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UI plots moves on diversity

BY PETE WARSKI
THE DAILY IOWAN

UI President David Skorton released a report of recommendations on Monday from an ad-hoc committee that could change the name of the Office of Affirmative Action and create a new position to oversee all university funds used to promote diversity.

The report was compiled by the Diversity Administration Review Committee, which Skorton convened shortly after he took office in the spring. The president instructed the panel to review administrative structures at Iowa's public universities and Big Ten schools and to suggest improvements in diversity efforts within the UI administration.

"This committee was a proactive response to growing diversity within the state of Iowa and the country in general," said panel head Charlotte Westerhaus, the university's director of Affirmative Action. She added that the group sought to improve all types of diversity as outlined in the university's human-rights policy.

The report includes a proposal to change the name of the Office of Affirmative Action to the Office of Equal Opportunity and Diversity to reflect the office's mission. Also included is a recommendation creating a position for a specialist who would ensure that funds used to promote diversity are "procured and retained" by the university.

One overarching solution discussed by the committee involved coordinating the expertise of various diversity programs on campus, said Christine Brus, the director of Women in Science and Engineering and a member of the committee.

"There is a higher possibility of getting funds from various sources if they see that real changes will be made with their money," she said. "It's better to pool the resources of several groups instead of just one."

Though unavailable for comment Monday, Skorton wrote in a press release that the committee had done a "thorough job."

"I encourage the entire university community to review [the report] and share responses with me and committee members," he said, adding that actions in response to the recommendations will be announced in coming weeks.

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Fatal-chase probe nears end

BY SEUNG MIN KIM
THE DAILY IOWAN

Law-enforcement officials are "getting close" to the end of an investigation of a police chase last month that ended in the death of a 25-year-old Coralville native.

Coralville police and the state Division of Criminal Investigation are reviewing information regarding the chase and death of Kyle Wasson on Aug. 28. He was pursued by North Liberty Police Chief Jim Warkentin when he failed to pull over for a traffic violation. The resulting pursuit ended near Wickham Ele-

mentary School, 601 Oakdale Blvd., Coralville, when Warkentin killed Wasson with a single gunshot wound to the torso.

Details of the investigation cannot be released, said Coralville police Lt. Ron Wenman. Warkentin is on administrative leave until the probe is completed.

Audio recordings and transcripts released last week by Coralville police detailed the chase, which began on the outskirts of North Liberty and moved south toward Coralville in the late morning. According to transcripts: Warkentin contacted John-

son County dispatchers at 11:50:10 a.m., alerting them to his pursuit of a red motorcycle on the 12th Avenue extension from Forevergreen Road in North Liberty.

Warkentin started to chase Wasson south toward Coralville, reaching Mesquite Drive by 11:51 a.m. The two reached Muddy Creek Lane by 11:51:38 a.m. when they became a 10-50 — a motor-vehicle accident.

At 11:52:20 a.m., Warkentin told dispatchers that Wasson headed down a bike trail, later reported to be just north of Wickham Elementary.

Tape reveals timeline of the police chase involving North Liberty Police Chief Jim Warkentin and Kyle A. Wasson

11:50:10 a.m. Warkentin contacts Johnson County dispatchers.
11:50:15 a.m. Warkentin alerts dispatchers that he is in pursuit of a red motorcycle on 12th Avenue extension from Forevergreen Road in North Liberty.
11:50:25 a.m. Wasson and Warkentin are heading south into Coralville.
11:51:00 a.m. Wasson and Warkentin are on Mesquite Drive in Coralville.
11:51:38 a.m. Wasson and Warkentin are on Muddy Creek Lane in Coralville.
11:52:20 a.m. Wasson goes down a bike trail.
11:54:15 a.m. Warkentin reports that shots have been fired near Wickham Elementary, the subject is down, and he needs an ambulance.
11:56:45 a.m. Coralville police Sgt. Bill Searls says to contact Wickham and make everybody stay in the building.
11:58:30 a.m. Searls reports that Johnson County deputies are en route to the scene.

Source: DI research

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From approximately 11:52:23 a.m. to 11:54:09 a.m.,

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HITTING THE HAWKEYE HUSTINGS



Zach Boyden-Holmes/The Daily Iowan

Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, speaks at Hubbard Park on Monday afternoon. The crowd of nearly 200 was filled with local politicians and student leaders listening to Kerry's higher-education plan. See story, page 2A.



THE OUTGOING CITY COUNCILOR VOWS TO FIGHT FOR MUNICIPAL ELECTRICITY IN HIS REMAINING MONTHS IN IC

Kanner still dreams of city-owned utility

BY JEFFREY PATCH
THE DAILY IOWAN

A spark ignited inside the teenaged Steven Kanner when his political idol, Dennis Kucinich served as the 31-year-old "boy mayor" of Cleveland.

"All of it goes back in some ways to Dennis Kucinich's fight for municipal electric," Iowa City City Councilor Kanner said, referring to the 2004 presidential candidate's former battle to retain municipal control over Cleveland's power company, Muni Light, in the 1970s.

Kanner the 1970s Iowa City has the same "villain," a large corporation — MidAmerican Energy Co., and the same "protagonist" — local citizens.

He surprised many councilors and citizens when he let the deadline to file for re-election expire in August, but he



Kanner city councilor

John Richard/The Daily Iowan

City Councilor Steven Kanner tosses a softball around with some of his friends on Sunday evening at City Park.

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Fun flies as a blackout darkens West Campus

STUDENTS IN SLATER, REINOW, AND QUADRANGLE DORMS FACED A SHORT POWER OUTAGE THIS WEEKEND

BY SONJA ELMQUIST
THE DAILY IOWAN

Seth Michel, a UI junior and Hillcrest resident, entered Slater Residence Hall on Sept. 13 and found it dark, but filled with spots of floating light and mysterious flying objects. He found his friends looking like aliens, throwing footballs in the dark with flashlights taped to the top of their heads — entertaining themselves during the power outage that affected Reinow and Slater Residence Halls, the Field House, and the Dental Science and Nursing Buildings.

The 8 p.m. power outage on the West Campus was caused when water leaked into a switch near the Field House

where high-voltage underground cables surface and connect to a transformer. The switch's safety feature detected the short and shut down, said Rick Ferman Milster, an associate director of utilities for the Facilities Services Group. Power was restored to the residence halls by about 10:30 p.m., and the Field House shortly after.

Exactly how water got into the switch is not clear, said Rick Hellwig, the university's electricity-distribution manager. The switches are more than 20 years old, he said, but they are cleaned and maintained at least once a year and are still functional.

Flashlights and cell phones were the only sources of light in Slater Hall for part of the outage. Generators intended to provide emergency lighting turned off after approximately 30 seconds in Slater Hall, said

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COMING HOME

Arizona State's Hakim Hill returns this weekend to his hometown — the scene of some of his greatest triumphs and also some of his not-so-golden moments. See story, page 1B

RECALL RECALLED

A federal court raises the uncertainty in California wacky recall effort by delaying the vote. See story, page 3A



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Activists: Natural-gas prices could soar if winter is harsh

BY JOE NUGENT
ASSOCIATED PRESS

AMES — Advocates for elderly and low-income Iowans told a congressional task force Monday that some families could be forced to forgo meals or medication if a cold winter drives up natural-gas prices, which already are twice as high as a year ago.

Unless the winter is very harsh, Iowa utilities said, they are on track to be at full storage capacity by October and should be able to keep pace with demand. However, demand continues to grow and a limited supply could mean a potential crisis, said Rep. Tom Latham, R-Iowa.

"We are in the midst of a problem that may be worsening," said Latham, who was named in July to the Congressional Task Force for Affordable Natural Gas.

"Demand for natural gas is up 36 percent since 1986, and it is expected to be up by 50 percent from current levels in 2025," he said. "Coupled with a stagnant supply, this has created competition for a limited resource."

"This issue especially concerns seniors, the disabled, and Iowans on a fixed income," said Rep. Lisa Heddens, D-Ames. "Some of them can't save for increased natural-gas costs because if they reach a certain income, they may lose other services."

Arlene McAtee of Mid-Iowa Conservation Action Inc. in Marshalltown said some families may be forced to eat just once a day or give up needed medication. Assistance programs have limited money available, and charitable contributions are down because of the slow economy, she said.

Rep. Ralph Watts, R-Adel, said supply problems could be alleviated by drilling into abundant reserves in Western states.

"We're stymied by environmental policies," he said.

Watts called for a national energy policy that would include oil and gas exploration in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge in Alaska and increased use of coal and nuclear power.

"Our economy depends on our future energy supply," he said.

Conservationists called for more research and investment into renewable forms of energy, such as wind and solar power, to reduce dependence on what they called a single energy source.

"There is so much potential for conservation," said Ken Wiggers, the president of an insulation company in Huxley.

"We've made the public aware that prices are going to be high," he said. "Now, we need to make them aware of what needs to be done. We also have to properly design new homes and buildings to be more energy efficient."

Robert Wisner, an Iowa State University economics professor, said agriculture, particularly fertilizer production, requires large amounts of natural gas.

"A supply problem would have a significant impact on rural economies," he said.

With 60 million U.S. homes, businesses, and industries dependent upon natural gas, Latham said, solutions to any shortage must balance growing demand with the desire to keep the economy going while protecting the environment.



Rich Pedroncelli/Associated Press

Precinct coordinator Jay Beedy wipes out the chads from one of the punch-card voting machines in Sacramento, Calif., on Tuesday. A three-judge panel ruled on Monday that it is unacceptable for California to hold its recall election using outdated punch-card ballots.

Court delays Calif. recall

BY WILLIAM BOOTH
WASHINGTON POST

LOS ANGELES — Just three weeks before California's historic recall, a federal appeals court on Monday postponed the Oct. 7 election, ruling that the use of older punch-card ballot machines in urban counties would disenfranchise those voters, especially poor and minority citizens.

The three-judge panel of the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals on Monday sided unanimously with the American Civil Liberties Union that the use of punch cards in six counties would subject four of 10 California voters to a greater likelihood that their ballots would be misread or discarded — as happened during Florida's election fiasco in 2000. The three judges were all Democratic appointees.

The 9th Circuit, however, said it would give the California Secretary of State Kevin Shelley, the top election official here, one week to appeal its order. By day's end, Shelley had not said whether he would present his

case to the entire 9th Circuit or to the U.S. Supreme Court, which played a crucial role in halting Florida's 2000 recount.

If not overturned, the most likely date for the recall moves to March 2004 — when every county in the state is scheduled to have the newer electronic touchscreen ballot machines in use.

The order to postpone, coupled with the uncertainty over the success of further appeals, adds new drama to what has already been an extraordinary political season in the Golden State, where for only the second time in U.S. history a sitting governor faces a recall vote. It comes as the campaign is well underway: Registrars statewide have already begun mailing out sample ballots, absentee voters have started making up their minds, campaigns have spent millions in TV and radio advertisements, and two state party conventions have been held.

Analysts said postponement could greatly increase chances that Democratic Gov. Gray Davis might survive by giving him more time to sate voter anger toward

him. He has aggravated many Californians with the state's budget crisis, the blackouts and high rates following deregulation of electrical utilities, and the tripling of the state car tax. Postponement would also pressure his opponents to run much longer, more costly campaigns.

Two major Republican candidates to replace Davis if he is ousted — businessman Bill Simon and former baseball Commissioner Peter Ueberroth — have already dropped out, saying they didn't have enough time to build support by Oct. 7. Supporters of both said they might return to the fray should the campaign be elongated.

Davis beamed Monday when he spoke with reporters after an appearance with former President Clinton at a Compton elementary school. The governor pledged to keep making his case that the recall was risky and unwise. "Right now, I'm assuming the election will proceed on Oct. 7," said Davis, who plans to go ahead with anti-recall events with former Vice President Al Gore and Jesse Jackson this week.

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Iowa reports 14 more West Nile cases

DES MOINES (AP) — Fourteen additional cases of the West Nile virus have been reported in Iowa, putting the state's tally at 38, including two deaths, state health officials said Monday.

New cases were reported in Audubon, Cerro Gordo, Dallas, Dickinson, Ida, Marion, Monona, Plymouth, Polk, Sioux, and Tama counties, said Kevin Teale, a spokesman for the Iowa Department of Public Health. That brings to 75 the number of Iowa counties in which the illness has been reported this year.

Of the 38 reported cases, Teale said, 18 have been confirmed. The others are probable cases, which remain under investigation.

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U.S. Air Force Airman 1st Class Brian Ferguson/Associated Press
Secretary of State Colin Powell visits with members of the U.S. Air Force's 447th Air Expeditionary Group as he prepares to depart Baghdad International Airport on Monday.

Powell claims proof of Iraqi WMD at mass grave

BY RAJIV CHANDRASEKARAN
WASHINGTON POST

HALABJA, Iraq — U.S. Secretary of State Colin Powell asserted Monday that a 1988 poison-gas attack that killed an estimated 5,000 Kurds in this farming town nestled in Iraq's barren northern mountains was ample evidence that former President Saddam Hussein's government possessed weapons of mass destruction and justified the U.S. decision to go to war.

In an emotional defense of the invasion of Iraq, Powell visited a mass grave site, toured a new museum commemorating the attacks, and listened as Kurdish political leaders proclaimed that the Halabja massacre provided sufficient legitimacy to go to war.

"If you want evidence of the existence and the use of weapons of mass destruction, come here now to Halabja today and see it," Powell said after visiting the museum. "What happened over the intervening 15 years? Did [Saddam] suddenly lose the motivation? Did he suddenly decide that such weapons

would not be useful? The international community did not believe so."

Powell's three-hour visit to this town near the Iranian border, which required him to fly in an airborne convoy of Black Hawk and Apache Longbow attack helicopters, brought him face to face with scores of Iraqi Kurds who praised the U.S. invasion and held aloft signs lauding President Bush. The sentiments on display here were far more ebullient than those generally expressed by Iraqis in parts of the country Powell did not visit.

"Today, it is perplexing and rather painful indeed for the people of Halabja to hear voices in the international community that continue to insist on proof for Saddam's weapons of mass destruction," said Barham Salih, the prime minister for the western part of Iraq's Kurdish region. "Here is the proof. Halabja is the proof. ... This mass grave in Halabja and the other 170 so far discovered mass graves in Iraq should dispel any doubts about the legitimacy of the American and British liberation of Iraq.

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Powell was joined by Iraq's top Kurdish leaders, Massoud Barzani of the Kurdistan Democratic Party and Jalal Talabani of the Patriotic Union of Kurdistan, who preside over a swath of northern Iraq that had been autonomous since it split from Saddam's Iraq after the 1991 Persian Gulf War. The two leaders, who sit on the country's interim Governing Council, expressed opinions similar to those of Salih. "The tragedy of Halabja gives them the legitimacy for going to war," Barzani said.

The attack on Halabja occurred in the waning days of Iraq's eight-year war with Iran. Furious that Kurdish militiamen in the area had allied themselves with advancing Iranians, Saddam ordered his cousin, Ali Hassan Majeed, to carry out a retribution campaign against the Kurds starting in 1987 that included forced relocations, the destruction of villages, and the killing of an estimated 182,000 people.

WORLD

Saudi prison blaze kills 67, injures 23

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — A fire broke out in a prison in the Saudi capital Monday, killing 67 inmates, a prison official said.

The official Saudi Press Agency, quoting the head of the Interior Ministry's prison's department, said 20 inmates and three prison guards suffered smoke inhalation.

The fire broke out at al-Haer prison at about midday Monday and was brought under control after about three hours.

A security official said initial reports suggest an electrical short-circuit may have started the blaze.

Saudi Interior Minister Prince Nayef ordered an investigation into the fire's cause, the Saudi news agency said.

Russia suffers another bombing

MAGAS, Russia (AP) — A truck bomb exploded Monday outside a government security building near Chechnya, killing at least two people and underscoring Russia's vulnerability in the region just weeks before an election Moscow hopes will lead to peace.

Officials said at least 25 people were wounded in the bombing in Magas, the capital of the Russian

republic of Ingushetia, which borders the rebellious Chechen republic and shelters tens of thousands of Chechen refugees.

Officials called the attack a terrorist act but did not say who might be behind it. There was no immediate claim of responsibility.

Russia has been wracked in recent months by bombings, most of which the government has blamed on Chechen separatists.

The nation has been on high alert amid fears that rebels would try to stage an attack ahead of Chechnya's Oct. 5 presidential election, a vote that President Vladimir Putin has said is a key step on the road to peace.

Israel backs off Arafat threat

BY ANDY MOSHER
WASHINGTON POST

JERUSALEM — Israel's foreign minister said Monday that his government had no plans to kill Yasser Arafat, one day after an official said assassinating the Palestinian leader was one possible way to carry out the government's vow to "remove" him.

The foreign minister, Silvan Shalom, told foreign journalists that killing "is not an official policy of the Israeli government." He also said the government would not take immediate action to enact a Security Cabinet decision made public on Sept. 11 in which Arafat was described as "a complete obstacle to any process of reconciliation" that Israel would "work to remove."

"We didn't say that we have the policy of killing others. No war," Shalom said.

He added, however, that Israel reserved the right to "do anything" to prevent suspected terrorists from carrying out attacks. Israel has frequently used assassinations, which it calls targeted

killings, since the Palestinian uprising began almost three years ago, most recently against leaders of Hamas.

Several governments have expressed alarm since the Cabinet issued the statement on Sept. 11, and the outcry intensified Sunday when Deputy Prime Minister Ehud Olmert said that in dealing with Arafat, "expulsion is certainly one of the options; killing is also one of the options."

Debate on the issue continued at the United Nations, where Arab and other nations are seeking support for a Security Council resolution that would call on Israel not to harm or expel Arafat.

In an open meeting of the 15-member council, the Israeli and Palestinian envoys traded accusations and blamed each other's leaders for the breakdown of recent Middle East peace efforts, news agencies reported. The U.N. special representative to the region, meanwhile, urged that peace efforts be swiftly revived and cautioned against any precipitous moves regarding Arafat, whom he called

"the legitimate leader of the Palestinians."

The envoy, Terje Roed-Larsen, also called on Israel to abandon all settlements in the West Bank and Gaza Strip as a way to build support among Palestinians for the dismantling of groups that have staged terrorist attacks against Israel.

Israel's U.N. ambassador, Dan Gillerman, argued that removing Arafat was the only way to ensure that further moves toward peace do not founder as previous ones did. He accused Arafat of having "done the most to bury" attempts at peace.

All 15 Security Council representatives expressed opposition to Arafat's removal, and debate on the issue was expected to extend at least another day, with no clear indication that a resolution would eventually be brought before the council.

In Ramallah, the West Bank city where Arafat has been confined to his presidential compound since early last year, Palestinians gathered for what they said would be a vigil to ensure their leader's safety.

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Students tell of 'relaxing outage'

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UI junior Christine Benavente, a Slater second-floor RA. Emergency lighting was restored when after-hours maintenance staff manually turned the generator on approximately 30 minutes later. Generators in Rienow and the Field House functioned normally.

Maggie Van Oel, the director of Residence Services, said emergency generators on campus are tested each Friday. The Slater generator was functioning normally at the test, and the reason for its failure on Sept. 13 is being investigated, she said.

Fire-detection systems remained functioning during

the outage, said Andy Borst, a Slater assistant hall coordinator, who also checked the two elevators in Slater and found them empty, with open doors.

UI junior Kelly O'Brien was working at the Field House information booth when the power went out.

A few people were playing basketball, volleyball, and badminton, and their activities were only briefly interrupted before emergency lights came on, she said.

In the meantime, Benavente said, it was an ideal time for the power to go out.

Nine out of the 43 residents on her floor were in the dorm at the time; the rest were out for the evening or had gone home for the weekend.

"This was a very relaxing outage," she said.

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Police release tape of fatal vehicle chase

CHASE

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dispatchers and other Coralville police officers who were called for assistance briefly lost contact with Warkentin.

Wenman said he could not pinpoint a cause to the connection loss, saying such information would only be speculation.

Shots were allegedly fired at 11:54:15 a.m.

"Kate Wickham, shots fired, I need an ambulance, subject down," Warkentin had said.

After dispatchers questioned other officers about who had been shot, Coralville police Officer Bill Searls alerted dispatchers at 11:55:10 a.m. that Warkentin was unharmed.

At 11:55:45, more than a

minute after shots were fired, Searls told dispatchers and other officers to alert Wickham Elementary and initiate a lockdown.

"Coralville [Searls], contact Wickham and have everybody stay in the building," Searls said. "Contact Wickham and have everybody stay in the building."

Following the completion of the investigation, Coralville police and the DCI will submit reports to Johnson County Attorney J. Patrick White, who will then decide whether to pursue criminal charges against Warkentin, Wenman said.

"We're getting close [to submitting the reports]," he said. "But it's difficult to put a time frame on it."

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Kanner to fight for city utility in last months

KANNER

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said he intends to fight for a city-owned power company in his last months in office.

The city joined a municipal-utility feasibility study conducted by Latham & Associates, a Cedar Rapids-based firm this year. Local cities had the opportunity to view the final draft Monday in Ankeny.

Kanner contends that MidAmerican has been "spreading half-truths" about the issue, and he harps on the idea that the money from local residents' electric bills go straight into the pockets of Warren Buffet, the CEO of the Nebraska-based Berkshire Hathaway Inc.

Iowa City Mayor Ernie Lehman said the issue is more complicated than Kanner describes. Moving forward with the study is possible, Lehman said, yet that depends on a "number of variables" and the risk of costly court battles with MidAmerican.

"Those folks who blatantly support municipal utilities really haven't looked at all the issues," he said.

Kanner's aggressive, passionate stances have not afforded him many friends on the council in his almost four years in office.

"We have tried to be very, very courteous to Steven," Lehman said.

"Steven has been, at very

It [making another run for a City Council seat] became a moot point when the person I love was moving to Delaware to pursue a Ph.D.

Steven Kanner,
city councilor

best, hard to work with. I think the man had some very good ideas, but he was very ineffective."

Kanner, a Miami (Ohio) University alum with a shaggy beard, sums up his ideology as "trying to challenge the status quo."

The 43-year-old was elected to fill an at-large position on the council in November 1999 with 45 percent of the vote (3,564).

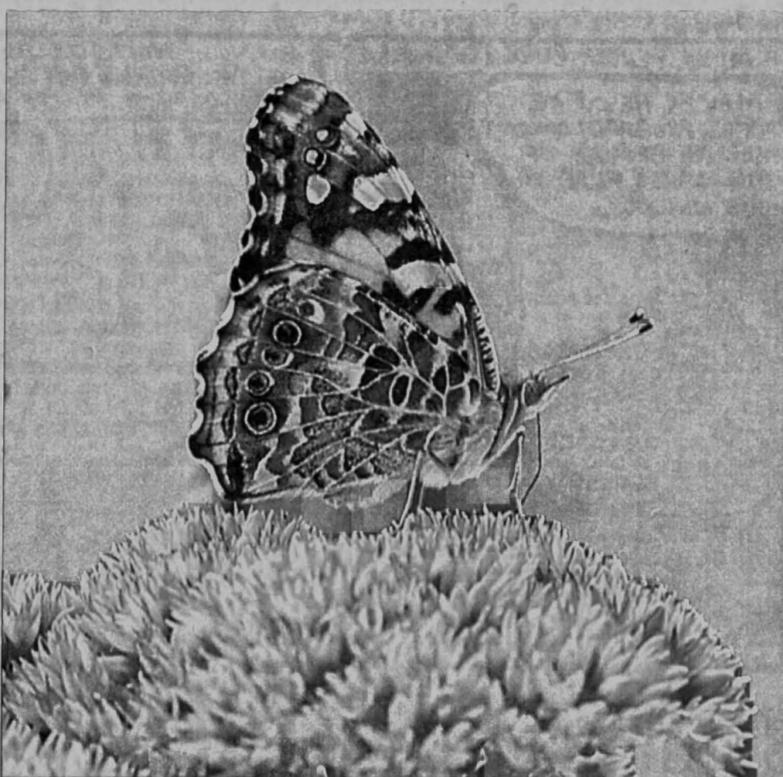
He pulls in about \$5,800 as a councilor and moonlights at the Wedge Pizzeria, 517 S. Riverside Drive, three days per week.

While serving out his term, which expires Jan. 2, Kanner plans to campaign for at-large candidate Brandon Ross, whom he has endorsed, before leaving Iowa City behind. He said he debated internally about whether to make another run at the council seat.

"It became a moot point when the person I love was moving to Delaware to pursue a Ph.D.," he said.

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PAUSING ON A FLUTTER-BY



Jeff Heinz, Globe Gazette/Associated Press

A Painted Lady butterfly feeds from a sedum plant in a yard in Mason City, Iowa, on Monday. Thousands of Painted Lady butterflies can be seen all over Northern Iowa right now.

NATION

Edwards not worried by talk of Clark run

DES MOINES (AP) — Top aides to North Carolina Sen. John Edwards, on the eve of today's formal entry into the Democratic presidential race, shrugged off the distraction of speculation about retired NATO commander Wesley Clark.

"John has shown great discipline in the campaign in not expending energy speculating about who may or may not run," said Ed Turlington, Edwards' general campaign chairman. "We are in the ninth month of a 23-month campaign. I hope and believe we are taking John's lead in keeping our eye on the ball."

Turlington spoke in a telephone interview the day before Edwards formally enters the race in a camera-friendly setting in his home town of Robbins, N.C.

His backdrop will be the mill was his father worked.

"He wants the country to know who he is and where he came from," said Turlington.

Though Edwards has been actively running for months, the formal announcement is an important step. Formal announcements generally get heavy attention, and candidates get a chance to make the bedrock arguments for their candidacy.

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OPINIONS

QUOTEWORTHY

I want to fight to help the middle class, because the last time I looked, the problem wasn't that the middle class had too much money.

Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass.,

on his opponents' plans to entirely repeal President Bush's tax cuts.

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A MINOR FENDER-BENDER ON IOWA AVE



SO, YOU ADMIT TO BEING IN VIOLATION OF THE PATRIOT ACT, SECTION 57, PARAGRAPH D... THAT'S A \$100 FINE.



Stomping out liberty for security

Last week, President Bush announced a three-pronged plan aimed at decreasing judicial oversight in cases involving alleged terrorists. Already dubbed Patriot Act 2 by critics, Bush's objective would allow federal agents to issue subpoenas without the approval of a judge, federal prosecutor, or grand jury.

This frightening change comes after months of assurances by the Bush administration that American citizens need not fear broad use of interrogations because such intrusions would require a judge's authorization.

The plan also includes expanding the use of the death penalty in crimes such as terrorist financing and makes it harder for suspects to be freed on bail before trial.

At a time of newfound compromise for many of our civil liberties, it's necessary to have a system of checks and balances. Bush's new

initiative essentially says the government need not be held to the rules of the Constitution in cases involving terrorism.

This plan is flawed and potentially detrimental to the American public. On Sunday, the Associated Press reported that a North Carolina man arrested for manufacturing methamphetamines is being held on chemical-weapons charges. If convicted, he faces 12 years to life in prison instead of the six-month incarceration that the drug charge would normally constitute. If Bush's plan to expand access to private data is adopted, it is likely that more of these cases will arise.

Even some of Bush's Republican cohorts are saying his administration has gone too far. In an interview with the *New York Times*, Sen. Arlen Specter, R-Pa., who is sponsoring the measure to broaden the death penalty, said he wanted to hold hearings on

the president's call for strengthening the Justice Department's subpoena power because he was concerned that "[subpoena power] may be too sweeping." He said the no-bail proposal concerns him as well because "... You have to have a reason to detain."

Supporters of Bush's plan say that time is of critical importance and that the measure is needed to enable authorities to act quickly when a judge or grand jury is not available. However, no specific examples have been cited in which difficulties in obtaining a subpoena has slowed a terrorism investigation.

Bush and Attorney General John Ashcroft tried to expand the use of subpoenas under the original Patriot Act in 2001, but the measure was shot down by the Democrats.

Prosecution of terrorists is fundamental to our nation's safety. Just let the judges, lawyers, and juries do their jobs.

LETTERS

Dean and Israel

On March 11, 2002, *The Daily Iowan* featured a petition of the Iowa Israel Public Affairs Committee. The petition clearly stated, "We, the undersigned, as residents of the United States of America and as members of the University of Iowa community, support maintaining and enhancing a mutually beneficial relationship between the State of Israel and the United States of America."

The 1,700 signatures on the petition included U.S. Congressmen from Iowa, members of the Iowa Legislature, Iowa Lt. Gov. Sally Pederson, and two presidential candidates, including former Vermont Gov. Howard Dean. Gov. Dean now says the United States should not "take sides" in the Israel/Palestine conflict.

Gov. Dean, you should stick to your original message and stand with Israel. It has long been the policy of this nation to stand with Israel, a democracy and an ally of our country for over 50 years.

As the news comes of another suicide bombing in Israel and another 10 dead Israelis, I ask Dean why should he not take sides? The choice is all too clear.

Do we side with an ally, a nation that has sought peace and only gotten bloodshed in return, or should we side with terrorists such as Hamas, Hezbollah, and the Al Aqsa Martyrs' Brigade, which have killed dozens of Americans over the last years?

Gov. Dean, remember what you signed your name to. Stand on the side of peace; stand with Israel.

Sam Nissim
UI student

Howard Dean is right on the Israel-Palestine conflict, as he is generally on foreign policy: to make peace, the United States must be a credible broker and have the trust of both sides. President Bush neglected this conflict and chose not to continue the work begun by President Clinton, and now it's a mess.

To begin to put this region back on the road to peace, and to restore our ability to work cooperatively with the world community, we need a Democrat in the White House.

For these reasons and others, I will be supporting Howard Dean at the Democratic caucus on Jan. 19, 2004.

Dave Tingwald
Iowa City resident

Who's the real cheater?

In the *DI* editorial, "Copying and pasting a degree" (Sept. 15), the editorial muses that professors might elicit more original work if they demanded personal reflection, rather than generic statements, from students. Interestingly enough, English Professor Mark Edmundson of the University of

Virginia posited the same notion in his opinion piece for the *New York Times* ("How Teachers Can Stop Cheaters," Sept. 9), which referred to the same Rutgers University study as the *DI*'s editorial.

Edmundson writes, "If professors asked students not only for analysis, but also for personal reasoned responses, they would, I trust, get fewer purloined papers."

The *DI* writes, in turn, "A personal format ... would at least

force students to think and do their own work."

It is refreshing to see the *DI* and the *New York Times* so in step on this issue. While the editorial board likely derived its solution based on personal reflection, the similarities in these prescriptions lead one to wonder how rampant the appropriation of others' work really is.

Lauren McCarthy
UI sophomore



ON THE SPOT

Do you think President Bush should make it tougher for suspected terrorists to receive bail before trial?



"If he has good evidence he should be able to keep them in jail."

Allison Scheer
UI sophomore



"I think everybody should have the same rights and freedoms unless there's hard evidence."

Brett Engelmann
UI senior



"No; you're innocent until proven guilty."

John Meehan
UI senior



"No; I believe it's an infringement on civil liberties."

Jeff Swenson
UI grad student

Postcards from the asylum

So I see that sanity is breaking out all over the place. Just in time, too; for a while there, I thought we were all goners.

Take, for instance, Israel and the Palestinians.

It would seem, to the casual observer, that the Israelis and the Palestinians have been battling each other for roughly 77,417 years — or nearly the amount of time that the Irish have been fighting amongst themselves.

Coming from the Irish as I do, I want to shout out to the Palestinians and Israelis: Yo, Mideast brothers and sisters — give it up. You'll never be able to beat the Irish in the *Guinness Book of World Records* for sustained warfare — we Micks would rather fight each other than drink.

Do they listen? Does the pope endorse condoms as a weapon in the fight against AIDS? Do angels jostle as they battle for the good seats on the head of a pin? Do the Red Sox ever have enough pitching?

Exactly. So, it turns out, Israel has again and again employed helicopter-missile attacks on suspected Palestinian militants as its preferred method of assassination.

More effective than the Lee Harvey Oswald magic-bullet approach, I suppose. Of course, the missiles usually take out a batch of civilians in addition to the targeted militant, but hey — it's crowded in those refugee camps. Can't make an omelet, etc.

The Palestinians, for their part, lean toward suicide bombers as the preferred method for murder. Buses, cafés, shopping malls — boom, boom, boom. Lots of carnage. Also more effective than the Oswald magic, etc.

And so it goes, as Kurt Vonnegut once wrote in a different context. Of course, the way things work, all the different contexts seem to come out the same. Boom, goes the suicide bomber. Whoosh-bang, goes the Israeli rocket. Boom. Whoosh-bang. Boom. Whoosh-bang.

It'd be kind of funny, in a Monty Python sort of way, if people weren't dying.

And nothing, it seems, can stop the slaughter. Not Oslo peace accords, not American "road maps." And certainly not continued slaughter. You get the feeling that if an asteroid were to hit the area, the Israelis and Palestinians would respond with missile attacks and suicide bombings on each other.

Nowhere else so proves Gandhi's famous dictum: An eye for an eye soon leaves everyone blind.

I once had a modest proposal for the area. I suggested that the United Nations move all the Israelis and Palestinians to Nevada and, in Israel, the West Bank, and Gaza, set up a homeland for the Protestant Irish. Kill two stones with one bird, so's to speak.

No one took me seriously, for some reason. I'm not sure why. I mean, Nevada's mostly filled with empty space. If they wanted to continue killing each other, who'd notice?

Besides, my idea is no more ludicrous than the latest Israeli notion, which is to kill Yasser Arafat. Yep. The road to peace lies in offing the Palestinian leader.

Aside from the dubious moral aspects ("Civilized" nations do not take out other people's leaders simply because they don't like them. Pay no attention to Iraq.), practically speaking, it would be a disaster. Talk about inflaming the entire Arab world. You think the Arabs hate Israel now? Just wait.

The bloodbath that would ensue would make the people in the area wish that an asteroid would hit.

So I see that sanity is breaking out all over the place. Just in time, too. ■



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ARTS

After Ritter's death, ABC left scrambling

BY LISA DE MORAES
WASHINGTON POST

Stunned ABC executives struggled on Sept. 12 to cope with the death of sitcom star John Ritter just a week before his series, "8 Simple Rules for Dating My Teenage Daughter," was to return for its second season.

Ritter collapsed on Sept. 11 while shooting the fourth episode of the Disney comedy that had revived his series-television career. He was taken to a hospital across from the Disney studio, but surgeons were unable to save him after his major coronary artery tore from an undiagnosed condition. He died late that night, six days shy of his 55th birthday.

Other TV series have suffered cast deaths — Nancy Marchand on "The Sopranos," Richard Crenna on "Judging Amy," Phil Hartman on "NewsRadio," Nicholas Colasanto on "Cheers" — but Ritter was absolutely the star of "8 Simple Rules," and it will be difficult to continue the show without him, TV executives agreed.

His death also is a major setback in ABC's effort to crawl out of fourth place in the prime-time ratings. "8 Simple Rules" is scheduled again this season to kick off ABC's Tuesday lineup — one of the few bright spots on the network's schedule.

More than 25 million people had tuned in to last year's debut of "8 Simple Rules" to see Ritter's return to TV comedy. It was ABC's largest audience in the time slot with a sitcom since the debut of "Roseanne" in the fall of '88.

"People still connect with him in a way they do with few TV actors," ABC programming chief Susan Lyne said at that time of the actor who had become a star on the network more than two decades earlier

contemplating for the series or the time slot. The only scheduling announcement made Sept. 12 related to Ritter's death was that Friday night's edition of the newsmag "20/20" would end with a tribute to the actor.

But that didn't stop the speculation around Hollywood, as other networks tried to figure out what ABC would do and how, in turn, that would affect their lineups, which are scheduled to start unfolding in nine days.

According to some sources, among the ideas that ABC was discussing was



John Ritter poses in this undated publicity photo with Joyce DeWitt and Suzanne Sommers, his two sexy co-stars on "Three's Company."

on "Three's Company." He played a bachelor who pretended to be gay so he could share an apartment with two single women.

In a statement on Sept. 12, Lyne said: "We are all of us at ABC stunned and profoundly saddened by the sudden death of John Ritter yesterday. I can truly say that his loss will be felt very personally across the industry, as John had the wonderful ability to make everyone he worked with feel like not just a colleague but also a friend. In a career that spanned three decades, he shared his splendid talents on television, film, and stage. He made us laugh, and what a gift that was. We will miss John deeply, and send our sympathies and prayers to all his family."

Three episodes of "8 Simple Rules" had been shot for its second season, which was to have debuted Sept. 23.

An ABC rep declined to discuss what options they were

to broadcast the first three episodes, possibly teed up each Tuesday by Disney Chairman Michael Eisner, in much the same way he introduces "Wonderful World of Disney." Those episodes might be followed by one dealing with the death of Ritter's character, sports columnist Paul Hennessy, who works at home to help raise his son and two teenage daughters.

Network execs were said to be trying to figure out whether the show could be continued by introducing an uncle figure, several sources reported.

There was also much speculation that to shore up Tuesday night ABC might move the Damon Wayans sitcom "My Wife and Kids" from Wednesday, where it's scheduled for the coming season, or George Lopez's show from its new berth on Friday at 8 p.m. Some cable networks wasted no time getting Ritter retrospectives on their lineups.

A stunning, sudden death

BY ROGER CATLIN
HARTFORD COURANT

HOLLYWOOD — It's one thing for an artist to die in frail old age, after years of medical complications, career-wide accolades, and public preparation.

It's another to have a popular star expire on the job, in mid-career revival.

When John Ritter was felled on the set of his hit sitcom "8 Simple Rules for Dating My Teenage Daughter" on Sept. 11, dying shortly thereafter at Providence St. Joseph Medical Center in Burbank, Calif., he was only 54. It was his youngest daughter's sixth birthday.

Ritter would have turned 55 on Wednesday. He died from aortic dissection, a flaw in his heart that was not previously recognized or detected, his publicist Lisa Kasteler said.

He was the son of country music star Tex Ritter, who died in 1973 after such hits as "Jingle, Jangle, Jingle" and "Blood on the Saddle" as well as appearances in a number of singing-cowboy movies.

Not only was John Ritter at the helm and heart of his network's newest hit comedy, around which ABC was building whole nights of sitcoms, but he had accomplished so much, hav-

ing eclipsed the chains of TV nostalgia and B-celebrity that cling to so many stars of 1970s sitcoms.

"Three's Company" ran nearly seven seasons, from 1977 through 1984, and while the show's other stars, including Suzanne Somers and Joyce DeWitt, were relegated to B-star pur-

suits such as "Hollywood Squares" or ThighMaster infomercials, Ritter continued to work consistently — and not only in recurring roles in the *Problem Child* series or in such films as 1998's *Bride of Chucky*.

Ritter also turned in credible dramatic performances in smaller films, from 1996's *Sling Blade* with Billy Bob Thornton (with whom he worked on "Hearts of Fire" from 1992 to 1995) to last year's *Tadpole* with Sigourney Weaver and the forthcoming *Manhood*, which had its premiere at Sundance this year. He's in *Bad Santa*, again with Thornton, in November.

But it was the comic talents Ritter used to create a very unusual character — the randy

but essentially harmless Jack Tripper on "Three's Company" — that he employed decades later as Paul Hennessy, the wise but worried father on "8 Simple Rules."

He was the rare actor who, while being the marquee figure for ABC comedies present and future, was also the face of sitcoms past on the first "TVLand Awards," or was portrayed by another in a prime-time movie about the making of "Three's Company," the groundbreaking sitcom as it became further mythologized.

"Three's Company" broke ground for being a show about a single guy sharing an apartment with two cute women. But Ritter himself broke ground by playing a cad who still had to be likable to a mass audience. And he did it better than anybody since Robert Cummings in the 1950s hit "Love That Bob."

To be sure, there were some dry spots there, in the time between the 1984 cancellation of "Three's Company" (after Somers' removal and replacement by Jennilee Harris and Priscilla Barnes).

Besides daughter Stella from his current marriage to Amy Yasbeck, he is survived by three children, Carly, Tyler, and Jason, from his first marriage, to Nancy Morgan.



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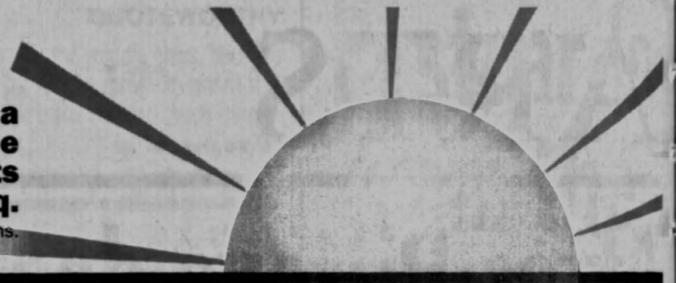
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QUOTE OF THE DAY

The U.S. attack on Iraq has now made a terrorist connection a self-fulfilling prophecy. We really found the one formula that maximizes Al Qaeda's chances of increasing its operations in Iraq.

— Greg Thielmann, who retired last year as the State Department's top expert on chemical, biological, and nuclear weapons.



The Daily Break

calendar

- Faculty Candidate Seminar, "Localization of cyclic nucleotide-gated channels to lipid raft microdomains: Implications for compartmentalized cAMP signaling," Jeff Martens, Oregon Health & Science University, 9:30 a.m., 5-669 Bowen Science Building.
- Engineering Career and Internship Fair, 10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Sheraton Hotel.
- "European Security and Defense Policy and European Union-U.S. Relations," Paul Reiderman, an adviser in the Private Office

of the secretary-general in the Council of the European Union, noon, Congregational Church, 30 N. Clinton St.

• Biochemistry Research Workshop, Bento Soares, biochemistry and pediatrics, 12:15 p.m., Bowen Science Building Auditorium 2.

• Pain Research Program Seminar, William Maixner, 5 p.m., 2-322 Bowen Science Building.

• Live from Prairie Lights, Frederick Turner, fiction, 8 p.m., Prairie Lights Books, 15 S.

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• Disaster Response Series: Salvaging damaged museum, library, and archival materials, time and location TBA; call 612-870-3128 for information.

Little University

- Whose surprisingly cool demeanor in 1984 inspired *Sports Illustrated* to dub him "Mac the Nice"?
- What Western U.S. state is home to Best Friend's Animal Sanctuary, a 3,000-acre home for 1,800 unwanted pets?
- What financier earned the epithets "Captain Outrageous" and "Captain Comeback"?
- What West Coast city was clogged by a three-hour traffic jam when locals lined up to trade their old toilets for new ones in 2001?
- What comic strip title character's sword was forged by the same wizard who made Excalibur?

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public access schedule

- 7 a.m. Democracy Now
- 11 SCTV Calendar
- 11:30 SCTV Mature Focus
- Noon Karaoke Showcase
- 12:30 p.m. The Good News
- 1 King Redbird
- 1:45 Aerohawks Air Show
- 2 St. Mary's Liturgy
- 3 Power of Victory
- 4 Gospel Explosion Ministry
- 5 Animal House
- 5:30 Music da Camera: Thursday Musical Winners
- 6 Tom's Guitar Show Live
- 7 The Hot Spot
- 7:55 Anyone Lived ...
- 8 Tonight with Bradman Live
- 9 PATV Reserved: Local Music
- 10 Cold and Grey
- 10:30 RBO TV
- 11 No Shame Theatre

UITV schedule

- Noon Kirk Ferentz Press Conference (Live)
- 6:30 p.m. Kirk Ferentz Press Conference (Rebroadcast)
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horoscopes

Tuesday, September 16, 2003 by Eugenia Last

- ARIES** (March 21-April 19): You should be putting all your efforts into getting ahead financially and professionally. Put in the necessary extra time. Opportunities are present, so don't miss out.
- TAURUS** (April 20-May 20): Don't spend money just to impress the youngsters or friends in your life. Money matters will cause worry, leading to emotional angst. Don't give in to anyone putting demands on you.
- GEMINI** (May 21-June 20): Keeping secrets will bring about an unexpected turn of events. Don't trust someone who is making you an offer that is too good to be true. Rely on yourself and your own abilities.
- CANCER** (June 21-July 22): You have lots to offer, so get past your homebody attitude. Be a contributor, and participate in a community event that will benefit the environment.
- LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22): Someone may be talking behind your back. Avoid arguments and control your temper by keeping busy with your own chores. You can make a lot of positive changes at home.
- VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Idle time will be your enemy. Take off, and see new places and things. Find a way to stimulate your mind and enhance your outlook.
- LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Financial developments could make this a fast-paced day. You will have to keep on top of all the deals going on around you. Ask a trusted friend for help.
- SCORPIO** (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You don't have to face the problems of the world all by yourself. Rely on the one you love for support, affection, and help. Interacting with an intellectual group may be challenging.
- SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Emotional matters should be put on the back burner. Today is strictly meant for business. Changing positions or making superiors aware of your talents should be on your to-do list.
- CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Get involved with youth, and you will get some very creative ideas. New partnerships will lead to some very exciting prospects.
- AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Expect someone to cause a bit of a rift that could result in a change of plans. Listen to this person's plea for help. You can find a good alternative.
- PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20): You can expect to receive something interesting by mail today. Don't miss out on any opportunity being offered. It could lead to meeting someone important to your future.

The Ledge

WHY BEN AFFLECK AND JENNIFER LOPEZ CANCELED THEIR WEDDING

By Jesse Ammerman

- Affleck still struggling with choreography for wedding's more complicated dance numbers.
- Irreconcilable differences cited over artistic vision for *Gigli 2*.
- Extended club remix of wedding vows not certain to get enough radio airplay.
- Affleck uncomfortable with planned cameos by Ja Rule and L.L. Cool J at altar.
- Lopez distraught after sitting through *Reindeer Games* and *Bounce* at Ben's request.
- Ben insistent that marriage rites be read by minister rather than J.Lo's assortment of loinclothed manservants.
- Ben usually eager to accommodate Lopez but unwilling to change legal name to "B.Lo."
- J.Lo still grappling with intense feelings for Chris Judd.
- Affleck still grappling with intense feelings for reflection in mirror.
- Lopez put off by "till death do us part" segment of vows; still waiting on rewrite of wedding script.

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5 "Shake ___!"	2 Spain's second-longest river
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13 Woodwind	4 Iago's specialty
14 Less welcoming	5 Hard nut to crack?
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16 Novelist Ambler	7 Rat alert?
17 1970's-80's TV twosome	8 Dads of dads
19 Recommended amount	9 Evenhanded
20 Overseas Mrs.	10 Magazine of reprints
21 Gerber offerings	11 Took a cab
22 Log holder	12 1974 Sutherland/Gould film
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25 Winner	16 Imperatives
27 In the wrong	23 Outback hopper
32 Pledge of Allegiance ender	24 ___ notes
33 Actor Bean	25 Jacket holder
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36 Fill the chambers, say	27 Personification of mockery
38 Arab League member	28 Center and Unser
40 Put in storage	29 1980's TV twosome
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42 Jordan's Queen	
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45 Barely maintain, with "out"	
46 Mimics' work	
48 Frequent ferry rider	
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Texas 6, Seattle 4
Oakland 7, Anaheim 4

NL

Atlanta 10, Montreal 6
Pittsburgh 6, Cincinnati 3
Chicago Cubs 4, N.Y. Mets 1
St. Louis 11, Milwaukee 2
San Francisco 8, San Diego 7

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BIG KICKS



Kaeding named Big Ten Player of Week

IOWA CITY (AP) — Iowa kicker Nate Kaeding has been named the Big Ten's Special Teams Player of the Week. Kaeding kicked field goals of 42, 23, 19, and 20 yards and added four extra points in Iowa's 40-21 victory over Iowa State on Sept. 13. He became Iowa's career scoring leader with 291 points. His 16 points Sept. 13 were a school single-game record for kicking points.

Singh wins Deere Classic, takes money lead

BY JAN DENNIS
ASSOCIATED PRESS

SILVIS, Ill. — Vijay Singh played a quick 13 holes and earned a hefty check that moved him closer to one of his career goals: winning the PGA Tour's season money title.

Singh collected \$630,000 for his four-shot win at the rain-delayed John Deere Classic on Monday, moving ahead of Davis Love III on this year's tour earnings list.

"My goal is to really be able to win the money list just once before I finish. This will probably be the best opportunity I get," said Singh, who now has collected \$5.7 million and a career-high three wins this year.

With three more PGA Tour events on his schedule this year, he likes his chances.

"If I can win one more time, I

think I've got it sealed," said Singh, who also moved past Phil Mickelson for third place on the career money list with nearly \$24 million in 11 years on the tour.

Singh closed with a 6-under-par 65 for a total of 16-under-268. He had six birdies in a bogey-free final round that was held over a day after darkness suspended play Sunday night.

Chris Riley (71), J.L. Lewis (71), and Jonathan Byrd (68) shared second at 12-under-272.

Riley said Singh is tough to catch when he has the lead in the final round.

"He's in the Tiger Woods, Davis Love, Mike Weir class. I'm trying to get there," said Riley, who now has six top-10 finishes this year.

Byrd said consistency is the key to Singh's game, especially with his short irons.

"He's hitting it [within] 15, 20,

10 feet all day. You do that for enough holes, you're going to make something," Byrd said.

Singh also is being mentioned as player of the year.

"I can control the money list. I cannot control the player of the year," he said.

Singh started play Monday at 12 under, tied with Lewis, who posted his lone career win at the Deere Classic in 1999.

The pair resumed their final round Monday on No. 6, and Singh began to pull away after he birdied No. 8 and Lewis followed with a bogey on No. 9.

Lewis, who used only 50 putts when he shot consecutive 6-under 65s in the first two rounds, struggled on the green over the weekend.

"I didn't feel nervous but I played like I was so I must have



Brian Kersey/Associated Press
Vijay Singh pumps his fist on the 18th green after winning the John Deere Classic on Monday in Silvis, Ill.

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COWBOYS 35, GIANTS 32 OT

Dallas squeezes past New York

BY DAVE GOLDBERG
ASSOCIATED PRESS

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — This could have been one of Bill Parcells' worst losses. Billy Cundiff turned into one of his biggest wins.

Cundiff, who tied the game at the end of regulation with a 52-yard field goal, tied an NFL record with the game-winner from 25 yards with 5:57 left in overtime to give the Dallas Cowboys a 35-32 victory over the New York Giants.

It was Parcells' first win as Dallas' coach, and it came over the team he led to two Super Bowl victories.

The last field goal was Cundiff's seventh of the game to tie the record held by three others, and it came after an eight-play, 51-yard drive led by Quincy Carter.

The Giants rallied from a 29-14 fourth-quarter deficit and seemed to have the game won when Matt Bryant kicked a 30-yard field goal with 11 seconds left to give them a 32-29 lead.

But Bryant's ensuing squib kickoff went out of bounds at the 1, giving Dallas the ball at its own 40. Carter then hit Antonio Bryant with a 25-yard pass to the New York 34. Cundiff sent it to overtime with his career-long field goal.

Carter, who finished 24-of-39 for 298 yards, led the Cowboys 51 yards on the winning drive. The key play was a 23-yard pass to former Giant Dan Campbell, who made his first catch for Dallas after signing in the offseason.



Bill Kostroun/Associated Press
The New York Giants' Brian Mitchell grabs the Dallas Cowboys' Zuriel Smith as he returns a punt in the first quarter at Giants Stadium.

For most of the final quarter, it looked like Parcells' Cowboys (1-1) would go down valiantly.

The Jersey guy coaching the Texas team watched helplessly as Kerry Collins rallied the

Giants (1-1) from a 15-point fourth-quarter deficit to a 32-29 lead before Bryant's kick gave the Cowboys just enough field position for the tying kick.

Collins threw second-half TD

passes of 5 yards to Ike Hilliard, 1 yard to Jeremy Shockey and 20 to Amani Toomer to lead New York's comeback.

Parcells had been 49-0 during his career with the

Giants, Patriots and Jets when his team carried a lead of 12 points or more into the final quarter, but it looked like the streak would stop short of 50.

WOMEN'S HOOPS

Bluder hires new aide at Iowa

IOWA CITY (AP) — Shannon Gage, who played at Southwest Missouri State, has been hired as director of basketball operations by Iowa women's coach Lisa Bluder. Gage replaces Laquanda Dawkins, who left last month to become an assistant coach at Florida International.

Since graduating from Southwest Missouri in 1999, Gage has been working as a retail manager while pursuing a degree in fashion from the Art Institute of Fort Lauderdale, Fla.

Gage appeared in 91 games during her playing career, averaging 2.7 points and 1.8 assists.



BOMBS AWAY

Bonds Hits 655th Career Homer

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Barry Bonds hit his 655th career home run Monday night, connecting in the first inning of the San Francisco Giants' game against the San Diego Padres.



Bonds

Bonds is now five homers shy of tying his godfather, Willie Mays, for third place on the all-time list.

Bonds hit a solo shot off Brian Lawrence for his 42nd homer of the season. Bonds is tied with St. Louis' Albert Pujols for most in the NL, one behind major-league leader Alex Rodriguez of Texas.

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Hill will line up opposite old friends

BY CHUCK SCHOFFNER
ASSOCIATED PRESS

DES MOINES — Hakim Hill is about to return to the scene of his greatest accomplishments — and his worst troubles.

For Hill, that means he's going back home.

Hill is a running back on the 16th-ranked Arizona State football team that will play at No. 18 Iowa on Saturday. He starred at Iowa City High and spent many pleasant afternoons at Kinnick Stadium watching his brother, Kahlil, play wide receiver for Iowa.

He also had some difficult times, including a sexual-assault charge and an arrest for drunken driving. Even so, Hill

said he still looks forward to the trip.

"I have no hard feelings toward Iowa City," Hill said Monday from Tempe, Ariz. "It will always feel like home to me."

Hill, a 6-foot, 210-pound sophomore, is Arizona State's third-leading rusher with 57 yards in 12 carries, and he plays on special teams. He tried to dismiss this as just another week of practice and called it "just another game on the schedule."

But he also acknowledged it was more than that.



Hill

"It's going home and seeing my friends on the other side of the ball," Hill said. "It's definitely going to be exciting."

Hill was a teammate at City High with Iowa wide receiver Calvin Davis and center Brian Ferentz. He said Davis, who also plays on special teams, is probably his best friend.

So wouldn't that be strange to have to block or tackle him on Saturday?

"Nah," Hill replied. "I'll just help him up."
Hill ended up at Arizona State after a sensational high-school career. In football, he rushed for 3,585 yards and scored 57 touchdowns. He had 28 touchdowns as a senior in 2000, helping City High reach

the semifinals of the playoffs.

In track, Hill won four events at the 2000 state meet and helped City High win team championships in 1999, 2000, and 2001.

Away from competition, however, Hill found trouble.

In August 2000, he was one of seven City High athletes who pleaded guilty to using stolen paintball guns to shoot at joggers. The following year, he was sentenced to two days in jail and fined \$1,000 for drunken driving.

Two months later, Hill was charged with third-degree sexual assault after being accused of locking himself in a City High classroom with a 15-year-old girl and forcing her to have sex. He escaped jail time by entering an

Alford plea, meaning he did not admit guilt but acknowledged that prosecutors had enough evidence to convict him at trial.

Hill said all of that was behind him now.

"I'm looking toward my future," he said. "That's the only thing I'm concentrating on right now. Everything in the past is over and done and taken care of. My future is undetermined."

Hill did not answer directly when asked if he needed to get out of Iowa City. Iowa's coaches recruited him but never offered a scholarship. Hill was suspended his first year at Arizona State, in 2001, but played in all 14 games last season.

D.Y.K.
Did you know?
Oklahoma holds the Division I-A record for the longest win streak. How many games did the streak last?

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The streak started in 1953 and lasted until 1957. Notre Dame upended Oklahoma, 7-0.

IOWA SPORTS this week

Wednesday

• **FIELD HOCKEY** hosts Northwestern.
3 p.m. Grant Field. Admission is free.

Friday

• **FIELD HOCKEY** hosts Ball State.
3 p.m. Grant Field. Admission is free.

• **SOCCER** at Ohio State. Jesse Owens Memorial Stadium — Columbus, Ohio. \$5 at the gate.

Saturday

• **FIELD HOCKEY** hosts Temple.
3 p.m. Grant Field. Admission is free.

• **FOOTBALL** hosts Arizona State.
5 p.m. Kinnick Stadium, ESPN 2 telecast.

\$40 tickets are available. Contact the Iowa Ticket office (1-800-424-2957 or www.hawkeyesports.com)

• **MEN'S GOLF** at Northern Intercollegiate. University of Michigan Golf Course — Ann Arbor, Mich. Admission is free.

• **ROWING** at Milwaukee River Challenge. Milwaukee River, Milwaukee. Admission is free.

Sunday

• **MEN'S GOLF** at Northern Intercollegiate. University of Michigan Golf Course — Ann Arbor, Mich. Admission is free.

• **SOCCER** at Penn State. Jeffrey Field, University Park, Pa. Admission is free.

TUESDAY TELEVISION

Baseball:
• New York Mets at Chicago Cubs, 7 p.m. (WGN)

• Chicago White Sox at Minnesota Twins, 7 p.m. (FSN)

WNBA:
• Finals Game Three — Los Angeles Sparks at Detroit Shock. If necessary, 7 p.m. (ESPN2)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

By The Associated Press				
All Times CDT				
East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	94	57	.623	—
Florida	83	66	.557	10 1/2
Philadelphia	82	68	.547	11 1/2
Montreal	76	75	.503	18
New York	63	86	.423	30
Central Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	81	68	.544	—
Chicago	80	70	.533	1 1/2
St. Louis	77	74	.510	5
Pittsburgh	69	80	.463	12
Cincinnati	64	86	.427	17 1/2
Milwaukee	64	86	.427	17 1/2
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB
San Francisco	90	57	.612	—
Los Angeles	80	68	.541	10 1/2
Arizona	77	73	.513	14
Colorado	68	82	.453	23 1/2
San Diego	59	89	.399	31 1/2

Monday's Games

Atlanta 10, Montreal 6
Pittsburgh 6, Cincinnati 3
Chicago Cubs 4, N.Y. Mets 1
St. Louis 11, Milwaukee 2
San Diego at San Francisco, late

Today's Games

Atlanta (Madux 14-11) at Montreal (Ohka 9-12), 6:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Harang 3-2) at Pittsburgh (OlPerez 4-8), 6:05 p.m.
Florida (Pavano 11-11) at Philadelphia (Padilla 13-10), 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Seo 8-11) at Chicago Cubs (Prior 15-6), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Martinez 0-1) at St. Louis (Hitchcock 2-1), 7:10 p.m.
Houston (Robertson 14-7) at Colorado (Taso 2-2), 8:05 p.m.
Arizona (Schilling 7-8) at Los Angeles (Ishii 9-5), 9:10 p.m.
San Diego (Eaton 8-10) at San Francisco (LWilliams 6-4), 9:15 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

N.Y. Mets at Chicago Cubs, 1:20 p.m.
Atlanta at Montreal, 4 p.m.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh, 6:05 p.m.
Florida at Philadelphia, 6:05 p.m.
Milwaukee at St. Louis, 7:10 p.m.
Houston at Colorado, 8:05 p.m.
Arizona at Los Angeles, 8:10 p.m.
San Diego at San Francisco, 9:15 p.m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

All Times CDT

East Division	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	93	57	.620	—
Boston	87	62	.584	5 1/2
Toronto	76	73	.510	16 1/2
Baltimore	67	82	.450	25 1/2
Tampa Bay	59	90	.396	33 1/2
Central Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	81	69	.540	—
Chicago	80	69	.537	1/2
Kansas City	77	72	.517	3 1/2
Cleveland	65	86	.430	16 1/2
Detroit	38	111	.255	42 1/2
West Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Oakland	91	60	.603	—
Seattle	86	64	.573	4 1/2
Anaheim	71	84	.474	20
Texas	66	84	.440	24 1/2

Monday's Games

Boston 8, Tampa Bay 2
N.Y. Yankees 13, Baltimore 1
Minnesota 13, Cleveland 6
Kansas City 10, Detroit 4
Texas 6, Seattle 4
Oakland 7, Anaheim 4

Today's Games

Toronto (Walker 1-2) at Detroit (Cornejo 6-15), 6:05 p.m.

Tampa Bay (Gonzalez 6-9) at Boston (PMartinez 12-4), 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Clemens 14-8) at Baltimore (Johnson 10-7), 6:05 p.m.
Kansas City (May 8-7) at Cleveland (Traber 8-8), 6:05 p.m.
Seattle (Meece 15-10) at Texas (Thomson 12-13), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Loaiza 19-7) at Minnesota (Radke 12-10), 7:05 p.m.
Oakland (Harden 5-4) at Anaheim (Washburn 10-14), 9:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Oakland at Anaheim, 3:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Boston, 6:05 p.m.
Toronto at Detroit, 6:05 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees at Baltimore, 6:05 p.m.
Kansas City at Cleveland, 6:05 p.m.
Seattle at Texas, 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Minnesota, 7:05 p.m.

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Jonathan Byrd	\$261,333	65-67-72-68-272
Hidemichi Tanaka	\$127,750	70-67-67-69-273
Kevin Sutherland	\$127,750	69-67-71-66-273
Paul Stankowski	\$127,750	70-65-68-70-273
Jerry Kelly	\$105,000	71-70-68-65-274
Noah Bregay III	\$105,000	67-71-65-71-274
Glen Day	\$91,000	72-65-70-68-275
Bernhard Langer	\$91,000	71-65-70-69-275
Tom Ollis	\$73,500	75-65-68-68-276
Joe Durant	\$73,500	70-68-68-70-276
Pat Perez	\$73,500	69-68-71-68-276
Mathias Gronberg	\$61,250	71-69-69-68-277
Carl Pettersson	\$61,250	71-70-73-63-277
Brent Schwarzrock	\$50,750	73-67-70-68-278
Aaron Barber	\$50,750	68-70-70-70-278
Scott McCarron	\$50,750	70-68-69-71-278
Billy Mayfair	\$50,750	67-71-69-71-278

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

All Times CDT

American	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Buffalo	2	0	0	1.000	69	17
Miami	1	1	0	.500	41	31
New England	1	1	0	.500	31	41
N.Y. Jets	0	2	0	.000	23	37
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Indianapolis	2	0	0	1.000	42	13
Houston	1	1	0	.500	31	51
Tennessee	1	1	0	.500	32	53
Jacksonville	0	2	0	.000	40	62
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Baltimore	1	1	0	.500	48	47
Pittsburgh	1	1	0	.500	54	56
Cincinnati	0	2	0	.000	30	53
Cleveland	0	2	0	.000	19	42
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Denver	2	0	0	1.000	67	23
Kansas City	2	0	0	1.000	68	34
Oakland	1	1	0	.500	43	45
San Diego	0	2	0	.000	27	64

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East	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Washington	2	0	0	1.000	49	44
N.Y. Giants	1	1	0	.500	55	48
Dallas	1	1	0	.500	48	59
Philadelphia	0	2	0	.000	10	48
South	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Carolina	2	0	0	1.000	36	32
Atlanta	1	1	0	.500	43	45
New Orleans	1	1	0	.500	41	37
Tampa Bay	1	1	0	.500	26	12
North	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Minnesota	2	0	0	1.000	54	38

Detroit	1	1	0	.500	48	55
Green Bay	1	1	0	.500	56	38
Chicago	0	2	0	.000	20	73
West	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA
Seattle	2	0	0	1.000	65	10
San Francisco	1	1	0	.500	73	34
St. Louis	1	1	0	.500	40	47
Arizona	0	2	0	.000	24	80

Sunday's Games

Miami 21, N.Y. Jets 10
Green Bay 31, Detroit 6
Washington 33, Atlanta 31
Indianapolis 33, Tennessee 7
Buffalo 38, Jacksonville 17
Baltimore 33, Cleveland 13
New Orleans at Tennessee, Noon
St. Louis 27, San Francisco 24, OT
Kansas City 41, Pittsburgh 20
Seattle 38, Arizona 0
Carolina 12, Tampa Bay 9, OT
Denver 37, San Diego 13
Oakland 23, Cincinnati 20
New England 31, Philadelphia 10
Minnesota 24, Chicago 13

Monday's Games

Dallas 35, N.Y. Giants 32, OT
Sunday, Sept. 21
Minnesota at Detroit, Noon
Tampa Bay at Atlanta, Noon
Kansas City at Houston, Noon
New Orleans at Tennessee, Noon
N.Y. Jets at New England, Noon
Jacksonville at Indianapolis, Noon
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati, Noon
St. Louis at Seattle, 3:05 p.m.
N.Y. Giants at Washington, 3:05 p.m.
Green Bay at Arizona, 3:05 p.m.
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TRANSACTIONS

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Purchased the contract of Of Pedro Swann from Ottawa of the IL. Transferred 15 David Segui from the 15-day to the 60-day disabled list.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Recalled INF Luis Ugueda from San Antonio of the Texas League.

TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Named Tom Clark national scouting coordinator.

National League

MONTREAL EXPOS—Activated RHP Claudio Vargas from the 15-day disabled list.

SAN DIEGO PADRES: Agreed to terms with Bill Gaylor, director of scouting, on a three-year contract extension.

National Football League

DETROIT LIONS—Released CB Chris Watson.

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Signed DB Michael Hawthorn.

HOUSTON TEXANS—Signed DT Steve Martin.

ST. LOUIS RAMS—Signed LB Jeremy Loyd from the practice squad. Released TE Spencer Nead.

WASHINGTON REDSKINS—Released TE Kevin Ware, signed OL Wilbert Brown.

National Hockey League

LOS ANGELES KINGS—Acquired G Milan Hrnjicka from Atlanta for future considerations.

MINNESOTA WILD—Assigned LW Chris Bale, D Jason Beckman, D Josh DeWard, D Mathieu Dumas, D Chris Dymond, D Maxime Fortunus, D Nick Greenough, RW Jeff Hoggan, G Kyle Kettinger, C Ed McGrane and D Kevin Mitchell to Houston of the AHL.

Released LW Adam Couchaine, RW Jean-Francois Cyr, LW Marcin Kolasa, LW Mattie Kroll, LW Mathieu Melanson, LW Matt Zulke, C Jamie Johnson, C Patrick O'Sullivan, C Pascal Pelletier, RW Colt King, RW Joel Ward, D Chad Starling, G Barry Brust and G Josh Harding.

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Women's soccer league folds

BY KRISTEN WYATT
ASSOCIATED PRESS

ATLANTA — The WUSA shut down operations five days before the Women's World Cup, saying it didn't have enough money to stay in business for a fourth season.

The decision, made by the league's board of governors Monday at a meeting in New York, brings to an abrupt end the league that built on the success of the 1999 Women's World Cup.

The eight-team WUSA was filled with the world's best female soccer players, including U.S. stars Mia Hamm, Brandi Chastain, and Julie Foudy. Chastain provided the signature moment in the '99 tournament when she ripped off her shirt after scoring the championship-winning goal against China.

But the attention the Women's World Cup received faded over the years, leaving the WUSA floundering. TV ratings were almost nonexistent, and the league had trouble finding fans who weren't under 18 and playing on a soccer team.

The WUSA hoped another World Cup this fall would bring

last-minute corporate sponsorships to save the league, but that hasn't happened, said John Hendricks, the chairman of the WUSA Board of Governors.

He blamed weak corporate support for the league's failure.

"I was intoxicated by what I witnessed in 1999, and I mistakenly believed that level of support would flow over into the league," he said.

The WUSA's owners have invested more than \$100 million to fund the league, and some of the top players took pay cuts this season to help keep it afloat. Even after cutting costs, the league was approximately \$16 million in the red.

Hendricks said the league needed eight sponsors to spend \$2.5 million each per year. The WUSA recruited only two sponsors willing to spend that much, Hyundai and Johnson & Johnson.

"If we only had six or seven CEOs in America who had stepped forward in the past year," Hendricks said. "An independent women's professional league can survive — if it has corporate support."

The league conceded the tim-

ing of the announcement was awkward but said the WUSA had to consider all its employees and players who aren't in the World Cup.

"We couldn't keep the doors open even another 24 hours without jeopardizing a decent and fair severance package for our employees," Hendricks said.

The league had franchises in Boston, Atlanta, San Diego, Washington, New York, San Jose, North Carolina, and Philadelphia. The Washington Freedom won the title last month.

The Women's World Cup will begin Saturday in Philadelphia, and the U.S. team opens the next day against Sweden in Washington, D.C. Fifty-six WUSA players are to compete in the tournament.

WUSA players took an active role in the league's management and were involved in the decision to close the league.

"The impact of the WUSA on women's sports and millions of fans has been extraordinary," said Foudy, captain of the San Diego Spirit and U.S. team, and a member of the WUSA board.

point/counterpoint

Did Maurice Clarett get hosed?

Here's what isn't coming out of the gigantic, multilayered, never-going-away Maurice Clarett/Ohio State/NCAA/and now NFL ordeal: a little bit of gratitude.

"Thanks for the help with the whole national championship thing there, Mo. We Buckeyes appreciate it. Maybe we could even help you out of this mess?"

Instead, Clarett, and Jim Brown, and Doug Williams, and Paul Tagliabue, and Oprah (just wait, she'll come around) are all involved in something that is taking on Revolution-esque proportions, especially as the challenge to the NFL's eligibility rules play out.

Bureaucratically, an infraction did take place. But in reality, the infraction was the equivalent of a delay-of-game penalty on a fourth down that makes the punter kick from his own 20 instead of the 25. Completely insignificant.

The big number that has created this story is \$10,000. That's the amount the 19-year-old said was stolen from his 2001 Monte Carlo, a number he later admitted was inflated.

To the average college student, \$10,000 is a fair chunk of change. In fact, it will buy 8,000 pepperoni rolls from Gumbys'. But to the average big-money alumn,

\$10,000 ain't squat.

What is squat is \$13.5 million — the amount Ohio State picked up for the Fiesta Bowl last year — or the \$21.86 million — OSU's football profit last year, up 27 percent from the year before.

And what's really squat is 265, which isn't what Robert Gallery biceps curls, but the percent increase in the Buckeyes' merchandising dollars from the year before Maurice Clarett to the year with him, from \$1.14 million to \$4.16 million.

The \$3.02 million difference can buy at least a 2001 Monte Carlo. It can actually buy about 55 H2 Hummers with Luxury and Adventure packages.

I'm certainly not condoning what Maurice Clarett did when he inflated his insurance claim. And I understand the NCAA machine is based on drawing lines. But what I am saying that Maurice Clarett is being made to look very unlike a person who brought Ohio State numerous millions of dollars. Clarett is getting hosed.

—by Frank Klipsch

When I heard that Maurice Clarett was being investigated for lying to police, receiving "extra benefits" worth thousands of dollars, and profiting from academic favoritism, I was shocked. A football star at a marquee program receiving illicit benefits? Surely you jest.

Actually, what did surprise me was the way Ohio State handled the affair. Rather than slapping Clarett with a one- or two-game suspension and sweeping the whole messy affair under the rug, à la Florida State or Nebraska, the school suspended its star for the entire season. The action not only ended Clarett's career in Columbus, but it also made the Buckeyes' second national title quest much harder.

For some reason, though, Ohio State has drawn criticism, not praise, for its hard-line action. Jim Brown, acting as an adviser, to Clarett and his family, told a radio interviewer that he thought OSU Athletics Director Andy Geiger was intentionally making things difficult for Clarett, saying Geiger "has a different agenda, and I don't know what it is."

Now, I do know (or at least I hope) that Geiger does have a different agenda from Brown's; Geiger's responsibility is to all of OSU's athletes, not just one star running back who thinks the rules don't apply to him. And I'm positive about another thing: Geiger isn't sitting around his office devising ways to cast his department in a bad light and keep OSU's flagship sports team from winning another national title.

Clarett broke several rules, and now it's time to pay the piper. Criticizing Ohio State for taking the kind of disciplinary action that so many other schools are afraid to pursue not only defies logic, it also makes other programs more reluctant to clean their own houses. College football needs more Andy Geigers and fewer Maurice Clarett.

—by Donovan Burba



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GAINING GROUND

Clement hurls 13th victory to keep Cubs in race

CHICAGO (AP) — Matt Clement matched his career high with his 13th victory as the Chicago Cubs gained ground in the NL Central race by beating the New York Mets, 4-1, on Monday night.

Randall Simon had two RBIs for Chicago.

New York managed just three infield singles against Clement (13-11), and the only run he allowed was unearned. He walked two and struck out five in seven innings.

Jeremy Griffiths (1-3) gave up four runs — three earned — and six hits in four innings.

Kenny Lofton and Mark Grudzielanek led off the first inning with singles, and, one out later, Moises Alou hit an RBI single.

Simon followed with a two-run double.

Braves 10, Expos 6

MONTREAL (AP) — Robert Fick hit his first home run in six weeks as Atlanta reduced its magic number for clinching a record 12th-straight division title to three with a victory over Montreal.

Horacio Ramirez (11-4) allowed seven hits and two runs in seven innings.

Fick hit a three-run homer off Livan Hernandez (15-9) in the second.

Royals 10, Tigers 4

DETROIT (AP) — The Detroit Tigers became the first AL team to lose 111 games since the 1939 St. Louis Browns, dropping to Kansas City 10-4 as Joe Randa drove in five runs.

Randa hit a three-run homer in the ninth, and Aaron Guiel homered later in the inning.

Raul Ibanez had three hits and scored three times, and Brent Mayne homered for the Royals.

Brian Anderson (12-11) allowed four runs and 10 hits in 7½ innings. Curtis Leskanic and Mike MacDougal finished.

Pirates 6, Reds 3

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Matt Stairs hit a three-run homer in support of Ryan Vogelsong's first major-league victory as Pittsburgh beat Cincinnati.

Vogelsong (1-1) scattered three hits over five innings.

Red Sox 8, Devil Rays 2

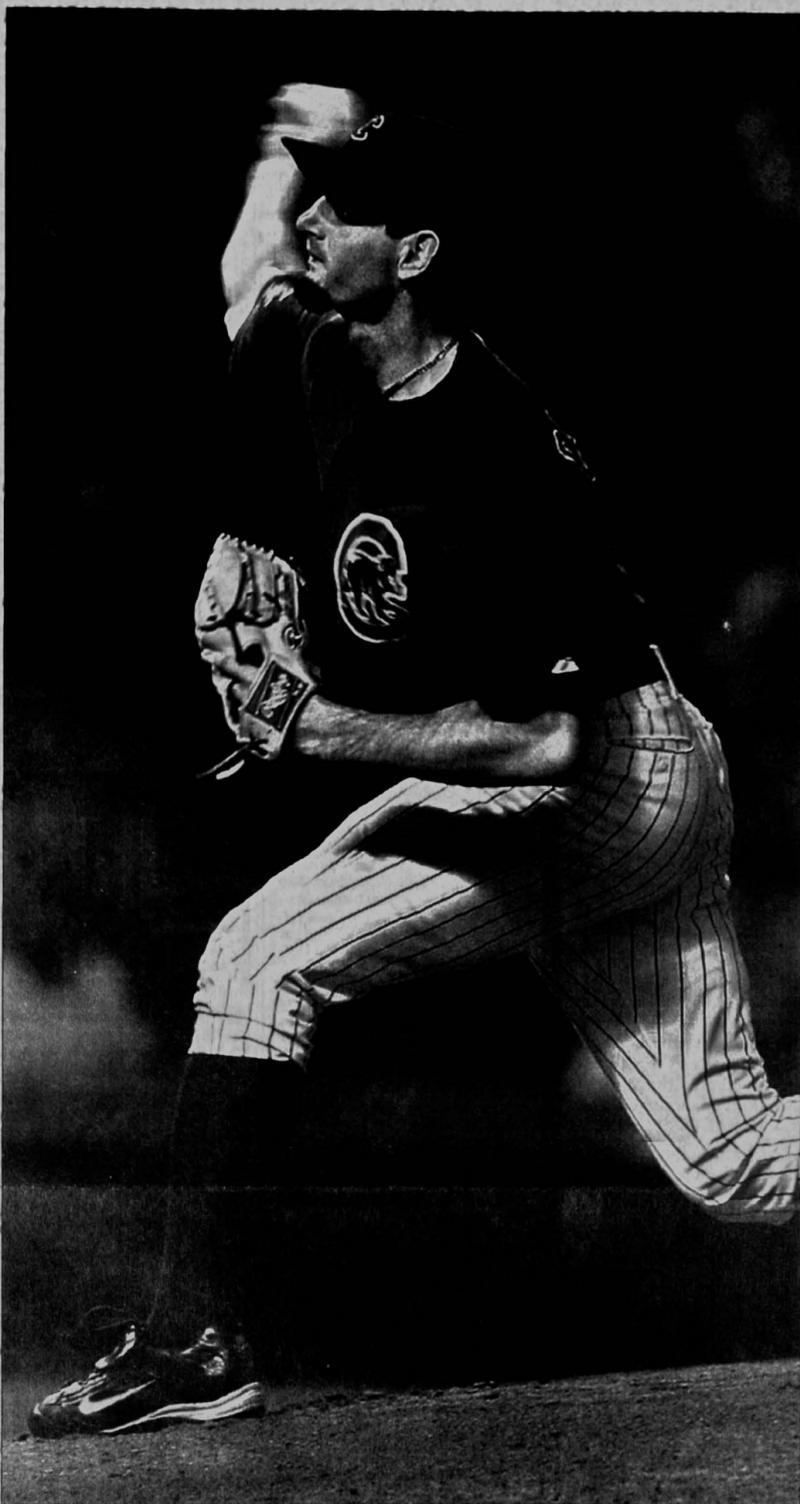
BOSTON (AP) — Derek Lowe won his fifth-straight decision, and Manny Ramirez and David Ortiz homered as Boston beat Tampa Bay.

Lowe (16-6) started with 4½ hitless innings. He allowed four hits in eight innings. He got 17 outs on grounders, six on strikeouts, and one on a fly ball.

Scott Sauerbeck finished for the Red Sox, who outit Tampa Bay 14-4. Marlon Anderson got the first hit off Lowe, a soft single over the glove of third baseman Bill Mueller, but Lowe retired the next batter to end the fifth.

Twins 13, Indians 6

CLEVELAND (AP) — Torii



Stephen J. Carrera/Associated Press

Chicago Cubs pitcher Matt Clement delivers in the first inning against the Mets.

Hunter tied his career high with five RBIs as Minnesota defeated Cleveland to take sole possession of the AL Central lead for the first time since June 30.

Hunter, Michael Ryan, and Cristian Guzman each drove in two runs during an eight-run sixth inning. Hunter added a three-run homer in the ninth off Terry Mulholland.

Cardinals 11, Brewers 2

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Brett Tomko allowed six hits over eight innings and drove in three runs as St. Louis snapped a four-game losing streak with a victory over Milwaukee.

Tomko went 2-for-4, including a two-run single in the second and an RBI single in the third. Albert Pujols hit his 42nd home

run, tying him with Barry Bonds for the NL lead. Jim Edmonds also homered for the Cardinals, who scored seven times in the first three innings off Wes Obermueller.

Tomko (13-8) didn't allow a baserunner until Keith Ginter homered with one out in the fourth. Bill Hall also homered leading off the sixth. Tomko struck out two and walked none.

Man arrested in murder of Williams' half-sister

COMPTON, Calif. (AP) — A man was arrested in the shooting death of a half-sister of tennis stars Venus and Serena Williams, and authorities Monday searched for four other suspects in the slaying outside a house known to attract gangs.

Aaron Michael Hammer, 24, was booked for investigation of murder late Sunday and jailed without bail. Sheriff's deputies said he had ties to a gang but was not a member.

Yetunde Price, 31, was shot in the chest early Sunday about a mile from the tennis courts where her younger sisters first rose to prominence.

The motive for the slaying remained under investigation.

As many as four other possible suspects were being sought, Deputy Richard Pena said.

"At this point, we just don't know if this is gang or narcotics," said sheriff's Lt. Daniel Rosenberg, a homicide detective. "I can tell you there are certain indications to suggest this location has involved either gangs or drugs. The house was troublesome to both the residents in the community and the deputies in Compton station."

Price, who no longer lived in Compton, was sitting with a man in an SUV shortly after midnight when they got into a confrontation with several residents, Pena said. Authorities said it was not known whether Price knew her assailant.

The man with Price was uninjured and drove her to a relative's house, where he called 911, authorities said. Price was then taken to a hospital, where she died.

The man with Price, Rolland

Wormley, 28, was jailed after authorities discovered he was on parole, which he allegedly violated by being at the scene of the shooting. Deputies did not disclose why he was on parole.

An assault rifle was found at the scene, and neighbors reported hearing six to 20 gunshots.

Price was a registered nurse who owned a beauty salon. She also served as a personal assistant to her half-sisters, who moved to Florida with their parents when they turned pro.

Price was divorced and had three children, ages 5, 9, and 11. She lived 40 miles from Compton.

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SPORTS

COMMENTARY

De La Hoya doing no good for sport of boxing

BY TIM DAHLBERG
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LAS VEGAS — So, Oscar De La Hoya wants an investigation of this whole nasty mess made by three guys sitting at ringside.

Not for himself, the Golden Boy insists, but for the good of boxing.

This raises the obvious question: Just what good is De La Hoya doing for the sport of boxing by insinuating that the judges who scored the Sept. 13 fight for Shane Mosley were corrupt, blind, or merely incompetent?

No good at all, of course. And by the time De La Hoya sits down in his office to call his high-priced lawyers and make a further mockery of the whole idea, maybe he'll have calmed down enough to realize he should keep his mouth shut.

Boxing doesn't need this, not after enduring the tiresome antics of Mike Tyson for so long.

Boxing surely doesn't need this from someone who has become rich beyond belief in the ring and gotten a few charitable decisions himself.

The simple truth is that, while boxing may have a lot of problems, crooked judging in this fight wasn't one of them.

"These are honest men, and they scored the fight the way they did. To me, there is no controversy," said Marc Ratner, the executive director of the Nevada Athletics Commission. "It's a close fight that could have gone either way. This is the way the judges saw it. If it went the other way, Mosley's camp would have been the ones protesting."

Long before De La Hoya and Mosley entered the ring, Ratner figured it would be a close fight with a lot of rounds that would be tough to call.

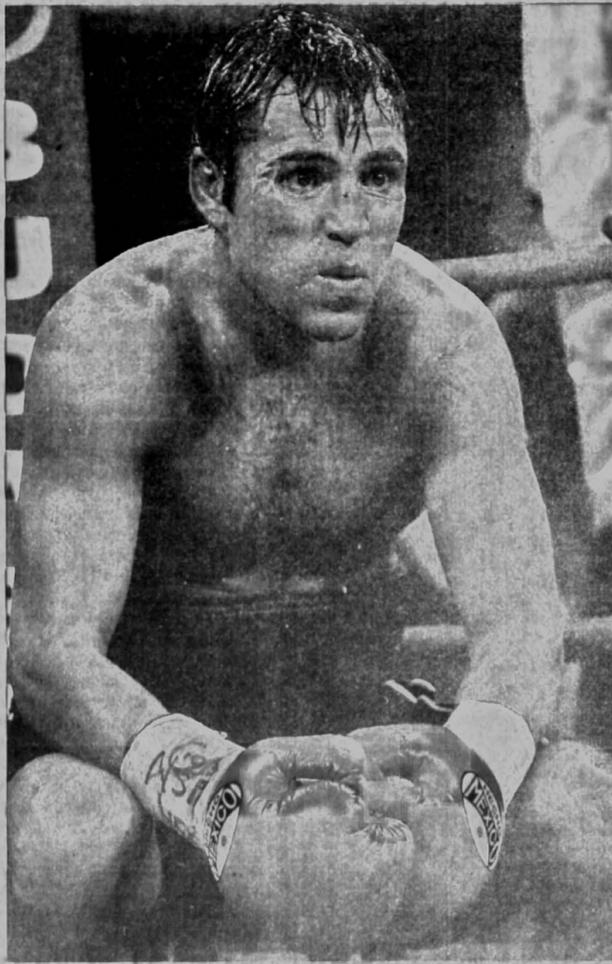
That's why Ratner went outside Nevada to look for top judges. He brought in Anek Hongtongkam from Thailand and Stanley Christodoulou of South Africa, both respected judges. The third judge was Duane Ford, a Las Vegas who has judged some 140 title fights with distinction.

All three judges saw the fight the same way, almost round for round. Two gave Mosley the last four rounds, while Ford gave him the last five. The final score on all three cards was 115-113.

Few would argue that it wasn't a close fight, and the scoring certainly reflected that. Mosley had a slight — very slight — edge on the scorecards, but it was enough to win.

Those are the rules in boxing. If a fight goes to a decision, judges vote on who wins. It's been that way for the better part of a century now, and De La Hoya certainly knew the rules when he stepped into the ring.

Sure, ringside punching statistics showed De La Hoya with a clear edge in punches landed. But what do those statistics mean and how accurate are they? Two humans are scor-



Kevor Djansezian/Associated Press

Oscar De La Hoya wants an investigation of the judging in his Sept. 13 fight.

ing those blows as they see them, just as the judges are scoring the fight as they see it. When De La Hoya and Mosley fought in frenzied flurries, it was impossible for anyone to tally what scored and what didn't.

Except if they watched on HBO's pay-per-view telecast, that is. There, announcers Jim Lampley, Larry Merchant and George Foreman spent the night telling viewers how De La Hoya was dominating this fight. Anyone watching on TV would have had to watch with the sound turned off to think Mosley might have won.

HBO, of course, has a vested interest in De La Hoya. He's the biggest pay-per-view attraction the network has, and together they've profited richly over the years. A De La Hoya win would be much better for business than a victory by Mosley, who has yet to prove he can sell tickets or boost ratings.

That's one reason why Mosley's father, Jack, was urging his son to do something dramatic in the late rounds. Jack Mosley saw a conspiracy, too, with a town and a network

against his fighter.

Yes, De La Hoya was disappointed, bitterly so. He thought he won the fight, and you'll never persuade him otherwise.

But the sight of him standing with a big bandage over the cut near his right eye at the post-fight news conference and claiming there was something nefarious going on was a pathetic one indeed for such a proud warrior.

"You're a sore loser," someone yelled.

Perhaps De La Hoya has forgotten getting the benefit of an 11-10 decision over Hong Song-Sik of South Korea in the semifinals of the 1992 Olympics that allowed him to go on and win the gold medal that helped make him rich and famous. Maybe he can't remember the decision in a fight against Pernell Whitaker that many thought Whitaker won.

De La Hoya certainly wasn't calling for any investigations then. "I'm not doing this because I'm a sore loser," he said. "I'm doing this for the sport of boxing."

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SPORTS

Cubs to retire Santo's number

BY NANCY ARMOUR
THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

CHICAGO — The Chicago Cubs gave Ron Santo something that means more to him than a spot in the Hall of Fame.

The Cubs announced Monday that they will retire the former third baseman's No. 10 in a ceremony before their Sept. 28 game. It's only the third number retired by the Cubs, joining Hall of Famers Ernie Banks and Billy Williams.

"I'm so overwhelmed. I can't tell you how much this means to me," an emotional Santo said before the Cubs played the New York Mets on Monday night.

"I don't care if I get into the Hall of Fame. This is my Hall of

Fame. And I really mean it. I can't explain it, but this is the ultimate."

Santo got a standing ovation from the Wrigley Field crowd when the honor was announced after the fourth inning. He stood in the radio booth and waved, a big smile on his face.

Santo spent all but one season of his 15-year career with the Cubs, making his major league debut in 1960. He was a nine-time All-Star in his 15-year career, finishing with 342 homers and 1,331 RBIs. He hit .300 or better four times, and won five Gold Gloves. He had the best on-base percentage in the league in 1964 and 1966, and he led the league in walks four times.

And he did all of that despite being diagnosed with diabetes before his rookie season. He played much of his career without anyone knowing he had the disease, and he's had both legs amputated in the past two years because of the disease and now has prostheses.

"All those years I've played, all those years I've broadcast, they never broke my heart. That's how much I love the Cubs," said Santo, the Cubs' radio analyst since 1990.

"If I hadn't had this when my troubles started, I don't know if I would have survived," he added. "I really mean that. It's therapy. And I don't think about anything else."

Santo was devastated when he was passed over by the Hall of Fame's Veterans Committee in February. He never came close to being elected by the Baseball Writers' Association of America, but he thought he'd have a better chance with his peers.

Instead, he received 46 votes, well shy of the 61 he needed. It was little consolation, but the Veterans Committee didn't select anyone this year.

"For me to be up there, with [Williams and Banks], even without being in the Hall of Fame, I know the people in Chicago believe I belong in the Hall of Fame," Santo said. "And that's all that matters to me."

Deere Classic had strongest group yet

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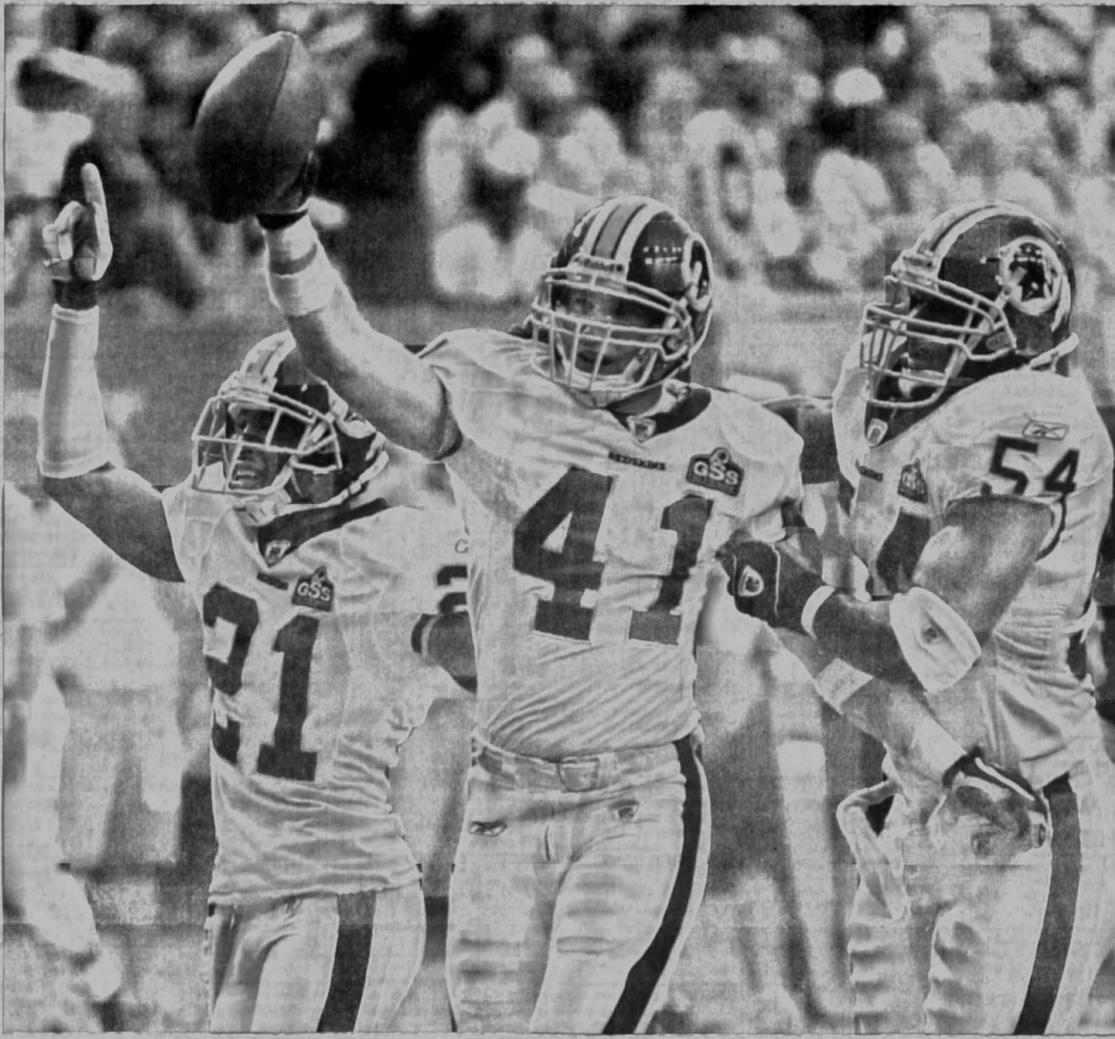
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been," said Lewis, who shot even par the last two rounds.

Paul Stankowski, in his third PGA event since returning from wrist surgery, tied for fifth at 11 under with Hidemichi Tanaka and Kevin Sutherland.

The Deere Classic drew its best field after being moved back from its usual tee off in July. However, the tournament was plagued by a Saturday downpour that postponed the third round and pushed play into Monday.

It was the first PGA Tour event to extend into Monday since the FBR Capital Open in June.



Ric Feld/Associated Press

Washington Redskins safety Matt Bowen celebrates his fourth-quarter interception against the Atlanta Falcons with teammates Jeremiah Trotter and Fred Smoot on Sept. 14. The Redskins won 33-31, and enjoying their best start in 12 years.

Redskins; offense off to fast start

BY JOSEPH WHITE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

ASHBURN, Va. — Patrick Ramsey has a sore knee, a sprained shoulder, and a quarterback rating over 100. Laveranues Coles can't turn his head without feeling sore, but he's leading the NFL in receiving yards.

They have helped the Washington Redskins to their best start in a dozen years, and they have the aches and pains to show for it.

"They showed a lot of heart," left tackle Chris Samuels said Monday. "We all know that those guys are talented, they make plays, they're smart players, but they showed a lot of courage out there. They got banged up, but they fought through it."

Ramsey sprained his left, non-throwing shoulder just before halftime in Sunday's 33-31 victory over Atlanta. He stayed in the game to finish with a career-high 356 yards with two touchdowns and no interceptions. His 104.3 rating ranked fifth in the league, and his 68 percent completion rate was second, through Sunday's games.

But he was sacked six times, bring his two-game total to 10. He still has some lingering soreness in his knee from the 16-13 opening-game victory over the New York Jets, so the Redskins need to find ways to keep him upright before his promising season ends prematurely.

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Chris Samuels,
Redskins left tackle

"He made some throws with guys coming right in his face," coach Steve Spurrier said. "We need to really get our pass protection a lot more solid."

Ramsey said his shoulder was sore Monday, but he hopes to be practicing Wednesday. At this point, there's no serious concern that he could miss the Sept. 21 game against the New York Giants.

"I really don't see it inhibiting me enough not to be able to play a football game Sunday," Ramsey said.

Coles also had a career day: 180 yards on 11 catches, giving the high-priced free agent an NFL-high 286 yards after two weeks. Not bad, considering he and Ramsey have just started working together.

"The good news is, it's just the beginning," Coles said. "It's a long way to go. We're going to keep working together, and hopefully, things will develop into something very special."

Coles had a scary moment in the first half after a knee to the

head left him woozy. It was a sprained neck — not a concussion, the Redskins said Monday — and he's expected to play next week.

"I'm cool," said Coles, although he noticeably kept his profile straight rather than turn his neck to face reporters. "I'm walking, ain't I? I'm fine."

Trailing 17-0 in the second quarter, the Redskins went to quicker passes and altered their protection schemes in the second half to take the pressure off Ramsey. The team also noticed that Atlanta quarterback Doug Johnson — who used to play for Spurrier at Florida — was tipping off the Falcons' defense by reading Ramsey's audibles, which called for some counter-trickery.

"We dummy-audible a couple of times in the second half," backup quarterback Rob Johnson said. "And we saw Doug running up and down the sidelines yelling, 'It's a pass,' and it was a run."

The defense also contributed big plays, from Jessie Armstead's safety to Ifeanyi Ohalet's interception to Bruce Smith's momentum-changing sequence that disrupted Johnson's rhythm just when the Falcons seemed ready to take a 24-0 lead and run away with the game.

"We're gaining momentum. We're gaining confidence," said Smith, who has taken a more visible leadership role in what is probably his final season. "We're headed in the right direction."



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