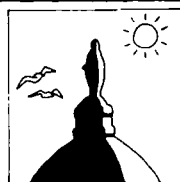


ACCENT: 'Cousins'

VIEWPOINT: British abuse of Irish

Pot of Gold

Mostly sunny and warmer today with highs around 40. Warmer Friday with a chance of showers, high near 50.



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Hearts leap and run

The Observer / Heleni Korwek

Students brave the cold as they participate in the Heartlights 3 Mile Fun Run yesterday. In addition to the run, Heartlight offers "Heart-Safe" menus in the dining halls to increase healthiness on campus.

U.S. military attache called a spy and expelled from the Soviet Union

Associated Press

MOSCOW- The Soviet Union shot back Wednesday in an espionage war with Washington, ordering a U.S. military attache expelled and saying the atmosphere of "spy mania" bodes ill for relations with the Bush administration.

Foreign Ministry spokesman Gennady Gerasimov said Army Lt. Col. Ganiel Francis Van Gundy NII, an assistant military attache at the U.S. embassy, was a spy and that he must leave the country in 48 hours.

Gerasimov said Moscow was responding to Washington's expulsion last week of a Soviet military attache it accused of trying to buy computer secrets.

Van Gundy's ouster was the first Soviet expulsion of a U.S. diplomat in almost 2 1/2 years,

a period in which superpower relations have markedly improved.

It clouded relations with the administration of George Bush even before the president, who took office in January, announced the results of a review of American policy toward the Soviet Union.

"The U.S. administration is revealing its foreign policy, and we have this problem of spy mania," Gerasimov told reporters.

He cited a recent Time magazine cover story on the 1987 Marine spy scandal at the U.S. embassy in Moscow and said American leaders uninterested in improving relations had tried to incite fears of espionage.

"We're not the ones who initiated this process,"

Gerasimov said, tacitly acknowledging the connection between last week's incident and the expulsion of Van Gundy. "It does not fit in with the trend for the positive development of Soviet-American relations."

The superpowers already have clashed over arms control.

The Soviets have expressed unhappiness with U.S. plans to modernize and expand battlefield nuclear weapons in Europe. After the meeting with Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze in Vienna on March 7, Secretary of State James A. Baker III objected to the Soviets' attempt to seek reduction in combat aircraft and naval forces, as well as the

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Tank repaired on shuttle Discovery

Associated Press

HOUSTON- The lights came back on the Discovery space shuttle Wednesday after Mission Control apparently fixed a troublesome hydrogen tank and told the astronauts not to worry about conserving energy.

Discovery's five astronauts had switched off unnecessary lights and computers because of concern about erratic pressure readings from one of three hydrogen tanks aboard the shuttle. The tank, which helps supply electricity, was taken out of service Tuesday while engineers studied the problem.

The crew turned the tank back on Wednesday morning but used only one of its two heaters. Mission Control told the crew that early pressure readings showed the tank was working properly.

"That's good news to hear," replied Discovery commander Michael Coats.

The hydrogen is combined with oxygen in the fuel cells to produce electricity for shuttle systems, with water as a byproduct.

Ground controllers were concerned that without use of the third hydrogen tank, there may not be enough electricity to support a five-day flight, plus two days for contingencies.

But flight director Granvil Pennington said the problem seemed fixed, meaning Discovery is headed for a 6:34 a.m. PST landing time Saturday at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif., as planned.

The five astronauts went about the business of monitoring experiments and trying to photograph environmentally damaged areas of the Earth, including scars from a recent fire in the Florida everglades

and an erupting volcano in Guatemala.

They also conducted medical tests on each other. While floating on the flight deck, Dr. James M. Bagian took Coats' blood pressure, checked his pulse and pressed a small device to his temple to measure the blood flow in his head.

The tests were to help determine what effect zero gravity has on blood flow.

Mission Control awoke the crew with a full brass band rendition of the Marine Corps Hymn.

"We got two Marines standing at attention up here," joked Coats, a Navy captain. "What do we do now?"

Astronauts James F. Buchli and Robert C. Springer are Marine colonels. Bagian is a physician, and pilot John E. Blaha is an Air Force colonel.

Discovery's primary mission-- deployment of a \$100 million communications satellite-- was completed Monday several hours after the shuttle rocketed into orbit.

The Tracking and Data Relay Satellite completes a network that will allow ground controllers almost unbroken radio contact with shuttles and other satellites. The satellite deployed Monday and another launched last year will provide the nearly continuous coverage, while a third one above the Earth will act as an in-orbit spare.

The Discovery flight is the first of seven shuttle missions planned this year and the 28th overall. It also is the third shuttle flight since the Challenger exploded and killed its seven astronauts more than three years ago.

Former CIA agent Agee discusses covert activity

By JOHN O'BRIEN
Staff Reporter

Phillip Agee, a 1956 Notre Dame graduate and a former CIA agent, described CIA covert intelligence activities and told of his experiences both as an agent and an object of CIA surveillance.

Agee, who wrote the controversial book, "Inside the Company," which revealed sensitive information on CIA activities, criticized the CIA and the presidential administrations under which it has operated.

"The CIA doesn't have a policy of its own and it

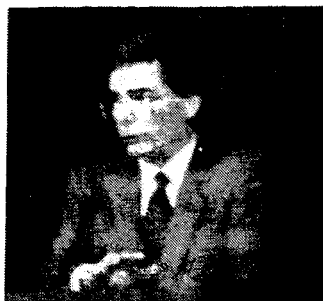
shouldn't. It was formed to serve the government and its policies are dictated by the current administration," Agee said.

Agee said that the original purpose of the agency as a means of gaining information has been altered to concentrate on covert activities which he called "murderous" and "illegal."

"The money you are paying to the government in the form of taxes is being used to murder," Agee said.

Agee gave a history of numerous covert activities which the CIA has carried out from influencing Italian elec-

tions in the late 1940's to its current involvement in El Salvador and its backing of the Contras in Nicaragua.



Phillip Agee

"Be as sure as your own name that the CIA is working

with the death squads in El Salvador," Agee said.

The attempts to "restore Democracy" to Nicaragua which Presidents Reagan and Bush have supported by funding the Contras were criticized by Agee.

"God save Nicaragua from restoration of democracy by the U.S.," said Agee. Agee was greeted by a mix of applause and boos as he made his first public appearance at Notre Dame in over 30 years. His lecture, sponsored by the Student Union Board, was delivered to a standing-room only crowd in Washington Hall.

Agee started working with

the CIA soon after graduating from Notre Dame with a philosophy degree in 1956.

He left the CIA in 1969, because the Agency was supporting greedy and corrupted people, he said.

Soon after, he began work on "Inside the Company," which exposed many CIA secrets and revealed the names of hundreds of CIA agents and front organizations, causing an international uproar.

"I knew I couldn't change the CIA's policies. But I also knew I could weaken the execution

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IN BRIEF

Terry Coyne and Fred Tombar both placed first at the Indiana State Speech Championships in Extemporaneous Speaking and Prose reading respectively. Both qualified for the National Championships in New Jersey. Along with Jim McCarthy and Rob Henning, Terry and Fred are leading the biggest team in the University's history. -*The Observer*

OF INTEREST

Swimlessons for children of faculty/administration staff will take place at Rolfs Aquatic Center on Saturdays beginning March 18 and ending May 6. For more information, call Dennis Stark at 239-5983. -*The Observer*

CILA dinner rap session CILA hosts a dinner tonight at 5 p.m. upstairs in the South Dining Hall. Professor Edward Goerner will speak on politics and aristocracy. -*The Observer*

Student Art exhibit applications can be picked up in the Office of Student Activities, LaFortune. Deadline for submittance of artwork is today. For more information, contact Josef Henriquez at 283-1584. -*The Observer*

Northern Ireland seminar participants who went on the spring break trip to Northern Ireland will talk about their experience today at 6:30 p.m. in the Center for Social Concerns. All are invited to attend. -*The Observer*

Foodshare meeting tonight at 8 p.m. in the Center for Social Concerns. All members who signed up to help or anyone who has time to contribute to the fight against hunger and homelessness should attend. For more information, or if you are unable to attend, contact Lisa Mackett or Vibha Monteirs. -*The Observer*

ND Encounter 4th Day meets tonight in the South Lounge of Walsh Hall at 9 p.m. Tonight's topic is building of the future Church. All past Encounter participants are welcome. -*The Observer*

Friday Forum at the CSC Tomorrow is the third in the "Year of Cultural Diversity" series. Professor Luis Fraga will speak on "Immigrants and Minorities? Interpreting the Latino Experience in the U.S.," at 12:15 p.m. at the Center for Social Concerns. -*The Observer*

A presentation on Colombia will be held during the ISO Coffee Hour tonight at 7:30 p.m. There will be both a slide-show and a discussion on the state of affairs in Colombia. -*The Observer*

Optional laundry service for both men and women will be discussed tonight at 7 p.m. in 615 Pasquerilla East. For more information call 283-3772. -*The Observer*

Nicaraguan Hurricane relief aid If you are interested in joining a national drive to send hurricane relief aid to the people of Nicaragua, come to a brief organizational meeting today at 4:30 p.m. in the Center for Social Concerns Coffeehouse. -*The Observer*

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INSIDE COLUMN

Do unto others: The Golden Rule applied

When I stop and think about it, I am often incredulous at the enormous capacity people have to make fun of anything and everything.

When I was riding up the chair lift last week during my four-day stint on the ski slopes, for example, I did not waste the opportunity to serenade my partner with an off-key rendition of "Annie's Song" when I saw someone skiing below me who was probably John Denver's long-lost twin brother.

I must admit, I also enjoyed a few laughs at the expense of the ski instructors. It was difficult to keep a straight face and inwardly speculate what kind of toothpaste they used to keep their teeth so white they even stood out in all the snow.

Whatever their motives, I have never met anyone whom I haven't known to indulge in this type of so-called humor at one time or another. It's as much a part of being human as waking up in the morning.

While most people do it in the interest of entertainment, rather than because of an inherent desire to be malicious, it might be useful for everyone to stop and think whether the John Denvers of this world would appreciate their quips if they could hear them. Maybe my John Denver clone believes that looking the way he does is social suicide in 1989. If he does, I haven't helped his image problem.

I suppose I learned my lesson the hard way, since my own name has been the cause of some less-than-pleasant encounters over the years. There have been times, in my weaker moments, when I have wished with all my heart that my last name was Smith. It's not a particularly original name, but I wouldn't have to worry about tactless phone calls at 3 a.m. after someone with a few too many beers under his belt discovered my name in the directory.

I took it personally, at first, even though I knew that chances were my charming, anonymous caller couldn't pick me out on the quad. It eventually dawned on me that this was a more tactless version of what I mentioned earlier: Man's natural tendency to enjoy laughs at others' expense. This revelation helped to boost my ego, since I now know that these mysterious charmers weren't harboring a personal vendetta against me. It did not, however, curb my temper.

That's when I realized that maybe sometimes I was guilty of the same thing. Granted, I wasn't obnoxious enough to walk right up to Chip or Biff or Muffy (or whatever it is ski instructors call themselves these days) and actually ask them if there was any space for rent between their ears. That's not to say I didn't sharpen

Alison Cocks

Production Manager



my ability to toss out one-liners when they were out of earshot. I never took into account whether that might be a sensitive subject for them, since I wasn't intending to degrade them personally. I'm just a sucker for a good one-liner, and the victims of my lightning wit happen to be in the wrong place at the wrong time.

Even though it infuriates me that some people have so little class that they are willing to disrupt my life to insult me, I force myself to remember that while I have more tact than that, I've been guilty too. Nobody likes being slapped in the face for something they can't do anything about. But people seem to have extremely short memories when it's their turn to make the cracks. It's an unfortunate situation when people have to cope with being harassed for bearing a certain name, for acting a certain way, or simply for being themselves.

Unfortunately, it happens. By now we're all so addicted to cutting each other we'd probably feel lost if we didn't do it. Standing at my pulpit and demanding that we all cease to be so callous is unrealistic. But we can at least be sensitive enough to stop and feel guilty every once in a while. And take greater pains to ensure that the John Denver clones don't hear us when we succumb to the urge to begin crooning "You fill up my senses..."

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Cancellation stamp for National Champs

By **RON SEVERINO**
News Staff

The U.S. Postal Service headquarters in Washington, D.C. has given the South Bend post office permission to issue a green pictorial cancellation stamp in honor of the University of Notre Dame football team's 1988 National Championship season.

The cancellations will only be available Friday, March 17, between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. at Fighting Irish Station at the Century Center in South Bend, according to Paul Sniadecki, director of marketing at the South Bend post office.

The only requirement for pa-

trons who want a cancellation will be that they bring a stamped envelope or postcard ready to be cancelled, said Sniadecki.

A stamp is usually cancelled by affixing three black lines over it, said Sniadecki. This commemorative cancellation, however, will be green with the design of the Notre Dame leprechaun and a football, and the words, "Notre Dame 1988 National Champions."

Sniadecki said those people not able to attend Friday's cancellation hours can receive cancellations by sending stamped envelopes or

postcards to the South Bend post office. These will be cancelled provided that the patron include a self-addressed, stamped envelope. The requests must be postmarked no later than March 17.

Irish football fans can also obtain a commemorative postcard with the team picture on the front with the scores of the 1988 football season and Knute Rockne stamp cancelled with the green pictorial on the back, said Sniadecki. The cards, also available in the Century Center, will cost \$1 and proceeds will benefit the Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph County scholarship fund.



A green postage cancellation will be offered in South Bend Friday to honor the Notre Dame football team.

St. Patrick's day salute to National Champions in South Bend: trophy to be presented by AP

By **RON SEVERINO**
News Staff

The South Bend/Mishawaka community will formally celebrate Notre Dame's National Championship football season Friday, March 17, at the Century Center in South Bend.

The celebration, part of a day-long "St. Patrick's Day Downtown" celebration in South Bend, will include an ap-

pearance by the Notre Dame football team and marching band and the presentation of the Associated Press National Championship Trophy, said Mikki Dobski, director of community affairs in South Bend.

Doors to Convention Halls A and B in the Century Center will be opened to the public at 3:30 p.m. At 4:15 p.m. a one-hour highlight film of the 12-0 football season will be shown

on two large video screens.

The Notre Dame marching band will then perform until the 5:30 p.m. entrance of the team, cheerleaders, and Irish Guard.

Remarks about the championship football season will then be made by Indiana dignitaries including South Bend Mayor Joe Kernan, Mishawaka Mayor Bob Beutter, U.S. Congressman John Hiler, and Indiana Secretary of State Joseph Hogsett, said Dobski.

After comments by Notre Dame Executive Vice President Father William Beauchamp and Athletic Director Dick Rosenthal, the team will officially be presented with the Associated Press National Championship Trophy, according to Dobski.

After spotlighting the 1988 team tri-captains, the ceremony will conclude with a speech on the championship season by Head Coach Lou Holtz and a presentation of the highlight film to each member of the team, said Dobski.

"Our whole area is part of this football team," said Holtz. Although the intent of this celebration is for the community to formally salute Holtz and the football team, Holtz said of the celebration, "They don't owe us a thing. What we accomplished is because of our hard practice. They'll be surprised to find out that we are going there to thank them, not be thanked by them."

The Irish football team began Spring practice Wednesday, March 15, and Holtz stressed that St. Patrick's Day will be one last celebration for the team before it lays 1988 to rest and concentrates on the new season.

"After March 17, hopefully I won't be able to remember who won (the national championship) last year," said Holtz.

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J-Council chooses new coordinator for 1989-90

By **JOHN ZALLER**
News Staff

Vincent Sanchez, a sophomore in Keenan, was elected the new Judicial Council Coordinator at a meeting Wednesday night.

"I'm looking forward to a real productive year and getting a lot of people motivated," Sanchez said shortly after his election.

Sanchez said, "The biggest problem with the council right now is that not too many people know who we are. We've made a lot of progress this year and I hope more people get interested in order for the Judicial Council to become a more active body within the framework of the University."

Sanchez pointed out that there are problems within the council, attendance being a large one, but he noted that they are closer to a better rapport with the administration than last year.

"Student Affairs is really willing to listen to us," Sanchez said. He hopes that soon more responsibility will be given to the students. Sanchez's term is for the 1989-90 academic year.



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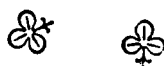
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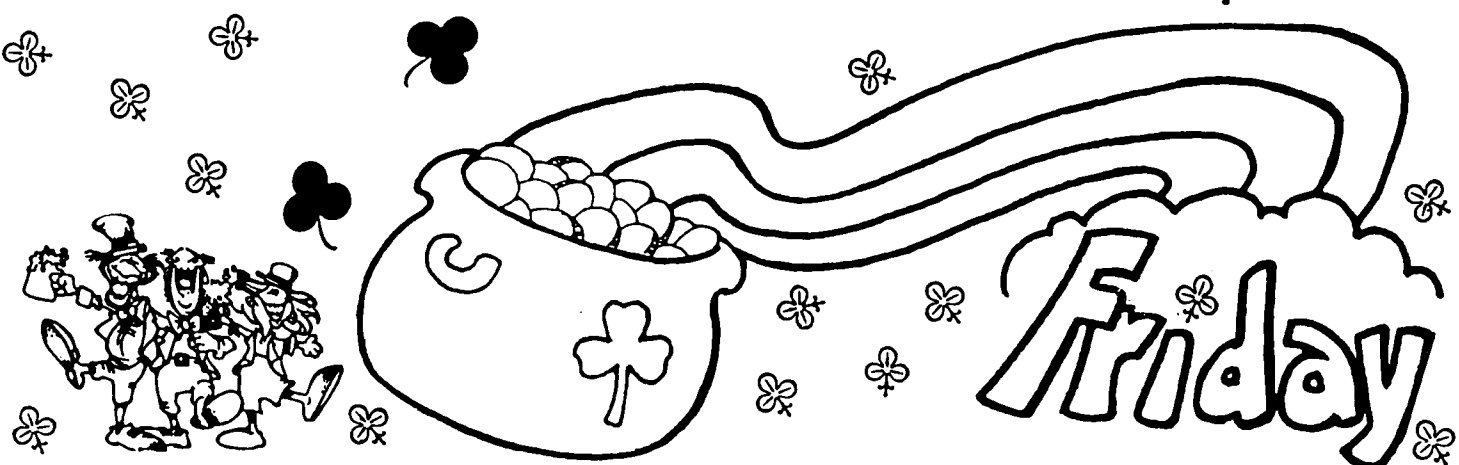
*under the tent on Fieldhouse Mall

*Irish musicians Dave Glenn



Tom Dahill will lead the party tunes

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McFarlane testifies that Reagan approved secret aid to Contras

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- President Reagan in 1985 not only approved a secret pact to give Honduras more than \$110 million for helping the Nicaraguan Contras but he also telephoned Honduras' president when the Honduran military delayed an ammunition shipment to the rebels, the Oliver North jury was told Wednesday.

Reagan made a note of his call to Roberto Suazo that said the Honduran "will call his military commander to tell him to deliver the ammunition," former national security adviser Robert McFarlane testified at the Oliver North trial. The ammunition then got to the guerrillas.

Under questioning by defense lawyers, McFarlane detailed how Reagan initialed a plan in mid-February 1985 that resulted in Honduras getting speeded-up deliveries of rifles, ammunition and machines.

It was a "quid pro quo" arrangement that Reagan was advised would "provide incentives" to the Hondurans for helping out.

"You're going to give them tens of millions of dollars to cooperate?" North lawyer Brendan Sullivan asked McFarlane.

"Yes," the witness said.

"There is nothing dirty about quid pro quo, is there?" "No."

Later, reading from a previously secret memo, Sullivan referred to "\$75 million in economic assistance." He also referred to \$35 million in expedited military aid.

The matter was so sensitive, McFarlane acknowledged under questioning, that the arrangement was discussed verbally by the U.S. ambassador in Honduras with Suazo and was not given to him in writing.

North's lawyers say the Reagan administration had a policy of hiding such arrangements with other countries to support the Contras.



AP Photo

Former National Security Adviser Robert McFarlane arrives at U.S. District Court Tuesday in Washington where he was to testify in the Oliver North conspiracy trial.

Special to The Observer

The following is provided as general information to the Notre Dame community as required by the Environmental Protection Agency.

As part of the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations, the University, as a water supplier, is required to monitor the drinking water for volatile organic compounds (VOC's) and to make the results of any monitoring or analysis available to water users.

The University has completed its current monitoring requirements and is pleased to report that no regulated or non-regulated chemical was detected in the water.

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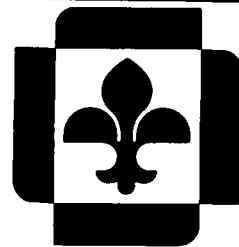
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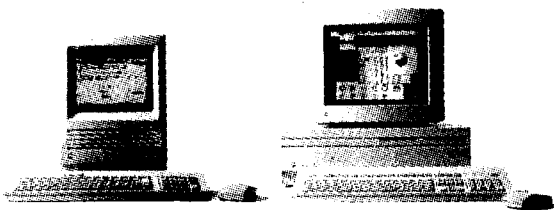
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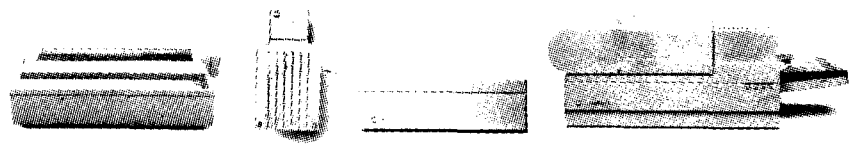
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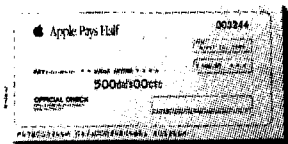
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Bayh named as defendant in teen jail cell death suit

Associated Press

NEW ALBANY, Ind.- Gov. Evan Bayh was among 32 defendants named Wednesday in a \$17.2 million federal lawsuit stemming from the death of a Seymour, Ind. teen-ager in a police holding cell.

Jonathon Reese Mitchell, 17, died of hanging in a holding cell

at the Seymour police headquarters a few hours after being arrested Feb. 4 at a local arcade.

The suit seeks an injunction preventing the city of Seymour and Jackson County from housing juveniles in jail until the conclusion of the lawsuit. It also asks the court to require the city and county to rectify what are referred to as unconstitutional conditions at the jail, such as jailing juveniles with adult offenders.

The suit also alleges Mitchell was arrested for public intoxication and resisting arrest without probable cause and that the arresting Seymour police officer used unnecessary force.

The suit was filed in U.S. District Court in New Albany by Jeffersonville attorneys Larry Wilder and David Mosley.



O'Meara calls for University to seek international prominence

By KERRY SCANLON
News Staff

The St. Edward's Hall Forum featured Provost Timothy O'Meara responding to the question "Should Notre Dame become the Princeton or the Harvard of the Midwest?"

According to O'Meara, Notre Dame should not be viewed as a school of the midwest, or a Harvard or Princeton, but as a school known on the international level.

According to O'Meara, during the first half of this century the University concentrated on developing a good undergraduate program as well as attracting excellent students. The last half of this century there has been an increased focus in

teaching and research, said O'Meara.

O'Meara said that research is very important, because "...it is necessary to think beyond frontiers and influence the society around you and the Church."

According to O'Meara, in order to become a highly respected university, the University must become stronger in the life of the mind and in the exchange of ideas.

O'Meara also noted that Notre Dame must continue to emphasize Catholic values and to exchange ideas so thinking can grow. "Being distinctive will be what brings us forward and being a Catholic University will make that happen," he said. O'Meara said that this distinctiveness would be

necessary to expand the mind and the thinking of the Church.

The University and its students should increase their dimensions in international interests, according to O'Meara. This is necessary to provide an expanded interest and awareness of different cultures.

University President Father Edward Malloy and O'Meara have been actively involved with a planning board for a future university in Australia that will be modeled after Notre Dame, said O'Meara.

O'Meara said he would also like to see an increase in the size of the MBA program and the graduate program as a whole, while keeping the undergraduate program at the same level.

Terrorist claims responsibility for planting a bomb in the U.S. Vincennes skipper's van

Associated Press

SAN DIEGO- A caller with a Middle Eastern accent told a radio station Wednesday that a group called Guardians of the Islamic Revolution was re-

sponsible for the bombing of a van driven by the wife of the USS Vincennes' skipper.

Los Angeles radio station KNX said the person made the claim during a call to the

newsroom Wednesday morning. The caller claimed to be a member of the group, which also claimed responsibility for the crash of a Pan Am jetliner last year at Lockerbie, Scotland.

Station officials said the call was immediately reported to the FBI.

According to KNX, the caller said the group threatened to carry out additional attacks against Vincennes skipper Capt. Will Rogers and his family. The caller also said the bombing was linked directly to last year's downing of an Iranian airliner by the Vincennes.

Fred Reagan, an FBI spokesman in Los Angeles, confirmed that the bureau is investigating the call.

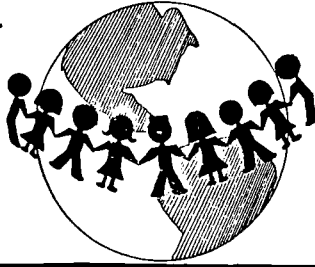
"We're looking into it," Reagan said. He declined to elaborate.

Guardians of the Islamic Revolution is an Islamic group that made persistent claims to international news organizations that it was responsible for the crash of Pan Am Flight 107 last Dec. 21.

INTERESTED IN CULTURAL DIVERSITY?

The **Multicultural Executive Council** is looking for a few good people to become members of the council. Applications can be picked up now at the Student Activities Office on the 2nd floor of LaFortune. **Deadline to turn them in is March 29, 1989.** Interviews will be held April 5-6.

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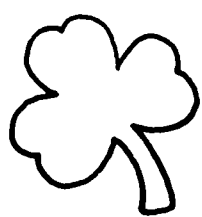
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Gorbachev works to stop Soviet food shortages

Associated Press

MOSCOW - President Mikhail S. Gorbachev called on the Communist Party Wednesday to take urgent steps to ease chronic food shortages-- the Soviet Union's "biggest wound" --but he indicated the problem would exist for years.

The party's policy-making Central Committee began a two-day meeting largely devoted to agricultural reform,

including a search for ways to increase the food supply and improve traditionally dreary rural life.

The 58-year-old Kremlin leader, himself the son of a southern Russian peasant, said conditions in some regions of the countryside were at a "critical level," with mass migration of their population to cities.

Productivity on Soviet farms is so low, he said, the Soviet

Union still must go abroad to buy "large quantities of grain, meat, fruits, vegetables, sugar, vegetable oil and some other staples" to meet domestic demand.

Gorbachev, once the party's overseer for agriculture, called for "an agrarian policy that will be able to restore the peasant as the master on the land, and dependably solve the food problem."

"Further delay in this matter is simply inadmissible," he said.

Among the measures endorsed by Gorbachev was an "extensive transition to leasing," or allowing work collectives and individuals to work state-owned farmland in exchange for a fee. He also said "more flexible prices" for crops purchased by the state would go into effect Jan. 1, 1990.

Before Gorbachev spoke on farm policy, the 300-member Central Committee moved to elect its top leaders, including Gorbachev, to the new parliament.

The Communist Party is one of 30 organizations with the power to choose one-third of the

2,250 representatives in the new Congress of People's Deputies.

Despite the publicity touting this campaign as the Soviet Union's first multicandidate election, the Communist Party chose to nominate just 100 people for its 100 seats. Party members had suggested more than 31,000 names.

The deputies elected by the party in a secret ballot include most members of the 12-man ruling Politburo, 26 workers and seven collective farmers, the official Tass news agency reported.

The food problem is likely to produce far more discussion at the Central Committee plenum, since the party's conservative agriculture chief, Yegor K. Ligachev, apparently disagrees with Gorbachev on a solution.

In recent appearances, Ligachev has skipped lightly over Gorbachev's plan to lease state-owned fields to farmers, making them "masters of the land" and providing an incentive to produce more.

Instead, Ligachev has emphasized collective farming --

the traditional system that has left consumers standing in line for meat and vegetables.

Tass, reporting on the first day of the plenum, said Gorbachev called the country's continued food shortages, which necessitate the rationing of meat, sugar and other staples in many regions, "our society's biggest wound."

Tass did not immediately provide a detailed account of Gorbachev's remarks on the new measures being contemplated in agriculture, but its initial report indicated the Kremlin leader was resigned to ongoing food shortages in the next several years.

No one has proposed allowing farmers to own outright the land they till, or the breakup of the giant collective and state farms that have been the backbone of Soviet agriculture since the days of Stalin.

Gorbachev told the Central Committee collective and state farms have "huge potentialities" that can be exploited with the right management techniques.



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Agee

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of the policies," Agee said of publishing the names.

Agee dispelled accusations that he endangered lives by publishing the names as "repeated attempts by the CIA to discredit me."

Agee lived as a virtual outcast after he published "Inside the Company." He was the object of media scorn as well as CIA surveillance, he said.

"George Will called me a 'soiled bit of flotsam from the 60's' and (then-director of the CIA George) Bush tried to have me imprisoned in the 70's," he said.

Agee's latest book, "On the Run" is his memoir of the years following the publishing of "Inside the Company."

After the lecture, Agee said he waited 12 years before leaving the CIA "partly because I came to this University."

"Here at Notre Dame, country sits next to God in the motto. When I graduated, I was blindly patriotic, a conformist."

"There is a schizophrenia here," he added. "Notre Dame has an Institute for Peace Studies, yet they give an honorary degree to a President who is in charge of death squads in El Salvador," he said.

"I came out of this University with no political experience. We didn't have speakers like me here in my time. The speakers then were very patriotic, as was the Catholic teaching I grew up on," Agee said.

Agee urged students to press University officials to prevent the CIA from recruiting at Notre Dame.

"You may think that there is nothing you can do, but active opposition to the CIA's crimes can be successful," he said.

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elimination of the short-range nuclear missiles.

Van Gundy, 42, of Marina, Calif., had served in Moscow nearly two years, the normal diplomatic tour.

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Report gives figures on life expectancy of Americans

Associated Press

WASHINGTON—White Americans, benefitting from dramatic declines across the population in heart disease and strokes, are living longer than ever. But black Americans, increasingly the victims of homicide and AIDS, are seeing their life expectancy fall further.

That is the picture painted by the latest tally of the nation's

health, released Wednesday. And there's more:

- Blacks are twice as likely to die in infancy as whites.
- Pregnant black women receive early prenatal care far less than whites.
- Blacks are disproportionately afflicted with influenza and pneumonia.

Health Secretary Louis Sullivan said the report showed—as the statistics have since 1970—“that there is a disparity

between the health of our white and black populations.”

Dr. Manning Feinleib, director of the National Center for Health Statistics, told reporters that the basic causes for blacks' declining life expectancy relate to “nutrition, poverty (and) access to (health) care” that affect “a wide variety of conditions from infant mortality to mortality at later ages.”

One other likely cause Fein-

leib mentioned: drug-related murders.

Buttressing that assessment, the death rate among black men, frequently the victims of drug-related violence, was 50 percent higher than for white men in 1986, the last year for which comprehensive statistics were available.

In all, the report, “Health, United States,” painted this statistical picture for 1986:

-A child born that year could

expect to live 74.8 years, up from 74.7 years in 1985.

-A white child had a life expectancy of 75.4 years in 1986, up from 75.3.

-But a black child born that year could expect to die at just 69.4 years, down from 69.5 in 1985 and 69.7 in 1984.

Life expectancies were not calculated for other population groups.

SECURITY BEAT

Wed., Mar. 1

2:40 p.m. Two off campus tudents reported the theft of a watch, valued at \$35, and \$88 in cash from outside a racquetball court in the JACC around 2:15 p.m..

10:20 p.m. A resident of Holy Cross reported the theft of his bookbag and contents from the bookrack in the lobby of South Dining Hall sometime between noon and 12:20 p.m.. Losses estimated at \$105.

Thu., Mar. 2

10:45 a.m. A Morrissey Hall resident reported the theft of his backpack and contents from the bookrack in the lobby of South Dining Hall sometime between 9:45 and 9:55 a.m.. Losses estimated at \$30.

1:15 p.m. A resident of Pasquerilla West reported the larceny of her gold necklace from her desk in her unsecured dorm room sometime between 6:30 a.m. and 12:45 p.m.. Value of necklace is estimated at \$400.

11 p.m. A Stanford Hall resident reported the theft of \$50 in cash from his unsecured dorm room sometime between 10 a.m. and 10:55 p.m..

Fri., Mar. 3

3:30 a.m. A Law student reported the vandalism to a basement window of the Law Building sometime

between 12:20 a.m. and 3:30 a.m.. Damage estimates are unknown.

6:30 p.m. A resident of Dillon Hall reported the vandalism done to his vehicle while parked in D 1 lot sometime between 3/1 and 3/3. Approx. \$50 worth of damage was done to the driver's sideview mirror.

6 p.m. A Notre Dame Security officer confiscated a hang tag parking detail at the Main Gate that was illegally obtained by a student.

Wed., Mar. 8

10:32 a.m. An employee at the Fatima Retreat Center reported that an unknown suspect(s) ripped out the wiring to the phone system and stole a calculator, valued at \$80 and six VHS video tapes from the receptionist's desk. This incident occurred sometime between 6:10 and 6:50 p.m. on 3/7. Cost of damages is

Thu., Mar. 10

12:15 p.m. A Notre Dame employee reported the theft of her unsecured bike from the bike rack at the Hesburgh Library around 12 p.m.. Bike is valued at \$100.

Fri., Mar 11

12:30 a.m. A South Bend resident was issued a citation by Notre Dame Security Police for traveling 50 m.p.h in a 25 m.p.h. zone on Juniper road.

8:56 a.m. The rector of Kavanaugh Hall reported that an

unknown suspect(s) had broken into a vending machine in the recreation room of the dorm and removed any money from it. This incident occurred sometime between 3/3 and 3/11.

Mon., Mar. 14

8:56 p.m. Notre Dame security issued a citation to a Notre Dame student for traveling 44 m.p.h. in a posted 25 m.p.h. zone on Juniper road.

11:23 a.m. A resident of Siegfried Hall reported that two non-student women were illegally selling magazine subscriptions in the dorm.

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St. Ed's Hall Forum

The Observer / Heleni Korwek

University Provost Timothy O'Meara speaks about Notre Dame's changing image in a lecture Wednesday. He said the University needs greater exposure on the international level.

Apple Commission to spend \$ 1.7 million on advertising

Associated Press

YAKIMA, Wash.- The Washington Apple Commission voted unanimously Wednesday to spend nearly \$1.7 million for advertising to reassure consumers that apples are safe, despite nationwide concerns over Alar use.

The commission, which represents growers of the nation's largest apple crop, voted to take \$1 million in emergency funds and borrow the rest from banks to purchase advertising in major markets around the country.

Concerns over the suspected carcinogen showed little sign of abating as Eddie Albert and other Hollywood entertainers held a news conference to urge mothers to demand that their grocers carry chemical-free produce.

The Natural Resources Defense Council, whose recent report touched off the furor,

warned the apple commission to be careful about the content of its advertising.

"We assume they are not going to be impugning our integrity," said Paul Allen, a spokesman for the non-profit Washington, D.C.-based environmental group. "That would be a great mistake on their part."

The goal of the NRDC report is not to hurt farmers, but to change the policies of the U.S. environmental Protection Agency and make it easier to ban certain chemicals, Allen said.

Apple commission spokeswoman Vicky Scharlau said the advertising, to begin later this month, will seek only to reassure consumers that apples are safe and that the present system regulating chemicals is effective.

"This isn't a war between the apple industry and the NRDC," she told a packed house of

growers at the commission meeting.

The NRDC report, released in late February, contends that eating Alar-treated apples increases the cancer risk in children. The report has been attacked as alarmist by the federal Environmental Protection Agency and the findings have been disputed by some scientists and the apple industry.

But public fears have led school districts across the country, including those in New York, Los Angeles and Chicago, to ban apples and apple products from cafeterias.

Alar is the marketing name for daminozide, which is manufactured by Uniroyal Chemical Co. The industry contends only about 5 percent of the crop is sprayed with the growth regulator, which keeps apples on the tree longer and thus improves color and firmness in red varieties.

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Mrs. Bush plans trip around dog's delivery

Associated Press

FORT WAYNE, Ind.- Barbara Bush will visit Fort Wayne on Friday if her schedule permits so she can campaign for 4th District congressional candidate Dan Heath, the White House press office said.

However, the due date for Millie, the Bushes' dog, could pose a problem to the visit.

Millie is expected to give birth in about four days, and Mrs. Bush is reluctant to be gone from Washington then, administration officials said.

Aides to Republican candidate Heath have submitted ideas for Mrs. Bush's visit to Fort Wayne, including lunch at a senior citizens center. However, no details have been approved, said Terry Holt, Heath's campaign manager.

Heath is opposed by Democrat Jill Long to fill the seat vacated by Dan Coats when he assumed Vice President Dan Quayle's old Senate seat.

Friday also is the day that

Gov. Evan Bayh is planning to visit Fort Wayne to campaign for Long.

Holt said he was reluctant to discuss other options for Mrs. Bush's itinerary because if they were not approved or the trip fell through, "people would be disappointed."

Confirmation of Mrs. Bush's trip will be released Thursday morning, a press aide said.

Clayton Yeutter, secretary of agriculture, also is scheduled to visit Fort Wayne on Heath's behalf. Holt said meetings with farmers will be arranged for Yeutter's visit Tuesday.

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Blatant injustices in Northern Ireland

Having grown up in Belfast, Northern Ireland most of my life, and having experienced first-hand what it is like to live in a country that is a garrison for a foreign army, I ask you, the Irish-American community here at Notre Dame-- that before you go out to celebrate your Irish heritage, before you talk about the "Luck of the Irish" and sing "Irish Eyes are Smiling," stop for just a few minutes to reflect upon the situation in Northern Ireland, for there, many Irish eyes are not smiling.

What is occurring in Northern Ireland is an issue of grave human, legal and civil rights violations. However, to discuss and to voice discontent about the injustice occurring on a daily basis in Northern Ireland has never been a popular "cause" in America.

Maura O'Siochain
guest column

It is "popular" for Americans to protest loudly against injustices in other countries: Nicaragua, South Africa, and now finally Palestine; However, the estimated 42 million Americans of Irish descent remain silent about the injustices occurring in their ancestral homeland. This left me bewildered for years until I began to analyze carefully the force behind the silence.

After questioning Irish-Americans about this apathy, I often received answers such as, "It's too complicated;" or, "Oh, didn't the Civil Rights movements make you all pretty well off?" or, "I don't support violence."

After more answers such as these, I slowly became aware of the grievous sham that has occurred in the States. Irish-Americans have swallowed and digested exactly what the British government has fed them. This being the dreadful notion that if you vociferously

condemn British injustices in the North of Ireland, you are simultaneously indicating your support for the Irish Republican Army. To speak up about your abhorrence of British injustices in the North of Ireland, in no shape or form means you are supporting violence, for you may very well also abhor violence.

An Irish-American who lobbies for the MacBride Principles for Fair Employment, (if you are a Catholic in Northern Ireland you are almost three-times more likely to be unemployed than a Protestant) or lobbies for a world-wide end to the use of lethal plastic bullets, or the strip-searching of women prisoners, is in no way supporting violence, as the British government has so skillfully led you to believe. You are merely advocating justice and human rights.

Many people whom I speak with talk about the great progress of the Civil Rights Movement in Northern Ireland. In reality, over these last 20 years of so much suffering and so much sacrifice little has changed for the Catholic in Northern Ireland, and many things have worsened and continue to worsen for us. Catholics are provided with better housing and we do have more opportunity to obtain higher education; most importantly though we have re-developed a sense of pride and dignity that had been lost before the Civil Rights Movement.

However, in the last 20 years we have lost just about every right to which any other citizen living in the "free world" is entitled. We have lost our right to demonstrate and to assemble without police approval, we have lost the right to a trial by jury, Nationalists have lost the right to the airwaves and television; most recently we have lost the right to remain silent during judicial procedures-- any silence may be interpreted as an automatic admittance of guilt. In other words we are simultaneously not allowed to speak and not allowed to remain silent.

From a very early age growing up as a Catholic in Northern Ireland, one quickly realizes that as long as your country remains divided and occupied, nothing will change. You will always and forever be treated as a second-class citizen in your own country.

What does it mean to be a second-class citizen? Well it begins with the fact that an army that has invaded and plundered your country over 800 years ago, continues to march upon your streets. Spend one day in West Belfast or Derry City and you will quickly realize that the British presence in Northern Ireland is not of a "neutral" or "peace-keeping" nature as the British government has skillfully manipulated most Americans into believing. The soldiers' centuries-old hatred for the Irish is still quite evident.

But the British Army doesn't have to carry out the burden of occupation and repression of the population all by itself. It has the helping hand of the police force-- the Royal Ulster Constabulary. This police force is the same police force that was responsible for the now infamous Burntollet Bridge incident in Derry, 1969. The RUC is now allegedly reformed and less sectarian (although its membership is still 91 percent Protestant) just like the British Army-- neutral.

However, it quickly becomes evident that the RUC is no more neutral today than it was in Derry, 1969, for they have no reason to be. With the complete support and collusion of the British government and army, the RUC realizes they have "carte blanche" to do unto the Nationalist population whatever they choose. This includes carrying out a "shoot-to-kill" policy upon nationalists, vicious raids and vandalism of their homes, forcibly strip searching and torturing detainees during interrogation sessions.

Fortunately the British and RUC violations haven't gone by without worldwide condemnations from human

rights and legal organizations. However, Americans do not hear about them. Just about every leading nation in the world-- the United States, France, Belgium, Sweden, etc.-- has questioned British abuses in Northern Ireland, including this month the Archbishop of Canterbury. Americans don't hear of the numerous Amnesty International reports dealing with British human and legal rights violations, the fact that Britain has just been banished from the European Committee on Human Rights for their own human rights violations in Northern Ireland or the fact that in February alone the British government has been once again condemned in a report on torture by the U.N. commission on Human Rights in Geneva; and in a U.S. State Department study. Both reports deal with "the level of assault and other improper practices" inflicted upon detainees in British custody.

If the Archbishop of Canterbury can condemn British injustices in the Northern Ireland legal system, then certainly you as Irish-Americans should be ready to mobilize and speak out for the people in Northern Ireland who are forced to live under a system of constant oppression and injustice.

It is obvious that a United Irish-American outcry and condemnation of the human, legal, and civil rights violations occurring in Northern Ireland presents a grave danger to the nature and stability of British rule in Northern Ireland. Why else are so many British resources poured into America to cover up the grim realities of life for Catholics in Northern Ireland. Thus far their effort has succeeded completely: they are the victory-- justice and truth are the losers.

Almost all 42 million of you Irish-Americans are silent. Isn't it time for a change?

Maura O'Siochain is a graduate student in economics.

A curious look at American affairs

Thomas Daugherty's article, "America Under Scrutiny," in the February issue of Common Sense enthralled me and prompted many questions in my own mind:

Andrea Burman
guest column

Who runs America? The White House? Wall Street? The Senate? Is there such a thing as balance of powers? Will John Tower drink again? Does Ted Bundy's death make the world a better, happier place to be? What did it prove? Is the death penalty the cure-all for the crime problem? Will Manson ever get paroled?

Can one safely say that one person is more human than another? Does being ex-utero make one more deserving of human rights than one in utero? Can one be pro-abortion and anti-war without being a hypocrite? Can one be anti-abortion and pro-war without being a

hypocrite? When does life begin? Is the fetus a human being? If not, what is it? A tadpole? A plant?

Does anarchy necessarily entail chaos? Does it entail a new government? Do humans need to be governed? Is originality a thing of the past? Why does America hate its children? Why are high schools like zoos? Does anybody really care? Why are American children so ignorant? Why are they not challenged?

Where's my MTV? Where's the beef? What really killed Lord Byron? When will the insanity of war stop? Is war glorious or glorified? Who is our enemy? Is Khomeini dead yet? What is sex education? What is safe sex? Is sex dangerous? Do we really care?

Are humans only out for themselves? Could Donald Trump lend me ten bucks? Are Americans voyeurs? Are we really free? Does technology rule our lives? Can we improve on Maxi-

mum Strength Anacin? What is a "recovering Catholic?" Is he a sick Catholic or sick of being Catholic?

Is homosexuality a choice? A realization? What's in style? Is saving baby seals more important than saving baby humans? Why are humans so contemptuous of each other? Why are we so fickle? Is pregnancy ever convenient? Will it snow on Graduation Day? What is Velveeta?

Is greed good? Can eternity be imagined? Can you live with yourself that long? Where has activism gone? Why is every one wearing bomber jackets around here? Must we always follow the leader? Why does history repeat itself? Are humans that predictable? Do dogs have an afterlife? Is communism evil? Is capitalism evil? Do you know the way to San Jose?

Should CIA stand for Criminally Insane Androids? Is there such a thing as silence? Will there be a sequel to "War and Remembrance"? Is there

any excuse for Jackie Collins? What's wrong with being a Catholic? Is there such a thing as a liberal Republican?

Why do people stare at road accidents? Is there a doctor in the house? Why are people willing to drive for miles to work for money to drive for miles to work for money to drive for miles? Are there any hermits left? Does anybody care? Is anybody out there?

Did anybody really like Walter Mondale? Why does the government spend so much of our money on weapons which could annihilate the planet to preserve freedom while so many Americans are without food or shelter and are enslaved by poverty? Is your back yard too good for the homeless? Could you spare 20 bucks so a homeless family can eat for a day? Do you really care?

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Co-captain Fredrick leads Irish by example

Junior guard tries to return to lineup after ankle injury

By PETE SKIKO
Sports Writer

Joe Fredrick, to be sure, is one of the more confident individuals you're likely to come upon.

Some call him overconfident, even cocky.

But when you are a junior, suddenly thrust into the national limelight, called upon to co-captain a team with no seniors after starting only half of the previous season under David Rivers' shadow, confidence becomes a prerequisite.

Fredrick absolutely oozes the stuff.

On an ankle injury that kept him out of the DePaul game and possibly the Vanderbilt game Friday night: "There's no way I want to miss the opportunity to play in the NCAA's this year, especially after how horrible I played (in) last year's tournament). I was on crutches Monday, taking jump shots and free throws (Tuesday), and I may run some (Wednesday). Believe me, if there's any way I can play, I will. I'm a day ahead of schedule, and our game's not until late Friday, so that will help."

On a possible second round matchup with Georgetown in the NCAA tournament: "Not that I'm looking past Vanderbilt, but I can't wait to play Georgetown. I really, really want to face Georgetown's defense and have (Hoya star guard) Charles Smith guard me. That's where you find out how good you really are."

On the difference between this year and last: "I think last year I took some people by surprise, like when we played at Duke (a 70-61 loss in which Fredrick scored a then-career high 23 points). But everyone was out to stop David (Rivers). This year, I know that everyone is out to stop me. That's the kind of thing that drives me."

But after attempting only 26 field goals in his freshman year, Fredrick had a choice—change his attitude or drive himself crazy.

"I always felt I could play,"

said the Cincinnati native, who led the Irish during the regular season with a 16.6 points per game average. "But you can only believe in yourself for so long. Freshman year it was basically just sit there, sit there, sit there."

"But after a while I just figured that playing against Rivers in practice every day would eventually have to improve my own game enough so that some day I'd get my chance."

Fredrick gives the Los Angeles Lakers rookie much of the credit for his success, not only on the basketball court but in the interview room and beyond the sports sphere.

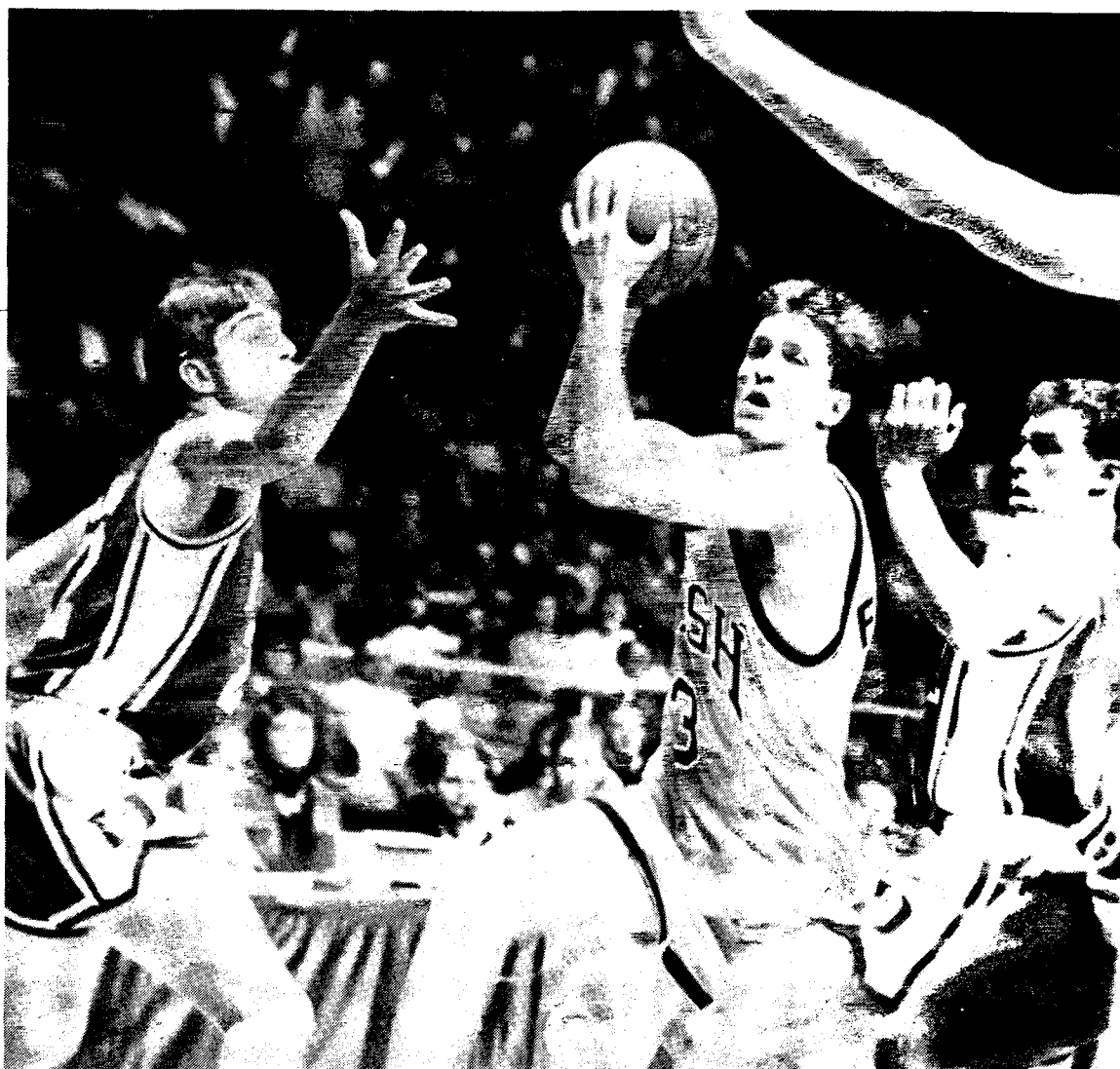
"My opportunity to practice and play against David during my freshman and sophomore years was the biggest asset I could have asked for," said Fredrick who, along with Jamere Jackson, were Notre Dame's first junior co-captains since Tim Kempton and Jim Dolan in 1984-85.

"I always watched the way he did everything. At interviews he spread the praise around, in practice there was never a day where he sluffed off, when he got hurt he rehabilitated faster than everyone expected, he always got the proper rest before games, always ate breakfast to start the day... Coach (Digger) Phelps was right when he called him one in a million."

Co-captain status did not severely alter Fredrick's relationships with teammates, another tactic he picked up from his predecessor, Rivers.

"David led by example," said Fredrick, "and that's the way Jamere and I try to do it, J.J. even more than I. We don't feel the need to get all rah-rah with the guys on the team. Every now and then we'll get on somebody we feel could do a little more, but we're close-knit, and the team understands that yelling and screaming just isn't the way we are."

It's been an up and down year for both Fredrick and the Irish, and certain games during the



Irish co-captain and team MVP Joe Fredrick has led the Irish by example this season, leading the team in scoring with a 16.6 points per game

average. He is currently battling an ankle injury that kept him out of Notre Dame's final regular season contest against DePaul.

regular season stick out as personal highs and lows.

"Personally, going to Dayton, and finally playing well in front of my neighbors and relatives (20 points and several key baskets) was my high point," said Fredrick, who scored in double figures in 23 of his 27 games this season. "As a team, although we didn't realize it at the time, I think beating Indiana was probably our highlight. It was also a lot of fun for me to play against Jay Edwards. He's a heck of a player."

"Obviously, the Valparaiso game is the one that sticks out in my mind as the disaster of the year, even more in my case because I had a chance to ice the game with free throws late. The DePaul game (which the Irish lost 73-70 without Fredrick) can be seen in a couple of ways. Sure, we lost our final game, but the team

showed they can play without me and with LaPhonso (Ellis) in a lot of pain. The fact that Daimon (Sweet) and Elmer (Bennett) stepped to the fore shows that we might be heading in the right direction."

Fredrick sees junior Keith Robinson as the key to Irish NCAA hopes both this year and next.

"No doubt about it, we're going to have to scrap for every win in the tourney," said Fredrick. "But the bottom line is that Keith Robinson is our key player, even though he very seldom gets publicity. When he plays well, the team plays well, and if I do play on Friday one of my main concerns is going to be getting Keith off to a good start."

"Next year should be a lot of fun. Everybody, including Keith, will be back and the fact that we're all good friends off

the court can only help. We're not selfish—when LaPhonso gets talked about all the time, we're happy for him, because that can only help. If J.J. (Jackson) gets 25 one night, the rest of the guys aren't like, 'Oh, I've got to have a better night than that next time'."

"We have the potential to be an Arizona-type team next year, with a nice blend of seniors and youth. Yeah, it should be fun."

One reason Fredrick believes in his team's chances is because he believes in his team's coach. The junior backs up Phelps, whom Fredrick says receives a lot of undue criticism.

"If you're not constantly part of the basketball program here," said Fredrick, "in my mind you don't have any right

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The Observer / Mike Moran

By **STEVE MEGARGEE**
Associate Sports Editor

PROVIDENCE, R.I.-- In each of the past two seasons, the Notre Dame basketball team has lost to a Vanderbilt squad led by 7-foot center Will Perdue.

The ninth-seeded Irish won't have to worry about Perdue, now with the NBA's Chicago Bulls, when they face Vandy again Friday night in the first round of the NCAA tournament's East Regional.

Instead, the eighth-seeded Commodores look to a guard who makes a practice of hitting gamewinning shots from the most improbable places and a coach whose career will end upon Vanderbilt's next loss.

ESPN will televise the game nationally and WSBT-TV (Channel 22) locally, with tipoff set for 9:37 p.m. at the Providence Civic Center. The winner will face the survivor of Friday's Georgetown-Princeton contest Sunday.

"They're a very, very good basketball team that obviously we won't take lightly, especially since they beat us the last two times we've played," Notre Dame coach Digger Phelps said of his team's first-round opponent. "If that's not enough to get us ready to play, then we'll have our hands full."

About Vanderbilt

Vanderbilt (19-13) lost five of its first seven games this season while playing the likes

of Michigan, Louisville and North Carolina. The Commodores rebounded to win 15 of their next 20 before a late-season slump and finished tied for second in the Southeastern Conference.

"Their record's deceiving," said Phelps. "They played a lot of powerhouses early in the year and they came on strong in conference play."

Last-second shots by Barry Goheen have decided no less than three of Vanderbilt's victories this season. The 6-3 senior guard sunk a three-pointer from halfcourt at the buzzer to beat Louisville, made three-pointers at the end of the half and game (one on a shot well behind halfcourt) in a one-point win over Georgia and also hit a gamewinner against Mississippi.

Buzzerbeating shots are nothing new to the Calvert City, Ky., resident. Goheen has six gamewinning shots in his Vanderbilt career and nailed two three-pointers in the final five seconds to send the Pitt game into overtime in last season's NCAA tournament. Vandy eventually won that game 80-74 to reach the Sweet Sixteen.

"He just makes a lot of things happen for them," said Phelps. "You can't put Vanderbilt away; you have to be concerned even up to the last-second shot because they're so good shooting threes."

Barry Booker and Derrick Wilcox also have had success with the three-point shot. Booker, a 6-4 senior guard,

earned his nickname of "The Long Ranger" by setting SEC career records for three-point shots made (245) and attempted (535). He is shooting 86-of-191 from beyond the stripe this season and averages 14.6 points per game.

Wilcox, a 5-11 point guard, has shot 33-of-91 from three-point range in averaging 8.5 points per game. The junior also recorded 169 assists to break Vanderbilt's single-season record.

"They have a lot of confidence shooting the threes," said Phelps. "Booker does very well in getting open to shoot, and so does Wilcox, who's very deceptive shooting the threes."

Vandy's frontline players include 6-9 senior center Frank Kornet and 6-8 junior forward Eric Reid. Kornet moved from power forward this season and leads the Commodores with 7.2 rebounds and 16.8 points per game this season, including an 18.7 scoring average over the last 15 games.

Reid also scores in double figures with 10.3 points and 6.0 rebounds per game. Steve Grant, Charles Mayes, Todd Milholland and Morgan Wheat add depth up front.

With Perdue on the bench with foul trouble in last season's game at Notre Dame, Kornet's 17 points led the Commodores to a 75-66 victory. Vandy also defeated Notre Dame 60-56 two years ago at Nashville, Tenn.

C.M. Newton has coached Vanderbilt for the last eight years and has led the team to consecutive NCAA tournament appearances for the first time in school history. Newton coached for 12 years each at Transylvania and Alabama before coming to Vanderbilt.

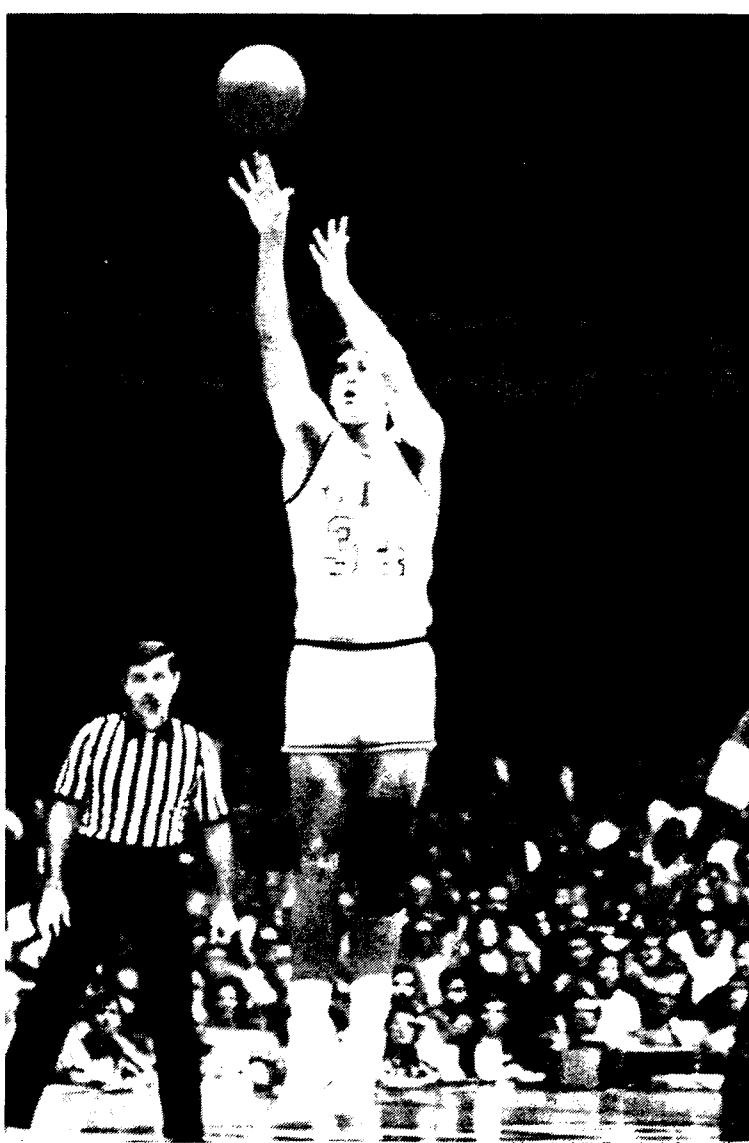
"C.M. Newton is one of the class guys in the business," said Phelps. "He's nothing but a gentleman and a close friend of mine."

Newton's 509-374 career record ranks him 11th among active coaches in career wins, and he was named SEC Coach of the Year for the sixth time this year. He will leave Vandy at the end of the season to return to his alma mater and take care of a beleaguered Kentucky program as athletic director.

About Notre Dame

Phelps' biggest concern about his team heading into the tournament is the condition of guard Joe Fredrick. The junior co-captain sprained his ankle last Friday and missed Saturday's 73-70 loss at DePaul.

"It's obvious that we need Joe Fredrick healthy," said



Vanderbilt Sports Information

Frontcourt man Frank Kornet leads the Commodores in scoring (16.8 ppg) and rebounding (7.2 rpg). The 6-8 senior shot 57 percent from the field this season.

Phelps. "Playing without him is like having Tony Rice hurt and not playing quarterback—that's what Joe Fredrick is to this basketball team. We've got to have him healthy; if not, the guys have to go out and do the best they can like they did Saturday against DePaul."

Fredrick leads the Irish with a 16.6 scoring average and won the most valuable player award at the team banquet Monday. His status remains day-to-day at this point.

The rest of Notre Dame's late-season injury problems appear to be over. Freshman forward LaPhonso Ellis, who missed two games last week after suffering a compound dislocation of his right index finger, scored 10 points with five rebounds to lead a second-half comeback against DePaul.

"He played very well in the last 10 minutes of the DePaul game," said Phelps. "I think he realized that his finger wasn't going to fall off, it was just sore. Down the stretch, he played really well in an 18-4 run."

Ellis has averaged 13.2 points and 9.0 rebounds per game, and Phelps feels his presence on the floor has helped his teammates

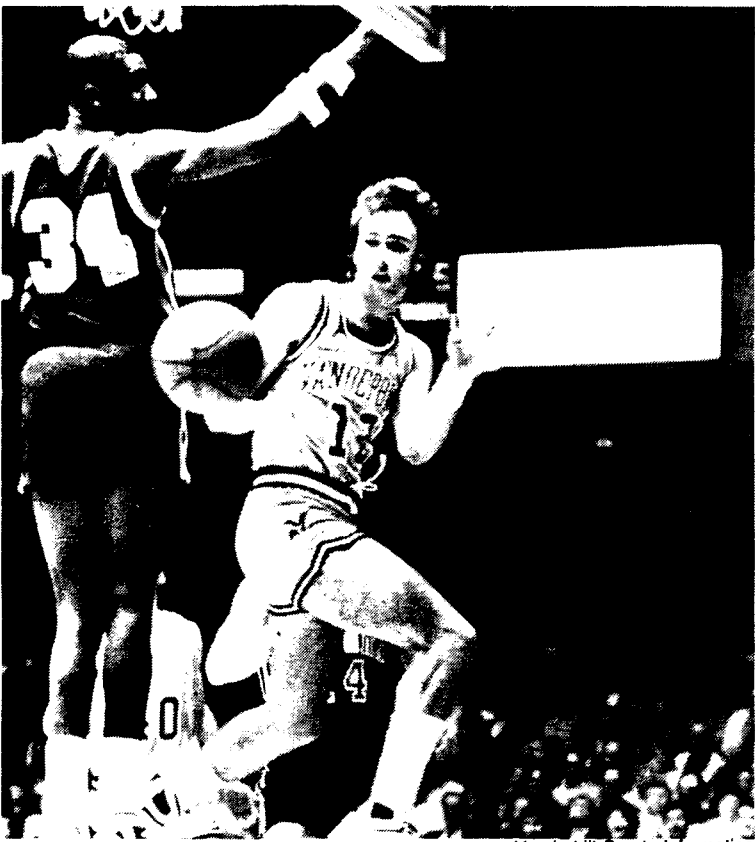
improve.

"LaPhonso's enabled us to be a well-balanced team," said the 18th-year Irish coach. "People have to concentrate on him a lot because he can rebound and is an impact player. It's enabled everybody else to play above their potential."

Ellis leads the parade of freshmen on the roster, but Elmer Bennett, Keith Tower and Daimon Sweet also have made key contributions. The seniorless Irish squad will be facing a Vanderbilt team that has three seniors and two juniors on its starting lineup.

"Vanderbilt has great tournament experience, which we lack," said Phelps. "It'll be interesting to see if (our freshmen) play like sophomores, or if they're still freshmen."

Notre Dame (20-8) starters include Fredrick, Ellis, forwards Jamere Jackson (16.6 points a game, 3.7 rebounds a game) and Keith Robinson (12.7, 9.5) and point guard Tim Singleton (5.8, 1.9). Singleton's 195 assists this year marked the second highest-season total in school history, behind Jackie Meehan's 214 in the 1970-71 season.



Vanderbilt Sports Information

One of three seniors in the Vanderbilt starting lineup, Goheen is one of the keys to the Commodores' three-point attack. This season, he connected on 59 of 136 three-point attempts, good for a team-leading 45 percent.

People to Watch



Barry Booker (F)
Vanderbilt

Booker is the SEC career record holder in three-point attempts (535) and connections (245). Booker has shot .450 from long range this season.



C.M. Newton (Coach)
Vanderbilt

This season's SEC Coach of the Year, Newton earned his 500th career victory this season.



Pete Carril (Coach)
Princeton

Princeton coaching great Carril has been at the helm for the Tigers since 1968, putting together a 328-179 record.



John Thompson (Coach)
Georgetown

Noted for his mid-season walk-out to protest the NCAA's Proposition 49, he is one of the premier college basketball coaches in the country.



Charles Smith (G)
Georgetown

Playmaker Smith led the Hoyas with 19.2 points and 5.4 assists per game.



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Robinson center of Notre Dame's game

By FRANK PASTOR
Assistant Sports Editor

Last season Keith Robinson made his debut on the Notre Dame basketball team.

Just one year later, he is a leader.

Such is the state of this season's seniorless Irish squad, and such has been the collegiate career of Robinson, who has made his share of comebacks in the past two years.

After sitting out his freshman season under Proposition 48, the 6-9 center from Buffalo, N.Y., played in all 29 games for the Irish his sophomore year and entered this season as Notre Dame's top returning scorer and rebounder.

Robinson has played a vital role for the Irish this season after returning from a broken foot injury suffered in a pickup basketball game over the summer. He has had to bolster Notre Dame's inside game while simultaneously helping the freshmen frontline players adjust to the collegiate style of play.

"I've taken on a different leadership role this season," said Robinson. "I think I'm more of a role player for the freshman group. Coach (Digger) Phelps wanted me to be consistent with my game this year and also help out the younger guys."

"Upperclassmen like Scott Paddock and myself on the frontline had to take our time with them and let them learn the system. I think they caught on really well."

Well enough, in fact, that freshmen LaPhonso Ellis and Keith Tower have been able to step in and give the Irish lineup enough depth to compete in the brutal and often unpredictable NCAA tournament, which begins Friday night against Vanderbilt for the 20-8 Irish. Robinson considers that experience gained during the freshman year invaluable.

"Freshman year is basically a learning year, and I think I lost that," said Robinson.

"Everybody else got that year ahead of me to establish themselves. I was kind of left out, and I had to prove myself last year. It was a lot of hard work as far as trying to catch up, but I think I proved myself last season."

Much has been made of Proposition 48 and its effects on collegiate athletes such as Tony Rice and Michigan's Terry Mills. The controversial Proposal 42 was advanced this year as an alternative to Proposition 48. controversy. Robinson believes he has personally benefitted from Proposition 48 but like his coach, stands opposed to the new proposal.

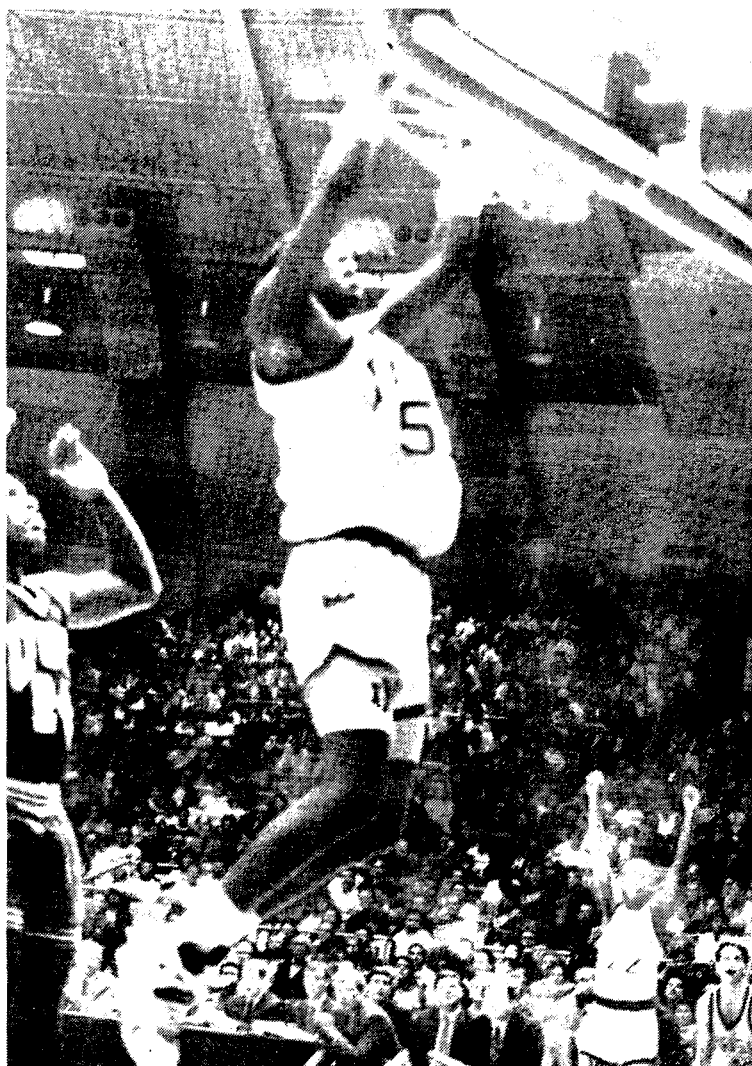
"Proposition 48 was fine," said Robinson, "but I just don't think Proposal 42 is right for a student coming out of high school. The rule doesn't even give students a chance to go to college at all if they don't make a certain grade point average or score on the SAT or ACT."

"I think these students should be given a chance to go to the school they desire. I think they should be allowed to establish themselves academically first and then get ready to play sophomore year."

Fortunately for Robinson and the Irish, he was able to return to the team following a one-year absence and averaged 9.6 points and 7.1 rebounds per game in his sophomore campaign. Now a junior, he has led Notre Dame to a fifth consecutive NCAA tournament appearance, where the Irish face Vanderbilt in the first round.

"I think we match up pretty well," said Robinson. "They have some good rebounders and some great three-point shooters. I think we're a faster-paced team than they are. It's going to be a very physical game inside, and each team is going to have to play good defense and contain people."

"I think if we establish the game from the start, getting in the rhythm and scoring, we'll be fine. We just have to match



The Observer / E.G. Bailey
Keith Robinson has been Notre Dame's "Mr. Consistency" this season, having played in all 28 games, shooting 52 percent from the floor, scoring 12.7 points per game and leading the team in rebounds with 9.5 per contest.

up with them right at halfcourt and not let them set up and shoot the threes."

Few expected Robinson to recover from last summer's injury so quickly. After missing the first month of practice, the junior center returned to the Irish lineup and led Notre Dame to a surprisingly easy 81-65 victory over Kentucky in December's Big Four Classic. He scored 13 points and pulled down 10 rebounds in only 17 minutes of play.

"I had just come back from that injury, and I started practicing a month later than the rest of the team," said Robin-

son. "Coach just wanted to take his time with me. I came on pretty strong in the Kentucky game considering the limited amount of time I played. I started to play with a lot more confidence and it started to show each game."

Robinson finished with a 9.5 rebounding average, the best for an Irish player in 12 years. That mark paced a Notre Dame team which finished second nationally in rebound margin at plus-9.

He also averaged 12.7 points per game and scored in double figures on 21 occasions, including 17 of the last 22 games.

Season Results

Notre Dame

ND	Opponent	
92	ST. BONAVENTURE	72
81	Kentucky	65
84	INDIANA	71
77	CREIGHTON	64
68	Valparaiso	71 (OT)
60	Penn	55
75	San Francisco	79
80	Portland	58
82	UCLA	79
67	SMU	45
87	SYRACUSE	99
85	RUTGERS	63
64	TEMPLE	60
85	DAYTON	75
83	MARQUETTE	68
80	DUKE	102
77	Fordham	58
83	USC	74
72	BOSTON COLL.	83
80	LaSalle	78
89	HOUSTON	80
83	Dayton	66
80	Georgia Tech	90
67	DEPAUL	60
77	LOUISVILLE	87
76	Butler	69
67	Marquette	63
70	DePaul	73

Vanderbilt

V	Opponent	
66	Michigan	91
94	Chaminade	70
82	Ohio State	97
65	LOUISVILLE	62
69	UAB	76
77	N. Carolina	89
62	Kansas St.	71
93	AUBURN	77
74	MURRAY ST.	57
92	DARTMOUTH	67
91	COLGATE	55
68	STANFORD	89
73	ALABAMA	53
61	Kentucky	70
72	Mississippi	65
76	GEORGIA	75
84	LSU	85
94	TEXAS	79
78	FLORIDA	81
81	Miss. St.	70
68	TENNESSEE	56
67	Alabama	77
81	KENTUCKY	51
71	MISSISSIPPI	69
85	Georgia	72
108	LSU	74
77	Auburn	62
80	Florida	83
77	MISS. ST.	58
61	Tennessee	78
77	Kentucky	63
79	Alabama	83

Irish Stats

Final Regular Season

Player	G-S	Min-Avg	FG-A	Pct.	3P-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Reb-Avg	Ast	St	BS	TO	TP	Avg
J.Fredrick	27-27	845-31	178-329	.541	31-65	.477	62-85	.729	59-2.2	77	21	1	46	449	16.6
J.Jackson	27-27	853-32	126-273	.462	35-81	.432	77-92	.837	100-3.7	48	22	0	70	364	13.5
L.Ellis	25-23	762-30	140-249	.562	1-1	1.000	49-73	.671	226-9.0	28	22	50	58	330	13.2
K.Robinson	28-20	812-29	142-271	.524	1-1	1.000	71-100	.710	265-9.5	18	24	8	42	356	12.7
K.Ellery	8-0	133-17	17-40	.425	8-18	.444	5-16	.313	22-2.8	11	2	0	5	47	5.9
T.Singleton	28-27	817-29	51-98	.520	0-1	.000	60-87	.690	54-1.9	195	47	0	90	162	5.8
E.Bennett	28-2	398-14	63-139	.453	6-13	.462	21-35	.600	35-1.3	55	17	2	52	153	5.5
D.Sweet	28-1	335-12	66-122	.541	0-0	.000	13-18	.722	42-1.5	14	7	1	22	145	5.2
S.Paddock	26-8	322-12	31-59	.525	0-0	.000	10-26	.385	106-4.1	9	7	1	24	72	2.8
K.Tower	27-5	298-11	26-47	.553	0-0	.000	15-32	.469	78-2.9	8	2	16	13	67	2.5
T.Crawford	8-0	13-2	6-11	.545	1-1	1.000	2-3	.667	3-0.4	0	0	0	1	15	1.9
K.Adkins	14-0	37-3	2-17	.118	1-11	.091	6-11	.545	8-0.6	4	1	0	4	11	0.8

Notre Dame	5625	848-1655	.512	84-192	.438	391-578	.676	1096-38.2	467	172	79	427	2171	77.5
Opponents	5625	746-1599	.467	127-304	.418	388-559	.694	818-29.2	385	219	92	366	2007	71.7

Commodore Stats

Final Regular Season

Player	G-S	Min-Avg	FG-A	Pct.	3P-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Reb-Avg	Ast	St	BS	TO	TP	Avg
F.Kornet	32-32	1014-32	212-374	.567	2-7	.286	111-179	.620	231-7.2	39	27	10	47	537	16.8
B.Booker	32-31	1082-34	163-342	.477	86-191	.450	55-82	.671	134-4.2	117	49	3	55	467	14.6
B.Goheen	32-32	1105-35	154-345	.446	59-136	.434	96-130	.739	141-4.4	127	31	2	127	463	14.5
E.Reid	32-32	935-29	115-250	.460	0-0	.000	100-130	.769	192-6.0	40	21	12	39	330	10.3
D.Wilcox	32-25	1021-32	100-229	.437	33-91	.363	40-53	.755	116-3.6	169	38	4	102	273	8.5
T.Mitholland	30-0	209-7	36-74	.487	2-6	.333	14-17	.824	38-1.3	10	7	8	13	88	2.9
M.Wheat	32-1	286-9	35-85	.412	8-27	.296	12-20	.600	50-1.6	11	8	4	24	90	2.8
C.Mayes	32-22	266-8	27-62	.436	10-25	.400	17-28	.607	41-1.3	13	3	1	20	81	2.5
S.Grant	32-3	237-7	26-46	.565	0-0	.000	11-14	.786	56-1.8	10	11	4	10	63	2.0
A.Ballestra	27-0	157-6	15-36	.417	0-0	.000	21-29	.724	41-1.5	9	1	5	15	51	1.9
F.Benjamin	24-2	157-6	17-38	.447	0-0	.000	6-18	.333	25-1.0	1	3	5	5	40	1.7
K.Ogilby	4-0	7-2	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0.0	3	0	0	1	0	0.0
J.Amsler	7-0	11-2	0-2	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	1-0.1	1	0	0	1	0	0.0

Fredrick

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to heap that kind of criticism on Coach Phelps. Sometimes he does things that other people don't understand but they're almost always the right thing for the situation at hand.

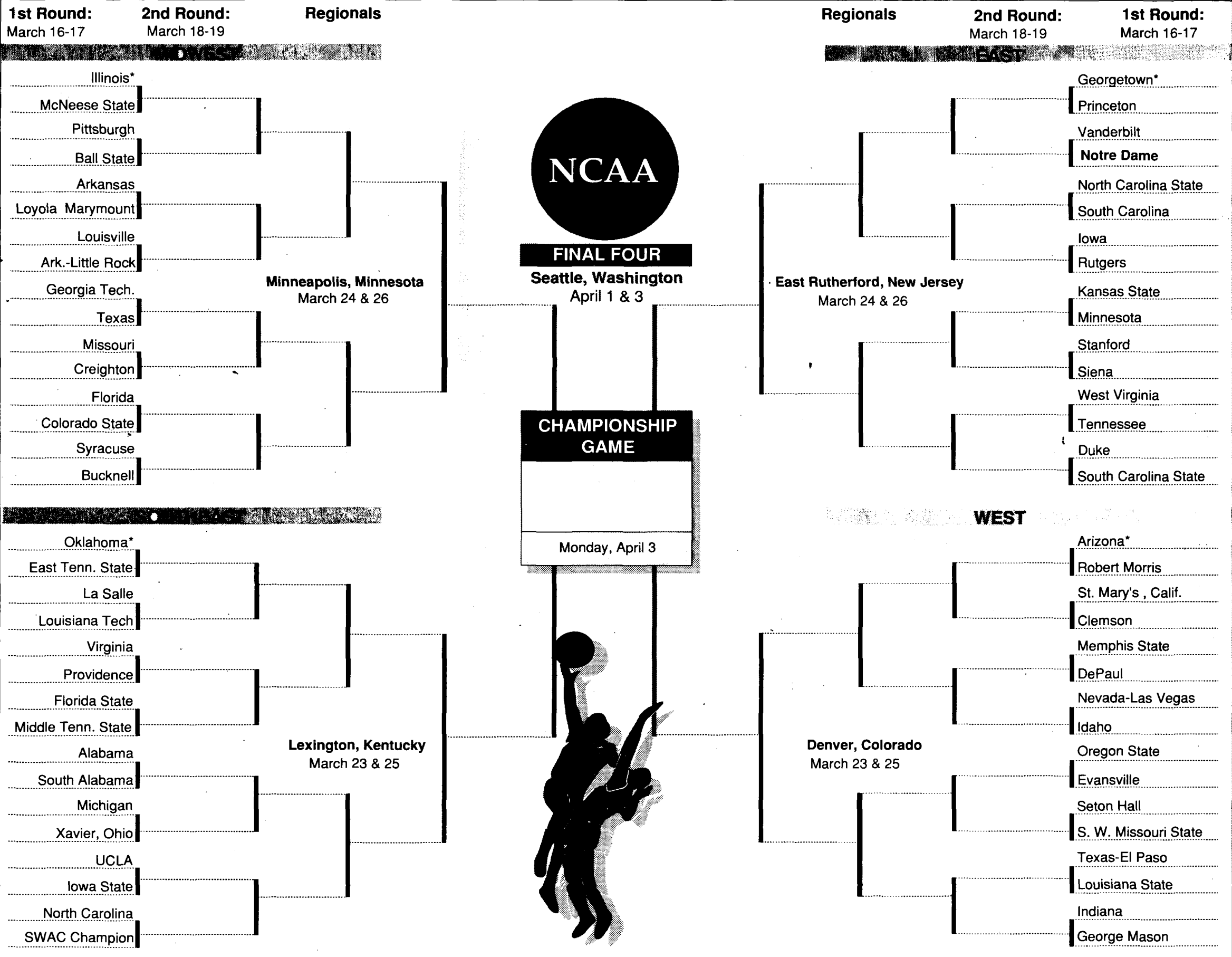
"Plus, no one understands what a good friend and a great human being he is with the players. Outside of my parents, he has been the greatest influence on my life. He's one of the reasons I'm looking forward to next year so much."

And Fredrick is one reason Irish fans can look forward to it.

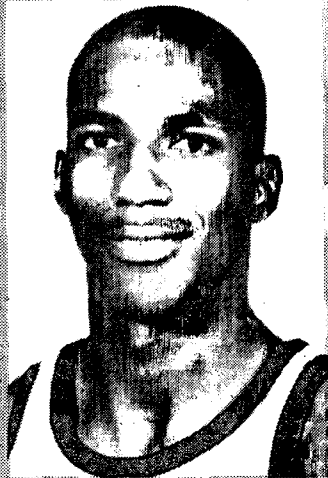


The Observer Paul Compton
Irish head coach Digger Phelps instructs his players during Notre Dame's victory over Indiana early this season. In 1988-9, the Irish achieved their sixth-straight 20 victory season.

FINAL FOUR COUNTDOWN 1989



The Irish



Tim Singleton (G)
Point guard Singleton was the top assist man for the Irish in the regular season, with his total of 195 putting him in second place for assists in a single season. He also led the team with 47 steals.

Jamere Jackson (F)

Co-captain Jackson led the Irish in free throw percentage, shooting 84 percent, and was also named Notre Dame's best defensive player. His 13.5 scoring average was second on the team.



LaPhonso Ellis (F)

Ellis has made his mark on the Irish as a freshman, breaking the single-season mark for blocked shots with 50, averaging nine rebounds per game and scoring 13.2 points per contest. "He makes the rest of the team play above their potential," says Irish head coach Digger Phelps.



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GSU misrepresents student concerns

Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to the Viewpoint article appearing in the Feb. 28 issue of the Observer written by Victor Krebs, GSU President. As one of the two Chemistry Department representatives attending the Graduate Student Council meeting of Feb. 14, I feel that some of Mr. Krebs' arguments are vague and misleading. In that column he implies that the voting representatives were duly notified of the important issues to be voted upon through the "customary GSU memorandum." While we did receive this memo containing the reminder to attend and an "agenda" two days prior to the meeting, the only hint therein that a 250% officer salary increase and a 25% Student Activities fee increases would be tabled was the seemingly harmless announcement under the heading of Vice President's Report: "budget proposal."

Without the essential details of these proposals being made available to the representatives prior to the meeting in which they were voted on, there was no opportunity for the Council to act in a representative capacity. According to the Preamble of the GSU constitution, the primary purpose of the GSU is to represent the graduate student body. This obviously did not occur in the meeting of Feb. 14. Ironically, the executive board is proposing changes to this constitution which would eliminate the term "representative" from the Preamble. In light of their actions, the changes would be appropriate.

Mr. Krebs argues that representatives were given a week to inform their constituencies prior to any public statement by the Council, implying that proper representation did occur. However, there is a huge difference between notifying one's constituents of an upcoming issue and notifying them of changes which were approved without their consent. The executive board is ultimately responsible for the inability of the Council to represent the graduate students.

At the Feb. 14 meeting, it was stressed by Mr. Krebs that an immediate vote on the fee and salary increases was necessary as these issues would have impact on the upcoming elections. I allege that the board knew that the urgency was in fact illusory. After the increases were already approved, it was requested by the executive board and approved by the Council that a special meeting would be held on Feb. 21 to vote on constitutional changes that would affect these very same elections. Why couldn't the fee/salary increases be voted upon at the Feb. 21 meeting as well? Perhaps the board was afraid that the Council might not pass the increases if the graduate student body knew what was happening, as a recent petition would seem to indicate.

Furthermore, I am well aware that the present officers do not stand to personally benefit (at least financially) from the resulting salary increases, and I do not believe anybody (including

the author(s) of a recent petition) is intentionally implying they would. This is not the issue. The issue the graduate students should consider is simply stated: Who should be making these decisions which affect us all? It is obvious where the GSU president, Mr. Krebs, stands: "The decisions taken by the council were based on the judgement shared by the executive board that they were in the best interests of the graduate student body." This type of statement is very familiar to us all; only the source is surprising. As an adult, I find this attitude distasteful and insulting. The graduate student body is the best judge of what is in its own best interests, and for the president of a supposedly representative organization to contend otherwise is a disgrace. How can the University take graduate students seriously if their own government treats them in a condescending and paternalistic way? Since this is apparently the prevailing attitude of the present officers, I am at least consoled by the fact that they do not seek reelection.

Kenneth Dowling
Chemistry department rep. to the GSC
March 1, 1989

GSU officers deserve raise

Dear Editor:

The Feb. 24 Observer reported a petition presented by Chris Kennedy to Fr. Malloy, protesting a recent Graduate Student Union decision to raise GSU officers stipend to \$1400 a year and to increase GSU activity fees.

The Observer has already published Victor Krebs's response to Mr. Kennedy's accusations and we would like to express our support for Victor Krebs and the GSU representatives. What needs to be stressed, however, is the issue of pay raises for GSU officers. The current \$400 a year stipend is ridiculously low. An increase to \$1400 a year is only a slight improvement. The improvements in the administration of the GSU and the increase in the number of Graduate Committees and GSU-sponsored events this year are due in large part to the dedication of the current GSU officers. Their commitment is based on a desire to see the GSU mature into a serious and effective representation of Notre Dame graduate students. The point can hardly be disputed given the almost complete lack of remuneration and recognition for their services.

How can the GSU effectively represent graduate students if the officers must work on a voluntary basis? It's not simply a question of having people willing to work hard for the GSU; there's a practical question of where they'll get the time to do so. If GSU officers put in the same number of hours for the GSU as graduate assistants do working for their departments, they should be paid equally. Without financial commitment to a well-administered, active GSU, it will never represent graduate students adequately. Whose interests are served by a weak GSU?

If Mr. Kennedy has a complaint about GSU procedures, why is he running to Fr. Malloy? The appropriate place to take up the issue is in the graduate student council. Any petitions should be presented to the GSU, and complaints should be resolved among graduate students. Why would anyone (and in particular a former GSU officer) be interested in consciously circumventing the established policies by going straight to the highest office of the University and complain there rather than at home, i.e., in the GSU?

So Mr. Kennedy's petition (read: accusation) is in fact more than a protest. It is undermining the GSU as an institution. In this sense, Mr. Kennedy has caused damage to what we consider a work in progress. Moreover, his act is a slap in the face to those who dedicate a lot of time and energy to make the GSU a better organization so that we, the graduate students, can be better represented and be more actively involved on campus. So again, why would someone want to be so counterproductive?

Volker Frank
Greg Maggetti
former GSU representatives
March 1, 1989

Graduates invited to meet candidates

Dear Editor:

We are writing to inform graduate students that the Graduate Student Union will be holding a general meeting at 7 p.m. Monday March 20 in the Cushing Engineering Auditorium. During that meeting the candidates running for the 1989-90 President and Vice President positions will explain their plans for the coming year.

The purpose of this meeting is to provide graduate students the opportunity to decide the future direction of their representative organization. All graduate students are therefore encouraged to attend. A departmental representative will be present at the meeting to gather votes from their respective constituencies. Elections will take place during the regular monthly Graduate Council, on March 21. According to regular procedures, each departmental representative will cast one vote.

Victor J. Krebs
Jeffrey Smart
Graduate Student Union
March 14, 1989

Iceberg Debates promote awareness

Dear Editor:

The Iceberg Debates represented the coming together of many different sections of the University community in pursuit of the goal of increased student awareness on key topics of our day. I would like to say thanks to all who helped with this project.

I give a special mention to the con-

sultant and standing committee members, the student government volunteers, the hall presidents, the faculty judges and graduate students and the many people who worked behind the scenes.

Congratulations to the Zahm and Stanford finalists and to all the contestants who have displayed in a very convincing manner that Notre Dame students can come together in their own forum to discuss some important social concerns.

The student government and Center for Social Concerns sponsorship made all of this possible. I hope that through future combined efforts that this Iceberg will be only one of many on the Notre Dame winter landscape.

Joseph McKenna
Chairman
March 15, 1989

ND ticket donators receive thanks

Dear Editor:

Lately, I have been reading The Observer and wondering about our student body which has been described as a homogeneous group which holds just about every reproachable characteristic known to man. However, I am writing to give our students some credit-- and thanks.

I would like to thank all the students who donated their Louisville basketball or Air Force football tickets to St. Hedwig's Outreach Center this year. Thanks to you, a group of children who normally would not have had the opportunity, watched a game involving a team on its way to a national championship and two major college basketball teams. Your contribution was truly appreciated by all the children. Pictures from both of these games are on display in Morrissey Hall's lobby. If you would like to participate in the St. Hedwig's tutoring program, contact Jeff Applewhite or Tom Veltz. Thank you again for your generosity.

Tom King
Co-president
Morrissey Hall
March 14, 1989

Allegation on Agee found untrue

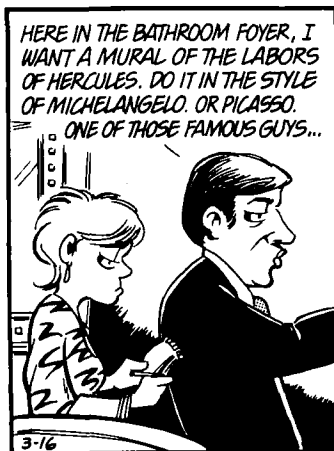
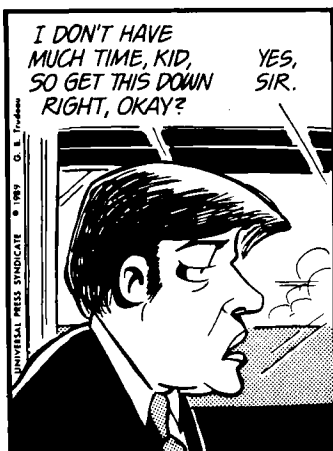
Dear Editor:

Regarding the allegation in the March 14 Observer that "for some 15 years, any mention of Phil Agee's name was prohibited in Notre Dame Magazine:" nonsense.

It's not been true during the six years I've been editor. Staff members with longer tenure say it's never been true.

Walton R. Collins
Editor
Notre Dame Magazine
March 14, 1989

Doonesbury



Garry Trudeau

Quote of the Day

'I like thinking big. If you're going to be thinking anyway, you might as well think big.'

-Donald Trump

Reflections on life in Ireland

KATIE MOORE
accent writer

The thought of being able to see one's own breath in the middle of November is not an unusual one. It struck me as rather odd, however, to be able to consistently see my own breath while indoors. Yes, it's cold here in Ireland. Once you accept that fact (accept, not "get used to" because I will never get used to it) then the fun really does begin.

"I have never felt so spoiled, yet at the same time, so deprived of supposed 'luxuries.'"

I have never felt so spoiled, yet at the same time, I have never felt so deprived of supposed "luxuries." I'm feeling spoiled because homework is, well...an *unusual* event. Therefore, we do quite a bit of socializing. A particularly enjoyable evening would consist of about 10 of us sitting in front of a roaring fire (although usually it's not "roaring" because we haven't mastered the art of firemaking) and listening to Dave Ruppel and/or Marc Conklin play their guitars while we

sing along (not very well, I might add). This pastime has become quite popular lately because it has become very cold and the closest pub is about a mile away.

We are quite limited in the luxuries we once took for granted. Kraft macaroni and cheese is a God-send. Hot water and showers are experienced only in hotels—we

take baths, very cold baths. The sight of a car brings tears to my eyes after all the walking I have done. Granted, my legs are getting toned, but the soles of my shoes are literally worn away.

Laundry costs approximately \$6 per load, and that is the student's rate. The regular rate is approximately \$18

per load. Everything comes back about three sizes smaller than their original sizes.

A warm house is only something you hear about. We have no television or phone. I don't miss TV, but I sure am hurting without a phone. I used to call my next-door neighbor when I was in the dorm at Notre Dame, and

now I have to walk a mile just to *find* a phone. Fortunately, the phone booth is right in front of the pub. I think my parents are beginning to wonder why I'm so loud and cheerful everytime I call them.

"The sense of responsibility and independence I have gained in just two months has been amazing."

Sharing a house with three other people has been fantastic. The sense of responsibility and independence I have gained in just two months has been amazing. My tolerance level for a "frat house appearance" has improved. Learning to read my housemates' moods was a big bonus also. Learning to cook, however, has been hell.

I have left out so many details that I would love to share if I only could. I can summarize my first two months in Ireland by saying I have never been so happy in all of my life. I can already say that this has been the best experience of my entire life.



Students approach an ancient castle en route to the Cliffs of Moher in Limerick, Ireland.

The enjoyable affairs of 'Cousins'

KELLEY TUTHILL
accent writer

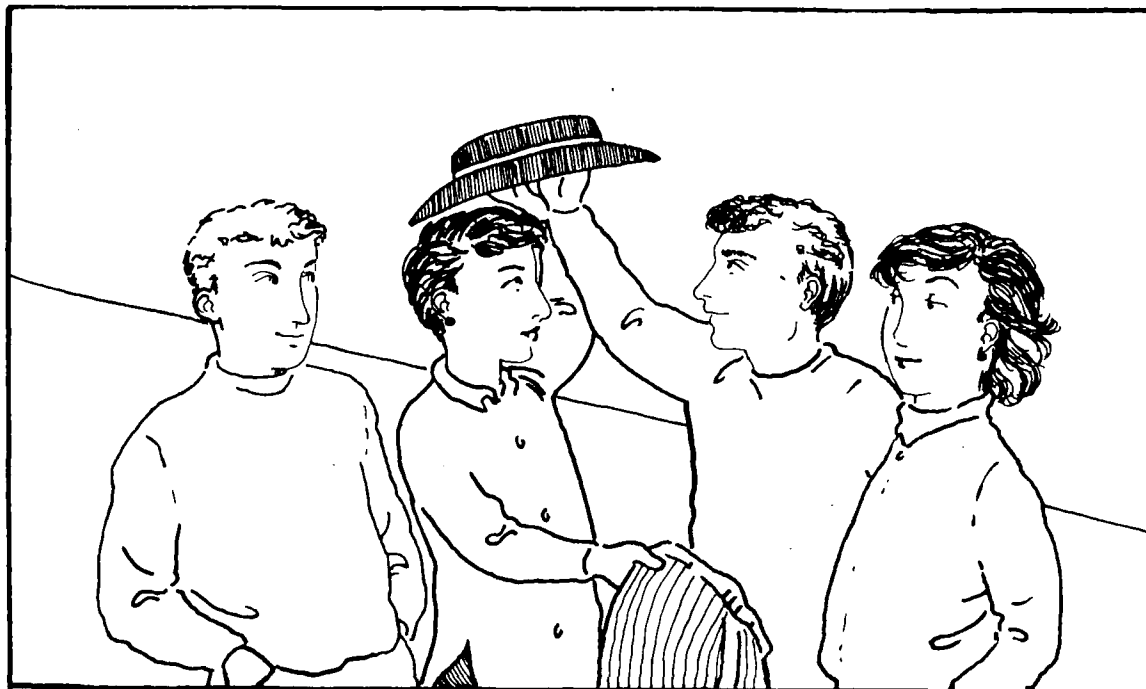
It's silly at times, it's romantic at others, but "Cousins" is always entertaining and never boring. This comedy/love story takes the viewer through a lusty affair and an innocent retaliation centered around family gatherings, including a few unconventional weddings.

The movie begins with the wedding of Larry Kozinski's (Ted Danson) uncle to Maria Hardy's (Isabella Rossellini) mother. At the wedding Larry's wife Tish, played by Sean Young, goes off with Maria's husband, Tom, a car salesman, to "test drive" the Hardy's car. Once again Young is cast as the sexy yet deceiving female opposite a handsome co-star.

The two do not return for hours, leaving Larry and Maria time to get acquainted. Their first conversation

reveals that Larry is a dance teacher and Maria a legal secretary who loves her daughter, but is indifferent to her husband. Finally Tom and Tish return explaining that the car broke down. They apologize for making their spouses the last guests at the wedding.

The following day Maria goes to Larry's dance studio to discuss the probability that their spouses had started an affair the night before. After this talk, the two begin a friendship that has more substance than the sexual affair of Tom and Tish. Larry and Maria are able to be themselves together, although their relationship remains purely platonic. Tom hates for Maria to wear hats, so Larry buys her a hat. Likewise Tish hates boxer shorts, and Maria purchases a pair for Larry. The audience becomes a cheering section for Larry and Maria while hating Tom and Tish.



The foursome continues to meet at funerals and weddings, and its encounters are always hilarious. The jealousy builds up, and what each person will do for attention provides for some of the

best moments of the film. The contrast between Maria and Larry's innocent friendship and Tom and Tish's empty sexual affair is thoroughly engaging.

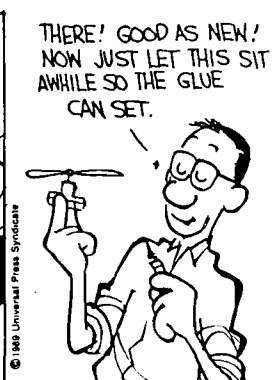
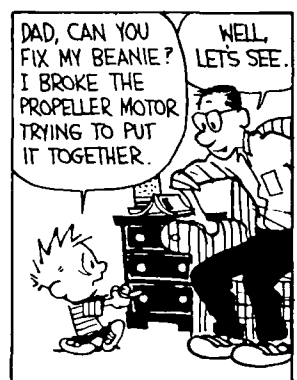
One night Larry and Maria plan to bring their families to the same restaurant for a "coincidental" meeting. The Kozinski's and Hardy's end up sharing a table, but the heat is too much for Tish. She storms out of the room crying; her guilt and uneasiness at being around Tom's wife is unbearable. Ironically, it's Maria who comforts her husband's lover in the bathroom. The irony of the situations in "Cousins" is so absurd that it makes the movie.

The final scene in the

movie comes with the wedding of Larry's father, Vince (a wonderful performance by Lloyd Bridges), to Maria's mother, Edie. Once again the foursome is together as the families unite. The finale of "Cousins" provides the fireworks to this crazy celebration of family, relationships, and love.

"Cousins" is a remake of the 1976 French romantic comedy, "Cousin, Cousine," which takes an intimate look at the lives of two mismatched couples and their families. If you enjoy comedy and romance, and you are a sucker for a happy ending, this movie is a definite "go-see."

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The East Regional begins at Greensboro, N.C. with Kansas State against Minnesota; No. 14 West Virginia vs. Tennessee; No. 13 Stanford vs. Siena and No. 9 Duke vs. South Carolina State.

The Midwest Regional opens at Indianapolis with No. 3 Illinois, the top seed, taking on McNeese State; Arkansas

playing Loyola-Marymount; Louisville taking on Arkansas-Little Rock and No. 18 Ball State playing Pitt.

Oklahoma begins tournament play having plummeted from a position of being one of two or three favorites several weeks ago to a relative outsider. In fact, despite its No. 1 seed in the Southeast, oddsmakers list it as the third choice in the regional behind second-seed North Carolina and third-seeded Michigan.

Florida, Stanford ready for women's swimming NCAAs

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS—The smart money might be on Florida in the NCAA women's swimming and diving championships this week, but don't count Stanford out.

Those two teams stand the best chance of ending the five-year reign of Texas, weakened by the loss of its coach and three key swimmers—breastroker Susan Johnson, freestyler Carrie Steinseifer and butterflyer Kelley Davies—who retired after the Olympic year.

Florida returns all but one scorer from last year's runner-up squad and packs its lineup with four 1988 Olympians and arguably the best freshman class in the nation.

That makes the Gators the odds-on favorite at the Indiana University Natatorium beginning Thursday, according to Stanford coach Richard Quick, who left Texas to join the Cardinal last year.

"If I was betting, I'd bet on

Florida," Quick said Wednesday. "They have quality in every position and depth at every position. The rest of us are really in a scramble for second place."

Yet Quick's top swimmer, 1984 Olympic silver medalist Jenna Johnson, revealed Stanford's real goal.

"We would love to kill Florida," she said. "If everyone on the team swims their best, we have a good chance to win. We have a lot of unknown talent—young swimmers who could come into their own this weekend."

Johnson's sights may be high, but she's predicting the Cardinal will peak for the NCAAs. In a dual meet at Texas last month, the Cardinal took 13 of 16 events and swept both backstroke and breaststroke events on their way to a 95-45 victory.

Against the same Texas team, Florida narrowly won, 56-55.

"They're obviously both tough teams," Texas coach Mark Schubert said. "But

whatever happens during the season doesn't mean anything. When you shave and taper at the end of the season, it's a whole new ball game."

Veteran Florida coach Randy Reese may be tutoring his most talented team ever, yet he is wary of the Gators' strong showing in the Southeastern Conference championships. Florida won 16 out of 18 events and set eight SEC records while beating runnerup Tennessee 907.5-664.

"It helped them a lot but it didn't help me," Reese said. "I would have liked them not to swim so fast. I wonder how rested they are."

Eight members of the 1988 U.S. Olympic team will compete at the women's NCAAs, including Florida's Tami Bruce, Dara Torres, Laura Walker and Paige Zemina. Other Olympians are Leigh Ann Fetter and Andrea Hayes at Texas, Mitzi Kremer of Clemson and Erika Hansen of Georgia.

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the National Catholics when he was a sophomore and senior, the Michigan State Tournament when he was a sophomore and junior, and the always competitive St. Louis Invitational when he was a junior. These accomplishments were not overlooked when he was voted into the tournament.

Boyd, along with fellow seniors Jerry Durso and Chris Geneser, put Irish wrestling on the map four years ago.

"Notre Dame wrestling has come an awful long way in four years," said Boyd. "Most of the credit should be given to the coaches."

He is referring to Fran McCann who took the reigns five years ago and Rick Stewart who became assistant in 1986. Since McCann has become coach, Notre Dame has risen in both success and rankings. For the first time ever, the Irish were ranked in the top twenty in the final poll, coming in at number 18.

Boyd also had nothing put praise for his teammates, who have helped him attain his National Tournament goal.

"We really appreciate the guys who didn't make the tournament," stated Boyd. "They gave up their Spring Break so they could help us practice. It is all a team effort at Notre Dame."

Boyd has an good chance of being seeded in the top twelve coming into the tournament. He has already upset the third-ranked wrestler in the country, Stacy Richmond from Michigan State, earlier in the season.

"I've got an excellent chance of placing if I keep my head on straight," said Boyd. "Wrestling is 90 percent mental when it comes to the Nationals."

Boyd will definitely be looking to knock off the big kid on the block, and if he does, chances are, he will be the new big kid on the block at a whopping 142 pounds.

Football renews quest for another championship

Special to The Observer

With Wednesday's opening of spring practice, the Notre Dame football team has begun its challenge of pursuing a national title all over again.

Even with an experienced team anchored by 16 returning starters, Irish coach Lou Holtz knows that defending last year's title will not be a simple job.

"On paper, we should be a good team," says Holtz, "but who knows if this year's team will have the same work habits as last year's group? Who knows if the commitment will be the same? Who knows what the chemistry will be like? Those are questions that can't be answered until we get into the season."

"We have a chance to be a better football team than last year, based on our personnel and experience. But that doesn't mean we'll have the same kind of record."

The Irish must replace 12 lost lettermen, including six starters. Offensively, Notre Dame will be missing regulars like tailback Mark Green (1,977 career rushing yards) and tackle Andy Heck (a first-team All-American in 1988). On defense, the losses include end Frank Stams (a consensus All-American), linebacker Wes

Pritchett (the team's top tackler in 1988 with 112), strong safety George Streeter and end Flash Gordon.

The graduation losses are not huge in number, yet Holtz knows those seniors had much to do with setting the tone for Notre Dame's success last year.

"Everyone told me we had the same team coming back next year," said Holtz. "We had our first team meeting after the Fiesta Bowl in mid-January. But when we started to talk about next year, I excused the graduating seniors, and some awfully good football players got up and left."

Notre Dame returns 46 monogram winners, including nine offensive starters, seven more on defense, the top punter plus one of the top two Irish placekickers.

Tops on the list of returnees is senior quarterback Tony Rice (70-of-138 for 1,176 yards, 8 touchdowns, 7 interceptions), who led Notre Dame in rushing last season (121 rushes for 700 yards, 9 TDs).

Rice did not receive much preseason notice as a junior, but he will in 1989, especially after faring impressively in head-to-head matchups last fall with Miami's Steve Walsh, USC's Rodney Peete and West Virginia's Major Harris, all

1988 Heisman Trophy finalists. In the Fiesta Bowl, Rice averaged better than 30 yards per completion, threw for a career-high 213 yards and rushed for a game-high 75 yards.

Junior Ricky Watters (30 for 71, along with team-leading 15 catches for 286, 2 TDs) is expected to switch from the flanker spot he played last fall to the tailback slot he occupied as a freshman in 1987. At fullback, the Irish have senior Anthony Johnson (69 for 282, 5 TDs), senior Braxton Banks (31 for 129, 1 TD), who must bounce back from knee problems, and sophomore Rodney Culver (30 for 195, 3 TDs).

The receiver positions include sophomore Derek Brown (12 for 150, 3 TDs) and junior Frank Jacobs (1 for 14) at tight end, senior Pat Eilers (6 for 70) at flanker and sophomore Raghib Ismail (12 for 331, 2 TDs) at split end. With Watters switching back to tailback, Ismail probably would move to flanker.

The offensive line includes four returning starters with senior Tim Grunhard and junior Tim Ryan at guard, junior Mike Heldt at center and senior Dean Brown at one tackle. Sophomore Gene McGuire will switch from center to guard, while junior Win-

ston Sandri likely will move from guard to center. Look for sophomore Mirko Jurkovic, a defensive tackle last year, to play guard in 1989.

On defense, the Notre Dame line returns intact in junior left tackle George Williams (44 tackles, 4.5 sacks), junior nose tackle Chris Zorich (a first-team All-American last season with 70 tackles, 3.5 sacks) and senior right tackle Jeff Alm (50 tackles, team-leading 3 interceptions).

The end spots must be rebuilt, following the losses of Stams and Gordon. The drop end slot features sophomore Arnold Ale and junior Andre Jones, each of whom started four games last year. The rush end position includes junior Scott Kowalkowski and senior John Foley, who missed all of last season with a nerve injury in his bicep.

Senior Ned Bolcar, one of last

season's tri-captains, has been granted a fifth year of eligibility and should bolster the linebacking corps.

The Irish are set at cornerback with senior Stan Smagala, junior Todd Lyght and senior D'Juan Francisco. Senior Pat Terrell is back at free safety, but junior Greg Davis is the only experienced returnee at strong safety. Sophomores Rod Smith, Shawn Davis and Rusty Setzer, all of whom played offense as freshmen, are possibilities to move to the secondary.

The kicking game returns junior punter Jim Sexton (38.9 average) and junior placekicker Billy Hackett (5 of 7 PATs, 3 of 4 FGs). The Irish return game is set with Ismail, who led the nation in kickoff returns in 1988, and Watters, who ranked fourth nationally in punt returns. Both players had two touchdown returns.

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but still has plenty of experience. Last year, Durso made it all the way to the quarterfinals before losing a close match to Joei Bales of Northwestern.

Geneser, who is from Woodward, Iowa, has a 30-6 record this year with nine pins. He has tournament victories this year at Michigan State and at the National Catholics, where he wrestled at 177 pounds instead of his current 167 pounds. If everything goes well, Geneser looks to have his best tournament ever.

Durso, who is co-captain along with Geneser, has compiled 127 total wins with only 27 losses, which includes 32 wins this year and 38 as a freshman. Wrestling at 134 pounds, Durso is hoping to improve and possibly place.

"The whole year comes down to this," stated Durso. "If you had to wrestle well, this is the time."

The last entrant into the tournament is senior Pat Boyd, who is making his first-ever tourney appearance. Boyd was granted another year to wrestle because of an injury suffered junior year. Boyd (21-5) has been ranked in the top ten at 142 pounds for most of the year. Going into the Nationals, Boyd could be ranked in the top eight, which will make his fight for the championship that much easier.

The NCAA Tournament is what the season boils down to for the seniors. It is now or never for Durso and Geneser, the wrestlers who made Notre Dame part of the elite. An NCAA championship would be an excellent way to finish a storybook career for two guys who have always dreamed of standing atop the winners platform looking down on the likes of Iowa and Arizona State.

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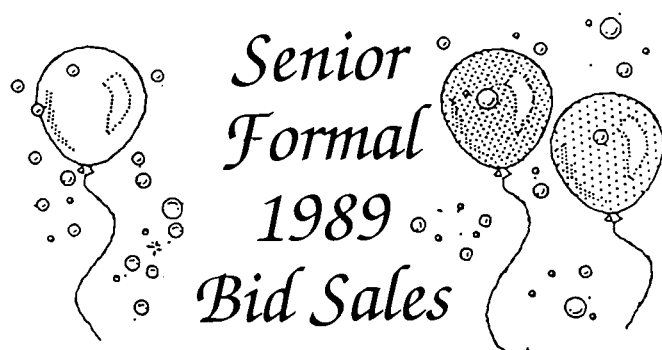
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Deadlines approach for upcoming NVA events

Special to The Observer

Non-Varsity Athletics has announced deadlines for several approaching events.

Faculty staff low-impact aerobics have begun. Classes are held Mondays and Wednesdays from 6:45 to 7:30 a.m. in the Joyce ACC Pit. The fee is \$5 for a half-semester.

Rosters must be submitted to the NVA office before Wednesday, March 22 for the graduate department slow-pitch softball league. Rosters must have a minimum of 12 players and list captains. Play will start as early as weather permits and equipment will be provided.

Men's and women's Interhall rosters must be submitted to the NVA office before Wednesday, March 22. Rosters must include at least 12, but not more than 14, players from the same hall. Play will begin as early as the weather permits and equipment will be furnished.

The deadline for Interhall

baseball rosters is also Wednesday, March 22. The entry fee is \$15 and rosters must consist of at least 14 players, but not more than 18. All players must be from the same hall and equipment will be furnished. Anyone interested in umpiring should contact the NVA office.

A women's Interhall soccer tourney will be held with a \$25 entry fee per team. The deadline is Wednesday, March 22 and proof of insurance is required. All players must be from the same hall.

Five Kayaking sessions will be held beginning April 4. Classes will also be held April 6, 11, 13 and 18 from 6:30 to 9 p.m. nightly. A one-day excursion will be held following the lessons on April 22. The cost is \$19 per person. A minimum of five people is needed.

For more information about any of the above events, call the NVA office.

Frieder takes reigns at ASU

Assistant Fisher chosen to coach Michigan in NAAs

Associated Press

ANN ARBOR, Mich.--Bill Frieder's coaching career at Arizona State began earlier than he wanted when Michigan told him if he's going, go now--before his Wolverines play in the NCAA tournament.

"I don't want somebody from Arizona State coaching the Michigan team," Athletic Director Bo Schembechler said Wednesday. "A Michigan man is going to coach Michigan."

No sooner had word gotten out that Frieder had accepted the basketball coaching job at Arizona State, two days before the start of the tournament, than Schembechler announced that assistant coach Steve Fisher would lead the 24-7 and 10th-ranked Wolverines in the NAAs. Michigan's first game is Friday in Atlanta against 21-11 Xavier.

Arizona State had contacted Michigan to inquire about Frieder after basketball coach

Steve Patterson resigned Feb. 4, Schembechler said. But he said Frieder's announcement stunned him.

"I had no forewarning at all," he said. "We just assumed



Bill Frieder

that if anything would occur, it'd be after the NCAA tournament. I wouldn't have done it that way, but that's up to him."

Frieder, who was The Associated Press Coach of the Year in 1984-85, told his players of his decision in a series of early-

morning phone calls from Arizona.

"I think I'm speaking for the rest of the team when I say we're shocked," center Loy Vaught said. "He never let on that he was leaving."

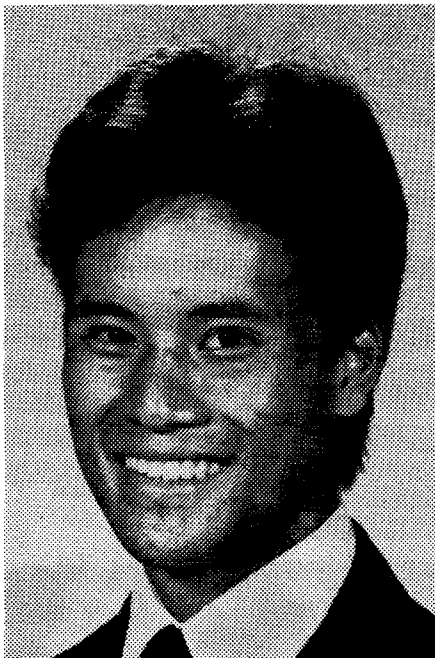
Frieder offered to coach the Wolverines, seeded third in the Southeast Regional, through the tournament. But Schembechler said he telephoned Frieder and told him Fisher would run the team.

Frieder compiled a 191-87 record--including six straight 20-victory seasons--at Michigan since taking charge of the team in 1980. He led the Wolverines to Big Ten titles in 1985 and 1986.

A permanent replacement for Frieder wouldn't be named until after the NCAA championships, Schembechler said. He refused to speculate about candidates.

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New-found fame and fortune hard on Calcavecchia

Associated Press

PONTE VEDRA, Fla.--Mark Calcavecchia, the sensation of the early season, is having some problems with his new-found fame on the PGA tour.

"I'm struggling with it a little bit," Calcavecchia said Wednesday before a final practice round for the \$1.35 million Players Championship.

The tournament, recognized as the annual championship of golf's touring pros, begins Thursday with Calcavecchia among the favorites for the \$243,000 first prize.

Calcavecchia, who won the Australian Open title late last year, leads the American tour this year with \$429,112.

He won the Los Angeles and Phoenix Opens, missed a playoff at the Bob Hope by one stroke and was third in another one.

"I could have won four tournaments already this year," he said.

And with that success has come increased attention from press and public, a situation that is new to the man who was struggling to make ends meet as recently as four years ago.

"It's part of the price you pay," said Curtis Strange, the 1988 U.S. open champion and Player of the Year.

"We all strive to play well. When you do, and you win, that attracts attention. The better you play the more attention you get."

"You can't separate the two."

It is a problem that Calcavecchia has to handle.

"I'm having a little trouble with it," he said, and hinted that it could be affecting his performance.

"At Eagle Trace (the Honda Classic two weeks ago), I was bombarded, people coming over to the house for two-hour interviews, the phone ringing all the time, all that stuff."

"They just blew me away. I was out of it," Calcavecchia said.

He missed the cut in that tournament and hasn't played particularly well since.

Louisville likes its experience in Hoosier Dome

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS—Louisville considers the site an advantage in Thursday's first-round NCAA midwest Regional date with Arkansas-Little Rock. The Trojans discount the importance of the Hoosier Dome and claim the underdog role can help them.

The two meet in the opening game of the Midwest Regional at Indianapolis. Louisville, 22-8, heads into the game as the No. 4 seed in the region as it goes after its third NCAA title of the decade. The Trojans, seeded 13th, are 23-7 and making only their second appearance in the tournament.

Arkansas, 24-6, plays high-scoring Loyola-Marymount, 20-10, in Thursday's second game. In the evening, top-seeded Illinois, 27-7, takes on McNeese State, 16-13, followed by Pittsburgh, 17-12, against Ball

State, holders of the nation's top record in Division I at 28-2.

Louisville has played in the Hoosier Dome the past two seasons and defeated Indiana 101-79 here in December.

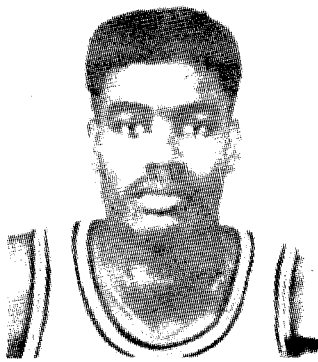
"It's hard when you're trying to take an outside shot," said center Pervis Ellison, the Cardinals' No. 2 all-time scorer with 2,102 points who has a team-high average of 18 points and 8.5 rebounds. "The guys who take the outside shot, you can see the crowd and everybody behind the basket. It kind of hurts the jump shot."

Louisville forward Kenny Payne, like Ellison a senior who played on the 1985-86 team that defeated Duke 72-69 for the 1986 NCAA championship, agreed.

"I think it affects you, because it's bright, you see the top of the dome and you can see the glaring light," he said. "We played well here against

Indiana and if that's any indication of how we'll play, I like our chances."

Mike Newell, a former high school star and coach in Indiana who still holds the semi-



Pervis Ellison

state record at Lafayette of 54 points in a game, said his club isn't going to be bothered by playing in a domed facility.

"Three years ago we played in the Metrodome (as the No. 13 seed) and beat (No. 4 seed)

Notre Dame," he said in reference to the upset his club posted in its previous NCAA appearance at Minneapolis.

The Trojans then took North Carolina State to two overtimes before losing in the second round at the Metrodome.

"We like the domes. The basketball courts, I think, are still the same length and the baskets are still the same height. That's the only thing to concern ourselves with.

"As far the larger crowds, we're accustomed to that. We played a great schedule to prepare ourselves for this very thing."

"It won't affect the shooting at all," said Trojan senior forward Johnnie Bell, one of five starters averaging in double figures with a 17.8 average. "I played in the Silverdome. It's just like playing in high school." The big difference in

basketball tradition doesn't bother Newell.

"Any time you're the lower seed, I think you've got an advantage," he said. "The parity is such in college basketball that I think the word upset is going to come out come tournament time."

"At tournament time I do my very best not to worry about opponents," said Louisville coach Denny Crum, 29-13 in NCAA action and a winner in 21 of his last 26 games in the tournament. "My job is to get my team to play their best and that's what I try to do ... If we do the things that we do best, then we have a chance to win." Crum, who won his first NCAA championship at nearby Market Square Arnea in 1980, said earlier this season his team had no chance of winning the NCAA.

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won't and Kansas State should handle Minnesota as long as the game isn't within a 150-mile radius of Minneapolis.

Arizona should waltz through the West, but there could be some surprises in the West Regional. Idaho could very well upset UNLV, considering the Rebels' tendency to be overconfident against lower ranked teams.

The Evansville Purple Aces will send Ralph Miller's Oregon State Beavers out rudely and LSU will oust Texas-El Paso.

Later Round Developments-- The Sweet 16 finalists from the Southeast will go largely as expected: Oklahoma, Michigan, North Carolina and Cinderella, uh, I mean, Middle Tennessee State, which will beat Virginia in the second round.

Arkansas will upset Louisville and join favorites Illinois, Missouri, and Syracuse as Sweet 16 entrants from the Midwest.

It's against my better judgment placing Missouri this far along after disasters in the early rounds over the last few years, but I have to think the Tigers have enough talent to make a move this year, even without Norm Stewart.

It'll be Georgetown, Iowa, Stanford and Duke-- the party line-- in the East, but some

minor shakeups in the West make things interesting. Memphis State, a late bloomer, will take out UNLV and join Arizona, Seton Hall and LSU (who knocked off the Hoosiers last round) in the final 16.

I hate to say it, but I just can't see any deviation from the top four seeds making the Final Four. Duke might be able to beat Georgetown in the East and North Carolina might be able to take out Oklahoma in the Midwest, but in my mind Illinois and Arizona can't be touched in their brackets.

The Nitty-Gritty-- As good as Illinois looks right now, I don't think they can go all the way

simply because of their lack of a dominant big man. Sure, they're balanced (Gill, Bardo, Battle, Anderson) but Oklahoma's athletes match the Illini's and Stacey King will prove too tough in the end.

The Georgetown-Arizona game is the one I'm dying to see. Two great teams, two great coaches, two great defenses, stars, lots of role players. Give the nod to the Hoyas just because John Thompson will be on the war-path to avenge his bronze medal showing.

But Billy Tubbs will have the last laugh. Oklahoma, the one top seed that no one really

seems to be talking about right now, will rebound in a big way from their lackluster Big Eight Conference tournament performance. Mookie Blaylock and Stacey King comprise the best 1-2 punch in the country, and it's not like they have no supporting cast. Tyrone Jones and Terrence Mullins would be headliners at 95 per cent of the schools in the country. Sooners, 98-91.

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Noon GALA-Kellogg graduate student workshop "A View of a Different Colombia," by Miguel Fadul, Department of Economics, Room 131 Decio Faculty Hall.

4:15 p.m. AT&T Visiting Scholar series "Of Core Curricula: Perzig's Zen and the Guns at Cornell Towards Epistemic Literacy," by Sylvia Wynter, Stanford University, Hesburgh Library Lounge.

7:30 p.m. Anthopology lecture "An Archaeological Tour of St. Patrick's Ireland," by Ronald Hicks, Ball State University, Room 283 Galvin Life Science Auditorium.

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Four ND wrestlers prepare for NCAAs

By GREG SCHECKENBACH
Sports Writer

The time has come for the big tournament, the tournament to end all tournaments, the NCAA Wrestling Tournament.

Notre Dame will send four representatives to Oklahoma City, Okla. for what promises to be the most exciting tournament in years. What makes this tournament so different from past ones is that it may not be dominated by Iowa, but by a new power, Arizona State.

The Sun Devils were victorious in last year's tournament, ending a nine-year dynasty by Iowa. Ironically, Iowa was the runner-up in the tourney last year and is expected to challenge again this year. Currently, they are the top-ranked team in the country and are very proud of it.

"Even though most people don't win a national championship in their lifetime, I got pretty used to it," stated Iowa Coach Dan Gable on winning

nine consecutive national titles.

Head Coach Fran McCann and the Irish wrestlers will try to put a dent in Gable's confidence. All indications are that Notre Dame has an excellent chance of cracking the top-twenty in one of the most competitive tournaments in college athletics.

"We are capable of placing in the top-twenty if we concentrate mentally," said McCann, who is still upset about the voting procedure in the recent Western Regionals where two Irish wrestlers were left out of the National Tournament.

Representing Notre Dame will be seniors Jerry Durso, Chris Geneser, and Pat Boyd along with junior Andy Radenbaugh. All of them, except for Boyd, have prior National Tournament experience.

Radenbaugh, who is making his second straight tourney appearance, has Notre Dame's best record this year at 35-8. He needs four wins to break the Irish single season record for victories held by teammate



The Observer / Mike Moran

Junior Andy Radenbaugh and three teammates—Jerry Durso, Chris Geneser and Pat Boyd—will represent the Notre Dame wrestling team in the NCAA Tournament in Oklahoma City, Okla.,

March 16-18. The team finished the season ranked 18th in the nation—the program's highest ranking ever.

Durso. Last year, Radenbaugh bowed out of the tournament in the first round and is expected to improve this year.

"Rad has a tough, tough time against ranked guys, but I feel this time around he could possibly place," said McCann. "The ability is there, he just needs to prepare mentally."

Radenbaugh qualified for the NCAA's by earning an at-large bid at the Western Regionals where he was runner-up at 118 pounds. The loss was unexpected because, as a sophomore, Radenbaugh won the 118-pound division with relative ease.

And then there is the creme of the crop, Jerry Durso and

Chris Geneser, who are currently one and two on the all-time list for total career victories. Also, both are making their third straight NCAA Tournament in as many years. Geneser has only wrestled in one tournament because of injuries at the end of the year,

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It's time again for March Madness

It's hard to believe, but it's NCAA Tournament time again.

This is heaven for hardcore zealots cheering on perennial contenders (like Indiana and Georgetown fans), passive followers of a regional favorite (like Notre Dame fans) and sports junkies with ESPN (like me).

And, of course, I have some views on exactly how things will transpire. If you're like me, you've been approached by

Pete Skiko

Sports Writer



inside information could prove to be financially redeeming.

First Round Upsets-- If you go strictly according to the seeds, I think we could see quite a few big names fall early. I'll start with my Upset Special. In the Southeast Regional, No. 14 Middle Tennessee State will defeat Florida State. That's right. These are two very similar teams, more similar than people know. Chris Rainey of the Blue Raiders (19 ppg) is one of the most underrated guards in the country and Florida State will be looking ahead.

Also in the Southeast, look for No. 11 South Alabama to upend No. 6 Alabama and No. 10 Iowa State to destroy No. 7 UCLA. Although I can't quite pick them to upset, watch Xavier against Michigan and Providence against Virginia. Both games will be much closer than their seeds indicate.

While there really isn't anything glaring in the Midwest Regional, I like No. 9 Ball State (28-2, best record in Division I) to beat No. 8 Pittsburgh in a close one. Creighton will certainly cover the 13 and a half points Missouri is giving them, and the Florida-Colorado State game should go down to the wire, with Colorado State having the slight edge. Pat Durham of the Rams is a bonafide first round draft pick that no one has heard of.

In the East Regional, as we all know, the Irish play Vanderbilt. Those of you who followed Peerless Prognosticators during the football season know that I wasn't afraid to pick against the Irish in a select few games. Let's say this: if Fredrick plays, Notre Dame will win by three, if he doesn't, Vandy will win by three. It's that close on paper. Both teams aren't playing especially well right now, which favors the Commodores if Fredrick isn't around to provide stretch-run leadership.

Also in the East, No. 10 Tennessee will beat No. 7 West Virginia. South Carolina could beat N.C. State but probably

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Boyd strives to be 'top dog'

142-pound senior takes 21-5 record into his first NCAAs

By GREG SCHECKENBACH
Sports Writer

To become 'top dog,' one must knock off the big kid on the block.

That is exactly what senior Pat Boyd plans to do in the upcoming NCAA Wrestling Tournament to be held this weekend in Oklahoma City, Okla. For Boyd, this is the first time he has had a chance to wrestle in the National Tournament. Boyd, who has a record of 21-5, placed second in the Western Regionals at 142 pounds, and was voted into the Nationals with an at-large bid. Being the first time competing in the tournament, Boyd was definitely thrilled with his entrance.

"It has been a very long wait for me to make Nationals," stated Boyd. "This is a chance of a lifetime and I'm extremely

excited about it."

Thus far, Boyd's career has been very successful, compiling an overall record of 74-30-1, but has yet to smell sweet victory in the big tournament. In-



Pat Boyd

juries have kept him from qualifying for the NCAA's in both his sophomore and junior year.

"The injuries have really bothered me over the years, but they come with the sport,"

said Boyd. "I'm very thankful that I have been able to recover completely from them."

This year, Boyd was, once again, injured. He sustained a knee injury half way through the season, but stated that his knee is at 100 percent for the tournament.

"My knee hasn't bothered me at all for about a month and I don't expect it to bother me this weekend," said Boyd.

Boyd, who hails from Mt. Pleasant, Mich., has a prep record book that is a mile long. In high school, he compiled an overall record of 168-1 including 143 consecutive victories, which is a national prep record. Also, Boyd is a member of the Amateur Sports Hall of Fame located in Johnstown, Pa.

Boyd has won numerous tournaments over his four years at Notre Dame. He won

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NCAA Tournament may 'revitalize' Sooners after poor performances

Associated Press

Billy Tubbs has a new theory.

So what if his Oklahoma Sooners, ranked No. 1 for much of the season, stumbled through the Big Eight tournament, losing in the finals to Missouri? they had nothing to gain by winning it anyway.

"You're talking about something that revitalizes everybody," said Tubbs, whose fourth-ranked Sooners begin play in the NCAA tournament Thursday. "We're playing against new people, and that gets everyone's attention."

The new people in this case are from East Tennessee State, tournament champions of the

Southern Conference, the No. 16 seed in the Southeast Regional to Oklahoma's No. 1. The game, which will be played in Nashville, Tenn., is one of 16 first-round matchups Thursday as college basketball's three-week championship festival begins. Sixteen more will be played Friday.

Most of Thursday's games on the surface appear one-sided. Three of the four top seeds are in action, with only second-ranked Georgetown, No. 1 in the East, off until Friday.

No. 1 Arizona, banished to Boise, Idaho, from its home in Tucson because of a new policy that keeps teams off their homecourts, takes on Robert

Morris in another matchup of No. 1 and No. 16, this one in the West.

On the same card at Boise, St. Mary's plays Clemson; Memphis State plays DePaul and No. 15 Nevada-Las Vegas plays Idaho, which will have the advantage of being the local favorite.

In addition to the Oklahoma-East Tennessee game, Southeast games in Nashville include LaSalle vs. Louisiana Tech; Virginia vs. Providence and No. 16 Florida State against Middle Tennessee State, another underdog playing near home.

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