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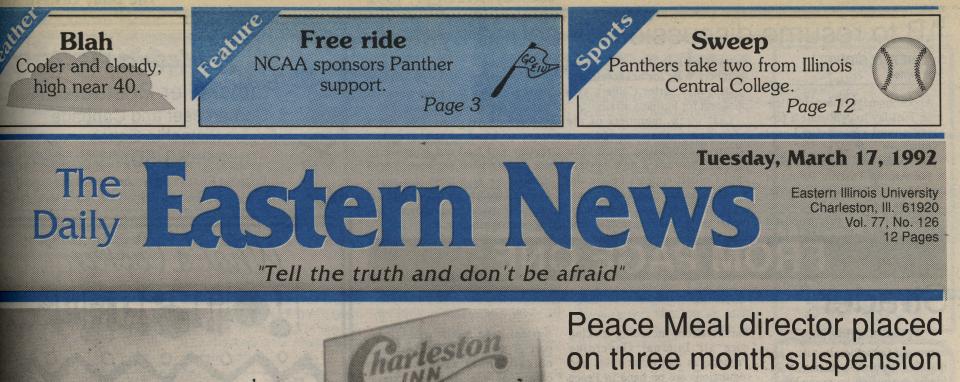
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By JAMIE RILEY Staff editor

Peace Meal Director Mike Strader has been placed on a three-month probation due to findings from internal investigations conducted by the university human resources department and internal auditor.

During the probation, an administrative evaluation will be conducted to determine if Strader should continue as Peace Meal director.

The evaluation will be conducted by Charles Colbert, vice president for business affairs; Joyce Crouse, chair of the school of home economics; Larry Helsel, acting dean of the College of Applied Sciences and Barbara Hill, acting vice president for academic affairs.

The decision to put Strader on probation was made by President Stan Rives, Hill and Colbert after the investigations were complete.

Colbert said Strader will continue in the same capacity during the three-month probation. He would have no further comment.

"Because it's a personnel matter and a sensitive issue, I really cannot comment," Colbert said.

Strader also had no comment. "I am not in a position at this time to comment," he said Monday.

Jim Pacino, assistant vice president for human resources, was asked by Rives to investigate allegations of hiring improprieties within the Peace Meal program. Chief Internal Auditor Jeff Cooley was asked by Rives to investigate allegations of misappropriation of funds within the program.

The investigations were spurred by an anonymous letter Rives received in November which alleged hiring improprieties and alleged misappropriation of funds.

A press release from University Relations stated, the internal audit investigated 50 separate allegations and identified 18 findings for corrective action the universi-

ty will implement.

Pacino said a copy of his report will be on file at Booth Library for public inspection. The internal audit is not open for public inquiry.

The press release also stated that Pacino's report did not find substantial evidence to support allegations of nepotism, which is favoring relatives in hirings. However, the report did indicate that procedural safeguards to prevent the appearance of nepotism or favoritism in hiring were not in place.

Peace Meal is a service project sponsored by the School of Home Economics that serves congregate and home-delivered meals to senior citizens in 14 central Illinois counties.

Peace Meal also provides nutrition education, transportation, outreach and information about other senior services to senior citizens at the 55 kitchen sites.

Although Pacino found insufficient evidence to support the allegations of nepotism and favoritism in hirings, in several instances he found variations from Eastern's hiring policies.

In the the report Pacino presented to Rives on his findings, Pacino indicated that in three hirings the supervisor should have abstained from the hiring process, although nepotism did not occur.

The report stated Glenn Wahls, who is a food service worker in the Bloomington kitchen, was hired by his sister, Nancy Hay. Pacino said Hay, according to the Eastern Illinois University procedures for the hire of relatives, should have removed herself from the hiring process of Wahls. Pacino also said that Catherine Lentz should have absented herself from the hiring of her sister Sandra Lentz.

The report also indicated that Laura Sowder should not have taken a role in the hiring of her brother, Chris McCue. "The employees interviewed

BOB McKEE/Staff photographer

THANK YOU CHARLESTON FOR SUPPORTING US

Charleston Inn located at 920 W. Lincoln Avenue closed its doors Monday due to owing the city of Juleston \$30,000 in hotel/tourism taxes.

City closes doors on Charleston Inn

y BOB McKEE enior reporter

Locked doors and an empty parking lot at 920 W. moon Ave. told the whole story.

The owners of the Charleston Inn did not pay the 3,000 in unpaid hotel/motel tourism taxes it owed ecity and subsequently closed its doors to business winday.

In a Feb. 28 public hearing, Mayor Wayne Lanman dered that if the owners of the 120-room inn, CMI spitality of St. Louis, did not pay those monies by am. Monday, the business would find its water serard discontinued and liquor license revoked.

Police Chief Herb Steidinger said he revoked the m's liquor license at 9:07 a.m. Monday and posited it with City Clerk Patsy Loew. "(I acted my instruction from the liquor commissioner," udinger said. As mayor, Lanman also serves as the hysliquor commissioner.

Leew said she will send a team of city workers to minate the firm's water service at 9 a.m. Tuesday, ing on a written order from Lanman dated Feb. 28 discontinue the service.

Lanman is scheduled to be out of his office for the mire week and could not be reached for comment. Ite written order was left with Loew prior to luman leaving town, she said. Though the closing of the business was inevitable to the lack of water service and loss of its liquor kense, City Attorney Brian Bower said the pokesman and partner of CMI, Bob Nolan, indicated in a meeting with city officials Friday that the inn would go out of business Monday due to other reasons.

Bower said Nolan indicated in the meeting Friday that the inn would be "closing its doors because it was not a viable business."

Neither Nolan nor motel manager Frank Heil could be reached for comment Monday.

Bower said he is not sure when the outstanding tax debt will be paid to the city. It will be up to the determination of the city council if the city will take legal action against CMI based on if the firm declares bankruptcy, he said. With the closing of the inn, those who planned on traveling to Charleston to see Eastern's class of '92 graduate in May and expected to stay at the inn during graduation weekend will have to find another place to stay.

It is inherent of graduation weekend, May 8-10, for hotels/motels in Charleston, Mattoon and Effingham to be filled to capacity. Most reservations for accommodations are made a long time in advance.

According to an employee at the inn's registration desk Monday morning, all 120 rooms were booked from May 8 - 10.

Heil said on March 3 that in the event the inn should shut down, those with reservations for the weekend will be notified by mail of the closing. Lanman said after issuing the order, CMI was given the option of paying the back-taxes in incre

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ensus causes change in some polling locations

Polls for voting in Tuesday's mary election are open from 6 to 7 p.m.

Because of changes made in condance with the 1990 census a legislative redistricting, some if the polling places have unged from November's generelection. Some precinct boundis have also changed. Precinct unbers five, seven and nine ere eliminated and combined in other precincts.

The following Charleston poll ations are open Tuesday. Precinct 1: Charleston school artict administrative building, (W. Polk Ave. Precinct 2: South entrance of Charleston High School, 1615 Lincoln Ave.

Precinct 3: Otterbein United Methodist Church, 2175 E. Harrison Ave.

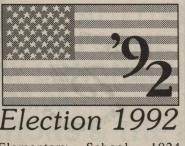
Precinct 4: St. Charles Borromeo Catholic Church, 921 Madison Ave.

Precinct 6: North entrance of the First Christian Church, 411 Jackson Ave.

Precinct 8: Baldwin Pontiac, 825 W. Lincoln Ave.

Precinct 10: Charleston Fire Department Station No. 2, 1510 A. St.

Precinct 11: Carl Sandberg



Elementary School, 1924 Reynolds Drive.

Precinct 12: Charleston school district administrative building, 410 W. Polk Ave.

Precinct 13: Coles County Public Health Department, 825 18th St. Precinct 14: Immanuel Lutheran Church, 902 Cleveland Ave.

Precinct 15: Wesley Foundation, 2202 S. Fourth St.

Precinct 16: Grand Ballroom, Martin Luther King Jr. Student Union.

Precinct 17: Carman Hall lobby, 2217 S. Ninth St.

Precinct 18: Immanuel Lutheran Church, 902 Cleveland Ave.

Precinct 19: Lincoln Fire Protection District Station No. 1, intersection of Coolidge Avenue and University Drive.

Among some of the Dem-

ocratic candidates running for public office are Paul Tsongas, Jerry Brown and Bill Clinton for president; Carol Moseley Braun, Al Hofeld and Alan Dixon for U.S. senator and Terry Bruce and Glenn Poshard for U.S. representative in the 19th congressional district.

Some of the Republican candidates include incumbent George Bush and Patrick Buchanan for president; Richard Williamson for U.S. senator and Douglas Lee and Paul Jurgens for U.S. representative in the 19th congressional district.

-Staff report

AB to resume discussion on sound system

By SHERRY SIDWELL Staff writer

Apportionment Board will coninue Tuesday to deliberate a pro-**Gymnasium**.

The board will meet at 7 p.m. n the Arcola-Tuscola Room of he Martin Luther King Jr. **Jniversity Union**.

Discussions on the proposed

system will continue as board members wait for acknowledgement from Charles Colbert, vice president for business affairs.

Last week, members of the posed sound system for Lantz board said they would not approve allocating more than \$52,000 toward a new system until Colbert appears before the board to assure them their concerns will be met and their contribution to the sound system will be

recognized.

"Colbert needs to be here to assure us that hanging sound is part of the package," said Steve Macaluso, AB chair. "We don't want to hand over this much money and find out later we're not getting what we want. I also think if we give them this much money, we're going to have a plaque or something acknowledging our contribution."

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expressed frustration that they had not been provided guidance, training or instruction by the university in hiring procedures and techniques," the report states.

Copies of the Eastern Illinois University Internal Governing Procedures were not distributed to Peace Meal, although the office did have access to The Contractural Agreement for Services Between the East Central Illinois Area Agency on Aging and Eastern Illinois University and did receive letters, newsletters and distributions of Board of Governors/Civil Service regulations that included important information on regulations and guidelines.

In his report, Pacino makes four recommendations for remedying the situation, including making sure all Internal Governing Procedures and other rules and regulations are on hand in Peace Meal and staff members be trained in the governing policies, especially in the hiring of relatives.

The report also recommends "that periodic training be provided by the university for Peace Meal staff on proper advertising, recruitment and selection techniques."

The third recommendation is that a study be undertaken by the Human Resources Department to reduce the number of civil service contract appointments.

"In this manner a greater number of Peace Meal employees would be required to apply for and obtain their jobs via the full State and University Civil Service

System," the report states. "As part of this study, Human Resources should work with the office of the director, State Universities Civil Service System to develop accurate job specifications and examinations for Peace Meal positions."

The fourth recommendation made by Pacino is that Peace Meal be required to develop procedures and guidelines for the recruitment and selection of employees for positions which will remain as Civil Service Contract appointments.

"We further recommend that the recruitment and selection of Peace Meal employees in this category be monitored periodically by the appropriate university office," Pacino said in the report.

Rives, Hill and Crouse were unavailable for comment Monday.

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nents if the firm began to pay its current ones, but ie said Nolan didn't agree to this prior to the hear-

The firm had the opportunity to pay about \$2,000 n taxes for January and February along with \$500 in back-taxes by Monday's deadline, then subsequently bay March's taxes with an additional \$500 for backaxes on March 31.

The motel/hotel tourism tax was established to fund various tourism programs and to benefit local businesses in an effort to attract more tourists to Charleston, Bower said. The tax consists of five percent of a motel's room rate.

The Charleston Inn owes other unpaid taxes besides those for city tourism taxes; the firm is delinquent of paying \$94,746.75 in county property taxes. The firm owes \$53,484.58 for its 1990 tax bill and \$41,262.17 for



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Search committee conducts initial meeting

BV CHRIS SEPER ministration editor

Three hours of "non-stop discusion" greeted the 20-member team f the Presidential Search Committee in their first meeting Monday, said Chair David Car-

"This is a meeting that dealt prinarily with procedural matters and aying the groundwork for months head," Carpenter said. "(We're villing to take) however much ime is needed that all opinions be heard and a consensus can be arrived at by the committee on any given issue pertaining to the

Prescreening all presidential applicants, the possibility of extending the search deadline, questions concerning committee alternates and inviting BOG Chancellor Thomas Layzell to meet with the group were the four subjects discussed by the committee designed to represent Eastern and advise in the selection process of President Stan Rives' replacement.

A unanimous vote was cast concerning applications screened by the search committee. The original policy of the search has Layzell screening the majority of applications and sending the remainders to the committee.

The 20-0 vote was in favor of Layzell sending all applications for the position to the search committee, Carpenter said.

"(We have) questions on why the applications are being prescreened in Springfield rather than here," Carpenter said. "We have questions about criteria used by the chancellor's office for eliminating applications as well as including applications into the narrower pool.

"We want to make sure that the candidates selected for on-campus interviews are those recommended by the committee and the most qualified," he added.

It was the question of alternates that took the majority of the committee's time as the group debated the role of the backup players.

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"We decided that the alternates would not be attending meetings unless the full voting members could not attend," Carpenter said. "In which case, the alternates would follow instructions given by full members and vote under the full member's direction."

Alternates were selected as back-ups for all 20 members in case a member was unable to serve on the committee. Changing the date from August to sometime in January was brought up in the meeting, but no specific date was set, Carpenter said.

Roadtrip **Compilation of cheer to join Panthers**

By ANN GILL itor in chief

Eastern's basketball team will not be the only mes attending their first ever Division I NCAA ournament.

A composed group of 36 members from Eastern's cheerteam, Pink Panthers and the Fast Break band will also make the 17,000 mile trip to Boise, Idaho.

Athletic Director Mike Ryan said that the NCAA will be assuming the cost of sending the mbination group to the tournament.

The NCAAs' costs will include transportation and a \$150 per day per diem for room and board, aid Betsy Stephenson, NCAA director of Division I men's basketball.

Each team is allowed this for a 75 member icial traveling team," Stephenson said, adding hat this can be divided by the university as they

Nancy Marlow, director of the Pink Panthers, said, "it's customary to go," and that she was not urprised when she was contacted by Ryan to form her that the Pink Panthers would be able to

A group of seven from the Pink Panthers will be naking the trip, according to Nikki Harmon, a nember of the squad.

"I could not believe it," Harmon said, when she as told that the squad would be able to attend. he Pink Panthers will be participating in the halfime show with a three minute presentation, she

In addition to the Pink Panthers, nine members

of the cheerteam, including Billy the Panther, will be in attendance to cheer on the Panthers when they meet number two ranked Indiana.

"It's real exciting, I just found out and the NCAA is picking up the tab," said cheerteam member Dave Lobeback.

"It's incredible," said Shannon Barber, cheerteam member, who added if not for the support of the NCAA the possibility of their attendance at the tournament would be doubtful.

"It's so nice not to have to worry about going and how we are going to pay for it," said Crystal Jones, cheerteam member.

According to Jones the cheerteam has a limited budget for activities through out the season and the money they had was used up to attend other tournaments throughout the season.

"We would have given anything to have been in Cleveland," she said.

Members of the band will also be out in force with a 20 member roster, according to Paul Sainer, graduate assistant in the music department.

Band member Mike Gagliardo said Sainer has been working hard to put together the best possible instrumentation with the number they have been given and the with the time allotment. In addition to the tournament the music department has a variety of activities scheduled for this week. "It's really difficult to get a band together,"

Sainer said, adding "We are going and we will do the best we can and make Eastern proud.'

The group will fly out separate from the basketball team which will depart on Tuesday. Ryan said that tentatively the group will fly out on Thursday.

Rives to give final university report Tuesday

Eastern President Stan Rives will give his final State of the University Address at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the Coleman Hall auditorium.

"This report will be more brief and personal than the previous eight such reports," Rives said on Monday.

The address is an annual affair which the president of the university touches on the major issues the university faces, all of which Rives intends to talk about in his speech, he said.

However, Rives said he would not comment on what issues he will touch on prior to Tuesday's report.

On Jan. 16, Rives addressed the Board of Governors with his plan to resign from his position as of July 31 – after announcing his intentions to confront the board on Dec. 30, 1991 - which received approval by the body.

-Staff report

CORRECTIONS

Brad Kirk is the chair of University Board, not Dan Kirk as was reported in Friday's edition of The Daily Eastern News. The News regrets the error.



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News endorses primary election candidates

Central Illinois voters have some crucial decisions in their hands in Tuesday's primary election. U.S. Senate and Congressional races are on the ballot as are some state representative seats and the Presidency. Tuesday mark's Illinois chance to set the Washington and Springfield political climates for the remainder of the year.

With that in mind, we would like to make a few select endorsements.

For the Presidency on the Democratic side we endorse former Massachusetts Sen. Paul Tsongas. Few of Tsongas' contenders have



been as seemingly honest Editorial and forthright as he has. His pro-business economic

plan is among the most realistic the 1992 campaign has to offer while his personal strength, candor and determination are unmatched.

For the White House on the Republican side we recommend incumbent George Bush. Despite Pat Buchanan's challenge, Bush virtually has a lock on this summer's nomination. Buchanan has been steadily losing steam and his outspoken campaign is likely to fizzle long before the party would unseat an incumbent with Bush's record. He is the only logical GOP choice.

In the U.S. Senate race, we'd like to see incumbent Sen. Alan Dixon, D-Belleville, returned to Capitol Hill. Dixon has a proven record of downstate performance and we can be sure he won't limit his constituency to the Chicago area. None of the challengers have his political experience or willingness to support rural Illinois.

In the 19th District Congressional contest, we back Glenn Poshard, D-Carterville. Poshard impressed us with his rejection of special interest money. His opponent, Terry Bruce, holds over \$700,000 in Political Action Committee (PAC) funds and has a heavily partisan record. We feel Bruce has also abused the Congressional mailing privilege, showering media and constituents with promotional newsletters.

He could have had \$600 trillion

When I graduated from high school, my step-aunt gave me a savings bond for a graduation gift. She told me to keep it for several years so that the value of the bond can mature. She said if I cashed it in right way I would just receive the face value amount. If I didn't, it could become very valuable in time.

Debbie Carlson

I still have the bond put away somewhere and basically

forgot about it until I read this story that came over the Associated Press wire service.

This story was about a Nevada man who found a \$1,000 Nevada bond which was issued in 1865. The bond had a 24 percent annual interest rate meaning 127 years later (today) it would be worth \$600 trillion. Yes, \$600 trillion.

The story goes on to say that the man, Allen Wilson, went to the Nevada treasurer's office to try to cash-in. Naturally the treasurer was a little worried.

Unfortunately for Wilson and luckily for the state of Nevada the bond was cashed in 1866.

Think about that for a minute. Six hundred trillion dollars. That's 14 zeros, if you include the two in the 600 part.

That's more than the national debt. A couple hundred trillion more than the national debt. In fact, if Wilson got the \$600 trillion, the national debt would multiply by 150, considering it's about 4 trillion now.

Finding it a little hard to believe, I called (on my phone - not to worry Student Publications business office) Nevada Deputy Treasurer Brian Krolicki just to check out this story.

Krolicki explained the situation this way. The story was that a series of bonds issued in 1865 had the face value of \$1,000, but they were only issued

for 10 months. There were two coupons attached each worth two separate amounts of money. For example the February coupon was about \$80 and the December one was about \$120.

"We didn't know what the liability was," Krolid said. "I calculated it and found out it was 5.9 to the 14 power."

He thought there was no way it could be. "So had CPA types and one comptroller figure it out and it kept coming up as that much. At only 5 per cent it's a half million dollars."

Even though the bond had expired, it looked like it wasn't paid off. Fortunately, he said, the sta researched the archives and found it was redeen ed.

The way Wilson probably received the bond w through a program where a few years ago bon like those were sold as collectors items. "It was made clear it was cancelled or paid off. We suspect a few more will come back," Krolicki said.

I talked to a man in the math department when was pretty skeptical about the entire affair. He sa it would probably weigh more than the earth and the money was stacked it would reach about 47. million miles high - about half-way to the sun. It's good thing that it would go only half way t mathematician said, otherwise it might just start burn up.

Speaking of burning up money, he also me tioned that for all the money the government h burned (getting rid of old bills, not necessar spending it frivolously) it wouldn't equal up \$600 trillion.

Well Wilson - if he could have cashed the bond wouldn't have to have worried about dollars bills, was redeemable in U.S. gold coins, Krolicki sa Which presents a different problem, of course.

Debbie Carlson is a staff writer and a regul columnist for The Daily Eastern News.





Both men are Democratic incumbents running together after legislative redistricting eliminated Poshard's 22nd District.

For the General Assembly seat to the 106th District we support Mike Weaver, R-Ashmore. Weaver has consistently shown dedication to Coles County concerns and seems genuinely interested in streamlining the state budget and bureaucracy. His interest in higher education is reflected in his investigation into dissolving the Board of Governors and Board of Regents. None of his challengers hold such a record.

We urge the campus community to take these candidates views into consideration when looking toward the future of our government.

Your turn...

Labels shouldn't be as important as 'the cause'

Dear editor,

I am writing in response to the article printed on March 11, "The cause makes all the difference." I am the vice president of the socalled "scout troop" which was collecting money on the corners of Lincoln Ave. on March 6 and 7. I don't wish to engage in an argument with you, however, considering that you have slandered my fraternity, and more importantly the Greek system in general, I do feel a reply is in order.

You obviously had a problem with the fact that there was not

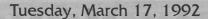
some sort of sign on the median explaining which charity we were collecting money for but, did you bother to look in the hands of any of the 'scouts' that were outside in the cold from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Friday or from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday? Obviously not, because every single can was labeled "March of Dimes," with the words printed clearly and legibly on the front.

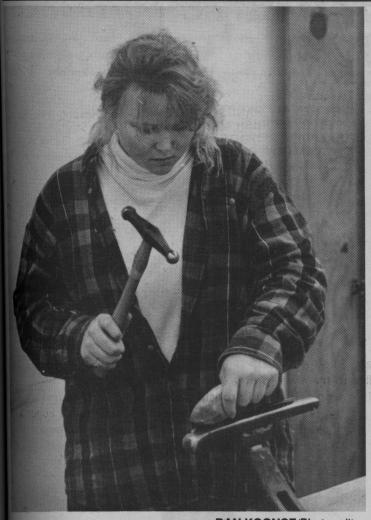
Also, I would like to ask if you bothered to even roll down your window and ask what was going on before you ran to your typewriter and started to write another article bashing the greeks. Despite all this, I was still hesitant to write in and acknowledge you foolishness until you blatantly insinuated that my house (or any other fraternity or

money for kegs or puts it tow spring break trips.

I believe that is one of the irresponsible quotes an ama writer has ever printed. I truly that next time any organization ticipates in a can shake, the people of Charleston do not ad believe your ludicrous statem and refrain from contributing.

Finally, I would like to say over 40 men ranging from f men to graduate students we their hearts out to raise over \$ for an important cause. As a m of fact the Eastern greek system raised thousands of dollars in porting various local charities. J.A., when was the last time and your fellow journalist or fi put forth that kind of effort?





DAN KOONCE/Photo editor

Pounding away

ry Canty, a junior graphic design major, works on streching soft metal the Metal Shop of the Fine Arts building on Monday afternoon.

Federal student loan bill passed by U.S. Senate **By CHRIS SUNDHEIM**

City editor

The U.S. Senate passed a tax-cut bill Friday night for middle-income Americans that contains a "universal" federal student loan program, co-sponsored by Sen. Paul Simon, D-Ill.

In a 50-47 vote, Democratic leaders pushed the measure into approval. No Republicans supported the bill while four Democrats voted against it, the Associated Press reported.

However, President Bush has promised to veto the bill.

The loan program, if approved, would eventually offer maximum annual loans of \$5,000 to any undergraduate and \$15,000 to any graduate student. The loans, administered through the U.S. Department of Education and local financial aid offices, would come directly from the federal government.

Repayment would be through the Internal Revenue Service on an income-contingent basis. Simon expects the plan, if ratified, to ultimately replace many current loan programs like the Stafford loan.

David Carle, a spokesman for Simon, said most of the debate on the bill was directed toward the tax

issues and not the aid program. He said the bill that passed contains the original version of Simon's plan, termed Income Dependent Education Assistance (IDEA).

"It (the IDEA program) didn't draw much attention during the debate," Carle said. "It wasn't as controversial as other parts of the bill."

Carle added that if the White House vetoes the tax bill, Simon will seek another carrier bill for the program.

"He (Simon) is pushing it as hard as he can within the constraints of the other legislation," Carle said. "He's been pleased with the progress so far."

The House is currently considering a similar bill attached to its Higher Education Act. The House version, however, does not employ an income-contingent repayment program, but keeps the direct lending feature of Simon's bill. Under an income-contingent plan, the amount of students' monthly payments would hinge on their monthly income.

If a compromise bill is approved by both houses of Congress and the president, it would initiate a 500school trial period for the program.

Peer group establishes future goals **By STEVE LYSAKER** Activities editor

The coordinator of the Greek Peer Assistant Program recently met with a member of a similar organization from the University of Illinois and exchanged ideas in an effort to 'standardize the program."

Kevin Dwyer, coordinator of Eastern's Greek Peer Assistant Program, said he met with Jeff Wilson from the University of Illinois to compare the programs and establish a "formal ap-proach" to Eastern's program.

Dwyer said the goal of the peer program is to improve the quality of Greek life by making it safer and healthier. This is done through the use of advisers from individual Greek chapters who serve as leaders and positive role models, he said.

"Wilson and I both agree this is the future of the Greek system," Dwyer said. "Changes and new standards must be set and problems must be addressed.

Dwyer said he and Wilson discussed ways to reach high levels of participation with minimal costs and how to document a system of case files for individual advisers and their accomplishments.

Dwyer also said he wants to see the Greek Peer Assistant Program expand nationwide.

"Sigma Phi Epsilon International is monitoring the progress here at Eastern, and I am providing them with information on how to install this program in their 260 chapters," Dwyer said.

"If they agree to this program, they would sponsor and promote it at national conferences," he added.

Dwyer said the goals for the program are achieved by participation and by "tapping into helpful resources and utilizing them effectively." He added he would like to see each Greek chapter have two advisers by next fall.

nvestigation continuing on knife assault CHRIS SUNDHEIM

editor

Charleston police are continuing investigation into an aggravated ery with a knife that injured a year-old Charleston man Friday

Police were called to the 1400 xk of 18th St., Lot 14, and found y Vanhoutin, of 1624 Madison , wounded by a knife. He was en to Sarah Bush Lincoln Health nter by a Charleston Fire Departant ambulance.

o arrests have been made in the ent and no further information s been released, according to a ws release by the Charleston ice Department.

nother items among Charleston ce Department reports:

· An investigation is continuing to an attempted burglary that surred Sunday morning.

Barry Moody, 40, of 220 hington St., reported at about



10 a.m. Sunday that at 4 a.m. he awoke to a noise coming from his bathroom. Moody said he got up but didn't see anything damaged. He said later he heard a man's voice coming from the direction of the bathroom and got up again this time to discover that an unknown suspect or suspects had untapped the fiberglass sheet covering the bathroom window with a steel pole left next to the window.

Moody told police he did not see the suspect or suspects leave the scene.

• Eastern student Gregory J. Lowe, 22, was arrested on charges of criminal damage to a vehicle at 2:38 a.m. Saturday. The incident occurred at 315 Lincoln Ave.

• Donna J. Ayers, 39, was arrested on charges of simple battery at 1:15 a.m. Sunday. The incident occurred at 392 Cooper St.

• An investigation is continuing into criminal damage to a vehicle that occurred early Sunday morning.

Eastern student Clifford J. York, 20, of 1905 12th St., Apt. 3, reported his car was damaged sometime during the night.

York told police that when he left his car at about 1 a.m. Sunday it was undamaged. When he awoke, he said he discovered that an unknown suspect or suspects had shattered the rear window of the

Police could find nothing in the area that had been used to break the window.

There are no suspects in the incident.

 An investigation is continuing into criminal damage to a vehicle that occurred Sunday afternoon.

Al Powers, 23, of 2003 12th St. reported at 4:06 p.m. that someone damaged his car. Police were called to Walgreen's parking lot, 1430 E. St. to investigate.

Powers told police that some time between 1 p.m. and 4:45 p.m. an unknown suspect or suspects allegedly damaged his car, making a 12-inch scratch on the front passenger corner of the hood and a five-inch scratch on rear passenger side of the vehicle.

Powers said he believed the incident occurred in the parking lot. He said he had no suspects and will press charges if a suspect is identified.





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YSTEVE LYSAKER

es editor

Tuesday, March 17, 1992

Senate set to interview **VP** candidate Tuesday

By JAMIE RILEY Staff editor

The Faculty Senate will interview the third of four candidates for vice president of academic affairs Tuesday at its 2 p.m. meeting, said Chair David Carpenter.

Candidate Rachel Fordyce, who is currently dean of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences at the Indiana University of Pennsylvania, will meet with the senate from 2 p.m. to 2:50 p.m. in the BOG Room of Booth Library.

The Faculty Senate, Council on Academic Affairs, Council on

Teacher Education and the Council on Graduate Studies are interviewing all four vice presidential candidates and are giving feedback to the advisory committee for the search on each candidate.

Also at Tuesday's meeting, Faculty Senate members will continue discussing a request by philosophy professor Bob Barford that the senate take a formal stand on a bill proposed by Rep. Mike Weaver, R-Ashmore, Carpenter said.

The proposed bill would eliminate the Board of Governors and the Board of Regents systems.

Child safety a group concern

By KAREN ADKINS Staff writer

The business fraternity Delta Sigma Pi will sponsor a community fingerprinting program for Charleston area children. The fraternity, along with the I-Search Program and Wal-Mart stores, will conduct fingerprinting between 4-7 p.m. Tuesday for children at the Charleston Wal-Mart.

The I-Search Program protects children and helps locate or identify kidnapped children.

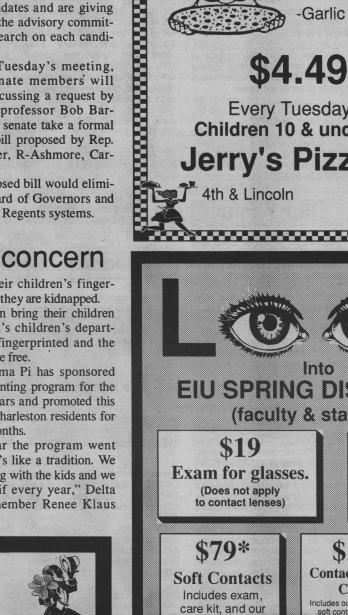
This fingerprinting program is conducted so parents will have a

record of their children's fingerprints in case they are kidnapped.

Parents can bring their children to Wal-Mart's children's department to be fingerprinted and the service will be free.

Delta Sigma Pi has sponsored this fingerprinting program for the past three years and promoted this service for Charleston residents for about two months.

'Last year the program went over well. It's like a tradition. We enjoy working with the kids and we want to do if every year," Delta Sigma Pi member Renee Klaus said.









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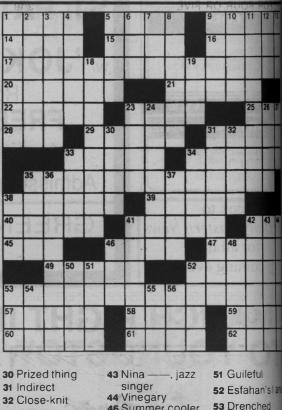
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ORDER OF OMEGA will have a mandatory meeting tonight a p.m. on the 3rd floor of the Union. UNIVERSITY DEMOCRATS invites everyone to watch the

election results at the Poshard for Congress Office, 706 J tonight starting at 8:00 p.m.

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Tea provides students international experience

v Cassie Simpson npus editor

Eastern's American students ill have the opportunity to neet with international students uesday for the monthly Interonal Tea.

The tea will begin at 2 p.m. at e International House, Ninth reet, and last until 4 p.m.

"(The tea) will be the same as anal," said Brigette Chen from ternational Student Services. t's a social for international udents and their friends."

Chen said the tea is sponmed by the Christian Church, to will also provide refreshents for the students, and the emational House.

"I would really like the

American students to come because it is a unique opportunity to meet some of the international students," Chen said.

Chen added that if some of the American students on campus were interested in studying abroad, the tea would be a good time to ask the international students what it is like to study in a foreign country. She said students could ask questions about foreign countries they are interested in studying in and have the international students answer questions about their own countries. Then Chen will address the group at 3 p.m.

"Most likely I will talk about the office, International Student Services," she said.

Tuesday, March 17, 1992

Dems scrap for last-minute votes

CHICAGO (AP) – Democrat Paul Tsongas, lagging in pre-primary polls in Michigan and Illinois, vowed Monday to stay in the Democratic presidential race and offered himself as "the only alternative" to front-runner Bill Clinton.

The candidates, scrapping for last-minute votes on the eve of Tuesday's primaries in the two states, kept up the testy tone that has overtaken the campaign in recent days.

Clinton said Jerry Brown "should be ashamed" of himself for attacking Clinton's dealing with his wife's law firm. Brown renewed his attacks over what he called the "scandal-a-week" stories about the Arkansas governor.

Brown said Clinton was employing "bush-league politics" for trying to paint the governor's

wife, Hillary Rodham Clinton, as the victim of attacks that were in fact aimed at Clinton.

"When he puts out his misrepresnentations and his sugarysweet, fraudulent bile, you know he's scared. ... They've been running around the state like Bonnie and Clyde, shooting at me," Brown said Monday night in Michigan.

Tsongas said he would fare better than Clinton in a general election battle with President Bush and sought to fashion himself as the only alternative to Clinton.

"People are coming up and saying, 'You've got to stay in the race,"" Tsongas said. "Something's going on. I think it's the perception of, 'You are the only alternative.''' The former Massachusetts senator said he would press his campaign to the next primaries in Connecticut and New York even if he does as poorly in the Rust Belt primaries on Tuesday

Clinton led polls in both Illinois and Michigan; Brown was threatening to upend Tsongas for second place in Michigan.

"We're in this campaign until the convention," Tsongas said as he campaigned in Moline, Ill. "At the convention there will be one question. Who can beat George Bush? Who is electable? ... That is the question. I am the answer." In two Chicago debates over the weekend, Tsongas passed up opportunities to attack Clinton's character, although he continues to make subtle digs at the Arkansas governor by questioning his electability.

"We have decided to get back to our message," Tsongas said.



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3/17 Good Luck to the EIU Basketball team during the NCAA tournament from the Greek Week Steering Committee.

3/17 Airband Committee will not meet tonight!

3/17 Collegiate Bowl Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m. in Oakland Room. Tonight!

3/17 MARY MCCORMICK: I miss my block buddy! We have to go out soon! Love, Lynn. PS. Are you surprised?

3/17 MARIA: We don't know what was more incredible, your body or your smile! You did great! Love, Lvnn & Amy.

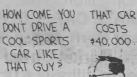
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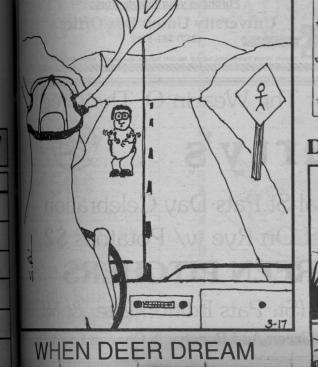
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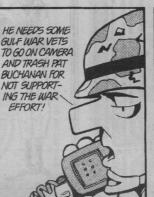
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BY GARRY TRUDEAU





Wrestler waits for Oklahoma OK

By RYAN GIUSTI Staff writer

Going into the NCAA West Regionals on March 7, Bob Johnson thought the hardest part about qualifying for the National Championship would be getting through the tough wrestlers he would face in the region.

That was hard, Johnson finished second in the 167-pound weight class, but as he now knows the hardest part is waiting. Waiting to hear if he will go to Oklahoma City, Okla., as the number one alternate in the West Regional.

Johnson surprised some people when he took second place in the Regional all the way from his number four seed. He upset the number three and two seeds, but was not given a wild card bid for the Nationals. Only the 10 champions and 10 wild cards advance to the Nationals. Johnson was given the number one alternate which means if any of those 20 wrestlers can not compete, he would take their spot by wrestling in his 167-pound class.

"It was probably my best college tournament I ever wrestled," Johnson said. "I feel I was probably my best shape of the year going into the Regional and just knowing it was my senior year and if I didn't make it out I was done. That's what the motivation was.'

Johnson has found out that not knowing for sure takes its toll in practice.

"I can't make myself want to go work out not knowing for sure if I'm going to wrestle or not," Johnson said. "It's hard getting motivated."

Johnson also said that if he did get into the Nationals, he could be at a disadvantage against wrestlers who have known for sure and have been able to train all out.

"I was kind of heartbroken that he didn't get a bid," Eastern coach Ralph McCausland said. "He gave his best performance of the year in

the Regional."

Johnson missed getting a wild card bid by one vote to Justin Greenlee, the heavyweight for Northern Iowa.

Johnson, a senior from Gaston, had a solid year during the regular season. After starting off a little slow, Johnson turned it on at the end of the season winning 13 of his last 16 matches to go to 16-8 overall. He overcame a pinched nerve in his neck that kept him out of a couple matches in the middle of the season.

"The beginning of the season I wasn't all that happy, but it came on towards the end," Johnson said.

If Johnson does make the Nationals, he is unsure about his chances.

"I really haven't thought about it since I didn't make it," Johnson stated. "If I wrestle like I did in Regionals, I think I can win a few matches. I don't really have any plans. I never do, I just go out and wrestle to the best of my ability."



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Green Bay reacts to NCAA snub

By The Associated Press

They gathered at a local sports bar, ready to celebrate a second consecutive bid to the NCAA tournament.

But as the pairings unfolded across the television screen Sunday night, Wisconsin-Green Bay's players had long faces. A hush fell over the bar when the final two teams in the 64-team field were announced.

The Phoenix, despite its 25-4 record, a regular-season title in the Mid-Continent Conference and an appearance in the NCAA tournament a year ago, was left out.

"It's a difficult thing," said disconsolate Coach Dick Bennett, who refused to criticize the selection process. "Yeah I believe we belong. We'll await our call from the NIT and hope that works out." Bennett was most disappointed because he said the NCAA snub would make many forget what the Phoenix accomplished this season.

"It leaves the impression that our season wasn't special and I think that's unfair to everybody connected with the team," he said.

Bennett, whose star player is his son Tony, thought the Phoenix's "little guy" reputation might give it an edge. But it didn't.

"Everybody likes the little guy and we were clearly in that role," he said. "The national media took a liking to us and I suspect the committee wrestled with it.

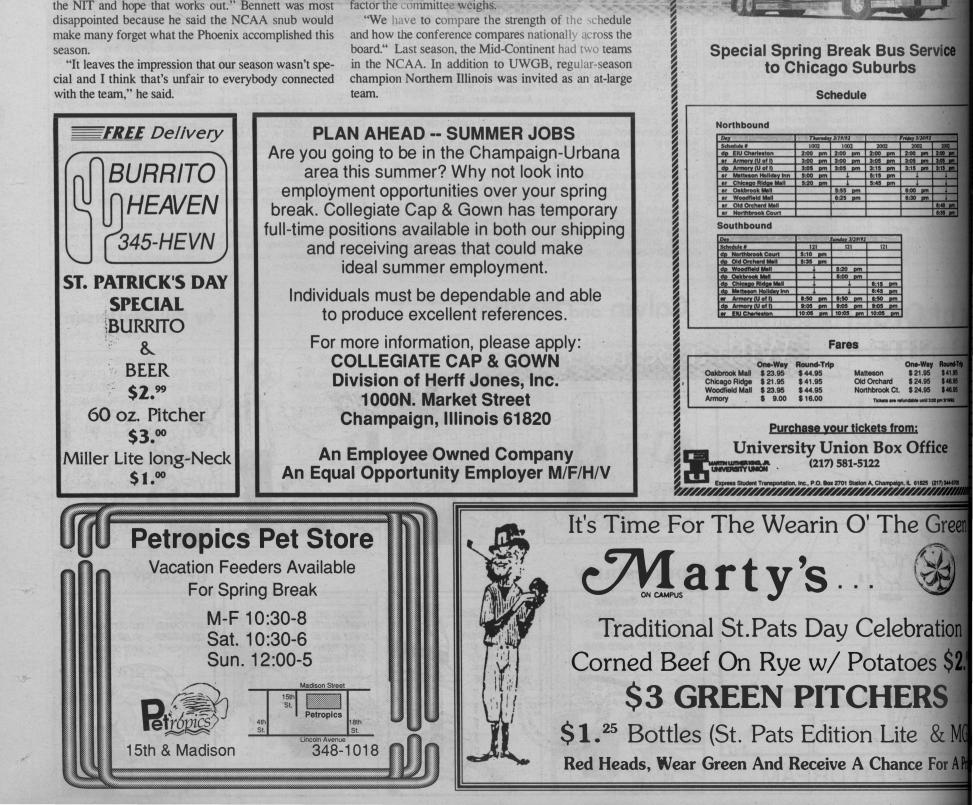
"Clearly we were one of the last ones to go (be eliminated)," he said.

UWGB had road victories at Purdue. Colorado and Butler this season but was beaten in the semifinals of its league tournament by Eastern Illinois.

"I thought they'd look at our entire season rather than a letdown in one game," senior forward Ben Johnson said.

Roy Kramer, chairman of the NCAA tournament selection committee, said strength of conference is a factor the committee weighs.

"We have to compare the strength of the schedule and how the conference compares nationally across the board." Last season, the Mid-Continent had two teams in the NCAA. In addition to UWGB, regular-season champion Northern Illinois was invited as an at-large team.



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We can sense the air of citement, which is fine, we ed that. We're going to have a her level of adrenaline flow at we've probably ever had."

The players think that all of e hype going on around stem will give them a boost as ey head to Boise.

Eastern guard Steve Rowe, a cond team All-Mid-Continent ference performer, said that elikes having people all over ous cheering for them.

"I think that helps us out as far

as letting us know that the fans are really behind us," Rowe said. "I think that will be inspiration for us to bring up there (to Boise).'

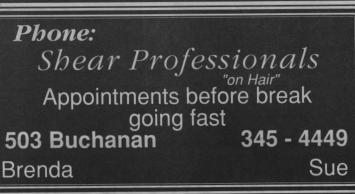
The players have enjoyed all of the festivities and excitement as of late, but they are now ready to get back to work. Junior Eric West said that they have to start concentrating on Indiana, their first round opponent Thursday.

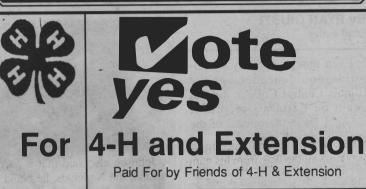
"I think we are getting over the hysteria right now," West said. "We're concentrating on trying to get down to business." The business at hand will be

trying to knock off one of the tournament favorites. The No. 2 seeded Hoosiers are led by Calbert Chaney, a third-team All-American named by the Associated Press.

Other top teams in the west region include; No. 1 seeded UCLA, Florida State, Oklahoma and DePaul, which earned a fifth seed with a 20-8 record.

A limited number of tickets for Eastern's first round game will be made available Tuesday afternoon. Call the athletic department for further information.





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Idon't think the student body realizes how difficult is to qualify for nationals in wrestling or track. Of urse, I am assuming that you've at least heard of se four, and know what sports they are in.

Of all the wrestling regionals around the country, the winners of each weight class are guaranteed a to nationals. Each regional gives out 10 wild card s, but those are voted on by the coaches at the tour-

in track, less than 20 people qualify in each event

nyear. Think about that. Of all the schools around the counthat have track, less than 20 people qualify for mals in each event. Also, in track there is no team

basketball, nationals consist of a 64-team tourna-. May I be so bold to say that basketball is the easport to qualify for NCAA competition? I think so. have debated this subject many times. And most ple believe that football and basketball are what ybody reads. I agree with that, but they have also ed the bandwagon belief that the basketball team ing is the biggest thing to ever happen to this Well I've got news for you: it isn't.

telieve Eastern's most pristine sports achievement

is when Jim Maton won the indoor 800-meter title in 1988. The year before that Maton ran within a second of the national record in the 1,000 meters indoors.

I just want to cite not our pathetic student body, but a pathetic situation. The week prior to the indoor conference track meet I wrote a track article every day in hopes of getting a sizeable crowd to show up.

There was no one. The only people in the stands were members of the other Mid-Con schools, parents, and a handful of loyal Eastern track fans. In other words no one showed up who wasn't expected to be there. So I guess putting my academics on hold that week to get those stories out didn't accomplish the main goal. But hey, I can take a good stymie, as a journalist I should get used to it, but our Panther thinclads don't deserve that kind of neglect.

This past weekend Braidy Miller took seventh in the 35-pound weight throw at nationals. Last year he took third. The basketball team will have to win four more games to reach such prestige.

I don't want to sound like I'm taking away from our already successful cagers. But I just wanted to make a few things clear, and only wish that credit be given where credit is due.

Brian Harris is a guest columnist for the Daily Eastern News.





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Softball sweeps Illinois Central Panthers adjusting

By RYAN GIUSTI Staff writer

Even though Monday's exhibition doubleheader against Illinois Central College did not count on Eastern's record, it meant a lot in the minds' of the Panther softball team.

Eastern kicked off its 1992 season in a big way by sweeping the Lady Cougars 6-4 and 8-2 respectively. The wins will not count on the Panther's overall record, but according to head coach Beth Perine they were important wins.

"It feels fantastic," Perine said. "Not just to win, but to finally get out and play as a team."

The Monday games also marked the beginning of Perine's career at Eastern. Perine came from Penn State where she was an assistant for the Nittany Lions.

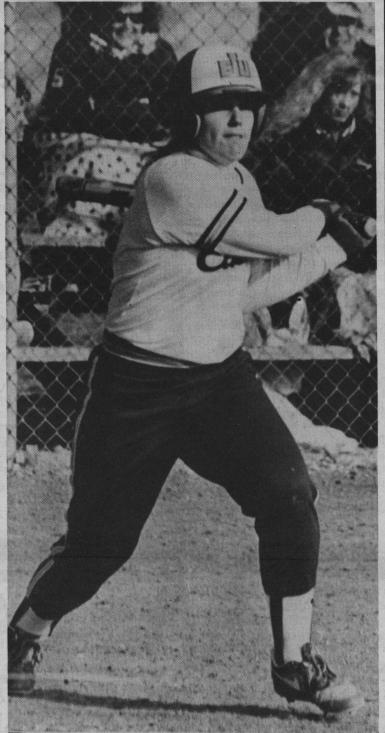
In the first game, senior tricaptain and pitcher Chris Koehl took a no-hitter into the sixth inning before having it broken up on a Dawn Hanley double. The shut-out was lost two batters later when Tonya Naramore, up with the bases loaded, hit a ground ball back to Koehl who fielded it cleanly, but threw wildly to catcher Annette Travica. Two runs scored on the error and the Lady Cougars added two more runs on a Amy Hartzler double.

"I thought I pitched pretty well," Koehl said. "But I got shook up when I made the error."

Koehl finished the game giving up only four hits, two walks and striking out seven in seven innings of work.

Eastern scored the first six runs of the first game. The Panthers opened up the scoring in the second inning when a Denise Odle double scored Luann Schleeter for the first Eastern run of the season. Amy Klein picked up a RBI on a base hit and Coli Turley walked with the bases loaded, forcing in the Eastern's third run of the inning. The Panthers added two more runs in the third inning to extend their lead to 5-0.

"I was happy with our run production," Perine said. "We



DAN KOONCE/Photo editor

Eastern's Renee Diebold rips a triple down the first base line driving in a run en route to a 6-4 victory in the first game of a double header against Illinois Central College. The Panthers swept the two exhibition games with an 8-2 win in the second game Tuesday.

didn't just get a few runs and quit. That's real important because any team can come back."

In the second game, the Panthers exploded for five runs in the first inning en route to their 8-2 win. Eastern sent 11 batters to the plate in the first inning, collecting four hits. The runs in the fourth inning.

Turley went the distance in the second game giving up two unearned runs in the fifth inning. Turley gave up four hits, one walk and struck out two in her six innings. The game was called after six innings.

Eastern will get its regular season underway Wednesday

Panthers adjusting to NCAA attention

By KEN RYAN Sports editor

All of the pieces are starting to fall into place for this year's NCAA Tournament and after all of the commotion on the Eastern campus this past week, the Panthers seem to be ready to get back to work.

Eastern will take on the Indiana Hoosiers Thursday in Boise, Idaho at approximately 9:45 p.m. CST. The game will start 30 minutes after the Louisiana State, Brigham Young contest which begins at 7:10 p.m.

With welcome home parties, pep rallies and a mass of interested fans and media occupying most of the players and coaches time recently, Eastern has not had much time to itself, but it is not complaining.

Head coach Rick Samuels and most of the players said they believe the fan support will help the team, as they prepare to take on the Hoosiers.

"It's kind of a fine line (the excitement on campus)," Samuels said. "You want some of it, so the players sense the significance of what's happened, but you don't



Rick Samuels

want too much of it and go the line and get too anxious." Samuels also said that

been hard for his team not distracted with all that is goin "We're trying not to prepa

differently," Samuels said. "B hard when there's four TV a waiting at practice. We'n accustomed to that, but we'w

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Sports overshadowe by basketball's hype

I've got a beef with this campus. I won't call Eastern's students pathetic, and I won't call them misinformed exactly. Let's just say misguided.

I've thought this ever since I started writing for the *Daily Eastern News*. But now that our basketball team has earned a place in the NCAA Tournament, I can't control the urge to stifle all the cheese that that feat has brought about.

First of all, I cover Eastern track and field, and will admit that I'm biased toward it because it's my favorite sport. But I'm also a Panther basketball fan, and have gone to nearly every home game this season. Like many of you, I was also glued to the television when Rowe and company claimed the conference title.

I, too, was ectatic when our cagers put away Illinois-Chica chanted with pride along with my friends.

But lets take a reality break here.

Four other Eastern athletes qualified for NCAA competitive year, in *individual* sports. I.can't recall any pep rallies for Miller, Ray Serbick, Dave Marlow and Stan Gress. I haven't se signs posted around Lantz in their honor, and haven't heard of an gratulation letters coming into the newsroom either.



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Eastern baseball travels to U of I, looks to end jin

By KEITH FARROLL Associate sports editor

After winning two of three games at the St. Louis Invitational last weekend, Eastern's baseball team (5-8) is set to face a streaking Illinois team (6-6) Tuesday at 2 p.m. at Illini Field.

The University of Illinois took five of six games on its spring trip in Florida. They split two games with the third-ranked team in the nation in Miami and took two games from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale and two games from Pace University

"We look forward to playing Eastern now that we are back from our spring trip," said Illinois coach Itchy Jones, whose team beat the Panthers in both times it faced them last season. "We had a very successful trip. Now we are through with that phase of our schedule and we are ready to play. We know that they are going to be excited about playing us and we are excited about playing them."

Eastern coach Dan Callahan said he is hoping to end a seven year slump when facing the University of Illinois. He added in his four years as head coach, Eastern has lost five straight times.

"To be honest it gets kind of tiresome losing to those guys," Callahan said. "Hopefully we can go up there and end the streak.

"Realistically it's just another game and the fact that we haven't beat them and the fact that we've been so close is disturbing."

Right-hander Keith Toriani (1-1 with a 7.24 earned run average) is set to throw the first pitch for the Illini. Toriani started the game in Miami in which Illinois won 14-5.

Jones said Toriani is one of the team's top hurlers.

"We have three pitchers who are very close

and we think that Keith is probably the second or third pitcher," Jones said. "But it's just a rotation."

The Illini pitcher may have a tough task in cooling down Rick Royer's and Jason Jetel's hot sticks.

Royer is hitting a strong .465 with three home runs and 14 runs batted in. Jetel is also swinging a hot bat as of late. He went 7-13 in the St. Louis University Invitational to boost his average to .457.

Although Illinois is on a bit a of roll, Jones said that his line-up is not exactly where he would like it to be at this point in the season.

"We have couple of hitters who are real hot with the bats and other players who are a bit inconsistent," Jones said. "We haven't really got our line-up where I'd like to have it where I feel in every spot we are a threat. But we are still working towards that and we think that we came a little closer to coming up with a solid batting order as we get the end of our spring trip."

A couple of those players puting hitting show for the Illini are All-Ar candidate Larry Sutton, who is batt with three home runs and 12 runs be and Scott Spiezio, who is batting 33 four home runs and 10 runs batted in

Panther hurler Craig Jones is go looked upon to halt the Illini. He is carries an impressive 3.52 earned age, which is second on the team.

"Jones will start and regardless of pitching, if somebody gets in troub not going to go with them long," said.

The coaches, Callahan and Jon obviously be sitting in opposite dug four years ago, Callahan served as tant coach at Southern Illinois Univ Carbondale under Jones' reign.