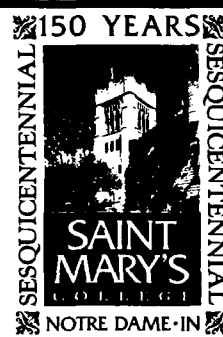


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Rita trial underway in Superior Court

ND Law School graduate charged in Fox's November 1993 death

By DAVE TYLER
News Editor

John Rita, graduate of the Notre Dame Law School, is currently facing trial in St. Joseph County Superior Court for allegedly causing the death of Notre Dame freshman Mara Rose Fox while driving drunk.



Mara Fox

Fox, an eighteen year old from Oakton, Virginia, died

November 13, 1993, from head injuries she suffered after being struck by a car on Douglas Road near Indiana State Route 23. Fox and her friends were returning to campus from a Grape Road restaurant after a taxi they had requested never came.

An eight woman, four man jury was selected and seated for the trial on Tuesday, October 25. Judge William Albright gave preliminary instructions to the jury that day, and opening arguments were heard the next morning.

Prosecutor Michael Barnes called the case "simple and

straightforward."

Barnes outlined a case that he said will prove that Rita knew he had hit something with his car and failed to stop as required by state law. Barnes also contended that Rita's blood alcohol level was above the legal limit while he was driving, and that Rita and his four passengers had been partying that night as they awaited the Notre Dame-Florida State football match the next day.

Defense attorney Charles Asher offered a different view of the events of November 12th and 13th.

"John Rita did not have an illegal blood alcohol level, he did not attempt to flee from his responsibilities, and he did not cause Mara Fox's death," Asher said in his statement.

The prosecution said it believes that Rita was driving drunk at the time of the accident because his blood alcohol content was well over the legal limit when it was measured more than three hours after the crash. Rita registered a .14 percent blood alcohol level in that test, Barnes said. The legal definition of intoxication is anything over .10 percent.

Barnes also made a point of stating that Rita was not being charged with manslaughter or other premeditated crimes.

"There's no one alleging that John Rita deliberately ran down Mara Fox," He said.

The prosecutor did, however, ask the jury to consider why one of Rita's friends tried to call two lawyers before calling police to inform them of the acci-

dent.

Asher countered the prosecution's opening by maintaining that Rita did nothing wrong. He said the accident was not a hit and run accident in the usual sense of the term because Rita and his passengers did not realize they had hit anything.

"Rita was not trying to run from anything," Asher said.

Asher said the Rita did not realize anything serious had happened until he was in better light and saw the radial, spider web-like cracks on the side of his car's windshield.

Upon noticing the cracks, Rita parked his car and returned to his apartment where he was later arrested by police. Rita's friends called police and noti-

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Changes to continue at dining hall

By BRAD PRENDERGAST
News Writer

Following the changes made in food selection at North Dining Hall over fall break, University Food Services will add more selections to that dining hall in the coming months.

According to Jill Riggs, senior manager of North Dining Hall, new varieties in pizza will be unveiled in a few weeks, and waffles will be among several additions to the breakfast menu after Christmas break.

These plans follow those made over the fall break, in which selections at the "Home-style" and "Hot Spot" lines will be changed twice per week and new items will be added to the menus at Marketplace, Fiesta Grande, and Blue and Gold

Grill.

Also, Mr. Pibb brand soft drink will be added to the beverage line. No beverages will be replaced by the addition of Mr. Pibb, Riggs said.

"Every time we have a break, we look at what changes need to be made," Riggs said. "We implement what we can when we're open, but it is easier over breaks."

According to David Prentkowski, director of food services, the decision to make changes at North Dining Hall was made prior to the beginning of the school year.

"It was always part of the plan to begin to add more variety to the food after the first half of the semester," he said.

The changes implemented were based on the surveys and

comment cards that students filled out prior to break, Prentkowski and Riggs said.

"The surveys are something that we have done for years," Prentkowski said. "We get a lot of information that we can utilize in the future."

Riggs estimated that about 80% of students' suggestions are usually implemented.

"For example, the bagels that we added this year were one of the things that we took directly from the comment cards," she said.

The food service decides which suggestions to utilize based on their popularity, according to Riggs.

"We look for things that show up at least more than once," she added. "The suggestions that we can't use are the ones

that ask for so much variety. We don't have room for an unlimited number of such things as salad dressings."

About a dozen people - the nine managers at North Dining Hall and several student managers - were involved in the decisions made over fall break, according to Riggs.

At South Dining Hall, no immediate major changes are being discussed, according to Prentkowski, but renovations may eventually be made in anticipation of the opening of Marilyn M. Keough Hall and O'Neill Family Hall on the south side of campus in the fall of 1996.

One aspect of the possible renovation may include the closing of the Oak Room cafe-

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Plans change for Farley dance

By LIZ FORAN
Assistant News Editor

Formal plans for Farley Hall have been altered in light of the recent controversy concerning hall notes distributed in Carroll Hall.

Farley was scheduled to hold its semester formal with Carroll on November 11, but changed those plans on October 13, when an article appeared in The Observer concerning degrading attitudes on campus towards women.

Upon reading what had been posted in Carroll Hall, several Farley women approached their resident assistant at a meeting and demanded that the formal be held with a different men's dorm, according to Farley Hall Co-President Beth Perretta.

"A section of girls said that they would boycott the dance if we held it with Carroll," she said.

Carroll Co-President Dave Lillis said that the residents of Carroll Hall "feel bad about what happened."

"We would have liked to have gone to Farley and apologized, like we apologized at HPC (Hall Presidents Council)," he said. "We would have liked to explain ourselves, but we knew it was inevitable (that the dance would be canceled)."

Lillis and the other co-president Gary Girzadas had publicly apologized and explained the dorm's stance toward the offensive remarks in a letter to the editor published in The Observer on October 14. The letter stated the notes were written by a couple of individuals, and "the parties involved were reprimanded and notified such intolerable statements could result in dismissal."

"Hopefully something good will come out of what happened," Lillis added. "It's a shame that it took something like this to make people realize we had a problem on this campus."

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The Ghosts of Notre Dame

Trick-or-Treaters like Terry and Sheena from the Boys and Girls Club of South Bend visited Pangborn Hall for Halloween last night to fill up on sweet goodies.

The Observer/Mike Ruma

Commuter plane crash kills 68 south of Gary

Associated Press

ROSELAWN, Ind. An American Eagle commuter plane crashed Monday in a cornfield in northwest Indiana during a driving rainstorm, killing all 68 people aboard.

Flight 4184 from Indianapolis to Chicago went down 30 miles south of Gary at about 4 p.m., the Federal Aviation Administration said.

The heavy rain forced authorities to quickly call off the search of the area until Tuesday.

American Eagle would not speculate on the possible cause of the crash, airline spokeswoman Debbie Weathers said. State police said there were no survivors, according to the FAA.

"Debris was so scattered, you really couldn't tell if there was an airplane out there," said Michael Schwanke, a reporter with WLQI radio in Rensselaer who was at the site.

"People around the area were telling me that there was just nothing left," he said.

The plane was descending from an altitude of 10,000 feet to 8,000 feet when it disap-

peared from radar screens at Chicago's O'Hare Airport, said Don Zochert with the FAA.

The plane had been circling in a holding pattern before it began its descent, said Tim Smith, a spokesman for American Eagle.

People on the scene said there was driving rain at the time of the crash and that it was too dark to see much in the area. Winds were gusting up to 49 mph in Gary, Ind., the closest reporting station, the National Weather Service said.

Bob Stone, a hunter, said he heard the plane's engines just before the crash.

"I could here a motor winding out and it sounded like thunder and then there was a crash and I didn't hear anything else," Stone said.

Kathy Philpot, a spokeswoman for the Lake County coroner's office, said workers were told to call off the search for bodies and return to the scene Tuesday.

Jasper County Sheriff Steve Reames said the Newton County sheriff's department had set up a command post near the crash site.

■ INSIDE COLUMN

What happens when we still want the candy

Who can forget the anticipation, the preparation, and the adrenaline rush of taking the first house on Halloween? Most likely it was a precarousing sugar rush causing the jumpy nerves, a childhood version of a 4:30 a.m. Vivarin overdose in LaFortune's 24-hour lounge. Perhaps the only thing greater than the first house was spreading the spoils of the evening all over the living room floor. Always a glorious experience.



Suzy Fry
Viewpoint Editor

But Sweet-Tart highs and Milk Dud lows are only one facet of this ghoulish night. The costume is everything. I remember a friend's older brother going as the Headless Horseman, complete with a pumpkin and black horse. Though he really started to smell by the end of the evening, he succeeded in startling every ghost and goblin on Westin Road—they thought he had actually been decapitated!

Being on the tail end of Generation X, my costume experience evolved from Strawberry Short Cake and the Incredible Hulk to Princess Leia and Chewbacca to Ninja Turtles and Ghostbusters to the Little Mermaid and Aladdin to now Power Rangers and Simba from "The Lion King." I have no idea what a Mighty Morphin Power Ranger is, though I'm told they are like benevolent warriors with thyroid problems. Despite every fad, the key to a great costume has always been the dirt factor—the filthier the better. Mechanics, construction workers, cavemen, dirt-bike racers, adventurers a la Indiana Jones, and soldiers were always the best costumes because as the night wore on and exhaustion set in—though you would never concede that—your look became even more complete.

Yet Halloween is one of those enigmatic, elusive holidays like Easter and Christmas. Just as no one quite knows the age at which you can get away with still believing in Santa Claus or the Easter Bunny—or pretending to believe in them—no one knows the maximum age at which kids can still go trick or treating without abusing the system. This is a very serious problem. It becomes the first of life's many challenges, particularly when the need for a pre-teen to wear make-up and get her ears pierced conflicts with the need to go to the elementary school carnival. Moreover it represents the cusp of puberty, that in-between age when nothing is right and the only thing left to do will be inherently obnoxious.

You become too cool to go out and beg for junk food so you egg the cars and toilet paper the homes of your eighth grade teachers instead; you now live for stink bombs. However, this period is short-lived and quickly replaced by girl-boy parties which ultimately evolve into drunken evenings of teenage debauchery. Then in college, you decide to relive those evenings of drunken debauchery which only lead to Vivarin overdoses the following morning.

Halloween is a sad cycle, ending the same way it started—with racing nerves and an adrenaline rush. The funny thing is, we still dress up and get sick on candy. Ain't it great?

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

EU, East Europeans pave way for prospective membership

The former communist countries of Eastern Europe could begin the process of joining the European Union by 1996 under a system agreed to Monday at a meeting of foreign ministers from 22 nations.

The plan calls for consultations on foreign affairs, justice, finance and other issues central to membership negotiations.

The EU also agreed to form a task force to make it easier for prospective members to streamline their laws with EU requirements. The EU Commission will draft a list of legal and judicial targets that newcomers must meet before they can join.

"The challenge is enormous," said German Foreign Minister Klaus Kinkel.

In return, the EU called for closer cooperation between the aspiring members and tougher action against international crime and drug trafficking, which spills over from the east into western Europe.

Actual membership talks then could start in two years.

Germany has been at the vanguard of the campaign to draw the East European nations into the EU, and many regard the meeting as a sign of growing German dominance. Expanding membership to the East would make Berlin the geographical and political center of the EU at the expense of France.

Germany fears Eastern Europe could be destabilized without assistance from the political and trading bloc.

European Union

The 12 current members and four nations slated to join the EU next year opened talks with foreign ministers from six former Communist nations to discuss admission requirements and aid.



European Union countries

- 1 Portugal
- 2 Ireland
- 3 United Kingdom
- 4 France
- 5 Spain
- 6 Belgium

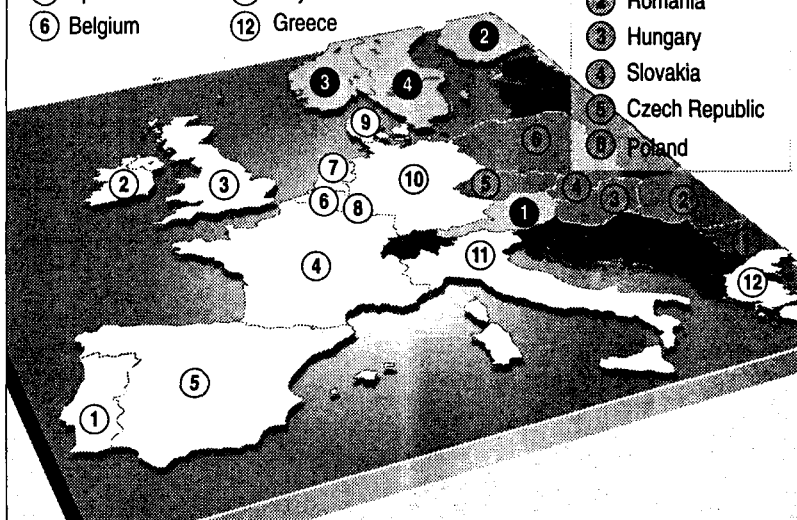
- 7 Netherlands
- 8 Luxembourg
- 9 Denmark
- 10 Germany
- 11 Italy
- 12 Greece

New EU countries (as of 1995)

- 1 Austria
- 2 Finland
- 3 Norway
- 4 Sweden

Countries interested in EU membership

- 1 Bulgaria
- 2 Romania
- 3 Hungary
- 4 Slovakia
- 5 Czech Republic
- 6 Poland



AP/Wm. J. Castello

Low-weight burger fines dropped

PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia is dropping its beef against Wendy's, and a \$96,000 fine, but doesn't want to find any more underweight burgers. City inspectors last week weighed a sampling of 24 uncooked patties at a North Philadelphia Wendy's and 22 weren't quarter-pounders as advertised. Some were as much as a quarter-ounce light. Inspectors seized the entire batch of 960 patties and fined the Dublin, Ohio-based chain \$100 a burger. Antico said federal weights-and-measures officials will work with Wendy's supplier, Devault Packing Co., to devise a more accurate way to measure the meat. The city gave the parties 90 days to find a solution. Antico said he was not sure what would happen if the companies did not remedy the problem.

Tailhook victim gets \$6.7 million

LAS VEGAS

The Las Vegas Hilton and its parent company were ordered Monday to pay \$5 million in punitive damages for failing to protect a former Navy lieutenant from drunken aviators at the 1991 Tailhook convention. The federal jury's ruling brings Paula Coughlin's total award to \$6.7 million. A Pentagon report said 83 women were assaulted or molested at the convention. Coughlin settled for an undisclosed amount with the Tailhook Association before the trial started. The jury awarded Coughlin \$1.7 million in compensatory damages Friday, ruling that the Hilton failed to provide adequate security at the convention. Coughlin had testified that she was trapped in the hotel's third-floor hallway one night during the convention by a group of men who shoved their hands down her bra and tried to reach up her skirt and pull off her underwear.

Shakur sentenced for concert assault

LANSING, Mich.

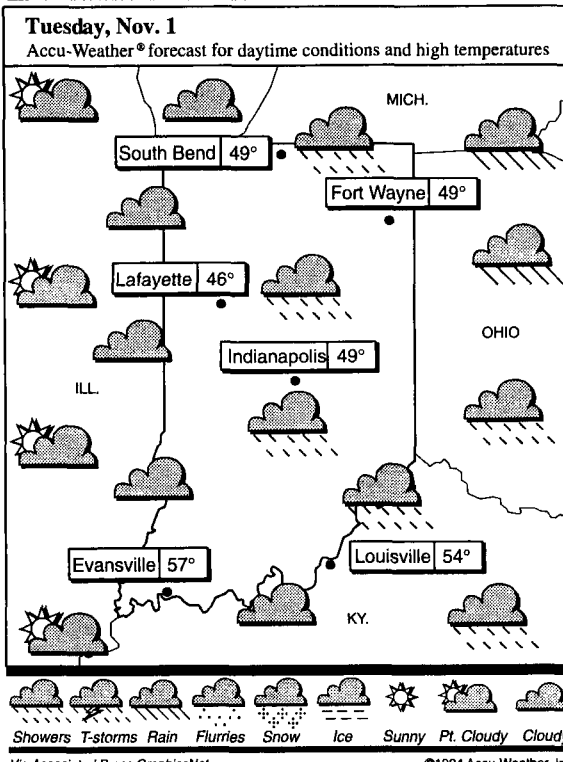
Rapper Tupac Shakur was sentenced Monday to 30 days in jail for trying to hit a man with a baseball bat during a melee at a 1993 concert. Circuit Court Judge Lawrence Glazer suspended 20 days of the sentence, and ordered Shakur to serve the time after appearing in New York to answer unrelated criminal charges. Shakur, who has appeared in the movies "Poetic Justice" and "Juice," also was ordered to perform 35 hours of community service. The rapper had pleaded guilty to the misdemeanor in September and faced up to 90 days in jail. Prosecutors said Shakur triggered a near-riot during his concert at Michigan State University by throwing a microphone on the stage that belonged to another rapper. Shakur's lawyer argued that the other rapper provoked the fight.

Burning leaves cause of haze, smell

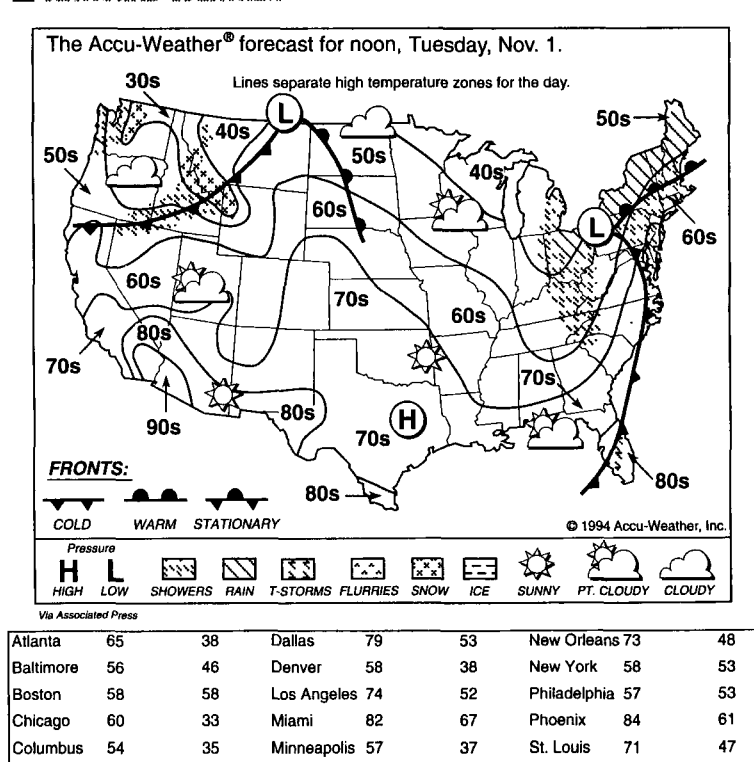
NOTRE DAME

The smoky haze and its noticeable smell that settled on South Bend and the University yesterday was not due to any major fires, according to sources at the Notre Dame Fire Department. The smoke and stench were caused, rather, by "everyone and their mother" burning leaves throughout Sunday. Combined with the climate changes, especially the heavier barometric pressure, the smoke settled towards the ground. The higher air pressure also forced down smokestack emissions into the city. The total effect of the various fires posed no threats to those outside or any property, only mild annoyance, but did cause for extremely low visibility of parts of the Indiana Tollroad and Route 31.

■ INDIANA WEATHER



■ NATIONAL WEATHER



■ BOARD OF GOVERNANCE

Students to attend conference

By EMILY RUFFNER
News Writer

The Saint Mary's Board of Governance passed a funding request to help send two Saint Mary's students to the 2nd annual Collegiate Leadership Network Conference sponsored by the National Hispanic Institute. The conference, scheduled for February of 1995, will be held at the University of Texas at El Paso, and BOG will pay for the students' airfare.

The program is to help form a network of Hispanic students at the college level. The two representatives will help encourage involvement and awareness of the Latina com-

munity on Saint Mary's campus.

Sending students from Saint Mary's benefits the entire campus in ways such as creating student campus organizations better equipped to address the needs of the Latina campus population, connections to the Latino business community, ties to graduate schools, and connections to a support network for Latino students throughout the United States. There are currently 60 Hispanic students on campus.

BOG also approved funding \$5000 toward the Play of the Mind Conference to be held second semester. This conference is a weekend to explore interesting issues with faculty and

students from other women's colleges. This year, about six colleges will be invited to discuss a theme relating to diversity of different campus cultures. This conference involves approximately 150 Saint Mary's students.

Results from the Haggar Renovation Survey were also tallied. Only 5% respondents think of Haggar as a "Student Social Space." According to the survey, students feel not enough is offered at Haggar to make it appear social. The primary change hoped to be seen is the installation of cable.

42% voted "variety of food" as the number one way to improve the Snack Bar.

■ STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD

Good Morning America filming this afternoon

By BECKY MAYERNIK
News Writer

The board discussed future plans for SAB.

The filming of a human "150" for Good Morning America, in honor of Saint Mary's sesquicentennial, will take place today at 2:45 pm outside of LeMans, according to SAB coordinator Audrey Comrie. It will air in December. The rain date for the filming is this Thursday, November 3, at the same time.

David Harris, an acoustic guitar player in the community, will be performing at Dal-loway's on Wednesday, November 16, from 7-11 pm.

There will be a Guatemalan Sale in the LeMans lobby during the week of November 14-

18, during which the purchase of artifacts from Guatemala will be available.

SAB will sponsor a Giving Tree this holiday season through the Children's Day Treatment Program at Madison Center. The tree will be in Haggar after Thanksgiving.

A location change for the "Greg Brady" actor Barry Williams is being discussed. Williams is scheduled to appear on March 30 in Carroll Auditorium. It is possible that the event will be moved from Carroll, which seats 300, to O'Loughlin, which would seat 1200.

This weekend's movie will be "Philadelphia," which will be playing in Carroll Auditorium at 7 and 9:30 pm for \$2.

COUNTDOWN

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B: Interrupti....

A: MOO!!



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Trial

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fied them of the accident.

Defense lawyer Asher also argued that Fox and her friends should not have been walking in the road on a foggy, rainy night with such poor visibility.

Both lawyers have continued to develop their case in testimony from witnesses.

On Friday, two police officers testified for the prosecution that Rita expressed shock when he was arrested that his friends had called the police. Mishawaka police officer Kenneth Witkowski testified that Rita said, "I'm stunned that my friends would turn me in."

Rita made this statement moments after St. Joseph County police Cpl. James Chamberlain entered Rita's room and woke him up.

Both Chamberlain and Witkowski testified that their investigation of the accident lead them to Rita's University Park apartment. When no one answered the door, friends let police in through an unlocked door and pointed out Rita's upstairs bedroom.

Witkowski said Chamberlain knocked loudly and identified the officers as policemen. Chamberlain testified that when he woke up Rita, the suspect indicated he thought he knew the reason for the police's visit.

Then Rita said "I can't believe my friends turned me in," Chamberlain said.

Defense attorney Asher attempted to discredit Chamberlain because he did not include Rita's statement in his written reports on the investigation. Asher expressed surprise at the lack of detail in Chamberlain's

report and information that appeared later but was not included initially.

Chamberlain said he told Barnes about Rita's comment in a December conference. Witkowski included the statement in his report.

Asher also assailed Chamberlain's report on Rita's arrest for drunken driving. Chamberlain identified only one physical symptom, the odor of alcohol.

On Monday, a couple testified that they saw an oncoming car swerve just before they found a body in Douglas Road on November 13, 1993. Barbara Kellogg and her boyfriend Ronald Truhler, said they were driving east bound on Douglas when they noticed the headlights of a westbound car.

Kellogg said she saw a group on the side of the road and noticed the proximity of the westbound car. She said she exclaimed "Someone's going to get hit."

Kellogg said she saw the car veer across the center line and return to the right side of the road. As the car drove by, she noticed one of the car's pop up headlights was pointing straight up.

Truhler testified that he did not have any trouble seeing the pedestrian group. "I saw two with white clothing, that caught my eye," he said.

Despite the fact that both witnesses testified they had no trouble seeing the group at road's shoulder, neither saw the car in question, which they identified as a 1987 Honda Accord, hit Fox.

Notre Dame graduate Dan Policy was in town for the game and walking with back to campus when he heard a noise.

"I heard a thud and saw a dark form and a car went

back," Policy testified. "I saw the brake lights, then the car took off and turned on Indiana 23," Policy said.

After the crash, the group attempted to put their jackets over Fox, while Truhler, who had blocked traffic in both directions with his car, attempted to administer first aid, Policy said.

Toad tickets to go on sale tomorrow morning

Special to The Observer

The band Toad the Wet Sprocket and special guests The Wild Colonial will be playing at the Stepan Center on Thursday, November 10, at

8:00 p.m. Tickets cost \$12 for Notre Dame or Saint Mary's students with ID or \$15 for the general public and will go on sale at 8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, November 2, in the LaFortune Ballroom.

NOTRE DAME FORUM ON ACADEMIC LIFE

"Notre Dame's Development as a University: A Historical Perspective"

Speaker: Prof. Philip Gleason
Department of History

Respondent: Prof. John Robinson
Law School

Wednesday, November 2
7:30 p.m.
CCE Auditorium

Sponsored by the Faculty Senate
All are welcome

Farley

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Farley will still have their formal on November 11, but with

Keenan Hall instead.

Carroll's attempts to reschedule have been unsuccessful so far due to difficulty in obtaining 70 percent attendance for a dance on a future weekend.

Changes

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teria, Prentkowski said.

"We have to consider the fact that the dining hall may need to be expanded to accommodate the increasing number of students on that side of campus," he said.

The closing of the Oak Room would provide the necessary space.

"However, the Oak Room won't be eliminated without taking into consideration its current customer following," he added.

No timetable on possible renovations has yet been set.

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Devil's night haunts Detroit

By KELLY ANDERSON
Associated Press

DETROIT
Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer rushed from fire to fire trying to figure out why the city's three-year record of stemming Devil's Night arsons was going up in smoke.

In abandoned buildings, vacant lots, and trash bins across the city's east side, scores of fires vexed police and firefighters Sunday night. One small child died of smoke inhalation, and at least four other people were injured.

Detroit's fire chief said the number of arsons was significantly higher than normal. An official count was expected later today.

"I just have a nagging anger when I see one fire," Archer told reporters.

Many residents claimed a



lower number of volunteer patrols contributed to the resurgence of the dangerous Halloween Eve tradition. In Camden, N.J., which also has a history of Oct. 30 arsons, hundreds of volunteers joined police patrols and were credited with keeping arsons down.

"I don't see nearly the number of volunteers out here as I did last year. It doesn't make no sense," said Emma Carty, 70,

watching in disgust from her porch as flames took over an abandoned house nearby.

About 40,000 volunteers patrolled throughout Detroit last year to keep the number of fires down. An estimated 8,000 volunteers patrolled the streets Sunday night.

Archer, who took office in January, had asked young people ages 17 and under to obey a 6 p.m. to 6 a.m. curfew on Halloween weekend, and said the night should be called Pre-Halloween instead of Devil's Night, which he found too negative. Police reported 176 curfew violators as of midnight Sunday.

"The new administration thought they could ignore or downplay Devil's Night," Ernestine Gordon, founder of the City Airport Renaissance Association, told the Detroit Free Press.

Pope's new cardinals reflect conservative views

By VICTOR SIMPSON
Associated Press

VATICAN CITY

Pope Paul VI reached out during the 1960s and 1970s to make the College of Cardinals a truly international body. Now Pope John Paul II has completed the task.

In naming 30 new cardinals Sunday, John Paul gave some countries their first "red hats" ever and further diminished the influence of Italians in the body that elects popes.



Pope John Paul II

The Polish-born John Paul was the first non-Italian pope in 455 years, and any hopes harbored by Italians of regaining the papacy appear to have been dealt a blow.

As he told a crowd in St. Peter's Square, the new cardinals from 24 countries "reflect in a significant way the universality of the church."

A record 62 countries are now represented in the College of Cardinals. Pope Paul VI, who led the church from 1963-78, expanded the representation in the college to 31 countries.

In naming cardinals for the sixth time since assuming the papacy 16 years ago, John Paul has clearly put his stamp on the body that will guide the church into the next century and elect the next pope.

With the 74-year-old pontiff

showing signs of frailty and poor health, Vatican officials have begun openly speculating on possible successors and the new nominations have opened the way to a new list of "papa-bile," or potential candidates.

When the new cardinals are installed Nov. 26, John Paul will have appointed 100 of the 120 red hats under the age of 80. Only cardinals under 80 years old are eligible to vote for a pope.

This would suggest the pope has set the stage for electing a like-minded conservative who would keep up church opposition to contraception, abortion and women priests — positions alienating many liberal Catholics.

As a cleric who stood up to Communism in his homeland before the Soviet empire collapsed, he was clearly rewarding others who had taken risks.

Among those named by the pope were a 91-year-old Albanian priest imprisoned for 37 years under the regime of Enver Hoxha; an archbishop from Belarus who spent 10 years in Soviet prison camps and the archbishop of Prague, who was harassed by Czech police under Communism.

The pope was also sending a message of support for Christians living under Communist rule by naming cardinals from Cuba and Vietnam and for the besieged people in Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina, by his appointment of Archbishop Vinko Puljic, at 49 the youngest of the group.

The Observer

News Department

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Options examined after attack on White House

1600 block of Pennsylvania Avenue may close

By TOM RAUM
Associated Press

WASHINGTON

As the sidewalk fronting the White House was reopened Monday after a gunman fired up to 30 shots from it at the mansion, the government was taking a new look at possibly closing it permanently.

Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen said prohibiting vehicle and pedestrian traffic on the 1600 block of Pennsylvania Avenue or stationing more guards on the sidewalks were among options being studied to increase security in the wake of the weekend shooting.

Bentsen also announced a panel of outside experts to make suggestions in the aftermath of the shooting incident. He said a review — already under way after last month's crash of a small plane on the White House grounds — would be completed by mid-January.

"The review will examine whatever means might be available — including state-of-the-art technology — to better protect the White House and our national leaders," Bentsen said.

He was asked if part of the recommendations would include urging the president — who likes to jog near the White House and plunge into crowds as he travels — to change his own habits.

"As far as telling the president he has to change his personal habits, we'll leave that up to you," he told reporters. "It's his decision. But obviously I'm sure he'll give some consideration to this."

Bentsen spoke in the White House briefing room, where investigators spent much of the day examining, measuring and photographing a window that

was broken in Saturday's fusillade.

Bentsen also defended the Secret Service — an agency he oversees — for not firing at the gunman who shot through an iron fence and sprayed the White House and grounds with bullets.

"The last thing I would want to see was someone firing weapons in a crowd like that," he said. As to the fact that bystanders, not agents or police, brought the gunman to the ground, he said: "The civilians were standing right beside him. I understand that."

White House press secretary Dee Dee Myers said Clinton hoped to personally thank the two men who tackled the gunman: Harry Rakosky, 34, of San Antonio, Texas, and Ken Davis, 24, of Hagerstown, Md. "He definitely will want to get in touch with them ... one way or the other," she said.

Clinton was in the residence part of the White House at the time of the gunfire and "was never in danger," Bentsen said.

He said the new advisory panel would be headed by Ron Noble, undersecretary of the Treasury for enforcement, but otherwise would be made up of

outside experts.

It will include Robert Car-swel, a former deputy Treasury secretary; former FBI Director William Webster; former Transportation Secretary William Coleman; former Energy Secretary Charles Duncan; former Joint Chiefs Chairman David Jones, and Dr. Judith Rodin, a psychologist and president of the University of Pennsylvania.

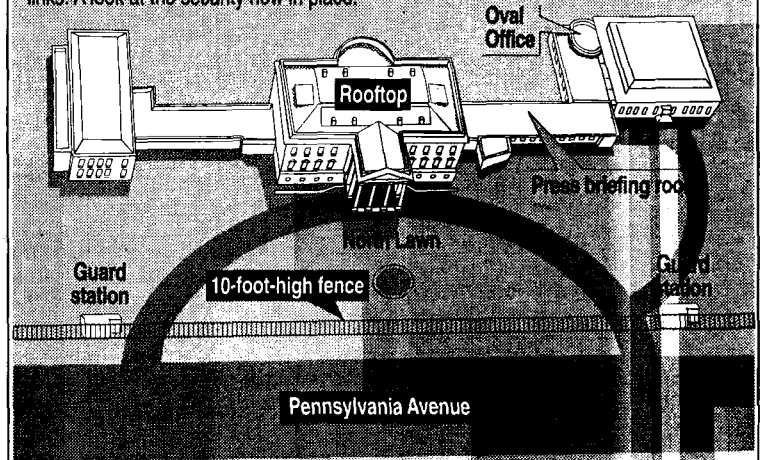
Asked about closing Pennsylvania Avenue in front of the White House to both cars and pedestrian traffic, something the Secret Service in the past has suggested, Bentsen said "those options are being examined."

However, he also seemed to suggest that a partial closing of the street is a more likely outcome, calling an "overstatement" suggestions that the entire street near the White be blocked.

Bentsen said the review will also look into the possibility of stationing more uniformed guards outside the gate on the sidewalk. He said it is important to balance the rival goals of more security and "the need to keep the White House open and accessible to the public."

White House security

White House security has been under review since Sept. 12, when a small plane crashed on the grounds. Saturday's shooting again pointed out the system's weak links. A look at the security now in place:



Getting in

Visitors and staff must pass through metal detectors. Staff members, press, etc., have special entrances. Visitors must pass security checks. Dogs check every vehicle that enters the grounds, sniffing for bombs.

The grounds

A 10-foot-high metal fence separates the grounds from the sidewalk. But people often press up against the fence to see the White House. Motion sensors and cameras detect intruders, and guards patrol the grounds.

Surrounding area

Sharpshooters are stationed on the rooftop. Airspace around downtown Washington, D.C., is restricted. Streets are blocked to traffic when the president's motorcade passes. The president's path in and out of the White House is frequently varied.

What's next

The Secret Service would like to expand security perimeters, perhaps blocking off Pennsylvania Avenue to traffic. Clinton resists this option, fearing the White House will be cut off from the American public.

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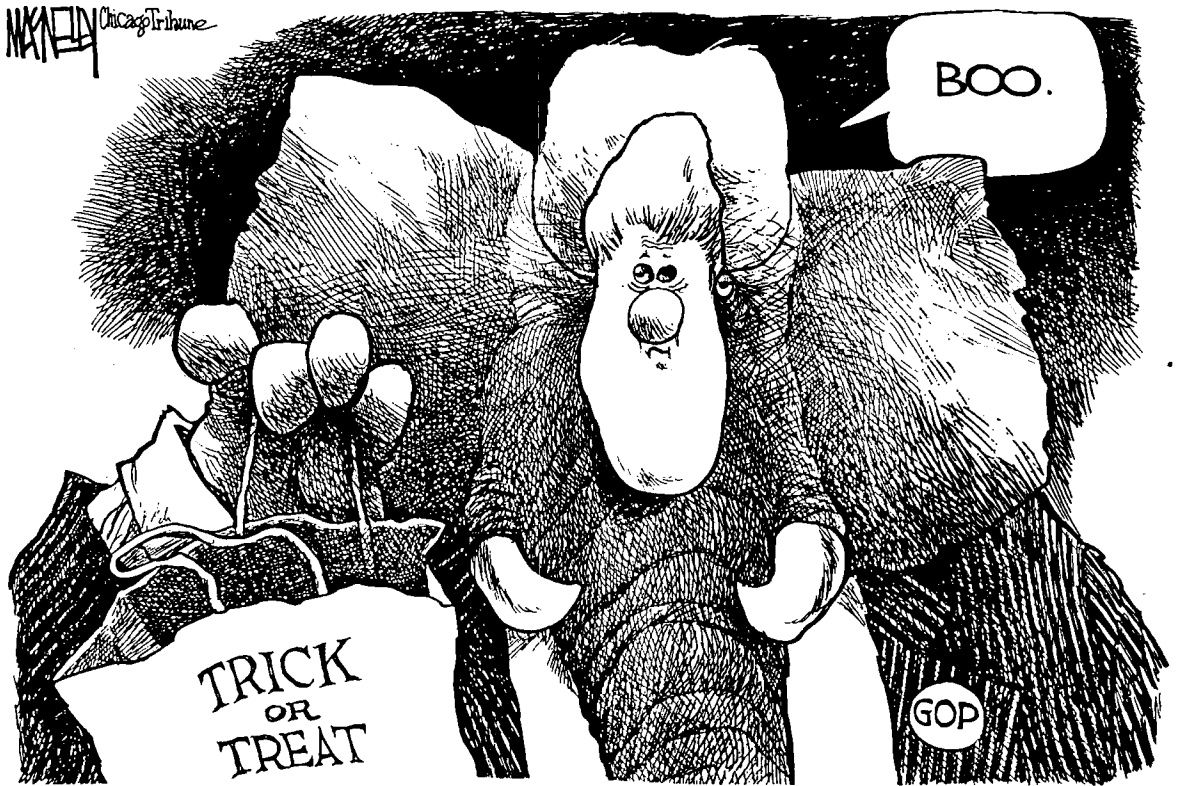
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DISPELLING MYTHS

What? A politically correct Pentateuch?

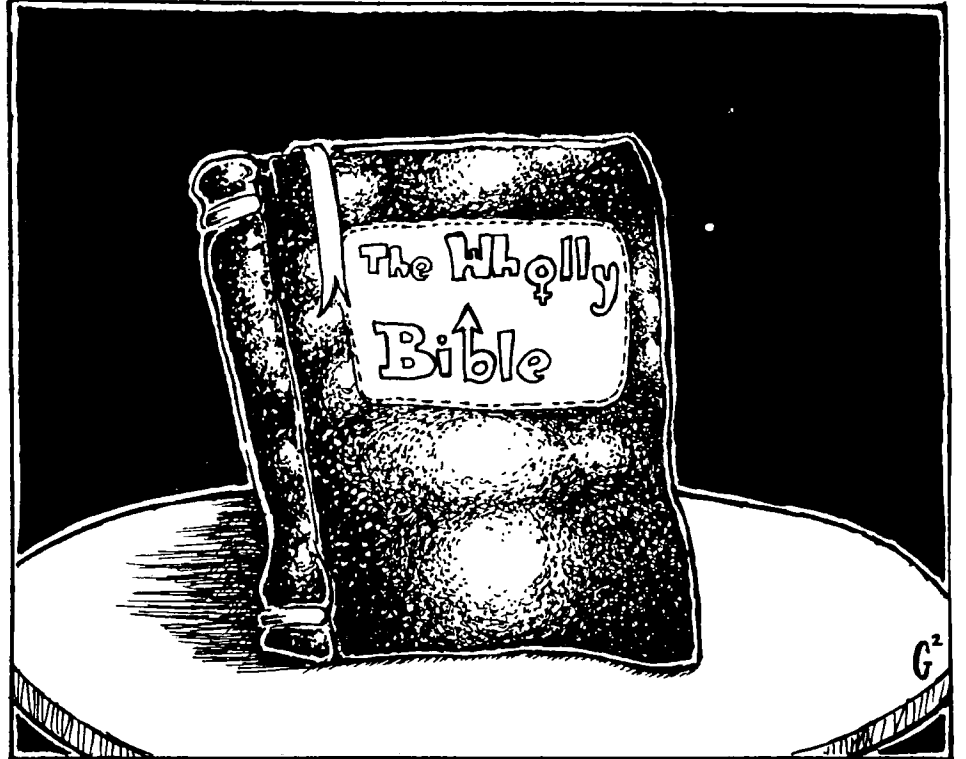
Warning: The following article may offend historical revisionist, sacrilegious individuals who are obsessed with the advancement of the politically correct movement; in which case it will certainly offend the authors of the new politically correct Bible.

"St. Augustine described the nature of God as a circle whose centre was everywhere, and its circumference nowhere" (R.W. Emerson). In the most profound and ubiquitous sense — in a manner in which we cannot comprehend — God is everywhere. This commonly accepted notion is no longer true. God is now allowed everywhere except the new

ten. But the Bible is already adapted to modern times by a priest who interprets the reading in the homily, explaining to us how it applies to our everyday lives. By changing phrases in the Bible the authors are substituting their judgment for the judgment of priests, and their beliefs for the beliefs of Jesus Christ, through Whom God spoke vicariously.

God chose to reveal himself to us as the "Father" for reasons that we do not, and cannot know for certain. The authors, however, talk of the nature of God in certain terms when they state that "God does not have a gender". While this is probably true, it is also true that God could have revealed Himself as a genderless being, an ambiguous entity, or simply as a force beyond our comprehension — but He chose to reveal Himself as the "Father". He may have done so to make Himself more amiable and accessible to His followers or to make His affection and forgiveness as real as that of an actual person; a genderless God certainly seems more distant from us because it is more distant from our comprehension. And although we do view God as entity beyond our comprehension in some respects, we also view Him as a human being in others. By changing the "gender" of God the authors are wrongfully distorting His image, which is a fundamental element of our perception of His nature as a benign and loving "Father".

Almost more frightening than this religious consequence is the historical consequence that accompanies it. By rewriting the Bible the authors have engaged in a process known as historical revisionism. Changing phrases such as "Father" to "Heavenly Parent" they are altering words purported to have been actually spoken by Jesus, that is, they are changing historical facts. While the new Bible is said to be appropriate for "regular use", Pullapilly himself concedes that "as a study of history, you should go to the source material." The source material he is referring to are previous translations of the Bible which



are true to the actual text. Inherent in this admission is the subtle admission that the politically correct Bible is not historically accurate; for if it was, one would not need to read earlier editions when studying history.

Unfortunately if the politically correct Bible becomes commonly accepted it would effectively deny later generations the true translation, and unlike us, they may never know how the original translation read. More potential harm lies in the possibility that scholars will subsequently revise the politically correct edition to update it according to the social values of a different time, and another generation will revise, and so on. Allowing these seemingly cosmetic changes now may justify attempts to make more severe changes in the future. By making these changes in the name of serving society in which we currently live, these "scholars" are denying

their obligations to ancestors who preceded us, and generations that will succeed ours.

We have a duty to pass on certain parts of the world the way we have been given them because we are participants in "a partnership not only between those who are living, but between those who are living, those who are dead, and those who are unborn" (Edmund Burke). By altering the Bible in an attempt to serve our current social values these authors are neglecting their obligations to other generations, both past and future. While the politically correct movement is, no doubt, utilized appropriately to change many facets of our world, it should not be used to alter those portions of history that we know are sacred and divinely inspired.

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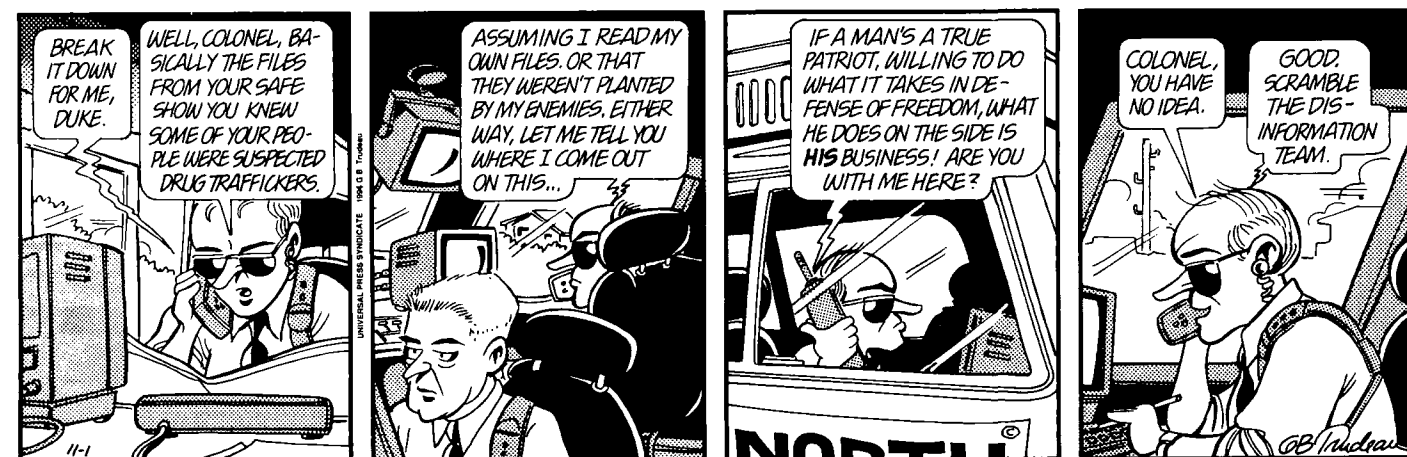


"politically correct" Bible which incorporates gender inclusive language into the sacred document. God cannot be there, however, because He made the mistake of revealing Himself to us in the masculine gender.

On Oct. 7, 1994 an article appeared in this paper explicating the text of the "New Testament of the Inclusive Language Bible". The new bible changes phrases such as "Father" to "Heavenly Parent", "Brethren" to "Believers", "Kingdom" to "Realm" and "Son of Man" to "Child of Humanity". The Bible was compiled by Chuck Stiles, who received help from over 50 "scholars", and edited by Saint Mary's History Professor Cyriac Pullapilly. Because the critique in the original article was entirely too kind in its criticism of this aberration, I must proffer my own statement of its faults.

The authors argue the Bible must be updated to reflect the social values of our time, rather than those of the patriarchal society within which it was writ-

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"It's a great job for deviant human beings."

**—Fred Grandy, (R-Iowa)
On serving in Congress**

Appalachia relaxing as well as rewarding

By EDWARD IMBUS
Accent Writer

Over fall break most students left for home to relax after a difficult time with midterm exams. Others stayed on campus, trying to get ahead in their studies, or simply catch up. Another group of students, however, put both relaxation and studies on hold to instead provide a week of volunteer service to the rural poor of the Appalachia region.

Over a hundred students trekked out to twelve different sites throughout the Appalachia mountains determined to make a difference, even if but a small one, for the better during their "week off."

These students were participating in the Appalachia Seminar, a single credit, pass-fail theology class sponsored by the Center for Social Concerns. For the course, students are required to go to lectures before and after their week away, topped off by either a special project or five page reflection paper.

The initial lectures, however, were simply that: basic preparation, which was by no means a proper substitute for the experience the students would find on the mountains.

The Appalachia Seminar, since its beginning several years before, has been highly organized, sending students to organizations, most religious-based, to allow the students to understand the problems of the rural poor, rather than simply observing

them.

Under the auspices of the Christian Appalachia Project (CAP) of south central Kentucky, a group of eight students were charged with assisting in renovating two extremely old and dilapidated houses. CAP had already planned the needed structural changes; they both needed new roofs to replace the weak and leaky ones in place before the wet autumn and snowy winters came. One of the homes also needed siding to protect its wooden walls from rot.

Eight people, of whom none knew two others before the seminar started, began the group effort to provide what progress they could to help. The work was difficult, taking lots of time and perspiration, and in most cases precision was a requirement.

As one of the professional carpenters also on the site said, however, "It's not the work we look forward to; it's the people." Those receiving the help made the long days worth all the time and energy exerted.

The time was curiously relaxing, with no studies to worry about and the knowledge that the time was not idle, either. At nights, the group would sit around campfires, hike to various parts of the pristine countryside, and discuss reactions to what they saw.

The Appalachia Seminar proved to be a valuable experience for those who went, extolling the values of Our Lady in the midst of natural beauty all around. It is a time made for Notre Dame students, and is not to be missed.

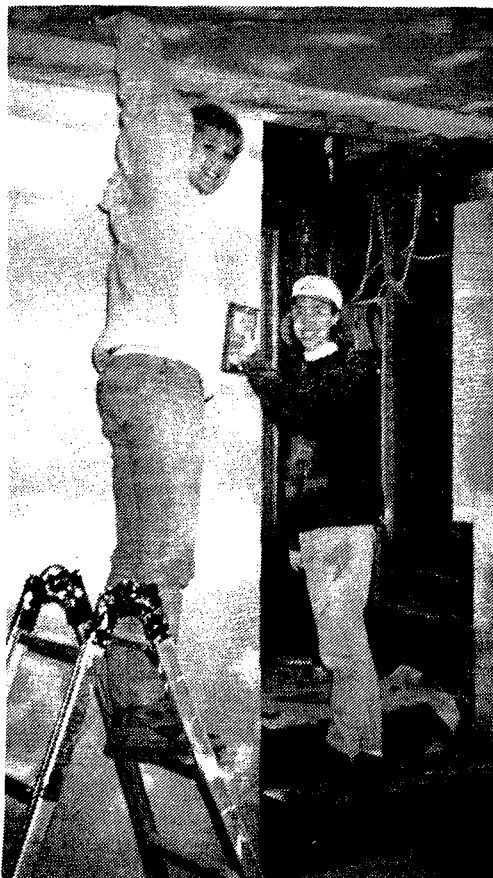


Photo courtesy of Kira Hutchinson
Gretchen Stephans and Emily Portune worked in West Virginia for the McDowell Mission.

Task force hits the road

By SHANNON DUNN
Accent Writer

This Fall Break, five members of the Appalachia Task Force, or the coordinators of the Appalachia Seminar, traveled down into Appalachia to visit the sites where Notre Dame sends its students. This was the first time the Task Force had attempted such a trip. We took off bound for Kentucky, Tennessee, and West Virginia, and managed to make it to nine of the eleven sites that the seminar utilizes. Our goals were to become better informed on the specific details of each site and to make sure that the seminar was running smoothly for both the students and the sites involved. All in all, we far exceeded our goals and we had a fantastic time.

Our agenda was to interview the staff members at each site in order to gain a sense of the type of service work the site is involved in, and a sense of the origins and history of each site. In order to best document the information we received, we audio and video taped as much as possible. I was struck by the dedication of the people we interviewed to bettering the way of life for the less privileged of Appalachia. It was truly inspiring. A recurring theme during our interviews was "empowerment." The sites and organizations are geared towards empowering the people they help into having a vested interest in the people and land.

I especially enjoyed seeing and talking with the students at each site. Judging from the enthusiastic comments and volume of laughter late at night, I would say that the seminar was fulfilling and a success. This reaffirms my dedication to maintaining the best aspects of the seminar and also to continue working towards a better program for the future. The Task Force was thrilled to observe and work with the students and we were proud of their compassion and openness to new challenges.

Aside from the business aspects of our trip, a lot can happen while driving around for six days. On our first night, we got stuck in a ditch. This gave our minivan rental a muddy, rugged look for the remainder of the trip. The next day we smashed the taillight of another van. That was it for minivan injuries. My job was to navigate and make sure that we never, or rarely, turned onto the wrong, curvy, nausea-inducing road. Whether we were cruising while listening to John Denver hits, sitting around the campfire absorbing enough smoke to become self-contained beef jerky making factories, or simply contemplating that next shower or non-outhouse toilet, we were having a blast.

Our trip was extremely worthwhile and we look forward to a great finale for this seminar and an equally exciting one in the spring.

SMC students travel to West Virginia to serve

By PATTI CARSON
Saint Mary's Accent Editor

They went with the intention to serve and to give. They returned feeling like they received more than they gave. Over fall break, six Saint Mary's students traveled to Wheeling, West Virginia to volunteer their services for the underprivileged people of the area for a second consecutive year.

Katie Donovan, a Senior Nursing major, said that in her work, she's seen some patients turned away because they couldn't afford health care. "Going to West Virginia over break was my way of taking care of those who were turned away. I wanted to do something for the people who are often forgotten." So she made the trip for the second year.

Ella Harmeyer, Assistant Professor, Nursing, accompanied the Saint Mary's women on the trip, which consisted of three main service projects. "We spent time at the Catholic Charities Neighborhood Center where we helped to take care of the homeless and the underprivileged. We also performed various health services, such as blood pressure screening and flu shot distribution," said Harmeyer.

Though four nursing majors went to Wheeling, the nursing major was not a requirement to attend. Two students who are not nursing majors also went to provide their services, which included visiting with the people and aiding in feeding the people. "This is not just a project for nursing majors. Anyone is welcome and encourage to help," added Harmeyer.

The group of six students also made visits to the homes of the sick in cooperation with the Visiting Nurses Association.

Another part of the five day trip was the work done at the Icenhower Home. This is a home for the mentally handicapped. "Again, we performed health services, visited with the people, and even played BINGO," said Harmeyer.

"It's easy to forget about how the rest of the world lives when you're away at college," said Donovan. There are many people who cannot afford medical care.

Donovan went on to explain that people sometimes over generalize about the homeless, thinking that they are drug addicts or alcoholics who are to blame for their lot in life. This is not true, she explained.

"They are human beings just like the rest of us. Many of the homeless are people who have lost their jobs or were laid off. They can't afford rent, food, or medical care."

Sophomore math major Kathy Baumann said, "We went to Wheeling to volunteer our time and services, but the people there kept wanting to help us. They were concerned about whether or not we were comfortable and they constantly offered us coffee," she said.

"I challenge students to perform service projects like this because it makes you realize how fortunate you are. How often do we have to worry about where we will sleep at night? That was one of the major concerns of some of the people I met," Donovan added.

Harmeyer agreed, "We left

appreciating all that we sometimes take for granted."

The Center for Spirituality received a grant which covered travel costs and housing accommodations for students. Therefore, the money used in West Virginia by this group went solely to provide food, blankets, and clothing for the people.

"We are especially grateful to SURV, who provided us with money to help the people and to Saint Mary's students in the residence halls who donated money for the people," Donovan said.

Those who donated should realize that the six who went to West Virginia represented the entire Saint Mary's College community, to which the people of Wheeling are grateful, according to Sister Anne Schultz, C.S.C., Director of Administration and Mission, Center for Spirituality.

The Center for Spirituality aided several years ago in the formation of small faith communities which were founded for the purpose of reflecting on the gospels. These groups are for reflection, not necessarily study.

Sister Rose Anne said that these groups are motivational.

"They focus on the gospel. We are called to be Eucharist people and the Sunday liturgy is not always enough to fulfill us spiritually," she said. As a result, small groups form and meet once a week to reflect on the gospel messages.

Sister Rose Anne said that we are called to serve. We are called to pray, reflect, share, and act. We act by providing services like those performed in Wheeling, she said.

She stressed the importance of leadership skill development. "You students are forming the adult Church of the future. We will be looking to you to keep service alive in that Church," Sister Rose Anne added.

She reminded Saint Mary's students of the College Mission Statement. Part of that statement reads: "A Saint Mary's College woman will have the ability to make socially responsible choices about the future, will be prepared for roles of leadership and action in the worlds of work, church and community."

The trip to West Virginia, along with other features offered by the Center for Spirituality, aid in the fulfillment of that statement.



Photo courtesy of Katie Donovan
These six volunteers visited with the homeless and the underprivileged in West Virginia.

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KEY STAT

In its first two possessions, Navy earned four first downs, but managed just two more in its next ten possessions.

PLAYER OF THE GAME

EMMETT MOSLEY, filling in at tailback, Mosley rushed for 84 yards on 15 carries and scored four touchdowns.

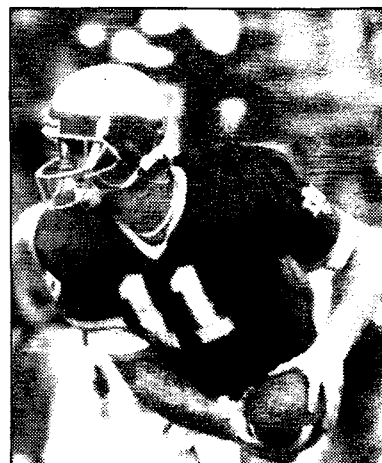
TOP QUOTE

"I think we took winning for granted. We didn't realize how much winning meant to us."
—Notre Dame's Oliver Gibson

**QUARTERBACK
QUARTET**

■ Tom Krug (right) was one of three signal-callers to fill-in for Ron Powlus during Saturday's rout.

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Smooth Sailing

Midshipmen no match for a revived Irish offense

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Editor

At best, the jury is still out. That would be the only conclusion any Irish fan could come to after Saturday's 58-21 drubbing of Navy at Notre Dame Stadium.

A week off, and a renewed offense on the offensive line and some slanted changes attack at worst ended Notre Dame's two game skid and gave hope that the seven victories needed for a bowl birth are indeed within reach.

The victory if it achieved anything, and if you consider it an achievement, pushed Notre Dame (5-3) back into the top 25. The coaches awarded the Irish the final spot in their poll, but the Associated Press voters still list Notre Dame as one of the *others receiving votes*.

The jury will surely be dismissed after Notre Dame squares off against fifth-ranked Florida State on Nov. 12. But until then Irish fans can begin with Navy and start building a case.

Sophomore Emmett Mosely is certainly the star witness. The full-time flanker, part-time tailback reversed his roles against the Midshipmen. He carried 15 times for 84 yards and four touchdowns, caught one pass for 37 yards, and on special teams returned six

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Emmett Mosley was just a fill-in at tailback, but he became the first Irish player in seven years to score four touchdowns in a game.

■ **JOCK STRIP**

Coaches' sideshow better than the game itself

Lou Holtz glanced at his wristwatch because, unlike the paying customers, he didn't have the luxury of leaving early.

It was about 4:15, almost four hours since Notre Dame's annual debriefing of the Naval Academy began.

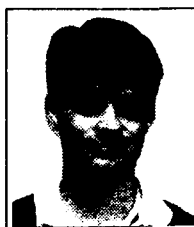
Just who were the corporate geniuses who paid for all that air time, anyway?

While the Irish tried to run the clock out on their rout, Navy timeouts—and, of course, more commercials—kept getting in the way.

"All I wanted to do was end up the game," Holtz said.

But there were still games to play, with each coach using his players like pawns.

Holtz made the first move, calling a fake punt with less than two minutes left and the Irish ahead by 30 points. Marc Edwards took the snap and rumbled to the Navy 10-yard line. A harmless play, if a little heavy-handed under the cir-



Jason Kelly
Associate Sports Editor

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Irish take the first step

'Four-game season' begins on positive note; FSU awaits

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Editor

They called it a good start to a new season.

The Notre Dame players felt Saturday's 58-21 win over Navy was the first step toward a new goal, one they had carved into their psyche during the two weeks preparing for the Midshipmen.

"It's a four-game season," Derrick Mayes said, "and this is a good way to begin."

Even if it was against a Navy team Notre Dame hasn't lost to in 31 straight games.

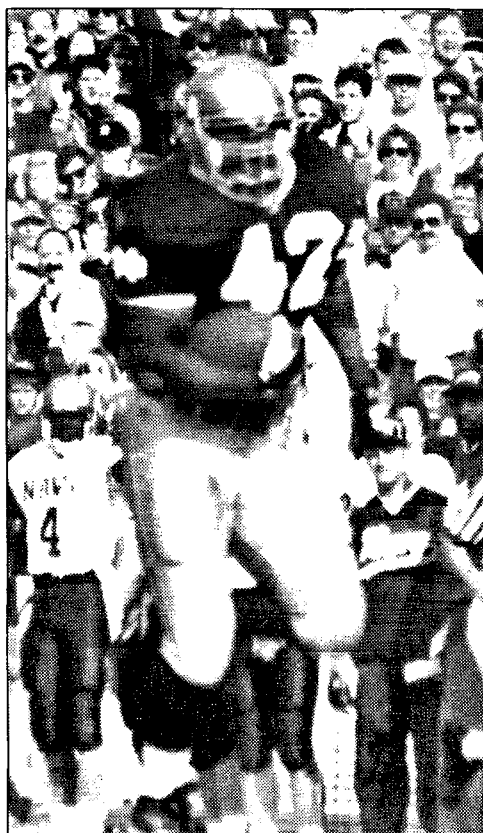
"It doesn't matter that it is Navy," Jeremy Sample said. "This is a big win coming off two weeks of disappointment. It was good just to see the offense, defense and the kicking game come together."

During the off-week the Irish returned to the basics, and all those involved called the practices as physical as fall camp. It was exactly what the Irish needed after consecutive losses to Boston College and BYU. And it also was necessary to silence, at least for the time being, the bushels of theories that have popped up to account for Notre Dame's fall. First the blame fell on the offensive line, then a lack of talent, then a few bad seeds. But maybe it was whole lot simpler.

"I think we took winning for granted," Oliver Gibson said. "We didn't realize how much winning meant to us and how hard we would have to work."

The work can't stop with a date with Florida State in Orlando less than two weeks away.

"I thought we made some progress during the open date but we'll just have to wait and see," Holtz said. "I don't think



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A win is a win regardless of the opponent for Alton Maiden and the Irish.

you can give an evaluation now. I do think we are a better team offensively. I know we are a better team now than we were two weeks ago. We know we've got to get better. The key is getting better in the next two weeks."

Notre Dame needs to improve enough to win two of its last three so it can qualify for a bowl bid, not an easy task with a date with the Seminoles and long-time foe USC to Los Angeles to close the season.

"We are playing against perfection," Mayes said. "It didn't matter who we played today. This game is a boost for all of us."

few times, Maiden rumbled the distance to the endzone, giving Notre Dame a 38-7 halftime lead.

"That's always been a dream of mine," Maiden said. "I was fumbling it at first and thought I wasn't going to get it but luckily I did."

With the game no longer in doubt, Holtz flooded the Irish lineup with reserves which included a revolving door at quarterback. Tom Krug, Leon Blunt and Gus Ornstein filled in for Powlus who finished 4-of-8 for 126 yards. All had there high and low points, the highest being Ornstein's 15-yard touchdown pass to Leon Wallace in the games closing seconds.

Navy gave Irish fans a brief scare on its opening drive when Kubiak hit Scott Ross on a 32-yard scoring pass. But it was a fleeting moment of glory. After earning four first downs on its first two possession Notre Dame held Navy to only four on its next ten.

"The game was basically over at half-time," Holtz said. "We just had too many athletes for them."

A fact that won't hold true against the Seminoles. And until then, view the Navy win as unsubstantial evidence.

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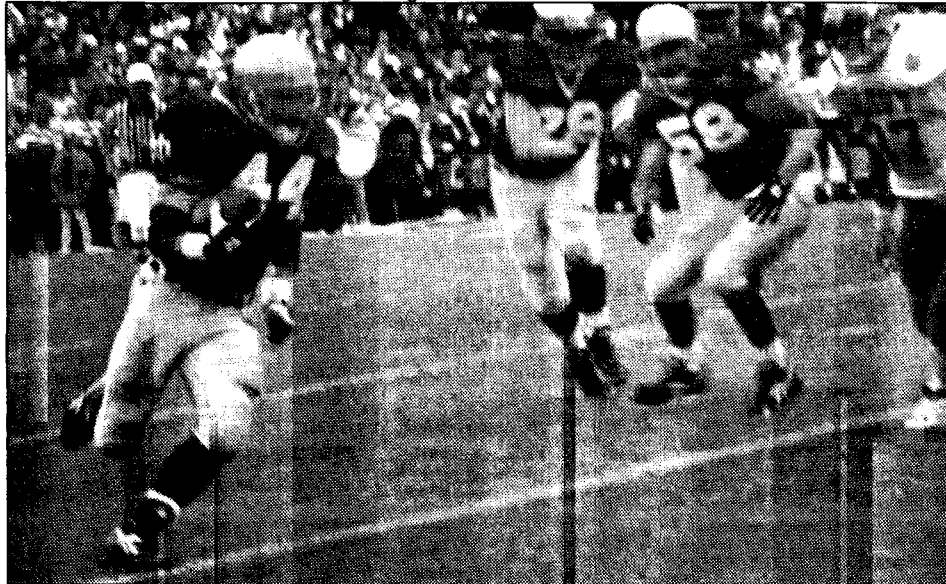
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punts for 38 yards and added a 47-yard kickoff return.

Injuries to Lee Becton and Ray Zellars kept them out of the contest and minor injuries to Randy Kinder and Robert Farmer left Mosely with the bulk of carries.

"Emmett is an individual we have been trying to play at flanker but because of some injuries and to play tailback today," Irish coach Lou Holtz said. "He has good moves and good vision at the line of scrimmage. He played well today as was one of the players we gave a game ball."

Mosley's 19-yard run to start the second quarter sparked a 28-point spree by the Irish which included 20 and 60 yard scoring passes from Ron Powlus to Derrick Mayes. Another score came on an interception return for a touchdown by linebacker Alton Maiden. Navy quarterback Jim Kubiak flipped a pass right to Maiden with 44 yards of open green in front of him. After bobbling the gift a



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Marc Edwards rumbles for 29 yards on a fake punt late in the game.

■ GAME NOTES

By JASON KELLY
Associate Sports Editor

Watching quarterback Ron Powlus hobble off the field is a frightening—and familiar—sight for Notre Dame fans.

His groin has made him gimpy for much of this season and a concussion ended his afternoon two weeks ago against Brigham Young.

This time, it was his ankle.

Powlus lugged his battered body off the field in the first half, limping gingerly on his left leg.

Team doctors wrapped his ankle with about 100 yards of tape and he returned to the field later in the half. With both feet wrapped alike.

"We didn't want anybody to know which ankle (was injured)," Powlus said.

The injury isn't expected to keep him off the practice field between now and the Nov. 12 battle against Florida State.

POWLUS' POINTS: He has thrown more than a dozen touchdown passes this season, but he never scored a point.

Until Saturday.

After handing off to fullback Mark Edwards on a two-point conversion play, Powlus slipped past the Navy defense into the endzone where he corralled Edwards' pass.

ABANDON SHIP: Saturday's win marked Notre Dame's 31st consecutive win over Navy.

It is the longest current streak in college football, and the Irish need only one more to tie the all-time mark set by Oklahoma over Kansas State from 1937-68.

DUBLINERS: Should the Irish knock off Navy again next year at Notre Dame Stadium, they will have

a chance to break the consecutive-wins record on friendly turf.

The 1996 Notre Dame-Navy game will be played in Dublin, Ireland, the true home of the Fighting Irish.

Navy has never played on foreign soil, but the Irish defeated Miami 40-15 in Tokyo in 1979.

EVERYBODY PLAYS: More than 80 Irish players saw action Saturday, beneficiaries of Navy's ineptness.

Four quarterbacks, 11 receivers, 11 offensive linemen and 10 defensive tackles crowded the stat sheets, many carving their only niche in Notre Dame football history.

Senior Mike McGlinn did double duty, wearing No. 70 when he played offensive tackle and switching to No. 85 when he played tight end.

EDISON EVACUATES: Seldom-used freshman defensive back Jarvis Edison will transfer after the 1994-95 academic year.

His decision comes less than two weeks after Irish coach Lou Holtz apparently called for the removal of a "cancer" at a team meeting.

Though Edison said he wasn't part of the disease, he admitted that the gathering did add to his desire to leave the school.

"The meeting had a lot to do with my decision," he told the South Bend Tribune. "It affected my commitment. I was surprised that a meeting like that even happened."

Expected to be a player in the mold of current Irish star Bobby Taylor, Edison never reached his potential, in part because of off-season knee surgery that limited his effectiveness.

But personal problems apparently affected his decision to transfer as much as football.

"I was never happy here," Edison said. "It's been a struggle."

■ GRADED POSITION ANALYSIS

QUARTERBACK B-

Four quarterbacks combined for three touchdowns and two interceptions. It was a good learning experience for Gus Ornstein and Leon Blunt, but mistakes gave Navy's defense delusions that they could actually compete with Notre Dame's second team offense.

RUNNING BACKS A-

Even with Ray Zellars out, Lee Becton on the bench, and Randy Kinder sitting out the second half with an injury, the running game looked good behind Emmett Mosley's 84-yard, four-touchdown performance.

RECEIVERS B+

There were only ten completed passes on the day for the Irish, but it was a good day for Mayes, as usual, and Leon Wallace contributed with a touchdown catch. That's right, a tight-end caught a pass for the second game in a row. Is this a trend?

OFFENSIVE LINE B

The offensive line opened holes that a truck could drive through. The defense looked like it was on roller skates. But wait—this was Navy that they beat up. Can they do it against a real team?

DEFENSIVE LINE A-

Navy had only 24 yards rushing for the game. Alton Maiden had an interception return for a touchdown. What else can you say? Just three words—It was Navy.

LINEBACKERS A

All three Irish sacks were recorded by linebackers. Goheen, Sample, and Nau played like mad dogs, maiming any receiver that ventured over the middle and any back that got through the line.

SECONDARY C+

Brian Magee got burned right off the bat with Navy's first scoring strike. Several interference penalties gave the Midshipmen new life. But Allen Rossum and Ivory Covington played well while seeing extensive time.

SPECIAL TEAMS B

With the exception of two missed extra points, the Irish special teams played inspired. Mosley had many good returns, and Bill Wagasy recovered a fumble on a kickoff.

COACHING B

Sure, this was Navy, but give credit to Lou Holtz for pulling the team back together. But the last touchdown pass may have made Navy coach George Chaump a little mad. Uh-oh.

OVERALL GRADE 3.19

A good game for parents. Mom and Dad saw 79 points scored, but they also did the wave and saw an impressive silent marine drill, distractions that make a boring game more fun and tolerable.

— MIKE NORBUT

Mosley makes mentor Mayes pay the price

Four quarterbacks take turns directing Irish offense in rout

By MIKE NORBUT
Associate Sports Editor

A gentleman's bet over who would score more is a pretty good indication of how well an offense is operating.

At halftime of Saturday's 58-21 Irish victory over Navy, receiver Derrick Mayes challenged tailback Emmett Mosley to a bit of a scoring competition. They had each contributed two touchdowns to Notre Dame's first half scoring bonanza.

"Derrick and I were kidding each other at halftime," Mosley said. "He kept telling me how he felt like he was going to end up with four (touchdowns)."

Instead, it was Mosley who finished with four, scoring twice in the second half to cap off a career day. The sophomore gained 84 yards on 15 carries as the premier tailback in the Irish running game.

It was the first time since 1987 that an Irish running back has scored four times in one game. Anthony Johnson accomplished the same feat seven years ago against the same mighty Midshipmen.

"We have been trying to make Emmett Mosley a wide receiver, but we know he is a good running back," Notre Dame coach Lou Holtz said. "With people out due to injuries, we had to move him to tailback."

Randy Kinder, who started in the backfield, left the game in the first half with an arm bruise, leaving Mosley to carry the load. But with some blocking, his load did not seem quite as heavy.

"The offensive line did a great job blocking," the sophomore said. "Today, we played as a team. All eleven people



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An injury to Ron Powlus (left) forced Tom Krug into action in the first half.

did their jobs on offense."

Even Holtz's shuffling of quarterbacks could not interrupt the offense's rhythm.

The Notre Dame coach employed four different signal callers in Saturday's contest. Ron Powlus, who started the game, completed four of eight passes for 126 yards and two second quarter touchdowns, both to Mayes. He then sat out the second half with an ankle sprain.

"I sprained my ankle a bit, but it's fine," Powlus said. "Actually, it worked out good. We had a lead, so there was no real reason for me to be in there in the second half."

Instead, the Irish starter watched his three backups mop up. But the job was a little messier than Holtz would have liked.

"I wasn't pleased at how our second team offense was moving the ball," the Irish coach said. "We made some mis-

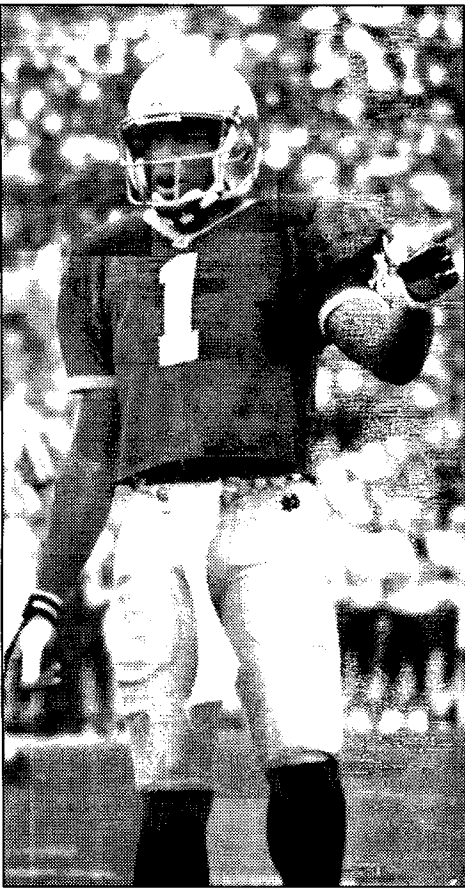
takes that we don't like to see made."

While gaining some valuable experience, every quarterback had a few instances that they would just as soon forget.

Tom Krug, who took over immediately after Powlus left the game, made good throws to Mayes and Charlie Stafford before trying to force a pass into double coverage, resulting in an interception.

Freshman Leon Blunt moved the team down the field in the third quarter, but then made an errant pitch to Mosley that was recovered by Navy, halting an Irish scoring drive.

And Gus Ornstein, the last participant in the quarterback shuffle, threw an interception due to a miscommunication with receiver Cikai Champion. But the freshman came back to complete a touchdown pass to tight end Leon Wallace late in the game.



The Observer/Kyle Kusek

Derrick Mayes scored two touchdowns, but buddy Emmett Mosley had four.

"At the end, we just decided to try to put the ball in the end zone," Ornstein said. "Coach Holtz just wanted to give us a chance and see how we'd handle the situation."

The offense handled the situation with ease, as Ornstein and Wallace recorded their first touchdown pass and catch of their careers. But it wasn't enough to make them winners in the real game, the gentleman's scoring contest. Mosley had that locked up well before their play happened.

AP TOP 25				
TEAM	RECORD	POINTS	PREVIOUS	
1. Nebraska (33)	9-0-0	1520	3	
2. Penn St. (28)	7-0-0	1514	1	
3. Auburn (1)	8-0-0	1427	4	
4. Florida	6-1-0	1322	5	
5. Miami	6-1-0	1267	6	
6. Alabama	8-0-0	1221	8	
7. Colorado	7-1-0	1214	2	
8. Florida St.	6-1-0	1167	9	
9. Utah	8-0-0	1033	12	
10. Syracuse	6-1-0	892	14	
11. Texas A&M	7-0-1	861	7	
12. Washington	6-2-0	806	15	
13. Virginia	6-1-0	749	18	
14. Colorado St.	7-1-0	723	17	
15. Kansas St.	5-2-0	600	23	
16. Wash. St.	6-2-0	567	22	
17. Virginia Tech	7-2-0	512	13	
18. Arizona	6-2-0	504	11	
19. N. Carolina	6-2-0	473	24	
20. Michigan	5-3-0	435	10	
21. Oregon	6-3-0	373	-	
22. Southern Cal	5-2-0	278	25	
23. Duke	7-1-0	270	16	
24. Miss. St.	6-2-0	119	-	
25. BYU	7-2-0	64	20	
28. Notre Dame 5-3-0 38pts				

■ STATISTICS

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Notre Dame 10 28 7 13
Navy 7 0 0 14

TEAM STATS

	Navy	ND
First Downs	14	24
Rushes-Yards	24-28	59-267
Passing Yards	158	210
Comp-Att-Int	19-40-1	10-22-2
Return Yards	68	82
Punts-Avg.	11-37	5-40
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	3-1
Penalties-Yards	4-53	9-62
Possession Time	24:49	35:11

INDIVIDUAL STATS

RUSHING—Notre Dame: Mosley 15-84 4TD, Edwards 14-78, Farmer 9-62, Kinder 6-45, Stafford 1-21, Thome 5-14, Krug 1-minus 1, Klusas 1-minus 2, Ornstein 2-minus 2, Powlus 1-minus 4, Blunt 3-minus 2. Navy: Smith 5-27, Williams 5-14, McGrew 5-9, Nelson 3-1, Jefferson 1-0, Kubiak 5-1.
PASSING—Notre Dame: Powlus 4-for-8, 126 yards 2 TD, Krug 3-for-8 53 yards, Ornstein 2-for-5 21 yards 1

TD 1 INT, Blunt 1-for-1 10 yards. Navy: Kubiak 15-for-33 122 yards 2 TD 1 INT, Fay 4-for-7 36 yards.
RECEIVING—Notre Dame: Mayes 4-121 2TD, Stafford 3-31, Wallace 2-21 1TD, Mosley 1-37. Navy: Hickman 6-37, Scott 3-56 1 TD, Jefferson 3-37, Williams 3-2, Dixon 1-9, Smith 1-8, Quartley 1-7, Grana 1-2 1TD.

TACKLES—Notre Dame: Saddler 3, Moore 2, Covington 5, Rossum 3, Magee 3, Wooden 3, McLaughlin 1, Sample 7, Davis 1, Tatum 3, Maiden 1, Mitoulas 3, Wynn 1, Cobbins 1, Kaczinski 1, Goheen 3, Gibson 4, Nau 2, Berry 1, Hamilton 1, Grasmanis 1, Bergman 1. Navy: Salley 2, Hammond 1, Neville 1, Halloran 6, Love 6, Speed 7, Thompson 8, Alota 6, Hart 4, Bryant 1, Bruce 5, Galloway 3, Harris 7, Zweig 1, Johnston 1, Alukonis 1.

SACKS—Notre Dame: Sample 1, Goheen 1, Nau 1. Navy: Salley 1.
FUMBLES RECOVERED—Notre Dame: Wagasy 1, Powlus 1. Navy: Speed 1, Edwards 1.
KICKS BLOCKED—Notre Dame: McLaughlin 1. Navy: Reaghard 1.

■ SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

Navy 7, Notre Dame 0
(5 plays, 64 yards, 2:04)
12:56—Jim Kubiak hit Ross Scott on a 32-yard touchdown pass (Brian Bucchianeri PAT). **Key Play:** A Kubiak screen pass to Michael Jefferson that went for 29 yards and a first down.

Notre Dame 7, Navy 7
(8 plays, 65 yards, 2:34)
9:22—Emmett Mosley scored his first career touchdown on an 11-yard run (Scott Cengia PAT). **Key Play:** A Ron Powlus pass complete to Mosley for 35 yards on 3rd and 17 at the Navy 49.

Notre Dame 10, Navy 7
(8 plays, 45 yards, 3:06)
3:28—Cengia connected on a 38-yard field goal. **Key Play:** A Tom Krug pass complete to Derrick Mayes for 31 yards down to the Navy 35.

SECOND QUARTER

Notre Dame 17, Navy 7
(5 plays, 40 yards, 1:48)
11:25—Mosley scores on a 19-yard scamper off the left side (Cengia PAT). **Key Play:** A pass interference call against the Midshipmen on a 3rd down play gave the Irish the ball at the Navy 19.

Notre Dame 23, Navy 7
(3 plays, 60 yards, :57)
9:43—Powlus hit Mayes down the right sideline for a 60-yard score (PAT failed). **Key Play:** Powlus planting his feet as he threw, and Mayes looking the ball all the way in.

Notre Dame 31, Navy 7
4:02—Kubiak hits Alton Maiden in the face with a pass, and the Irish defensive lineman gets the handle on the ball and rambles 45 yards for the score. (Powlus pitches to

Edwards and then receives the return pass from the fullback for the two-point conversion). **Key Play:** Kubiak going temporarily insane and thinking Maiden was on his team.

Notre Dame 38, Navy 7
(6 plays, 56 yards, 1:53)
1:02—Powlus hit Mayes on a 20-yard corner route (Stefan Schreffner PAT). **Key Play:** Don't they all look like key plays by now?

THIRD QUARTER

Notre Dame 45, Navy 7
(3 plays, 31 yards, 1:24)
1:43—Mosley scampers in the end zone on a 24-yard run (Cengia PAT). **Key Play:** Gus Ornstein sparking the team by entering the game at quarterback.

FOURTH QUARTER

Notre Dame 51, Navy 7
(6 plays, 21 yards, 2:15)
14:48—Mosley scores his fourth touchdown of the day from two yards out (PAT blocked). **Key Play:** Bill Wagasy recovers a Kevin Hickman fumble after an Irish kickoff at the Navy 21.

Notre Dame 51, Navy 14

(1 play, 2 yards, :06)
9:22—Kubiak hit Brian Grana with a 2-yard pass (Bucchianeri PAT). **Key Play:** Chris Hart intercepted an Ornstein pass and brought it back to the Irish 2.

Notre Dame 51, Navy 21
(7 plays, 49 yards, 2:44)
2:40—Will Smith scored from 13 yards out (Bucchianeri PAT). **Key Play:** An offside call against Notre Dame on a fourth down play that also erased a LaRon Moore interception.

Notre Dame 58, Navy 21
(8 plays, 46 yards, 2:02)
:38—Ornstein hits Leon Wallace for 15 yards on fourth down (Chris McCarthy PAT). **Key Play:** A fake punt with less than two minutes left in the game. Here's mud in your eye, Navy.

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cumstances.

"The fake punt had two purposes," Holtz explained. "Number one, it lets people know we have it. And second, I just wanted the game to end."

Assuming Bobby Bowden spent the balance of his weekend drawing up punt-fake defenses, Holtz accomplished at least one of his objectives. The other proved to be more elusive.

It was George Chaump's move. The Navy coach, hoping to save precious seconds for another possession, called timeout after Irish quarterback Gus Ornstein downed the ball on two consecutive plays.

Oh, so that's how you want to play?

"They kept calling timeouts," Ornstein said. "If they wanted to play some more, we'd play some more."

Instead of ordering Ornstein to genuflect again and force the Midshipmen to use their last timeout, Holtz went to the air. After an incompletion on third down, he reached for his most secret weapon—more surprising even than the fake punt. That's right . . . the tight end.

On fourth-and-goal from the 15 with just seconds remaining, Ornstein connected with Leon Wallace for each players' first career score.

It would have been the nail in the coffin, if the grave-diggers weren't already wiping the dirt from their hands.

"I apologized to George for the last touchdown," Holtz said. "I still feel bad about it."

It was obviously the Navy timeouts that turned Holtz to the skies in the final minute, not that they provided much of an excuse for his excess.

But Chaump would have been the helpless victim in the whole scenario if he hadn't searched for so much sympathy. "I just would have liked to get some other guys in the game so they could at least go home and say they played in the great Notre Dame Stadium," he said. "I guess they won't have that chance."

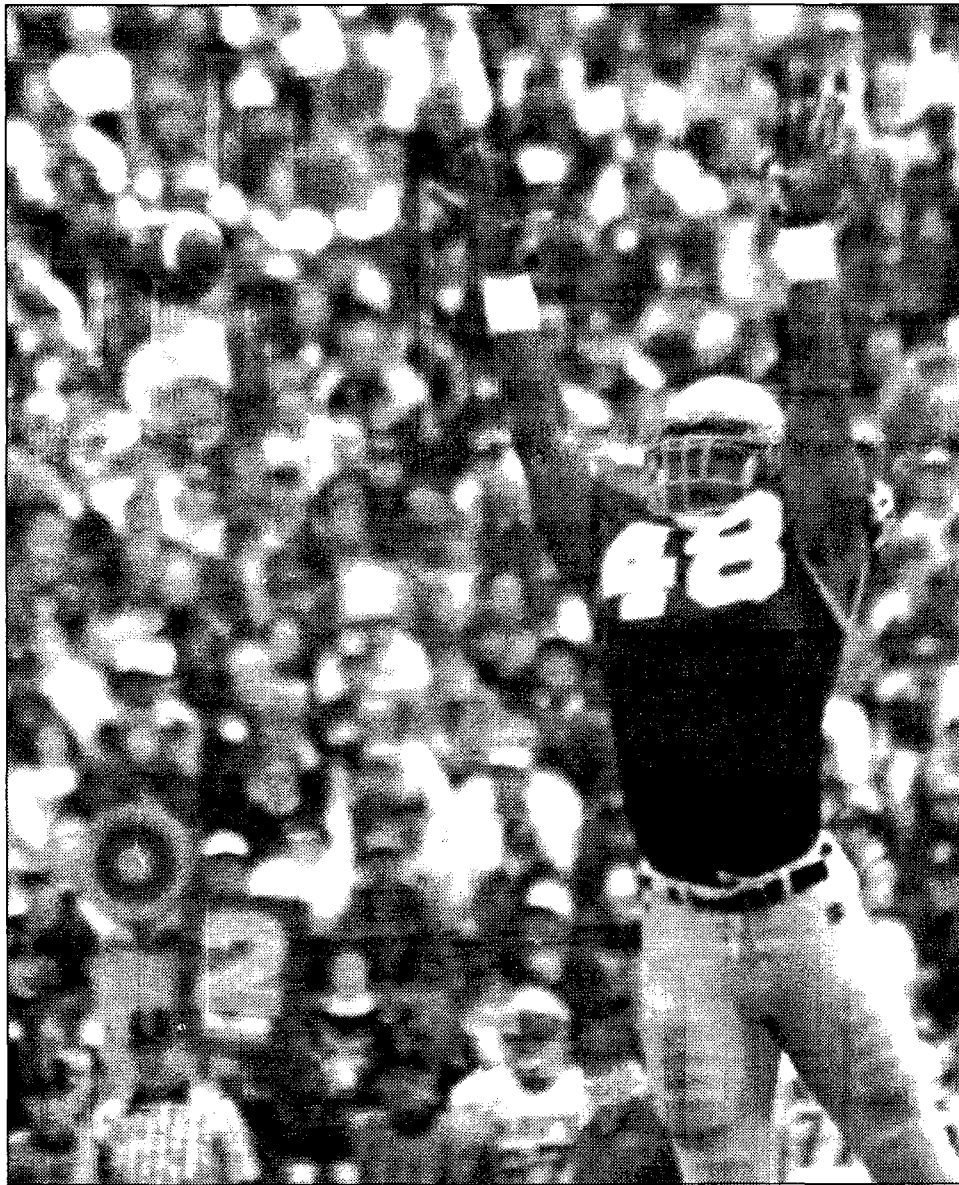
He didn't explain why those other guys didn't have that chance before the final minute of a game that the Irish led by 44 points with more than 13 minutes left.

They stayed on the bench while the coaches played games.



The Naval Academy's Honor Guard performed at halftime. It was Navy's most intimidating formation of the afternoon.

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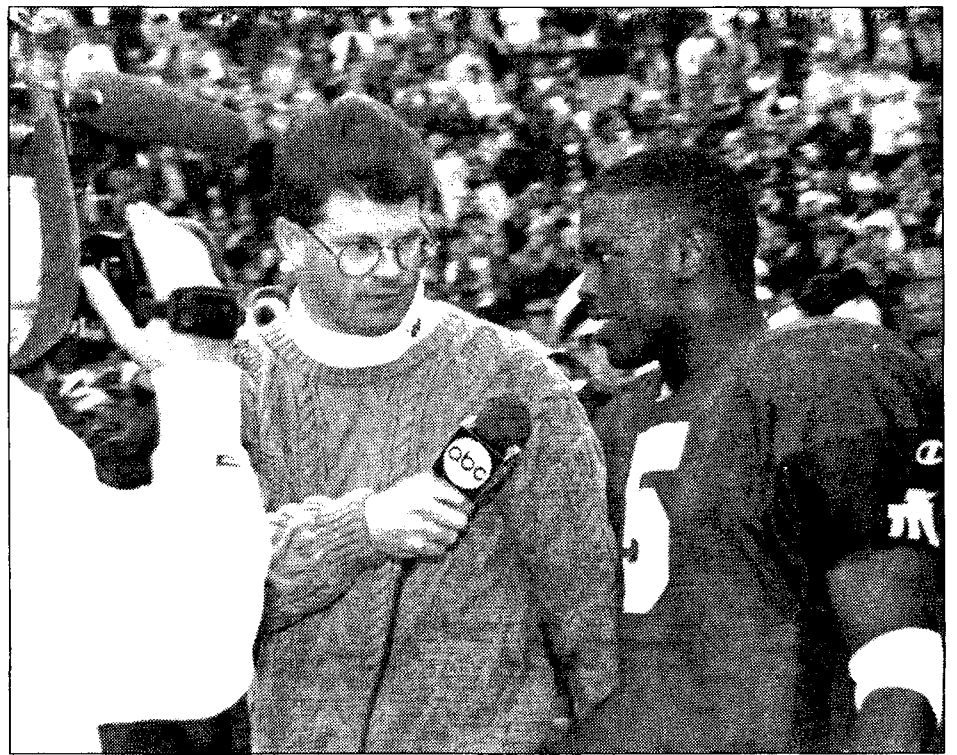
Renaldo Wynn leaps to deflect a Navy pass.

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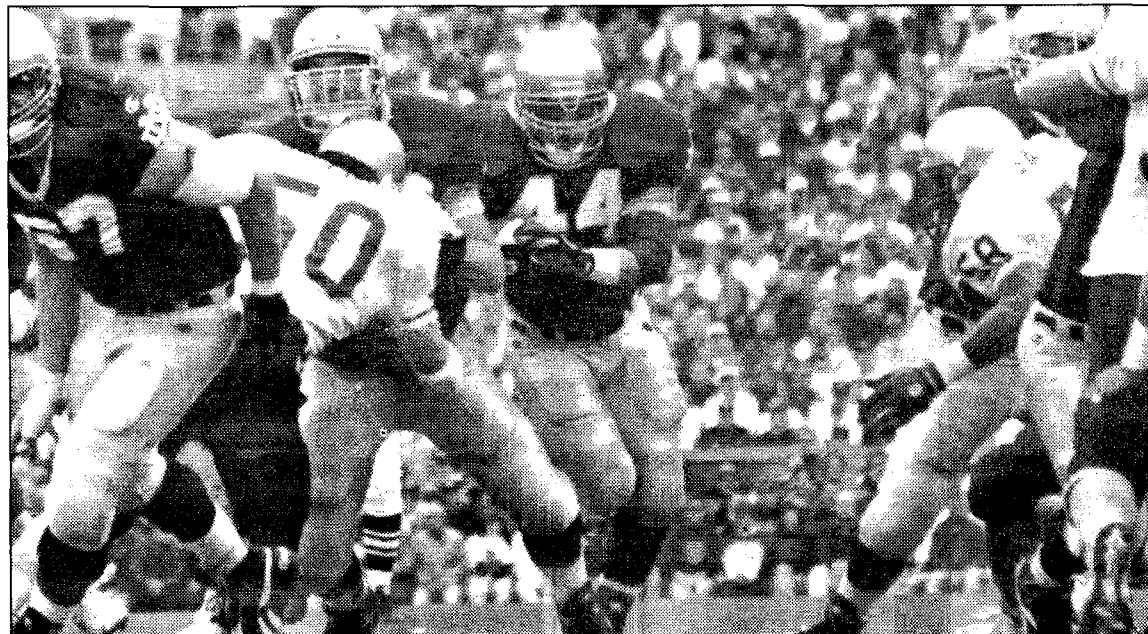
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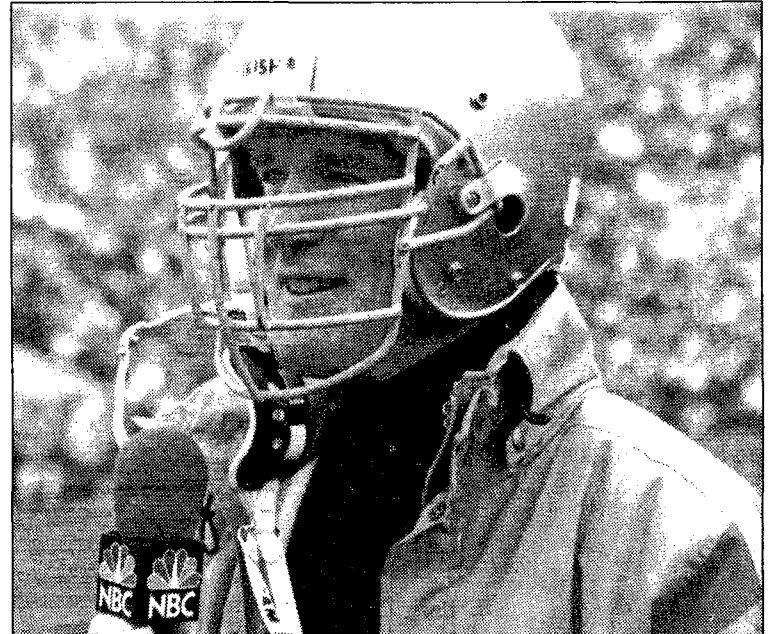
Four touchdowns made sophomore Emmett Mosley an instant celebrity.

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Marc Edwards finds a hole behind the Irish offensive line.

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John Dockery and NBC were searching for stories in strange places.

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Washington Seminar: Learning experiences of life

By PATTI BANIEWICZ, CHRIS MUELLER, AND KATRINA WORMAN
Accent Writers

Does owning a gun make a person safer? How do we protect our children from violence within their communities? Is our government doing anything to prevent hate crimes due to racism?

These are just a few questions brought up for discussion and debate among the twenty-two Notre Dame students participating in the Washington Seminar, titled "Our Violent Society," over fall break. On this seminar, organized through the Center for Social Concerns, students had the opportunity to spend a week in Washington D.C. amidst the Smithsonian, the Capitol, famous monuments, and decades of history while learning how violence and racism have become pervasive and institutionalized in our society and what is being done to solve our nation's problems.

After spending a day visiting the city highlights, the students began the week-long exploration into the causes of violence and potential solutions on how to effectively work to prevent violent crimes.

For example, the students had the opportunity to speak with representatives from the National Rifle Association, the National Crime Prevention Council, and the organization entitled Physicians for Social Responsibility.

Although all three organizations agree that the abuse of guns contributes to a more violent society, each group advocates a unique means for curbing the amount of harm done by people who use guns. Through the seminar students quickly realized that much reform is inhibited by the sheer fact that too many people are working independently to stop gun violence. A collective measure among interest groups would surely be more effective

in implementing change within government, if the interest groups could find a common ground among their organizations.

While some choose to approach the problem through legislative means, others go to the root of the problem. Another group that the students had the opportunity to visit called themselves the Public Allies. Public Allies offers people, ages 18 to 30 with at least a high school diploma (or equivalency), an opportunity to gain leadership skills in social justice action through a program that consists of leadership training and service work.

In a ten month program, its participants work at various social service centers throughout the city during four days of the week and on the fifth they meet for leadership classes. Public Allies has people working with domestic violence, child abuse, and other issues affecting Washington D.C. and other major cities.

The most radical response to violence encountered during the week came from Washington Post columnist Colman McCarthy. McCarthy, an anarchist and pacifist, believes that every human life has value and none should be placed ahead of another. He does not believe in the government's assumed power to exercise its politically determined will over the masses.

Western culture, McCarthy claims, has never given peace a chance. From the beginning, war and violent means have been the accepted forms of conflict resolution. He offers another way: teach peace from the beginning.

If we give the attention to peace-makers that we give to war-makers in schools, children will grow up knowing that war and violence are not the solution; all they do is create more war and violence. McCarthy points out that no war has ever put an end to war even though they all seem to

claim they will. Instead, peace should be sought through peaceful measures.

War is hell, and for the students of the Washington seminar, hell on earth took on a whole new meaning. In probably the most moving four hours of the trip, participants traveled through time, back to the Jewish Holocaust of World War II. The U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum details Hitler's rise to power, early executions of political allies and resistance, brainwashing of the world through propaganda, the attempt to create the master race with the "final solution" and the aftermath of these atrocities.

One exhibit shows a modern day version of this madness in the former Yugoslavia. Many heated discussions about America's role in worldwide military intervention and of the general apathy to act when it is known that something as inhumane as the Holocaust is occurring transpired between participants in the seminar. The general consensus was that politically organized events as awful as these should never have happened and we must work to prevent it rather than wait until it starts and lives are lost.

Taking action against present and future injustices against Jews, the Religious Action Center (RAC), lobbies the government and organizes groups to advance their social justice agenda. One of the issues discussed with the Notre Dame group was the separation of church and state.

The RAC believes strongly that a church run government would result in oppression of all opposing religions. It is impossible to represent all religious beliefs in the government and therefore the separation of church and state is essential to preserving the freedom of religion guaranteed by the Bill of Rights. They continuously go up against religious right lobbyist groups and leaders to keep this vital separation in place.



Photo courtesy of Colleen McGrath
Participants learned how violence and racism have become pervasive in our society.

The RAC also involves itself in many large humanitarian projects. In the eighties, they helped relocate most Ethiopian Jews to Israel and are currently looking for ways to help Jews in other war torn countries such as Somalia.

The week was full of sobering and sometimes overwhelming experiences focusing on the major issues facing "Our Violent Society." The many organizations and so that the students on this Notre Dame seminar meeting generated heavy discussion amongst the group. More importantly the experience stirred something within the students that will hopefully result in action working towards a more peaceful society.

Often the group asked "how can we realistically work towards resolution of a problem as historically ingrained and institutionalized as violence?" Although this issue is huge, the

organizations hard at work in our nation's capital are proof that even small steps make a difference. Whether that means working for national or state legislative reform or getting involved with educating people about peaceful methods of conflict resolution on the interpersonal level, action rather than complacency is a positive plan for implementing change.

Now that the Notre Dame seminar group is back from Washington, their first step will be a meeting with South Bend officials. The group hopes to offer possible solutions to the destructive force that violence and racism are currently asserting on the local community of South Bend. The transition from ideology to social action is a tough step to make effectively but the Washington Seminar was a great learning experience that exposed the students to the tools and models to make that transition smoothly.

Young Republicans Club gets VIP treatment in Washington

By PATTI CARSON
Saint Mary's Accent Editor

All vacations are nice, but those consisting of Bob Dole, Regis Philbin, VIP tours, seafood buffets, historical moments, and political education are even better. At least that's what the group of students who traveled to Washington, D.C. for fall break thought. The first major project presented by the newly formed Saint Mary's College Young Republicans was a "success," according to Professor Claude Renshaw, Business Administration and Economics and advisor for the club.

The trip lasted from Saturday, October 22 through Thursday, October 27 and was attended by Professor Renshaw, 11 Saint Mary's students, and two students from Marquette.

Saturday, the first day of the trip, brought excitement as the Saint Mary's College Alumnae Association, Washington, D.C. Chapter, invited the group to their annual fundraising party. This featured a dinner buffet and a fund raising auction, with Regis Philbin as MC.

Day number two took the students to Mass at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception, where three of the students in the group were asked to bring up the gifts. That



Photo courtesy of Kristen Ross
SMC's Young Republicans Club traveled to Washington, D.C. to see the government in action.

same night, the group saw the play "Shear Madness" at the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

Day three brought the tour of the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum. "There was an incredible array of remembrances, including photographs and videotapes of activities in Germany and Europe during the thirties and forties. There was also an hour long videotape which featured some sto-

ries of survivors," said LeMans Hall Junior Kristen Ross.

"The tour of this museum was a very interesting part of the trip. It made me appreciate my freedom and become more aware of what really happened," Ross said.

Tuesday brought a tour of the White House and a discussion group with Senate staff at Senator Dan Coats' office. This was followed by a VIP tour of the Capitol, which seemed to be

a favorite of most group members.

"The best part of the trip was our tour of the Capitol. Since we had a VIP tour, our guide knew a lot of inside information. He told us all kinds of facts and showed us secret rooms in the building," said LeMans Hall Junior Jayne Gillig.

"We saw Bob Dole sitting in the balcony trying to get a sun-tan while talking on the phone.

He had his feet up on the pillars and he was drinking a Pepsi," Gillig added.

"So we yelled to get his attention. It worked. He stood up, waved, and asked us how we were," added McCandless Hall Junior Kelly Kilmer.

Professor Renshaw said that his favorite part of the trip was walking around the different museums, especially on Thursday. Since Washington is set up well for walking to different monuments, and since it's easy to learn the city, it was enjoyable walking from place to place, according to Renshaw.

One of the best parts of the trip was meeting new people and getting to know some students even better. The trip consisted of great planning by Professor Renshaw. The days were packed with prearranged tours and sightseeing and the nights were free to explore Washington, said Ross.

"The club has so much to offer and you don't have to be a Republican to join, according to Gillig."

"It's a great way to learn about politics and the government," added Kilmer.

The club is currently seeking volunteers to help with local elections and reminds eligible students to vote on November 8.

NFL FOOTBALL

Cowboys take criticism

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
Associated Press

IRVING, Texas
The Dallas Cowboys did what good teams do, survive a bad day at the office.

Their 23-20 victory over the Cincinnati Bengals on Sunday gave the defending Super Bowl champions a 7-1 record at the midway point of their first season under coach Barry Switzer.

"Some days it ain't easy being a Dallas Cowboy," offensive lineman Nate Newton said.

The usually reliable secondary gave up two long touchdown passes by quarterback Jeff Blake and it took some blunders by the Bengals, including a late fourth down hit by James Francis on Troy Aikman to keep a touchdown drive alive.

Distracted Dallas, worried all week about the traffic wreck that injured offensive Erik Williams, showed just enough to get by the Bengals (0-8).

"Erik was definitely in the back of our minds," running back Emmitt Smith said. "We wanted to win the game for him."

The Cowboys had Williams' No. 79 jersey number on their wristbands and helmets. They even had his uniform in a locker in the dressing room at Cincinnati.

"There was no doubt we were thinking about him," wide receiver Michael Irvin said. "We were emotionally drained."

Williams suffered a knee injury in the wreck that will keep him out six weeks and

possibly the rest of the year.

Switzer said it was the first game he had coached where the defense gave up big plays.

"We got hit on big plays we hadn't allowed all season," Switzer said. "But we did what we had to do. We got the win. And it could be an important one later in the season when you get into the playoffs and start talking homefield advantage."

Secondary coach Dave Campo said "Cincinnati did a good job of changing up some of the things they had done. But we adjusted to the new quarterback in the second half. You can count on two hands the number of big plays we've allowed in the last five years. That's what is so upsetting."

The Bengals jumped to a 14-0 lead almost before the Cowboys knew what happened.

"That's the way it's going to be the rest of the season because teams are out to get us," Newton said.

The Cowboys lead the Philadelphia Eagles by a game in the NFC East. They host the New York Giants, riding a five-game losing streak, next Monday night.

Then Dallas has a showdown in San Francisco in a game that could be decisive regarding the homefield advantage in the NFC playoffs.

"These are the kind of games you have to win on the way to a championship," Switzer. "The season is a long journey. This is a trip we survived."

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Alou named as AP manager of the year; Expos claim best record in ML Baseball

By BEN WALKER
AP Baseball Writer

Felipe Alou, whose young Montreal Expos had the best record in baseball when the strike started, was chosen Monday major league manager of the year by The Associated Press.

Alou received 34 votes in nationwide balloting by 58 writers and broadcasters. Buck Showalter of the New York Yankees was second with 11 votes and Mike Hargrove of Cleveland was third with nine votes.

Earlier this month, Alou was a near-unanimous pick as NL manager of the year by the Baseball Writers Association of America. He received 27 of 28 first-place votes.

Montreal was 74-40 and leading Atlanta by six games in the NL East on Aug. 12.

The Expos have shown improvement since May 22, 1992, the day Alou was hired to replace the fired Tom Runnels.

"I believe a lot of people realize that after three years of solid progress we have a super club," Alou said recently.

Alou has said his favorite part of the job is watching young players develop their talent. He and his coaching staff saw the likes of 23-year-old shortstop Wil Cordero, 23-year-old pitcher Pedro Martinez and 21-year-old first baseman Cliff Floyd show major progress this season.

Alou, 59, played for the Expos in 1973 and joined the Montreal organization as an instructor in 1976. He has been with the system since then, managing successful Expos teams in Class A, Double-A and Triple-A. He also coached Montreal for several seasons.

This year, the Expos dropped 8 1/2 games behind Atlanta in April before rebounding under Alou's even-handed approach. They passed the Braves in July and began pulling away, and were in position for their first postseason appearance since 1981.

"The one regret I have is that we didn't complete the regular season," he said.

Among those who helped the Expos this year were outfielder Moises Alou, the manager's son, and reliever Mel Rojas, the

manager's nephew.

The Expos have done well in recent years despite losing such players as Dennis Martinez to teams that were willing to pay more for free agents. The Expos also have been hit in the front office, losing the likes of general manager Dan Duquette.

This offseason, Montreal may lose outfielder Larry Walker to free agency. The Expos also could face problems trying to sign high-salaried outfielder Marquis Grissom and reliever John Wetteland.

"We've shown the world we could recuperate from losses," Alou said.

Alou is under contract to manage the Expos through 1995. He also has a two-year personal services contract with Montreal beyond that, and that could also mean the manager's job.

No one is sure, however, whether there will be a season next year because of the continuing labor problems.

"I'm looking forward to managing Moises Alou and the rest of the major league Montreal Expos in 1995," he said.

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NFL looking at parity-less playoffs

By DAVE GOLDBERG
Associated Press

Could it be time for another change in the NFL playoffs?

In 1990, the NFL expanded the postseason pool from 10 teams to 12. Based on the first half of this season, the league ought to cut back from 12 teams to eight — the way it was when the NFL-AFL merger took effect in 1970.

That's how things shape up at midseason, with Dallas and San Francisco the class of the NFC and Philadelphia and Minnesota right behind, and San Diego and Miami atop the AFC with several others a notch below.

And when it comes right down to it, why not have San Diego-Miami and San Francisco-Dallas meet for the right to play in the Super Bowl?

But that's getting ahead of the game. Back to the eight-team proposal.

In the NFC, the final four is easy: the two-time Super

Bowl champion Cowboys (7-1), the 49ers (6-2), Vikings (6-2) and Eagles (6-2). Everyone else should be excluded on the grounds of mediocrity, or worse.

In the AFC, it's more complex. Beyond the Chargers (7-1) and Dolphins (6-2), what is there? Cleveland (6-2)? Pittsburgh (5-3)? Kansas City (5-3)? Buffalo (5-2)?

Nothing against good guy Marv Levy or Bills such as Jim Kelly, Bruce Smith, Kent Hull and Darryl Talley, but they're getting old.

"They've been talking a lot of trash about it's time for somebody else to take over the AFC," Thurman Thomas said after the Bills blew out the Chiefs 44-10 Sunday.

Added Cornelius Bennett: "I took a lot of crap from guys, losing to Indianapolis, a team we should probably beat nine of 10 times. I think we came out and proved to ourselves that if we play together and get fired up before a game, we're not going to lose."

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HOCKEY

Icers fall twice to defending champs

Notre Dame puts up a fight, but falls short 6-3, 6-4 to LSSU

By TIM SHERMAN
Assistant Sports Editor

The chance was there. An early-season home showdown with the defending national champions after a week of intense preparation. An opportunity to prove to themselves and the college hockey world that they are a legitimate and consistent threat. But for the Notre Dame hockey team, it turned out to be just another learning experience.

The Irish dropped two games to Lake Superior State over the weekend to even their record at 2-2.

"It would have nice to beat such an outstanding hockey team," said Notre Dame coach Ric Schafer. "We had some opportunities. Still, it was a pretty good effort."

Friday night, the host Irish fell to the Lakers by a count of 6-3. They fared just slightly better the next night, losing 6-4.

Saturday night would have been a perfect setting for the Irish to upset the Lakers for the second straight year. The game was played on the ice of the Palace at Auburn Hills (Detroit) in front of 13,274 fans. It wasn't meant to be, however.

The Lakers jumped out to a 3-0 first period lead, and it turned out to be just too much for the underdog Irish to overcome.

"The first period was our

downfall," said Schafer. "After that, we played very well."

Notre Dame cut the margin to two after second period tallies by captain Brett Bruiniks and sophomore Brian McCarthy and seemed to have the momentum on their side of the ice. It was a fleeting feeling though, as LSSU's super Wayne Strachan struck for his second goal of the game just two minutes later.

Perhaps the biggest positive to come from Saturday's game was the play of freshman goal tender Matt Eisler. Playing the national champions in front of such large crowd could have been a bit overwhelming, but Eisler handled the pressure well.

"He had a very good outing," Schafer appraised. "The sooner he gets used to the pressure, the better."

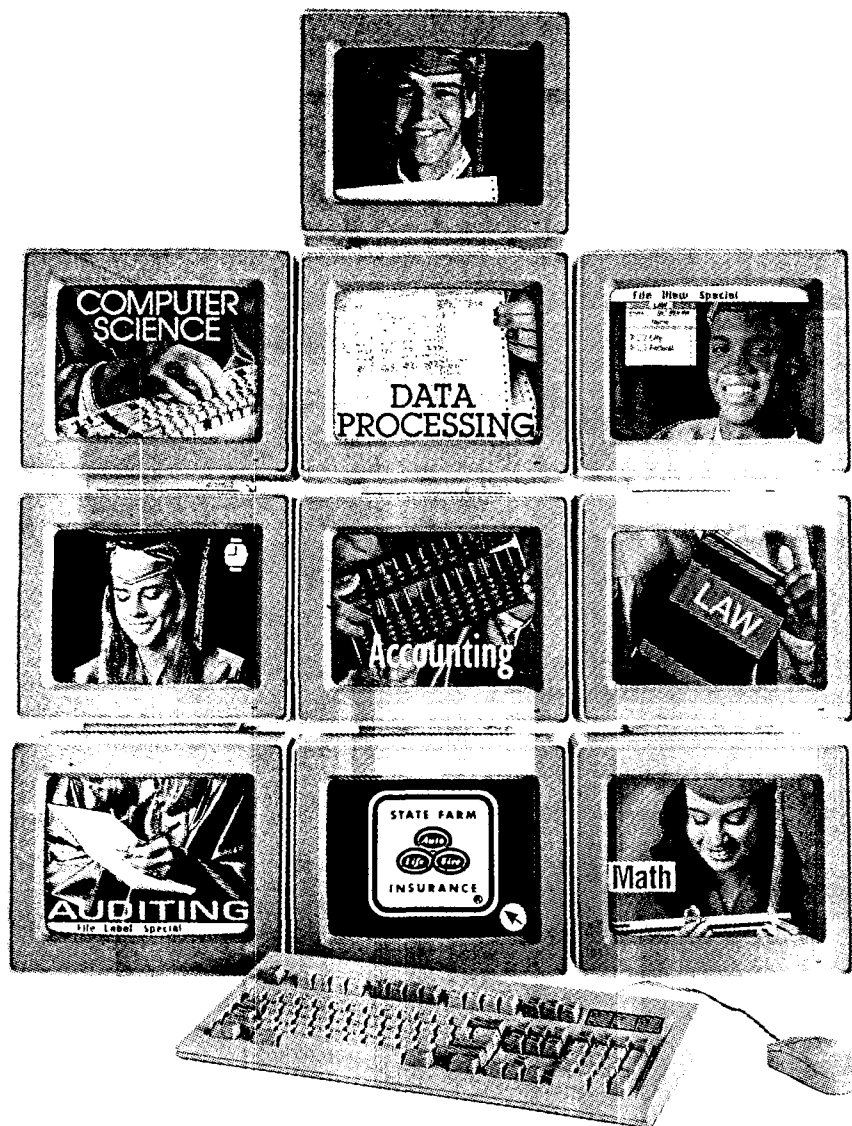
Much the same can be said about the entire team, especially the freshman.

"They played well," said Tim Harberts, who notched a goal in the second contest. "We showed a lot of depth and a high maturity level."

Playing the best so early should only help down the line.

"The pace was a lot quicker than what we were used to," Schafer noted. "Whenever you go on the ice against such a great team you can't let your guard down."

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tournament, so while wins may prepare them for tough competition, their ranking is meaningless.

"We can't take any team lightly," explained Fisher, "because everyone is out to get us. And being ranked No. 1 is a great accomplishment, but it's only one step in getting to our goal which is to be No. 1 after the NCAA tournament."

The Irish displayed that attitude again this weekend in its final MCC regular season matches, dumping Xavier 5-0 and Wright State 7-1. The wins completed a 17-0-1 regular season for Notre Dame, the program's first undefeated season.

"Last weekend [against Ohio State and Detroit Mercy] we scored early and took emotion out of the other team," Petrucelli said. "We didn't do that against Xavier and Wright State

but we still attacked well."

"One problem that we've had is that since we're constantly attacking and moving forward, we have lost some of our focus in the back."

Highlights of the four-game stretch included a hat trick by forward Rosella Guerrero in Friday's game against Xavier. Her goal in Sunday's game against Wright State tied Guerrero for the Irish single-season goal record, another accomplishment which is modestly acknowledged.

"I just hope to go out and play my best," said Guerrero. "If I score goals, then that's great, too, but I'm more concerned with how I play. If I score but play badly, then I'm not happy."

Even after all his team's success, Petrucelli is not convinced that the Irish have played their best soccer yet.

"We have still had some players out, and that has prevented us from completely coming together as a team. Next week



The Observer/Kyle Kusek
Cindy Daws and the Irish hope to play host for the NCAA regionals.

end it looks like we may have everyone in good condition for that to happen."

The Irish open post-season play as the top seed in the MCC tournament in Indianapolis. Wins in the tournament should solidify their No. 1 ranking and bid to host the Midwest Regional of the NCAA tournament.

Volleyball

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Florida on their home court," said Brown. "They had a big crowd that was very knowledgeable, but that made it easier for us to get excited."

All-American outside hitter Christy Peters led the Irish over the Gators with 17 kills. Sophomore Jenny Birkner led the team defensively with 12

digs, and also had 8 kills. Freshmen Angie Harris, who was second behind Peters with 12 kills, and Jamie Lee, who contributed 8 kills and 8 digs to the Irish effort, were also key components of the victory.

"The team played with confidence and poise," said Brown. "They really rose to the occasion."

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Baseball searches for new teams

By CHRIS SHERIDAN
Associated Press

CHICAGO

In addition to considering where expansion teams may be placed, baseball owners also are considering the price tag: expected to be well over \$100 million.

Five groups are vying for the two new franchises that are expected to be added to the major leagues in 1997 or 1998. Groups from St. Petersburg, Fla. and Phoenix and two from northern Virginia will make

formal presentations Tuesday to the owners' expansion committee.

A group seeking a team for Orlando, Fla., will make its presentation at a later date because one of its lawyers, Paul Jacobs, must testify Tuesday at a trial involving Mickey Monus, one of the original members of the Colorado Rockies' group.

A decision on expansion will not be made until there's a new collective bargaining agreement, said expansion committee head John Harrington.

Harrington, the chief execu-

tive officer of the Boston Red Sox, said Friday he hopes owners will make an expansion decision by December or January, then vote on teams by February.

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■ MEN'S SOCCER

MCC Tournament awaits Irish after rough end to tough season

By THOMAS SCHLIDT
Sports Writer

While many students fled to their respective homes for fall break, the Notre Dame men's soccer continued to work as they completed their season with matches against Wisconsin- Madison, UCLA and Cal State Fullerton.

Entering the matches, Wisconsin was ranked No. 18, UCLA was No. 4, and Cal State Fullerton had just beaten No. 1 Indiana 3-2. The Irish were 8-7-1 and were hoping to end the season with a winning record.

Yet, their record fell to 8-9-2 as they lost to the Badgers 2-0 and the Bruins 4-0, and tied the Titans 2-2.

"These are three very good teams," coach Mike Berticelli said. "Last year UCLA was one or two, Cal State Fullerton was in the final four and Wisconsin beat Indiana in the tournament. We wanted to end the season with the strongest series of teams we could."

In the first round of the tournament last year, the Badgers knocked the Irish out of the

tournament. This rematch allowed the Irish a chance for revenge. Yet, history repeated itself as midfielder Shea Huston and forward Travis Roy led a steady Badger attack and contributed the only two goals of the match.

"We didn't play very well against UW," Berticelli said. "We started out very slow, but played well towards the end. By then it was too late."

The Irish then traveled to sunny California to play in the UCLA Adidas-Met Life Classic. Here they faced both the Bruins and the Titans.

The Irish faced the Bruins first in the tournament, and the rankings held to form as the Bruins powered past the Irish. While the Bruins only led by one going into half time, thanks to a Greg Vanney goal, they slammed the door on the Irish by scoring three goals in the first 19 minutes of the second half to give them the 4-0 win.

In their final game of the UCLA tournament, the Irish faced a Titan team that was on fire after a victory over No. 1

Indiana in their first game of the tournament.

Yet, it was the Irish that appeared to be the better team as they took the early lead off a goal from defender Chris Dean. The Titans came back and tied up the match in the 79th minute off a controversial penalty kick.

The match then proceeded to overtime where Tom Oates scored for the Irish in the 20th minute of overtime. Yet, because overtime is not sudden death in soccer, the match continued until the full 30 minutes had past. The Titans took advantage of this rule and tied the game again off a goal from Matt Brandbury with five minutes left in overtime.

Thus, the game ended in a 2-2 tie and the Irish completed the season with an 8-9-2 record.

The good news for the Irish is that they qualified for the Midwestern Collegiate Conference tournament, and the NCAA tournament is still a possibility. The M.C.C. tournament will be held at Notre Dame from Nov. 3 to Nov. 6.

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Nebraska tops A.P. poll

Associated Press

The list of undefeated teams keeps getting shorter as the season lasts longer.

The number was cut from eight to six during the weekend as No. 7 Colorado and No. 23 Duke lost. Another undefeated team, No. 11 Texas A&M, got its first blemish of the season when it was tied by SMU.

Nebraska replaced Penn State as No. 1 on Sunday in The Associated Press media poll after a decisive 24-7 win over Colorado. The Cornhuskers had been No. 3, but moved up after dropping the then-No. 2 Buffaloes on Saturday.

Penn State, meanwhile, is No. 1 in the USA Today-CNN coaches' poll after overwhelming Ohio State 63-14. Ohio State had been No. 21, but was knocked out of the rankings

after its worst loss in 48 years.

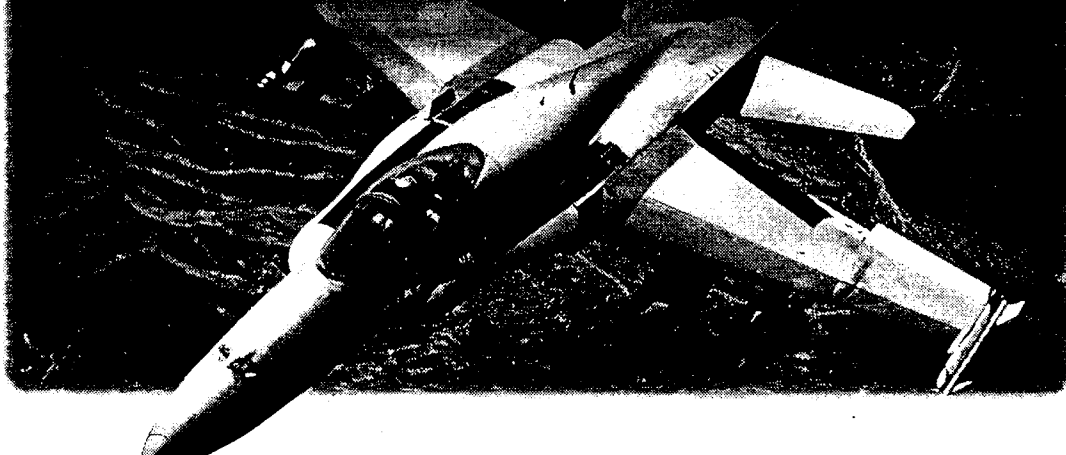
Texas A&M fell four spots after a 21-21 tie with Southern Methodist, which has won only once all season.

"It seems like a loss. It was a very disappointing game for us," coach R.C. Slocum said after Texas A&M's 26-game winning streak in the Southwest Conference was ended.

Duke tumbled seven spots after being roughed up 59-20 by No. 8 Florida State. The Blue Devils became the latest victim of the Seminoles, who have not lost in the Atlantic Coast Conference since joining in 1992.

"The rest of the league is competitive, but not like this," Duke quarterback Spence Fischer said. "Until someone can compete with their speed, it's going to be a while before they lose."

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*More info on the audition will be announced any day, so be attentive to future ads and signs!

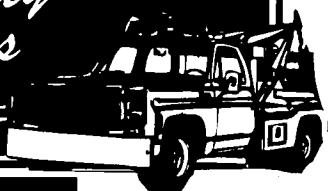
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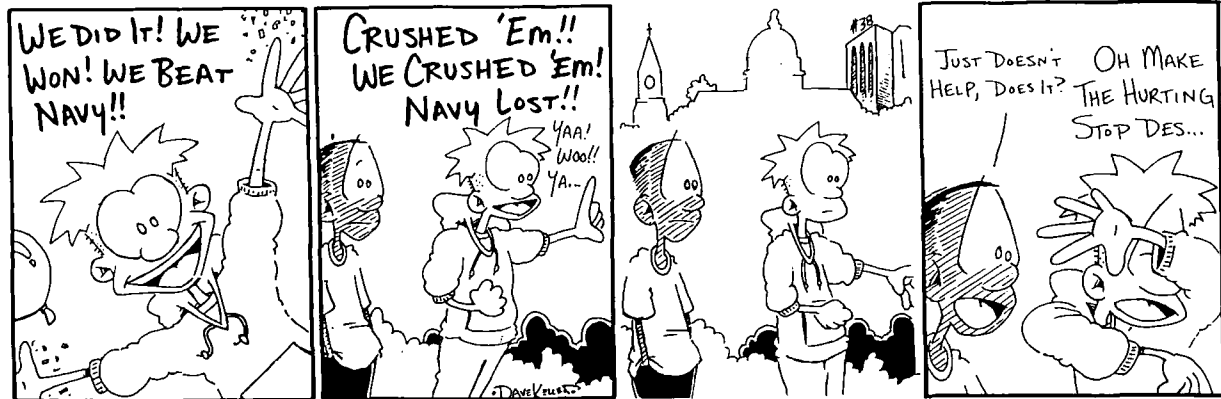
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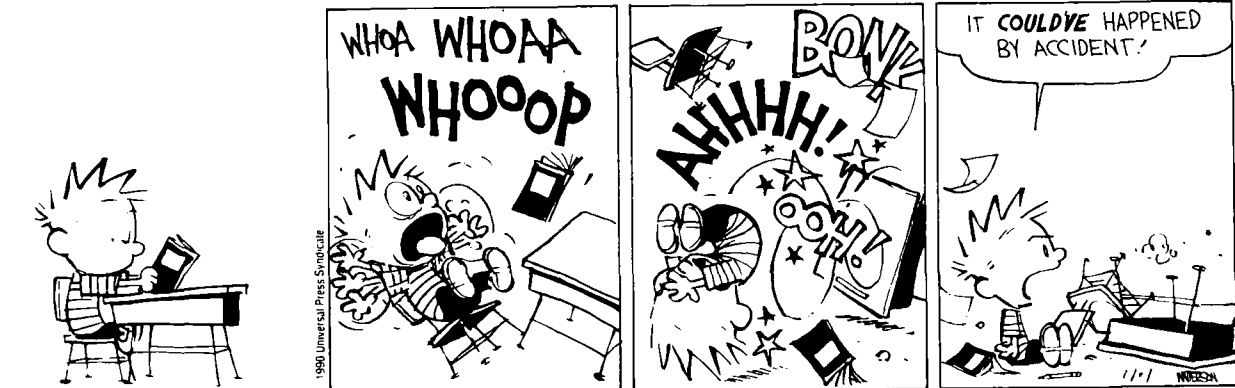
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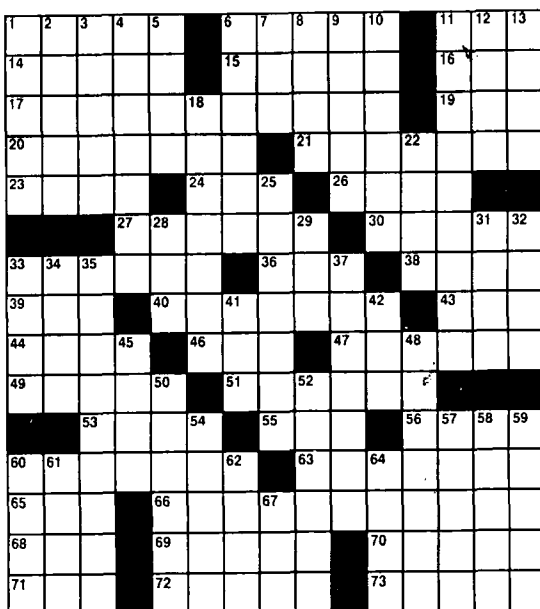
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- 21 — greens
- 23 Protein source
- 24 Chicle product
- 26 Lemon zest source
- 27 — monkey
- 30 1945 meeting site
- 33 Fruit juice blend

- 36 — cit. (footnote abbr.)
- 38 Canal to the Baltic
- 39 Hubbub
- 40 Rowdy one
- 43 Granada gold
- 44 Pocket item?
- 46 Opus — (work of God)
- 47 Off-campus nonstudent
- 49 Circus walker
- 51 Mexican state bordering Arizona
- 53 Zhivago's love
- 55 Diarist Anaïs
- 56 Cousin of the emu
- 60 Brownie ingredients

- 63 Peanuts
- 65 "— ever catch you ..."
- 66 Stew
- 68 Avant-garde prefix
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- 1 Wedding dances
- 2 Hertz rival
- 3 Satisfy a debt
- 4 "Just for openers ..."
- 5 Suffix with opal
- 6 Carroll's carpenter's companion
- 7 Addition
- 8 Secular
- 9 Small porch
- 10 Regatta site
- 11 Cab symbol
- 12 State categorically
- 13 Floozy
- 18 Bored
- 22 Washington news source, maybe
- 25 Vertical dividing bar in windows
- 28 Cry of glee
- 29 — disant (self-styled)
- 31 Actress Garr



Puzzle by Christopher Page

- 32 Burn soother
- 33 Snoozes
- 34 Abridge, perhaps
- 35 Do for debts
- 37 Benin's largest city
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- 42 Neither's counterpart
- 45 Author Paton
- 48 Coloratura's sounds
- 50 They're sometimes blind
- 52 Be finicky
- 54 Attorney —
- 57 Thieves' work
- 58 Wear away
- 59 "Mary Tyler Moore Show" co-star
- 60 Souze
- 61 "— Good Men"
- 62 Oriental combat
- 64 Ye — Shoppe
- 67 Russian for "peace"

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OF INTEREST

The Ballroom Dance Club will be gathering in Montgomery Theater on November 1 at 8:30pm for a social gathering featuring a private showing of "Strictly Ballroom" and refreshments. Direct questions to Joe Cavataio at 4-1763.

Sign-ups for Fall Festival '94 will be held today in the dining halls, at the CSC, or at the LaFortune Information Desk.

A Notre Dame Forum on Academic Life entitled, "Notre Dame's Development as a University: An Historical Perspective," will be held on November 2 at 7:30pm in the CCE Auditorium. The speaker for the forum will be Professor Philip Gleason from the Department of History and the respondent will be Professor John Robinson from the Law School.

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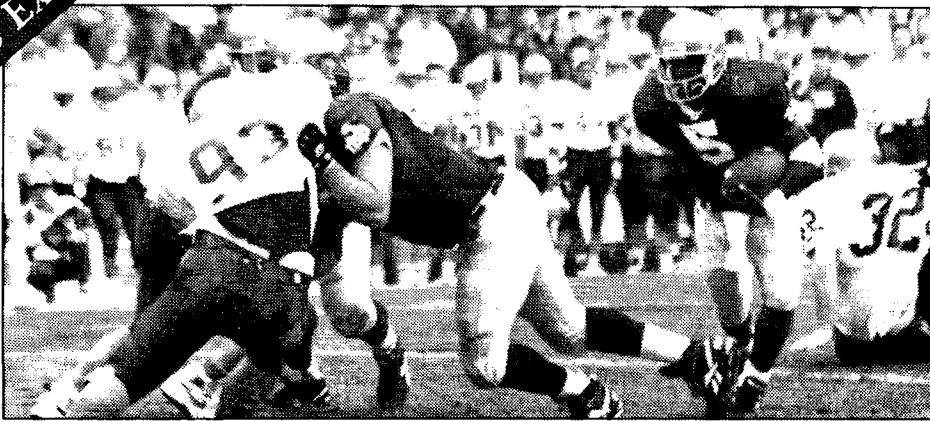
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Tuesday, November 1, 1994

WOMEN'S SOCCER



Rosella Guerrero (foreground) and Michelle McCarthy have been key factors in Notre Dame rise to the top spot in the national rankings. The Irish are 6-0-1 against top twenty foes this season. The Observer/Brian Hardy

Still Perfect

No. 1 Notre Dame set to host the MCC tournament, and more

By RIAN AKEY
Associate Sports Editor

After a season-long series of highly visible wins, milestones, and records, the Notre Dame women's soccer team secured their first-ever No. 1 ranking last weekend in a typically modest fashion.

After scrapping to a 6-0-1 record against top-20 teams earlier in the season, it was neat wins over unranked Ohio State and Detroit Mercy in their final regular season home series which helped the Irish tip-toe into the top spot.

The No. 1 ranking was vacated for the first time since 1990 by North Carolina, after a 3-2 loss to Duke.

And even though the lighted No. 1 sign on the top of Grace

Hall is a tradition reserved for the football team, the Irish don't feel slighted. In fact, some players even believe that the sign may be more of a jinx than anything else.

"We were joking that last year when they lit the sign for the football team, they lost their next game," said sophomore Kate Fisher, "so maybe it's better that it won't be lit."

The cautious final step from No. 2 to No. 1 illustrates the paradoxical belief the Irish squad seems to have held throughout the season: every match, regardless of the opponent, is equally important—or unimportant. Since the beginning of the year, the Irish have been focused on the NCAA

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VOLLEYBALL

Irish crack top ten, defeat Florida

Spikers breeze through break

By BETSY BAKER
Sports Writer

The No. 10 Notre Dame volleyball team did anything but rest over fall break. Besides breaking into the coveted top ten, highlights of the team's six matches in nine days include beating an eighth ranked University of Florida team and winning four conference matches to put themselves on top of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference.

The Irish kicked off their break with wins over conference rivals Xavier and Butler last weekend. The Irish swept

Xavier in three games 15-6, 15-9, 15-11 on Friday night, and also came up with a clean sweep of the Bulldogs 15-9, 15-11, and 15-11 on Saturday night.

The team was handed their second loss of the season by Florida State on Monday. The Seminoles defeated the Irish in four games 15-10, 8-15, 17-15, and 15-12. Outside hitters Luiza Ramos and Deanna Bosschart combined for over 50 kills for Florida State. The Seminoles' outside attack was a key in their victory over the Irish.

"Both of their outside hitters played very well against us," said Irish head coach Debbie Brown.

Another possibility for the Irish loss could have been the

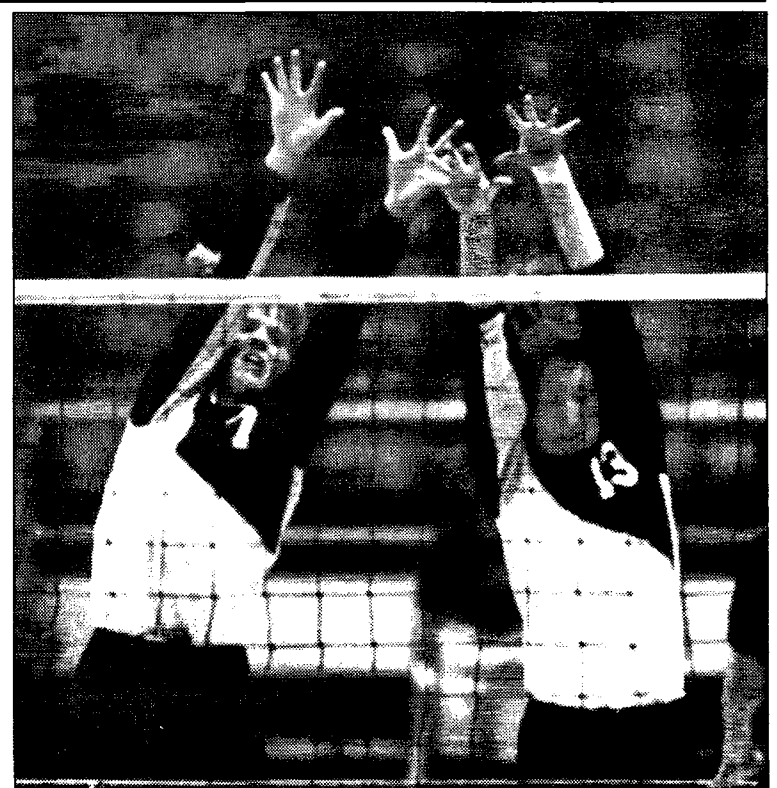
anticipated match against eighth ranked Florida on Friday.

"We somewhat looked past Florida State, but not really," said Brown. "Give them credit. They played very well against us."

The high point of the week, and the season thus far for the Irish, was a victory over the No. 8 Florida Gators on Friday. The Irish came back after losing the first game to beat the Gators 9-15, 15-8, 15-8, and 15-7. It was only the second time that Florida has been beaten at home in three years. The Gators have a 65-2 record in Gainesville over the last three seasons.

"It was a major victory to beat

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Jamie Lee (4) and captain Christy Peters have blocked, set and spiked their way into the top ten on the strength of an upset win over Florida. The Observer/Eric Ruethling

MEN'S SOCCER

The Irish are hosting the MCC tournament this weekend. They need to win it to qualify for the NCAA tournament.

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of note...

"We showed a lot of depth and a high maturity level this weekend."
Hockey forward Tim Harberts