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## Trial Under Way in Murder on UNI Campus

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Cedar Falls - The murder trial of Andrew Isley is under way in the Great Reading Room of Seer-ley Hall. Over the past week we have heard opening statements and witness testimony from the prosecution and the defense.

Andrew Isley, the defendant

Andrew Isley is accused of murdering Micaela Ring in the basement of Baker Hall back in February. The prosecution presented a very strong circumstantial case against Isley with two witnesses describing Isley and a DNA expert finding splatters of the victim's blood on Isley's coat. The state also called Officer Lubinus to the stand to testify that Isley's Facebook profile exhibits many clues that suggest he is the murderer and that there may be 8 more murders to come. Might we have a serial killer on our hands?

The defense presented what some might call "reasonable doubt" in the case by showing that Isley worked with the victim and could have gotten blood on his coat while at work. They also showed class notes of Isley's that were taken presumably on the date and time of the murder.

We expect closing arguments to begin today with the wrap-up of the trial to be on Tuesday. The decision will be given to the jury today where they will have to decide whether to let a potential serial killer back on the streets.

The courtroom with counselors

