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Pierce to face no further discipline

BY INGA BEYER
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Pierce

UI interim President Sandy Boyd said Monday the university will not take any further disciplinary action against basketball player Pierre Pierce, saying he wants to obey the victim's wishes and avoid a drawn-out lawsuit.

Boyd said he spent "countless hours" before coming to his decision, handed down just days before he leaves office, and he was reluctant not to proceed under the Code of Student Life. But he said he was swayed by his counsel, who warned that internal disciplinary

actions against Pierce could lead to a civil suit in which the victim's identity may be revealed. The student-conduct code allows for sanctions as tough as expulsion for acts of violence against others.

"At first, I could not believe that there was any doubt over using the Code of Student Life," he said. "When my counsel suggested that others don't see it that way, I was upset and

had trouble accepting it." Pierce, 19, of Westmont, Ill., was initially charged with the third-degree sexual assault of a UI athlete and suspended from the basketball team after a Sept. 6, 2002, incident at his Orchard Street residence. The sophomore guard later pleaded guilty to assault causing injury and was allowed to redshirt for the 2002-03 basketball season.

Boyd's decision clears the way for Pierce, a promising 6-4 guard, to be back on the floor next season. He will have three years of eligibility left.

Boyd, who reached his conclusion with the concurrence of

Phillip Jones, the UI vice president for Student Services, said the victim's wishes were his top priority, adding that the university will enforce a "no contact" order between her and Pierce.

"She has asked that any internal disciplinary action not involve her or disclose her identity," Boyd wrote in a statement released Monday. "We believe we can best honor her wishes by not proceeding under the Code of Student Life."

Boyd also said he believed attorneys involved in the case could pursue litigation if the university would have taken further disciplinary actions,

claiming that the settlement was reached with the understanding that such measures were unnecessary.

Pierce's Des Moines-based attorney, Alfredo Parrish, said Boyd's decision was the right thing to do for "the kids, the community, and the state of Iowa."

"All legal and administrative matters are done, and it is time to let the young people get on with their lives," Parrish said. "This is what they want, and people ought to respect that."

Pierce's father, Maurice Pierce, declined to comment on Boyd's statement, but he said

he is glad the controversy surrounding his son is finally over.

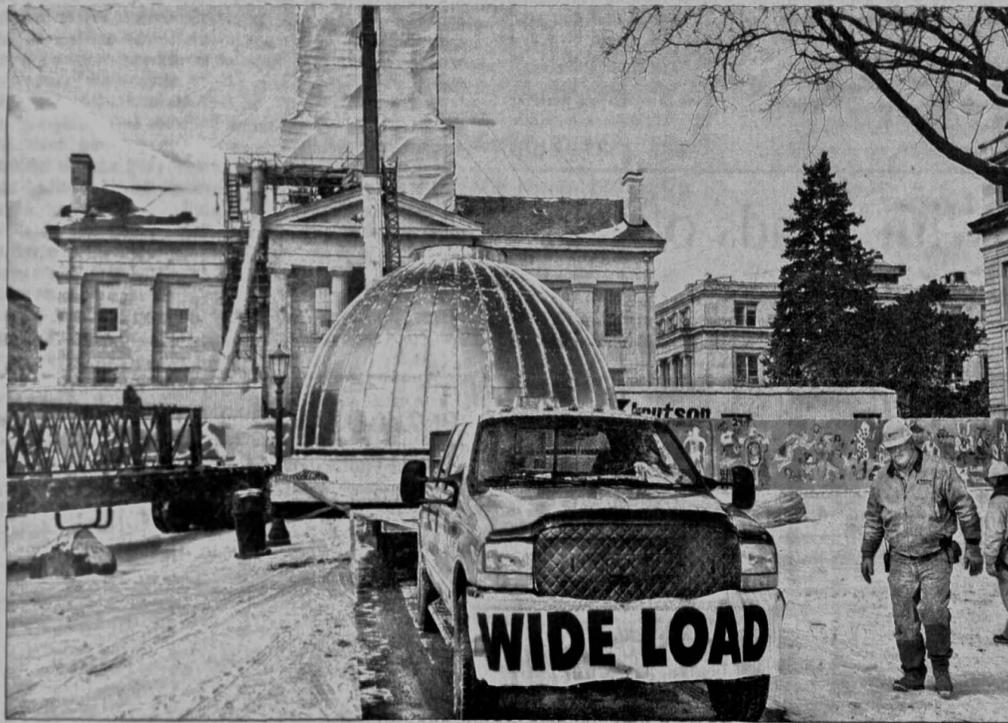
"Pierre has been dragged through the mud enough," he said.

Despite Boyd's remarks that this is "just the beginning" of examining sexual assaults on campus — he also announced Monday the formation of a third committee spawned by the Pierce case — local leaders criticized his actions as "disappointing."

Monique DiCarlo, the director of the Women's Resource and

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UI gets its crown jewel back



BY JOHN MOLSEED
THE DAILY IOWAN

Black-and-gold pride on the UI campus got a big boost of gold once again after a rebuilt Old Capitol dome was hoisted into place Monday afternoon.

More than 200 onlookers gathered at the Pentacrest to witness the 12,000-pound dome, covered with \$8,000 worth of gold, being placed atop the historic building 15 months after a fire destroyed the original structure.

"You usually get a watch when you retire," said interim President Sandy Boyd, who was among the observers braving subfreezing temperatures. "I'm getting a dome; that's the best gift you can get."

The original dome was destroyed on Nov. 20, 2001. State officials say construction workers from Sioux City, S.D.-based Enviro Safe Air ignited a blaze while removing asbestos from the building's roof.

Boyd said he wanted to witness the historic moment firsthand, calling the Old Capitol the "soul of the university." He watched the preparations from a parked van in the Pentacrest along with Margaret Keis, a historian whom he referred to as the Old Capitol's "perpetual curator."

Keis supervised the conversion of the building from administrative offices to a museum in 1974. She stared unflinchingly as the dome was finally lifted from the truck

and a slight breeze kicked up some loose gilding, sprinkling it over the audience.

"Any number of people are saying a prayer right now," she said as the dome was lifted more than 120 feet in the air against the bright blue sky. "Doesn't it look little?" she said while anxiously holding a friend's hand.

Keis spent nearly every day at the Old Capitol from the renovation in 1974 until she retired in 1988.

Many bystanders didn't have as much historical connection to the Old Capitol building.

"I don't see what the big deal is," said sophomore Jennifer Bruner, who saw the structure consumed by flames during her first semester at the university. Bruner said she does understand the building's symbolic significance to the university, but for most of her time in Iowa City, the dome was gone.

"I hardly know what it's like with it," she said. "It's frustrating they took so long to replace the dome."

Others were impressed by the timeliness of the replacement.

"It's just nice to have one of our main symbols back," said junior Stephanie Scherff. "It's amazing they did this in less than a year and a half."

But all agreed having the dome in its rightful place was good for Hawk-eye pride.

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Construction workers hoist the Old Capitol's new dome as a crowd watches on the Pentacrest on Monday.

Top — Construction workers maneuver the Old Capitol's new dome into position so it can be picked up by a crane Monday morning.

John Richard/The Daily Iowan

Molester first to finish program for sex offenders

BY AMY JENNINGS
THE DAILY IOWAN

A five-time convicted child molester who once acknowledged fantasizing about children "probably as frequently as breathing" became the first to be released from a treatment program for the state's worst sex offenders Monday.

Harold Williams, 47, walked out of the Oakdale Civil Commitment Unit for Sex Offenders, where he had been committed for three years after completing his prison sentence. Williams was transported to the Hope House, a Coralville halfway house.

The state in 1998 adopted a sexual-predator law that allows the indefinite civil commitment of offenders, most of whom are child molesters and serial rapists, at the Oakdale program after their release from prison.

Williams became the fifth person to enter the treatment program in 1999 and the first to successfully complete the first

Williams' convictions

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1977	Hardin County	Lascivious acts with a child
1981	Marshall County	Lascivious acts with a child
1984	Cerro Gordo County	Indecent contact and lascivious acts with a child
1988	Webster County	Second-degree sexual abuse

Source: DI research

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four phases of treatment.

Webster County Judge Kirt Wilke granted the transitional release of Williams to the halfway house last week, where he will undergo the fifth rehabilitative phase of limited reintegration into society.

"Because of watching him grow for a few years and having machines to verify his progress, we are fairly confident that he won't reoffend," said Oakdale Clinical Director Bob Pearce.

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Hitler remark sparks apology from Oldeen

UISG candidate compared tactics of opponent to Nazi

BY DONOVAN HANNAH
THE DAILY IOWAN

A UI Student Government presidential hopeful apologized Monday after comparing an opponent's campaign tactics to those of Adolph Hitler.

Tim Oldeen, a junior from Belle Plaine, said he used poor judgment comparing the tactics of Mayrose Wegmann, a UISG executive who is running for vice president, to the Nazi dictator.

He made the remark in an interview with *The Daily Iowan* after Wegmann referred to her opponents as "EVIL REPUBLICANS" in an e-mail to the University Democrats. Oldeen is a Republican.

"I didn't mean Hitler's objectives were right," Oldeen said. "I used poor judgment to show that Mayrose Wegmann was running

a totalitarian campaign." Earlier, Oldeen had said: "Her tactics are no different than what Hitler did."

That remark infuriated both Wegmann and Gillian Rosenberg, a Jewish UISG senator and co-president of the University Democrats.

rats, who angrily confronted Oldeen in the UISG office.

Oldeen's comments means killing more than 6 million Jews during World War II was appropriate, Rosenberg said. Oldeen said his relationship with Rosenberg, who supports Wegmann, has been sour since freshman year.

The exchange between the two tickets began when Oldeen obtained an e-mail sent last week by Wegmann to University Democrats. In the message,

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NEWS

City has rich history of war protest

BY JESSE HELLING
THE DAILY IOWAN

From National Guard troops tear-gassing protesters during the Vietnam era to Gulf War demonstrators spending the night in jail, the history of protest in Iowa City is strong, and it proves to be lasting with recent demonstrations over the U.S.-Iraqi standoff.

Solon resident Steve Moon recalls being swept up in the anti-Vietnam War movement when he came to the UI in 1971.

"I was pretty impressionable, like every kid in high school," said Moon, the manager of University Camera, 4 S. Dubuque St. "I was kind of a pacifist ... it seemed like a no-brainer to me to be against the war."

Moon regularly joined thousands of people on the Pentacrest during daily protests. Often, the demonstrators would take to the streets.

At one such march during the fall of 1971, Moon and his fellow dissidents were met by a line of National Guard soldiers near City Park who hurled smoke canisters at the group.

Undaunted, Moon and the protesters "laughed off" the Guard, bypassing the line and marching to Interstate 80, where a bonfire was set on the westbound lanes.

"It was a popular thing to do stopping interstate traffic impeded commerce," he said.

However, the pyrotechnics prompted the Guard to use tear gas to disperse the crowd. Moon managed to evade authorities and hitchhiked back to campus.

"I was just an innocent-looking kid with a camera around my neck," he said.

Despite his dossier of dissent,

Moon said, he has not been involved in any of the current protests, which he finds less active than those of his generation. But he hasn't ruled out the possibility of participating in the future.

"When you get older, you begin to see things in a more multidimensional way, so it becomes more difficult to take a stand against something," he said. "It seems to me that people don't exercise their rights of freedom of speech as much as they used to ..."

No such difficulty besets Iowa City native Quinn Dilkes, who stands at one of the hour-long vigils organized by Iowans For Peace at the intersection of Washington and Dubuque streets every Friday.

A graduate student at the UI during the Vietnam era, Dilkes participated in several vigils and demonstrations.

But she achieved true fame on the protest circuit during the Persian Gulf War.

Dilkes, then 52, was among 10 people arrested and charged with criminal trespass during a protest held in the days before the war began in January 1991. During the demonstration, approximately 250 people occupied the Post Office building, 400 S. Clinton St., forcing the facility to close for two hours.

All 10 were later tried and convicted.

"The courtroom scene was a powerful experience," Dilkes said, adding that the trial gave publicity to the antiwar movement.

Dilkes, who has been involved with Iowans For Peace since its inception in the aftermath of 9/11, said she thinks that the level of protest against the impending conflict in Iraq is much larger than in 1991.



John Richard/The Daily Iowan
Karen Pease works on an antiwar poster on the Pedestrian Mall during a vigil Feb. 21.

"The protests are much, much bigger, involving millions of people from all over the world," she said.

She dismisses the notion that antiwar demonstrators are anti-American.

"I think it's patriotic to dissent ... to talk and discuss," she said. "It would be a sad state of affairs if that were not to happen."

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Judge allows subpoena of TA's records

A District Court judge will allow prosecutors to subpoena prior complaints against a UI teaching assistant charged with sexually assaulting a student.

Frederick Williams, 37, was charged with third-degree sexual assault and indecent exposure after an alleged incident on Dec. 3, 2002, in the UI Chemistry Building. The defendant allegedly masturbated in front of a student and forced her to touch his penis when he ejaculated.

Judge Douglas Russell ruled against a motion Feb. 21 to quash a subpoena for UI documents that

may contain other student allegations.

"This is not a mere fishing expedition as the county attorney has information to believe the evidence sought exists and is producible by the university," Russell wrote in the ruling.

Assistant Johnson County Attorney Anne Lahey said information gathered from police reports and a phone call from a reliable source led the state to believe prior allegations against Williams.

Although the ruling will allow prosecutors to gather the information, Russell will later determine if it's admissible in court.

— by Amy Jennings

POLICE LOG

Johnson Vue, 24, 1112 Muscatine Ave., was charged Tuesday with public intoxication, obstruction of justice, and assault causing injury. Onlookers allegedly observed Vue and a man fighting, according to court reports. Vue then allegedly admitted to officers that he punched the man.

Spicing the curriculum with winds of war

BY CASEY WAGNER
THE DAILY IOWAN

UI professors say a possible war in Iraq can be a good subject with which to enhance their teaching.

Brian Lai, an assistant political science professor, said a war against Iraq would allow his students to see the real-world applications and implications of what they are learning in class, adding that his two courses, Introduction to American Policy and Understanding Weapons of Mass Destruction, have already spent time discussing the U.N. sanctions imposed on Iraq and weapons of mass destruction.

Lai said an outbreak of war would fit right into his teachings, and he plans to spend one or two days talking about the effect on Iraq's neighbors and the lasting implications of the conflict.

Mary Trachsel, an associate professor of rhetoric, said that because rhetoric curriculum is confrontation-based, the potential war in Iraq would be discussed in her class.

Advisor to 12 rhetoric teaching assistants, Trachsel said she would not force them to discuss war if they didn't want to.

"We don't tell people to talk about race issues or gun control," she said. "But how can you avoid talking about [war]?"

Journalism Professor Carolyn Dyer said the 40 students in her News Coverage of Social Issues class were required this semester to study the buildup

to war because she believes a war with Iraq would affect everything, including students' perspectives.

The class takes into account current news events, Dyer said. Even though the current project ends next week, she does not think she will begin a similar assignment, adding that a war would influence the remainder of the course.

Dyer agreed with Trachsel's sentiments, saying she thinks faculty members should try to find a relationship between the events in the Middle East and class activities, even though the subjects may not relate at first.

Although administrators support university instructors using a possible war in their teaching, they emphasize that the topic should not disrupt courses or bend the schedule outlined in the student syllabus, said Fred Antczak, the associate dean of academic programs in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

"We're always going to take advantage of the research and events that happen in the world, but it should always be within the limit of what's been advertised for the class," he said. "We still have to teach things like biology and poetry; we all still have to learn."

John Nelson, a political-science professor, said classes may be formed in the future to discuss the events leading up to war and its lasting effects.

"It's useful to teach from

news headlines because it allows students to see their lessons play out in reality," said Nelson, who taught Terrorism, Rhetoric, and Television, a class that was created in light of the 9/11 attacks.

A number of classes were created in the wake of the Gulf War in 1991, including a course that examined the media's coverage of the con-

flict compared with the coverage of Vietnam and U.S. conflicts in Panama, Nelson said.

At the outbreak of the Gulf War, many teachers refocused their classes to discuss the war, and some departments made attending classes optional.

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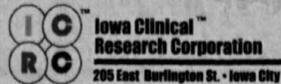
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Presidential search stressed privacy

BY GRANT SCHULTE
THE DAILY IOWAN



Carlson
chairman

The UI Presidential Search and Screen Committee took careful measures to ensure that the names of all applicants were kept confidential until the designated time to publicize them, according to university records.

Throughout the five-month submission and interview process, which cost a "surprisingly frugal" \$177,204, applications were confined to one room, interviews were conducted out of town, and all candidates mentioned in committee e-mails were referred to by numbers or their initials. Search committee Chairman Jonathan Carlson was the only person allowed to talk to the press.

At one point, he sent a reminder to members that they shouldn't even mention names of candidates in public areas of Jessup Hall, where the files were kept. The committee members checked into hotels under fictitious names.

Still, with the university's "unusual blend" of protecting applicants' identities early in the process and revealing finalists later, some highly qualified can-

didates opted to pull their names from consideration early in the search, said Greg Nichols, the executive director of the state Board of Regents. He did not specify how many.

"It seems to me that we actually had a healthy mix of secrecy in the early stages and publicity in the later stages," he said.

The 300-page collection of correspondence and expenditures also pegged the total cost for the search at around \$4,000 below the price tag for the 1995 search that netted former UI President Mary Sue Coleman. The regents selected David Skorton, the university's vice president for Research, as the university's next leader. Skorton will take office Saturday.

The largest expense from the most recent presidential search was the \$90,000 fee from the Korn/Ferry search firm, followed by \$25,348 for committee meeting expenses, records show. In 1995, the greatest expenses were search-

committee travel and meeting expenses.

Committee members credited Carlson with cutting unnecessary expenses and remaining conscious of the search's cost. For a November 2002 trip to Chicago to interview finalists, Carlson opted to charter a bus instead of a plane. He also saved money by moving the process along quickly, members said.

"He did an extraordinary job as it relates to the cost itself," Nichols said.

The 1995 search was also "one of the most fiscally conservative searches you can imagine," said UI cardiology Professor Donald Heistad, a member of that year's search committee. The more recent search, like the last one, appears to be "surprisingly frugal," he said.

In a Nov. 13, 2002, e-mail to the committee, Carlson also addressed concerns that members were "unhappy with the rapid pace at which we are proceeding" and that they had little time to deliberate. The feeling, Carlson said, was a general sentiment expressed by the 24-member committee, which was formed in July 2002 to find a replacement by January for

Breakdown of presidential search expenses

(2002 through February 19, 2003)

Korn-Ferry Professional Fee	\$90,000
Korn-Ferry Administrative Support	10,800
Korn-Ferry Direct Expenses	21,548
Committee Travel	7,875
Committee Meeting Expense	25,348
Candidate Travel	1,737
Advertising	5,770
Office Supplies, Copying, Postage, Phone	6,730
Board of Regents Office Search Expenses	5,396
Estimated Expenses Not Yet Submitted	2,000
Total	\$177,204

Source: UI research SS/DI

Coleman, who left to become president of the University of Michigan.

"People were feeling that we were going more quickly than we should," Carlson said, adding that the feelings dissipated once the committee set to work with the interviews. "We decided to just go ahead with the timetable we had."

He added: "It's like an assignment. You tend not to finish a paper until you have to."

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Head Sloth no sloth

UISG candidate
Nate Green
balances 4.05 GPA,
many activities

BY TINA STEIN
THE DAILY IOWAN

The man tapped to carry on the tradition of the Giant Sloth Party for next year's UI Student Government jugs numerous college activities while working on his campaign.

Nate Green, a 21-year-old Fort Dodge, Iowa, native is the economy chairman for the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity as well as the secretary of Order of Omega. He is a member of the Hawkin-



Green
UISG candidate

son Institute, 24-7 youth group, and was the 2002 Individual Brother of the Year. Green also sported the "bumblebee jersey" as one of last year's Orientation advisers.

"I think I am very interesting because the more activities I do, the more I am motivated to do my best," he said. "I work my best under pressure."

Green is running on the Giant Sloth ticket with vice-presidential hopeful Mayrose Wegmann, a UI junior. The duo's platform consists of raising financial aid, adding a U-bill-friendly pharmacy to Student Health, bringing back the sack-lunch option, Grab and Go, and fighting against a proposed ordinance to make the admittance age to all bars 21.

Outlining plans for his last goal — a stance taken by all four UISG tickets — Green said students should show their student IDs upon

entering a bar and also proposed that the city offer monetary incentives for bar owners to police themselves.

He met recently with the Iowa City City Council to discuss his plans, which one councilor said won't work.

"Monetary incentives for bar owners is not even an issue. We don't do it for other business, so we won't do it for the bar business," said Councilor Dee Vanderhoef, who described Green as "enthusiastic."

Green's runningmate has worked with the Student Health Advisory Board to establish the pharmacy, sending a proposal to Phillip Jones, the university's vice president for Student Services, six months ago. Jones has not responded.

Green is the head research assistant for political science Assistant Professor David Redlawsk, following the 2002 congressional campaigns and examining how interest groups affected the elections.

The political-science and business major was encouraged several months ago by UISG President Nick Herbold to run for the post.

"I have seen" the effect the president has on all of the organizations that I have been a part of and know that I could put my leadership qualities towards a great presidency," Green said.

With a 4.05 GPA, the Presidential Scholar stays busy with his fiancée, UI junior Andrea Rebman, who he met more than two years ago during a fire alarm.

But Green, who hopes to pursue a career in politics and possibly enroll in law school, is focused on his campaign as the March 3 and 4 UISG election approaches.

"Nate is very well-spoken, and I'm excited to work with him," Wegmann said.

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Police snatch \$2 million in drug paraphernalia

ASSOCIATED PRESS

DES MOINES — Authorities said Monday they've seized more than \$2 million worth of illegal drug paraphernalia in Iowa as part of a national crackdown on trafficking of the products.

Federal authorities charged nine people in four grand-jury indictments returned in Des Moines under "Operation Headhunter," which involved paraphernalia marketed nationwide by distributors in Michigan, California, and Texas.

A total of 55 people were charged Monday with trafficking in illegal paraphernalia from coast to coast, using both traditional stores and the Internet.

Federal law makes it a crime to sell products mainly intended for the use of illegal drugs, such as bongs, marijuana pipes, "roach" clips, miniature spoons, and scales. Those charged with selling and conspiring to sell

such items face up to three years in prison and maximum fines of \$250,000.

"Those who violate federal law by selling drug paraphernalia are supporting a culture of illegal drug use," said Steve Colloton, the U.S. attorney for

the Internet, making it easier for teenagers and young adults to buy it.

Searches of businesses in Iowa City, Des Moines, and Ames turned up illegal paraphernalia, said Al Overbaugh, a spokesman for the U.S.

Those who violate federal law by selling drug paraphernalia are supporting a culture of illegal drug use.

Steve Colloton,
U.S. attorney

the Southern District of Iowa. "This culture of drug use threatens the well-being of our children and fuels the illegal drug trade."

Attorney General John Ashcroft said the sale of drug paraphernalia has exploded on

attorney's office in Des Moines.

The nine people named in the four indictments brought in Iowa include:

- Alan Bruce Clute and Lawrence Charles Bowman. They operated the Smoky

Mountain Trading Co. of Detroit.

- Jose Corona Zavala Jr., Juan Luis Zavala, and Clinton Lee Goodson. They operated The Other Side of Sacramento and North Hollywood, Calif.

- Amanda Claire Ballard, who used several aliases, and Allison Blakely Ballard. They operated Acme Distributing and Mfg. of Houston.

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NEWS

Pierce faces no further punishment, Boyd says

PIERCE

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Action Center, and UI law student Alicia Walker, who together produced petitions with more than 3,000 names criticizing the university's handling of the case, said they would like to have seen the code enforced.

"I think the concern for the victim is great and the victim's privacy needs to be the No. 1 concern, but Boyd ignored that Pierce pleaded guilty," Walker said. "I think that we have brought the issue to light, and the most important thing is to prevent it. I was hoping the university was going to make a stronger statement."

DiCarlo will serve as a member of Boyd's newest committee, the Campus Climate Commit-

tee, convened to prevent similar events from occurring. The group will examine campus safety and determine how to better publicize resources for assault victims before making recommendations to incoming President David Skorton.

Throughout the Pierce case, which sparked vehement fallout from numerous residents and students, Boyd created three committees, each examining different aspects of the university's proceedings.

Boyd asked the Board in Control of Athletics to look at the university's involvement in the plea bargain and consider how similar cases are to be handled in the future. General Counsel Mark Schantz and Athletics Director Bob Bowsby came under fire for fielding questions

from the attorneys involved in negotiating a resolution the sexual-assault charge against Pierce.

A committee formed in December 2002 to investigate the actions of university officials during the case will soon make a recommendation to Skorton on what was learned from the case and how to proceed in the future, said Margaret Raymond, a UI law professor and committee chairwoman.

"I think this is just the beginning," Boyd said. "We have [sexual-assault] issues on campus that are not just about Pierce. This is a continued problem that needs to be addressed, and it doesn't matter if it is high- or low-profile."

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Molester finishes program

SEX OFFENDER

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According to the court order, Williams will be subjected to regular psychological tests and therapy sessions. As at the Oakdale facility, Williams could remain at the halfway house indefinitely if he fails to show improvement, Pearce said.

Williams' release is contingent upon his adherence to 26 restrictions outlined in the court order. The restrictions include maintaining a residence at least 2,000 feet from schools and daycares and avoiding contact with minors without prior approval.

He cannot possess "any photographs, drawings, magazines, or other printed materials" that could be used to arouse him sexually. He also must inform anyone that he dates of his "sexual offenses, in detail."

Williams will not initially be able to leave the premises without supervision, but he may be granted more freedom with progress, said Mick Meeks, the Hope House residential manager.

"The ultimate goal is to reintegrate him into society," he

said. "Whether or not he is successful is entirely up to him, but we are going to work with him."

Meeks said Williams, who declined a request for an interview Monday, was undergoing procedural testing and becoming acclimated to his new environment. He will also have to register with the Iowa Sex Offender Registry within five days of commitment to the halfway house.

"He has had to jump through a lot of hoops to get where he is," said spokesman Roger Munns of the Department of Human Services, which oversees the treatment program.

Williams was committed to the Oakdale facility in 1999 after completing prison sentences for previous convictions dating back to 1977.

In previous court testimony, Williams admitted to several illegal sex acts dating back to his teenage years.

"In chilling testimony, he estimated that prior to 1992 he engaged in sexual fantasies about children 'probably as frequently as breathing,'" the Iowa Supreme Court noted.

Pearce said Williams would

have been released in 1999 upon the completion of his prison term if the Oakdale facility had not existed.

"We're excited about his release because it's an indicator that we are doing what we are saying we are doing, treating them towards [harming] no more victims," Pearce said.

During his three-year stay, Pearce said Williams underwent 40 hours of intensive treatment each week that included group and individual therapy sessions and classes. Williams also had to meet scoring standards on three tests to gauge his arousal to both appropriate and inappropriate stimuli before becoming eligible for release.

"They learn about their deviance cycle, how to be honest about their victims, and how to be aware of red flags that may cause them to reoffend," Pearce said.

Pearce said the staff and other 37 sex offenders at the Oakdale facility, none of whom are close to completing the program, are excited and encouraged by Williams' release.

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Dome back home atop Old Cap

DOME

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"I think that was the biggest deal about it being down," said sophomore Scott Black. "It was almost shameful."

Although daytime temperatures struggled to climb out of the single digits, UITV fed live images on cable and the Internet, and local television stations broke in with live updates, many felt they had to see Monday's event firsthand.

UI librarian Mary Noble temporarily left her post at the last minute to see the dome's replacement personally instead of watching it on the Web cam.

Noble, who attended the university as a freshman in 1963,

recalled Vietnam protests and George McGovern's speech on the Old Capitol steps. She even worked as a guide when the museum opened in 1976.

"It's a big part of Iowa history," she said. "I thought it would be nice to see it happen."

At the same time Keis sighed with relief upon seeing the dome in its home, Knutson Construction supervisor Jim Mott congratulated his crew members for their flawless execution.

"Good job. I know you're cold," he said to Kevin Grimm, who laid his gloves on a heater in the construction office. Grimm spent hours on top of the building guiding timber, and the dome itself, from the crane into place.

Mott said he monitored the

wind speed from an anemometer mounted on the crane, which arrived from Cedar-Rapids-based Anderson Construction late Monday morning.

His main concern in moving the dome was weather. Wind gusts needed to stay below 20 to 25 mph for the crew to safely move the structure. As soon as he saw wind conditions permitted, he gave the word to lift the dome onto its base.

The crew will assemble the rest of cupola in the next couple of months and then remove the canvas tarp covering the rebuilt structure. The dome, however, is in its final place.

"We will not cover it," Mott said. "She'll shine again."

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UISG Hitler comment draws outrage

WEGMANN

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Wegmann asserted that she was the only Democrat on any of the four presidential tickets and concluded by saying: "In order to win this election, we will need to work together to fight off the EVIL REPUBLICANS."

Oldeen chastised Wegmann, saying she was lying about being the only Democrat in the race, and he named others, including his running mate, Kelly Drake. He said he would welcome an apology and said Wegmann could not represent students if she is biased against Republicans.

"That's like spraying hate graffiti on the wall," he said about her remark.

Wegmann admitted to writ-

ing the e-mail to gain support for her campaign but not to offend other candidates. It was

That's like spraying hate graffiti on the wall.

Tim Oldeen,
UISG presidential candidate

a joke for a group she's actively involved in, she said.

Wegmann is running with presidential candidate Nate Green, who is a registered Republican.

"We have a large group listserv

that is composed of 200," she said. "It was a joke. Most people in our group understood this."

Oldeen said he was unhappy that Wegmann denied him access to the listserv to respond — a claim Wegmann denies.

Oldeen sent an e-mail to College Republicans, writing, "How does the Sloth Party plan to represent the whole student body when the vice-president candidate makes such damaging comments?"

The UISG election will be March 3-4. The other two presidential candidates are Kara Westercamp and Bryan Stacy.

Oldeen and members on his ticket said they promote partisan diversity, and they will "let the voters decide."

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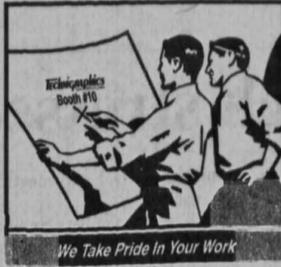
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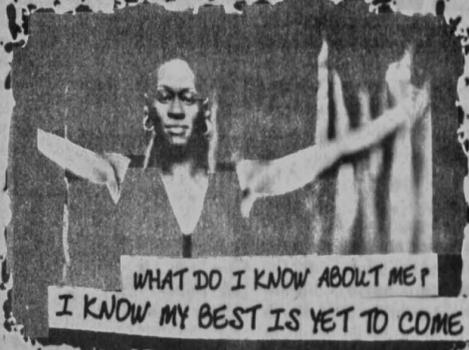
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U.S. drafts war resolution

BY COLUM LYNCH
WASHINGTON POST

UNITED NATIONS — The United States, Britain, and Spain introduced a new draft Security Council resolution Monday declaring that Iraq has squandered its "final opportunity" to voluntarily disarm and laying the political and legal groundwork for a U.S.-led military invasion.

The introduction of the resolution, which recalls that the 15-nation council warned Iraq in November that it would face "serious consequences" if it did not scrap its banned weapons programs, marked the beginning of what U.S. and British officials characterized as the final push to win council backing for a decision to go to war.

Meanwhile, Saddam Hussein indicated on Monday that he does not intend to follow U.N. orders to destroy his Al-Samoud 2 missiles, and he challenged President Bush to an internationally televised debate via satellite linkup.

In a three-hour interview with CBS anchor Dan Rather, the Iraqi leader said he envisioned a live debate with Bush along the lines of those in a U.S. presidential campaign, according to the network.

Regarding chief U.N. weapons inspector Hans Blix's order that Iraq destroy its Al-Samoud 2 missiles, Rather quoted Saddam as saying: "Iraq is allowed to prepare proper missiles, and we are committed to that."

In response to the U.S./British/Spanish move, French President Jacques Chirac and German Chancellor Gerhard Schröder, who have been leading the opposition, responded with a diplomatic counteroffensive. Meeting in Berlin, they announced a new initiative that would ensure the continuation of U.N. weapons inspections in Iraq at least through the middle of the summer. Russian President Vladimir Putin endorsed the proposal.

Turkey's Cabinet, meanwhile, agreed to host tens of thousands



Jan Bauer/Associated Press

German Chancellor Gerhard Schröder, right, and French President Jacques Chirac make their way to a Berlin restaurant called To the Last Appeal on Monday.

of American troops who probably would lead a ground invasion through northern Iraq. White House spokesman Ari Fleischer welcomed the decision but said, "There are still some i's to be dotted and t's to be crossed" before the deal is completed and endorsed by the Turkish Parliament.

President Bush expressed growing impatience with diplomacy, as British Foreign Secretary Jack Straw said the draft resolution introduced Monday would provide Iraq with a window of approximately "two weeks or so" to disarm or face a war.

Bush said the United States would work closely with the council's members "in the days ahead" to ensure that the United Nations' demands that Iraq end its weapons programs are enforced. He said the council's reaction would be a test of whether the international body will remain "relevant as the world confronts the threats to the 21st century."

"We certainly hope that it does," Bush said. "But one way or the other, Saddam Hussein,

for the sake of peace and for the security of the American people, will be disarmed."

Underscoring the seriousness of the American military threat, Air Force B-52 bombers began conducting training missions in the northern end of the Persian Gulf, not far from Iraq.

Adoption of the resolution put to the Security Council Monday requires nine votes and no veto by any of the council's five permanent members — which includes France, Russia, and China, all of which have said they oppose a war. As of now, the United States is assured of three votes besides its own — those of Britain, Spain, and Bulgaria.

Germany, the current council president, has opposed immediate war. Other staunch opponents of war, including Syria, indicated they would not support the resolution. But envoys from several potential swing countries, including Pakistan, Mexico, and Chile, declined to signal their intentions. "It's not yet decision time," said Munir Akram, Pakistan's U.N. ambassador.

AP CONTRIBUTED TO THIS REPORT.

High court restricts abortion

BY ANNE GEARAN
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — The Supreme Court cleared the way Monday for an Indiana state law that places some of the nation's most severe restrictions on abortions, including requirements that a woman be counseled face-to-face about the risks and offered pictures of what her fetus might look like.

The high court turned down an appeal from abortion clinics in Indiana claiming the in-person counseling sessions would force some women to forgo abortions or to risk their health by postponing the procedure far into pregnancy.

"This is an outrageous law that leaves many women

without access to abortions, or certainly places a heavy burden, an undue burden, on a woman's right to choose," said Kate Michelman, the president of the pro-abortion rights group NARAL Pro-Choice America.

But Mike Fichter, the executive director of Indiana Right to Life, an anti-abortion rights group, said, "For the first time, abortion providers in Indiana will be required to give women information about the risks. We're glad that the court battles look like they're finally over."

The high court's action means that Indiana may begin fully enforcing a law passed eight years ago that requires in-person counseling and an 18-hour waiting period before a

woman can get an abortion.

In practice, the Indiana law and similar measures on the books in four other states require women to make two trips to an abortion clinic. Opponents said that makes the procedure especially difficult to obtain for poor women and those who must travel long distances.

Making two trips often means leaving work for two days, finding a place to stay overnight, and arranging child care at home, said Janet Crepps, a staff lawyer for the Center for Reproductive Rights. Women may also have a hard time explaining their absence from work, school, or a husband or partner who does not know about the pregnancy, Crepps said.

Chinese earthquake kills 259

BY CHRISTOPHER BODEEN
ASSOCIATED PRESS

BEIJING — With bloodied hands, survivors dug through rubble and called out for their missing loved ones after a powerful earthquake knocked down homes and schools on Monday in western China, officials said. At least 259 people were killed and more than 2,050 injured.

The quake toppled farmhouses on families and collapsed schools on students in Bachu county, near China's mountainous border with Kyrgyzstan, officials said.

Thousands were left homeless and without shelter overnight in 14-degree temperatures. The official Xinhua News Agency said 8,861 houses were destroyed.

The government put the 10:03 a.m. quake's magnitude at 6.8, while the U.S. Geological Survey in Golden, Colo., said it was magnitude 6.3.

"Survivors and injured people were digging in the debris around their collapsed houses with bleeding hands, calling the names of missing relatives," said a Bachu County official, who gave his name as Mimati.

The dead ranged from elderly people to infants, he said. A Bachu County police officer reached by telephone said he had seen battered bodies of adults and children pulled from the rubble, some missing heads or legs.

At least 10 students died when their junior-high school collapsed in the county's most badly damaged town, Chongku Qiake, government official Maimai Qiming said. A primary school in the town also was felled by the quake, killing two students, said another Bachu county official, who gave only his surname, Wu.

More than 2,000 soldiers and paramilitary policemen joined rescue efforts in the area,

which lies on the western edge of China's Xinjiang region. Troops were using about 100 pieces of heavy equipment to move rubble, Xinhua reported.

Government units have sent more than 6,000 tents, emergency food, and medical supplies to the area, Xinhua said. Insulated clothing and blankets have also been sent out by the Red Cross, although much of the relief supplies are not expected to arrive until today, it said.

A specially trained 42-member earthquake rescue team departed Monday evening from Beijing with dogs and detection equipment to search for buried victims, government television reported. Pictures showed uniformed crew members loading a container of equipment aboard a transport plane, which then flew off into the night sky.

It wasn't clear when the team would arrive at the quake site, approximately 1,750 miles west of Beijing.

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Letters to the Editor

Mittlestadt's missteps

Amanda Mittlestadt's column "Peaceful warriors ineffective in the face of war" (*DI*, Feb. 17) proved to be not only condescending and ill-informed but also highly pessimistic. As one of the protesters in New York City on Feb. 15, I can attest to the power behind the rally. On the morning of Feb. 15, I woke up to reports about a universal movement towards peace. Protests had already begun in Australia, New Zealand, Turkey, and beyond — and the contagion of hope began to circle the globe.

Yet Mittlestadt's condescending comments did not recognize the intangible power behind such rallies for peace. Many Americans who participated in rallies are fully aware of the near certainty of war in Iraq, yet these same people see the necessity in sending the message to the rest of the world that the decisions made by the U.S. government are not necessarily representative of the entire American nation. This message is important in attempting to overcome growing anti-American sentiments and American isolationistic strategies.

If Martin Luther King Jr. accepted a divided nation with no civil rights, if Elizabeth Cady Stanton accepted the lack of women's suffrage — the list goes on — what kind of social progress would we have attained today? Social progress and equality in our nation came to fruition through the willingness of the people to peacefully protest inequalities with the hope of eventually overcoming them. Yet Mittlestadt writes, "Seems like a lot of people hoping for something that's not going to happen." I'm glad Mittlestadt wasn't in charge of the women's suffrage movement, the civil-rights movement, the feminist

movement, or any progressive movement organized around the notion of the betterment of the world we live in.

Mittlestadt also writes, "It would be kind of nice if it weren't so sad." What is so sad about people rallying for peace, vocalizing their desires for humanistic ideals, and sending unilateral messages of global concern? Mittlestadt indeed poses "intelligent" questions, but she simply derides those expressing their democratic rights. Does a country in disagreement with its government's propositions simply sit back in compliance? Perhaps people living under the reign of dictatorship choose the latter, but people living in a democratic state have the right and the obligation to vocalize their concerns about their government's actions; a democracy implies and demands a willingness for people to speak out for social justice.

The people fighting for peace and justice last weekend are the same people offering hope to battered women, restoration to destroyed homes and countries, food to people in starvation, education to the AIDS-inflicted in Africa, shelter to the homeless, and prayers for those in darkness. As poet Audre Lorde so eloquently proclaimed, "Your silence will not protect you." If social activism is "ineffective," then I would rather be "ineffective" than remain silent.

Kathryn R. Brigger
 UI alumna

It's sad to see fellow Americans such as Amanda Mittlestadt (*DI*, Feb. 17) with such a twisted view of our country. Although she may like to think of our president as a schoolyard bully, I believe that there is a much

larger population who is able to see through the biased editorializing to the other, logical side of the debate.

For example, take Mittlestadt's imaginative assertion that military action against Iraq is to satisfy our president's thirst for revenge. Does anyone really believe that if Saddam Hussein had complied with U.N. resolutions, we would be poised on the brink of war over a failed assassination attempt? Mittlestadt also didn't appear to ask any Iraqi citizens how it feels to live under Saddam's murderous and repressive regime.

As to her disbelief in the White House's sincerity of war as a "last resort," it may be that Saddam decides to flee in the final 24 hours before a war starts. To pull our troops back just because she doesn't like the thought of threatened force as a means of achieving our strategic aims doesn't seem to be a very prudent way to conduct U.S. foreign policy.

Also, because the Bush administration told us from the start that the war on terror would be a different war from what we've ever faced before, (lasting many years and with victories that may go unreported), it seems more than a little naive for the U.S. to wait until one war is completely won before protecting ourselves from other simultaneous threats. Maybe the bad guys will oblige us and wait their turns.

As for the "ruined [European] alliances," I'm glad that President Bush can endure the chants of "No blood for oil" instead of sacrificing my security for France's oil interests.

Brad Cook
 UI graduate student

Editorial

Recent nightclub tragedies require increased local safety

As stories from the nightclub stampede in Chicago and fire in Rhode Island poured through the media last week, no doubt many UI students envisioned themselves in a similar situation in one of the downtown Iowa City establishments. Overcrowded, dimly lit environments foster a unique social outlet, but they also endanger patrons and bar employees. After more than 100 people died in these recent incidents, Iowa City club owners and police officers should take a hard look at their own practices to ensure that such a tragedy does not occur here.

Already Iowa City has had close calls with bar injuries; one need look no further than the April 18, 2002, bar fire at Etc., which burned nine people. In October 2002, both the Union and the Alley Cat were charged with having open-flame devices, although there were no injuries at either establishment. Yet all of these bars continue to operate as usual and pack in the customers, clearly valuing the bottom line over the lives of their patrons.

Iowa City has already seen its share of near-tragedies. Police and bar owners must ensure that bars remain safe by adhering to capacity rules.

Bars in downtown Iowa City are consistently overcrowded because bar owners would rather pay a fine than turn away patrons eager to pay the cover for a night of fun. However, police officers are more likely to write out numerous drinking tickets than levy a citation for overcrowding or call in the Fire Department, so the

issue of too many patrons is never resolved.

Police officers should add awareness of a venue's capacity to their PAULA-heavy modus operandi, and if citations are necessary, they should be written. If the resulting fines are not sufficient to make bar owners comply with regulations, then the City Council could make an ordinance that actually helps the perceived problem at the bars.

Going to the bars should be fun, rather than one that instills fears of a panicked horde of people. Both the Iowa City police and bar owners must be more stringent about preventing overcrowded venues, because paying a cover shouldn't also make you pay with your life.

Ride 'em Cowboy, and other war stories

Remember Afghanistan? I know, it's difficult in these trying times to keep track of anything, what with reality displaying itself in the form of "Joe Millionaire" and "The Bachelorette" and the government forever trying to scare you with color schemes.

If it's not the tint of various alerts, it's the University of Michigan admissions policies. The Color Purple morphs into the Color of Money, and everything becomes a Clockwork Orange.

But Afghanistan — for those of you who, like King George, have better things to do with your waking moments (when they come along) than trying to recall exotic locales in which it's considered standard practice for Americans to shoot up the landscape — is a picturesque little mountainous country located east of the Chicago suburbs and west of the sun. It would be, like, a way awesome Spring Break destination if it weren't nearly always embroiled in some kind of war.

Many moons ago — roughly 18, give or take a phase we were just going through — Dubya had some lofty notions about Afghanistan. He was going to stride in there, like the new sheriff in town and all, toss those nasty Taliban guys out on their ears, bring back Osama bin Laden dead or alive, and in general make the country safe for Spring Break. College undergrads frolicking on the oceanfront, getting

whacked out on Kabul Kamikazes, and all that jazz.

OK, so Afghanistan doesn't really have any oceanfront, being landlocked. Details, details. You get the idea. America was going to dispatch the baddies and, unlike the last time it got involved in Afghanistan, was going to stick around and help rebuild the country into something resembling a normal society, whatever that is.

I have a notion that a rather large chunk of the American populace thinks "normal society" involves SUVs, malls, video games, and digital cable, which is probably not what a large chunk of the Afghan populace conjures up as "normal." But, as Americans say so eloquently, whatever.

So, what happened? Dubya did go striding into Afghanistan — well, OK, he sent the Army and Air Force and Marines striding in — and they tossed out the Taliban pish posh boom. They didn't exactly bring Osama back dead or alive (turns out the plan in Tora Bora wasn't so eloquent), but we don't talk about Osama anymore except when we're trying to marry him off to Saddam.

And how is rebuilding Afghanistan going?



BEAU ELLIOT

Funny you should ask. Especially humorous because nobody around Bush Inc. headquarters really wants to talk about Afghanistan. That's old news. Kind of like Old Europe.

But let's say you did happen to ask, So how's the rebuilding going? Or more pointedly, How much moolah did the Chief Cowboy put in his budget for Afghan reconstruction? The answer would be:

Zero. That's right. Zip. So, let's get this straight. We're going to have trillions in tax cuts for wealthy Americans but nada for Afghans.

Which should come as no surprise to anybody, because from Day One of Bush Inc. officials have talked disparagingly about "nation building." They believe that only wimpy liberals engage in that kind of thing, and they will, if pressed, make sneering asides about Bill Clinton and Somalia.

Which is kind of interesting when you think about it. I mean, Whose father inserted us into the quagmire known as Somalia? Clinton's?

This is one reason so many Europeans are skeptical about America's grandiose plans

for Iraq. Bush Inc. has done such a bang-up job in Afghanistan.

And reconstructing Afghanistan is kiddie stuff compared with the gargantuan task that rebuilding Iraq after the war will turn out to be. For one thing, experts estimate that, in the immediate aftermath of the war, 50 percent of Iraqis will be without water. What's Dubya's plan, ship them Coke and Pepsi?

For another thing — a move that has raised the ire of Iraqi opposition groups — the United States does not plan to purge Saddam's cohorts from positions of power. Oh, they'll take out Saddam himself and a few other top officials, but the rest will run the country under American supervision. I'm sure that will make most Iraqis feel oh so secure.

And another great idea Dubya and the boys have: Part of the bribe to Turkey is allowing that country to take over Iraqi Kurdistan. Isn't that brilliant? The Kurds, who have lived in relative autonomy for more than a decade, will be occupied by a power they hate at least as much as Saddam. That should make for a just and lasting peace.

Remember Afghanistan? That was just the warmup. The real rodeo is about to begin. Yee-haw.

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In My Opinion

Do you feel safe in Iowa City bars?



"I feel safe because I think I could get out, but I fear for the safety of others."

Nick McCleish
 UI junior



"On big weekends, there are sometimes problems. But I usually don't feel threatened about getting out."

Ryan Weis
 UI junior



"Sometimes it gets pretty crowded. When I get drunk, I'm afraid I'll fall down and get run over."

Eric Stafford
 UI senior



"Yeah, I feel safe, but I hope there isn't a fire."

Jesse Wing
 UI sophomore

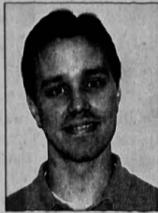


"I definitely remember feeling unsafe at times, like Fridays and Saturdays when it's really crowded."

Scott Berg
 UI senior

Make government theft simple

Last week, Sen. Larry McKibben, a Marshalltown Republican, proposed a flat income tax for Iowans. While the tax plan would create no immediate tax reduction, it would reduce taxes by approximately \$400 million annually by the time it was fully implemented in 2008. Furthermore, the plan would create rules to require the state Legislature to pass any further tax plan by a supermajority.



JAMES EAVES-JOHNSON

with spending requires a line item in the budget. However, a tax credit for a politician's cronies can usually sneak by more easily. If the government never collects it, the state does not need to account for the money flowing out the door.

Also, a complex tax code deters businesses from coming here. Even when Iowans pay less, the complex code results in apparent tax rates at the top of the chart. If you were a businessperson looking to relocate your business, the 9 percent bracket in Iowa is

like a flashing red light: "Do not bring your business here."

Finally, any privacy-minded civil libertarian should be appalled at any tax code, let alone a complex one. Do you and your family ordinarily share sensitive information with people you do not know? So why, then, do we all so willingly shed all of our dignity and hand over every sensitive bit of information at tax time? Even with a simple tax code, the government will steal your money, require disclosure of your personal income, and disclose your family relationships. What would you tell me if I knocked on your door and asked you how many children you have? It is a simple question, but hopefully, you would refuse to answer and colorfully tell me to leave.

A complex code with itemized deductions is far worse. Under the current situation, the only way for you to avoid getting soaked by the government is to disclose every financial detail. You may not think there is a problem with the government asking about your finances. But, realize that your "finances" may involve medical bills, child-support payments, gifts to charity, and every other private area of your life.

Perhaps we have reached the point where we accept that the government will ask any question, and like heel-clicking Nazis, we will answer. Perhaps we have reached the point where no part of our lives is sacred, and we prefer to bend over to government intrusion. I would hope we have not reached that point.

If we ever want to reclaim our liberty, we will have to start making steps in the right direction. Simple laws, sane tax codes, and a less-intrusive method of government theft are one step in the right direction. We have already passed up too many opportunities to step back from our march towards mounting government control. Let's not miss this one.

DI COLUMNIST JAMES EAVES-JOHNSON IS AN M.B.A. STUDENT AND LAW-COLLEGE ALUMNUS.

Letters to the Editor

Losing our religion

It seems that the more religious a country is, the less prosperous and cultured it is. Europe was barbaric when Christianity dominated, likewise colonial America. People are willing to commit terrible atrocities if they're told there's a holy reason behind it (i.e., the Spanish Inquisition, witch-hunts, jihad, the crusades, etc.).

Conversely, the more the Western world has rejected religion's influence, the more technologically and scientifically advanced it has become. This is the reason so much progress has been made in such a short amount of time, historically speaking. Once all societies are through with their religious insanity, there will be world peace and great human progress and evolution.

Nick Lyons
UI student

Iraq panel coverage poor

I was appalled to read your coverage of the public forum on U.S. intervention in Iraq (DI, Feb. 20), which portrayed two hours of complex and reasoned discussion over U.S. involvement in Iraq as a war-mongering crusade. While the panelists did reach the dismaying conclusion that military intervention may indeed be inevitable, they were critical of the current administration's policy on every conceivable ground for discussion. Not one panelist supported the notion that military action against Iraq would yield productive results in the "war on terror" or enhance our nation's security.

This issue is far too serious for simple slogans and facile conclusions. We organized this forum with the intention of providing information and illustrating the complexities of the issue without the usual inflammatory rhetoric that impedes understanding and often discourages people from taking action. That an event designed to enhance our capacities as citizens to get involved in this debate should be so misrepresented by *The Daily Iowan* is indeed a tragedy. Readers of *The Daily Iowan* deserve better than this.

Denise V. Powers
assistant professor of political science
moderator of forum

Double standard

I read in the Feb. 18 issue of *The Daily Iowan* that a UI faculty member was charged with operating a vehicle while intoxicated. It was reported that the faculty member would not likely face disciplinary action from the university because it did "not interfere with his job" and to quote Lee Anna Clark, "if a faculty member is driving home from a party and gets pulled over, we consider it that person's business."

Now, I realize that as a student, my opinion has no effect on university policy, but I live my life by the student policy, and it has led me to believe the following ideas. These ideas are paraphrases from documents on the Office of Student Services Web site, altered to apply to this situation.

I believe that succeeding at the university requires a balanced, healthy lifestyle. Misuse of alcohol can interfere with a faculty member's career as well as cause legal, social, financial, and health problems. I believe the UI should support the efforts of local police agencies to enforce the operating a vehicle while intoxicated law. Because of the possible risks posed by drinking and driving, parents should be notified in

writing when a faculty member is cited by police for operating a vehicle while intoxicated. The purpose of notifying parents of this public information would be to alert parents to the potential difficulties that may occur when faculty members drive vehicles after they have been drinking. Other alcohol-related charges could also prompt the university to write to faculty members' parents.

Maybe because I am just a student, I don't understand the parallels in these situations, but I will feel better knowing that my opinion has been heard.

C. Brett Lockard
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We missed an important opportunity; let's not miss this one. The current proposal is moderate in comparison. Its limits on government could be easily overturned because it is a statute, not a constitutional amendment. Also, it lacks the restraint on deficit spending that would have existed with the constitutional amendments.

Even so, it does offer the benefit of tax simplification. If passed, the law would replace nine tax brackets with rates up to nearly 9 percent with one 3.5 percent bracket. The innumerable tax deductions in the current code would shrink to a handful. Iowa has some of the highest tax rates and numerous tax brackets in the country.

Even our usually more socialist neighbors in Illinois have a simpler tax structure. It has a flat income tax rate of 3 percent. Tax complexity serves dubious purposes. It supports the lawyers and accountants who are required to decipher a complex code. Even those who earn little income are forced to pay the toll. They may not go to a high-priced tax lawyer, but they will pay H&R Block or TurboTax. Those who do not pay in cash will certainly pay with their time lost to figuring out their own taxes.

Furthermore, a complex tax code gives corrupt politicians a way of hiding their pork-barrel spending. Bringing the bacon home

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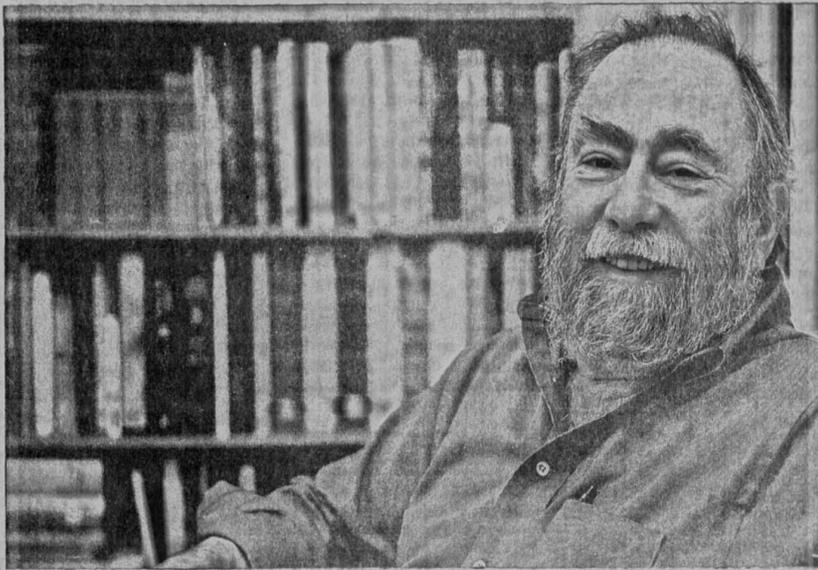
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Poet and Writers' Workshop Professor Marvin Bell relaxes at his home in Iowa City on Sunday evening.

Going beyond the words

BY BETH HERZINGER
THE DAILY IOWAN

A nasty fall down a flight of stairs last September that left poet Marvin Bell with immobilizers on both legs had an unlikely culprit — a large fruit basket.

Bell, the Iowa poet laureate and UI Writers' Workshop professor, will read from his latest release, *Ashes Poetica*, a pamphlet printed by former workshop student Tim Kremerik, today at 8 p.m. at Prairie Lights. The reading will also include selections from *Nightworks: Poems 1962-2000*, recently reissued in paperback, and new poems from his current manuscript.

Bell's reading was rescheduled from its original September date after his injury.

"I looked like Robo-cop in pajamas," he said of the immobilizers he wore because of torn ligaments in both legs.

Bell has been teaching in the workshop for 38 years. When he had to stay in bed, he moved his fall semester graduate poetry seminar class to his house, moving all of the furniture out of his living room and teaching from his bed.

Now he is back on his feet and is looking forward to the opportunity for the interaction between audience and poet present in a live reading.

"Poetry is, among other things, an occasion for conversation," he said.

The focus of tonight's reading is *Ashes Poetica*, a booklet of 13

previously unpublished poems. Bell "plundered his hard drive" for poems after Kremerik approached him about his interest in printing.

"He was wonderfully enthusiastic," Bell said. "He just did a beautiful job, especially for a book, which requires a great deal of work."

In late April, Bell will join the Rock Bottom Remainders, a band composed entirely of authors, on a West Coast tour. The group includes Stephen King, Dave Barry, Matt Groening, and others. The tour is to raise money for America SCORES, an urban after-school soccer and creative-writing program.

Bell moved to Iowa City in 1961 to "be a grad-student bum" and liked Iowa City right away because of the city's devotion to the arts.

"Iowa City is a very special place. It's a secret that many people know about," he said. "Of course, there are things I wish for. I wish Adagio still served lunch. I wish there were better movie theaters. I wish more students went to Bijou films so they could bring in more."

Bell describes his current living situation as "tricoastal." He and his wife, Dorothy, spend two months in the winter on eastern Long Island in a borrowed house and summers in Port Townsend, Wash., in a small house they own.

"All art is local," he said of his changing locations. "At the

same time, art transcends these boundaries."

He is currently writing poems for a new manuscript to be published in 2004. Although he suggested every writer use a schedule, Bell says he does not because of his lifestyle and metabolism. He also does not save his previous drafts, because, "once I've made a change, it's made."

Bell has published more than 15 books of poetry. He became interested in poetry in the 1960s and still believes poetry matters for the same reasons that all art matters.

"Language, as we use it every day, can only go so far. There are no words for feelings," he said. "Poetry uses words to get beyond words, to express the inexpressible. Poetry tries to express what life feels like."

Although he has entered what he described as phased retirement, he teaches in the fall semester. Like every good teacher, he said, he also does the assignments for the class, and he admires the talent and self-motivation of his students.

He plans to continue writing in search for a new approach or a new form in his poetry.

"Writers who go on writing for most of their lives are helpless not to," Bell said. "It's not because of schooling or because they're smart. They do it because they have to, because they're helpless not to write."

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Art with a certain pull to it

BY JENNIFER KAY
ASSOCIATED PRESS

PHILADELPHIA — Pull a knob on the vintage cigarette machine, and you may pick up a new habit — buying art.

The Art-o-Mat offers miniature paintings, sculpture, and other tiny trinkets for not much more than a pack of Parliaments. The concept has hooked accidental art investors with refurbished vending machines in art galleries, coffee shops, and grocery stores nationwide.

"We're wanting to reach quality investors who haven't taken art seriously before and to support artists trying to make a living," said founding artist Clark Whittington.

He sold his own artwork in the first Art-o-Mat in 1997 in a Winston-Salem, N.C., gallery. The project now includes more than 40 rehabilitated cigarette machines, including prime spots in the Chicago Department of Cultural Affairs, the Whitney Museum of American Art in New York City, and the Museum of Contemporary Art in Los Angeles. Approximately 300 artists worldwide contribute to the project.

In a Philadelphia Whole Foods grocery store, an Art-o-Mat decorated with a blue celestial-themed painting by Whittington stands just inside the front door between boxes of

honeydew melons and shopping carts. Customers can select pocket-sized paintings, magnets, glassware, African bronze sculptures, and something labeled "goat milk soap" created by 20 artists whose work is stocked in the machine.

Brett Mapp, the store's community liaison, said approximately \$2,000 worth of art has been sold through the Art-o-Mat since its arrival in October. Buyers are diverse.

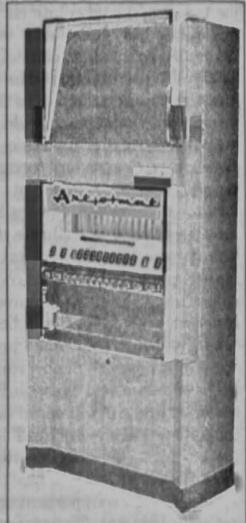
"They're very excited, and they usually come back to show us what they got," he said, while restocking the machine with white boxes wrapped in cellophane, each the size of a pack of cigarettes. When he opens the machine, it still smells vaguely like tobacco.

Mobles by Raleigh, N.C., artist Chris Stanford were the most popular pieces during the holidays, when people bought them as stocking stuffers, Mapp said.

Each Art-o-Mat selection costs \$5; half goes directly to the artist, \$1.50 to the host, and \$1 to Whittington for machine maintenance.

Whittington, 36, said he hopes the machines inspire people to make the leap from Art-o-Mat's kitschy-cool to serious art collecting.

While some buyers have commissioned larger works from artists whose work they found through Art-o-Mat, the majority



This Art-o-Mat sells cheap art at an arts center in North Carolina.

simply want more of the miniature pieces. One North Carolina woman has collected more than 200 works featuring faces, Whittington said.

"People who like to collect art can have a nice collection for a very modest investment ... people in very small apartments who don't have a lot of wall space," said artist Bob Ziller, who stocks a machine at the Beehive Southside, a Pittsburgh coffee shop.

ARTS BRIEFS

CBS lands interview with Saddam Hussein

NEW YORK (AP) — CBS News' Dan Rather interviewed Saddam Hussein on Monday, the Iraqi leader's first interview with an American television journalist in 12 years.

CBS posted a report about the interview on its Web site Monday afternoon, saying Saddam has challenged President Bush to a live debate on their nations' differences.

Rather was to report on the interview Monday on the "CBS Evening News." But the first taped excerpts likely won't be seen until this morning. The full interview is to air in prime time Wednesday on "60 Minutes II."

Rather has interviewed Saddam once before, in 1990. CBS News also ran excerpts earlier this month from Saddam's Feb. 4 interview with Tony Benn, a retired British lawmaker who has become a peace activist.

Neither CBS nor Rather was immediately available to provide details on how the interview was obtained.

MTV contest turns raucous

NEW YORK (AP) — Two police officers suffered minor injuries, and four people were arrested Monday when an MTV contest in Times Square got out of hand.

People began shoving and pushing as a crowd of several thousand

gathered in the morning outside MTV's studios, police said.

The four people arrested were charged with disorderly conduct, said Detective Brian Sessa, a police spokesman.

The contest was a hip-hop talent search in which finalists would have competed for a Def Jam recording contract and \$25,000. MTV said the New York Police Department asked it to cancel the "MC Battles" because of overcrowding.

"We're disappointed we had to take this measure, but we'll announce details about rescheduling shortly," said Dave Sirulnick, MTV's executive vice president of news and production.

The two injured police officers were treated at a hospital and released.

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BASKETBALL, Iowa women host Michigan State, Carver-Hawkeye Arena, 7 p.m.

SWIMMING, Iowa men at Big Tens hosted by Michigan, Canham Natatorium, all day

Friday

SWIMMING, Iowa men at Big Tens hosted by Michigan, Canham Natatorium, all day

BASEBALL, Iowa at Wichita State, Eck Stadium, 3 p.m.

GOLF, Iowa women at Carolinas Collegiate Classic, Pinehurst No. 8, all day

Saturday

BASKETBALL, Iowa men at Indiana, Assembly Hall, 6:05 p.m., ESPN

GYMNASTICS, Iowa men at Illinois with Penn State, Huff Hall, 7 p.m.

SWIMMING, Iowa men at Big Tens hosted by Michigan, Canham Natatorium, all day

BASEBALL, Iowa at Wichita State (doubleheader), Eck Stadium, 1 p.m.

GOLF, Iowa women at Carolinas Collegiate Classic, Pinehurst No. 8, all day

TRACK, Iowa men at Big Ten Indoor Championships, Armory Track, 10 a.m.

SOFTBALL, Iowa at Cardinal Spring Tournament, Ulmer Stadium, 10 a.m., 12 p.m.

TRACK, Iowa women at Big Ten Indoor, Harry C. Gladstein Field House, all day

GOLF, Iowa men at Emerald Coast Collegiate, Pensacola, Fla., all day

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BASKETBALL, Iowa women host Purdue, Carver-Hawkeye Arena, 2 p.m.

SWIMMING, Iowa men at Big Tens hosted by Michigan, Canham Natatorium, all day

BASEBALL, Iowa at Wichita State, Eck Stadium, 1 p.m.

GOLF, Iowa women at Carolinas Collegiate Classic, Pinehurst No. 8, all day

TENNIS, Iowa men host Drake, Recreation Building, 2 p.m., free

TENNIS, Iowa Women hosts Kansas, 2 p.m.

TRACK, Iowa men at Big Ten Indoor Championships, Armory Track, 9 a.m.

SOFTBALL, Iowa at Cardinal Spring Tournament, Ulmer Stadium, 10 a.m., 12 p.m.

TRACK, Iowa women at Big Ten Indoor, Harry C. Gladstein Field House

GOLF, Iowa men at Emerald Coast Collegiate, Pensacola, Fla.

GYMNASTICS, Iowa women at Illinois-Chicago, UIC Physical Education Building, 2 p.m.

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Morgan promoted to Hawkeyes O-Line coach

BY TODD BROMMELKAMP
 THE DAILY IOWAN



Morgan

Reese Morgan would often invite Iowa's tight ends over to his home for cookouts during his three years as their coach. As of Monday, Morgan may have to budget for a bigger spread the next time he hosts Hawkeye players at his home.

On Monday, Iowa coach Kirk Ferentz announced his intention to elevate Morgan to offensive-line coach from his current position. He will fill the vacancy created by Joe Philbin, who resigned his position with the Hawkeyes to become an assistant offensive-line coach for the Green Bay Packers earlier this month.

"I'm very honored, humbled to be in this position," Morgan told *The Daily Iowan* Monday evening. "Joe Philbin has been a tremendous offensive-line coach, teacher, and mentor. He's someone we certainly can't replace. I just hope I can meet expectations."

The 52-year-old Morgan joined the Iowa staff in 2000 after spending more than two decades in the high-school coaching ranks. Morgan coached at Benton Community High School from 1973-91 before serving as head coach for the Iowa City West football program from 1992-99. The Trojans won three class 4A titles under his direction before he joined Ferentz's staff three years ago.

"Reese has done a fantastic job in all areas since joining our staff. He is an outstanding football coach and a strong teacher and communicator," Ferentz said in a press release. "I have every confidence that Reese will do a splendid job with this new assignment."

As Iowa's tight-end coach, Morgan was widely regarded as one of the catalysts in the development of Dallas Clark the past two seasons. Clark went from a walk-on linebacker to an All-American tight end, thanks in

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GOLF MATCH PLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

Help wanted



Reed Saxon/Associated Press

Tiger Woods blasts from the trap on the 10th hole of Riviera Country Club during the Nissan Open Feb. 22.

Woods tries to stay ahead — before he gets left behind

BY DOUG FERGUSON
 ASSOCIATED PRESS

CARLSBAD, Calif. — Tiger Woods was changing shoes after his final round at Riviera when he noticed a broom putter leaning against the locker of Carl Pettersson, his opponent in the first round of the Match Play Championship.

"Should I break this?" Woods said with a smile.

This is one tournament where even Woods needs all the help he can get.

Golf's version of March Madness arrives this week at La Costa Resort, where the top 64 players available from the world rankings try to advance through the brackets in a \$6

million free-for-all.

And just like the NCAA Tournament, anyone can be upset.

Woods found that out last year when he became the first No. 1 seed to go home after one round, losing to Peter O'Malley of Australia. Woods has reached the finals only once in the three years he has played.

"You can't put yourself behind

the 8-ball in match play, especially against these guys," Woods said. "The quality of play now is so high that it's difficult to come back."

Only the final match is 36 holes, considered to be the true test of match play.

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Pressure is off for the Hawks

BY TODD BROMMELKAMP
 THE DAILY IOWAN

Last October, Steve Alford met with his coaching staff prior to the start of the season. The underlying question that kept bubbling to the surface was whether the Hawkeyes could compete at a high level of play over a long period of time.

It is now nearly March, and the Iowa staff has its answer to that query — apparently a resounding no.

As Alford and the Hawkeyes (13-10, 5-7) begin a three-game road trip tonight against Ohio State (13-11, 6-7), they will once again search for a way to finish a game as strongly as they start one.

The Hawkeyes have lost seven of their last nine games but have had the lead at half-time in six of those nine. But there always seems to be something in the second half — on Feb. 22 against Wisconsin it was

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Iowa vs. Ohio State



When: Tonight, 7:05
 Where: Schottenstein Center

Ohio State	Starters	P	Yr	Pts.
14	Z. Radinovic	C	Jr.	8.7
33	Zach Williams	F	Jr.	10.1
20	E. Jernigan	G	Jr.	5.2
3	Sean Connolly	G	Sr.	11.8
4	Brent Darby	G	Sr.	18

point/counterpoint

Do drugs enhance sports?

The talk about baseball's death was deafening in the years following the strike of 1994. The national pastime might not have stood up from its debilitating wheelchair without a boost from Sammy Sosa and Mark McGwire.

Accordingly, these two athletes likely required modern-day supplements to reach beyond the mark of Roger Maris.

Sosa went through a miraculous physical change throughout the mid-90s, putting on extra muscle. To obtain mass that swiftly, a supplemental aid stronger than the Flintstones vitamins Sosa reportedly used must have been involved.

The year after 1998's home-run race, Mark McGwire publicly admitted to using creatine, a legal supplement. Sosa stands by the Flintstones story.

Maris' record was destroyed by two athletes performing to the peak of human ability. It was supplements that made the home-run race possible, at least in the case of McGwire.

So the question that begs to be answered is whether drugs enhance sports. The answer is yes.

A fact of evolution is that humans in general are becoming bigger, stronger, and faster. Were it not for supplements such as creatine, ephedrine, and androst-athletes would not be able to survive.

Bodies must be able to withstand bone-crunching hits in the NFL. Home runs must have muscle behind them, and slaps need the explosive reaction of the body to reach 100 miles an hour.

The aforementioned are expectations we have for our athletes. We pay them to reach the pinnacle of their game. Our enthusiasm for sports perpetuates the cycle.

So if you think drugs or supplements should not be in sports, throw away your jerseys, rip up your season tickets, and cancel your subscription to *Sports Illustrated*.

As we all know Rome wasn't built in a day, but, with today's sports married to GNC and more nefarious narcotics, athletes can be.

Gone is the era of untainted heroes in every sporting venue. I can't help wondering, every time the leather is ripped off a baseball or when a 233-pound running back overpowers defenders, whether I witnessed an honest-to-god work ethic or a steroid-fueled energy spike.

Natural human feats should be marveled at. But, if you're an 8-year-old with dreams of flashing lights and cheering crowds, a message is being sent: Work hard and take the right combination of mother's little helpers, and you, too, can be a meat sack driven by the FDA.

The great home-run derby of 1998, Ben Johnson's 1993 lifetime exile from track, and seemingly every Tour de France are events proven to be poisoned by drugs. Legends that laid the foundation and tradition of athletic prowess are being spat on for the cause of a brave new world.

Not only is the history of sports spinning in its grave, these legal additives are putting up headstones.

In early spring of 2002, three college players died because of over-the-counter drugs and supplements during offseason workouts — DeVaughn Darling of Florida State, Eraste Autin of Florida, and Rashidi Wheeler of Northwestern. Two of the cases involved our dietary fixer-upper friend ephedra. If that name sounds familiar, it's because ephedra has added to the death toll recently — 23-year-old Baltimore pitcher Steve Bechler.

I can understand an athlete's draw to being drenched in drugs. Drugs mean a higher paycheck, remaining in the starting lineup, even being adored by millions. The desire to compete at a higher level is natural, but competing unnaturally is ruining the games we love and killing the idols of the future.

— by Jerod Leupold

SPORTS

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

By The Associated Press
All Times CST

EASTERN CONFERENCE			
Team	W	L	Pct
New Jersey	37	20	.649
Philadelphia	31	24	.564
Boston	31	26	.545
Orlando	28	29	.491
Washington	26	29	.473
New York	23	32	.418
Miami	19	36	.345

CENTRAL DIVISION			
Team	W	L	Pct
Detroit	37	19	.661
Indiana	37	19	.661
New Orleans	31	27	.534
Milwaukee	28	28	.500
Atlanta	21	35	.375
Chicago	20	38	.345
Toronto	17	36	.321
Cleveland	10	46	.179

WESTERN CONFERENCE			
Team	W	L	Pct
Dallas	44	12	.786
San Antonio	38	17	.691
Minnesota	37	21	.638
Utah	33	23	.589
Houston	30	26	.536
Memphis	17	38	.309
Denver	12	45	.210

PACIFIC DIVISION			
Team	W	L	Pct
Sacramento	35	18	.684
Portland	30	20	.636
LA Lakers	30	25	.545
Phoenix	27	30	.474
Golden State	27	30	.474
Seattle	24	31	.436
LA Clippers	19	35	.352

Sunday's Games
Dallas 106, Washington 101, OT
Orlando 113, New Jersey 105
Minnesota 99, Phoenix 97
Philadelphia 116, Cleveland 103
Sacramento 99, New York 92
Golden State 115, Atlanta 93
LA Lakers 106, Seattle 101

Monday's Games
Houston 101, Boston 95, OT
Memphis 103, Utah 92
Minnesota 117, Milwaukee 114
Chicago 90, Phoenix 87
Golden State 94, Denver 89
Seattle 86, Detroit 79

Today's Games
Dallas at Orlando, 8 p.m.
New Jersey at Cleveland, 6 p.m.
Washington at Indiana, 6 p.m.
Houston at New York, 6:30 p.m.
Miami at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at Sacramento, 9 p.m.
Atlanta at Portland, 9 p.m.

L.A. Clippers at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
Indiana at Boston, 6 p.m.
Memphis at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.
New York at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Utah at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
Phoenix at Milwaukee, 7 p.m.
Miami at New Orleans, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Chicago, 8 p.m.
Portland at Denver, 8 p.m.
Atlanta at Seattle, 9 p.m.
Golden State at L.A. Clippers, 9:30 p.m.

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

All Times CST

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Team	W	L	OT	Pts
New Jersey	37	16	4	82
Philadelphia	31	17	11	75
N.Y. Islanders	29	23	7	67
Pittsburgh	25	28	4	59
N.Y. Rangers	25	31	7	62

WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Team	W	L	OT	Pts
Ottawa	39	16	7	86
Toronto	35	22	4	75
Boston	22	31	7	65
Montreal	24	28	7	62
Buffalo	18	30	8	59

Spring Training
Major League Baseball
By The Associated Press
Thursday, Feb. 27
Los Angeles at Vero Beach, 12:05 p.m.
Philadelphia vs. Pittsburgh at Bradenton, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Baltimore vs. Florida at Jupiter, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Georgia Tech vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
St. Louis vs. N.Y. Mets at Port St. Lucie, Fla., 12:10 p.m.
Cincinnati vs. N.Y. Yankees at Tampa, Fla., 12:15 p.m.
Texas vs. Kansas City at Surprise, Ariz., 2:05 p.m. (charity)
Arizona vs. Colorado at Tucson, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Oakland vs. Milwaukee at Maryvale, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs vs. San Francisco at Scottsdale, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Seattle vs. San Diego at Peoria, Ariz., 2:05 p.m. (charity)
Minnesota vs. Boston at Fort Myers, Fla., 6:05 p.m.
Friday, Feb. 28
N.Y. Yankees vs. Philadelphia (ss) at Clearwater, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Houston vs. Montreal at Viera, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (ss) vs. Atlanta at Kissimmee, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Cleveland (ss) vs. Minnesota at Fort Myers, Fla., 12:05 p.m.

Dallas 3, Chicago 0
Atlanta 3, Phoenix 2
Nashville 5, Toronto 3
Atlanta 3, Edmonton 3, tie
Minnesota 3, St. Louis 1
Colorado 4, N.Y. Rangers 1
Vancouver 7, Columbus 2
N.Y. Mets vs. St. Louis at Jupiter, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Florida vs. Baltimore at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Kansas City vs. Texas at Surprise, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Milwaukee vs. Oakland at Phoenix, 2:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox vs. Arizona at Tucson, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
San Francisco vs. Chicago Cubs at Mesa, Ariz., 2:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Ottawa, 6 p.m.
Anaheim at Tampa Bay, 6 p.m.
Los Angeles at Pittsburgh, 6:30 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
Columbus at Nashville, 7 p.m.
Philadelphia at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
Edmonton at Colorado, 8 p.m.
Atlanta at Vancouver, 9 p.m.

Los Angeles vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh vs. Cleveland (ss) at Winter Haven, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
Cincinnati vs. Boston (ss) at Fort Myers, Fla., 12:05 p.m.
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SPORTS TRANSACTIONS
American League
DETROIT TIGERS—Agreed to terms with RHP Gary Knotts, RHP Franklyn German, LHP Mike Maroth, LHP Jamie Walker and C Brandon Inge.
TAMPA BAY DEVIL RAYS—Agreed to terms with INF Antonio Perez on a one-year contract.
TEXAS RANGERS—Agreed to terms with LHP Ben Klotzowski on a one-year contract.
National League
ATLANTA BRAVES—Agreed to terms with RHP Joe Dawley, RHP Brett Everi, RHP Kevin Gryboski, RHP Billy Sylvester and OF Ryan Langerhans.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Signed G Raul Chavez, INF Morgan Ensberg, INF Adam Everett, OF Victor Hall, LHP Carlos Hernandez, RHP Tim Redding and RHP Kirk Saarloos to one-year contracts.
LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Signed INF Joe Thurston, INF-OF Jason Romano, RHP Brian Mallette and LHP Derek Thompson to one-year contracts.
MONTREAL EXPOS—Agreed to terms with RHP T.J. Tucker and RHP Zach Day on one-year contracts.
NEW YORK METS—Agreed to terms with INF Marco Scutaro on a one-year contract.

BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NBA—Fined Dallas Mavericks G Nick Van Exel \$20,000 for verbally abusing officials after Sunday's game.
FOOTBALL
National Football League
SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS—Named Eric Yarber receivers coach and Larry Mac Duff special teams coach.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
ATLANTA THRASHERS—Traded F Pascal Rheault to New Jersey for a 2004 conditional pick.

Arizona reclaims bragging rights

BY JIM O'CONNELL
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Arizona and Kentucky were 1-2 in the Associated Press college basketball poll for a second-straight week Monday, while Memphis entered the Top 25 for the first time this season.

It was the third week in a row and 11th time this season the Wildcats (21-2) have been ranked No. 1. Arizona beat Arizona State, 92-72, in its only game last week and received 58 first-place votes and 1,786 points from the national-media panel.

Kentucky (22-3), which beat Arkansas and Mississippi State last week to extend the nation's longest winning streak to 16 games, was No. 1 on 14 ballots and had 1,741 points.

For the 10th-straight week, the top five changed.

Oklahoma, which beat Kansas in a matchup of Nos. 5 and 6, moved up two spots to third. Florida, which won in overtime at Vanderbilt, jumped three places to No. 4.

Texas, which lost to Oklahoma State on Feb. 22, fell from third to fifth and was followed in the Top 10 by Duke, Kansas, Pittsburgh, Notre Dame, and Marquette. The Golden Eagles moved up one place to No. 10, their first appearance in the Top 10 this season.

Louisville (19-4) doubled its loss total last week by dropping games to Memphis and Cincinnati and fell from No. 4 to No. 11, ending its run of five weeks in the Top 10. The Cardinals reached as high as No. 2, then

Men's Top Twenty Five

By The Associated Press

Record	Pts	Pv
1. Arizona (58)	21-2	1,786
2. Kentucky (14)	22-3	1,741
3. Oklahoma	19-4	1,633
4. Florida	22-4	1,539
5. Texas	18-5	1,431
6. Duke	19-4	1,414
7. Kansas	20-6	1,327
8. Pittsburgh	19-4	1,241
9. Notre Dame	21-5	1,147
10. Marquette	20-4	1,115
11. Louisville	19-4	1,065
12. Wake Forest	19-4	967
13. Xavier	20-4	963
14. Maryland	17-7	865
15. Syracuse	19-4	819
16. Oklahoma St.	20-5	809
17. Creighton	24-3	837
18. Illinois	18-5	592
19. Stanford	21-6	491
20. Mississippi St.	17-6	430
21. Georgia	18-7	342
22. Utah	20-4	334
23. California	19-5	270
24. Memphis	18-5	118
25. Dayton	19-5	112

Others receiving votes: Connecticut 104, Saint Joseph's 57, Wisconsin 51, Missouri 29, Butler 26, Gonzaga 16, BYU 10, Kent St. 5, Weber St. 5, Cent. Michigan 4, Michigan 4, Minnesota 4, S. Illinois 4, Manhattan 3, Tennessee 3, Auburn 2, Colorado 2, Purdue 2, Cincinnati 1, Holy Cross 1, Troy St. 1, Wyoming 1.

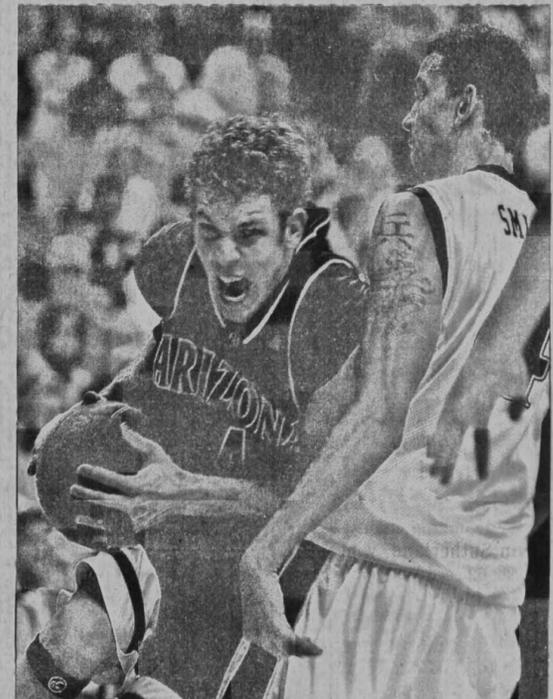
dropped when their 17-game winning streak was snapped by Saint Louis.

Wake Forest was 12th and was followed by Xavier, Maryland, Syracuse, Oklahoma State, Creighton, Illinois, Stanford, and Mississippi State.

The last five ranked teams were Georgia, Utah, California, Memphis, and Dayton.

Memphis (18-5) moved into the poll on a seven-game winning streak, including last week's 80-73 win over Louisville, the Cardinals' first home loss of the season. The Tigers were ranked for the first four polls last season.

Purdue (16-8) fell out after one week in the poll for the sec-



Tom Hood/Associated Press
Arizona's Luke Walton drives against Arizona State's Tommy Smith Feb. 22. The Wildcats won by 20 and retook the No. 1 AP position.

ond time this season. The Boilermakers, who were ranked 24th, lost to Michigan and Ohio State last week and have lost four of five.

Memphis' appearance gives Conference USA three ranked teams (Marquette, Louisville), meaning six leagues have at least

that many schools in the Top 25. The Southeastern Conference and Big 12 both have four ranked teams, while the Pac-10, Atlantic Coast Conference, and Big East also have three.

The Atlantic 10 has two teams in the Top 25. Only Illinois still ranked at No. 18.

Huskies still looking for challenge

BY CHUCK SCHOFFNER
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Connecticut received a mild challenge in its last two games. Not in the Associated Press poll.

The Huskies, who have won 65-straight games, were a unanimous choice for No. 1 in the women's poll for the fourth-consecutive week on Monday.

UConn (26-0) received all 44 first-place votes from a national media panel and had 1,100 points to lead a top five that was unchanged from last week.

Duke (25-1) remained second with 1,050 points and was followed by Tennessee (24-3), LSU (23-2), and Kansas State (25-2). LSU held at No. 4 despite Sunday's 68-65 loss to Tennessee, which has won 15 straight since a Jan. 4 overtime loss to Connecticut.

The rest of the top 10 included the same teams as last week, with a slight shuffling in the order, and the poll had no newcomers. Arkansas fell from 15th to 21st after losing to a pair of ranked opponents, Mississippi State and Georgia.

Only two members of the Top 25 lost to unranked teams during the past week. Purdue stayed at No. 11 after a 56-51 loss at Ohio State. Washington fell two spots to 25th after losing at Oregon State. Washington bounced back to win at Oregon two nights later.

Women's Top Twenty Five

By The Associated Press

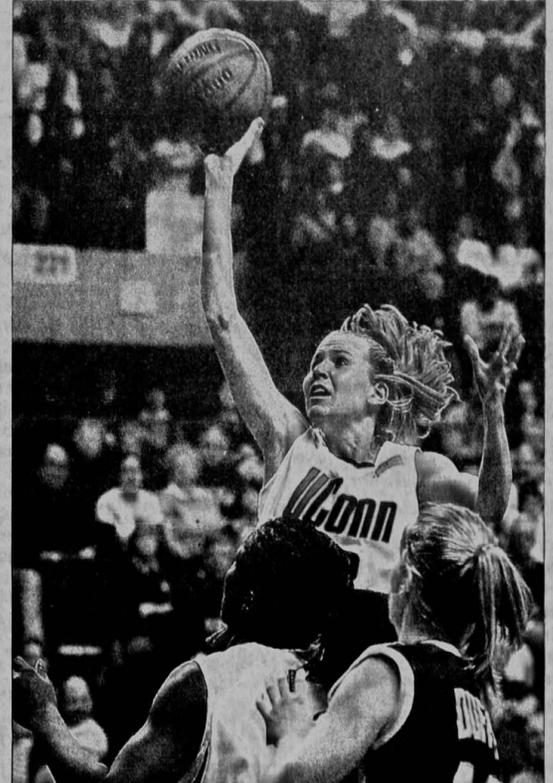
Record	Pts	Pv
1. Connecticut (44)	26-0	1,100
2. Duke	25-1	1,050
3. Tennessee	24-3	1,017
4. LSU	23-2	956
5. Kansas St.	25-2	928
6. Louisiana Tech	23-2	814
7. Texas Tech	22-3	812
8. North Carolina	23-3	795
9. Stanford	22-3	773
10. Texas	19-5	749
11. Purdue	21-5	592
12. Mississippi St.	20-6	551
13. Minnesota	21-4	540
14. Georgia	18-7	478
15. Penn St.	22-7	473
16. South Carolina	9-6	432
17. Vanderbilt	18-7	369
18. Villanova	20-4	358
19. UC Santa Barbara	19-4	352
20. Rutgers	18-5	258
21. Arkansas	19-8	219
22. Wis.-Green Bay	22-3	215
23. Boston College	18-6	149
24. Arizona	18-7	79
25. Washington	20-6	62

Others receiving votes: Ohio St. 43, Utah 40, Mississippi 25, Cincinnati 23, Colorado 23, DePaul 15, George Washington 15, Austin Peay 7, Liberty 6, Charlotte 3, N.C.-Wilmington 3, Auburn 2, Oklahoma 2, Indiana St. 1, Notre Dame 1.

and Miami by double-digit margins in its last two games but trailed Miami by eight points in the first half, matching the biggest deficit they've faced.

Then they went on a 30-4 run to blow it open and won, 81-60. Against Notre Dame on Sunday, the score was tied late in the first half before UConn pulled away to a 77-59 victory.

Duke has been impressive since losing the No. 1 ranking after a Feb. 1 loss to Connecticut. The Blue Devils have won five times by an average of 31 points, the latest a 97-63 thumping of North Carolina.



Bob Child/Associated Press
Connecticut's Ann Strother goes for a one-hander in the second half against Notre Dame in their Big East Conference game Feb. 23. The fighting Irish proved to be a road bump in one of two games this week for the Huskies. Uconn retains the No. 1 AP Poll spot.

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SHANGHAI KNIGHTS (PG-13)
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ABOUT SCHMIDT (R)
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SCREEN 1: 11:50, 2:10, 4:30, 6:50, 9:20
SCREEN 2: 12:30, 2:50, 5:10, 7:30, 9:45
CHICAGO (PG-13)
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HOW TO LOSE A GUY IN 10 DAYS (PG-13)
12:45, 3:45, 6:45, 9:45
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12:50, 3:50, 7:00, 9:40
FINAL DESTINATION 2 (R)
12:10, 2:30, 4:50, 7:10, 9:20
JUST MARRIED (PG-13)
12:15, 2:30, 4:45, 7:10, 9:30
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Alford wants team to relax

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turnovers — which helps accelerate the team's second-half disintegration. Way back on Jan. 25, before these lapses became expected, it was a defensive let-down against Ohio State guard Brent Darby that allowed the Buckeyes to escape Iowa City with a 74-61 victory. That was just one of many episodes the team has suffered this year and that have been "the issue all season long" for Alford.

At this point answers are few and far between for the Iowa coach, who continues to be pleased with the effort of the struggling Hawkeyes but cites, just under three weeks from the Big Ten Tournament, execution as his team's main drawback — especially in the second half, and more specifically on the defensive end of the court.

Just how far have the coaches gone to solve the second-half woes? Well, they've done just about all they can do without resorting to tricking the squad into leaving the locker room for the second half believing it's still the first.

"We haven't come up with anything that creative yet," Alford joked on his Monday morning teleconference.

Alford's hope, at least for the time being, is that his team will relax during its four last conference games. The Hawkeyes, he says, have to find a way to quit feeling like

the fate of the world is resting on their collective shoulders and just play the game. Last season, that was hard to do because of outside pressures, but this season, the drive to succeed came from within.

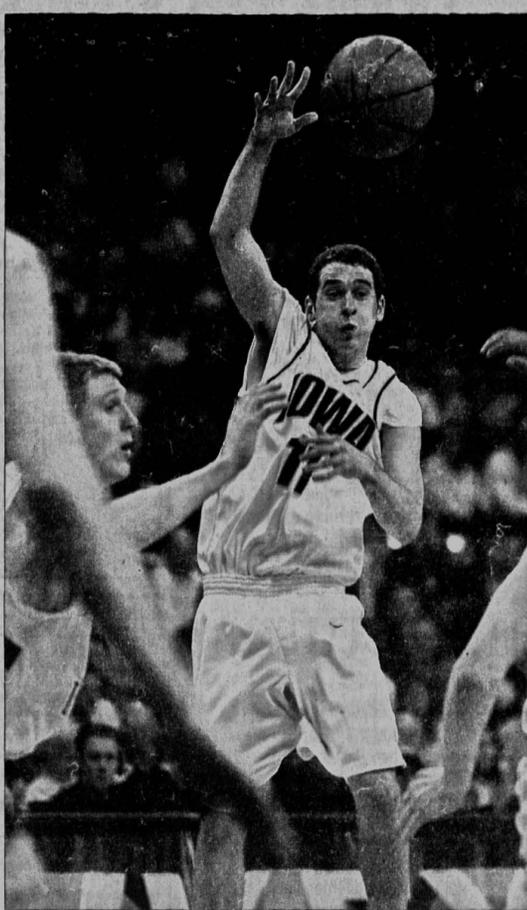
"There were low expectations from the get-go on the outside, but this team really had high expectations in their own locker room," Alford said.

Those hopes, which included an invitation to the NCAA Tournament, are now confined to winning the Big Ten Tournament in order to earn the conference's automatic bid. However, a strong finish to the regular season combined with a good run in Chicago could give the team plenty of momentum for a possible National Invitation Tournament berth. Iowa would need to finish above .500 in order to be considered for an NIT invite.

Still, no one inside the program is giving up hope yet. Alford says that self-imposed pressure will keep the Hawks from playing in any tournament if they let it control their mindset. Again, he is stressing a looser attitude in the waning days of league play and de-emphasizing those external pressures.

"What you can control is your locker room and how you perform [as a team]," Alford told the Hawkeyes. "Staying to the grind" and working hard will accomplish more than worrying about the future, he said.

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Ben Plank/The Daily Iowan
Iowa's Brody Boyd and his teammates have struggled in the last few weeks. The team takes on Ohio State tonight.

Search continues to fill second assistant position

MORGAN
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large part to Morgan's guidance. Now, he has been entrusted with the task of handling the mass of humanity that is Iowa's offensive line, one of the catalysts behind the team's resurgence in recent years. Iowa has had the Big Ten's best scoring offense the last two seasons largely because of the protection its line has afforded quarterbacks and running backs.

In addition to his duties with Iowa's tight ends, Morgan also serves as the program's recruiting coordinator. As of Monday, he did not know whether he would maintain that position with his promotion to the offensive line, saying he preferred those questions be directed to Ferentz.

The announcement ended two weeks of speculation on whom Ferentz would name as Philbin's replacement. It was

widely believed he was looking within the program, but graduate assistants A.J. Blazek and Jon McLaughlin often headed the list of potential candidates. Current Arizona Cardinals assistant offensive-line coach Mike Devlin, a former all-American center who played at Iowa from 1989-92, was also rumored to be in line for the job.

"I think Coach [Ferentz] had a lot of different options," Morgan said. "Again, I just hope I can meet expectations."

The search for another offensive assistant will continue, and the position will likely be filled by Ferentz within the next 10 days, according to the release that announced Morgan's promotion.

Attempts to reach several Iowa players for comment were unsuccessful.

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Woods faces top golfers in world

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The rest of the Accenture Match Play Championship is five rounds of Phil Mickelson against Phillip Price. Mickelson lost to Price, No. 119 in the world, in a pivotal match at The Belfry that enabled Europe to win the Ryder Cup.

"Anything can happen," Woods said. "The best player doesn't always win an 18-hole match."

Woods again is the No. 1 seed, and he will play Wednesday against Pettersson, who only found out Sunday that he got into the field because Vijay Singh withdrew with a rib injury.

"It's an opportunity for me," said Pettersson, a Swede who went to North Carolina State and was the first-round leader at the British Open last year.

He's no longshot. A year ago at La Costa, the top three seeds were eliminated in the first round.

Pettersson got into position to be an alternate when he finished runner-up to Woods by four shots

Anything can happen. The best player doesn't always win an 18-hole match.

Tiger Woods, golfer

at the Buick Invitational two weeks ago.

When the pairings were completed Monday evening, the other top seeds were Ernie Els, Phil Mickelson, and Retief Goosen.

Els, who has won four of his five tournaments worldwide this year, will play Phil Tatum of New Zealand in the first round. Mickelson plays Robert Karlsson, while Goosen takes on Jay Haas.

The PGA Tour has changed the presentation of the brackets. Instead of No. 1 seed against the No. 64 seed, it has named each bracket after four players — Bobby Jones, Ben Hogan, Gary Player, and Sam Snead.

None of that matters.

The defending champion is Kevin Sutherland, who was the No. 62 seed last year when he knocked off David Duval and everyone else on his way to a stunning victory. The year before, Steve Stricker won as the 55th seed.

The highest-ranked seed to win was Darren Clarke (No. 19) in 2000, when he beat Woods.

Among the interesting first-round matches is Justin Leonard plays Jose Maria Olazabal. Leonard rallied from 4-down and clinched the 1999 Ryder Cup for the United States when he rolled in a 45-foot birdie putt on the 17th hole at The Country Club.

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NBA ROUNDUP

Houston 101, Boston 95, OT

BOSTON — Cuttino Mobley had 31 points and 10 rebounds, hitting a 3-pointer to send the game into overtime and another to give the Rockets the lead for good on Monday night as Houston beat the Boston Celtics.

Steve Francis scored 33 with nine rebounds and nine assists, hitting two free throws with 20 seconds left in overtime. He added a breakaway dunk for insurance with 8.6 seconds left.

Yao Ming was held to nine points on two shots in his first-ever game in Boston. However, the 7-5 rookie had nine rebounds and hit a nice skyhook in the lane with 3:59 left in the fourth to cap an 11-0 run that cut the Celtics' lead to four points.

Minnesota 117, Milwaukee 114

MILWAUKEE — Kevin Garnett had 34 points, 12 rebounds, and eight assists as the Minnesota Timberwolves ruined Gary Payton's home debut with a victory over the Milwaukee Bucks on Monday night.

Garnett has an NBA-best 47 double-doubles. He was also 12-of-16 from the free-throw line.

Wally Szczerbiak made all 12 of his free throws and added 26 points for Minnesota.

Minnesota led 89-72 at the start of the fourth quarter but Milwaukee rallied and cut the lead to two, 116-114, when Sam Cassell stole an inbound pass and fed Mason for a lay-up with 2 seconds left. But Troy Hudson, who had 21 points, made one free throw and Garnett stole the inbound pass to seal the victory.

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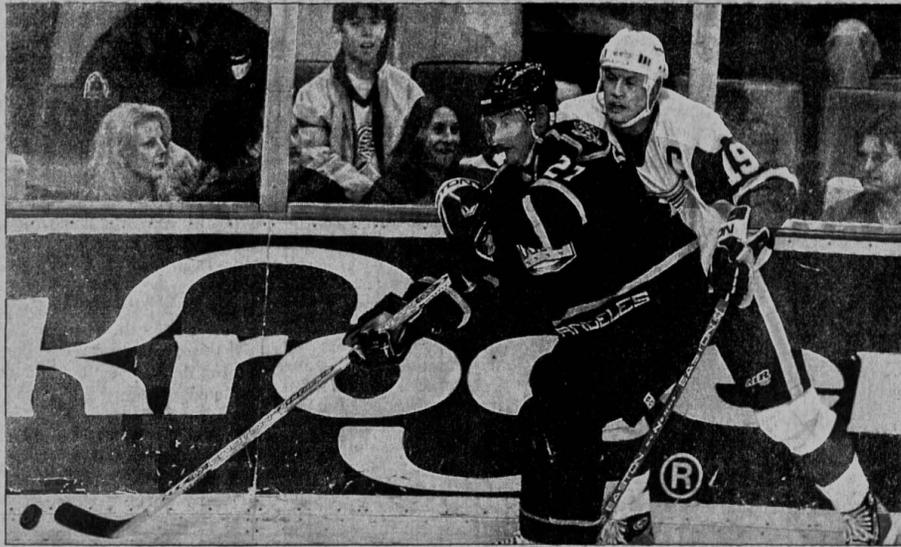
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Kings forward Eric Rasmussen fends off Red Wing center Steve Yzerman in the first period. Yzerman returned to the lineup on Monday. He had sat out the season after having surgery on his knee in the off-season.

Captain, my captain returns

ASSOCIATED PRESS

DETROIT — Steve Yzerman's season debut was a success as Detroit beat Los Angeles, 5-4, Monday night.

The Red Wings captain missed the first 61 games this season because of surgery on his right knee on Aug. 2. He last played in Game 5 of last June's Stanley Cup Finals when the Red Wings won the Stanley Cup.

Yzerman did not figure into any of the Detroit goals. He played 18 shifts, totaling 13:17 of ice time, but didn't record a shot. He won nine of 15 faceoffs.

Brett Hull and Igor Larionov each had a goal and an assist, and Kirk Maltby, Tomas Holmstrom, and Sergei Fedorov also scored for Detroit.

Mathieu Schneider, Ian Laperriere, Eric Belanger, and Derek Armstrong had the Los Angeles goals.

Eric Belanger pulled the Kings 4-3 with 6:52 left when his slap shot from the right faceoff dot beat Manny Legace high to the long side.

Fedorov scored off a breakaway with 3:07 remaining, putting a shot past Jamie Storr after making a move. That goal came just as Yzerman was stepping out of the penalty box after he slashed Laperriere.

But Armstrong brought the Kings back within one goal when he

scored with 2:06 left.

Laperriere's goal, off a rebound, with 16.4 seconds left in the second period brought Los Angeles within 4-2. The Red Wings scored three goals in the period.

Larionov made it 2-0 just 40 seconds in when he tipped in Fedorov's pass.

Schneider's power-play goal at 5:37 put the Kings on the board.

Maltby broke a 17-game goal drought when he poked the puck in off a goal-mouth scramble with 4:05 remaining.

Holmstrom was credited with a power-play goal with 2:27 left when the rebound of Hull's shot bounced in off Holmstrom's skate. It gave Holmstrom a career-high 17 goals.

Hull gave Detroit a 1-0 lead with 4:22 left in the first period when his one-time slap shot from deep in the right circle went through Storr's pads.

Washington 4, Montreal 1

WASHINGTON — Peter Bondra and Ivan Ciernik each had a goal and an assist as Washington snapped a three-game losing streak by beating Montreal.

Jaromir Jagr and Steve Konowalchuk also scored for the Capitals.

Jan Bulis had the goal for Montreal. The Capitals took a 1-0 lead when Ciernik scored from the right circle on a 2-on-1 break 9:08 in.

Ciernik's sixth goal came off a cross-

ice pass from Michael Nylander.

Jagr made it 2-0 early in the second period. When Dainius Zubrus' left-wing slap shot caromed off the right post, Jagr converted the long rebound at 2:22.

Bondra's first goal in eight games extended the lead 2:41 into the third. Bondra skated down the left wing and ripped a slap shot from the top of the circle past Jose Theodore.

Florida 2, Buffalo 2

SUNRISE, Florida — Rookie Jaroslav Bednar snapped a 25-game goal-scoring drought with 2:06 left in the third period to lift Florida to a tie with Buffalo.

Bednar, who has a three-game points streak, swooped in on a loose puck after a faceoff in the Sabres' zone, knocked goaltender Martin Biron to the ice, and lifted the puck over the fallen netminder.

Florida's Olli Jokinen extended his points streak to nine games with a first-period goal — his 32nd. He has seven goals and eight assists during that span.

Both of Buffalo's goals came on the power play. Maxim Afinogenov's second goal of the season was his second in as many games.

Miroslav Satan notched his 22nd of the season.

Biron stopped 29 shots, including five in overtime as the Panthers pressed hard during a power play. Biron is 12-21-6 this season.

Roberto Luongo stopped 23 shots for Florida, which is 3-0-1 in its past four.

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SUMMER/FALL Child Care Help Wanted. Needed: Two individuals to work as team. Request: Play/Shop/Clean. Three children: Boys 6 & 4, girl 2. Hours needed are from 4-11 p.m. M-Th and one full Saturday a month. Projected hours from May till end of August 256 project hours. Compensation \$4000 or \$15.60 an hour. Send to: JDRH Job Opening 24 North Van Buren Iowa City, IA 52245.

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MOTHER'S HELPER, Female U of I college student with references and transportation to babysit. (319)759-2580.

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OPEN ARMS CHILD CARE CENTER now hiring full-time assistant toddler teacher 9-6p.m., Monday-Friday. Please call Kelly at (319)621-3708.

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SEEKING Dental Hygienist in a busy progressive practice in Washington, IA. Applicant must be licensed and have good communication skills. Benefits include: vacation and sick time, health plan, retirement and health plan. Send resume to: Dr. John Henschler DDS, PO Box 85, Washington, IA 52393. (319)653-3412

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FULL-TIME or PART-TIME P.M. COOK NEEDED. Apply in person between 2-4pm. University Athletic Club 1360 Melrose Ave.

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BRENEMAN SEED & PET CENTER Tropical fish, pets and pet supplies, pet grooming. 1500 1st Avenue South. 338-8501.

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AUTO DOMESTIC

1992 Olds Cutlass Supreme. Good condition. \$3000/obo. (319)358-0026.

1997 Jeep Wrangler, 73K miles. 4-cyl. Good condition. \$9500. (319)341-8833.

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1986 Isuzu Trooper 4x4. Good condition, runs good, well maintained. \$1800. (319)330-7081.

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ROOM FOR RENT

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CATS welcome. Unique rooms in historical setting. North side. Laundry. (319)330-7081.

DORM style rooms available now, \$250-\$270 per month, each room has fridge and microwave. Call Hodge Construction at (319)354-2233 for showing.

FEBRUARY FREE. Three bedroom, own bathroom. \$247. Emerald Court. (319)338-4466.

FURNISHED room, refrigerator, microwave, cable TV, utilities paid, \$375/month. Month-to-month. (319)936-6829.

LIVE-IN a house with eight great guys! \$262/month plus utilities (319)354-1191.

NEED TO PLACE AN AD? COME TO ROOM 111 COMMUNICATIONS CENTER FOR DETAILS.

OWN bathroom, patio, walk-in closet. Apartment is pool side. Four blocks from campus. \$250/month. (319)330-8069.

OWN bathroom, patio. Spacious. Must see. Rent negotiable. Desks. (319)530-0550.

ROOMMATE WANTED/FEMALE

AVAILABLE AUGUST 1. Looking for two female roommates for three bedroom apartment. Nice location. Call Michelle (319)339-7680.

AVAILABLE August 1st. Big room in four bedroom house. Off-street parking, near campus. Call (319)354-6879.

OWN bedroom in three apartment. Three blocks east of Pentacrest. \$320. Contact Beth (319)339-4381.

ROOMMATE WANTED/MALE

SHARE two bedroom, two bathroom apartment. Utilities included. No security deposit required. \$300/month. Located at 716 E. Burlington. Call Brenda Klein, (815)337-6056.

ROOMMATE WANTED

AVAILABLE March. Looking for someone to sublease two bedroom condo. \$250/month plus 1/2 utilities. Call (319)331-9998.

AVAILABLE now. One room, furnished, free parking, ten minutes from hospital/campus, \$270 plus 1/4 utilities. (319)248-0458.

ROOMMATE WANTED

DUPLEX. \$160/month plus 1/3 utilities. Five minutes from campus. (319)936-4700.

FIRST month rent FREE. Own bedroom in two bedroom. \$300 plus utilities. C/A, dishwasher. Security building. Lakeside bus stop. Pets okay. Third floor privacy. Heidi (319)688-9577.

FREE February rent. One bedroom in five bedroom apartment. Close to campus. W/D, C/A. Optional partial furnishing of bedroom (free). \$336/month. (319)339-7999.

FREE February rent. Own room in four bedroom. Nice, close to campus. \$325 plus utilities. Call Ellen (319)338-7098.

GRAD! PROFESSIONAL preferred to share spacious four bedroom home. Close to all. \$325/month plus 1/4 utilities. (319)321-8399.

ONE bedroom in new luxury two bedroom, two bath condo. Grad/professional. Free campus. \$375 plus 1/2 utilities. (319)455-6269.

ONE bedroom in new two bedroom apartment, downtown location. Call Dan (847)530-0408.

ONE bedroom in three bedroom condo, 1800 sq. ft., two floors, spiral staircase, free parking. Available immediately. \$315/month. (319)356-7994.

ONE room in a three bedroom apartment, \$336/month with HW. Good roommates, good location. Ryan (319)354-4077. Cole (312)925-0659.

OWN bedroom in four bedroom house. \$300/month plus utilities. 721 Brown St. Available immediately. (319)688-0802.

OWN bedroom in three bedroom apartment. One block from downtown. Great prices. 130 E. Jefferson. Call (847)220-0134.

RESPONSIBLE roommate wanted. Two bedroom, clean apartment. 182 Westside Dr., quiet location. \$580/month. 315-4534 days, or 887-5996 evenings, ask for Nick.

SPACIOUS bedroom in attractive two bedroom apartment near downtown. \$365/month. Utilities cheap. February free. Call Dan (319)936-0206.

SUBLEASE own bedroom in five bedroom house. Four male roommates. \$380/month plus utilities. Available April 1, 2003. (515)669-1563. (319)338-6127 Eric.

SUBLEASE own bedroom with bathroom in three room apartment until July. Great roommates. \$350/month plus some utilities. Parking space included. Great location. (563)543-6812.

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ONE bedroom and one bedroom plus study available immediately. Close-in, sublet, starting at \$436/month. H.W. No pets. (319)466-7491. www.jandjapts.com

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ONE bedroom apartment to look at. Three blocks from UIHC and law. \$400. H/W paid. Available now. (319)679-2572; (319)430-3218.

ONE bedroom basement apartment. \$300 heat paid. Available March 1. No smoking or pets. (319)354-8073.



calendar

- Physiology and Biophysics Faculty Candidate Seminar, "Promiscuity and fidelity? Receptors and signaling components of the filamentous growth pathway in yeast," Paul Cullen, University of Oregon-Eugene, today at 9:30 a.m., 5-669 Bowen Science Building.
- Meet Your Senatorial Candidates, today at 11 a.m., IMU Lucas-Dodge Room.
- "Cinematic," Waco High School Choir performs movie melodies, today at 11:45 a.m., UIHC Colleton Pavilion Atrium.
- Materials Physics/Solid State Physics Seminar, "A Predictive Model of Strong Hydrogen Bonding in Proteins," Jan Jensen, chemistry, today at 12:15 p.m., 301 Van Allen Hall.
- Diversity Dialogue Film Series, in honor of Black History Month, Brothers of the Academy Documentary, *Up and Coming Black Scholars Earning Our Way in Higher Education*, today at 2 p.m., IMU Purdue Room.
- Faculty Council Meeting, today at 3:30 p.m., IMU Penn State Room.

black history fact

Graduating from the New York Medical School for Women and Children as valedictorian of her class in 1870, Susan McKinney Steward is reputedly the first black woman to formally enter the medical profession. — Black Student Union

TUESDAY 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
HOME ANTENNA													
KGAN	2	2	News	Millionaire	College Basketball: Iowa at Ohio State. (Live)	Judging Amy	News	Late Show (10:35)	Late Late				
KWWI	7	7	News	Fortune	Game Show	Frasier	A.U.S.A.	Dateline	News	Tonight Show (10:35)	Late Night		
KFXA	9	41	Frasier	Seinfeld	American Idol (TV)	24	News	Raymond	King-Hill	Home Imp.	Star Trek: Voyager		
KCRG	9	9	News	Friends	8 Rules	Jim	I'm a Celebrity	NYPD Blue (PA)	News	Dharma	Friends	Nightline	
KIIN	13	13	NewsHour	Iowa	Frontline: The Gulf War. (Part 1 of 2)	Frontline: The Gulf War. (Part 2 of 2)					Business	Monarch	
KWKR	20	16	Little Hse.	Will-Grace	College Basketball: Colorado at Iowa State.	'70s Show	'70s Show	Will-Grace	Just Shoot	Blind Date	5th Wheel		
CABLE CHANNELS													
WSUI	10		Audio programming										
WGN	3	31	Home Imp.	Will-Grace	Dead Ringers ('88) *** (Jeremy Irons)	News	Rockford Files	Heat of Night					
GOVT	4		Senior Center TV (5)	Iowa City Council Meeting				Army	Envirocafe				
PAX	6		Supermk	Fam. Feud	Weak Link	Weak Link	Just Cause	Diagnosis Murder	Miracle	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
LIBR	10		Off the Shelf	Local Lore	Irving B. Weber Day 2001 History Lecture			People's Law School	Library Information				
EDUC	11		DPO Meeting	Iowa City Community School District Board Meeting					Africans: Tools				
OSPN	14	23	House of Rep.	Prime Time Public Affairs				Prime Time Public Affairs					
OSPN2	15	21	U.S. Senate Coverage	Public Affairs				Public Affairs					
CNBC	19	29	Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	Capital Report	Brian Williams	Kudlow & Cramer	Capital Report					
UITV	17	3	France	Spanish	Movie	Faces of Culture	Korean	Greece	France	Argentina			
PUBL	19		Tom's Guitar	Country Time Country	Tuesday Nights	Sugar	PATV	Cold	RBO TV	No Shame Theatre			
FNC	23	28	Fox Report	O'Reilly Factor (Live)	Hannity & Colmes	On the Record	O'Reilly Factor	Special Report					
MTV	27	44	Direct Effect	Real Wld	Real Wld	Real Wld	Urban Myth	Grammy	Warning	Direct Effect			
CNN	28	26	Crossfire	Connie Chung Tonight	Larry King Live	Newsnight-Br.	Chung	Moneyline	Larry King Live				
DISC	29	5	Making Marines	New Detectives	New Detectives	FBI Files: High Stakes.	New Detectives	New Detectives					
ACE	30	38	American Justice	Biography: Osama	Cold Case Files		Third Watch	Biography: Osama					
USA	31	34	JAG: Defenseless	Never Been Kissed (PG-13, '99) ** (Drew Barrymore)	Perfect Crime ('97) ** (Miltzi Kapture)	JAG: The Stalker.	JAG: Black Ops.	Nash					
LIFE	33	36	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Perfect Crime ('97) ** (Miltzi Kapture)	Golden	Golden	Nanny	Nanny				
IVIC	33	30	Weather	Weather	Strm Story	Strm Story	Evening Edition	Strm Story	Strm Story	Evening Edition			
FX	35		Cops	Lethal Weapon 2 (R, '89) *** (Mel Gibson)		Shield: Scar Tissue.	Shield: Scar Tissue.	Lethal Weapon 2 ('89)					
INT	35	35	Law & Order: Decoit.	Law & Order	Law & Order: Grief.	Charmed	Law & Order	X-Files					
VH1	37	43	Empire Records (5)	Dashboard Dreams	Cobain	Behind	Sam & Dave Show	Dashboard Dreams	Behind-Music				
ANIM	38		Animals	Animals	Animal Magic	Animal Videos	Animal Videos	Animal Magic	Animal Videos				
AMC	41		Flight-Phoenix	The Hindenburg (PG, '75) *** (George C. Scott)		Chain Reaction (9:40) (PG-13, '96) ** (Keanu Reeves)							
SPEED	42		Bike Week	Thunder	Motorcycle Racing	Motorcycle Racing	Motorcycle Racing	2 Wheel	Bike Week	Thunder			
DISN	43		Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Alley Cats Strike! ('00) **	Teamo	Sister, Sis.	Lizzie	Even	Boy World	Smart Guy		
FOXSR	43	33	NASCAR	See This	FOX One 54321	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)	Best Damn Sports Show Period (Live)					
COM	45	42	Late Night	Saturday Night Live	Premium	South	Man Show	Man Show	Daily	Presents	Man Show	Man Show	
BRAV	46	39	It Factor	Cirque	Married to the Mob (R, '88) (Michelle Pfeiffer)	Kingpin: Pilot.	Kingpin: El Velorio.	Married to the MobR.					
NICK	49	18	Arnold	Rugrats	Sponge	Ginger	Cosby	Cosby	Cheers	Cheers	Coach	Coach	Cosby
ESPN	50	45	College Basketball: South Carolina at Florida.	College Basketball: Indiana at Illinois. (Live)		Sportscenter	Gamenight	Interrupt					
EL	51	45	El News	Lynda Carter: THS	Anna	Star Dates	Saturday Night Live	Howard S.	Howard S.	Wild On...			
TOON	53	17	Ed, Edd	Dexter	Bravo	Pokemon	Pokemon	Courage	Samurai	Powerpuff	Futurama	Home	Reign
ESPN2	55	46	College Basketball: Seton Hall at Rutgers.	NBA Fast Break Tuesday		Snowmobile Racing	NBA	Bill Walton					
BET	57	40	106 Park	Cradle	Malcolm X (PG-13, '92) (Denzel Washington)	Comicview	News	Turnstyle	Soul Food				
TNN	59	37	Blind Date	Blind Date	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan (PG, '82) (William Shatner)	Real TV	Blind Date	Blind Date				
HIST	60	37	Modern Marvels	Saddam's Weapons	Secrets-Ancient	Modern Marvels	Murders	Murders	Saddam's Weapons				
TBS	61	32	Friends	Seinfeld	Rush Hour (PG-13, '98) *** (Jackie Chan)	Demolition Man (9:15) ('93) (Sylvester Stallone)	Conan the Barbarian						
UNI	62	24	Gata Salvaje	Las Vias del Amor	Amor y Odio	Ver Para Creer	P. Impacto	Noticiero	Mejores Famili				
TBN	70		Robinson	Dr. Baugh	Behind	Life Word	Cor	Hillsong	Praise the Lord (Live)	Religious Special			
PREMIUM CHANNELS													
HBO	550	14	In the Army Now (34)	Joe Somebody ('01) (Tim Allen)	Oz (8:45): Exeunt Omnes.				12 Years of Real Sex	Real Time			
MAX	562	15	A Knight's Tale (4:45)	Navy SEALs (R, '90) *** (Charlie Sheen)	Resident Evil ('02) (Milla Jovovich)	Babes II: Lost in Beaver Creek/NR.							

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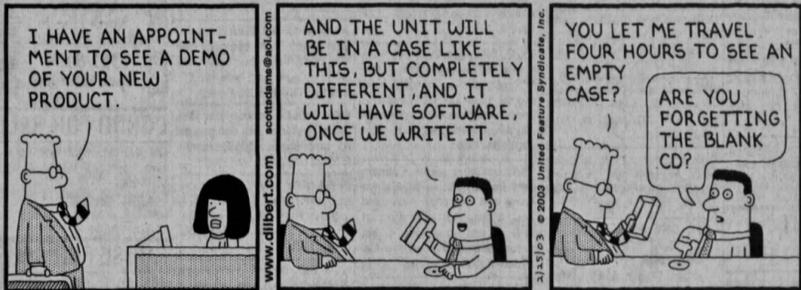
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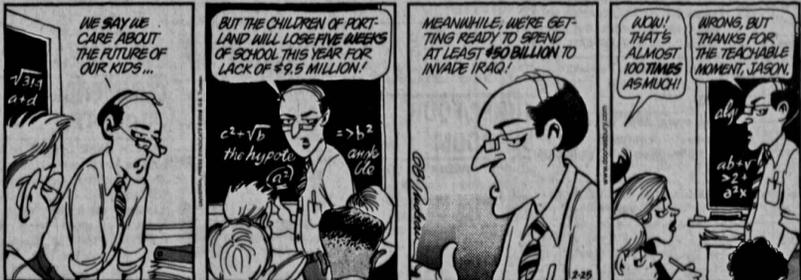
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- 8 a.m. Democracy Now
- 11 SCTV Calendar
- 11:30 SCTV Mature Focus
- Noon Sony Challenge!
- 12:30 p.m. The Good News
- 1 SHAC International Harvest
- 1:55 Slowwwd
- 2 St. Mary's Liturgy
- 3 Power of Victory
- 4 Gospel Explosion Ministry
- 5 Another Man Working To End
- 5:30 Nancy Cree Keyboard
- Highlights
- 6 Tom's Guitar Show Live
- 7 Country Time Country
- 8 Tonight with Bradman Live
- 9 Sugar and Spikes
- 9:30 PATV Reserved: Local Music
- 10 Cold and Grey
- 10:30 RBO TV
- 11 No Shame Theatre

UITV schedule

6:30-7:30 p.m. — Richard S. Levitt Distinguished Lecture: featuring Thomas Friedman (REBROADCAST)

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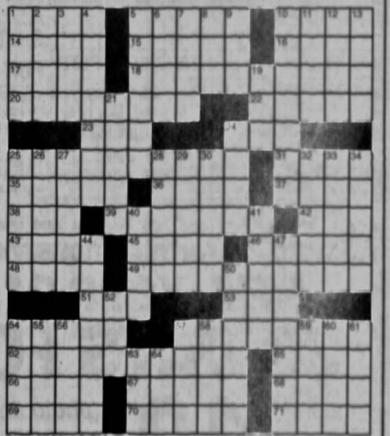
- ACROSS**
- 1 Part of Q.E.D.
- 5 Contradict
- 10 "You can say that again!"
- 14 Mascara site
- 15 Ain't correct?
- 16 What the fourth little piggy got
- 17 Take the bait
- 18 Construction playthings
- 20 Like Mickey Mouse
- 22 Coup
- 23 Metric measure
- 24 Solo of "Star Wars"
- 25 Like some suits
- 31 Houston-based org.
- 35 Bikini, e.g.
- 38 Way off
- 37 Play starter
- 38 Warmed the bench
- 39 Author connected to this puzzle's theme
- 42 Sushi offering
- 43 Verbal assault
- 45 Emporium event
- 46 Michaels of "Saturday Night Live"
- 48 Literary lioness
- 49 Shirrelles hit of 1962
- 51 Pathet
- 53 First U.S. color TV maker
- 54 Taxpayer's dread
- 57 Part of L.E.D.
- 62 Crow's-nest instruments
- 65 Lionel train layout, maybe
- 66 "Nana" star Anna
- 67 Fake jewelry
- 68 Declare "good" or "excellent," say
- 69 Drops off
- 70 Grace word
- 71 Snick and

DOWN

- 1 Alabama county seat named for a European island
- 2 Wet forecast
- 3 Italian wine town
- 4 Teen's hangout, perhaps
- 5 One who's up
- 6 Canal of song
- 7 Do banker's work
- 8 Publicity
- 9 When Dijon gets hot
- 10 Pre-cable need
- 11 Like some points
- 12 New Age singer
- 13 Branch headquarters?
- 19 Nutritional fig.
- 21 On (doing well)
- 24 Munchen mister
- 25 Café holder
- 26 Whatsoever
- 27 Tiny bits
- 28 Port near Hong Kong
- 29 Headed for (in imminent trouble)
- 30 Wasn't afraid

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SPAS WASH BAYER
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- 32 Sharp-tongued parts
- 33 Pool person
- 34 Alvin of dance
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- 54 Org.
- 55 Until
- 56 Turned blue, maybe
- 57 To be, to Brutus
- 58 1969 miracle team
- 59 Terrible man?
- 60 Hoopster Archibald
- 61 Club
- 63 Msg. sent to squad cars
- 64 Mineo of film

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It's so cold ...
• They should close down school.
• Frosty moved to Florida.
• My anti-freeze anti-froze.
• Icicles of snot are hanging off my nose.
• The new dome already cracked.
• A frozen piece of poop is hanging out of my schnauzer's butt.
• I saw a girl with her tongue stuck to her lip ring.
• I saw this other girl with her cell phone stuck to her face.
• Even the smokers aren't going outside.
• I can't hear my professor over the rattle of chattering teeth.
• People are walking stiff-legged so they won't touch their knees to their pants.

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