**Daily Nebraskan** 

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## Letters

Brief letters are preferred, and longer letters may be edited. Writer's address and phone number are needed for verification.

# 'Communist homosexuals' go too far with Iba story

When I saw the front page of last less story about one of the more up- basement of the Nebraska Union want seriously outraged with the blind character defamation of which the DN has lately become so fond.

liberal hooligans. But this time the efforts of that sleazebag rag mag have been taken too far. I am referring to when someone says "Big Red." that muckraking and utterly ground-

Tuesday's Daily Nebraskan, I became standing men on this campus, Henry "Moe" Iba.

I have been a basketball fan ever since the first basketball was placed In my years at UNL I have come to between my chubby little baby palms, accept, and learned to live with, the and seeing men like Dave Hoppen and fact that the DN is staffed by homosex- Iba working toward the cause of further uals, Communists, Democrats and other improving Nebraska's program had given me the hope that one day, and soon, people will think "basketball" But now, the socialists at work in the

to take that all away from us and turn NU into another Tulane.

Fine, reporters of the DN. While the rest of us are sitting around with nothing to do, you go to your fashion shows, your charity teas and those "art films" at the Sheldon Art Gallery. Live it up now, because soon AIDS will get you all. Every one of you.

> George Rankin junior

arts and sciences

# NCAA, not DN, should investigate sports violations

Iba held practice earlier than the date the NCAA rules allow. He got caught and will probably be reprimanded.

It is the manner in which this violation was discovered that is disturbing. This must certainly be the first case on record of a school's very own newspaper seeking out information on a vio-

OK, so UNL basketball coach Moe lation within its own sports program. Sports Editor Bob Asmussen's obsession with relieving Iba of his job is obviously what led to this piece of

investigative journalism (Sherlock

personal vendetta a little too far. Isn't

trying to get someone fired just a little

However, I think he is taking this

Holmes would be proud).

unethical?

The investigations of violations within collegiate programs, should be left up to the people who establish the laws -the NCAA.

> Steve Sipple freshman undeclared

### DN critics need beginning journalism course

I would like to congratulate the exists Daily Nebraskan senior editors for what reporting on the basketball practice issue. Lately, I find more that is substantive and less fluff in the DN, and it's a welcome change.

I would also like to point out a few basic facts to those who have written negative letters in response to the basketball articles. The DN editors were criticized for mishandling the information they had acquired by making it spirit, for picking on an already inadepublic rather than taking their concerns to the athletic department so which use as their rationale the misthat it could correct any problem that deeds of athletic units at other uni-

But it is not the business of journalappears to be a fine job of investigative ism to deal with such problems or effect change directly. It is the business of journalism to uncover the facts, verify information and then offer it to the public in as unbiased a fashion as possible. The DN seems to have done its proper job.

> I am also concerned about the number of letters I see that berate DN, many of them in the name of school quate basketball team in this way and

#### versities.

I question both the school spirit and the values of those who condone such apparently blatant violation of the rules established to promote fair play in college sports because our team is so bad that it needs to cheat and because "everybody does it."

Fortunately, this is still a comprehensive university, and there are introductory courses in both journalism and ethics taught every semester. I recommend them to the letter writers. Go to it, DN!

> Rosemary Bergstrom administrative assistant **College of Nursing**

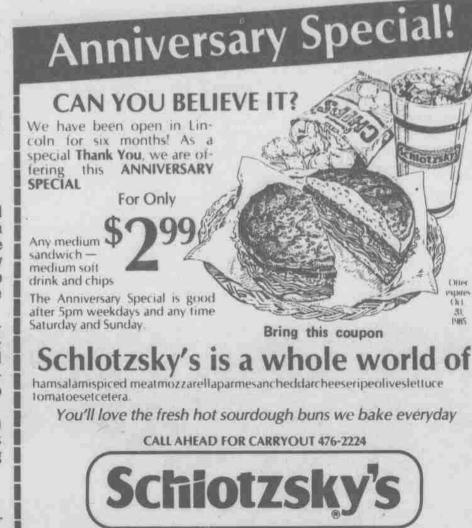
## When talking about the health of a president, 'we're all family'

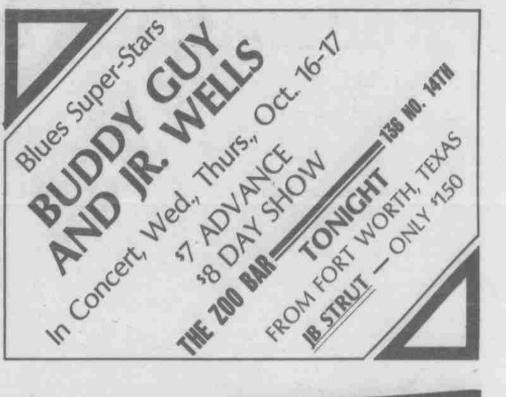
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care about the man. Not only is the president and his wife ought to represident approaching 75, but he will, member that the president's health is like anyone, get a cold and look like not a private matter. It's easy to see

hell. When that happens, the rumors how Nancy Reagan feels. Ronald Reawill start. But aside from that, both the gan is her husband. But he's our president.

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### 12:00-1:00 pm

#### Nebraska Union Journey to Wholeness Values clarification can help us get "unstuck" by assisting us in finding out what we want most in our lives and how to obtain it. Discuss ways to work on your life and realize your own abundance.-Ruth Thone Brown Bag Lunch Nebraska Union

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### 2:30-3:30 pm

Nutrition-Facts & Fables Health foods, vitamins, and trace minerals-are they the answer to "longer life?" Are there dangers in health fads? What is "good nutrition?" What are "health foods?"-Dr. Bruce Buehler

### 3:30-4:30 pm

Alcohol: A Major Lifestyle Issue Most of us are faced with choices about drinking. We may choose to drink in moderation, to excess or not at all. Have you ever really thought about alcohol and some of the possible consequences and benefits of drinking? This presentation will give you an opportunity to think about your drinking and how alcohol fits into your life .- Becky Beardsley

### 3:30-5:00 pm

Coliseum 28 Seminar with Dr. Michael Pollock Discussion will be directed toward the exercise science faculty and graduate students. All interested persons are welcome to attend.

### 6:00 pm

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Trivia Bowl Championships Come see the Second Annual Wellness Week Trivia Bowl. The Championship round will be in the Nebraska Union Crib. Cheer your favorite team on to victory or enter your own team. Team sign-up and preliminary rounds will be held the week of October 7th. For more information, call the CAP office, 472-2454.

### 7:30-9:00 pm

Nebraska Union Exercise Prescription for Better Health A discussion will include the benefits of exercise along with an update of the latest findings for prescribing exercise to healthy adults. -Dr. Michael Pollock

