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Lt. Ron Wenman poses with a Ruger 9 mm recently used in an incident in Coralville in the town's Police Department crime lab.

U.S. strikes intensify

By Steven Gutkin
Associated Press

CHARIKAR, Afghanistan — In an unusually mighty air strike, an American bomb blasted huge plumes of smoke 1,000 feet into the skies over Afghanistan's frontlines Tuesday. The Pentagon said U.S. forces were with the northern opposition and directing fire against the Taliban.

The Northern Alliance deployed hundreds of crack troops near Taliban lines north of Kabul, the first tangible sign of preparations for an assault on the capital.

Earlier today, U.S. fighter planes dropped three large bombs on camps used by Arab fighters in Sapora region near the southern Afghan city of Kandahar, according to the South Asian Dispatch Agency.

Fighters responded with anti-aircraft guns. There was no immediate word of casualties.

The United States acknowledged that it had uniformed military personnel in Afghanistan, coordinating air strikes with the



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A flight-deck crewman watches Tuesday as a U.S. Marine Corps F/A18 Hornet launches from the USS Theodore Roosevelt. The Roosevelt is currently operating in the Arabian Sea, launching night and day bombing strikes against targets in Afghanistan.

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Small-town cops see big-city crime

Coralville police tackles murder, armed suspects, and anthrax scares

By Mike Dhar
The Daily Iowan

When snow falls in Coralville, local police string Christmas lights in town. They host volleyball games for middle-school kids when the school year ends. It's all part of being a cop in a town of 15,000.

But this "small-town" police force has also tackled a murder investigation, an anthrax scare, and a standoff with an armed suspect during the past few months.

Coral Ridge Mall, two nearby interstates, and a neighboring university town have brought more people and more crime into the community, police say. Last year, the police force responded to more than 2,000 calls from Coral Ridge Mall alone, including nearly 300 thefts.

The result has been a busy police force struggling to keep up with the community's needs.

"If we were in the middle of a cornfield, you wouldn't see the kind of calls we have," said

Coralville Police Chief Barry Bedford. "We're getting by. But there are times when our officers are extremely overworked."

The 28 Coralville police officers operate from a small building in a Fifth Street neighborhood near a string of buildings made with the same type of brown bricks — the Public Library, City Hall, and the Fire Department. A little farther down the block, families take walks through S.T. Morris Park.

West of the end of Fifth Street, however, the atmosphere changes. Coral Ridge Mall and surrounding businesses have transformed the small town.

Busy periods slow the police officers' response times, sometimes forcing them to ignore less-serious crimes, including

thefts, forgery, and bad checks, Bedford said.

"It forces us to prioritize," said police Lt. Ron Wenman. "Some of the lower-priority offenses don't get [responded to] as quickly, if at all."

People can slide off the interstate and commit armed robberies or burglaries.

— Barry Bedford,
Coralville police chief

glaries," Bedford said. "We've had a lot of those instances over the years."

Following a three-hour stand-off earlier this month, Coralville police arrested a Washington, Iowa, man for allegedly robbing Shakey's with a gun. The man hopped up in a car at nearby Best of America Car Wash until

police coaxed him to surrender.

Coralville officers have faced three negotiation situations this year — the Shakey's robbery and two domestic conflicts, Wenman said. All were resolved peacefully but presented difficulties for a police force unaccustomed to such cases, he said.

"You have to be patient," he said. "These situations have a high potential for someone to get hurt."

The police still try to keep a balance between police work and old-fashioned, small-town community service, however.

That's why they include Christmas decorations among their list of duties, as well as "Make a Difference Day," an annual picnic for junior-high kids with food, music, sports, and a "positive image" provided by police.

"Someone else might say, 'No, the police don't do that,'" Bedford said. "But we try to get involved ... It's kind of what the community wants."

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Inspection fees may raise rent

By Vess Mitev
The Daily Iowan

The city is considering a hike in inspection fees for apartments because of revenue shortfalls, a move that could possibly mean a rent increase for tenants.

The city's Housing Inspection Services division would charge \$310 to inspect a typical 12-unit, two-bedroom apartment complex every two years under a proposal the Iowa City City Council will consider Nov. 13. Currently, that fee is \$200.

Norman Cate, the city's head of inspection, said that while the 55 percent hike seems significant, the increase would only amount to an additional \$5 per year for each

apartment. "I think it's a modest proposal that will get approved," Cate said.

Ted Chambers, a landlord who oversees about 1,000 units, said the increase is inevitable, but he wasn't sure whether that would result in a rent hike.

"This could possibly mean an increase [in rents], but you can't guarantee that's going to happen," he said.

The city is still considering modifications to the proposal. Some apartment owners advocate raising the inspection rate per apartment unit to \$12 instead of the proposed \$10 while decreasing the fee for each bedroom from the proposed \$5 to \$4.

Such changes would be

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List of anthrax victims grows by two

By Paul Recer
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Health officials confirmed two new cases of inhalation anthrax on Tuesday, and a hospital worker lay gravely ill with the disease Tuesday, as the growing list of victims prompted investigators to worry that the bacteria might be spreading at postal facilities from one piece of mail to another. Officials also expressed concern that the disease was spreading beyond the postal service and news media.

And Postmaster General John Potter said several billion dollars will be needed to safeguard the nation's mail system.

The latest cases spurred worries about "cross-contamination," in which a piece of mail picks up spores at a mail facility and infects someone else, said Dr. Anthony Fauci of the National Institutes of Health.

Investigators are now asking, "Did they get infected from a piece of mail that went to their home?" Fauci said at the White House. "That is being intensively investigated right now."

Officials at the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention are now keeping an "open mind" about cross-contamination, a spokesman said — a stark change from a week earlier.

Last week, Dr. Jeffrey Koplan, the CDC director, said cross-contamination was "highly unlikely to virtually impossible." On Tuesday, he said it was a "possibility."

The nation's capital struggled with fresh evidence of contamination as the head of



Kenneth Lambert/Associated Press

Members of the U.S. Marine Corps' Chemical-Biological Incident Response Force, are on hand to demonstrate anthrax clean-up techniques during a news conference Tuesday in Washington. The men have been searching for anthrax in different buildings on Capitol Hill. Three congressional office buildings remain closed because of concerns about anthrax.

No entrance without badges at Oakdale

By Jennifer Sturm
The Daily Iowan

Hundreds of employees in Oakdale Hall must wear identification badges to get into the building as an effort to further secure a laboratory that contains anthrax, the UI announced Tuesday.

Officials say the badge system for the building's 600 workers, along with other security measures that will likely include fewer entrances to the building, will be implemented in November.

"Bringing this level of security to Oakdale reflects the changing circumstances in which we find ourselves," said David Skorton, the UI vice president for Research.

With the new measures in place, the armed National Guard troops who have stood constant watch over the UI Hygienic Laboratory will be able to leave, said Bruce Wheaton, the director of the Oakdale Research Park. Iowa Gov. Tom Vilsack ordered the troops to guard

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CITY

Police nab one robbery suspect, search for second

By Michael Dhar
The Daily Iowan

After a brief high-speed car chase, Iowa City police arrested a man early Tuesday for allegedly robbing a gas station at knife-point. They said the passenger of the alleged getaway car escaped.

Eddie Walker Jr., 39, and another man allegedly robbed the Suburban Amoco, 370 Scott Court, with a knife at 1:26 a.m. The two fled the scene in a stolen car with an undisclosed amount of cash, said Iowa City police Sgt. Mike Brotherton.

Walker, 418 Brown St., is charged with first-degree robbery, eluding a peace officer, and driving while barred.

Walker crashed a maroon Dodge Dynasty into a telephone pole at the intersection of First and Rochester avenues after attempting to elude a squad car, according to police records.

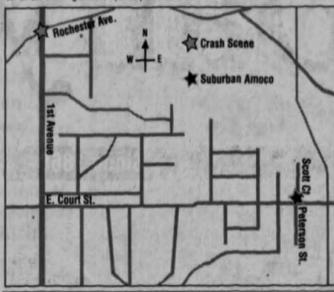
The second robbery suspect was in the passenger's seat; he fled into a large wooded area in Hickory Hill Park, Brotherton said. Walker remained in the car and was arrested, he said.

Iowa City police, assisted by a Cedar Rapids police helicopter, Johnson County deputies, and Iowa State Patrol, searched the area for at least two hours but did not find the second suspect, Brotherton said. Witnesses said the second man was black, 5 feet 8 inches tall, and wearing all-black clothing.

A squad car responding to the robbery passed the suspects as they headed in the opposite direction on First Avenue, Brotherton said. Officers shined a flashlight into the car and saw that the occupants matched the descriptions of the alleged robbers, he said. Police turned to stop them, and the suspects took off at a "high rate of speed," according to police records.

Crash Scene

Police arrested one man and were looking for another after the two allegedly robbed a gas station at knife-point. The two men then led authorities on a high-speed chase in a stolen car before crashing into a telephone pole.



Source: D1 Research

Officers pursued the suspects along First Avenue from Court Street until Rochester Avenue, where the alleged robbers' car hit the telephone pole while attempting to turn, Brotherton said. He added that officers have confiscated the knife allegedly used in the robbery.

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Local pumpkin seller offers farm o' fun

By Lauren Smiley
The Daily Iowan

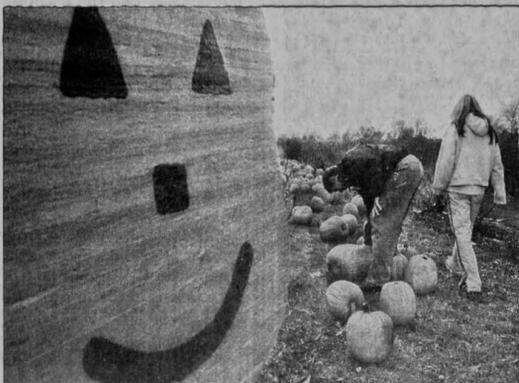
Customers at Bock's Berry Farm looking for Halloween pumpkins are in for something more — a 20-foot-high goat-feeding contraption.

Last year, when Cheryl Augustine moved to the picturesque 19-acre orchard located 10 minutes south of Iowa City, she didn't know what a goat-feeding contraption was.

Since then Augustine has hosted countless tours for elementary-school classes, pointing out the animals at her petting zoo and the pumpkins for sale. Children learn how the pumpkin patch is cared for, and that the goats, named Licorice and Oreo, don't go hungry.

A constant supply of goat feed flows from a lone tuna can that travels by a hand-cranked conveyor belt to the top of the weathered contraption. When customers aren't gawking at the intricate device, they select pumpkins from Augustine's farm.

The machine is showcased as a part of the whole experi-



Ben Plank/The Daily Iowan

UI seniors Lonnie Weldon (left) and Yasmine Taylor (right) search for a pumpkin at Bock's Berry Farm Tuesday afternoon.

ence when students, children, and families come to her farm in hopes of finding the perfect pumpkin. She's sold almost 22,000 pounds of the pumpkins; approximately 13,000 pounds are left to be sold.

Selling for 20 cents a pound, Augustine said the average pumpkin weighs 12-15 pounds. She plants six varieties of pumpkin seeds,

she said, which sprout a variety of pumpkin sizes. The largest of the crop has been given away, she said. It weighed 61.2 pounds.

She said the perfectly round orange orbs are not always the first customers select.

"You'd be surprised, a lot of people want the ones with a lot of character, with bumps and funny shapes," she said.

"Each person has her or his own taste in pumpkins."

The largest purchase so far this year was made by the UI sorority Delta Gamma, which left the farm with 50 would-be jack-o'-lanterns in tow.

After November, Augustine said she is going to paint some of the unsold pumpkins green and stack them in a pyramid in her front yard to advertise the farm's first-ever Christmas tree sale. The rest will be dumped in next year's pumpkin field to decay and form new sprouts.

It's Augustine's first year in the pumpkin business; she and her husband purchased the farm from the Bock family in May, when their house in Cedar Rapids was bought by the state to be demolished for the Highway 100 extension.

She said the farm was a bit overwhelming at first. In Cedar Rapids, she tilled a 100-square-foot garden. At Bock's Berry Farm, she faces almost 20 acres.

"If you'd asked me a year or 10 years ago, I would've

never imagined what I'd be doing now," she said.

In Cedar Rapids, she worked at a greeting-card company, and her husband worked at General Electric, to which he now commutes from rural Iowa City, Augustine said.

The commercial area around the white clapboard farm house also is home to a red-and-white inflated "moon walk," a plastic jungle gym, and wooden Bert and Ernie stand-ups that kids can poke their heads through. "People are willing to pay more money here because it's a place to bring their families," Augustine said.

Children can also explore the three-bale-high straw maze on a paved basketball court beside the grayish-brown rows of dormant raspberry plants.

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CITY BRIEF

Police arrest man on meth suspicion

An Iowa City man was arrested Tuesday after allegedly being found in possession of substances used to make the drug methamphetamine.

Theodore Newcomb, 18, was sitting inside his vehicle, which was parked on private property, when Johnson County authorities found him in an intoxicated and incoherent state just after midnight, court records said.

The property owner of 6315 Wassi Ave. allegedly contacted authorities about Newcomb's location and possible suspicious activity, according to court records.

Newcomb's vehicle was impounded, and pseudoephedrine, ethyl ether, lithium, and other items used to manufacture meth were allegedly discovered inside, the records said.

Newcomb is being held at the Johnson County Jail on \$7,500 bail.

— by Kellie Doyle

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County Memm

By Kellie Doyle
The Daily Iowan

The Johnson County District Court began sending checks Tuesday to reimburse the 70 witnesses testified in a double trial this month.

Witnesses in Johnson County's 2 1/2-year case receive \$10 for each day of the 70 witnesses were called to the stand. They were questioned. They were reimbursed for their expenses to and from court.

Iowa courts, financial state and local governments, can spend an unlimited amount of money on witnesses and the said Johnson County judge J. Patrick White.

White, who represents the state during the trial, could not estimate the expenses for the Me case, saying there is no way to calculate the cost of all costs.

"There's just no way to say what it cost," he said. "You can certainly include, based on its length, was one of the most expensive trials in Johnson County."

After a three-week jury found Me guilty on Oct. 22 on counts of first-degree murder. The 26-year-old shalltown native was convicted in the bludge deaths of Laura W. Dalton and Maria L. Dalton.

The women were amid the burned remains of a car on March 19, 1999. The driver is also charged.

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County reimburses Memmer witnesses

By Kellie Doyle
The Daily Iowan

The Johnson County District Court began sending checks Tuesday to reimburse the 70 witnesses who testified in a double-murder trial this month.

Witnesses in Jonathan Memmer's 2½-year case will receive \$10 for each day or \$5 for each half day they were called to the stand for questioning. They will also be reimbursed for travel expenses to and from the courthouse.

Iowa courts, financed by state and local governments, can spend an unlimited amount of money on witnesses and the case, said Johnson County Attorney J. Patrick White.

White, who represented the state during the trial, could not estimate the total expenses for the Memmer case, saying there is no system that calculates the sum of all costs.

"There's just no way to say what it cost," he said. "You can certainly conclude, based on its length, it was one of the most expensive [trials in Johnson County]."

After a three-week trial, a jury found Memmer guilty on Oct. 22 of two counts of first-degree murder. The 26-year-old Marshalltown native was convicted in the bludgeoning deaths of Laura Watson-Dalton and Maria Lehner.

The women were found amid the burned remains of 427 S. Van Buren St. Apt. 4 on March 19, 1999. Memmer is also charged with

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— J. Patrick White,
Johnson County attorney

burglarizing the apartment, which he admitted to during testimony. He denied murdering Watson-Dalton and Lehner.

Memmer and his attorneys, Mark Brown and Clemens Erdahl, have 45 days from the date of the verdict to appeal. Memmer's sentencing is scheduled for Nov. 21. He faces life in prison for both counts of first-degree murder.

White said the investigation, which involved the Iowa City police and the state Division of Criminal Investigation, was the most-expensive part of the process. Witness fees are minor, he said.

Iowa law requires that each person in Memmer's 16-person jury be paid \$10 per day and reimbursed for travel costs to and from the courthouse and parking expenses.

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COUNCIL PROFILE

Second in a four-part series

O'Donnell is running for a job he loves

By Vanessa Miller
The Daily Iowan

At-large City Council candidate Mike O'Donnell has said he wants to curb student drinking, impose a nuisance ordinance and a smoking ordinance, and improve Iowa City's economic development.

The 55-year-old incumbent, however, says he does not want to be paid more for his public service.

Many councilors have asked for increased paychecks, O'Donnell said. They want much more than the \$5,000 members are being paid.

"I think that loses sight of what we are doing," he said. "It's community service. If you're doing it for money, you shouldn't be doing it at all."

As he tries to gain support for the Nov. 6 general election, O'Donnell said he wants to lower city taxes and listen to the needs of UI students.

"I am going to focus on relieving the tax burden on Iowa City residents," he said. "Iowa City is an expensive place to live. We have a lot of students who are trying to find a place to live."

During his first four-year council term, which began in 1997, O'Donnell said he had supported the First Avenue extension project and the renovation of Sycamore Mall.

"I wanted to change the perception that Iowa City is not business-friendly," he said. "I wanted to help graduates find work here, and I wanted to support the good school system."

O'Donnell was born in Iowa City in 1946. After graduating from City High in 1964, he attended school at Muscatine Community College but eventually returned to Iowa City to manage Brandy's Vacuum & Sewing, a vacuum-repair shop in Coralville.

At-large candidate and



Scott Morgan/The Daily Iowan

City Councilor Mike O'Donnell appears in a live televised debate on Public Access TV on Monday.

Mayor Ernie Lehman pointed out that he has disagreed with some of O'Donnell's opinions — for example, the recent alcohol ordinance — during their time on the council together. Despite disagreements, Lehman said, he hopes O'Donnell is re-elected.

"It's difficult for new people to come in and get anything accomplished in the first few years; they have to spend a lot of time figuring out how things are done," Lehman said.

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NATION & WORLD

British officials arrest Egyptian activist

By Beth Gardiner
Associated Press

LONDON — An Egyptian activist was charged Tuesday with providing journalist credentials to suicide bombers who killed the military chief of Afghanistan's opposition alliance.

Yasser el-Sirri, 39, was the first person charged in connection with the assassination of Ahmed Shah Massoud, the legendary leader of the Northern Alliance.

Two men posing as journalists — allegedly using a letter of accreditation el-Sirri gave them — detonated a bomb hidden in their camera while they interviewed Massoud in his northern Afghanistan headquarters on Sept. 9. Massoud was fatally wounded; both of the bombers were killed.

Massoud's death deprived the Afghan opposition of its

best strategist and one of the movement's few figures capable of uniting broad sectors of Afghan society.

In an interview with an Arabic newspaper before his arrest, el-Sirri said he wrote the letter but thought the men were legitimate journalists.

At a hearing in Belmarsh Magistrates' Court on Tuesday, el-Sirri listened closely to an interpreter as the charges against him were read, speaking only to confirm his name.

District Judge Timothy Workman rejected a bail request and scheduled another hearing for Nov. 7.

El-Sirri, who has said his Islamic Observation Center focuses on defending human rights, was also accused of soliciting support for a banned organization — the Egyptian radical group al-Gamaa al-Islamiyya.

Prosecutors also alleged he

raised funds for terrorism, stirred up racial hatred — he allegedly published 3,000 copies of a book advocating the killing of Jews — and made property available for the purposes of terrorism.

El-Sirri's arrest under the Terrorism Act was not directly linked to the Sept. 11 attacks on the United States, police said.

The diminutive, balding el-Sirri is well-known among journalists in Britain and beyond, who would often call him for a radical Islamic perspective. His quotable responses made their way into many news accounts, including those of the Associated Press.

But British and Egyptian authorities say he was involved in more than public relations.

In 1994, el-Sirri was sentenced to death in absentia in Egypt, where security officials allege he was in the

upper echelons of the military wing of Islamic Jihad, the terrorist group blamed for the 1981 assassination of President Anwar Sadat.

"It's an honor that I don't deserve," he told AP shortly before his arrest.

Britain detained el-Sirri for nine months when he first arrived in the country in 1994, while officials examined his request to stay. He was granted the right to remain, and Britain's refusal to extradite him has soured its relations with Egypt.

Britain has sheltered political activists for decades because of its traditional role as a defender of democratic values. The practice has prompted complaints from some nations that it harbors terrorists, and British authorities began a major crackdown after the Sept. 11 attacks.

Massoud, a veteran guerrilla

commander renowned for his prowess against the former Soviet Union, was the symbol of opposition to Afghanistan's ruling Taliban. He was defense minister in the government of Burhanuddin Rabbani until both were ousted in 1996 by Taliban troops. He moved quickly to rally warring factions against the Taliban, forming an alliance that has fought for five years to prevent the Taliban from gaining full control of Afghanistan.

In an interview just before his arrest, el-Sirri denied involvement in Massoud's death. Camille Tawil, a reporter with the London-based Arabic newspaper *Al Hayat*, said el-Sirri told him he was shocked by the news.

"He condemned what happened," Tawil said. "He said [the death of Massoud] is a loss to Afghanistan."

El-Sirri confirmed he had

written a letter of introduction for two men who wanted to do an interview in Afghanistan, but he said he didn't know them, Tawil said.

"He said he did write a letter 'To whom it may concern,'" Tawil said. "And he said, 'I didn't know these two people were going to kill someone. All I thought was they were going to do an interview in Afghanistan.'"

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Americans try to move on

By David Crary
Associated Press

In Pennsylvania, a courthouse worker made a wish for his office to be spared a terrorist attack. In Virginia, an anxious mother kept her two small children away from the mall.

Try as they might to take the latest national terrorism alert in stride, many Americans were on edge Tuesday. Even those determined to press ahead with flights or other plans spoke more often with resignation than bravado.

"We decided we have to live our lives," said Nancy Thickett of Oakwood, Ohio, who refused to cancel a trip to New York City with her husband and two teenage daughters this weekend.

"We're going to be very alert as to what goes on around us and try to enjoy ourselves as much as we can," said Thickett, who works at a Dayton hospital. "I keep telling myself I would like life to get back to normal — but I don't think that's going to happen."

In New York, attorney Michael Tremonte said many of his friends were contemplating a move to the suburbs. "In most people's minds, the city has kind of a giant bull's eye painted on it," he said.

Near the courthouse where he works in Pittsburgh, 24-year-old Brian Kostrub threw coins into a fountain and made a wish.

"Hopefully, I'm alive when I get home from work today," he said. "My life has changed. I go to work every day wondering about a bomb or anthrax."

On his monthly radio show, Virginia Gov. Jim Gilmore urged a

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Pittsburgh resident

woman named Renee not to withdraw her son from a school field trip to Washington, saying the risk to the boy was minimal.

"But there will be some attack at some point, no doubt, again and somebody will be hurt," Gilmore said. "Americans are going to have to realize that they're living in a different situation."

The terrorism alert issued Monday by Attorney General John Ashcroft left disabled veteran Ralph McCall, in North Miami, Fla., too scared to leave his apartment.

"It's got me all paranoid," said McCall, 49. "My neighbors say it doesn't happen to people like me or you. I say you never know where it might strike."

"I don't smoke cigarettes, but I'm thinking of starting again." Some people were frustrated by the vague alert — the second of its kind in three weeks.

"Should I be watching people on the subway? Looking at everyone who carries a large bag?" asked Tim Davis, 44, who works for Cisco Systems in Pittsburgh. "It would drive you nuts at the end of the day."

JoAnn Magnuson, 64, of

Lakeville, Minn., supported the government's decision to keep people informed, but she worried that if alerts became too frequent, "the cry-wolf syndrome might set in."

"They are just scaring people for no reason," agreed Tresa Dyer, a baker in Salt Lake City. "We're already on alert 24-7, and this keeps people constantly on edge."

A new CBS-*New York Times* poll suggested that 53 percent of Americans now think another terrorism attack is likely, up from one-third a month ago. The pessimists include Jimmy Tucker of Dallas.

"I'd be surprised if it didn't happen," he said while shopping for computer equipment. "And I don't think it's going to be in the Northeast — that's too obvious — so it could well be in Dallas."

Outside the main post office in Kansas City, Mo., Julie Alder has been keeping an eye on strangers while selling sandwiches from a mobile cart.

"It's really struck every heart in American, definitely," she said. "I've seen firefighters come to my cart and express their own fears, which is scary in itself — that's like watching your dad cry."

Rebate checks go unclaimed

By Curt Anderson
Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Almost 300,000 tax rebate checks worth an average of \$322 apiece are languishing at the Internal Revenue Service, waiting for taxpayers to claim them. Checks were returned undelivered from all 50 states and the territories of Guam, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands.

The checks from this year's big tax cut came back to the IRS in most cases because they could not be mailed to the proper taxpayer. That occurs commonly when taxpayers move to a new address or change last names, frequently due to marriage.

IRS Commissioner Charles Rossotti said Tuesday that taxpayers who do not claim their checks by Dec. 5 will have to wait for the money until they file their 2001 income-tax returns next year.

"All we need is a good address," he said. "As soon as we get the correct address, we'll send the check on its way."

The 295,000 rebate checks are worth about \$95 million. They represent only a fraction of 1 percent of the 85 million rebate checks mailed out as part of the 10-year, \$1.35 trillion tax cut signed into law in June by President Bush.

The checks of up to \$300 for individuals, \$500 for heads of households, and \$600 for married couples represented this year's payment for a new 10 percent income-tax bracket created by the law.

Congress may direct the IRS to mail out a second batch of checks as part of pending legislation intended to stimulate the economy. If approved, those checks would most likely go to people whose incomes were too low to qualify for the first round and those who didn't get the full amount initially.

Some of the undelivered rebate checks appeared intended for American soldiers.

The ZIP code with the most returned refund checks — 379 — was at Camp Pendleton in California. The IRS also listed 188 returned checks from the Marine Corps base at Camp Lejeune, N.C., 175 from Fort Campbell Army base in Kentucky, and 156 from Fort Hood, Texas.

California had the most returned checks, at 38,929, followed by Texas with 25,710, Florida with 24,975, and New York with 15,734. There are more than 21,000 cities on the list, with Chicago having the most returned checks — 4,401.

The IRS interprets a 1950s-era federal law as prohibiting the agency from posting a list of names on its Internet site. The list can be posted privately.

Some lawmakers say it is time for Congress to permit the IRS to put these names out.

"We must continue our efforts to make it easier to reunite the taxpayers with their long-lost tax refunds," said Rep. Lloyd Doggett, D-Texas, a member of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee.

Aside from the Internet, people who believe they are due a check can call the IRS at 1-800-829-1040. Taxpayers can also notify the IRS about a new address by filing Form 8822, which can be downloaded from the agency's Web site.

Those who don't claim their rebate check will have one more chance to get the money by claiming it on their 2001 income-tax returns, which are due in April. The instructions will include worksheets for taxpayers to figure out if they are due a rebate.

The IRS also has 95,500 regular tax refunds worth \$88.5 million on hand from this year and previous years that have not been delivered. Those refunds are worth an average of \$927 each, Rossotti said.

The IRS says the best way for taxpayers to ensure they receive payments is to have them deposited directly in a bank account — although that option wasn't available for the rebate checks. In 2001, approximately 34 million taxpayers used the direct-deposit option for their regular refunds.

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Police handle big-city crimes

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So far, community service hasn't hampered Bedford's detectives ability to perform police work.

Coralville police investigated the murder of real-estate agent Donald James Hebert this summer, arresting a suspect in fewer than three days despite little experience with homicides.

"I felt pretty green, to be honest with you," said Detective Rob Swank, who worked on the case. "But it went very smoothly. It went more smoothly than anyone really expected."

The quick resolution resulted from work and good fortune, said Wenman, the department's congenial, square-jawed head investigator.

"It was a combination of a good running start, working hard, and getting some key pieces of evidence early," said Wenman, who logged more than 100 hours during the investigation's first week.

Two large plastic crates of evidence from the ongoing investigation clutter the floor of his otherwise tidy office.

"I'm constantly reviewing reports," he said. "Sometimes you put it away and come back and see something you hadn't noticed before."

On top of everything else, Coralville police had a brush with the national bioterrorism scare earlier this month.

Rockwell-Collins employees in Coralville reported two suspicious packages, one containing a powdery substance that many feared

was anthrax. The events are forcing Coralville police to develop protocols they never thought they'd need, Bedford said.

"It will change how we respond to suspicious packages," he said. "We probably never anticipated we'd be dealing with a consistent anthrax threat."

Wenman said he expects Coralville police will see even more challenges as the town's business district continues to grow, along with reports of thefts, bad checks, and counterfeit money.

"Every single case is a learning experience," he said, holding a bag of fake money printed from a home computer. "The people breaking the laws are always coming up with new tricks."

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Alliance readies for assault

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that alliance forces were planning a major offensive to wrest the strategic northern city of Mazar-e-Sharif from the Taliban.

"There is coordination in all aspects," Abdullah, the foreign minister of the Afghan government-in-exile, said in an interview with Associated Press Television News.

U.S. jets pounded Taliban positions in the Balkh region around Mazar-e-Sharif on Tuesday, in strikes that an opposition spokesman called relentless. "They hit very important positions of the Taliban," spokesman Ashraf Nadeem said.

Witnesses also said they saw a U.S. plane drop a bomb Tuesday at the Bagram frontlines, approximately 25 miles north of Kabul, creating a mushroom cloud that billowed at least 1,000 feet into the air. Witnesses called it the biggest bomb to hit the area in 10 days of American bombardments on the front lines.

Despite the U.S. aerial



David Longstreath/Associated Press
Flight-deck crewmen aboard the aircraft carrier USS Theodore Roosevelt watch operations Tuesday. The Roosevelt is operating in the Arabian Sea, launching night and day bombing strikes against targets in Afghanistan.

attacks, the opposition alliance has made no advances against the ruling militia. The opposition has complained that the U.S. strikes were not intense enough.

The United States launched the air campaign on Oct. 7, aiming to punish the Taliban regime for refusing to hand over bin Laden, whose

Al Qaeda terror network is blamed for the Sept. 11 attacks in the United States.

At the Pentagon, Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld said American forces were "very aggressively" going after Taliban defenses facing the opposition and that 80 percent of the strikes Tuesday had been slated to target the frontlines.

Inspection fees might increase

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acceptable if the total inspection fee remains close to the proposed amount, Cate said. He added owners who manage many apartments with more than two bedrooms would be hit hardest.

Historically, the Housing Inspection Services has funded approximately 70 percent of its own expenses with self-generated revenues. The remaining funds have been provided by the city's general funds. During the last fiscal year, the service's revenues dropped to about 57.5 percent, forcing staff to consider the fee increase.

The fees were last raised in 1995, when revenue dipped below the 70 percent mark. Under the current fee structure, the division's projected revenue for the 2002 fiscal year is about 55 percent, Cate said. Approximately 75 percent of the revenue for the 2002 fiscal year would come from program fees under the new proposal.

Mayor Ernie Lehman said he

Proposed Inspection Fee Increase

The city is considering raising fees for inspecting apartment buildings and individual apartments. Here's the current proposal for a typical building that contains 12 two-bedroom apartments:

	New fee	Current fee
Per apartment building	\$70	\$56
Per apartment unit	\$10	\$8
Per bedroom	\$5	\$2
New fee totals	\$310	\$200

Source: *DI* Research

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hasn't reviewed the proposal formally but thinks the increase would gain approval from the council.

"Unless there's a significant increase, this will be approved," he said. "The council may have questions for the Housing Inspection Services division, but there's a good chance [the increase] will be passed if it's between 5 and 10 percent."

The proposed increase, first mentioned last spring, would take effect Aug. 1, 2002, if approved.

Owners are pushing the city to implement the hike in January instead of August, so they can let their tenants know of any possible effects as soon as possible, Chambers added.

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More anthrax cases confirmed

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The State Department's medical unit said spores were "probably all over" the two-block building but not in concentrations strong enough to

cause inhalation infections. "Your office areas probably have some contamination," Dr. Cedric Dumont told a crowded meeting of department employees.

Rep. Mike Pence, R-Ind., whose office was found to be contaminated with a small

amount of the bacteria last week, said he had been told by investigators that the letter that carried the spores into the Hart building — addressed to Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle — "contained two grams of anthrax that included billions of spores."

Oakdale ups security measures

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the anthrax housed in the Hygienic Laboratory, the state's public-health laboratory, three weeks ago.

"One might hope that the university, the state, and the federal government will be comfortable, and the guardsmen will be able to return to their homes," Wheaton said.

The anthrax in the laboratory is not harmful to humans, but officials worry that an amateur terrorist might break into the lab in an effort to steal the biological agent, Wheaton said.

While every UI employee who routinely works in the building will be required to have the identification at all times, guests will still be welcome in

the laboratory as long as an employee identifies them and approves their entry. If employees forget their badges, they will be able to enter with another photo identification or at the discretion of their supervisors.

"It is not a total lockdown, but no one will be able to wander in the lab," said Wheaton, adding that he hopes the disruption to the academic life at Oakdale will be minimum.

New plans will be a "work in progress" as the school develops a more comprehensive plan for the security of Oakdale Hall during the next two weeks, said Steve Parrott, the UI director of University Relations. Officials will consider the number of entrances and exits, how those doors will affect handicap accessibility, and the safety of employees who will leave after hours, he said.

The badges will be a small amount of the total cost of the new security measures; the reconfiguring of entrances will be more expensive, Wheaton said. He declined to estimate the cost of the new efforts.

Employees associated with the Oakdale Hall were informed of the new security plans at a town meeting on Oct. 26.

"I feel comfortable with the decision," said Tom Bauer, the associate director of the Oakdale Research Park.

Laminated badges will be issued in the Oakdale Hall Gold Room today and Thursday and in Room 30, Calvin Hall, on Nov. 6 and 7. Employees need to present their current university ID and one other photo ID to obtain the new badges.

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Editorial

Red Cross and donations: Where is the money going?

The attacks of Sept. 11 were meant to frighten and humiliate the American people. The result has been much different; never has the American flag been displayed so openly and proudly, never has our military moved so quickly, and never in our history have so many given so much to help others. After the attacks, there have been more than 160 separate charitable organizations that have been set up in order to help the families who have lost someone. The task is daunting. Officials believe that more than 15,000 children have lost a parent from the attacks, and thousands of families have lost someone.

The American people met the challenge of Sept. 11 with courage, patriotism, and charitable goodwill. And now it is time for our leaders and politicians to fulfill their responsibility as community leaders to ensure that all of the hundreds of millions of dollars that have been raised from the American people actually get to those who need it. So far, it looks like this has not happened.

Officials estimate that more than \$540 million has been

Our leaders must ensure that the donated money gets to those who need it.

raised by the Red Cross to help grieving families. However, even though it has been seven weeks since the attacks, less than 10 percent of the money has reached any of those families. And that is merely the tip of the iceberg. There is no central authority in Washington, D.C., to make sure that the donated money ever gets to the affected families. In a legal sense, the only thing these charities must now do is file a tax return at the end of the year. They can distribute the donated money in any fashion that they see fit.

There have already been complaints from many of the grieving families that they seem to have to beg for the money in order to receive help, which is confusing, because there is more than enough money to go around. However, almost all of the charities oper-

ating are not being aggressive with the distribution of the funds, meaning that they depend upon the families to contact them. This only seems to add insult to injury for these families.

So the question we now face is this: What can be done to ensure that the money reaches the people who need it? After the attacks, our government moved swiftly to alter laws that the terrorists could use to easily cross our borders or avoid prolonged detainment. It is now time for similar legal action toward charities. The laws that these organizations operate under need to be changed in order to provide some type of accountability. Congress must act.

Some in Congress are already beginning to move. For instance, Rep. J.D. Hayworth, R-Ariz., a member of the House Ways and Means Committee, has suggested that his committee take action to oversee the distribution of the donated funds. This would be a step in the right direction. We can only hope that our politicians will now move with the same fervor as our citizens have.

Letters to the Editor

City Council endorsements

A turning point for Iowa City is at hand. And students can make all the difference. If you're happy with the way that Iowa City interacts with students, then do nothing on Nov. 6, and nothing will change. But if you want real change, want a community that works with students to address mutual problems instead of seeing students as the enemy, then it's time to wake up and get out and vote! On Nov. 6, you can vote for three great people who will change the direction of City Council for the better. Brandon Ross, John Robertson, and Leah Cohen care about the student community and believe Iowa City needs to work with students, not against them. Please join me in supporting Ross, Robertson, and Cohen for election to City Council.

David Redlawsk
UI professor

provide guidance to the city, not run it on a day-to-day basis.

He understands that we have such a wonderful quality of life in this city because, over the years, we have expanded our business and industry sectors to support it. He knows that if we want to maintain and improve that quality of life, we must work even harder to focus on basic-sector economic development.

And perhaps most importantly, he cares about what you think. Ernie has always sought and welcomed the input of all in our community. He listens, studies the issues, assesses what he hears and learns, and comes to the council meetings prepared to make decisions in what he concludes is the best interest of the entire city.

Do yourself and the city of Iowa City a favor. Vote for Ernie Lehman.

Bob DeWitt
Iowa City resident

Thanks, Iowa

From what I hear, you must get mail like this a lot. Having reached my 40th reunion at the University of Michigan law school, I've decided to visit all our sister schools in the Big Ten. On Oct. 22, I visited Iowa, with the youngest of my eight kids, for a visit to the campus as well as the football game.

I can't tell you how impressed we were with the campus — the beautiful buildings, and particularly your law school. But all of that is second to the faculty, students, alumni, and friends of the UI. What a wonderful, friendly, helpful bunch of people. You folks make me wish my son were going to attend Iowa (he probably won't) so I could come back again soon.

I hope there's some way you can publish enough of this letter to let me say thanks to the great people who made our visit so much fun.

Lin Hanson
Green Oaks, Ill., resident

Embarrassed of the black and gold

I have been attending games in legendary Kinnick Stadium for almost 20 years, and I have never had a reason to be embarrassed of wearing black and gold. That changed on Oct. 27. The booping — mostly from the student section — made me think I was in Ann Arbor watching the game. I am sure the Hawks are relieved to be playing the next two games in the less-hostile environments of Madison, Wis., and Evanston, Ill.

Mike Cunningham
West Des Moines resident

Patriotism in voting

After our national disaster of Sept. 11, many Americans are feeling a need to express their patriotism. Flag-waving is fine, but why not try a truly heroic act of patriotism: VOTE. City Council elections are rapidly approaching, and in the past, voter turnout has been embarrassingly low. I would encourage you to support Mayor Ernie Lehman's campaign. I believe he has the experience and integrity to lead the City Council in the right direction. Show some civic responsibility. Make the effort to vote.

Timothy Charles Negro
Iowa City resident

HALLOWEEN IN IOWA CITY



Tricks and treats of the malfunctioning media

Today is Halloween, when millions of Americans will trick, treat, and frighten each other. Every single day, the elite TV media trick us into believing anthrax is an unstoppable crisis, treat us with irrelevant editorializing, and frighten us with inadequate, incongruous information about both biological and martial warfare.

The national broadcast troika — NBC, ABC, and CBS — and the cable news services are falling victim to the boy-who-cried-wolf syndrome by deadening the senses with the unnecessary drama and ambiguous information crawls at the bottom of the screen. Between "Red-hot, dire-emergency, triple-alert news flashes," the networks ask such baiting questions as "How can you distinguish symptoms of exposure to anthrax from the symptoms of influenza?" "Is there really enough Cipro to go around?" "What would happen if the food supply were contaminated — what is the government doing to prevent such a crisis?" The media exorcise

the slightest diversion from bi-partisanship, yet they can't resist chewy comments about the weenies that ran from the House of Representatives. This kind of questioning and hypocrisy are just a few examples of irresponsible muckraking and the inability to look at the larger problems we will face in the future.

Widespread, hypochondriac hysteria can ensue if health-care facilities are inundated with people who assume they have been exposed to anthrax but actually only have the flu. The fact is, the average person will not be exposed to anthrax because the average person is not important. Average people are not targets because they do not have a bully pulpit or any access to the far-reaching media that news and lawmakers command. The perpetrators know how to prolong the terror — create hysteria in our leaders and confusion in the chattering class.

Cipro is touted as the only "cure for anthrax," but basic research reveals that Ciprofloxacin is not the only treatment for exposure to anthrax



Holly Eggleston

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spores. The strains of anthrax thus far detected are nullified with the common fluoroquinolones — penicillin and tetracycline, members of the same group of orally administered quinolones as Cipro. Bayer happens to be the only pharmaceutical company to pursue Food and Drug Administration approval for an antidote against a tougher strain of anthrax that the U.S.S.R. developed in the '70s. The strain resists all readily available fluoroquinolones, except for Cipro. People exposed to the spores could take Cipro and switch their prescription to a different antibiotic if tests reveal

exposure to non-Soviet spores. The United States will not run out of medication, and there will be a drastic decline in urinary-tract infections.

Perhaps the House leadership was a little hasty in its evacuation of members and staff. However, anyone who's spent time in the stuffy, dusty offices that house our legislature knows that every winter, little gray mice infiltrate the Longworth and Cannon ventilation system. Anthrax spores could easily contaminate the old buildings and their labyrinth of underground corridors. House leaders have a constitutional reason for evacuating members. According to Jonathan Turley, a professor at the George Washington University law school, the Constitution has a blind spot that makes the U.S. government vulnerable. If a majority of House members were incapacitated, the remaining members would be constitutionally disabled by the necessity for a quorum in order to conduct business.

Rep. Brian Baird, D-Wash., has proposed a constitutional

amendment that would allow a governor to appoint House members for 90-day terms to fill vacancies until special elections are held. Most members of Congress couldn't get dressed in the morning without their staff, and preservation of the people who write the actual text of laws is quite important to our national dignity.

It is in the obvious interest of private businesses, not the government alone, to watch over the food supply. Private citizens have the responsibility to prevent crime and terror. It is not the government's place to make business owners and managers report suspicious persons and protect their goods. If Congress passes hastily dispatched laws that interfere with commerce now, we will pay for them in red tape later.

Instead of "all anthrax, all the time," the media should be examining the long-term, overarching repercussions of Sept. 11. Bills that Congress passed in the previous administration now loom ominously over individual liberty. The ground-

work is in place for national-identification cards. In 1996, former President Clinton signed two bills into law that enable Congress to consider identification for all legal U.S. citizens. A health-insurance reform law enables the government to track medical-care histories. An immigration-reform law requires that all states incorporate Social Security numbers into driver's licenses. Both laws build a foundation for the tracking of U.S. citizens and consequent loss of liberty. A national ID card has its benefits in cracking down on illegal immigrants, but it raises sickeningly slippery questions. What information would be stored on the card? Where would you be required to "swipe" the card and for whom? What would happen if you lost the card? These questions are just a few related to the many real overarching issues following Sept. 11 that the elite TV media just aren't asking. Shut off the television, and say no to the networks who cry wolf.

Holly Eggleston is a *DI* columnist.

On the Spot

What are you going to dress up as for Halloween?



"Dracula. He's the biggest star on the silver screen ever."

Griffin Alexander
UI junior



"A British punk rock person. Someone picked it out for me."

Sarah Kluesner
UI freshman



"Nothing, but I'll probably go and drink."

Aaron Schneider
UI freshman



"The Jolly Green Giant."

Jared Norman
UI sophomore



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Arts and entertainment

The ambient electronic

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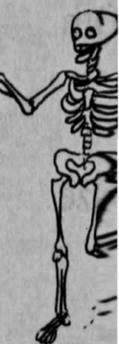
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The ambiance of British electronic brilliance

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still mourning the slow dissolve of Ministry, are more likely to appreciate James' feverish cacophony than those enamored with the Chemical Brothers or Kruder & Dorfmeister.

In general, Aphex Twin can be a bit dense and hard to swallow, and *Drukqs* is definitely not without its pretensions. "Gwarek" is a piece of postmodern garbage, better suited for an Yves Klein exhibition than an album, and half of the double-disc's tracks are questionable digressions into either contemporary classical minimalism à la Philip Glass/Erik Satie or Indonesian gamelan arrangements.

Loyal Aphex Twin fans may be marginally disappointed with *Drukqs* on the basis that it fails to reinvent Aphex Twin in the way that his ambient compilations and *Richard D. James Album* did. However,

despite a few weaknesses, James' latest is a masterpiece. "Cock/Ver 10" and the aforementioned "54 Cymru Beats" may be the best tracks he has ever produced, and "Gwely Mernans" is his best ambient track since *Selected Ambient Works 85-92*. James has chosen to perfect his style rather than change it. For those of us horrified at Squarepusher's new album, *Go Plastic*, and bored with Amon Tobin and Autechre, *Drukqs* is a godsend. Aphex Twin continues to convince me that the future of music resides not in guitars and nice lyrics but in the cold precision of computers and compressors.

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Not a new morning, but a morning nonetheless

As a rule, I try to keep popular CDs as far from my Discman as possible.

One or two foul missteps, a Gilmour-era Floyd CD here, a Collins-era Genesis CD there, and the karmic balance of my universe could be in jeopardy. Like a hat left to rest on my bed, however, Incubus' latest disc, *Morning View*, washed up on the shores and into my Discman. Ever since the nervous-breakdown-inducing incident that found me singing (in falsetto, no less) along to Dido in a Burger King drive-through, I've been quite careful to guard myself from the malign influence of music born in the MTV generation.

But they must be having snowball fights in hell right now, because I can't help but like this album. Much anticipated by defected Pearl Jam fans and angry 15-year-olds, Incubus' third installment proves to be its best yet, simply because it shows the band maturing. Lumped together with Limp Bizkit and Korn, Incubus has never been an entirely sophisticated outfit. The very name, Incubus, refers to a race of demons conceived of in 13th century mythology. But these aren't your normal "Dungeons and Dragons" demons. The common symbol that this California quintet adheres to, the incubae, are demons known for their ravenous sexual appetites, forcing themselves on women while they sleep. While it's not quite Marilyn Manson material, it leaves me no choice but to posit that Incubus' very formation hinges on the same stimulus that motivates freshman guys to buy acoustic guitars and learn "Crash Into Me."

While the band's principles may be ignoble, however, its work is commendable, much to my chagrin. Utilizing the styles of the best of several guitar-rock genres, Incubus is undeniably entertaining. Brandon Boyd's vocals float somewhere between Layne Staley

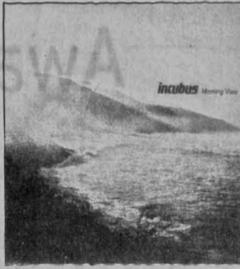
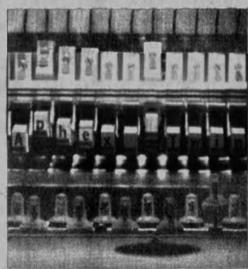
(Alice in Chains) and Mike Patton (Faith No More), though he masters more agility and tone than either. The music bounces seamlessly between Deftones fervor, optimal Seattle songsmithing, and the odd-metered neopunk/funk of D.C.'s Dismemberment Plan. Though the band's earlier efforts lend comparisons with hip-hop metal band Faith No More or funk aficionados Red Hot Chili Peppers, Incubus has been settling down with each new release.

Following this trend which must have been prompted either by the members' girlfriends or producer Scott Lit (Nirvana, R.E.M.), they may end up sounding like Matchbox Twenty in five years. For now, though, Incubus has struck a sublime balance between voracity and vulnerability. Acoustic ballads such as "Mexico" would give pause to such pros as Eddie Vedder, and the appropriation of Eastern techniques (George Harrison and

Jimmy Page come to mind) in "Aqueous Transmission" show the signs of experimentation that are essential to surviving in such a stale and tired musical format.

The album is not the most innovative in the industry. The structure and dynamics of many of the songs tend to be predictable. It is all new material, yet somehow, it seems like I have heard it all before. However, I must be slipping, because the album is irresistible. If you like aggressive guitar rock with strong melodies and relatable lyrics, Incubus is for you. It's unlikely to garner much critical acclaim, but *Morning View* manages to borrow enough from the right people to make a fresh and listenable musical amalgam.

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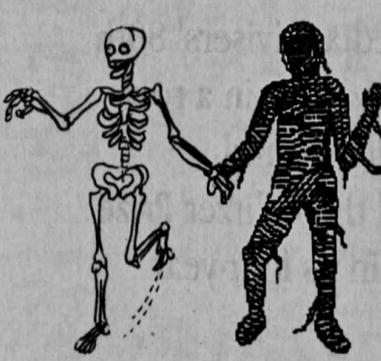
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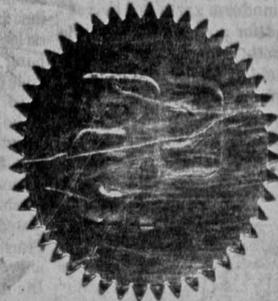
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By Ben Walker
Associated Press

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Pierce

Iowa men's basketball man Pierre Pierce came to Hawkeyes as a highly recruited recruit from Westmont, a senior at Westmont. He averaged 36.4 points, 10.2 rebounds, 5.2 assists, and 2.5 steals per game and was named to Eddie Curry's fourth overall-draft pick for Illinois' Mr. Basketball.

However, Division I basketball is different — Pierce is a three-man race for the starting point-guard position this year's much-ballywaxed Hawkeye squad. During an intrasquad Black and Blue blowout on Oct. 27, Pierce played with the first team at Monday's press conference. Iowa coach Steve Alford said he had to name a starting point guard, it was Pierre.

For the 6-4 guard, the night is not a new place; he was featured

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Rocket, NY soar

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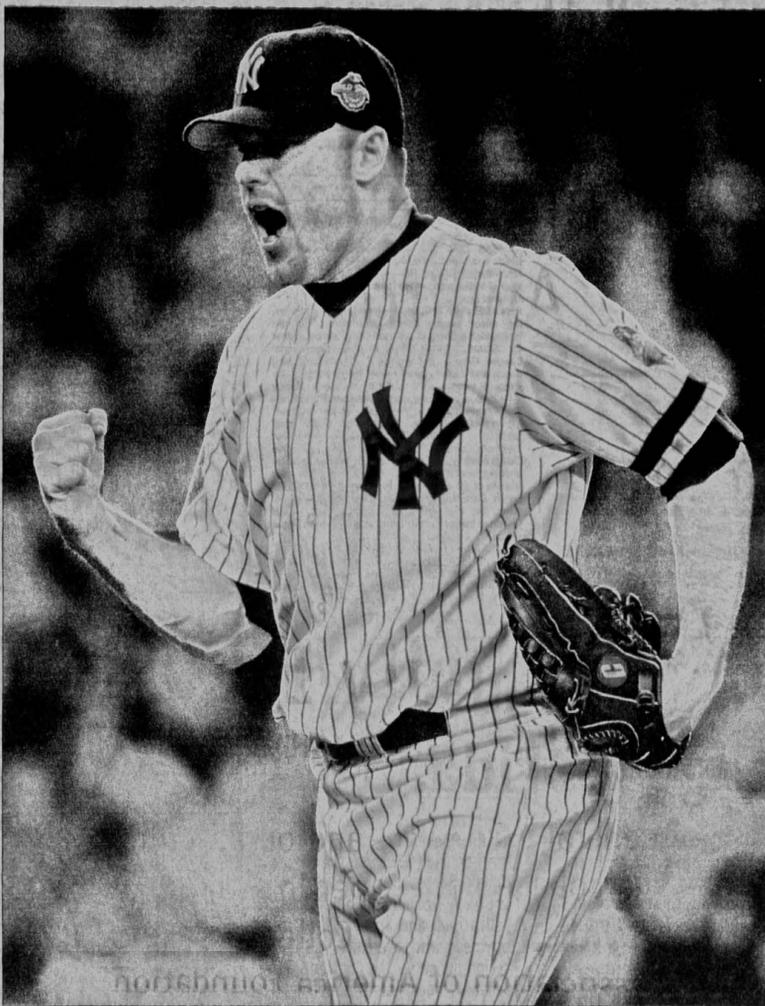
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New York Yankees' Roger Clemens reacts after striking out Arizona Diamondbacks' Tony Womack to end the seventh inning of Game 3 of the World Series on Tuesday in New York.

Brian Anderson pitched well enough for Arizona but took the loss.

Tied at 1, the Yankees scored in the sixth. Bernie Williams opened with a leadoff single, Posada drew a one-out walk, and Mike Morgan relieved. With two outs, Brosius hit a soft, broken-bat single to left field for the go-ahead run.

The Diamondbacks, starting five players who had never appeared at Yankee Stadium, made three errors and threw three wild pitches.

The Yankees hoped to get a big hit early, and Posada delivered it, leading off the second inning with a home run.

Posada ended the Yankees' scoreless streak at 18 innings, their longest drought in Series history.

Arizona tied it in the fourth on Matt Williams' bases-loaded

sacrifice fly.

Shane Spencer, starting in left field because he's a better defensive player than DH Chuck Knoblauch, saved the Yankees in the sixth. With two on and two outs, he ran in to make a diving catch on a liner by Williams.

Still sprawled on the grass, Spencer checked his glove to make sure he had made the catch, and a great sense of relief crossed his face when he saw he had the ball. Clemens raised his arm in the air to cheer the play and waited at the first-base line to congratulate Spencer.

The Diamondbacks, who led the NL in fielding this year, had not given up an unearned run in the postseason.

With two outs and none on in the fourth, Spencer lifted a foul pop behind the plate. Unfamiliar with the tricky winds at Yankee Stadium, catcher Damian Miller couldn't make the play — no error was charged, though.

Spencer walked, and shortstop Tony Womack misplayed Brosius' grounder. Alfonso Soriano followed with a high pop in front of the plate and, after confusion in Arizona's infield, Miller called it.

But Miller again missed, and the ball landed in fair territory before spinning foul. The Yankees thought Miller had touched it, with Spencer scoring and Derek Jeter cheering from the dugout.

The umpires, however, ruled it a foul ball, and Yankees manager Joe Torre disputed the call. Miller was given an error, yet Arizona escaped when Soriano ended a 13-pitch at-bat with a long flyout.

Not old Jordan, but promising

By Chris Sheridan
 Associated Press

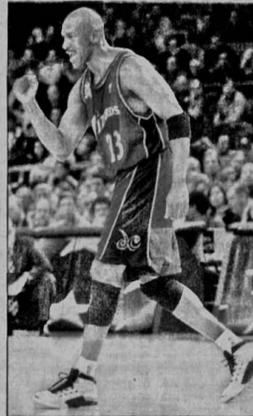
NEW YORK — Michael Jordan didn't exactly look like the No. 23 of old, and he missed his biggest shot of the night in his return to the NBA.

Looking more like a promising playmaker than one of the game's greats, Jordan spent the majority of his minutes at point guard in his regular-season debut for the Washington Wizards after a 3½-year retirement.

He scored 19 points and passed the ball as much as he shot it, getting six assists but making a few key mistakes that the old Jordan might not have made in a 93-91 loss Tuesday to the New York Knicks.

Jordan had a chance to tie the game with a 3-pointer from in front of the Knicks' bench with 18 seconds left, but missed the shot — one of 14 misses in 21 attempts. He also had an airball and a missed layup in the first quarter and a turnover late in the fourth that diminished a final stat line that included five rebounds and four steals in 37 minutes.

The Knicks took an 87-86 lead into the final two minutes, and after Latrell Sprewell hit a turnaround, Jordan answered with a 21-footer — his first field goal of the quarter — to cut New York's lead to 89-88.



Beth A. Keiser/Associated Press
 Washington Wizards guard Michael Jordan reacts after his team scored in the second quarter of their game against the New York Knicks Tuesday.

The 38-year-old Jordan missed his next shot, also a jumper, and then failed to out-jump Kurt Thomas, allowing him to grab an offensive rebound. That led to a pair of foul shots by Othella Harrington with 34 seconds left for a 3-point lead.

Jordan threw an ill-advised pass that was stolen on Washington's next possession, but

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IOWA FOOTBALL

Ferentz stands by his McCann

By Melinda Mawdsley
 The Daily Iowan

Kirk Ferentz was surprised it took 25 minutes after the start of his weekly press conference for questions to surface regarding his quarterbacks.

Once presented with the opportunity to discuss where he stood on the issue, he wasted little time in stating that Kyle McCann is No. 1 and junior Brad Banks is No. 2.

However, he will continue to rotate the two, and he expects Banks to see first-half action against Wisconsin on Saturday.

McCann earned the starting spot during spring drills earlier this year, and he has done nothing to lose it in Ferentz's opinion. He continues to believe that his fifth-year senior gives Iowa the best chance to win.

But he sees the value of Banks in the equation, which was evident in the first half of Iowa's Oct. 27 game against No. 8 Michigan.

McCann was unable to move the ball against the Wolverines in the first quarter. Banks entered and led the Hawkeyes to 10 points and the lead. When McCann was re-inserted for the final three series of the half, boos resonated throughout a sold-out Kinnick Stadium.

McCann played the majority of the second half and heard the same negative tune, which didn't sit well with Ferentz.

"I think our players are trying to do their best," he said. "I'm around them all the time. It would be nice if we could isolate me, and everybody could throw stuff. That does not bother me; I sincerely mean that."

Ferentz understands that a fan's prerogative is to find something wrong within a game and make noise about it. It isn't a new concept, and it isn't uncommon for Hawkeye fans to chant for the back-up.

"I think we have the greatest fans in the country," he said. "I would hope if they are booing, they are directing it at the adults. That's the only request I would make. I get paid. I have a salary. This isn't pro football — if it was, boo the players. To me, we are the adults. Direct it at us."

Ferentz realized that his early season decision to play both McCann and Banks could lead to dissent among fans, but he believes that the coaching staff is in a better position to decide what's best for Iowa.

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Pierce prepared to brave spotlight

Iowa men's basketball freshman Pierre Pierce came to the Hawkeyes as a highly touted recruit from Westmont, Ill. As a senior at Westmont High, he averaged 36.4 points, 9.1 rebounds, 5.2 assists, and 3.3 steals per game and was second to Eddie Curry, the NBA's fourth overall-draft pick, in voting for Illinois' Mr. Basketball.

However, Division I basketball is different — Pierce is in a three-man race for the starting point-guard position on this year's much-ballyhooed Hawkeye squad. During the intrasquad Black and Gold Blowout on Oct. 27, Pierce played with the first team, and at Monday's press conference, Iowa coach Steve Alford said if he had to name a starting point guard, it would be Pierce.

For the 6-4 guard, the spotlight is not a new dwelling place; he was featured on the



Fox Sports television show "Chicago Hoops," in which a reporter followed him to school, practice, and work. DI reporter Tyler Lechtenberg talked with Pierce about the pressure of taking over as floor general of a top-flight team, life as a student-athlete, and his "numbness."

DI: You've been in the spotlight before, in high school and with the "Chicago Hoops" show, but how will it be different this year?

Pierce: I don't know if things will be much different. But being at Iowa, it's more national exposure, where in

Chicago, it was more of just a regional exposure. I think it'll be the same, and I don't think I'll handle it much differently.

DI: How confident are you stepping into Division I, possibly as a starting point guard?

Pierce: I feel very confident. I feel as though I've worked on my game since I was little, and now all the work has started to pay off. I know I still have a long way ahead of me.

DI: Can you handle the pressure of leading a possible top-10 team?

Pierce: I really don't look at the pressure unless I put the pressure on myself. If I go out there and do what I have to do, there's no pressure there.

DI: You're known as a versatile guard, that you can do everything. What do you think is your biggest attribute as a guard?

Pierce: Just like you said

— do everything. Whatever I can do to help the team, that's what I need to do. That versatility really helps when you come against some of these other guards who really can do a lot of things.

DI: You saw 15,000 fans in Carver-Hawkeye Arena for a scrimmage. What do you take away from that about Iowa's fans?

Pierce: That's just dedication. I knew that coming in, but for a scrimmage, that just shows their dedication right there. You know they have your back the whole way.

DI: You've been in Iowa City for two months now. What's your favorite thing about the city?

Pierce: Everything. I can't really say there's one thing that sticks out the most. It's been easy getting into my classes and adapting to the environment. It's been an

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Hawkeye Sports

<p>Thursday Soccer vs. Creighton 3 p.m. Hawkeye Rec. Fields</p> <p>M. basketball vs. Chicago All-Stars 7:05 p.m. Carver-Hawkeye Arena</p> <p>Friday Volleyball vs. Michigan State 7 p.m. Carver-Hawkeye Arena</p> <p>Field Hockey at Big Tens Through Nov. 4 Evanston, Ill.</p> <p>Saturday Football at Wisconsin 11:10 a.m. Madison, Wis. limited tickets available</p>	<p>Volleyball vs. Michigan 7 p.m. Carver-Hawkeye Arena</p> <p>Sunday W. basketball vs. Johnson Financial 2 p.m. Carver-Hawkeye Arena</p> <p>SPORTS ON TV</p> <p>NBA 7:30 p.m. Indiana at Chicago, TBS</p> <p>NHL 7 p.m. St. Louis at Colorado ESPN</p> <p>Tennis 7 p.m. WTA Sanex Championships ESPN2</p>
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NFL TEAM STATS

By The Associated Press

TOTAL YARDAGE

AMERICAN FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
Indianapolis	2462	664	1598
Kansas City	2508	750	1758
Baltimore	2474	822	1652
Pittsburgh	2029	1121	908
Buffalo	1983	687	1296
San Diego	2304	809	1495
Oakland	1966	693	1273
Denver	2074	807	1474
Miami	1853	691	1162
New England	2144	701	1443
Cincinnati	2083	858	1225
New York Jets	2063	939	1124
Jacksonville	1755	571	1184
Seattle	1697	711	986
Tennessee	1672	540	1132
Cleveland	1525	549	976

DEFENSE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	1448	504	944
Baltimore	1780	460	1320
Miami	1691	628	1063
San Diego	1598	568	1030
Oakland	1739	655	1084
Seattle	1754	511	1243
Cleveland	1771	719	1052
Denver	2179	864	1493
Jacksonville	1883	849	1034
Cincinnati	2204	841	1410
Kansas City	2296	1038	1258
Buffalo	2046	788	1258
New England	2391	909	1482
New York Jets	2474	1071	1727
Indianapolis	2157	785	1372
Tennessee	2170	606	1564

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
St. Louis	2845	732	1708
San Francisco	2240	874	1366
Green Bay	2140	617	1523
Detroit	1989	474	1515
Minnesota	2316	741	1572
Atlanta	1971	681	1290
New Orleans	1955	697	1258
Arizona	1915	563	1352
Tampa Bay	1877	543	1334
Chicago	1625	557	1068
New York Giants	2119	691	1428
Philadelphia	1804	638	1166
Carolina	1877	527	1350
Dallas	1830	645	1185
Washington	1719	641	1078

DEFENSE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
Green Bay	1581	620	961
Philadelphia	1674	784	890
Tampa Bay	1752	682	1070
St. Louis	2063	664	1399
New York Giants	2133	651	1482
New Orleans	1833	518	1315
Dallas	1840	611	1229
Chicago	1672	491	1181
San Francisco	1976	615	1361
Minnesota	2413	786	1627
Arizona	2137	831	1306
Detroit	2143	845	1298
Atlanta	2216	613	1603
Washington	2612	1012	1600
Carolina	2615	937	1678

AVERAGE PER GAME

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
Indianapolis	410.3	114.0	296.3
Kansas City	358.3	107.1	251.1
Baltimore	353.4	117.2	236.2

Team	Att	Yds	LG	TD
Pittsburgh	338	2186	81.5	3
Buffalo	330	5114	52.16	0
San Diego	329	1115	52.13	6
Oakland	327	7115	52.12	2
Denver	325	85	53.01	6
Miami	308	8115	113.7	3
New England	306	3100	120.6	1
Cincinnati	297	8122	61.75	0
New York Jets	294	7134	116.0	6
Jacksonville	292	85	2197.3	0
Seattle	282	8118	51.64	3
Tennessee	278	79	0.188	7
Cleveland	254	2	91.5162	7

DEFENSE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
Pittsburgh	241.3	84.0	157.3
Baltimore	254.3	65.7	188.6
Miami	281.8	104.7	177.2
San Diego	285.4	81.1	204.3
Oakland	289.9	87.5	202.3
Seattle	292.3	85.2	207.2
Cleveland	295.2	119.8	175.3
Denver	311.3	98.0	213.3
Jacksonville	313.8	116.5	207.3
Cincinnati	322.0	120.0	202.0
Kansas City	328.0	148.3	179.7
Buffalo	341.0	131.3	209.7
New England	341.6	129.2	212.4
New York Jets	353.0	136.7	216.3
Indianapolis	359.0	130.8	228.2
Tennessee	361.7	101.0	260.7

NATIONAL FOOTBALL CONFERENCE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
St. Louis	406.4	105.3	301.1
San Francisco	373.3	145.7	227.7
Green Bay	356.7	102.8	253.9
Detroit	331.5	79.0	252.5
Minnesota	330.9	120.2	210.7
Atlanta	328.5	113.5	215.0
New Orleans	325.8	116.2	209.6
Arizona	312.9	93.8	219.1
Tampa Bay	312.9	93.8	219.1
Chicago	304.2	119.4	184.7
New York Giants	302.7	98.7	204.0
Philadelphia	300.7	106.3	194.3
Carolina	268.1	75.9	192.2
Dallas	250.0	140.1	109.9
Washington	245.8	91.6	154.2

DEFENSE

Team	Yards	Rush	Pass
Green Bay	263.5	103.3	160.2
Philadelphia	273.9	136.7	137.3
Tampa Bay	292.0	113.7	178.3
St. Louis	294.7	94.9	199.9
New York Giants	304.7	93.0	211.7
New Orleans	305.5	96.3	199.2
Dallas	308.7	162.0	146.8
Chicago	312.0	76.8	235.2
San Francisco	329.3	102.2	227.1
Minnesota	344.7	112.3	232.4
Arizona	356.2	139.7	216.5
Detroit	357.2	122.0	235.2
Atlanta	369.3	102.2	267.1
Washington	373.1	144.8	228.3
Carolina	373.6	133.9	239.7

INDIVIDUAL LEADERS

Quarterbacks

Player	Att	Com	Yds	TD	Int
Favre, G.B.	202	135	1568	14	7
Chandler, Ail.	128	82	1181	9	6
Warner, S.H.	265	162	1644	13	8
Garcia, S.F.	151	92	1110	10	5
McNabb, Phil.	195	116	1324	10	3
Batch, Det.	173	107	1311	8	6
Culpepper, Min.	230	150	1701	8	8
B. Johnson, T.B.	212	134	1387	6	4
Brooks, N.C.	223	118	1093	10	4
Plummer, Ariz.	198	118	1433	6	7

Player	Att	Yds	LG	TD
R. Williams, N.O.	133	557	4.2	46
Davis, Was.	130	524	4.0	29
Green, G.B.	107	512	4.8	63
Thomas, Chi.	74	438	5.9	46
Smith, Det.	108	398	3.7	39
Dayne, N.Y.G.	101	365	3.6	55
Faulk, SLL	79	361	4.6	28
Hearst, S.F.	80	351	4.4	31
Bushalter, Phil.	77	348	4.5	48
Culpepper, Min.	49	323	6.8	34
J. Stewart, Det.	68	323	4.8	30

DEFENSE

Player	Att	Yds	LG	TD
K. Johnson, T.B.	46	810	13.3	32
Owens, S.F.	39	543	13.9	62
Booker, Chi.	39	398	10.2	63
Boston, Ariz.	38	589	15.5	49
Faulk, SLL	36	317	8.8	34
Morton, Det.	35	526	14.5	42
Bruce, SLL	34	600	17.6	51
Toomer, N.Y.G.	33	440	13.3	43
Moses, Min.	32	443	13.8	39
Holt, SLL	31	485	15.6	45
Muhammad, Car.	31	352	11.4	43

Punters

Player	No	Yds	LG	TD
Sauerbrun, Car.	42	1924	72	45.8
R. Williams, N.Y.G.	44	1856	90	44.5
Landeta, Phil.	48	1891	64	42
Berger, Min.	27	1185	67	43.9
Bidwell, G.B.	24	1016	58	42.3
Player, Ariz.	28	1185	58	42.3
Baker, SLL	27	864	55	42.1
Maynard, Chi.	28	1176	60	42.0
Jett, Det.	25	1049	52	42.0
Gowin, N.C.	34	1415	57	41.6

Punt Returns

Player	No	Yds	LG	TD
B. Mitchell, Phil.	20	268	13.4	54
Howard, Det.	9	116	12.9	34
Smith, Car.	15	186	12.4	20
Barber, N.Y.G.	14	161	11.5	23
Gordon, Atl.	30	423	15.4	0
Hakim, SLL	19	159	8.4	32
Jackson, Ariz.	15	125	8.3	29
McQuarters, Chi.	12	96	8.0	16
Williams, T.B.	9	61	6.8	28
Muhamm, Min.	10	67	6.7	16

Kickoff Returns

Player	No	Yds	LG	TD
Howard, Det.	28	811	29.0	91
Swinton, Dal.	17	465	27.4	77
Lewis, N.O.	13	352	27.1	68
Sutherland, S.F.	19	485	25.5	65
Bates, Was.	27	684	25.3	41
McAllister, N.O.	12	295	24.6	46
Smith, Car.	19	462	24.3	93
Walters, Min.	18	425	23.5	40
B. Mitchell, Phil.	17	398	23.3	43
Vaughn, Atl.	19	436	22.9	32

AFC

Quarterbacks

Player	Att	Com	Yds	TD	Int
Gannon, Oak.	185	120	1293	6	1
Manning, Ind.	200	123	1625	12	9
Brunell, Jac.	162	98	1156	7	3
Flutie, S.D.	209	124	1563	7	3
Ortiz, Den.	220	140	1589	13	10
Couch, Cle.	160	92	1109	8	4
Testaverde, N.Y.J.	172	105	1110	7	4
Brady, N.E.	169	104	1069	7	4
Crisman, Buf.	157	103	1126	6	6
Grubbs, Bal.	195	116	1348	7	8

Rushers

Player	Att	Yds	LG	TD
C. Martin, N.Y.J.	153	738	4.8	36
James, Ind.	151	652	4.4	29
Dillon, Chi.	150	625	4.2	96
Tomlinson, S.D.	168	620	3.7	54
Betts, Pit.	112	612	5.5	48
Holmes, K.C.	105	530	5.0	41
Alston, S.F.	104	425	4.6	0
L. Smith, Min.	140	428	3.1	17
Anderson, Den.	101	398	3.9	62

Player	Att	Yds	LG	TD
Allen, Bal.	99	358	3.6	26
Davis, Was.	130	524	4.0	29
Green, G.B.	107	512	4.8	63
Thomas, Chi.	74	438	5.9	46
Smith, Det.	108	398	3.7	39
Dayne, N.Y.G.	101	365	3.6	55
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Hearst, S.F.	80	351	4.4	31
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Steelers ready for AFC showdown

By Alan Robinson
Associated Press

PITTSBURGH — The Pittsburgh Steelers' most dominating performance over a division opponent since their last playoff season in 1997 gave them control of the AFC Central.

The next two weeks could very well determine how long they will stay in first place — just until the division's true power takes over, or long enough that it might prove difficult to dislodge them.

The Steelers, enjoying their first 5-1 start in five years after beating Tennessee, 34-7, on Monday night, stay at home Nov. 4 to play Super Bowl champion Baltimore (4-3) in a game that suddenly has become one of the division's biggest games all season.

Then, the Steelers travel to Cleveland (4-2), which trails them by a game in the turned-upside-down AFC Central. Not many predicted in August that a Browns-Steelers game in November might prove critical to deciding the champion of a division the Ravens and Titans (2-4) were expected to overpower again.

Now, the Titans might be another loss or two from falling out of the division race, and the Ravens have little margin for error with the Steelers winning much like Baltimore did a year ago — with a controlling defense and the NFL's best running game.

"We're 5-1, and I don't think we've played our best football yet," wide receiver Hines Ward said of the Steelers, who lead the NFL in total defense and rushing. "We haven't peaked; we're only going to get

better."

Center Jeff Hartings felt much the same way when he signed with Pittsburgh earlier this year. While the Steelers missed the playoffs by going 9-7 last season, he was very aware they won four of their final five games last season and nine of their final 13.

"I follow football pretty closely and, looking around this offseason, I saw the Steelers as a team ready to win," Hartings said. "They have a lot of talent and they finished up strong last year. I felt this was a team on the upswing and I'm not surprised we're 5-1."

Even if the rest of the division might be.

The Steelers had lost seven straight to Tennessee, but were in control from the start Monday in their most one-sided victory over the Titans/Oilers franchise since a 35-7 decision in 1984.

With Tennessee star Eddie George limping on a hyperextended knee, the Steelers held the Titans to two yards rushing in the first half and picked on the AFC's worst-rated passing defense for only the second 200-yard passing game by Kordell Stewart in 34 games.

Now, the challenge for the Steelers is to complement Jerome Bettis' running by throwing the ball just as well against a much-better defense — one like Baltimore's, which ranks eighth overall in the league in pass defense.

"When defenses put eight in the box like Tennessee did and they're daring you the throw the ball, it's a great opportunity to go down the field," Stewart

said. "We haven't taken advantage of those opportunities enough this year, but I think we're capable of games like this."

"We're not going to throw for 200 yards every game, but I think we can have this kind of efficiency."

The question now is whether former first-round draft pick Plaxcio Burress' 151-yard receiving effort — more yards than he had in the first five games — was the breakout game the Steelers have long expected or an anomaly created by the Titans' depleted secondary.

Burress' biggest catch, a 43-yarder, came on an underthrown pass by Stewart that seemed certain to be intercepted, only to be fumbled directly into Burress' arms.

"We've been waiting for this, and it's only going to make the offense better if they can start clicking and developing some confidence in each other," Ward said.



Gene J. Puskar/Associated Press
Pittsburgh Steelers' Jerome Bettis carries the ball during the first quarter as Tennessee Titans tackle Jason Fisk, left, is unable to make the stop Monday in Pittsburgh.

Owners eye labor deal

PITTSBURGH (AP)— NFL owners are expected to ratify a three-year extension of the collective-bargaining agreement with the players union on Wednesday, although they now want the players to help pay for the fast-growing cost of additional security.

The terrorist attacks Sept. 11 forced the NFL to greatly increase security at all games, and Commissioner Paul Tagliabue said Tuesday that one of the several remaining unresolved issues with the CBA extension deals with paying for that security.

The NFL Management Council and the NFL Players Association agreed in June to the extension, which would ensure labor peace through the 2007 season. It would be the fourth extension of the original CBA reached in 1993, and it would give the NFL labor peace for 20 years since its last labor-related interruption, the

1987 strike.

The extension would push the salary cap through 2006 and would carry two years beyond the NFL's \$17.6 billion television contract, giving the league additional clout in its next TV negotiations.

"There's a lot of support for it, subject to getting these anywhere between one and four remaining issues resolved," Tagliabue said Tuesday night, following day-long owners meetings. "Mostly, they're about where we are going to be in 2006, how we deal with the cap that year based on TV, and the considerable added expenses the teams are going to have and the league is going to have in terms of security."

"We think the cost of that should be split with the players association under the CBA in some way and not borne entirely by the owners."

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Capriati recovers to win Sanex Championship

By Roy Kammerer
Associated Press

MUNICH, Germany — Intent on keeping her No. 1 ranking, Jennifer Capriati regrouped after a rough first set Tuesday and beat Bulgaria's Magdalena Maleeva at the Sanex Championships.

Capriati wasted two match points before winning, 2-6, 6-3, 6-3, and taking an important step in holding off Lindsay Davenport for the top spot in women's tennis.

"I think it was a good match for me to have, to have it a little closer and to be out there a longer time," Capriati said.

Seventh-seeded Serena Williams routed Silvia Farinella of Italy, 6-0, 6-2. The match was so one-sided her opponent celebrated as if she had won when she captured a game.

This was Williams' first match since she lost the U.S. Open final in September to older sister Venus.

"It was pretty exciting to be back on court," she said. "I've been waiting awhile."

Sandrine Testud upset fifth-seeded Amelie Mauresmo, 5-7, 7-5, 6-1, in an all-French



Uwe Lein/Associated Press

Jennifer Capriati from the United States returns a ball to Magdalena Maleeva from Bulgaria during their first-round match at the WTA Sanex Championship tennis tournament in Munich Tuesday.

match. Mauresmo was the first seeded player to lose.

Nathalie Tauziat played her final singles match, losing to Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario of Spain, 6-3, 6-4. The 34-year-old Frenchwoman will play only doubles next season.

The \$3 million tournament is the WTA's final major event of the year. It features the top

16 players, not counting those who are injured.

If Capriati had lost, Davenport could have passed her for the top ranking by reaching the final. Davenport has won a title in three-straight weeks, drawing within a few computer points of Capriati.

Now Davenport, who faces South Africa's Amanda Coetzer

today, will have to win the tournament if Capriati wins her second match and reaches the semifinals.

Capriati, winner of the Australian Open and French Open, overtook Martina Hingis for the No. 1 ranking on Oct. 15.

"It would mean everything," she said. "It has sunk in. I had a week off, so I really was able to enjoy it and not worry about anyone taking it away from me."

The Capriati-Maleeva match opened the tournament at Olympiahalle. Since 1978, the tour's world championships had been played in New York.

Capriati needed to fight off two break points when she trailed the 17th-ranked Maleeva, 2-1, in the final set. She then whipped a forehand down the line for a 3-2 lead to take control.

Maleeva, who has come back from career-threatening shoulder and arm injuries, had Capriati scrambling early on.

"I think, after the first set, I turned it up," Capriati said. "Even in the third set I was able to keep concentrated and focused out there."

Mauresmo, the 1999 Aus-

tralian Open finalist, dropped out of her last two events because of fatigue and injuries.

"You have to be physically fit in order to play your game on this surface," she said of the indoor courts. "But I was exhausted; I was down and out."

Hingis and Venus Williams are not competing because of injuries, and Monica Seles has not played in Germany since she was stabbed in Hamburg in 1993.

Hewitt, Ivanisevic fall at Paris Masters

By Michael McDonough
Associated Press

PARIS — Lleyton Hewitt, weakened by a stomach problem, hurt his chances of finishing the year at No. 1 when he lost to Ecuador's Nicolas Lapentti, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4, Tuesday at the Paris Masters.

Wimbledon champion Goran Ivanisevic also exited in his opening match, wasting two match points in a 6-4, 3-6, 7-6 (6) loss to Sweden's Andreas Vinciguerra.

Vinciguerra next plays Slovakia's Karol Kucera or Russia's Marat Safin, the defending champion.

Top-seeded Gustavo Kuerten broke a five-match losing streak, eliminating Bohdan Ulihrach of the Czech Republic, 6-2, 6-4, in the second round.

Third-seeded Juan Carlos Ferrero of Spain beat countryman Albert Portas, 6-3, 6-4, and ninth-seeded Alex Corretja of Spain lost, 5-7, 7-6 (3), 6-4, to Christophe Rochus of Belgium.

Winning first-round matches were Albert Costa of Spain, Dominik Hrbaty of Slovakia, Julien Boutter of France, Ivan Ljubicic of Croatia, Sjeng Schalken of the Netherlands, and Thomas Enqvist of Sweden.

Hewitt, the U.S. Open champion, said he was slowed by a stomach ailment similar to the one that forced him to withdraw from last year's Paris Masters.

"I was feeling fine going into the match and up until halfway through the second set," the second-seeded Australian said. "I had some kind

of stomach problem."

Last week he withdrew from the Stockholm Open before his first-round match, citing a back injury.

Hewitt survived four match points before Lapentti sealed the victory by catching the Australian at the net with a forehand.

"I was lucky to get through it," said Lapentti, who saved a match point against French qualifier Anthony Dupuis in the first round.

In the next-to-last game, Hewitt slid and fell while running to the net. He continued playing but lost his service game.

Hewitt has another shot at overtaking Kuerten for the No. 1 spot at the season-ending Masters Cup in Sydney, Australia. He trails the Brazilian by 34 points.

Ivanisevic served 27 aces against Vinciguerra, 14 in the final set. Down 6-4 in the tiebreaker, the Swede saved match point with a crosscourt forehand. He saved another with a forehand smash and closed the match two points later.

"I tried my best," said Ivanisevic, seeded 12th. "You have to have luck sometimes."

Ivanisevic in July became the first wild card to win a men's major by capturing Wimbledon. "I probably use my luck in London," he said in broken English. "Now it's payback time."

Earlier this month, Ivanisevic blew two match points on his way to a third-round defeat against Max Mirnyi in the Stuttgart Masters. Last week, he lost to Safin in the quarter-finals of the St. Petersburg Open.

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Norman

By Doug Ferguson
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Faldo's victory in the 1990 U.S. Open came with a 10-year ban. His minimum is 12 events, but he played only 13 that year.

SPORTS BRIEF

U.S. second in World Gymnastics Championships

A year after being stripped of her Olympic gold medal in Atlanta, Andreea Raducanu helped the United States finish second in the World Gymnastics Championships. Svetlana Khorkina had a flawless performance to take the individual standings, yet Russia from slumping to a second-place finish. Just behind Khorkina, Romania proved she was ready to all-around gold again in the much-debated Olympic final. She led the floor exercise, second on the beam, and the vault.

Raducanu, who lost the title in Sydney after testing positive for the stimulant pseudoephedrine, led Romania to a score of 145.147 points, edging the U.S. team, which had 145.147.

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Norman, Faldo take break from PGA

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Dave Martin/Associated Press

England's Nick Faldo, right, and Australia's Greg Norman walk off the 18th hole after Faldo won his third Masters at the Augusta National Golf Club in Augusta, Ga., in this April 14, 1996, photo.

Henry Hughes, the chief of operations for the PGA Tour, notified both of them recently they were dangerously close to losing their membership. Nei-

ther added any events. "If we had unusual circumstances that was unprecedented, the commissioner has the ability to override and make an excep-

tion," Hughes said. "But we don't feel that's the situation."

Not even the terrorist attacks? "We're running our tournaments. People are traveling around the world," Hughes said. "We would be inconsistent to say it's fair for one player to not have to travel and be exempt from an obligation he has."

For Norman, it is only a minor inconvenience because he planned to play only 13 times this year, anyway. He had to withdraw from Doral with a 103-degree fever and from the British Open because a family friend died. Faldo has never played fewer than 15 events since he rejoined the PGA Tour. The 44-year-old Englishman has not played on tour since the terrorist attacks, and he noted that John Daly is the only American to have played overseas since Sept. 11.

"If they are not coming this way," he said, "why should I go that way?"

SPORTS BRIEF

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A year after being stripped of an Olympic gold medal in a drug case, Andreea Raducan helped Romania pass the United States for the top qualifying spot at the World Gymnastics Championships.

Svetlana Khorkina had a near-flawless performance to top the individual standings, yet couldn't keep Russia from slumping to fourth.

Just behind Khorkina, Raducan proved she was ready to go for the all-around gold again after her much-debated Olympic disqualification. She led the floor event, was second on the beam, and reached the finals in the vault.

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Stockdale out for remainder of season

FERENTZ

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"I think we have a pretty good grip on things," he said. "We just try to be as smart as we can based on the information we have in front of us, and we probably have more information than anybody."

Ferentz said Banks' first entrance into a game is scripted, but after that, the feel of the game dictates whether he uses the more mobile, athletic back-up. He continues to be impressed with Banks in practice and during games. The junior only lacks experience and a comfort level on the field.

"There are some things systematically he doesn't get as quickly as Kyle," Ferentz said. "But it's not because he's not capable. Kyle has had a heck of a head start."

While Ferentz expects Banks to have a promising future as a Hawkeye, cornerback Matt Stockdale unfortunately saw his career come to an end against Michigan.

The fifth-year senior came up limping during the second quarter of the Oct. 27 game and did not return. It was discovered he

toe ligaments in his foot, forcing him to undergo season-ending surgery Tuesday. While in the hospital, he had his other knee scoped as well because of prior cartilage damage.

Ferentz said Stockdale's spirits were high given the circumstances, and he expects the Iowa Falls, Iowa, native to continue to accompany the team on the road.

Stockdale ended the season with 30 tackles and a team-high 12 pass deflections. He finishes his Iowa career with 106 tackles, 20 pass breakups, and an interception.

"Matt's done a great, great job," Ferentz said. "He certainly rose last year and has been a tremendous player for us out on the field, but more importantly, a great leader with our entire football team. It's a tough one."

In other injury news, Ferentz expects offensive linemen Andy Lightfoot and Sam Aiello to return to practice this week, and he said the two are possibilities to play in Madison. However, defensive lineman Jerry Montgomery remains doubtful for Saturday's game.

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Pierce looks up to Iverson

PIERCE

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easy, ongoing process so far.

DI: What do you do in your free time?

Pierce: Work in the gym or work on the books. That's really all the free time I have.

DI: It says in the media guide that your favorite athlete is Allen Iverson. Do the cornrows have anything to do with that?

Pierce: Not really. We have the same birthday, too. I don't know if that's a coincidence or whatever, but he's been my guy ever since he went to Georgetown.

DI: What about your number?

Pierce: Yeah, that came with him. He's a guy I look up to on the court and off the court. A lot of people scrutinize him for the things he does, but when he gets on the court, he just goes out and plays every game like it's his last.

DI: Will you wear a headband? You wore one this summer, but I didn't see it during the Blowout.

Pierce: No, I don't think coach is going to allow me. He lets me have the braids, so I just think I'll just run with the braids and be cool with that.

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Raptors torched by 29 points

NBA ROUNDUP

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Christian Laettner stole the ball right back. After Jordan missed the 3-point attempt, Thomas was fouled on the rebound and made both shots for a 93-88 lead that all but ended it.

Sprewell led New York with 28 points, including 13 in the fourth quarter, and Allan Houston had 22.

Chris Whitney scored 18 points to lead the rest of the Wizards, who would have made Jordan's return a much bigger success if they had converted a few of his precise passes into field goals.

Minnesota 83, Sixers 74

MINNEAPOLIS — Chauncey Billups scored 22 points in his new role as Minnesota's reserve point guard, leading the Timberwolves to a season-opening 83-74 victory over the Philadelphia 76ers on Tuesday night.

Billups, who spent most of last season at shooting guard, scored 11 points in a 15-0 run midway through the second quarter that put Minnesota ahead to stay.

Derrick Coleman, beginning his second stint with the Sixers after being traded by Charlotte last week in a three-team, eight-player deal, had 15 points and 11 rebounds.

Magic 114, Raptors 85

ORLANDO, Fla. — Tracy McGrady had 23 points and Grant Hill scored 11 of his 22 points in the decisive third quarter as the Orlando Magic beat the Toronto Raptors, 114-85, in the season opener for both teams Tuesday night.

Darrell Armstrong added 16 for Orlando, which posted its largest margin of victory in a season debut.

Toronto was led by Chris Childs' 13

points. Keon Clark had 11 points and nine rebounds.

Celtics 108, Cavaliers 89

CLEVELAND — Paul Pierce scored 29 points, Antonio Walker 23, and the Boston Celtics opened the season with an easy 108-89 win Tuesday night over Cleveland, spoiling John Lucas' coaching debut with the Cavaliers.

Pierce and Walker accounted for 51 percent of Boston's scoring a year ago, and the Celtics hope they don't have to rely on the tandem to carry them again this season.

But against a Cleveland team lacking any inside presence or defense, Walker and Pierce did anything they wanted to offensively.

Nets 103, Pacers 97

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Jason Kidd had 14 points, 10 rebounds, and nine assists and made good on his promise to make the Nets better in leading New Jersey to a 103-97 win over the Indiana Pacers on Tuesday night.

Keith Van Horn added 26 points, and Kerry Kittles had 20 in his first game in more than a year as the Nets overcame both a career-best 43-point game by Jalen Rose and a 13-point fourth-quarter deficit.

Rookie Richard Jefferson added 12 and Aaron Williams had 10 points in a reserve role for the Nets. Reggie Miller added 20 points for the Pacers.

Spurs 109, Clippers 98

SAN ANTONIO — Steve Smith scored 19 points, and Antonio Daniels had 17 as the San Antonio Spurs opened the season Tuesday night with a 109-98 victory over the Los Angeles Clippers.

The Spurs, struggling with the Clippers in the first half, broke the game open in the third quarter. Daniels put up all of his points in the period on 5-for-7 shooting.



Tony Dejak/Associated Press
Boston Celtics' Vitaly Potapenko (52) loses control of the ball after getting fouled by Cleveland Cavaliers' Ricky Davis (31) in the fourth quarter Tuesday, at Gund Arena in Cleveland.

Tim Duncan added 15 points and 13 rebounds for San Antonio.

Elton Brand scored 27 points in his first game as a Clipper, and Jeff McInnis had 23. Lamar Odom grabbed 13 boards to go with 14 points.

Mavericks 94, Pistons 87

DALLAS — Michael Finley was steady when those around him weren't, scoring 23 points over the second and third quarters, as the Dallas Mavericks beat the Detroit Pistons, 94-87, in their season opener Tuesday night.

Finley, who finished with 34, scored 10 of Dallas' first 12 points in the second quarter to erase an early deficit. He then scored the first five points of the third quarter to keep Dallas close.

Dirk Nowitzki didn't score a basket until a driving dunk in traffic several minutes into the second half. That started a 17-5 run that put the Mavericks up, 69-64, and gave them control.

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Halloween Party TONIGHT
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calendar

Coaching, Mentoring, and Team-Building Skills for Supervisors, Managers, and Team Leaders, led by Kay Keller, today at 8:30 a.m., IMU Richey Ballroom.

Joint Astrophysics/Space Physics Seminar, "The Low Frequency Galactic Background Radiation," Gregory Fleishman, Ioffe Institute for Physics and Technology, today at 3:30 p.m., Room 301, Van Allen Hall.

Joint Experimental and Theoretical Seminar, topic to be announced, Vincent Rodgers, today at 3:30 p.m., Room 309, Van Allen Hall.

Symphony Band and Chamber Wind Ensemble, Myron Welch, conductor, Kristin Thelander, Horn, and Katherine Eberle, Mezzo-Soprano, today at 8 p.m., Clapp Recital Hall.

Afro-Cuban All Stars, **EVENT CANCELED**, Hancher Auditorium.

Student Organization Meeting: UI Environmental Coalition Meeting, today at 9 p.m., IMU Kirkwood Room.

The Ledge

Tips for winning a Halloween costume contest

- Winning requires sacrifices; namely, you need to get naked.
- Judging is based on audience response, so bring 200 friends to cheer for your costume.
- Avoid going to cheap places with crappy prizes — drive to Cedar Rapids for a real contest.
- Poorly made costumes are unlikely winners — hire a professional design team to tailor your Boba Fett costume.
- Alcohol can make you less alert and hinder your costume — or, it can lower inhibitions and make you act like a total jack-ass to ensure a win.
- No matter how funny you think it might be, **DO NOT** attempt to adjust Wonder Woman's costume.
- Promise to give the prize back to the crowd if they vote for you.
- Go for subtle costumes that don't require too much work, like a narcoleptic or kleptomaniac.

WEDNESDAY 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 (9) (2)	News	Seinfeld	60 Minutes II	The Amazing Race	Wolf Lake	News	Letterman	Frasier				
KWWL (7) (7)	News	Wheel	Ed: Crazy Time	The West Wing	Law & Order	News	Tonight Show	Late Ngt.				
KFXA (9) (17)	King/Hill	Raymond	Baseball: World Series, Game 4: Arizona at N.Y. Yankees (Live)	3rd Rock	Carey	M*A*S*H	View					
KCRG (9) (9)	News	Friends	My Wife Jim	Carey	Bob P.	20/20	Nightline					
KIIN (13) (13)	NewsHr.	House	Battleship Hood	Sweeney Todd in Concert			Business	Yes, Min.	C. Rose			
KWKB (20) (16)	Married	Just/Me	Dawson's Creek	Felicity	Heart	Date	Smarts	5th Wh'l	Eliminate	Harvey		
CABLE CHANNELS												
PUBL (2)	Programming Unavailable											
GOVT (4)	Programming Unavailable											
PAX (6)	Shop	Sweep	Candid Camera	Touched by Angel	Diagnosis Murder	A Miracle	Dave's	Paid Prg.	Paid Prg.			
LIBR (10)	Programming Unavailable											
EDUC (11)	Programming Unavailable											
UNIV (12) (3)	France	Spanish	Movie			Business	In Iowa	Korean	Greece	France	Italy	
KWQC (6)	News	Wheel	Ed: Crazy Time	The West Wing	Law & Order	News	Tonight Show	Late Ngt.				
WSUI (10)	Programming Unavailable											
SCOLA (11)	Hungary	Quebec	Croatia	China	Cuba	Iran	Korea	Greece	France	Italy		
KSUI (12)	Programming Unavailable											
DISC (15) (5)	Who's Afraid Of ...	KKK: Faces of Hate	Machine Gun	Deadline Discovery	Justice Files	KKK: Faces of Hate						
WGN (13) (31)	Prince	Prince	Invaders From Mars (PG, '86) *	News	In the Heat of Night	Mattlock						
C-SPN (17) (23)	House of Reps.	Prime Time Public Affairs			Prime Time Public Affairs							
UNI (18) (24)	Carita de Angel	Amigas y Rivales	Derecho/ Nacer	Francisco Presenta	Impacto	Noticiero	El Super	Blablazo				
C-SPN2 (21) (21)	U.S. Senate (3)	Public Affairs			Public Affairs							
TBS (23) (32)	Prince	Friends	Believe It or Not!	The Mask (PG-13, '94) ** (Jim Carrey)	Believe It or Not!	The Mask (PG-13)						
TWC (23) (30)	Weather Channel	Atmospheres	Evening Edition		Atmospheres	Evening Edition						
BRVA (23) (39)	Actor's Studio	Bram Stoker's Dracula (R, '92) *** (Gary Oldman)			Bram Stoker's Dracula (R, '92) ***							
CNBC (23) (31)	Business	The Edge	Chris Matthews	Rivera Live	News/Williams	Chris Matthews	Rivera Live					
BET (27) (40)	106/Park	BET.com	Life Track	Oh Drama!	ComicView	BET Tonight	Midnight Love					
BOX (28)	Off the Air				Off the Air							
TBN (30)	Religious Special	Behind C. Dollar	Gaither	Van Impe	Praise the Lord	Chironna	Duplantis					
HIST (31)	Search	Search	Hist. of Halloween	A History of Britain	Cannons	Blunders	Hist. of Halloween					
TNN (32) (37)	MAD TV	MAD TV	MAD TV	MAD TV	MAD TV	MAD TV	MAD TV					
SPEED (33)	Paid Prg.	Classic	Car	Dream	Ship	Boat	Jet Ski Racing	Paid Prg.	Classic	Car	Dream	
ESPN (34) (45)	Spo.	Spo.	NHL Hockey: St. Louis Blues at Colorado Avalanche (Live)	Game Day	Karate	NBA	NHL					
ESPN2 (35) (46)	Pardon	NHRA H'I	Tennis: WTA Sanex Championships	Game Day	Karate	NBA	NHL					
FOXSP (36) (47)	NASCAR	Chi. Spo.	Tonight	NBA Basketball: Indiana Pacers at Chicago (Live)	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show						
LIFE (38) (36)	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	I Know What You Did (98) **	Golden	Golden	Design.	Design.					
COM (40) (42)	Daily	Stein	Tales From the Crypt Presents ...	South Pk	Glick	Daily	Saturday Night Live	South Pk				
EI (41)	Haunted Hollywood	True Hollywood	Rank: 13 Scariest Movies	H. Stern	H. Stern	Wild On ...						
NICK (43)	Sponge.	Ginger	Inv. ZIM	Arnold!	Brady	Strokes	Ties	Cheers	Cheers	Laverne	3's Co.	3's Co.
FX (44)	Buffy, Vampire Slayer	Buffy, Vampire Slayer	Buffy, Vampire Slayer	The Blair Witch Project (R, '99) ***	Ghosts: Fact/Fiction							
TNT (45)	The Pretender	NBA Basketball: Toronto Raptors at Miami Heat (Live)	In NBA	Pottergeist (PG, '82) *** (Craig T. Nelson)								
TOON (46) (17)	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Scooby	Dragon Ball Z		
MTV (48) (44)	Jackson Ghost	Music Videos	Special	Criminal	Dismiss'd	Dismiss'd	Knows	DFX				
VH1 (49) (43)	Kiss	The Last KISS	The Rocky Horror Picture Show (R, '75)	Where?	Rocky Horror Picture Show							
A&E (50) (38)	Law & Order: Expert	Biography	American Justice	City Confidential	Law & Order	Biography						
ANIM (51)	Animals	Animal	Crocodile Hunter	Jeff Corwin	Komodo Dragons	Crocodile Hunter	Jeff Corwin					
USA (52) (34)	JAG: Sightings	Nash Bridges	Halloween II (R, '81) * (Jamie Lee Curtis)	Cherry Falls (R, '00) ** (Michael Biehn)								
PREMIUM CHANNELS												
HBO (3)	Legend of ...	Reverb	Curb	Married	Band of Brothers	Oz	Shot in the Heart					
DIS (12)	Halloweentown (98) **	Halloweentown II	Frankenstein and Me (9:10) (PG, '96) **	So Weird	Hoops							
MAX (14)	She Creature (R, '01)	How to Make a Monster (01)	Teenage Caveman (01)	Halloween (R, '78) ***								
STARZ (34)	Movie (5) One/One	The Frighteners (R, '96) **	The Cell (R, '00) ** (Jennifer Lopez)	12 Monkeys (10:50)								
SHOW (35)	Bio-Dome (5:15)	Bless the Child (R, '00) ** (Kim Basinger)	Soul Food	Resurrection (9:50)	At Close Range							

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quote of the day

Doggy Style will change the face of urban music.

— Jay Boberg, president of MCA Records, on rapper Snoop Dogg signing to MCA Records. The deal includes marketing and distribution for his record company, Doggy Style Records, which features artists La Toiya Williams, Soopafly, and E-White.

public access tv schedule

11 a.m. Prabhat
 Noon The Unity Center
 1 p.m. A Bike Ride
 2 p.m. Iowa Shares Promo
 2:10 p.m. Facing Life's Trials & Emerging Victorious
 3:30 p.m. Nation of Islam
 4:30 p.m. United Way of Johnson County
 4:40 p.m. Animal Cared Adoption

5 p.m. Professor Noodle
 5:30 p.m. TBA
 7 p.m. Live and Local
 7:30 p.m. TBA
 10:30 p.m. RBO TV:
 11 p.m. Access Orbit
 Midnight Real News
 12:30 p.m. Real News II
 1 p.m. Real News 3
 1:15 p.m. It Couldn't Hurt 4

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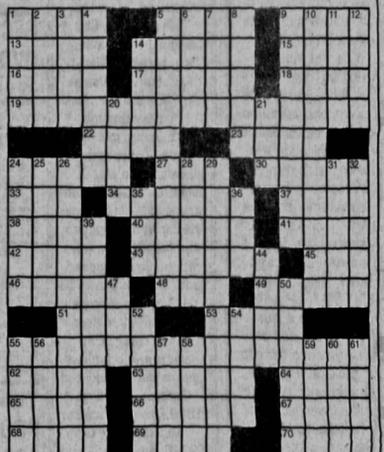
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ACROSS

- Moolah
- Unwarm welcome
- Lonely heights
- Zone
- 9th-century founder of the Russian monarchy
- Help in ways one shouldn't
- Musical with the song "The Night They Invented Champagne"
- Stradivarius' teacher
- Forearm bone
- "Jeopardy!" format
- Profess
- O
- Ship that's remembered
- blond
- 1960's catchword
- Electrician's unit
- Take-home
- * beneficiaries, with "the"
- Sales agents
- Leaf opening
- Word with wheat or missile
- "Gunfight at the O.K. Corral" role
- Hardly tiptoes
- Antique
- Warrior's weapon
- out a win
- Rigid
- They're found all along the line: Abbr.
- Profess
- O
- 500 sheets
- Famous comedy team à la "Jeopardy!"
- Theater award
- Soft glows
- Met song
- Hood's beneficiaries, with "the"
- Begin
- Sideways look
- Hankering
- Command's site
- Forest growth



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 EZRAPOUND DELLA
 YET UKE KEPLER
 FRUMPY OMIT
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 COLDFISH TACOS
 REDI BYLAWS
 AMERICASCUP
 ROTATE HRE ALG
 ROUTE TEENANGEL
 ANDES DAARE BRAE
 USES STIR CAKE

7 in (as placed)
 8 Downhill racer
 9 Degree of strain
 10 A must-do
 11 City near Sparks
 12 Ollie's partner
 14 Not common
 20 Not odd
 21 Just enough to wet one's lips
 24 Conventions
 25 'o' livin'
 26 Rich Little forte

28 Scare
 29 Kitchen product à la "Jeopardy!"
 31 Phones
 32 Wear
 35 Computer key
 36 Bark
 39 Paints like Pollock
 44 Wild guess
 47 1979 film "Norma"
 50 Make a mummy

52 Not just trim
 54 N.C.A.A. tournament division
 55 Reproduce
 56 Woodwind instrument
 57 String instrument
 58 Spoken
 59 Modern ice cream flavor
 60 Makes a bow
 61 Sailors

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