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■ GRADUATE STUDENT UNION

Officers, **budget** top meeting discussion

By JAMIE HEISLER News Writer

As the school year comes to a close, the Graduate Student Union focused the attention of their meeting, held last night, on determining the budget and appointing new officers for the next school year.

As incoming GSU president replacing Ed Wingenbach, Joe Manak resided over the meeting and presented his version of the budget for debate and approval. According to Manak, the budget was similar to last year's with only a few modifications.

These modifications included a salary increase for the officers and GSU secretary, an increase for the social committee, and a small increase in the travel fund. The budget was approved unanimously.

Manak then moved on to the nominations for chairpersons of the various committees, which were each also approved unanimously.

The approved chairpersons include Tammy Dukewich for the Travel Grant Committee, Ed Wingenbach for the Intellectual Life Committee, Rob de Haan for the Orientation Chairperson and Parliamentarian/ Elections, **Credentials and Procedure** Chair, Deborah Coombs for the Women's Resource Committee, and Jeff Squyres for the Office of University Community representative. Beth Caniglia will also continue as vice-president.

Space Shuttle memories ND grad speaks on recent flight, Russian venture By TOM MORAN News Writer

Detailing his rendezvous with the Russian space station Mir, astronaut Jim Wetherbee, who commanded the shuttle Discovery, spoke yesterday to a student audience about his most recent space shuttle mission.

During the mission, which took place in February, the shuttle did not actually dock with Mir, but came within 10 meters of the station in preparation for an actual docking planned for June. according to Wetherbee, a 1974 graduate of Notre Dame.

"The primary purpose of

The Observer/ Jen Rezelli Jim Wetherbee addresses the question of human space exploration

Cable installation makes Haggar 'student-friendly'

By MAUREEN KOBZA News Writer

Cable has finally been installed on the Saint Mary's campus. Students can now watch their favorite cable channels in the Haggar College Center.

According to Georgeanna Rosenbush, director of Student Activities, cable was installed for "students to better utilize Haggar.'

"The cable is going to help make Haggar more student friendly," Rosenbush added.

Usage of the student center was an idea promoted on the **Board of Governance Haggar** Renovation Survey issued to students in October of 1994. The students responded favorably when the surveys were dispersed, according to Rosenbush.

"I'm really excited about the cable because there will be more than three channels," freshman Meredith Johnson said. "Also, I can get to bed earlier the nights Melrose Place is on instead of waiting up until 1:30 a.m.," she added.

Freshman Megan Driscoll said she is also happy about the cable installation. "I'm at Haggar a lot at night so it will be fun to stop in the Game Room and watch television and socialize," Driscoll said.

"It's a step in the right direction for our student center," said sophomore Charity Bocan. "They wanted to attract more students to Haggar and with

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By MELISSA HARRAKA

News Writer

The continuation of human space exploration is essential America wants to remain a first-rate nation, according to United States astronaut and University of Notre Dame graduate Jim Wetherbee, who spoke at a press conference yesterday during a return visit to the University.

During his press conference, Wetherbee addressed the issue of human space exploration versus space observation by terrestrial robotics. Many scientists and researchers feel that human space exploration is ineffective and costly, and that redirecting the spending on space exploration from human

involvement to robotics would be more practical, especially with the recent cutbacks to spending on space exploration. Wetherbee disagreed, citing several invaluable benefits of sending humans into space.

One such benefit of sending humans into space is to repair equipment and prevent failure of robotics. Wetherbee pointed out that when technology is sent alone, it has to be perfectly programmed, and humans have proved to be very helpful in cases where robotics have been faulty.

According to Wetherbee, sending humans into space also serves to increase the speed of technological improvement. Space exploration constantly requires technological advancement, the results of which are extremely valuable in various realms of society. For example, when astro-

nauts are sent into space, their health conditions must be monitored very closely. The telemetry used to assess the medical conditions of astronauts in the space shuttles is currently used on reservations in the treatment of Native Americans who cannot get to hospitals for medical attention.

Telemetry is also giving way to the biomedical revolution of nano-miniaturization, according to Wetherbee. Nanominiaturization foreshadows the development of microscop-

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Ribbons worn in honor of bombing victims

By ROBERT DVORCHAK

NEWS ANALYSIS

Associated Press

150-member civic group in Oklahoma City. Not everybody can write a

president of Downtown Now, a sion and the courage of the children; yellow for those still missing; green for prayers for the v ns: blue for the state flag of Oklahoma; white for the innocence of the victims; and black for mourning.

see LECTURE / page 4 versus exploration by robotics. Exploration key if U.S. is to compete

Bombing reveals U.S. as 'vulnerable'

By GWENDOLYN NORGLE Assistant News Editor

The U.S. is vulnerable to terrorist attacks, including those from forces within its own borders, according to members of the Notre Dame academic community who spoke in response to what the has been labeled "the deadliest bombing in U.S. history."

When asked if the bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City is proof that America can be hit in the Heartland, Professor of Government Scott Mainwaring responded, "The simple answer is yes." The bombing, which killed

at least 96 people, including fourteen children, should show Americans that we are not immune to terrorism.

Despite the fact that the U.S. is "geographically isolat-' Americans should realed. ize that "terrorism isn't necessarily coming from external forces," according to Assistant Professor of Government Patricia Davis, a member of the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies.

Even though the U.S. is a country that has, as Mainwaring says, "experienced very little terrorism"

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OKLAHOMA CITY President Clinton wore one. So did Billy Graham. They adorn the protective gear of rescuers, the badges of cops and the camouflage fatigues of military guards.

You see them flying from buildings, doors, lamp posts,

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statues, trees, shrubs, car antennas and truck bumpers. Funeral homes have been deluged with requests for them at graveyards.

They are ribbons of purple, yellow, blue, white, green and, of course, black, for the victims of the bombing of the federal building.

"We felt there needed to be an outward symbol of caring and compassion," said Diane Sizemore, the immediate past check, or remove rubble, or do volunteer work. But everybody can wear a ribbon," said Ms. Sizemore, whose organization tied 18,000 strips of cloth in the first four days after the calamity.

The ribbons seemed to simply appear the day of the blast. Then Downtown Now, churches, floral shops, craft stores, schools and hobby shops joined the movement. Downtown Now coordinated the campaign with the governor's and mayor's offices.

The ribbon-wearing, which has spread internationally, recalls the yellow ribbons that appeared when Americans were held hostage by Iranian revolutionaries in 1980. Yellow ribbons also flew for the military serving in the Gulf War in 1991.

The colors have special meaning: purple for compas-

People are wearing them in all sorts of sizes and combinations.

"The response has been overwhelming. It's one way for us to rally around our city," said Mayor Ron Norick, wearing a purple ribbon at a news conference Tuesday.

Melissa Slagle, a social worker and Red Cross counselor, said the symbol is important --just as the practice Oklahomans have adopted of driving with their headlights on, as if in one unending funeral procession.

The picture of trauma is one of helplessness and hopelessness. If you can wear a ribbon or turn on their lights, you can take back some control," Slagle said. "It helps you feel a part of the community.

INSIDE COLUMN Can we prepare for the unexpected?

You never think it will happen to you. Many of us go through our sheltered little lives thinking the Big One won't happen to us. But it almost always does.

One week ago it happened to the people in Oklahoma City. I heard about it at lunch from a friend whose day begins

d Dan Cichalski Accent Copy Editor

at noon and had already turned on a TV. It wasn't until late afternoon that I saw it for myself.

For the people of Oklahoma City, it has "hit home," and the rest of us watch on television just as we watched the World Trade Center, Hurricane Andrew, the California fires, the *Challenger*, and Pan Am Flight 103. Aside from those who experienced any of these events first-hand, we sat in the family room watching in silence as technology brought these disasters into our homes.

We never expect it; we never expect anything with such magnitude to come so close to touching our lives. Then, on a warm spring morning or a cool October evening something happens or is caused that seems to stop time. Nothing else matters for the moment. Class? I'll get the notes. Homework? I'll stay up late. Sleep? I'll catch up tomorrow afternoon. Dinner? I'm not hungry.

Dinner? I'm not hungry. Once the initial shock leaves, once the cleanup and the coping begins, time jump starts. That was last week already? You mean it's been a month? That's when we again start to think "It won't happen to me."

But not this time, not for me, at least. I'm as ready as I can be for something to happen. Sure, there's no way to be totally prepared for an event of such magnitude, but I'm at least conscious of what can happen. I figure it's the least, and probably the most, I can do to be somewhat prepared for my life-altering experience when it comes around.

What would I have done if I were walking down 5th Street last Wednesday? Would I have been as alert as Charles Porter whose Pulitzer-Prize caliber photographs made just about every front page in America the next day? What if I had been in downtown Manhattan two years ago? Would I have been ready to help? Even last Tuesday, every time I passed by a window I checked the sky for a descending funnel since Storm Team 16 had warned us of a Tornado Watch. Would I have been ready then? Questions such as these do not run through my mind often, but they pop up with the help of a little spark every now and then. It's a spark for me; for many other people it's an inferno.

Each of these events seems to be getting closer. In February 1993, I took a fifteen minute drive and looked across Sandy Hook Bay at the Manhattan skyline. Everything was so quiet with lights flickering from where I stood but with so much commotion still going on. In January, one of my friends' sisters was in Japan, though far from Kobe, up in Tokyo, I would learn. Just over spring break, I met someone from Oklahoma. I had never met anyone from Oklahoma before. If I hadn't met Brian, last week's events might seem a little

Unabomber strikes again; blast kills lobbyist

SACRAMENTO

The Unabomber may have struck again, this time killing a timber industry executive who lobbied to have the spotted owl removed from the endangered species list.

■ WORLD AT A GLANCE

A heavy shoe box-sized package, meticulously wrapped, arrived by mail Monday at the California Forestry Association office. The package exploded when association president Gilbert Murray tried to open it, blowing out the windows and doors and scattering glass and ceiling tiles on the floor.

Murray, 47, was killed in the reception area. Five others in the one-story brick office building were not hurt. "The similarities in the forensics pre-

liminarily reviewed at the crime scene strongly suggest the Unabomber," FBI

Special Agent Richard Ross said Monday night after the federal Unabom task force took over the case. Ed Gleba, a spokesman for the federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, said today there were no new developments in the case.

Before Monday, the Unabomber was believed to have carried out 15 bombings over 17 years. No one in U.S. history has set off as many bombs over as long a period of time. Murray would be the Unabomber's third fatali-

Clinton lays down roots in Iowa

President Clinton, hoping to ward off Democratic re-election opposition in this key campaign state, staged a national rural conference today and vowed to protect small farms from zealous budget-cutters. "I don't believe we ought to destroy the farm support program if we want to keep the family farm," Clinton said, sur-

rounded by farmers, academics, business leaders and residents of rural America. Convening the gathering at Iowa State University, Clinton also called for continued funding of agriculture research programs and urged conference participants to consider the broader problems of rural America, even off the farm, and to "reward the good values that reside there." The event was designed to focus on problems and success stories outside America's big cities, with Clinton outlining the principles his administration will follow in crafting the 1996 fiveyear farm bill. But the underlying reason for the trip was politics. Iowa holds the nation's first test of strength in the string of primaries and caucuses next year, and Clinton's trip was one of a series he will make.

Government compares cult to enemy

TOKYO

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AMES, Iowa

Japan's top security official said Tuesday the huge police investigation of a doomsday cult suspected in the nerve gas attack on Tokyo's subways was like a war, and vowed to win it quickly. The cult came under further attack from disgruntled individuals. Two days after the fatal stabbing of a senior cult leader in Tokyo, police on Tuesday seized a sword-wielding man at a cult office in Kyoto, in western Japan. There were no reports of injuries. Hiromu Nonaka, a Cabinet minister who chairs the National Public Safety Commission, provided the government's most severe description yet of Aum Shinri Kyo, a quasi-Buddhist sect that predicts the world will end in 1997. His comments could indicate the government is readying a major new move against the group. "My feeling now is that it's like a battle between two countries," Nonaka said.



ty. Twenty-three people have been injured in the blasts.

FBI investigators say the Unabomber, so called because his early targets were people connected to universities and airlines, appears to be fascinated with wood. Some of his bomb parts were carved out of wood, one victim was named Wood and twigs have been included in a bomb. The forestry association lobbies on behalf of wood products companies and timber owners. In 1993, it filed a petition seeking to remove the northern spotted owl from the federal endangered species list. The package wrapped in brown paper was not addressed to Murray; authorities wouldn't say to whom it was sent.

The bomb "was an extremely clean-

ly wrapped package, almost flawlessly wrapped. It appeared to have no seams. It was clearly addressed," said Dan DiMiglio, a spokesman for the U.S. Postal Service.

No warning was sent and no one claimed responsibility, said Sacramento police spokesman Michael Heenan. Police Chief Arturo Venegas said there was no indication the bombing was connected to last week's blast at the Oklahoma City federal building.

Australia to host Ethnic conference

SYDNEY, Australia

Serbs, Croats and Muslims battle in the Balkans. Hutus and Tutsis slaughter each other in Rwanda. German skinheads attack Turkish and Vietnamese immigrants. Political, racial and religious strife flare around the world in 1995, designated as the International Year for Tolerance. In this climate, the United Nations holds the first ever Global Cultural Diversity Conference, a \$1.5 million event mostly subsidized by federal and state governments. The conference opens Wednesday in Sydney. Dominating the agenda will be the fundamental question: How can humans get along better? Conference organizers say there will be no final manifesto, no list of solutions, no recommendations. What there will be is discussion. Among the issues to be examined will be migrant movement, the media's impact on tolerance, welfare and health care in multiethnic populations, language barriers and indigenous people's rights. Australia, where 200 ethnic groups comprise a population of 17.8 million, stands as a model of experience. "Ours is surely among the most successful multicultural societies in the world," said Prime Minister Paul Keating, who opens the conference.

Dow reinstated as defendant

BIRMINGHAM, Ala.

A federal judge reinstated Dow Chemical as a defendant in thousands of breast implant lawsuits Tuesday, raising the possibility of new negotiations in a landmark product liability settlement. Attorneys for the women say the ruling by U.S. District Judge Sam Pointer could force Dow Chemical to the bargaining table. Manufacturers already have agreed to pay more than \$4 billion to women who say implants harmed them. Pointer reversed a December 1993 decision that Dow Chemical should be dismissed from the cases because it had no direct knowledge of implants made by Dow Corning Inc., a joint venture of Dow Chemical and Corning Inc. The judge ruled that new evidence could lead jurors to believe Dow Chemical was aware Dow Corning was using its silicone research dating to 1948 in the manufacture of implants.

farther away.

So, now I'm left to wonder when my unexpected event will come. Where will I be and how much will it affect me? There's no way to tell, so now I'll just go on with my life while waiting for the unexpected to happen. I'll be expecting it, and I'll still be surprised. But somehow I know I won't be ready.

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Women encouraged to pursue mathematics

Cooney: Female students lack *motivation*, *interest*

By PEGGY LENCZEWSKI Saint Mary's News Editor

Many female students have assumed that they were simply not good at mathematics, and left numbers to those who were - namely, male students. But it has been shown in numerous reports on gender and mathematics that if a girl does succeed in mathematics, it is because she has worked hard. If she fails, it is because she has no natural inclination.

There is also statistical evi-dence that in fifth or sixth grade, girls' self-esteem drops dramatically, and they become less assertive in the class-room environment. The boys, who demand more attention, receive it from their teachers.

However, as a women's college, Saint Mary's offers women an opportunity to excel in what is traditionally considered a man's field - mathematics.

Sr. Miriam Cooney, professor of mathematics, says that classroom attention is often the measure of worth; without attention, there is little encouragement to succeed.'

The result of these patterns of behavior is that women are often not encouraged to pursue mathematics, show little interest in it, and are content to remain "mathematically challenged."

According to Cooney, "it's been shown in several studies that in the middle grades, girls loose their voice. Teachers spend two-thirds of their time paying attention to boys. Girls are given the short end of the stick.

Cooney explained that there are four internal motivational beliefs: confidence, usefulness, sex-role congruency, and attributional style. After seventh grade, math becomes more problem-solving oriented and less dependent upon memorization. Girls have more trouble with problem-solving than boys at this stage, and because teachers pay less attention to them, girls quickly lose confidence in their ability to do math.

Girls are also unaware of the importance of mathematics. Cooney said, "teachers take a lot of time to convince boys of the importance of mathematics, to show them its importance. Teachers do not show girls that it is important. Since it is not useful, they are not eager to learn it."

One Saint Mary's student enrolled in Finite Math 104, who asked to remain anonymous, claimed she did not grasp the importance of probability and statistics: "I just do not see why this is as important as simple algebra or consumer math. I am never going to use probability in real life." A male in this situation would likely accept its importance and learn it, according to Cooney.

Mathematics is definitely a male-dominated field, and very few women are held up as role models for women studying mathematics. Women are rarely encouraged in the mathematics field, Cooney said. "Prior to World War II, 14% of all doctorates in math were awarded to women, and you never hear of these women and their work.

According to Cooney, "Women are often not given credit for being mathematically proficient. If a woman does succeed, it is because of hard work, not natural talent, while if a male succeeds it is because he is talented. If he fails, he did not work hard enough.

"It is a mathematical double standard," she said.

Women and men learn differently. Men learn competitively, by pushing each other with their internal desire to excel, to be the best. Women flourish in a cooperative environment. In a male-dominated field such as math, classes are taught in a way in which men can do well, while women are forced to act in an environment which is not conducive to their success. As a result of all these factors, very few women go into mathematics. They are not given an equal opportunity to succeed, according to Cooney.

Saint Mary's offers women an atmosphere in which students do not have to struggle against the prejudice against women doing math. "It's one thing to know about it and another to change. But knowing about it helps bring about change. When we've been conditioned to think a certain way, it's hard to change," Cooney said.

However, this change poses a threat to the status quo, according to Cooney, who continued: "But women don't want to take over, we just want to be equal."

Professor Mary Caputti, who teaches several Women's Studies classes at Saint Mary's, said that "there are good people in math here, and the training and experience of professors is an issue regardless of the student make-up in a classroom. There is a very good environment at Saint Mary's to think differently about women's capabilities in all areas."

Saint Mary's math classes, while open to students from Notre Dame - male and female, are usually all women. In this atmosphere, according to Saint Mary's senior Beth Go, "it seems as if women are more willing to participate in class, even if they may be wrong.' These single-sex classes encourage female participation which is imperative to successful learning."

According to Cooney, "Saint Mary's pays very close attention to promising math students. All incoming freshman are placed at the appropriate level in order to encourage their growth in mathematics. By carefully going through high school records and placing competent students in the right classes, such as calculus, we open a door for science and math."

Saint Mary's also has many women on the math faculty who provide role models for women in math classes.

Very often, a university will have several very competent and respected female instructors, but you just never hear about them. By having a large female faculty, there are role models teaching the classes," Cooney said. Promising math majors are also monitored very closely so that they do receive encouragement. Cooney states that, "When you've been conditioned to think you're not good at something, it takes a world of encouragement to open up."

Go, who will attend Oregon State University next fall to study algebra and topology said that "an all-women's college is helpful. Men and women learn differently. In our own environments, some women learn better."

Go stated that the amount of support for women in mathematics at Saint Mary's is extremely helpful. "Women do tend to operate on feelings, which makes us good at other subjects," she said. "But there are some women who are very logical and who do have the skills for math and science and do need to be encouraged, and a lot of the time they aren't."

Go hopes to teach eventually after doing research in graduate school. "I'd like to help students enjoy math. A lot of people are turned off by math, male and female. Even if you're not that gifted you can enjoy it and see that it's useful if you have good teachers.'

By offering women an environment that supports women in mathematics, Saint Mary's encourages students and gives them support to excel in a field in which there is little encouragement. As a result, women such as Beth Go can excel in a specific and unconventional field, and can, in turn help others.

Are you graduating and want to get rid of college items? Are you moving off campus and need extra furniture? Are you looking for additional supplies to fill your dorm?

The Observer/ Cynthia Exconde Dr. Don Balka, a math professor at Saint Mary's, is caught in the action of teaching calculus.



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Panel 11 (2:30-3:45) "The Unsettled Story of Political Justice in Chile Jorge Correa, Diego Portales University Santiago, Chile

"Prosecuting East Germany's Former Dictators" A. James McAdams, Kellogg Institute, University of Notre Dame

Panel 111 (4:15-5:30) Commentaries in Comparative Perspective

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"A Brazilian Perspective" Oscar Vieira, Columbia University, USA, and University of São Paulo, Brazil

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ic transmitters which will be placed in the body to monitor vital signs and alert doctors and/or hospitals in the case of medical emergency.

Wetherbee conceded that without NASA's lead in technological improvements, these advances probably would evolve eventually. "But they will come faster if we keep humans in space," he added.

Another benefit of human space exploration that Wetherbee cited is its effect on young Americans and their education. Wetherbee, who visits schools around the nation to talk about his experiences, said he finds that kids are motivated by the prospect of space exploration. "Kids are enticed to stay in school and are excited about science, "Wetherbee said.

Wetherbee also sees many political advantages of human involvement in studying space, as nations can pursue a common goal through space exploration. He found the cooperation between the American and Russian space programs in his last mission very promising.

"Some people were afraid of involvement with the Russians, but working with them was far better than working without them or against them," Wetherbee stated.

According to Wetherbee, many businesses in Houston are following NASA's lead and expanding their markets to include international consumers. Thus NASA has provided important examples of successful international relations.

Wetherbee also addressed the competitive aspect of space exploration. He noted that the Japanese will go into space

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the mission was to insure that the procedures were going to be acceptable (for the June mission.) We worked out some of the bugs and got the two agencies talking," stated Wetherbee.

The mission, he explained, was not without its problems. A shuttle maneuvering jet began to leak fuel and was rendered inoperative. Although the remaining jets and fuel were enough to ensure the shuttle's safety, the Russians were concerned that the leaking fuel could damage the more sensitive parts of the station during the close rendezvous.

Eventually, all parties involved decided it was an acceptable risk, and the rendezvous went as planned. Wetherbee said that the mission paved the way for a successful docking in June, and that the only question remaining now is "whether or not the docking equipment will work properly."

In addition to the meeting with Mir, the shuttle also carried aloft 23 different scientific and medical experiments, Wetherbee said. These included "Charlotte," a new robot capable of performing different tasks in zero gravity. The astronauts also launched and retrieved a satellite and performed several spacewalks. The spacewalks were meant to test methods and devices to be used in the construction of space-station Alpha, the permanent space station that will be constructed beginning in 1997.

The mission was also notable as Wetherbee's crew included Lieut. Col. Eileen Collins, the first woman to pilot a NASA spaceship; and Col. Vladimir Titov of the Russian Air Force, the second Russian to fly on a shuttle. Wetherbee praised Titov, calling him "a professional cosmonaut" as well as "a great guy."

This mission was an important one in terms of international cooperation, he stated. The Americans got to visit Russian space facilities and learned a lot about their space hardware. The mission helped prepare for future U.S.-Russian cooperation in space, including not just the Mir-space shuttle docking but also space station Alpha. The station will be a product of international cooperation, especially between Russia and the United States.

"A joint program" in space, Wetherbee said, "will benefit both of us."

This was Wetherbee's third trip into space, and his second command. In 1990, his first mission, he carried into space with him the University's 1925 Laetare medal. The medal had been awarded to Notre Dame professor Albert Zahm, who pioneered early theories of manned flight. "with or without us." If America stops sending humans into space, Wetherbee believes we will become a second-rate nation, as Japan will be far more powerful technologically.

"Human space exploration helps make the country survive. It will improve technology and medicine, it will make the economy and the standard of living better, and students will study more. It will make the world a better place for future generations," he said.

Wetherbee studied aerospace engineering at Notre Dame. After graduating in 1974, he joined the Navy, and then went on to the Naval test-pilot school in 1981. In 1984, he became an astronaut candidate, and was selected in 1985. The first Notre Dame graduate in space, Wetherbee has participated in several landmark missions. The most recent of these missions was in February when, under his command, the NASA space shuttle Discovery flew within 10 meters of the Russian Mir space shuttle, bringing the two largest space vehicles in lowerspace orbit closer than ever.

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War codes have moral roots

By PATRICK BELTON News Writer

Chivalric attitudes have allowed nations to add rules to international law that govern war, according to Professor **Robert Rodes**

of the Notre Dame Law School. He scribed this body of law yesterday in a

delecture sponsored by the Rodes **Kroc** Institute

for International Peace Studies. "If you see an enemy soldier taking a shower, you don't shoot him," Rodes said. "There are no international cops." The authority of war codes is thus strictly moral, he said.

In the past year, international

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law has come under attack from members of the Critical Legal Studies movement. This group argues that treaties such as the Geneva and Hague Codes actually promote war by designating some war acts as legal. Rodes disagreed, however.

These authors overlook the didactic role of law: if it didn't have moral force behind it, people wouldn't look to it for justification," he said.

By outlawing such war atrocities as civilian bombings, rape, and civilian killings, like those of the My Lai massacre, the makers of international law "make sure the unspeakable and unthinkable are spoken and thought," according to Rodes.

While the Critical Legal Studies movement contends that laws only reinforce the hegemony of the ruling class and do

not embody a transcendent moral order, Rodes called law "a reflection of practice in light of moral principles." Laws that embody a community's moral principles help members of the community make morally informed decisions quickly, according to Rodes.

Besides, he said, war is not fought only to promote the interests of a nation or a class but rather "for aims like freedom, religion, God, country, Notre Dame."

Rodes predicted that warfare will become more clandestine after the end of the Cold War and Desert Storm. International law will be redefined to give a different scope to the United Nations, he said.

Professor Rodes has been at Notre Dame since 1956. He is a faculty fellow and the author of several books.

■ HALL PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL

New representatives chosen for Senate

By BRAD PRENDERGAST Associate News Editor

Deborah Hellmuth, Tim Kerr and Matt Karr were elected last night from the Hall Presidents' Council to represent the HPC in the Student Senate for 1995-96.

Hellmuth was the top votegetter among the three sophomores. The Pasquerilla East resident received 33 votes, followed by Kerr, from Dillon Hall, with 22 votes. Karr, from Stanford Hall, received 15.

HPC co-chair Kristin Beary was confident that the trio

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recently won highest honors in a national critique of college newspapers and maga-

zines conducted by the **Columbia National Press**

Association. Scholastic received the "Medalist"

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Last week at the Indiana Collegiate Press Association

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Scholastic received the addi-tional honor of "best maga-

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would represent the council well.

"They seem really excited," she said, "and willing to take the time to do a good job."

Each council member had two votes to use among four candidates, with the top three vote-getters winning the positions in the Senate.

Among their responsibilities, the representatives report the news from the Senate meetings to the HPC, a duty that will probably be rotated among the three of them, according to Matt Schlatter, co-chair of the council.

Term limit bill passes in New Hampshire

By PAUL TOLME Associated Press

CONCORD, N.H. The New Hampshire House voted Tuesday to send career politicians packing by limiting the terms of the state's members of Congress.

The bill was sent by a 203-148 vote to Gov. Steve Merrill, who says he will sign it. The state Senate passed it unanimously earlier.

Twenty-two other states already have set limits on congressional terms. New Hampshire's bill won't become effective unless a total of 25 states adopt term limits.

While other states have passed term limit measures by voter referendums, Merrill's signature would make New Hampshire the first to do it through the Legislature. An effort to put the issue before voters failed two years ago.

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in comparison to countries in the Mideast and parts of Europe, it can still be affected by this violence. Professor of Government and member of the **Kroc Institute for International** Peace Studies Robert Johansen agrees

Speaking in reference to the blast of the bomb estimated to have weighed close to five thousand pounds, Johansen says that, as Americans, "we are all vulnerable" to terrorism and 'acts of great destructiveness."

Realizing America's vulnerability to terrorism, President Clinton recently stated his encouragement of anti-terrorism legislation which would allow law enforcement agencies "greater freedom to infiltrate foreign and domestic terrorist groups," according to an article in Monday's Chicago Tribune.

Though Clinton's efforts to prevent terrorist acts from occurring in the United States may serve as a blockade to international groups, the effectiveness of these preventive measures against domestic terrorists may not be as strong.

Johansen said that Clinton's aim at better prevention measures "will be helpful," but it is not possible to have "a fool proof security system."

Mainwaring says that Clinton's push for stricter secuthat rity laws may result in "a slight increase in the efficiency" of the government's preventive efforts. However, Mainwaring says, "The bottom line is - it's pretty difficult to prevent," especially when terrorist acts are committed by "well-orga-nized and determined groups."

Citing such organizations linked to the bombing, Davis sees the bombing as "a sign that we should take the threat from extremist groups seriously.'

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In the investigation of the bombing in Oklahoma City, law enforcement officials are taking into consideration groups involved in other mass killings that have occurred in the U.S. within the past two years. One possible connection between the bombings in Oklahoma City and the bombing of the World Trade Center in New York is that those involved with the Oklahoma City bombing may have seen how the New York bombing was done, and they "were inspired" by it, Mainwaring said, noting the "demonstration effects" of terrorist acts. He, also, mentioned the use of "communication through computers" in the terrorist acts, and he related the incident at the Branch Davidian compound in Waco, Texas with the Oklahoma City bombing in that the suspects involved are "militarized groups that are hostile to the government." Commenting on the efficiency

of law enforcement agencies in the Oklahoma City bombing, Mainwaring considers their efforts as having been "effective in this case."

Though the hunt for persons responsible for the mass murder is progressing, Mainwaring claims that an important question still remains: "Will this remain an isolated event?'

Prior to the bombing in City, Oklahoma many Americans may have shared a

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sense of security that the U.S. is far enough away from international terrorism that there is little if any reason to worry about terrorism at home.

However, as a result of the bombing, this sense of security has been affected. It has been diminished, according to Mainwaring.

"We may return to this previous sense of security in one or two years," he said, "or it could go the other way.

Speaking of this insecurity, Johansen offered what he considers to be "one of the most important lessons" learned from the bombing in Oklahoma City: "Our fears can quickly lead us to unfounded and unwarranted judgements on others."

Citing the immediate assumption made by most Americans after the bombing that the terrorist act was committed by an international terrorist group, Johansen said that these ignorant and unjustified assumptions are not only the results of terrorists acts, but they are also the causes of these acts of violence.

"Police acts won't be enough" to prevent terrorist acts, he said. "The most important emphasis" the U.S. should make is "to discourage causes and conditions that give rise to terrorism."

Offering two examples of what he considers to be "the

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underlying causes of terrorism," Johansen names education against prejudices and the discouragement of language illustrating hatred as conditions leading to prevention.

Specifically, Johansen discourages words showing hatred of groups of people. In naming a few of these groups that are often targets, Johansen mentioned "the government, Jews, African Americans, Mexican Americans, and Muslims." Because they have an immense influence on people, Johansen says, talk show hosts and political leaders should consider carefully the content of their speeches, and they should realize the messages they are sending to the public.

This is important, according to Mainwaring, because one aspect defining a terrorist group is that they "have no specific target." Their motives deal with "public issues," and "their target is not linked to a personal quarrel.'

Another measure of prevention against domestic terrorism is to examine the "psychological health of our own citizenry," Johansen said. "When someone carries this

hostility beyond rhetoric," it can lead to a violent action.

The Associated Press and The Chicago Tribune contributed to this article.

The Observer/ Jen Rezelli Playing some tunes Mark Nicholson is caught jammin' at Morrissey Unplugged.





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TV recognizes bomb tragedy

Soap operas review plots related to killing **By LYNN ELBER** Associated Press

LOS ANGELES "All My Children" aired a disclaimer and "Melrose Place" is reviewing its season finale out of concern that their bombrelated storylines cut too close to home in the wake of the Oklahoma tragedy.

While cliffhangers and extravagant plot twists are common during the May ratings sweeps, used by local stations to set advertising rates, television is often criticized for the amount of violence it includes, said Kathryn Montgomery, president of the private Center for Media Education.

Now they're kind of caught red-faced, which gives you a glimpse of a problem that's there all the time with TV," Montgomery said. "This forces them to apologize for what they routinely put in their programming.

The two-hour May 22 episode Fox Broadcasting's of "Melrose Place" reportedly includes a bombing at the apartment complex that is home to its main characters.

The attack by a vengeful Kimberly (Marcia Cross) was planned as a series cliffhanger that leaves uncertain who survived.

On ABC's daytime serial, a demented Janet Green (played by Robin Mattson) is seen this week plotting to plant a bomb at the wedding of Trevor and Laurel (James Kiberd and Felicity LaFortune).

Both were written before the deadly April 19 federal building bombing in Oklahoma City. The

Federal building security

An explosion at the Alfred Murrah Federal Building in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma occured Wednesday causing extensive damage and casualties. The explosion may have been caused by a 1,000- to 1,200-pound bomb, located outside the building on the north side, the same side as most of the offices.

Some of the security measures taken in federal buildings around the country:

Reinforce columns by wrapping with steel. Helps to prevent "pancaking.



Fox drama's finale was filmed from March 24-April 12, Fox said.

"We are sensitive to one aspect in the plot of the 'Melrose Place' season finale because of a single coincidence with those real-life events," Fox and series producer Spelling Television said Tuesday.

'We are currently discussing the best way to handle this one aspect of the May 22 episode and will make that decision

over the next week," the statement said.

A Fox spokesman said the network would not detail the options under review. Reshooting the episode seems unlikely, since filming is over for the year and the actors have scattered.

On "All My Children," the decision was made to air a disclaimer Monday and before each episode dealing with the wedding bomb.

Serbs ask U.N. to ban civilian use of airport

By LIAM McDOWALL Associated Press

SARAJEVO

Crippled by a critical fuel shortage, the United Nations signaled Tuesday that it may give in to Serb demands to ban civilian use of the front-line Sarajevo airport.

U.N. officials a day ahead of Wednesday's scheduled airport talks expressed little hope they could avoid further restricting use of Sarajevo's lifeline to the outside world.

It's likely the Serbs will be less than cooperative Wednesday with the United Nations because a U.N. tribunal in The Hague on Monday named Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic and his military commander, Gen. Ratko Mladic, as war crimes suspects.

Karadzic, who has yet to comment on the tribunal's announcement, met Tuesday with Patriarch Pavle, the head of the Serbian Orthodox Church.

Pavle has criticized Serbia President Slobodan Milosevic for cutting ties to his proteges in Bosnia in hopes of forcing them to accept an international peace plan that would cost the Serb rebels one-third of their territorial gains since war broke out three years ago.

He indirectly urged Bosnian Serbs to fight on, telling them: 'It is better to die than to betray our soul.'

Karadzic, while claiming he was committed to peace, indi-cated he would, arguing that God would want it that way.

'We are making efforts to make the war stop as soon as possible and that it stops without a winner or loser, Karadzic said, but added: "We think it is our duty to defend ourselves.

'Everything else would not please God and would not be in keeping with our Orthodox tra-dition," he said. "Our people endure and the one who en-

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dures wins."

U.N. officials in Bosnia on Monday expressed concern that the tribunal's move could lead to further retaliation against peacekeepers and tightened restrictions on aid deliveries.

Following several successful offensives by government forces in recent weeks, Serbs have increasingly squeezed Sarajevo. Seven people were wounded in the city Tuesday, including five bus passengers targeted by snipers. One person was wounded by smallarms fire on Serb-held territory near the city, hospital and U.N. officials said.

Serb refusal to give security guarantees to planes carrying civilians has caused suspension of all aid flights to the besieged capital.

Serbs have long been angered that select Bosnian passport holders, including government leaders leaving for talks abroad, are allowed on U.N. flights.

The 1992 airport agreement, under which the Serbs gave the United Nations control of the airport, lists three categories of passengers or cargo: humanitarian aid and U.N. supplies; United Nations or European Union related missions and "official missions."

Bosnian Serb officials are demanding that the U.N. abide by the letter of the agreement and refuse to fly other civilians.

"We have been using the airport agreement liberally," U.N. spokesman Alexander Ivanko conceded.

Such talk hints at an imminent reversal of the United Nations' long standing position to resist attempts by Bosnian Serbs to dictate who may fly.

U.N. officials expressed unhappiness with the drift toward restricting civilians. But they explained the decision was linked more to the U.N. need to guarantee fuel for operations in Sarajevo.

U.N. fuel supplies are critically low and could run out within a week.

Serbs denied security guarantees for all U.N. fuel convoys planned Tuesday.





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Navy investigation reveals harassment

conviction on his record.

ing and punitive letters.

All four instructors found

guilty of sexual harassment

have between six and 20 years

in the service. None are still

teaching at the school or any-

where else in the Navy, Denni-

In addition to sexual harass-

ment, charges included inde-

cent language, indecent

assault, fraternization, mal-

treatment and dereliction of

duty. The latter charges were

for not pursuing abuse com-

The Navy has declined to dis-

cuss the nature of the harass-

ment at the center, but most of

The investigation began in

early September when a

woman mentioned to a senior

chief petty officer that she and

another student had been ha-

It was complicated by the fact

that many of the 16 women

had moved to other countries

The center, on the federal

government's base closure list,

is slated to cease operation in

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Instructors and others found guilty of charges

By ERNEST SANDER Associated Press

SAN DIEGO

After a seven-month investigation, four instructors at the Naval Training Center have been convicted of sexually harassing female students, while others were found guilty of lesser charges, the Navy said Tuesday.

The announcement brings to a close an examination into claims by 16 female cadets who said they were harassed during training in internal communications at the center in 1993 and 1994.

The harassment reopened wounds created by the 1991 Tailhook convention, during which drunken aviators groped and assaulted women at a Las Vegas hotel.

Since then, the Navy has added sexual harassment hot lines and interaction training programs in an effort to make the service more sensitive to women and gender equality.

There is always going to be 5 or 10 percent of the population that just doesn't get it,' center spokesman Lt. Pat Dennison said, "but the word is getting out that if you do it (sexually harass someone), you are going to have to pay the consequences.'

Of the 11 people originally

issident taken from home

By CHARLENE FU Associated Press

BEIJING Plainclothes police took a Chinese dissident from his home in the middle of the night last week, and no word has come since of his whereabouts.

Shao Jiang, who was a student leader of the 1989 **Tiananmen Square democracy** movement, was awakened Friday and taken to a police station in Canton, capital of south China's Guangdong province, the New York-based Human Rights in China said Tuesday.

Shao's girlfriend, with whom he was staying, also was detained. Police told them they were detained because they did not have cards authorizing them to live in Canton. However, the girlfriend was released the next day. But police said there were "other problems" relating to Shao, and there has been no further word on him.

'What we are worried about is that nobody is admitting that he's been arrested," said dissident Wang Dan. He and two other Beijing dissidents met Tuesday with the Beijing Public Security Bureau to appeal for information about Shao.

Dissidents in Canton and Shao's parents, who live in the northern city of Tianjin, have asked Canton police and other authorities for information, but the response from all offices has been that "there's no such person here," the human rights group said.

Shao, a former mathematics

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student at Beijing University, is a longtime friend of Wang, who was No. 1 on the government's most-wanted of student leaders of the 1989 movement. Like Wang, Shao was arrested after the military crackdown that ended the protests. Although he was never charged or sentenced, Shao was not released until 1991, when he went to Canton seeking work.

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"Even though he was imprisoned, unemployed and endured other persecutions and hardships, he never gave up his ideal of improving human rights and democracy," the rights group said.

In March, he joined Wang and other activists in petitioning the national legislature for guarantees of basic human rights.

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United support shines light on dark tragedy

The other day, as I was sitting in my study carrel attempting to get some work done, I happened to look out the window, and I was immediately captured by what I saw. The sun was shining brightly, and this always tends to comfort me. But at the same time, the sky was dark gray and the wind was blowing hard. This juxtaposition of extremes had to be one of the most beautiful things I ever saw, and luckily it only lasted a minute, so I was able to return to my work. But lovely as it was to me, there was also

something a l m o s t o m i n o us about it, and I continued to t h i n k about that s t r a n g e s i g h t throughout the day.

I wonder if it is not the same type of phenomenon that causes me such disturbance as I write today's column. Although I felt a sense of duty to do so, I didn't really want to write about Oklahoma City. The whole subject really bothers me, and my difficulties dealing with it, I think, are more complex than the feelings that many others are experiencing during this time of crisis. Let me explain



nothing I have ever experienced

could compare to what those

people were subjected to. Many

ore than I could to being a parent not begin to comprehend the grief this poor man is g o i n g through. I soon found my s o r r o w

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with fear as I tried to put myself in the place of those individuals who, despite surviving the blast, remained trapped under all the residue. I did not doubt that the rescue teams did their best, but even those who eventually were found had no doubt suffered a psychological trauma that will probably remain with them forever. And again, many victims of the explosion were children. It must have been even worse for As I imagined how av it would be to be trapped like this, my fears were not quelled when my mother informed me that the building I plan to work in next year was temporarily locked up for reasons relating to the bombing. These are not pleasant thoughts.

Of course, in any tragedy there is a ray of sunlight to be found, and in this case I think it is the way in which people have united to help and support one another. The rescue teams are no doubt risking their lives when they attempt to find survivors in the rubble, but they seem more than able to put even considerations like this aside when a tragedy of this magnitude occurs. Political differences also appear irrelevant in these times. The President spoke specifically to children about this crisis, and was emphatically supported in this endeavor by both Democrats and Republicans. Even in the microcosm that is the Notre Dame campus, this sense of unity is visible. People gather together to watch the news reports about the bombing, and as they do, they put any differences they have aside, all agreeing on the immeasurable effect this tragedy has had on people across the nation and especially on Oklahoma residents.

So why, I ask, must people detract from the one thing that makes this tragedy bearable national unity - and make it even uglier with barbaric proposals of revenge against the wrongdoers? The idea that we simply shoot the bombers almost seems humane and commonplace in comparison with other proposals I have heard in the last few days. I'll spare you the grisly details, but you can probably guess at them; chances are, you have heard some of these torturous recommendations too.



is that it almost seems that those of us who do not wish agony upon the responsible persons cannot have much sorrow for the victims of the tragedy. This is completely wrong. First of all, it is our compassion for all human beings which allows us to seriously lament for the victims and their families and yet avoid hating those responsible for the bombing so intensely that we rally for their death. Second, while it seems backwards to some that all people do not adopt their violent, revengeful tendencies, what seems backwards to me is that we should take a crisis of such degree and make it even uglier by adding the advocacy of furt lence. The unity I have observed will help us to make it through the tragedy and, for those who knew the victims, to grieve in a healthy manner and eventually to go on, always remembering the contributions made by those killed in the blast. Why obscure this side of the issue with proposals for further killing? I have no rational answer, and I suspect that this is the case precisely because none exists.

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My differences with many of my peers, then, is partially what makes it difficult for me to discuss the Oklahoma City tragedy. For here, the juxtaposition of opposites is not a pretty sight. The beauty of national unity should not have to share the stage with the unsightly portent of savagery. Unlike the sight I witnessed the other day when I looked out the window, this combination is unhecoming; even "disgusting" would not seem too strong a word for it In the context of the terrible bombing of last week, we don't need any more gray clouds. For the healing process to begin, the little sun that exists must be allowed to shine through unobscured.

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My first reaction was the same as that of most people: sorrow. I tried to comprehend how the residents of that city must feel - especially those whose loved ones were in the building at the time of the explosion - and I knew that

What bothers me the most about this facet of the tragedy Kirsten Dunne is a third-year law student.



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BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS

Moo U: Get big or get out!

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By LAUREN AIMONETTE Accent Literary Critic

A professor whose deepest principles place money and consumer goods above all else. A department chairman so pure a leftist he has completely forgotten to actually marry his wife of twenty years. A dean whose vision from God convinces him he ought to marry and have six children by artificially induced multiple births. And a hog hired simply to eat and eat and eat.

Welcome to Moo U.

In "Moo," her newest novel to hit the bestseller lists, author Jane Smiley creates a fascinating array of eccentric characters displayed against the backdrop of a fictional state university. Using the image of universities as their own little worlds, Smiley uses the college cast to portray almost every facet of American society.

With its midwestern locale, strong agricultural training tradition, and classrooms filled with "twentyone blond heads, in rows of five, unrelieved by a single brunette," Moo U might appear as the last place one might find a bit of diversity. However, this is the wrong assumption.

Right from the first page Smiley socks her readers with character after character exhibiting a vast array of interests and placed in a wide variety of situations. Using short three- to four-page chapters, Smiley manages to introduce over twenty major characters and plots early. The multiple plots become a clever patchwork of interrelated events illustrating the interconnection of the society. Each character revolves on his or her (or even its) own axis, but each of the individuals' problems and plots affect those of another.

The novel opens with an introduction to Old Meats, the formerly hallowed hall of agriculture which lies at the exact center of campus. Within this deserted building resides the agreeable Earl Butz, the focus of a research project by Dr. Bo Jones. Obsessed with the study of the hog, Jones hires the pig Butz to attempt to discover what will happen to Butz if he is allowed to eat at will for all his natural life span. Butz, given free reign to satiate his affinity to consume, cooperates. Jones's project becomes the first of several faculty

research projects introduced throughout the book. The many plots begin to focus around this plethora of studies which win the grant money needed to keep the university intact. The struggles and relationships resulting from these attempts to create new inventions and establish new theories are all played out in entertaining and intricate detail.

Emerging from this tangle is the complicated issue of corporation and political involvement. As the state government pulls back more and more of the allessential funding of Moo U. and ties between the corporate and collegiate world increase, Professor Lionel Gift's idea that it is the strive for consumption of goods which lies at the root of human's desires begins to seem fairly reasonable.

But is there a limit to what one should do in this search to fulfill desire? When Professor Gift becomes involved in a corporate proposal to mine a Costa Rican gold deposit which lies beneath one of the last remaining stretches of rain forest, he sets off the trigger which upsets the careful appearance of calm at Moo U. Suddenly passions explode, voices rise above polite whispering, and pigs run out of buildings. As funding slips out of reach, Moo U. must make a crucial decision on its stand on academic freedom. Like Earl Butz, Moo U. is faced with society's newest challenge: Get big or get out.

With poignant humor and the clever weaving of several plots and characters, Smiley produces a wonderfully entertaining novel which is simply a good read. But the hidden insights and messages she subtly introduces raises the novel beyond being just simple enjoyment.

In the "old days," describes one of Smiley's characters, college literally meant "merely a college, a group of colleagues. It made no claims to universality." But the new idea of universality created an institution "shamelessly promising everything to everyone, and charging so much that prospective students tended to believe the promises." With wisdom and wit, Smiley examines the present day conceptions and realizations of higher education, illustrating its problems and assets in a way appealing especially to readers having passed through its doors.

Going one step further, Smiley turns Moo U. and its eccentric community into a microcosm of the modem world. Moo U.'s provost comments, "It had become, more than anything, a vast network of interlocking wishes, some of them modest, some of them impossible, many of them conflicting, many of them complementary." Not only does this describe Moo U., it also describes Smiley's outlook on American society and the very arrangement of her book itself.



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Newfoundland coast Quoyle is forced to confront his own personal demons. His first challenge comes when he gets a job at the local newspaper and is assigned to cover car wrecks.

Gradually, however, he manages to put together a life for himself in which he is not constantly haunted by his wife's memory. He becomes a part of the community; he makes friends, learns about his less-than-noble heritage, falls in love, and finds a couple of dead bodies (but that's another story). Quoyle is not the only haunted per-

son in the story. It seems as though everyone has their own particular monster in the closet. His eldest daughter, Bunny, suffers from nightmares and delusions that Quoyle does not understand and with which he does not know how to cope. His alcoholic aunt cannot forget that her brother, Quoyle's father, raped her as a girl.

In fact, the entire community is wrestling with the difficulties of reconciling the traditional lifestyle with the realities of modern development. The 1 11.1 Autom

fishing industry which has been the economic mainstay of the islanders is undermined and threatened by foreign competition and the islanders live under the constant threat posed by the forces of nature.

Proulx tells the story in a straightforward fashion, allowing the events to unfold before you. Her style is a little rough, even choppy in places. Sometimes it seems as though she is merely allowing ideas to spill out rather than controlling and polishing them. At times this style is effective because the world she is describing is a harsh and rough one. At other times. it is just a distracting conceit. Still, Proulx has achieved a good balance in her descriptive passages, painting a good picture without getting bogged down in scenic details, and her dialogue is realistic and compelling.

Every chapter begins with a description of a different knot—the mooring hitch, the Dutch cringle, the strangle knot—which serves as an extremely interesting extended metaphor. Knots Although he makes mistakes, there are people looking out for him.

The book is a strange mixture of realistic and fantastical elements. The setting is painstakingly accurate and the people are realistic but the events are a blend of the mundane and the incredible. A house blown away by a storm, a gruesome murder, and a dead man sitting up at his own wake are interspersed with Christmas pageants and oil spills.

Whether or not "The Shipping News" deserves a Pulitzer Prize is a matter for debate. It is a good book but not quite that good, an interesting story but hardly compelling. It has its great moments but it doesn't draw you in and make you care deeply about the characters. Though not a chore to read, it is certainly not a joy, although it improves upon reflection. If you spend any time thinking about the book, you will find things you overlooked while reading it. There is a lot contained within the pages, it just takes a while to find it.

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SOFTBALL Notre Dame, DePaul renew rivalry today with twinbill

BY NEIL ZENDER Sports Writer

It's not a Conference game. In the MCC standings it counts for nothing. But Notre Dame's 3:30 doubleheader at DePaul this afternoon is everything. After all, DePaul is a rival. And rivalries are everything.

"DePaul is always one of our biggest rivals," Coach Liz Miller said. "Ever since we started the softball program it's been a good rivalry. I expect them to be very tough." Miller emphasized the word very.

The Irish will be hoping that starting pitchers Terri Kobata and Joy Battersby are feeling healthy. Kobata has been battling a hip flexor that's harder to predict than the weather. Miller always has to deal with the question of whether or not Kobata will be able to pitch.

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In the batter's box, the Irish will be looking for improvement from Meghan Murray, Elizabeth Perkins, and Kara McMahon who have struggled as of late.

"They've been out of sync but the last couple of days in practice have helped. They need to step up.'

One thing's for sure, if the top of the order stepped up any farther they'd be up there with the American Eagles that actually reach their destination intact. Leadoff hitter Katie Marten and number two batter Jennifer Giampaolo have been hitting the ball like it's a grapefruit.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Regular season returns with higher prices

Replacement umps and lots of hits expected

By BEN WALKER Associated Press

Star players are hobbling, and hitters are ahead of pitchers. The real umpires are missing, for now, and the schedules are messy.

No, baseball isn't exactly getting off to a clean start in 1995.

By the time John Burkett throws the first pitch to open the season tonight, it will have been 257 days since the last game that counted, the biggest gap in major league history.

So what will the crowd at Joe Robbie Stadium for the game between Los Angeles and Florida, the audience watching on ESPN this evening, and the fans that will follow later this week see when the game returns?

A lot of hitting, probably. A spring training shortened in half to three weeks by the strike has caused problems for pitchers, and the overall exhibition ERA is over 5.00.

Steve Avery, Mike Mussina and Bret Saberhagen were among those hit hard in their tuneup starts for the regular season. Bob Welch and Ted Higuera were released in the last couple of days, and 11-year veteran Joe Hesketh retired Monday night after giving three runs in two-thirds of an inning for the New York Yankees.

"I busted my rear end for two weeks to see how it would go," Hesketh said. "My arm didn't come around the way it was supposed to."



Wrigley Field will soon see action, as Tuesday marked the start of the long-awaited Major League baseball season.

Hesketh was not the only player having trouble.

Roger Clemens, Juan Gonzalez and Alan Trammell are among the players already are on the disabled list. Many more have been hobbled by pulled hamstrings and other nagging problems.

"Every baseball player gets a strain, except maybe Cal Ripken," Gregg Jefferies said.

Ripken begins the year having played in 2,009 consecutive games. He's on target to break Lou Gehrig's mark of 2,130 on Sept. 6 in Baltimore. Even in a season chopped to 144 games, cutting out almost any chance of the record chases that made 1994 so special, Ripken's pursuit will draw considerable attention throughout the summer.

This spring, meanwhile, might see a lot of players challenging umpires.

The regular umpires have been locked out by owners, and plan to picket, starting tonight in Miami. Replacement crews, made up from former major and minor league umpstake their place.

Ticket prices fluctuate as seven teams raise prices By RONALD BLUM Associated Press

NEW YORK Say it ain't so, Yankees. C'mon

Rockies. What's up Orioles? Seven teams raised the cost of an average ticket this year, excluding the discounts many teams are offering for a few weeks to lure back fans after the 232-day strike.

The average price of a ticket went up 1.8 percent to \$10.65 this year, an increase less than the rate of inflation and the lowest jump this decade.

The New York Yankees have the highest average ticket price at \$15.01, a jump of 3.9 percent from 1994, according to figures released Monday by Team Marketing Report. The Cincinnati Reds, who didn't change prices, have the lowest average at \$7.95.

The Colorado Rockies, who moved from Mile High Stadium to Coors Field, had the largest increase, a 34.2 percent rise to \$10.61 from \$7.90. The only other double-digit increase was the Baltimore Orioles, whose average rose 17.7 percent to \$13.14 from \$11.17.

Inflation was 2.7 percent in 1994. according to the Consumer Price Index. Only seven teams increased their average ticket price this year.

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man Jarvis Edison on the No. 1 defense.

Besides Moore's absence, all other Irish casualties were temporary. Center Dusty Ziegler went down with an ankle sprain Saturday, which will keep him out of Saturday's game. Sophomore Kinnon Tatum missed Tuesday's scrimmage, but will play this weekend.

Luckily for Notre Dame, though, no other players went down, but it wasn't because they weren't trying.

"We were much more physical than I thought we'd be," Holtz commented. "But we've had very few injuries, which is good. We have to be injuryfree."

Without this burden, the Irish have enjoyed the luxury of putting the first team offense and defense against one another. While the defense kept the Ron Powlus-run offense from registering a first down on Saturday, it fell short of that feat yesterday.

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which included pass completions from Powlus to tight ends Leon Wallace and Pete Chryplewicz. And a couple to a guy named Mayes. "We hadn't been tenacious on

"We hadn't been tenacious on offense this spring," Holtz said. "But today was the first time we started being a competitive offensive team."

It could turn from competitive to dominating come Saturday, however, when the first team defense and offense team up against the reserves in the Blue-Gold game.

"The number ones will play together Saturday," Holtz continued.



Ron Powlus looks upfield on the roll-out yesterday as the Irish concluded spring practice with a spirited scrimmage.

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Belles blast Hornets in opener

By LORI GADDIS Sports Writer

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The Saint Mary's softball team was raring to go when they traveled to Kalamazoo College on Tuesday to face the Hornets in a double header.

From the Belles' intense batting performance in the first inning to the shortstop's bellowing words of encouragement to her team, one became deftly aware that the Belles had come to play.

Saint Mary's won the first game of the double header,

trouncing the Hornets, 9-1. Saint Mary's had come to the

conclusion as a team that they were going to win the last seven games of the season. The level of enthusiasm in Kalamazoo showed that that Belles were serious about that. But the Hornets stopped that goal in the second game of the double header when the Belles fell to Kalamazoo, 3-4 in the second game on Tuesday.

Junior Laura Richter had an impressive first game for the Belles, pitching for five of the six innings and helping her own cause, by doubling at the plate and scoring two runners in the process.

Freshman Andrea Arena also came out swinging, hitting 4-4, including 2 singles, 2 doubles and 1 stolen base. Arena was 6-8 for the day. Coach Maggie Killian was pleased with her team performance in the first game.

"Laura doubled in two runs in the top of the first," Killian stated. I think that helped give her confidence to go out and pitch a tough game. Kalamazoo only got one hit off of her." mainder of the season before hanging up the skates for the last time. "It was a difficult decision,

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but I've always said that I've wanted to go out on my terms," said Poulin. "I will miss the guys and the competition, but I'm sure this challenge will satisfy me very well."

Several Irish players praised Rosenthal's decision to bring back Poulin and are confident that the program is well on its

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way to once again being considered one of the top in the country.

"I know I'm real excited that coach Poulin is coming to Notre Dame," said sophomore right wing Tim Harberts. "This shows that the university is dedicated to winning, and it is definitely a step in the right direction."

Sophomore left wing Terry Lorenz added, "I'm happy that he decided to come here. I'm confident that he will add something to the hockey program that may have been missing in past years."

Since reentering the CCHA in 1992, the Irish have posted a combined record of 29-74-8. Poulin promises to bring the team back to respectability.

"I don't know a whole lot about the players coming back next year," said Poulin. "However, I'm positive about the recruits we have coming here and the current direction of the Notre Dame hockey program."



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Not only does **Joe Haigh** have the skills of the consummate Bookstore competitor, he has the glare. He has been described as "the guru".

Haigh

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"Joe Haigh is the guru of Bookstore basketball," stated Travis Brown of competitor Showtime. "Anytime you need to know about a player or a team, Joe knows. He'll give you the skinny."

Of course, Haigh is not just the average fan. He can play the game a little too. In fact, he has never lost a Bookstore game, including a run through the field with last year's champion NBT.

"I was very fortunate to pick up with those guys last year - it was a great team, very talented and very disciplined," Haigh commented. "We need some of that discipline on this year's team."

Haigh is not a dominant player on the court, but he picks his moments better than anyone else. As he admits, "When you get down to the end (of the tournament), I'm less athletic than anyone else. Given that, you've got to come up with something else, and for me

that's simply guts." When you see Haigh on the court, guts is not the first word that comes to mind. Beachcomber is more likely. In an era of kneebraces and mesh shorts, Haigh is a throwback, playing in loose fitting, purpleplaid shorts and sneakers that were out of style when Air Jordan was still in high school.

"I definitely favor the 'White Men Can't Jump' look," explained Haigh. "You come out on the court and people underestimate you."

With his track record and knowledge of the game, the days when Haigh was underestimated have long since vanished. Irish

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13 in a complete game, with an equally solid outing from sophomore Darin Schmalz.

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The right-hander picked up his sixth win by going the distance, allowing just four hits and striking out seven.

"Our game plan was to go inside on their big guys, and I was able to mix in my changeup to keep them off balance," Schmalz said. "The defense played really well behind me."

In the first inning, it looked like the Irish might make short work of the Tide. Singles by Craig DeSensi Mike Amrhein and a walk to Scott Sollmann loaded the bases with no outs.

After Ryan Topham struck out Rowan Richards drew another walk to score DeSensi. But Schleuss got out of the jam by getting George Restovich to ground into a 6-4-3 double play.

Alabama responded in the third, as Joe Caruso scored on a grounder by Anthony DuBose that was mishandled by shortstop J.J. Brock. After another single put two runners on, Schmalz got a double play of his own as Chris Moller hit into a 5-3 play to end the inning.

The next frame, the Tide struck again. With Jason Jordan at first, Rusty Loflin hit a towering blast to left.

"I thought that was the only bad pitch I threw all night," Schmalz said, who allowed no hits after Loflin's long-ball. "But I knew if I battled back we'd get to their guy eventually."

The Irish got to Schleuss in the fifth. After Sollmann walked, Amrhein answered

SPORTS BRIEFS

DROP-IN VOLLEYBALL -Tonight from 8-11 in the JACC Fieldhouse. Bring a team or come all by yourself. **ND/SMC SAILING CLUB** -The club will meet every Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m. at the boathouse. The meeting will primarily discuss rec teams for the weekend meet. Sweatshirts are now on sale. **SPECIAL OLYMPICS**- Volunteers are needed to help with swimming on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 4:30-5:30 p.m. at Rolfs Aquatic Center.

For more information call coach Dennis Stark at 1-5983. BOOKSTORE BASKETBALL The tournament needs referees for the Round of 64 and following. Contact commissioner Mike Hanley at 273-6077 as soon as possible if interested.

BIATHALON - RecSports will be offering a one-mile swim, two-mile run biathalon August 26. Start training now and over the summer!

WVFI 640 will have ND baseball versus Alabama live on 640 AM at 5 p.m.



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Hurler **Darin Schmalz** tossed a four-hit complete game, as Notre Dame knocked off 24th ranked Alabama.

with a two-run shot, his sixth of the year.

"I didn't think I'd get anything to hit, so I was looking for a curveball down in my zone and I got it," Amrhein said. An inning later, Notre Dame would put the game away. Richards led-off with a single, and Restovich reached on an error. With the infield drawn in, Brock knocked a single into center to score both runners.



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Models INC.'s **Conrad James** looks to dish in yesterday's 21-9 victroy over BLUE. The no. 1 seed marches on to face Blitzkrieg today.

WEDNESDAY'S REVISED BOOKSTORE BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

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Sailors set for Coed Dingys, women garner lacrosse honors

By CAROLINE BLUM and JOE VÍLLINSKI

The Sailing Team will be taking time out from An Tostal this weekend in order to travel to the University of Wisconsin-Madison for the Coed Dingy **Championships of the Midwest** College Sailing Association.

The regatta will involve ten teams, but only the top two finishing teams will qualify for Nationals.

"We feel pretty confident about this weekend. Our biggest competition will come from Marquette, Northwestern, and Wisconsin," said the team commodore sophomore Brien Fox.

Fox will be sailing one of the two boats this weekend with Lauren Mack of Lyons Hall. The other boat will be occupied by Steve Kelley and team captain Bridget Murray.

Last weekend, the women of the sailing team earned a third place finish in the Women's Conference Championships, led by skippers Murray and Mack.

In addition to this weekend's race, the team is looking forward to the Team Racing Championships which will take place during the weekend before finals.

Over the course of the year, the team has competed in over twenty regattas. So far the team has placed first in the Men's Single-Handed Championship, which was led by Kelley, and the Women's Single-Handed Championship, which was led by Murray.

job this year, and I hope that we will continue to reach our goals in the last two weeks of our season," said Fox.

WOMEN'S LACROSSE The Notre Dame women's lacrosse team had some goals

for their first season: win a few games, have some fun and lay a solid foundation for the future of the program. As the season draws to a

close, the 9-1-1 Irish have exceeded their early season hopes in a big way, claiming a berth in the first ever Women's **Collegiate Lacrosse League** play-offs this weekend.

Saturday, the Irish will meet Vanderbilt at Ohio State. The league finals and all-star game will be Sunday in Columbus.

Notre Dame had four players earn all-league honors. Seniors Michelle McQuillan and Julie Mayglothling made first team, and sophomore Tara Pierce and junior Megan McGrath received honorable mention.

The team ended their regular season Saturday with a 7-5 win at Michigan State. The Irish had tied the Spartans 9-9 in their earlier meeting, and the hosts were determined to earn a win with aggressive, tough play.

But keyed by an equally aggressive defense, Notre Dame was able to overcome MSU. Freshman goalie Kara Wynn was especially impressive, allowing no goals in the last 15

Over Easter weekend a quar-



Pierce and Eileen Regan scored four goals each in an win 12-10 over the Boilermakers and Regan had another four in a 9-5 victory over the host Redskins.

GYMNASTICS

Although the Gymnastics Team's competitive season has ended, their dedication towards gymnastics has not.

This season, the women on the team were invited to the Women's Nationals at Virginia Tech for the first time in the team's history

Kara Ratliff, Molly Ryan, Sarah Blattner, Amber Meely, Stacey Kramar, Molly Mayka, and Kelly Costello represented the team at Nationals, and were extremely satisfied with their stellar performance which earned them a sixth place finish.

Due to the performance, the team is now ranked number six in the nation.

The team's season consisted of five meets, in which they placed second in three and third in two. Next year the team hopes to continue their success due to a high amount of young gymnasts.

The Gymnastics Team also contains a large number of male members, which were mostly new to the competition this year.

However, the team's males have good things in store for them next year.

The team still practices daily in Angela Athletic Facility at Saint Mary's every weekday afternoon from 4-6. They are always hoping for new members in both their advanced and beginner levels at anytime of the season.

CREW

When the Notre Dame crew team traveled to Tennessee last weekend, they encountered some of the best southern schools in the nation.

This tough competition could be seen in the results as the Irish failed to qualify any boats for the finals.

"It was a little disappointing," men's captain Chris Raffo said. 'We had been racing well against midwest schools. but we had some trouble against the southern schools.

Virginia swept most of the events at the Regatta as the southern schools are able to practice year round, a luxury not available to the Irish.

'The southern schools practice more because of where they are located," Raffo added.

This weekend the Irish will travel to Madison, Wisconsin to compete in one of the four qualifying regattas for the national championships. The men's novice light and the men's lightweight eight both look to turn in good performances according to Raffo.

"We weren't that quick last Saturday," Raffo said. "This weekend we are going to focus on the midwest teams.





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HOCKEY The 'Ideal' Man



Ex-Philadelphia Flyer star and current Washington Capital Dave Poulin will retire at the end of this season and become Notre Dame's head hockey coach, replacing Ric Schafer.

SPRING FOOTBALL Normalcy reigns for Irish

By MIKE NORBUT Sports Editor

Sometimes, a little excitement is good for a football team. But no excitement is better for Notre Dame.

After trudging through countless offthe-field problems last spring and dipping to a 6-5-1 record this past season, nothing would have pleased Irish coach Lou Holtz more than for his team to just be focused on their game.

Wishes were finally granted by his players at Tuesday's scrimmage, the final tuneup before Saturday's 65th annual Blue-Gold Game

'We've had an excellent spring so far," the coach mused. "We've had very few injuries, and some great hits. It's

been really intense."

So intense, in fact, that two fights had to be broken up yesterday. Third team defensive backs were head-butting, receivers were dancing and coaches were screaming. It Of course, a Notre Dame spring prac-

tice season would not be complete without a little controversy.

'LaRon Moore has been suspended indefinitely from the team because of a violation of team rules," Holtz said. "There are rules at the university and rules on this team, and they have to be abided by.

Moore, a free safety in his final year of eligibility, will be replaced by fresh-

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New hockey coach Dave Poulin realizes his dream of returning to coach Notre Dame.

By MICHAEL DAY Sports Writer

Who says you can't go home again?

After a month of drama and suspense, the Notre Dame athletic department announced Tuesday that former Irish captain and current NHL standout Dave Poulin will return to South Bend as the next head coach of the Irish hockey team. Poulin, a former Notre Dame

star and a 12 year veteran of the National Hockey League, will fill the vacancy left by Ric Schafer, who resigned March 24 after eight seasons as head coach of the Irish.

'Coming back to Notre Dame has been a dream of mine for some time," said Poulin. "I am grateful for the opportunity, and I look forward to seeing the program excel."

In an effort to rebuild the struggling program, Notre Dame athletic director Dick Rosenthal passed over several qualified candidates to bring back one of the best and one of the most popular players to ever lace up the skates for the Irish

"I am proud to announce that the university is bringing back its most famous and most successful player as men's hockey coach," said Rosenthal. "Dave Poulin had so many alternatives, and it is a compliment to the university that he chose to come back here. He is the ideal of Notre Dame."

After graduating from Notre Dame in 1982, Poulin played one season with the Rogle hockey club in Sweden before signing with the Philadelphia Flyers in February 1983. The 5-11, 190 pound center played in his 700th NHL game on Jan. 29 and has amassed 530 points in his 12 year career.

Poulin, who still holds Notre Dame records with 13 game winning goals and eight hat tricks, is currently on the Washington Capitals active ros-

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BASEBALL Irish turn on Tide, win 5-3

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By MEGAN McGRATH Sports Writer

Its hard to play better baseball than the team from the University of Alabama did last night.

But as hard as it is, the club from Notre Dame did just that, edging the Crimson Tide 5-3.

It was a huge victory in the Irish's continuing quest for national respect.

In the most recent Collegiate Baseball rankings, Notre Dame (32-13) found themselves at 23, two ahead of Alabama.

'The national rankings are something we pay attention to and take a lot of pride in," said coach Paul Mainieri. "I felt we deserved to be ranked for awhile.'

The Irish overcame a solid performance by Alabama's Will Schleuss, who struck out

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BOOKSTORE BASKETBALL NBT2's Haigh holds court

By TIM SEYMOUR Associate Sports Editor

Stand next to Joe Haigh for ten minutes and you meet the world.

One minute he and Ron Powlus are exchanging pleasantries. The next, he and Admore White knock down some jumpshots. Commissioner Todd Leahv offers congratulations on another NBT2 victory while reffing at an adjacent court. You keep waiting for Monk Malloy to drop in for tips on his defense.

Haigh is a fixture at the Stepan courts, holding court of his own on the game he loves, always while keeping an eye on the competition playing around him.

"This is what the campus is all about," said Haigh. "It's great to see everyone out here playing ball, and it's fun that everyone is so competitive about it. Everyone looks at interhall as just a tune-up for Bookstore.'

No one enjoys the atmosphere more than Haigh. If a ball is bouncing somewhere on campus, chances are that he



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Tight ends Leon Wallace (88) and Pete Chryplewicz (98), along with tackle Mike Doughty (73), listen intently as Lou Holtz addresses the team following the team's final tune-up for Saturday's annual Blue and Gold Game.

is in the vicinity, and when the courts are packed in late April, Haigh can be found strolling around soaking it in well into the night.

"I guess if I spent more time at the library, I couldn't be out here, but to be honest, I hate that place," laughed Haigh. "Being a senior and playing ball alot, I know many of the players, so I just enjoy coming out here to watch them.

Haigh's knowledge of the campus basketball circuit has made him an important resource on the grapevine. If you Bookstore bomber Joe Haigh embodies the spirit that makes the tourney what it is.

want to know who C.C.E. is looking to pick up, ask him. Question on how the freshman on Cactus Jack's looks? Haigh will be able to tell you.

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