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Fields, Beatty save wrestlers

With No. 1 Iowa trailing against Michigan, Matt Fields and Chad Beatty preserved the Hawkeyes' undefeated Big Ten mark with big wins to spark a comeback victory. **Sports, 1B**

Water, water everywhere

A snowy, icy winter could result in high river levels around the state and in Iowa City come springtime. **City, 4A**

Hawkeyes outlast Minnesota, 72-69

A second-half spurt from the Golden Gophers wasn't enough to overcome Bluder's Bunch, and Iowa downed Minnesota 72-69 on Sunday. **Sports, 1B**

City-manager interviews

Iowa City officials interviewed five very diverse candidates for the city manager position on Feb. 15. **City, 4A**

Blair Witch meets 'Lost'

J.J. Abrams' latest film, *Cloverfield*, incorporates "dog-sized, parasitic anthropods" into a goodbye party. Sounds fun. **Arts and Culture, 9A**



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Today's webcast

- Severe weather update
- Rove's visit postponed
- "Courtside" basketball show.

WEATHER



Mostly cloudy, blustery winds, 40% chance of snow, and some wind chill early and then at night, just for something new and different.

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FIRST IN A FIVE-PART SERIES | BLACK HISTORY MONTH



Whitney Wright/The Daily Iowan

Kindergartners Tevon Williamson, 6, and Jack Meyer (right), 5, review their collection of Valentine's Day candy at Helen Lemme Elementary on Feb. 14.

In Helen Lemme Elementary School, a constant reminder of the school's name hangs in every classroom — a calendar turned to February proclaims 'Happy Birthday, Helen Lemme.'

A life of activism

By Kayla Kelley
THE DAILY IOWAN



Helen Lemme felt the sting of racism in her life.

In eighth grade, she won an essay contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution, according to the Iowa Women's Archives.

The prize was a gold medal, but authorities refused to give it to her because of her skin color.

Yet, Lemme used her life to change this injustice in Iowa by advocating for women's and black's rights.

Early years

Lemme was originally named Frances Helen Renfrow by her parents, Eva Craig and Lee Augustus Renfrow.

She was born in 1904 — a hard time for women, for blacks, and especially for black women.

"She was a trailblazer and a role model both then and now," Stefanie Bowers, the president of the Iowa City-Cedar Rapids Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. and the Iowa City Human Rights coordinator.

Lemme, a Grinnell, Iowa native, helped take care of her six siblings by cleaning houses in her hometown.

When she graduated from Grinnell High School, she was given a \$5 gold scholarship for college and left in 1920 for Fisk University in Nashville, Tenn.

By 1924, she had moved to

the UI, interested in science and biology.

In her time at the university, Lemme also served as the Delta Sigma Theta sorority president. She graduated in 1928, a time in which Bowers said neither women nor blacks attended college.

After graduating, she stayed as a research technician at the UI internal-medicine department.

Decades of service and activism

On Aug. 26, 1929, she married Allyn Lemme, a shoemaker.

In 1931, the pair had their first child, Lawrence. Their second son, Paul, was born in 1935.

Raising a family did not hold Lemme back from fighting for the rights of blacks on campus, though.

Frances Helen Renfrow Lemme

Birth: February 25, 1904

Death: December 15, 1968

Hometown: Grinnell, Iowa

Education: Graduated from Grinnell High School in 1920 and graduated from the UI in 1928

Participated in: the Democratic Party, Iowa League of Women Voters, Iowa City Area Council of Churches, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority member, Human Relations Commission.

SEE LEMME, 5A

ON THE WEB

This week, in honor of Black History Month, the *DI* will feature influential black Iowans of past and present. To find out more about today's profile, Helen Lemme, visit dailyiowan.com for:

A slide show featuring pictures of Lemme and Helen Lemme Elementary School in Iowa City

An interactive graphic with a biography and extended timeline of Lemme's life

PDFs of letters written by and newspaper articles about Lemme

More to come

Check back with *The Daily Iowan* all week for more stories on famous black Iowans.

RESCHEDULED LECTURE

Karl Rove

What: Karl Rove in an onstage interview with Frank Durham, UI associate professor of journalism

When: 7:30 p.m. March 9

Where: IMU Main Lounge

Admission: Free

SEE ROVE, 3A

Election-board tiff roils UISG election

UI Student Government finds itself wrapped in a bitter fight over Student Elections Board appointments.

By Carla Keppler
THE DAILY IOWAN

UI Student Government presidential campaigns do not

officially begin for two days, but the candidates are already throwing jobs.

Accusations tossed in the direction of UISG presidential

hopeful Maison Bleam led to the candidate informally asking for the resignation of one Student Elections Board member and the recusal of another.

Bleam asked his roommate, Andrew Doster, to step down from his seat on the election board and Director Addison Den Hartog to recuse himself from senate discussion following internal UISG allegations and *DI* investigation of close personal relations among the group.

The election board oversees all aspects of elections, including matters of campaign violations, and it is responsible for penalizing candidates.

Emergency appointments

When the Student Elections Board fell below quorum some

SEE ELECTION, 3A

Rove on hold

Three additional weeks of prep time may yield bigger protests, more-honed critiques.

By Kelsey Beltramea
THE DAILY IOWAN

Hazardous weather conditions forced the UI Lecture Committee to postpone Karl Rove's talk, which had been scheduled for Sunday evening, allowing the university community three more weeks to get ready for the controversial "architect."

Rove, President Bush's former deputy chief of staff and aide, will come to the UI on March 9 for an on-stage interview with Frank Durham, a UI associate professor of journalism. Until then, moderator Durham said, he will continue constructing his questions with the aid of political-science, communications, and journalism faculty members.



Rove ex-aide

"I understand that it was Karl Rove's idea to hold the lecture in this format," said Durham, who is one of three faculty advisers to the Lecture Committee. "He's well-aware that some people have negative reactions to his career."

Rove played a significant role in shaping White House policy before resigning in August 2007 while under fire for his alleged involvement in what some see as the political termination of several U.S. attorneys. He has also taken heat for his reported link to the outing of former CIA agent Valerie Plame and for his role in crafting communications leading up to the invasion of Iraq.



News

METRO

Defense motion granted in homicide trial

The attorney of Curtis Fry, accused of second-degree murder, was granted a motion to preserve evidence involved in the beating of a 75-year-old man for inspection and testing.

According to court records, Fry's public defender, Peter Persaud, filed the motion on Feb. 12, and it was granted on Feb. 15.

Iowa City police charged Fry, 21, on Feb. 8 in the death of Patrick McEwen, who was found dead in his apartment on Feb. 7.

During the investigation, police reportedly found Fry's wallet, a pair of blood-stained jeans, and an abandoned coat either at or around the crime scene. According to a press release on Feb. 8, police said they believe the jacket and pants belong to Fry.

After the killing occurred, the release also said Fry's brother found him wearing no pants and two unfamiliar jackets.

Online court records from Feb. 14 also show representatives from One-Eyed Jakes and Brothers Bar & Grill had been subpoenaed.

One-Eyed Jakes owner Mike Porter announced Feb. 13 that the bar's staff and management refused Fry entry to the bar twice the night of the alleged homicide. Porter said in a letter that he submitted surveillance tapes from that night to Iowa City police.

It is unknown whether Fry was present at Brothers Bar & Grill that night as well.

Fry is set to appear in court for a preliminary hearing on Feb. 19.

— by Olivia Moran

IC man dies in crash

An Iowa City man died in a multiple-vehicle crash on I-80 on Feb. 13, the Iowa State Patrol said.

Gregory Glowacki, 55, Iowa City, died after he was rear-ended by a semi that pushed him into numerous other vehicles, according to reports.

Mathew Scanlon, 38, was driving a Chevy pickup, and Glowacki was behind him in a GMC Safari. Carl Cooper, 42, was behind them both in a semi with Sarnia Paving Stone Limited of Sarnia, Canada.

According to reports, several vehicles were traveling west on I-80, slowing down because of another vehicle's crash.

Troopers said Cooper did not realize traffic was slowing and hit both Glowacki's and Scanlon's vehicles.

As a result, all three vehicles reportedly hit several other vehicles

on the interstate, the Iowa State Patrol said.

Glowacki was transported to St. Luke's Hospital in Cedar Rapids. Cooper and Scanlon were both injured and transported to UI Hospitals and Clinics.

Authorities said the investigation is still pending, and had not released a full crash report by Sunday afternoon.

— by Kurtis Hiatt

CR man charged with 3rd OWI

A Cedar Rapids man faces a felony after he was charged with an OWI Feb. 15, authorities reported.

Gabriel Ross, 31, is charged with a third-offense OWI.

Ross was the only occupant in his vehicle, which was heading west on an I-80 off ramp.

According to reports, Ross appeared to be driving faster than the speed limit.

A Coralville police officer pulled Ross over, noting he smelled of alcohol.

Ross admitted to drinking, and failed field-sobriety tests. He recorded a blood-alcohol content of .118 on a preliminary breath test, and .106 on another breath test.

Ross has two prior OWI convictions from March 1999 and July 2002.

Third-offense OWI is a Class D felony, punishable by up to five years in prison and a fine of up to \$9,375.

— by Kurtis Hiatt

Man charged with possession

A Cedar Rapids man faces a felony after authorities found drugs in a vehicle he was riding in Feb. 15, according to reports.

Deangelo Jones, 25, is charged with a third possession of a controlled-substance offense.

Authorities stopped a vehicle Jones was in on Grand Avenue and Riverside Drive around 1:43 a.m. Feb. 15.

According to reports, officers could smell burnt marijuana coming from the vehicle, and a K9 gave the vehicle a "positive hit."

Police found a white rock of crack cocaine near Jones, and another similarly packaged rock in Jones's front, right pocket.

Jones has two prior drug-related convictions in Illinois from June 1999, police said.

Third-offense possession of a controlled substance is a Class D felony, punishable by up to five years in prison and a fine of up to

\$7,500.

— by Kurtis Hiatt

Man charged with endangerment

Iowa City police say a man who had a loud party and who admitted to smoking marijuana put his 2-year-old and several other children in danger Feb. 14.

Erik Saenz, 18, 1956 Broadway Apt. C11, is charged with possession of a controlled substance and child endangerment without causing injury, authorities reported.

Officers were called to Saenz's residence around 9:28 p.m. on Feb. 14 because of reports about a loud party.

Saenz's 2-year-old child was found in a room that had a smell of burnt marijuana, and the child was reportedly in reach of marijuana and a pair of brass knuckles, police said. Reports added that Saenz was the "only adult present among several children."

Police said contact with Saenz showed he had red, glassy eyes, and a green tint on his tongue. He admitted to smoking marijuana prior to officers' arrival.

Reports said police also found a water bong, loose marijuana, and another marijuana bud at Saenz's residence.

Child endangerment without causing injury is an aggravated misdemeanor, punishable by up to two years in prison and a fine of up to \$6,250.

Possession of a controlled substance is a serious misdemeanor, punishable by up to a year in prison and a fine of up to \$1,875.

— by Kurtis Hiatt

Man charged with 3rd OWI

A man who ran his truck off the road was charged with a third-offense OWI Feb. 16, authorities said.

Iowa City police said they found Matthew Reinhart, 31, 1314 Franklin St., sleeping in the driver's side of his vehicle at Pine Street and Friendly Avenue at 3:46 a.m. Feb. 16.

Reinhart reportedly had a strong smell of alcohol and red, bloodshot, watery eyes and slurred speech.

He showed indications of intoxication during field-sobriety tests, according to reports.

His blood-alcohol content was recorded at .15, officers said.

Reinhart has been charged with OWI two other times, once in June 1998 and another time in April 2001. Third-offense OWI is a Class D

felony, punishable by up to 5 years in prison and a fine of up to \$9,375.

— by Kurtis Hiatt

Woman charged with endangerment

An Iowa City woman is accused of hitting her 15-year-old daughter with an iron Feb. 15, authorities reported.

Brenda Windmon, 39, 1001 Cross Park Ave. Apt. C, is charged with child endangerment causing injury, a felony.

Iowa City police responded to Windmon's residence after a call about an altercation between Windmon and her daughter. They reportedly determined that the pair were in a physical altercation that included Windmon hitting her daughter with an iron.

The daughter reportedly complained of pain in her wrist, back, head, and neck.

According to reports, Windmon's 4-year-old child was also present during the fight. She allegedly removed the child from the residence before officers arrived and lied about the child's location.

Officers also said they found drug paraphernalia at Windmon's residence.

Child endangerment causing injury is a Class D felony, punishable by up to five years in prison and a fine of up to \$7,500.

— by Kurtis Hiatt

Attempted-murder trial date reset

A trial involving a man accused of attempted murder has been rescheduled for May 12.

James King, 24, was originally set to go on trial on Feb. 11, but he fired his public defender only days before, Assistant County Attorney Anne Lahey said.

Attorney Paul Miller was appointed to the case.

King was charged with attempted murder after he allegedly shot a teenager in the leg on Sept. 25, 2007.

According to a press release on Sept. 26, 2007, King led police on a short car chase after the shooting but eventually lost control and fled on foot before being apprehended.

Attempted murder, a Class B felony, is punishable by up to 25 years in prison.

King was also charged with willful injury causing serious injury, possession of a firearm as a felon, intimidation with a dangerous weapon, eluding, and a felony-D controlled substance violation.

— by Olivia Moran

STATE

Environmental officials test for contamination of pond

IOWA FALLS, Iowa — State environmental officials are awaiting test results to determine if ethanol that spilled during a loading accident could have contaminated a pond in central Iowa.

Officials said as much as 10,000 gallons of ethanol that spilled from the Hawkeye Renewables Plant on Feb. 15 could be headed toward the pond, which is known locally as Dago Lake.

"The potential magnitude would be pretty great, but I don't know

what the aquatic life in Dago Lake is, and it's under ice, so we won't know until the ice thaws," said Eric Wiklund, an environmental specialist with Natural Resources.

Some college loans in jeopardy

DES MOINES (AP) — The Iowa Student Loan Liquidity Corp. says it won't be able to properly fund loans for the 2008-09 school year because of the nation's credit crunch.

Iowa Student Loan, a West Des Moines-based nonprofit, is the second-largest source of higher education funding for students in

Iowa, providing funding help to more than 68,500 students.

In the 2006-07 academic year, it held approximately \$350 million worth of loans. It's unclear how much could be available to students this fall.

Some experts say that students and parents may be asked to have co-signers, higher credit scores, or additional proof of income to secure their private loans, which are used to pay school costs and supplement federal loans, grants and scholarships.

"It's a very serious, tricky situation," said Gary Steinke, the president of the Iowa Association of Independent Colleges and Universities. "Without these loans,

it's going to be very difficult to fund a college education."

Most of Iowa Student Loan's private loans are initiated by banks or credit unions, and then it buys that debt and sells bonds to guarantee repayment.

But subprime defaults and mortgage foreclosures have made investors wary of consumer-oriented loans, including student loans.

Last week, Iowa Student Loan asked banks and credit unions to make and keep loans until it can sell bonds to back the loans, said Steve McCullough, the chief executive of Iowa Student Loan. He said banks and credit unions are beginning to respond to the request, and at least temporarily assume the risk of the loans.

POLICE BLOTTER

Brian Baskin, 19, Naperville, Ill., was charged Feb. 15 with public intoxication.

Michael Bukowski, 19, 716 Rienow, was charged Feb. 15 with PAULA.

Seth Cary, 28, West Des Moines, was charged Sunday with public intoxication.

Amy Cienkus, 21, 419 S. Lucas St., was charged Feb. 14 with OWI.

Matthew Condon, 18, Sioux City, was charged Feb. 15 with OWI.

Nathan Cook, 26, Cedar Rapids, was charged Sunday with public intoxication.

Chad Coon, 23, 1010 W. Benton St. Apt. 216F, was charged Feb. 15 with OWI.

Travis Derocher, 31, 293 Hawkeye Court, was charged Feb. 16 with OWI.

Dustin Dilkes, 18, Middleton, Wis., was charged Feb. 16 with public intoxication.

Ryan Donhue, 19, C306 Hillcrest, was charged Feb. 15 with PAULA.

Devin Dyer, 20, Coralville, was charged Feb. 14 with public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Shane Ersland, 31, Marion, was charged Feb. 16 with public intoxication and possession of an open alcohol container.

Andrew Fischbach, 21, Oxford, Iowa,

was charged Sunday with OWI.

Charles Frese, 20, 340 E. Burlington St. Apt. 8, was charged Feb. 15 with PAULA.

Vincent Gieis, 19, N120 Currier, was charged Feb. 16 with PAULA.

Nicole Heiderscheid, 20, 1002 E. College St. Apt. 5, was charged Feb. 15 with PAULA.

William Hodgkinson, 19, 505 E. Burlington St. Apt. 6A, was charged Feb. 15 with PAULA.

Aaron Hoover, 31, 1704 Hollywood Blvd., was charged Sunday with second-degree OWI and driving with a suspended/canceled license.

Kenneth Jackson, 31, North Liberty, was charged Feb. 15 with disorderly conduct.

William Jackson, 18, Chaska, Minn., was charged Sunday with unlawful use of another's authentic driver's license/ID, PAULA, and presence in a bar after hours.

John Jonginger, 19, 21 S. Linn St. Apt. 121, was charged Feb. 16 with PAULA.

Alexandra Kane, 19, S139 Currier, was charged Feb. 14 with public intoxication.

Jared Kladivo, 19, Cedar Rapids, was charged Feb. 15 with public intoxication.

Matthew Kottal, 22, 1100 Foster Road Apt. 1156, was charged Feb. 16 with OWI.

Ashley Manternach, 18, W320 Hillcrest, was charged Feb. 16 with unlawful use of another's driver's license/ID.

Matthew O'Neal, 30, North Liberty, was charged Feb. 15 with public intoxication.

Javis Pena, 21, Davenport, was charged Sunday with public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Albert Prange, 20, 332 S. Linn St. Apt. 310, was charged Feb. 15 with possession of marijuana.

Jacob Price, 18, 625 S. Dodge St. Apt. 3, was charged Sunday with PAULA.

Todd Pulis, 20, 525 S. Lucas St., was charged Feb. 16 with possession of an open alcohol container in public.

Donovan Rasmussen, 18, Hiawatha, Iowa, was charged Feb. 15 with OWI.

Rashonda Richardson, 20, Fulton, Mo., was charged Sunday with public intoxication.

Matthew Reinhart, 31, 1314 Fanklin St. Apt. 16 with third or subsequent OWI.

Daniel Roeder, 26, Wapello, Iowa, was charged Feb. 14 with OWI.

endangerment without causing injury and possession of a controlled substance.

Kevin Schmitt, 19, Freeport, Ill., was charged Sunday with PAULA.

Zachary Schroeder, 21, Le Mars, Iowa, was charged Feb. 16 with public intoxication and disorderly conduct.

Charles Shields, 20, 418 Brown St., was charged Feb. 14 with public intoxication.

Zachary Short, 24, 509 S. Linn St. Apt. 2, was charged Feb. 14 with driving with a suspended/canceled license.

Emily Smith, 20, Cedar Rapids, was charged Feb. 16 with second-offense OWI.

Joshua Stephan, 19, Milwaukee, was charged Sunday with PAULA.

Sara Uttley, 19, address unknown, was charged Sunday with PAULA.

Jamie Wagner, 20, 728 E. Washington St., was charged Feb. 15 with fourth-degree theft and accessory after the fact.

Scott White, 19, Dubuque, was charged Feb. 16 with PAULA.

Brenda Windmon, 39, 1001 Cross Park Ave. Apt. C, was charged Feb. 15 with possession of drug paraphernalia and child endangerment.

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Rove talk delayed

ROVE
CONTINUED FROM 1A

Durham said he will address Rove's past and will also tap Rove's political expertise to evaluate emerging developments in the presidential-nomination races — especially because the longtime political consultant has been recently recast as an analyst for Fox News.

Meanwhile, the newly named "Karl Rove Welcoming Committee" will use the delay to better its protest blueprints.

"If anything, this is going to give us more time to prepare for a larger, really good protest," said Keri George, a UI Antiwar Committee member. Her Facebook invitation promoting Sunday's now-canceled protest on behalf of the committee drew roughly 100 attendees, but she said likely turnout for the real event will multiply following more-concerted efforts with other organizations that disagree with Rove's \$40,000 speaking fee.

Women for Peace Iowa, the Feminist Leadership Alliance, the Johnson County Green Party, and the Des Moines Catholic Worker — a service and social-justice advocacy group — have all joined the UI Antiwar Committee in the "Welcoming Committee" coalition, pledging to protest but not obstruct Rove's address.

George said, "We respect that the Lecture Committee wanted to bring in a controversial conservative figure, but the sheer

"This gives people more time to read the history of Karl Rove and read more about his career and what he's done. Then they can draft some good questions and draw the conclusion that he definitely fits the legal definition of a traitor and deserves to be arrested."

— Keri George, UI Antiwar Committee member

amount it is paying for him we just totally disagree with."

UI Lecture Committee Chairwoman Sharon Benzoni had said the tab for Rove was a "bargain" compared with the \$50,000 it doled out to bring former President Bill Clinton to Carver-Hawkeye Arena in 2003.

George said she hoped Rove's delay in coming to Iowa City would also permit people to learn more about the former deputy chief of staff so they can ask tougher questions at the forum.

"This gives people more time to read the history of Karl Rove and read more about his career and what he's done," George said. "Then they can draft some good questions and draw the conclusion that he definitely fits the legal definition of a traitor and deserves to be arrested."

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UISG election already boiling

ELECTION
CONTINUED FROM 1A

time ago, UISG President Barrett Anderson and Crystal Edler, the head of the Executive Council of Graduate and Professional Students, made emergency appointments to the board — a move the two deemed necessary, but one that concerned others.

The nine-seat group, which facilitates and works to ensure fairness in UISG elections, requires a five-member minimum. Because of resignations during the year, the group failed to meet quorum, with only four representatives.

Anderson said the resignation of board Director Bryce Carlson did not affect the body's being able to function, because five members remained. However, the UISG leader said, he was not informed of any additional the election board resignations this semester, a violation of the UISG code, which requires members to notify either the UISG president or Judicial Court chief justice.

Anderson said neither were notified and had no knowledge until two weeks ago that election-board appointments were necessary.

Under normal circumstance, the Nominations Committee interviews and selects appointees. The UISG senate then votes on them. In emergency situations, according to UISG officials, Anderson and Edler have the power to make appointments.

With UISG presidential elections at the doorstep, leaders of UISG and the election board proceeded with emergency protocol.

Anderson and Edler made provisional appointments of five UI law students who, Anderson said, are unbiased and fully qualified to assume the positions. Final approval for these appointees will be decided by the senate on Tuesday.

Co-chairwoman of the Nominations Committee and UISG Vice President Carole Peterson said going through the customary process in this situation would not allow the committee to adequately carry out the induction process.

"With the elections approaching so quickly, there wasn't time to put together the whole Nominations Committee again," she said. "It takes a lot to put together, and you need weeks to carry that process out."

Allegations of potential conflict of interest

But former election board head Bryce Carlson said rules of quorum should have been suspended, changing the minimum to four members, rather than placing new people on the board. Carlson, who is also Bleam's campaign manager, said he did not consider the situation an emergency, and there might be motivation behind Anderson's actions to appoint new members to the election board.

"He's got connections with people running in the election," Carlson said. "It just seems very odd that this is happening right now."

Anderson adamantly denied that he had any prior relationships with the election-board nominees.

Turning the focus to the upcoming UISG elections, three former election board members

are running on Bleam's ticket and three people he previously referred to as "close friends" are still on the election board, leading some UISG members to believe the senator was attempting to place odds in his favor.

Doster, Bleam's roommate, went through the nominations process and was appointed to the board earlier this fall. Bleam recused himself from the senate vote.

Doster's and Bleam's "close friends" Addison Den Hartog and Jordan Den Hartog remain on the election board.

"Everybody knows everybody," Bleam said, pointing to tightly knit relationships other UISG leaders have with members of various committees. "I never voted; I'm on record abstaining."

The defense

Despite Bleam's and Carlson's planning to run on the same ticket, their stories concerning Carlson's resignation don't mesh.

"It looks a little set up, and that's a concern with people," said UISG presidential candidate Alan Cosby. "It's not a personal thing — it's just about keeping it unbiased."

The two story lines go as follows: Bleam said Carlson offered to be his campaign manager this fall, which Bleam accepted under the condition Carlson step down as the election-board director to avoid a conflict of interest.

However, Carlson said he resigned from the post more than a month before Bleam requested his services. Carlson said Bleam later asked him to work as his campaign manager, a position Carlson said he had

no intention of filling prior to his withdrawal.

Carlson said in an interview with the *DI* that he felt obligated to resign because of his close relationships with presidential candidates and his inability to remain objective.

Another candidate, Atul Nakhasi, said there is a possibility that something fishy is going on, but he sees validity to both sides of the argument. The most important thing, he said, is that the election board meets quorum so elections can ensue.

The current UISG president and vice president, Anderson and Peterson, declined to comment on any issues regarding Bleam.

Bleam requested the resignation of Doster and the recusal of Addison Den Hartog because of the appearance of a conflict of interest, though he said the matter was "completely irrational."

"I think I've been the most ethical person possible," he said. "It looks bad that my friends are on there, but it's just a weird chance it happened, not planned. I really don't understand where this is coming from. There's really nothing there."

"I know that people think Maison is trying to stack the board with friends, and that's just not true," Carlson said, noting that the election board has no direct effect on the election's outcome. "I'm tired of people pointing fingers at him. The code is my work; I know it front to back and up and down. Everything was done legitimately."

Continued discussion on the matter will take place at Tuesday's the UISG meeting.

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NATION

Girlfriend: Northern Illinois gunman called

WONDER LAKE, Ill. (AP) — The girlfriend of the man who killed five people and himself at Northern Illinois University said Sunday that he called her early on Valentine's Day, the day of the shooting, to say goodbye.

Steven Kazmierczak "called me at midnight and told me not to forget about him," Jessica Baty, 28, told CNN

from her home. She said she had no indication he was planning anything.

Investigators still haven't determined why Kazmierczak, 27, opened fire in a lecture hall at his and Baty's alma mater, and she shed no light on a motive Sunday.

"The person I knew was not the one who went into Cole Hall and did that," Baty told CNN. "He was anything but a monster. He was probably the ... nicest, (most) caring person ever."

The day of the shooting or the day after, Baty received a package from Kazmierczak containing two textbooks, a cell phone and what she characterized as a "goodbye note."

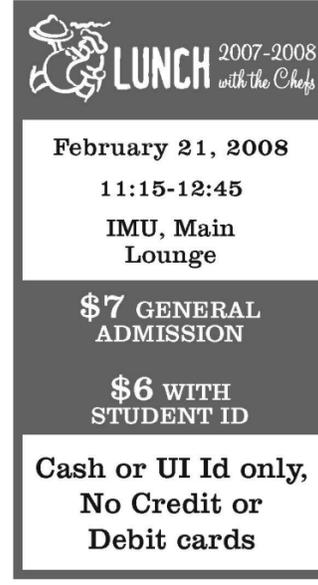
"You've done so much for me," the note said, according to Baty. "You will make an excellent psychologist and

social worker someday."

Another package contained a gun holster and ammunition. She confirmed that he had stopped taking an antidepressant about three weeks ago because "it made him feel like a zombie," but she denied that his recent behavior was unusual.



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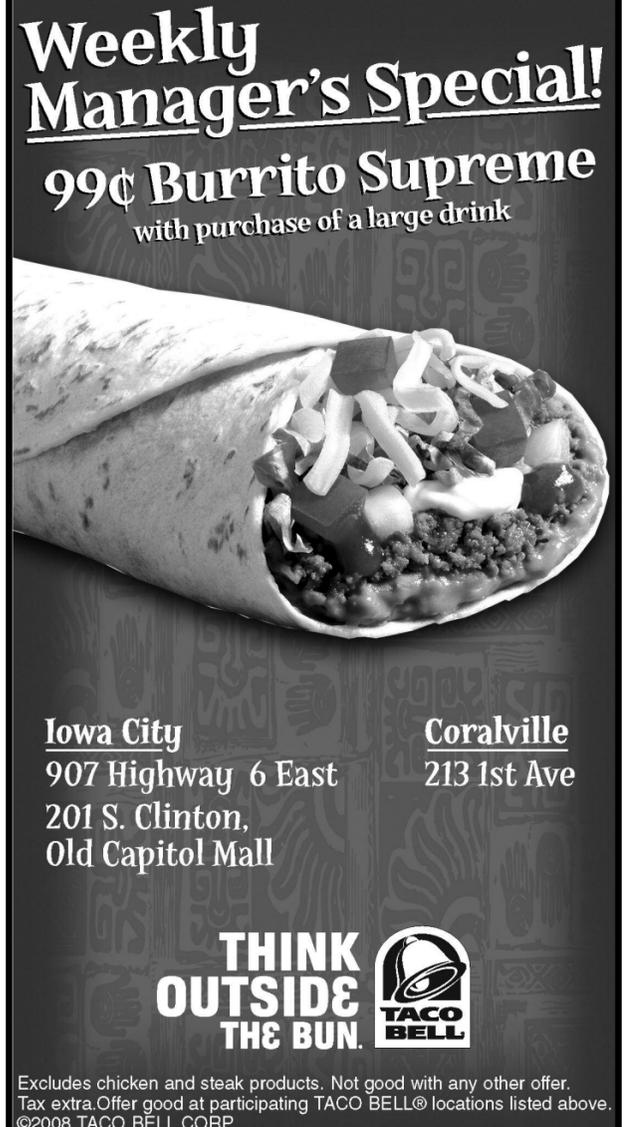


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Manager hopefuls diverse

By Shawn Gude
THE DAILY IOWAN

Iowa City's city-manager candidates, who met with the public and delivered brief statements on Feb. 15, each said they are attracted to the city for a variety of reasons.

For Larry Delo, it is the Big Ten community.
For Marketa Oliver, it is the recreational opportunities and other factors that make it a "great place to raise a family."

And for Art Chaudry? That Iowa City is "one of the sexiest cities in the Midwest." He said he was also impressed by the UI and the city's progressive nature.

It's not just in that area, one candidate said.
"The thing the council did was bring five distinctly different people," Susan Stanton said.
City Councilor Ross Wilburn made it clear, though, that the five, who the council formally interviewed earlier that day, may not even be the final cut.

The council will meet today, he said, to decide what the next direction will be in the process.

"People may look one way on paper, [and] they may present themselves a little differently in public," Wilburn said.

The final round will be in early March.

One candidate, Mike Matthes, said his passion sets him apart.
"I know some people think of it as fairly boring stuff, but I actually love city government," said Matthes, who has worked as Des Moines' assistant city manager since 2001. "There's just a great sense of meaning that I get out of the work."

Chaudry points to his wide range of experience, which includes everything from working for Johnson & Johnson to being employed by Jackson County, Mo., as the chief administrative officer.

"What distinguishes me from the other candidates is the depth and breadth and the diversity of experiences I have," said Chaudry, who grew up in Africa, before receiving a scholarship to the University of Illinois. "I'm probably the only one who has the exposure, the experience, and the results in both the private

The candidates

Here's a brief look at five individuals vying to become Iowa City's city manager.

Art Chaudry
Education: B.S. — Civil engineering, University of Illinois (1969)
M.B.A., Loyola University (1973)
Past employers: Johnson & Johnson, Hoechst Marion Roussel, Kansas City Royals, H&R Block, Jackson County (Missouri), Union Station (Kansas City)
Comes from: Missouri

Larry Delo
Education: B.S. — Political science, University of Wisconsin (1987)
Master of Public Administration, University of Wisconsin (1992)
Past employers: Worked as dairy farmer, United States Army Reserve, Social Security Administration (Milwaukee), City of Janesville (Wis.), City of Milton (Wis.), City of De Pere (Wis.)
Comes from: Wisconsin

Mike Matthes
Education: B.A. — American history, Graceland College (1992)
Master of Public Administration, ISU

(1996)
Past employers: Des Moines Municipal Housing Agency, City of Des Moines
Comes from: Des Moines

Marketa Oliver
Education: B.A. — Political science and international relations, Drake University (1988)
Master of Public Administration, Drake University (1990)
Past employers: City of Windsor Heights, Council of Governments, City of Yakima (Wash.)
Comes from: Windsor Heights, Iowa

Susan Stanton
Education: B.A. — Political science, University of Florida (1981)
Master of Public Administration, University of Florida (1982)
Past employers: City of Newburgh (N.Y.), Borough of Ketchikan (Alaska), City of Champaign (Ill.), City of Berea (Ky.), City of Largo (Fla.)
Comes from: Florida



Delo candidate



Oliver candidate



Stanton candidate

and the public sectors."

Delo also has a varied background. He has worked as a dairy farmer in the early 1980s in rural Wisconsin as well as an administrative and finance specialist for the U.S. Army Reserve.

And the city Delo currently resides in, De Pere, Wis., is home to St. Norbert College, which, he said, aids him in understanding the positive relationship a city and university must have.

One of the biggest challenges facing the Iowa City manager is attempting to deliver services with limited money to provide those services, the candidates said.

"As with most cities, it's figuring out how to fund the services that the citizens not only need but demand," Oliver said.

Oliver, who has been a city administrator with the city of

Windsor Heights, Iowa, since 2000, has additional governmental experience as city manager in Yakima, Wash., in the 1990s.

Stanton said city governments are facing a changing role in U.S.

"I think local government is coming to the realization that the feds aren't doing it, the state isn't doing it; frequently, the counties aren't doing it," she said. "So those needs have devolved down to the local level, to the cities."

She noted her 14 years as city manager in Largo, Fla., as something distinct she would bring to the position.

Whether that's enough to ultimately win the position is unclear, however.

"The council just needs to figure out who fits its vision of the future [and] which one of us can take [the city] where [the council] want to go," Matthes said.

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Spring flooding may be on the way for Iowa, experts warn

By Megan Stephenson
THE DAILY IOWAN

Think twice before wishing all of this snow and ice away — it may lead to spring flooding.

Iowa will go into the spring with higher than normal precipitation, and climate scientists say this spring's water levels in the Iowa River could reach the 2001 river levels, a year that saw one of the worst Mississippi River floods on record.

A combination of large amounts of precipitation and a long-lasting winter with more snow and colder temperatures cause the soil to be overly saturated with moisture, resulting in runoff to streams and rivers.

"[We'll] wait and see how it works out this time," state climatologist Harry Hillaker said. "All we can hope for is a dry spring. The longer the snow stays on the ground, the higher potential for floods."

Hillaker said northeastern Iowa, including Waterloo and

Dubuque, will be the most vulnerable to floods because that area has had more snow this winter than any other part of Iowa, making the soil denser. When the snow and ice begin to melt, the soil will not be able to absorb the water, and it will run off into streams.

Heavy snow and cold temperatures, followed by heavy rain, make the perfect mixture for potential floods. Hillaker stresses the unpredictability of the weather makes it difficult to predict the precipitation levels for the spring.

By Dec. 1, 2007, Iowa had roughly 4 inches of snow, slightly less than in December 2000. The winter storms that began in December 2007 were somewhat unusual, but only for southeastern and south central Iowa, including the Iowa City area. Southeast and central Iowa saw more frequent storms than the rest of Iowa but higher average temperatures.

The Iowa City Public Works Department handles the

protection of Iowa City's flood plain, and Director Rick Posse credits the Coralville Dam for most of the area's protection. Rapid snowmelt and heavy spring rain are a concern, he said, and the city's primary duty is to keep the bridges functioning. The last time the Iowa River flooded was during the infamous 1993 flood.

As of Feb. 14, the Iowa River level at Iowa City was at 11 feet, which is considered normal, said Jim Stiman, chief of water control of the Army Corps of Engineers, which manages the Coralville Dam. The flood-stage levels are at 22 feet.

"If the [Coralville] Reservoir were full, then it would be a problem," he said.

The National Weather Service does seasonal predictions of temperature levels; its preliminary reports indicate an equal chance of normal temperatures through April. It will put out two full flood-outlook reports on Feb. 22 and March 7.

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Lemme a civic leader

LEMME
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Her involvement in the Iowa City community ranges from the Human Relations Committee and the Iowa City Area Council of Churches and the Democratic Party.

Lemme also participated in a group called the Black Women's Club of Iowa.

She was the first woman to be named Iowa City Woman of the Year in 1955. When she received the Best Citizen of the Year a few years later, she was the first black woman to be honored as such in the city.

Lemme grew up in a world in which women nationally did not obtain the right to vote until 1920. In 1946, she was elected the president of the Iowa City League of Women Voters, becoming a pioneer for women's voting rights.

"She no doubt paved the way for those who came after her," Bowers said. "But I would also point out that she changed the community for everyone by being actively involved in her community and serving as an advocate for equality."

In 1944, Lemme led a campaign to advocate for more black representation at the Democratic Convention in Chicago.

In her 603 S. Capitol St. home, the Lemme family also provided room and board to black students who were denied the right to live in the dormitories until 1946.

It is estimated that she helped hundreds of students graduate from the university.

Minnette Doderer, Lemme's noted friend and a former state representative and senator, wrote a letter titled, "Helen Lemme — my friend."

In the letter, she wrote, "Helen used her time to improve her community, to increase social opportunities for members of her race and to help keep the students on the straight and narrow path



Aug. 26, 1929 — She marries Allyn Lemme, with whom she later has two sons

'Helen used her time to improve her community, to increase social opportunities for members of her race and to help keep the students on the straight and narrow path of behavior.'

— Minnette Doderer, Lemme's noted friend and former state representative and senator in a letter

Elementary is a great honor for him because he also went to school there.

He said Lemme did some things in her life that weren't easy and gave herself to the community.

"I respect that about her," Bacon said. "[She is] someone who doesn't operate based on a view of themselves and what they want; what is best and easiest for them, but someone who is really about helping other people."

He said the school, as well as individual classrooms, celebrate Lemme's life on Feb. 25, her birthday.

Kim Hynes, a second-grade teacher at Lemme Elementary, said she usually takes time to incorporate Lemme's life into her lesson on Feb. 25.

"We talk about the things that made her such a great person, and how it is important to use those virtues in everyday life," she said.

The elementary school is not the only way Lemme is remembered in the Iowa City community.

Lemme was honored at a Black History Month Celebration this year at the Iowa City Public Library for her achievements and dedication to Iowa City.

Her picture also hangs in the Black Alumni Hall of Honor in the IMU.

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— Stefanie Bowers, president of the Iowa City-Cedar Rapids Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. and Iowa City Human Rights coordinator

of behavior."

Lemme died in from inhalation of smoke in a house fire in 1968. She was 64 years old.

Even after her death, Lemme has played a role in helping the community she dedicated most of her life to.

Her legacy

Helen Lemme Elementary

School, 3100 Washington St., opened in 1970.

A constant reminder of the school's name hangs in every classroom — a calendar turned to February proclaims "Happy Birthday, Helen Lemme."

Lemme Elementary Principal John Bacon said being the leader at Lemme



1930s to 1940s — The Lemmes provide room and board to black UI students who are denied the right to live in the residence halls



1928 — Lemme graduates from the UI and works as a research technician



1944 — Lemme leads a campaign for more black representation at the Democratic Convention

Another day, another storm

By Amy Lorentzen
ASSOCIATED PRESS

DES MOINES — Heavy snowfall, rain, and high winds combined over the weekend to make for dangerous travel conditions and other weather-related problems across Iowa.

While the storm dropped up to 8 inches of snow in some areas, it wasn't quite as blustery as experts had predicted.

Blizzard conditions that had been forecast for the central region of the state didn't materialize, and the precipitation that fell across Iowa overnight on Feb. 8 didn't produce as much ice as expected, said Frank Boksa, a meteorologist with the National Weather Service in Johnston.

"The blizzard conditions didn't necessarily take effect, but there were very, very low visibilities," he said. "Anytime you get blowing snow and reduction of visibility you get travel conditions that are hazardous."

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Wind gusts topped 50 mph in some parts of western Iowa, but Boksa said they were "not as widespread strong as we originally thought."

Even though the weather wasn't as severe as initially expected, it did cause a number of problems around the state.

Bill Elliott, with the National Weather Service in Davenport, said rainfall caused some flooding issues at several rivers including the Fox River in southeastern Iowa.

The Iowa Department of Transportation issued travel alerts for much of Iowa, and closed U.S. Highway 52 in

Dubuque County because of hazardous driving conditions and zero visibility.

State Patrol spokesman Jim Sanders said that travel was still not recommended in most of northeastern Iowa, and in portions of the east-central and south-central part of the state.

While accidents were a problem throughout the state, Saunders said even more of an issue was a high number of stranded motorists.

The inclement weather on Sunday delayed the delivery of at least one newspaper in eastern Iowa, and in Des Moines an overpass was closed for at least a couple of hours because ice and snow

weighed down power lines that then hung too close the street surface. MidAmerican Energy Co. reported scattered power outages in Polk County on Sunday afternoon.

The storm also caused a number of events to be canceled, including a speaking appearance at the UI by Karl Rove, the former deputy chief of staff and senior adviser to President Bush. The NBA Development League game in Des Moines between the Iowa Energy and the Idaho Stampede was rescheduled for Monday.

Lloyd Luppess, who works at the Kum & Go in Story City, a town along Interstate 35, said his area experienced heavy winds, low visibility and slick roads.

"Everybody says once you get out of town it's snowstorm conditions," he said early Sunday. While some of the local farmers were coming in for morning coffee, he said "as far as traveling, there's not much travel."

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Real-life robotics



West High sophomore Andrew Van Beek (left) and junior Masha Kulikova help build a robot in a hangar at the Iowa City Airport on Feb. 16.

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By Alyssa Cashman
THE DAILY IOWAN

To the typical technology-ignorant student, the contraption might look like a mesh of wires and stainless steel.

But to the Iowa City West and City High students working on the robot, it is the culmination of six intense weeks of work.

For the eighth year in a row, a team of around 20 students and mentors will enter a robot in the For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology Robotics Competition. They will ship the robot on Tuesday in preparation for the regional competition in Milwaukee.

The competition will be held starting March 13, and the Iowa City robotics team is confident about its invention. The group's robot made it to the semifinals last year.

"We're really coming together," said Dominic Audia, the leader of the group and a teacher at both schools.

In the three years that Audia has been in charge of the project, interest in the program has grown tremendously. In 2006, numbers were small and facilities for building the machine were limited.

But today, 15 more students are involved, and the construction of the robot is taking place at the headquarters for the UI Operation Performance Laboratory, a hangar in the Iowa City Municipal Airport.

The goal for the competition is different every year. This year, the

COMPETITION For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology Robotics Competition

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Who: Iowa City West and City High students are participating in the competition.

object is to lift a 7.5-pound ball six feet in the air onto a balcony. There are other ways to gain points as well in the two-minute competition, in which three teams compete simultaneously.

The entry fee for the regional competition is \$6,000. Fundraisers and donated parts and facilities help the students enter the contest.

Approximately 2,000 teams across the county participate in the competition every year.

For the students involved, they get the chance to work with several mentors from the UI and Rockwell Collins.

"It's amazing how smart these students are," said mentor Mike Pownell, who works at Rockwell. "We're really just guiding them

now, rather than them observing us doing the work."

Pownell said that what the students are doing is comparable with what they would be doing in an actual job, making the experience all the more valuable to those students hoping to pursue a career in the technology field.

Now a senior at Iowa City West, Max Bryk joined the club three years ago because he was more interested in the interactive side of science. Now the president of the club, he says things have changed a lot since his sophomore year.

"We're more organized now," he said.

The group subdivided into three sections — one handled software, one dealt with the drive train and transmission, and the last one completed the robotic arm.

Audia said he also is hoping to get more girls involved in the future.

Masha Kulikova, a transfer student from Russia, is one of two girls on the team.

"I think a lot of girls don't do this because there's a stereotype that girls don't do mechanics," she said.

Although it's now crunch time, students and mentors alike were all smiles as they added the final touches.

"It gets more and more rewarding each year," Pownell said. "You see these students absorbing knowledge and learning more about science and technology."

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Kosovo breaks away

By William J. Kole and
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PRISTINA, Kosovo — A decade ago, Kosovo rumbled with artillery fire as ethnic Albanian separatists battled Serbian forces. On Sunday, the booms came from celebratory fireworks after Parliament declared independence — a final act of defiance that dismantled the last remnant of the former Yugoslavia.

Lawmakers achieved what the bloody 1998-99 war that claimed 10,000 lives could not: They pronounced the disputed province the Republic of Kosovo, and pledged to make it a "democratic, multiethnic state."

As thousands of jubilant ethnic Albanians poured into the streets — firing guns in the air and waving red-and-black Albanian flags with their distinctive double-headed eagle — their leaders looked for swift recognition from the United

States and key European powers and braced for a bitter showdown with Serbia and its ally Russia.

Revelers braved subfreezing temperatures to ride on the roofs of their cars, singing patriotic songs and chanting: "KLA! KLA!" the acronym for the now-disbanded rebel Kosovo Liberation Army. They waved American flags alongside the Albanian banner.

Many dressed in traditional costumes and played trumpets and drums, and an ethnic Albanian couple named their newborn daughter Pavarsie — Albanian for "independence."

"This is the happiest day in my life," said Mehdi Shehu, 68. "Now we're free and we can celebrate without fear."

By contrast, police in the Serbian capital Belgrade fired tear gas and rubber bullets in skirmishes with protesters who opposed the declaration. Groups of masked thugs ran through downtown Belgrade smashing windows and ran-

sacking tobacco stands. At least 30 people were injured, about half of them police officers, hospital officials said.

Hundreds of protesters rallied outside the U.S. Embassy in Belgrade. Others broke windows at McDonald's restaurants and at the embassy of Slovenia — which holds the European Union's rotating presidency. Later in the evening, police kept a group of protesters from approaching the Albanian Embassy.

Kosovo had formally remained a part of Serbia even though it has been administered by the U.N. and NATO since 1999, when NATO air strikes ended former Yugoslav leader Slobodan Milosevic's crackdown on ethnic Albanian separatists.

Ninety percent of Kosovo's 2 million people are ethnic Albanian — most of them secular Muslims — and they see no reason to stay joined to the rest of Christian Orthodox Serbia.

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Killings hit 'burbs hard

Working-class hometowns grieve Northern Illinois victims, process the fact that the gunman was one of their own.

By Lindsey Tanner and Caryn Rousseau
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CICERO, Ill. — The middle-class Chicago suburbs that send their sons and daughters to Northern Illinois University struggled Sunday with the closeness of the country's latest massacre — this time the gunman grew up among them, in a community some consider "Mayberry."

Thousands mourned in church services across the region, including some in DeKalb, the university town in which residents have taken to wearing the red and black of the Northern Illinois Huskies since five people were murdered in the middle of a science lecture on Feb. 14.

Parishioners at Our Lady of the Mount Catholic Church in blue-collar Cicero, on Chicago's southern fringe, prepared for the funeral of Catalina Garcia, the youngest of four children of parents originally from Guadalajara, Mexico. They're longtime parishioners at Our Lady of the Mount, a tightly knit group of low- and middle-income families, many of them young, with some older Czech and other immigrants.

"Their parents are making all sorts of sacrifices to make

sure the kids get into colleges. They're selling things, they're taking out second mortgages on their homes," the Rev. Lawrence Collins said at the church.

Garcia, 20, followed a brother, Jaime, to Northern Illinois, choice of many working-class Chicago-area families. She was studying to be a teacher, and she had talked about coming back to Cicero to teach first grade.

"It hits really close to home," Collins said.

The Garcias were the "typical Mexican-American family," working low-wage jobs to help put their children through school, Jaime Garcia said on Sunday on the porch of the family's two-story red brick home.

"My parents came here to better their lives," he said. They worried more about their children getting caught in gang crossfire at home than away at college "in the cornfields" of DeKalb.

"It's like the All-American dream cut short," he said.

Investigators still haven't determined what set off 27-year-old shooter Steven Kazmierczak, who killed five students and injured more than a dozen other people with a shotgun and pistols, then took his own life.

Dems ponder derailing Obama

By Nancy Benac
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — Ask a dozen die-hard Democrats around the country what Hillary Rodham Clinton can do to beat Barack Obama and win the Democratic presidential nomination and they have plenty of ideas — some of them contradictory.

The question generates strong sentiment, though, that Rodham Clinton simply can't compete on charisma, that there are forces at play beyond her control. Going negative could backfire, they warn. Laying out nitty-gritty policy details isn't enough, they say.

There's no shortage of advice, but also no shortage of head-scratching. Add it all up, and

there doesn't appear to be a secret plan to save her candidacy.

A sampling of Democratic voices from the field:

• **SHOW PASSION:** "The challenge for Hillary Rodham Clinton is to be seen as an agent of change, to recapture the passion that the people who support her really have for her," says Kari Chisholm, a political consultant in Oregon who blogs at www.blue-oregon.com. "I'm not sure that I'd want to be in the shoes on her team. ... She's considered the same old, same old, and she's not. But she's having trouble communicating that." Chisholm said Rodham Clinton should hit her universal health-care message harder, stop using Washington insiders

to defend her on cable TV, and "find a way to communicate some excitement." Chisholm, who supported John Edwards, says he could go either way between Rodham Clinton and Obama.

• **IT'S THE ECONOMY.** AGAIN: "Rodham Clinton's firewall must be predicated on message," says Chris Lehane, a political consultant in California and former aide to President Clinton. "She is THE candidate who the public, press, and pundits by instinct, temperament, and history believe is the best on the economy at the exact time the economy is THE brooding, omnipresent force hovering over both the primary and general electorate." Lehane backs Rodham Clinton.

• **GO NEGATIVE:** "She needs to come in strong," says Judy Carpenter, a third-grade teacher from Delaware, Ohio, who turned out at a Rodham Clinton rally at Ohio State last week. "I don't like vicious attacks. But gosh darn, she needs to call him on some things." Carpenter supports Rodham Clinton.

• **MAYBE NOT:** A candidate goes negative "at great risk," says Mitch Ceasar, the party chairman in Florida's Broward County. "You can alienate people. It's less of a risk for Republicans, because they're better at it, and everybody expects it from them." Rodham Clinton, he says, should "talk about the distinctions" between herself and Obama on the issues.

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running to the future

Senior harrier Diane Nukuri's story reads like a Hollywood blockbuster. Through it all, she relied on her natural ability to run. Now, as she nears her last cross-country competition as a Hawkeye, Nukuri has shredded nearly every school and conference distance-running record.

It is 6:30 a.m. in the heart of the Midwest, and Diane Nukuri is running. With a stride almost poetic in its consistency, she flows up and down the rolling hills of Iowa City as the cozy college town awakens around her. She glides down narrow, freshly swept streets, yawns around her. She passes apartment complexes, all with just past coffeehouses, book shops, and apartments. She runs alone, embracing the quiet solitude of the early morning day. The 22-year-old Olympian doesn't venture far; once she's cleared her head and broken a light sweat, she stops.

"Distance runners need quiet," says Nukuri, the record-shattering Iowa cross-country and track standout with a post as calm as a nuclear blast. Here's the story that Hollywood script writers would drool over: A life defined by soaring accomplishments, treacherous villains, and harrowing twists. From the well-worn lanes and smiling neighbors of the Corn Belt, her story is Oscar material. And just like a fairy-tale plot line, Nukuri's tumultuous life is streaked with conflict, includes an unflinching savior, her stride. It earned her a spot in the 2000 Olympics, brought her a place ticket to Atlanta, and very well could have saved her life.

Every inch of Nukuri's 6-foot frame radiates a refined elegance. Long-limbed, rail-thin, and twitching with muscle, she's built with the iconic proportions shared only by superheroes and Barbie dolls. She's equipped with never-ending legs, capable of gulping whole miles in a single stride and arms that could span continents. Her torso is lean and narrow, her face long and delicate. She wears her hair short and tight, showing off her slim lips, thin nose, and sharp cheekbones. When she laughs, as she often does, her whole body radiates warmth. It's a smile that could melt icebergs — and it has earned Nukuri the nickname "Lady Di" for the ease at which she entrances males. But for her, beauty truly is a double-edged sword. The same features that make her beautiful in America were a death stamp in her native Burundi. Its population is composed mostly of two distinct ethnic groups: Hutu and Tutsi. A great majority of the 8 million people who live there, nearly 80 percent, are Hutu. Nukuri is a Tutsi.

Tutsis are supposedly taller and thinner and have sharper, narrower faces than do their Hutu counterparts — all traits embodied by Nukuri. After the colonial occupiers left in July 1962, the Tutsis and Hutus engaged in on-again, off-again struggle for power for more than 20 years. In 1993, under a power-over democratic elections, Burundi elected a Hutu president. Not long after, the country plummeted into a first-over democratic war. Hutu extremists were filled with gory civil war that pitted Hutus outside of the country against Tutsis. Up until the war, Nukuri's childhood was filled with fresh milk and frequent smiles. Her family farmed a small plot of land 30 miles outside of Burundi's capital, Bujumbura, and it was her responsibility to make sure the family's five cows were hand-milked and fed. Her father, a "gentle, honest" man, was a member of the military, and when Nukuri was young, he broke his leg. The injury wasn't life-threatening, but it was a debilitating and painful burden, limiting the amount of work he could perform on the family's plots of corn, tea, potatoes, and peas. The family coped, however, and harvests were bountiful.

SEE NUKURI 6B

Go to dailyiowan.com to read more about Diane Nukuri's journey from Burundi to Iowa on Daily Iowan Television, including a one-on-one interview with the senior standout, and to see DI photographer Sarah O'Brien's exclusive photo essay about Nukuri.

By Nick Compton • Photos by Sarah O'Brien • The Daily Iowan

Iowa senior Diane Nukuri started running to school in her native Burundi, Africa, when she was 6 years old. Now 22, she is the only Hawkeye to have two NCAA regional cross-country titles to her name.

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Editorial

Wasting the people's time: Meaningless laws distract from bigger problems

When our society faces challenges, we look to our leaders for the strength and resolve to meet them. They must bear the problems of millions upon their shoulders, and trust in their wisdom to lead us to safety. Those we elevate must possess judgment, fortitude, and basic sense of human decency.

We in Iowa are lucky enough to have such a public servant in state Rep. Ray Zirkelbach, who has bravely stepped forward in recent weeks to protect our state from the nameless menace posed by foreign-made American flags. Doesn't it just warm the cockles of your heart to know that Iowa politicians are taking such courageous stands on issues of such critical importance?

Zirkelbach is perfectly entitled to have strong personal views on the issue. He did, after all, serve in the Iraq war, and no one questions the faithful service that he has given his country, least of all this Editorial Board. But he wastes the people's time and does a disservice both to his constituents and to the state of Iowa as a whole by proposing legislative marginalia such as House File 2191, which would punish the sale of foreign-made Iowa or U.S. flags with a fine of up to \$625.

The American flag — long the focus of patently silly legislation — frequently entices lawmakers into wrapping themselves in its folds.

Anti-flag-burning legislation has been thrown out by the judiciary no fewer than seven times since *Texas v. Johnson*, the landmark Supreme Court case that established flag burning as protected speech.

The motive behind these oddball laws is simple: vote grubbing. Though there is no real harm done by importing foreign-made flags or even by desecrating them, Americans are understandably sensitive about the sanctity of the Stars and Stripes. Promoting legislation such as Zirkelbach's is an easy way to look patriotic in the eyes of voters.

It's bizarre that an Iraq war veteran feels the need to burnish his patriotic credentials, even more so because Zirkelbach was unopposed in the last election. Does he honestly feel that a glut of Chinese-made flags are a serious problem, or is this merely a political reflex to engage in a little pandering once in awhile?

That the proposed law is silly and bootless is bad enough. But taking time and energy away from more substantive issues is still worse. The Legislature has to deal with a vitriolic debate about illegal immigration, granting civil rights to long-marginalized gays and lesbians, and a multitude of environmental issues.

Zirkelbach served our country well in the National Guard. But his focus must be on real solutions if his service to Iowa is to be as valuable.

Existentialism

Four years is a long time. College, the transformative experience that it is, is winding down. Rapidly approaching my 23rd birthday, I've begun to think about whether college had transformed me. I want to know if I'm an Autobot.

Four years ago, I walked in to Iowa a raving leftist, with staunch opinions. I read *Daily Kos* daily. I decried the *New York Times* as corporate media. I was vehemently pro-Palestinian. Moderation was not my strong suit. Hold on, my phone is ringing.

"You brought Karl Rove to speak? Do you think this is funny? He's a traitor! He outed Valerie Plame! You've sold out. You've abandoned your principles. Free speech is not universal — some people do not deserve a hearing. Rove would disenfranchise you if he had the chance."

"Yeah, but he has an iPhone."

"What the hell's an iPhone?"

Uh oh. It's me, four years ago. This could get interesting.

I thought about hanging up on myself. I figured there wasn't much to glean from someone that impertinent. In the end, some people are intractable. But then he got my attention:

"Is that Sizemore kid a stud for the Indians yet?"

Now, this was something I could get behind — talking about the Indians. But he quickly butted in, interrupting my rant about the 2007 American League Championship Series.

"So, who are you supporting for president? Another outsider candidate who'll get torn down by the party establishment?"

I figured he was dying to know this all along and was merely being polite by not immediately asking. I was getting the "Dude, you're boring, I want to go drink Ice 101" vibe from him, and his impatience was clearly showing. Young prick, I thought to the 2008 myself. Soon, he won't want to drink Ice 101 ever again.

Peppermint schnapps and I fell out of favor long ago.

So, I told him about Barack Obama, and he said, "Oh the guy that gave that awesome speech at the Democratic National Convention?" Yep, that's him. His main competition is Hillary Clinton, but he's tapping into the movement Howard Dean laid the groundwork for back in 2003 and 2004. Speaking of Dean, he's launched a 50-state strategy that has made the Democratic Party relevant again in all corners of America. But hey, I told myself, you're not even a Democrat.

"Oh, you got tired of those Republican-light idiots?"

Sigh. I was getting very impatient with his lack of political maturity. He started going on a rant about big business, but I shut him up by saying I supported free trade. When he started speaking glowingly about Hugo Chavez, I recounted the infamous story about Chavez holding up a Noam Chomsky book in front of the U.N. General Assembly, but he didn't think it was particularly funny. I decided it was time to free myself from the conversation.

"Hey man, I have to go to the newsroom to turn this column in. I'll, uh, talk to you later, sometime. Keep it real."

Now, the Drudge Report is one of my first sites for news. I've come back to a somewhat-mainstream position vis-à-vis Israel and the Palestinians, after visiting the region twice. I still hate TV news but otherwise dampened past criticisms of "corporate media" — it's not necessarily money that's ruining American journalism but incompetence and lack of passion. My initial Iraq war opposition — I was on the streets — has shifted into an ambivalent, get-out-when-it's-realistic attitude. Perhaps most significantly, I can actually cook.

I've come a long way, though many things haven't changed. I still dislike the Clintons — though now much more vehemently. I still support the 21-ordinance and regularly rail about the state of American youth. I still listen to Rush — the progressive British rock band, not the über-conservative talk show host — before anything else.

Detective Lester Freamon, on a recent episode of "The Wire," said, "Life is what happens when you wait for moments that never come." (He was parroting John Lennon — ed.) This is one of the most important lessons of college — we have to ground ourselves in reality if we want to live a purposeful life.

"Hey, what's 'The Wire' about?" And so, I told him. ■

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ANDREW SWIFT

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DI Blog

No genocide games, says Spielberg

Steven Spielberg is a Hollywood heavyweight. His films are blockbusters, his pockets are deep, and when he talks, his voice echoes throughout the Hollywood hills. But when it comes to persuading China's president, Hu Jintao, to cut back on his government's lucrative relations with blood-soaked Sudan, Spielberg's pleas have fallen on deaf ears.

Earlier this week, Spielberg announced that he would withdraw his post as "artistic adviser" to the 2008 Beijing Olympics, blaming China's government of implicitly fueling the ongoing genocide Darfur.

Spielberg complaints are not new, and, like any other flashy cause, a horde of his Hollywood brethren have jumped on the bandwagon, declaring the 2008 Olympics the "Genocide Games" and insisting the international community step in and address China's draconian foreign policy.

It is true that China, driven by an insatiable appetite for oil, receives two-thirds of the oil that Sudan exports. The revenues from the oil trade fill Sudan's bank account and allow its Arab government to perpetrate genocidal raids against rebellious tribes in the country's south and west. Spielberg and actors Don Cheadle and Mia Farrow also point out that China is the world's largest arms exporter to Sudan. Chinese guns, tanks, and helicopters pour into the country, while a portion of the revenues Sudan earned from its oil

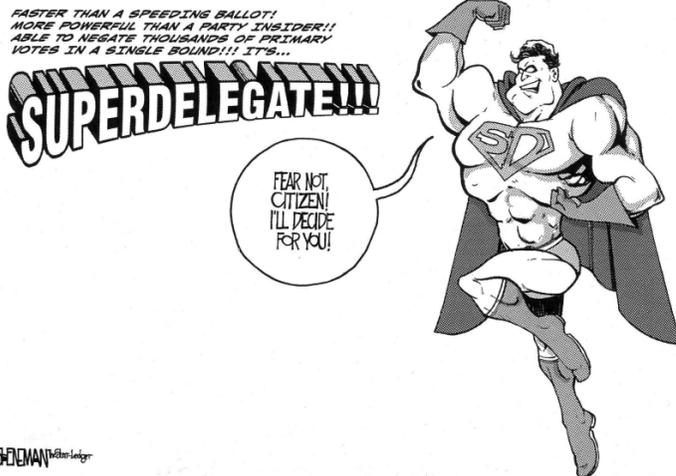
connections with China flows right back to the Chinese government.

In recent months, the Chinese government has taken baby steps to address the perceived injustice. It's pressured the Sudanese government to accept a U.N. peacekeeping force (which it has) and has promised to taper its dependence on Sudanese oil. But, for China, its dicey relationship with Darfur is merely the tip of a behemoth human-rights problem.

Thrust into a frothing, rabid tide of Westernization, China's government has failed to ensure that its own citizens are granted the most basic protections. Millions work absurdly long hours in conditions so dangerous, managers chalk up casualties as overhead costs. The environment is being poisoned by long, black plumes of factory emissions and dangerous chemicals. A discernible prison system barely exists, torture is almost certainly used as a means of punishment, and health-care facilities are lacking.

Although dubbing the Beijing Olympics the "Genocide Games" might be a bit extreme, China indeed has its work cut out for it. When the world's eyes focus on Beijing and the impending games, it will be up to China to demonstrate that it has addressed the issues that stain Tiananmen Square and somehow transform the Great Wall into something less magnificent.

— Nick Compton
DI editorial writer



Commentary

Obama's expensive waffle

As recently as November, Sen. Barack Obama, D-Ill., was unequivocal about whether he would agree to take public financing for the general election if his Republican opponent pledged to do the same. "If you are nominated for president in 2008, and your major opponents agree to forgo private funding in the general election campaign, will you participate in the presidential public-financing system?" the Midwest Democracy Network asked in a questionnaire. Obama's answer was clear. "Yes," he wrote. "If I am the Democratic nominee, I will aggressively pursue an agreement with the Republican nominee to preserve a publicly financed general election."

Or maybe not. Obama deserves credit for obtaining a ruling from the Federal Election Commission that allowed him to raise money for the general-election campaign but reserve the right to return the funds if he were to win the nomination and manage to arrange a cease-fire with the other side. That outcome, once improbable, is now within reach. The presumptive Republican nominee, Sen. John McCain of Arizona, agreed long ago to Obama's deal, back when his prospects for securing the nomination seemed slim. McCain's campaign manager, Rick Davis, recently reaffirmed that pledge at a lunch with reporters sponsored by the *Christian Science Monitor*.

But Obama's campaign, which has been raking in money at an astonishing clip of more than \$30 million a month, is starting to hedge. Speaking to the Associated Press, Obama's spokesman, Bill Burton, downgraded the Obama plan to "something that we pursued with the FEC, and it was an

option that we wanted on the table and is on the table." Asked about the campaign's earlier position, Burton said, "No, there is no pledge."

It must be tempting for a campaign that has reached dizzying new financial heights to give up the guarantee of \$85 million in federal funds for the prospect of being able to rake in even more — and to get a financial edge over an opponent whose fundraising has been lackluster and whose party seems dispirited. It must be chastening to think about the financial advantage that McCain will have in the months leading up to the convention, when Obama and Sen. Hillary Rodham Clinton of New York, his remaining Democratic opponent, may still be battling for the nomination while McCain is spending "primary" money to build the necessary architecture for the general election.

But this kind of backtracking and parsing isn't what the millions of voters who have been inspired by Obama are looking for. It's not befitting Obama's well-earned image as a champion of reform. Instead of waffling, Obama should be pushing Rodham Clinton to accept public financing.

Why not let the candidates raise as much cash as they can and save the taxpayers' money? Because it's better for voters if candidates spend more time talking to them and less time cozying up to donors. It's better for democracy if candidates are less indebted to big bundlers who have raked in six- or seven-figure amounts for their campaigns. McCain seems to understand this. What about the Democrats?

This editorial appeared in Sunday's *Washington Post*.

On the Spot

What is your least favorite part of the blizzard-like weather?



"Probably trying to drive in it."

Andrew Rupiper
UI junior



"Having to clean it off your car."

Laura Knox
UI junior



"The fact that I have to walk 40 minutes through it."

Sydney Ault
UI junior



"Fear of death while biking to school."

Jenell Nyberg
UI senior

D/recommends:
 Drinking vanilla tea with honey, watching bad TV underneath a fleece blanket, and enjoying the outrageous weather through an icy window. Feel free to complement the experience with a molasses cookie and chick flick.



Arts & Culture

Slouching toward imagination



MOVIE REVIEW

by Anna Wiegenstein

Cloverfield

Where:

Sycamore Cinema 12
 Coral Ridge 10

When:

12:45, 2:50, 4:55, 7:00, 9:05
 12:50, 3:00, 5:10, 7:30, 9:50
 ★★★★★ out of ★★★★★

Who knew the latest twist on a *Godzilla*-style thriller would end up being among the smartest in years? Lame, viral marketing aside, *Cloverfield* gets under your skin. No, really.

The comparisons being thrown around about *Cloverfield* were inevitable. The marketing straddles the line between inventive and inane, so much like producer J.J. Abrams' other brainchild, "Lost." The handheld, shaky single-camera work is reminiscent of *The Blair Witch Project*.

Even the most striking images from the trailer — New York City landmarks such as the Woolworth Building and the Statue of Liberty meeting their

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sudden, violent ends — are throwbacks. Aside from recalling everything from *King Kong* to *The Day After Tomorrow*, they question how much 9/11 can be featured as a moviemaking influence.

Paradoxically enough, *Cloverfield* is all of those things, and none of them. Director Matt Reeves and writer Drew Goddard (well-versed in geek-chic entertainment already, having writing for both "Alias" and "Buffy the Vampire Slayer") haven't just created a cheap thrill-ride version of a national tragedy, thank God. This film is a bona fide "new classic" in the most obvious and affecting ways possible.

Cloverfield begins, ominously, with a test pattern and a U.S. government watermark over a title card explaining that the camera whose contents we're about to view came from "the area formerly known as 'Central Park.'" Our narrative truly begins at the going-away party thrown for Rob (Michael Stahl-David) by his brother Jason (Mike Vogel) and best friend/camera-man Hud (T.J. Miller). While at first the video is full of standard testimonials wishing Rob well, things get much more interesting when the gorgeous Beth (Odette Yustman) shows up, bringing with her a flood of longing, desire, and gossip, as gorgeous people tend to do.

All this *Hills*-light drama vanishes

when "case designate 'Cloverfield'" hits the city, literally. It's here that the much-discussed shakycam comes into full effect, and greatly so. The monster, whatever it is, manages to be seen both a lot and not at all, proving that the movie-creature rule that began with *Jaws* still holds true; less is always more. Perhaps even worse than the skyscraper-tall monster are the babies it brings with it, horrific things politely described on the film's Wikipedia entry as "dog-sized, parasitic arthropods." I'd go with "spider-crab hell demons," myself, but whatever.

Hud sums it up best when asked what the monster is: "It's a terrible thing!" And the monster-lings? "I don't know! Something else! Also terrible!" And really, does it matter? Whether they came from outer space or the depths of the ocean, what really matters is the way they highlight the terrifying, nightmarish aspects of urban life: buildings that seem too tall to be stable and dark tunnels under the ground populated by god-knows-what.

Even before the ubiquity of YouTube became such that Mariah Carey was name-checking the site in her new single, ordinary people understood the bare mechanics of filmmaking thanks to the home movie. *Cloverfield*, then, strips away all that's unrelatable about



Publicity photo

NYC citizens fend off some unwanted guests in *Cloverfield*, interrupting a going-away party. Worst. Sendoff. Ever.

movies — we may not get Rob, Hud, and Beth as fully rounded characters, but (one would hope) our basic sense of humanity lets us feel for them during unquestionably the worst night of their lives.

Hopefully, *Cloverfield* doesn't fall victim to the hype-backlash suffered by *Blair Witch* — I guess we'll have to wait until the next *Scary Movie* installment to see? The movie captures the zeitgeist with a far greater sense of flair and suspense.

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today's RECIPE



CROCK-POT BEEF STEW

WHAT YOU NEED

- 4 large boneless beef ribs
- 6 potatoes, cleaned & halved
- 1 onion, peeled & quartered
- 3 cups water
- 1 pkg. baby carrots
- 1 small cabbage, quartered (optional)

WHAT TO DO

Place potatoes in the Crock-Pot across the bottom. Add water and bullion. Lay ribs on top of potatoes (not touching water, if possible). Add onion quarters. Cook on low for eight hours. Add carrots the last hour. Add cabbage the last half hour. Use the remaining liquid to make gravy if desired.

from the BLOG



WHAT I REALLY, REALLY WANT

Last weekend, the Spice Girls took the stage in Chicago to perform one of 15 shows on its reunion tour. It was fabulous, it was sexy, and it was full of girl power — literally. Doves of early 20-somethings crammed into the United Center to relive the music that shaped their adolescence, each sporting a fantastic costume depicting the spirit of spice. Click on over to dailyiowanarts.blogspot.com to read *D*/Arts and Culture Editor Susan Elgin's full freak out.

Putting his fettle to the metal

Oakland's A-List metal trio High on Fire brings molten riffs to the Picador tonight.

By Jarrett Hothan
 THE DAILY IOWAN

For some successful musicians, writing the next chapter in your career can be a troublesome undertaking. For example, after the original and true death of the Smashing Pumpkins in 2000, Billy Corgan found himself fronting the tepid "super group" Zwan, a band forgotten as quickly as its name could be spoken. Doom metal has its share of seamless career transitions: Josh Homme graduated from the monolithic Kyuss to form Queens of the Stone Age, "Wino" Weinrich disbanded The Obsessed to form Saint Vitus, and now ex-Sleep guitarist Matt Pike has seen High on Fire's momentum grow like an avalanche over the past decade. The colossally heavy Oakland, Calif.-based power trio will hit the Picador, 330 E. Washington St., tonight like a neutron bomb.

Pike's résumé with Sleep helped him emerge as a member of a metal community that demanded attention. The band's final album, *Dopesmoker*, left record-label bigwigs scratching their heads, but fans' heads were exploding over a record featuring only the epic 63:31-minute title track.

Pike founded High on Fire



Publicity photo

out of Sleep's ashes in 1998, stepping out of the shadows to assume vocal duties in addition to his prolific ax work. Pike recruited drummer Des Kensel and then-bassist George Rice to

round out the lineup, creating a seasoned power trio of staggering proportions. Enduring a rotating cycle of bassists over the years, the band has created a word-of-mouth following

CONCERT
High On Fire, with A Life Once Lost, Saviours, and Intronaut
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 Admission: \$12, all ages

through constant touring and recording of teeth-stomping LPs such as 2000's *The Art of Self Defense*.

Historic parallels can be drawn up regarding Pike's guitar playing — namely Black Sabbath's Tony Iommi, a signature style that gained him a spot on a recent *Rolling Stone* "New Guitar Heroes" list, probably marking the last instance in which he will be placed in the same company as John Mayer. As exceptional as his

playing is, the strides Pike's vocals made over the years is an accomplishment to be commended. Solely singing his side project, Kalas, allowed him a new perspective on his singing craft.

"I started singing with them, and it was really good vocal practice for me," Pike told *Illinois Entertainer* in a 2007 interview. "It's improved my range; it's improved my breathing; I can hold a note a lot longer now. It's just improved my singing a lot, it really has."

Opening the evening is Philadelphia metal-core outfit A Life Once Lost, fellow Oakland homeboys, and Intronaut, a band that interestingly enough combines both jazz and death metal.

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SOFTBALL

Strong start for softball

The Iowa softball team got off to a fast start this past weekend at the Metrodome Tournament, winning four out of five contests in Minneapolis.

On Feb. 15, the Hawkeyes won a late-night thriller, 2-0, over Western Illinois. Iowa then swept a double-header on Feb. 16, posting 1-0 victories over both Northern Iowa and Tennessee Tech.

On Sunday, the Hawkeyes suffered their first loss of the season, to Arkansas by a 5-3 score, but they bounced back to win their final game, beating Drake, 4-1.

Iowa had two players named to the all-tournament team, junior pitcher Brittany Weil and freshman infielder Chelsey Carmody. In 24 2/3 innings pitched this weekend, Weil fanned 29 hitters while only walking five, and she didn't allow an earned run. Carmody had nine hits in 16 plate appearances, with two doubles, and three Hawkeye runs.

Next weekend, Iowa will compete at the Littlewood Classic in Tempe, Ariz.

— by Brendan Stiles



Weil
 pitcher

IOWA 20, MICHIGAN 16

Hawkeyes wrestle back



Iowa 149-pounder Brent Metcalf tangles with Michigan's Justin Chrzanowski in a dual at Carver-Hawkeye Arena on Sunday night. Trailing 16-12 with just two matches left, Iowa scrambled from behind to down 10th-ranked Michigan, 20-16, to claim the Big Ten regular-season title.

Julie Koehn/The Daily Iowan

TRACK

Women tracksters find some success

The 25th-ranked Iowa women's track team split up to compete last weekend at the Husky Classic in Seattle and the Cyclone Classic in Ames.

Senior Meghan Armstrong improved on her NCAA provisionally qualifying time and just missed automatically qualifying by .47 seconds by finishing in a time of 4:41.07 and placing seventh in Seattle.

Senior Diana Nukuri, also in Seattle, also improved her NCAA provisionally qualifying time in the 5,000 meters and similar to her teammate, just missed automatically qualifying by 1.11 seconds. She finished the race in 16:10.71 and placed second. In the same race, sophomore Joey Burke ran a personal-best time of 16:43.14 and finished seventh while provisionally qualifying.

In Ames, senior Kineke Alexander placed first in the 400 meter in 53.14 seconds, and junior Renee White placed second in the triple jump, leaping 40-11 1/2.

The Hawkeyes will be back in action on Friday, when they will host their second home meet, the Iowa Invitational. The meet is scheduled to start at 5 p.m.

— by Jeff Pawola



Armstrong
 senior

Fields good, very good

Senior Matt Fields' technical fall put an exclamation point on the Hawkeyes come-from-behind-win over Michigan as Iowa claims Big Ten's regular-season crown.

By Eric Mandel
 THE DAILY IOWAN

After four years of frustration, Matt Fields found some satisfaction during a 20-16 come-from-behind Hawkeye victory on Sunday night.

The only senior in the top-

ranked Iowa lineup, the oft-maligned heavyweight secured an enthralling comeback with a 20-5 technical fall in his final match at Carver-Hawkeye Arena.

"This is probably one of the best moments of my life," Fields said after the match.

"In Carver-Hawkeye Arena, this would definitely be one of the most memorable."

Fields was given the chance to be hero thanks to a last-second victory by sophomore Chad Beatty, who Iowa needed to win to give Fields a chance at completing the

More photos from Sunday

Go to dailyiowan.com to view an exclusive photo slide show from the Hawkeyes' dual meet with Michigan on Sunday.



comeback, down 12-16 with two matches to go.

Having lost 8-0 in his last attempt against Anthony Biondo and trailing 1-0 in the third, Beatty used a duck-under to score a takedown

SEE WRESTLING, 3B

COMMENTARY

Mat magic



RYAN YOUNG

Aside from the boo-boo that happened against Oklahoma State, many believed Iowa wasn't destined to lose any more matches in the regular season.

Indiana was easy for the Hawkeyes. And Michigan, well, Michigan was supposed to get into a glaring matchup and then look away just before Iowa's eyelids began to twitch.

But the Wolverines didn't move their pupils, and the Hawkeyes blinked too many times for their own good Sunday night.

It took a last-second takedown by the written-off 197-pounder Chad Beatty and a from heavyweight Matt Fields on senior night for Iowa to clinch the Big-Ten dual meet trophy.

Either I've just gotten way too used to the Hawkeyes winning and dominating every team, or I seriously underestimated the manpower of

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IOWA 68, MINNESOTA 66

Hoopsters bounce back

Hawkeyes survive Minnesota, 72-69

Watch Daily Iowan TV at dailyiowan.com to see more from the Hawkeyes' close win over Minnesota on Sunday, including video highlights, postgame interviews, and analysis.

By Diane Hendrickson
 THE DAILY IOWAN

In Iowa's border war against Minnesota, there's no such thing as a blowout. Every game comes down to the wire, including their last, a 68-66 overtime win in Minneapolis. Three of the last meetings have been decided by two points.

Iowa looked as if it would cruise early, building a a double-digit lead on lights-out shooting behind the arc, but the Hawks had to weather a late storm, holding on to win its ninth game out of the last 10, 72-69.

Wendy Ausdemore led a 3-point barrage (5-of-7 from 3-point range) with 17 first-half points. At the eight-minute mark, 21 of Iowa's 30 points came via the 3, with Iowa shooting 7-of-8. Megan Skouby added



Beth Skogen/The Daily Iowan

Iowa junior Wendy Ausdemore receives a pass during the first half of the Hawkeyes' game against Minnesota on Sunday.

her second-career 3 — the first came in Feb. 14's loss at Purdue — Johanna Solverson had two, and Kristi Smith added one.

Iowa shot just under 70 percent from downtown before the intermission.

"They were absolutely out of control in the first half," Minnesota coach Pam Borton said.

The Hawkeyes led by as many as 15 in the first period but could

never put Minnesota out because of atrocious Iowa rebounding.

"I think the boards were [keeping Minnesota in the game]," coach Lisa Bluder said, but she noted that the Golden Gophers only scored 18 off the 22 offensive rebounds, while Iowa had 11 and scored 17. "Our

SEE BASKETBALL, 3B

COMMENTARY

UI thinks 'Pink'



BRENDAN STILES

Anyone with common knowledge about the Iowa Hawkeyes knows that the school colors are black and gold.

But inside Carver-Hawkeye Arena on Sunday, a third color — pink — was temporarily adopted by the Iowa women's basketball team and its fans.

No, this isn't the first circumstance where pink has been embraced by Hawkeye fans. After all, the visitors' locker room at Kinnick Stadium and everything in it is pink.

But the use of the color on Sunday wasn't to mess with Minnesota's mind, although it's safe to say the Golden Gophers lost focus in the game's final minutes, as Iowa squeaked out a 72-69 victory.

This was the first time the Iowa women's basketball program has held a "Think Pink" event, a day implemented to raise awareness of breast cancer. Just last week, when the Hawkeyes visited Penn State, the Lady Lions took part in the same initiative, wearing all pink uniforms while Iowa wore white uniforms with pink trimmings.

The Hawkeyes busted out the very same attire on Sunday, and once again, it proved to work like a charm.

But while fans dressed in pink at Carver-Hawkeye Arena might have left think-

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TV TODAY

NCAA BASKETBALL
 • Georgetown at Providence, 3 p.m., ESPN2
 • Syracuse at Louisville, 6 p.m., ESPN
 • Texas A&M at Texas, 8 p.m., ESPN
 • Gonzaga at San Diego, 10 p.m., ESPN2

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
 • Purdue at Ohio State, 6 p.m., ESPN2

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MEN'S BIG TEN BASKETBALL

	Conference			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Purdue	12	1	.923	21	5	.808
Wisconsin	11	2	.846	21	4	.840
Indiana	10	2	.833	21	4	.840
Michigan St.	8	4	.667	20	5	.800
Ohio St.	8	5	.615	17	9	.654
Minnesota	5	7	.417	15	9	.625
Penn St.	4	8	.333	12	12	.500
Iowa	4	9	.308	11	15	.423
Michigan	4	9	.308	8	17	.320
Illinois	3	10	.231	11	15	.423
Northwestern	0	12	.000	7	16	.304

Saturday's Games
 Wisconsin 65, Minnesota 56
 Purdue 71, Northwestern 56
 Penn State 52, Illinois 51
 Indiana 80, Michigan State 61

Sunday's Game
 Michigan 80, Ohio State 70

Tuesday's Games
 Northwestern at Iowa, 8:05 p.m.
 Purdue at Indiana, 6 p.m.

Wednesday's Games
 Penn State at Michigan State, 6 p.m.
 Wisconsin at Illinois, 8 p.m.

Thursday's Game
 Michigan at Minnesota, 7 p.m.
 Iowa at Michigan State, 1 p.m.
 Indiana at Northwestern, 7 p.m.
 Illinois at Michigan, 3 p.m.

Sunday's Games
 Penn State at Minnesota, 1 p.m.
 Wisconsin at Ohio State, 3 p.m.

WOMEN'S BIG TEN BASKETBALL

	Conference			All Games		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
Iowa	11	4	.733	18	8	.692
Purdue	10	4	.714	14	11	.560
Ohio State	9	4	.692	18	6	.750
Minnesota	9	6	.600	18	9	.667
Indiana	8	7	.533	15	11	.577
Michigan State	8	7	.533	16	11	.593
Michigan	7	7	.500	14	10	.583
Illinois	6	8	.429	14	11	.560
Wisconsin	5	8	.385	12	11	.522
Penn State	4	10	.286	13	13	.500
Northwestern	0	13	.000	4	21	.160

Sunday's Games
 Iowa 72, Minnesota 69
 Indiana 74, Michigan 65
 Michigan State 66, Penn State 50

Monday, Feb. 18 Games
 Purdue at Ohio State, 6 p.m.
 Wisconsin at Northwestern 8 p.m.

Wednesday's Game
 Indiana at Wisconsin, 7 p.m.

Thursday's Games
 Iowa at Ohio State, 6 p.m.
 Purdue at Michigan, 6 p.m.
 Northwestern at Michigan State, 6 p.m.
 Penn State at Illinois, 7 p.m.

Saturday's Game
 Wisconsin at Minnesota, 11 a.m.

Sunday's Games
 Michigan at Illinois, 5 p.m.
 Michigan State at Purdue, 12 p.m.
 Penn State at Northwestern, 3 p.m.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Wake Forest 86, #2 Duke 73
 #6 UCLA 56, USC 46
 #20 Notre Dame 71, Rutgers 68
 Women

#1 Tennessee 81, #25 Vanderbilt 68
 #2 Connecticut 90, #18 Pittsburgh 64
 #3 North Carolina 97, Florida State 77
 #4 Maryland 76, #12 Duke 69
 #7 LSU 78, Mississippi 48
 #8 Baylor 79, #10 Oklahoma 59
 #13 Old Dominion 73, Towson 61
 Iowa State 62, #15 Oklahoma State 57
 #17 Kansas State 56, Missouri 40
 #20 Texas A&M 70, Texas Tech 56

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	Eastern Conference			Western Conference		
	W	L	OT Pts	GF	GA	GF
Atlantic	33	21	5	71	156	142
New Jersey	33	21	5	71	174	159
Pittsburgh	30	24	7	67	152	149
N.Y. Rangers	30	24	5	65	184	171
Philadelphia	27	25	7	61	147	172
N.Y. Islanders	27	25	7	61	147	172
Northwest	34	20	5	73	201	175
Ottawa	32	19	9	73	186	167
Montreal	29	23	6	64	152	158
Boston	28	23	8	64	173	166
Buffalo	24	27	9	57	165	193
Toronto	24	27	9	57	165	193
Southeast	W	L	OT Pts	GF	GA	GF

	Eastern Conference			Western Conference		
	W	L	Pct	OT	Pts	GF
Carolina	30	27	4	64	190	193
Atlanta	29	28	4	62	165	195
Washington	28	26	6	62	171	185
Florida	27	28	6	60	167	175
Tampa Bay	25	28	6	56	171	193
WESTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td>	OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td>	Pts <td>GF </td>	GF
Central	41	15	5	87	196	136
Detroit	41	15	5	87	196	136
Nashville	31	23	7	69	178	168
St. Louis	27	22	9	63	152	163
Columbus	27	25	9	63	149	161
Chicago	27	25	6	60	165	164
Northwest	W	L	OT Pts <td>GF <td>GA <td>GF </td></td></td>	GF <td>GA <td>GF </td></td>	GA <td>GF </td>	GF
Minnesota	34	21	4	72	167	160
Calgary	29	22	8	66	170	174
Vancouver	29	22	8	66	157	152
Colorado	30	24	5	65	165	162
Edmonton	27	28	5	59	160	178
Pacific	W	L	OT Pts <td>GF <td>GA <td>GF </td></td></td>	GF <td>GA <td>GF </td></td>	GA <td>GF </td>	GF
Dallas	37	21	5	79	183	155
Anaheim	33	23	7	73	156	157
San Jose	31	19	8	70	152	143
Phoenix	4	35	4	64	164	164
Los Angeles	25	33	3	53	176	201

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

	Eastern Conference			Western Conference		
	W	L	Pct	OT	Pts	GF
Atlantic	41	9	.820	13	13	13
Boston	28	23	.549	13	13	13
Toronto	23	30	.434	19	19	19
New Jersey	23	30	.434	19	19	19
Philadelphia	23	30	.434	19	19	19
New York	15	37	.288	27	27	27
Southeast	W	L <td>Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td></td>	Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td>	OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td>	Pts <td>GF </td>	GF
Orlando	33	21	.611	—	—	—
Washington	31	23	.571	7	7	7
Atlanta	21	28	.429	9	9	9
Charlotte	19	34	.358	13	13	13
Miami	9	42	.176	22	22	22
Central	W	L <td>Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td></td>	Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td>	OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td>	Pts <td>GF </td>	GF
Detroit	39	13	.750	—	—	—
Cleveland	29	23	.558	10	10	10
Indiana	21	29	.419	18	18	18
Chicago	21	31	.404	18	18	18
Milwaukee	19	34	.358	20	20	20
WESTERN CONFERENCE	W	L <td>Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td></td>	Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td>	OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td>	Pts <td>GF </td>	GF
Southwest	36	15	.706	—	—	—
New Orleans	34	17	.667	2	2	2
San Antonio	32	18	.640	2	2	2
Dallas	32	20	.615	4	4	4
Houston	32	20	.615	4	4	4
Memphis	14	38	.269	22	22	22
Northwest	W	L <td>Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td></td>	Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td>	OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td>	Pts <td>GF </td>	GF
Utah	33	19	.635	—	—	—
Denver	32	20	.615	1	1	1
Portland	28	24	.538	5	5	5
Seattle	13	37	.260	10	10	10
Minnesota	10	41	.196	22	22	22
Pacific	W	L <td>Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td></td>	Pct <td>OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td></td>	OT <td>Pts <td>GF </td></td>	Pts <td>GF </td>	GF
Phoenix	37	16	.698	—	—	—
L.A. Lakers	35	17	.673	1	1	1
Golden State	32	20	.615	4	4	4
Sacramento	23	28	.451	13	13	13
L.A. Clippers	17	32	.347	18	18	18
Sunday's Game	East All-Stars 134, West All-Stars 128					
Today's Games	No games scheduled					

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL
American League
 OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Agreed to terms with LHP Dallas Braden, OF Travis Buck, RHP Santiago Casilla, OF Chris Denorfia, RHP Joey Devine, OF Jeff Fiorentino, OF Carlos Gonzalez, RHP Jeff Gray, 3B Jack Hannahan, RHP Fernando Hernandez, OF Javier Herrera, INF Dan Johnson, OF Richie Robnett and RHP Henry Rodriguez on one-year contracts.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Claimed RHP Anderson Garcia off waivers from Philadelphia.
National League
 LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Agreed to terms with OF Nook Logan on a minor league contract.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
 ATLANTA HAWKS—Traded G Anthony Johnson, F Sheldon Williams, G Tyrone Lue and F Lorenzen Wright to Sacramento for G Mike Bibby.

Youth serves up victories

A pair of freshmen help the Hawkeyes win two over the weekend.

By Brian Cardile
 THE DAILY IOWAN

Freshmen Alexis Dorr and Lynne Poggensee-Wei earned singles victories, and senior Milica Veselinovic won in her first start at No.1 singles this season, as the Iowa women's tennis team downed Mississippi, 5-2, Sunday in the team's second win in as many days.

Dorr and Poggensee-Wei also captured two points for the Hawkeyes the day before in a narrow 4-3 victory over Alabama.

"What the freshmen did this weekend was awesome," Veselinovic said. "They have great potential, and they showed some of it this weekend."

Poggensee-Wei, after cracking the Iowa singles lineup for the first time this season, quickly dispatched Mississippi's Mim Renaudin (6-2, 6-1) at the No. 6 position. At the No. 4 spot, Dorr topped Soledad Podlipnik (6-2, 6-3) to stay undefeated in singles play on the season; Dorr has notched seven singles wins, all but one in straight sets.

"The freshmen had a great weekend," Iowa head coach Daryl Greenan said. "They won some matches that were really clutch."

A pair of veterans matched that output — seniors Jacqueline Lee and Veselinovic both netted singles wins. Lee beat Karen Nijssen (6-2, 6-2), and Veselinovic bested Nika Koukhartchouk (6-3, 6-2).

But Veselinovic and Lee garnered their victories while playing unfamiliar positions. Lee, Iowa's top singles player since last spring, took the court at the No. 2 spot after a frustrating 6-0, 6-2 loss the day before. Veselinovic, usually at the No. 2 position, filled

the No. 1 singles slot for only the second time in her career.

"I knew I was ready and had the ability to play at No. 1," Veselinovic said. "It's a different type of game at the top, but I knew I could do it."

"We've got a lot of positions that are close," Greenan said. "[Lee and Veselinovic] are sort of interchangeable in that they can both play at the No. 1 spot."

Junior Merel Beelen fell to Laura van de Stroet (6-4, 7-5), and sophomore Kelcie Klockenga dropped her match to Preethi Subramanian (6-3, 6-2). Iowa earned the doubles point to make the final score 5-2.

The first meet of the weekend pitted the Hawkeyes against Alabama. Iowa took the doubles point, and after a quick 6-3, 6-0 victory by Veselinovic, the Hawkeyes had a 2-0 lead. Lee's loss brought the Crimson Tide within one, but Poggensee-Wei won a gritty 6-3, 1-6, 6-4 decision to give Iowa its third point of the meet. Beelen, Klockenga, and Dorr all had a chance to earn the decisive fourth point, but Beelen and Klockenga fell, and the meet's outcome rested on Dorr's racket. The freshman outlasted Meritt Emery (6-2, 6-7, 6-1) to wrap up the victory for the Hawkeyes.

The weekend's two wins improved Iowa's record to 4-0 and pleased Greenan.

"I thought these teams were a step up, competition-wise, from last weekend," the coach said. "I was excited to go 2-0 last weekend, and I'm even more excited to go 2-0 this weekend."

The 45th-ranked Hawkeyes will host Northern Illinois on Saturday.

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Men survive Toledo 'letdown'

By Bobby Loesch
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Backing the winning track, the No. 66 Iowa men's tennis team (4-1, 1-0) made quick work of the Toledo Rockets last weekend.

In the end, the scoreboard showed 5-2, but at no point was the outcome in serious jeopardy. Iowa went up 4-0 to effectively end the meet, but it lost two of the final three singles matches to finish out.

After rebounding from a tough loss against Denver last week, the Hawkeyes were surprisingly low-key after the victory.

"I expected to win going into this match," said No. 1 singles player Bart van Monsjou. "It's a good thing we got it done, but it doesn't mean anything special."

It might have been a matter of not living up to high expectations. "The overall feeling is it's good to get a win, but I think our aspirations are a lot higher this year," Iowa head coach Steve Houghton said. "If we're going to be successful in the Big Ten, we need to beat a team like this more decisively."
 "I think that we had a little bit of a natural letdown today in this match"

Houghton said the letdown was hard to prevent, especially after playing tough and emotional matches against ranked teams the last two weeks.

"This one was really a trap meet," he said. "And we survived that."

No. 2 singles player Christian Bierich, Iowa's only undefeated player going in, saw his perfect season come to an end at the hands of Sven Burus (7-6, 6-4).

"It doesn't feel as bad if the team wins the match and I lose,



Hawks rebound

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with just one second remaining in the third period.

"I didn't really realize that it was that short of time, but it felt good once I got up and knew it was over," Beatty said. "It was a good feeling; there was a lot of support."

Fresh off his victory against Indiana's second-ranked Angel Escobido, Charlie Falck started out the dual with an onslaught on unranked Michael Watts. After screaming his way to a 10-1 first-period lead, the 125-pounder earned a major decision, 15-3.

Joe Slaton and Brent Metcalf followed Falck's lead with bonus-point victories to extend the Iowa lead considerably, 12-3.

But after three-straight losses in the middle of the lineup, the Hawkeyes found themselves down, 13-12.

Three of the four losses came

Iowa 20, Michigan 16

125 — Charlie Falck (UI) maj. dec. Michael Watts, 15-3
 133 — Joe Slaton (UI) maj. dec. Chris Diehl, 14-4
 141 — Kellen Russell (M) dec. Dan LeClere, 6-4
 149 — Brent Metcalf (UI) tech. fall Justin Chrzanowski, 25-8 in 5:10
 157 — Jeff Marsh (M) dec. Ryan Morningstar, 10-8
 165 — Eric Tannenbaum (M) maj. dec. Jake Kerr, 13-5
 174 — Steve Luke (M) dec. Jay Borschel, 5-3
 184 — Tyrel Todd (M) dec. Phillip Keddy, 3-1
 197 — Chad Beatty (UI) dec. Anthony Biondo, 2-1
 Hwt. — Matt Fields (UI) tech. fall Chad Bleske, 20-5

by fewer than two points, including a controversial No. 2 versus No. 4 match at 174 pounds, in which Iowa's Jay Borschell fell, 5-3.

"They thought that they were going to steal one, and it turned out the way things went we had to steal one from them, and we did," said Iowa head coach Tom Brands.

Brands received a sideline warning after one of two debatable out-of-bounds calls with Borschell working toward a takedown.

"We've just got to be more stingy," Brands said. "... That's our match to win or lose based on the two takedowns."

But no matter the loss, most everyone will remember the end as Beatty and Fields came through for the Hawkeyes when it mattered most.

"I just want to thank Beatty for setting me up for a perfect ending at Carver-Hawkeye," Fields said.

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Hawkeyes hold on vs. Gophers

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ing about Wendy Ausdemore's 3-point barrage in the first half, or Minnesota native Krista VandeVenter sinking an incredible putback off a Kristi Smith free throw late in the contest, they also left being able to put everything into perspective.

Just like the Iowa team did after the game.

"It's a good cause," Ausdemore said. "We take a lot of pride in wearing these pink jerseys, and we were playing for a lot more out there today than just this game — for everyone out there that's fighting cancer."

Coach Lisa Bluder made it

a point after the game to show her appreciation to fans and administration that helped make this event a reality. Like her players, she saw the significance that came from Sunday.

"We really were excited about it, and it's so important," Bluder said. "We talked about how 'Yes, this game is very, very important for us for so many reasons,' but more than anything, we wanted to show how strong we were when we know how strong people have to be when they're fighting cancer."

This isn't the first time I've seen an Iowa athletics program hold a "Think Pink" event, however. Two years ago, when I was covering women's gymnastics, the

GymHawks held their first ever "Pink Meet" against Iowa State for the very same cause. Since then, they've made it an annual event.

Bluder said she'd like to hold another "Think Pink" game next year, and I, for one, hope this request is fulfilled. In fact, I hope women's college hoops continues to make this annual, not just at Iowa, but across the country.

In the same fashion that the football team has its "Blackout" and "Gold Bowl," "Think Pink" is a tradition that plenty of athletics programs at Iowa could only reap benefits from, not just women's basketball or women's gymnastics.

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HAWKS THINK 'PINK'

BASKETBALL

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points off the second-chance points were about even, but yes, if we would have just boxed out, we would have had more possessions to shoot the basketball."

Trailing by 10 at the half, Minnesota chipped away at the deficit as Iowa cooled off.

Consecutive lay-ups brought the Gophers within two, 52-50, at the 11:43 mark. Five minutes later, back-to-back trips to the free throw line by Emily Fox and Leslie Knight, who led Minnesota with 20 points, put the visitors ahead for the first time since five

minutes into the game.

Two Katie Ohm threes sandwiched two Iowa lay-ups, and the Gophers maintained a two-point lead with 4:21 left.

But a lay-up by Johanna Solverson and two by Krista VandeVenter put the Hawkeyes in control at the 1:47 mark. Minnesota elected not to foul, and Smith's jumper put the game out of reach.

Most importantly, though, the Hawkeyes pulled down rebounds when they needed to. A strength during its eight-game win streak, Iowa lost the battle of the boards, 45-33, the second-straight game its been out-

rebounded.

"We were getting killed on the boards all night," Bluder said. "Just not doing a good job. But in the end, when we had to have them, Stacy Schlapkohl really came through for us."

"At our last media timeout, Coach Bluder said, 'Whoever wants to win this game will rebound these last three-and-a-half minutes,'" Solverson said. "Every rebound needs to be ours. Every loose ball needs to be ours.' And we knew that ... these rebounds were going to be the key."

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Field day for Hawkeyes

A heart-attack Hawkeye squad is too much for one *DI* columnist to stomach.

WRESTLING COMMENTARY

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Michigan.

But on paper, the Iowa-Michigan meet was almost designed to be exactly how it turned out. Iowa was expected to win in the early matches, and Michigan wasn't supposed to make a charge until the middleweights.

As any novice prognosticator could have predicated, top-ranked Hawkeyes Charlie Falck and Joe Slaton cinched their bouts against a pair of unranked Wolverines.

Then, a tussle broke out at 141 pounds. Dan LeClere looked sketchier than a DaVinci notebook against No. 10-ranked Wolverine Kellen Russell, nearly getting caught on his back 30 seconds into his bout. He fell on his back again during the final minute of the second period, but somehow Houdini-ed himself into a reversal to make it a crowd-rousing match.

He had a chance for the win, but ultimately, a lack of action on his part produced a 6-4 upset.

There was no headline square-off between top-ranked Brent Metcalf and No. 4 Josh Churella at 149 pounds. Instead, the Hawkeye star wore out non-namer Justin Chrzanowski like an out-of-fashion T-

shirt in an effortless technical fall victory midway through the second period.

But then, the most briefly amazing thing happened at 157 pounds. In the final three seconds, Hawkeye sophomore Ryan Morningstar reversed his guy on the edge of the mat, sending his dual into sudden victory. But just as swiftly as Iowa's three-time state champion brought the Iowa faithful to their feet, so to did it sit them down with an abrupt takedown.

Theoretically, with the No. 12 wrestler battling the No. 20 on his home turf, it should have been a Hawkeye victory. Sadly, I've come to realize nothing is a sure thing when it comes to Morningstar as of late.

And with Brands throwing unranked Jake Kerr against No. 3 165-pounder Eric Tannenbaum, the meet seemed to get slightly more bleak without defending national champion Mark Perry in the lineup.

Although, it was pretty funny when Perry went out to shake Tannenbaum's hand during the introductions. Too bad the little mind game didn't work.

The Wolverines were standing much taller in their corner with the overall lead in hand after Jay Borschel lost a heartbreaker to Steve Luke, who was ranked two slots below him.

It was a good thing there was something brewing in the 25-year-old

underground arena. On fan appreciation night, those who bared the inclement weather and peppered the arena stands in loose bunches near the floor were refunded their ticket price in a little Carver-Hawkeye magic.

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HAWKEYE SPORTS

Men's track adds qualifier

The Iowa men's track team competed in Seattle and Ames over the past weekend, adding another NCAA provisional qualifier, a top-five school mark, and one event winner. Micah VanDenend provisionally qualified for the national championships in the 5,000 meters, finishing in 14:07.06 in his first competition of the year. The sixth-year senior

placed 16th at the Husky Classic in Seattle. Junior Andy Napier finished 25th in the 3,000 in Washington, finishing in 8:15.70 — a personal best ranking fifth all-time in Iowa history. Junior Eric MacTaggart added a win in the non-seeded 3,000



VanDenend
distance runner

Iowa State Classic, finishing in 8:28.24. "I thought it was a real productive weekend [at Washington]," head coach Larry Wiczorek said. "I think probably Iowa State was mixed results, I think we were hoping for a few more people to step up



Wiczorek
coach

to a higher level. But we did have a few highlights, and some things that will help us down the road." Junior John Hickey and senior Shane Maier finished in second and third in the Husky Classic shot put, while Dan Rolling recorded his personal best, leaping 6-11 in the high jump in Ames. The Hawkeyes will return home for the Iowa Invitational on Friday at 5 p.m.

—by Alex Johnson

Gymnasts fall at home

The Iowa men's gymnastics team can't overcome a deeper Oklahoma roster over the weekend.

Hawks fall to Oklahoma

Go to dailyiowan.com to view an exclusive photo slide show from the Hawkeyes' home loss to Oklahoma.

By **Lars Headington**
THE DAILY IOWAN

The Iowa men's gymnastics team couldn't keep pace with the Oklahoma Sooners on Feb. 16, falling 357.75-338.05 in the Field House.

The No. 10 Hawkeyes began on floor and led briefly after the first rotation, 58.25-54.9, as Oklahoma struggled on pommel horse. But the fourth-ranked Sooners took the lead after the second rotation and never looked back.

"They're a better team," Iowa coach Tom Dunn said. "They've got a lot of depth, so we didn't have much of a chance for the team competition."

The Sooners outscored Iowa on each event and claimed each individual event title.

Also, for the third-straight meet, the Hawkeyes scored more than 338 points, but they haven't been able to raise their virtual points ceiling.

"We're trying to improve ourselves," Dunn said. "And we made some progress in a couple areas where we were weak, and we had put a little extra time in on and made some good progress, but then we fell down in places where we thought we were OK, and we didn't perform as well as we have in the past few weeks."

The Hawkeyes established a new season-high of 55.8, in rings, and a new mark on parallel bars, as well, where they notched a combined 57.05.

Sophomore Dusty Cranmer led Iowa in the event with a 14.8, and senior Curtis Kleffman — competing in his first meet of 2008 as an all-arounder — was second on the team with a 14.5.

Sophomores led the Hawkeyes on rings, with Reid Urbain scoring a 14.7 and Jon Buesse notching a 14.1.

Despite improvements in those events, the Hawkeyes were marred by falls on both pommel horse and high bar, setting new season lows in each event.

Kleffman, in his first high bar routine of the season, led Iowa scores with a respectable 13.4.

"I was just kinda getting the jitters out," he said about his 81.15 all-around score. "I haven't done all-around yet this season, so this was the first time out doing it, and hopefully, it gets better."

With promise shown by the team in all events this season, Dunn looks to get his team clicking on all cylinders before the Hawks travel to Oakland, Calif., to compete in the Pacific Coast Classic on Feb. 22.

"Pommel horse and high bar should be better," he said. "Hopefully, we can clean that up a little bit this week and be better in California on those two events and hold our own on the others."

"We're still making progress."

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Daily Break

“ Life is what happens while you are busy making other plans. ”
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SCOTT PACANOWSKI Why it isn't hard to understand why other countries hate us

- We have a show called "Are you smarter than a fifth-grader?" And I am sure there are people who aren't.
- We want to make English our official language when a large part of the population can't even speak it good.
- We steal ideas for TV shows and make them awful. With the obvious exception of "The Office."
- A senator who made sexual advances toward another man in an airport bathroom is still in office. We might as well put George Michael in office. At least then, we'd have crappy music to listen to during debates.
- We are the fattest country in the world. We need reality shows to help people lose weight. That's not funny, it's sad.
- A really bad actor who is famous for such lines as "If it bleeds, we can kill it" is the governor of one of the largest states in the nation. Could our standards be any lower?
- We don't like soccer. And baseball is our national pastime. A sport fat people can play.
- Our president makes up words and invades wrong countries.
- We make sequels to movies that definitely did not need them. Did anyone see XXX 2? Bring it on!
- Final Destination 3? Really?
- Our celebrities need to go to the hospital for exhaustion and underage drinking. People we consider to be underage drink till exhaustion every weekend, and it's legal and encouraged in Europe.
- We think Miller Lite is good beer. No wonder the Germans mocked us in Beerfest.

— Scott Pacanowski is hoping you were offended by at least one of the above statements. E-mail him at: scott-pacanowski@uiowa.edu.

Think you're pretty funny? Prove it. The Daily Lowan is looking for Ledge writers. You can submit a Ledge at daily-iowan@uiowa.edu. If we think it's good, we'll run it — and maybe contact you for more.

horoscopes Monday, February 18, 2008 — by Eugenia Last

ARIES (March 21-April 19): If you slip up today, you will be criticized for your mistakes. Love and extending help to children, those in need, or someone you want to get to know better will help you realize a new purpose. Take action, speak your mind, and go the distance.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Keep trusted friends close by, and ignore secrets from acquaintances who may use information against you. An opportunity to travel or find out valuable information will give you the edge. Emotions and spending won't mix well.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Take on whatever comes your way with enthusiasm, and you will draw the attention and help you need to be successful. A new position, responsibility, or project will take off quickly and keep you on your toes. Money must be saved, not squandered.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You'll find it difficult to control your emotions, but if you concentrate on an interesting job adding special detail to your work, you will prosper in the end. Someone you love may overreact, causing some troubles within a partnership.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Your world may appear to be turning upside down today. Don't take chances when it comes to love or dealing with business partners. Listen, but don't share your point of view just yet.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Anger and impatience will lead to trouble, but throwing yourself into your work and doing a good job will help open a passageway to something you have wanted for a long time. Love will develop through socializing or getting involved in a new hobby or activity.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You can make things happen today, so don't let laziness stand in the way of your progress. Travel should be in the works, whether for business, education, or just plain pleasure. You can make personal changes with confidence.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Go into hiding if you want to avoid controversy. Put your effort into building something, or renovating, or even going over your investments. Don't interact with anyone who is likely to pick a fight or cause you grief. Work by yourself.

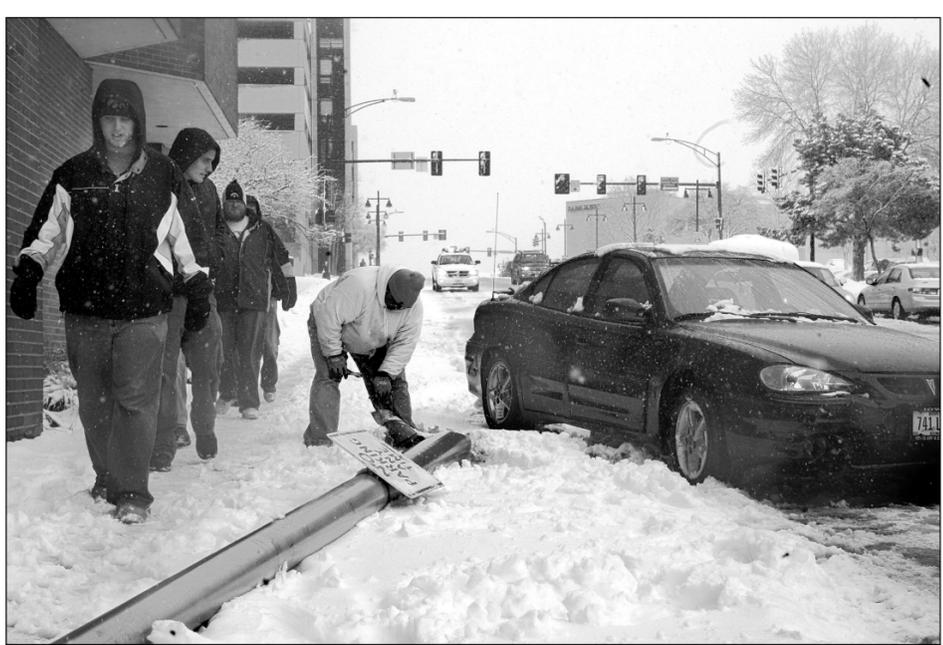
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Your past actions will be responsible for the losses you're experiencing now, and you can expect the people you dealt with to take action. A change in your location or getting involved with someone new will help you move in a new direction.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Take on something new. Your emotions may confuse you a little, but if you rely on your experience and knowledge, you will come out on top. Doing things a little differently will surprise the people around you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You'll be tempted to change the way you do things, jumping from one job to another. Don't deny yourself the opportunity to do something creative, challenging, or unlike what you would normally do. You will learn through new adventures.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Take the opportunity to do something that will enhance your mind, your looks, or your physical body. The more pressure put on you by others, the more you will want to fight back. Don't get caught up in emotional madness when passion should be the focus.

WINTER WONDERLAND



Steve Lexa/The Daily Lowan
A city worker repairs a street light after it was hit by a car Sunday afternoon. The driver, a UI student, said he lost control on the icy road while traveling westbound on Burlington Street near Madison Street.

today's events

Want to see your super special event appear here? Simply e-mail the name, time, date, and location information to: daily-iowan-calendar@uiowa.edu.

- **Electronic (e-file) Tax Filing**, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Iowa City Public Library, 123 S. Linn
- **How to Make the Career Fair Work For You**, noon, C310 Pomerantz Center
- **Affirmationists Toastmasters Meeting**, 5:30 p.m., W401 Pappajohn Business Building
- **High on Fire**, 6 p.m., Picador, 330 E. Washington
- **Mental Illness Awareness Film Series, The Fisher King**, 6 p.m., 348 IMU
- **My Kid Could Paint That**, 7 p.m., Bijou
- **Israeli Film Series, Beaufort**, 7 p.m., Hillel, 122 E. Market
- **"Learn and Watch How Cells Communicate,"** 7 p.m., Iowa City Area Association of Realtors, 438 Highway 1 W
- **"Navigating the Past: Slavery, the Transatlantic Slave Trade and Brown University,"** James Campbell, 7 p.m., 107 English-Philosophy Building
- **Dance/Jam with Kalimbanan and the Yahoo Drummers**, 7:30 p.m., Unitarian Universalist Society of Iowa City, 10 S. Gilbert
- **Free Pizza and Screening of The Candidate**, 8 p.m., 259 IMU
- **Josef Anton Scherrer, piano**, 8 p.m., Clapp Recital Hall
- **Open Mike, with Jay Knight**, 8 p.m., Mill, 120 E. Burlington

- **City Lights**, 9 p.m., Bijou
- **Free Pool**, 10 p.m.-midnight, Charlie's, 450 1st Ave.
- Ongoing Events**
 - **It Starts With a Line**, Chait Galleries Downtown, 218 E. Washington
 - **A Community of Writers: Creative Writing at the UI**, 21 Old Capitol Museum
 - **American Artists Abroad, 1900-1950**, Cedar Rapids Museum of Art, 410 Third Ave.
 - **Angela Carlson: It's Cheaper than Therapy**, Bella Joli, 125 S. Dubuque
 - **Children's Art Exhibition**, Hancher Auditorium
 - **Depicting Legends**, Chait Galleries Downtown
 - **Doug Hanson ceramics on display**, UIHC
 - **Dreams, Memories and Other Destinations: Michael Kienzle**, Hudson River Gallery, 538 S. Gilbert
 - **Five Women in Pastel**, Englert Theatre, 221 E. Washington
 - **From Prairies to Cornfields: Iowa's Children's Book Authors**, 21 Old Capitol Museum
 - **VOOM Portraits Robert Wilson**, UI Museum of Art
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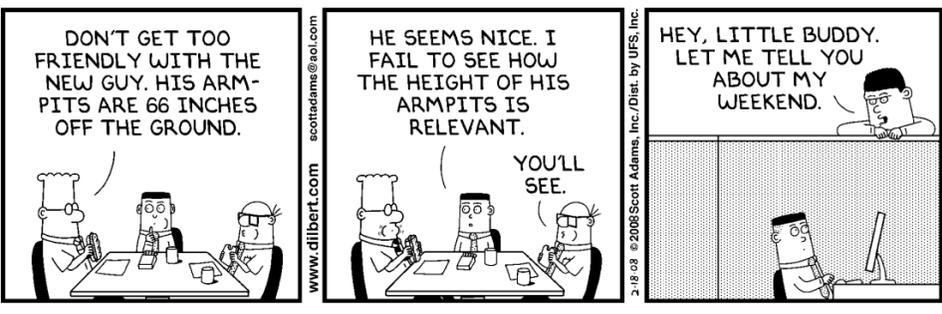
- Campus channel 4, cable channel 17
- 12:30 p.m.** News from China-Beijing (in Chinese)
- 1 A** Prairie Lights Reading from the UITV Archives, Pam Houston
- 2** Hawkeye Coach Todd Lickliter's Weekly News Conference, live
- 2:30** News from Germany (in German)
- 3** "Live from Prairie Lights," Darwin Day
- 4** The Photography of Danny Wilcox Frazier
- 5:30** Fine Arts Performances from the UI
- 6** Iowa Basketball with Todd Lickliter
- 6:20** Hawkeye Coach Lisa Bluder's Postgame News Conference
- 6:30** Hawkeye Coach Todd Lickliter's Weekly News Conference
- 7** "Live from Prairie Lights," Darwin Day
- 8** The Photography of Danny Wilcox Frazier
- 9:30** News from Daily Iowan TV
- 9:45** Iowa Basketball with Todd Lickliter
- 10:05** Hawkeye Coach Todd Lickliter's Weekly News Conference
- 10:30** News from Daily Iowan TV
- 11** "Live from Prairie Lights," Darwin Day



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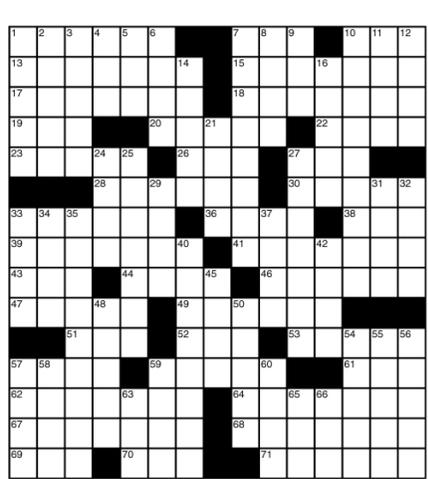
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The New York Times Crossword

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- Across**
- Peeling knives
 - "See ya"
 - Katie Couric's network
 - Tidy savings
 - Kansas city where Dwight Eisenhower grew up
 - Symbol of sturdiness
 - High hit behind the catcher, say
 - Do surgery (on)
 - End of a school Web address
 - Salves
 - "My life ___ open book"
 - Ward off
 - Safety item for a tightrope walker
 - Pep rally shout
 - Refused
 - Tallied up
 - Neurologist or orthopedist
 - Graceful swimmer
 - 38 Nuptial agreement
 - 39 Spidy
 - 41 Tidy savings
 - 43 Miss. neighbor where Dwight Eisenhower grew up
 - 44 Paths from here to there
 - 47 Stretchy fabric
 - 49 Self-assurance
 - 51 Family
 - 52 Vegetable that rolls
 - 53 Looks to be
 - 57 Treble's counterpart
 - 59 Thorny parts of roses
 - 61 Ill + IV
 - 62 Miss terribly
 - 64 Theory of the universe, or a hint to the starts of 17-Across and 7-, 10-, 35- and 40-Down
 - 67 Scene at a natural history museum
 - 68 Observed secretly
 - 69 Summer hrs. in D.C.
 - 70 One doing leg. work
 - 71 Derisive looks
- Down**
- Post or Trib
 - Residence
 - Shred
 - Aide to Santa
 - Old auto inits.
 - Reproful
 - 7 Ruberous place
 - 8 Kennel cries
 - 9 ___ out (barely make)
 - 10 Extreme effort at weight loss
 - 11 Alpha, ___, gamma ...
 - 12 Glimpsed antelope
 - 16 Musical chord
 - 21 Eye part
 - 24 "C6mo ___ usted?"
 - 25 Vietnamese native
 - 27 Abductors' demands
 - 29 Eye part
 - 31 Periphery
 - 32 Lady and the Tramp, e.g.
 - 33 Start a card game



- Puzzle by Lynn Lempel
- Air France destination
 - 48 One heading the alarm clock
 - 59 A few
 - 35 Skilled marksman
 - 50 Symbols of meekness
 - 63 Lead-in to fetched or sighted
 - 37 Aviation-related prefix
 - 54 Dodge
 - 65 Card game with knocking
 - 40 Baloney
 - 55 Petty
 - 66 Spelling
 - 42 Inside of a paper towel roll
 - 57 Ordered
 - 66 Spelling
 - 45 Sporting sword
 - 58 Carbolic ___

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