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Notre Dame not ranked among top 25 universities

By DAVID KINNEY
News Editor

Notre Dame was not among U.S. News and World Report's top 25 national universities for the third consecutive year but remained among the best of the 179 universities ranked annually by the magazine.

ND placed in the first quartile, the best of four groups of national universities, and was 20th among private universities, according to Dennis Moore, director of public relations.

Harvard University was named the best university in the nation for the third consecutive year. Princeton University, Yale University, Stanford University and the California Institute of Technology rounded out the top five.

Moore attributed the ranking to U.S. News' emphasis on financial resources. The total education spending per student is determined by a school's total

annual spending on instruction, student services, administration and academic support including computers and libraries per full-time student.

But almost all the universities ranked have medical schools, which account for much of the spending, so "it will be difficult for us to be ranked in the top 25," Moore said.

Notre Dame placed 18th in 1988 and 23rd in 1989 but has not ranked in the top 25 since. Beginning in 1990, the financial resources category weighted more heavily and the University dropped in the rankings, Moore said.

U.S. News determines the best national universities on the basis of five attributes: reputation, selectivity, faculty resources, financial resources and student satisfaction.

Financial resources count for 18 percent, student satisfaction for seven percent, and reputation, selectivity and faculty re-

U.S. News & World Report's Ranking of the Top Universities

Rank	name	Academ. reputa- rank	Student selec- rank	Faculty re- sources rank	Finan. re- sources rank	Student satis- faction rank
1.	Harvard University	1	1	4	8	1
2.	Princeton University	3	4	3	11	3
3.	Yale University	3	2	10	4	6
4.	Stanford University	3	5	5	5	11
5.	California Institute of Technology	8	3	1	1	32
5.	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	1	6	6	7	13
7.	Dartmouth College	15	9	11	9	2
7.	Duke University	12	10	9	13	5
9.	University of Chicago	8	24	2	6	25
10.	Columbia University	12	13	12	10	8

sources count for 25 percent each.

"Their method gives the least

weight to categories that deal with students," said Moore.

However, Notre Dame scored

higher than several of the universities ranked in the top 25 in some categories:

- Incoming freshmen have higher SAT and ACT scores than 10 of the universities;

- A higher percentage of freshmen at ND graduate in the top 10 percent of their class than nine of the schools;

- Admission is more selective than 10 other universities in the top 25;

- More freshmen stay for sophomore year than 18 of the top 25, and more freshmen graduate in less than five years than 20 of the schools;

- Only Harvard, Princeton and Dartmouth universities have better student satisfaction rates than Notre Dame.

"What that says to me is that we're bringing in at least as talented — if not more talented — students than those ranked ahead of us," said Moore. Furthermore, the "students must think they're getting a good education."

Student Senate discusses security issues, multicultural festival and trustee report

By KENYA JOHNSON
News Writer

Student Senate discussed increasing security in parking lots of local bars, the Multicultural Fall Festival, and the Board of Trustees Report on research during last night's meeting.

Student government will attempt to encourage local bars to place security officers in their parking lots on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. The primary concern is the Commons.

"Everything from assaults, robberies, and shoot-outs have happened to our students in the Commons parking lot," said R.G. Starmann, student government security commissioner. "We need to make these places safer for students."

Starmann plans to do research and gain the support of both Notre Dame and Saint

Mary's security for the proposal. He will then approach local bars with the proposal.

Senator Tyler Farmer also reported on the upcoming Multicultural Fall Festival that will take place Oct. 4-9.

"It is important for us as student leaders to actually attend, participate in, and support the events going on that week. We've put a lot of effort into the festival this year and we've got some great things planned," said Farmer.

Special events planned will include an opening multicultural mass on Sunday, Oct. 4, the African Dance Troop performance on Thursday, Oct. 8, and the traditional Taste of Nations on Friday, Oct. 9.

In addition, there will be daily "fireside chats" in the International Students Organization lounge (2nd floor LaFortune) in the mornings, "culture on the quad" at noon and "entertainment on the quad" from 4 p.m.-5 p.m., both at

Fieldhouse Mall. These events will be sponsored by different campus organizations, said Farmer.

Student senate will also present the board of trustees report, "Upholding the Mission: Teaching and Research at a National Catholic University," on Oct. 1. It includes nine recommendations based on three common themes: teaching incentives, academic life in and out of the classroom, and examination of undergraduate academic programs, said Lynn Friedewald, president of Breen-Phillips.

The senate also finalized the regulations for Freshmen Class Council elections. Applications for the council will be due Friday, Sept. 25, and elections will be held Monday, Sept. 28.

Senate also nominated Ellen Zahren as the new SUB Director of Programming, and passed a resolution to emphasize Hall Fellows at Notre Dame.

BOG approves of club

By KATIE CAPUTO
News Writer

Saint Mary's Board of Governance approved a request by the Notre Dame Entrepreneurial Club to obtain official club status at the College during last night's meeting.

Gene Sheikh, president of the club, said the club encourages students interested in entrepreneurship to explore different aspects of the marketing world.

With official status at Saint Mary's, the club would be able to hold fundraisers through student activities at the school. "It will help involve Saint Mary's students in entrepreneurship," said a sophomore on the board.

In other business:

- Richard Chlebek, director of Saint Mary's Security, discussed personal electric safety alarms that students can wear on their body and activate in case of emergency. "The alarms are a quality product for personal

protection," according to Chlebek.

Security is investigating the possibility of selling them through the bookstore or student government. Board members expressed mixed opinions about how many students would be interested in buying the product.

- Lisa Campione, representative of the Student Alumni Association, appealed for \$200 for Founder's Day cups. Campione said it was for an important cause because Founder's Day is a day for recognition of Saint Mary's. The board approved the funds.

- The Student Activities Committee (SAC) briefed the board on plans in progress. The committee is planning several student-faculty meals and discussing a big sister program within the academic departments.

SAC is also reviewing finals week policies in an attempt to restrict tests and papers on the last two days before finals.

Campus voter registration drive registers 600 to 700

By MARA DIVIS
News Writer

Last week's Student government-sponsored voter registration drive registered between 600 and 700 Notre Dame students, according to Chris Setti, coordinator of student government political activities.

Setti said the drive, which was set up in the North and South Dining Halls, targeted students who had just turned 18 and had not yet registered to vote and students who had registered in their home states but had not requested absentee ballots.

"It was a lot bigger turnout than we expected," he said. "A lot of students didn't know how to register back home. We facilitated the process."

Student Body Vice President Molly O'Neill said because this year is a national election, stu-

dents' awareness of voting and the political process has increased.

"This year being a national election helped things go quite well," O'Neill said. "The more people who vote, the more awareness and interest there is."

Setti said that the national election has made students more likely to make the effort to register. Although students know little about local congressional races, the increased publicity for the presidential election has heightened student interest.

The drive also aided voter awareness in Saint Joseph County and the issues of the Michiana area, O'Neill said.

"It helps Saint Joe County out on their accord, since we're registering people," she said. "They don't have to come here and register people."



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International sale

Bridget Nelson and Kristin Pooley (right to left), freshman from Lewis Hall, look to make a possible purchase of the clothes and jewelry from around the world for sale from the International Art Company.

INSIDE COLUMN

Diversity and learning breed tolerance

Each year, during Hispanic Heritage Month, Hispanics across the United States have the opportunity to celebrate, take pride in and spread the word about the accomplishments which Hispanics have made in contributing to the history of the United States.



Pancho Lozano
Day Editor

African-Americans have had the same opportunity to do so during Black History Month, along with all the other numerous ethnic celebrations whose populations make up a large part of America.

Although the numbers participating have been encouraging, unfortunately not many of these ethnic groups have had the exposure they hoped to gain through these celebrations of cultural awareness. Many reasons can be attributed to this such as the lack of media coverage, funding or ignorance. It is saddening that two days after an event has passed, the media tosses it back into its cupboard until the next time it thinks it can squeeze a couple dollars out of the American public. Many people across the country look at the Los Angeles riots of this past April and say, 'See, we haven't made any progress. If anything, we've gone backwards.' This may be true in some aspects, such as the lack of the United States government to see what are the real problems in this country. But with the democratic opportunities available to us, we can't blame everything on the government. It is the responsibility of the people of this country to teach each other how deal with one another.

I believe something positive did come out of the L.A. riots, in that being that many people's eyes were open to what needs to be done to get our country pointed in the right direction, not economically and diplomatically, but in terms of moral equality and openness. Not in the last 25 years has cultural diversity been such an important topic in this country. It is evident on campuses, in film, music, art, and business.

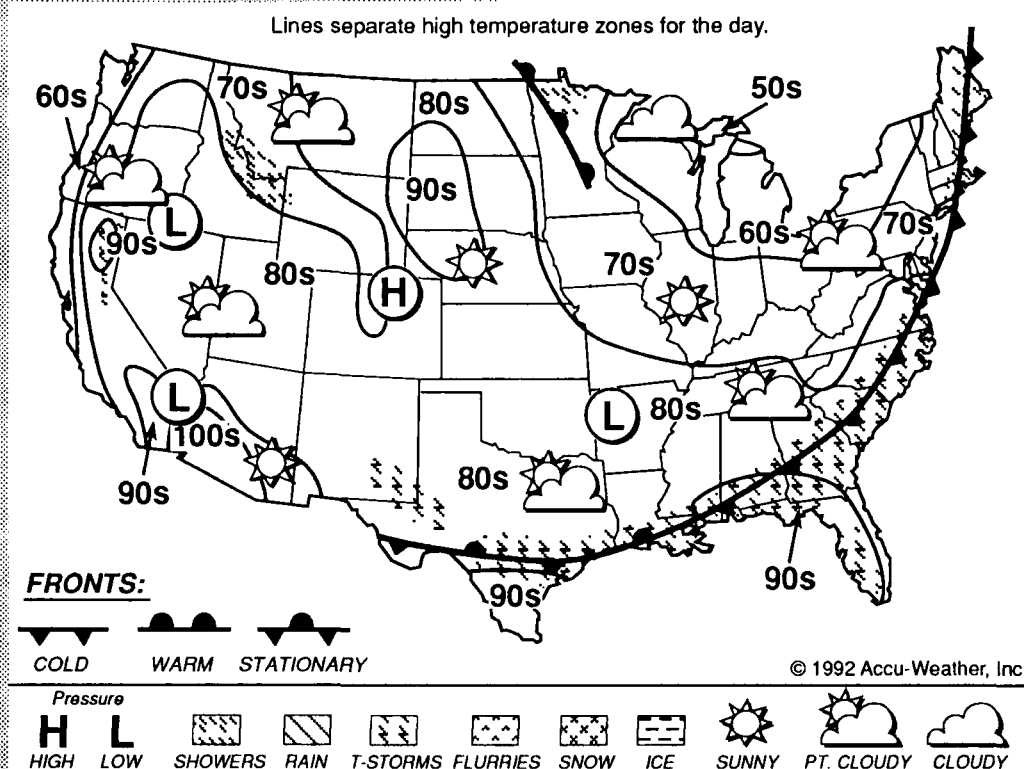
I have to praise Monk Malloy's administration for finally breaking the trend of cultural stagnation by forming the Task Force on Cultural Diversity. It also greatly encourages me to see signs such as "German foods celebration" or "Irish Folkdancing Tonight" and a good number of people attending these events. U2's touring with bands such as Public Enemy and Disposable Heroes of Hypocrisy is great example of musical diversity. I have been raised in a predominantly white neighborhood, with the majority of my friends being white, and my girlfriend coming from an Irish-German descent. I have great respect for them because I don't think it matters to them that I'm Hispanic.

They take me for what kind of person I am, and don't judge on the basis of my ethnic origin or complexion. I too have learned to listen to and understand other ideas and respect them for what they are. It is extremely essential that we be open to all, not just for our sake, but for our country's future.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.

WEATHER REPORT

Forecast for noon, Tuesday, September 22



FORECAST

Mostly cloudy today with a 30 per cent chance of showers. Much cooler. High in the lower 60s.

TEMPERATURES

City	H	L
Anchorage	59	48
Atlanta	80	62
Bogota	68	42
Boston	64	53
Cairo	90	72
Chicago	80	63
Cleveland	74	54
Dallas	89	72
Detroit	70	56
Indianapolis	77	57
Jerusalem	77	63
London	63	48
Los Angeles	81	64
Madrid	90	61
Minneapolis	77	65
Moscow	57	48
Nashville	85	66
New York	75	56
Paris	68	55
Philadelphia	76	56
Rome	90	63
Seattle	63	48
South Bend	86	68
Tokyo	81	68
Washington, D.C.	75	56

TODAY AT A GLANCE

Experts say heroin use is up

■**BOSTON** — Heroin use, stagnant for years as users turned to cocaine, is on the rise again as the drug enters the country in greater quantities and hits the streets at lower prices and at more lethal levels than ever, experts say. Heroin selling sites are crowding out crack dealing spots in New York. The influx of cheaper, purer heroin could ensnare a new generation of addicts, experts warn. With a burgeoning supply, dealers aren't mixing the drug with other substances as much. So the purity of heroin sold on the street has risen from about 10 percent to more than 40 percent in many cities in the past few years, making it more addictive — and dangerous.

Woman accused of killing her children

■**COUNCIL BLUFFS, Iowa** — A woman distraught over her pending divorce was found driving along an interstate with her children shot in the head in the back seat, authorities said. A state trooper found the dead youngsters, ages 8 and 5, early Saturday when he pulled over Kimberly Martin's car after receiving a complaint that a motorist had driven away from a truck stop without paying for gasoline. Martin had been the subject of a search in Indiana, where she was living with her parents and the children. In court Monday, she was disoriented, asking a judge "Who is Dusty and Brandy?" at the mention of her children's names. "Kim was just driven mentally insane by her husband," said her mother, Janice Nagane of Elkhart, Ind. Martin cried during Monday's brief hearing. The judge told her Dusty and Brandy were her dead children and someone would talk to her about it in jail.

Schools sue state over financing plan

■**JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.** — School districts in Missouri charged Monday that the state system for financing public education is unfair and unconstitutional. Assistant Attorney General Robert Presson responded that recognizing, much less fixing, problems with school funding would require value judgments that should be made by the Legislature and not the courts. Two lawsuits filed in Cole County Circuit Court by more than 100 school districts went to court Monday. One lawsuit by 89 districts wants to throw out the formula through which Missouri sends more than \$1 billion a year to its 539 public school districts. A smaller number of districts only want part of the formula — known as the prior-year constraint — to be declared unconstitutional.

Teenagers plead guilty in slaying

■**MADISON, Ind.** — Two teen-age girls charged in the torture slaying of a 12-year-old girl agreed Monday to plead guilty to murder in return for the prosecutor's promise not to seek the death penalty, according to court papers. Mary Laurine "Laurie" Tackett and Melinda Loveless, both 17, signed plea agreements that were filed in Jefferson Circuit Court. The two are among four girls arrested in the January slaying of Shanda Rene Sharer of Jeffersonville. She had been molested, beaten and burned alive. Investigators believe jealousy was the motive. Under the agreement reached Monday, Tackett and Loveless would plead guilty to charges of murder, arson and criminal confinement resulting in serious bodily injury.

OF INTEREST

■**New Women, New Church**, a new seminar to take place during fall break in Chicago, will hold a brief informational meeting tonight at 5 p.m. at the Center for Social Concerns. Applications will be due Thursday, Sept. 24.

■**First Aid Services Team (F.A.S.T.)** meeting Thursday, Sept. 24, 7 p.m. in 116 O'Shaughnessy Hall. Interhall coverage, event sign-ups, and other important info discussed. Uniforms will be available and ID pictures taken. Call Suzanne 288-5196 with any questions.

MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY'S TRADING September 21

VOLUME IN SHARES 153,907,100	NYSE INDEX -0.50 to 231.89
UP 729	S&P COMPOSITE -0.79 to 422.14
UNCHANGED 587	DOW JONES INDUSTRIALS -6.22 to 3,320.83
DOWN 1,022	GOLD -\$3.70 to \$347.80 oz
	SILVER -\$0.04 to \$3.807 oz

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

- **In 1776:** Nathan Hale was hanged as a spy by the British during the Revolutionary War.
- **In 1792:** The French Republic was proclaimed.
- **In 1862:** President Abraham Lincoln issued the preliminary Emancipation Proclamation, declaring all slaves in rebel states should be free as of January first, 1863.
- **In 1949:** The Soviet Union exploded its first atomic bomb.
- **In 1975:** Sara Jane Moore attempted to shoot President Gerald Ford outside a San Francisco hotel, but missed when a civilian bystander grabbed her arm, deflecting the shot.
- **In 1980:** The Persian Gulf conflict between Iran and Iraq erupted into full-scale war.

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European treaty to be revised

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Rattled by Denmark's rejection of the European Unity treaty and France's ultra-slim approval, European foreign ministers pledged Monday to soothe their citizens' fears of a "Big Brother in Brussels."

But the European Community (EC) nations will push ahead for ratification of the Maastricht treaty "without reopening the present text" for renegotiations, the ministers said in a communique.

The treaty would establish a framework for unified Euro-

pean economic, political and defense policies, and a common bank and currency by 1999.

British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd told reporters that EC leaders will hold a summit Oct. 16 in London to discuss the turbulence that hit Europe's financial markets last week, and the "preoccupations" of Europeans that affected the Danish and French votes.

Hurd said the "preoccupations" cited obliquely in the communique refer to "the worry, the anxiety.. that has developed to some ex-

tent that the European Community is out of touch with the citizens that it is meant to serve."

Dutch Foreign Minister Hans van den Broeck calls it "this fear of Big Brother in Brussels," the Community's headquarters city in Belgium.

The communique also stressed that the governments will remain committed to the European Monetary System.

All 12 EC nations must adopt the Maastricht treaty by the end of this year for it to go into effect.

Chairwoman discusses new problems facing EC

By KENYA JOHNSON
News Writer

The economic system, nationalism and emigration are the main problems facing the European Community (EC) today, said Dr. Herta Daeubler-Gmelin, Deputy Chairwoman of the German Social Democratic Party and of the SPD Parliamentary Group.

She spoke yesterday at the Hesburgh Center for International Studies on "Germany's Role After Unification."

"As an active politician, I must say that even after unification, the European Community has some significant problems to overcome," said Daeubler-Gmelin. "When the Iron Curtain fell we all saw families reuniting joyfully after nearly three decades of separation. It was perhaps the happiest day in the world."

But the problems didn't just go away, said Daeubler-Gmelin. "The problems that were in the background are coming to the foreground. And they're growing," she added.

Daeubler-Gmelin said one of the main problems is the economic system.

"The reform states are changing over to a privately-owned, competitive market and

this is a real problem. It causes a great sacrifice on the people. Men and women are becoming poorer everyday," she said. "Companies are not able to help themselves without the help of Western democracies."

Daeubler-Gmelin cited nationalism as another problem which affects development.

"Czechoslovakia is separating, hopefully peacefully. In Yugoslavia there is ethnic treason and a civil war. You can see all the terrible affects it has on the civilian population," explained Daeubler-Gmelin.

A final problem of the reform states in the EC is emigration, said Daeubler-Gmelin.

"Quite a lot of the skilled people want to go away because they want more security, more of the quality life they believe they deserve," she said.

She also said the leaders of the EC had to come together to reorganize the reform states.

"There definitely had to be some strengthening of the economy in the EC. There were changing conditions and additional clauses such as a central bank and common currency," she said.

A second essential in creating this "new modern Europe" was forming a political union, said Daeubler-Gmelin.



SYSTEMS RECRUITING

Representatives of the Systems Division of Eli Lilly and Company will be on campus on the following dates:

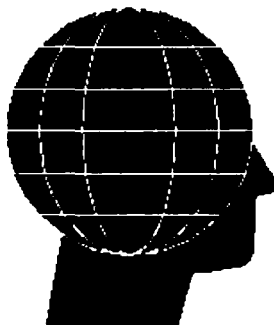
Tuesday, September 22nd
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7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
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Students undecided in survey

By PAUL PEARSON
Associate News Editor

An Observer poll of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students indicates that the 1992 presidential campaign is currently a three-way race between George Bush, Bill Clinton and "Undecided."

The poll, conducted Sept. 16-21, shows that 38 percent of students questioned plan to vote for the governor of Arkansas, 37 percent will vote for President Bush, and 25 percent are undecided or will vote for other candidates. One student questioned intends to vote for Texas billionaire Ross Perot.

The poll also says that, while 63 percent of the students believe Clinton's pro-choice stance on abortion will affect their decision, only 24 percent said that Clinton's efforts to avoid the draft will affect the decision.

The survey is the result of a random telephone poll of 300 Notre Dame students and 100 Saint Mary's students. The margin of error for the poll is 5 percent.

According to the poll, Clinton would clearly win a debate on environmental issues—65 percent said he would be stronger on the environment than Bush. Twenty percent picked Bush, while 15 percent were undecided.

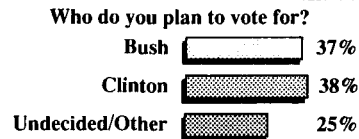
However, the same poll shows that Bush will win the "family values" issue. Fifty-six percent of the students said Bush has a stronger character than Clinton. Thirty percent chose Clinton, with 14 percent undecided.



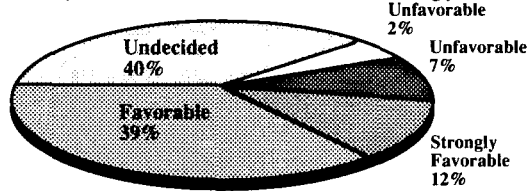
Observer Election Poll



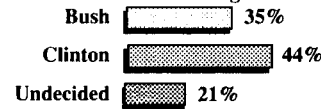
The following are the results of a random telephone poll of 300 ND students (133 male, 167 female) and 100 Saint Mary's students conducted Sept. 16-21. One hundred nineteen of the students polled are Democrats, 161 are Republicans and 120 are independent. The margin of error is 5 percent.



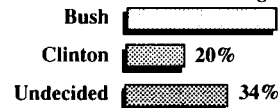
How do you feel about Clinton's proposed college loan/national service plan?



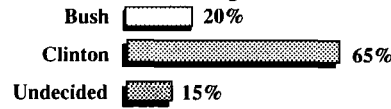
Which candidate is stronger on the economy?



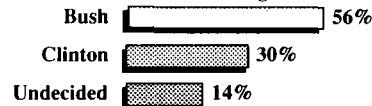
Which candidate will be tougher on crime?



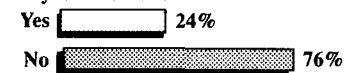
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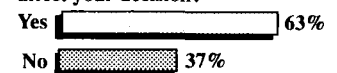
Which character has a stronger character?



Is Clinton's draft status important to your decision?



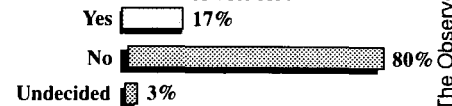
Does Clinton's pro-choice stance affect your decision?



Did you go to Clinton's speech last Friday?



Did Clinton's speech affect your decision about who to vote for?



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I pray for a world where we live in partnership rather than domination; where power is no longer equated with the blade, but with the holy chalice: the ancient symbol of the power to give, nurture, enhance life. And I not only pray, but actively work, for the day when it will be so.

— Riane Eisler



We look forward to the future in faith and hope, working for the day when we and all our sisters no longer have to fit a stereotype, but are free to use all our gifts and to share in all the benefits of human life and work. We look forward to the age of peace, when violence is banished, both women and men are able to love and to be loved and the work and wealth of our world is justly shared.

Conclusion: POWs left in Laos

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two of Richard Nixon's Pentagon chiefs told a congressional panel Monday that the government believed American airmen were left alive in Laos and not returned at the end of the Vietnam War.

Separate testimony by Melvin R. Laird and James R. Schlesinger, both of whom served as President Nixon's secretary of defense two decades ago, supported conclusions by leaders of the Senate investigating committee that not all Americans came home at the war's end.

"I think it's quite extraordinary when two former secre-

taries of defense both give evidence documenting that they had information, or they believed personally, that people were alive and not accounted for in Operation Homecoming," Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass., chairman of the Select Committee on POW-MIA Affairs, said.

"They have acknowledged publicly that there was evidence people did not come back who should have, that they were held prisoner to the best of our knowledge," Kerry said.

The panel also released internal White House and Pentagon documents supporting the suggestion that some in the

government believed Americans had been left behind.

Laird and Schlesinger appeared as the panel began the first ever under-oath, public questioning of the highest-ranking officials of the Nixon administration about their efforts to win release of American POWs as they negotiated an end to the long, bitter war in Southeast Asia.

Henry A. Kissinger, Nixon's national security adviser and secretary of state who conducted the negotiations with the North Vietnamese, was scheduled to undergo questioning Tuesday.

Chicago sets new policy for priest child abusers

CHICAGO (AP) — With allegations of clergy sexual abuse rising, the nation's second-largest archdiocese on Monday announced a toll-free hotline and an independent board to investigate priests accused of molesting children.

The policy established by the Archdiocese of Chicago may be the most comprehensive policy ever developed by any of the 188 U.S. Catholic dioceses, Cardinal Joseph Bernardin said at a news conference.

The policy goes beyond legal requirements and exceeds recommendations made in June by a panel that analyzed 59 cases of abuse reported in the archdiocese since 1963, Bernardin said.

"I share the anguish of all those affected by this tragedy: the victims, their families, their communities and priests," said Bernardin, the leader of 2.3 million Roman Catholics in northeastern Illinois. "While I cannot change the past, I can do something about the future."

Under the policy, a toll-free

hotline will be established to handle complaints, and all allegations will be reported to the state agency that handles child-abuse cases, Bernardin said.

That agency, the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS), notifies prosecutors when appropriate, he said.

A nine-member board made up of six lay people, including a former abuse victim who is now an attorney, and three priests will review all complaints and determine accused priests' fitness to serve, Bernardin said.

The board — which also includes a child psychologist, a psychiatric expert in sexual dysfunction, and parents — was chosen by the archdiocese but will report only to Bernardin.

"I accept the clinical data which suggest that once it has been demonstrated that a priest is an abuser, he should never again return to parish ministry or any ministry which might place a child at risk," the cardinal said.

De-icing plan will delay planes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The federal government's plan for keeping airliner wings free of ice and snow has a price—more delays for wintertime passengers—but it may save lives.

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) says 16 accidents over the last decade related to the failure to de-ice the aircraft properly before takeoff, killing more than 100 people.

The agency is expected to announce its new de-icing plan in the next few weeks. Airlines then would have to submit their own de-icing proposals for approval and to implement them by Nov. 1, in time for winter flying.

Airline industry sources said the FAA plan is expected to lead to more intensive training for flight officers and de-icing ground crews, changes in the type of de-icing fluid used, and construction of secondary de-icing facilities at the end of run-

ways at some airports.

"We are going to be doing some things differently and you may see some additional delays," said David Hasse, air safety chairman of the Airline Pilots Association. "Passengers should understand that this is a necessary part of the safety process."

Teams are being established at 30 major airports to determine the best way to clear ice from planes, he said.

The FAA was roused into action by the crash of a USAir flight on an icy runway at New York's LaGuardia Airport last March that killed 27 people. The agency is examining whether a buildup of ice on the wings of the Dutch-made Fokker 28 aircraft caused them to lose their aerodynamic lift.

The FAA says that in two of the 16 accidents determined to be related to ice buildup — the crashes of an Air Florida Boeing 737 in Washington in 1982 and of a Continental Airlines DC-9 at Denver in 1987 — investigators found that ice formation after de-icing was a major contributing factor.

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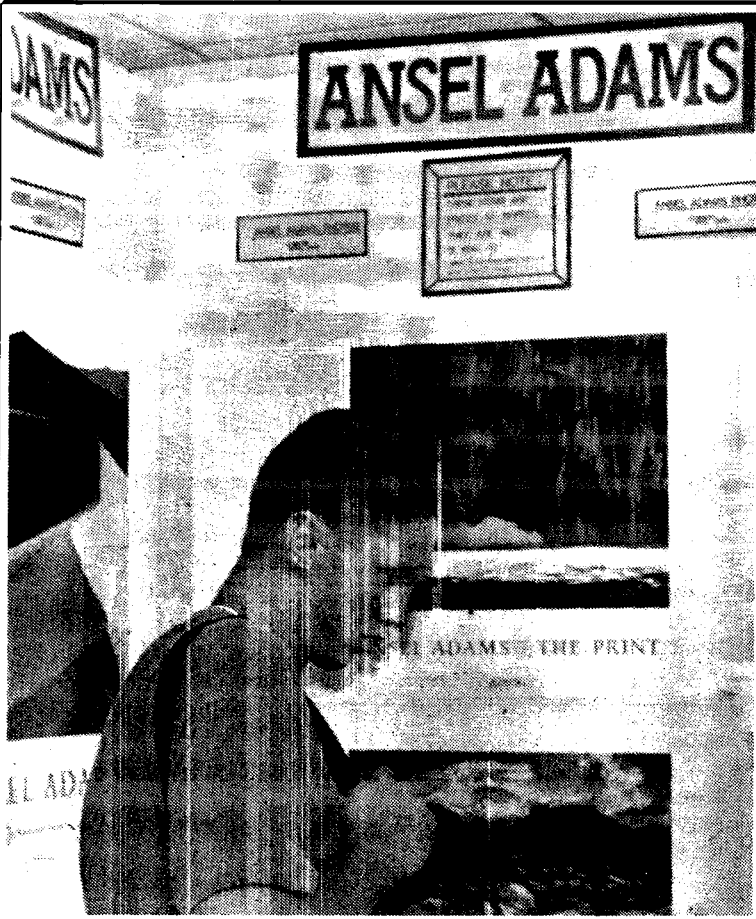
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Artists' prints

Phillip Eddy, an off-campus junior, examines a selection of Ansel Adams prints at the poster sale LaFortune.

Americans lose first balloon race

ROTTERDAM, Netherlands (AP) — Long after two other balloons had safely finished the first trans-Atlantic race and two others were ditched in the sea, an American team stayed aloft but off-course Monday, apparently headed for Morocco.

Troy Bradley and Richard Abruzzo would be the first balloonists to make a North America to Africa crossing.

The field of five nine-story balloons left Bangor, Maine, on Wednesday.

A Belgian team won, dropping into a Spanish village Monday morning. A British team landed later in the day on a sandy beach in Portugal. The Dutch and German teams were unable to finish the race.

The Americans were aiming to break the 137-hour endurance record set by Abruzzo's late father, Ben, who in 1978 piloted the first balloon across the Atlantic.

Their balloon was floating about 100 miles from Morocco and was expected to reach the coastline around midnight, said U.S. reserve pilot David Melton at the race control center in Rotterdam airport.

Although the power generator had failed, Melton said the balloon was within radio range of Morocco and could communicate via the region's air traffic control relay.

He said the Americans will try to touch down in Algeria after dawn on Tuesday. To break the record, they must stay in the air until 5 a.m. (11 p.m. EDT).

"It means one heck of a lot to Richard to make sure the record gets passed on from father to son," Melton said.

The Belgian team of Wim Verstraeten and Bertrand Piccard had hoped to set a new endurance record by continuing on to Italy, but decided to make a quick landing because of poor weather forecasts. Their flying time was 114 hours and 27 minutes.

Bush: Change Third World aid

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — President Bush offered U.S. support Monday to strengthen international peacekeeping and urged overhauling foreign aid programs to get away from Third World handouts.

"We propose to alter fundamentally the focus of U.S. assistance programs to building strong, independent economies that can become contributors to a healthy, growing global economy," Bush said in a speech to the U.N. General Assembly.

He did not offer to commit U.S. troops to the widening peacekeeping operations of the United Nations in the post-Cold War era. Nor did the president directly commit fresh U.S. funds.

But he enthusiastically endorsed the call by U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali for a new agenda "to strengthen the United Nations' ability to prevent, contain and resolve conflict across the globe."

Some 40,000 troops are serving in U.N. peacekeeping operations.

"From Cyprus and Lebanon to Cambodia and Croatia," Bush said, "the blue beret has become a symbol of hope amid all that hostility."

Bush also backed an indefinite extension of an international agreement designed to block the spread of nuclear weapons.

At home, he proposed transferring funds from U.S. foreign aid programs to create a \$1 billion fund to support American businessmen in providing expertise, goods and services in countries converting to free-market economies.

Some 40,000 U.S. jobs would be created under the program, the White House estimated.

Bush's call for revamping foreign aid could lead to a bi-

partisan effort if he wins reelection. A prominent Senate Democrat, Patrick Leahy of Vermont, has proposed reconsidering the \$14 billion U.S. program next year and several senior House Democrats have called for major changes in the past.

Since World War II, Bush said, foreign aid has served as a Cold War weapon — and he said it still serves security interests.

"But foreign aid, as we've known it, needs to be transformed," he said. "The notion of the handout to less-developed countries needs to give way to cooperation in mutually productive economic relationships."

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ELECTION '92

Group rallies homosexual vote

WASHINGTON (AP) — A non-partisan coalition of leading gay and lesbian groups announced efforts Tuesday to get homosexual voters to the polls in November.

The effort "is our response to the attempts by the fundamentalist fascists and immoral minority to make us the Willie Horton of this election," said Tim McCarthy, coordinator of the "Come Out Voting Coalition."

The organization will air a television ad, distribute posters

and promote voter registration among homosexuals. McCarthy said the coalition is composed of many leading gay and lesbian groups in the United States including Queer Nation, ACT-UP and the Human Rights Campaign Fund.

McCarthy said the campaign does not support any particular candidate. "We think people have a sense of who they should vote for."

Tim McFeeley, executive director of the Human Rights Campaign Fund and the Triangle Institute, which is spon-

soring the ad, said homosexuals could have a decisive influence on the election.

The 30-second ad, titled "Come Out Voting" will be aired as a public service announcement and as a paid television commercial across the country. It will begin airing Sept. 22 in Columbus, Ohio. McCarthy said the ad is set to run on 72 gay-oriented cable outlets and he expects the ad to be picked up by a minimum of 50 other stations as a public service announcement.

McFeeley said he hopes to run the ad in other major media markets, including New York, Boston, Atlanta and Washington, D.C. He said he plans to target Midwestern and Southern states but has no specific buys in mind.

The ad, the posters and air time in Columbus were paid for by a private \$35,000 contribution. McFeeley said fund-raising efforts were under way to buy more airtime in key markets.

Quayle attempts to make peace with single mothers

BOWLING GREEN, Ky. (AP) — Vice President Dan Quayle sought to assure Murphy Brown's baby and voters at large Monday that he has nothing against single moms. But he called anew for Hollywood to "start reflecting basic values."

Quayle arranged to join a group of single mothers in Washington on Monday night to watch the season premier of "Murphy Brown," the show he chastised last May for "mocking the importance of fathers."

"I have the greatest respect for single mothers. They're working hard, often against great odds," Quayle said in a stop at a supermarket here.

Quayle's peacemaking gesture to Murphy Brown's baby — a stuffed elephant and a handwritten note — got less attention than he hoped.

The gift was not opened nor his note read on CBS-TV's "This Morning" show, which featured interviews with star Candice Bergen and other cast members on the set of Murphy Brown.

"Dear Baby Brown, I want to be one of the first to welcome you into the world," wrote

Quayle. "You may not realize it yet, but you've helped start an important discussion on ways to strengthen our traditional values."

Quayle assured the nonexistent newborn of "the respect and personal understanding I have for single mothers."

Quayle made plans to watch the show at the Washington apartment of Zora Brown, a family friend and advocate for breast cancer patients who seconded Quayle's nomination at last month's Republican convention in Houston.

In speeches here and earlier at a homebuilders' convention in Lexington, Ky., Quayle depicted Democratic presidential nominee Bill Clinton as a tool of the Hollywood establishment.

Quayle quoted Clinton, at a \$1 million fund-raiser in Hollywood last Wednesday, as saying, "I want Hollywood to write the future of America." It prompted boos from a crowd of 500 at the Bowling Green airport.

Later, Quayle aides said Clinton's actual remark was, "I want you to write a new future for the United States of America. I want you to be part of the administration, not just part of the campaign."

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Information Resource Center's 'Gopher' system gives students access to the world

By JOE MONAHAN
Accent Writer

Imagine sitting at a computer and being able access a library in Munich to see if it has your favorite book, or calling up weather information for the Yukon, or reading Bush's last speech-verbatim-to see what his positions really are.

These services and more are just a small fraction of the information available on Gopher, a network which spans the globe and makes information retrieval as simple as clicking a mouse.

Gopher is a distributed document delivery system which allows a user to access a multitude of information quickly and easily. In other words, it allows you to sit at a computer and retrieve almost anything quite easily.

Gopher, developed about a year and a half ago at the University of Minnesota (hence the name) was brought to Notre Dame this summer by Joel Cooper, Assistant Director of Networking Services at the Office of University Computing. Gopher was adapted and specialized for Notre Dame over the summer, and is currently installed on the University's computer network. Cooper is ready to unveil the system to the Notre Dame community and hopes that both students and faculty will use it.

The purpose of gopher is to provide a "roadmap" for

navigating through the increasing number various networks and services that are available, Cooper said.

"The number of networks and services available is increasing at an astonishing rate, and the more there are the harder it becomes to find your way to what you want," Cooper said. "But Gopher does that for you, so you don't have to worry."

Gopher is extremely easy to use, he said. Depending on the computer system, the presentation and speed of gopher may differ, but the format is basically the same. It is based on a hierarchical system of menus which are very easy to understand, and once in Gopher, the user don't need to worry about the various passwords and log-in/off procedures for various systems—Gopher takes care of it all.

Gopher is currently installed or can be accessed from all the university's computers which are connected to the network. Even if a computer is not connected directly to the network, if it has a modem a user can still dial in and be connected with Gopher.

It allows several different types of computer systems to access the same kind of information. This removes system-to-system barriers which made this kind of information exchange difficult in the past.

"If I had a Mac and put up information onto a network,

typically only other Macs could receive it," said Cooper.

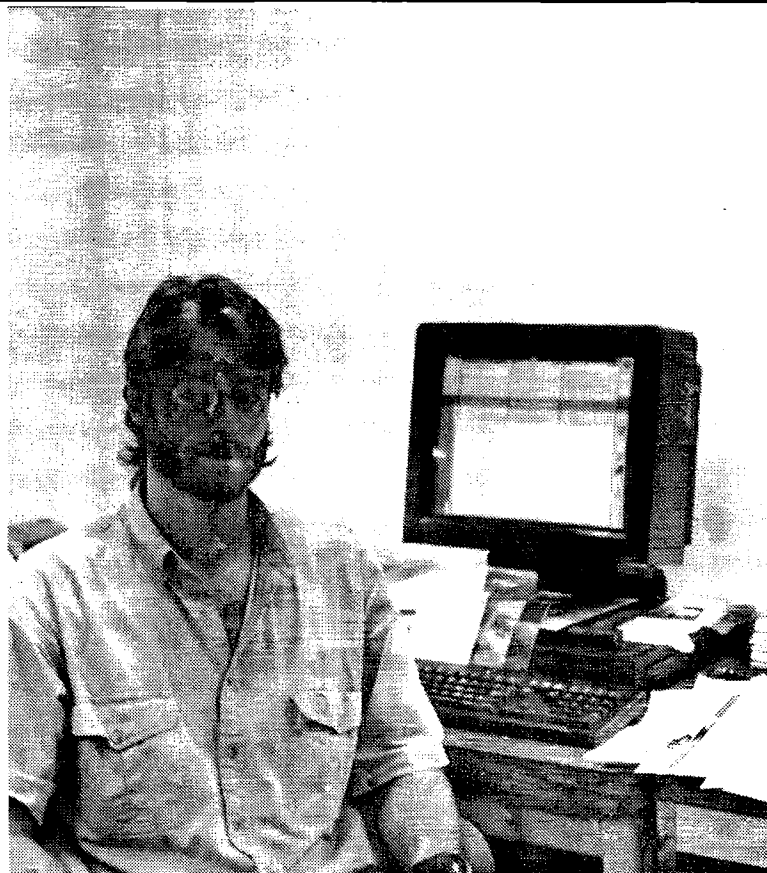
Since its inception a year and a half ago, Gopher has been picked up by over 100 servers, primarily universities, and more are logging on. Gopher's growth has been incredible, and should continue to be so, Cooper said.

Although only a text-based system now, graphics-capable versions are currently being developed which would enable a user to view anything from famous works of art to photographs of famous people. The main limitation of the graphics is not the software but rather the computer system. While NeXT and Macintosh systems would have no problem handling it, other systems might, Cooper said.

But what can you do with it?

"The possibilities are endless. The system is only limited by what people do or don't put on it," said Cooper. "Information can be divided into two general 'domains' on Gopher: Notre Dame Information and everything else," he said. "Notre Dame Information resides here and is posted by individuals or groups across campus. Other information is made available from locations somewhere 'off campus'—anywhere from down the Toll Road to the other side of the world."

The Notre Dame Information section contains information on a variety of subjects including computing information, library



Joel Cooper of the Information Resource Center demonstrates the University's latest computer system, Gopher.

information, events, schedules, press releases, DuLac, the Faculty Handbook, and an increasing number of things specific to the Notre Dame community.

The information that is available "off campus" includes getting world-wide access to other libraries, electronic phone books from other campuses, electronic magazines and texts (including the complete works of William Shakespeare, the King James Bible, and historic documents such as the Bill of Rights, the Gettysburg Address, and Martin Luther King's "I Have a Dream" speech, other Gopher servers (mostly universities like Notre Dame),

news services such as UPI newswire and USENET access, weather information from the 50 states and Canada, and earthquake reports.

"Two things I like about Gopher are that it's growing fast, which means more and more services will soon be available, and it's not wasting any trees, because updating information is no problem," Cooper said. "Gopher is a renewable resource. And it's all public information, Gopher just organizes it differently."

For more information on how you can use Gopher, contact the Information Resource Center on the first floor of the computer-math building.

Vega's "99.9 F" reveals poetic influence

BY ROLANDO DE AGUIAR
Music Critic

Mention Suzanne Vega in a crowded room and you're likely to hear "Luka" from all sides. An occasional "Tom's Diner" might slip in, after a remix by DNA of the Vega song brought it into the popular consciousness.

But though Vega has been producing solid pop music since her 1985 debut album, few people recognize her stature and the magnitude of her influence on young female singers, from Lois Maffeo to Tori Amos. Her albums, including the commercially successful *Solitude Standing* and 1990's *Days of Open Hand*, have consistently been innovative and provocative.

Vega's new album, *99.9 F°*, explores some new lyrical and musical territory, while allowing the singer-songwriter to remain true to her poetic roots, which spread over a sizable chunk of thematical soil.

Vega spends a considerable amount of tape musing on the album's title. *"Ninety-nine point nine Fahrenheit degrees stable now, with rising possibilities/ It could be normal, but it isn't quite/ Could make you want to stay awake at night."* Doubt, hesitation

Suzanne Vega

99.9 F

(out of five)

and questioning are predominant in Vega's lyrical view of the world.

And as her outlook is unsure, so is the listener's reaction to it. When one first heard "Luka," the reaction was either a chuckle or reflection—usually both.

The listener's initial feelings towards *99.9 F°* will be similarly peculiar. The album's first single, "Blood Makes Noise," is a frightening little pop dollop. With clanging percussion and a strong bass line rocking the song forward, Vega sings of her inability to communicate. The electronic package wrapped around the song, including its thoroughly post-modern video, is something different for Vega, but is an artistic success nonetheless.

But though that first taste of *99.9 F°* is unusual, Vega's voice ties the album closely to her earlier work. As she has done so successfully in the past, Vega takes the persona of a child in "As a Child."



Suzanne Vega, shown here, explores new lyrical and musical territory in her most recent album, *99.9 F*

The song, an examination of learning the intricacies of adult life, is told in a child's language, communicating a message of growth and responsibility.

"Pick up a stick, dig up a crack, dirt in the street, becomes a town/ All of the people depend on you not to hurt them or bang the stick down," sings Vega, relating the kind of common experience which she has successfully

sung of in the past.

But though the lyrics to the song are almost comforting, an annoying organ riff brings back memories of *Inspiral Carpets*.

Pop musical inadequacies this one pepper *99.9 F°*, making it a pock-marked pop success. While Vega's lyrics are meaningful throughout, her musical backing is not so sturdy.

The electronic sound of "Blood Makes Noise" is indeed enjoyable, but additional

changes of Vega's style fail. Particularly, keyboards on "(If You Were) In My Movie," "As a Child," and "Bad Wisdom" dull these lyrical gems.

But Vega's talent as a songwriter shines through on *99.9 F°*. Vega, who has long been an influential force on female lyricists, will continue to occupy that throne. But in the future, she must keep the keyboards from usurping her power.



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Cleveland	70	79	.470	17	California	67	82
New York	70	79	.470	17	Kansas City	66	83
Boston	67	83	.447	20 1/2	Seattle	57	93

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division				West Division			
W	L	Pct.	GB	W	L	Pct.	GB
Pittsburgh	89	61	.593	—	Atlanta	89	59
Montreal	82	68	.547	7	Cincinnati	82	67
St. Louis	75	74	.503	13 1/2	San Diego	77	71
Chicago	75	75	.500	14	Houston	72	77
New York	67	82	.450	21 1/2	San Francisco	66	83
Philadelphia	60	88	.405	28	Los Angeles	60	89

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

National League
SAN DIEGO PADRES—Announced they are moving their California League affiliate from High Desert to Rancho Cucamonga. Reached a working agreement with Rancho Cucamonga for two years.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association
CHARLOTTE HORNETS—Signed J.R. Reid, forward, to a multiyear contract extension. United States Basketball League
USBL—Named Steve Kirk marketing coordinator.

FOOTBALL

National Football League
GREEN BAY PACKERS—Waived Maury Toy, running back, from the practice squad. Signed Brett Collins, linebacker, to the practice squad. SAN DIEGO CHARGERS—Relinquished the rights to Joe Phillips, nose tackle.

Canadian Football League
TORONTO ARGONAUTS—Fired Adam Rita, coach. Named Dennis Meyer interim coach.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League
NEW JERSEY DEVILS—Assigned Chuck Hughes, goalie, and David Craievich, defenseman, to Cincinnati of the International Hockey League. Returned Ryan Black, Pascal Rheume, Jeff Toms and Stephane Yelle, forwards, to their junior teams. Waived Steve Pottier, goalie; Mike Barrie, Shane Calder and Brett Marietti, forwards; and Brent Pope, Brandon Smith and Joel Yates, defensemen.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Returned Eric Cairns, defenseman, to Detroit of the Ontario Hockey League; Barry Young, defenseman, to Sudbury of the OHL; and Lubos Rob, right wing, to Motor Ceske of the Czechoslovakian League. Released Glen Craig, defenseman. Named John Gentile director of administration and Matt Loughran manager of team operations.
ST. LOUIS BLUES—Assigned Nathan Lafayette, forward, to Cornwall of the Ontario Hockey League and Brandon Coates, forward, to Portland of the Western Hockey League.

Women's Volleyball Top 20

Rank	Team	Record	Last Wk
1.	UCLA	7-0	#1
2.	Stanford	6-0	#2
3.	Long Beach State	4-1	#3
4.	Pacific	8-2	#4
5.	Nebraska	5-2	#5
6.	USC	6-1	#8
7.	Florida	8-1	#7
8.	Texas	8-1	#6
9.	Illinois	8-2	#9
10.	Brigham Young	4-3	#10
11.	New Mexico	6-3	#11
12.	Hawaii	3-3	#12
13.	Louisiana State	4-3	#13
14.	USC Santa Barbara	4-1	#14
15.	Ohio State	7-1	#15
16.	Georgia	9-2	#16
17.	Penn State	7-2	#17
18.	Texas Tech	7-1	#18
19.	Colorado	8-2	#19
20.	NOTRE DAME	9-1	#20

NFL STANDINGS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East				West			
W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L
Buffalo	3	0	0	1.000	112	38	3
Miami	2	0	0	1.000	53	33	2
Indianapolis	1	2	0	.333	24	61	1
New England	0	2	0	.000	6	24	0
N.Y. Jets	0	3	0	.000	41	78	0

Central

Pittsburgh	3	0	0	1.000	79	40	3
Cincinnati	2	1	0	.667	68	48	2
Houston	2	1	0	.667	67	59	2
Cleveland	1	2	0	.333	54	57	1

West

Denver	2	1	0	.667	38	56	2
Kansas City	2	1	0	.667	70	40	2
Seattle	1	2	0	.333	20	53	1
LA Raiders	0	3	0	.000	50	69	0
San Diego	0	3	0	.000	29	68	0

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East				West			
W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L
Dallas	3	0	0	1.000	88	58	3
Philadelphia	3	0	0	1.000	76	27	3
Washington	2	1	0	.667	47	50	2
N.Y. Giants	0	2	0	.000	42	65	0
Phoenix	0	3	0	.000	41	85	0

Central

Minnesota	2	1	0	.667	66	71	2
Tampa Bay	2	1	0	.667	74	36	2
Chicago	1	1	0	.500	33	52	1
Detroit	1	2	0	.333	65	57	1
Green Bay	1	2	0	.333	47	77	1

West

New Orleans	2	1	0	.667	51	28	2
San Francisco	2	1	0	.667	93	62	2
Atlanta	1	2	0	.333	44	51	1
LA Rams	1	2	0	.333	31	66	1

Sunday's Games

Green Bay 24, Cincinnati 23
Philadelphia 30, Denver 0
Houston 23, Kansas City 20, OT
New Orleans 10, Atlanta 7
San Francisco 31, New York Jets 14
Seattle 10, New England 6
Minnesota 26, Tampa Bay 20
Cleveland 28, Los Angeles Raiders 16
Washington 13, Detroit 10
Miami 26, Los Angeles Rams 10
Dallas 31, Phoenix 20
Pittsburgh 23, San Diego 6
Buffalo 38, Indianapolis 0

Monday's Game

New York Giants at Chicago, late.
Sunday, Sept. 27
Atlanta at Chicago, 1 p.m.
Buffalo at New England, 1 p.m.
Denver at Cleveland, 1 p.m.
Minnesota at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
San Diego at Houston, 1 p.m.
Tampa Bay at Detroit, 1 p.m.
Miami at Seattle, 4 p.m.
New York Jets at Los Angeles Rams, 4 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Green Bay, 4 p.m.
San Francisco at New Orleans, 8 p.m.
Monday, Sept. 28
Los Angeles Raiders at Kansas City, 9 p.m.
OPEN DATE: Dallas, Indianapolis, New York Giants, Philadelphia, Phoenix, Washington.

AP TOP 25

The Top Twenty Five teams in the Associated Press 1992 college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records through Sept. 18, total points based on 25 points for a first-place vote through one point for a 25th-place vote, and ranking in the preseason poll:

Rank	Team	Record	Pts	Pvs
1.	Miami (43)	2-0-0	1,528	1
2.	Washington (15)	3-0-0	1,491	2
3.	Florida St. (2)	3-0-0	1,418	3
4.	Michigan	1-0-1	1,283	6
5.	Texas A&M (1)	4-0-0	1,265	5
6.	Notre Dame	2-0-1	1,218	7
7.	Alabama (1)	3-0-0	1,182	9
8.	Tennessee	3-0-0	1,138	14
9.	Penn St.	3-0-0	1,126	10
10.	Colorado	3-0-0	924	11
11.	UCLA	2-0-0	811	15
12.	Ohio St.	3-0-0	795	21
13.	Florida	1-1-0	792	4
14.	Virginia	3-0-0	664	20
15.	Nebraska	2-1-0	602	12
16.	Clemson	1-1-0	578	17
17.	Syracuse	2-1-0	574	8
18.	Georgia	2-1-0	527	19
19.	Stanford	2-1-0	482	18
20.	Oklahoma	2-1-0	331	13
21.	San Diego St.	1-0-1	314	23
22.	Southern Cal	1-0-1	289	-
23.	N. Carolina St.	3-1-0	213	16
24.	Kansas	3-0-0	183	-
25.	Boston College	3-0-0	131	-

1992-93 Notre Dame Basketball

November

11	Charity Intrasquad Game	7:00 EST
23	USA Verich (AAU)	7:30 EST
30	Australian Nationals	7:30 EST

December

4	Loyola	7:00 CST
6	Evansville	2:00 EST
8	Indiana	7:30 EST
11	Providence	8:00 EST
20	Boston College	2:00 EST
	Sugar Bowl Tournament	
28	Texas A&M vs. St. Joseph's	5:30 CST
	Notre Dame vs. New Orleans	8:00 CST
29	Consolation Game	6:30 CST
	Championship Game	8:30 CST

January

2	USC	4:30 EST
4	Xavier	8:05 EST
6	Detroit Mercy	7:35 EST
9	Dayton	2:00 EST
12	Stanford	7:30 PST
16	Michigan	2:00 EST
18	Butler	7:30 EST
23	La Salle	7:30 EST
27	Missouri	7:00 CST
31	UCLA	1:00 PST

February

2	St. Bonaventure	7:30 EST
6	Duke	1:00 EST
9	Dayton	7:30 EST
13	Kentucky	2:00 EST
17	Marquette	7:00 EST
21	DePaul	12:30 CST
23	North Carolina	7:30 EST
25	Duquesne	7:00 EST

March

3	Valparaiso	7:30 EST
7	Louisville	1:30 EST

Home games in boldface type

The Observer/Christopher Mullins

FRESHMAN CLASS COUNCIL ELECTIONS

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Tough road gives the Belles trouble

By EILEEN MCGUIRE
Sports Writer

Many teams would not look forward to participating in a tournament where they have no experience or knowledge of the competition at all.

The Saint Mary's volleyball team had that exact experience last weekend at the Baldwin-Wallace College Tournament in Ohio. The Belles were successful in the fact that they made it to the playoffs and ultimately placed sixth out of 14 teams boosting their record to 7-4.

Trouble started early, however, as the Belles were required to play ten minutes after reaching the tournament site. They were aligned with Baldwin-Wallace in the first match and due to inadequate warm-up time, Saint Mary's lost, 14-9, 15-1.

"Baldwin-Wallace was a very good team," explained coach Julie Schroeder-Biek, "but we were not mentally prepared for the game. We had moments of brilliance where we looked wonderful, but we just couldn't get it together. They (Baldwin-Wallace) were beatable."

Senior Captain Karen Lorton agreed.

They were a good team all around. They were scrappy, and they were able to get everything. However, we did not play up to our potential," stated Lorton.

The team's bench played a significant role throughout the tournament. Freshman Barb VanDersal helped in the second game against Baldwin-Wallace by scoring the only point Saint Mary's was able to gain.

In the Belles' second match (against Wittenberg), Saint Mary's was quickly off to a great start. Although they lost the first game in a breath-taking confrontation, the Belles took the match 12-15, 15-3, 15-11. This allowed the Belles to regain their confidence.

Senior Captain Karen Lorton excelled both offensively and defensively this weekend. She came up with 43 kills and 66 digs in five games.

"Every time Karen got the ball she did something with it," said Schroeder-Biek.

Junior Michelle Martino sparked the tournament with 85 assists in the five-game duration.

In the play-off game against John Hopkins, the Belles were down 12-0. They came back before losing the game by a score of

15-12.

"The whole tournament was a great team effort," stated Schroeder-Biek. "We served over 900 this weekend and averaged 3 aces per game. There was not a team in that tournament that we could not have beaten. We just need to concentrate on our mental game," she concluded.

Tennis

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same. Like the football team, the Irish are once again ranked in the top 10, at number six, and though DiLucia has moved on to the professional ranks, Notre Dame is loaded. They return 10 out of their 11 starters, led by six seniors, and Bayliss has brought in a crew of talented freshmen.

If you're a player or just a

fan, a trip to the Courtney Tennis Center or the Eck Tennis Pavilion for a tennis tournament will surely be an entertaining day of top-flight tennis.

Covering the team last year, I had the pleasure of watching DiLucia battle back from match point against another ranked opponent, in his last home match. In the company of a large, boisterous crowd, incited by the players' McEnroe-like antics, I witnessed a great feat of courage that I will not soon forget.

Giants beat the Bears for their first win

CHICAGO (AP) — The New York Giants finally found a remedy for a leaky defense that gave up the most points in the NFL in the season's first two weeks.

Keep it off the field.

With Phil Simms throwing for 220 yards and two touchdowns and Stephen Baker catching seven passes for 109 yards, the Giants reverted to the ball control formula that won them a Super Bowl just two seasons ago to beat the Chicago Bears 27-14 Monday night for their first win of the season.

After trailing 7-0 and 14-7, the Giants tied the game 14-14 by halftime and then controlled the ball for 12:17 in the third quarter and outgained the Bears 155-3 in the period.

They broke the tie on a 13-yard pass from Simms to Baker that gave them the lead in a game for the first time this season, then added 31- and 32-yard field goals by Matt Bahr, the second set up by Dave Meggett's 39-yard punt return.

Simms, who finished 19 for 30, also had a 15-yard TD pass to Howard Cross in the first period and Rodney Hampton, who gained 21 yards in 92 carries, scored on a 1-yard run as the Giants won in Chicago for the first time since 1962, when the Bears played at Wrigley Field. They had lost six times during that period.

For the Bears, it was the second straight loss after an opening-day win and marked the first time since 1983 that they have lost more than one game in September.

The weird first half featured

three fumbles by the Bears that they recovered themselves, a botched fake punt by Chicago, an interception of a pass by Chicago running back Brad Muster and a short fight that led to the ejection of Giants wide receiver Mark Ingram.

Chicago scored first, driving 74 yards in nine plays capped by an 8-yard TD pass to Neal Anderson by Jim Harbaugh, who was 15 of 28 for 183 yards. But the Giants came right back, going 78 yards in seven plays as Simms hit Cross

from 15 yards out for the score.

Then it was Chicago's turn, a 42-yard connection from Harbaugh to Muster, who caught the ball 5 yards past the line of scrimmage, juggled it, then broke three tackles and took off down the right sideline for the end zone.

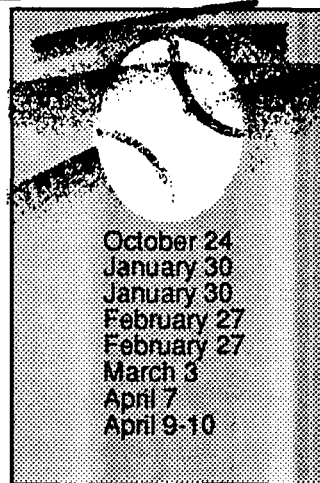
But the Bears blew a chance to take an even bigger lead after Trace Armstrong recovered a fumble by Jarrod Bunch at the New York 26.

Chicago then called a timeout and the first play was an option

pass by Muster that sailed far over the head of every Bear and was picked off by Greg Jackson in the end zone.

Everson Walls' interception, the 55th of his career, set up the tying score for the Giants, which came on a 1-yard dive by Hampton at the end of a 47-yard drive.

Then the Giants took the opening kickoff of the second half and went 80 yards in 11 plays capped by Simms' TD pass to Baker in the corner of the end zone.

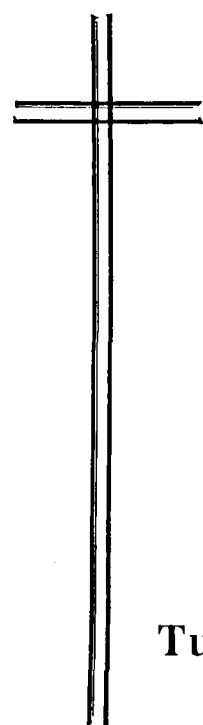


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Braves win; magic number is six

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Pete Smith improved to 6-0 with 7 2-3 strong innings and Atlanta scored two runs on wild pitches by Orel Hershisier to beat Los Angeles 4-2 Monday night, reducing its magic number to six for clinching the NL West.

Smith allowed one run and four hits before Mike Stanton finished for his eighth save, giving up a run in the ninth.

The Braves improved their record to 9-0 in Smith's starts since he was recalled from Triple-A Richmond on July 29 after Mike Bielecki was placed

on the disabled list. Smith, who did not have a winning record in any of his previous five seasons with Atlanta, improved his career mark to 25-40.

David Justice hit a two-run homer in the ninth for the Braves, his 19th.

Despite allowing only four hits and an earned run in seven innings, Hershisier (10-14) lost to the Braves for the third time in a row after winning his previous 12 decisions against them.

Giants 7, Padres 1
SAN DIEGO — Rookie Craig

Colbert hit a two-run homer, his first in the major leagues, to highlight a four-run sixth inning as San Francisco beat San Diego.

Another rookie, Ted Wood, also hit his first major-league homer with a solo shot in the ninth.

With scheduled starter John Burkett sidelined, four San Francisco pitchers combined to pitch a nine-hitter that sent the Padres to their fourth straight loss.

SPORTS BRIEFS

ND/SMC women's lacrosse is still looking for members. Questions? Call Heather at 284-5103 or Cathy at 283-4998.

The campus 2-person golf scramble will take place on September 27. The tournament is open to all students, faculty and staff. Sign up as an individual or in pairs. Entries and entry fees due by September 23.

ND Varsity Hockey is looking for statisticians and videotapers for the upcoming season. Anyone interested please call assistant coach Jim Johnson at 239-5227.

ND Tae Kwon Do Club will be having class in the fencing gym Wednesday at 8 p.m. Questions? Call Tim Kalamaros at 277-6797.

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SIEGFRIED 13, KNOTT 7

Siegfried bested Knott on a pair of touchdowns by Slammer quarterback Marcie McNeil and Suzanne Juster. Juster had two touchdown receptions from McNeil in addition to a converted extra point.

The Angels scored on a 50-yard center-sneak play.

Defensively, Beth Keuter had an interception, but the entire defensive team contributed in the game.

Siegfried plays Lewis at 7 p.m. on Wednesday and Knott plays PW at 8 p.m.

WALSH 16, HOWARD 0

Walsh shut down Howard with a strong defense led by Jen Riley who had two interceptions and two sacks in the game.

Walsh's first touchdown came on a pass from quarterback Michelle Drury to Erin Nicholas. The second touchdown was scored by Terri Castellucci on a running play.

Although Howard defeated Badin 6-0 in a scrimmage last Thursday night, the team wasn't ready for Walsh, but should be ready for their next game on Wednesday night against Off-Campus at 8 p.m. Walsh plays BP at 6 p.m. on Wednesday.

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Hornets close to re-signing Reid

CHARLOTTE, N.C. (AP) — J.R. Reid signed a multiyear contract extension with Charlotte on Monday in a deal that's expected to help the Hornets move closer to signing No. 1 draft pick Alonzo Mourning.

"J.R.'s agreement to renegotiate his contract and, in the process, defer a sum of money until down the road, brings us that much closer to signing Alonzo Mourning, and demonstrates J.R. as being a team player," team president Spencer Stolpen said.

The team did not release details of the contract.

The Gaston (N.C.) Gazette reported in Tuesday's editions that Mourning will sign a six-year, \$21 million contract sometime this week. "It's conceivable that it could be done Wednesday and we're confident that it will be done in short order," team president Spencer Stolpen told the paper.

Should Mourning sign this week, he would be only the second Hornets' first-rounder to be signed by the opening of training camp in the team's five-year existence. Previous first-round picks Larry Johnson, Kendall Gill, and Rex Chapman were holdouts. Reid was signed just prior to camp.

Reid, who was married last Saturday, is coming off an injury-plagued season for which he was sidelined for more than one-third because of a stress fracture in his lower back. Despite the injury, Reid averaged 11 points and 6.2 rebounds per game, slightly off his three-year NBA career figures.

The former North Carolina star is already the team's all-time rebounding leader with 1,510 and is second all-time in minutes played.

He said that having played against Mourning made him aware of what the Georgetown center can add to the Hornets.

"And with the team we're putting together down here, Charlotte is looking more and more like the place to be," Reid said. "I'm glad we were able to work this out."

Reid is the second member of the Hornets to defer payments on his contract to give the team more money with which to bring Mourning into camp before it opens Oct. 9. Muggsy Bogues has signed a contract in which his payments are deferred as part of Charlotte's effort to provide more money

under the NBA salary cap.

Women's golf wins, but men aren't happy

By DAVE STUMM

Sports Writer

The women's golf team continued its steady improvement this weekend with an impressive first-place finish at the Ferris State Invitational.

Coach Tom Hanlon was happy with his team's three-stroke victory, which was paced by Kathy Phares' second-place finish with a 159.

Newcomer Julie Melby was equally impressive as she fired a 163. Melby continues to impress Hanlon. "She is going to be a very good golfer. She has a lot of experience in high school and national tourna-

ments."

Other contributions to the team were from Crissy Klein (166, 6th), Katie Shannon (167, 7th), Sara Ruzzo (171, 10th), and Alicia Murray (173, 11th).

The women continued to struggle with the short game, as many shots were lost with short putts. But the team is confident for next weekend's tournament, and looks to build on their improvement.

But unfortunately the story is not the same for the men's team, which was disappointed with a ninth-place finish at the Cincinnati Invitational this weekend.

Miami of Ohio won the field of sixteen teams, finishing 34 strokes in front of the Irish.

The team was looking to continue its strong performances, but the course was just too much for Coach George Thomas' men.

"Maybe we had a bad start and couldn't recover, but I ex-

pected much more than that," said Thomas.

The team was led by Joe Dennen's 152, followed by Chris Dayton (156), Chris O'Connell (160), Mike Chaney (162), and Cole Hanson (165). The men have a while to work on their game and prepare for the MCC's in two weeks.

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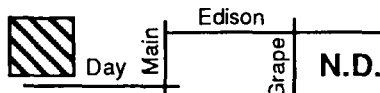
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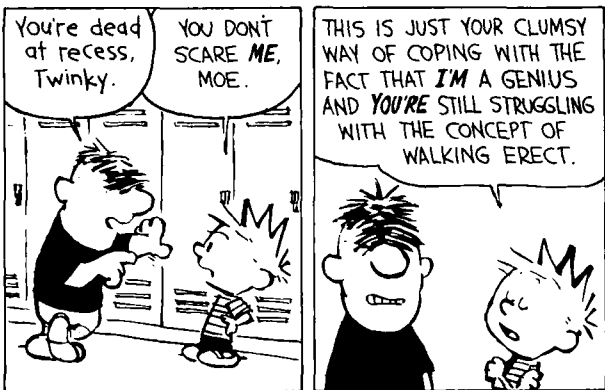
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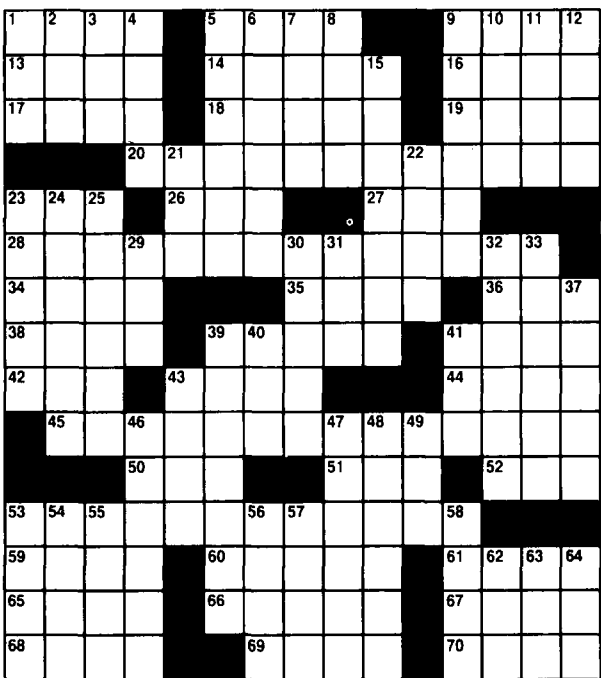


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7 p.m. Film, "And God Created Woman." Annenberg Auditorium.
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LECTURES

Tuesday

3:30 p.m. Graduate Seminar, "Synthesis of Hydrogen Permselective Membranes by Chemical Vapor Deposition of SiO₂ in Porous Substrates," G.R. Gavalas, California Institute of Technology. Room 356, Fitzpatrick Hall. Sponsored by the department of Chemical Engineering.
4:30 p.m. Biological Sciences Seminar, "Perception of Profitability and Choice of Flowers by Honey Bees," Dr. Keith Waddington, University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL. Auditorium, Galvin Life Center. Sponsored by Biological Sciences.

Wednesday

12:15 p.m. Fall Lecture Series Racism: Women's Voices, "Making Contact with the Unfamiliar Other," Patricia Washington, I.U.S.B. Stapleton Lounge, Le Mans Hall, Saint Mary's College. Sponsored by Center for Spirituality, Saint Mary's College.

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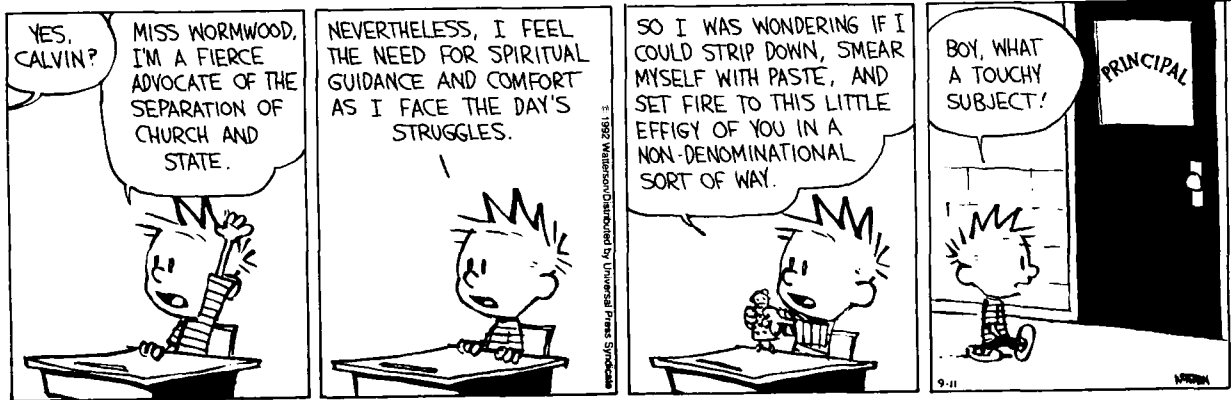
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Game Point

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But until this coach arrived the program was on a down swing, trying to grasp hold of its tradition and return to days of yore when it competed for the national championship.

They are coming off an outstanding season, and should once again compete for the title. Their roster is dotted with potential All-Americans, including one of the nation's best recruiting classes.

But one of their hurdles, along with a non-compromising commitment to academics, is their schedule, which is arguably the nation's best.

Does all this sound familiar?

Sounds a little like Notre Dame football, huh?

Well, what I've just described to you is a portrait of the Notre Dame men's tennis team.

Many people on campus know about the team's recent ascension to glory under last year's NCAA Coach-of-the-Year Bob Bayliss, who arrived in 1988. But not enough.

When Bayliss arrived he took control of a program that had not made an appearance in the NCAA tournament since 1959, when it won the national championship under legendary coach Tom Fallon.

But Bayliss has changed all that.

It all started with the recruitment of top prospect David DiLucia, who was wooed by the beautiful Eck Tennis Pavilion and the challenge of bringing a cold weather program to prominence in a sport dominated by teams like USC and Georgia, teams that can play tennis outdoors all-year round.

This journey culminated with the Irish's 23-4 record last year, led by DiLucia, who with hard work and perseverance became the number-one ranked tennis player in the nation towards the end of last season.

The Irish entered the tournament unsatisfied just to be there, they wanted to prove they have arrived. And boy did they ever.

In an unfathomable turn of events, the 10th-seeded Irish upset seventh-ranked Mississippi State, number-three Georgia on their own home court, and then number-one-ranked USC to make the first appearance in the finals for a cold-weather team since the current format was adopted in 1977.

A loss to number-two Stanford did not diminish the Irish's accomplishment, as they had proved what they set out to prove.

This year should bring much of the

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Saint Mary's beats Maroons 2-0

By NICOLE McGRATH
Saint Mary's Sports Editor



The Observer / Jake Peters

Stopper Mandy Eiler and the Belles defeated the University of Chicago yesterday in a game called early due to heavy thunderstorms.

A drenching thunderstorm became the University of Chicago's only asset as the St. Mary's soccer team was forced off the field halfway through the second half, claiming a 2-0 victory.

The Maroons proved to be a weak opponent but the Belles were still unable to convert their cornerkicks into goals.

"This seems to be our team's history so far," commented Coach Tom VanMeter on the offense's slow-scoring game. For instance, the Belles took twelve shots but only five were on goal. According to VanMeter, turning their shots into goals is something the Belles have to focus on at practices.

The University of Chicago certainly seemed to hand the Belles every opportunity to win.

About halfway into the first half, Megan Dalsaso scored the first goal with an assist from Kristen Crowley.

The Maroons were not able to get near the box and were not able to get any shots on goal throughout the game.

"Our defense did an excellent job of covering the field," said VanMeter. "We still need to grow with more practice and time."

It seems that the rainy weather actually improved the Belles' playing ability.

"We concentrated harder on our shots because of the rain," stated VanMeter. After the rain started falling in the second half, the Maroon's goalie let the ball slip out of her hands, allowing Molly O'Connel to score the second goal unassisted.

The Belles tried to go for the kill seconds later, when forward Maura Sullivan sliced her way through the Maroons' defense for what seemed to be a third goal. But referees called it a dangerous play and took it back.

That wasn't the only dangerous play of the game.

During both halves, University of Chicago's frustration was apparent. At the end of the first half, Maroon Katie Schulte took a yellow card for obstructing the keeper and unsportsmanlike conduct.

"It is always frightening when something like that happens," said VanMeter, "but Mary Beth Barger kept her cool."

According to VanMeter, the Belles have had a tendency to be passive towards their opponents but today was a turning point.

"We took a giant step in the right direction by stepping up our play and staying within the rules," stated VanMeter.

The Belles will be taking their show on the road Wednesday when they take on Wheaton College.

"I was really happy that we had more composure," said VanMeter. "I see the beginnings of team maturity."

Women's IH football season kicks off

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Pasquerilla West took note of the way Lou Holtz's football team took an early lead against Michigan State and did the same in its 25-22 victory over Pasquerilla East on Sunday night.

The Weasel's quarterback Bethany Riddle threw a long pass to Christie Lewis for a touchdown on the very first play of the game. Jenny Tate ran in the one-point conversion.

After the PW defense stopped the Pyros on their first possession, the Weasels increased their lead with a touchdown run by Tate. PW couldn't convert the extra point.

The Pyros surged late in the first half

and PE quarterback Alison Kossler ran down the sideline for her first of two touchdowns. Marina Alkidas converted the first extra point. Shelly DeMott also scored for the Pyros on a pass from Kossler.

PW widened its lead with a touchdown by Riddle off a broken play and a touchdown off a goalline center sneak by Amy Rohs. Kossler ran in the last PE touchdown and converted the extra point on a pass to Liz Connors.

The Weasels notched three interceptions in the game off Kossler by Kathleen Glines, Tanya Bulakowski and Kieu Vu. The entire Pryo defense played tough stopping the Weasels on several key drives. PW plays Knott at 8 p.m. on Wednesday and PE plays Farley at 9 p.m.

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Tracy Cote intercepted the ball late in the game and ran it back for a touchdown to ice the victory for the Chickens.

Also scoring for Lewis was Allie Heidbrink who ran the ball in and Julie Fleck who caught a pass from quarterback Nicole Neidlinger in the endzone. Shirley Nagy converted the extra point after Neidlinger scored.

For Farley's Finest, Shelley Stefan scored both touchdowns and also converted one of the extra points. Michelle Breshnahan converted the second extra point.

Lewis plays Siegfried at 7 p.m. on Wednesday and Farley plays PE at 9 p.m.

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Irish hoops schedule for 1992-93 is announced

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The University of Notre Dame's men's basketball team announced its 1992-93 schedule recently. Once again, second-year head coach John MacLeod and the Irish will not shy away from the top teams in the nation.

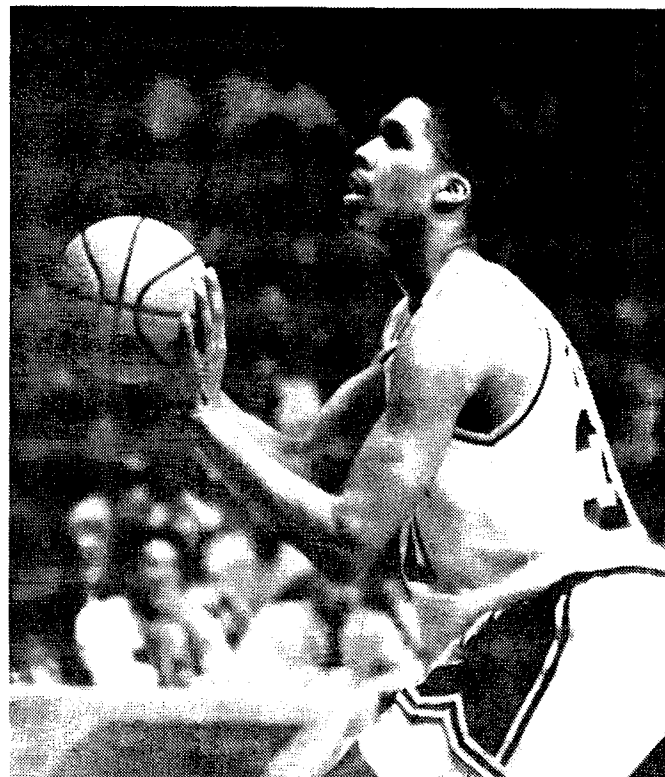
Three Final Four teams from last year's NCAA Tournament are on the schedule. The Irish will host the NCAA champion Duke Blue Devils on February 6 and travel to Ann Arbor to face the runner-up Michigan Wolverines, as the "Fab 5" try to duplicate last season's success. The third Final Four team, the Indiana Hoosiers, comes to the Joyce ACC for an early-season match-up on December 8.

The schedule features

eight other teams that qualified for the NCAA Tournament — Evansville, USC, Stanford, La Salle, Missouri, UCLA, Kentucky, DePaul, North Carolina, and Louisville — plus two teams that competed in the NIT Tournament: Boston College and Butler.

In another change under Coach MacLeod, the Irish will compete in a holiday tournament for the first time since the 1969-70 season. Notre Dame will face the University of New Orleans in the first game of the Sugar Bowl Tournament in New Orleans, which takes place on December 28 and 29.

The Irish will once again face all eight teams from the Midwestern Collegiate Conference, Notre Dame's conference for Olympic sports. The season will begin with a charity



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Billy Taylor and the rest of the Irish men's basketball face another tough slate of games when the 1992-93 season gets under way.

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