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Novelist Irving previews new novel for capacity crowd

By JOHN WALTERS
News Staff

The father of "Garp" introduced a group of orphans to a standing-room-only crowd at the library auditorium last night.

John Irving, the internationally-known author whose credits include "The World According To Garp" and "Hotel New Hampshire", was the featured speaker for the fourth night of the Sophomore Literary Festival.

Irving, along with George Hunt, editor-in-chief of America magazine, attracted this year's festival's largest audience by far. His presentation consisted primarily of reading from the first chapter of his forthcoming novel, "The Cider House Rules."

The novel, slated for a June release, concerns the relationship between an obstetrician/orphanage director, Dr. Wilbur Larch, and the orphan for whom he is unable to find a home, Homer Wells. It is a story about their love and what eventually drives them apart.

Irving, a native of New Hampshire currently residing on Long Island, opened with an explanation of his novel's title. "It refers to the cider houses of a New England apple orchard," he said. "The migrant workers would live in the houses, and the orchard owner would type up set rules for the migrants to obey."

He cited a few of the rules as "Please don't drink," "Please don't sit on the roof," and "Please don't drink while sitting on the roof."

Irving was an apple orchard foreman in his youth, and noticed

that the migrants never obeyed the posted "cider house rules" because they did not know how to read. He brought this to the attention of the orchard owner who responded, "That's no excuse for not following the rules."

"The Cider House Rules" itself has nothing to do with apples orchards or migrant workers, however; instead, it is a historical text concerning orphanages from the period 1870-1950.

Irving's inspiration came from reading the texts of his grandfather, an obstetrician during this time. He found these medical texts of a small-town doctor anecdotal enough to incorporate into a story.

The story is set in the once proud logging-camp community of St. Cloud's, Maine. "First came the logging mill, then the vagrants, then the thugs, and at last there was a church," read Irving.

Three times Homer is given to foster families, with each family more bizarre than the last. At his third home, the abode of Professor and Mum Draper, Homer narrowly escapes sexual molestation from Mum's grandson by crying out. When Mum runs to the bedroom to investigate, the boy reverses the story, explaining to his grandmother, "He tried to bugger me, so I him have it."

George Hunt, a Jesuit who has written major critical analyses on the works of John Updike and John Cheever, addressed the audience prior to Irving. He spoke of Updike's works and discussed literary techniques.



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Novelist John Irving, author of "The World According to Garp," read the first chapter of his upcoming novel last night at the Sophomore Literary Festival. Story at left.

N.Y. politician Lehrman speaks on faith, family, U.S. Constitution

By KAREN THOMPSON
and HARDY LEWIS

News Staff

Lewis Lehrman, mentioned as a possible dark-horse candidate for the 1988 Republican presidential nomination and narrowly defeated by Mario Cuomo in the 1982 New York gubernatorial race, spoke last night on "Faith, Family, and the American Constitution."

Lehrman, chairman of "Citizens For America," stated that America is the "preeminent standard-bearer of the code of Judeo-Christian civilization."

The members of "Citizens For

America" have begun a major push in support of the government cost-cutting recommendations of the Grace Commission, which favors a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution, and will continue its efforts in support of aid to Central America.

In his speech, Lehrman made reference to the bishops' letter denouncing poverty. He agreed with their conclusion, but expressed dissent with their means of achieving it.

"While I agree with the bishops' motives, the means to that goal lie deep in the democratic way of life - free economy," he said.

Lehrman urged his audience to be

"attentive to the just claims of the least among us." He advocated a low simple tax rate and favorably compared American free enterprise to the Social-Democratic welfare states of Western Europe.

On the American family, Lehrman claimed that recent legislation has shifted the burden of taxes to the middle-income family with two to four children. This factor, he said, "is reducing the American family."

Lehrman, who recently helped launch a petition effort in support of a simplified tax code, also added that, "Everything I am, and everything I could ever be rises up from the simple fact that I am an American."

Bishop McManus presents two opinions of U.S. economy

By MARGARET CLARKSON
News Staff

Bishop William McManus of the Fort Wayne-South Bend diocese presented the bishops' views on the American economy as well as those of the "other side" during his talk last night in Howard Hall's chapel.

The bishop's talk was made possible by Howard's religious commission leader, Mark Bomber, with the assistance of the hall's rector, Father Eugene Gorski.

Defending the bishops' involvement in economics, McManus said, "Bishops should make a stand on economics. Jesus Christ addressed himself to economics. For a second reason, bishops seek to address the evil of widespread wealth distribution."

McManus added that preaching on economics "is not an innovation. It's very much in the Biblical tradition of the Church." He also expressed a desire "for the beginnings of a pastoral council with lay men and women pooling their ideas."

The bishops' stance defending Church involvement in economics, according to McManus, is that "economics is subject to a higher moral law. Unemployment is a hideous evil and grinds a person down. Decisions of economics must be based on what they do to and for people, not to what they do to and for stock and corporate structures."

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The opposing view, which articulates the bishops' criticism of the current administration's role in American economics, is that "the best economics is unrestrained economics - Reagan's supply-side economics and the trickle-down theory. In other words, let it be."

McManus summarized the bishops' opposite opinion concern-

ing government intervention, saying, "Government should create jobs so that people are not sitting idle, rotting at home. (What is needed) is less unemployment and more jobs."

McManus also pointed out the opposition's opinion that creating jobs would cause taxes to rise, job opportunities in the private sector to diminish, and more unemployment to result.

"From their (the government's) point of view the best thing to do would be to say, 'Face it, it's an immoral system,'" McManus said. "The bishops repudiate the idea that it would be better to leave these (poor) people as they are than to let the government intervene."

After the speech, McManus was questioned on his recently-announced resignation. Citing age as the primary factor, McManus replied, "It's a tradition for bishops in the Chicago area to resign soon after they reach the age of 70. This gives the younger ones a chance to move up."



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Fort Wayne-South Bend Bishop William McManus makes a point last during his speech on the letter "Catholic Social Teaching and the U.S. Economy." Story at right.

In Brief

The Saint Mary's Programming Board met last night and announced that applications for student government commissioners are available today through Thursday, March 7, in the Haggar College Center. The student body officers will visit each dorm on the evening of Tuesday, March 5, to explain these commissioner positions. They will be in the lobby of dorms at the following times: LeMans, 6-6:30; Holy Cross, 6:30-7; Regina 7-7:30; McCandless, 7:30-8:00. The Chameleon Club will meet this Friday from 5 until 7:30 in Haggar. Entertainment will be provided. The movie "Flash" will be coming to Carroll Hall on March 5. Show times are 7 and 9:30 p.m. This Saturday there will be a college open house at Angela Athletic Facility from 12:30 until 2:30 p.m. in honor of Sophomore Parents' Weekend. - *The Observer*

Macho nerds for Reagan and Girl Geeks for the Gipper claim to represent the true spirit of Reaganism and have been stealing the show at the University of Wisconsin's College Republicans' pro-Reagan rallies. The Nerds' platform includes national standards for lawn care and a chain of retail stores called "Wars R Us" to reduce the deficit. - *The Observer*

Dartmouth's tuition and room and board fees are jumping to \$14,860 next year, making it more expensive than Ivy League counterparts Brown, Columbia, Cornell and Pennsylvania. The 8.9 percent increase follows a 9.5 percent hike in 1983 and an 8.5 percent increase announced last year. Tuition was \$13,537 last year. Among the reasons for the increase that were cited by the school were more financial support for athletic programs and improvements in the college's computer capabilities. - *AP*

Of Interest

Developments in labor will be the topic of a workshop, sponsored by the Helen Kellogg Institute, to take place this evening and continue through March 2. The workshop, titled, "Labor in Contemporary Latin America" will bring together some 20 invited scholars from this country and abroad. It will consider developments primarily in Argentina, Brazil, and Chile but also will aim to incorporate insights from recent research on Europe and the United States. A Roundtable session, designed to present some of the principal workshop themes and issues to a broader audience, is scheduled for 7 this evening in Room 131 Decio. A full agenda can be obtained by contacting the Helen Kellogg Institute at 239-6580. - *The Observer*

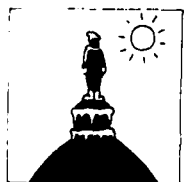
A Senior Cocktail Party will be held in the Monogram Room of the ACC tonight from 9 until 1 a.m. The cost is \$3 at the door with proceeds going to MS. Drinks will be free from 9 to 11 and a raffle will be held for a Senior Formal Bid and a trip to Daytona Beach for spring break. A 21 ID is required. - *The Observer*

A "jumpathon" to raise money for the American Heart Association is planned for March 16 from 1 until 3 p.m. at Stepan Center at Notre Dame. Participating will be third- through eighth-grade Catholic students from St. John the Baptist, St. Joseph, Holy Family and Our Lady of Hungary schools in South Bend; St. Bavo, St. Monica and St. Joseph schools in Mishawaka and St. John the Baptist school in Goshen. - *The Observer*

Applications for Saint Mary's student government commissioners positions are being accepted beginning today until Thursday, March 7. Applications may be dropped off anytime at the front desk in Haggar College Center. - *The Observer*

Weather

Mostly sunny and mild today. High in the middle to upper 40s. Southwest wind around 10 mph. Tonight, fair and not quite as cold. Low in the lower 30s. Tomorrow, mostly sunny and warmer. High in the lower 50s. - *AP*



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Sophomore class officers deserve recognition, thanks

This week the Sophomore Literary Festival committee is proving once again that sophomores can organize a thoroughly successful event. It seems a fitting time to recognize a group of sophomores who have organized a thoroughly successful year: this year's officers of the class of '87.

In the garbled world of Notre Dame student government, where the road to office is paved with good intentions, this group of sophomores has proved they can do more than win an election. They have planned and organized 50 events to date, almost of which have been well-attended and, rumor has it, a lot of fun.

Ask almost any sophomore what he or she thinks of this year's class officers and he or she will tell you "They're great." Few other branches of student government can claim this kind of enthusiasm.

Jim Domagalski, Ann Jennings, Mark Foley and Dave Miklos have organized what is possibly the most successful branch of student government this year. They have a force of 105 sophomores working under them on various committees, and claim nearly perfect attendance at the biweekly meetings of their Sophomore Advisory Council.

"We tried to see how we could get the most efficiency from the most people," says Domagalski, sophomore class president.

Jennings, the vice president, and Domagalski say they owe a great deal of their success to their staff. "The dorm reps are great," says Jennings.

These four officers may owe a great deal to their staff, but the success of the staff owes at least as much to the people who organized it. Jennings and Domagalski say they built the five-committee structure under which they now operate from scratch. "We interviewed 105 people for sophomore class commissioners, and we gave all of them a job," said Domagalski.

Because most sophomores are not yet 21, class events must be nonalcoholic. It requires a bit more creativity to plan such events, but the sophomore class has proved equal to this challenge. More than 850 students attended last month's Super Bowl suitcase party, at which two sophomores were awarded trips to the game. The sophomores also sponsored an overnight trip to Chicago which involved more than 150 students and a Christmas party featuring a horse-drawn sleigh ride.

This class has also managed to add a new twist to standard events. For example, they hired a belly dancer to perform at one of their study breaks. Jennings and

Amy Stephan

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Domagalski say the average attendance at class events is 200 to 250 students.

But the success of this group is not limited to a few great parties. They've displayed creativity in the area of service as well. Nearly every sophomore who has spent time in the infirmary has received a flower, a card and a phone call courtesy of the sophomore class. This weekend, the sophomores are sponsoring a CPR certification program.

Perhaps the most important element in the success of this administration has been communication. "If you plan great events and don't tell anyone about them," said Domagalski, "it's like winking at a girl in the dark. It doesn't do any good."

To improve communication, sophomore class officers have covered the campus with posters, relied on dorm reps to spread the news of important events, sent out a newsletter (The Sophomore Scoop) and even issued invitations to every sophomore for major events.

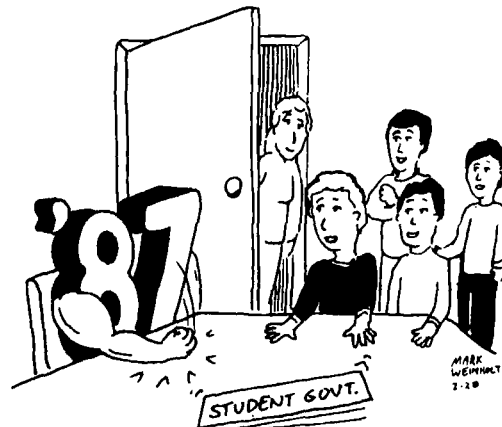
How much does it cost to sponsor so many events, a majority of which are free?

The sophomore class has received \$1,700 per semester from student fees. Compare this to the \$122,000 budget under which the Student Activities Board functions and the accomplishments of this class become even more impressive.

This year's officers of the class of '87 prove true the statement that we've heard so many times and never quite believed - student government can make a difference. The creativity, enthusiasm and hard work of the sophomore class government has helped unify the class and provided a lot of fun for a lot of people.

Candidates for next year's class offices would do well to keep this in mind as they open their campaigns. It's not the system, nor the almighty Notre Dame Administration that makes student government what it is. It's the people.

Just ask any sophomore.



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Boston U. officials fight campus measles

Associated Press

BOSTON - Boston University officials, battling a campus measles epidemic that has stricken 53 people, urged students yesterday to avoid crowded elevators, planes and even intimate dinner parties.

The school has called off all plays, art exhibits and large lectures, and is warning students to stay away from crowded dormitory rooms and dining halls. Classes were not affected because of mid-term examinations.

Fans have been barred from all BU sporting events. And school and government health officials have said they are concerned students will spread the disease from coast-to-coast when the week-long vacation begins Friday.

They have asked students to travel by car if possible. Students whose admission forms do not indicate they have been inoculated will not be allowed to return to school without written proof of immunization, university spokesman John Keller said.

Medical authorities have estimated that about 5,000 of the

school's 28,000 students are vulnerable, either because they were not inoculated as youngsters or because they were vaccinated before a longer lasting dose was developed in 1968.

"There was a rumor going for a while that we were going to call in the National Guard to surround one dorm," said Keller. "We've been busy running around, pasting up posters saying, 'There will be no quarantine. There will be no National Guard.'"

Keller said doctors from the state and city departments of health, as well as an epidemic specialist from the U.S. Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta, are helping the school operate vaccination centers.

Worried parents flooded the sprawling urban school with phone calls, and hundreds of students crowded three new clinics offering free inoculations. By yesterday afternoon, about 2,500 students had received shots to prevent a measles, a virus that causes an itchy rash and flu-like symptoms.

Saint Mary's sophomores prepare for Parents' Weekend festivities

By ANN KALTENBACH
Staff Reporter

More than 500 parents are expected to converge on the Saint Mary's campus this weekend as the College's class of 1987 hosts Sophomore Parents' Weekend, said SPW Chairwoman Maureen Erny.

The highlight of the weekend is the dinner dance beginning at 6 p.m. Saturday at the Century Center. "This is the only event of the weekend where we will have the opportunity to be together with both our families and friends," said Erny.

She added, "The dance is the most formal event planned. It also offers the opportunity to hear College President John Duggan speak."

Preceding the dinner dance, a cash bar will open at 6 p.m. Saturday evening in the Century Center. A welcome by Erny and Duggan will begin at 7:30 p.m. with dinner being served at 7:45 p.m.

The dance will proceed from 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. "The music will be

provided by Danny and the Deadbeats, who play a variety of music."

The cost of the weekend is \$70 for two parents and one daughter.

A variety of other activities also are slated with registration and ticket distribution extending from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Friday in the LeMans lobby.

Late registration and ticket distribution will be held from 9 a.m. to noon in the LeMans lobby on Saturday.

Friday evening at 8 p.m. selected members of the sophomore class have produced a variety show entitled "Together Wherever We Go." "The production includes 15 acts and will be performed in the Angela Athletic Facility," Erny remarked.

Parents and daughters may participate in the Sports Festival on Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon in the Angela Athletic Facility.

"Tim Dillon, assistant director of athletics and recreation at the College, will speak on fitness," explained Erny, "and racquetball and tennis courts may be reserved.

Aerobics will also be offered and the swimming pool will be open."

New to the Sophomore Parents Weekend schedule of events this year is a student art display entitled "A Taste of the Arts." Erny said, "This gives parents an alternative for those who don't enjoy sports."

She added, "The art show will include the work of sophomore art students and will be a walk-through type event."

The display will be open from 10 a.m. to noon in the Haggar College Center Parlor. The choir, in conjunction with the art display, will sing from 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. and from 11:30 a.m. to noon.

A college open house is scheduled from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday afternoon in the Angela Athletic Facility. An anticipated Sunday liturgy will ensue at 4 p.m. in the Church of Our Lady of Loretto.

Sophomore Parents' Weekend will conclude Sunday with a brunch from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the Saint Mary's dining hall.

ND receives grant for robotics lab

By CAROLYN GILLESPIE
Staff Reporter

A robotics laboratory emphasizing analysis and design is being established in the University of Notre Dame's College of Engineering with a \$250,000 grant from the Garret Corporation, a Los Angeles-based aerospace firm.

The grant was issued to the University as a result of a proposal initiated and written in a joint effort by Professors Albin Szewczyk, Raymond Brach, and James Kamman, all of the aerospace and mechanical engineering department.

According to Brach, robotics is often misinterpreted as the creation

of robots, when it is actually "an industrial robot that is likened to an arm, one that has several joints along with extension and gripping capabilities."

The arm is completely controlled by computer programming which allows for greater versatility.

This machine has become a popular mechanic device used throughout various automotive plants to replace manual labor.


The University has already received the first allocation of the \$250,000, which is being distributed over a three-year time period, and is now in the planning stage of the lab itself.

Located in Fitzpatrick Hall of Engineering, the lab should be available for student use next fall. All of the \$250,000 will be used for equipment purchases and for funds supporting various programs of study the engineering department will pursue.

The lab itself will be used mainly by graduate students and faculty but will also be available for undergraduates to use for projects. Initial plans call for a fundamental teaching and research lab.

Szewczyk, chairman of the department of aerospace and mechanical engineering, said laboratory instruction will coincide with an introductory robotics course now being taught as part of the mechanical systems stem of the aerospace and mechanical engineering curriculum. Some interdisciplinary work involving both mechanical and electrical engineering students along with faculty is also being planned.

Both Szewczyk and Brach feel that this lab will give students the opportunity to work with a modern program of study and will open up a variety of new interests within the mechanical and electrical engineering departments.



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Israel, Egypt consider peace talks renewal

Associated Press

JERUSALEM - Prime Minister Shimon Peres and President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt exchanged special envoys yesterday to explore the prospects for renewing Middle East peace talks.

Peres met twice with an envoy sent by Mubarak, and the prime minister's spokesman told reporters that Israel and Egypt "recognize the need and urgency to further the peace process" and "will intensify their contacts."

The new contacts are the first significant movement toward a Middle East peace initiative since the U.S.-mediated talks on autonomy for Palestinians living under Israeli occupation broke down in 1982.

Peres' spokesman, Uri Savir, repeated the prime minister's position that he is ready to participate in new Middle East peace talks with Jordan or with a mixed

Jordanian-Palestinian delegation, provided the delegation did not include members of the Palestine Liberation Organization.

In Cairo, Mubarak met with Israel's energy minister, Moshe Shahal, in what Israeli sources said were "complementary" talks. A second Israeli was expected to head for Cairo later and Israeli sources indicated he would be Avraham Tamir, director-general of Peres' office.

Israeli officials saw in the intensified contacts a possibility of better relations with Egypt after a chill that followed Israel's June 1982 invasion of Lebanon.

The new Israeli-Egyptian moves came at a time when Jordan and PLO chairman Yasser Arafat have agreed on a joint negotiating strategy on the Middle East. That agreement has been applauded by Mubarak as offering a way to get talks going on the entire range of issues that block peace in the Middle East.

Pope, Gromyko meet in Vatican; discuss Catholicism in U.S.S.R.

Associated Press

VATICAN CITY - Pope John Paul II and the Soviet foreign minister, Andrei Gromyko, held an apparently cordial conversation for nearly two hours yesterday about world peace and the "situation" of Catholics in the Soviet Union.

Neither side gave details of the unusually long audience. It was John Paul's first with a Kremlin official since the martial law crackdown in his native Poland in 1981 and the attempt on his life, which some reports have linked to the Soviet secret police.

Gromyko, 75, got a red-carpet welcome for his first visit to the Vatican in six years. He said it was a "good" meeting, and that the question of a papal visit to the Soviet Union did not come up.

John Paul, 64, said last year that he had been denied permission to visit Lithuania, a strongly Roman Catholic republic in the Soviet Union.

John Paul greeted Gromyko in Russian, and the Soviet official assured the pontiff of his "best wishes" in English at the end of the meeting. The pope appeared relaxed and both men were smiling when reporters and photographers were ushered into the papal library.

Presenting his gift of a small lacquered box to John Paul, Gromyko said, "It's a small memento, as the Americans say."

Vatican spokesman Joaquin Navarro said only that the two men discussed "peace in the world and the situation of Catholics in the Soviet Union."

Advance expectations were that Gromyko would seek papal support for the Kremlin campaign against President Reagan's space-based defense proposal, commonly called Star Wars, and that John Paul would press his guest about religious liberty in the Soviet Union.

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Budget office says deficit to stay high

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — Federal deficits are likely to remain above \$180 billion through the end of this decade, even if Congress adopts all the spending cuts sought by President Reagan, the non-partisan Congressional Budget Office said yesterday.

In a 141-page review of the president's \$974 billion budget for fiscal 1986, beginning Oct. 1, the CBO disputed the administration's contention that adoption of the budget would cause the deficit to decline gradually to \$82 billion by 1990.

Instead, the deficit would drop from its current level of just over \$200 billion to about \$186 billion and "remain at about (that) level through the period," CBO director Rudolph Penner told the Senate Appropriations Committee in prepared testimony.

Meanwhile, White House budget director David Stockman rejected Democrats' suggestions that the administration was using "fake" figures to support its budget projections.

He also denied that his outspoken attacks on certain programs like farm subsidies and military pensions might cost him his job.

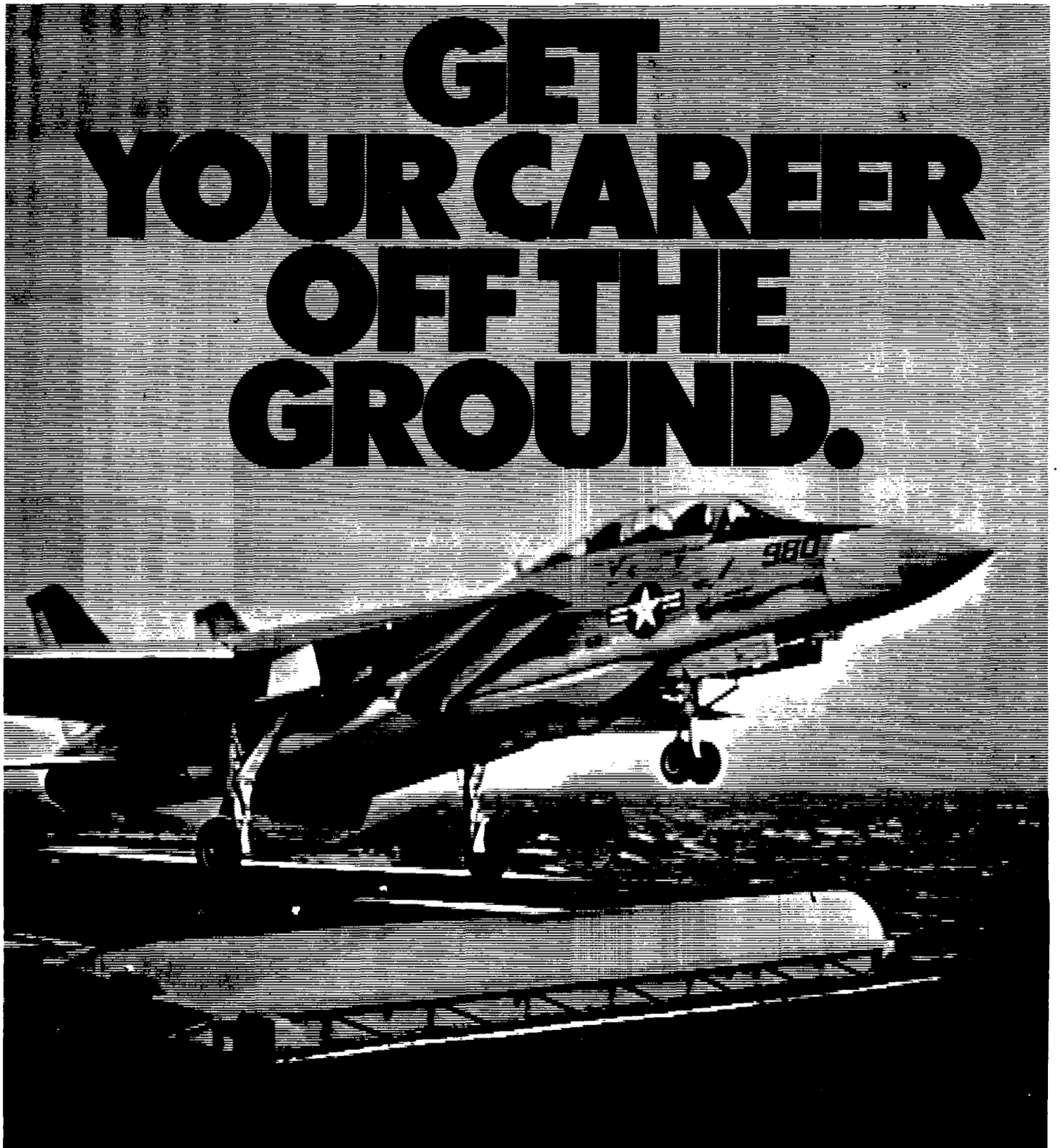
"I plan to be here. I know (defending budget cuts) is a tough problem but I think I have something to contribute and I believe they know that downtown," he told the House Budget Committee.

The CBO, in the first complete congressional analysis of Reagan's latest budget proposals, said the administration's projections of declining deficits after 1986 are based on brighter economic conditions than those foreseen by congressional economists.

For instance, although both the administration and the CBO predict that interest rates will remain between 8 percent and 8.5 percent throughout 1985, "the administration assumes that real interest rates decline steadily after 1987," the budget office said.

Under the congressional forecast, the three-month Treasury bill rate would decline from 8.2 percent to 5.0 percent by 1990. Under the congressional analysis, the rate would remain at 8.2 percent through 1990.

Administration projections also assume lower inflation rates and more rapid growth in the gross national product throughout the decade than those foreseen by congressional analysts.



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Troubled kids get hospital ward

Associated Press

CHICAGO - Abused, neglected and emotionally troubled children will have their own ward - with specially trained doctors, nurses and "child life therapists" - in what Mount Sinai Hospital says is the first pediatric program of its kind in the United States.

The ward, which opened yesterday, is designed to treat physical and behavioral problems arising from childhood crises ranging from sexual abuse to divorce and emotional trauma that might be faced by "latchkey" children whose parents work.

"We will seek ... to be the child's advocate," said Dr. Howard Levy, chairman of the pediatrics department, who helped develop the program.

The hospital staff and children - the program is geared to those 14 and younger - will dress in street clothes and the rooms will be furnished to look more like home than a hospital.

A team of about 20 - including doctors, nurses and social workers - will treat parents and children referred by law-enforcement and other agencies, Levy said. The team would use techniques such as

videotaping children with parents, he added.

"A large part of (caring) for a child is not just treating physical ailments," Levy said. "We'll give them psychiatric tests, psychological evaluation ... and evaluate the family with the child. ... If you just go into a home, that's a one-shot deal."

Levy said parents would be encouraged to stay with their children during treatment.

In some cases, he said, parents just need to know how to do their jobs.

"I've never understood why people think that we in the Western society as parents know how to be parents," said Levy.



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'I' before 'e'...

Sophomore Jim McGowan and senior Armando Byrne judged the Grace Hall Spelling Bee last night in the Grace Pit. The event is a four-year tradition in Grace.

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Senate authorizes new farm bill

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The Senate, ignoring the wishes of President Reagan, yesterday endorsed legislation authorizing \$100 million to "buy down" interest rates for credit-poor farmers needing loans for spring planting.

The Republican-controlled body voted 54-45 in favor of an amendment to an African relief measure, but Senate Majority Leader Robert Dole, R-Kan., predicted it is "never going to become law" and administration officials said Reagan might veto the bill.

Eight Republicans defected in

passing the amendment, which was sponsored by Sens. Edward Zorinsky, D-Neb., and John Melcher, D-Mont.

The White House had lobbied against any changes in federal credit help for farmers, many of whom are unable to obtain new loans because the land they use for collateral has plummeted in value. The administration is rushing to put in place its own much-modified loan-guarantee program, which President Reagan contends is adequate to save those farmers with the best chance of long-term survival.

As senators backing the farm-

credit changes sensed growing support for their amendments, Dole said new legislation would only cause delays in implementing any credit program, and "the farmer's not going to know what he can do."

The vote had been seen as so close that Vice President George Bush had delayed a trip to Texas to be present in the Senate in case his vote was needed to break a tie.

The Zorinsky amendment would make available \$100 million in federal money, to be matched by an equal amount from individual farm lenders, to "buy down" interest rates by up to four percentage points.

Pittsburgh declared top U.S. city

Associated Press

NEW YORK - Pittsburgh, a giant of the industrial Northeast, has replaced Atlanta, boomtown of the Sunbelt, as the best American city to live in, according to the second edition Rand McNally "Places Rated Almanac."

Yuba City, Calif., an expanding agricultural center, which wasn't even considered a city when the first book came out in 1981, has replaced Lawrence-Haverhill, Mass., as the lowest metropolitan area.

The second choice is Boston, which jumped from No. 18 on the previous list. No. 3 honors went to Raleigh-Durham, N.C., which also was in the top 10 last time, followed by San Francisco and Philadelphia.

Nassau-Suffolk, two affluent counties on Long Island, a suburb of New York City, ranked No. 6, up from 48 because of a new rating method that allows areas where there is significant commuting of workers to count the cultural resources of the larger city while not being penalized for any of its flaws, notably crime.

St. Louis, Louisville, Norwalk, Conn., and Seattle rounded out the top 10 while Atlanta slipped to 11th place.

Pine Bluff, Ark., retained its second-to-last ranking, despite the addition of 32 new metropolitan areas ranked for the first time.

Others in the bottom 10 were, from the bottom: Modesto, Calif., Dothan, Ala., Albany, Ga., Benton Harbor, Mich., Gadsden, Ala., Casper, Wyo., Rockford, Ill., and Anderson, Ind.

Four cities in the bottom 10, Yuba City, Dothan, Benton Harbor and Casper, were not even considered cities when the first edition of "Places Rated" came out, ranking 277 cities.

The 448-page book, co-authored by Richard Boyer and Davad Savageau, analyzes 329 government-defined metropolitan statistical areas in the country.

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Educational financing appears as total disaster

By March 1, many of us will have filed the Financial Aid Form. This elaborate document helps determine a student's eligibility for both University-based aid, such as Notre Dame Scholarships, and Federal programs like Pell Grants, Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants, National Direct Student Loans,

John Perez

just wondering

and Guaranteed Student Loans.

Over half of Notre Dame's students receive some kind of financial assistance. Indeed, the Financial Aid Office has calculated that a typical Domer shelled out nearly \$11,000 to attend Notre Dame in this academic year - a significant sum by anyone's standards. Financial aid, in the form of grants, loans, and jobs is for many a key to footing this substantial bill.

Unfortunately, this picture may change for the worse if newly-appointed Secretary of Education William Bennett gets his way. Bennett, a hard-line Reaganomics supporter, wants to slash funding for federal student aid programs. According to syndicated columnist Ellen Goodman, Bennett sees the typical college student as a "car-owning, stereo-buying, beach-hopping youngblood with books... a variation on the theme of the Cadillac-driving welfare mother." The Secretary insists that if his proposals are enacted, some students might just have to "trade down from private schools to public ones" or temporarily delay their education. Families would just have to "tighten the belt."

Granted, one side effect of financial aid programs is the growing student "debt bomb." Government statistics show that about 60 percent of full-time undergraduate students borrow at least some money to cover their educational expenses. The average loan is for \$2,200 a year, for a total of about \$8,800 of debt by graduation time. Graduate students face an even tighter crunch. For example, lawyers and doctors average from \$30,000 to \$40,000 of debt by the time they begin their practices.

This, certainly, is a tremendous burden. It is, however, a burden we assume voluntarily in pursuit of what we hope are greater rewards: knowledge and satisfying employment. Loans are a necessary evil, an investment in our future and the future of our society as a whole.

To deny qualified students access to educational funds merely to "trim a little fat" from the budget while we send millions of dollars in so-called covert aid to Nicaraguan rebels and possibly \$2.2 billion in aid to Israel, would be ludicrous.

The student receiving aid is in a "Catch-22" situation. The price of education and the price of non-education are both quite high. What can be done to ease this painful situation, to wean higher education off loan dependency?

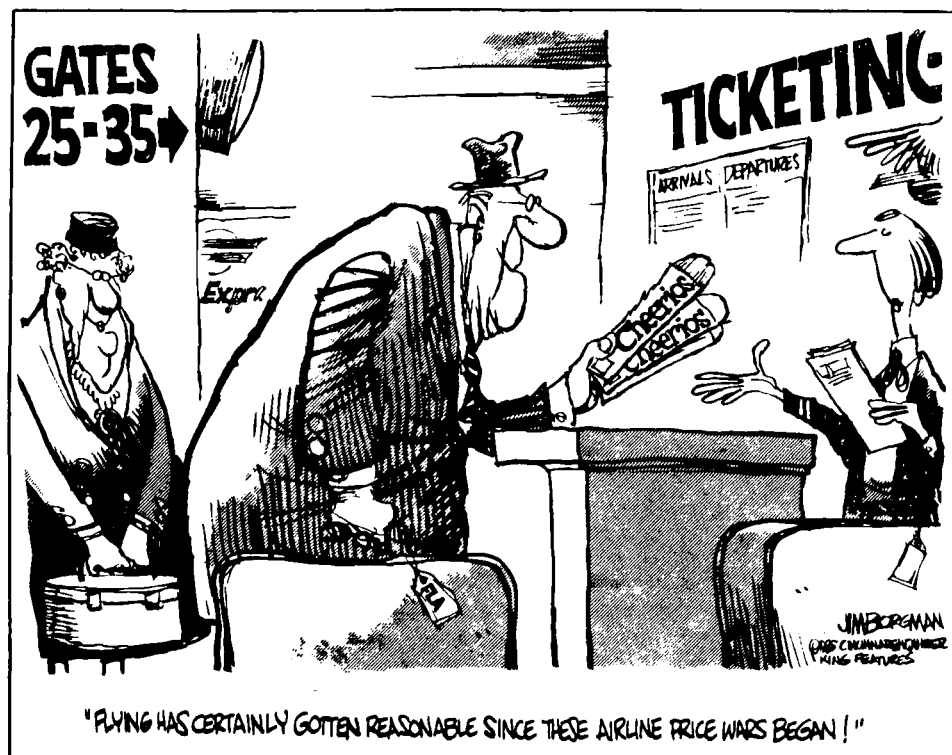
It is obvious that cutting student aid is not the answer. Neither would it be fair to burden citizens with still higher taxes. The only alternative is to develop new ways to finance higher education. These alternatives would necessarily involve government, educational institutions, and students.

One possible help, albeit rather indirect, would involve government farming out more of its research and development activities to the nation's colleges and universities. They could probably do it for less than the government itself or private industries. The resulting increase in cash flow to the schools would serve as an incentive to hold the line on or to reduce tuition and fees as well as provide income for students in the form of campus work-study opportunities.

A more direct approach would involve aid in exchange for service. In a manner akin to that of ROTC scholarships, governmental units or private firms could provide grants in exchange for an employment commitment to that agency. Students would be able to afford an education, the nation would get highly qualified public servants, and industry would get qualified employees in return.

Suggestions for changing or otherwise improving the financial aid picture could fill this entire newspaper and dozens more. One thing is clear: the present system of educational financing is a disaster - a total mess. Cutting aid programs will only make this mess that much worse. Action needs to be taken *now*: by government, schools, industry, and students alike. Otherwise, the number of persons in this country who will benefit from higher education will plummet. We will all be the worse off for it. Our leaders and legislators all had their crack at hitting the books, now it is only fair that we and future generations have at least the same chance.

John Perez is a junior accounting major at Notre Dame and is a regular Viewpoint columnist.



"FLYING HAS CERTAINLY GOTTEN REASONABLE SINCE THESE AIRLINE PRICE WARS BEGAN!"

Life and death are faced in our abortion stance

In the dead of winter the abortion issue comes alive again. The anniversary of Roe vs. Wade, the demonstrations, the bombings, the president's voice, the "Silent Scream": these give pro-life new energy and pro-choice new resolve. The two sides argue without result, except to attack each other's spirit, destroy each other's self-esteem. Both sides call out

Professor Edward Vasta

guest column

their arguments, sloganize them, platitudinize, accuse, but move each other not one jot from original convictions.

The only one converted is "Silent Scream's" narrator: a medical scientist and therefore convertible from abortionist to anti-abortionist by scientific evidence. A sonic movie showing a fetus evading the abortionist's probe leads the doctor of medicine to conclude that abortions injure sensitive beings. But other scientists contradict, saying that the fetus's movements are the painless reflexes of a primitive nervous system. There can be, they say, no silent scream.

So the conflict proceeds, the two sides castigating, tearing at consciences, pulling apart the confidence and security of a mature civilization.

They also stick each other with sneering identifications: Liberals vs. Conservatives, Atheists vs. Moral Majority, Women's Liberation vs. the Catholic Church. These narrow labels sting: churchgoers say pro-life is not necessarily a religious argument; family planners say pro-choice is not without reverence for life.

Both speak with sincerity. Pro-choice looks to the inconveniences, the hardships, the tragedies that an unwanted child can bring, and to cultural forces that, through their hegemony over pregnancy, control a woman's body. Pro-life defends the baby's body

against a cultural force operating through the woman, and it points to creation itself, which operates through changes during all of one's life. It looks to the principle that thou shalt not terminate the creation of a human life at any stage.

The secular vs. the religious, sociology vs. philosophy, body/mind vs. mind/body. How can we ever communicate? How can the issue ever be resolved?

One thing is clear, that pro-choice fears life and pro-life fears death. Pro-choice fears the inconvenience, the hardship, the tragedy that an unwanted child can let into a woman's, a family's, a society's life. Pro-life is outraged that humans let death invade the womb, kill a living being in life's very sanctuary, the one place to whose peace every person unconsciously lives to return.

How can the two sides communicate? How can we resolve the issue?

Perhaps by recognizing that fear of life and fear of death are the same fear, and that these fears are the organic condition, according to a host of modern psychiatrists, that always explains why humans act the way they do. Life is overwhelming, threatening, enslaving, shot through with terror and death. With every inconvenience some of life's possibilities die; with every tragedy, families die. We fear life because it brings death; we fear death because it takes away life.

In our stands on abortion, life/death faces us on its naked terms. Let us come together then, over our fear. Let our leaders come together in their common fear and trembling, which can clear the eyes and open the heart. Let them acknowledge their misery, our misery, the misery of the unborn. Let them acknowledge that we, all three, are in this together. Then let us see what can be done.

Edward Vasta is a Professor of English at Notre Dame.

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Do not destroy reading with P.O. Box Q battle

Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to all the responses in P.O. Box Q lately.

I do not feel that the things that have been argued in the column recently are important enough for all of us to be getting upset at each other for our opinions. I feel that people have a right to express their opinions without fear of others criticizing (or, more recently, insulting) their positions.

I can understand how emotions can get out of control here, what with the pressures of classes, tests, and boring social alternatives.

But it has gotten to the point that each and every letter printed is a response to another letter. Or sometimes a fresh idea pops up and someone writes a good opinion, only to get insulted by someone else who feels they are smarter or better informed.

Then again, maybe the editors could stop printing letters that have no real purpose but to insult someone who had an opinion strong enough to write it down.

Please, please, my schoolmates, friends, alumni, professors, and other readers of The Observer do not try so hard to destroy or lunchtime reading by trying to start a battle of the letters to the editor; lunch is hard enough to stomach already.

*Joe Neuville
Flanner Hall*

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Not just a pianist on the side

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Notre Dame, Ind... "Not only does he play with an exceptional technique, but his performing style is a quite special mix of the endearing and the engaging. Some pianists come on to the platform and say, 'Listen, this is me.' Mr. Jacob is much more the servant of the music which, as unfamiliar repertoire, he takes the trouble to expound before he plays."

This praise was given by critic Michael John White of a concert by Jeffrey Jacob, a concert pianist and professor at Saint Mary's College. He recently returned from a three month European tour, receiving superlative reviews in each country he visited.

Jacob's unique concert manner, as indicated by White in his review in "The Guardian", is one of the reasons for his most successful European tour-but not the only one. In Holland he was hailed as "a young musical genius", while a British magazine reported his "formidable technique and a real artist's imagination in the interpretive field."

Jacob's tour began in Ghent, Belgium, in September and included five concerts in England, five in The Netherlands, two in Germany and three performances in Warsaw, Poland. His program was primarily contemporary and featured world premieres of works by composers in two of the countries on his itinerary.

In the London Purcell Room concert he presented "Celebration," a work written for him by British composer, Francis Routh. At his concerts in The Netherlands he played "Piano Sonata No. 2" by Dutch composer, Jo Sporck. His programs also included his own "Two Fantasies" which according to English critic Denby Richards, "clearly demonstrates Jacob's strong leaning to the romantic imagery and mystery of piano color and drama."

As part of most of his programs, Jacob presented the European premieres of "Gnomic Variations" by George Crumb and "Piano Sonata No. 1" by Chu Wang-Hua. (The latter was written for Jacob by the Chinese composer when he was invited to make a three week concert tour of China in 1982. Jacob was the first American to receive

the Peking Conservatory Commemorative Medal of Honor.)

In Germany Jacob was the first guest artist in the new Beethoven Hall of the Richard Strauss Konservatorium in Munich, the largest music conservatory in Germany.

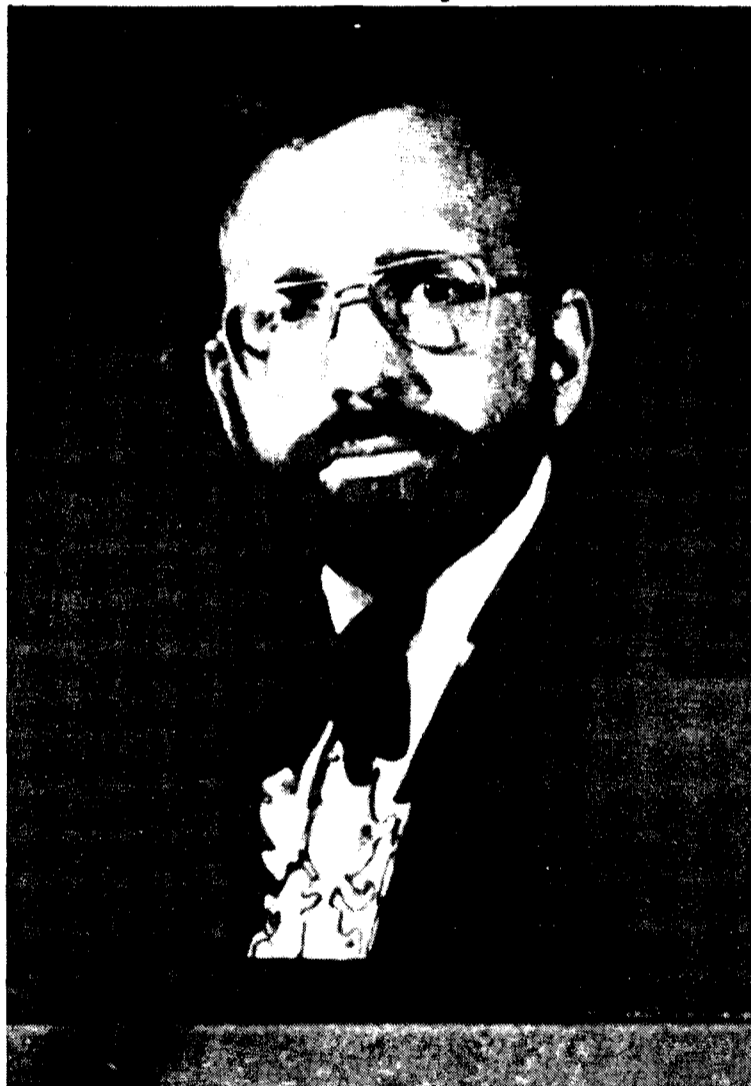
At the invitation of the Polish Ministry of Culture, Jacob spent a week in Poland. On November 27 he gave a lecture/recital entitled, "Foundations of 20th-Century Music," and on November 28 he gave a lecture/recital, "Aspects of Contemporary Chinese and Western European Music." On December 1, Jacob gave a recital in Paderewski Hall of the Frederic Chopin Academy for Music. A reception following the concert was held for Jacob at the American Embassy in Warsaw.

Jacob recorded several times

while in Europe. The British Broadcasting Corporation recorded works by George Crumb, Vincent Persichetti and Samuel Barber to air nationally in March 1985. Polish Television recorded Jacob's recital in Paderewski Hall, Warsaw, along with a pre-recital interview and Polish National Radio will broadcast a concert in March 1985.

Jacob, who makes all of his own tour arrangements, met many musicians and their families in the countries he visited. He developed close ties. He comments, "The people I met were warm and hospitable and very curious about all aspects of American life."

An ingenuous manner and prodigious talent make Jacobs a remarkably effective goodwill ambassador for Saint Mary's College and his country as well as an American musician of the first rank.



Jeffrey Jacob, Concert pianist and professor at Saint Mary's

A summer in Cape May

Tim Farrell
features staff writer

Need summer work, but don't want to sacrifice fun and sun at the shore? Don't despair -- there's a place for you. Cape May, located on New Jersey's Southern tip has plenty of summer jobs for college students. Just follow the Garden State south and you are there.

This town was first settled in the 17th century as a fishing port before becoming a resort area in the Victorian age. Now the town is a national historic site with both a thriving tourism and fishing industry.

College-aged people (both mentally and physically) come to Cape May from all over the country, but mostly from the Philadelphia area. Most take on tourism-oriented jobs such as waiting on tables, bussing or cooking. The Barberrry Inn, Lobster House, Blue Claw and

Golden Eagle all have large kitchen and service staffs. In fact, a good waitress can work in just about any of the dozens of fine Cape May restaurants.

Jobs women might prefer are in the various gift shops, and flower shops. Incidentally girls (and guys), Caroline's Boutique has got some of the best fashions on the coast. Tell Caroline you read this, and she will be sure to get you in style for the beach and bar scene.

All of the beaches are great, but do require tags. The best bars include the Ugly Mug and Carnegys. Both of which offer fine entertainment and excellent settings filled with young people.

The more adventurous types can work on the docks. The three main docks are Lobster House, A and J's and the Co-op. They open between 7 and 8 a.m. and once

the dockmaster gets to know you it is pretty steady work. Pay is daily and tax free.

If you're interested in a summer of commercial fishing experience, ask to speak to either the captain or first mate. If you have never been out, make sure you tell them you are a greenhorn. Also, make sure you have a sea bag ready when you board, just in case. It may require living out of a bag for a while but in an instant you could be out to sea making as much as a thousand dollars in two weeks or, if you don't catch anything, not a dime.

If you decide to do it, write the chamber of commerce to get boarding house addresses. I recommend the Maycomber or Huntington. Rent averages about \$55 a week, which usually does not include a stove.

For a fun-filled, money-making summer go to Cape May. Who knows, you may come back to school with a pocket full of Cape May Diamonds.



MS drive still strong

Karen McCloskey
features staff writer

Rock-Alike is on the way!

So, keep the coins and quiet money rolling in.

As the ND Millions Against MS drive prepares for its fourth week, the dollar amount keeps rising. More social activities and collections are scheduled for the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's community and the deadline for the MTV concert contest is drawing near.

Organizers are encouraging students to participate in the planned activities. If the momentum continues through March, Notre Dame could well play host to the April 27 MTV bash.

THIS WEEK

- SAB Movies**- Tuesday night, the Student Activities Board presented the final film in its MS benefit series, "Against All Odds".
- Snow Softball Sign-ups**- Sign-ups were held on Tuesday for the Snow Softball Tournament to be held this weekend. If you want to participate in the tournament but missed the deadline, call Jeff McGowan at 283-1049. Teams should have five girls and five guys. The registration fee is \$10 and will be donated to the MS drive.
- WVFI**- Aline Gioffre, chairman of ND Millions Against MS, was featured on a radio spot on Wednesday evening at 9:00 p.m. on WVFI, the campus AM station.
- Festival of Health**- University Food Services begins its Festival of Health this week. The festival will run through March 11. The MS Bike-a-thon is part of the event and will be taking place in the Dining Halls during the dinner hours. Be sure to make a pledge for your favorite dorm. For more information, contact Mark Facer at 283-1969.
- Senior Cocktail Party**- A Senior Cocktail Party will be held in the ACC tonight from 9-11. There will be a \$3 admission fee and all proceeds will be donated to MS. Free drinks will be served from 9-11.

THIS WEEKEND

- Snow Softball Tournament**- The "Snow" Softball Tournament will be held this weekend with or without the cooperation of the South Bend weather. The tournament will run from Friday through Sunday and games will be played on the fields behind the ACC. It is a single elimination tournament with prizes for the winning team. For more information, call Jeff McGowan at 283-1049.
- Phone-a-thon**- The Freshman Advisory Council is sponsoring a phone-a-thon on Saturday. Students will be taking pledges in the Student Government Offices on the second floor of LaFortune all day. Radio announcements on South Bend stations will be encouraging the general community to pledge. Students are also asked to make donations. The numbers to call on Saturday are 239-7668, 239-6111 and 239-7417.

NEXT WEEK

- Rock-Alike**- A mandatory meeting for all persons interested in competing in the Rock-Alike contest will be held on Tuesday from 7-8 pm in the New Orleans Room of LaFortune. The campus winner of the rock look alike contest will compete against winners from the other MS/MTV contest schools at the MTV concert in the spring. The overall winner will be awarded a summer internship with MTV in New York City. Information will be distributed Tuesday evening. For more information call the Student Government Offices at 239-7668.

DORM AND CLASS ACTIVITIES

- Alumni-Dillon Tug-of-War**- Last Saturday, Alumni and Dillon Halls challenged each other to a tug-of-war. The dorm which raised more money for MS was allowed an extra man in the actual tug-of-war and a distinct advantage in the contest. Alumni Hall raised \$525 while Dillon raised \$401.
- Mr. D's Party a Winner**- The Junior class sponsored party at Mr. D's last week netted over \$400 for the MS cause.
- Flanner Food Sales**- Flanner held a special food sales night and raised \$145 for MS.
- USA Skating Party**- The Skating Party held last week at USA Skates in Mishawaka raised \$150 for the MS cause.

DONATIONS

- United Beverage**- The United Beverage Bottling Company donated \$128 to ND Millions Against MS.
- ND Education Majors**- Students majoring in Education at Notre Dame are being asked to donate \$1 each to the MS fund.
- Donation Cans**- Food Sales in each dorm should have the official MS donation cans available for students to make individual donations.
- Direct Donations**- Individual and group contributions are always welcome. To make a direct donation, call Aline Gioffre at 283-2179 or mail checks, made payable to "ND Millions Against MS," to Student Activities, attn. ND Millions Against MS, LaFortune Student Center- 1st Floor, Notre Dame, Indiana 46556.

STILL TO COME

- Events to look forward to include:
 - Sophomore Class Monte Carlo Night on March 8.
 - Happy Hour at Senior Bar from 4 to 8 p.m. on March 8.
 - Ice Skating Party at the ACC 7 to 9:30 p.m. on March 14.
 - Alumni/Dillon Tug-of-War rematch, date to be announced.
- Chairman Aline Gioffre would like to remind groups and dorms that are holding fundraisers to turn in the proceeds from the events as soon as possible.
- Gioffre said that money raised in the fundraisers may be delivered to 238 Lewis Hall or to the Student Activities Office in LaFortune.

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The February blues — you can beat 'em



A dedicated staff at the Counseling and Psychological Services Center works to provide students with the opportunity to talk about a problem. . . or, just talk. Above is Dr. Patrick Utz, director of the center. Below, Dr. Alicia Finn, at right Dr. Wayne Pelligrini and at bottom, Dr. Susan Steibe.



Photos by Greg Rashid



Psych Services — pe people with prob

Kathy Scarbeck
features staff writer

The Notre Dame student body is a population at risk. Its members are confronted with such nagging questions as what they want to do with the rest of their lives and with whom they will do it. Meanwhile the academic and social demands pile up like snow drifts during a South Bend winter. To further complicate matters, the students, after having left the unit of the family, must struggle to develop an entirely new system of their own. According to Patrick Utz, director of the Counseling and Psycho-

worker and psychology students working toward their doctorates, the center offers a variety of programs to assist both undergraduate and graduate students.

In addition to providing counseling on an individual level, the center, located on the third floor of the Student Health Center, offers many regularly scheduled group meetings and workshops. Alcohol abuse is dealt with by such groups as Students on Alcoholic Problems (SOAP) and Adult Children Alcoholic Parent (ACAP), which is aimed at helping young people affected by someone else's drinking. There are also groups designed to help with family crises. "Family Ties" helps the student who is struggling to maintain a positive relationship with his parents, while the Grief and Loss group assists those who have had close family members die recently. Self-hypnosis and relaxation are discussed in Stress Management which is offered in the form of a physical education class. Achievement workshops give instruction on how to come to grips with pressure. In addition there are programs on eating disorders, assertion training and study/time management skills. Counseline, a telephone service that provides taped materials on a variety of student concerns, is also offered.

"People will experience difficulties and problems in life management. This is why the University recognizes the need for professionals in managing problems more effectively."

logical Services Center at Notre Dame, these are some of the reasons that can make the college years rather difficult. "People will experience difficulties and problems in life management. This is why the University recognizes the need for professionals in managing problems more effectively," says Utz.

Staffed by a team of psychologists, a psychiatrist, a social

With all the center does for the Notre Dame community, Utz would like the center's image to be more positive. "Our society is coming out of the Dark Ages where people with psychological problems are ostracized." Utz cites the center's teaching of P.E. courses and sponsoring of a film/discussion series on psychological topics as helping to put the center into the mainstream of services. "The third floor (of the Student Health Center) is not an



"Room 300" - a comfortable lounge is used at the center for group meetings.

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erie place where crazy people go," says Utz, "It is staffed with people for people with problems."

The center assisted approximately 1300 students last year on either an individual or group basis or in the workshop format. Utz states, though, that percentage wise, the center was at the lower end of usage compared to similar institutions at other colleges. He explains that this is in part due to the counseling that is made available through hall rectors as well as the services offered by the Freshman Year of Studies, which helps freshmen adjust to the process of coming to college.

Utz urges people to come to the center if they are having a problem but aren't sure if counseling is necessary. Some signs to look for, though, are in academic performance. Studying longer to master the same amount of material or missing test questions to which the student knew the answers are symptoms of a high level of anxiety which may get out of control.

According to the nature of the problem, the center might well refer a student to other departments on campus such as the University Ministry, the Career and Placement Center or the infirmary for a medical evaluation.

"I would like no one to have to use our services, but that is unrealistic," Utz explains, "There are more people who could profit than just those who are using them. We're hoping that a more positive image (of the center) will get them to take advantage of the services without a stigma being associated with it."

Services at the center are offered on a minimal fee scale starting at \$4.00 per session. However, there is no charge for the initial appointment, and unlimited credit is available. Students wishing to have more information on any of the programs are asked to call the center at 239-7336.

Counseline

Counseline is another service of the Counseling and Psychological Services Center. It offers professionally taped materials covering a variety of student concerns — all you do is dial 239-7793 and ask for the name or number of the tape you wish to hear.

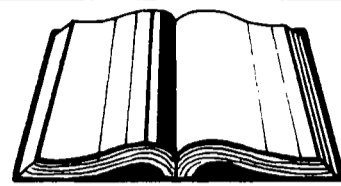
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Self help may be the key to happiness

Monica Fatum

Book review



All of us have our own private definitions of happiness. According to Dr. Harold Greenwald, author of *The Happy Person*, only you can decide what makes you happy. And now, with his book, you can begin to make it happen.

The back cover of the book makes this pitch: "You'll be able to determine, perhaps for the first time in your life, exactly what would make you a happy person; how to get rid of the life decisions, conscious or unconscious, which are holding you back. Most important - you'll find your own alternatives to the self-destructive behavior that's causing your problems. Within yourself you'll discover the resources to heal your pains and overcome your most paralyzing fears."

That sounds like a pretty monumental task, but actually Greenwald approaches it in a simple seven-step plan illustrated with personal case studies and soul-searching questions.

In the first place, happy people don't see themselves as the victims in their life stories. They choose to be happy by turning problems on their heads, using them to their advantage. However important external factors like health, physical appearance and upbringing may be, they don't have to determine the happiness quotient in anyone's life story.

Quite simply, the way we experience our lives is up to us. If you see a situation in your life as a problem, that's what it is - a problem. If you see it as an opportunity, it can suddenly look and feel very different.

•**Step One** of Greenwald's plan is to decide what you want in order to be happy or happier. You want to be happy, but what does that mean to you? What do you really want? You need to develop a specific goal to work for.

•**Step Two** involves finding the decision behind the problem. In other words, describe the problems you have in reaching your goal. However, avoid judging your behavior at all costs. To be a good therapist to yourself, you must recognize that conquering yourself is an impossible task. No one judges you as severely as you judge yourself. Learn to forgive yourself.

•**Step Three** of the plan is finding the context for the original decision. Ask yourself when it was made. Tracing behavior back to an original decision is a little like solving a mystery and can help in shaking off happiness-blocking behavior.

•**Step Four** includes listing the payoffs for the decision. Dr. Greenwald advises you to look at it this way: no matter how unhappy life has been for you so far, you have survived. You have coped. And you can, if you choose, sweeten things for yourself.

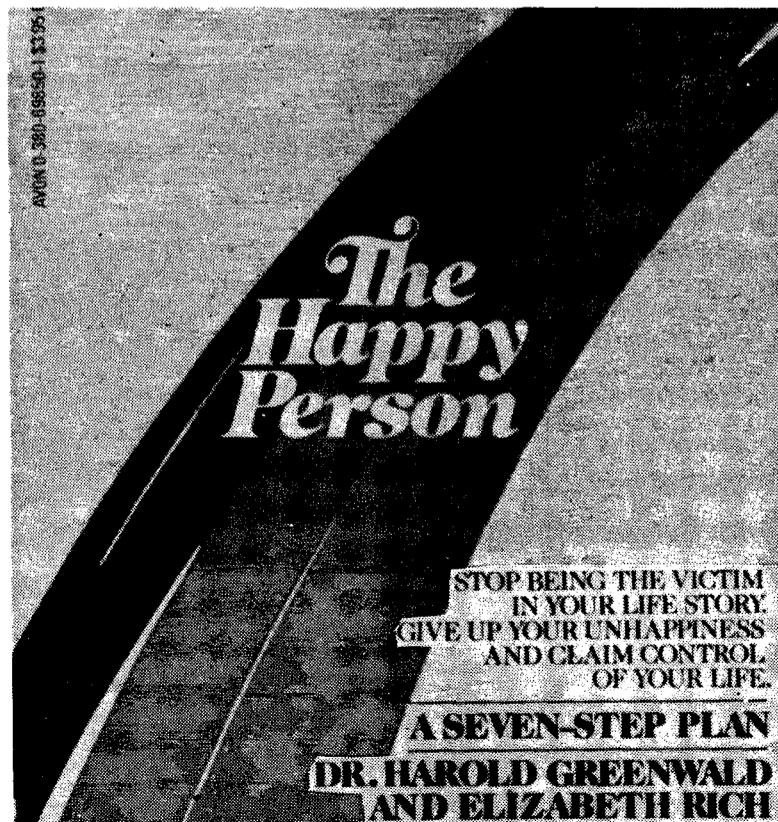
•**Step Five** calls for an examination of your alternatives to the behavior that is causing the problem. Stop taking yourself so seriously. Decide to look at your alternatives. Relax. There's no deadline, no contract.

•**Step Six** involves choosing your alternative and putting it into practice. Don't be afraid to trust yourself. Dr. Greenwald counsels that it really doesn't matter whether or not the rest of the world defines your purpose as a mighty one. Just deciding to be happy constitutes a terrific contribution to the world.

•**Step Seven**, the final stride, you learn to support yourself in carrying out the new decision. Allow yourself flexibility. After all, old habits die hard. Remember that a slip back into your old behavior does not mean you are a failure or the decision was bad. Acknowledge your lapse and continue carrying out the decision. Don't hesitate to reach out to friends and family for additional support.

The Happy Person just might be your ticket to a happier life. Dr. Harold Greenwald's step-by-step method has a way of drawing you in and making you respond to his techniques and probing questions before you even realize it. In the book, he talks directly to you, as an old friend might. You begin to feel that Dr. Greenwald is really pulling for you.

As the author of *The Happy Person* claims, if you feel that your life isn't working, you owe yourself this chance to be a happy person. It could work for you if you let it.



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NVA wrestling tournament participants may attend open practice sessions throughout this week from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. in the ACC Pit. A mandatory weigh-in will be held on Sunday from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. in the NVA office. Anyone who fails to weigh in and produce insurance information at that time will not be eligible for the tournament. The tournament will be held March 5, 7 and 11. - *The Observer*

Stepan Center will be closed, starting Saturday, until Sunday, March 10, for the Bengal Bouts. - *The Observer*

Percentage of body fat measurements will again be provided free by NVA on Monday from 6:15 p.m. to 8:15 p.m. Anyone who is interested who did not have a measurement already should come to the NVA office in shorts and a short-sleeve shirt. - *The Observer*

The Notre Dame basketball banquet will be held on Monday, March 11, at the Athletic and Convocation Center. A cocktail hour begins at 6:30 p.m. and the dinner begins at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$19 each and are available at the Gate 10 ticket window of the ACC. - *The Observer*

SMC athletic commissioner applications will be available until Thursday, March 7, at the Saint Mary's student activities office in the Haggar College Center. All student/athletes are eligible. For more information, contact the student activities office. - *The Observer*

The Notre Dame hockey banquet will be held on Tuesday, March 5, in the Monogram Room at the ACC. Cocktails will be served at 6 p.m. and dinner is at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$10 for Blueline Club members and \$11 for the general public. Tickets are available at the hockey office in the ACC (239-5227). - *The Observer*

3700 NCAA tournament tickets for bleacher seats still remain for the first- and second-round games at the ACC on March 14 and 16. The \$30 tickets, good for all games, are available at the ACC ticket office. - *The Observer*

An aerobics instructor is being sought by NVA for the 1985-86 school year. Anyone who is interested may fill out an application at the NVA office in the ACC. For more information, call 239-6690. - *The Observer*

Observer Sports Briefs are accepted Sunday through Thursday until 4 p.m. at the Observer office on the third floor of LaFortune. Briefs must be clearly written. - *The Observer*

Owners will show ledgers

Associated Press

NEW YORK - Citing baseball's "serious financial situation," team owners asked the players for a moratorium on labor negotiations yesterday until the two sides can "discuss the grave economic concerns" of the game.

The surprise move could pave the way for the players' union to get its first look at the clubs' financial ledgers. Also, it probably will delay any settlement until after opening day, April 8.

Lee MacPhail, president of management's Player Relations Committee, said the decision "came after a long discussion about the whole financial state of the industry."

After a meeting of owners Tuesday in New York, baseball Commissioner Peter Ueberroth empowered the PRC to require a financial accounting from all teams if it became necessary in negotiations.

Owners have refused in the past to open their books to players. Labor law, however, requires management to show proof of financial problems if poverty is used as a tool in negotiations.

Ueberroth said that MacPhail, PRC counsel Barry Rona, union head Don Fehr and Marvin Miller, the former union leader acting as special adviser to Fehr, were responsible for any decisions regarding the release of financial information.

And, the commissioner said, "if those two parties said that was what was needed to get the job done, I would see to it that they got what they needed."

A negotiating session for today was cancelled, and the PRC said the two sides would not meet again on March 5 in West Palm Beach, Fla.

For nearly four months, the two sides had been negotiating rather smoothly toward a contract to replace the one that expired on Dec. 31. Owners and the union wanted to have a new agreement by opening day, and that appeared to be a real possibility until now.

The union has asked for sweeping changes in the free agency system, particularly in the re-entry draft, and also was prepared to request that a percentage of baseball's television revenue be applied toward the union's benefits plan.

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All-around senior

Suess plays several roles for SMC

By **KELLY PORTOLESE**
Sports Writer

Although the 4-16 Saint Mary's basketball team may have wished for a slightly better final season record, it does have a lot to be proud of — namely senior Elaine Suess, for all that she has contributed to the team and to her school.

When one speaks of a model student/athlete, the Grand Blanc, Mich., native immediately comes to mind in Saint Mary's athletic circles.

Suess, an English major, has performed the rare task of playing both varsity basketball and varsity softball for four years. She also helped coordinate the College's Athletic Council and Sports Information Program.

Head basketball coach Marvin Wood has nothing but praise for the 5-5 senior on the court.

"Elaine has made a strong contribution to the basketball program," said Wood. "She is also very unselfish on the court."

Due to various circumstances on past Saint Mary's teams, Suess has been asked to play at a number of positions and has gracefully accepted the challenges.

"I had played guard all my life, including my freshman year at Saint Mary's," said the dual sport star. "During my sophomore year the starting point guard left and I took over in a position I had never played before. Then due to a lack of height (on the team) in my junior year I had to play center/forward. And I played forward again this year."

Her versatility along with her concern for team play allowed Suess to make the smooth transitions.

"I had good fundamentals and was able to move where Coach wanted me to play," she said. "Looking back, I see I contributed in an area where I was needed most."

And Wood appreciated the cooperation of Suess.

"Elaine is probably a natural guard, size and ability-wise. It (switching positions) is harder than most people think. You see the game from a different perspective."

Wood credits Suess with excellent outside shooting, strong defensive play and the ability to make good assists. But Suess has no doubts concerning her favorite aspect of the game.

"I love to pass," says the 22-year-old, who handed out 60 assists this season. "There is not a better feeling than when you make a perfect pass and a teammate grabs it and scores for two."

"I don't think scoring points is always the most important part of the game," adds Suess, who also recorded 29 steals during the season. "There are so many different facets. Playing good defense is one of the hardest because you've really got to work."

Not only did Suess dish off 60 assists and grab 29 steals this season, but she also pulled down 60 rebounds and had 167 total points on 60-of-144 shooting from the field. She also shot 68 percent from the free-throw line.

Over the years, Suess has been rewarded well for her athletic endeavors. At Grand Blanc Community High School, she was named Woman Athlete of the Year, while serving as captain on both the basketball and softball teams her senior year.

At Saint Mary's, she was named to

two basketball invitational tournament all-star teams her sophomore year. She received the Saint Mary's Coaches' Award for the 1983-84 season and also was named to the all-tourney team at Saint Mary's annual Roundball Classic that year.

As a freshman she also earned the Saint Mary's Coaches' Award for softball.

When Suess was considering colleges, basketball was definitely in the back of her mind.

"I went to basketball camp at Notre Dame my senior year and the Saint Mary's coach talked to me."

"I like Saint Mary's because it's small and I can really become involved in a diverse amount of things. Being in sports has actually improved my grades because I have to be organized when involved in different activities."

Off the court and field, Suess has made many contributions to the Saint Mary's community. She has been in charge of the Adopt-a-Nun program for the past three years and also is co-coordinator of photography for the Saint Mary's yearbook this year.

Presently, she coordinates the Sports Information Department, which works closely with the College's Public Relations Department. Suess said she sees this department as a positive step for Saint Mary's in the promotion of its athletic programs.

In an effort to facilitate better communication between varsity and non-varsity athletes and between the athletic and school administrations, Suess also helped to organize the newly founded Athletic Council, on which she serves as a basketball team representative.

On the basketball court Suess noticed her team's own lack of communication.

"One of the big things teams have to do when losing is communicate, and for a while we were not communicating as a team," she explains. "But I think that when we realized it was causing a problem, we began to communicate better and played better."

Wood emphasizes Suess' past experience as being influential on a team comprised mostly of underclassmen.

"One thing that must be noted," commented Wood, "is that Elaine is a natural leader. She sees things that need to be done, takes hold of them and gets things done."

Sophomore guard Mariclaire Driscoll agreed with Wood.

"She's a good leader and has helped me personally as far as encouraging me and giving me confidence," said Driscoll. "She tells me what I do wrong, but in a positive way."

Although Saint Mary's record was disappointing this season, Suess said she is grateful for first-year coach Wood's efforts.

"I appreciate his enthusiasm for the program," she said. "Even if we weren't doing well he tried not to let us get discouraged. He was very positive toward the team, which was needed."

Wood assessed the senior player in one statement.

"She doesn't have a large frame but plays with a lot of heart," he said.

Good things do come in small packages, and Saint Mary's has benefited greatly from Elaine Suess' four years of contributions in all aspects of the College community.



The Observer/Vic Guarino

Elaine Suess (right), a versatile senior on the Saint Mary's basketball team, made her mark on the Belles' squad this season, playing several different roles. The 5-5 English major also has been active in several athletic and community activities at Saint Mary's. Kelly Portolese gives a profile of Suess in her story at left.





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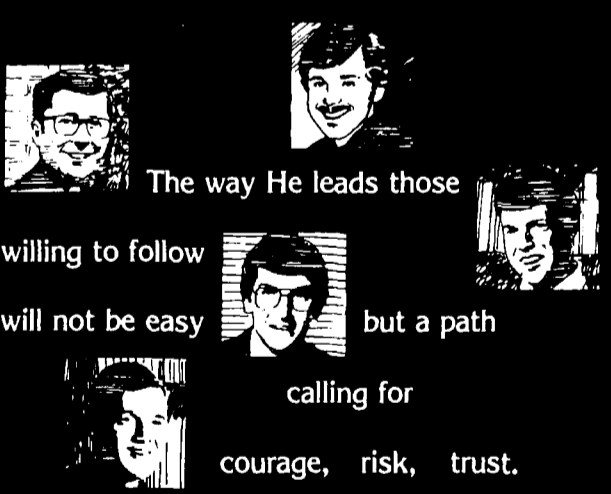
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No grudge against Knight

Steve Alford says he feels tired

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS - Indiana's Steve Alford doesn't feel intimidated by his volatile coach, Bob Knight, but the Hoosiers' star guard admits he's a tired basketball player and looks forward to a less hectic schedule of lifting weights this summer.

Alford, the team scoring leader and Most Valuable Player as a freshman last year, has been in a two-week slump he says has been "probably the toughest in my career."

A 20-point, 60-percent shooter from the field most of the season, Al-

ford's recent games have been a nightmare. In two losses last week, he hit only six of 26 shots and scored a total of 14 points. And his personal slump has coincided with the Hoosiers' slide as a team, now 6-8 in the Big Ten and 14-10 for all games.

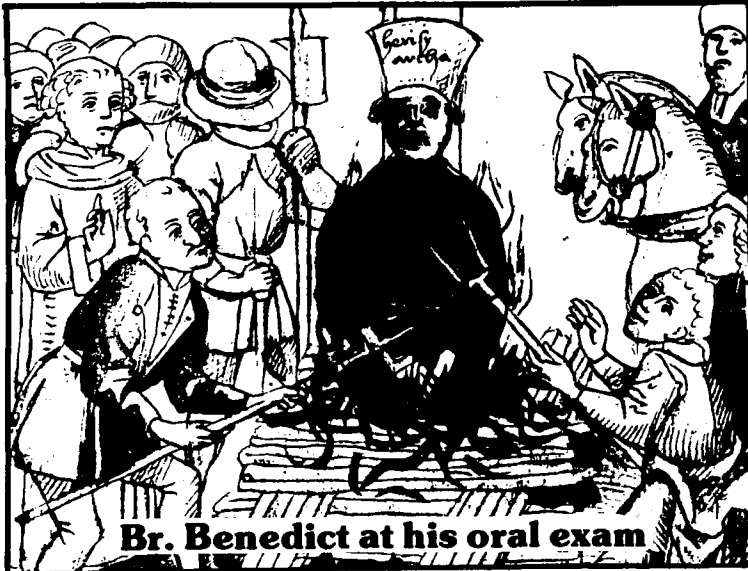
"I don't really have much of an idea (of the reason). That's the problem we're having," the 6-foot-2 sophomore said in a telephone interview from Bloomington. "The players are disappointed, and the coaches have the same feeling. We as players feel we're working as hard as we have in the past, but we haven't come up with a solution.

That's been our problem lately."

Indiana has lost seven of its past 10 games. In Saturday's loss to Purdue, Knight was ejected five minutes into the game after receiving three technical fouls and hurling a chair across the court.

"I didn't see any of it," Alford said of the incident with the chair. "I was as upset (with the official's call that led to Knight's outburst) as anybody. The officiating has been poor, and it's been frustrating.

"He's sorry, and he apologized," Alford said of Knight. "What more can I say. There's just no better man in the business than him."



Br. Benedict at his oral exam

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Teaming up with Fitzgerald is 6-1 senior Mike Burt. A transfer from South Georgia Junior College, Burt contributes 6.5 points to the Bulldog effort to go with 68 assists.

Receiving the call often at third guard is senior Gave Gilbreth. A good outside shooter, Gilbreth averages 6.5 points and has totalled 45 assists.

In the Bulldogs' first basketball game in Hinkle Fieldhouse, in 1928, they defeated Notre Dame, 21-13, in overtime.

This time around, the Irish will have to score a few more points if they hope to leave the unfriendly confines of the Fieldhouse with a victory.

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"Our hard work is behind us now," said Stark. "We're in a tapering situation right now so we're not too tired and if we're not too tired, we should improve our times."

Since the Irish have not competed since the North Star Conference Championship meet, they will be rested and well-trained going into today's competition. While winning the championship would be the icing on Notre Dame's season, the Irish will be pleased if they can attain some personal best finishes.

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factive player. She's also a very good penetrator."

Rounding out the core of the Butler attack is 5-4 freshman guard Denise Walters, 5-9 freshman forward Pam Schiefelbein, and 5-8 forward Christie Essington. Schiefelbein and Essington, who average 12 ppg. and 10 rpg. between them, should be keys to the contest, since Butler will need a strong rebounding effort to keep the Irish from controlling the game.

"We have to use our height advantage on the boards," notes DiStanislao. "They are not a really deep team. Basically, we just have to play good, solid, fundamental basketball."

Despite a recent abundance of turnovers, the Irish should be able to play their solid, fundamental game. Junior guard Trena Keys has taken over the scoring role for the team, as she averages 17.8 ppg., while 6-0 forward Mary Beth Schueth and 6-2 center Sandy Botham provide a formidable inside game.

In brief, the Irish should win this one; unless, of course, they are looking ahead to their next game against Evansville.

"A good team does not look ahead past anyone," says DiStanislao. "They better not be looking past this one."

If the Irish can last long enough to tame the Lady Bulldogs, they will be able to enjoy a breather from heavy competition.

From wrestling family

Ken Kasler impresses in first year

By **BRIAN MCCARTHY**
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame Wrestling Program is having a good season and one of the reasons has been the strong performance by underclassmen, including freshman Ken Kasler.

A 16-4 victory over his Marquette opponent last week put the finishing touch on a 17-12 regular-season record and gives Kasler momentum heading into the NCAA regionals in Des Moines, Iowa, this weekend.

Success is not new for Kasler, who compiled a 71-9-2 record at North Olmsted High School in North Olmsted, Ohio, on the western edge of Cleveland. Serving as team captain both his junior and senior years, Kasler was a three-time conference champion, regional champion and a third-place finisher in the state as a senior.

Kasler's wrestling career began at age six, inspired by his father, who was a high school wrestling coach. An interest in wrestling appears to be a common trait in the Kasler family.

"My dad wrestled, my brother wrestled, I wrestle, my mom follows wrestling," says Kasler. "In fact, they've been to quite a few matches this year."

During his senior year in high school, Kasler expressed interest in Notre Dame before he was recruited by Irish head coach Fran McCann. Since McCann was not hired until late in the school year, he did not

contact Kasler until after he had been accepted. The reputation of the North Olmsted program convinced McCann that Kasler was a quality wrestler.

"We didn't know him too well," says McCann. "Ken's interest in us came first. We based our judgement on his high school program."



Ken Kasler

Kasler took his first semester of college in stride, at least in the classroom, but he found the college wrestler provided much more of a challenge than the average high school wrestler.

"The college wrestler is a lot more physical," says Kasler. "You see better competition every time out."

Kasler did not know how he would fare once he arrived at Notre Dame, but he was optimistic.

"I wasn't sure how I would do," says Kasler. "I thought I could do all right. I didn't really know what to expect."

As his first season nears the end, Kasler's contribution to the team has

been more than can usually be expected from a freshman. Even though he had good coaching before arriving at Notre Dame, Kasler praises McCann and assistant coach John Azevedo for improving his style tremendously.

"There's definitely a difference between college coaching and high school coaching," says Kasler. "Coach McCann and coach Azevedo have shown me a lot about technique; coming out from underneath, escaping."

The effect of the Irish coaching staff on Kasler's wrestling has been evident as the 158-pounder improved throughout the year. McCann sees one of Kasler's attributes as his ability to recognize his strengths and weaknesses.

"Ken utilizes his strengths and does what he has to do to win," says McCann.

McCann describes Kasler's best assets as his slickness and intelligence. Kasler said he plans on using his talents as best he can in the next three years.

"I'm definitely setting my goals pretty high for the next few years," says Kasler. "With this program and the coaches and the guys were bringing in I'm looking forward to it."

The goals for the Notre Dame wrestling program also are high for the coming years and it appears Ken Kasler will be a great aid in helping the team meet those goals.

on both teams. P-E took advantage of the situation by passing inside to Reggie Richter. Richter went to the foul line repeatedly during the first half. Farley relied on the outside shooting of Mary Borkowski, along with an occasional basket by Julie Pietras. At half, P-E led, 16-13.

The plethora of fouls continued in the second half. However, the tables were turned on P-E as Richter collected her fourth foul early in the third quarter and then fouled out only a minute into the fourth quarter. Meanwhile, Borkowski, Pietras, and Marilu Almeida were helping Farley take the lead. Entering the fourth quarter, Farley was up, 23-21.

The game see-sawed back and forth the rest of the way. With 30 seconds left, Farley had the ball, trailing 28-27. But Borkowski missed two 18-foot jumpers and P-E hung on to win with a slim one-point margin.

P-E must now play B-P on Sunday at 6 p.m. Farley and Walsh drop into the losers' bracket and play at 7 p.m. on Sunday.

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quick enough against their zone (in the first quarter) and we forced some bad shots from the outside," said O'Malley. "In the fourth quarter, though, our defense was great. We got our heads up and moved our feet. Tough defense was definitely the key to our comeback."

In the second game, second-ranked Pasquerilla East clashed with third-ranked Farley. Both teams entered the game with 8-2 records.

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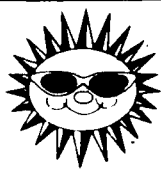
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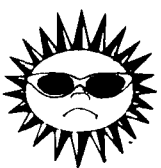
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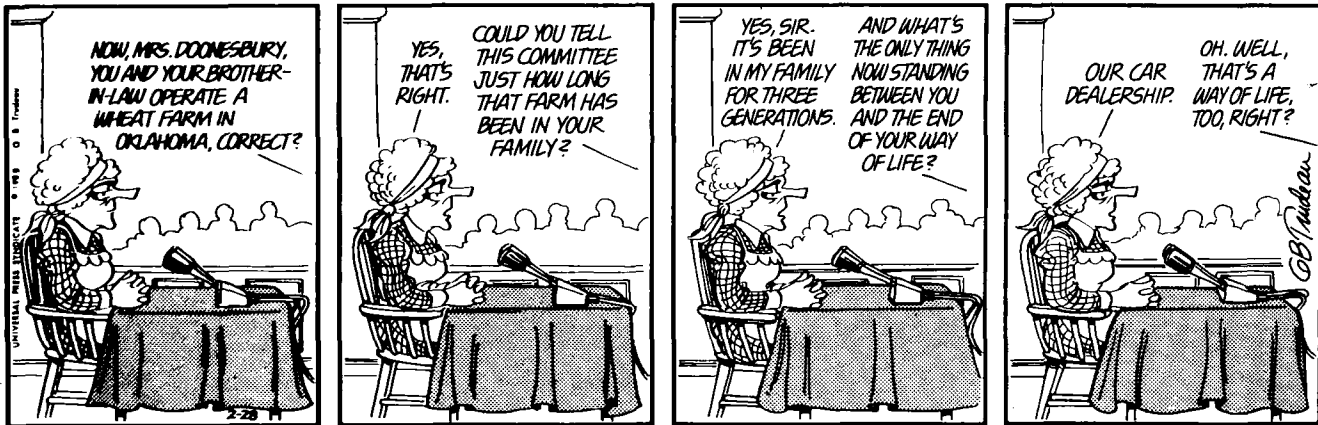
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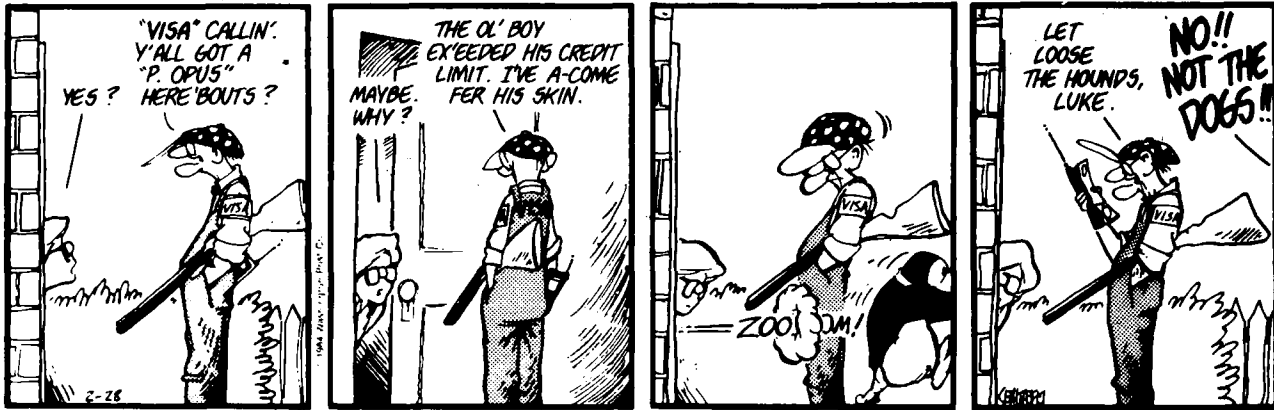
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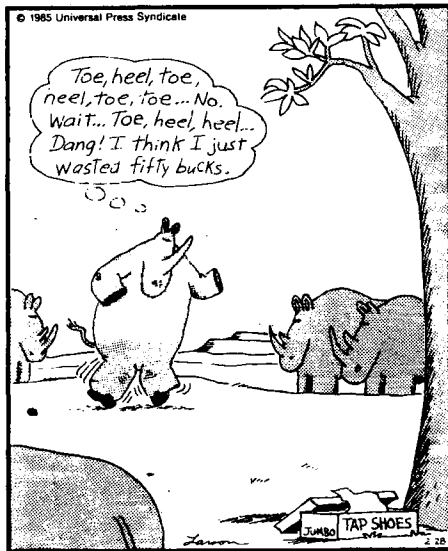
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- 7 p.m. - **Basketball**, ND Women vs. Butler, ACC Arena.
- 7:45 p.m. - **Meeting**, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, CSC, All Are Welcome.
- 8 p.m. - **Concert**, ND Chamber Orchestra, Sacred Heart Church.
- 8 p.m. - **Lecture**, Howard Nemerov, Poet, Author, and Mallinckrodt Professor of English, Washington University, St. Louis, Library Auditorium, Sponsored by Sophomore Literary Festival.
- 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. - **Senior Cocktail Party**, ACC Monogram Room, Proceeds Go To MS Campaign, \$3.
- 9 - 10:30 p.m. - **Jazz Concert**, "Jazz at the Nazz," Notre Dame Jazz Band, The Nazz, Free.
- 9 & 11 p.m. - **Movie**, "Big Wednesday," Chataqua Ballroom, Sponsored by Southern California Club, Free to Everyone.

TV Tonight

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| 8:00 p.m. | 16 | Bill Cosby Show |
| | 22 | Magnum, PI |
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| 8:30 p.m. | 16 | Family Ties |
| 9:00 p.m. | 16 | Cheers |
| | 22 | Simon & Simon |
| | 34 | Mystery |
| 9:30 p.m. | 16 | Night Court |
| | 22 | WKRP in Cincinnati |
| 10:00 p.m. | 16 | Hill Street Blues |
| | 22 | Knots Landing |
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| | 34 | Masterpiece Theatre |

The Daily Crossword

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- 20 Supplication
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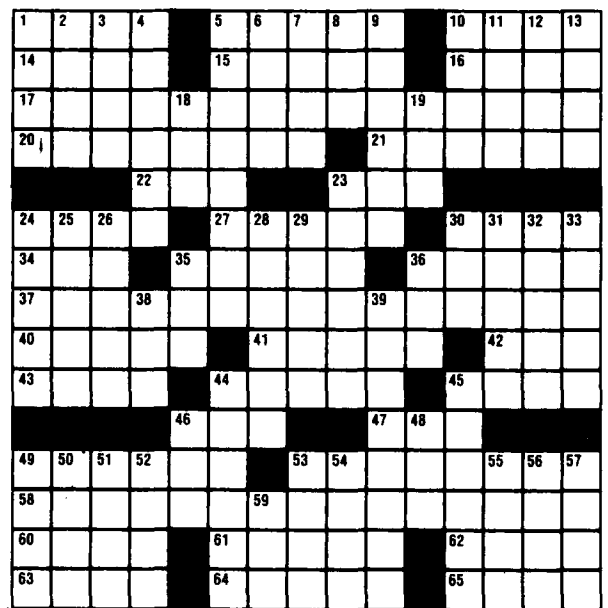
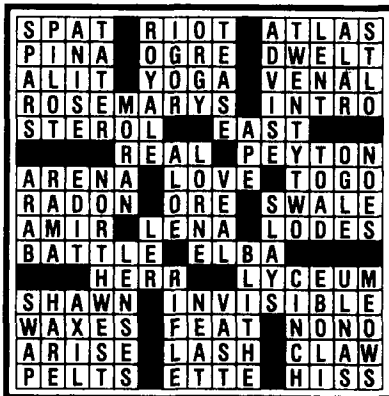
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Junior Lynn Ebben, shown here in the ACC in a game earlier this season against Evansville, will be in the ACC again tonight as the Irish take on the Butler Lady Bulldogs. Notre Dame can raise its record to 17-8 overall and 10-1 in the North Star Conference with a win over the struggling Bulldogs. Marty Burns previews the game in his story below.

North Star game

ND women play host to Butler

By **MARTY BURNS**
Sports Writer

On a pace more befitting an NBA franchise, the Notre Dame women's basketball team will attempt to clear another conference hurdle tonight, as it entertains the Lady Bulldogs of Butler University at 7 p.m. at the ACC.

The Irish, who so far have handled the pressure of a conference race like professionals, enter the homestretch 16-8 on the season. Notre Dame is 9-1 and on top in the North Star Conference. Butler, on the other hand, will come in with a 4-20 slate on the season, and a last-place 1-9 in the conference.

When you are at the top of the heap, however, everyone is looking to shoot you down. And with the number of games the Irish have played lately, they will be, at least in the Bulldogs' hopes, prime for the picking.

"The toughest thing about this game is that it will be our third game

in five nights," says Irish head coach Mary DiStanislao. "Plus, you get everybody's best shot when you're at the top."

Fortunately for the Irish, Butler's "best shot" has not been falling this season. First-year head coach Russ Sarfaty's squad has had greater success than last year's 2-20 team, but the Lady Bulldog's first year in the NSC has been a disappointment.

One player who has not been a disappointment for the Lady Bulldogs, though, is center Sue Morris. The 5-11 senior is ranked near the top of the conference in many statistical categories, including scoring, as she leads the Lady Bulldogs with an 18.1 points-per-game average, and a 7.1 rebounds-per-game standard.

"Most of their offensive story is Sue Morris," says DiStanislao. "She is their tallest starter at 5-11. She is very strong, and she has a very good touch at the perimeter. She was really able to hurt us in our last game.

Irish men travel to Butler to take on Bulldogs tonight

By **ERIC SCHEUERMANN**
Sports Writer

Riding a winning streak of three games, the Notre Dame men's basketball team will travel to Indianapolis tonight to take on the Bulldogs of Butler University.

The Irish will square off against the Bulldogs at 7:35 p.m. at Hinkle Fieldhouse, a house of horrors for many visiting teams in the past.

Butler is 32-8 on its home court over the past two years, with 12 of those victories coming this year.

The Irish, with a record of 17-7, know they can not become another casualty of the Fieldhouse if they hope to continue on the road to an NCAA Tournament bid.

"We come into the week with the best record of all the independents," says Irish head coach Digger Phelps, "so we can control our own destiny to a great extent over the last two weeks of the regular season."

But before they can concentrate on Sunday's game with Washington or on next week's crucial contests with Marquette and Dayton, the Irish will have to get past the Bulldogs, who enter the matchup with a 17-8 record.

Head coach Joe Sexson's Bulldogs are led by sophomore Chad Tucker. The 6-6 forward averages 20.4

points per game (first on the team), and is second on the squad with 6.0 rebounds per game.

Tucker has led Butler in scoring thirteen times this season, with his high of 33 points coming in a game against Ball State.

Starting at the opposite forward will be another sophomore, 6-4 Tony Gallahar. Gallahar, a transfer from Texas-San Antonio, scores at a 9.1 clip and contributes 4.7 rebounds per game.

Backing up Tucker and Gallahar are two newcomers to the Bulldogs. Aaron Hoover, a junior transfer from Modesto Junior College in California, and Johnny Jones, a freshman from Gary, Ind., have filled in sparingly and have added about two points and two rebounds per game between them.

At center, the Bulldogs start 6-8 senior Tim Haseley. Haseley leads the team in rebounding, collecting 7.2 per game. He also chips in with 8.1 points per game.

Sophomore Mike Harper backs up Haseley in the middle. Harper, also 6-8, adds strength to the Bulldogs' frontcourt.

Although lacking in height overall, Butler has been able to out-rebound its opponents by a margin of 31.8 to 30.8, a fact that can not be taken lightly by an Irish front line that has had trouble rebounding at times lately.

At the guard position, the Bulldogs are led by sophomore sensation Darrin Fitzgerald. Only 5-9, Fitzgerald has improved over an outstanding freshman year last season.

Fitzgerald owns an excellent outside shooting touch, one of the main reasons he has been able to average 15.8 points per game. An excellent passer, Fitzgerald leads the team with 100 assists and 47 steals. His quickness and jumping ability should test David Rivers of the Irish.

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Women's swimming team ends season at Midwest meet

By **MARY SIEGER**
Sports Writer

Finally, the end is in sight for the Notre Dame women's swim team.

The Irish start swimming their 1985 season finale this afternoon in Chicago as the team races 12 Midwestern schools for the title in the Fourth Annual Midwest Independent Championship Meet.

"This is our top meet of the season because it will have our toughest competition," explained Notre Dame head coach Dennis Stark. "It's a larger meet with some more established teams, so it will be tougher."

For some seniors, this weekend's gruelling three-day meet will be their farewell to competitive swimming. For other members of the team, it is their last chance to achieve their fastest times of the year and possibly qualify for the NCAA Division I National Championships.

"We're not concentrating on the team," said Irish co-captain Venette Cochiolo. "We'll concentrate on individual performances."

Notre Dame grabbed sixth place in last season's championship meet and the Irish plan to improve their final standing this year.

Defending champion Illinois State will fight to retain its title and will provide the Irish with their quickest competition. Northern Michigan

University and the University of Western Michigan round out the field of teams looking to unseat Illinois State this weekend.

"If the girls get their best times, then we'll have an improved situation from last year," said Stark. "It all depends on how much stronger the other teams are over last year. Our depth indicates we should do better."

"Hopefully, we'll move up to the top four," said Cochiolo. "Since there is more competition, it will be more intense and that always makes times go down a lot."

Notre Dame's top 15 swimmers travelled to the University of Illinois-Chicago yesterday afternoon and Stark said he hopes each of them will pull through for the team over the next three days.

"Since scoring comes in the finals, we want as many girls as possible to qualify for the finals," said Stark. "I hope they all can score."

Notre Dame dives into today's meet with an impressive 11-1 season dual meet record. Earlier this year, the Irish dominated the first annual Notre Dame Relays in preseason competition and two weeks ago, the team claimed its second consecutive North Star Conference championship in Saint Louis.

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B-P and P-E advance in women's interhall playoffs

By **MICHAEL FLANNERY**
Sports Writer

The women's interhall basketball playoffs got underway with two games at the ACC last night. The playoff format calls for the four top regular-season finishers to compete in a double-elimination tournament. Put simply, if you lose twice in the playoffs, you're history.

The first game of the evening pitted top-rated Breen-Phillips against fourth-rated Walsh. B-P finished the regular season with a perfect 10-0 record. Walsh came in at 8-2.

Walsh was the clear aggressor at the outset of the game. Walsh jumped out to a 12-5 first-quarter lead, patiently working the ball inside against B-P's man-to-man

defense and then pounding the offensive boards. Laura Gleason did most of the damage.

B-P, on the other hand, seemed to be in a fog. On defense, B-P was sluggish at best. On offense, they were stymied by Walsh's 3-2 zone, which forced their guards beyond normal shooting range. B-P fired up several 20-foot bricks, anyway.

The second quarter saw B-P gain ground with the help of a 2-3 zone. Walsh lacked good ballhandlers and couldn't find any pockets in B-P's defense. However, B-P remained cold from the perimeter and the half ended with Walsh leading, 14-10.

Walsh's Mary Langer caught fire in the third period. In celebration of her twenty-first birthday, she sank four straight

baskets. B-P looked ripe for an upset. Walsh seemed ready to do the honors.

But it was not to be. B-P clamped down on defense with some fierce man-to-man pressure and Walsh's ballhandlers crumbled under it. Turnover after turnover down the stretch led to easy layups; slowly, B-P clawed its way into striking distance.

With a minute left, Ann Curoe picked off a pass and Fern Brown for the winning basket. It was also B-P's first lead of the game. Two Curoe foul shots iced a 31-28 victory.

B-P coach Fran O'Malley commented on his team's slow start and fast finish.

"We weren't moving the ball see INTERHALL, page 14

