



NEWS

# Report: College students studying less

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THE DAILY IOWAN

Most students are studying half as much as professors suggest, and many others are hitting the books one-fifth of the time prescribed, according to a report released last month.

The National Survey of Student Engagement, a study of 63,000 college students conducted by researchers at Indiana University, says students should study two hours for every hour they spend in class, approximately 25 to 30 hours a week. But only 12 percent of last year's freshmen at four-year universities across the nation studied the prescribed amount, the study shows, while 63 percent reported spending less than 15 hours a week preparing for class. Nineteen percent said they study between one to five hours a week.

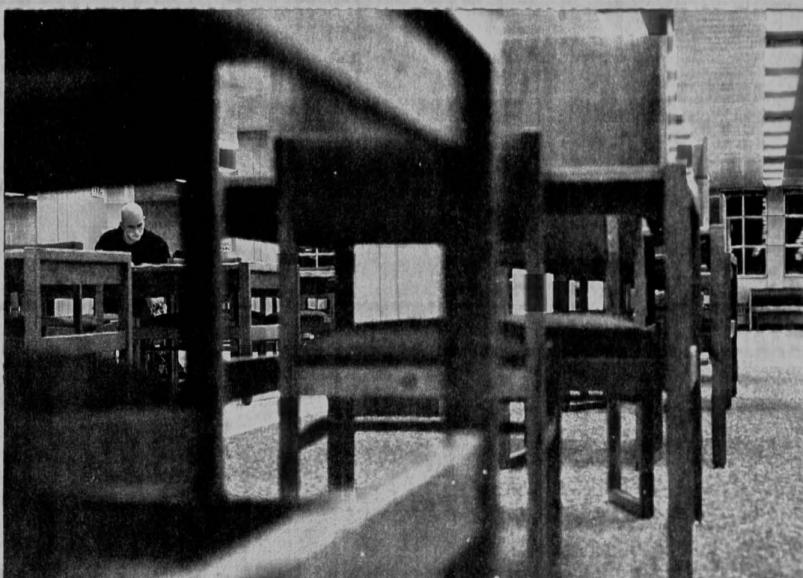
The numbers point to professors' lowered expectations, the study suggests, and tighter schedules, say students, who also concede they want more study time.

"It's impossible to study 25 hours a week," said UI sophomore Melanie Hebl, who studies about five hours a week. "There isn't enough time. You can't expect to go to class for 15 hours a week, work a job that pays decent money, and study that much — no way."

UI botany Professor Jeffrey Schabillon attributes the decline in study time partly to the larger number of students now attending college who view higher education as a mandatory extension of high school. Years ago, he said, fewer students went to college, and those who did were strongly motivated.

The same survey also reported that seniors study even less than freshmen, with 20 percent saying they study one to five hours a week.

"As a freshman, I picked up a book maybe once or twice," said UI senior Risa Pincus. "I still don't study that much, but I have to be a little more on top of



UI senior Neil Hillman prepares for finals Thursday night. He was one of the few students occupying the East Asian Studies Room in the Main Library.

things just because the workload is harder."

The trend is difficult to detect, said some UI professors, who are reporting less teacher-student consultation and in-class participation.

"It's hard to know how much time students spend studying, but they do seem to be less concerned about grades and GPA than they used to be," Schabillon said.

A separate study released by UCLA researchers in 2001 suggests that the habit starts in high school. The annual report showed that studying in high school has continually dropped since 1987. Approximately 53 percent of high-school students reported studying less than six hours a week in 1987, a number that jumped to 65 percent in 2001.

The *Chronicle for Higher Education* reports researchers suggest the blame can partly be attributed to professors for low-

ering the bar on what they accept as passing work, with some even assigning fewer papers to cut down on the time they spend grading assignments.

Jennifer Harbour, a graduate student in history, said she hasn't noticed a lowering of standards at the university but rather, expectations that are too high.

"You can't expect students to know everything coming into a class," she said. "I also think professors need to realize that students have a lot going on in their lives than just their class."

Extracurricular activities are factors in the low study times, Indiana University researchers found, and almost two-thirds of all college students are employed, according to the Pell Institute for the Study of Opportunity in Higher Education.

"The 25-hour plan of study is a good goal to shoot for, but it can't always work with the ris-

ing cost of education and the need for students to support themselves," Harbour said.

Some UI professors note that if students don't take the time and effort to seek help, they won't go out of their way to provide assistance. Harbour combats the problem by calling on students to participate in class and pulling them aside, but getting to know them is the most helpful way to address academic issues, she said.

"I think if you learn students' names and get to know them and where they are coming from, then you understand them better and can help move them along in the right direction," she said.

Schabillon finds one method is always effective in motivating students: A written note informing a student she or he is earning a D or F.

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## Defense to resume in Nelson trial today

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The first-degree murder trial of Phyllis Nelson, who is charged with fatally stabbing her medical-school-dean husband, Richard Nelson, will continue today with testimony from defense witnesses after a nearly five-day recess.

Defense attorney William Kutmus opened his case the third day of trial on Dec. 11, and this week, he is expected to call Nelson's two daughters, Emily Hansen and Elyse Nelson-Winger. Both are expected to speak about their father's change from a loving father to a depressed man who, the defense contends, verbally abused his wife. Phyllis Nelson is also expected to detail her account of the night she allegedly stabbed her estranged husband once in the heart with a paring knife at his Cedar Rapids apartment moments after his mistress fled the building.

Phyllis Nelson, 55, was charged on Dec. 12, 2001, with first-degree murder hours after she allegedly stabbed Richard Nelson, the late executive dean of the UI medical school who was having an affair with his administrative assistant, Mary Jo Young. Linn County Attorney Harold Denton has argued that the slaying was intentional. Kutmus asserts that the death was an accident.

If convicted of first-degree murder, Phyllis Nelson would face life in prison.

Denton rested his case against Nelson on Dec. 10 after presenting nearly 20 witnesses and 42 pieces of evidence in two days. Kutmus opened the next morning with testimony from two firefight-

ers who administered medical attention to Richard Nelson at the scene of the alleged stabbing. Kutmus then requested the trial be postponed until today so he could present a number of witnesses from across the country who had not yet arrived.

On Dec. 13, Kutmus filed a motion to acquit his client, a matter that Judge Thomas Horan has yet to rule upon.

Kutmus' filing contends that the prosecution has failed to prove Phyllis Nelson's guilt. The move is a standard practice for defense attorneys after prosecutors present their cases.

In the motion, Kutmus argued that the prosecution failed to show that Phyllis Nelson committed any other felony during the stabbing.

Denton failed to prove that the stabbing was not an accident, Kutmus said. In his version of the incident, Phyllis and Richard Nelson collided in his Cedar Rapids apartment's kitchen doorway, forcing the knife between Richard Nelson's ribs.

Phyllis Nelson was "justified in the use of reasonable force" against her husband because he acted in a threatening manner against her after an argument, Kutmus wrote. "If reasonable under the circumstances, a defendant may resist injury by inflicting injury."

The prosecution also failed to show that Phyllis Nelson's statement that she "only intended to harm" her husband related to the stabbing instead of her efforts to protect herself, Kutmus alleged.

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## UI project to delve into its buildings' history

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A project being developed would allow people worldwide to access, via the Internet, information about UI history one building at a time.

UI archivist David McCartney is working on a campus-building database that would offer basic pieces of information about the university's facilities, including date of construction, a partial list of occupancy history, alternate names, and images.

A timeline has not been set for the project, which is being handled in conjunction with the Information Commons in the Hardin Library for the Health Sciences, but McCartney said he hopes to have the information gathered by mid-2003. Many questions must still be answered with respect to data storage space, he said, because 1,000 images will be posted on the Web site once completed.

"In the long run, it may be a very worthwhile project, and we're excited about it," he said.

The Web site would trace the history of such facilities as

Gilmore Hall, which was built in 1910 and is one of the oldest UI buildings, and Currier Residence Hall, which became the first UI dorm to house both black and white students, in 1946.

Hillcrest, which was built in 1938, housed pre-flight trainees for the Navy during World War II in 1942. Tom Brokaw lived there in 1959. Hillcrest also housed the first co-ed floor on campus in 1977.

Archivists will use a 1985 comprehensive survey led by Professor Emeritus Margaret Keyes to gather much of the information about the historical aspects of the buildings. McCartney said he intends to move it one step further by putting that information online and making it more accessible.

The research team that worked on the 1985 survey gathered information about university buildings through records and old newspapers. Keyes said she thinks McCartney's continuation of her work is great.

"I encourage them to go further than I did," she said.

At least 100 buildings will be represented in the survey, and that figure could rise to 200, McCartney said. Some members of the university community have expressed interest in also seeing the history of buildings that are no longer standing, he said, which may be difficult because some buildings are not well-documented. He said that while the emphasis of this project is on historic landmarks, newer buildings will also be represented.

"Our goal is to present an all-time picture of campus," McCartney said.

The idea originated last summer when Jan Waterhouse, a library-school student enrolled in an information-technology class, developed the idea as a class project, McCartney said. She shared her idea with him, and it appeared to be something archives staff could develop, he said.

A number of other colleges — including the University of Houston, Davidson College, University of Northern Iowa, and North Dakota State University — have similar pro-

grams, and the responses have been quite positive, McCartney said.

North Dakota State uses its campus buildings Web site as a recruitment tool, and it could be a possible use for one at the UI. The immediate use for such a Web site would be to satisfy reference questions.

"We're convinced that this could be beneficial to our university," McCartney said. "The question now is how to proceed."

Scanning all the images that will go on the Web site will take a considerable amount of time, McCartney said. Many of the images will likely be from the F.W. Kent Collection of Photographs in the university archives. Kent (1894-1984) spent his entire career as the university photographer; most of the prints and negatives in the collection are from 1911 to the '60s.

There will be no added direct costs for the project, said McCartney, who will do much of the research work along with the Special Collections staff.

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CITY BRIEF

### Fire causes \$15,000 in damages

The Iowa City Fire Department responded to a fire at 829 Page St. on Dec. 13, in which the one person in the house escaped without injury.

Following the 12:36 p.m. emergency call, 15 firefighters arrived at the single-family residence within three minutes and had the kitchen fire extinguished and under control after 10 minutes.

The cause of the fire was a toaster on the kitchen counter, said Lt. Ken Brown. Officials estimated the

damage at \$15,000.

"[The owner] was making some toast, and poor housekeeping around the toaster contributed to both the ignition and the spread of the fire," he said.

Damage to the house was limited mostly to the kitchen, Brown said, adding that there was some smoke and water damage to nearby rooms.

Five fire companies spent an hour and a half investigating the cause of the fire. They tore down pieces of wall to ensure the fire was extinguished, removed smoke from the house, and

searched for the owner's four cats, Brown said.

"We found two of [the cats], and

I'm assuming she found the other two," he said. "I never saw them."

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# Arafat tells bin Laden to get lost

BY GREG MYRE  
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JERUSALEM — Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat demanded that Osama bin Laden stop using the Palestinian struggle for statehood as a reason for the Al Qaeda terror network's attacks in an interview published Sunday, while Israel said it will bar Arafat from traveling to Bethlehem for Christmas for the second-straight year.

"I'm telling [bin Laden] directly not to hide behind the Palestinian cause," Arafat said in an interview published in the *London Sunday Times*.

Bin Laden "never helped us; he was working in another completely different area and against our interests," Arafat said.

Arafat denounced the Sept. 11, 2001, terror attacks in the United States, and the Palestinian leadership has sought to distinguish between its fight with Israel and Al Qaeda's terror campaign.

The Israeli government, in turn, has sought to link its conflict with the Palestinians to the U.S.-led fight against Al Qaeda. Prime Minister Ariel Sharon, blaming Arafat for more than two years of Mideast violence, has tried to persuade the United States that Palestinian terrorism is in the same category as Al Qaeda terrorism, but the U.S. government has not gone along.

Last month Al Qaeda claimed responsibility for twin terror attacks against Israelis in Kenya, calling the attacks a "Ramadan greeting" to the Palestinian people, referring to the Muslim holy month. The statement was seen as an attempt to win support for the terror network in the Arab and Muslim world, where resentment of Israel's conflict with the Palestinians is high.

Recently, the Israelis have claimed that Al Qaeda members had infiltrated into the Gaza Strip, but the Palestinians have hotly denied that.

Arafat aide Ahmed Abdel Rahman said, "We are not fighting



Letteris Pitarakis/Associated Press  
Palestinian Christians wait in line to receive the Holy Communion during a Sunday mass in St. Catherine's church, adjacent to the Church of the Nativity, in Bethlehem on Sunday. Israel has said it will bar Yasser Arafat from traveling to Bethlehem for Christmas for the second-straight year.

the entire world, civilization, and people. We don't want our just cause to be used as a cover by Sharon and his government to continue their escalation — as though if the U.S. is fighting Al Qaeda in Afghanistan, so Israel is fighting Al Qaeda in Palestine."

Meanwhile, the decision to ban Arafat from Bethlehem emerged from the Sunday meeting of Israel's Cabinet, said an Israeli government source, who spoke on the condition of anonymity. At the session, Israel's military commander said his troops would remain in Bethlehem through the Christmas holiday.

The Palestinians, who take great pride in hosting the Christmas services in Manger Square that attract Christian pilgrims from around the world, sharply criticized the Israeli move.

"The Israeli decision ... is a violation of their promises to the American administration, the Vatican, and the pope," said Nabil Abu Rdeneh, Arafat's spokesman. "All the excuses that they give are lies and are rejected."

The Israeli decision to bar Arafat was seen as part of the ongoing Israeli effort to keep the Palestinian leader isolated at his battered West Bank headquarters in Ramallah, just north of Jerusalem. During several sieges of the compound this year he was not allowed to leave, and officials have often hinted that if he left the country, he might not be allowed back.

Arafat is a Muslim, but since returning from exile and becoming head of the Palestinian Authority, he regularly attended

the Christmas celebrations in Bethlehem, beginning in 1995.

Last Christmas, Israel prevented Arafat — whom it blamed for failing to prevent terrorist attacks — from traveling the 12 miles from Ramallah to Bethlehem.

Bethlehem is heavily dependent on tourism, particularly during the Christmas season. Visitors pack Manger Square, just outside the Church of the Nativity, which was built in the fourth century to mark the spot where tradition holds that Jesus was born.

The Mideast conflict has kept most foreign tourists away for the past two years, and Palestinian Christians say Israeli travel restrictions make it difficult for them to reach the town. Low-key services are planned, and turnout this year is sure to be small.

# Support for Lott begins to waver

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Lott  
R-Miss.

Nickles  
R-Okla.

WASHINGTON — Sen. Don Nickles of Oklahoma, the second-ranking Senate Republican, on Sunday said his party should consider ousting "weakened" Sen. Trent Lott as its leader or risk a backlash from voters.

"Trent has been weakened to the point that may jeopardize his ability to enact our agenda and speak to all Americans," Nickles said in taped interview aired Sunday on ABC's "This Week." "There are several outstanding senators who are more than capable of effective leadership, and I hope we can have an opportunity to choose."

While several Republican senators have voiced similar concerns about Lott privately, Nickles is the first GOP senator to publicly suggest the incoming majority leader should be ousted for racially divisive comments he made at a party for 100-year-old Sen. Strom Thurmond, S.C., 11 days ago. Nickles, Lott's deputy for the past six years, will likely run for his job, Republicans said, although several other senators also could seek the post.

Nickles' comments significantly undermined Lott's aggressive campaign to remain party leader and increased the likelihood he will be ousted, Republicans said. Lott and his allies worked the phones Sunday to shore up support for the Mississippian and plotted an aggressive campaign to save his leadership job.

But Lott's fate could be sealed soon. Sen. John W. Warner, R-Va., Chuck Hagel, R-Neb., and others want to hold a meeting immediately to discuss Lott's future.

"Every day we don't decide, we leave Lott hanging out there

and blood flowing from the wounds," Warner said.

Because Lott has already been elected majority leader, Nickles would need to get five Republican senators to sign a letter to force a meeting — possibly not until Jan. 8, the day after the Senate reconvenes — to discuss a new leadership election. Alternatively, Sen. Rick Santorum, Pa., as the chairman of the Republican Conference, could simply call a meeting, which could be free-wheeling and unpredictable because there are no concrete rules guiding the overthrow of a party leader.

Lott will not go down without a fight, though. His allies were examining Nickles' voting record to try to show that it smacks of intolerance on issues important to blacks.

Lott also is scheduled to appear at 8 p.m. today on BET, which has a largely black audience and roll out new initiatives targeted at African Americans.

But it might be too little, too late for Lott, Republicans said. With Nickles pressing for a new leadership election, Lott's comments could remain front-page news well into January. This would make it very difficult for Lott to convince fellow Republicans that his comments will not undermine the party's outreach to minorities, a top priority for the Bush administration, and hinder their legislative agenda.

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# Kinnick remains as the sole Hawkeye Heisman winner

**KINNICK**

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Maxwell awards following the 1939 season, when the "Cornbelt Comet" led Dr. Eddie Anderson's Iron Men squad to a 6-1-1 record, are neatly preserved.

"He recounted his Eastern trip, where he was presented with more trophies and awards than anyone else, and he did it in a manner that left no doubt as to his earnestness and enthusiasm," stated an unlabeled, yellowed clipping.

Another momento, a program from a 1940 Rotary club event at which Kinnick was the guest of honor, contains reference to his prowess in the classroom (he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, a national honor society) as well as the gridiron:

"They've checked on your scholastic standing and discovered that a football player isn't necessarily ivory from the shoulders up."

But they are among a few of the remnants left of Kinnick in his hometown. A trip to the city's library, a converted Presbyterian church, reveals little more. The large white building, which Kinnick was thought to frequent throughout his days in Adel, holds more scrapbooks and two volumes on Kinnick. The library probably has more, says one worker, but no one has ever thought of organizing the collections of scrapbooks.

A short drive up one of the cobblestone streets that adds to the charm of the Dallas County seat leads to the old football field where Kinnick, Chapman, and their teammates finished off their glorious 1933 season. It is also where field-goal attempts, which were converted by drop-kick in Kinnick's days, were restricted to the south end zone because of a slough on the north side directly behind the grassy field.

A large boulder contains a small plaque commemorating

Kinnick-Feller park, named in honor of both the football star and Bob Feller, the major-league Hall of Famer and native of nearby Van Meter.

"We beat one team 102-0," Chapman recalls back at the Little Bo Jangles. "We used everybody but the cheerleaders, and Nile was great."

"I played left end, and he told me to go off tackle and take four steps left, I took four steps left, turned, and there was the ball."

A ball commemorating that season is encased along with Kinnick's jersey in a display of numerous hardware at the new Adel-DeSoto-Minburn High School, Kinnick's perfectly legible signature clearly noticeable next to the year. Both are displayed as discreetly as other, similar artifacts around the town.

Straight, who is avoiding cutting wood on this mild December afternoon by serving as a sort of de facto tour guide, leads his curious visitor to a large Victorian-style house in the midst of a makeover across from the old high school. The owner, who requested he not be identified, bought Kinnick's boyhood home roughly five years ago and is attempting to restore it after it became run down and was turned into several apartment units. He said he may turn it into a bed and breakfast or a museum, something for the community and its people to take pride in.

"I think it would be better for the state of Iowa if I preserved it," he says, walking upstairs and showing off the house's original features as if he had built himself prior to the turn of the century.

Etched above one wooden door frame is the name of what is believed to be a female acquaintance of a young Kinnick. An empty whitewashed closet contains an eerie signature. "NILE" is scorched into the back corner in a child's awkward block script, done with a candle when Kinnick was a boy.

"They had a big yard, and when we were kids, we used to play football there," Chapman recalls. "His mother would come out, blow a whistle, and yell 'halftime,' and she'd bring some food out to everyone."

Known as "Jun" to his friends because his full name was Nile Clarke Kinnick Jr., he turned down a professional football career after his senior year to enroll in the UI law school. He joined the Navy as World War II broke out, reaching the rank of ensign before his plane crashed on a training flight June 2, 1943. Many believe Kinnick eventually would have had a successful career in the political arena after the war, possibly as governor because he was a great orator, thought to have such ambitions.

Chapman, who was overseas in the army, received word of Kinnick's death via a letter from his parents and says not a day goes by without thinking about his former childhood chum and teammate.

"That was the saddest minute of my life when I read that he was gone," he said, pausing to adjust a well-worn hat emblazoned with the Iowa Tiger Hawk. "Every time I walk into his home in Iowa City [Kinnick Stadium], I say, 'Hi, Jun.'"

An avid Iowa fan to this day, Chapman has followed Iowa and especially Banks very closely this season. Asked what his reaction would be if Banks joined Kinnick among the ranks of Heisman Trophy winners, he smiled and said it would make him "feel good because he's a Hawkeye, and so am I."

Banks stood beneath a painting of Kinnick at New York's Yale Club shortly before learning that Southern California quarterback Carson Palmer had won the balloting. Kinnick's place in history is preserved for yet another year.

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# Gore drops 2004 bid

**GORE**

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they did not regard this as the end of his political career.

Former President Clinton praised Gore as "the best vice president America ever had" and added that Gore "would have been a fine president, had history taken a different course two years ago."

Democratic National Committee Chairman Terry McAuliffe called Gore "a stand-up guy" and said the decision not to run was "courageous." He called Gore "a great leader for our party and our country" but said he was not surprised by the announcement because "he had not been reaching out to the people around the country" to

lay the foundation for another candidacy.

Still, the timing of the announcement was so closely held that Gore's press secretary, Jano Cabrera, was on his way back to Washington on Sunday after a post-"Saturday Night Live" party and had to get off an airplane and go back into New York once he was alerted about the "60 Minutes" interview.

Gore offered little insight into what prompted him to stay out of the race or why he announced it Sunday. Earlier, his wife, Tipper, and several of his children had said they would support another candidacy and that he deserved another attempt at the White House.

This fall, Gore attacked Bush's decision to seek approval to go to war against Iraq, and he

was one of the first Democrats to condemn Lott for his remarks about Sen. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C. Gore recently promised to issue an economic program and details of a new health-care program early next year.

During his book tour, Gore had said he would make a decision after the holidays, but he told CBS Sunday that after spending much of the week in New York with his family, he had come to a decision.

# Second hopeful for UI post on campus

**CANDIDATE**

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and provost in 1998. In this role as chief academic officer, he oversees 19 colleges, more than 4,500 faculty members, and 57,000 students. He was also involved in a major academic overhaul in 2000 that focused on Ohio State's academic priorities, improving instruction, the learning environment, and diversity.

Since implementing the academic plan, the school has seen an increase in incoming average ACT scores and a jump in the institution's rank — now 20th in the nation in the number of national merit scholars. It has also found a spot in *U.S. News and World Report's* Top 25 Public Universities in America.

Joseph Alutto, the dean of the OSU Fischer College of Business, works with Ray in the University Senate; he said he had no reservations about Ray's ability to serve as president.

"He is a great colleague who listens well and has clear ideas about university governance," Alutto said. "He has great ideas as to the direction universities should move."

Ray, a native of Jackson Heights, N.Y., earned his bachelor's degree in mathematics from Queens College of the City of New York in 1966. He went on to earn his master's and doctorate in economics at Stanford University in 1969 and 1971 respectively.

His research and work in the

**Edward J. Ray**

**EDUCATION:**  
B.A. mathematics, Queens College of the City of New York, 1966  
M.A. economics, Stanford University, 1969  
Ph.D. economics, Stanford University, 1971

**FAMILY:**  
Married, 3 children, 2 grandchildren

**PROFESSIONAL PROFILE:**  
1998-PRESENT: executive vice president and provost, Ohio State University  
1993-1998: chief information officer, Ohio State University  
1976-1992: professor and chairman, economics department, Ohio State University

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field of economics has been recognized and funded by the U.S. Department of Labor and Commerce as well as the Egyptian Academy of Scientific Research and Technology. He has also been a consultant to and member of the state of Ohio delegation for trade commissions to China, the Pacific Rim, and Canada.

He is the author of several books on economics and the world's debt crisis, and he is working on a book titled *The Income Tax in America: The Origin and Resolution of Fiscal Crises*.

The UI will identify the remaining presidential candidates the day before their campus visits this week.

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# City struggles with downtown litter

**LITTER**

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dedicate up to four hours of their daily eight-hour shifts to cleaning and throwing away loose garbage, said Terry Robinson, the superintendent of parks and forestry.

Robinson said the amount of litter increases in direct proportion to the number of those using a certain area, a sentiment echoed by Schnepf. The city's numerous parks and shopping centers also attract unsightly amounts of litter, he said.

The large number of students downtown also make the litter problem more acute in Iowa City, Robinson said.

"Students are a big factor but not the only factor," he said. "I wish many of the students would realize the downtown is something the city wants to be proud of, and I wish they would recognize they shouldn't litter."

Keep Iowa Beautiful is dedicated to litter awareness and beautification of the state; it is affiliated with the national organization, Keep America Beautiful.

The study, released in November, included a three-part survey. The first involved a survey sent to city governments, school districts, and commercial businesses asking how much each spends on cleanup. The second was an attitude survey of more than 4,000 Iowans. The third part involved the actual observation of hundreds of sites around the state, Schnepf said.

The study found that of the \$13.5 million spent on cleaning litter, only \$300,000 is spent on education and litter prevention.

"You shouldn't have to teach people not to litter," Trueblood said. "It should be common sense."

The study also found that of the Iowans surveyed, most believe that leaving cigarette butts or smaller items, such as paper and

plastic wrapping, on the ground is not considered littering.

After approximately an hour and a half of cleaning vomit and spilled beer and picking up hundreds of napkins and cups, the Ped Mall is as clean as it will

get. Oxley looks down the L-shaped plaza to admire his work.

"I don't really mind it that much," he said of his job. "At least it has a lot of job security."

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# Death

BY CURT ASSOCIATED

WASHINGTON — The number of death-row inmates dropped last year since the Supreme Court's ruling on capital punishment. The Justice Dept. reported Sunday that the trend that has been sentenced to die.

The death-row population fell from 3,601 in 2001, the first decrease in 25 years. Total of 155 was sentenced to death row since third-straight year.

The number of sentences imposed fell from 303 in 1996, according to the Bureau of Justice Statistics. Sixty-six people were executed last year, compared with 11 of this year, been executed.

Death-penalty cases are being exercised using the death row inmate's DNA evidence that people were executed. More prosecutors are accepting which a defendant's life was forfeited.

There is more than 100 death penalty cases in the U.S. said Richard Dieter, executive director of the Death Penalty Center, a capital research group.

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# Clinton

N. Korea must have nuclear power

BY TOBY ASSOCIATED

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Korea in 1994 that States would desist from unless freeze its operations.

Now that Pyongyang it was reactivated, Clinton said, the must be persuaded to stop the weapons.

"Make no mistake, has to be ended, do not want North Korea to have the highest bidder.

Speaking at a Dutch business figures, Clinton more likely North Korea to use the nuclear weapons for more aid rather than for weapons on the table.

"We had a tense North Korea in 1994," Clinton said. Pyongyang is planning six to eight nuclear reactors.

"We drew up a plan for the reactor," he said. Pyongyang the first nuclear reactor unless it is dismantled.

Clinton urged North Korea to work with China and other nations to help North Korea on the nuclear issue.

The White House said that Bush in 1994 with a diplomat to help resolve the crisis and rule out action to shut the reactors.

Under the 1994 Clinton administration, North Korea froze its nuclear program in return for a safer light-water reactor. It also received a 500,000 tons of heavy metal alloy until the reactor was built.

Washington has been demanding that North Korea halt its nuclear program after U.S. October that the country had agreed to a uranium-enrichment program to build atomic power.

North Korea said it will resume operation of its nuclear program if it considered the deal because of delivery of the reactor.

planned to be completed in 2003. U.S. officials said they will not resume operation of its nuclear program until at least five years of

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# Death-row population dips

BY CURT ANDERSON  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The number of death-row prisoners dropped last year for the first time since the Supreme Court reinstated capital punishment in 1976, the Justice Department reported Sunday. The decline was part of a trend that has seen fewer people sentenced to die in recent years.

The death-row population fell from 3,601 in 2000 to 3,581 in 2001, the first year-to-year decrease in 25 years. Last year's total of 155 was the lowest number sentenced to die and put on death row since 1973. It was the third-straight year of declines.

The number of death sentences imposed last year compares with 303 in 1998 and 319 in 1996, according to the Bureau of Justice Statistics.

Sixty-six people were executed last year, compared with 85 the year before. Through Dec. 11 of this year, 68 people have been executed.

Death-penalty experts say juries and prosecutors appear to be exercising greater care in using the death penalty, particularly considering recent cases in which DNA evidence has proved that people were wrongly convicted. More prosecutors also appear to be accepting plea bargains in which a defendant accepts a sentence of life without parole.

"There is more selective use of the death penalty going on," said Richard Dieter, the executive director of the nonprofit Death Penalty Information Center, a capital-punishment research group. "The key issue, which is disturbing to people, is that they've seen inmates who may have been close to execution walk off from death row."

The government figures show that 63 men and three women

were put to death last year, all by lethal injection. The ethnic breakdown was 48 whites, 17 blacks, and one American Indian.

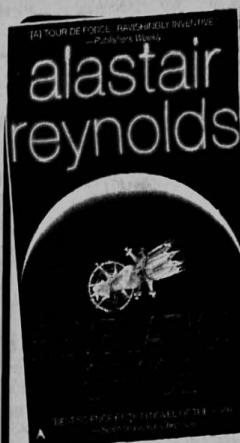
A death-row inmate is most likely to have previous felony convictions, never have been married, and have no more than a high-school education, the statistics show. Only 10 percent have attended college.

Oklahoma executed the most people in 2001, with 18, followed by 17 put to death in Texas, and seven in Missouri. In all, executions were carried out last year by 15 of the 38 states that have a

death penalty. The federal government executed two men, Oklahoma City bomber Timothy McVeigh and drug lord and murderer Juan Raul Garza.

Preliminary statistics for this year show that Texas has conducted 33 of the 68 executions nationwide.

Capital-punishment methods are changing, too. By 2001, 36 states had authorized lethal injection as the method of execution, compared with 22 a decade earlier. Since 1977, 584 of the 749 executions, or about 78 percent, have been by injection.



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# Clinton says N. Korea must halt its nuke plans

BY TOBY STERLING  
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ROTTERDAM, Netherlands — Former President Clinton said Sunday he had warned North Korea in 1994 that the United States would destroy its nuclear reactor unless it agreed to freeze its operations.

Now that Pyongyang has said it was reactivating its facilities, Clinton said, the North Koreans must be persuaded or forced to stop the weapons program.

"Make no mistake about it, it has to be ended," he said. "You do not want North Korea making bombs and selling them to the highest bidder."

Speaking at a dinner for Dutch businessmen and public figures, Clinton said it was more likely North Korea would use the nuclear issue to bargain for more aid rather than put weapons on the market.

"We had a tense situation with North Korea in my first term," Clinton said. Pyongyang "was planning six to eight" bombs a year.

"We drew up plans to destroy the reactor," he said, and he told Pyongyang the facility would be attacked unless it officials froze it.

Clinton urged President Bush to work with China, Japan, and other nations to pressure North Korea on the nuclear issue.

The White House said on Dec. 13 that Bush intended to stick with a diplomatic approach to the crisis and ruled out military action to shut the reactor.

Under the 1994 deal with the Clinton administration, North Korea froze its nuclear program in return for a promise of two safer light-water reactors. It also received a guarantee of 500,000 tons of heavy oil annually until the reactors are built.

Washington halted the oil shipments after U.S. officials said in October that the communist country had acknowledged having a uranium-enrichment program to build atomic weapons.

North Korea said last week it will resume operation and construction of its reactors. It said it considered the agreement dead because of delays in the delivery of the reactors, initially planned to be completed by 2003. U.S. officials anticipate at least five years of delay.



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# Church head wants healing after Cardinal Law resigns

BY THEO EMERY  
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BOSTON — The man put in charge of the scandal-wracked Boston Archdiocese after Cardinal Bernard Law's resignation called for healing and reconciliation Sunday, drawing applause as he celebrated Mass at the Cathedral of the Holy Cross.

"How many are brokenhearted; how many are captives of the crimes and the sins of sexual abuse against minors? How many have had their freedom curtailed because of injustice?" Bishop Richard Lennon asked.

It was Lennon's first appearance since the Vatican appointed him on Dec. 13 to the post of apostolic administrator for an archdiocese that has been embroiled for the past year in a clergy sex-abuse scandal. He will have the full authority of the archbishop until a permanent successor to Law is named.

"I pledge to do all that I can to be a shepherd of this great archdiocese, relying on the prayers, the support, the assistance of all of God's people," Lennon, 55, told the parishioners.

After Mass, Lennon clasped hands of parishioners and embraced others, then walked outside to speak to victims.

"I told him my story and he said, 'God bless, and I'm sorry.' I hope he really meant it," said Robert Hatch, 45, who described himself as a victim of clergy sexual misconduct and a frequent protester at the cathedral. "It seems like he's trying, but I need to see more healing."

Hatch said he would like to see a reconciliation Mass for victims. A church spokesman said one will be held but has not yet been scheduled.

Lennon, the rector and president of St. John's Seminary, has been handed a heavy load. In addition to settlement talks with victims of sex abuse by priests,

the fourth-largest Roman Catholic archdiocese faces possible bankruptcy and a grand-jury investigation.

Church records released in a series of lawsuits have horrified parishioners with descriptions of accused priests being moved from parish to parish and allegations that included one priest accused of having sexual relations with nuns in training whom he encouraged to "be

Lennon

Law's replacement

brides of Christ" and another of fathering at least two children and abandoning his lover as she overdosed.

Law, who became a target of protests for not taking tougher steps to remove abusive priests, was back in Boston Sunday but had no public appearances scheduled, archdiocese spokeswoman Donna Morrissey said.

The cardinal told a *Boston Globe* reporter during his flight home from Rome that he didn't know what his new role in the church would be.

"I really think that what I have done is best for the church, and I have to leave it at that," Law said.

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# Firm used 'national security' to expedite Internet changes

BY TED BRIDIS  
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WASHINGTON — The Bush administration sped approval for moving one of the Internet's 13 traffic-management computers after a prominent technology company urged the government to "declare some kind of national-security threat and blow past the process," according to federal officials' e-mails.

The correspondence provides a window into how U.S. corporations invoke national security to expedite business requests.

In this case, the Commerce Department approved — in just two days — Verisign Inc.'s request at the end of October to

move one of the 13 computer servers that manage global Internet traffic. Verisign operates two of the world's "root servers," which contain lists of directories that control e-mail delivery and Web surfing.

The company's lobbyists had argued that waiting additional days or weeks for approval "is a problem and could impact national security," according to e-mails among U.S. officials obtained by the Associated Press under the Freedom of Information Act.

Leading technology experts and senior government officials said the change was appropriate to correct a poor design decision made five years earlier. They said holding off for days or weeks

would not have jeopardized either national security or the Internet.

Watchdog groups say it is increasingly popular, and successful, for companies to claim requests need approval to avoid risks to national security.

So far, it has helped win liability protection for airlines and pharmaceutical companies and financial help for insurance companies.

"It's become the mantra. Industries are using the national-security threat to get a lot of regulations they want," said Larry Noble, the executive director of the Center for Responsive Politics. "The problem for government is to sort out the legitimate claims and what are cover stories."

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# NYC braces for massive transit strike

BY AMY WESTFELDT  
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NEW YORK — Subway and bus workers were poised to shut down the nation's largest mass-transit system as early as today if they didn't receive a new contract giving them raises and changing work rules they call demeaning.

Mayor Michael Bloomberg warned New Yorkers Sunday afternoon to plan for a strike and declared that "we are all in this together." Gov. George Pataki rejected demands that he intervene in negotiations.

"There is no person capable of riding in on a white horse with a bag of money to resolve this contract," Pataki said. He and Bloomberg spoke to reporters as the city's emergency command center went into operation in anticipation of a strike.

Union President Roger Toussaint minutes later said all major contract issues still needed to be resolved. But he did not rule out a last-minute settlement with the Metropolitan Transportation Authority.

"We intend to and still expect that our contract will be resolved before midnight tonight," he said. "We believe the MTA is responsible for pushing transport workers to the brink."

Across the city, businesses prepared by reserving hotel rooms for employees and chartering buses, while residents bought bicycles, organized car pools, and flooded city stores to buy holiday gifts and food. Millions pondered

how New York would operate if the 34,000 union workers launched a strike in defiance of state law.

"We have made a little progress; however, we are still far apart on economic issues," Transport Workers Union Secretary-Treasurer Ed Watt said Sunday morning.

Negotiations continued through the day between the union and the Metropolitan Transportation Authority, the state agency that runs a subway and bus system that averages 7.2 million rides a day.

Union negotiators have said privately that the talks could continue into today without an immediate strike. However, Watt said on Sunday that extending the 12:01 a.m. deadline was "not under consideration."

Approximately 50 people rallied in support of transit workers outside the midtown hotel in which the talks are being held.

"All we ever asked for was a decent wage," said Seydou Njoya, a retired bus driver who participated in the last strike in 1980. Still, "nobody wants to see a strike because it's detrimental to everybody."

A strike could cost the city up to \$350 million a day in police overtime costs and lost business and taxes, according to the mayor, and others have warned that a strike would create chaos in the streets, stranding travelers and endangering lives.

Cabs and car services were



Malik Callender (right) of Queens participates in a rally in support of transit workers outside the Grand Hyatt Hotel in New York on Sunday.

asked to add drivers and pick up multiple fares if a strike occurs, and other rail lines and ferries planned more service. Even taxi dispatchers were being called in to drive, said Matt Daus, the head of the Taxi & Limousine Commission.

"It's not going to be even a drop in the bucket in terms of solving the problem of 7 million displaced passengers," he said. "We've got to put our head down and do the best that we can."

Union officials said they were as close to striking as they

have been since an 11-day court last week for injunctions that could subject workers to jail time and heavy fines if they strike. The union has appealed a judge's order that would hold striking workers in contempt.

Many commuters say a strike would just further damage a city still suffering economically from the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attack.

"The union knows what happened last year. They know the economy was crippled," said Henry Robbins, an express-mail service worker. "It's not the right time."

The city and state asked a

## Pakistan police thwart alleged bombing plan

BY ZARAR KHAN  
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KARACHI, Pakistan — In a foiled suicide-bomb plot, Islamic militants planned to ram an explosives-laden Volkswagen into a car carrying U.S. diplomats in Karachi, Pakistan police said on Sunday.

Police said they arrested three men on Dec. 13 and Dec. 14 and seized approximately 250 sacks of ammonium nitrate, a fertilizer used in explosives. They said the suspects had been trained at a camp in Afghanistan run by Islamic militants fighting Indian rule in the disputed province of Kashmir.

"They were preparing for the attack on American diplomats in the coming days, and they had the car bomb ready," provincial Police Chief Kamal Shah told a news conference.

"They were surveying for appropriate place" on one of the main roads in this southern port city, frequently used by diplomats, he said.

Shah said one of the suspects, Asif Zaheer, was linked to a May suicide bombing outside a hotel in Karachi that killed 14 people, including 11 French engineers. "Asif Zaheer is an expert in explosives, and he was the man who prepared the car for suicide bombing at the Sheraton Hotel," Shah said.

Police said they had no immediate evidence of links between the foiled plot and the Al Qaeda terror network.

"We cannot rule out a network of Al Qaeda in Karachi," he said. "But there is no concrete evidence yet."

The plan apparently involved loading the nose of the rear-engine Volkswagen bug with explosives, waiting for a diplomatic vehicle to pass, and ramming it to detonate the bomb.

The would-be attackers apparently decided on their plan after a June bombing outside the U.S. Consulate in Karachi killed 12 Pakistanis but no Americans.

"Assessing the strength of the U.S. Consulate building, we decided to target American diplomats as they traveled on

city roads," Shah quoted Zaheer as telling police.

He said Zaheer had no apparent links to the consulate attack but wanted to drive the planned suicide car bomb personally to ensure the plot succeeded.

The 250 88-pound sacks of fertilizer — not all of which would have been used in the car bombing — could produce a huge explosion. Shah said Zaheer told investigators it was twice the amount of explosives used in the May bombing.

Earlier Sunday, authorities had announced the arrests of three men Dec. 14 in connection with the May suicide bombing, but it was not immediately clear if they were some three suspects discussed in the press conference.

Shah said only that six suspects are still at large in that attack. He said Zaheer and the other suspects were trained in Afghanistan at the camp of the militant group Harkat-ul-Jihad-e-Islami.

The militants demand that Kashmir, divided between India and Pakistan, be reunited and either be given independence or be allowed to join Islamic Pakistan. India's part of Kashmir is the majority Hindu country's only state dominated by Muslims.

Police have arrested several other people in connection with the May attack, and they have apprehended dozens of others alleged to have taken part in a spate of attacks on foreigners in Karachi.

Many of those arrested earlier are reportedly members of the Harkat-ul-Mujahideen Al-Almi extremist group.

Earlier reports had suggested the suspects might be linked to Lashkar-e-Jhangvi, a group blamed for the June consulate bombing as well as attacks on several churches. But Shah said that appeared not to be the case.

Zaheer was also wanted in connection with the killing of a television producer in the capital, Islamabad, earlier this year.

"These arrests are a major breakthrough," Shah said. "We have not only prevented a major terrorist attack but also succeeded in solving an old case."

**They were preparing for the attack on American diplomats in the coming days, and they had the car bomb ready.**

**Kamal Shah,**  
provincial police chief

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## Letters to the Editor

### Enough about Pierce

So everyone's upset about the Pierre Pierce case. I, for one, have seen enough angry, repetitive letters summarizing the opinions of most every justice-minded human being in Eastern Iowa. Can we focus on something else for a change? With the holidays coming up, all this talk is starting to bum me out. How about we start a dialogue about which show is going to be better, "The Bachelor" or "Joe Millionaire"? Or maybe we discuss how cool downtown looks with all those lights everywhere. Can't they keep them up all year? We have made enough noise; the right people are doing noble work and trying to change things, but can we leave the Letters to the Editor section for a variety of opinions? The Pierce case is a no-brainer — it was handled wrong. Now let's put our minds to good use and go watch reality TV.

Jayson Miller  
UI student

### More about Pierce

It is a testament to our community's sense of fairness and justice that so many letters have been written that speak out against the UI's handling of the Pierre Pierce case. I would like to add my voice to the many that

have been published in these pages. I am writing as a show of support to the victim, as a voice against the actions taken thus far by the university, and as an advocate of a thorough investigation into the facts surrounding this unfortunate case. I hope the letters of outrage continue to have a daily presence until this case has been resolved in a way that our community can endorse.

Laurie S. Moore  
UI employee

### Hennick misunderstood Limbaugh's stance

Rush Limbaugh has said himself that he thinks that he is "the most misunderstood famous person in America." Calvin Hennick's tirade on Limbaugh (*DI*, Dec. 11) was nothing but a misunderstanding. However, Hennick is correct about Limbaugh's erroneous statement on the purpose of feminism. Ridiculous.

Calvin, you should have listened to the rest of the program, besides a half an hour. Limbaugh wanted to know what the accomplishment was for Jamie Lee Curtis showing her "flabby middle" in *More* magazine. Why is she someone to look up to? Because she posed in a less than physically attractive manner? Most women in America could have done what Curtis did. It was, admittedly, in a world of *Maxim* and *FHM*

magazines, going against the grain. But is that a qualifier for being "Woman of the Year"?

And Nancy Pelosi. Yes, being the first woman "leader" in Congress is an accomplishment. But Limbaugh was arguing how Pelosi went about getting that position. After then-House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt stood beside President Bush and approved the Iraq resolution passed by Congress, the Democratic establishment concocted a scheme to remove Gephardt from leadership. That action of standing by Bush in the best interests of America and the world wasn't in the best interests of the Democratic Party. So much for the "politics of personal destruction," huh, Democratic Party?

Rush and I would probably agree on these nominees for *Ms.* magazine's "Woman of the Year" instead:

- 1) America's nurses.
- 2) Mothers who teach their children (talk about "flipping the bird" to mainstream society and public schools).
- 3) Emily Springer. Local philanthropist. Stop by the Newman Center and visit her.
- 4) The women of Afghanistan!

Nathan Benn  
UI alumus

## Editorial

### Boyd should act in Pierce case

When interim President Sandy Boyd wrote his famous letter regarding the Pierre Pierce plea agreement, he seemed to be quite clear in his stance: The entire situation surrounding Pierce's rape trial stinks, and something needs to be done about it. In his letter, Boyd even went so far as to suggest that while Pierce's legal troubles might be over, he still had a score to settle with the UI Code of Student Life. To the delight of protesters, it seemed as though Boyd was willing to break ranks with Athletics Department officials who apparently wanted to bury the issue and hope everyone would simply forget.

However, more than a month after writing his letter, no progress has been made. In fact, it seems even more likely that Boyd has joined the ranks of those waiting for it to blow over. When recently presented with two petitions calling for tougher actions to be taken against Pierce, Boyd had little to say. He expressed support for the petitioners but admitted that he had no idea if a university investigative committee had made any progress on the issue. This is truly unfortunate because it was Boyd himself who suggested the formation of the committee in his letter. Such ignorance on his part is unacceptable. Rather than sit and wait for things to sort themselves out, he needs to personally ensure that the investigation proceeds.

If Boyd truly had no intention of pursuing a serious investigation against Pierce, then he should simply have kept his mouth shut and his pen still. But by writing the letter and making it public, he threw himself into the situation. He made an implied promise to the outraged women and men of the university and Iowa City communities to ensure that justice was done and that

guilty parties did not escape unscathed. Since that time, he has done virtually nothing, and people are beginning to notice. When protesters were asked about Boyd's reaction to the petitions, many expressed disappointment. His lack of enthusiasm and lack of information on an issue that had seemed so important to him led some to question his resolve.

Boyd explains his noninvolvement by citing the fact that, if push comes to shove, he will act as the final arbiter in the case and should thus remain neutral. This, however, is not an appropriate justification for allowing a committee he formed not to address this issue. If he truly wants something to be done about this matter, he must take responsibility for the situation himself. After all, he will never get the chance to say the final word on this case if no one presents it before him.

The time for letters and rhetoric has passed. If Pierce is prosecutable under the Code of Student Life, then Boyd has a personal responsibility to see to it. Writing letters and forming committees is simply not enough. At this point, Pierce has received little punishment from the university or the Athletics Department, and athletics officials seem quite content to leave it at that. Therefore, it is up to Boyd to overrule his subordinates in the Athletics Department and take matters into his own hands. At the very least, Pierce pleaded guilty to assault causing injury, a serious misdemeanor, and issued a statement apologizing for "inappropriate sexual conduct." Together with the now unsealed police records, there is surely enough evidence to proceed with a hearing under the Code of Student Life. The ball is in Boyd's court, and he owes it to the entire community to at least take a shot at making things right.



## Here's one for the road we all go down

You probably don't know Gabe Suk very well. I now realize I don't know him well enough myself, and the passing of his presence in Iowa City will likely go unnoticed.

Gabe is graduating this December, moving on to bigger and better things. Or smaller and better things, actually, if he has his way. Because, like many (though maybe not enough) members of his generation, Gabe is not particularly attracted to the idea of a high-paying, life-tracking, post-college road to Successville, suburban-style.

The kind of road he's hoping to travel cuts across the plains of Africa, where it's unclear at times exactly where a shot at the horizon will lead you. It's a difficult trajectory, and one that's led him to wonder whether he's ever made a real difference in the world or whether he ever will.

Last January, Gabe left the United States to volunteer for seven months as an AIDS educator in rural South Africa. If the role sounded noble and heroic from across an ocean, he soon found that what it entailed — when the rubber hit the road — was, well, a lot of roads and a lot of rubbers.

When they first dropped him off in the district of Qokolweni in the Eastern Cape, it was at the end of a half-day journey in the back of a pickup truck packed to the hilt

with five other passengers, luggage for six, one guitar, and 60,000 condoms.

The nongovernmental organization he was working with essentially abandoned him at that point, and the villagers greeted the young solo trekker with a hearty and well-intentioned: "There is no place for you to stay. Your accommodations fell through. But, we are looking for some other home." He was then treated to an invigorating exorcism at the local church and a tall glass of *amasi*, a chunky, soured milk common at African mealtime.

With a cleansed spirit, a turned stomach, and — after several vagabond days — a spot to sleep in the mud brick house of the village chief, Gabe set out to save the world.

But the world is a mundane place, and the work necessary to save it a daily and humbling one. He described it in a letter months later:

*What my job usually involved was standing around the gum tree showing people how to put condoms on using either a walking stick or a wooden dildo given to me by the local clinic that sometimes found its way into my pocket on one of my life-saving missions. Along with the distribution and demonstration with the older*



JESSE ELLIOTT

*kids, I would sit with the younger, and presumably non-sexually active kids, and read them multi-lingual pamphlets that outlined the basics of HIV/AIDS. I would read in their language, Xhosa, and they would read back to me in English. My days came to be measured by the number of condoms I was able to distribute, demonstrations given, along with the number of reading sessions held. Sometimes the kids would scatter as I came to read stories, but few ever turned me down for a free condom, which seemed to be promising until they started to get guilty consciences and some began*

*to admit that they never actually used condoms.*

*— Then what do you do with all the condoms I give you?*

*— We keep them in our drawers, just in case.*

In the meantime, the village was burying a schoolteacher whose death had been attributed, as usual, to "stomach cancer." The segment of the population aged 18 to 45 was conspicuously absent at the funeral. Surely, some had left the Earth for other reasons. There wasn't much talk about AIDS that day, or most of the days that followed.

Africa, for Gabe, was both stimulating and sickening. It was grave, lighthearted, energizing, and demoralizing. He started more than a few children singing in an ad hoc choir and buried more than a few friends in impromptu ceremonies. In the face of such emotional oscillation, it would be an amazing feat just to make it back home alive. But now, as a result of the people he came to love, the few he might have saved, and the many who saved him, Gabe wants to go down that road again.

The simple story he shares with us on these uncertain pre-rest-of-our-lives nights serves as a lesson, I think, for all who would venture out towards the horizon in search of contribution and community.

You must go into it knowing there's a good possibility the children won't remember the life-saving devices stored away in their drawers. Your stomach turns, but so does the world, and so you suck it up, swallow the sour milk down, exorcise a few demons, and get about your work, every day. *Just in case, every day.*

*And here's to that work, Gabe. Here's to our future, all of us humans being, oscillating on every continent, every day. The passing of our presences will not go unnoticed. We will notice each other, every day.*

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## In My Opinion

Do you think interim President Sandy Boyd has fully addressed the Pierre Pierce situation?



"I don't think he's spent enough time with faculty and staff."

Pollock Smikoski  
UI graduate student



"He's doing more than anyone else is."

Matt Klein  
UI sophomore



"I think that [Pierce] should be treated as fairly as everyone else."

Deanna Hagg  
UI senior



"Of course not. I think eventually, the appeasement of the Athletics Department has to stop."

Andy Roche  
UI senior



"I think that he has, but there's no way anything he says can satisfy everyone."

Sarah Brandes  
UI freshman

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### FILM REVIEW

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#### Maid in Manhattan

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Since she burst onto the scene of popular culture with her Golden Globe-nominated performance in the 1997 film *Selena*, Jennifer Lopez has been hailed as a star who can do it all. With success coming in the form of both *Billboard* hits, runway designs, and box-office success, Lopez seems to be a modern day King Midas, turning everything she touches to gold.

But before we crown Lopez as the next worthy successor to such pop/film stars as Bette Midler or Cher, it is important to look at her film track record with a critical eye.

After *Selena* (we'll skip *Anaconda*), Lopez struck gold again with a classy portrayal of a tough, no-nonsense cop in Steven Soderbergh's *Out of Sight*. But then came *The Cell* (which was hailed as "The Silence of the Lambs for dummies"), *The Wedding Planner* (boring and predictable),

*Angel Eyes* (if only box offices gave refunds), and *Enough* (bad) which makes one realize that J-Lo is in desperate need for a big screen hit and fast.

So how does a once-automatic, now-questionable movie star go about putting her name in the box office top 10? First, you release a single that says that you know your hometown roots and that you will never forget where you came from. Then, you release a film in which you play a single mother from the inner city desperately struggling to get by.

Sprinkle a little bit of tabloid sugar in there (like, say, an engagement to another huge Hollywood star), and PRESTO, you have what Hollywood likes to term a certifiable hit.

Or do you? Jenny from the Block's attempt to regain the box office is *Maid in Manhattan*. J-Lo plays Marisa, a maid in a swanky New York hotel who is just trying to make ends meet. Marisa lives with her son Ty, a clever fourth-grader who is obsessed with studying the 1970s and is constantly upset that his dad never comes to see him. Dad's irresponsible nature forces Ty to spend his weekends at the hotel, waiting for Mom to get off work.

What would a romantic comedy be without a case of mistaken identity? Here, the pawn comes in the form of the Kennedy-esque politician named Chris Marshall (played by a very embarrassed Ralph Fiennes) who befriends the bratty Ty and comes to believe that Ty's mother is a New York socialite with a biting tongue. Both Chris and Marisa fall in love but the question remains: Will Chris still take Marisa to bed if he



Jennifer Lopez and Ralph Fiennes star in *Maid in Manhattan*.

knows that Marisa will be making the bed in the morning?

The main problem with *Maid in Manhattan* is that it hardly lives up to any Cinderella story of the past, including Julia Roberts' now classic *Pretty Woman*. With Roberts, there was a true fish-out-of-water feeling and a playful innocence at the world of riches that she was being exposed to. Roberts shed light on the fact that the world was much more than money and that love can grow and conquer despite any obstacles.

In *Maid in Manhattan*, Lopez is unable to grasp the themes that made *Pretty Woman* such a success. The film struggles immensely to display any sort of realism in its script or any sort of heart from its character.

Ultimately, though, this is Lopez's film. Although she is sweet and loving to her son, she inevitably comes off as shallow

and stiff. There is no underbelly of emotion in her character, and Lopez plays only a tamed-down version of herself.

She may claim that she knows where she came from, but her memory of hard times growing up in the Bronx is awfully cloudy. Lopez is unable to capture any of this authenticity, figuring that by being absolutely, stunningly beautiful, we will forget her acting faults.

Lopez has a long way to go before she can proudly proclaim herself a true movie star. *Maid in Manhattan* goes into her ever-growing list of Must Miss Films. Her newest film sinks like the Titanic, and unless Lopez is careful, she, too, will soon go down with the ship.

**Worth:** \$9 (with date)  
**Worth:** \$3.50 (Cuddle up with *Pretty Woman* this weekend)

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## J-Lo's Maid warps past aging Star Trek

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LOS ANGELES — Jennifer Lopez's romantic *Maid in Manhattan* cleaned up at the weekend box office, narrowly sweeping past *Star Trek: Nemesis*.

*Maid* debuted with \$19 million, while the 10th *Star Trek* adventure took second place with \$18.75 million, according to studio estimates Sunday.

Premiere at No. 3 with \$13.05 million was *Drumline*, an energetic tale of a Harlem drummer playing in a marching band at a Southern university. Rob Schneider's comedy *The Hot Chick* debuted with \$7.5 million, tying for No. 4 with the James Bond flick *Die Another Day*, last weekend's top movie.

It was the first time in weeks that new movies led the box-office charts. *Die Another Day* and *Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets* had been duking it out for the No. 1 and 2 spots over the last few weekends.

That pattern will continue next weekend with a big lineup of debuts, including *The Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers*, Martin Scorsese's *Gangs of New York*, and Sandra Bullock's romance *Two Weeks Notice*.

The overall box office rose slightly, with the top 12 movies grossing \$90.5 million, up 3 percent from the same weekend last year.

*Maid in Manhattan*, a *Pretty Woman*-style romance, stars Lopez as a hotel housekeeper wooed by a political heir, played by Ralph Fiennes. Women made up 60 percent of the audience.

Though *Two Weeks Notice* will compete for the same crowd, *Maid in Manhattan* has a good head start on the holidays, when romantic comedies tend to draw solid audiences, said Tom Sherak, a partner in Revolution Studios, which produced the movie for distributor Sony.

"It's a great opening, and now we're about to come up on the 10 biggest consecutive days of the year, the time when people really go out to the movies," he said.

*Star Trek: Nemesis* had the weakest debut for the franchise since 1991's *Star Trek VI: The Undiscovered Country*, the last adventure starring the original 1960s TV cast. The three previous *Trek* movies featuring the "Next Generation" cast each opened with \$22 million or more.

The 35-year-old franchise is showing its age, with men older than 25 making up the biggest share of the audience.

"But we still feel comfortable going into the holidays," said Wayne Lewellen, the head of distribution for "Star Trek" studio Paramount. "We're hoping the audience that didn't show up this weekend will find the movie in the next few weekends."

Jack Nicholson's dark comedy *About Schmidt* opened strongly in limited release, taking in \$283,000 at six theaters for a whopping \$47,167 average. Nicholson plays a drab, retired insurance man who re-examines his life and isn't sure he likes what he sees.

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JAMES and MARGARET PHILLIPS, individually and as Class Representatives on behalf of All Similarly Situated Persons Who Are or Were Insureds of Shelter Mutual Insurance Company,

Plaintiffs,

vs. Case No. CJ-2002-263

SHELTER MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, Defendant. CLASS ACTION

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Class action litigation against Shelter Mutual Insurance Company ("Shelter") has been pending in the District Court for Canadian County, State of Oklahoma, Case No. CJ-2002-263 (the "Court"). The parties to that Action have reached a Proposed Settlement. The Court has preliminarily certified a Class for settlement purposes only and has authorized the publication of this Notice.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Court (Judge Edward C. Cunningham) will hold a hearing on February 19, 2003 at 10:30 a.m., at the Courthouse for the District Court of Canadian County, State of Oklahoma, 301 North Choctaw Street, El Reno, Oklahoma 73036, to determine: (1) whether the Class should be finally certified for settlement purposes; (2) whether the Proposed Settlement of the case should be approved as fair, reasonable and adequate; (3) whether the case should be dismissed with prejudice and without leave to amend pursuant to the terms of the Proposed Settlement; (4) whether Class Members should be bound by the release set forth in the Proposed Settlement; (5) whether Class Members should be permanently enjoined from, among other things, starting, continuing, participating in (as class members or otherwise), or receiving any benefits from, any other lawsuit, arbitration, or administrative, regulatory or other proceeding or order in any jurisdiction based on or relating to the claims, facts or circumstances in this Action and/or the Released Claims (as described in the Settlement Notice); and (6) whether Plaintiffs' attorneys' application for an award of Attorneys' Fees and Costs should be approved and whether the Class Representatives' incentive fee should be approved.

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A detailed Settlement Notice has been prepared which describes the Proposed Settlement and Class Members' rights. The Proposed Settlement and the scheduled Court hearing may affect those rights. If you are a potential member of the Class and have not received a copy of the Settlement Notice, you can obtain one by calling the Claims Administrator at 1-877-647-5890 or write to P.O. Box 2995, Portland, OR 97208-2995.

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Dated: October 3, 2002

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Judge of the District Court

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"I think that he has, but there's no way anything he says can satisfy everyone."

Sarah Brandes UI freshman



### calendar

UI Presidential Search, public forum with a presidential candidate, Edward Ray, provost of Ohio State University, today at 4 p.m., IMU second-floor ballroom.

How to Give Employee Performance Reviews, UI Staff Development, time and place TBA; call 335-2687 for information.

MONDAY PRIME TIME													
IC	UI	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
<b>HOME ANTENNA</b>													
KGAN	2	(2)	News	Millionaire	King	Yes, Dear	Raymond	Still	CSI: Miami	News	Late Show (10:35)	Extra	
KWWL	7	(7)	News	Fortune	Fear Factor (PA)	Third Watch	Crossing Jordan	News	Tonight Show (10:35)	News	Late Show (10:35)	Late Night	
KFXA	8	(4)	Frasier	Seinfeld	Boston Public	Christmas Moments	News	Raymond	King-Hill	Home Imp.	Star Trek: Voyager		
KCRG	9	(9)	News	Friends	Monk	NFL Football: New England Patriots at Tennessee Titans. (Live)				News	Dharma		
KIIN	13	(13)	NewsHour	Hometime	Antiques Roadshow	Ken Burns American Stories	Liar's Theatre	Business	News	Globe			
KVWB	20	(16)	Will-Grace	Crossing	7th Heaven	Everwood	'70s Show	'70s Show	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	Blind Date	5th Wheel	
<b>CABLE CHANNELS</b>													
WISN	10		Audio programming										
WGN	3	(3)	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Sour Grapes (R, '98) *** (Steven Weber)	News		Justice	Heat of Night	Matlock			
GOVT	4		Envirocate		From Cocoa to Gas	Ending Violence	Dust Bowl	Balladeer and Victorian Vignettes	Coping				
PAX	6		Shop-Drop	Fam. Feud	The Santa Trap (02) (Robert Hays)	Diagnosis Murder	Miracle	BeatClock	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.			
LIBR	10		Tell Me Your Story	Book Talk Lch	Intellectual Freedom Festival 2001	History for Lunch	Library Information						
EDUC	11		Education Exchange (5)			District Parent Organization	Kirkwood Currents						
CRSN	14	(23)	House of Rep.	Prime Time Public Affairs				Prime Time Public Affairs					
CRSN2	15	(21)	U.S. Senate Coverage	Public Affairs				Public Affairs					
CRNB	16	(29)	Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	After Hours-Bartiromo	Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	After Hours-Bartiromo					
UIV	17	(3)	France	Spanish	Abnormal Psychology	Classic TV Comedy	Step	Step	Korean	Greece	France	Argentina	
PUBL	18		Confinmt	SCTV Cal.	Education	Live Local	Access	Cree	30Minutes	RBO TV	Student Film	No Dogs All'wd	
FXC	28		Fox Report	Fam. Feud	O'Reilly Factor	Hannity & Colmes	On the Record	O'Reilly Factor	Special Report				
MTV	27	(4)	Direct Effect	Staying Alive Concert		Band II	Band II	Movie Hs	All Things Rock	Audioslave Live			
QWV	28	(26)	Crossfire	Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live	Newsnight-Br.	Newsnight-Br.	Chung	Moneyline	Larry King Live			
DISC	29	(5)	New Detectives	Monster Garage	Crash Files: On the In	Crash Files	Monster Garage	Crash Files: On the In					
ACE	30	(38)	Real Story	TVography	American Justice	Investigative Reports	Third Watch	TVography					
USA	31	(34)	Con Air (4:30) (R, '97)	U-571 (PG-13, '00) *** (Matthew McConaughey)		Bon Jovi-N.Y.	Nash Bridges	Robbery					
LIFE	32	(36)	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Judgment Day: The Ellie Nesler Story (99)	Golden	Golden	Nanny	Nanny				
TWR	32	(30)	Weather	Weather	Evening Edition	Weather	Weather	Evening Edition					
FX	33		Buffy Vampire	Tightrope (R, '84) *** (Clint Eastwood)		Married...	24	Tightrope (R, '84)					
INT	33	(35)	Law & Order: Menace	Door to Door (02) ** (William H. Macy)	Door to Door (02) ** (William H. Macy)	House	Gangs NY	I Love the '80s: 1980.					
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ANIM	38		Animals	Animal	Pet Psychic	Animal Precinct	Animal Cops	Pet Psychic	Animal Precinct				
AMC	41		Winterhawk (5) (76)	Dreamscape (84) *** (Dennis Quaid)	Enemy Mine	A space pilot and his enemy unite to survive.	Drmscape						
SPEED	42		Inside Winston Cup	NASCAR Racing: Modified Series	Bathurst 24 Hours	Hot Rod	MotorWk.	Motor	Inside Winston Cup				
DISN	43		Sister, Sis. Lizzie	The Ultimate Christmas Present	Lizzie	Even	Sister, Sis.	Boy World	Boy World	So Weird	Famous		
FOXSP	44	(33)	Last Word	See This	Bulls Pre	NBA Basketball: Celtics at Bulls	Bulls Post	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)					
COM	45	(42)	Late Night	Saturday Night Live	Saturday Night Live	Trigger TV	Yankers	Daily	Tough	Insomniac	Primetime		
BRAY	46	(39)	Actors Studio	Page to Screen: Jaws	Second City Presents	Sanders	Sanders	Page to Screen: Jaws	Second City Presents				
NICK	48	(18)	Arnold	Rugrats	Arnold	Rugrats	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	Cosby	Cosby	
ESPN	50		Sportsctr.	Monday Night Countdown	Figure Skating: Skating Spectacular		Cheerleading: College	Sportscenter					
EL	51	(45)	Saturday Night Live	Ginger Lynn: The El True Hollywood Story	Rank	Howard S.	Howard S.	Wild On...					
TDON	51	(17)	Ed, Edd	Courage	Grandma-Run	Grinch	Yule Toon	Courage	Time Sqd	Flint	Tom Jerry	Gundam	G.I. Joe
ESPN2	55	(46)	Interrupt	Streetball	Streetball	Cheerlead	PBA Bowling	Billiards: WPBA	Strong	Interrupt	NBA	NFL Films	
BET	57	(40)	106 Park	BET com	Hidden Blessings (00) ** (Kim Fields)	Comicview	News	Tonight	Midnight Love				
TNN	59	(37)	Real TV	Real TV	Star Trek: Next Gener.	WWE Raw (Live)	CSI: Crime Scn	V.I.P. (11:05)					
HST	60	(37)	Modern Marvels	Mail Call	Conquest	Masada	History vs. Hollywood	Mail Call	Conquest				
TBS	61	(32)	Friends	Seinfeld	Sleepless in Seattle (PG, '93) *** (Tom Hanks)	When Harry Met Sally (R, '89) (Billy Crystal)	Sleepless						
UNI	62	(24)	Gata Salvaje	Las Vias del Amor	El Privilegio de Amar	Cristina	P. Impacto	Noticiero	Mejores Famili				
TBN	70		Chironna	Bishop	Behind	Schambch	Franklin	Duplantis	Praise the Lord (Live)	Ministries	E.V. Hill		
<b>PREMIUM CHANNELS</b>													
HBO	550	(14)	Multiplicity (5) (96)	A.I.: Artificial Intelligence (PG-13, '01) (Haley Joel Osment)	First Look	O (R, '01) *** (Mekhi Phifer)	Pavement						
MAX	552	(15)	Things to Do	From Hell (R, '01) *** (Johnny Depp)	Booby Call (R, '97) (Jamie Foxx)	Killer Sex (NR, '01) (Staci Noel)							

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### UITV schedule

12 p.m.-12:30, 3 p.m.-3:30, 6:30 p.m.-7:00 — "Iowa Basketball with Steve Alford"

### quote of the day

This isn't 1952 anymore. I think people need to realize there are different people everywhere. If 15- and 17-year-olds are mature enough to handle this, the rest of the country can.  
— Rachel Urban, a 17-year-old Crete-Monee (Ill.) senior, on the senior class voting a lesbian pair the school's "cutest couple."

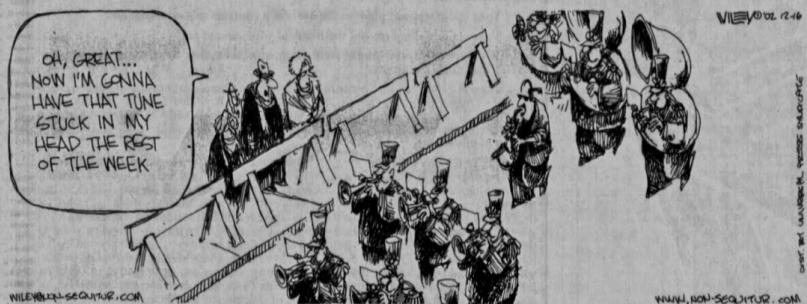
### DILBERT

by Scott Adams



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### Doonesbury

BY GARRY TRUDEAU



### public access tv schedule

- 8 a.m. Democracy Now
- 11 Civil Liberties After Sept. 11
- 12:10 p.m. Live from Prairie Lights: Charles Fergus
- 1:25 The One Minute Talent Show
- 1:30 The Corynne Cooper Show: Matt Bar
- 2 Satsang with Gangaji: The Secret that Cannot be Spoken
- 3 Eighty Years of Alessi Design
- 4:10 Krishnamurti: The Transformation of Man Part 2
- 5:10 North Liberty Christmas Tree Walk
- 6 Disproportionate Minority Confinement
- 6:30 SCTV Calendar
- 7 Education Exchange
- 7:30 Live & Local
- 8 Access Update
- 8:30 Nancy Cree Keyboard Highlights
- 9 30 Minutes
- 9:30 RBO TV
- 10 UI Student Film & Video Show
- 11 No Dogs or Philosophers Allowed

### The New York Times Crossword

Edited by Will Shortz

No. 1104

ACROSS

- 1 Tony winner Minnelli
- 5 Not all
- 9 Leg bone
- 14 Author unknown, for short
- 15 List-shortening abbr.
- 16 Upturned, as a box
- 17 Direct
- 20 "To \_\_\_ is human ..."
- 21 Seeks money damages from
- 22 Click and clack, e.g.
- 23 Nature's alarm clock
- 25 Attention-getter
- 26 Third degree?
- 27 Kind of rally or talk
- 28 Corned beef concoction
- 32 Alarm clock setting, perhaps
- 35 Boutonnere's place
- 37 Feed lines to
- 38 Town meeting
- 41 Chowd down
- 42 What straphangers lack
- 43 Indian corn
- 44 Deliver a tirade
- 46 Dryly humorous
- 47 Hi-fi component
- 48 Major airports
- 50 "The Firm" author
- 54 St. Francis's home
- 57 Haunted house sound
- 58 Companion of the id
- 59 Surprises
- 62 Conjure up
- 63 Neighborhood
- 64 Gratis
- 65 Underground conduit
- 66 Lively
- 67 Praiseful poems

DOWN

- 1 Modern surgical tool
- 2 Conclusion's opposite
- 3 Famous slasher film?
- 4 Gasteyer of "Saturday Night Live"
- 5 Made a smooth transition
- 6 Survey choice
- 7 "Welcome" sites
- 8 Keebler cookie maker
- 9 Corrida de (bullfight)
- 10 Close to personally
- 11 Actresses Arthur and Benaderet
- 12 Memo starter
- 13 Finds the sum
- 18 Narrow strip of land
- 19 With no assurance of payment
- 24 Unwanted e-mail
- 25 Diarist Samuel
- 27 Hamburger unit
- 29 Start of a play
- 30 Mideast canal
- 31 Roll call response
- 32 Unwelcome mark
- 33 Small amount
- 34 Marvel superheroes
- 47 Palestinian leader
- 49 Wedding party member
- 50 Errand runner
- 51 Got wind of
- 52 Come to terms
- 53 Math class figures
- 54 They're worth 1 or 11 points
- 55 Computer command
- 56 Put away
- 57 Oliver's request
- 60 Gullible person
- 61 ET's craft

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### The Ledge

by #1 Staff

#### Cardinal Law's plans for retirement

- Giving depositions full-time.
- Being reassigned to another church despite several warnings.
- Learning a lot more than he wants to know about Chapter 11 bankruptcy.
- Escaping those sinners at the Boston Globe.
- Abandoning his plans to run for pope after negative advertising blasts his handling of the abuse crisis.
- Appointed to oversee President Bush's faith-based initiatives.
- Being the guy holding the "John 3:16" sign at basketball games.
- Sending the fools who write the Ledge downstairs to see "Red man."

**SCORPIO**  
NFL  
Seahawks 30, Falcons 27  
OT  
Bears 20, Jets 13  
Dolphins 23, Raiders 10  
Bucs 23, Lions 20  
Ravens 23, Oilers 19  
Bills 20, Chargers 13  
Steelers 30, Panthers 17  
Vikes 32, Saints 31

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### NFL



### Harrison's plans in single-season

CLEVELAND receiver Marvin Harrison got the sixth reception of the third quarter. On fourth-and-44, Harrison caught a hard hit from Peyton Manning. The catch earned him a 25-yard gain. Harrison got the sixth reception of the third quarter. On fourth-and-44, Harrison caught a hard hit from Peyton Manning. The catch earned him a 25-yard gain. Harrison got the sixth reception of the third quarter. On fourth-and-44, Harrison caught a hard hit from Peyton Manning. The catch earned him a 25-yard gain.

### IOWA RUGBY

### Kahlil Hill's Lions practice

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### HONOR

### Aiken left

The Daily Iowan announced that Iowa assistant coach Ron Aiken will leave the team after the 13 issue of the Press was named the AP Press' assistant coach of the year, while Kirk Ferentz was named AP coach of the year.

### IOWA STATE

### Saturday BASKETBALL

host UNI, Ca Arena, 7 p.m., tickets available

### Sunday BASKETBALL

host Liberty, Ca Arena, 3:05 p.m., tickets available

### MONDAY

NBA, Boston Chicago Bulls, 7:30 p.m.

NFL, New England Tennessee Titans, 12:05 p.m.  
KCRG



SCOREBOARD

**NFL**  
 Seahawks 30, Falcons 24, OT  
 Bears 20, Jets 13  
 Dolphins 23, Raiders 17  
 Bucs 23, Lions 20  
 Ravens 23, Oilers 19  
 Bills 20, Chargers 13  
 Steelers 30, Panthers 14  
 Vikings 32, Saints 31

Eagles 34, Skins 21  
 Jags 29, Bengals 15  
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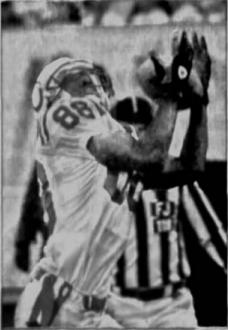
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VIKING COMEBACK: NFL roundup, Page 3B.

Monday, Dec. 16, 2002

NFL



**Harrison sets record in single-season**

CLEVELAND (AP) — Colts receiver Marvin Harrison set the NFL single-season record for receptions by making his 124th catch Sunday against Cleveland.

Harrison, who has caught at least 100 passes in each of the past four seasons, broke Herman Moore's 1995 mark of 123 catches. Harrison got the record on his sixth reception with 9:30 left in the third quarter.

On fourth-and-1 at the Cleveland 44, Harrison caught a 4-yard curl from Peyton Manning before taking a hard hit from cornerback Corey Fuller. The catch gave Harrison 97 yards for the game.

A few minutes later, Harrison caught a 25-yard touchdown pass from Manning to bring the Colts within 16-14.

The reception moved Harrison over 1,500 yards for the second-straight season, making him the first player with consecutive 1,500-yard seasons.

IOWA ROOTS

**Kahlil Hill signed to Lions practice squad**

ALLEN PARK, Mich. — The Detroit Lions signed receiver Kahlil Hill to their practice squad on Dec. 12.

The Atlanta Falcons released the 6-2, 195-pounder after two games this season. Hill, a sixth-round pick from Iowa, was promoted from the practice squad to handle the punt-return duties, but he lost a critical fumble that led to a touchdown in Chicago's 14-13 win over Atlanta.



Hill

HONOR ROLL

**Aiken left out of list**

The Daily Iowan apologizes for leaving Iowa assistant football coach Ron Aiken out of the Dec. 13 issue of the PreGame. Aiken was named the Associated Press' assistant coach of the year, while Kirk Ferentz was tabbed AP coach of the year.

IOWA SPORTS

Saturday

**BASKETBALL**, Iowa women host UNI, Carver-Hawkeye Arena, 7 p.m., tickets available

Sunday

**BASKETBALL**, Iowa men host Liberty, Carver-Hawkeye Arena, 3:05 p.m., \$24 tickets available

MONDAY TV

**NBA**, Boston Celtics at Chicago Bulls, 7:30 p.m. FOX

**NFL**, New England Patriots at Tennessee Titans, 8 p.m. KCRG

## Hawkeyes steamroll Panthers to keep state pride

BY ALI NOLLER  
 THE DAILY IOWAN

With final exams and Winter Break approaching at a break-neck speed, Iowa coach Jim Zalesky wanted his Hawkeye wrestlers to get in one more solid match before they took a 15-day break from competition.

Apparently, they take their coach seriously.

The Hawkeyes steamrolled past No. 15 Northern Iowa on Dec. 13, pounding the Panthers, 30-7, while pulling out four of their eight victories in the last period.

Iowa's supreme conditioning was evident on the mat, enabling them to keep grinding as the clock ticked down.

"You've got to be able to win those tough matches," Zalesky said. "You can say you lost a tough match — but barely — but to be successful, you've got to win those tough matches. At crunch time, those tough matches either score you a lot of points or send you to the wrestlebacks."

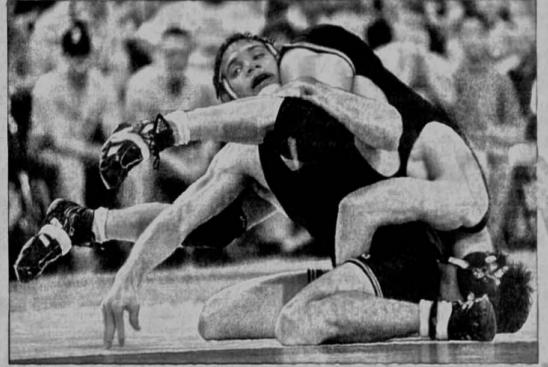
The Hawkeyes shook things up by starting the meet at heavyweight, but Steve Mocco showed the difference between starting at 125 and heavyweight was only a matter of minutes — one minute and 36 seconds to be exact — as he pinned UNI's Michael Shedek for his fifth pin of the season.

The sophomore heavyweight

improved to 6-0; he was followed by a dominating performance by Luke Eustice, the Hawkeye pillar of the lower weights.

He toyed with Chad Davis for a little more than five minutes before ending the match early by technical fall, 16-1.

"You have confidence [when you win], and now you're expected to go out there and dominate," Eustice said. "I expect to go out there and dominate, and it shows on the mat. Mocco and I feel like we're the leaders on the team, and whether we start at heavyweight or 125, we can go out there and lead by example, and



Hawkeye wrestler Tyler Nixt battles with his opponent during the meet on Dec. 13 in Cedar Falls. Nixt won the match, 6-5.

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HEISMAN TROPHY 2002

# Trophy mom

## Banks' mom awards Iowa senior her own first-place Heisman vote

BY TODD BROMMELKAMP  
 THE DAILY IOWAN

NEW YORK — Brad Banks won the Heisman Trophy on Dec. 14, but the presenter wasn't the Downtown Athletic Club, and he didn't get to cart home the famous trophy. Instead, one unofficial voter awarded the Iowa quarterback the praise that, when put in perspective, may mean more than winning the actual trophy itself.

"He's my Heisman winner," said Vida Banks, the mother of the Iowa quarterback who traveled from the family's home in Belle Glade, Fla., to be with her son.

Banks finished second in the real Heisman voting to Southern California quarterback Carson Palmer, who garnered 1,328 points to Banks' second-place showing of 1,095. Penn State running back Larry Johnson finished third, and Miami teammates Willis McGahee and Ken Dorsey placed fourth and fifth respectively.

Banks received 199 first-place votes, worth three points each, but statistical analysis provided by the Heisman group showed a late surge by Palmer during the final weeks of voting proved to be the difference between winning and losing.



Suzanne Plunkett/Associated Press

Family members, back row, cheer and USC quarterback Carson Palmer, front row, second from right, bows his head as he is announced as the winner of the Heisman Trophy. Contenders for the award are seated, from left, Iowa quarterback Brad Banks, Miami running back Willis McGahee, Miami quarterback Ken Dorsey, Penn State running back Larry Johnson, and Palmer.

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## Iowa falters against Cyclones

BY DONOVAN BURBA  
 THE DAILY IOWAN

The Iowa men's basketball team went into its Dec. 13 game against Iowa State looking to prove it is the toughest team in the state.

Instead, the Hawkeyes got beat at their own game.

The Cyclones turned in a gutsy performance down the stretch to beat their in-state rivals, 73-69, in front of a capacity crowd at Carver-Hawkeye Arena. The late-game tenacity that the Hawkeyes displayed in close wins against Drake and Southern Mississippi abandoned them as Iowa State rallied from a nine-point half-time deficit.

"I thought they were a little bit tougher than we were in the last eight minutes of the game," Iowa coach Steve Alford said, his voice hoarse from 40 minutes of trying to yell over the din of the crowd. "I think that was the difference."

Iowa seemed to have the game well in hand going into the break. Chauncey Leslie had 11 first-half points, including two on a crowd-pleasing dunk. Iowa, plagued by turnovers all year long, lost the ball just five times.

The second half was a different story.

"We were really timid to start the game," said Iowa State coach Larry Eustachy. "[My] guys are tougher than they showed in the first half. I was just glad they were able to get it on the court."

Jake Vroman spearheaded the Cyclones' comeback, scoring 11 points in the final seven minutes — all the time playing with four personal fouls. His lay-up with 20 seconds left put the Cyclones on top, 71-69, and he added a free throw moments later.

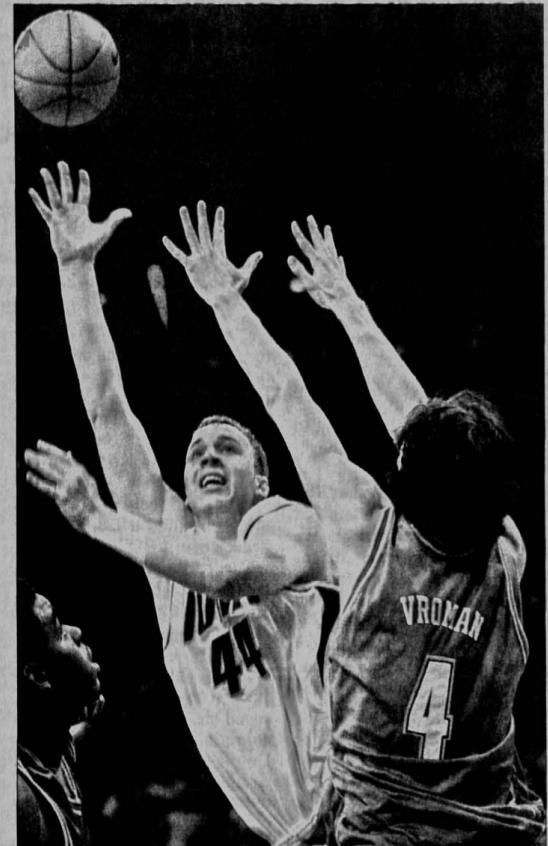
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Iowa State 73, Iowa 69

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Vroman	5-10	3-4 13
Homan	1-3	0-0 2
Sullivan	10-15	3-3 25
Haluska	5-12	0-0 12
Barnes	3-10	2-2 8
Bynum	2-3	0-0 5
Varley	1-1	0-1 2
Jefferson	2-5	1-2 6
Totals	29-59	9-12 73

IOWA (6-2)		
Worley	5-10	9-10 19
Brunner	4-10	0-0 10
Reiner	1-3	3-6 5
Leslie	3-7	7-9 13
Horner	3-7	0-0 8
Kimm	0-0	0-0 0
Boyd	1-5	0-0 3
Sndrltr	4-8	3-3 11
Totals	21-51	22-28 69

Halftime — Iowa 40-31. 3-Point goals — Iowa State 6-13 (Haluska 2-5, Sullivan 2-4, Bynum 1-1, Jefferson 1-1, Iowa 5-12 (Horner 2-4, Brunner 2-2, Boyd 1-4. Fouled out — Haluska. Rebounds — Iowa State 26 (Vroman 7), Iowa 37 (Reiner 15). Assists — Iowa State 14 (Barnes 8), Iowa 14 (Horner 5). Total fouls — Iowa State 20, Iowa 17.



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Greg Brunner attempts a lay-up against Jake Vroman.

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Boston	16	7	.696	—
New Jersey	16	8	.667	½
Philadelphia	15	9	.625	1½
Orlando	13	12	.520	4
Washington	10	13	.435	6
New York	7	14	.333	8
Miami	6	17	.261	10
Central Division				
Indiana	18	5	.783	—
Detroit	16	7	.696	2
New Orleans	17	8	.680	2
Atlanta	10	13	.435	8
Milwaukee	13	13	.500	8
Chicago	7	16	.304	11
Toronto	7	16	.304	11
Cleveland	5	20	.200	14
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
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San Antonio	14	9	.609	6
Houston	12	10	.545	7½
Minnesota	13	11	.542	7½
Utah	10	11	.476	8
Denver	6	18	.250	14½
Memphis	6	19	.240	15
Pacific Division				
Sacramento	20	6	.769	—
Phoenix	13	10	.565	5½
Seattle	13	11	.542	6
Portland	11	11	.500	7
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## NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

By The Associated Press										
All Times CST										
AMERICAN CONFERENCE										
East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA				
Miami	9	5	0	.643	337	264				
New England	8	5	0	.615	330	266				
Buffalo	7	7	0	.500	352	378				
N.Y. Jets	7	7	0	.500	287	302				
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA				
Indianapolis	9	5	0	.643	302	256				
Tennessee	5	0	0	.615	302	304				
Jacksonville	6	8	0	.429	305	267				
Houston	4	10	0	.286	200	317				
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA				
Pittsburgh	8	5	1	.607	339	307				
Baltimore	7	7	0	.500	272	306				
Cleveland	7	7	0	.500	306	291				
Cincinnati	1	13	0	.071	250	416				
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA				
Oakland	9	5	0	.643	398	288				
Denver	8	6	0	.571	339	309				
San Diego	8	6	0	.571	283	312				
Kansas City	7	7	0	.500	443	353				
NATIONAL CONFERENCE										
East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA				
Philadelphia	11	3	0	.769	381	228				
N.Y. Giants	8	6	0	.571	266	245				
Dallas	5	9	0	.357	200	282				
Washington	5	9	0	.357	261	341				
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA				
New Orleans	9	5	0	.643	413	358				
Atlanta	8	5	1	.607	350	275				
Carolina	5	9	0	.357	224	282				
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# Vikings pass up OT to take the win

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## Minnesota 32, New Orleans 31

NEW ORLEANS — Daunte Culpepper, who accounted for four touchdowns, fumbled the snap on a 2-point conversion with 5 seconds left, picked up the ball, and lunged into the end zone to give Minnesota its first road victory in more than two years.

With 5:21 left, Culpepper drove the Vikings 73 yards, hitting a double-teamed Randy Moss for a 13-yard touchdown. Culpepper's conversion run ended Minnesota's 16-game road losing streak.

The Saints could have clinched a playoff spot, but they fell two games behind Tampa Bay in the NFC South. Aaron Brooks completed 21-33 passes for 255 yards and two touchdowns, but he was sacked four times for New Orleans, which got 69 yards on 18 carries from Deuce McAllister.

## Seattle 30, Atlanta 24

ATLANTA — Shaun Alexander's 27-yard touchdown run Sunday gave Seattle a victory after Atlanta's Jay Feely missed a 36-yard field goal in a history-making overtime session. It was the 22nd overtime game of the season, breaking the NFL record set in 1995.

Michael Vick helped the Falcons tie the game with a 12-yard TD pass to Trevor Gaylor with 17 seconds left in regulation. Vick then drove Atlanta to the Seattle 18, but Feely missed to the right, and the Seahawks quickly made Atlanta pay.

## Philadelphia 34, Washington 21

PHILADELPHIA — Philadelphia clinched the NFC East for the second year in a row as A.J. Feeley passed for two touchdowns.

The Eagles can clinch home-field advantage in the NFC by beating Dallas and the New York Giants on the road. Washington was sloppy as ever in Steve Spurrier's dismal first season.

## Miami 23, Oakland 17

MIAMI — Ricky Williams ran for a modest 101 yards, but Miami's defense limited the NFL's top-ranked

offense to a mere 218 yards.

Jason Taylor had three sacks, giving him at least one in a team-record seven-consecutive games, and Patrick Surtain's interception ended Oakland's last bid. With the victory, Miami tied the Raiders for the best record in the AFC with two games remaining.

Cris Carter made his first touchdown reception since coming out of retirement.

By snapping the Raiders' five-game winning streak, Miami took the lead in the AFC East, a half-game ahead of New England, which plays tonight at Tennessee.

## Tampa Bay 23, Detroit 20

DETROIT — Martin Gramatica's 38-yard field goal with 3:04 left put Tampa Bay into the NFC playoffs for the fourth-straight season.

Detroit was without rookie quarterback Joey Harrington after the first drive because of an irregular heartbeat. The team doctor said Harrington's heart returned to a normal rhythm before he was hospitalized, but he was to stay overnight at Henry Ford Hospital as a precaution.

Gramatica's third field goal enabled the Bucs to tie their 1999 team record for most victories in a season. The Lions lost their sixth-straight game.

## Ravens 23, Texans 19

HOUSTON — Jeff Blake threw two touchdown passes, and Matt Stover kicked three field goals as Baltimore kept alive its slim playoff hopes.

The Ravens have games remaining against AFC North opponents Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

The Ravens led 13-7 at the half on a pair of 22-yard field goals by Stover and Blake's 26-yard touchdown pass to Travis Taylor. Blake's 11-yard TD pass to Chester Taylor with 3:33 left in the third quarter made it 20-7.

The Texans got back in the game when Avion Black, subbing for injured Jermaine Lewis, returned a punt 76 yards for a touchdown with 4 seconds left in the third quarter. But Stover's 47-yarder midway gave the Ravens the cushion they needed.

## Pittsburgh 30, Carolina 14

PITTSBURGH — Pittsburgh bounced back from a humiliating loss to Houston and turned two

Carolina fumbles into touchdown runs by Jerome Bettis to seize control of the AFC North. The victory, only their third in six games, boosted the Steelers' division lead to 1½ games over Cleveland and Baltimore.

## Buffalo 20, San Diego 13

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y. — Travis Henry ran for 144 yards and two touchdowns, including the game-winner from 26 yards with 52 seconds remaining to spark the Bills over the Chargers and former Buffalo quarterback Doug Flutie.

The victory kept the Bills barely alive in the AFC playoff chase. San Diego has lost five of its last seven.

## Indianapolis 28, Cleveland 23

CLEVELAND — Marvin Harrison broke an NFL record for receptions in a season with 127 — including two touchdown passes from Peyton Manning in the second half — as Indianapolis rallied to take the lead in the AFC South.

James Mungro, filling in for Edgerrin James, had two TD runs.

## Chicago 20, New York Jets 13

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. — Chris Chandler completed 23-28 passes for 177 yards, and Chicago severely damaged New York's playoff hopes.

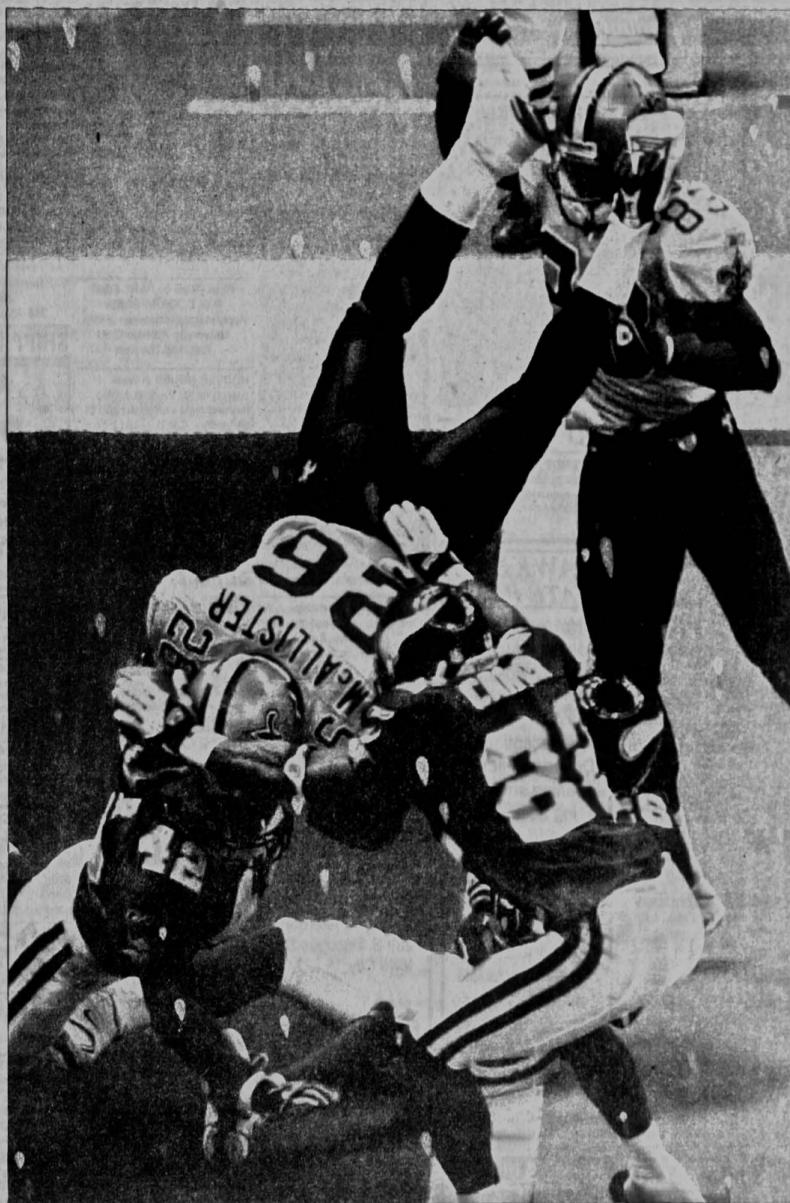
The Jets are still mathematically alive. But they simply didn't have the punch to overcome their mistakes Sunday, three days after they got into three fights during practice.

Chicago, which led 10-0 at the half, got touchdown runs from rookie Adrian Peterson and ex-Jet Leon Johnson. Paul Edinger kicked two field goals, a 53-yarder, and then a 48-yarder into the wind with 2:38 left.

## Jacksonville 29, Cincinnati 15

CINCINNATI — Mark Brunell threw a season-high three touchdown passes, the last one set up by another Cincinnati bungle, and Jacksonville won before the smallest crowd ever at Paul Brown Stadium — 42,092.

The Bengals tied the franchise record for losses in a season. They've had five 13-loss seasons during their 12-year run as the league's most woeful franchise.



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Saints running back Deuce McAllister dives over the goal line as Vikings defenders Jack Brewer and Tyrone Carter try to stop him in the fourth quarter in New Orleans on Sunday.

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Carolina Hurricanes' Glen Wesley loses his feet as he and Minnesota center Jim Dowd battle for the puck, during the first period.

# Roloson saves ice-cold offense in 2-1 victory

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ST. PAUL, Minn. — Dwayne Roloson was there to preserve the win when Minnesota's offense shut down after the first period.

Roloson stopped 33 shots and just missed his second shutout of the season as the Minnesota Wild beat the Carolina Hurricanes 2-1 on Sunday.

"Unbelievable," Wild center Cliff Ronning said of Roloson's performance in the net. "We were fortunate our goalkeeper made some great saves for us, and we played smart to win the game."

Roloson, Minnesota's backup goaltender, looked to be on his way to his ninth career shutout until Ron Francis scored Carolina's only goal with 7:07 left.

Roloson, who turned away six shots after Francis' goal, is unbeaten in his last eight starts.

"I've just been trying to keep our guys in games and give ourselves a chance to win," Roloson said.

With star forward Marian Gaborik sidelined with the flu, the Wild got goals from Ronning and Filip Kuba in the first period. Minnesota's offense stalled after that as the Hurricanes outshot the Wild 30-9 the rest of the game. But Roloson stiffened up in net and frustrated Carolina.

"There were a lot of bodies in front of both nets," Carolina coach Paul Maurice said. "With that kind of traffic, we finally settled for just trying to get wristers through."

While their offense broke down, the Wild players were solid on defense, diving on the ice to block shots and take some heat off Roloson.

"Defensively, we stepped up quite well tonight," defenseman Brad Bombardir said. "All of us, not just the defensemen. The forwards played great defensively, everyone did. And Roli is obviously our MVP again."

Roloson made a sprawling toe save with just over six minutes

left in the second for his best stop. His shutout bid ended when Francis tipped in Tomas Malec's pass from the left point.

## Phoenix 2, Los Angeles 1

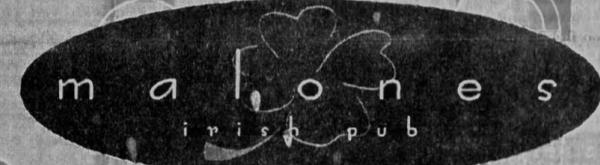
PHOENIX — Branko Radivojevic scored a controversial goal with 7:03 remaining to lift the Coyotes to a victory over the Kings.

Radivojevic one-timed a pass from Daniel Briere into Jamie Storr's pads from the left side of the crease, then raised his arms to celebrate a goal. Referee Tim Peel pointed to the net three times to confirm the goal, then waved the goal off, before finally signaling goal a second time.

Video reviews confirmed Peel's third call, even though the puck couldn't be seen on television replays after leaving Radivojevic's stick.

Mike Johnson also scored for the Coyotes, who have won two of their last three after winning just one of their previous 11.

Adam Deadmarsh scored his team-leading 13th goal for the Kings.



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SPORTS

# Banks honored in NY

**HEISMAN**

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Palmer turned in an impressive final performance on national television Nov. 30 during the Trojans' 44-13 rout of Notre Dame. Banks' season ended two weeks earlier with Iowa's victory over Minnesota on Nov. 16.

"You just hope everybody based his decision on what he did during the season," said Iowa coach Kirk Ferentz, who attended the award ceremony at the posh Yale Club.

Banks became the fourth Iowa player to finish as a bridesmaid in the running for the Heisman, and the first since Chuck Long in 1985. That race, which Auburn's Bo Jackson won by just 45 points, remains the narrowest victory in Heisman history. Alex Karras (1957) and Randy Duncan (1958) were runners-up as well.

Nile Kinnick, who won the trophy in 1939, remains the only Iowa player ever to come out of the Heisman fray on top.

Many felt that this race would rival the one in 1985, which also came down to the wire. But while this marked the first time in the vote's 68-year history that five finalists each received 100 or more first-place tallies each, the final margin of victory was a healthy 233 points. However, 67 percent of the electors did wait until after Dec. 7 to return their ballot.

Palmer won five of the six geographic regions that contain the 921 Heisman electors, but Banks took the Midwest region by 100 points over Palmer, 289-189.

Banks, who was named Player of the Year by the Associated Press and earlier this week took home the Davey O'Brien trophy as college football's best quarterback, took the loss in stride. Wearing a black suit and tie and standing before a room full of writers working to meet their deadlines, the senior put his

**It's a great feeling standing here and talking to you guys about the Heisman. I mean, this is the Heisman Trophy; I'm here — that's amazing.**

**Brad Banks,**  
Iowa quarterback

appearance at the ceremony in perspective.

"It's a great feeling standing here and talking to you guys about the Heisman," he said. "I mean, this is the Heisman Trophy; I'm here — that's amazing."

Banks, who led the Hawkeyes to an 11-1 season and the school's first undefeated Big Ten season in 80 years, seemed to rise from oblivion to crash college football's swankiest affair. He began his career at Central Florida behind the Minnesota Vikings' Daunte Culpepper on the depth chart before academic problems led him to Hinds Community College in Mississippi. There he played wide receiver before switching to quarterback his sophomore season. Last season he saw time only when Ferentz wanted a more mobile quarterback than starter Kyle McCann.

"What a great story," Ferentz said.

After winning Iowa's starting job in spring drills, Banks demonstrated his knowledge of the team's playbook and a remarkable instinct on the field. His 25 touchdown passes to just four interceptions and 60.1 completion percentage made him the most efficient quarterback in the nation as he led Iowa to a share of the Big Ten title and a Jan. 2 meeting with Palmer's Trojans in the FedEx Orange Bowl.

"If Brad would have won it, I would have been fine with that," said Palmer standing at a podium next to the fabled trophy. "I'm scared to face him — he's a

great player."

Perhaps the most upbeat of the four remaining candidates — you can't lose the Heisman — Banks said he enjoyed his time in New York and the opportunity to meet the other contenders. And he just couldn't shake the overwhelming feeling of joy of being invited to the most exclusive of gridiron parties.

"It's cool," he said. "It was even an honor to be up here. To finish second, that's all right." Ever humble and gracious, Banks clearly takes after his mother, who was a little overwhelmed by the spectacle surrounding her son. She remarked to a family member that she didn't know "all these reporters would be here wanting to talk about Brad."

"She's just happy," Brad said of his mother, who made her first trip to the Big Apple. "She's happy about the birds in the sky, and she's even happier for me."

Banks' father, who does not care for airplanes, remained at home in Florida and watched the presentation on television.

Ferentz, who took precious time off from the recruiting trail to be by Banks' side during the process because, as he jokes, he himself "was not here as a player," touted the trip to New York as a "once-in-a-lifetime experience." But, he added, he would have no qualms if that turned out not to be the case after all.

"Hopefully, we'll have more than one [finalist] during our career here," he said.

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USC quarterback Carson Palmer poses with the Heisman Trophy.

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## Plethora of turnovers hurt Iowa in second

**IOWA STATE**

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pointer with eight seconds left, and teammate Jared Reiner turned the ball over after grabbing the rebound.

The Hawkeyes made 13 turnovers after halftime, but it was their defense that did them in.

"I thought this was the most selfish we've been all year defensively," Alford said. "We're not taking charges, not fake-trapping, not talking to one another. Those are things that

are unselfish acts defensively, and we didn't get that tonight."

Leslie, who was shut down by the Cyclones' backcourt in the second half and finished with 13 points, concurred.

"We didn't help each other on drives or in the post," he said. Leslie spent much of the game trying to stop Jake Sullivan, who led the Cyclones with 25 points on 10-15 shooting.

The Hawkeyes take a break for finals before returning to action on Dec. 22 at home against Liberty.

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## Hawkeyes whomp on Panthers for 27th win

**UNI**

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get things rolling, and build from there."

Cliff Moore continued the Iowa domination at 133, driving a heavy offensive attack to surpass Mark Manchio, 22-9, for a major decision.

Moore's solid performance looked like the same guy that beat Minnesota's No. 2 Ryan Lewis earlier in the season, Zalesky said of his 133-pounder, who has roller coastered back and forth since the beginning of the season before beating No. 5 Zach Roberson on Dec. 8.

"Cliff's ready to wrestle," Zalesky said. "He works hard and has confidence. He's making progress."

Moore, who along with his teammates will next compete at the Midlands Championships on Dec. 28-29, is prepared for the challenge of defending his Midlands title.

"It's always good to get a win," he said. "It's even better to go into that break with a win and keep improving until Midlands."

UNI's Dylan Long ended the Hawkeye's streak with a major decision over Luke Moffitt, but Ty Eustice answered with a closely fought decision over Jeff

Harrison to increase the Iowa lead to 14.

Matt Anderson added a decision, and Tyler Nixt won a tough match over No. 6 Eric Hauan, 6-5, followed by a Jessman Smith decision over No. 14 Jordan Holm.

Ryan Fulsaa culminated the meet in a down-to-the-wire match that went to Fulsaa on the basis of riding time, upsetting No. 6 Sean Stender.

The 197-pound Fulsaa, though disappointed in his lack of offensive takedowns, said his victory may solidify his standing as a contender to his weary naysayers.

"More people might open their eyes and take me more seriously," he said. "But I need to take myself more seriously. Six points is not going to win a national title. I did what I had to do to win, but it wasn't enough."

Zalesky said all of his upperweights were fighting to the end, something that pleased him more than anything else in the Hawkeyes' final dual of the 2002 year.

"They got behind in two of them and then came back and won," he said. "The last match was a good, tough match."

The win marked Iowa's 27th consecutive dual victory over the Panthers since 1973.

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