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Mardi Gras celebrating

King Arthur, also known as Pete Fountain, leads bis Half-Fast 'arching Club down St. Charles Ave. early yesterday morning in New Orleans.

Fountain's marching club signals the start of the largest celebration in Louisiana's Mardi Gras.

Medal winners extended invitations for 'A Salute to Architecture' day

Plane crash kills all passengers aboard **Spanish Boeing 747**

Associated Press

BILBAO, Spain - An Iberia Air Lines Boeing 727 crashed into rugged hill country yesterday on approach to Sondica airport, killing all 148 people aboard. A Basque terrorist group claimed responsibility for the crash, but the airline dismissed the possibility.

Bolivia's labor minister, Gonzalo Guzman, and former Spanish Foreign Minister Gregorio Lopez Bravo were identified as victims. It was not immediately known if any Americans were aboard.

Civil guardsmen and rescue parties were able to reach the crash site, on rugged 3,366-foot Oiz hill, several hours after the accident. They said charred wreckage and bodies were scattered over an area of 2,000 yards, and that they found no survivors.

The crash site was in rugged terrain near the city of Durango, about 18.5 miles from Bilbao in northern Spain's Basque country. Airline officials said 141 passengers and a crew of seven were aboard flight 610 from Madrid.

de los Monteros, told reporters in

"There was not an explosion previous to the crash," he said. The aircraft's "black box" or flight recorder has been recovered, Iberia officials said.

The airplane was flying about 300 yards below normal altitude when it hit a television relay tower on Oiz hill, he said.

Iberia officials said there was a bomb threat on a different plane making the same flight on Monday. They said a thorough search that delayed the flight 30 minutes found nothing, and that Monday's flight day was completed without incident.

Air traffic controllers said yesterday's flight disappeared from their monitors at 9:35 a.m. (3:35 a.m. EST), shortly before it was due to land at Sondica airport.

The pilot, Jose Luis Patino, "knew perfectly the Sondica airport and he was a veteran pilot," an Iberia Airlines spokesman said. Airline officials said the cause of the crash was not known.

Yesterday's crash was the third commercial air crash in Spain in 14 months. On Nov. 27, 1983, a Boeing Airline President Carlos Espinosa 747 of the Colombian airline Avianca crashed and burst into

flames outside Madrid, killing 181

On Dec. 7, an Iberia Boeing 727

and a DC-9 belonging to a domestic

carrier, Aviaco, collided on a runway

at the Madrid airport, killing all 42

people aboard the DC-9 and 51

aboard the Iberia jet.

Special to The Observer

Four of five living winners of the coveted Gold Medal of the American Institute of Architects will be honored April 9 by Notre Dame as part of a celebration of its College of Architecture's new master's degree program.

The daylong observance, called "A Salute to Architecture" and cosponsored by the AIA, will include a symposium in which the Gold Medal winners, who have been singled out for their distinctive contribution to the profession, will participate. They will also receive honorary doctor of fine arts degrees at an academic convocation.

The architects are the 1972 Gold Medal winner Pietro Belluschi, Portland, Ore.; Romaldo Giurgola, New York, 1982; Philip Johnson, New York, 1978; and Kenzo Tange, Tokyo, 1966. Missing is the 1979 medalist, I.M. Pei, New York, who will be out of the country at the time.

Other principals include John

alumnus who will deliver the address at the academic convocation; R. Bruce Patty, president of AIA, who will moderate part of the symposium; and Richard Wilson, author of a recent book on winners of the AIA Gold Medal and associate professor of architecture at Iowa State University and the University of Virginia. Wilson will speak on the history and significance of the Gold Medal and lead a panel discussion among the four architects at the end of the sym-

posium. Entitled "Thoughts About Architecture" and set in the auditorium of the Center for Continuing Education, the symposium will allow each of the Gold Medalists to discuss the past, present and future of architecture from his own perspective. It will be the first time these four medalists have appeared together, and the symposium and other events of the day will be open to a limited number of AIA members on a firstcome, first-serve basis.

Dean Roger Schmitz of the Col-Burgee, an architectural partner of lege of Engineering, in which Notre and Chicago.

Johnson's and a 1956 Notre Dame Dame's School of Architecture is located, will welcome participants. Professor Robert Amico, chairman of Notre Dame's School of Architecture, will host a luncheon between morning and afternoon symposium sessions. Patty and Father Theodore Hesburgh, president of Notre Dame, will speak at a dinner following the academic convocation.

> Last December, Notre Dame announced a gift of \$1.2 million from a 1950 architecture alumnus and Memphis businessman, William Bond Jr. The gift will endow the Montedonico Fund, named after Bond's mother, Rosa Montedonico Bond. The fund will generate Bond Fellowships for students pursuing the University's new master's degree in architecture.

The 30-hour advanced program will be open to candidates who have attained a professional undergraduate degree from an accredited architecture program or the equivalent. With a principal focus in architectural design, the program will also offer study opportunities in Rome

Bilbao that an anonymous caller claimed responsibility for the crash on behalf of ETA, the Basque group that demands independence for the Basque provinces of the north.

He said he did not know the cause of the crash, but he dismissed the possibility of a terrorist bomb attack.

Winicur to take over in June for Corbaci

people.

Special to The Observer

Leo Corbaci, a Notre Dame faculty member for more than three decades and dean of administration since 1971, will retire from his administrative position and become associate professor emeritus of economics June 30, University Provost Timothy O'Meara announced.

Assuming his responsibilities will be Daniel Winicur, associate professor of chemistry, who was named registrar two years ago. Winicur will be both registrar and dean of administration, as well as a consultant to the provost's advisory committee on

matters that affect his areas of responsibility.

Corbaci will continue to teach part-time. He joined the Notre Dame faculty in 1951 and five years later received his first administrative post as administrative assistant to the vice president for academic affairs. Subsequently, he served as assistant vice president for academic affairs and registrar, and later as assistant provost and registrar.

In 1972, he received one of the University's first presidential citations.

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Saint Mary's Peacemakers deal with nuclear war threat

By KIMBERLY TRENNER Staff Reporter

Recent interest in social justice has led to the formation of a group at Saint Mary's known as the Peacemakers.

According to Robert Hohl, reference librarian and principal organizer of this group, "the Peacemakers are a group of friends, members of the Saint

Mary's community, who are concerned with establishing a peaceful world." The Peacemakers, formed about a year and a half ago, work with both Campus Ministry and Justice Education.

Spurring the group's formation was "The Day After," a film about life after nuclear disaster, which was shown at Haggar College Center. Hohl said, "A group of concerned people realized that we had

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to have some sort of letdown period after the film."

During a discussion period after the film, students and faculty present decided they wanted to educate themselves about the threats of nuclear war. According to Hohl, they believe with education they can inform others about the serious dangers of nuclear war.

Originally, this group called themselves "The Six Minute People," referring to the travel time of a cruise missile from here to Russia. The group decided the name was too negative and opted

for the more positive name, "Peacemakers."

In the past, the Peacemakers have sponsored the film "Three Minutes to Midnight" as well as the voter registration drive. Last October, they worked with the Washington-based group, Network, publicizing the presidential platforms. candidate

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In Brief

Downers are down but uppers are up, according to a University of Michigan survey of this year's college freshmen. Use of LSD, PCP, cigarettes, alcohol, sedatives and tranquilizers declined from last year but cocaine use increased even among politically conservative students, leading to conclusions that cocaine is used to fuel high-energy efforts to "get ahead." - The Observer

William Schroeder became the first artificial heart recipient ever to leave the confines of a hospital yesterday, taking a brief ride in a wheelchair into the sunny parking lot at Humana Heart Institute. Meanwhile, the third artificial heart recipient, Murray Haydon, continued his remarkable recuperation, sitting up, drinking fluids and exercising. Doctors said he might be able to get out of bed today. Haydon had a slightly queasy stomach, probably a natural consequence of the stress of open heart surgery, said Dr. Allan M. Lansing, chairman of Humana Heart Institute International. - AP

Of Interest

Senior Formal tickets can be bought today as well

as Feb. 21, 25 to 28, and March 4 to 10 at LaFortune Student Center at Notre Dame and LeMans Hall at Saint Mary's, from 5 until 7 p.m. The price is \$56 and includes cocktail hour, dinner and dance at the Palmer House in Chicago. Second City tickets will also be sold for \$7.50 on a first-come, first-serve basis. Information concerning flower orders, tuxedo fittings, rooms and table reservations can be picked up at these times. - The Observer

The Millions Against M.S. Committee will be sponsoring a roller skating party at U.S.A. Roller Rink tonight from 5 to 9:30 p.m. There will be a \$3.25 admission charge, out of which \$1.50 will go to Multiple Sclerosis. To find the rink, take Edison east to the end and make a left. - The Observer

Interesting trivia from past Sophomore Literary Festivals

Like An Tostal week and the Notre Dame Jazz Festival, the Sophomore Literary Festival is a spring semester tradition at Notre Dame. When one considers that writers from around the world gather at this mediumsized, midwestern Catholic university and discuss their life's work, the festival can be seen as somewhat of a tribute to the University's world-wide esteem.

Since it began in 1967, the festival has featured both well-known and obscure writers. And sometimes what the writer does while he or she is at Notre Dame is as interesting as what the author says.

When Ken Kesey, the brilliant and flamboyant author of "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" and "Sometimes a Great Notion," spoke at the festival in 1977, he was in a quieter stage of his career. His interest in farming hardly coincided with exploits students had heard about in such books as Tom Wolfe's "The Electric Kool-Aid Acid Test."

But the figure of Kesey the Author soon overcame Kesey the Man and Farmer and his room at the Morris Inn soon deteriorated into a week-long party center.

Like many Notre Dame visitors, Kesey and his wife began their stay with a visit to the bookstore. There they bought Fighting Irish football jerseys which they wore every minute they were here.

Later that same week, playwright Tennessee Williams spoke to the students. He took the stage in the overflowing Washington Hall, sat down at a small table, poured himself a glass

give her

your

best!!

of wine, and offered up two toasts -- one to Our Lady, and the other to the gay students of Notre Dame.

That same week in 1977, William Burroughs spoke at the festival. It was a good year.

Poet Allen Ginsberg, said to be among the founders of the Beat and Hippie generations, gave the 1979 festival a lesson in "samtha," a slight variance of tradition Buddhist meditation. He instructed the audience to sit forward and erect with eyes open and relaxed because, he said, "We're not going to another world, we're right here in this world. The point is not to get anywhere, we're here where we are already."

Dan **McCullough**



News Editor

Similarly, playwright Edward Albee told the 1978 festival audience to close their eyes and listen to his play, "Box." In the play, no characters appear on stage; only only a dim outline of a cube and a voice.

"I'm extremely interested in words," said Albee. "Sometimes words just have to be listened to and not watched."

Author John Powers, whose bibliography includes "Do Black Patent Leather Shoes Really Reflect Up?", in his 1981 festival appearance, characterized social life at

a Catholic university. "Catholic girls are like whiffle balls; a lot of effort and very little distance," he said.

In 1968, Norman Mailer, author of "The Naked and the Dead" and the more recent "Tough Guys Don't Dance," spoke at the festival. The world premiere of his film, "Beyond the Law," coincided with his Notre Dame appearance.

Mailer may have gotten lost in the shuffle, however, because also on campus that week were presidential candidates Robert Kennedy and Eugene McCarthy, as well as William F. Buckley, who was

also participating in the festival.

One of the most confusing appearances at the festival was given by avant-garde composer John Cage in 1980. Cage wrote a piece randomly. "Each letter in each name (of his subjects) was assigned a word either from the dictionary or the encyclopedia, which began with the same first letter. Thus, the first word was chosen from the first page of the dictionary entries which correspond with the first letter in the first name, and so on," he explained.

Perhaps the audiences reaction was best described by the headline on the Observer story that ran the nex day, "Cage baffles audience."



"Campus Perspectives," wVFI's weekly talk show, will broadcast its first show of 1985 tonight from 9 to 9:30. The show is hosted by Vito Gagliardi and John Decker, and the guest will be Student Body President-Elect Bill Healy. Listeners can call in at 239-6400. - The Observer

"South Africa: An African Perspective"

will be the topic of a lecture by Piet Schabort, vice-consul of information for South Africa, tonight at 8 in the Library Auditorium. The speech is sponsored by the Student Activities Board's Committee on Ideas and Issues. - The Observer

Weather

Mostly sunny today with highs

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near 40. Increasing clouds tonight with lows in the upper 20s to low 30s. A 50 percent chance of rain tomorrow with highs in the mid to upper 40s.

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He then told the audience to concentrate on the breath from their noses. "Follow the breath out until the breath dissolves," he told them. After about five minutes of this, a student in the audience jumped up and yelled, "I don't believe you got paid for this!"

Ginsberg calmly rang a tiny bell and said, "It's just another thought form."

The views expressed in the Inside Column are the views of the author, and do not necessarily reflect the views of the editorial board or staff.





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Corbaci was a charter member of the College and University Machine Records Conference and chaired the organization in 1963. He was also president of the Indiana Association of College Registrars and Admissions Officers in 1969-70 and received its distinguished service award in 1970

Winteur has his doctorate from the University of California at Los Angeles and was a research fellow at the California Institute of Technology prior to coming to Notre Dame in 1970. He was promoted to associate professor in 1976 and made assistant dean of the College of Science in 1979.



Daniel Winicur



Leo Corbaci

A specialist in chemical physics, Winicur has continued his teaching and research while registrar.

The dean of administration conducts analytical studies for planning, financial analysis for the provost, and academic space allocation. The office also handles academic facilities inventory and sets priorities for their improvement.

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Questions about these positions should be directed to Sarah Hamilton at The Observer. Personal statements and resumes are due Wednesday, Feb. 27 at 5 p.m.

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College's 11th annual phone-a-thon sets \$75,000 goal for Annual Fund

By MARY HUFFMAN News Staff

A goal of \$75,000 has been set for Saint Mary's 11th annual Phone-A-Thon March 4 through 7 in the Hag-College Center. gar The Phone-A-Thon, sponsored by the College Development Office, involves students, faculty staff, administration and alumnae.

Julie Strazzabosco, as student coordinator of the event, is responsible for informing and scheduling students to work the phones.

The \$75,000 goal is an increase over last year's goal of \$65,000, which was surpassed by more than support fund for the College. Because Saint Mary's tuition covers approximately 75 percent of their budget, the Phone-A-Thon is a way to help cover remaining costs.

approximately 3000 calling alumnae of the College. According to Lisa O'Shea, assistant director of development, "We call them whether they're old or young. This is the average alumnae's way of helping the College." O'Shea is hoping the average donation will be about \$45 this year.

sary Club which contributes to the Hall.

6000. The money raised will be Annual Fund each year. Since the placed in the Annual Fund, a budget College was established 141 years ago, O'Shea hopes members of the Anniversary Club will donate \$141 this year.

To contact alumnae this year, at least 200 to 275 volunteers are Participants in the event will be needed. Last year, representatives from each class, clubs, and hall groups volunteered. This year 14 alumnae from South Bend will help.

Every volunteer will receive a free five minute phone call anywhere in the United States for every hour and a half volunteered. Volunteer slips can be placed in a box located in Saint Mary's also has an Anniver- Haggar College Center or Madeleva

Hall Presidents plan raffle for MS benefit

By SCOTT BEARBY Staff Reporter

a planned charity project.

the Multiple Sclerosis Association in hopes to offer "a lot of nice prizes in order to make a lot of money" for the

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Several South Shore workers fired after last month's Gary train crash

Associated Press

MICHIGAN CITY, Ind. - The South Shore Line, citing violations of operating rules, has fired three crew members of a train involved in a collision that injured at least 85 passengers, the company president said yesterday.

The commuter railroad company convened a board of investigators Feb. 9 to conduct an in-house inquiry into the Jan. 21 collision of two South Shore trains in Gary, company President Barry Prince said.

"The South Shore Line announced that the conductor, engineman and collector on the eastbound train -

train 123 - have been dismissed from service," he said, reading a prepared statement.

The same board determined that the dispatcher and crew of the westbound train were not responsible for the accident, he said.

The railroad, known formally as the Chicago South Shore and South Bend Railroad, operates commuter passenger service between those two cities.

Both trains were traveling on the eastbound track when the collision occurred, South Shore spokesman Bunton Richard said. The westbound track was under repair.

National Transportation Safety Board investigator Hubert Jewell Jr. said the conductor of the eastbound train proceeded on the available track, believing he could clear the single-track stretch ahead of the westbound train. Under normal operating rules, the westbound train should have had the right-of-way, he said.

Prince said that under union contract the firings can be appealed to him and so declined to say whether the violations of operating rules led directly to the accident. But he added: "that's the inference of the investigation."

Weather causes library roof leaks

By BILL HIGHDUCHECK News Staff

This winter's large amount of snowfall has not only caused problems for those trying to get around campus, but for students trying to study under the leaking roof of Saint Mary's library.

Lowel Barber, executive assistant to the controller for plant operations, said the current leaks in the Cushwa-Leighton Library are more severe this winter than last because of extreme weather.

The leaks are basically "confined to one area," said Barber. The buckets used to collect the dripping water occupy a 10 to 15 foot stretch on the west library wall.

The lack of "heat tracing cables" in the eaves of the library is the main cause of the problem, said Barber. Currently there are heating cables in the drain pipes to melt any snow or ice accumulating in the pipes, but since there are no heating cables in the eaves, snow and ice are allowed to accumulate, blocking drain pipes.

Barber said the water has been "leaking between the brick and concrete lavers of the wall." Once in the

hatchets up there to break up the ice.'

Damage to the library has been minimal. "No books have been affected yet," said Barber. The only item which might be damaged, if it

Barber said, "We have people with develops a water stain, is the carpet. Last year there was no damage to the library and even the carpet escaped without a spot.

> The library, which cost approximately \$6 million, was dedicated in the fall of 1982.



Flower arranging

Bridget McLarson, left, and Student Body Vice President Catby David, are hard at work at the Irish Gardens Florist Shop, in the basement of LaFortune. With Valentine's Day past, the Gardens and other local florists have a chance to catch up before the next wave of SYR s.



walls the water slips through a crack in the concrete walls of the second floor and into the awaiting buckets.

The problem surfaced last winter but its source was not discovered until last summer through the combined efforts of roofing contractors and the original architect of the library.

A contractor was hired last summer to install the heat tracing cables, but because of unavailability of materials, he was unable to complete the job. He said he would be able to finish before snow began falling this winter.

Barber said they are "upset at the contractor" for not installing the cables. The cables cannot be installed until there is an extended thaw which will melt all the ice currently in the drain pipes. Until then,

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The Peacemakers also sponsored the big screen TV presidential election debates, with discussion following.

About the event, Hohl said, "I was happy with the turn out. It was a good opportunity to compare viewpoints and perspectives."

Hohl said about one half of the students remained for the discussion. He said he thought there was a good level of interest in the issues, and good perception of womens' issues.

Hohl has several ideas for events this semester. He said he would like to bring some speakers to Saint Mary's, talking on topics such as the arms race, human rights, disarmament and human dignity. If speakers are not possible, the Peacemakers will probably host discussion panels. Hohl is currently trying to get the film, "A Day After Trinity."

Viewpoint

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George Washington would be suprised with us

P.O.Box Q

For those of you who have forgotten, George Washington's birthday is celebrated this week. He was a statesman, a soldier and a family man, and friend and enemy alike admired him. It is only fitting, then, that we

Dave Kroeger

Wednesday's child

take a little time out to contemplate the world around us and how it has changed since George's day. To be quite honest, there are a lot of things which have changed drastically, and it makes one wonder as to whether or not George would have considered all men equal had he caught a glimpse of twentieth century America.

George, for example, did not have to deal with Top-40 radio stations like those in South Bend. He had no idea that, someday, someone would claim to be America's "Uncle Bobby" who "plays all the hits." George would have some of the fashions currently being sported. questioned just exactly whose hits were being played.

George did not have to choose long distance telephone services. He had someone deliver his messages personally, and he did not worry about whether the postage rate was twenty cents or twenty-two cents.

George did not have to worry about wandering troops of break dancers in public places. Colonial Americans simply did not have "ghetto blasters," "Vans" or Ollie and Jerry. People danced in a standing position, not on their backs.

George did not have to watch commercials for waterbeds and Isuzus, he had no need to know that local appliance stores were having sales, and he was not an avid viewer of "Crime of the Week" spots.

Our first president, when he was warning Americans to "avoid foreign alliances," would have included Boy George and Wham had they been born.

George would not have been impressed by He would not have needed to imitate Patrick Ewing's basketball uniform in order to look imposing. One shirt would have been sufficient. What is more, George would have realized that it was not in the best of taste to look like members of Van Halen.

George would not have needed campaign slogans were he running for SBP. He would have realized that integrity speaks for itself, as does a lack of integrity.

George would not have been really concerned about lite beers and the people who made them. Nor would he have worried about cholesterol, salt or Nutrasweet. He would have known that studies with rats were unimportant.

George would have gotten tired of sports announcers after he saw interview 116 with Chris Washburn. He would have known hype when he saw it.

George would not have bought a Prince album just because everyone else was. He might have listened to it occasionally, but he would

have realized that rain was not really purple. Neither would he have bought a purple house.

George would not have needed a walkman. He would have been secure enough not to have forgotten the lyrics to "Like A Virgin" while on his way to class. Nor would he have needed to wear a Duran Duran button in order to prove his familiarity with progressive music.

George would have questioned middleaged men who sang "I Want To Know What Love Is." He would have thought that people with as much experience as they had should have been able to figure out what love was a long time ago. Surely, if they had not, they would not have publicized their ignorance.

George would have realized that this column was only poking fun at life, and that it had no serious intent other than to cause people to laugh at themselves. Thanks for the opportunity, George. Happy birthday.

David Kroeger is a sophomore in the College of Arts and Letters and is a regular Viewpoint columnist.

Will it take an injury to clear the sidewalks?

Dear Editor:

I am writing this letter as a protest to another one of those wonderful short-sighted views of our favorite group of bungling brothers - the Notre Dame administration. As most of us are well aware, the recent onslaught of weather has brought serious problems to the Michiana area, of which our small, prestigious, midwestern university is a part. The weather was so bad that the entire area was shut down for the day, a snow emergency was declared and all roads were officially closed. The South Bend Police and the Indiana State Patrol even went so far as to ticket those caught within 200 feet of snow plows canvasing the area.

But did the University in all its wisdom cancel classes? Of course not. Why? Well, accorunder any type of weather conditions, then do something to help them out.

We could call the actions of our favorite folk under the Golden Dome short-sighted and ignorant, but why delude them or ourselves when we all know what they were - just plain stupid. Maybe the next time the University will learn from the experience of the past few weeks and will not make the same mistake twice (I know, but I can always dream can't I?).

Unfortunately, though, as one alumnus trapped for the duration so calmly suggested. it will take a lawsuit from someone injured on the icy sidewalks or the death of someone trying to get here for the University to change its viewpoint. It is hard to believe that it would place class days above the safety of an entire scholastic community. One life or injury is too high a price to pay for an education. Perhaps it

say to the world that we get our education the film, however, this showing had to be postponed. We would like to apologize for the inconvenience caused, as well as to thank those who remained to view the substitute film "Abortion Clinic." Abortion is an extremely complex issue which must be approached with a great deal of thought and compassion. We thus encourage members of the Notre Dame - Saint Mary's community to attend the re-scheduled showing of "The Silent Scream" (date to be announced), as eduction is integral to understanding. "The Silent Scream" is a 20 minute real-time ultrasound videotape of an actual abortion of a 11-week-old preborn child, narrated by Bernard Nathanson, M.D. Dr. Nathanson was a cofounder of the National Abortion Rights Action League, and through the early 1970's personally "presided over" more than 60,000 abortions.

These films are very powerful and disturb-

Is Stepan Center meant to be closed?

Dear Editor:

What is the Stepan Center for? We were led to believe that apart from a few social functions and pep rallies, the center was created to serve the basketball needs of the North Quad. Obviously, this is not so. Not only is the center closed all day Friday, but also after 4:00 p.m. on Saturday. After suffering through a long week of classes, these are the most opportune times to play before the grind begins again on Sunday.

We cannot comprehend why this valuable and much needed space is closed at such optimum times. We would appreciate it if you could shed some light on this subject and preferrably those courts. Thank you.

ding to certain high ranking members of the University inner circle, they would not close because we pay close to \$10,000 a year for an education, eighty percent of all personnel needed to hold classes (the students) were already on campus and unless the weather conditions are very, very extreme they are not going to close this University and deprive us of the education we have paid for. Now I really should not be surprised by this short-sighted attitude, but I was. If this is the attitude they are going to take, then listen to this: If I am going to pay Notre Dame \$10,000 a year, and the administration is going to hold classes no matter what, then it has the responsibility to:

a) Provide us (the students) with clear, open, safe walkways on which to get around on campus - not just scraped over iceways barely big enough for a squirrel to get through. The first time I fall and break my neck on these so-called sidewalks I am calling a lawyer.

b) Plow the student parking lots. Why maintenance did not have us move our cars last week when the weather was decent and plow the lots is probably an answer we will only find in the twilight zone. The only way we can get in, much less get out of them, is to be towed

c) Provide workers faculty and staff with either the option of not coming in to work or provide them with a shuttle to get them here. If the administration is going to ask these people to take their lives and driving records into their own hands just so Notre Dame can

is time for the administration to practice the humanistic views it preaches.

Reginald V. Daniel Flanner Hall

Misinterpretation of speaker selection

Dear Editor:

less Guarino misinterpreted Saint Mary's criteria for selecting a commencement speaker and honorary degree recipients in her Feb. 12 article.

President Duggan's letter to the students outlines the criteria for such honorees but never states or intends that nominees must be Catholic. The letter states quite clearly that a nominee's values must be compatible with those of the Church. There is a very important difference.

> Ellen Bussing Pugb Ireland Program Counselor

Apology for delay of 'The Silent Scream'

Dear Editor:

On Thursday, Feb. 14 Notre Dame - Saint Mary's Right to Life scheduled a showing of "The Silent Scream," one of the most recent films dealing with abortion, and perhaps the most powerful. Due to a delay in shipment of

ing, yet essential viewing for anyone who desires to approach the issue of abortion with greater knowledge, sensitivity and concern. Again, our sincerest apologies for the postponing of "The Silent Scream."

> Teresa Donovan, President Notre Dame - Saint Mary's Right to Life

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The Women's Care Center — one life saved n

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C oncerned citizens and Notre Dame and Saint Mary's Right to Life members got together last year to raise funds in order to create a place to aid women. The Women's Care Center/Pregnancy Help Center, located on 417 St. Louis Blvd., has been busy ever since April 16, 1984 providing support and care to those seeking help.

Last year's phone-a-thon raised the funds to put this program into motion. Notre Dame and Saint Mary's donated additional aid. The office furniture was donated by the Holy Cross fathers. Students worked attentively to transform the old, unpainted house into the warm, welcoming home it is now.

Professor Janet Smith, the advisor for Right to Life; Deb Rogers, director; Kathy Thomas, educational and community consultant; and Vonnie Fiddler, staff counselor, are the competent coordinators of the center. A full-time staff of volunteers, including Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students, provide help with hot-line service and counseling at the center after 30 hours in training sessions.

Literature, pre-natal life slides, counseling and other services are provided to women free of charge. To this date, they have assisted approximately 800 women. "At least 30 women have been talked out of abortion. we've been very successful," says Smith.

Maternity clothes as well as baby clothes and toys are provided for financially troubled individuals. Various services are directed to the mothers who wish to give the babies up for adoption. Of course, all services are provided confidentially. A woman who seeks help at the Women's Care Center is first given a test to determine whether or not she is actually pregnant. If the test is positive, consultation and advice are provided for her. The woman's options would be discussed as well as the risks involved in an abortion. Also, the expectant mother would be informed of the assistance available for her in such things as medical expenses, housing and adoption processes.

> PREGNANCY HELP CENTER WOMPANS CARE CENTER PARKING IN CONTERN

If the test is negative, the counselors advise the woman on how to avoid the reoccurance of an unwanted pregnancy. "About half of the pregnancy tests done have been negative," says Rogers, "this result gave these women another chance to touch upon the reasons why they did or did not want a baby."

According to Rogers, many who got a negative result sighed with relief and began to reconsider their needs and their relationship with the man involved: Had the relatioship increased her self-worth? Was he someone she would want to marry and have father her child? Some women responded that they had not given these questions much Carol Gales/The Observer afterwards-- they even gave me a babyshower." She is now a young mother who is very pleased about her decision to have her baby boy.

thought. "Many of the couples were

direct questions of this nature," says

"I was pregnant and I didn't have

any support," confides one young

center, "I was scared. The center

was very supportive. They would

the options with me. I had a bad

selors even offered to let me live

with her. They made it a point to

call me every day and go through all

living situation and one of the coun-

help me through the pregnancy and

woman who sought help at the

willing to share and explore their

feelings when someone from the center got them together and asked

Rogers.

The center maintains the philosophy that the decision to have an abortion should not be made without full knowledge of the procedure, its affects and consequences. It believes abortion is not the gentle removal of the contents of the uterus but an unnatural surgical termination of a pregnancy and the life within the womb. Counselors feel that deep down inside, most women do not want to go through an abortion. They are afraid of being pregnant and that one must resolve all of these feelings before taking any steps. The center can provide the information needed to understand what abortion is about.

"The assistance we offer each woman varies," admits Rogers, "our hearts are big, but our resources are limited since we receive no government funds." The center relies on donations for maternity clothes and baby things, and the demand is great. Arrangements are made for pre-natal vitamins to begin the mother's nutritional program. There is a food bank for short-term or emergency assistance for families in need. The center maintains an abundant library of pamphlets and books on pre-natal care and development for the first-time mother. If the center is not able to meet a woman's needs, she is referred to other community agencies that can help her.

"Our biggest expanded service includes plans for establishing a house for single mothers," says Smith, "the thought alone astounds me, but there is a need to extend housing and we hope to meet this need."

The center is pleased with the results of its services. "We feel our work is worthwhile if we have saved just one life," says Rogers, "our goal in the next year is to continue to be a place where women, their boyfriends, and family can come.

"We are pleased that a number of people who see us have been recommended by women who have used the center and found us helpful."

The center is thankful to the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's community for all their assistance in helping to fund this worthwhile project.



At right, Deb Rogers,

Phone-a-thon — a proof of students' concern

Margaret McCabe

assistant features editor

'' There were 4,000 abortions today," said Peter Jennings at the beginning of an ABC evening newscast last week. "That is an average of one abortion every 21 seconds."

It is the harshness of facts such as these that has prompted many to devote time and effort to the fight against abortion. Here in South Bend, one concrete result is the Women's Care Center. Another is the annual phone-a-thon for the center, sponsored by students from the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's Community.

Monday evening, between the hours of 6 and 9:30, marked the kick-off of this very important fundraising effort.

"Last year we raised \$32,000 during the phone-a-thon," says Professor Janet Smith, the creator and coordinator of the Care Center. "This year we hope to raise between \$30,000 and \$50,000." The event is made possible by the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's Right to Life organization and by any students who volunteer their time to make calls.

The phone-a-thon is without doubt a community effort. The Development Office of the Administration Building has offered the use of its facilities, including phones. "This saves us about \$2,000," says Smith. "Also, Saint Mary's has donated \$500 in printing fees.

Smith emphasized that the callers themselves should be aware of their

importance in this effort. "Last year the lowest any caller made in one evening was \$60. The highest was \$550. This really helps and in a sense, any contributions that the students collect is their own contribution."

According to Smith, the phone-athon is the life blood of the care center. "We are helping women and saving babies' lives," Smith says. "What phone-a-thon participants are doing is allowing children to live that might have otherwise been killed."

As if this isn't enough incentive, the two callers who collect the most contributions will win a trip to Daytona Beach. Also, a party is in the planning stages for all the phone-a-thon participants as well as the dorm whose residents raise the most for the Care Center.

According to Otto Hilbert, the chairman of the phone-a-thon, most of the volunteers have been recruited by their phone-a-thon dorm representative. "There are 14 phones available for use and so each night there will be six people from three different dorms present to make calls." If the phone-a-thon continues for two weeks, the 37 dorms on the Saint Mary's and Notre Dame campuses will have ample opportunity to participate.

"It's a phenomenal opportunity for the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's community to make a dent in a social issue," says Hilbert, "Otherwise, students are limited by their lack of funds. We know and understand this."

As Hilbert points out, the phonea-thon will not only make an impact on the women who seek help from the center themselves. "It will hopefully make an impact on the community as well because it's a reflection of students' serious concern and determination when confronting the issue of abortion."

Any students who would like to participate in the phone-a-thon are asked to call Otto Hilbert at 239-7735, Bill Ryder at 283-3002, or Terri Donavan at 283-4059.



The Women's Care Center provides plenty of information for pregnant women who seek guidance and answers to their questions.

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nakes it all worthwhile



the executive director of the Women's Care Center and Cynthia Busk, assistant director.

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•Party at Mr. D's- The Junior Class is sponsoring a party at Mr. D's Canning Factory, 1516 North Ironwood. All classes are welcome to attend.

There will be drink specials and door prizes. A \$2 cover will be charged and donated to the MS drive.

•Bike-a-thon- Sign-ups are this week for the Bike-a-thon to be run as part of the University Food Service's Festival of Health. The Festival will be held February 27 through March 11.

The Bike-a-thon will involve 8-person teams from each dorm in both women's and men's divisions. Teams will collect pledges for the number of miles that they complete.

Competition will take place on stationary bicycles located in the dining halls. Teams will compile mileage during the rounds of competition.

There will be one round of competition each night in each dining hall. Two teams will compete each night. The team to compile the most mileage for the night, will advance to the next round of competition.

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Junior Bill Ryder and his mother Janet glimpse through a scrapbook containing pictures of the center in its early days. Bill was instrumental in the renovation of the original house. The winning dorms of both divisions will receive a \$150 gift certificate to a local sports establishment. The winning team members will receive preferred seating at the MTV concert if it is held at Notre Dame.

According to Mark Facer, Bike-a-thon chairperson, this event "should be one of our big ones." The amount raised "could be a couple of grand" according to Facer.

Students interested in joining their dorm team should contact their hall president, social commissioner, or athletic commissioner this week. For more information, contact Mark Facer at 283-1969.

DORM ACTIVITIES

•Stanford Hall- Profits from a foodsales night held during the past week will be donated to the MS drive.

•Fisher Hall- The laundry service will continue and proceeds will be donated to the MS fundraiser.

•Flanner Hall- A foodsale night was held last week and proceeds will be donated to ND Millions Against MS.

•Pasquerilla East- Proceeds from a March 2nd dinner raffle will be donated to the MS drive.

SAINT MARY'S

•Raffle- Chances for the raffle which includes dinners for two at several area dining establishments will be sold each evening this week from 6-11 in the dorms. For more information, contact Celeste Alleva at 284-5166.

DONATIONS

•Senior Bar and Alumni Club- \$350 in proceeds from a fundraiser held during the Penn State football weekend will be contributed to the MS campaign.

•Tau Beta Pi- The engineering fraternity will be making a sizeable donation to ND Millions Against MS.

•Direct Donations- Individual and group contributions are always welcomed. To make a direct donation, call Aline Gioffre at 283-2179 or mail checks to "ND Millions Against MS" to: Student Activities Office attn. ND Millions Against MS La Fortune Student Center, 1st Floor Notre Dame, Indiana 46556.

Gioffre was happy with the Valentine's Day turnout for the MS sales. The Glee Club deserves recognition for sharing profits from their singing-grams.

ND Millions Against MS urges students to be involved in activities which will benefit the drive.

Gioffre says, "The support of the campus groups reflects the support of the campus. We hope t by the end, we have so much support that we have no choice but to win (the concert)."

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Sports Briefs

Zahm Hall dominated last night's men's interhall swimming meet held at the Rockne Memorial Pool. Zahm's total of 77 points easily outdistanced Sorin's 31. Keenan finished third with 23 points, and was followed by Fisher with 7 points, Cavanaugh with 6 and Alumni with 5. Badin Hall was the only hall to participate in the women's interhall meet, and finished the evening with 6 points. - The Observer

A racquetball tournament is being held by NVA for all members of the student body, faculty and staff. There will be three divisions: one for intermediate players, one for advanced players and one for mixed doubles teams. The deadline for entries is today. For more information, call the NVA office at 239-6100. - The **Observer**

The Notre Dame Rugby Club will hold an organizational meeting tomorrow at 9:30 p.m. in the LaFortune Little Theatre. No experience or athletic ability is required. For more information, call Clarke at 277-7561 or Steve at 272-0828. -The Observer

A snow softball tournament is being held by the ND Millions Against MS Committee the weekend of March 1-3. The entry fee for teams of five men and five women is \$10, which goes to MS. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team. Anyone who is interested may sign up on Tuesday, Feb. 26, from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the LaFortune lobby. For more information, call Steve at 283-1045 or Jeff at 283-1049. - The Observer

St. John's still number one Georgia gains spot in AP Top 20

Associated Press

The University of Georgia is the first Southeastern Conference team in seven weeks to be ranked in The Associated Press basketball poll, and Bulldog Coach Hugh Durham believes the lack of a cable television contract has a lot to do with the league's absence.

Georgia was one of three new teams in the Second Ten this week, coming in at No. 18, as the top of the rankings remained much the same with St. John's, Georgetown and Michigan holding the top three spots. Virginia Commonwealth moved in at No. 17 after an absence of three weeks. Boston College, out of the Top 20 for four weeks, returned at No. 20.

Georgia, 17-6, was ranked for the first time this year despite a loss last week to Vanderbilt. The Bulldogs have won eight of their last 10 games, sparked by freshman center Cedric Henderson, whose recruitment has been the subject of an NCAA investigation.

"We've been close before, but every time we got where I thought game," Durham said.

Durham also cited the lack of a TV tie-in.

"If you look at it, the teams that are ranked pretty high are on some of those national cables," he said. No. 1 St. Johns and No. 2 Georgetown are in the Big East, whose games are shown on the ESPN cable network.

St. Johns kept its top ranking by running its winning streak to 17 with three victories. The Redmen, 22-1, received 59 first-place votes and 1,199 points from the nationwide panel of sportswriters and broadcasters.

Georgetown, 23-2, second to St. John's in the Big East, held the second spot in the poll, receiving the only other first-place vote and 1,141 points. Michigan, 20-3 and the leader in the Big Ten standings, remained third with 1,044.

Memphis State, 20-2, and Oklahoma, 21-4, swapped places from last week. The fourth-ranked Tigers held on to their Metro Conference lead with three league victories and finished with 975 points. The

ters per day

we should be ranked, we dropped a Sooners, who received 958 points, posted two Big Eight conference victories during the week.

> Duke, 18-4, moved up a notch to sixth, replacing fellow Atlantic Coast Conference member Georgia Tech, which fell to eighth. The Blue Devils received 913 points. Another Big East team, 19-4 Syracuse, had 873 points, climbing one position to seventh.

AP Top Twenty

The Top Twenty college college bask teams in The Associated Press poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, this season's records and total points. Points based on 20-19-18-17 etc. Notre Dame opponents are italicized.

1. St. John's (59)	22-1	1199
2. Georgetown (1)	23-2	1141
3. Michigan	20-3	1044
4. Memphis St.	20-2	975
5. Oklahoma	21-4	958
6. Duke	18-4	913
7. Syracuse	19-4	873
8. Georgia Tech	18-5	720
9. So. Methodist	20-5	675
10. Louisiana Tech	22-2	622
11. NevLas Vegas	20-3	549
12. Tulsa	19-4	496
13. North Carolina	19-6	375
14. lowa	19-6	360
15. Kansas	20-6	353
16. Illinois	20-7	311
17. Va. Commonwealth	20-4	161
18. Georgia	17-6	159
19. Oregon St.	18-5	84
20. Boston College	18-6	73
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X3049

HELP LOST I lost my keys at the brar or somewhere behind P.W. My roommates dont like me and keep locking me out. My rector her keys to my car so now I can't drive. (H. V.day-A.G.D.) iF YOU SEE A SET OF KEYS for room 522 on a ring with a blue plastic hook call LOU at 4110-help

FOUND: A set of car keys on a turquoise and black key chain on the lot between Walsh and Sorin on Sunday Feb. 17, 1985. To claim call Beth at 2978.

AAAAAAAAAH! I'm losing everything! 1 black gloves-Haggar 2/8 (name inside) 2 blue back-pack only one strap 3 red plaid scarf-saturday night between PW and Dilion it you tound any of these treasures Please call me (Giraffe, 1714) and you will be rewarded with total conciousness on your deathbed.

PERSONALS

Did you lose a woman's blue peacoat in the south dining hall lobby Tuesday night? Do you have mine? Please call Liz 2663 - I want mine back!

OAR HOUSE: COLD BEER & LIQUOR, CARRY OUT 'TIL 3 A.M., U.S. 31 N., ONE BLOCK SOUTH OF HOLIDAY INN.

BEST TIME-BEST VALUE: WHERE: DAYTONA BEACH !! WHEN: SPRING BREAK '85. WHO: ALL ND/SMC STU-DENTS. CALL 239-5136 OR STOP BY CLASS OFFICE, 1.5 SENIOR

SPEND SATURDAY NIGHT DANCING WITH CBS RECORDS AND WVFI, THE ALTERNATIVE

The Observer Notre Dame office, located on the third floor of LaFortune Student Center, accepts classified advertising from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday

through Friday. The Observer Saint Mary's office, located on the third floor of Haggar College Center, accepts classifieds from 12:30 p.m. until 3 p.m., Monday though Friday. Deadline for next-day classifieds is 3 p.m. All classifieds must be prepaid, either in person or by mail. Charge is 10 cents per five charac-

> ORIENTATION "85 needs you! Be an S.M.C. SURVIVAL LEADER. Attend one of two mandatory meetings: Wed. Feb. 20, at 6:30 pm Thurs. Feb. 21, at 6:30 pm in the Haggar College Center Parlor

I really really need 2 or 3 GA's to the March 3rd Washington game Christine (SMC) 4064

ATTENTION All members of Notre Dame's 1985 Microbiology Marketing Club Our gala annual petri dish sale will begin soon!

ATTENTION Anyone in McGRATH'S GRASS CLASS(Bio 102A) Those 5 extra points were a gift but the man's getting PRETTY PEEVED at us- PLEASE let's cooperate and keep the gifts coming. -- A GRATEFUL EMIL DROPOUT P.S.-If carrots aren't in season, plant pineapple seeds

Volunteers: Elementary & high school teachers and student supervisors are needed to work in the Catholic Missionary Diocese of Prince George, B.C., Canada We ask, if possible, a 2-year commitment. Room, board, medical coverage and stipend are provided. For more information, please contact: Frontier Apostolate, P.O. Box 7000, Prince George, British Columbia, V2N 3Z2, Canada.

PROFESSIONAL TYPING: CALL TINA 232-8749

ride needed to Phila. area for spring break,call 1213 ask for Bob.

> WORDPROCESSING 277-6045

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RIDE TO NEWARK NEEDED. CAN LEAVE ANY TIME AFTER THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 14. WILL SHARE USUAL. CALL MIKE AT x1745.

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Need a qualified PIANIST to give lessons to an ND student Call Rob 1076

Ride needed to Beloit Wisconsin leaving 2/22 and returning on 2/24 It is on the way to Madison. Please call Stacey AT 3882 if you can helo

10 Part-time researchers wanted by Chicago publishing company. Have fun on campus while earning money ...it can be done! Call 312-266-4840 or write SARSAPARILLA, Ltd., 62 W. Huron, Chicago, IL 60610.

Need ride to CHICAGO/North Shore this weekend.Can leave 11am Fri, Rob--3305

Need ride to Chicago/Evanston area 2/21 p.m. will share expenses Pls. call Kate x4272

Help! I need 4 tickets for the B.Y.U. game and I'm 4 short. Can you help? If so, call Terry at AT 1675.

RIDE NEEDED TO FORT WAYNE FEB. 22 CALL: JOHN 277-6559

Need riders to Pittsburgh or anywhere along I-80 leave 2/22 call Joe 2076 or 2085

RIDE NEEDED: INDIANA UNIVERSITY-BLOOMINGTON FRIDAY FEB.22-SUN.24 WILL SHARE EXPENSES ANGLE SMC-5273

TICKETS

IF YOU GOT IT, I NEED IT !! I NEED FOUR (4) GA'S FOR THE BYU GAME, IF YOU CAN HELP THIS DAMSEL IN DISTRESS PLEASE CALL RAMONA AT 3714

PLEASE HELP! Need 4 or 5 BYU GA's. Will Pay BIG BUCKS.Woody 1188

Need 2 GA's for MARQUETTE call ROSS 1897

Help! Need two GA's for the Washington Basketball game. Call 3790 and ask for Bob.

NEED BYU STUD TICKET CALL RAY 2066

need 2 GAs to BYU call ELAINE 2878 or 3186

HELP! Need 3 GA is or Student Tickets for the BYU Game. Will PAY BIG BUCKS!! PLEASE call Pete at 1170.

NEED BYU TIX CALL 3646

SAN FRANCISCO FLIGHT SPRING BRK Highest offer-Tim 1187

HELP!!! My parents have never seen an ND basketball game. and I'm about to graduate! If you have any available GA's for a

weekend game, call Lorie at 2810 - Today! (I'm a bit of a pup, so money is no object.)

NEED TWO GA OR STUDENT TICKETS FOR BYU GAME. CALL DON 1219

yyyyyNEED2GAs for BYU game!! Call Lauren at 3781.yyyy

Help! I need 4 tickets to the B.Y.U. game and I'm 4 short. Can you help? If so, call Terry at 1675.

NEED 4 GAS FOR BYU CALL BINGO x1178



lost: pair of gloves and hat left on bus after Chicago Trip please bring to Dr. Hofman

FOUND KEYS BY LIBRARY 2-11-85 SET OF FIVE ON ONE RING

lost: Double-strand gold bracelet at the Americana last Friday night. Special sentimental value. If found, please call Kathy at 284-4188.

LOST: One very small ladies' gold Seiko watch, in South Dining Hall before Christmas break. I know it was a long long time ago, and you're probably used to wearing it by now, but if you have a heart, I'd like it back, with no questions asked, except maybe "How did you get that little tiny watch to fit your wrist?" (You see, I have a very small wrist and it only fits me). Thanks, I'd appreciate it. Yours in Notre Dame, Kathy (3747).

I LOST MY BB TICKET AT THAT TER-RIBLE GAME AGAINST LOYOLA. SEC-TION 3 ROW 2. IF YOU FOUND IT PLEASE CALL JACK AT 1670. MY NAME IS ON IT. PLEASE, I AM A SENIOR AND THIS IS MY LAST CHANCE TO SEE OUR TEAM DO WELL

I'M LOSING IT! I lost my brown horn-rim glasses, contact case, and a necktie, all in a blue ND pencil case, last Friday in Cushing Hall. If found, please call Paul] 1549, or turn into Lost and Found.

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FOUND: One woman's thin brown leather glove outside of LeMans. call 284-4068 to daim

SOUTH BEND WINTER COLD GOT YOU DOWN? TELL ME ABOUT IT-AT LEAST YOU HAVE A JACKET-BUT ONE OF YOU LUCKY PEOPLE HAS TWO AND ONE OF THEM'S MINE! WHOEVER INTENTIONALLY OR INAD-VERTENTLY TOOK MY WHITE ESPIRIT JACKET FROM SENIOR BAR PLEASE RETURN IT TO THE LEMANS HALL LOST AND FOUND-NO QUESTIONS ASKED.(WHITE FLANNEL WITH SHEEP FUR COLLAR)

LOST: KEY RING WITH SMC I.D. AND KEYS. IF FOUND PLEASE CALL SMC 5489

HI HON! IS YOUR PROGRAM DONE? COMMONS WITH JOE TONITE? WHADDA YA SAY? LOVE YA ME

Stengle ... the King of Romance

LAFORTUNE, MON-FRI, 6-9pm

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ASH WEDNESDAY MASS - LYONS HALL 10:30 A TRIBUTE TO THE BEST --FR. STEVE

"Get ashes, get chicks."

Hey, Gibson. LIVE YOUR DREAM!

Hump Day needs a little help. Wednesday afternoons, catch the DJ's PEANUTS, KURT HOLZBERLEIN, AND LYNN CROWELL on WVFI. the ALTERNATIVE radio for the ND-SMC community.

NEED A GREAT SATURDAY NIGHT? WVFI, the alternative, and CBS RECORDS present a Video Dance Party --- Sat., Feb. 23 at 9:00 in Chatagua. \$1.00 per person, \$1.50 per couple --music, dancing, give-aways. WVFI AND CBS RECORDS BRING YOU FRIDAY NIGHT'S ALTERNATIVE!

HEY JOE! ARE YOU EXPERIENCED? THE ONLY DJS THAT MATTER! ARE CALL PAT AT 3318 OR 3317 OR DON AT 3573 CLEAR THE PURPLE HAZE OF OTHER CAMPUS DJS FROM YOUR MIND AND MAKE YOUR NEXT PARTY OR SYR THE ONLY DANCE THAT MATTERS!

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bridge players of Notre Dame utilize your expertise and/or luck two politically minded individuals are looking for a game. interested parties call 3185 or 4238

Wanting to go on the SAB trip to Ft. Lauderdale but you don't have the cash! Call 283-3815 and find out about a great discount!

LOGAN VOLUNTEERS: Coming this weekend -- CARNIVAL REC BE THERE OR BE SQUARE

Ernie.....What can we say? We hope you know how very special you are to us. Happy birthday. Love, C&K

Watch this space for details

THE TIME HAS COME! for FING'S KINGS Jimmy "Whiskey" Sower Michael "Big Man" Muldowney "Young Ed" Roohan Brian "The Creamer" Behmer and the rest of the Boys, Gentlemen, you've waited too long. It's show time ST. ED'S HOOPS -- AWESOME!

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HUNGRY? FREE DELIVERY CALL THE YELLOW SUB 272-4453 MO-TH 8-11pm FR-SA8pm-1am

Ruth Henry (alias SLASH) is 21 today! Happy Birthday. Love, Crash and Schwaz

Happy Birthday Slash, Thought: People with only 1 lens shouldn't play with knives.

Slash, Cut it all loose on your 21st Birthday!

RITA: You're a Parietals Breaker, Euchre Player, Shot Taker... Don't you mess around with D! Love, Deb and Chuck

Help. I need 4 tickets to the B.Y.U. game and I'm 4 short. Can you help? If so, call Terry at AT 1675.

WANTED: ONE N.D. MALE SENIOR FORMAL DATE. WILL SHARE ALL EX-PENSES. MUST BE TALL(5'10), DARK & GOOD-LOOKING PLEASE CALL CARLA 4228.

ANDRE, HAVE YOU BROKEN ANY SNOW SHOVELS LATELY?

BOULIGNY BERNA, HERE'S YOUR LONG-AWAITED PERSONAL!

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YES, I CAN. AND I LIKE WHAT I SEE !

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YO EMD! YEAH WHAT'S UP MAN? THERE GOES THAT GIRL THEY CALL ROXANNE. UTFO

sometimes riget so alsgusted rijust want to throw my hands up in the air and try to catch them with the stubs

anyone can code

Lynne Ewing. You were a goddess of a waitress, thanks.

your JPW dinner table

So you're the Computer Goddess, huh? Is that why you get computer Valentines?

Joe M.(with Chinese accent)"I can't find it!You sure you got one?" Its a brutal crowd.

LOCOM: OH MY!!! Love and kisses, the BP Girls

Fishhead Probation is illegal, immoral, unfair, unethical, and unbelievable. The P.E. upper echelon deserves a severe slap on the wrist, or at least a good party. Kinko does not love you. This is a warning from Lieutenant Fish.

She's Ruthless and is accepting birthday hugs, kisses, and clouts to the head today in room 233 Walsh!!

> Happy Birthday to you, Happy Birthday to you, Happy Birthday dear Ruthie, Happy Birthday to you!

> > love, mary ellen

I really really need 2 or 3 GA's to the March 3rd Washington game Christine (SMC) 4064

TO my Valentine Joe M. So Joe. You have to go. I hope you know, I disrespect you so. This may seem low Low, yes, but definately not a low blow

Love Susie

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'A' Division Playoffs Tonight

St. Ed's (No. 4 seed) vs. Dillon (No. 5) Gym 1, 6 p.m.

Flanner (No. 3) vs. Grace (No. 6) Gym 1, 7 p.m. Sorin (No. 1), Morrissey (No. 2) get byes

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Notre Dame sports doctor lectures on characteristics of knee injuries

By CHRIS SKORCZ Sports Writer

Dr. Leslie Bodnar, sports doctor at Notre Dame and an expert on knee injuries, spoke last night at the football auditorium of the ACC on the various methods for treating and preventing such injuries.

"Many activities are responsible for serious knee problems," said Dr. Bodnar. Skiing, soccer, football or any other sport which requires a lot of running, cutting, and changing direction make the knees vulnerable. However, these problems occur in other walks of life: automobile accidents, falls from ladders, etc. So it is not only in sports that we see such injuries.

'Recent studies have shown that the single most important method of preventing injuries is preseason

conditioning. Such appropriate let so he can save his knee from furpreparation will definitely diminish the extent of damage or the amount of surgery required. The conditioning is most effective if it involves all of the body, not only the quadriceps and the hamstrings. The lower extremities must be in especially good shape.

be used after having injured one's knee," Dr. Bodnar said, "lateral bracing is very popular right now. As a matter of fact, the demand for these braces is very high, and Notre progress we've made in treating bad Dame uses them as well. However, despite the great number of ballplayers using them currently, the statistics don't bear out their value as truly effective measures. Sometimes the injured person will be required to find some other out-

ther damage."

Citing running as one of the most popular methods of exercise, Dr. Bodnar remarked that "running is not necessarily bad. There are a lot of factors which contribute to knee problems as a result of running. Running uphill and downhill, rough terrain, icy ground, and poor footwear "As far as preventive measures to all play a part in the injuries. The key to avoiding them is to maintain flexibility with warmups before and warmdowns after running.

> "We're very pleased with the knees," continued Dr. Bodnar. "We started operating around 1950 and we've made a lot of improvements but there remain many cases that simply can't be brought back to normal. For example, in instances of ligament damage, surgery is successful only about 85 percent of the time and of those successes, very few ever recover fully. Actually, it's pure luck if the patient gets back to normal. We can only hope to reduce the injury to a slight instability.

> "Years ago, cortisone shots were used to extend the careers of athletes who didn't want to be forced to withdraw completely from the game. However, although these shots are still used, we rarely administer them more than one or two times since we have found that the cortisone causes cartilage damage. It is an anti-inflammatory drug, and it eases the pain, but longterm usage may lead to arthritis. This is the case with Dick Butkus, who is now involved in a legal battle with the Bears because he contends that he was not warned of what might happen if he were given cortisone in large doses over a long time period."

Ramblers

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Joining Mimnaugh in the Loyola backcourt is 5-8 junior guard Kathy Leyden, the team's leading scorer, who averages better than 15 points per game. The frontcourt is not big but it is balanced, with 5-10 senior Kathy Myers and 6-0 junior Jackie Hustzi at the forwards, flanking 6-0 center Sue Busiel. Another key player in the frontcourt is 6-0 junior center Maureen McNerney. The Irish will have an edge in size on the front line with 6-0 Lynn Ebben, 6-0 Mary Beth Schueth, and 6-2 Sandy Botham starting, but DiStanislao knows that guards Trena Keys and Mary Gavin will have to play well if the Irish are to win. "We've got a little more height than Loyola, with Trena, Lynn, Sandy, and Mary Beth, but the inside game won't be the major part of our game plan," explains DiStanislao. "We're going to have to hurt them from the outside in order to win. That means that Trena, Lynn, and Laura (Dougherty) will have to shoot well from the perimeter." Similarly, Loyola's offense cannot be stopped by shutting down just one phase of it. "We can't figure on just taking away their inside game," explains the Irish coach, "because they shoot well from the perimeter. Their leading scorer (Leyden) is a guard, so you know that they can get the job done from the outside just as well." A victory over the defending conference champs tonight would be a tremendous boost to Notre Dame's hopes for an NSC title in 1985, but it could be the toughest assignment that the Irish have faced this season in conference play. "Loyola is still the team to beat in the conference," says DiStanislao. "They're playing well right now. They're a team with good solid players and strong leadership. They're not flashy but they get the job done."

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JV hockey team finds great success in first year

By BRIAN McCARTHY Sports Writer

With the last of the scholarship players leaving the Notre Dame hockey program in a few years, head coach Lefty Smith is looking for ways to develop more players. The junior varsity hockey team is one of the products of Smith's efforts to keep hockey at Notre Dame alive.

Actually, the loosely knit group of about 20 players is technically neither a junior varsity team nor an official club team. The team receives no backing from the athletic department except for an hour of ice time each day at the ACC rink. All team members must provide their own equipment and any traveling costs are either paid by the team itself or with money from fund-raisers like this week's raffle, which will enable the squad to travel to Indiana University this weekend.

The team began to take shape back in September when Carl Bastien, a graduate student who played three years of hockey for MaGill University in Canada, contacted Smith to see if he had any eligibility left. Although Bastien learned he was no longer eligible to play varsity hockey, Smith brought up the idea of starting the junior varsity team.

Bastien said he was interested and after the varsity tryouts, Smith told the players who did not make the varsity that they could play on the chance to remain in contact with the program. As news of the new team spread around the campus, others joined the squad and practices soon were under way.

junior varsity team, giving them a

At first, Bastien and assistant coach Mike Barry had trouble finding games because most of the junior varsity teams had their schedules already filled. Eventually, a schedule was put together, with the opponents ranging from the Fort Wayne Juniors, a club made up of 16 to 18 year olds, to the Ferris State junior varsity, a school which plays in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association.

Smith has allowed Bastien and Barry to remain in charge of the coaching the entire season.

"We've been teaching our own system," says Bastien. "We have to stress the fundementals of passing and position a lot more than the varsity does. Some of the guys played on high school teams that didn't have very good programs."

The team struggled before Christmas break, but during January the practices and coaching started to pay off.

"The team turned around during January," says Bastien. "We really jelled. All of a sudden the team started doing all the things I had been teaching them, things they weren't doing the week before."

Currently the Irish have an 8-2-1

record, with their only losses coming at the hands of Ferris State. Leading the way have been Chris Kleeva, Kevin O'Neill, Hugh Wade and goalie Pete McCormick. The Irish have three games remaining on their schedule but are anxious to get some more.

"Everyone is excited about going to IU this weekend," says Bastien. "We want to go 11-2-1 and we think we can."

As important as these games are for the players, some of them hope to use the junior varsity team as a stepping stone to the varsity. Certainly this is what Smith had in mind when he decided to organize the team.

"We can only have so many people on the ice at one time," says Smith. "Some of them need additional work to develop their skills but the interhall competition doesn't provide enough competition. We announced the team as an alternative to interhall."

Although Notre Dame did have an official junior varsity hockey team in the past, Smith sees the current squad developing into club team.

"It the program develops successfully, it could apply to the athletic office for full club status," says Smith. "It's an alternative for the borderline players to give them a chance to improve. It can be a feeder system but never the type of situation where expenses are paid."

The players on the junior varsity team will not mind if they do not always travel first class, as long as they get a chance to play hockey.

"These kids are out on the ice and work for the love of the game," says Smith.

Hopefully, the hard work will help the players improve to the point where they can earn a spot on the

varsity. For others, they enjoy playing hockey and are glad to get all the ice time they can.

Until this year, a hockey player had no where to turn after getting cut from the varsity, but now, through the efforts of people like Bastien and Barry, the varsity hopefuls as well as the people who just want to give hockey one last try have the opportunity to represent Notre Dame on the ice.



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•4:20 p.m. — Colloquium, "Lady or Tiger - Nuclear Theory in the Early 1930's," Prof. Laurie Brown, Northwestern University, Room 118 Nieuwland.

•5 - 7 p.m. - Senior Formal Registration, LaFortune and LeMans, \$56 Bid Price.

•6:15 p.m. — Circle K Meeting, Center for Social Concerns.

•7 p.m. – Basketball, ND Women vs. Loyola, ACC Arena.

•7, 9 & 11 p.m. — Film, "Annie Hall," Engineering Auditorium, \$1.50.

•7 & 9:30 p.m. - Film, "Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid," Carroll Hall (SMC), \$1.50.

•7:30 p.m. - Lecture, "Who Speaks for the Earth?" Miriam Therese MacGillis, Genesis Farm, Center for Social Concerns, Sponsored by CILA, Free.

•8 p.m. - Lecture, "South Africa: An African Perspective," Piet Schabort, Vice-Consul for South Africa, Library Auditorium, Sponsored by Student Activities Board, Free.

•8 p.m. – Lecture, "Human Nature and Homeric Self," Dr. James Redfield, University of Chicago, 122 Hayes Healy.

•8:30 p.m. - Wednesday Night Film Series, "Under the Roofs of Paris," ETS Theatre in the CCE.

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THAT LITTLE GUY NEEDS

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Sports

Trena Keys, leading scorer for the Irish, will try to Burke previews the contest below. rebound tonight against Loyola after having her streak of 12 consecutive games in double figures

The Observer/Vic Guar stopped in Sunday's game against Detroit. Larry

Irish women entertain Ramblers in an important conference matchup

By LARRY BURKE Sports Writer

Conference play begins tonight for the Notre Dame women's basketball team as the Loyola (Chicago) Ramblers visit the ACC for a 7:00 contest. In the next seven days, Mary Distanislao's 13-8 Irish will face defending NSC champion Loyola. twice and also take on DePaul, the both meetings with the Irish, en team which dealt Notre Dame its route to a 9-1 NSC record. Loyola's only North Star defeat of the season.

Dayton at home to vault into the number-two spot.

Tonight's game will be the first An important week of North Star meeting of the season between Notre Dame and Loyola. The teams were scheduled to play on Jan. 25 in Chicago, but poor weather conditions prevented the Irish from making the trip.

Last season, the Ramblers won

points a game, and Hawkins' squad features five players with doublefigure scoring averages. The key to the Rambler offense, however, is 5-2 senior point guard Faith Mimnaugh, who averages 11.6 assists per game.

"Loyola is a team that doesn't make many mistakes," says DiStanislao. "Obviously, if you've got a point guard who can connect on 11 passes a game, you've got a player who throws good passes and a team with good hands. Loyola is a team that can hurt you a lot of different ways. Their players are very fundamentally sound - they post up well, they hit the boards well, and they're confident with the ball in Mimnaugh's hands."

College basketball helps the Garden

Chuck Freeby



Irish Items

Hello again, everybody!

Tonight, Notre Dame's basketball team travels to New York to play Fordham, a highly inauspicious occasion in the annals of sports history. That doesn't mean it might not be a good game, but it is hardly the kind of matchup that stirs people to great interest. However, the saving grace of the game is the fact that it will once again take place in the mecca of the sports world -- Madison Square Garden.

At one time, people knew that if a major event in sports was going to happen, it was going to be in New York City. If it was baseball or football, you would head to Yankee Stadium or the Polo Grounds. If it was anything else, it was at Madison Square Garden. No questions asked.

Times have changed, though. The best baseball in New York is played by the Mets in an annex of LaGuardia airport known as Shea Stadium. If you want to see football in New York City, you had better hope Columbia is playing a home game, because the Giants and Jets are now playing under assumed names in New Jersey. Even the Nets of the old ABA have moved to New Jersey. New York is losing sports franchises faster than it loses money.

Madison Square Garden still stands as the main host of sports in the Big Apple, but even the quality of its events have diminished. The most popular sport in New York is currently professional wrestling. Names like Frazier, Lucas and Esposito have given way to Hulk, Superfly and Kamala, the Ugandan Giant. The fervor surrounding the Knicks has been replaced by some bizarre disease known as "Hulkomania." One cringes at the very thought.

Boxing, which used to hold all its great fights in the Garden, has since chosen such highly exotic and suspicious sites as Atlantic City, Reno, and Las Vegas to host its biggest bouts. Instead of the gamblers going to the bouts, the bouts now go to the gamblers. The last big fight to be held in this town was Ali-Frazier in 1971, unless you include Goetz vs. Screwdriver in 1985.

Hockey in the Garden is still popular, but the only excitement provided by the Rangers is the fact they are valiantly trying for the last playoff spot in the Wales Conference. Herb Brooks may have been able to perform miracles with the U.S. Olympic team, but mortals do have their limits. The Rangers proved to be more troublesome to Brooks than the Soviets, and Herb is currently

The Ramblers have an overall record of 15-4 this year, and their 6-2 NSC mark is good for second place behind the 6-1 Irish. Last Friday, Loyola registered an important victory when it beat then-first-place sive attack that averages over 70

Marty Hawkins, last year's Coach of the Year in the NSC, lost only two letterwinners from last year's team, and his current squad features an effective blend of strong inside play and accurate perimeter shooting. Lovola has a high-powered offen-

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Notre Dame meets Fordham

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By ERIC SCHEUERMANN Sports Writer

Coming off its disappointing performance Monday night against Loyola of Maryland, the Notre Dame men's basketball team will invade Madison Square Garden tonight to take on the Rams of Fordham University.

The Rams stood at 15-8 through last week's game against St. Peter's, and were 7-4 in the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference.

exciting one, if only because the get him to transfer to Stanford. Rams will probably try to slow the ball down against the Irish.

"Fordham is a very, very tough game to play because what they want to do is go to the four-corner offense as soon as they get the lead," says Irish head coach Digger Phelps.

"It could be 2-0, but if we don't score and they get the ball, they'll spread it out. That's just how they play."

Fordham's strong suit is its depth. The Rams lost only one player off last year's squad, and are in a position to use many different players if needed.

"We really have quality depth on this team," says Ram head coach Tom Penders. "We have more versatile players on this team than in the past, and that gives me the opportunity to use many different combinations."

Tony McIntosh and Jerry Hobbie. The 6-2 McIntosh leads the team in scoring with 19.5 points per game. A well-rounded player, McIntosh is second on the team in assists with

Hobbie, who also stands 6-2, is probably best known for the unique reception he received last year at Stanford University when the Rams played at the Stanford Invitational. The Cardinal fans were so captivated with Hobbie that they started the The game may not prove to be an Jerry Hobbie Fan Club and tried to

> But Hobbie is also well known for his basketball ability. His 141 assists contributes 9.7 points per game.

will be 6-3 sophomore George Jones, who has seen action in 23 games, and 5-9 sophomore Eric victory. Brooks, who has played in 19 of the Ram's contests. Together, they contribute about five points per game.

Six-seven forward Steve Samuels Fordham. The leading scorer and rebounder last year, Samuels is scoring 16.2 ppg and is again leading game.

The other starting forward is 6-5 helps out with 6.4 ppg and 4.4 Notre Dame's undivided attention.

The Rams are led by senior guards rebounds per game, and is known for his strong defensive play.

> Six-four sophomore Joe Franco, an explosive runner and jumper, also sees a great deal of playing time at forward, averaging 5.4 ppg and 2.7 rebounds.

> Center has been the question mark for the Rams this year, after losing last year's pivot man, Dave Roberson, to graduation. 6-6 sophomore Frank Williams has stepped into the departed Roberson's spot this year, and has contributed 5.7 ppg and 5.5 rebounds. Six-ten Goran Skoko backs up the bulky Williams, and adds some much-needed height to the Ram lineup.

Although the Irish hold a distinct and 57 steals lead the Rams, and he height advantage over the Rams, the same was true on Monday night Also helping out at the guard slot against the Loyola Greyhounds, when Notre Dame found out that height alone does not guarantee a

> The Irish will try to force the Rams to abandon their slowdown, specifically by jumping out to an early lead.

"I think the key thing in this game is the main force up front for is that we just have to jump out, pound the boards, and get the lead at the beginning," says Phelps.

After the scare against Loyola, the the Rams in rebounding with 6.9 per Irish know what it means to take one game at a time. And tonight's game against Fordham in New York will junior Don McCormick. McCormick not be an easy one. It will require among the ranks of the unemployed.

Then, there is the subject of basketball. Take the New York Knicks, please. This team, at one time, was the heart and soul of New York sports. Willis Reed, Dave DeBusschere, and Bill Bradley led a great franchise to an NBA title. The Knicks have since slid to a position where they will be able to do what few NBA teams can do -- fail to make the playoffs. Other than Bernard King, the only good things that can be said about the Knicks are that they still play in New York and that they will finish the season.

Fortunately for the folks at the Garden, there is another sport which seems to be growing in popularity in the Big Apple. Believe it or not, college basketball is undergoing a renaissance in New York. The city has become enamored with Chris Mullin, Lou Carnesecca and the St. John's Redmen. When the Redmen play at the Garden, it's tough to get a ticket. The New York area hasn't been this taken with a college team since Fordham in 1971. That squad was coached by a young upstart named Digger Phelps, who coached his Rams to a victory over a team called Notre Dame.

New Yorkers have always been people to support good college teams. In the '40s and '50s, fans poured through the turnstiles to see the great CCNY and NYU teams. Then, the college basketball-fixing scandal hit the East, and the sport virtually disappeared in New York, with the exception of the NIT tournament.

Now, though, The Garden has some lucrative draws. St. John's has played several of its games there during the season, and of course, Notre Dame will be a big draw with the "Subway Alumni" tonight. NIT officials have tired of getting the best of the rest, and have decided to make their tournament a great pre-season event. Once again, the Garden will serve as host to the best in college basketball.

Unfortunately, tonight's event couldn't even qualify for the "Best of Carson". The Irish and Fordham might not be as bad as the Knicks and Golden State, but they certainly won't be much better. Notre Dame, after an inexcusable poor performance against Loyola, hopes to bounce back against Tom Penders' Rams. Hopefully, Notre Dame will be able to concentrate on tonight's game, instead of looking ahead as it did Monday night, or this game may wind up looking like another popular Madison Square Garden event.

The Grand National Dog Show.

Pick of the Week. . . I'm not sure if there has ever been any fencing in Madison Square Garden, but there will be plenty of it at the ACC in the next month. Coach Mike DeCicco's Irish fencers begin the home portion of their 1985 schedule Saturday with a sixteam meet featuring defending national champion Wayne State to be held under the north dome.

The Irish currently stand at 16-0, and are looking towards a possible national championship when the NCAA tournament is held at Notre Dame over spring break. DeCicco's squad could get a real shot in the arm with a sweep on Saturday. Go on out and cheer them on.