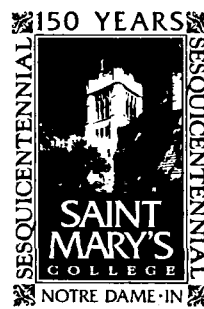


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Past conflict key in ethnic strife

By ROSANNA D'ALESSANDRO
News Writer

Although there are no simple solutions to ethnic conflicts today, understanding the causes of past conflicts can be a significant step towards their future resolution, according to Dr. Raimo Vayrynen, the new John M. Regan, Jr. Director of The Joan B. Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies.

The conceptual analysis of "ethnic vs. state-based nationalism provides the basis of whether conflicts can be resolved, and the implications for the structure of international society," he told an audience gathered in the Hesburgh Center for International Studies Auditorium yesterday afternoon. Vayrynen was presented with the formal badge of his office by University Provost Timothy O'Meara, prior to his Inaugural Lecture entitled "Towards a Theory of Ethnic Conflicts and Their Resolution."

Vayrynen examined how the concept of a nation-state combines two different contradictory notions, the state and the nation, and therefore, is conducive to resulting conflict. "Conflict emerges when there's a clash between state-based and ethnic-based nationalism. While nationalism is inclusive, ethnicity is exclusive. For ethnicity demands autonomy," he said. He further explained that when this clash between ethnicity and nationalism occurs, ultimately nationalism prevails.

The concept of "ethnic identity" refers to an individual's particular loyalties towards an ethnic group, Vayrynen instructed. "Ethnic identity is situationally variable. People can choose for themselves how ethnic they want to be," he said.

He explained that ethnic identity is directly connected with the theory of social action. "Individual loyalties to particular ethnic groups provide resources to advance social, political, and economic growths," he said.

Vayrynen emphasized the importance of understanding that "ethnic crystallization" is a necessary precondition of outbreak and escalation of ethnic conflicts. "There is a constant dialogue between ethnic communities about who is the genuine representative of the people and what particular rights can be derived from their demands," he said.

Ethnic crystallization refers to the means with which ethnic communities establish and communicate with each other their values and needs, and can be understood by either an instrumentalist or a primordialist point of view, Vayrynen said. He warned against disregarding the primordial approach because it describes ethnicity by kinship, culture, and blood ties; concepts which seem outdated today.

He cited the former Soviet Union as an example of how primordial ethnicity remains a relevant concept in modern day

ethnic conflicts. By controlling the mass media, the Communist Party prevented the mobilization of ethnic consciousness. Vayrynen outlined various methods of resolving ethnic conflicts. He explained that the "values first" approach towards resolution of conflict is more subjective, emphasizing cross-cultural differences and ideologies. The opposite, more objective approach, however, is a more effective means of resolution.

"With the interest-based approach, emotions and identity can be downplayed so that the focus can be on territory and property rights," he said.

However, the most effective way to end ethnic strife is to "initiate bilateral negotiations between national and ethnic communities," Vayrynen said. He pointed out that this kind of cooperation by two adversarial groups is usually facilitated by a third party as mitigator, such as the Norwegians involvement in the Middle East negotiations in the Fall of 1993.

Vayrynen offered his opinion on the most effective solution to developing sound resolutions to future ethnic conflicts. "The only way to find out more lasting solutions to ethnic conflicts is to redefine the political basis of the entire national order," he summarized. He emphasized that the problem of ethnic conflict requires a fundamental reconsideration of the entire international system as it exists today.



The Observer/ Laura Grendahl

Raimo Vayrynen, the newly installed John M. Regan Chair of the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies, gave his first Notre Dame lecture yesterday at the Hesburgh Center for International Studies.

Rostenkowski, Netsch win in Illinois races

By DAVID DISHNEAU
Associated Press

CHICAGO Rep. Dan Rostenkowski matched his clout as one of Capitol Hill's premier power brokers against challengers who bet a federal probe into his finances could lead to an upset in Tuesday's primary.

Rostenkowski, chairman of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee and a prime mover behind President Clinton's legislative agenda, faced two vigorous Democratic foes who mounted the toughest election challenge of his 36-year congressional career.

Illinois voters also decided whether to hand the Democratic nomination for governor to a candidate who proposed a \$2.5 billion income tax increase. Democratic leaders nervously watched a slate of Lyndon LaRouche followers on their party's ballot, hoping to avoid a repeat of LaRouche victories in 1986 that threw the party into disarray.

Rostenkowski's main challengers were state Sen. John Cullerton and former Chicago alderman Dick Simpson, who complained that the 66-year-old congressman was tainted by Washington corruption and out of touch with his district. Chicago alderman Michael Wojcik and a fifth candidate, John McCarthy, who did not campaign actively, also were on the ballot.

Recent polls suggested Rostenkowski might have a narrow edge. A Chicago Tribune poll two weeks ago indicated Rostenkowski was

supported by 27 percent of likely voters, while Cullerton had 23 percent and Simpson had 13 percent. Thirty-one percent was undecided.

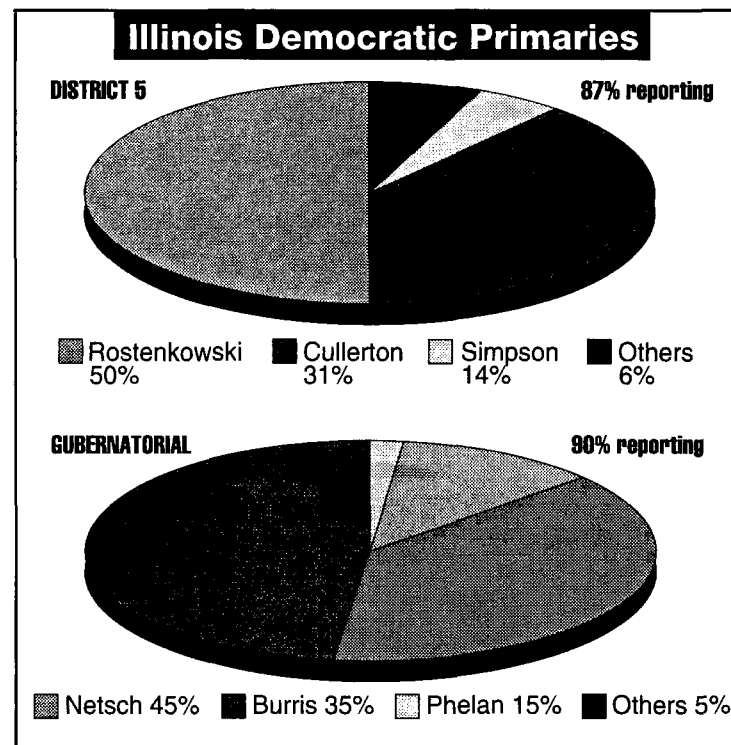
Victory in the primary has been tantamount to re-election in heavily Democratic Chicago, though five Republicans were on the primary ballot seeking to challenge Rostenkowski in the fall.

In the Democratic gubernatorial contest, state comptroller Dawn Clark Netsch, author of the \$2.5 billion tax-increase plan, beat state Attorney General Roland Burris, who would be the first black to win a major-party gubernatorial nomination in Illinois, and Cook County Board president Richard Phelan, who first gained national attention as special counsel in the ethics probe of then-U.S. House Speaker Jim Wright.

Two other candidates, James Gierach and LaRouche follower Sheila Jones, were on the Democratic ballot. The Democratic winner likely will challenge first-term Gov. Jim Edgar, who faced a low-profile conservative challenger in the GOP primary.

Rostenkowski had to pull out all the stops because his re-election bid was clouded by questions about his congressional and campaign finances.

In the spring of 1992 his name surfaced in an investigation of whether lawmakers used phony stamp transactions at the House post office to convert congressional expense funds for personal use. Newspaper reports documented that Rostenkowski used taxpayer



er money to buy three cars, used campaign funds to pay himself for a little-used office and controlled a payroll that included employees who did not show up for work.

The negative publicity took a political toll; a Tribune poll in January placed his approval rating at just 30 percent.

Rostenkowski, son of a Democratic ward boss, was installed in Congress in 1958 by the late Mayor Richard Daley, and for decades, the influence of the party organization made his re-election a foregone conclusion. In the mid-1970s, one Rostenkowski opponent was quoted as saying he'd demand a recount if declared the win-

ner.

But his district was radically reshaped in 1992 by a Republican-drawn reapportionment map. Gone were the conservative, blue-collar Polish neighborhoods that had been his core support. Rostenkowski found himself representing large numbers of suburbanites and affluent, liberal young professionals along Chicago's lakefront.

In 1992, Simpson gave Rostenkowski his toughest primary race in more than 20 years, drawing nearly 43 percent of the vote, and he maintained the criticism until this year's rematch.

New HPC heads named

By JOSLIN WARREN
News Writer

The new Hall Presidents Council Co-Chairs for next year were elected at last night's meeting. They will be Rich Palermo of Keenan Hall and Hilary Bonenberger of Knott Hall.

HALL PRESIDENTS COUNCIL

The change in parietals from 11 a.m. to 10 a.m. in weekdays and weekends will not be official until it is approved by Professor O'Hara, according to Student Body President Frank Flynn.

"The CLC (Campus Life Council) passed a resolution to change the morning hours and then submitted it to O'Hara. In a week we'll find out if it will be done," said Flynn.

Weekend Wheels will be operating on St. Patrick's Day from 3 p.m. to 3 a.m.

"We really want to encourage people to take advantage of this since the numbers have declined during the spring," said HPC Co-Chair Chris Canzoniero.

In other HPC news, tickets for the Gin Blossoms concert will be on sale on Wednesday at 10 a.m. The price is \$10 for students and there is a maximum of 2 tickets per ID and 4 ID's per person.

INSIDE COLUMN

Legalization of drugs is the only solution

After ten years and untold billions of dollars into America's oft proclaimed "War on Drugs" it is still unsafe to walk through the downtown district of any major American city after dark. Although an occasional positive trend has emerged (e.g. the decrease in cocaine use among 18-24 year olds), the news from the "Drug War" has remained for the most part grim while the daily reality of crime in our cities simply reconfirms the at best static nature of the front.

Christopher Kratovil
Viewpoint Copy Editor

It is time for the United States to recognize that no amount of money and no number of extra police officers can turn the tide of this conflict and that within the framework of our tradition of individual liberty this "war" can not be won. Illegal narcotics will continue to be demanded in this country, they will continue to easily enter — we can not make our borders impermeable — and they will continue to be widely sold and distributed. One of the fundamental lessons of the 20th century is that no government, be it a Marxist regime or our own failed policy of Prohibition, can successfully counteract the basic laws of supply and demand.

While our government is essentially powerless to stop the drug trade, it is well within its capacity to control and regulate this aspect of the economy in much the same way that alcohol and tobacco distribution are currently monitored. The option of legalizing narcotics should be explored as a viable alternative to increasing yet largely ineffective police action.

The benefits of controlled drug legalization are self-evident. From the perspective of the average drug-free citizen the prime manifestation of the drug crisis is the crime it generates. In my home state of Texas, for example, 75 percent of inmates are in prison on drug inspired or related crime. Legalization would take the drug trade out of the hands of criminal organizations and put it into the hands of legitimate distributors and would rid us of bloody "turf wars" between gangs. Legalization would reduce the artificially high price of drugs to a point where it would not be necessary for users to commit crime to support their habits as the inherent value and production cost of these substances is actually quite low. Vast police resources would be freed up for the protection of citizens against other dangers.

A heavy "sin tax" could be placed on drugs, much as is the case with alcohol and tobacco, generating desperately needed new revenue for the government. The spread of the AIDS virus would be slowed among IV drug users due to easy access to clean needles.

Needless to say, drug decriminalization should not be embarked on haphazardly. The process must be gradual and should be proceeded by pilot programs in selected cities. Provision would have to be made for the licensing and monitoring of distribution centers. Selling narcotics without a license must then be treated as a significant crime. Newly generated "sin tax" funds could be used to fund large scale educational campaigns for school children and young adults and to establish free rehabilitation centers to those addicts who voluntarily wish to escape their self-imposed habit.

The U.S. must recognize that self-destruction is a personal volition and that, rather than preventing individual self-damage, it is the moral obligation of government to minimize the repercussions that illegal drugs have on society as a whole.

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

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WORLD AT A GLANCE

Mandela kicks off South African Homelands Campaign

MMABATHO, South Africa
The African National Congress and the government will act against anyone who stands in the way of South Africa's first all-race election, Nelson Mandela told cheering crowds Tuesday.

Mandela was kicking off the ANC's campaign in Bophuthatswana, where the South African government and the ANC worked together last week to oust homeland leader Lucas Mangope, who had opposed the vote.

About 35,000 jubilant supporters cheered Mandela at Independence Stadium, one of the many extravagant government structures on which Mangope had spent money at the expense of his impoverished people.

The crowd was the largest ever to attend a political rally at the stadium, showing the ANC enjoys much broader support in Mmabatho, the homeland capital, than Mangope ever had.

"My mere presence here is proof that in Bophuthatswana there is now free political activity," Mandela said. Throughout the day, ANC banners had been posted around Mmabatho, the first campaign posters to appear in the region.

Mandela said Mangope's ouster should send a signal to others opposing the April 26-28 vote that the ANC and the South African government were determined to ensure free campaigning and voting nationwide.

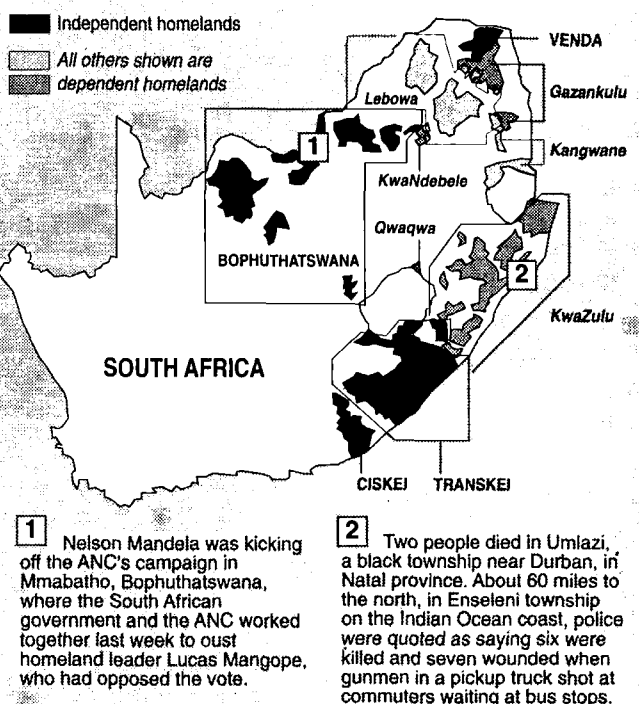
The Zulu nationalist Inkatha Freedom Party has threatened to disrupt the election unless it gets an autonomous or sovereign Zulu kingdom. On Sunday, 3,000 Inkatha members prevented the ANC from holding a rally at a sports stadium in Natal Province, which includes the traditional Zulu homeland.

Mandela announced he would meet Zulu King Goodwill Zwelithini during a campaign swing through Natal on Friday.

"The demand for free and fair elections is very strong, and I think what happened here is going to send a message" to other areas, Mandela told reporters. Without singling out any particular group or region, he said acting to ensure a free vote "may require measures that are not necessarily similar to measures that were taken" in Bophuthatswana.

The ANC is expected to ride strong black support to win the election and lead South Africa's first post-apartheid

Black Homelands in South Africa



AP/Wm. J. Castello

government. Zulu nationalists and most pro-apartheid white groups demand guarantees of autonomy or independence before they'll join the election.

Mangope had aligned himself with the election opponents, and this, along with charges of corruption and repression, led to a crippling strike last week by government workers and civil unrest believed to have killed dozens of people.

South African troops were sent to restore order, and South Africa's multiracial Transitional Executive Council — dominated by the government and ANC — then stripped Mangope of power and put South African Ambassador Tjaart van der Walt in control. Tuesday, ANC figure Job Mokgoro was appointed to join van der Walt as co-administrator.

Utah governor vetoes women's bill

SALT LAKE CITY

Gov. Mike Leavitt vetoed legislation that would have allowed the Elks Club and other private organizations to exclude women without losing their liquor licenses. The bill would have amended the state's Civil Rights Act to exempt fraternities, charities and religious organizations. The measure was attacked by women and minorities as blatant discrimination. The Utah Supreme Court ruled last year that any organization with a state liquor license is regulated by the state and can't violate the Civil Rights Act. The bill was introduced in response to the ruling. The governor said the legislation could have harmed Salt Lake City's bid for the 2002 Olympic Winter Games. Craig Trujillo, executive director of the organization Centro Civico Mexicano, said the bill would have contradicted Utah's theme for the Olympics: "The World is Welcome Here."

Helmsley blamed for dismissals

NEW YORK

It's Leona Helmsley the way you remember her: firing executives with impunity, cutting loose longtime employees. Or is it? The Queen of Mean is being blamed by several top executives for their dismissals over the last



two months, Crain's New York Business reported this week. The firings coincide with Mrs. Helmsley's release from prison after she served 21 months on a tax charge. Crain's said she fired general managers at two hotels, three senior executives at her commercial real estate company, senior sales officials at one hotel and one of her lawyers. Not true, Helmsley spokesman Howard Rubenstein said.

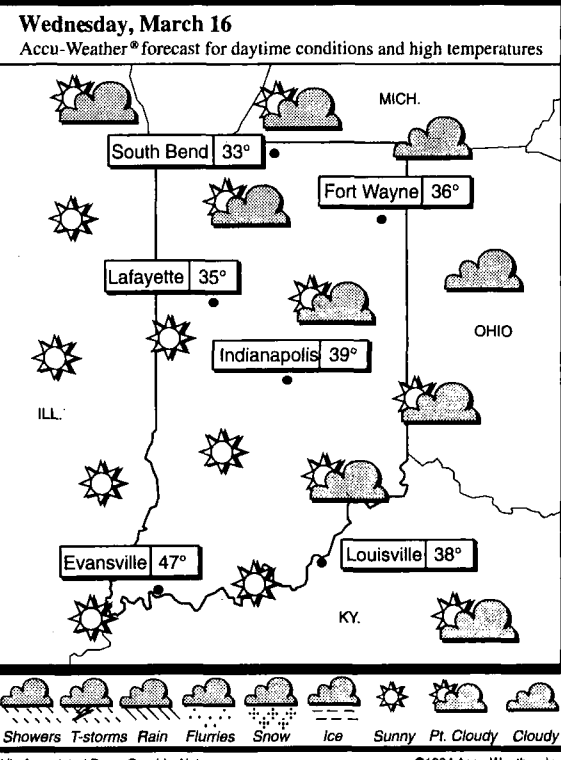
Books of poetry appear in hotels

NEW YORK

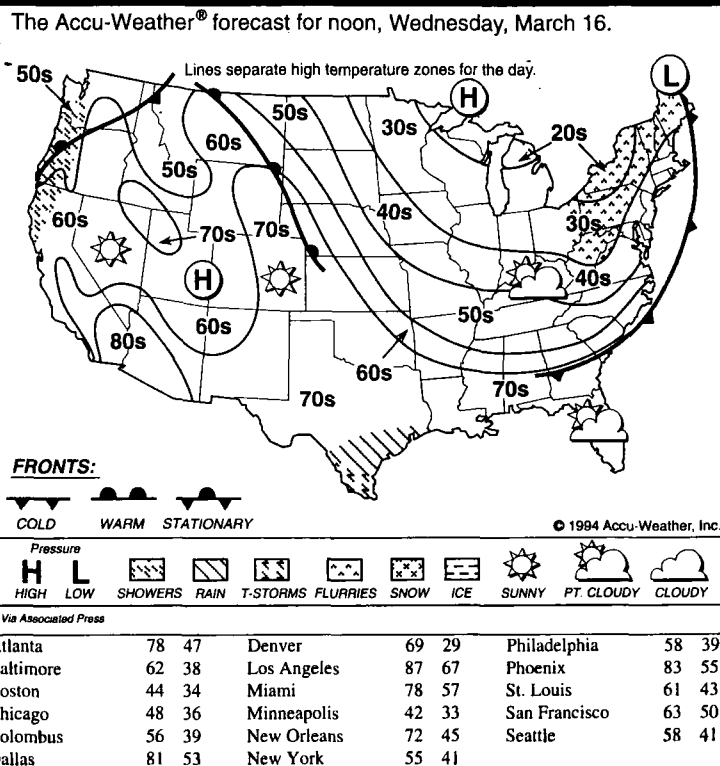
Nobel laureate Joseph Brodsky and Andrew Carroll, a Columbia University graduate, decided to stock hotel room nightstands with anthologies of poetry, alongside the Bible. The difference is guests are encouraged to walk off with Emily Dickinson, Walt Whitman and Robert Frost. Brodsky and Carroll first discussed the idea in 1992, but it wasn't until last spring that hotels in Massachusetts, Virginia and Texas signed on. Funded by donations, about 12,500 books of poetry have been distributed. Their American Poetry and Literacy Project has branched out to a Manhattan hospital, a homeless shelter in San Diego, a Club Med resort in Florida and airport waiting rooms.

"When books are available you can make a choice between a drug and a book, a gun and a book, God knows what," said Brodsky a Soviet native and farmer poet laureate.

INDIANA Weather



NATIONAL Weather



Conference ends without consensus

By ROBERT NAYLOR JR.
Associated Press

DETROIT

A first-ever global jobs conference drew to a close today with all countries agreeing they face nagging unemployment in industrialized nations, but disagreeing on just what the solutions should be.

While the Cabinet ministers held their final session at Cobo Hall, lower-level aides negotiated over the wording of a final statement summing up the conference. United States Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen was to present it later in the day.

The session was opened Monday by President Clinton, whose idea it was to bring together for the first time finance, economics and labor ministers from the world's seven richest countries — the United States, Japan, Germany, Britain, Canada, Italy and France.

Treasury Undersecretary Lawrence Summers said that the conference should not be judged a failure just because it did not produce any major new initiatives for global economic coordination.

"This kind of exchange doesn't produce a rabbit out of a hat or a miracle tomorrow, but over time I think it is going to produce real, tangible benefits for people," Summers said in a CNBC interview.

Even before Bentsen read the final statement, officials said that wide differences remained in many areas. While the U.S. would like Japan and German to boost economic growth as a way of reducing global unemployment, those countries resisted U.S. pressure for tax cuts and lower interest rates.

And the most contentious economic issue at present, U.S.

demands that Japan agree to import goods, was not even brought up during the sessions.

Bentsen said today that he still believed the meeting had been a success. He said it focused attention on the critical need to reduce global unemployment, even if the Japanese and Germans did not make any new offers to stimulate their economies.

"There's an understanding and a growing understanding how we spill over on each other, that our concerns and successes are often shared," Bentsen said in an interview on ABC's "Good Morning America."

All sides agreed differences remained, although they tried to evade talking about them.

"It's a rather dangerous discussion if we were to bring out all the nuances of difference," Britain's Chancellor of the Exchequer Kenneth Clarke said today. "You couldn't get these countries to draw up common policies."

Clarke's comments were in sharp contrast to the level of public enthusiasm the Clinton administration was showing in the meeting, which was proposed by Clinton at last year's economic summit in Tokyo.

"This will be looked back upon, I am convinced, as one of the most important turning points in postwar dialogue between the United States and other industrialized nations," said Vice President Al Gore, who stayed behind after Clinton left Monday.

"We are now opening a brand-new chapter by focusing on the one economic issue of most importance to the people of all the nations represented at this conference: how to create high-wage jobs," Gore said.



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Serious Discussion

Professors Janet Kourany, Sharron O'Brien, and Katherine O'Brien-O'Keefe (seated left to right) listen to Professor Carolyn Collahan as she makes a point during the panel discussion "Women in Academia."

Cardinal held hostage in Brazil

Associated Press

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil
Inmates seized Roman Catholic Cardinal Aloisio Lorscheider and 17 other people in a prison uprising today in northeastern Brazil, police reported.

Authorities said at least two policemen were injured and two inmates may have been hurt. The Globo TV network said one policeman was killed in a shootout, but there was no confirmation.

Police said the rebellion began this morning while Lorscheider and human rights activists were visiting the Paulo Sarate prison outside Fortaleza, a city of 1.8 million people about 1,700 miles northeast

of Rio de Janeiro.

Capt. Marcello Silva said the group was about 50 yards inside the prison when 16 inmates cutting the grass jumped them with homemade knives. The inmates grabbed a guard and took a revolver and a rifle, he said by telephone from Fortaleza.

Globo TV broadcast pictures of an inmate armed with a knife grabbing the white-haired cardinal around the neck and wrestling him to the ground. Another inmate held a knife to the neck of a second hostage,

while a guard pointed a revolver at the prisoner's head.

Lorscheider, a 69-year-old native of Brazil who was named cardinal in 1976, is a leading voice of Catholicism's liberal wing. Brazil is the world's largest Roman Catholic country, with 130 million followers in its population of 150 million.

Silva said the hostages included the cardinal, two bishops, a priest, a state legislator, a city councilman, the councilman's wife, two Brazilian journalists and two state police colonels.

CAMPUS BRIEF

Observer Staff Report

The Notre Dame Gender Studies Department and the Hammes Bookstore will present a live reading and book signing reception this Thursday from 4-5:30 p.m. at Greenfields Cafe in the Hesburgh Center for International Studies.

Terry Phelps will read selected passages from here book, *The Coach's Wife*, which deal specifically with life as a woman at the University of Notre Dame. *The Coach's Wife*, now in its second printing attracted the attention of the University's Gender Studies

Department with its success-story account of the challenges and stereotypes a woman faces in male dominated environments, according to Gender Studies professor Ava Collins.

The Coach's Wife discusses what it means to be a part of Notre Dame as a student, professor, mother of Notre Dame students, and wife of Irish Basketball coach Digger Phelps.

Phelps, now a tenured law school professor, was the first woman to receive three degrees from Notre Dame, making her the first female "Triple Domer."

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Clinton seeks solace in friendly New Hampshire

By TERENCE HUNT
Associated Press

KEENE, N.H.

Struggling for another political comeback in snowy New Hampshire, President Clinton went before friendly crowds Tuesday in hopes of demonstrating to Americans that he cares more about jobs and health care than the Whitewater controversy.



Bill Clinton

"Whitewater is for canoeing and rafting," 68-year-old Betty J. Windberg told Clinton at a town meeting in Nashua. "Shame on those who would detract and distract from the important work you're doing."

"Thank you. Bless you," the president replied. He beamed at her comment, which was echoed by two other participants.

In his hour-long appearance, Clinton moved like a talk show

host, pacing the stage at the Elm Street Junior High School with a wireless microphone and answering questions — which were exclusively about education, jobs and health care.

"This is America," Clinton said afterward. "This is what people care about."

Attendance was limited to people who got tickets from local politicians or school officials. The audience of 1,200 people was filled with Clinton supporters.

He said the reason his message had been drowned out by the Whitewater affair was simple: "I haven't been out here with them."

New Hampshire was the state that launched Clinton's comeback in 1992 when he was battered by questions about his draft record and allegations about womanizing. He said he had "a depth of affection and respect" for the people here.

Asked by reporters if his visit was intended to launch his reelection campaign, Clinton said, "This isn't about the 1996 campaign. This is about what we're

going to do in Congress for the American people in 1994."

From Nashua, Clinton flew to Keene to tour a factory that makes equipment for industrial printing and marking. He was applauded repeatedly when he addressed the workers.

Later, he was flying to New York state to welcome home American troops from duty in Somalia.

In Nashua a reporter brought up Whitewater, telling Clinton that Rep. Lee Hamilton, D-Ind., had said there should be congressional hearings to clear up any perception of wrongdoing. "You learned nothing at the town meeting," Clinton snapped.

As for Hamilton, Clinton said, "That's a discussion he ought to have with the special counsel." Special prosecutor Robert Fiske has asked Congress to delay any hearings, fearing that they would compromise the integrity of his investigation. "We have all cooperated," Clinton said.

Clinton had caused a stir Monday night when he

launched a blistering attack on Republicans in Congress. At a Democratic fund-raiser in Boston, Clinton accused the GOP of trying to block anything he proposes and being "committed to the politics of personal destruction."

"I wasn't angry," Clinton said Tuesday. "That was deliberate. I wanted to tell those people how I felt."

In Washington, Senate Republican leader Bob Dole of Kansas responded that Clinton and his wife may be frustrated by Whitewater questions but "that does not mean White House attacks on Republicans have a shred of truth to them," "He has had our help on issue after issue," said Dole, naming the North American Free Trade Agreement, anti-crime legislation, a Russian reconstruction package and other issues.

Republicans have been in the lead in pressing for an investigation by a special prosecutor and for a congressional hearing into the Clintons' investment in the Whitewater Development

Corp. in Arkansas and its ties to a failed savings and loan. A federal grand jury is looking into the matter in Little Rock, and 10 administration officials have been subpoenaed to testify in Washington.

At the town meeting, one woman told the president, "I'm a recovering Republican." She said, "We made you the 'comeback kid' a few years ago and we hope to send that message from this town meeting to Mr. Dole and his friends in the media that we're very focused. The people are very focused, we're concerned with jobs and health care."

It was just what Clinton wanted to hear.

The town meeting gave Clinton an opportunity to boast domestic policies that he said had created "a real economic comeback for the country."

Denouncing "the people who are giving me hell in Washington," Clinton declared: "I'm going to try to give you health and take whatever it is they want to give me in return."

Aldus and Adobe to join forces

By CATALINA ORTIZ
Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO

Adobe Systems Inc. and Aldus Corp., the leading makers of desktop publishing software, said Tuesday they would merge in a stock swap valued at about \$525 million.

The companies said the move would help them better compete in an evolving electronic publishing industry.

"We could have both gone on our own, but we looked to the future ... and we felt in this case that adding one and one together created three," said Paul Brainerd, president and founder of Seattle-based Aldus.

The deal is subject to numerous conditions, including approval by regulators and shareholders. Shareholders are expected to approve the merger in July.

Aldus and Adobe Systems, based in Mountain View, Calif., dominate the market for personal computer programs used by individuals and businesses to create documents such as newsletters, magazines and newspapers. Their products generally don't overlap, but they do have competing programs used by graphic artists to make illustrations.

The companies would continue to sell all their products for the foreseeable future, Brainerd said.

John Warnock, chairman and chief executive of Adobe, would hold those posts in the merged company. Adobe president

Chuck Geschke would be president of the combined company, which will be based in Mountain View. A name has not yet been decided.

Brainerd, who said he planned last year to step away from management, would join the new company's board. He also is a major Aldus shareholder and has agreed to vote his shares in favor of the deal.

While the companies were looking to cut expenses, including labor costs, they had not decided if layoffs would occur, Geschke said.

Adobe's flagship product is a program called Adobe PostScript that lets personal computers work with different makes and formats of printers. It has become an industry standard. The company also makes programs to let PC users print text in various typefaces.

Aldus' leading product is PageMaker, a \$600 program for making layouts of sophisticated documents with color illustrations and graphics. Desktop publishing has grown into a \$2 billion industry since the two companies were founded in the mid-1980s.

"Combined, the two companies offer products that address every aspect of information

authoring and representation," Warnock said in a statement.

The combined companies could "pioneer the process and provide the tools required to help our customers move from today's paper-based information infrastructure to tomorrow's digital world," he said.

Adobe agreed to give 1.15 shares of its stock for each share of Aldus common stock. The value of the deal would fluctuate with Adobe's share price.

Adobe's stock closed \$32.50 per share, down \$1.25, on the Nasdaq stock market Tuesday. Aldus closed up 75 cents at \$26.25 per share.

CORRECTION

A headline in yesterday's Observer mistated the status of a Campus Life Council vote on pareitals. Although the council voted in favor of changing pareitals, they do not have the final power to make the change.

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Retarded woman can have abortion

By JONATHAN YENKIN
Associated Press

BOSTON
A pregnant woman with the mental abilities of a 4-year-old can have an abortion because it would be less harmful to her than having a baby, the state Appeals Court ruled Tuesday.

In overturning a judge's ruling, the court noted that guardians for the 30-year-old retarded woman testified she "would not understand or tolerate ... the accelerating physical trials of pregnancy and childbirth."

The woman, identified only as Jane A., lives in a group home with other disabled people. State officials would not say how she got pregnant about four months ago.

The state Department of Mental Retardation filed a petition in January to determine whether the woman, if compe-

tent, would choose to have an abortion.

The woman has been unclear about her desires, saying she wanted to "keep the baby inside my belly" but also to have the "baby stop growing inside my belly."

A Suffolk County probate judge had ruled that the woman wouldn't agree to an abortion if competent. The judge based the decision on testimony from a court-appointed doctor who said the trauma of an abortion might cause the woman "to disintegrate into a psychotic state."

However, the same doctor testified that the woman has become violent when under physical or psychological stress and that the trauma of an abortion could be minimized if it were handled carefully.

The chances of suffering mental harm from the pregnancy were "a thousand fold" greater, the doctor testified.

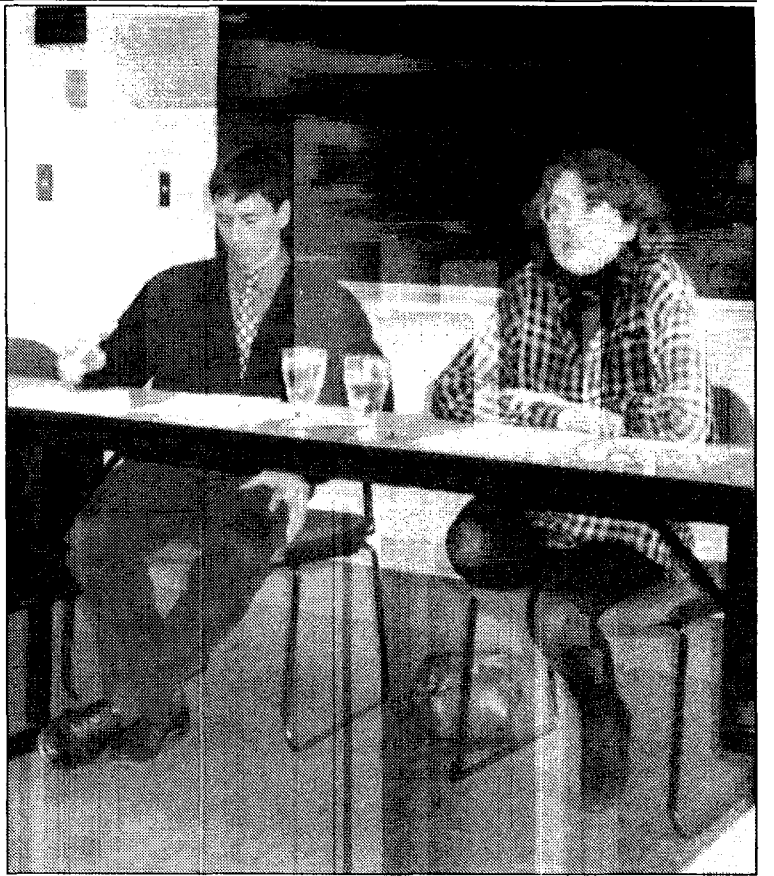
The woman's lawyers, who serve as her guardians, did not immediately return telephone calls.

Ellen Convisser, president of the state National Organization for Women, said the decision should have been based on what is medically safest and best for the woman. But Madeline McComish, president of Massachusetts Citizens for Life, said the baby should be born and put up for adoption.

Leo Sarkissian, executive director of Arc Massachusetts, an advocacy group for the retarded, said the case pointed to broader issue: the need to better protect retarded people.

The court said staff workers at the group home are on duty around the clock, but that doesn't mean the woman is always watched.

"Obviously, she is not; were she, this case would not have arisen," the court wrote.



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Fire wreaks havoc on Pacific Bell service in L.A.

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES
A fire at a Pacific Bell office early today crippled much of the city's phone service for hours, including 911 emergency calls to police and fire departments.

The blaze was reported about 12:45 a.m. in a downtown building housing a telephone company switching office. It was brought under control about an hour later, said Los Angeles Fire Department spokesman Bob Collis.

Technicians scrambled to repair the equipment and by 10 a.m., 911 service was restored and an increasing number of regular calls were getting through. The center handles 3 million calls an hour.

Earlier, residents and businesses dialing in the 213 area code, which includes downtown, were met only with a busy signal, even on lines

known to be free.

With emergency calls also disrupted, particularly in the San Fernando Valley, helicopters were sent to fly over neighborhoods and firetrucks patrolled streets to check for problems as a precaution.

There were no immediate reports of problems caused by delays in emergency response time. But downtown businesses could barely function without their phones, fax machines and modem-equipped computers.

"I can't even sign in," said Miki Kobayashi of Kuroneko Yamato Travel Agency. "I can't get in to make reservations for our clients."

The fire on the 13th floor of the 17-story building broke out as an AT&T crew worked on a unit that powers a switching office, said Pacific Bell spokesman Gary Sanderson. The fire severed the office's main power source.

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Israeli military on alert as Muslims threaten to attack

By KARIN LAUB
Associated Press

JERUSALEM

The army went on high alert to foil suicide attacks threatened Tuesday by Muslim fundamentalists on Jewish settlers, setting up roadblocks and clashing with Palestinians in Jerusalem and the Gaza Strip. One Arab gunman was killed and a second wounded after ambushing a jeep.

The government also broadened its crackdown against anti-Arab Jewish extremists, hauling the founding father of the settlement movement, Rabbi Moshe Levinger, into court on a relatively minor two-year-old charge.

Thousands of right-wing supporters gathered in Tel Aviv to protest the government actions. They waved posters claiming Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin lacks the mandate to make concessions to the Palestinians.

The crowd booed opposition

leader Benjamin Netanyahu when he called the Hebron massacre a crime but cheered when he said: "If we don't have the right to live in Hebron, we don't have the right to live anywhere in this country."

Demonstrators burned Palestinian flags and Israel television reported four people carrying anti-Arab Kach group posters were arrested.

The government officially closed the offices of the extremist Kach and Kahane Lives groups after banning the two and detaining or disarming several of their leaders this week. Jewish settler Baruch Goldstein, a Kach member, killed 30 Muslims Feb. 25 in a Hebron mosque.

The PLO has demanded better protection for Palestinians, rejecting U.S. attempts Monday to restart peace negotiations. It seeks the removal of settlements in Arab towns like Hebron and international protection.

But four Gaza members of PLO leader Yasser Arafat's Fatah faction attended an unprecedented meeting with Israeli Labor Party members at the Parliament to discuss ways of getting the peace talks restarted.

The Islamic Resistance Movement, or Hamas, threatened suicide attacks if Jewish settlers in five settlement areas didn't evacuate by Tuesday.

In response, the army went on high alert, Israeli news reports said. Troops set up surprise roadblocks and searched Arab-owned cars.

In northern Gaza, two Palestinians hid in a gas station, opened fire on a passing jeep and fled on foot. Soldiers opened fire, killing one gunman and seriously wounding the other. On east Jerusalem's main Arab shopping artery, troops fired tear gas at youths throwing rocks at them.

In Hebron, the army briefly lifted a 19-day curfew to allow

the town's 80,000 Palestinians to buy supplies. Soldiers carrying assault rifles patrolled the alleys near the Tomb of the Patriarchs, site of the massacre, and were deployed on rooftops near the six Jewish compounds in the heart of the city.

Settlers have been allowed to move freely during the curfew, but are under orders only to travel through town in army convoys. The Israeli human rights group Betselem issued a report Tuesday saying the army and police let settlers attack Palestinians "with virtual impunity." Police denied it.

Levinger, meanwhile, acknowledged Tuesday that he sometimes violated the law in confrontations with soldiers and Palestinians.

"In every democratic state, people demonstrate. ... Perhaps some of my demonstrations were also a little bit against the law," said Levinger.

He spoke to reporters in the

Jerusalem Magistrate's Court where he was charged with defying an army order in June 1992 to leave a closed military area. The maximum sentence is six months in prison and \$233 in fines. Judge Zvi Zilbertal set April 12 as a trial date.

By bringing Levinger into court on an old and relatively minor charge, the government appeared to be signaling that its crackdown on Jewish extremists would go beyond banning two marginal groups.

His attorney, Naftali Werzberger, said the government was trying to silence critics. "Our feeling is that a campaign of persecution has begun against anyone identified as an opponent of the peace process," he said.

In Israel, Levinger is a symbol of the Jewish settlement movement. He established a first Jewish foothold in Hebron in spring 1968 after Israel captured the West Bank and Gaza in the 1967 Middle East war.

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French try Nazi collaborator

By MARILYN AUGUST
Associated Press

PARIS

The embodiment of one of the darkest periods in French history, former Nazi collaborator Paul Touvier on Thursday becomes the first Frenchmen to stand trial for crimes against humanity.

Now nearing 79 and riddled with cancer, Touvier was a key aide during World War II to Gestapo chief Klaus Barbie, the "Butcher of Lyon."

The trial culminates a painful learning period for France over the past decade. Revelation by revelation, both the wartime generation and its children have learned how deeply and willingly many French citizens were involved in the worst outrages of the Nazi occupation.

Technically, the trial concerns the killings of seven Jews — Zeizig, Glaeser, Benzmira, Krzyskowski, Schlusseman, Prock and an unknown victim. They were lined up and shot on Touvier's orders 50 years ago

on behalf of the pro-Nazi Vichy regime that ruled France during the Nazi occupation.

But the testimony expected over the next five weeks at the Versailles criminal court will go far beyond those executions in June 29, 1944, in Rillieux-la-Pape, outside Lyon. It will provide an unprecedented forum for exploring the extent of French collaboration with Nazi Germany.

For the 45 years that preceded his arrest at a Roman Catholic priory in Nice in 1989, Touvier was a fugitive, moving from convent to monastery under assumed names with his wife and two children in tow.

The trial will focus on how a man condemned to death twice in absentia managed to elude authorities for so long, and why nearly 50 Roman Catholic institutions offered him financial aid and logistical support.

"If Touvier comes to trial only at this late date, it's because for decades, he could manipulate and rely on the indulgence of two institutions that have long been synonymous with virtue: the Church and the courts," wrote journalist Bertrand le Gendre in the daily Le Monde. "The trial in Versailles may well put them both in the dock."

The trial will take place in a specially renovated, enlarged courtroom. There will be testimony from three French premiers, several historians, and representatives of Jewish and anti-Nazi French Resistance groups.

One of the historians, Rene Remond, headed an investigation into the case at the request of Cardinal Albert Decourtray, archbishop of Lyon. He concluded that Touvier was helped over the years by church groups ranging from extreme conservatives led by renegade Marcel Lefevre to moderate organizations such as the charity Secours Catholique, which paid him a regular living allowance.

Touvier went underground in 1947 and emerged 20 years later after the statute of limitations expired.

In 1971, Premier Georges Pompidou pardoned Touvier at the behest of leading church officials.

"The time has come to throw a veil over the period when the French were engaged in hatred, civil strife and even murder," he said.

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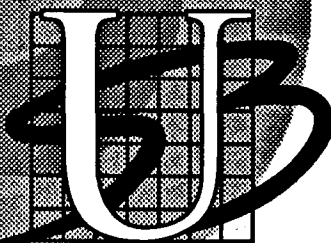
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Serious, violent crimes on the way up in China

By CHARLENE FU
Associated Press

BEIJING
Violent crime is on the rise in China, and Chinese are feeling increasingly unsafe, the nation's top prosecutor told the legislature Tuesday.

The annual report by Procurator-General Zhang Siqing and a companion report by China's top judge, Ren Jianxing, provided few details.

The reports said 574,176 people were charged with criminal offenses last year, 451,920 of whom were tried and sentenced.

Neither report gave percentage increases or comparative figures for the previous year. They were five-year reviews and did not provide 1992 figures.

China never has divulged many details about crime, but an official newspaper report in December quoted Ren as telling a meeting of judicial officials that violent crime was up 17.5 percent in the first 10 months of 1993.

Zhang hinted at the severity

of the growing crime problem.

"Major vicious criminal cases are increasing, violent crimes are growing rapidly. The security situation in many rural areas is chaotic, crimes committed by gangs in the cities and towns are serious, and the populace does not feel safe," he said.

Zhang added that the situation was likely to worsen because continued economic reforms "will bring new contradictions and problems."

Ren's report said more than half of those convicted of criminal offenses last year were guilty of violent crimes such as murder, assault, rape and kidnapping.

Thirty-eight percent of those convicted were sentenced to at least five years in prison, including death, but he did not break down the sentences further.

Only 2,000 people in the 403,267 cases the courts handled were acquitted.

Both reports focused on the anti-corruption drive ordered last August by the ruling Communist Party.

Seven dead in U.S. gunship crash

By TERRY LEONARD
Associated Press

NAIROBI, Kenya

Seven crewmen who died when a U.S. gunship crashed off Kenya might have tried to parachute too late. Rescue teams searched the waters offshore Tuesday for a missing crewman who reportedly jumped clear of the aircraft.

Lt. Col. Mike Gannon, speaking from the scene, said six crew survived, including three who stayed in the Spectre gunship when it ditched in the Indian Ocean late Monday 75 miles north of Mombassa and just 200 yards offshore.

Army Col. Steve Rausch, a U.S. spokesman in Mogadishu, said the AC-130H gunship had taken off minutes earlier from Mombasa's Moi International Airport for an "Eyes Over Mogadishu" surveillance mission.

The parachutes of some of the dead were deployed and floating in the sea.

"One parachute hung on the tail of the aircraft," said Gannon, who added investigators believe it floated onto the aircraft afterwards and did not snag during a jump.

Other parachutes were deployed, indicating the dead crewmen might have attempted to jump when the aircraft was too low over the water, he said.

The names of all 14 crewmembers were withheld pending notification of their families. The plane and its crew were from the Air Force's 16th Special Operations Squadron, based at Hurlburt Field in Florida.

The survivors were in good condition, Gannon said. Three were flown to a hospital on a U.S. Navy ship off Mogadishu and three were taken to Mombasa.

Rausch said preliminary indications pointed to engine failure as the cause of the crash. He said no distress call was heard from the stricken plane in either Mombasa or Mogadishu.

Mombasa, which borders Somalia, has long served as a base for U.S. military and humanitarian efforts in Somalia.

The pilot attempted to ditch the aircraft in the sea, said Gannon, who added that the plane floated for a short time after it hit the water.

Three crewmen who stayed

with the aircraft made their way to shore, walked a short distance to a restaurant and called for help, said Gannon, who added he had not talked with the survivors.

Gannon said he was told most of the bodies were found near the plane in 10 to 15 feet of water but it was not clear yet if any of the dead were actually found inside the aircraft.

"The probably had less than 10 minutes from the time they knew there was a problem until the time they crash-landed in the sea," said Gannon.

Rausch said three men were rescued by a Korean fishing trawler and may have parachuted from the plane as it went down.

Survivors said the missing crewman parachuted from the aircraft. Gannon said rescue workers clung to hope he had reached shore or was picked up by a fishing boat.

"They had seen him leaving the aircraft," said Gannon. "To their best knowledge he cleared the aircraft."

Gannon said the crewman had all the survival gear, including a flotation device, demarkers and an emergency beacon.

Russian economy hits new low

Associated Press

MOSCOW

Russia's staggering economy registered a new low last month when industrial production lagged a record 24 percent behind the level of a year ago.

The decline in February output compared to year-earlier figures was the sharpest since the start of reforms in 1992, the State Statistics Committee said Tuesday.

There was a glimmer of good news: Last month's output rose 2.3 percent from January's depressed levels, and average daily production, adjusted for seasonal factors, increased 5 percent.

But the February decline compared to a year ago exceeded the previous record drop of 23.1 percent, set in January, the government statistics agency said.

Industrial production plunged 16.2 percent overall in 1993

after plummeting 18 percent in 1992. It fell 23.6 percent for the first two months of 1994, compared to the same period a year ago.

The machine building sector has suffered the sharpest decline this year, slumping 48 percent from year-earlier levels.

The fuel and energy sector registered less sharp declines, falling 7 percent to 10 percent, the report said.

The statistics committee reported an increasing number of plant shutdowns last month, tied mostly to difficulties in finding buyers for products.

Russian government statistics are widely seen as underestimating the output of the country's burgeoning private sector, which often conceals its output to avoid taxes.

Also Tuesday, the ruble continued its slide against the dollar and traders said the market

probably will continue pushing the Russian currency lower.

The dollar was fixed at 1,716 rubles, compared to 1,711 on Monday. For the second straight week, the ruble has fallen to a new record low each day.

Traders said the ruble's steady decline reflects primarily the effect of inflation, which was 9.9 percent for February. They said the central bank has been intervening in the market to keep the downward trend from accelerating.

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Residents wonder why killer was allowed to walk free

By LESLIE DREYFOUS
Associated Press

CHARLOTTE, N.C. As the initial shock subsided Tuesday, a troubling question emerged: Why were the serial stranglings of 14 young black women over a period of two years all but unknown to the people of this city?

The answer, some charge, is obvious.

"These were common, everyday, hard-working individuals," said Dee Sumpter, whose daughter Shawna Hawk was among the victims. "They weren't prominent people with social-economic status. They weren't special."

"And," she added, "they were black."

To many who live and work in the east Charlotte neighborhood where police say Henry Louis Wallace befriended many of his victims, the formula for oversight was a simple one: They don't really count. As the bodies of young women turned up one by one, there were no banner headlines or news

trucks. There were no public crusades or outpourings of support.

The mourning of family and friends went unnoticed. Suddenly motherless children were absorbed into other families without a sound. The list of sisters lost quietly grew longer. And all the while, a killer was free.

"When Shawna was murdered I begged and pleaded with the police to go talk to her friends and former co-workers at Taco Bell," said Mrs. Sumpter, who found her 20-year-old daughter, an aspiring paralegal, strangled in a full bathtub a year ago.

The result: more silence, Mrs. Sumpter said.

"Are you going to tell me that if they had done a little digging Henry's name would not have come up? Are you going to tell me that this doesn't reek of blatant incompetency and racism?"

Police have apologized for not spotting a link between the murders sooner, but say the cases varied enough to throw

them off Wallace's trail. Indeed, until the strangler's pace picked up last week, the deaths were sporadic and not entirely similar. Officials would not comment Tuesday except to say the investigation is under review.

In hindsight, of course, the links are hard to miss. A few months after Wallace moved into town, the first body turned up. As the months wore on the ranks of victims quietly swelled.

Many had worked at fast-food restaurants clustered around Sharon Amity and Albemarle roads, like Wallace had. Many lived in nearby apartment complexes, as Wallace did until things began to disintegrate.

In recent weeks, friends reported, the smooth-talking former radio deejay had been going without sleep and wearing the same clothes day after day.

Some wonder how Wallace, who investigators say is addicted to crack cocaine, was out on the streets at all. On Feb. 4, he was arrested for shoplifting at a mall within walking distance of

most of the murder sites. A computer check might have revealed his lengthy police record, which included sexual assault charges and burglary convictions in two states.

Instead, he was released. A few weeks later, four more women were dead.

"Let's face it," said Barbara Clarke, a young mother who recently moved to Charlotte from New York City. "They weren't doing their job. They might have missed the first connection, or the second, or even the third. But 10? There's something wrong here."

"If the police had just put two and two together, the whole story could have been different," said Audrey Spaulding, a white woman who saw only one explanation for the lapse: "There's prejudice. These were just murders they could push to the back of their files. It's really discouraging."

For the women left behind, it's numbing. They did not know a strangler had been in their midst. Many knew him simply as Henry.

"I think it's just really hard for a lot of people to comprehend how 10 women just perished, like that. And no one really knew," said Robert Kelley, who has watched the news ripple among employees and customers at the dress shop he and his wife run near a complex where two of the stranglings occurred.

"I'm not a police officer," said Kelley, who is white, "but I can't help feeling at least three or four of these deaths could have been avoided."

"I could have been any one of them," said Angela Grooms, 25, who works at the Kelleys' shop. "The Mack girl who died, she lived across from my sister and brother-in-law," added her co-worker, Felicia Haywood, 32.

Everyone agrees it was too close. And everyone is glad that Wallace is off the streets.

"But it will be a while before I get over this other thing," said Grooms. "I feel like they wrote us all off as some fast little black girls who didn't really matter."

Marine Corps drops charges against corporal

Associated Press

QUANTICO, Va. The Marine Corps dropped murder charges against a lance corporal who fatally shot her spurned lover, a fellow Marine who broke into her apartment with a bayonet.

Lance Cpl. Rayna Ross was defending herself when she shot Cpl. Anthony Goree twice, including once in the back. Gen. M.R. Steele said in a ruling released Monday.

In dropping the charges, Steele, commanding general of the Quantico Marine Corps Base, endorsed the findings of a military judge.

"My heart felt like it dropped to my stomach because I've been waiting for this for so long," said Ross, who will be honorably discharged in two weeks. "I'm happy that I can finally go home and be a mother to my daughter."

At a hearing last month, witnesses testified that Goree had threatened and assaulted Ross

before breaking into her apartment June 29.

Ross, 22, testified she began dating the 26-year-old Goree last spring and the relationship soured in June.

"He had gotten jealous, and he started acting strange," she testified.

Maj. Michael Keegan, the military judge, ruled that while Ross fired in self-defense, she was partially responsible because she didn't pursue charges after earlier threats from Goree.

In his brief, Keegan also chastised noncommissioned officers for not telling superiors about the abusive relationship.

According to testimony, Goree was jailed June 15 for allegedly threatening Ms. Ross, including once with a weapon in her base office. He was released a week later after Ross changed her story at the insistence of Goree's friends.

"Her failure to do the right thing and tell the truth played a significant role in this tragedy," Keegan wrote in his brief.

Although ordered to remain on the base, Goree disappeared. Ross, afraid Goree would come looking for her, began staying at friends' homes. She also bought a .38-caliber semiautomatic pistol and returned to her apartment with her 2-year-old daughter.

Goree broke into her bedroom in the early morning, Ross, police and neighbors testified. Ms. Ross' first shot hit Goree in the shoulder. Her second, moments later, hit him in the back.

Goree wore a heavy flight suit and hat and carried a bayonet, said Detective Richard Cantorella of the Prince William County Police Department.

"I didn't have any other choice. I had to protect myself and my daughter," Ross said at the hearing.

County authorities ruled the case justifiable homicide and didn't prosecute. But Ross was charged with first-degree murder in December after an investigation by the Naval Investigative Service uncovered inconsistencies in witnesses' accounts.

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First female wins "macho" Hemingway contest

By MAURA REYNOLDS
Associated Press

LOS ANGELES
"Then she smiled," Bernice Richmond wrote.

"She did not have to smile. She did not have to lick her lips with that tongue, the kind that would not quit. What was she trying to do? Was this her way of being coy at 1 a.m., or was there a poppy seed caught in her teeth?"

Sound bad? You bet. Richmond became the first woman winner of the annual International Imitation Hemingway Competition.

Richmond, who owns a greeting card company in Westfield, N.J., said she used "divergent thinking" to mimic America's paragon of masculinity and compose a pithy passage titled "Here's To You."

"I can get into anybody's head," she said.

The rules for the contest are simple: Send one really good page of really bad Hemingway. Be funny. Be Earnest.

"God only knew," Richmond's entry continued.

"If there was a God. And if there was a God and He knew, He was not talking. And even if He did know and was talking, no one would have been listening. Not here. Not now."

"Short and sweet and wonderfully clever," said author Ray Bradbury, one of a panel of judges that included Hemingway's son, Jack Hemingway, and novelists John Grisham, Willie Morris and Barry Hannah.

Richmond said she saw a bit of Papa Hemingway in her father. "My father was a bit of a male chauvinist, so I guess I understand the whole Hemingway mindset," she said. "It probably helped me win."

When she's not writing testosterone-pumped pastiche, Richmond writes novels and sketches "demented drawings."

The winner of the 14th annual contest was announced Monday at a \$100-a-plate fundraiser for PEN, the writers group that fights censorship. Richmond won two round-trip tickets to Italy and dinner at Harry's Bar & American Grill in Florence.

Waitress' murder baffles police

By STRAT DOUTHAT
Associated Press

HARTFORD, Conn.
Irma Horvath disappeared shortly after arriving for work at an exclusive downtown club, whose members include the governor and the state's top judge. Hours later, her nude, battered body was found in an attic above the Blue Room.

Who would want to kill the 30-year-old waitress? There were no signs of a break-in, and police haven't ruled out the involvement of a University Club employee.

"This is a small, private club and the employees are like family," said Chris Parlapiano, the club's manager. "I feel as if I've lost a sister."

The morning of Feb. 21 was typical for Horvath.

She showed up shortly before 9 a.m. at the club, which has plush leather chairs, a big fireplace, cozy dining rooms with white linen and a large cigar selection.

"There were about 10 of us here," Parlapiano said. "About 30 minutes later, one of her co-workers noticed she wasn't at her usual place. It was a cold

day and her coat and purse were in the club, so we knew she probably hadn't gone outside."

Police using dogs found Horvath's body several hours later in the small, windowless attic above the Blue Room.

"She was found with no clothes, no underwear, and her head was beat," her husband, Kalvan Horvath, told The Hartford Courant. "I couldn't hardly recognize her face. She was so beautiful, but her face looked like a horror movie today."

An autopsy listed the cause of Horvath's death as a blow to the head and strangulation. Police wouldn't say if Horvath was sexually assaulted.

Police have questioned all employees in the club at the time she disappeared, some more than once, Parlapiano said. The investigation is continuing, police Lt. Louis Wolf said.

As far as anyone knows, there were no members around the morning Horvath disappeared, club President Richard Fisher said. No prowlers, either.

"There was no break-in. We have excellent security, including motion sensors that would

have told us if there had been a prowler in the building," Fisher said.

"Nobody knows who did it, but it's clear that the murderer is likely to be a current or former employee."

That the killer might be a fellow worker has struck fear in the hearts of many employees at the 88-year-old club, whose 400 members include Gov. Lowell Weicker and state Supreme Court Justice Ellen Peters.

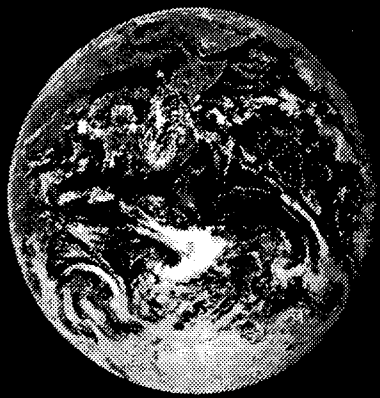
About half of the club's 20 employees left their jobs soon after the body turned up, and some said they wouldn't return until the murderer is captured.

"It might be the person next to you, obviously," Fisher said.

Because so many employees left out of respect for Horvath, the club shut down a day after the killing. Some have returned, and the club reopened Monday. Employees will be allowed back at work as long as their jobs are available, Parlapiano said.

Horvath, a Hungarian immigrant, supported a 2-year-old daughter and her husband, who was injured in a traffic accident several years ago.

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One Pole, two Swedes charged with Picasso theft

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STOCKHOLM, Sweden
Three men were charged Tuesday with stealing works by Pablo Picasso and Georges Braque valued at \$52 million from Stockholm's Modern Art Museum.

Court officials said Krystian Marczak, 24, a Polish citizen, and Kenneth Vikstrom, 23, a Swede, were charged with grand theft and hiding stolen goods.

Marczak's brother Erwin, 23, was charged with being an accomplice to grand theft and receiving stolen goods.

Court officials said they were unsure of Erwin Marczak's citizenship.

"There may be some mas-

termind that we are not aware of," said District Prosecutor Sven-Erik Alhem, indicating more people may have been involved in the November 8 burglary.

The three men were arrested in December, along with another man and a woman, who were freed after an investigation.

Eight paintings and a sculpture were removed from the museum through a hole the thieves sawed in the wooden roof.

Three of the uninsured art works have been recovered.

The world's biggest art theft was in March 1990, when 13 works valued at \$300 million were stolen from the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum in Boston.

Female astronaut wins duel

By MARCIA DUNN
Associated Press

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla.
One of Columbia's astronauts challenged her crewmates to a duel of dexterity Tuesday with the space shuttle robot arm. She won.

Her secret?
"It takes a woman's touch," said astronaut Marsha Ivins, the only woman aboard the shuttle.

She claimed victory during the second round of tests of the new magnetic grappler, strain gauge and targeting system on Columbia's jointed, 50-foot robot arm.

Ivins, Charles "Sam" Gemar and Pierre Thuot took turns using the arm to slide a 10-inch-long peg into increasingly smaller sockets. The tightest clearance was three-hundredths of an inch.

The peg protruded from a bar, 5 feet long and 1 foot wide, that was gripped by powerful electromagnets on the end of the shuttle crane out in the cargo bay.

A sensor measured the force exerted by each crew member, who controlled the arm from inside the cockpit and relied on three video cameras and a mirror for guidance.

The astronauts also practiced inserting the bar into a slot on

a box. It looked as though they were punching in a huge time card, although NASA said it was supposed to simulate the installation of a heat radiator on a space station.

"Marsha came up here and embarrassed all of us and did a great job," Gemar informed Mission Control.

Minutes later, Gemar returned to the robot arm controls for "a chance to redeem myself."

Noted Ivins: "The sure-fire way to get them to do a good job is for me to do it first."

NASA is testing the magnetic grappler, which packs 3,200 pounds of electromagnetic force, for the first time in space. The camera-and-mirror targeting system for the robot arm has flown on a shuttle twice before.

Researchers want to see if magnets work better than the mechanical snares that have been used on shuttle robot arms for 13 years. They say the new system could simplify the handling of satellites — the main robot-arm chore at present — and the construction of an international space station later this decade.

The astronauts will complete the robot arm tests Wednesday.

As the astronauts worked with the robot arm and conducted more medical tests,

researchers on the ground operated Columbia's primary science experiments by remote control: fluid transformation, metal solidification and shuttle-glow observation.

Twice Tuesday, scientists released nitrogen gas from a can in Columbia's open cargo bay.

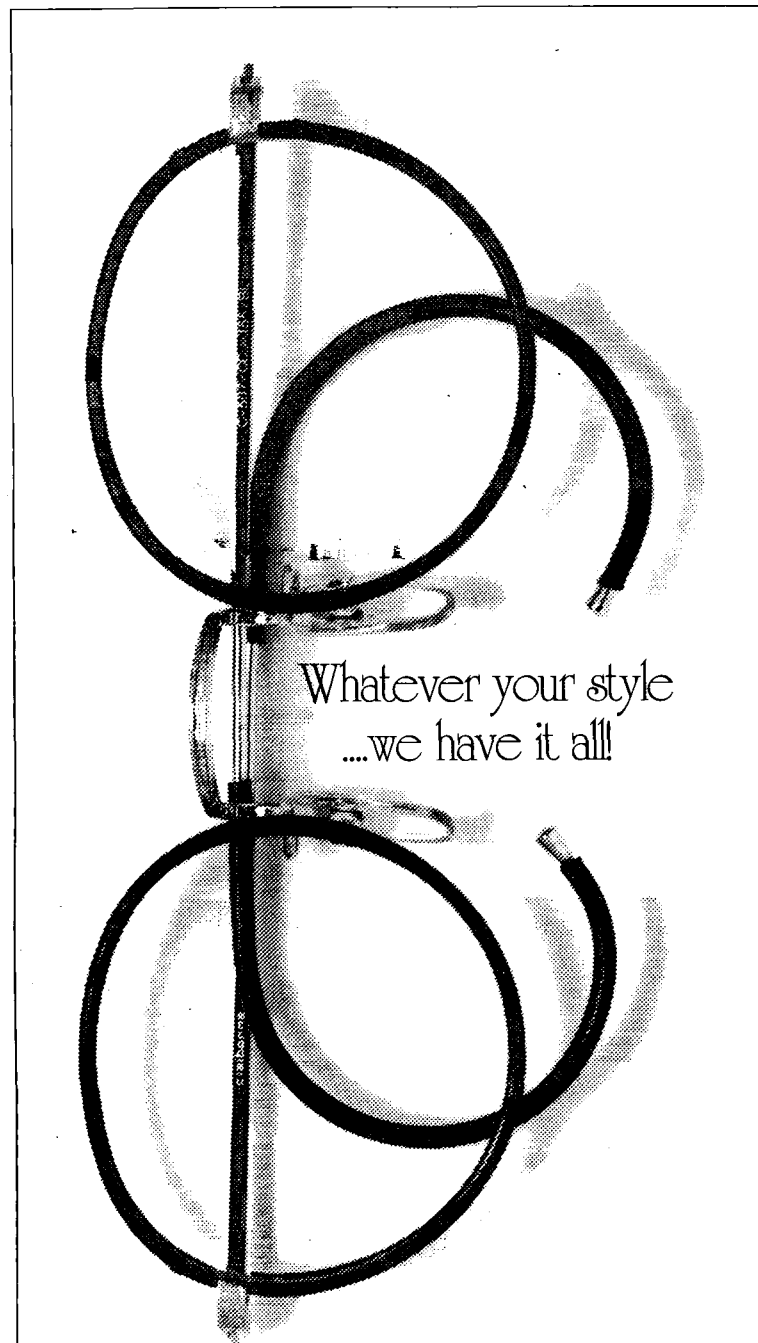
As on Monday, the stream of gas extinguished the natural glow around that part of the shuttle; the glow is the result of molecules of atmospheric gas colliding with orbiting spacecraft.

Columbia is supposed to return to Kennedy Space Center on Friday, 14 days after departing on the research mission.

As for future missions, NASA shuttle director Tom Utsman said Discovery will be sent to Rockwell International's shuttle assembly plant in Palmdale, Calif., next year.

It will be equipped with a mechanism for docking with Russia's Mir space station. Atlantis is undergoing modifications at Palmdale, including the addition of a Mir docking hookup.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Roe v. Wade misunderstood

Dear Editor:

This is a response to Roger Zalneraitis' letter of March 2, 1994. Zalneraitis claims to challenge two points of the *Roe v. Wade* decision: the humanness of a fetus and the right to a first-trimester abortion.

Roe does not expressly address whether an embryo or fetus is "human". The Texas Attorney General argued in the case that the fetus is a "person" protected by the Fourteenth Amendment, but cited no case law in support of this assertion. The U.S. Supreme Court explained that the Constitution does not define "person." But the Court did describe the usage of the word "person" within the Fourteenth Amendment, including where Section 1

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defines "citizens" as "persons born or naturalized in the United States" (emphasis added).

Zalneraitis blamed the trimester framework of *Roe* for unsafe medical facilities and patients' distress. He described two reports of dangerously unsterile medical equipment and facilities as the result of states' inability to regulate first-trimester abortions. *Roe* held that states could not deny a woman's right to choose a first-trimester abortion, the decision imposed no restrictions on how states regulate medical facilities or enforce health codes.

Zalneraitis cites that between 43 and 91 percent of abortion patients experience physical or psychological distress. Abortions are surgical procedures. Physical and psychological distress are to be expected. Moreover, not all distress is attributable to the procedure. Much of the distress experienced by abortion patients result from the social or economic circumstances in which their abortion decisions are made.

Zalneraitis stated, "...[W]omen are not stupid. If abortion was illegal, they could be taught why abortion is wrong, just like anyone else, and therefore not get abortions." No, women are not stupid. Therefore, women do not need abortion to be illegal to conclude from their own reasoning and contemplation whether abortion is wrong. If a woman concludes that abortion is wrong, then she will not have one. Positive law does not define morality. If anything, morality defines positive law.

Zalneraitis described ectopic pregnancies and cancerous pregnancies as situations in which the extraction of fetuses are not considered "abortions" "scientifically." He asserts that this is so because the "fetal death" is a "secondary cause of saving the mother's life." Did this human life which began at conception, the legal abortion of which Zalneraitis described as "justified slaughter", become less "human" because another human life is threatened? What determined the relative worth of the two human lives?

BETTY CHANG
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'Brare' seeks to improve its services

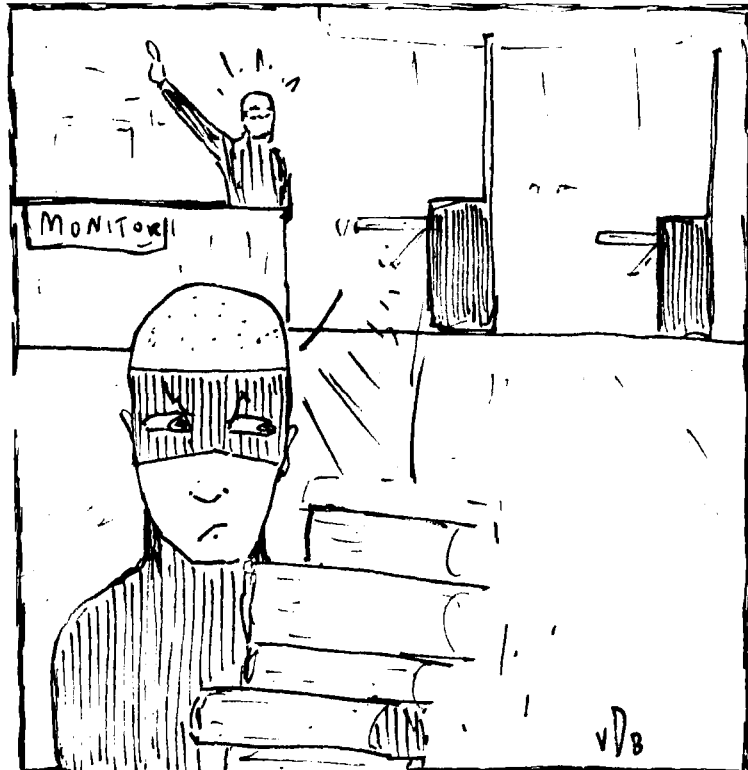
Dear Editor:

Father Edward Malloy is dead right: we must "dramatically improve library services..." The Ad Hoc Committee on University Libraries, which is preparing a report on the Libraries, has noted that in many areas those improvements will require major additional financial commitments. In some areas, however, policy and practice, not resources, are the issue.

The Hesburgh Library's exit control system — described in very exaggerated terms as "the Gestapo of ND" — is one of the areas where improvements in practice can, and will, be effected, without significant expenditures. Edward Imbus's *Inside Column* ("Library monitors: the Gestapo of ND," The Observer, Feb. 25, 1994) highlighted the problem, though in what seemed to some of us as rather extreme and personally insulting language.

Fortunately, earlier comments received from students, along with the Gipper's experiments, had brought the problem to our attention — and we up-front will admit it is a problem. We will be reviewing all our procedures in this area, and they will be revised in the coming months to offer the best feasible combination of consistency, security and efficiency for all. In the longer run, however, the suggestion that a totally new security system is necessary may well be true and we are costing out that option. For a collection in excess of two million volumes we know the costs will not be trivial.

One might ask, why does the 'Brare' bother with this? Why not just let people come and go as they please? If we did that,



the books would also come and go as individuals please, and to allow that would abrogate one of our basic responsibilities; custody of the collections so that all users can have a reasonable chance for use of individual titles.

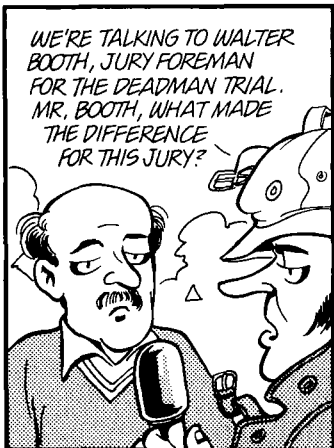
We have all had the frustrating experience of needing a book and not finding it on the shelf or checked out. The chances are considerable that it left the library, inadvertently or deliberately. The library world was shocked several years ago by major book thefts which affected many libraries, including Notre Dame's. We have a responsibility to try to prevent that from happening. Sometimes meeting those responsibilities entails some in-

convenience. You, our users, should expect what we do to be reasonable and consistent, and we will try hard to meet those expectations.

Finally, I want to thank the students who over the past months have brought the problem to our attention and to Edward Imbus and the Gipper for publicly highlighting it. We do care about your library experiences, and are committed to continuing improvements, big and small. We ask for your patience, understanding and cooperation as we strive to meet our responsibilities to both the present and the future.

ROBERT MILLER
Director
University Libraries

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GARRY TRUDEAU QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Christ died for our sins. Dare we make his martyrdom meaningless by not committing them?"

--Jules Feiffer

Birthday wishes must also evolve

My sixth birthday was still a week away, but for the next seven nights, the recurring dream of a giant boxing ring in my front yard, complete with announcers and a ref haunted my mind. I pictured myself pummeling the "I'm big for my age" kid from down the street. The neighborhood would cheer for their kindergarten savior, who would bring fame and riches to his people.



Kris Kazlauskas
Accent columnist

The dream is slightly traceable. You see, I used to be best friends with the kid. About a month before my sixth birthday, however, he accused me of sabotaging his rusty Schwinn, the Model-T of the bike world, and knocked me over. At first, I started to cry, but then the fury in me swirled like a cyclone and I stomped all over his aluminum Star Wars lunch box. He wailed like a baby, and I ran home, happy, sad, angry, and ready to recount the story to my family over a big plate of tater-tots.

Well, I never got that boxing ring, but I did get the baddest looking Huff you ever laid eyes on. It was black with neon red and orange pin-stripes and a "Team Huff" plate on the front. I was now a biker. I was tough. I was street-wise. I was raw and untamed. Nervous parents pulled their little girls in the house when they saw the black-banana-seat hell raiser hurtling at breakneck speeds down the street. That was fourteen years ago.

As I turned twenty on February 28, I realized that I could no longer hide behind the teen image. The realization that childhood had ended hit me like a metal pipe on the knee. I remember how it used to be — "Honey, Kris is making a parachute for the cat out of trash bags."

"Come now, dear, he's only nineteen. You know, Pumpkin, our child is such a frisky lad. He is so wild and carefree. He is like a newborn colt in spring."

Yes (sigh) those days are gone. All I have are the memories, and a bunch of 90210 party invitations that I didn't get to send out this year. My roommates treated me to dinner on Saturday the 26th, and the dining hall served kielbasa and kraut with candles on the 28th, but I was not content. I had planned to have a big party with lots of pringles, a pinata, and nothing but Paula Abdul on the sound system, but at twenty, things just look bleaker now.

The last party I ever had was at the age of twelve. There were about ten kids in all, and we went to Golfland — "If you want family fun, Golfland is a hole-in-one." We were miniature golfing, and around the eleventh hole the pressure to win killed me. The hole was a giant clown head with a wide-open mouth. All I had to do was hit it up the ramp and make it jump into the mouth where it would come out of a hole and roll onto the green. Well, I had a narrow two-stroke lead, but after two unsuccessful tries to hit it into the mouth, I took a full swing, rocketing it off the clown's lip and hitting my mom in the leg. I was grounded for two weeks, but at least I got a bunch of presents.

If my parties were somewhat mellow, my brother's were genuine block parties. His rule of thumb was to invite "friends, foes, and people you don't know." As if the messiah himself was a Kazlauskas, strangers would come bearing gifts. Horseback riding, bowling, and movies were traditional birthday pastimes. The trade-off of Transformers for party favors was something we both could enjoy.

Alas, my childhood has disappeared. I never got a Shogun Warrior, though I wanted one desperately. Yes, they were the tall plastic robots that had missiles that shot out of their head. I guess I can thank my mom for saving me from poking my eye out. Am I emotionally distraught? Indeed. I guess the only thing left to do is to go to my room, listen to "Electric Youth," and sob.

Storytelling Saturday

Myths, legends and songs at the Snite

BY KAREN SHOPOFF
Accent Writer

If you are looking for an interesting way to spend your Saturday morning, go to the Snite Museum's storytelling presentation. The session begins at 10:30 a.m. and includes songs and stories revolving around the theme *Myths and Legends*.

The storytelling and reading program began five years ago, according to Diana Matthias, Assistant Professional Specialist for the Snite Museum of Art. Although the program was small at the beginning, there are now over one hundred participants for every session.

Three storytelling sessions are held each semester. They are based on a central theme or ethnic group.

The storytelling sessions begin in the atrium of the Snite with ten minutes of folk singing, according to Matthias. The idea of beginning the program with songs originated with storyteller Jim Kevin, said Matthias.

"There are stories within folk songs," Matthias said.

Most of the performers now are professional singers, but they perform participatory songs, she said.

After the singing, the group moves from the atrium of the museum to the gallery containing the art which pertains to the geographical area from which the story originated from.

"It's a great way to learn more about the civilizations of the stories and the civilizations of the objects in the museum," said Matthias. "We match the ethnic origin of the story to an object in the collection," she continued.

Unlike the professional folk singers, the storytellers are not professionals. "We just practice," said Matthias. The storytellers are students, faculty, Snite tour guides and members of the community.

The audience is divided into two groups, and they move about the museum depending on the origin of the story. Each storyteller performs twice per session.

The storytellers for this Saturday's session are a graduate student, a professor and two volunteer tour guides. They will be telling stories about Italy, Native Americans and Nigerians.

"The storytellers are sharing their civilizations," Matthias said.



Folk singer Jim Kevin entertains people of all ages at the Snite Museum of Art.

The storytelling program attracts members of the South Bend community. Many parents bring their children, but individuals are encouraged to attend.

Although the attendance at the storytelling sessions pleases the Snite staff, student involvement is low. "We would like to have more student storytellers involved," Matthias said.

Matthias believes that ethnic groups could benefit from organizing a storytelling event. To conclude African-American history month, the Student Alliance held a storytelling evening. The event was a great success, according to Matthias.

"I believe that we should involve students from an ethnic area," Matthias said. Because stories are enhanced with the atmosphere of the Snite, Matthias is willing to work with student groups interested in arranging a storytelling evening.

The groups are free to choose the songs, stories and performers for their event, Matthias said.

"There are loads of ways to use storytelling," according to Matthias. Stories help to explain the works that are part of the Snite Museum's collection.

A video about storytelling has just been produced, according to Matthias.

It discusses the three different ways of telling stories.

"There is storytelling in the gallery, such as the sessions we hold here at the Snite," Matthias said.

"There is also tandem telling, where two people trade off and tell different parts of the story," according to Matthias. One person may describe the parts of the story while the other person inserts the conversation.

The video also shows Matthias describing a painting which tells a story. She points out the changes that were made in the painting from the story from which it originated.

"Many of the paintings and sculptures tell stories," Matthias said. "We have to find how the story changes," she said.

Because of the different facets of storytelling, Matthias encourages students with either singing or speaking abilities to contact her at the Snite. Although the remaining session for this semester is already planned, performers are needed for next fall's programs.

Saturday's session will meet in the Snite Museum's atrium at 10:30 a.m., and it will be one hour of music, stories and traditional art works. The event is free of charge.



Photo Courtesy Snite Museum of Art

Storytellers mesmerize audiences with the magic of folklore, legends and songs every Saturday morning at the Snite.

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Associated Press

NEW YORK

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Also, there he is, posing for a photo with the Razorbacks.

President Clinton, former governor of Arkansas, is hog-wild over the Razorbacks, the nation's second-ranked college basketball team and the top seed in the NCAA Midwest Regional tournament which begins Thursday.

Clinton is such a rabid Razorbacks' rooter that he's planning to be at Charlotte, N.C., next month if Arkansas makes it to the Final Four.

"If they go, I'm going," the President is quoted as saying in this week's SI.

If not, "I just may go anyway," he said.

The President, who was a reserve on the Oxford University B team when he was a Rhodes Scholar from 1968 to 1970, talks like a basketball junkie.

For example:

"It's a fabulous game, isn't it?" he said. "It makes me wish I were two inches taller and 20 pounds lighter. With a 4-foot vertical jump, I could be doing something else."

He was "a little too chunky and slow to be very commendable on the basketball court" at Oxford.

"If you look, you'll see Georgia's turnover are 22 and Arkansas' points off turnovers are 31," he said, after watching on tape the Razorbacks' 95-83 victory over the Bulldogs in the quarterfinals of the recent Southeastern Conference tournament. "... Here we are five minutes from the end of the game, we're up by five now. They are playing this half-court trap defense that worked very well. They got about three charges, which really helped them."

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Upsets pave way for Graf in Lipton

By STEVEN WINE
Associated Press

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla.

Upsets eliminated Steffi Graf's three foremost challengers Tuesday at the Lipton Championships.

Two-time defending champion Arantxa Sanchez Vicario, Gabriela Sabatini and Jana Novotna - seeded second, third and fourth - all departed in the space of less than three hours.

The quarterfinal results left only longshots to face the top-seeded Graf, who beat No. 5 Kimiko Date 6-1, 6-1.

Graf has won 30 consecutive matches and 53 sets in a row. Her dominance underscores a predictability and lack of depth that have hampered women's tennis in the absence of Monica Seles and Jennifer Capriati.

The wave of upsets provided a rare jolt.

"I hope all of women's tennis gets maybe a little bit more recognized," said 17-year-old Californian Lindsay Davenport, who beat Sabatini 6-1, 6-2. "Maybe some more players will be pushed into the media and the public's knowledge."

The biggest stunner ousted Sanchez Vicario, who squandered five consecutive match points and lost to Brenda Schultz 1-6, 7-6 (8-6), 6-3.

"I have the match in my hands," Sanchez Vicario said, "but it went away."

Novotna blew a 4-0 lead in the second set against Natalia Zvereva, who won 7-6 (7-5), 7-6 (7-4).

Zvereva will play Schultz in Thursday's semifinals. Davenport will face the winner of Tuesday night's match between Graf and Kimiko Date.

The top men weren't immune to upsets. Unseeded Australian Patrick Rafter beat eighth-ranked Michael Chang 6-2, 6-7 (2-7), 6-2.

Softball

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afternoon Battersby would struggle, giving up five earned runs and seven hits in three and a half innings of relief as the Irish fell to Creighton 9-5.

Senior Stephanie Pinter went 2 for 3 with an RBI to lead Notre Dame at the plate. Starting pitcher Kobata picked up the loss, going over three innings, striking out five and allowing one earned run.

The Irish recovered the next morning as Elizabeth Perkins went 3-for-4 with a two-run home-run to lead the Irish past Sam Houston 5-3. Senior Carrie Miller went the distance for the win.

However, the Irish again struggled in the afternoon game, falling 5-3 to North Carolina. Kobata was saddled with the loss, giving up four runs but striking out seven.

Notre Dame opened elimination-tournament play in College Station with a 4-2 win over Tulsa. Hayes smacked a three-run homer in the third inning and Battersby pitched a complete game to earn her third victory. The Irish were then eliminated by their hosts, the

14th-ranked Aggies, 8-0.

Leaving Texas 3-3, Notre Dame headed for Tampa. The Irish struggled in the South Florida Tournament, winning only one of their five games. The win saw Kobata pick up her fourth collegiate perfect game as she aced No. 24 Robert Morris 18-0.

The game was packed with offensive highlights, as Hayes went 3-for-4 with a home-run, double and five RBI. Pinter drove in three runs on a 2-for-4 performance, and senior short-stop Christy Connoyer was a perfect 3-for-3.

Through the rest of the tourney the Irish struggled. No. 21 Illinois-Chicago knocked Battersby out of the box with a seven-run first inning en route to a 7-0 win. A trio of freshman helped second-rated UCLA rout Notre Dame 12-0.

The Irish finished the tournament edged by Penn State 5-4 and despite a nine strikeout performance by Kobata, were shutout by No. 9 Florida State 3-0.

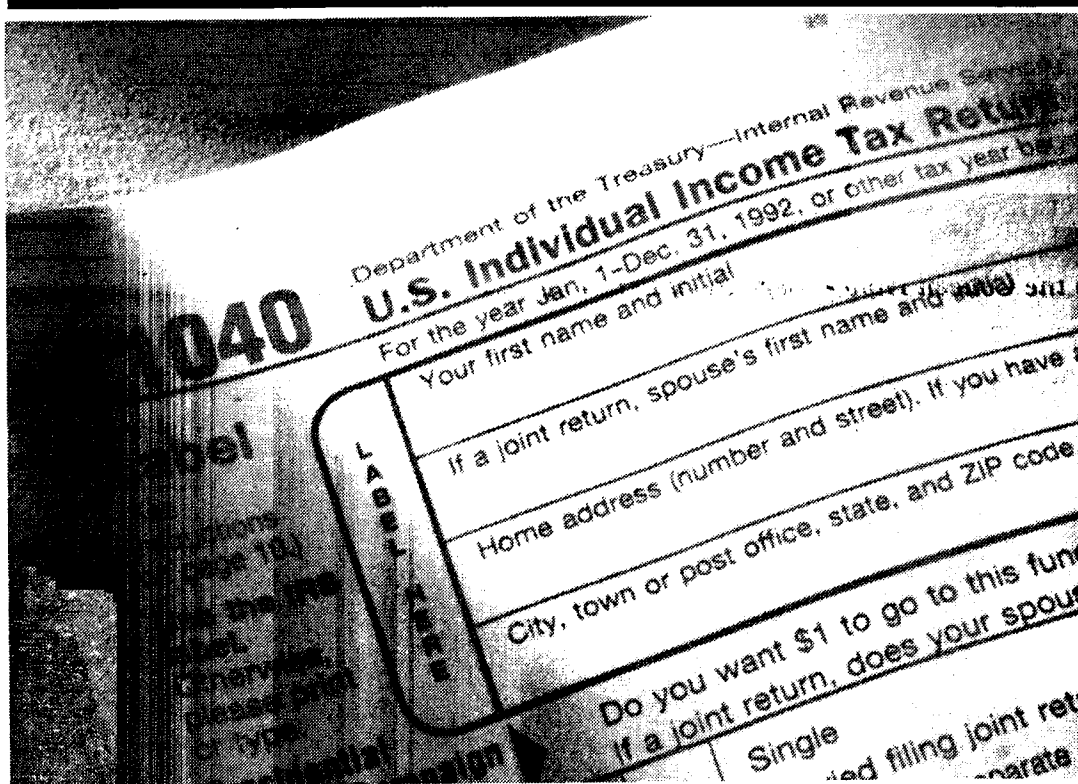
Notre Dame must now prepare for regional competition in this Thursday's home opener against Bowling Green and the weekend's Sycamore Classic against host Indiana State, Valparaiso, and Evansville.



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Sophomore pitcher Terri Kobata fanned 54 batters in Notre Dame's spring break travels, but she received little run support in landing a 1-3 record.

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Braves release injured Gant in dispute over salary

By BEN WALKER
Associated Press

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. Injured outfielder Ron Gant was released by the Atlanta Braves on Tuesday, throwing his future in doubt and touching off a dispute about how much money the team must pay him.

Gant, coming off career-highs of 36 homers and 117 RBIs last season, broke his right leg Feb. 3 in a dirt-bike accident. The injury, which could sideline him until the All-Star break, came one week after he signed a one-year, \$5.5 million contract.

"Since he is unavailable to perform as a result of this acci-

dent and, according to our doctors, will be rehabilitating for an extended period of time, we have decided to take this action," Braves general manager John Schuerholz said.

"This is an unfortunate and sad day for us, but nonetheless, this is our decision," he said.

By cutting Gant before 2 p.m. EST, the Braves were to owe him only 30 days' termination pay, about \$906,593. But Braves president Stan Kasten said the owners' Player Relations Committee had advised the team not to pay Gant at all.

The Braves could argue that Gant violated his contract by putting himself at risk. Gant's

agent, Eric Goldschmidt, said this week that he would file a grievance if Gant was cut, meaning an arbitrator may decide how much the Braves must pay.

Gant, 29, has averaged almost 30 home runs, 97 RBIs and 31 steals in the last four years. Without him, the Braves will try to win their fourth straight division title this season with either young Tony Tarasco, Ryan Klesko or Chipper Jones in Gant's spot in left field.

"I'm sad and upset," Braves manager Bobby Cox said. "He's going to be a tough guy to replace."

Any team can claim Gant off waivers until 2 p.m. EST Fri-

day, but would have to pay him his full salary. If Gant is not claimed, he is free to work out a deal with any club at any price. That includes the Braves, and Schuerholz said Atlanta might think about signing him if he is healthy.

There was speculation that the two-time World Series champion Toronto Blue Jays, who only have Rob Butler and other youngsters in left field, would consider Gant, but general manager Pat Gillick said no.

"We don't have any interest," Gillick said Tuesday.

Gant was drafted by the Braves out of high school at age

18, and has spent his entire career with them. He broke into the majors in 1987 and has 147 homers, 480 RBIs and a .262 average.

"It is emotional for me thinking about not being a Brave. But I realize baseball is a business," Gant said earlier this week.

At the time of Gant's injury, the Braves said he would be out from 3-5 months. His right leg, broken in two places, was examined by team orthopedic surgeon Joe Chandler on Monday, and no change in his condition was reported.

Schuerholz and Kasten called Gant shortly before noon with their decision.

Jordan makes debut behind the plate

Associated Press

SARASOTA, Fla. Michael Jordan didn't play Tuesday, but the Chicago White Sox outfielder donned a catcher's mask to warm up pitcher James Baldwin before the sixth inning against the New York Yankees.

Jordan, who got his first spring training hit in 15 at-bats Monday, took over the catching while White Sox regular Ron Karkovics was putting his gear on between innings.

"With no hair, you really can't tell if he has a helmet on," White Sox manager Gene Lamont said. "When he first

went down (behind the plate), I wasn't sure he'd get up. He was kind of like a giraffe trying to get off the ground."

"I'm glad James didn't throw too hard," Lamont added.

Jordan said he caught briefly in high school, the last time he played organized baseball before trying out for the White Sox.

"I wasn't a very good catcher," Jordan said. "Every time the bat came through, my eyes closed."

Jordan did not start Tuesday's game, but was on deck with two out in the eighth. Glenn DiSarcina struck out to end the inning, and was booed by fans who wanted to see Jordan hit. The White Sox won 6-5.

Canseco denies attempting suicide

Associated Press

FORT WORTH, Texas Jose Canseco was so upset over the crumbling of his personal and professional lives that he considered committing suicide, although the Texas Rangers slugger says he never tried killing himself.

"The last two years were a total nightmare," Canseco told Fort Worth Star-Telegram columnist Jim Reeves in a column published today. "When the bottom really fell out was that period from about four or five months after I was traded until about six or eight months ago."

"Sure, I thought about suicide. It crossed my mind several times, but it never got to the point where I sat in the dark with a gun in my hand, or a bottle of pills. It was a bad time, but getting through it makes you a stronger person."

Canseco is in the Rangers spring training camp in Port Charlotte, Fla., dedicated to re-

gaining the form that made him one of baseball's superstars in the late 1980s.

His career has been on the decline for several years, with injuries and off-field woes mostly to blame.

He says the problems began in 1992 in Oakland, continued through the trade to Texas that fall, his painful divorce and the career-threatening elbow injury.

Within one week last season, Canseco made blooper-reel history when a fly ball bounced off his head for a home run then he tore his right elbow pitching.

He had surgery on the elbow in July and says he's 70 percent healed. Coaches say he's regained his bat speed and Canseco again is using the heavy bat he swung in his heyday.

Canseco also says he's happier these days thanks in part to a professional therapist who helped him work out of an 18-month depression.

"It's better," Canseco said.

Kruk to start radiation therapy for cancer

Associated Press

CLEARWATER, Fla. Philadelphia Phillies first baseman John Kruk, who had a cancerous testicle removed last week, will start radiation therapy next week to try and keep the cancer from spreading.

Kruk will leave the Phillies spring training camp Wednesday and is expected to be in

Philadelphia Thursday for routine tests that are necessary before the treatment can begin, team spokesman Larry Shenk said.

The month-long treatment will begin Monday at Thomas Jefferson University Hospital. Kruk is expected to be out of the lineup until mid-May.

Doctors had given Kruk the option of having the radiation therapy or waiting and then checking every two months to make sure he was cancer-free. Kruk made the decision Tuesday morning to have the radiation.

"I figure it's best to do it and get it over with," Kruk said in a statement released through the team.

Doctors found cancer in Kruk's right testicle after he complained of continuing pain that he thought was associated with being struck in the groin by an errant throw from former Phillies reliever Mitch Williams last July.

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Robinson focused on tournament

By STEVE HERMAN
Associated Press

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind.

Has Glenn Robinson played his last game in Mackey Arena?

The nation's scoring leader and the Big Ten's most valuable player steadfastly refuses to say whether he'll return to Purdue for his senior season or jump to the NBA for instant wealth.

Whatever he decides, he says, will not be determined by the No. 3-ranked Boilermakers' fate in the NCAA tournament.

"I didn't say it was my last game here, but if it is, it's a nice way to go out on a victory," the 6-foot-8 Robinson said after his career-high 49 points carried Purdue over Illinois 87-77 on Sunday.

The win gave the Boilermakers (26-4) the Big Ten championship and the No. 1 seed in the NCAA Southeast regional. They'll open on Thursday at Lexington, Ky., against Central Florida.

"We're playing great right now," Robinson said. "That's the way you have to be playing going into the tournament. ... Rankings don't mean nothin'."

On Monday, Robinson was named the conference player of the year and Gene Keady was named Big Ten coach of the year. To no one's surprise, Robinson also was named the Boilermakers MVP at the team banquet Monday night.

He led the nation in scoring at 30.3 points a game, and Purdue won nine of its last 10 games to overtake both Michigan and Indiana for its first conference title since 1988.

"Three weeks ago, we thought we were dead in the water as far as winning the championship," Keady said. "But we never gave up, we hung in there."

Robinson scored a conference record 560 points this season and was second in rebounds with an average of 10.1 per game. He was named Big Ten player of the week for a record fifth time after his 49-point performance against the Illini.

"It is unusual for a team to win a championship with the nation's leading scorer," Keady said. "But the team has done a tremendous job of protecting him and helping him. He gets the ball to them, too."

Pitino senses Kentucky peaking at right time

By MIKE EMBRY
Associated Press

LEXINGTON, Ky.

Kentucky appears ready to make another run to the Final Four.

"I think we're at the point where we were last year," said forward Rodrick Rhodes. "We feel good about ourselves."

The Wildcats (26-6) are coming off a Southeastern Conference tournament championship that included victories over then-No. 1 Arkansas 90-78 in the semifinals and No. 14 Florida 73-60 in the final.

"Right now I feel we're at our highest point of the season," said Kentucky coach Rick Pitino, who sends his third-seeded team against No. 14 Tennessee State (19-11) in the first round of the Southeast Regional at St. Petersburg, Fla., on Friday.

Besides winning the three tourney games by an average 14.7 points, the Wildcats made 30 of 95 shots from 3-point

range and forced opponents to turn the ball over more than 17 times.

Kentucky swept through the SEC tournament a year ago before going on a tear in the Southeast Regional, winning four times by an average of 31 points in reaching the Final Four in New Orleans.

Pitino said his team is better focused. It has also improved its spacing on offense, defensive effort and foul shooting.

"Time heals all wounds," he said. "And it was a matter of time before a young team will develop."

Forward Jeff Brassow believes Kentucky's pressing defense can make a difference in the next two weeks.

"If we make our press a factor in the tournament as we have in the past three weeks, we'll have a chance of going all the way," he said.

Kentucky guard Travis Ford, the MVP in the SEC tourney for the second straight year, said the Wildcats aren't consciously trying to shoot a lot of 3s.

Carolina hoping that Williams has hit stride

By DAVID DROSCHAK
Associated Press

CHAPEL HILL, N.C.

When North Carolina's coaches gathered back in November to pick the team's most improved player from a season ago, an unlikely candidate emerged - Donald Williams.

Last year's MVP of the Final Four, whose outside shooting had carried the Tar Heels to the NCAA championship, had toned his skills even further.

But what started out as a promising campaign turned to mid-season disappointment. Williams missed nine games with a foot and shoulder injury. And his shot that had produced 25-point games against Kansas and Michigan in the Final Four disappeared when he returned.

Top-ranked North Carolina (27-6) suddenly became a vulnerable team as opponents began packing defenses around its 7-footers.

But coach Dean Smith hopes a top-notch performance in a

regular-season finale win at Duke and a strong Atlantic Coast Conference tournament will give Williams needed confidence.

With North Carolina clinging to a two-point lead Sunday, Williams hit a clutch shot in the lane with 45 seconds left in the ACC title game against Virginia that helped propel the Tar Heels to victory and an automatic bid to the postseason.

Top-seeded North Carolina begins its 20th straight NCAA tournament Friday against Liberty, winner of the Big South, at the East Regional in Landover, Md.

"Now it looks like (Donald) is back at the defensive end and in some ways offensively," Smith said Tuesday. "But in some ways he may be trying to do too many things to prove he's back."

Williams was averaging better than 20 points a game in December before tendinitis in his foot sidelined him over the holidays.

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Tulane denied access to the Big Dance

Associated Press

EVANSVILLE, Ind. Tulane faces some soul-searching before it takes on Evansville in the first round of the National Invitation Tournament on Wednesday night, Green Wave coach Perry Clark said.

Tulane (17-10) has to rebound from a dispiriting loss to Southern Mississippi in the opening round of the Metro Conference Tournament last week and prepare for Evansville (21-10) on the Aces' home court, Clark said.

"Whenever you lose, you hurt a little bit. The only way to get

rid of the hurt is to go out and beat somebody. We were tight against Southern Miss and it cost us," Clark said.

The NIT is not the way either team had set out to end their seasons. Both had hoped to make the 64-team NCAA Tournament field for the third year in a row. But now, both teams hope to go far in the 32-team NIT.

"We don't look at it as a negative, but as a positive," Clark said. "The main thing is to get better for next year."

Evansville lost what faint hopes it harbored for an NCAA berth with its loss to Detroit Mercy in the championship

game of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference Tournament a week ago in Indianapolis. The Aces did some soul-searching of their own.

"We did a lot of thinking about that game (loss to Detroit)," said Andy Elkins, Evansville's leading scorer. "But by Friday, we were all ready to practice. There were no more letdowns."

One reason Tulane left the Metro tournament early was that LaVeldro Simmons, a 6-foot-4 sophomore who had averaged 18 points in the Green Wave's previous 10 games, went 1-for-12 from the field against Southern Mississippi.

Northwestern to host Battle of Chicago

By RICK GANO

Associated Press

EVANSTON, Ill.

Northwestern is just grateful to be in the NIT, to be anywhere in the post season after a long history of losing basketball.

The Wildcats are also grateful to the Grateful Dead for giving them a first-round home game Wednesday night against Chicago rival DePaul.

With the much larger Rosemont Horizon, DePaul's home arena, booked for a "Dead" concert, the game will be played at the 8,117-seat Welsh Ryan Arena in Evanston.

Northwestern's home court can do some rocking and rolling of its own, although the only instruments belong to the school's loud pep band.

"The way our home court has gotten, the crowd is really active, particularly at a time when you're playing an emotional game," said Northwestern coach Ricky Byrdsong. "But the emotion of the game outweighs the fact you're at your home court."

The Wildcats (14-13) clinched their first winning season in 11 years by beating Michigan on Saturday and also defeated NCAA tournament teams Wisconsin and Illinois at home.

DePaul (16-11) and its fans will receive only about 800 tickets to the game.

"I think it will be exciting to play there," said DePaul's Tom Kleinschmidt, who grew up in the Chicago area and is now the Blue Demons' leading scorer.

"I'd go there in grade school and high school to see Indiana because I was a big Indiana fan."

While Northwestern is ecstatic to be in a post-season tournament, DePaul had hoped to play well enough for an NCAA bid. The Blue Demons didn't and were beaten in the first round of the Great Midwest tournament last week.

Byrdsong doesn't think the Blue Demons will be down, once the game starts.

"I guarantee when the ball goes up with this being a big intra-city rivalry, the game can't help be full of emotion. DePaul will be psyched to play, if not already," Byrdsong said.

Emotional states are something Byrdsong became familiar with during this, his first season at Northwestern. He took a four-game leave of absence after strangely wandering into the stands during a game at Minnesota, slapping hands with fans and the opposing mascot.

During the season, the Wildcats won their first nine games, then lost their first nine in the league. During Byrdsong's absence they were 2-2 and then were 3-3 once he returned. They played their best basketball in the final weeks.



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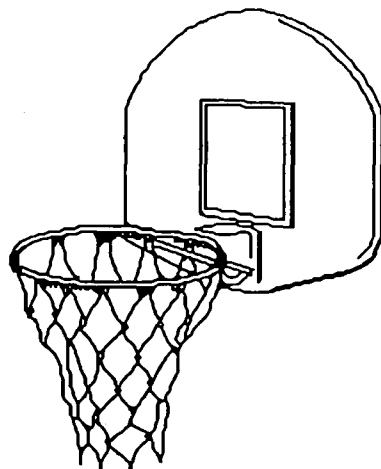
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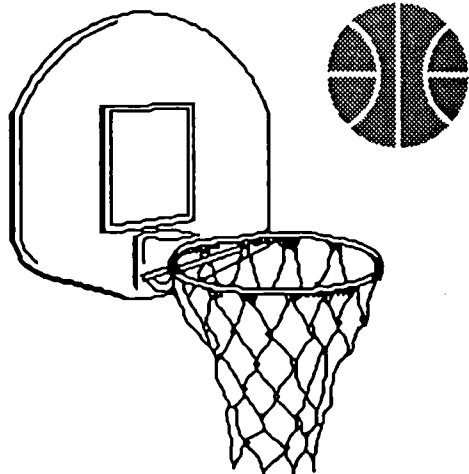
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Kinder sprints to fourth place finish

By DOMINIC AMOROSA
Sports Writer

Expectations sometimes don't turn out as planned. Over spring break, the Notre Dame track team found out that it's tough to fulfill some lofty expectations.

The Irish traveled to Princeton University to compete against 68 other teams in the prestigious individual race. The team finished 8th, but according to head coach Joe Piane, the team could have finished in the top five.

"It was fair," said Piane. "It was not as good as we anticipated. Everyone competed well, but if we could have performed a little better we would have finished top five."

One of the bright spots for the Irish was freshman sprinter Randy Kinder, who finished 4th in the 200 m. Kinder's time of 21.77 placed him first in his heat, but 4th overall.

Including Kinder, the Irish had only five top five finishes in the meet. Junior Nate Ruder finished 4th in the 3,000m. Classmate Jeff Hojnecki placed 5th in the 1,000m and senior Todd Herman completed the high jump with a 4th place finish.

Piane credited the distance medley relay team with a good performance. The team, consisting of junior Joe Royer, se-

nior Chris Lilly and sophomores Keith O'Brien and Andy Burns, finished 4th in the meet.

Princeton's 200 m track was smaller than the Irish were used to at Loftus, but Piane didn't think it had too much of an effect.

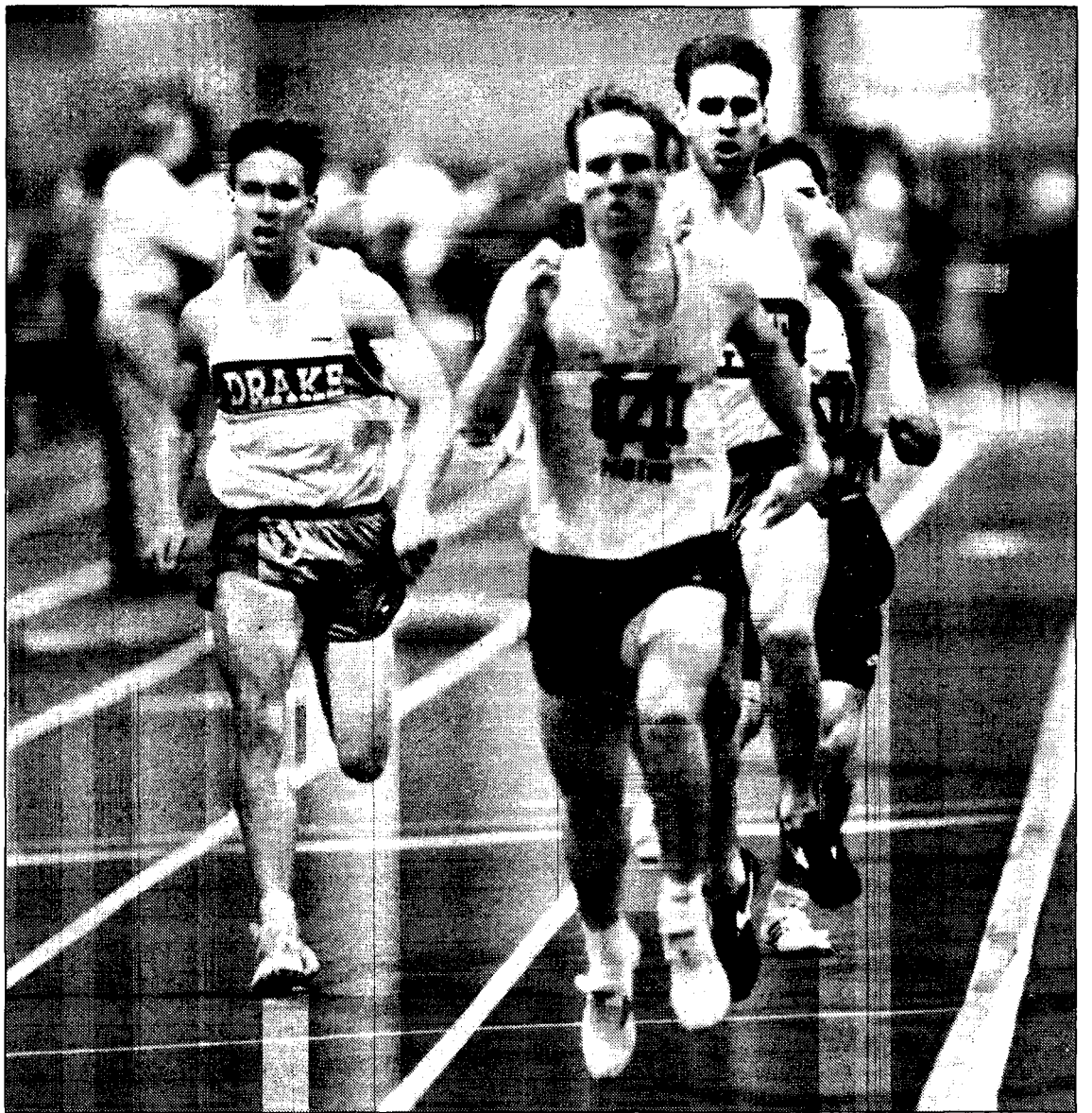
"It was a big adjustment for me to run on the 200 m track," commented Kinder. "It affected me and I didn't perform as well as I could have because I wasn't prepared for it."

"It a good experience and I had fun," added Kinder.

Besides the IC4A's, Kinder competed in the NCAA Championships in Indianapolis on March 11-12. He placed 3rd in his heat in the 200 meter dash with a time of 21.53. Although his time was not good enough to advance to the finals, Piane thought it was a success.

"It's pretty amazing to make it to NCAA's considering only 2 percent of all the competing track athletes are invited to attend," explained Piane. "Four of our athletes qualified provisionally, but Kinder was the only one who got a bid."

Kinder will miss the next five weeks of the track season to concentrate on football, but the rest of the team begins their outdoor season the weekend of March 25-26. That weekend, Piane plans to split the team in three for three invitational meets at Purdue, Eastern Kentucky and North Carolina.



Junior distance specialist Nate Ruder placed fourth in the 3000 meter race in the prestigious Princeton invitational.

Men's volleyball to face tough task in Michigan

By G.R. NELSON
Sports Writer

After a three week hiatus, the Notre Dame men's volleyball team returns to action today when it faces a strong University of Michigan squad at 7:30 at the Thunderpit in the Joyce Athletic and Convocation Center.

The Irish (8-1) hope to continue where they left off before the break, playing great volleyball. However, Notre Dame will not be able to slip comfortably back into the groove. Instead, if they intend to win, the team must come out playing well against a quality Wolverine team.

"This will be one of our toughest matches of the year," said a now-healthy captain Brian Ceponis.

In fact, Ceponis used the lay-off to rehabilitate his ailing right knee, and he now expects no further problems from his knee. One problem he and coach Jennifer Slosar are aware of is coming out rusty after their time off.

"It will be tough playing so soon after the break," added Ceponis. To combat this, the Irish have had some of their toughest practices of the year, including a three hour marathon last night.

Notre Dame respects Michigan, but they also believe that they, not Michigan, will determine the outcome of the match.

"If we play our game," said Ceponis, "we will be fine." Notre Dame's strength centers around establishing the middle early with Ceponis and senior Leo Casas, then having setter

Chris Fry distribute the ball to the open man on the outside. Late in the game, outside hitters Matt Strottman and Tom Kovats will face single blocks. This is a mismatch of which the Irish always take advantage.

"It will be fun to get back in the flow," added freshman center hitter Mike Irvine. "And even more fun to win."

They should, but it will not be easy against a strong Michigan squad.

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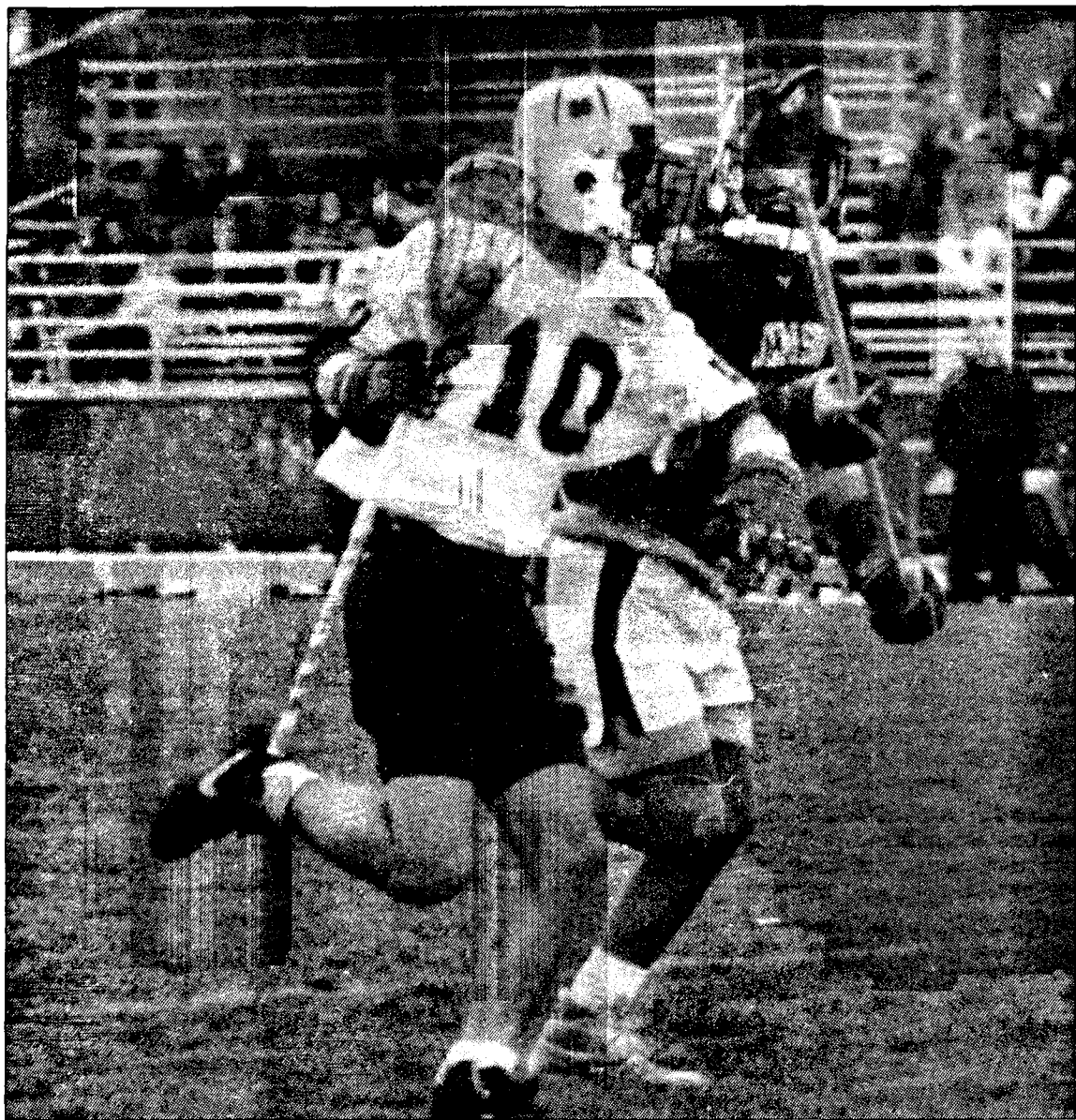
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Notre Dame was dealt a severe blow when senior midfielder Willie Sutton was lost for the season in last week's action.

The Observer/John Bingham

Lacrosse team feels the pain of Eastern swing

By TIM SHERMAN
Sports Writer

Lacrosse is a pretty tough game.

Just ask coach Kevin Corrigan or any of his players, especially Willie Sutton, Todd Bialous, or Marc Pasquale.

All three Irish midfielders sustained injuries during Notre Dame's opener against Penn St.

The losses of Sutton (fractured leg), Bialous, and Pasquale (hamstring) showed, especially in Notre Dame 15-8

loss to Georgetown.

"It's real tough," said Corrigan. "All three are guys that we were relying on in the midfield and their absence really showed. We're going to need some middies to step up."

Sutton, the team top offensive threat from the midfield, and Bialous, a long-sticked middie, will both be lost for the remainder of the year.

"It's terrible to see," stated Corrigan. "It's even tougher because both guys love to play lacrosse."

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different story.

"As good as we played against Rutgers, we played just as bad against Georgetown," noted Corrigan.

"We just didn't play well and it showed," said Colley. "They were a lot more mentally prepared after last year (an Irish victory)."

A 60-34 edge in groundballs to Georgetown summarized the contest.

In addition, Hoyas Chris Remington and Damon Vettori (combined 8 points) converted many of these possessions into scores.

After an even first period, a lackluster second quarter did in the Irish. Georgetown outscored Notre Dame 7-1 to take a commanding 9-3 lead.

With each team tickling the twine twice more in the third, the Irish needed a strong final frame.

They crawled back it into on the strength of Colley and Bill Hogan goals, but that would be as close as they would get, as Georgetown rattled off four more goals to end any hopes of an Irish comeback.

"All in all, the way we look at things is that we've played three top twenty teams and have won two," said Corrigan. "We have some things to work on, but so far I'm satisfied."

Sullivan award winner Ward downplays 'Game of Century'

By STEVE HERMAN

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS

Florida State's mega-hyped Game of the Century against Notre Dame seems like, well, at least a century ago.

It was the only loss for the Seminoles, who went on to their first national championship with an Orange Bowl victory over Nebraska. Quarterback Charlie Ward won the Heisman Trophy as the nation's top college football player, and

he completed the triple crown with the Sullivan Award on Monday night as the nation's outstanding amateur athlete for 1993.

He is only the third football player to win the Sullivan in the 64-year history of the award.

"That game in South Bend is really not a factor right about now," Ward said of the 31-24 loss to the Irish last November. "Even then, after we won the national championship, it was less of a factor."

"All the things that we accomplished during that game helped us out in the long run. We were down a lot of points and came back," he said.

Ward was 31-of-50 for 297 yards and three touchdowns, including two in the second half as the Seminoles rallied from a 24-7 deficit. Florida State drove to the Irish 14 in the closing seconds before a pass by Ward was batted down at the 3 as time ran out.

"We came back and won the national championship. Some people thought we shouldn't have won it, but the Lord saw fit that we win it, and I'm very happy I was on that team. A lot of people can't say that," Ward said.

For the season, Ward passed for 3,032 yards and 27 touchdowns with only four interceptions in 327 attempts. After the

18-16 bowl win, in which he was the MVP, he joined the Seminoles' basketball team and started 16 games at point guard, averaging 10.5 points a game.

Ward was among 10 finalists for the Sullivan, presented each year since 1930 by the U.S. Amateur Athletic Union. He also is the first football player to win the Sullivan since Army teammates Doc Blanchard in 1945 and Arnold Tucker in 1946 and the first winner from a team sport since baseball's Jim Abbott in 1987.

"I haven't accomplished everything I want to accomplish," Ward said.

"This is the amateur level. I've done everything possible on the amateur level, but I want to take it to the next level. If I can accomplish just half the things I accomplished in the amateur ranks I'll be a very happy person."

"Even if I don't, I'm still going to be happy," he said.

He still doesn't know — or won't say — whether he'll try to play in the NFL or the NBA.

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determined not to let this scoring machine end their season.

"She was the player-of-the-year in the Big Ten," noted Irish head coach Muffet McGraw. "She is a real threat who can score from everywhere but behind the three-point line. She plays a lot with her back to the basket, and she can just turn and shoot. She's smart, and gets to the free throw line around eight times a game."

McGraw recognizes that they can only hope to contain Shudlick, yet she's not ready to overhaul her normal defensive

style to slow down the Minnesota star.

"We're going to work on our normal defense; not do anything special," said McGraw. "We realize we need to contain Shudlick, but we can't overlook the rest of the Minnesota team. They're too good a team."

McGraw will assign junior Letitia Bowen to guard Shudlick, and will hope that the Irish defense as a whole stays true to its form. For the season, Notre Dame's defense has limited opponents to just over 66 points per game, holding the opposition to 60 points or less on nine occasions this season. Bowen currently ranks tenth on the Notre Dame career list with 131 steals.

In addition to Shudlick, Minnesota also boasts Shannon Loebli, who averages 12.4 points a game, and Crystal Flint, who averages 11.6 points.

While Notre Dame does not have a truly dominant scorer, they do have a rapidly developing star and a great depth.

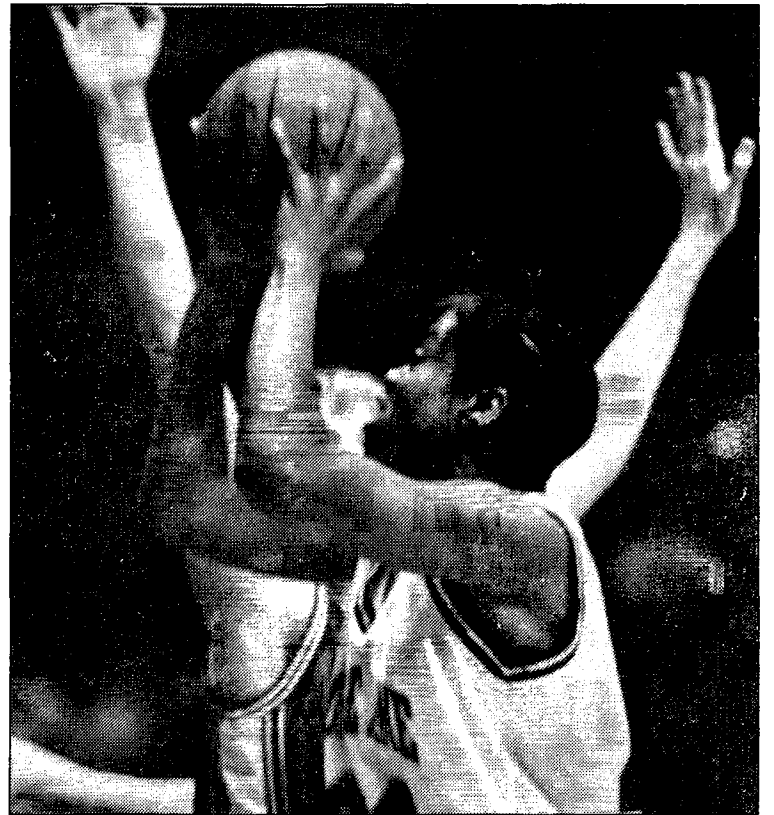
Freshman guard Beth Morgan has averaged 17.6 points per game this season, and has developed to the point where she can be expected to lead the team in scoring every night out. She has all the tools necessary for success, and is a pure shooter who could very well become a dominant player such as Shudlick by her senior year.

Notre Dame is not all about Morgan, however, and has a great deal of depth on its roster. Bowen scores 10.6 points and pulls down 9.6 rebounds a game, and senior Tootie Jones averages an even 10 points and 5.8 rebounds per game. Senior Kara Leary is a point guard in the truest sense, and sophomore forward Carey Poor is emerging as a scoring threat as well as a force on the boards.

Poor has managed to score 8.6 points in just 17.3 minutes per game, and has been especially hot lately, hitting a mind-boggling 23 of her last 25 shots. The 6-0 sophomore recently eclipsed Irish assistant coach Karen Robinson's consecutive basket record, draining 17 straight shots to shatter Robinson's 1989 mark of 13.

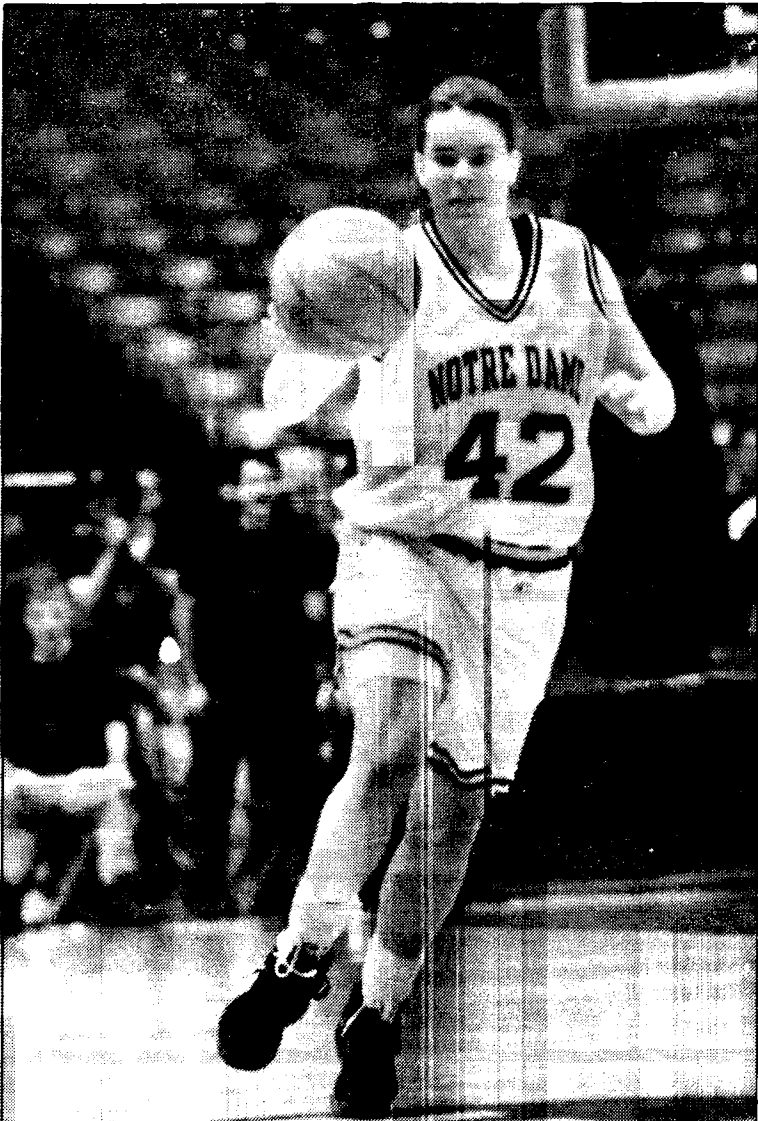
"I think we're mentally ready to play," said Poor. "We have higher expectations than the first round of the NCAA's, but we're taking it one game at a time. Tournament time is where you have to play as a team, not just as five individuals. I think our depth is our strong point, and I'm excited about playing at home tonight. We should have a good outing."

McGraw, who calls this "the best game I've ever coached," is also excited about her team's chances, and feels that they are ready to go.




The Observer/Kyle Kusek

Senior forward Tootie Jones hopes to lead the Irish frontcourt on the boards in her final home game at Notre Dame.



The Observer/Eric Ruethling

Sophomore forward Carey Poor has become the most efficient player for the Irish, having knocked down 23 of her last 25 field goal attempts.



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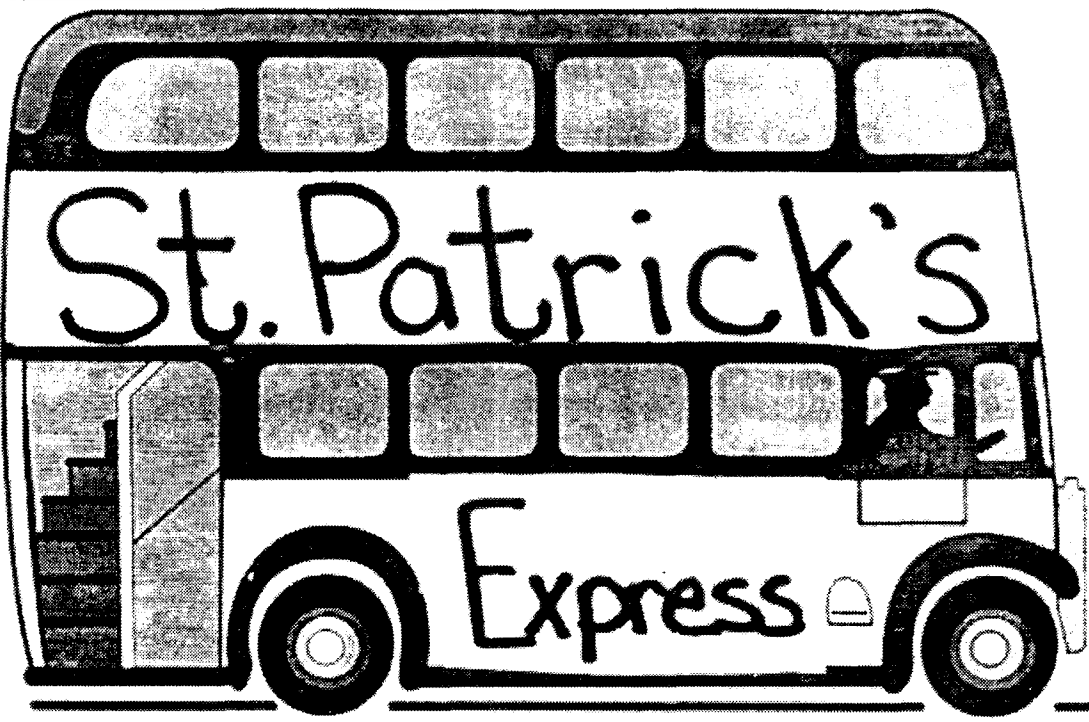
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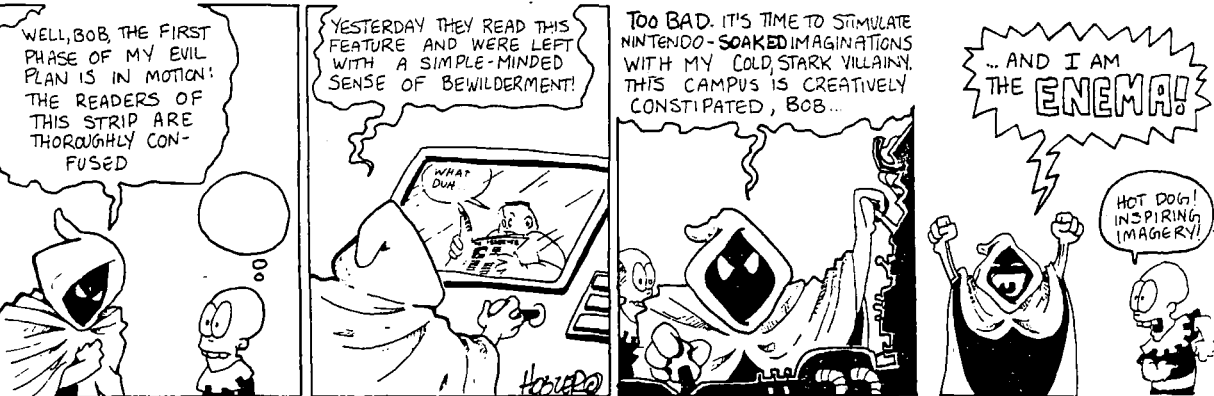
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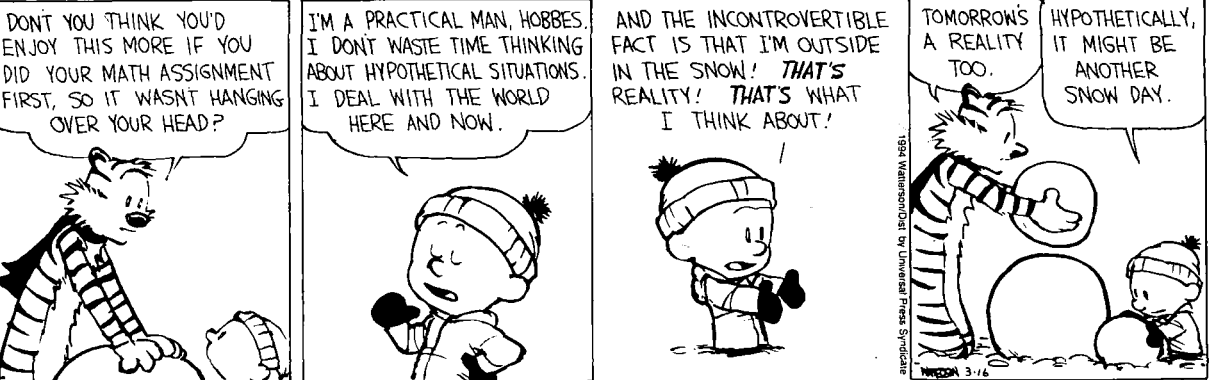
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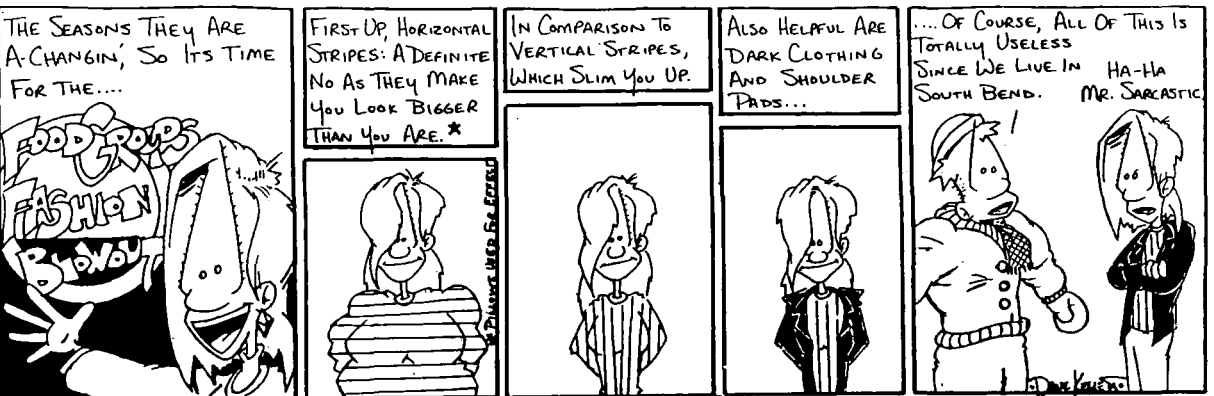
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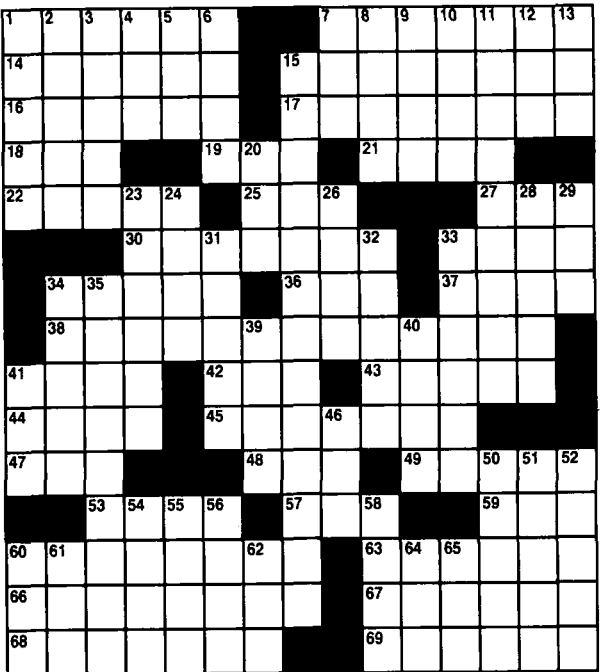
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- A forum on capital punishment will take place tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium featuring a speech presented by Sister Prejean.
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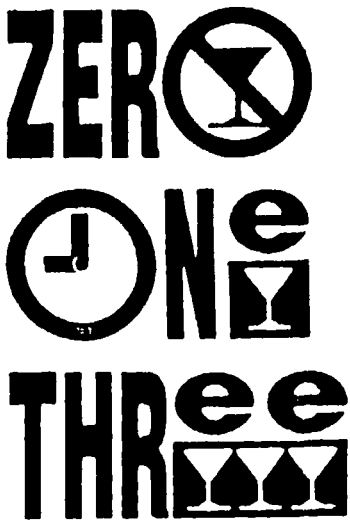
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March Madness arrives at Notre Dame tonight

By DYLAN BARMMER
Sports Writer

The seniors on the Notre Dame women's basketball team thought that they had played the last home game of their college careers when they beat MCC rival Loyola 84-75 in an emotional season finale on March 3.

Think again.

The seniors and the rest of the Notre Dame team will get one last chance to impress the home crowd, as they play host to the Minnesota Gophers in the first round of the NCAA Tournament tonight at 7:30 in the Joyce Center.

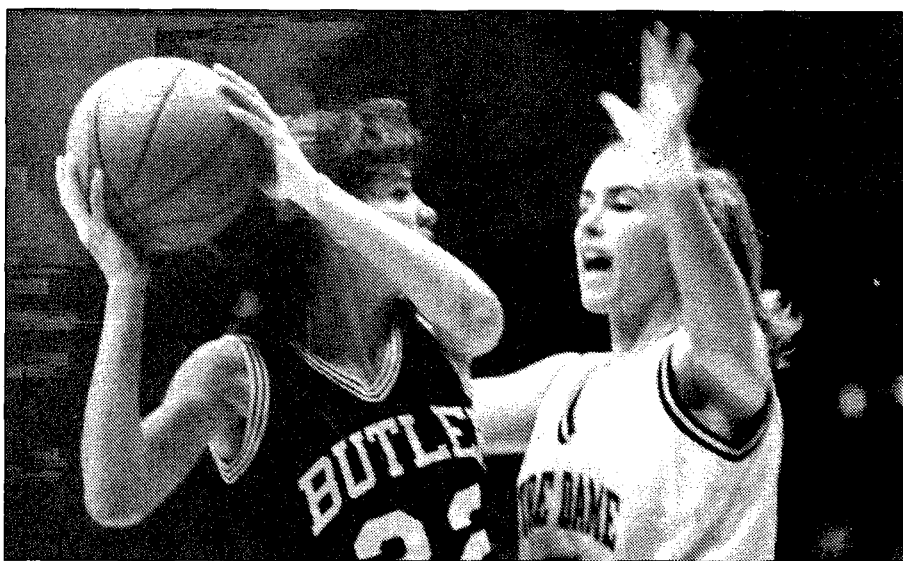
The 22-6 Irish secured a surprisingly high seventh seed in the East region when they won the MCC tournament on March 8. That meant that the team would get to play host to the tenth seeded Gophers, who come into the first round game as an at-large selection with a 17-10 overall record.

One has to wonder whether the high seed will prove to be a blessing or a curse for the streaking Irish. After all, this is a team that has won its last 10 games on the road, while owning only a 9-4 mark on their home court.

The visiting Gophers, who finished 10-8 in the Big Ten, are coming off a 64-58 upset of 13th-ranked Iowa, led by the extremely dangerous Carol Ann Shudlick.

Shudlick led the attack against Iowa with 16 points, but is capable of scoring much more than that. She is the leading scorer in the Big Ten, and has torched the opposition for 23.6 points per game this year. Five times this season the Minnesota senior has scored 30 or more points, with a high of 44 points coming in a 92-82 overtime defeat of then third-ranked Texas Tech on December 18.

Notre Dame recognizes the powerful player they must face in Shudlick, and are



The Observer/Eric Ruethling

Senior point guard Kara Leary will lead a stifling Notre Dame defense in hopes of shutting down a potent Minnesota attack in tonight's NCAA first round game.

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Lacrosse edges Rutgers in overtime

By TIM SHERMAN
Sports Writer

Three ranked opponents.

Two wins.

Not too good, not too bad.

Over spring break, the 17th ranked Notre Dame lacrosse team split a pair of games to bring their record to 2-1.

The injury-plagued Irish had to go to overtime to defeat the Black Knights of Rutgers 8-7 on Wednesday in a game that had to be rescheduled. Their early season success came to end on Saturday, as the Irish dropped their first loss at the hands of rival Georgetown 15-8.

While coach Kevin Corrigan cannot

be completely satisfied with his team's performance, any victory over a top twenty team such as No. 15 Rutgers is gratifying.

"The trip was a little disappointing," said coach Corrigan. "But after spending 5 days in a hotel (one canceled game, one rescheduled), and all our injuries, I'm pretty excited to still come back and beat a 15th ranked team."

In a defensive struggle, the Irish turned to top scorer Randy Colley in the fourth quarter for some offense. The senior tri-captain responded.

Colley notched two fourth period goals, as well as the winner two minutes into overtime.

"I had had a tough time before the fourth," commented Colley. "We needed to score and I'm glad I was able to step up. It's definitely a good feeling."

The Irish controlled play throughout on the field, but not on the scoreboard. Notre Dame outshot the Black Knights 45-29 and failed to successfully clear the ball just once. However, RU netminder John Kidon stopped 22 shots to keep his team in it.

On the strength of two Robbie Snyder tallies, the Irish were even at the half 4-4.

Rutgers' Dan Spillet scored the lone goal of the third quarter at the 10:18 mark.

The fourth quarter was basically a Colley versus Kelly Rogers shootout.

After Colley knotted the score with his first goal of the game, Rutgers' Rogers responded to put his team in the lead again.

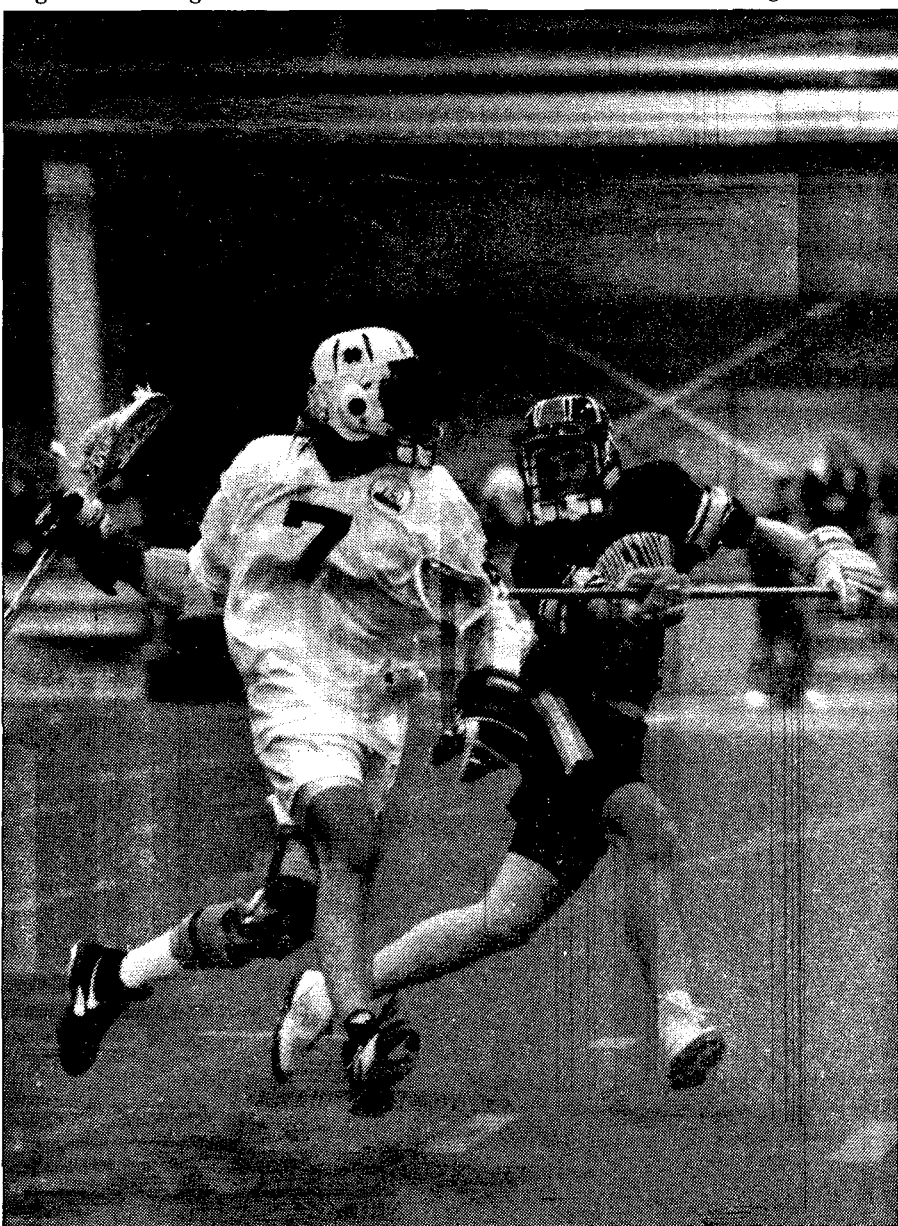
Irish attacker Steve Manley scored his third goal of the year to tie the contest at six.

With Colley and Rogers each adding another goal, the game went into the extra session.

Colley and his teammates had a bit more left as the Irish ended it after 2:04 for the 8-7 win.

"It was a great team effort," said Corrigan. "Everyone did what he had to do to win. That's great to see."

Saturday against Georgetown was a



The Observer/Kyle Kusek

Senior attacker Randy Colley was instrumental in Notre Dame's victory over No. 15 Rutgers, scoring the game winner in overtime.

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Softball shows effects of winter

By MEGAN McGRATH
Sports Writer

While most of their fellow students were relaxing over spring break, the 17th-ranked Notre Dame softball team took on some of the toughest teams in the nation, playing six ranked teams among 13 games in a nine day span at Texas A&M and Tampa. The Irish struggled against perennial powers like UCLA and Oklahoma State, limping home with a 4-9 record to bring their overall mark to 6-11.

Despite the relatively poor showing, coach Liz Miller found reasons to be optimistic, "We got stronger defensively and I felt we hit better than we ever have this early in the season."

Despite playing injured much of the break, junior Sara Hayes remained the team's batting leader at .372 and drove in three runs with a home-run and a double. Junior Liz Goetz moved to third among Irish batters with ten hits in the last 13 games. Goetz was 4-for-5 as a pinch-hitter with two RBIs.

Sophomore Jenna Knudson also had six hits, causing her batting average to nudge close to the .300 mark, good for fourth on the team.

The main reason the Irish struggled, according to coach Miller, was lack of pitching depth. "One of our problems was that our pitchers are not ready to come back so quickly, and we need a fourth arm."

Miller does not see this problem affecting the team later in the season. "The only time this happens is over spring break," she said. "Once we get in the regular season the games will be more spread out and we won't have that problem."

The Irish pitching staff is again led by sophomore Terri Kobata, last season's NCAA strike-out leader. Kobata was 1-3 over the break, but the win was a 12-strikeout perfect game. She punched out 54 batters to bring her strike-out total to 72, just above last year's numbers.

Notre Dame started the week off strong, splitting the round-robin competition of the Texas A&M Invitational, but the lack of pitching depth was evident the first day.

Freshman Joy Battersby gave up no earned runs in a five-inning performance as the Irish earned a 3-2 win over Centenary in the first game. Knudson drove in the game-winning RBI on a fourth inning squeeze play, scoring sophomore Andrea Kollar. However, later that

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Track returns from Princeton

Coach Joe Piane's squad placed eighth out of a 68 team field, with five top-five finishes.

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Admission to tonight's women's basketball NCAA first round game is free with student I.D. at Gate 10.