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AP Photo

Mayor Marion Barry of Washington was arrested on a drug charge by federal law enforcement officials Thursday. Barry announced Sunday that he would seek treatment for what advisors have called substance abuse.

Mayor Barry to seek help following drug arrest

WASHINGTON (AP) — Mayor Marion Barry, acknowledging that he needs "to heal my body, mind and soul," but declining to mention drug abuse, announced Sunday that he will seek help following his arrest on a cocaine possession charge.

"He has reached the hour of reckoning," said his wife, Effi.

At times blinking back tears, the mayor provided no further details on what kind of assistance he will seek, except to say that social activist and self-described nutritional expert Dick Gregory has been consulting him on how to get help. An aide said Barry's main problem was with alcoholism.

Top advisers to the mayor, speaking on condition of anonymity, said that the mayor is considering checking into the Betty Ford Clinic in Rancho Mirage, Calif. and two unnamed clinics in the Washington area. A decision on where the mayor will be treated is expected before Monday, the aides said.

Barry's brief statement was the latest chapter in an unfolding drama that has riveted the nation's capital since the mayor was arrested on drug charges last Thursday night.

While the mayor did not say whether he is suffering from drug abuse, others

Herbert Reid Sr., one of the mayor's closest personal advisors, said he hoped that from Barry's travails "we can all learn something about drug addiction."

"He's doing the right thing," Reid said. "I am — we all are — relieved, because many of us have suspected for some time that he has had a problem."

"The most serious problem is alcoholism," Barry spokeswoman Lurma Rackley said. "The mayor has acknowledged that he has a health concern, and the details are his private matter."

"For you to admit that you have a problem ... that you need to make yourself whole again is truly a burden lifted from our souls," the mayor's wife said in remarks that followed her husband's. "For our family it is just the beginning."

Barry, surrounded by clergy in a broadcast appearance in front of St. Timothy's Episcopal Church near his home, clasped his wife's hand and said he has come "face to face with my deepest human failures."

Barry said, "these ministers have helped me to keep the strength I need ... I'm going to find a way to heal my body, mind and soul."

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Azerbaijani soldiers fire on Soviet troops

MOSCOW (AP) — Mutinous military cadets in Azerbaijan fired on Soviet troops patrolling their capital Sunday, and tens of thousands of people mourned victims of a bloody crackdown on their republic's nationalist uprising.

The dozens of cadets, joined by comrades from the neighboring Caucasus republic of Georgia, battled sporadically throughout the day with Soviet soldiers at Baku's garrison and military academy, Arif Yunusov of the Azerbaijani Social Democratic Group reported.

The downtown garrison was the scene of some of the fiercest fighting when thousands of Soviet troops Saturday broke through barricades erected by militants and stormed Baku, the southern republic's capital.

Jahun Mulazade, a political scientist, said by telephone from his Baku apartment on Sunday night he could hear shooting at the garrison. He estimated about 200 Azerbaijani cadets, 50 Georgians and members of other ethnic groups

were fighting the soldiers.

Mutinous Azerbaijani sailors
also reportedly exchanged
gunfire with Soviet troops. Mulazade and Yunusov's wife,
Leila, said that battle raged at
the naval academy on the outskirts of Baku.

Occasional shots rang out elsewhere in the Azerbaijani capital Sunday, Yunusov and Radio Moscow said, but it appeared that fighting was concentrated at military posts.

Rebels threw grenades and Molotov cocktails at soldiers' military vehicles, the official news agency Tass said. A correspondent for Moscow's staterun TV and radio service was briefly held hostage.

The Interior Ministry reported 51 civilians and six soldiers dead, and 287 civilians and 36 soldiers wounded in Saturday's action. That brought the total number of casualties for the week to 129 dead and more than 500 wounded.

Activists reported much higher figures, and Interior Ministry officials said they received too many conflicting accounts to confidently update their figures.

Foreign reporters were barred from Armenia and Azerbaijan, so it was difficult to reconcile the conflicting information.

Moscow sent thousands of troops and other forces to Baku after fighting flared between the Moslem Azerbaijanis and mainly Christian Armenians this month. The neighboring republics are locked in a decades-old dispute over the region of Nagorno-Karabakh, which is inside Azerbaijan but populated mainly by Armenians

The total number of Soviet forces tackling the violence is reported to be 29,000, including troops, police, cadets and interior forces. The number of militants has been reported to be in the thousands.

The bloodiest wave of violence erupted Jan. 13 with anti-Armenian rioting in Baku that killed 67 people by official count and forced thousands of Armenians to abandon their homes. It escalated into open warfare elsewhere in Azerbaijan and led to the worst fighting in the ethnic feud in two

A tabloid TV newscast called "Seven Days" began a 25-minute wrap up of the week's ethnic violence Sunday night



A soviet soldier, part of the 11,000 troops sent to halt violence between Armenians and Azerbaijanis this week, loads a grenade into his weapon

with red lines spreading from the top of the screen, simulating dripping blood, as pictures of soldiers and victims of the violence flashed by.

Anchorman Eduard Sagalayev told millions of viewers the ethnic warfare was the Soviet Union's biggest tragedy since World War II.

Tens of thousands of

Azerbaijanis gathered outside the Communist Party headquarters in Baku to mourn those killed when Soviet troops moved in, Yunusov said

The republic's Supreme Soviet convened an emergency meeting late Sunday night and was to remain in session until Monday morning, said Namida Vitulova, whose husband attended.

Fuel tanker runs aground in Alaska

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) — A tanker ran aground in a narrow channel in Alaska's scenic Inside Passage, spilling an estimated 57,600 gallons of gasoline, the Coast Guard said.

The spill was not expected to cause widespread environmental damage because gasoline evaporates quickly, Coast Guard and state environmental officials said.

The 400-foot motor vessel Frank H. Brown slammed into Burnt Island reef about 18 miles south of Petersburg in southeastern Alaska around 8 p.m. Saturday, said Lt. Rick Janelle in Juneau. One tank was ruptured but the leak was stopped by about 10 p.m., Janelle said.

The Canadian-owned ship refloated itself about 8:30 a.m. Sunday, around high tide, said Ed Moreth, another Coast Guard spokesman. It was taken to nearby Skow Bay, where divers found a two-foot hole in the hull.

The tanker's crew measured the amount of gasoline left in the ruptured tank and found that 57,600 gallons had spilled, Moreth said.

The spill is tiny in comparison to the March 24 Exxon Valdez disaster which dumped 11 million gallons of heavy, long-lasting crude oil into Alaska waters. Exxon Corp. says it has spent more than \$1 billion cleaning up the nation's largest oil spill.

By late Sunday the Coast Guard reported three light sheens of gasoline in the channel, the largest a mile long.

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INSIDE COLUMN

ND needs more class room, not classrooms

If I had an "A" for every time a professor walked into a Notre Dame classroom and said, "I would prefer this were a seminar class but since it is so large we will be covering the material by lecture," I'd be a Rhodes scholar.



Liz Panzica **Business Editor**

and Professors students both prefer

small classes, but administrators don't seem to like to schedule them. I realize the DeBartolo quad will cut down on classroom crowding, but it won't make classes any

The facilities will only give students a bit more elbow room when they are lost in a pack of 85 or 100 others on a quest for knowledge.

Unless the University takes steps now, the situation will only get worse, especially in the popular majors in the College of Arts and Letters. Many universities commonly have large classes, but Notre Dame has made its reputation on the attention it gives to undergraduates. Increasing class sizes seems to be reneging on a promise the University has always made to students, parents, alumni and supporters. Sure, other universities do it, but Notre Dame is not just another university.

One solution to increased class sizes is for the University to admit fewer students. But, financially speaking, this would not make much sense, considering that new residence halls that would be empty and would

require a tuition increase.

Administrators could try a drastic move, such as cutting the number of credit hours needed to graduate and decreasing semester credit-hour loads. So instead of maybe five crowded classes a semester, a student has four seminar classes. A University, however, should be a place to sample many different ideas. To decrease the number of classes would go against liberal education.

Professors could carry heavier class loads. This would of course be time away from research and writing, and these are too important to be overlooked.

The most feasible solution to large classes is more faculty. But the solution is not simple. Faculty, of course, come at a price and good faculty come at a high price. Compared to other private institutions, Notre Dame struggles to keep tuition costs

The University recently had a fundraising effort to finance new campus buildings. Now that we have the classroom space, let's get the professors to fill it. The next fundraising campaign should not be for a

new building but for more professors.

A want ad might read, "Scholarly types wanted to occupy new classroom space. Great student body, athletic facilities and wonderfully variable climate."

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Forecast for noon, Monday, January 22.

Forecast:

Becoming partly cloudy by this afternoon. High in the upper 30s to near 40. Partly cloudy tonight with the low around 30. Thickening clouds with the high around 40 are expected Tuesday.

Yesterday's high:33 Yesterday's low: 29 National high: 88 (Naples, Fla.) National low: 5 below zero (Caribou, ME)

WORLD

WEATHER

A prominent Haitian civic leader, considered the father of his country's constitution, was forced into exile Sunday by the military regime, a day after it imposed a state of siege and arrested dozens of critics. Dr. Louis Roy, 74, founder of the Haitian Red Cross, was among several leaders arrested and exiled. Critics said the state of siege indicated Haitian ruler Lt. Gen. Prosper Avril plans to turn his regime into a dictatorship and renege on promises to hold free elections this year.

Via Associated Press GraphicsNe

East Germany's ruling Communist Party on Sunday expelled Egon Krenz, the ousted leader who opened the Berlin Wall, and lost its popular No. 2 official in a resignation that could cripple the embattled party. The Communists rejected demands to disband but offered the opposition "co-responsibility" in the government until May elections, abolished their clasped-hands emblem and offered to change their party's name.

NATIONAL

Barbara Stanwyck, the stern matriarch of television's "The Big Valley," died Saturday at age 82 of congestive heart failure, said a press agent. Stanwyck, whose career spanned the chorus line, vaudeville, movies, television and won her three Emmys and an honorary Oscar, had been admitted to St. John's Hospital

and Health Center in Santa Monica about a week ago. Stanwyck had appeared in more than 80 movies since the 1920s, including four Academy Award-nominated roles

AIDS may not be curable, but by the end of the 1990s it is likely to become a manageable chronic disease that doesn't shorten life expectancy, a leading government AIDS researcher said Sunday. Until now AIDS drugs have been developed largely by screening available substances for possible anti-viral activity, Dr. Anthony Fauci said. AZT, the current mainstay of treatment in people sick with AIDS, has been shown to significantly delay the progression or onset of symptoms in people infected with HIV but not yet sick, he said.

OF INTEREST

Theodore's invites all freshmen interested in becoming assistant managers to attend a meeting at 6:30 p.m. tonight in Theodore's. All current staff members and DJ's are encouraged to attend as well.

Volunteers are needed immediately for elementary and high school Native American students on Tuesdays, 6 to 7 p.m., Jan. 30 through April 24 in Madeleva Hall, Saint Mary's. Orientation meeting tonight from 6 to 7 p.m. in Room 328 Madeleva. If unable to make meeting, call Sue Bryant at 284-4126 or 284-4485.

All Eagle Scouts from the ND community are invited to join the "Flying Eagles," a fellowship/service organization open to all Eagles. January meeting will be on Tuesday, Jan. 23 at 8:30 p.m. For more information, contact David Michael at 283-1008.

Musicians, vocalists, actors, and actresses are needed for Farley Hall's Spring production of the musical Godspell." Instruments used in the band include guitar bass, piano, flute, and percussion. Those interested please contact Amalia at 283-4021. Auditions for the cast will begin on Jan. 31 and will be announced in greater detail.

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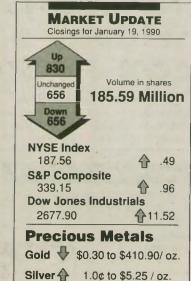
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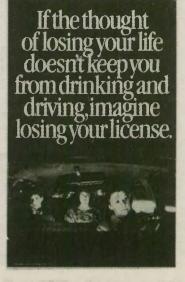
Holy Cross Junior College will host a financial aid workshop on Tuesday, Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. in the College Building. R. Douglas Irvine, Director of Financial Aid at the junior college, will be the main speaker.

For the 1990-1991 academic year, the U.S. Department of Education has mandated new requirements in the application process for financial aid. Emphasis will be given on the application process where the new requirements have been mandated.

The junior college is located on U.S. 33 North. For more information, the public may call 233-6813, and ask for the Financial Aid Office.



Source: AP



Group of Communists to work for multi-party system

MOSCOW (AP) — A group of progressive Communists on Sunday formed the first de facto faction in decades and said it will work for a multiparty political system.

A total of 175 delegates from throughout the country wound up a two-day meeting by creating a faction called the Democratic Platform, activist and participant Andrei Koptyaev reported.

On Saturday, the group decided that if an upcoming meeting of their party leadership does not accept democratic reforms, they will split

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off and form a Social Democratic Party.

Non-Communist parties are not yet legal under national law, though Lithuania and Latvia have broken that taboo in recent weeks. Both Baltic republics dropped their constitutional guarantees of Communist supremacy and legalized multiparty systems.

Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev earlier this month dropped his long-standing objection to alternative political parties, saying it would be no tragedy if they cropped up in the Soviet Union.

The new group's platform calls for radical reform within the party so it can work in conditions of a multiparty system. On Sunday, the group elected a 56-member coordinating council including Communist maverick Boris Yeltsin and fellow progressive parliamentarians such as Yuri Afanasyev.

Both are also members of the Inter-Regional Deputies Group, a group of parliamentarians who had considered but then dropped a proposal to proclaim themselves a "political opposition."

The national Communist Party has already suffered one splintering. The Lithuanian Communists voted in December to split off and form their own Communist Party favoring independence from the Soviet Union for Lithuania.

The national Communist Party is scheduled to discuss

major reforms of its structure at a congress in October.

The progressives are principally concerned with the means of selecting delegates to the party congress, Koptyaev said.

In the past, the delegates have been chosen from the top, ensuring continued support for the status quo. Reformers are hoping for free election of delegates by the party's rank-and-file in the belief they will force further reforms throughout the Communist Party.

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The case against a hit-andrun driver who injured a Notre Dame graduate student Oct. 20 will go to a grand jury Jan. 24, according to Chuck Hurley, assistant director of security.

The hit-and-run victim, Zheng-de Wang, is listed in fair condition at St. Joseph's Medical Center, a spokeswoman said.

Hurley said the prosecutor decided to take the hit-and-run case to the grand jury, rather than filing charges outright, because of circumstances surrounding the case. The grand jury will listen to arguments and decide whether or not to indict the suspect.

In other security news, Hurley said that the LaFortune break-in of Nov. 30 is still under investigation. Although evidence has been sent to a laboratory for analysis, no positive identification of a

suspect has been made, he said. According to Hurley, there is no connection between the Dec. 5 vandalism in Grace Hall and the LaFortune break-in. Security has not named a suspect in this case.

The case against a South Bend resident for the shooting of a Notre Dame student is set to go trial February 14, Hurley said

Anthony Darden was arrested on a class C felony for the June 24 shooting of Michael Crounse in front of Bridget McGuires's Filling Station. Crounse has fully recovered, Hurley said.

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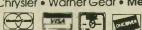
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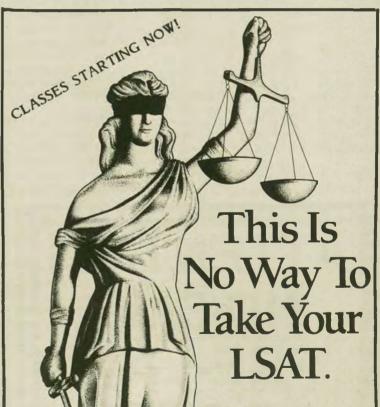
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'Fourth of July' wins four awards

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) "Born on the Fourth of July," the powerful Vietnam drama, won a leading four Golden Globes at an emotional awards ceremony Saturday night, including best dramatic picture, best dramatic actor for Tom Cruise, best screenplay and best director.

"Driving Miss Daisy," the account of a Southern spinster's relationship with her black chauffeur, collected three awards, including best musical or comic motion picture.

Michelle Pfeiffer was named best actress in a dramatic motion picture for "The Fabulous Baker Boys.

In the television competition, the CBS series "Murphy Brown" won as best musical or comic television series, ABC's "China Beach" was named best dramatic TV series and "Lonesome Dove" won for best mini-series or television movie.

The Golden Globe winners in dramatics series for acting were Ken Wahl, the star of "Wiseguy," and Angela Lansbury, who stars in "Murder, She Wrote." Christine Lahti was named best actress in a mini-series or television movie for her performance in "No Place Like Home," a drama about a homeless family in America.

Robert Duvall won for best actor in a mini-series or TV movie for "Lonesome Dove."

Other television awards went to Ted Danson ("Cheers") and Jamie Lee Curtis ("Anything But Love"), named best actor and actress in a television series. Amy Madigan captured the Golden Globe for best supporting actress in a series, mini-series or television movie for the TV movie "Roe vs.

Dean Stockwell took the prize for best supporting actor in a series, mini-series or television movie for his NBC show 'Quantum Leap.'

In the movie competition, "Driving Miss Daisy" also captured trophies for best actor and actress in a musical or comic motion picture, for Morgan Freeman and Jessica Tandy.

The other multiple movie winner was the animated film, 'The Little Mermaid,' winner for best original score and best original song.

Julia Roberts, from "Steel Magnolias," was chosen as best supporting actress in a movie, while Denzel Washington won best supporting actor in a movie for "Glory."

Italy's "Cinema Paradiso"

was named best foreign lan-

The honorary Cecil B. DeMille award, announced in advance, was bestowed this year on Audrey Hepburn.



On a lighter note...

American Sgt. Lewis Banks shares a joke with Gilberto Foster at the Panamanian's sausage stand in downtown Colon Thursday.

ND prof. given honorary degree

Special to The Observer

Father Richard McCormick, John A. O'Brien Professor of Christian Ethics at the University of Notre Dame, received an honorary doctorate of humane letters from Georgetown University during ceremonies there on Jan. 19.

Widely regarded as America's foremost Catholic bioethicist, McCormick entered the Society of Jesus in 1940 and graduated from Loyola University in

Chicago five years later. He obtained a master's degree from Loyola in 1950, and in 1953 he was ordained to the priesthood. In 1957, he obtained a doctoral degree from the Gregorian University in

Before joining Notre Dame'a faculty in 1986, McCormick had been Rose F. Kennedy Professor of Christian Ethics at Georgetown's Kennedy Center for Bioethics since 1973. For

the previous sixteen years, he had been a professor of moral theology at the Jesuit School of Theology in Chicago.

A past president of The Catholic Theological Society of America, McCormick is an author of numerous books and scholarly articles and a frequent contributor to such journals as "Commonweal," "America," and "Catholic World.'

Barry

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The mayor did not take questions and turned the podium to Mrs. Barry following his brief statement. Attention has been focused on Mrs. Barry in part because the mayor was lured to his arrest by a woman with whom the mayor has been friendly.

Barry, 53, was arrested Thursday evening at a downtown hotel in an FBI sting operation. He now faces a misdemeanor cocaine possession charge after testing positive for cocaine in blood and urine tests administered following his ar-

day that the mayor has agreed to enter a drug treatment center. The sources said details on the type of treatment and location of the facility were still being worked out.

Barry had been poised to announce his bid for a fourth term as mayor on Sunday but his arrest has thrown local politics into convulsions. Several advisers said Barry had agreed to abandon his bid for re-election, and they added that the possibility of his resigning from office was never discussed in Friday and Saturday strategy sessions.

'The issue never came up, because it is so far out there befor him to resign, because if he did, he would lose the powers of office, the influence, and the ability to generate money for his treatment program and his legal defense.'

One Barry cabinet member suggested that prior grand jury testimony - in which the mayor has said he denied ever using drugs - prevented the mayor from making specific references to drug abuse in his short announcement Sunday.

"I realize I'm going to have to walk this journey by myself," said Barry.

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Study: College freshmen support legalized abortion

WASHINGTON (AP) — College freshmen are becoming more conservative about drugs and crime but more liberal about legalized abortion, environmental issues and student activism, according to a study released Sunday.

The 24th annual survey of entering college freshmen conducted jointly by UCLA's Higher Education Research Institute and the American Council on Education found an "abrupt change" in student attitudes and the survey's director.

about legalized abortions.
Support for legalized abortion, which had remained fairly stable - between 53 percent and 59 percent — since 1977, jumped sharply between the 1988 and 1989 surveys, from 57 percent to 64.7 percent.

"An abrupt change in student attitudes of this magnitude in just one year is most unusual," said Alexander Astin, professor of higher education at UCLA's Graduate School of Education

He added that "it may well reflect the students" growing concern about the current Supreme Court's position on this highly charged topic."

The survey found the environment was the top concern, with six out of every seven of those questioned agreeing that 'the federal government is not doing enough to control environmental pollution."

And, 78.2 percent of the students endorsed greater governmental efforts to control handguns — a new question asked for the first time in 1989.

Support for abolition of the death penalty continued its sharp decline, as did student use of drugs and alcohol. The survey found a growing tendency toward greater student activism.

'While student attitudes seem to be moving in a 'conservative' direction on the issues of drugs and crime, their views on most other issues are changing in a decidedly 'liberal' direction.' said Astin.

The 1989 national survey is based on the responses of 216,362 students at 403 of the nation's two- and four-year colleges and universities. These data have been statistically adjusted to reflect the responses of the 1.6 million first-time, full-time students entering college as freshmen in the fall of

receives \$253,026 in grants

Special to The Observer

The University of Notre Dame received \$253,026 in grants during December for the support and research and various programs. Research funds to-

taled \$223,874, including:
•\$55,109 from the U.S. Navy for studies of ordering in semiconducting and other alloys by Kathie Newman, associate professor of physics.

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Awards for service programs totaled \$29,152 from private benefactors for various programs of the Institute for Pastoral and Social Ministry.

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"None of the fuel is deemed recoverable," a news release said.

That type of fuel does dissipate faster than most oil products," Moreth said. "We expect a lot of it has evaporated or has broken up. That's what we're looking for.

The spill isn't expected to pose a health risk to people in the area, said Barbara Holian, a spokeswoman for the state Department of Environmental Conservation.

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Business

AT&T hurt by failure, hopes for cooperation

NEWARK, N.J. (AP) — AT&T, embarrassed by last week's massive network failure at what one analyst called "America's most invincible company," is considering asking its competitors for a mutual-aid agreement to prevent similar nationwide shutdowns.

Although officials at American Telephone and Telegraph Co. stress that they are still studying such a pact, they say a proposal could be ready this week. And the company's two biggest competitors in the hot battle for long-distance customers say they're willing to consider the idea.

"It's remarkable because they've been battling so bitterly, with the industry so competitive," said Audrey Stevoff, an analyst with Duff & Phelpps Inc. in Chicago. "It would definitely be a major change for the

industry.

Legal experts say antitrust laws could limit such an accord but probably would not prevent the companies from putting a system in place to serve as backups to one another.

"We're still looking at the feasibility, and this may never come to pass," said AT&T spokesman Harry Baumgartner. "The point is, what we are interested in at AT&T is that our customers don't experience anything like this ever again. Whatever it takes to do that, we'll do it."

The system failure, which hampered long distance calling nationwide for nine hours Monday, was a blow that may go deeper than merely bruising the prestige of the No. 1 carrier, analysts said. But it will help AT&T's competitors more than it will hurt AT&T, they

predict

"I think AT&T has been very intelligent about how they're handling this and is minimizing its effects," said Paul Aran, an analyst with Bear Stearns in New York. "They've taken this very, very seriously so that it doesn't happen again, and they're working to make it up to their customers."

AT&T has proposed, pending Federal Communications Commission approval, giving its 80 million customers nine hours of discount service on Valentine's Day to compensate for the outage.

Aran said No. 2 MCI Communications Corp. and No. 3 US Sprint stand to gain, but the public relations windfall will be short-lived.

"AT&T has been seen as something like America's most invincible company, but nothing, no company, is perfect," Aran said. "OK, now the shock wears off, people say, 'So they're not perfect."

He added that AT&T's handling of the incident has shown that it is a strong company with high standards, and that signing on with its rivals in a backup agreement would be a bold move.

US Sprint has pounced on the shutdown to try to increase its 8 percent of the market. The company immediately began running full-page ads in major newspapers with instructions on how to use Sprint "the next time you experience difficulties dialing long distance." But Sprint doesn't rule out cooperating with AT&T, either.

"We'd welcome anything in the industry that will give people better service," said Sprint spokesman Sid Courson. "If we can help make sure everybody who wants to call long distance can, and the logistics are there, we'd welcome talking to AT&T."

The sentiments were echoed at MCI, which controls about 12 percent of the long-distance market.

"I think it would be nice to have plans like that in place," said MCI spokesman Dave Thompson. "We are a service industry and should do everything we can to see that that service is not interrupted."

Should a backup agreement emerge, MCI and Sprint representatives can tell potential customers that AT&T is always there as a backup, said an MCI salesman in Boston who did not want to be identified because he was not authorized to speak for the company.

Congress prepares for budget fights

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress is bracing for partisan budget fights over defense spending, the Social Security system and tax breaks as President Bush prepares to unveil his proposed 1991 fiscal plan at month's end.

Bush's budget, which sources say will call for \$1.24 trillion in spending, is already being panned by Democrats who control Congress for its expected embrace of assorted dog-eared Republican proposals to save money. These include eliminations or reductions of domestic programs like mass transit aid and energy assistance to the poor.

"This will be a dinosaur budget, a warm-over of what we've seen before," Senate Budget Committee Chairman James Sasser, D-Tenn., said recently. "It will be the whole laundry

list that Congress hasn't accepted for nine years."

For their part, Republicans are already showing that they will not be bashful about pushing their own budgetary agenda this year. In a speech last week, Bush referred to "demagogues" who are opposing his resurrected proposal to cut the tax rate on capital gains, which he claims will raise money for government coffers.

The higher pitched political rhetoric is being fanned by the fact that this is an election year. With the entire House and one-third of the Senate up for re-election in November, members of the two parties plan to use the budget to show voters what they stand for — and how they differ from their opponents.

Mishawaka plant joins Korea venture

MISHAWAKA, Ind. (AP) — The Hummer military vehicle's success in the U.S. invasion of Panama may pay off in new orders for its manufacturer, AM General Division of LTV Corp.

AM General and Kia Motors Corp. announced a joint venture this week to sell as many as 20,000 of the allterrain trucks to the South Korean armed forces. A memorandum of understanding signed Friday between AM General and Kia executives gives the Korean company the go-ahead to seek a Hummer contract from its government.

AM General officials said the Hummer's performance under fire in Panama has bolstered its international reputation. The company will continue to seek more foreign customers, added spokesman Craig Mac Nab.

Han Sun Kim, president of Kia's Asia Motors Co. Inc. subsidiary, said South Korean armed forces would like to buy as many as 20,000 Hummers. He estimated the order could take as long as 12 years to complete.

The South Korean military is eager to buy Hummers because the vehicle is used widely in the country by the U.S. 8th Army and has enjoyed a good reputation with troops from both nations, Kim said.

AM General President James Armour said a Korean Hummer deal would bring more jobs to the Mishawaka plant, where approximately 1,000 people now work making about 47 Hummers per shift. The venture could add \$15 million to \$20 million to AM General's annual revenues, he added.

"We look at this as an excellent opportunity to add jobs here," Armour said. "We have the vehicle and we have the knowledge. They are a super company and they know their country. We'll work off the reputations of both companies."

Kia is Korea's secondlargest automotive manufacturer behind Hyundai. It manufactures the Festiva, a subcompact marketed by Ford in the United States.

Under Korean law, any Hummers used by Korean forces would have to be assembled in that country. AM General workers would assemble what are known as knock-down kits, which would be shipped to Korea for final assembly.

Real U.S. economic outlook confident for new decade

Controversy and dissent make news—it's the nature of the beast, and gives us some of our liveliest reading—but the real economic story as America enters the 1990s is that the country is in a surprisingly relaxed and confident mood.

This under-recognized fact helps explain such otherwise incomprehensible developments as the economy's refusal to quit and plunge into recession, even after a record seven-plus years of national expansion, and the electorate's preference for candidates, in both parties, who offer reassurance rather than revolution.

Consider, just for an unfashionably calm moment, some of the detailed results of a nationwide poll taken by the Roper Organization for my television special, "Louis Rukeyser's 1990 Money Guide." The results provide an intriguing challenge to the conventional angst.

For example, despite all the media attention to the problems of our society in the 1980s, most Americans had a pretty good decade. Eighty-one percent said it had been moderately or very good for them, and 72 percent thought it had been good for the country, too.

The problems facing us in the 1990s—debt, pollution, international upheaval—are widely, almost incessantly, reported, but most Americans seem to think we will be able to handle them. The survey found even more optimism about the next decade than about the last, with 83 percent expecting the 1990s to be good for them and 77 percent thinking the country will have a reasonably pleasant ride, too.

Nor was sense of progress restricted, as is sometimes suggested, to an affluent white majority. In the overall sample, 49 percent said race relations in the U.S. are better than they were 10 years ago (only 14 percent said worse). Interestingly, the positive response was even stronger among blacks (51 percent said better, only 10 percent said worse), as the impact of a succession of black election successes ap-

Louis Rukeyser
Tribune Media Services

parently overshadowed the angry rhetoric of the left.

Obviously, though, the country is not in a totally happy mood. We worry about education, drugs and the homeless; we remain deeply divided over abortion, and we feel frustration and fear toward the Japanese.

Fully 58 percent said Japanese purchases of American real estate and businesses represent a threat to the U.S., and only 9 percent thought such purchases should be encouraged. But our willingness to compete is limited: given a number of proposed remedies for America's educational deficiencies, fewer than one in eight chose the Japanese policy of a longer school year. The favored solutions were having tougher standards for teachers (35 percent) and paying teachers

more (32 percent).

Similarly, on drugs, the most popular answer was the quick fix of cracking down harder on drug imports (47 percent), which not only would fail to deal with the problem of the normous would also ignore the huge domestic production of narcotics. And, with the highest percentage of the nation in history currently employed, 58 percent thought nonetheless providing more jobs was the best answer to the problems of the homeless.

While several of these areas suggest unformed opinion that could be subject to more decisive national leadership, another area—abortion—is clearly a mine field for all who enter. Given four options, two of which emphasized women's rights to abortions and two of which would have prohibited most or all abortions, the totals showed precisely 48 percent on each side.

Abroad, Americans generally admire Mikhail Gorbachev but don't think the

cold war is over yet. At home, we worry about money (what else is new?) but work is getting better at handling it (64 percent rate themselves good or better at managing money; where were they when Wall Street needed them?)

And, with all the recent condemnations of the alleged "Decade of Greed," here's further evidence that while people tsk-tsk a lot at Hollywood's jeremiads on that subject, they always assume that it is the other fellow's emotion. Asked whether Americans in general were too greedy in the 1980s, 56 percent agreed that they sure were. But, asked if "you, personally" were too greedy in the 1980s, fully 77 percent swore that it was "not true of me."

All in all, then, a country aware of many shortcomings, but confident of its ability, on balance, to go forward. Those who repeatedly forecast the end of American civilization may, once again, have to bite their tongues in the 1990s.

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'Right to privacy' masks violations of privacy

By Edward Vasta

When the United States Supreme Court last summer upheld the Missouri Law regulating legal abortion, prochoice advocates counter-attacked immediately. They feared the Court might soon regulate abortion out of existence.

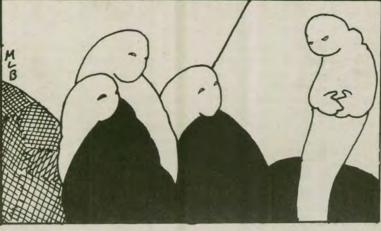
On the spot, media broadcasted their outcries from the courthouse steps; instantly the abortion debate cranked up three notches across the nation; and from the first day pro-life politicians, in fear of losing reelection, began to waffle.

Today the atmosphere is charged with the abortion issue, with pro-choice on the attack, leveling in all directions its central, longest-lasting, completely unchallenged, Supreme-Court-backed argument: that abortion falls within the realm of individual privacy and is therefore a matter of personal choice.

But this argument is so obviously false that it serves as an example of The Big Lie.

Who doesn't know that sexual union is not a private act? That pregnancy is not a private condition? That the consequences of abortion are never private?

Indeed, human sexuality is biologically anti-private. Nature propagates the species by driving individuals away from privacy and toward each other. In lovemaking, no matter the conditions, privacy is what the individual not only gives up but turns against. Humans are so deeply imprinted with sexual need that we are psychologically forced to escape privacy by uniting with another. We can



willingly forgo that union only with great sacrifice and demanding discipline; and to be forced unwillingly to forgo that union can be life's greatest misery. Sexuality — which is to say, love — is Nature's greatest gift precisely because in uniting individuals it brings life's greatest pleasure. Who doesn't know that? Who doesn't know that when you turn to another to make love, you give up privacy?

Who doesn't know, therefore, that no woman becomes pregnant in private? Who doesn't know that pregnancy is triune: that it necessarily and inescapably involves, directly, three beings: mother, father, and conceived child? Beyond the immediate trinity, many others are involved indirectly: all the family relations that our culture, and that human culture since its beginning, recognizes, fosters, and safeguards: namely, all the new brothers, sisters, grandparents, aunts, uncles, and cousins created by every pregnancy. These relationships institute immediately a network of dependencies, obligations, privileges, and social interactions. A new or different family world is projected with every pregnancy.

So, too, is pregnancy not only biologically, psychologically, and culturally not private, but it is socially not private as well. Offspring are society's security against the future. A society's continued existence and wellbeing utterly depend on its children. Who doesn't know that?

From any point of view, then, pregnancy is not private. Neither is abortion private. Abortion impinges on others necessarily, at every level, from the inner circle of father, mother, and child to the entire social community of a nation and of humanity. Abortion destroys others. What can be more plain that that? A successful abortion may return the mother's body — and maybe even her mind — to its prepregnancy state, but it obliterates altogether the existence of the conceived child. And it simultaneously and necessarily obliterates actual circumstances and a world of possibilities for everyone else involved.

Abortion is patently a communal event and therefore requires a communal decision. For anyone, including the Supreme Court of the United States, to make any decision whatever about abortion on the basis of privacy is both silly

and lunation

Yet the court has done so. and many people support it, and millions upon millions of abortions have been and still are carried out. All on the basis of the privacy argument. And the real kicker is that privacy itself pays an enormous price. Abortion based on privacy rights is the very enemy of privacy. An infant is put to death before he or she can begin to exercise he private right to chose whether to live or die. A pregnant woman is left on her own, having suddenly become a mother "privately," finding herself suddenly forced to bear the full responsibility, for all time, of the decision to either raise or slay her child.

The privacy argument gives the father complete freedom to abandon the woman he made pregnant, and to do so not only legally but without facing any of the pregnancy's biological, psychological, cultural, or social consequences. The father is free to walk away from a pregnancy with the blessing of the Supreme Court. On the other hand, individuals brought into a new family relationship by a pregnancy cannot expect to be so much as informed of their new circumstances — not even the new grandmother or grandfather, parents of the pregnant woman, be that woman adult or teenager.

And the privacy argument generates laws, funding, facilities, and practices easily subject to economic and political manipulation, manipulation that enables an Establishment population to foster population control over poor and minorities, among whom most abortions per population take place, and to do so without fear of censure. Using the ideology of privacy to mask the realities of abortion has generated a

plethora of privacy violations in areas of genuine privacy rights. Who doesn't know this?

We have not so much as questioned the privacy argument, or looked into its vast destruction of social, economic, political, and cultural privacy rights. The few who have stood up against violation of their privacy rights the conceived children's fathers and grandparents who have tried to block an abortion - are virtually dismissed by the Courts' privacy-rights abortion ideology. Yet the complete and necessary forgoing and negating of privacy in intercourse, pregnancy, and abortion is so obvious to anyone who knows about the birds and the bees that, given the tens, if not hundreds, of millions of our aborted children, we now live with perhaps the biggest Big Lie ever propagated.

Edward Vasta is a professor of English.

LETTERS

JPW remembered

Dear Editor:

As a senior parent reflecting on the past year, I would like to encourage junior parents to attend Junior Parents' Weekend in February. It is a great time to meet your son's or daughter's friends and parents. It is indeed a cherished weekend in the memories of the Domers of the Class of 1990. The JPW is a "class act" and the weekend expresses what Notre Dame is all about — the family.

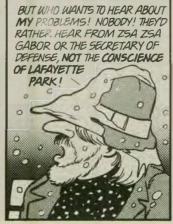
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Beverly McCarthy Toledo, Ohio Jan. 10, 1990

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

God is love. And they who abide in love, abide in God, and God in them.

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Accent

'Island Son'

Chamberlain returns to TV as a physician living in Hawaii

JOE BUCOLO accent writer

The man who fought off Shogun warriors, juggled his love for the Church and a young lady, and unraveled one of Ludlum's best mysteries just graduated from medical school. Richard Chamberlain returns to television in "Island Son."

Airing at 9 p.m. on Thursdays on CBS, "Island Son" presents Chamberlain as Dr. Daniel Kulani, a respected physician and father in Hawaii. Recently widowed, Kulani struggles to uphold ethics and morale at his hospital while instilling these same qualities in his son Sam (William McNamara.)

Set against the backdrop of beautiful Hawaiian scenery, this series explores many of the same topics tackled on other medical shows. Fortunately, the plotlines are always as fresh as a blooming hibiscus in May.

One storyline involves one of Sam's friends, Greg. Always thirsty and hungry, Greg discovers he has diabetes, but only after he collapses while riding his bike. Of course, Dr. Kulani helps Greg deal with the problem. Ironically, the focus of the show is not on Greg, but on Sam who is disturbed and upset by Greg's condition. It is interesting to watch as Sam withdraws from his friendship with Greg, gradually accepts the situation, and returns to Greg's side.

In the spirit of "Trapper John, M.D.," "Island Son" often presents lighthearted plotlines (No, not dancing Hula girls!) One story involves a friend of Kulani who is also Chief of Surgery. The doctor becomes ill and Kulani must take care of his friend. Ironically, the chief of surgery is a terrible patient and gradually drives the entire hospital staff nuts—probably Macadamia nuts since this is Hawaii

One nice thing about the show

is that it doesn't force the Hawaiian locale down the viewers' throats. There are no luaus, surf contests or (sorry Bradys) voodoo idol mysteries. Rather, the show treats its viewers to a panoramic view of America's most beautiful state as the main plots unravel.

This attribute—as well as the others the show offers—are the result of Richard Chamberlain who produces the show and lives in Hawaii. He uses the show to share the beauty of his home state with the viewers.

Of course, Chamberlain has proven his acting ability time and time again. His portrayal of Dr. Kulani is impeccable. He seems quite at home standing over patients and prescribing medications. McNamara, who starred in "Dream a Little Dream," portrays a very fine young man haunted by the death of his mother and coping with the traumas of the teen years.

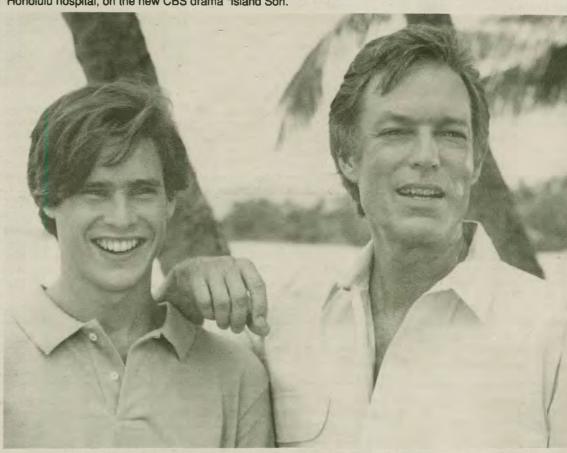
This is not to say the characters are perfect; they are not. Of most concern is the way in which the writers portray Kulani's intelligence. He constantly spews forth "profound" statements that tend to be condescending or downright stupid.

For example, when Greg says he doesn't like having to give himself insulin shots, that he doesn't like being different, Kulani says that everyone is different; that's what makes being human so great. No, that's what gives TV a bad name. Come on. No doctor would use that as an explanation and no patient would accept it.

In short, "Island Son" is an excellent show that needs some sharpening, mainly in the form of Kulani's dialogue. Besides this hairline fracture in "Son's" structure, the show is smart and fresh. "Island Son" is in perfect health.



Expanding his horizons, Richard Chamberlain portrays Dr. Daniel Kulani, a respected doctor in a large Honolulu hospital, on the new CBS drama "Island Son."



The tropical beauty of Hawaii provides the backdrop for Dr. John Kulani's struggles to balance a hectic professional career with the responsibility of raising his son Sam Kulani (William McNamara)

The Observer/Andrew McCloskey

Judy Hilbrich playing Dotty Otley and Eric Hurtt playing Frederick Fellowes conduct an intimate search for contact lenses in the zany comedy, Noises Off, which opens this weekend at Washington Hall.

'Noises Off' promises an off-the-wall evening of satire, farce and sardines

Special to the Observer

For a night of farce, theater and sardines, Noises Off is the play to see. This recent successful Broadway play which mocks and glorifies the cliches in the theater, will be presented by the Saint Edward's Hall Players from Thursday, January 25 to Sunday, January 28.

Noises Off is a play within a play, and opens with a stereotype of a somewhat deranged touring company rehearsing Nothing On, a conventional farce. The rehearsal seen in the first act bursts into performance in the second act with the entire set reversed. The audience experiences a raucous cavalcade of noises offstage that wreak havoc on the actors and heighten the hilarity of the performance. The final act sweeps the audience in an entirely new direction by underThe audience experiences a raucous cavalcade of noises offstage that wreak havoc on the actors and heighten the hilarity of the performance.

mining, rebuking and satirizing all that was established in the previous acts.

Noises Off requires an elaborate, two-story, revolving set, as well as having difficult technical aspects, and so makes this production an ambitious student effort. The Saint Edward's Hall Players is an entirely student-run organization.

Tickets are available in advance for three dollars at LaFortune Student Center information center. Remaining tickets will be sold at the door.

McEnroe's temper prompts ejection from Australian Open

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) - So much for Mr. Nice Guy.

John McEnroe, still crazy after all these years, threw his racket and a tantrum Sunday at the Australian Open and became the first player tossed out of a Grand Slam event for

He let himself get rattled by missed shots, close calls and a baby's cries, and after his default, with a 6-1, 4-6, 7-5, 2-4 lead against Mikael Pernfors, McEnroe admitted, "I don't really have anyone to blame but myself."

It was a sad and bizarre chapter in the career of one of the finest players in tennis, a 30-year-old former champion who came here determined to win his first major tournament since the 1984 U.S. Open.

Defending champions Ivan Lendl and Steffi Graf overcame unusually sloppy play earlier Sunday while American amateur sensation Angelica Gavaldon kept rolling to reach the quarterfinals

Gavaldon, an effervescent 16year-old from Coronado, Calif. who entered as a qualifier ranked 192, upset 15th-seed Gigi Fernandez 6-3, 1-6, 6-2. Gavaldon, who beat former two-time champion Hana Mandlikova in the third round, next meets West German Claudia Porwik, who beat South African Dinky van Rensburg 7-6, 3-6, 6-4.

Lendl hit 46 errors yet never was threatened in beating Australian Simon Youl 6-1, 6-3, 6-1. Unseeded Soviet Andrei Cherkasov upset No. 9 Andres Gomez of Ecuador 2-6, 6-3, 7-6 (8-6), 7-6 (7-5).

Graf started with an ace and ended with another one to notch her 45th straight victory. 6-2, 6-3, over 13th-seed Raffaella Reggi. Helena Sukova, who lost the 1989 finals against Graf, ended the surprising surge of Japan's Kimiko Date 6-4, 6-3.

But the McEnroe episode overshadowed all other play on Sunday.

Only two days before, after winning his third match and playing his best tennis in years. McEnroe talked about how important it is for him to keep his temper under control.

Yet all it took for McEnroe to revert to his old ways was a tough match against Pernfors, the Swedish-born two-time NCAA champion at Georgia.

McEnroe won the first set easily, but as Pernfors picked up his game in the second set, McEnroe became increasingly agitated. After netting a short drop shot, he smashed the ball on the ground as if it were an annoying bug.

He smacked another ball after a missed forehand and nearly hit a ballboy. He asked for new balls before serving the 10th game, complaining the old ones were dead, but was broken for the set - his third straight break - on Pernfors' backhand volley of a shallow

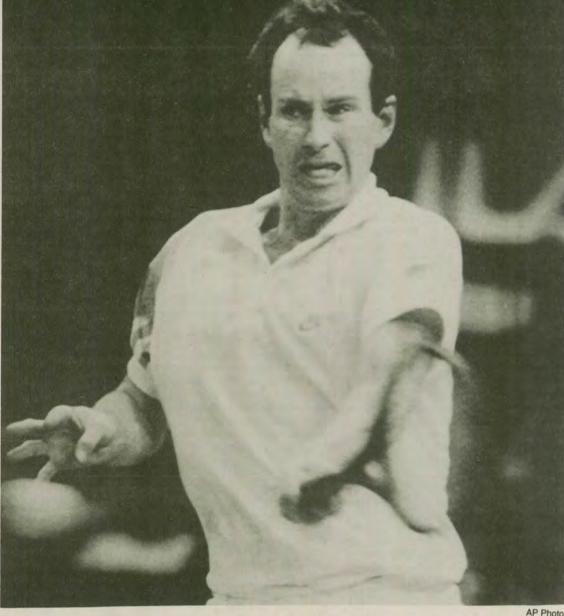
McEnroe slammed a ball in the air after a miss in the first game of the third set and almost hit Pernfors in the back, then stalled between shots by pacing angrily behind the baseline. Pernfors, bothered by the tactics, was broken.

McEnroe took a 2-1 lead after an exchange of breaks, but on the changeover he stood in front of a lineswoman he thought made a bad call.

Bouncing a ball on his racket glaring at her in intimidating fashion, McEnroe was hit with a code violation for unsportsmanlike conduct by umpire Gerry Armstrong.

McEnroe argued with Armstrong, then returned to play, finally held service, and went on to take the set.

He seemed to be in control of the match and himself again, but suddenly became distracted by a crying baby while serving



American John McEnroe was disqualified from the 1990 Australian Open this weekend because of his constant verbal abuse of the line judges. McEnroe, at the time of disqualification, was beating Michael Pernfors in the semi-final of the Grand Slam event.

the sixth game, with Pernfors ahead 3-2.

"Give him a drink, the boy's hungry," McEnroe yelled, looking up in the section of the stands where the baby was

Armstrong asked the parents to take the baby out of the stadium, and after the mother and baby left, a fan yelled, "Can we breathe, John?'

McEnroe fell behind 15-30 on

his racket on the court. At deuce, McEnroe hit another forehand wide, then smashed the court again with his racket, cracking the head slightly.

Armstrong called a code violation for racket abuse, and McEnroe responded by swearing at him and asking for Ken Farrar, the Grand Slam chief of supervisors.

Farrar came onto the court

a wide forehand, then bounced and talked with McEnroe, but the American continued complaining and swearing, his four-letter words clearly audible.

> Armstrong, with Farrar's approval, called, "Code violation, further abuse, default Mr. McEnroe. Game, set match." Farrar later described McEnroe's harangue as the most vile language he'd ever heard in a tennis match.

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Houston's Ware may opt for NFL

WASHINGTON (AP) — Heisman Trophy winner Andre Ware says he may change his mind and skip his senior season at Houston to join the NFL.

Ware, who holds 26 NCAA passing and total offense records, has repeatedly stated that he would return to Houston next season. But he appeared to soften his stance Saturday night in remarks made prior to an awards banquet.

quet.
"There's always the possibility of things changing," he said.
"If I explore some things and find out that it's better for myself to come out this year than next, it's certainly a possibility that I will."

However, Ware said he would institute a pay scale for

return to school if he had to make a decision right now.

"A lot has transpired over the past two weeks, but right now I have every intention of going back to school," he said. "If I want to pursue other things, that's something I can certainly do when the time comes."

Ware, honored as college back of the year by the Touchdown Club, said there isn't much more he can accomplish as a college football player. But there appear to be other reasons for him to bypass his final year at Houston, including the departure of Coach Jack Pardee to the Houston Oilers and the possibility that the NFL will institute a nay scale for

rookies

"If I were to explore all the possibilities — and I'm sure there may come a point in time when I want to do that — I will pursue it and see what's out there for Andre," Ware said.

In an interview prior to the banquet, NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue said the league may ease restrictions on athletes who wish to play in the NFL before using up their college eligibility.

"We'll have to clarify the rule," Tagliabue said. "It will involve some liberalization, but it will also involve drawing a line below which we would not make exceptions."

No. 25 Alabama upsets LSU in Tuscaloosa, 70-55

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP) — James Sanders scored 21 points and helped hold Southeastern Conference leading scorer Chris Jackson far below his average as No. 25 Alabama defeated No. 13 LSU 70-55 Sunday.

The outcome left Alabama, LSU and Tennessee in a three-way tie atop the conference with 4-2 records.

Sanders and Keith Askins combined to hold Chris Jackson, who was averaging 28.3 points, to only 11 before he fouled out with just over a minute left.

Melvin Cheatum scored 20 points for Alabama (13-4). Maurice Williamson with 12

points led LSU (11-3), which seemed less than fresh after defeating Notre Dame 87-64 in New Orleans a day earlier.

LSU closed to four points early in the second half. Then, with Alabama leading 44-39, Sanders hit a 3-pointer and a 2-pointer, David Benoit added a basket and Alabama was up 51-41 with 11:20 left.

The Tigers trailed 59-51 with five minutes left after two baskets by Shaquille O'Neal but Sanders and Cheatum scored for Alabama

LSU got the game's first basket and Alabama then scored 14 straight points.



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Weekend action proves to be upsetting to top collegiate teams; Kansas falls to Tigers

(AP)- First, top-ranked Kansas took the pipe. Then, No. 3 Oklahoma. Later, second-ranked Georgetown and No. 5 Syracuse fell by the wayside, and so did sixth-rated Michigan and No. 7 Illinois.

Six of the nation's top 10rated teams lost on Saturday, and that left a lot of room at the top in college basketball.

No. 4 Missouri defeated previously unbeaten Kansas 95-87 at Columbia, Mo., and probably will assume the top spot when rankings come out on Tuesday.

"I'd rather be No. 3," Missouri guard Lee Coward said. "When you're No. 1, you're setting yourself up to be knocked off."

Connecticut beat Georgetown 70-65, and that left the nation without a major unbeaten. No. 23 Arizona beat No. 3 Oklahoma 78-74, and Syracuse fell 87-86 to Providence. Iowa beat Michigan 78-76 in overtime, and No. 24 Purdue whipped Illinois 81-68.

In other games involving ranked teams, it was No. 8 Duke 97, Wake Forest 69; No. 10 Louisville 86, Memphis State 69; No. 12 Arkansas 100, Texas A&M 84; No. 13 LSU 87, Notre Dame 64; No. 15 St. John's 65, Boston College 59; No. 17 La Salle 84, Holy Cross 81; No. 18 Oregon State 70, Washington 63; North Carolina 91, No. 19 N. Carolina State 81; No. 20 Xavier, Ohio 83, St. Louis 74; No. 21 Loyola Marymount 131, Portland 106, and No. 22 Minnesota 83, Ohio State 78.

Sunday's schedule had No. 11

(AP)- First, top-ranked Georgia Tech at Virginia, No. tansas took the pipe. Then, lo. 3 Oklahoma. Later, second-No. 16 UCLA at California.

No. 4 Missouri 70, No. 1 Kansas 65

Doug Smith scored 19 of his 23 points in the second half and Missouri rallied past Kansas (19-1). Missouri trailed by as many as nine points in the first half and Kansa was up 46-43 at intermission.

The Tigers (17-1) took the lead with 17 minutes left as Smith and Anthony Peeler combined for 17 of Missouri's final 18 points.

"At halftime there were a lot of sad faces," said Peeler, who scored 24 points.
Connecticut 70, No. 2

Georgetown 65

"The No. 1 ranking is the least of my concerns," Georgetown coach John Thompson said. "The only positive thing about the loss is

we can get away from that stuff."

Connecticut made seven of its eight free throws in the final 1:04 for the victory at the Hartford Civic Center. Nadav Henefeld's 3-pointer with 3:46 left broke a 60-60 tie, and the Huskies (15-3) did not trail again.

Connecticut now has beaten Syracuse and Georgetown in the Big East. The Hoyas fell to 14-1

No. 23 Arizona 78, No. 3 Oklahoma 74

Sean Rooks and Jud Buechler each had 18 points as Arizona won at Tucson, where the Wildcats (11-3) have won 41 in a row. After averaging 122.2 points per game, Oklahoma (12-2) has scored just a total of 125 points in two straight losses.

Hattfield named Clemson coach despite players' protest

CLEMSON, S.C. (AP) — Ken Hatfield of Arkansas accepted the head coaching job at Clemson on Sunday, and a threatened player boycott was averted after he met with the team.

Hatfield, who coached the Razorbacks for six years and led them to the Cotton Bowl the past two seasons, replaces Danny Ford, who resigned Thursday, less than two weeks after the NCAA accused Clemson of recruiting violations

ing violations.
"We understand it's a very difficult situation and time, but I promise you that things

will work out," he said. "There's nothing that can't be accomplished if everybody's part of the team and you're part of something that's bigger than yourself."

Clemson athletic director Bobby Robinson said it took a person of "great strength and fortitude and confidence" to take the job following the NCAA investigation and the uproar surrounding Ford's resignation.

"We looked and we talked to a lot of people. The name that we always kept coming to was Ken Hatfield," Robinson said.

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may finally reach accord

LAS VEGAS (AP) — A 13-year legal battle between Nevada-Las Vegas basketball coach Jerry Tarkanian and the NCAA, which went all the way to the U.S. Supreme Court, may be nearing an end.

Reports said that the NCAA has agreed to a settlement which would call for Tarkanian paying a judgment of \$21,000 and assuming his own legal fees - estimated at \$340,000.

Jack Kitchin, a Kansas City lawyer who represents the NCAA, said Friday an agreement may be near that would resolve the issue with the association, Tarkanian and UNLV.

The resolution would involve only the legal battles dating back to 1977, and would not involve any future actions the NCAA might take, Kitchin said.

The NCAA placed UNLV on

two years probation in 1977 for alleged recruiting violations and ordered Tarkanian suspended from coaching for two years.

The university served the probation, but Tarkanian obtained a court order and continued coaching, compiling the winningest record among the nation's active coaches.

The issue of his suspension went to the U.S. Supreme Court, which ruled in December 1988 that the NCAA had the right to order a coach suspended without due process.

The same ruling said a university could not suspend a coach, however, without providing that due process.

Since that ruling, the NCAA has been trying to decide what action, if any, to take against

NCAA and UNLV'sTark O'Neal-Roberts impress Irish

By GREG GUFFEY Assistant Sports Editor

NEW ORLEANS - Perhaps Notre Dame's Keith Tower best described playing against Louisiana State's mammoth front line of Shaquille O'Neal and Stanley Roberts.

Said Tower, "We were leaning on them, pushing them, holding them and grabbing them. It took all of that to move them an inch.'

That duo of O'Neal and Roberts lifted the 13th-ranked Tigers over the Irish 87-64 Saturday in the Superdome and posted some amazing statistics.

Roberts, 7-foot and 288 pounds, scored 18 points and pulled down nine rebounds, while O'Neal, 7-foot 1-inch and 286 pounds, had 17 points and a game-high 13 boards. And for complementary measures, the Tigers threw in six-foot seven-inch forward Wayne Sims, who scored eight points and had three rebounds.

The LSU front line outmuscled Notre Dame inside for most of the afternoon. They pushed, shoved and fought for position under the basket. Not only did they usually get the po-

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sition, but they also got rave reviews from the Notre Dame players.

"Those two guys are the biggest guys I've went up against since I've been playing the game," Notre Dame's Keith Robinson said. "It was a very physical game. We had seen tapes of them, but it was different actually going out on the floor against them.

Said Tower, "That's probably the best front line in the country. They're so physically strong and it's not that they've got only one strong player. They've got two of them. It was frustrating just because they were executing better than we were.

The Irish came into the game outrebounding opponents by more than nine boards per contest. The Tigers made that a 25-rebound difference, tallying 41 boards to just 25 for the

Notre Dame tried a variety of defenses to counter Roberts and O'Neal, but nothing seemed to work. The duo also shined on the defense end, blocking five Irish shots.

"They did a good job of get-ting the ball inside," Notre

Dame coach Digger Phelps said. "We didn't do a good job of doubling down on the post

feeds. They just intimidate you when you go inside." Roberts and O'Neal made their presence known early,

combining to score LSU's first six points. When Ellis hit a jumper to tie the game at 14-14, O'Neal responded with a three-point play for a 17-14 Tiger advantage.

But their biggest contribution in the first half may not have been a basket. With 5:04 to play, Roberts drew the third foul on Robinson.

"I think I got kind of frustrated because I was trying to establish position inside, Robinson said. "There was a lot of pushing inside. In the second half, I thought I could get things going again."

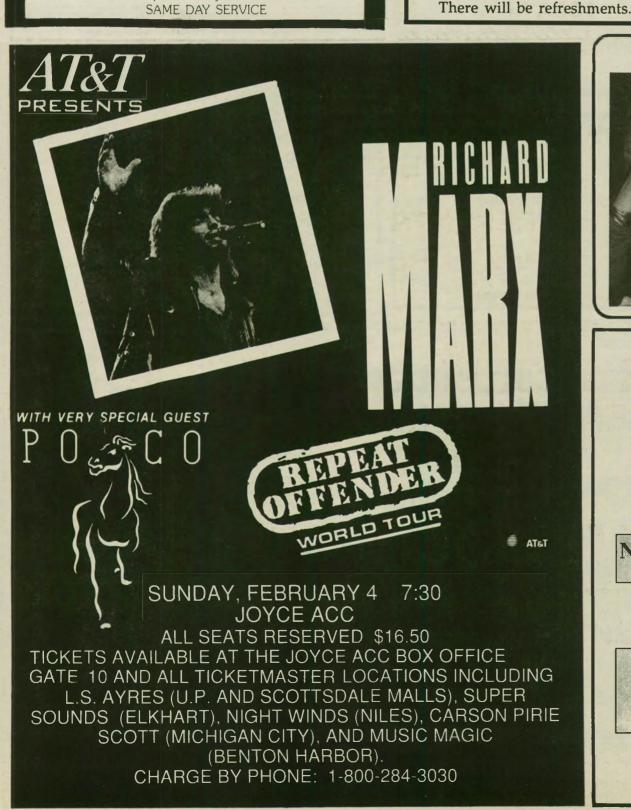
Roberts and O'Neal kept things going in the second half. O'Neal opened the half with a lay-up and then drew the fourth foul on Robinson. When Notre Dame cut the lead to 52-40 the smallest margin of the second half - it was Roberts who quieted the rally with a quick basket underneath.

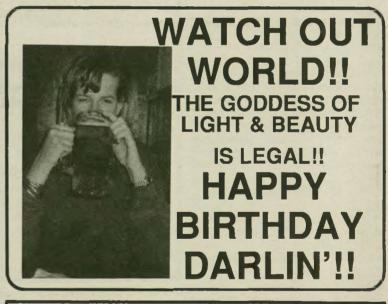
With the score 59-46, Roberts scored six straight Tiger points, the final a reverse slam in the transition game that put an exclamation point on the afternoon for LSU.

With over 44,000 fans in attendance and millions more watching on national television, Roberts and O'Neal made a strong case for being the best frontcourt duo in college bas-

And few Irish players would argue with that on Saturday.







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LSU-ND matchup helps the homeless; Money headed to South Bend and New Orleans

By GREG GUFFEY Assistant Sports Editor

NEW ORLEANS - Louisiana State won the basketball game 87-64 over Notre Dame Saturday in the Superdome.

But the winners of the bigger game were America's homeless, who will benefit from the proceeds of the basketball contest. A record of 68,112 paid to see the game, while 44, 233 fans actually attended the game.

"Nobody loses when it comes to the homeless," Notre Dame coach Digger Phelps said. "Don't be misled by the box score of who scored and who won. Understand the other box score

"We've been on the road the past two weeks and we've seen it (homeless). Until we get our resources together, we have got a serious problem."

The game was billed as "Hoops That Help." Comic Relief, an organization made up of the best known comedic

types in the country, assisted in promoting and coordinating the event. Comic Relief has raised and distributed more than 8.3 million dollars to homeless men, women and children

Saturday's game should result in thousands of dollars to help the homeless problem. Homeless centers in South Bend and New Orleans will receive \$50,000 each from the game, while millions more raised through ticket sales and phone pledges will go to centers across the country.

Making this cause even more special is that Notre Dame is one of the few - maybe the only - universities to own and operate a homeless center. Notre Dame operates Center for the Homeless in South Bend.

"I don't think a lot of the people came just to see Notre Dame play LSU," said Father Steve Newton, the first director of the center in South Bend and rector in Sorin Hall. "It's great to see a basketball team go beyond themselves and realize it's only a game."

Father Newton, who also accompanied the team to New Orleans, estimates that almost 3,000 people are homeless in the South Bend area. The local center opened in December of 1988 and offers a variety of services, including shelter, medical clinics, a mental health center, job training, legal services, educational programs and food services.

Father Newton, who oversaw the beginning of the center and has since relinquished his duties as director, says the center has had a positive effect on the South Bend community.

"I think it's helped in a lot of ways," he said. "It helped the community realize the problem and it began to directly help the homeless themselves. It helped people look for solutions to the problem."

And with creative ideas like Saturday's basketball game, help and aid should continue for America's homeless.

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Sailing Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in 204 O'Shag. Plans for the 1990 Commodore's Ball will be discussed.

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Phelps said. "You've got to do a lot of things to keep them from scoring. You're not going to see many teams like LSU come March."

The Irish stayed close early in the game. Down 12-8 with 15:05 to play in the half, Notre Dame forced a tie at 14-14 when Ellis scored six straight points to a jumper from Jackson. The Irish took their only lead of the game at 18-17 with 10:53 remaining when Ellis capped a fast break with a slam dunk.

But just 21 seconds later, the momentum changed for good. Ellis tried to cap a steal with a length-of-the-court drive, but was called for an offensive foul. The Tigers then outscored the Irish by a 23-10 count and went into the lockeroom with a 40-28 lead.

"We just didn't shoot well in the first half," Phelps said. "That put us in a hole and we never recovered from that."

LSU built the lead to 19 at 48-29 on an offensive rebound bucket by O'Neal with 17:17 to play. The Irish slowly fought back and cut the advantage to 52-40 with 11:26 remaining in the game, but would get no closer than that.

Ellis led the Irish with 19 points followed by Fredrick with 16 and Jackson with 10.

NOTES - Phelps will try again for his 400th career victory on Wednesday against Wichita State. The game with the Shockers will be the first of a three-game homestand which includes contests with Miami (Fla.) on Saturday and Dayton next Tuesday. The paid attendance of 68,112 set a regular-season record, but the actual count of 44,233 did not set a mark for either team.



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Sports

No. 13 Tigers outmuscle Irish in Superdome, 83-64



Wayne Sims was one-third of LSU's frontline that dismantled Notre Dame on Saturday afteroon in the New

Bulls' knock off Knicks and extend home winning streak to 15

Jordan scored 42 points and the Chicago Bulls extended their franchise-record home winning streak to 15, holding off the New York Knicks 117-109 Sunday.

The triumph was the third straight for the Bulls and, coupled with Detroit's 107-97 loss to the Los Angeles Lakers, put them back into first place in the Central Division of the Eastern Conference. It was the third straight defeat for the Knicks, their longest losing streak of the season.

Trailing 82-60 late in the third quarter, the Knicks his average, and sat out much

CHICAGO (AP) - Michael rallied behind Rod Strickland and Johnny Newman to cut it to eight points several times in the fourth period. But Jordan hit six free throws and Horace Grant mixed in a three-point play to give the Bulls a 103-91 lead with five minutes left.

Gerald Wilkins hit two straight 3-pointers and Ken Walker added a basket to chop the lead to 111-105 with 1:19 left. The Knicks came within four points before Jordan hit four free throws in the last 21

New York's Patrick Ewing was held to 16 points, 12 below of the third quarter with four fouls. He was scoreless in the first quarter and had only four points in the first half. Gerald Wilkins led the Knicks with 21

Jordan and Bill Cartwright gave the Bulls a 9-0 lead, and the Knicks didn't score from the field until Charles Oakley hit a hook shot to make it 11-5. Jordan hit three 3-pointers in the first quarter, which ended with the Bulls holding a 28-22

After the Bulls opened a 53-38 lead, the Knicks went on an 8-4 run to cut it to 57-46 at the

By GREG GUFFEY

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NEW ORLEANS - The Notre Dame men's basketball team went into Saturday's game against Louisiana State with the best shooting percentage in the country

It left searching for answers to its poorest shooting outing

The Irish shot a miserable 34 percent (20-of-59) in dropping an 87-64 decision to the 13thranked Tigers in the Superdome before 44,233 fans. The game was a benefit for homeless people across the United States.

Poor shooting, coupled with the strong inside play of LSU's Shaquille O'Neal and Stanley Roberts, was the downfall for Notre Dame, which fell to 8-6. The Irish managed just 11-of-29 field goals in the first half and an even poorer 9-of-30 in the second stanza.

Notre Dame's big scorers could not get in their shooting rhythm - Joe Fredrick was 6of-14, Jamere Jackson 3-of-10, LaPhonso Ellis 5-of-12 and Monty Williams 3-of-11. They got the shots, but just couldn't get them to fall.

"The big thing was that we got good shots, but just missed them," said Fredrick, who scored 16 points. "Those were probably the best shots I've gotten all year. I just missed so many that I usually make. They played well, but I think it was

more of a case of us not playing

Said Jackson, "We had the shots we wanted, but they just wouldn't fall. We're a better shooting team than that; that's what is disappointing. You can't shoot that poorly and expect to win.

LSU did the majority of damage inside with its mammoth front line. Roberts - 7-foot and 288 pounds - scored 18 points and had nine rebounds, while O'Neal - 7-foot 1-inch and 286 pounds - tallied 17 points and 13 boards. The duo, arguably the best combination in the country, combined to hit 15-of-21 field goals.

Notre Dame held LSU's sophomore All-American Chris Jackson to a quiet 21 points, with just eight in the first half. Jackson realized the advantage inside and concentrated on getting the ball to O'Neal and Roberts.

"He always knows what he has to do in a game," Fredrick said. "There were times when he just kept throwing it in there. If it had been closer, I'm sure he would have tried to take over later in the game.'

The Tigers improved to 12-2 and showed several signs of being the Final Four team that many predicted early in the season. Losses to Kansas and Mississippi State may have made them hungrier.

'They're a Final Four team," Notre Dame coach Digger

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Chicago Bulls' Michael Jordan lit up the New York Knicks for 42 points as the Bulls downed the Knicks, 117-109 in Chicago. The Bulls took over first place in the Cetral Division with their victory.

emieux earns MVP Award

PITTSBURGH (AP) --Mario Lemieux, rising to the occasion of the first NHL All-Star game in his home arena, scored a record-tying four goals - including three in the first period — as the Wales Conference walloped the Campbell Conference 12-7 on Sunday.

With a sellout crowd of 16,236 at the Pittsburgh Civic Arena cheering on their local hero and millions more watching the NHL's first game on national television in a decade, the Penguins' superstar dominated the NHL's mid-season show as few before him.

He scored just 21 seconds into the game and twice more before the first period ended in a record seven-goal splurge as the Wales Conference took a 7-2 lead.

Lemieux added his fourth

goal of the game early in the third period to tie the All-Star record of four set by Wayne Gretzky in 1983.

"It was an unbelievable day," he said. "I had five or six good chances and I scored on four of them."

The Pittsburgh star also picked up his All-Star-record third Most Valuable Player Award. He previously won in 1985 and 1988.

The expected battle between Lemieux and Gretzky never materialized in this game, the highest-scoring of the NHL's 41 All-Star encounters.

Gretzky, the superstar center from Los Angeles, had won two previous MVP awards, including last year in the Campbell Conference's 9-5 win at Edmonton. But this time, it was Lemieux, largely regarded as

Gretzky's heir apparent as the NHL's best player, who stole the show.

Lemieux's contribution, plus two goals each from Buffalo's Pierre Turgeon and New Jersey's Kirk Muller, helped give the Wales their 11th victory in 14 games in the current conference series which began in 1975.

Turgeon had both his goals in the first period. Muller scored once each in the second and third periods.

Also scoring for the Wales Conference were Buffalo's Andreychuk, Philadelphia's Rick Tocchet, Shane Corson of Montreal and Cam Neely of Boston.

Gretzky's teammate, Luc Robitaille, had a pair of third-period goals for the Campbell Conference.