 43.4 percent hike to \$15.40, followed by Tampa Bay with a 42.6 percent increase, to \$18.41.

Baseball's average ticket price has more than doubled in a decade, increasing 120 percent from 1991, when it was \$8.64. In the same time period, the Consumer Price Index has increased 30.4 percent, according to the U.S. Labor Department.

The average salary of players, \$851,492 in 1991, has more than doubled in the same time period and is expected to be more than \$2.2 million when the season opens Sunday.

"Players have absolutely

nothing to do with ticket prices," union head Donald Fehr said. "We had nothing to do with the recent decision to charge for Web broadcasts. These are management decisions, which management makes based on what each club or central baseball determines is the economic condition of the country and each market."

In comparison, the average NFL ticket price was \$48.97 last year. It's \$51.02 in the NBA and \$47.69 in the NHL.

"At a time when increased industry costs have resulted in an increase in ticket prices, major league baseball is pleased to note that our ticket prices remain by far the best value among the major professional sports leagues, and most forms of entertainment," Commissioner Bud Selig said.

Boston's average price at Fenway Park rose 27.4 percent, and the Red Sox lead the major leagues for the fourth-straight year. The ballpark, which holds 33,991, is the smallest in the major leagues.

The Yankees are second at \$28.90, an 11.4 percent rise, followed by the New York Mets at \$26.53, Detroit at \$23.90, San Francisco at \$23.38 and Seattle at \$22.87.

Minnesota has the lowest average price at \$9.55. Montreal, which at \$9.70 in U.S. dollars has the second-lowest average price, was among three teams to lower their averages, dropping the cost 5.7 percent.

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near three runs per game. It's the offensive woes that Broghamer hopes will work themselves out. "Right now, we want to concentrate on getting good, solid swings," he said. "Whether or not

it's a hit, you don't have any control." Broghamer will look to his top-four starting pitchers this weekend, beginning with his No. 1 arm today, Chad Blackwell. Nick Jensen and Ryan Mentkowski will throw for Iowa Saturday, and Steve Sharpe will pitch the finale.

Broghamer said the four have proven to be the top starters on the staff this season and have done an excellent job of establishing themselves with hitters. "What we have to do now is execute," Broghamer said.

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Red Sox suspend, fine Everett

■ Carl Everett is fined \$97,222 for missing bus, skipping practice.

By Jay Lindsay
Associated Press

FORT MYERS, Fla. — An off-season peace summit between Boston Red Sox manager Jimmy Williams and Carl Everett didn't change the defiant center fielder's ways. The team is hoping a fine and a suspension will.

The Red Sox fined Everett \$97,222 and suspended him for Thursday's game with the Minnesota Twins after he missed the bus to Tuesday's exhibition, then skipped a workout the next day.

The penalty was announced after an hour-long meeting among Everett, his agent Larry Reynolds, general manager Dan Duquette and manager Jimmy Williams.

Both sides emerged claiming a truce had been reached. Duquette said the meeting had provided a chance to address "fester-ing" issues.

"Carl has a better understanding of his role on the team," Duquette said. "We had a candid exchange, and I believe the issues are resolved."

Everett also struck a conciliatory note, saying progress was made.

Michigan State trying to repeat

DUKE-MARYLAND

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"Mike and Duke have been a tremendous thing for our league, because the respect Duke has nationally certainly helps the Atlantic Coast Conference and what we stand for as a basketball league," Williams said. "You also have a team that you try to get your team to emulate, to try to get to that point with your program. That's been a motivation."

Duke (33-4) was the factor behind the biggest turns this season for the Terrapins (25-10).

On Jan. 27, in a matchup of Top 10 teams, Maryland was in control. A victory would snap the Blue Devils' three-game winning streak at Cole Field House, and the sell-out crowd of 14,500 was ready to

explode in celebration. The Terrapins led by 10 points with 54 seconds to play. But then Jason Williams took over, and the Blue Devils forced the game into overtime, winning 98-96.

Maryland lost four of its next five games and instead of talking about seeding, the chatter around the program was about whether the Terrapins even make the NCAA Tournament.

"What we did do was talk about that it was just us, how we had to stay together and that we weren't going to get help from anywhere else," Williams said. "It might take a while because it was a tough loss. At the same time, we did stay together, and that's the only reason we were able to get back to playing good basketball again."

When the Terrapins did start

the turnaround, the fourth of six-straight wins was at Duke, 91-80. Williams said that when his team walked off the court at Cameron Indoor Stadium, he knew Maryland could win anywhere.

And since then, the Terrapins' only loss was in the conference tournament, 84-82, to Duke on James' basket with 1.3 seconds remaining.

"I haven't felt any better about a game than when I walked off the court in Atlanta after the Maryland game, and it was just not because we won," Krzyzewski said. "I thought the game was the highest caliber and the best game we've been in all year."

Michigan State, meanwhile, is trying to become the first repeat national champion since Duke in 1992.

Turbulent season ends in tourney run

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who played on Arizona's 1997 national championship team. "She always said if we ever had any problems, we could come and talk to her, and she would do her best to straighten them out."

Her husband can be stern and often is aloof. She was friendly, outgoing and seemed to know everyone. Her pecan pancakes often sealed the deal with recruits. The pep band would shout, "Hi, Bobbi!" when she came out to take her seat before a game.

The Wildcats want to win the national championship for Bobbi Olson and for their coach who came back two weeks after his wife's death to lead his team to the Final Four.

"Just to see us win a championship, I think it'd bring a good smile to his face," Michael Wright said. "I haven't seen a lot of smiles."

The death of the coach's wife

was the low point of a season that began awfully for the Wildcats, potentially "the greatest college team ever," center Loren Woods had said.

All five starters were nominated for the John Wooden Award as player of the year.

The problems began immediately.

Woods was suspended for the first six games for accepting improper benefits from a family friend. Richard Jefferson was suspended for a game for accepting a plane ticket to San Diego and a ticket to the NBA Finals from Bill Walton, whose son Luke plays for Arizona and is Jefferson's best friend.

Olson took a leave of absence on Dec. 30 to be with his wife. For the first time, he broke down in front of his players when he told them he was leaving.

That night, Arizona lost to Mississippi State, the first defeat ever for the Wildcats in their own Fiesta Bowl Classic tournament.

Two days later, Bobbi Olson died.

A memorial service at McKale Center was televised live by two Tucson stations. The court was renamed Lute & Bobbi Olson Court.

The Wildcats, preseason No. 1, stumbled to an 8-5 record and fell to 21st in the rankings. They regrouped to win a pair at Washington and Washington State, then Olson returned for an emotional home victory over Southern California.

He thought it was a little too soon to come back, but he felt his team needed his leadership and some continuity.

Asked afterward if he felt his wife's presence that night, Olson's voice choked with emotion.

"We have been together for so long," he said, "that her presence is always there."

That night, Olson said later, "was the toughest it's going to be."

"Everything from that time," he said, "you just face up to it and go ahead."

One-two punch carries Boilermakers

PURDUE-SMS

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But there's more to Southwest Missouri — making only its second trip to the Final Four — than just Stiles. Tara Mitchem scored 23 points and had a perfect shooting game, going 7-for-7 from the field, 3-for-3 from 3-point range and 6-for-6 from the free-throw line against Washington.

"I think the thing everybody gets focused on is Jackie, Jackie, Jackie," Curry said. "Southwest Missouri came because it has a great team."

Purdue, which emerged from the Mideast Regional as the No. 3 seed, has a better pedigree. The Boilermakers are making their second Final Four appearance in three years — they won it all in 1999 — and have taken 11 of their last 12 NCAA Tournament games.

Purdue has more of a 1-2 punch than Southwest Missouri with All-America forward Katie Douglas (15.2 points, 3.7 assists) and 6-4 center Camille Cooper (14.4 points, 6.4 rebounds).

Both Douglas and Cooper were starters and major contributors on Purdue's title team.

"No question, it's a huge advan-

tage," Curry said. "We are definitely going to draw on our experiences."

Douglas has persevered despite a number of problems, physical and otherwise. Both of her parents died of cancer since she arrived at school, and she also recovered from ankle surgery after last season.

"If I had one word to describe Katie Douglas, she is just a soldier," Curry said. "Sometimes, things may get rough on the court, and things may not be going our way, but we can all look at Katie and say if she can overcome what she's overcome, we can handle this 40 minutes of basketball."

Huskies need to shut down Riley

UCONN-IRISH

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know that you can have a rivalry until you beat somebody."

Connecticut beat Notre Dame, 78-76, in the second game on Sue Bird's shot at the buzzer. ESPN made the game an "Instant Classic," and it already has been shown on the network.

That has added to the aura surrounding this one.

"Obviously, it was hard to go out on that loss," Notre Dame forward Kelley Siemon said. "But I think this is going to be just an incredible game. I expect it to be just like that. We both have something to prove, something we are shooting for."

The Big East championship was a big deal, but obviously going to the national championship is even bigger."

Connecticut had expected to be back here again. Auriemma went so far last April as to guarantee another championship because most of his key players would be back. But he doesn't have all of them now.

Svetlana Abrosimova, a first-team All-American last season, went down with a foot injury on Feb. 1 and hasn't played since. If that was the worst that could happen, they were wrong.

In the Big East final, Shea Ralph blew out a knee and was finished for the season. She, too, was a first-team All-American last year and had been named the outstanding player at the Final Four.

"It is definitely difficult to swallow when two of your best players go down," Bird said. "But at the same time, we realized the season was not over, and we knew that of anyone, both Shea and Svet would want us to get to the Final Four and win another national championship."

So here they are. The Huskies won their first four NCAA tournament games by an average of 37.5 points, and only one of those opponents scored more than 48.

Flashy freshman Diana Taurasi has become the new go-to player. She has been the Huskies' leading scorer (16.0) over the last seven games.

"She has NBA range. She can shoot over anyone," said Notre Dame's Niele Ivey, who will be playing in her hometown. "I think she's just playing great basketball right now. UConn has a lot of weapons, so we are going to have to be on our toes and make sure we have a hand up in everyone's face."

Notre Dame has a few weapons of its own, starting with center Ruth Riley, the national player of the year. Riley shoots 63 percent, averages 18.4 points and often looks like Bill Walton passing out of double teams.

Siemon knows how to get open when that happens and can shoot with either hand. Guard Alicia Ratay leads the nation in 3-point shooting percentage (.547), and Ivey is a fearless penetrator who's shooting 45 percent from behind the arc.

Ivey is so important to the Irish that she played all 40 minutes in both games with UConn. The Huskies' plan for Ivey: Make somebody else handle the ball.

"I think Notre Dame really struggles when she doesn't have the ball," Bird said.

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ONE bedroom apartment available May or June. Large kitchen and deck. \$410/month. HW paid. (319)358-2941.

ONE bedroom apartment. Close to law/medical schools. C/A, water paid. Available mid-May. \$445/month. (319)688-0904.

ONE bedroom apartment. Near west campus. \$410 includes HW. June 1. (319)358-6705.

ONE bedroom in three bedroom house, W/D, close to downtown. \$315/month. Available mid-May. (319)358-6483.

OWN room in four bedroom great apartment. \$255/month paid through April 15. (319)887-9223.

ROOM for rent in co-ed house. close to campus. Available mid-May through summer with fall option. \$245/month. (319)351-3276.

ROOM for rent in co-ed house. \$250/month utilities paid. Parking. Near UI. Please call 335-1083.

E-mail honyur@hotmail.com

Summer sublet with fall option. In Gaslight. \$675/month includes utilities. (319)354-3951.

THREE bedroom apartment. May rent paid. A/C. Close to downtown. Free parking. \$725/month. (319)351-2525.

TWO bedroom apartment available June 1st. Close to downtown. \$610 includes HW, parking. (319)887-5456.

ONE bedroom apartment. 1000 Oakcrest, underground parking. \$625. Available now (fall option). 319-688-9335.

TWO bedroom apartment. Easy walk to Law/Medical. Available mid May. \$675/month, includes utilities. 319-688-0794.

TWO bedroom - balcony, underground parking, central AC, secured building. May, \$610. 319-688-2836.

TWO bedroom. N. Johnson. Dishwasher, deck, parking. \$630. HW paid. (319)341-0986.

EFFICIENCY/ONE BEDROOM
 AD#14. One bedroom downtown, security building, D/W, microwave, W/D facility. M-F, 9-5, 319-351-2178.

AD#19. Efficiency, downtown, no parking, heat and water paid. Available immediately. Call Keystone Property. (319)338-6288.

AD#22. Efficiencies, kitchen & one bedroom, on Gilbert, close to campus and downtown, M-F, 9-5, 319-351-2178.

AD#412. Sleeping rooms, one bedroom on Linn St., walking distance to campus, water paid, M-F, 9-5, 319-351-2178.

AD#420. One bedroom, on Linn Street, water paid, 319-351-2178, M-F, 9-5.

AD#514. East side one bedroom apartment. Off-street parking, W/D facility, M-F, 9-5, 319-351-2178.

AD#516. Efficiency, parking in back, large units. 319-351-2178, M-F, 9-5.

AD#624. One bedroom apartment. Off-street parking, above restaurant, HW paid, laundry facility, M-F, 9-5. (319)351-2178.

AD#715. Rooms, one bedroom, walking distance to downtown, off-street parking. All utilities paid. M-F, 9-5, 319-351-2178.

AVAILABLE August 1, one bedroom. laundry, lockable storage, top west side location on River, close to art, music, law, dental, medical, A.U., off-street parking, all utilities paid except electricity, \$525. (319)337-6301.

AVAILABLE June 1, one bedroom. off-street parking, A/C, HW paid, one block from campus, quiet. (319)341-8283.

AVAILABLE NOW. One bedroom on 620 S. Johnson. Busline, parking, kitchen, A/C, 10 minute walk to campus. \$474/month. Call Tim and leave message (319)338-8917.

DOWNTOWN loft apartment. HW paid, no pets. Available NOW. (319)338-4774.

DOWNTOWN loft. \$600/gas paid, no parking. 319-351-8404.

EFFICIENCY apartment. Close-in. Pets negotiable. Please call (319)338-7047.

FALL LEASING.
 Nice one bedroom apartments and efficiencies in downtown IC.

13-19 E. Burlington, \$523-\$551 plus utilities.

312 E. Burlington, \$440-\$505 plus utilities.

333 E. Church, \$501 plus utilities.

202 E. Fairchild, \$549 plus utilities.

436 S. Van Buren, \$428 plus utilities. Call 319-351-8370

NICE modern one bedroom study apartment for rent to quiet non-smoking grad. New interior. Close-in, east side, parking, owner on-site. References. \$395. (319)337-3821.

NOW leasing efficiencies with full storage for fall occupancy. Full kitchen. Call LRE (319)338-3701. apartmentrenting.com

ONE bedroom available April 1. Very nice apartment with all amenities. Located in a quiet four-plex close to campus. \$480 per month plus utilities. Laundry on site, off-street parking and garage available. Quiet non-smokers with no pets. Call (319)338-3975 for more info.

ONE bedroom for August. Five blocks from downtown in 8-plex. \$500 HW paid. Call LRE (319)338-3701. apartmentrenting.com

ONE bedroom in basement of house. Downtown. \$450 all utilities paid. Call LRE (319)338-3701.

DISCRIMINATION
 If you think you may have been discriminated against in your search for housing, call the Iowa City Human Rights Commission at 335-5192

FALL RENTALS
 Available for rental beginning August 1st:
 Efficiencies: \$336-\$487/month
 1 Bedrooms: \$456-\$630/month
 2 Bedrooms: \$578-\$798/month
 3 Bedrooms: \$720-\$1143/month
 4 Bedrooms: \$1052-\$1332/month
 5 Bedrooms: \$1535-\$1605/month
 6 Bedrooms: \$1824-\$2028/month
 All locations are within walking distance of downtown & campus. Utilities vary by location. Security deposit same amount as rent. No pets. FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL I&J REAL ESTATE 466-7491

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 Downtown openings in 1,2,3 bedroom apartments. Available for fall. Call 319-354-8331.

SouthGate Management
 is now signing leases on Apartments, Condos, Townhouses & Homes.

East and West Side Iowa City Coralville and North Liberty

Efficiency, one, two, three and four bedroom options available starting March 1.

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 FOUR bedroom apartment. Close to campus. Free parking. Cheap rent. May rent free. W/D. Call (319)358-6546.

FURNISHED large clean quiet efficiency. No smoking, no pets. Laundry. Busline. Coralville. (319)337-9376.

FURNISHED one bedroom in four bedroom apartment. Great downtown location. Available May 9th. 319-337-4856.

HOUSE on South Johnson. Up to eight bedrooms, three baths, two kitchens, driveway fits six cars. \$275/month plus utilities. 319-688-5045.

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LARGE bedroom in all female house available for sublease May 1. \$285/month, utilities paid. Call Lindsey (319)211-0633.

LARGE bedroom in four bedroom apartment. Great location, \$255/month. May rent FREE!! Call 319-545-7479.

LARGE bedroom in three bedroom apartment. Close to campus. Call (319)466-1450.

LARGE one bedroom, high callings, big kitchen and LR, HW paid

Rise and Shine with The Daily Break

TONIGHT ON WB20... 7pm 7:30pm

WB20 *Sabrina The Teenage Witch* *Popstars*

8pm **POPULAR**

FRIDAY 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 (2)	(2) News	Seinfeld	Diagnosis Murder	The Fugitive	Nash Bridges	News	Letterman	Feud			
KWWL (7)	(7) News	Wheel	Providence	Dateline NBC	Law & Order: Spec.	News	Tonight Show	Late Ngt.			
KFXA (17)	(17) Rose	Carey	Police Videos	The Lone Gunmen	Star Trek: Voyager	3rd Rock	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Rose		
KCRG (9)	(9) News	Friends	2 Guys	Norm	Be a Millionaire	20/20	News	Spin City	Home	Nightline	
KIIN (13)	(13) News/Hr.	House	Wash.	Rukeyser	Market	In Iowa	Austin City Limits	Business Dwarf	Dr. Who	Dr. Who	
KWKB (16)	(16) 7 Heaven	Sabrina	Sabrina	Popstars	Popular (Part 1 of 2)	Heart	Date	Smarts	Sex Wars	Paid Prg.	Cops

CABLE CHANNELS

PUBL (2)	Programming Unavailable	Programming Unavailable									
GOVT (4)	Programming Unavailable	Programming Unavailable									
PAX (6)	Shop	Sweep	Enc. Unexplained	Touched by Angel	Diagnosis Murder	A Miracle	H'wood	Paid Prg.	Paid Prg.		
LIBR (9)	Programming Unavailable	Programming Unavailable									
EDUC (11)	Programming Unavailable	Programming Unavailable									
UNIV (21)	France	Spanish	Movie		Classic TV Drama	Korean	Greece	France	Italy		
KWQC (6)	News	Wheel	Providence	Providence	Law & Order: Spec.	News	Tonight Show	Late Ngt.			
WSUI (10)	Programming Unavailable	Programming Unavailable									
SCOLA (11)	Hungary	Quebec	Croatia	China	Cuba	Iran	Korea	Greece	France	Italy	
KSUI (12)	Programming Unavailable	Programming Unavailable									
DISC (43)	Blue Whales	Scott O'Grady Story	Inside the Kill Box: Fighting the Gulf War	Justice Files	Scott O'Grady Story						
WGN (31)	Matters	Susan	Robin Hood (91) ** (Patrick Bergin)	News	In the Heat of Night	Matlock (Part 2 of 2)					
C-SPN (2)	Close Up	American Writers: A Journey Through History	Prime Time Public Affairs								
UNI (24)	Carla de Angel	Abrazame Fuerte	Mi Destino Eres Tu	Estamos	Loco	Impacto	Noticiero	Noche Bienvenidos			
C-SPN2 (21)	U.S. Senate (3)	Public Affairs	Public Affairs								
TBS (28)	Preseason Baseball: Cleveland Indians at Atlanta Braves (Live)	The Living Daylights (PG-13) ** (Timothy Dalton)									
TWC (20)	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel	Weather Channel			
BRVA (39)	Weird Weekends	The Brothers McMullen (R, '95) **	Smack	Cold Feet	The Brothers McMullen (R)						
CNBC (11)	Market Week: Maria	National Geographic Explorer	News/Williams	National Geographic Explorer							
BET (40)	106/Park	Mississippi Masala (R, '91) *** (Denzel Washington)	ComicView	News	Tonight	Midnight Love					
BOX (8)	Off the Air	Off the Air									
TBN (8)	Religious Special	Behind News	Lak.	F. Price	Praise the Lord	Carman	English				
HIST (6)	Week in History	History's Mysteries	The Most	Haunted History	Incredible But True	History's Mysteries					
TNN (37)	Miami Vice	Marital Law	Auto Racing (Live)	Monster Jam	Miami Vice						
SPEED (5)	AutoW'k	Motor	Lap of the Gods	Victory by Design: Porsche	AutoW'k	Motor	Lap of the Gods				
ESPN (45)	Women's College Basketball (Live)	Bsk	Women's College Basketball (Live)	SportsCenter	Baseball						
ESPN2 (46)	RPM	Sumo Wrestling	The Life	Boxing: Friday Night Fights (Live)	NHL	NBA	Tennis				
FOXSP (47)	NASCAR	Word	Chi. Spo.	Cubs Preview	NBA	The Road to No. 1	Nat. Sports Report	Regional	World		
LIFE (26)	Ice Bound	Unsolved Mysteries	Children of My Heart	'00	The Division: Pilot	Any Day Now: Life					
COM (42)	Daily	Stein	Comics/Home 1	Comics Home	Friars Club Roast	Friars Club Roast	Premium	Comedy			
EI (4)	Homes	Talk S'p	Myst.	Myst.	True Hollywood	Will & Grace: Inside	H. Stern	H. Stern	Wild On ...		
NICK (8)	Arnold	Rugrats	Parents	Inv. ZIM	Rkt Pr	3's Co.	3's Co.	AllFam.	AllFam.	Jeff'sons	Jeff'sons
FX (23)	NYPD Blue	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	A Glimpse of Hell '01	** (James Caan)	X Show	In Color	The X-Files			
TNT (4)	The Pretender	Gerónimo: An American Legend (PG-13, '93) ***	Gerónimo: An American Legend (PG-13, '93) ***								
TOON (17)	Cartoon	Cartoon	Cartoon	Mike	Cartoon	Cartoon	Cartoon	Toon	Clampett	Dragon	Dragon
MTV (44)	Real	Special	Daria	2gether	MTV Special	A. Dick	MTV Special				
VH1 (43)	Music	Name ...	Top 10 Countdown	Behind the Music	Behind the Music	Name ...	Aero.	Rock Show			
A&E (38)	Law & Order	Biography	Closed Doors	Poirot	Law & Order	Biography					
ANIM (6)	Croc File	Animals	Animals	Animals	Animals	Animals	Animals	Animals	Jeff Corwin		
USA (34)	JAG: Webb of Lies	The Last Don (Part 2 of 2)			Farmclub.com	2 Days in the Valley					

PREMIUM CHANNELS

HBO (8)	Entrapment (PG-13, '99) **	Fight Club (R, '99) *** (Brad Pitt, Edward Norton)	D. Miller	Real Sex
DIS (6)	Lizzie: Zenon: Girl of the 21st Century (99) **	Concert	Model Behavior (00) **	Zorro
MAX (4)	Held Up (5:30)	Ghostbusters II (PG, '89) ** (Bill Murray)	Galaxy Quest (PG, '99) ** (Tim Allen)	Pleasureville
STARZ (4)	Movie (5)	M. News	Man on the Moon (R, '99) ** (Jim Carrey)	Mission to Mars (9:05) (PG, '00) **
SHOW (8)	Felicia's Journey	Flawless (R, '99) ** (Robert De Niro)	Stargate SG-1	Stargate Diaries

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calendar

"Bridging the Gap Minority Pre-Law Conference," today at 8:30 a.m., Boyd Law Building.
 "Bodies and Space in the French Enlightenment," today at 10 a.m., Room W401, Pappajohn Business Building.
 James F. Jakobsen Graduate Forum Awards Ceremony, "Dissertations and Beyond," Christopher Otrok and Marius Stefan, today at noon, IMU.
 "Musicology/Theory Colloquium," Susan Youens, today at 1:30 p.m., Room 1027, Voxman Music Building.
 "Population and Quantitative Approaches to a Complex Gene-Environment Trait Using International Populations," Jeff Murray, today at 3:30 p.m., Room 309, Van Allen Hall.
 South Asian Studies Seminar Series, "At Home in the World: Cinema, Emergence, Femininity," Keya Ganguly, University of Minnesota, today at 4 p.m., Room 315, Phillips Hall.
 "Sister Connection Opening Reception," today at 6:30 p.m., Women's Resource and Action Center.
 "Live From Prairie Lights Series: Terry Tempest Williams, non-fiction," today at 8 p.m., Prairie Lights Books, 15 S. Dubuque St.
 Theatre, *The Mahabharata*, performed by Drew Gibson, Saturday at 8 p.m., Classical Yoga Center, 111 1/2 E. Washington St.

horoscopes

Friday, March 30, 2001 by Eugenia Last

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Don't get too attached to one of your colleagues. One-sided attractions will be exciting. Your reputation will be enhanced. Keep your thoughts to yourself and avoid gossip.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Join forces and press employers to make changes that will improve your working conditions. Take some time to re-evaluate your motives. Romantic opportunities will come when least expected.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Your emotions are on a roller-coaster ride. You know you need a change, but you just aren't sure where to start. Try a new hairdo or a complete new look.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Get ready to make some personal alterations. Be secretive about your intentions regarding work. Take time to visit relatives who haven't been visiting up to par.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Put your best foot forward. You can charm others with your self-confident attitude. Take care of all those small important details or ensure that someone else will. You're great at delegating work.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): One-sided infatuations are evident. Avoid getting involved with partners who are already committed to someone else. Deception at social functions may cause confusion.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Romantic encounters are fun, but may not be lasting. Don't jump to conclusions or make demands. You may not be evaluating the situation properly. If you overreact, all will be lost.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Your health may suffer if you've been neglecting yourself. Don't let minor ailments turn into major problems. Your reluctance to take a break will only make matters worse.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You won't want to listen to anyone. You're following your own dreams, and nothing else matters. Be prepared to handle the consequences if you've upset someone along the way.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You'll get all the help you need; however, be sure you choose the right people for the jobs at hand. There is little room for error at this point. Your job could be on the line.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): It's time you started getting into shape instead of just talking about it. Join a program geared toward exercise and a smart diet.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): A misunderstanding may cause problems with a business or emotional partner. Address the issues directly and sincerely. Make changes if necessary. The most important goal is to keep the peace.

public access tv schedule

Channel 2	6 p.m. Country Time Country	10 p.m. Grace Community Church
	7 p.m. SCTV Presents	11 p.m. Eckankar: Five Spiritual Ways of this World
	8 p.m. Nature's Logic	Midnight Power of Victory
	8:30 p.m. SAVE: A New Look at Iowa Child — Facts and Figures	

The Ledge

By Jesse Ammerman

New ways to quit smoking

- Experiment with a new inhalable carcinogen, such as asbestos or radon.
- Divert your cigarette money into a new booze-and-junk food fund.
- Donate all of your cigarettes to underprivileged children.
- Buy yourself a Nicoderm bodysuit.
- Inhale fumes from your car's tailpipe whenever you get "the urge."
- Try not to think of that multimillion-dollar settlement you'd eventually win if you just keep lighting up.
- Hang out with a rowdy non-smoking biker gang that doesn't appreciate second-hand smoke.
- Acquire lung cancer.
- Switch to chew — it's smoke-free, and the chicks dig it!
- Develop an irrational fear of flames.
- Spark a new cultural trend by smoking pencils or tree branches.
- Well, it's about time to make that switch to crack.

Crossword

Edited by Will Shortz No. 0216

ACROSS

- It's connected to a bowl
- Course before une salade, maybe
- A priest, not a beast
- Kickoff
- Trouble spot for Indiana Jones
- Like beachgoers vis-a-vis indoor types
- Confiscate, legally
- Blenders
- Busbies, boaters and billycocks
- Roadside establishment
- Door
- 1953 Eartha Kitt hit
- Squalor
- Pole star?
- Chiller
- It's north of New York City
- Berkshire abode
- Old film magazine photos
- Alpine Museum city
- Checked
- Georges who wrote "Life: A User's Manual"
- Rudimentary
- "Star Trek" navigator
- Gilda Radner character
- Like some speech sounds
- Inuit outerwear
- Money in a classic song title
- Start of a #1 Beach Boys title
- "Nature's pharmacy"
- Smart one
- One who doesn't take the high road

DOWN

- False front
- Holiday
- Georgia bloomers
- City where Alka-Seltzer was first made
- Like a cold shower?
- Snacks served with cerveza
- Throw off
- Tangle
- Sovereign
- Change colors, in a way
- Curly strand
- Daughter of James II
- Will of Hollywood
- Foosles
- Foosle
- Like opium poppy leaves
- of Nantes
- Specialty
- Gush
- 1066 loser
- Root words
- Super's apartment, often
- Hundreds of centavos
- Crane, Vera Miles's role in "Psycho"
- Big plot
- "The Jumbies" poet
- Sothead

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