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VIEWPOINT: Turned away from Reagan

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Reagan visits ND for stamp dedication

By CHRIS BEDNARSKI
News Editor

"Never in our wildest dreams had we ever thought that George Gipp would be president of the United States."

Gipp returned to Notre Dame on Wednesday as President Reagan relived the role he made famous in the 1940 film "Knut Rockne - All American," at the dedication ceremony for the Knute Rockne commemorative stamp.

Reagan was joined by Uni-

versity President Father Edward Malloy and former athletic director Moose Krause, who made the quip about Gipp becoming president, in praising Rockne.

Quoting lines from the film and praising Rockne's legend, Reagan's address highlighted the one and a half hour ceremony in the Joyce ACC.

"The Rockne legend stood for fair play and honor," Reagan said. "It was practical; it placed a value on devastating quickness and agility

and on confounding the opposition with good old American cleverness.

"But most of all, the Rockne legend meant this: on or off the field, it is faith that makes the difference, it is faith that makes great things happen," Reagan added.

Speaking for the second time at Notre Dame since his election as president, Reagan said Rockne was a man of vision. "Rockne exemplified the American spirit of never giving up."

The address also gave Reagan a chance to reminisce about the role he called "a young actor's dream." "It had a great entrance, an action middle, and a death scene right out of the opera," he said.

"But it was more than that," he added. "I know that to many of you today, Rockne is a revered name, a symbol of greatness, and yes, a face on a stamp. But my generation, well, we actually knew the legend as it happened - we saw it unfold."

About 10,000 students, faculty, staff and South Bend residents passed through metal detectors before packing the JACC. Hundreds were turned away after lower arena seats and bleachers were filled. Fire department officials refused to allow people to sit or stand in the aisles.

Inside the JACC, spectators found small American flags on their seats and saw Air Force One touch down at Michiana

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Pax Christi protests Reagan's policies

By GREG LUCAS
Copy Editor

About 100 people stood out in the cold Wednesday to protest President Ronald Reagan's visit to campus for the Knute Rockne Stamp dedication ceremony.

The protest was organized by the Notre Dame chapter of Pax Christi, an international Catholic peace movement, said Polly Carl, spokeswoman for Pax Christi-Notre Dame.

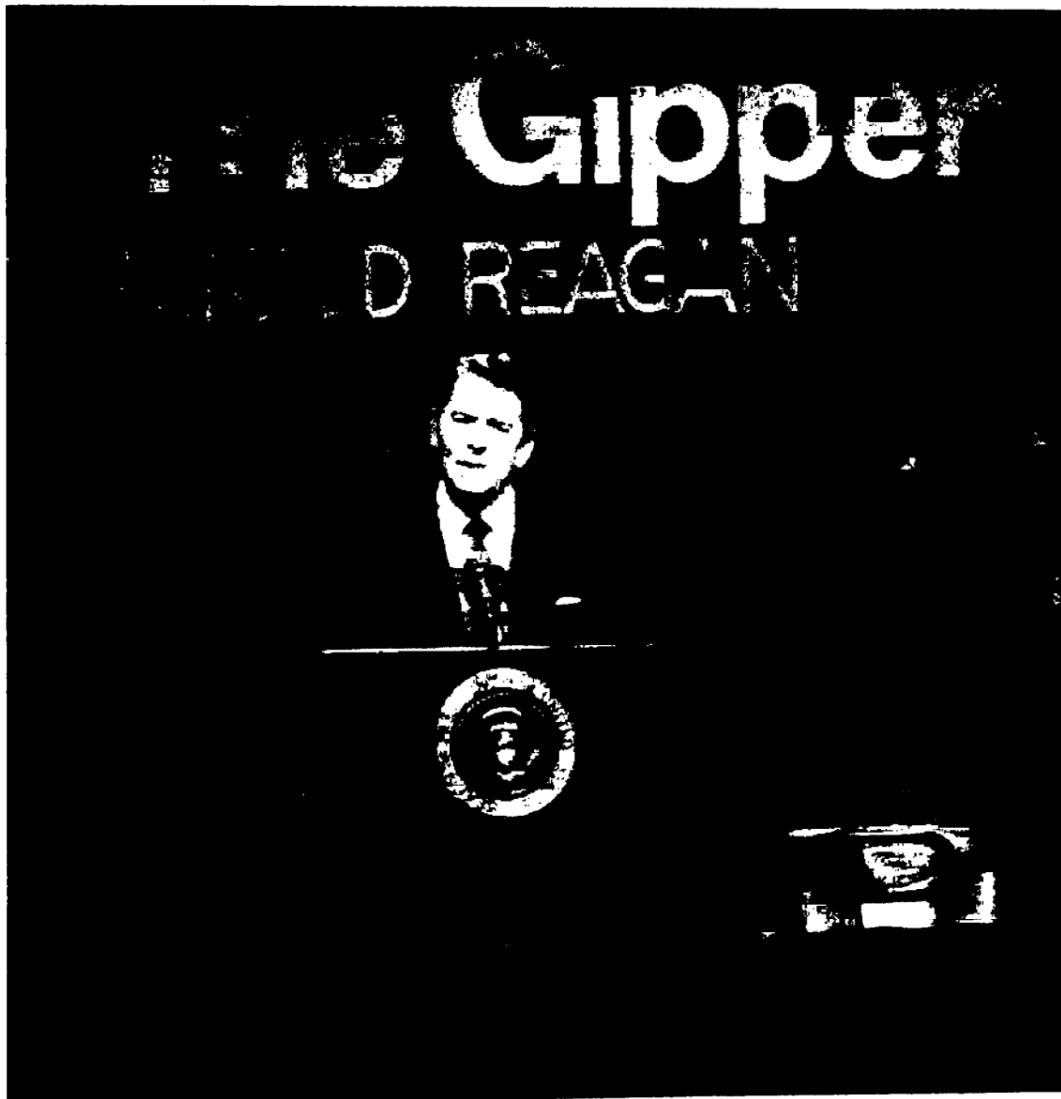
The protesters gathered by Gate 3 of the Joyce ACC, displaying signs that read "Reagan: your defense is offensive," "the Moral Majority is neither," and "bread not bombs."

"The rich have gotten richer and the poor have gotten poorer under Reagan's policies," said Carl, who added that Reagan "has not promoted peace in his policy in Nicaragua."

Carl also cited Reagan's "militarization" and the fact that his administration has constructed the "largest peacetime build up of arms" as reasons for the protest.

Nearby, a group of about 15 pro-Reagan demonstrators

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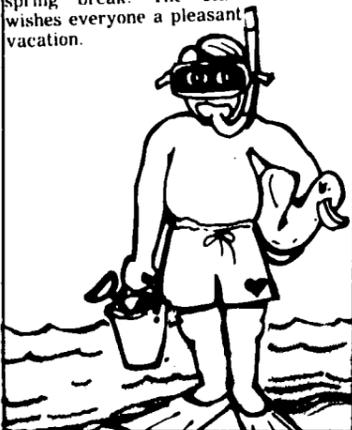
The Observer / Suzanne Poch

President Ronald Reagan addresses a full house in the Joyce ACC Wednesday during the Rockne stamp dedication. Thousands of students went to see the president. It was his second visit to the campus. Story on Reagan's visit above.

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Waving goodbye

This will be the last issue of The Observer before spring break. The staff wishes everyone a pleasant vacation.



300,000 new Rockne stamps sold at ND

By JIM RILEY
News Editor

Almost 300,000 Knute Rockne stamps and 10,000 commemorative envelopes were sold Wednesday as thousands of students, faculty, staff, local residents and President Reagan celebrated the dedication of the Rockne stamp.

"We had some people who bought 5,000 at a time," said Notre Dame Postmaster George Weddle, though most people bought just three or four sheets.

The Notre Dame Alumni Association sold out of the commemorative envelopes it had prepared for sale. "We started at 8 a.m. and sold out by 10 or 10:30 p.m.," said Peter Pranica of the alumni association. "It was a constant crush of people."

Alumni representatives then took orders for the envelopes, but the demand was so great they ran out of order forms by 3:30.

The alumni association also took orders for formal first day covers "which are of better

quality and more of a collectible," Pranica said. These orders will be filled in four to six weeks, he added.

He said the envelopes, which included message cards so the purchaser could mail the envelope immediately, were originally designed to appeal to students. But in fact, there was a large demand from townspeople, he said.

Postal workers also provided first day cancellations for anything on which someone wanted to stick a Rockne stamp. These items included

old Rockne posters, books, footballs and football helmets, said Weddle. He said some people brought in 40- to 50-year-old memorabilia.

Postal officials brought in 59 workers from Goshen, Elkhart and Syracuse, Ind., to man their four booths and the Notre Dame post office, said Paul Sniadecki, manager of retail sales and services for the South Bend post office.

The alumni office employed a staff of six volunteers to affix

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In Brief

Eddie "The Eagle" Edwards, the myopic, bespectacled ski jump star of the Winter Olympics, has recovered the lucky pair of skis that launched him to fame. The unlikely hero of the British team, who won international recognition when he finished last in the 90-meter and 70-meter jumps in Calgary, disclosed Wednesday he mislaid his favorite pair of skis after his final jump at the Games, and has only just found them. "I am taking up a spare pair just in case," Edwards said. He also said he wanted to get down to serious business after all the ballyhoo in Calgary. "It will be nice to get back to my sport. I have enjoyed the promotion work but I haven't had much sleep over the past couple of days." - *Associated Press*

Of Interest

The Medieval Institute will present a lecture by Charles Kannengiesser, Catherine Huisling Professor of the theology department, today at 4:15 p.m. in room 715 Hesburgh Library. The lecture title is "Hilary of Poitiers in Medieval Theology." - *The Observer*

Archeological team applications for the second season of excavation at Oppido Mamertina (Calabria) by the Notre Dame archeology team are due after spring break. - *The Observer*

Alcohol and Drug Problems will be the topic of the Campus Perspectives talk show tonight from 10 to 11 on WVFI-AM 640. Guests will include Dave Dannison, head of the newly-created office of Alcohol and Drug Education, Jane Heisel, former president of BACCHUS, and recovering alcoholic students. Host Lynsey Strand will take questions at 239-6400. - *The Observer*

A Graduate Organ Recital will be given by Lynn Trapp tonight at 8 in Sacred Heart Church. For further information contact Eric Kuehmer, Department of Music, at 239-6201. - *The Observer*

A Meet Your Major meeting for the Concentration in Public Service will be in 104 O'Shaughnessey tonight at 6. - *The Observer*

Buses to Midway regional airport will pick up students at the Main Circle on Friday before break from noon to 4 p.m. every hour on the hour. - *The Observer*

Humanitas will be accepting submissions for the spring '88 issue until March 31. Please give essays, fiction, and recent book reviews to the English office in 356 O'Shaughnessey. - *The Observer*

An Tostal mud volleyball team sign-ups are Wednesday, March 23 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in 307 LaFortune Student Center. There must be 7 players per team with a minimum of two women and a maximum of one women's varsity or men's club player. There is a 128 team limit. Call Michelle Gund at 284-5184 for more information. - *The Observer*

The Dismas House application deadline is tomorrow. Applications are available at the Center for Social Concerns. If interested, contact Kathy Royer at the Center for Social Concerns or by calling 239-7862. - *The Observer*

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Packing up, moving on: There's a lot left yet

I have never gone in for maudlin displays of sentimentality and do not plan on starting now. Although this is the last issue of The Observer that the seniors of this year's staff will be producing, I do not feel the need to schmooz all over Notre Dame and Saint Mary's about it.

Last year, for example, the editor decided to treat the community to the sappy details of his reading a book. "As the first drops of spring tapped on my shoulder, I grabbed a blue-and-gold book meant to be read on the not-too-green grass of South Quad," he oozed.

No thanks.

I have thoroughly enjoyed this year as the editor of The Observer. I have made some mistakes and made some enemies, but the good times far outshine the bad. Working at this place must be similar to working for many of the other campus organizations and participating in student government and clubs. We put in a lot of hours, but we have a great time while we do it. And it is not too easy to leave in the end.

The best thing about working here for the past four years is the chance to make more good friends than I would ever have imagined I could have. Because most of the community has little idea about what goes into producing a daily newspaper, the staff members of The Observer rarely get the proper recognition for what they do. They work hard, many of them for more than 40 hours a week. They give their all (and many times their grades) to producing the best newspaper possible.

I guess that I will never have a better chance to say thank you to all of the staff of the paper than in this column. The hardest thing about leaving The Observer is giving up the daily contact with so many fantastic people.

But I should move on before I start to talk about dew drops of spring, etc.

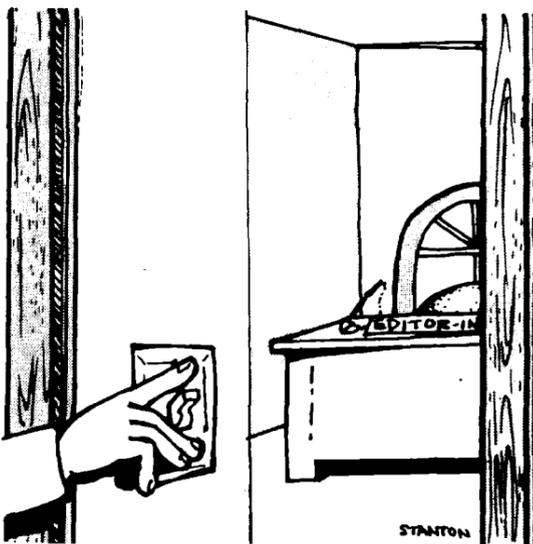
At the beginning of our tenure at The Observer, this editorial board set out to accomplish many goals. We fell short of some but accomplished more. Our main goal, however, was to make this a fair and objective newspaper and an open forum of thought for our community.

What is an objective newspaper? In some instances, many people have tried to tell us what it means to "be good journalists."

In the end there is no actual standard for objectivity that a newspaper can follow. We have no book in which we look when faced with a difficult decision. We listen to everyone's

Kevin Becker

Editor-in-Chief



opinion on what it means to be objective, but as journalist George E. Reedy commented, "the problem is that (society) provides absolutely no guide as to what facts should be presented and which accusations are facts." So we make careful, well-reasoned decisions that we think are in the best interest of the community and in the fulfillment of our duty as journalists.

As far as being a forum for thought, we have tried to open up the editorial pages of the paper to the best of our ability. We have upheld the idea that everyone should be heard and that open debate will lead to a greater awareness of truth in the community.

But still we have much farther to go. The next editorial board has its work cut out for them. I hope that we are leaving the newspaper after having made some positive headway. But no matter what we have done, there is an endless road of improvement for this newspaper and this community to travel.

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Phelps played key role in Rockne stamp

By DENNIS CORRIGAN
Sports Editor

The history behind the Rockne stamp and President Ronald Reagan's visit stretches back two years to when the stamp was first approved, according to Notre Dame head basketball coach Digger Phelps.

Phelps, a member of the Citizens' Stamp Advisory Board, saw Rockne's name on a list of proposed commemorative stamps when he was first named to the board in 1984.

"I didn't want to push it," Phelps said Wednesday. "We have thousands of proposed subjects on any topic."

"In 1986, when I was named chairman of the Sports Subcommittee, I thought about the Rockne stamp with his 100th birthday coming up," Phelps said. "Wilbur Cohen, who was President Kennedy's secretary of health, education and welfare, said I should bring it up."

The measure passed a full vote of the board by a unanimous vote of 16-0, with a release date of March 4, 1988.

The story of the president's visit also traces back to 1986, when Vice President Bush, a close friend of Phelps, visited for the weekend of the Notre Dame-Penn State game.

Phelps allowed the Secret Service advance men to spend time with his team. In thanks, a special tour was arranged for the team when they played at Maryland Jan. 31, 1986.

At the visit, Phelps mentioned the Rockne Stamp to John Simpson, director of the Secret Service. Simpson, who goes back to Reagan's days as governor of California, arranged a meeting last May between Reagan and Phelps at which time Phelps invited the president to come to Notre Dame for the release of the stamp. The president agreed, and a tentative date was set for the first week of March.

"Jan. 14, two days before we played DePaul," Phelps recalled, "I got a call from John Simpson that March 4 was affirmative, but the following week, they called again and said the president had to be in Brussels for the NATO summit. They asked if it would be possible to come next week, but I said the students would be gone. They agreed to March 9."

"John Simpson sat next to me today and told me that the president was very excited to be here. It was all he talked about on the flight out, and he talked about it on the way home from Brussels," said Phelps.



Rites of Spring

Students help prepare for the Beaux Arts Ball. The theme for this year's ball is "Rites of Spring." The

ball will be held March 25 in the Architecture Building.

The Observer / Susy Hernandez

Bush strong after Super Tuesday; Dems still close

Associated Press

Republican resistance to George Bush's bid for the White House began crumbling Wednesday as the impact of his fabulous Super Tuesday showing sank in. Democrats Michael Dukakis, Albert Gore and Jesse Jackson savored their own successes while aiming for next week's showdown in Illinois.

Massachusetts Gov. Dukakis and Sen. Gore of Tennessee agreed the nomination struggle would last until the convention next summer. But they quarreled long-distance over which one of them could attract the most voters to the Democratic

banner in a campaign against the Republicans.

Bush spent the day in Houston savoring his 16-state primary sweep and the roughly 600 delegates they brought. The outlook for Illinois wasn't bad either, as Gov. James Thompson was backing the



vice president and Sen. Bob Dole's own campaign polls gave Bush the lead.

The vice president sounded like he was trying to nudge Dole from the race. He declined his rival's challenge to debate him in Illinois in a telegram

that said the time had come to "look ahead to the issues which distinguish us from the Democrats."

"Good luck," he wrote. Dole awoke to a campaign in shambles after losing all 17 Super Tuesday states and conceded, "I've got to win Illinois" to save his candidacy. The Kansas senator visited the hospital in Chicago where he was treated 40 years ago for his crippling World War II wounds, while his senior aides met to discuss wholesale staff reductions.

Dole aside, the vice president's rivals signaled they knew the game was all but over.

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Hardbodies

Arms, legs and bodies are pushed to their limits in Gym. Spring break has a way of making such facilities the third-floor weightroom at the Rockne Memorial common meeting places.

Helicopter collision kills 17 soldiers

Associated Press

FORT CAMPBELL, Ky. - Army crews Wednesday retrieved the last eight bodies of 17 soldiers killed when two helicopters on a night training mission collided, then plunged 250 feet to the ground and caught fire.

The UH-60 Blackhawk helicopters from Fort

Campbell spewed wreckage for hundreds of yards and charred the partially wooded, gently rolling crash site six miles from the choppers' air field Tuesday night.

It was the worst Army aviation disaster since 248 soldiers based at Fort Campbell were killed in 1985 in the crash of a chartered plane in Gander, Newfoundland, said Maj.

Randy Schoel, Fort Campbell spokesman.

The Blackhawk, one of the newer helicopters used by the Army, Air Force and Marine Corps, has been grounded four times in three years. Last summer officials said about 40 people had been killed in crashes of the helicopter since 1978.

Dancin' Irish complain

By LIZ PANZICA
Copy Editor

Members of the Dancin' Irish have been soliciting support in the hope that they may keep the group in its present form.

A board comprised of students and administrators decided Tuesday to dissolve the current squad. "We don't feel it was an informed decision," said Cailin Stubbs, Dancin' Irish co-captain.

"The decision was made behind closed doors with no one to represent our group," said Stubbs.

The group has asked campus leaders, especially female leaders, to submit letters stating that the Dancin' Irish

does not hurt the image of Notre Dame women and that the Dancin' Irish have a right to exist, Stubbs said.

The letters are to be submitted to Joe Cassidy, director of student activities, and Father Peter Rocca, assistant vice president for student services.

Presidents of at least six women's halls have agreed to write letters supporting the Dancin' Irish, said Stubbs.

Pasquerilla East Hall President Amy Rochon said she and Vice President Amy Harron co-authored a letter saying that, "We felt that (Dancin' Irish) make a worthwhile contribution to the spirit and enthusiasm at the games."

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Stamps

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and cancel the stamps by hand on each of the 10,000 envelopes Saturday, Pranica said.

He said the envelopes and first day covers which will be created in the next couple of weeks to fill orders will still bear the first day of issue cancellation. Both items can still be ordered through Friday at the alumni office, said Pranica.

He said the office sold the items primarily as a service to the community, alumni and students. Proceeds from the sales of the envelopes and first day covers will go toward student-alumni relations activities and other alumni activities.



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OBUD mistaken, prints ballots on campaign posters

By JIM RILEY
News Editor

Some candidates almost received some free advertising for today's election - right on the back of the voters' ballots.

Many of today's junior class election ballots were printed on the backs of old senior class election posters, said John Wilson, co-director of Om-

budsman. And some of the posters which were to announce the time and place of elections in each hall were printed on the back of surplus posters for the ticket of Tom Tisa, who is still in the running for senior class office, Wilson added.

Wilson said Wednesday night that OBUD was in the process of taking the posters down and

that new ballots would be printed on fresh paper and distributed by morning.

Pat Cooke, student body president, said it is standard practice in the student government office conserve paper by feeding old paper into the copy machine blank side up. The fact that old campaign platform posters were used "is just an oversight on our part," said Cooke.

Wilson said the Tisa posters were in the office because the ticket had gone over budget and had to return some of its posters. "Just about everybody gave us posters back," said Wilson, because candidates often get better deals from printers if they order in bulk amounts.

Dave Gould, Stanford Hall president, said that in addition

to the ballots being printed on the backs of campaign posters, only 32 ballots were provided for the 57 seniors-to-be in Stanford Hall.

It is OBUD practice to provide fewer ballots than the number of students because not everyone votes, Wilson said. OBUD has people in its office waiting for calls from polling stations and then deliver extra ballots as needed, he said.

Noriega not the only problem in Panama

Associated Press

PANAMA CITY - Many prominent Panamanians say the nation's entire system, and not just the leader, needs changing. Even if Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega goes, they say the United States may be backing the wrong replacement.

Eric Arturo Delvalle, the ousted president Washington supports, tried to dismiss Noriega on Feb. 25 as commander of the Panama Defense Forces. Noriega arranged for the legislature to dismiss Delvalle instead, and the political and economic crisis has deepened since.

"The United States is mistaken in putting so much behind Delvalle," said Luis Moreno, former manager of Chase Manhattan Bank's local operations and, until Jan. 1987, a member of the government Banking Commission. Moreno, an independent, met regularly with the president and Cabinet ministers.

"Delvalle and his people are spent," he said. "Noriega is laughing at this rallying behind Delvalle, saying 'This guy can't bring me down.'"

The Reagan administration

continues to recognize Delvalle, now in hiding in Panama, as the country's legitimate leader and is applying economic pressure in an effort to get him back in office.

Noriega was indicted in Florida last month on narcotics and money laundering charges, which he denies, and the Reagan administration portrays him as little more than a gangster. Washington has indicated the economic heat will end if he steps down or is removed.

Roderick Esquivel, who was Delvalle's vice president and was removed with him, said "The object is not to change the face on the regime but to dismantle an entire corrupt and repressive apparatus of state." Esquivel, who also is in hiding, made the comment during an interview at a safe-house.

Dennis McAuliffe, administrator of the Panama Canal Commission, reported that the canal is operating normally, though U.S.-Panamanian tension has caused strain on canal workers.

"No slowdown, no work stoppage, no troubles, no problems pertaining to payment," he said.



Grievances for the Gipper

The Observer / Susy Hernandez

Members of Pax Christi-Notre Dame demonstrate outside the Joyce ACC as students filed in to see the president. Handouts given during the protest

stressed three issues - welfare, human rights and foreign policy - and expressed the group's hope that all would be carefully reconsidered.

Protest

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was asked by Notre Dame Security to move across the street because they were blocking the sidewalk, said Rex Rakow, director of Security.

Rakow said that the Pax Christi demonstration had been approved by the Univer-

sity and given a specific area to protest. The pro-Reagan group, however, "had not approached the University saying they wanted an approved area," Rakow said.

Carl said that the pro-Reagan demonstrators had been "jeering and yelling" prior to being asked to move across the street.

Eric Bellafronto, a represen-

tative from the pro-Reagan demonstration, expressed displeasure at being asked to move across the street. "I think it's kind of sad that one group's opinion is being relegated to the side of the road while they're (Pax Christi) allowed to stay over there," Bellafronto said.

The pro-Reagan group displayed a banner that read: "Repeal the 22nd: Reagan and Bush in 88."

Carl said that Pax Christi wants to teach the student body that Christian values must be reconciled with public policy. "We want the students to challenge themselves in the upcoming elections," Carl said.

"We feel it's important to show that not everyone here is happy that Ronald Reagan is

associated with a Notre Dame hero," said Carl.

According to Carl, Pax Christi-Notre Dame only has about 30 members, although nearly 50 people attended the prayer vigil on Tuesday night and over 100 attended the protest.

A Pax Christi press release stated that the protest was focused on four main issues:

- The growing income disparity in the U.S. in the 1980s,
- The nuclear arms race and 'Star Wars,'
- Central American policy, and
- The Iran-Contra affair.

The Pax Christi release states that "these policies stand in opposition to the ideals that the University of Notre Dame holds as a Catholic institution."



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Reagan praises Knute Rockne, Notre Dame in speech

Special to The Observer

Here are excerpts from the prepared text of President Reagan's speech Wednesday at Notre Dame:

On the Rockne legend

Now, of course, the Rockne legend stood for fair play and honor but, you know, it was also thoroughly American in another way. It was practical; it placed a value on devastating quickness and agility and on confounding the opposition with good old American cleverness.

But, most of all, the Rockne legend meant this - when you think about it, it's what's been

taught here at Notre Dame since her founding - that on or off the field, it is faith that makes the difference, it is faith that makes great things happen.

On George Gipp

Anyway, I was asked whether I knew that George Gipp was no angel, that he had played in some pool games and card games in his time. And, of course, that was true and I said so.

But it was also true of George Gipp - and it is legitimately part of the legend - that he used his winnings from those games to buy food for destitute families and help other stu-

dents pay their way through Notre Dame.

And the reason he got so sick and later died from pneumonia was because he had promised a former teammate who had become a high school coach that he would give his students some pointers. Author James Cox tells us it was during that training session in Chicago that an icy wind blew in across Lake Michigan and the Gipper first felt the ache and sore throat that would lead to the illness that would take his life.

You see, there were no miracle drugs in those days. And a promising young life was ended, but the point is: George Gipp couldn't forget a friend.

On Notre Dame

And I've always thought that it was no mere coincidence that the legend of George Gipp and Knute Rockne emerged from this great institution of higher learning. Notre Dame is renowned, not simply because of its academic excellence, but because it stands among the winds of subjectivity for lasting values and principles that are at the heart of our civilization, and on which all human progress is built.

Notre Dame not only educates, but guides its students in the development of honesty, courage, and all the other things we call character. Rockne once wrote,

"Sportsmanship means fair play. It means having a little respect for the other fellow's point of view. It means a real application of the Golden Rule."

And I know a fine example of this is the charitable care 80 of you students give the handicapped children at the Logan Center. This and other acts of good will say much about your generation.

On schools

Excellence too is returning to our schools. We've learned what's always been known here at Notre Dame - that values are an essential part of educational excellence.



The Observer / Susy Hernandez

Traffic backup

It was the road travelled by too many. Students who arrived at the Joyce ACC shortly before noon found long lines and, for some, no admittance. Though

everyone had tickets, the president's speech attracted more people than could be accommodated.

Denied

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University had to make what Conklin called "an educated guess" of how many seats there would be, without actually counting them. A total of about 11,000 tickets were printed and distributed.

University President Father Edward Malloy said that the ticket distribution problem was the result of the complexity of the organization of the event. "(The event) was a combination of the White House planning group and Notre Dame logistics people working out the details," Malloy said.

Conklin and others expressed the opinion that students themselves were partially to blame for arriving late to the ceremony, which opened its doors at 10 a.m.

Ron Vogler, assistant ticket manager of the JACC, blamed the ticket problem on students' habit of arriving at the arena at the last possible minute. "If they have to be there at 1, they think that means to leave the dorm room at 1," he said.

"Students were alerted to be there early. The time was printed on the ticket. (Those who didn't get in to see the President) were people who came basketball style ... at the last minute," Conklin said.

Malloy had decided not to cancel classes for the event. Because the event was planned as a lunchtime event, Malloy said, there was no reason to cancel classes. "This was announced enough in advance

that students could make the decision to attend. That would affect at most one class."

Most of the students who were turned away with tickets in hand expressed their displeasure. Freshman Kathryn Pirrotta voiced her discontent with the ticket distribution. "Why did they issue so many tickets? They never gave any indication that there would not be enough seats."

John Coughlin, also a freshman, said he was upset students were not given priority. "They should not have let South Bend people in before all students were seated. They could be there and skip work while we had classes. They should have at least cancelled classes after 11 a.m.," he said.

Although Malloy claimed the priority was to have "students be the primary group in the

arena." most of those students turned away at the door said they felt otherwise.

"They did not live up to their priority. It is our campus and Rockne was a great figure in Notre Dame history, but they showed no regard for the people who went to the trouble to get tickets. The University should apologize," said freshman Lisa Gabany.

Many students compared this event to Malloy's inauguration last September. Junior Suzanne Lutz, said, "Notre Dame usually organizes its events, like Monk's inauguration, very well, and the more I think about it, it's pretty shocking that the event was so poorly run."

Pirrotta added, "If we can cancel class for Monk's inauguration, we can cancel them when the President comes to town."

Reagan

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Regional Airport on a projection screen television.

Scenes from the movie were also shown, and Reagan, with recently installed Postmaster General Anthony Frank, unveiled a poster-size version of the stamp.

"We expect the Knute Rockne stamp to be the most popular of the commemoratives," Frank said. We expect to sell 160 million Rockne stamps in the next two weeks, he added.

"He was more than a coach," said Krause, a tackle on the last team Rockne coached, in 1930. "He helped us with our problems; he had a way of life."

"(Rockne) was truly one of the prime reasons Notre Dame became recognized as one of the premier universities in our land," said Malloy.

It is no coincidence that the legends of Rockne and Gipp emerged from Notre Dame,

Reagan said. "Notre Dame is renowned, not simply because of its academic excellence," said Reagan, "but because it stands among the winds of subjectivity for lasting values and principles."

Notre Dame not only educates, but guides its students in the development of honesty, courage and all the other things we call character."

After his speech, Reagan was handed a football, which he threw into a group of football players in the crowd. To the delight of the audience, the ball was caught by Heisman Trophy winner Tim Brown.

The ceremony ended after Malloy presented Reagan with a plaque bearing the words to the University's alma mater "Notre Dame, Our Mother."

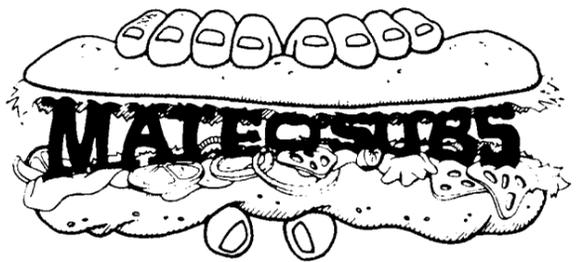
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After Super Tuesday, Gore must widen appeal

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - In the next few weeks, Al Gore needs to prove what Mike Dukakis demonstrated on Super Tuesday - that he can win outside his home region, that he's not just another favorite son.

And now Dukakis has something new to prove - that he can win primary after primary across the country, become the front-runner and build the momentum to clinch the Democratic nomination before the convention opens in August.

No one is conceding an inch

to the Massachusetts governor, who now sports wins in the mega-states of Florida and Texas on Tuesday and a lead in delegates.

The calendar should now give Dukakis a little edge, shifting from the Southern accents of Super Tuesday to some of the nation's toughest political battlegrounds - the big industrial states of Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, New York and Pennsylvania.

As the governor of a major Northeastern industrial state with a strong ethnic background, Dukakis should have

less trouble speaking the voters' language in the upcoming states than he did in the South.

Gore has exactly the opposite problem - he just had the contests in his best region and is now moving to less familiar ground.

"What state is Al Gore going to win in the North?" is how Dukakis aide Leslie Dach posed the problem.

Gore and Jesse Jackson each won a goodly share of the states and the delegates available Tuesday, splintering the stand-

ings among the Democratic hopefuls.

That proved both are winners, essential to continuing in the race, even though the victories were on home turf.

But Dukakis proved more - he won at home but also in the South, a region critical to the Democrats' hopes of regaining the White House. He showed he could win in a variety of regions of the country - from Texas to Washington.

One big advantage Dukakis now has is his bank account.

"We've got \$2 million in the bank and \$1 million more com-

ing in federal matching money," Dach said Wednesday.

That, plus a well-regarded campaign organization, is a major advantage in big states where television advertising is expensive.

Organization will be an asset in the major behind-the-scenes battle over the next two months that could be the key to the nomination.

The next battleground is Illinois with two favorite sons on the ballot - Jackson and Sen. Paul Simon.

Would Jackson win nomination if white?

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - He has charisma. He has issues. He doesn't flip flop. And, in the aftermath of Super Tuesday, he has a bushel of delegates.

If Jesse Jackson were white, would he win the Democratic presidential nomination?

"If he were white, he wouldn't be in the race," said Ben Wattenberg, a scholar at the American Enterprise Institute and co-editor of Public Opinion magazine.

Wattenberg argued a black could be elected president in America in 1988, but not one with Jackson's lack of office-holding experience nor a "blame-America-first business-bashing radical" like Jackson.

"If Jackson were white, I think he'd be president," said Howard University political science professor Ronald Walters, who was Jackson's deputy campaign manager in 1984 and is the author of a new book, "Black Presidential Politics in America."

Walters said Jackson's experience in the civil rights movement is more than equivalent to service in legislative halls and he has a electrifying

quality that cannot be discounted.

"Charisma - say what you will, it still counts in politics," he said. "Just ask Ronald Reagan."

Network polls said Jackson won between 8 and 10 percent of the white vote in the South on Super Tuesday - twice as much as four years ago.

Jackson won 2.5 million of the 9.4 million votes cast Tuesday - more than anyone else.

Despite his showing, the conventional wisdom has been that whites won't vote for a black candidate in sufficient numbers to elect a black president. Jackson's performance has reopened the debate about whether a race-based barrier actually exists.

Jackson himself has acknowledged the handicap. In campaign speeches, he has cited an apocryphal conversation between two hard-hit farmers in Iowa. One said to the other he likes Jackson's message and politics, "But . . ."

Declared Jackson: "I want those people to move from 'but' to 'therefore.'"

Some surveys show 15 to 20 percent of the population would reject any black on racial grounds.



The Observer / Susy Hernandez

Puttin' on the Ritz

Saint Mary's students gather in the Haggar College Center to socialize with friends and finalize their break plans. The snack bar at Haggar is the perfect solution for the munchies.

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Telephone repairmen surprised by lion

Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS - A brown lion surprised a telephone repair crew that arrived at an Indianapolis home to repair a downed line.

"It was just a big old 225-pound puddy tat," said Dannie Carper, 51, an Indiana Bell cable repair supervisor in South Bend.

Carper was among eight telephone company volunteers who came to Indianapolis from South Bend last weekend to help restore service after last Thursday's ice storm.

He said some crew members discovered a downed telephone line in an alley last Sunday and climbed over a fence to investigate.

"They wrote on their work report, 'Lion in yard. No way,'" he said.



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Miffed visit needs explaining

Dear Editor:

A mere hour ago I had the privilege of standing in line anxiously awaiting probably my only opportunity to see the President of the United States, Ronald Reagan. As I reached the front of the line, I, along with two hundred or so other students, was told that all seats were filled and no one else was to be allowed in. I returned to my room with others who, like myself, voiced their disappointment in the apparent lack of organization for such a great event.

I, like other students, had gone to the trouble of obtaining a ticket for the Rockne Memorial Stamp Commemoration at which the president was speaking on the first day they were available. Furthermore, I, as did others, skipped class in order to be able to attend the event. Finally, I was in line to be seated a good twenty-five minutes before the time that everyone was to be seated. Despite these actions on my part and the other students who, like myself, were turned away, I was unable to attend the event.

This apparent lack of organization leaves me angry and confused. Who was in charge of ticket distribution, and why did they grossly overestimate the seating capacity of our own Joyce ACC? Why weren't the students told at the that door that all seats were filled instead of being forced to wait inside for twenty minutes only to be told to go home? Answers must be given and explanations must be made. Most of you spent the afternoon getting the rare opportunity to hear the President of the United States speak to you in person. The rest of us went home discouraged and disappointed.

Lisa M. Gabany
Lewis Hall
March 9, 1988

Ticket excesses a true fiasco

Dear Editor:

I have just returned from the Knute Rockne Stamp Dedication, and there are a few issues I would like to discuss. To begin, it is not every day that the President of the United States, the most important man in America, comes to Notre Dame. Many people, myself included, have never seen the President in person, and this was a great chance to do so. I believe, and I'm sure I'm not alone in this view, that the administration should have cancelled classes, or at least the ones in the afternoon. But, as is obvious, they did not, thereby giving me the impression that they feel a day's classes are more important than watching our President honor Knute Rockne. Nevertheless, I skipped.

This brings me to my major point. I would like to thank the University for printing many more tickets than the arena would hold. So where did skip-

ping my classes find me? Standing in the lobby outside the arena unable to see the President! Thank you very much.

I arrived at the Joyce ACC at 11:55. That was twenty full minutes before the audience was to be seated. Many people arrived after I did, and likewise, they did not get in. We were all forced to stand in the lobby and struggle to hear the processions through only slightly held-open doors. If anyone in charge had any intelligence, they would have set up television monitors in the lobby for the overflow of people to watch.

Whoever was in charge, I think he deserves a raise. Not only were too many tickets given out, but groups not associated with the University, namely Saint Mary's College students and South Bend residents, were allowed into the ceremony while many Notre Dame students could not get in. This is our University, and this ceremony was for one of our University's greats. Saint Mary's is not part of this University, and therefore should not have been allowed to attend until every Notre Dame student who wished to attend was seated. As for South Bend residents, they are even less affiliated with the University than Saint Mary's College is, and their participation was even more ludicrous! The inclusion of these two groups left one hundred or so Notre Dame students out in the cold!

Furthermore, during the course of the ceremony, the crowd of disgruntled students dwindled down to a total of 23 (yes, I counted). But we were still not allowed into the arena because it would cause a "major fire hazard." Give me a break! How twenty people added to twelve thousand can cause a significant increase in danger is beyond me!

And finally, I would also like to thank the small group of girls in the lobby who refused to keep their fat traps shut while the rest of us strained to hear President Reagan. Thanks for being so considerate!

And thanks again to all of those in charge!

John Coughlin
Cavanaugh Hall
March 9, 1988

Act in 'Rebuttal' went too far

Dear Editor:

What a refreshing change the Keenan Rebuttal was! This campus is full of real talent, and I was happy to have seen and heard some of it. Too bad, though, there was a rotten egg amidst it all because one good comedienne has to include a string of tasteless jokes about one of this University's most respected institutions. I am talking, of course, about Jane Ricciardi and her vicious attack on Dr. Emil T. Hofman.

Let me first make clear that I have a very neutral opinion of Dean Hofman. Since I was never in his class, I have limited sources from which to draw one. Based on all I've seen and heard of him over the past three-and-a-half

years, I sense he is a sincere, well-intentioned, unique man with a few personality quirks or a teaching style that rub some people the wrong way. Others love him immensely.

The point is, I'm not writing to defend Dean Hofman because I'm crazy about him and I was personally hurt. Rather, I was offended by Ricciardi's tasteless words that went far beyond the limits of good-humored jesting when such terms as "anti-Christ" were used to describe Dean Hofman. To repeat all of her insults verbatim would only extend the tastelessness and further defame the Dean.

Miss Ricciardi was funny. I was laughing wholeheartedly until a point. I think my reaction was mutual, as evidenced from the audience. To have made these jokes when Dean Hofman was not present would have been bad enough. But his obvious presence and the fact that he was filming the show made the attack more personal and the whole situation uncomfortable. One only had to turn his or her head to witness Dean Hofman's stonefaced reaction.

I want to express my disapproval of her being awarded the second-place, \$75 prize in the comedy bracket. I encourage Miss Ricciardi to continue developing her comic talent, which was impressive at times, but I also ask her to consider the possible damage that can be done to others when the material lacks conscientious evaluation. The stage is not the place for personal vendettas.

Colleen M. A. Burke
Breen-Phillips Hall
March 7, 1988

Students of ND merit priority

Dear Editor:

Words cannot express my bitter disappointment upon refusal of admittance to the Knute Rockne Stamp Dedication. Because too many tickets were issued, those who arrived around 12:00 because of mid-terms and classes were not permitted to witness the ceremony.

Blind rage was my first reaction when I discovered that lack of organization and stupidity prevented my observance of President Reagan's speech. For such a prestigious occasion, one would surely think that the number of seats available would be important. As a student at Notre Dame, I expect to be accorded with the privileges of my position. If only a limited number of seats were available, tickets should have been distributed only to Notre Dame students and faculty and not residents of South Bend or students at Saint Mary's. For those who did witness the ceremony, it is difficult to understand the overwhelming resentment of those that did not.

Kathryn Pirrotta
Pasquerilla West
March 9, 1988

Garry Trudeau

AIDS issue hurt by homophobia

Dear Editor: Chris Julka's inside column of March 7, "AIDS crisis political not medical" displays a distressingly profound ignorance of some of the facts surrounding the epidemic. This needs correction.

He claims that "anyone who tries to suggest that lives may be saved by curbing homosexual conduct is instantly condemned as homophobic." This is untrue. AIDS education programs, supported by and directed to the gay community, have been extremely effective in modifying behavior away from high-risk sexual activity. This is indicated by a lower rate of now positive tests for antibodies to the HIV virus, as well as a drop of 90 percent in new cases of other sexually transmitted diseases in gay populations in large urban areas. The AIDS prevention message has been told, heard and put to work in the gay community.

Unfortunately, it is true that anyone who tries to suggest that lives may be saved by curbing heterosexual conduct is instantly condemned as alarmist, irrational or, much worse, opposed to the sexual revolution. Sexually active heterosexuals are at high risk for contracting AIDS; this risk is further enhanced by their general refusal, thus far, to realize this. Mr. Julka should redirect his anger and frustration to the heterosexual population.

Also, Mr. Julka speaks of "anonymous AIDS testing centers" that are not really so, immediately referring to hospitals that report AIDS cases to the state. This reflects a basic confusion of the medical and clinical issues related to AIDS.

Testing centers do not test for AIDS. They test for the presence of antibodies to the HIV virus believed to be the cause of AIDS. A positive antibody test means that the person has been exposed to the virus; it does not mean that he or she has the disease or will necessarily develop it. An anonymous testing center has no record of a test subject's identity, and thus cannot report an antibody-positive person's name to the state or to anyone else. At reputable testing centers, all persons are counseled regarding their antibody status and the importance of avoiding high-risk activity.

Mr. Julka apologizes for his lack of compassion and his homophobia. He needn't bother--these are unforgivable anyway. He should, though, apologize for his ignorance about AIDS, and for daring to write a column broadcasting it to the campus. Some may say that what you don't know can't hurt you; but with AIDS, what you don't know can kill you. Let us pray that all of us continue to become better informed about this disease.

Richard G.G. Beatty
Off-campus
March 8, 1988

Doonesbury



Quote of the Day

"Anticipating is even more fun than recollecting."

Malcolm S. Forbes, Sr.

Women crucial in growth of ND

Dear Editor:

I refer you to the issue of The Observer containing a letter written by Mr. Bill Sammon of Alumni Hall entitled "Notre Dame tradition built by men." Now allow me to quote from the letter: "So before Miss Seiger again tries to make the Notre Dame tradition so exclusive, let her remember that the great tradition and name characterized by its universal appeal that she holds so dear was one built by men, virtually exclusive of women." Obviously Mr. Sammon took little or no pains to educate himself or his readers of the historical contribution that lay women and the Sisters of the Holy Cross in particular have given through the years to the religiosity, tradition, spirit and the living heritage that has brought the University to her most exalted and lofty height. If I fail to speak out, these very stones that comprise many of these buildings on the campus will surely cry out for redress.

Here are some facts regarding the contribution that our Sisters of the Holy Cross and lay women down through the years, both living and deceased, have given by their very life's blood to this very unique institution of higher learning. As Sergeant Friday would say, "Just the facts, ma'am, just the facts." So let it be known that it is true that the Rev. Father Edward Sorin founded the Ave Maria magazine, but it was Mother Angela Gilliespie, CSC, who edited and enlisted writers for this publication. It was also the Sisters of the Holy Cross who did much of the manual work in assembling the magazine and sending it on its way. It was the Sisters of the Holy Cross, too, who did the cooking for the students' table so that they would graduate from the University healthy, wealthy and more wise than when they arrived. It was the sisters for more than 100 years sorted the soiled linen and clothing of the students and faculty. The sisters did much of the house cleaning chores that today has been taken over by men and women. It was also the loving care and solicitude of the Sisters of the Holy Cross who nursed the sick and infirm students and faculty back to health in the infirmary. Down through the years and up to the present time it is the Sisters of the Holy Cross who spend hours before the Blessed Sacrament with rosary in hand praying for the success of Notre Dame's athletic fortunes. I might add that I have spent the last 40 years of my life in, near or around Notre Dame so I do have a pretty good picture of Notre Dame's glorious past, and the people who are responsible for that history. Indeed we trod on holy ground, hallowed by the feet and person of the holy women of God.

Brother Edward Courtney, C.S.C.
Columba Hall
March 8, 1988

Rumor about ND men not news

Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to the March 3 article entitled "Attractiveness Survey Reportedly a Rumor." I am amazed that there was so little news from the previous day that The Observer felt compelled to devote a portion of its front page to a description of the fictional results of a non-existent survey. Surely the passage of the Civil

Rights Restoration Act (detailed on page 6) and the University's receiving more than three million dollars in grants during January (described on page 7) are events more worthy of priority coverage than a campus rumor about the appearance of Notre Dame men. This is especially true because the rumor has been repeatedly refuted by the magazines that are said to have conducted the imaginary survey.

Printing this article and placing it on the front page of the paper served no other purpose than to breathe additional life into an unfounded rumor and perhaps to inflate the egos of some Notre Dame men. The inclusion of the closing remark of Bill Dunn about Notre Dame women increases the stupidity of the article and helps to perpetuate the ridiculous rifts that exist between men and women on campus. Dunn says nothing newsworthy in his closing remark because he simply rewords the lame sexist idea of humor that serves as the basis of so many campus jokes.

Dunn reveals his ignorance when he says that the rumor "seems like it is true since everyone's been saying it." The Observer should not have been equally ignorant. Articles like the one of March 3 should not be published if The Observer is to be anything other than a glorified gossip column.

Catherine Skahan
Lyons Hall
March 7, 1988

Reagan's career has many facets

Dear Editor:

I am writing you in regards to Professor Peter Walshe's letter on President Reagan's visit. It seems Professor Walshe shows a great amount of knowledge of the South African issue while at the same time seems completely ignorant in his knowledge of American presidents. To say President Reagan is "one of the worst presidents in living memory" is ludicrous. I wonder if Professor Walshe has ever heard of President Jimmy Carter, or maybe Nixon rings a bell? Does John F. Kennedy and the Cuban Missile Crisis sound familiar? Does the word "Watergate" mean anything to Professor Walshe? How about "I am not a crook." That's one of my favorites; it really made the United States look good in the eyes of the world. I am no historian nor do I have a vast expanse of political knowledge. However I do know that the self esteem of many Americans has been magnified in the past eight years. Unemployment has dropped, and I don't have to wait hours to get the gas which I can barely afford. Rather than a passive government, we now have one which takes action. This is quite evident in the situation of terrorism. Does the word Kadafi ring a bell, Professor Walshe? Last I heard he was driving through prison walls. That's a lot better than world terrorism. One could say that Kadafi's war on America has been stifled for the moment.

Granted there are problems (Irangate) in the Reagan system but to say he is one of the worst presidents in living memory is uncalled for. The issue of apartheid is something I too disagree with, but divestment is not the solution. Divestment would hurt black South Africans rather than help them. Divestment would take away jobs. Jobs held by black South Africans. There must be a better way to fight apartheid. Perhaps U.S. involvement in South

Africa could increase but divestment is clearly not the answer. Maybe Professor Walshe could say that President Reagan is one of the worst American presidents ever to deal with the issue of apartheid, but to say he is one of the worst American presidents in history is an opinion based on one single emotional conflict. It would be nice, Professor Walshe, if you could describe Reagan's career based on one single fact, then maybe you could solve the South African issue with one single solution. With one fact Professor Walshe makes a broad generalization. Isn't that what prejudice is all about? The blacks are suppressed because of one fact, their color. There are many ways to describe a person's career and many ways to try to solve a problem. Unfortunately Professor Walshe favors a one dimensional method in his description of Reagan and his solution for South Africa.

David DiLuciano
Pangborn Hall
March 8, 1988

ND has always involved women

Dear Editor:

I would like to take issue with Bill Sammon's statement in The Observer of March 4. Much of what he says is true, although it was Rockne himself and the team which put Notre Dame on the sports map. Later in his letter he made a sweeping statement that is very false. The great tradition of Notre Dame, he says, was "built by men, virtually exclusive of the endeavors of women."

Can you imagine Notre Dame without hot, cooked meals three times a day, fresh ironed sheets every week: clean, mended clothes; and devoted nursing even in epidemics like that of 1918? Can you envisage Notre Dame without bread for all the daily masses, sometimes as many as 40,000 hosts each week? Could The Ave Maria Press, publisher of a national magazine for more than one hundred years, function without operators for the press? Could St. Edward's have educated hundreds of minims, among them the great juvenile Judge Ben Lindsay, without teachers? If a university of men can exist without these services, then Notre Dame was built exclusively by men. In fact, however, the Sisters of the Holy Cross performed these necessary services for over one hundred years.

Father Sorin reached the small mission of Notre Dame in November of 1842. The University considers that date as its establishment. The very next month, Father Sorin wrote to Father Moreau, his superior general, for sisters whose presence was "greatly desired." Four of them came in July of 1843 and found that their only living space was the loft above the log chapel. From that time onward, Notre Dame relied on the Sisters of the Holy Cross. So greatly did Sorin recognize this dependency that when education absorbed more and more of the sisters and he had to hire women—such an expense!!—he founded a separate novitiate to train sisters to work exclusively for Notre Dame. It continued to function until Rome ordered it closed in 1889. The sisters, however, continued to work there. At one time there were well over one hundred Sisters of the Holy Cross living and working there. The entire complex of buildings behind the Administration Building housing the Earth Sciences, the Fresh-

man Year of Studies and Brownson Hall was once home to those Sisters of the Holy Cross. Notre Dame could never have grown as it did without the "cheap" but loving service of those Sisters.

Advancing age, declining numbers and the changing role of women necessitated their withdrawal in 1958 and the closing of the convent. As Father Edmund Burke, C.S.C., said then: "There seems to have been not a single facet of Notre Dame life which the influence of the Sisters did not touch." "Virtually exclusive of the endeavors of women" indeed!

And all this service for years before women were even admitted as students!

Sister M. Campion Kuhn, C.S.C.
General Archivist
Sisters of the Holy Cross
March 8, 1988

Reagan's visit a symbolic act

Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to Peter Walshe's March 4 article describing Ronald Reagan's visit as a "deep embarrassment for many at the University." Mr. Walshe's further disrespect goes on to state President Reagan as a "promoter of much misery coming to celebrate a nostalgic unreality," as well as the "user of Notre Dame as a prop!"

First, I cannot believe that an individual would state that the President's visit to Notre Dame would be an embarrassment. I feel I am speaking for most people when I say I am more proud in telling people that the President of the United States is presenting himself at the University I attend. However wrong Mr. Reagan may be in some of his policies, this gives no reason to view his visit as an embarrassment.

Second, Mr. Walshe is disrespectful enough to view Mr. Reagan as coming to celebrate a nostalgic unreality. I ask, what do Ronald Reagan's policies as president have to do with the nostalgia of Knute Rockne and the Gipper? Certainly, they do not make it an "unreality."

Finally, in no way does Mr. Walshe have the right to state the president as the user of Notre Dame as a prop! I believe Notre Dame went to great lengths in inviting Reagan to our University. How does this make the president a "user" of Notre Dame? I cannot understand Mr. Walshe's reasoning.

Granted, many may disagree with some of Ronald Reagan's policies. However, in no way does this give Mr. Walshe the ability to state these opinions pertaining to the President's visit to Notre Dame.

Donald P. Murphy
Grace Hall
March 9, 1988

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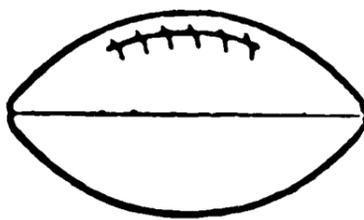
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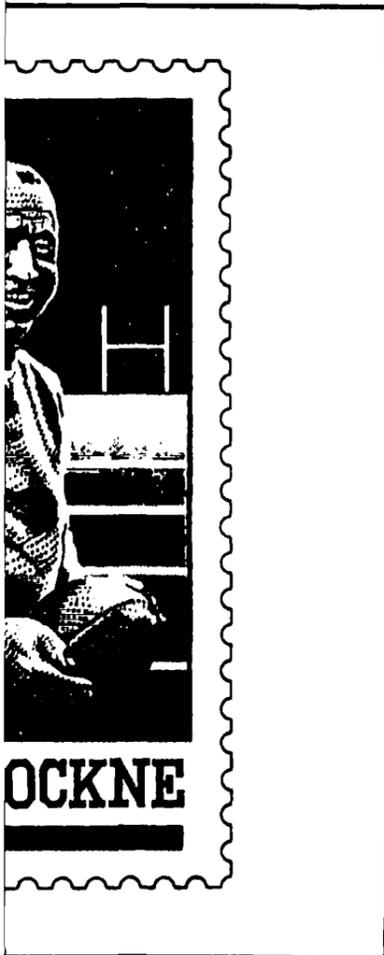


Rockne

os by Jim Carroll and Suzanne Poch



FIRST
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A country of the young

Recently, on a radio program called "The Children's Hour," I've been featuring the "Chronicles of Narnia," by C.S. Lewis. Narnia is a land of the imagination belonging to children which you get to by magic.

ress." In writing the "Chronicles," Lewis created a fantasy world in which the religious mythology of Christians has its Narnian parallels: Narnia, too, has its original sin and a fall from grace. Aslan, dying an atoning death to save

Notre Dame, like Narnia, is a country of the young. To those who love the Emerald City, Notre Dame is more like Narnia than it is like Oz. In our restless search for metaphors describing this mythical place, we could identify Notre Dame as the Narnia we pass through on our quest for Shangri-la. As you go back to the "real" world for spring break, you could keep Narnia in mind as a model for this campus where Aslan, the Lion of Judah, is at home under another name. Could you say that one of the reasons you came to Notre Dame is that by knowing Him here for a while, you might know Him better out there?

was pre-Christian. The presence of magic makes the Narnian adventures highly intense, thereby heightening the warfare between good and evil.

Narnia lasted 2,555 years. We are present when Aslan sings the hymn of creation that brings Narnia into existence; and in the final chronicle, we read of the destruction of Narnia when Aslan retires the stars from the sky. Yet Narnian calendars bear no relationship to English time. In the world of the children, only 49 years elapse from the morning of Creation to the day of doom, when Aslan closes the door between England and the nothingness to which Narnia has been reduced. Magic easily removes the obstacles from condensing history.

Lewis' fantasy is quite different from the flow of time at Notre Dame, where magic takes place mostly in the spring and the fall. Still, there are parallels, though it would take a tour de force without merit to spell them out.

Students, wanting to adopt Narnia as a personal myth, should read the "Chronicles." Going home for break, they shouldn't write off Notre Dame as Never-neverland, where boys won't grow up, and Peter Pan at 80 still has his baby teeth. In the Narnia of one's choice, or in the real world, it's still the same old story, the search for love and glory...on that you may rely.

Students, staying young, have a passion for oversimplifying, as though it were easy to tell black from white, right from wrong, truth from

error. Like heroes in a chronicle of magic, they jump to conclusions they're ready to die for. They're too idealistic to compromise themselves in a bargain with the devil, in the hope he will leave them in peace. After a winter on these acres that will soon be as green as Narnia, has some of the magic from a country of the young rubbed off? Will they re-enter the real world enabled from spending time in the land of the Lion?

Notre Dame is not heaven, and neither was old Narnia, in the Shadow Land which Aslan destroyed. The real Narnia still exists in Aslan's country. Perhaps in God's mind, Notre Dame exists in a more perfect version, and not as a reflection on the wall of a cave. This is what old grads sigh for--if they're not cynical--as they try to return to the past as though Shangri-la happened yesterday, when the world was young.

Notre Dame, as it exists in the mind of God, extends all the way to the real world. As the children of Adam discovered when they came to Aslan's country, Narnia lies very close to home. But you have to leave home like a space-traveller in order to find home again, as a country of the young Lion.

If all these images of Narnia leave you bored or confused, let me say it plainly: you're Notre Dame's ambassador, wherever you go. At home on break, don't leave your folks with the impression that you're paying your tuition fees to become a piece of junk. May the grace of Aslan be with you.

Father Robert Griffin

Letters to a Lonely God



In the first chronicle, "The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe," we meet Peter, Susan, Lucy, and Edmund, siblings who first enter Narnia through the back of a curious old wardrobe, made from the wood of a tree grown from a silver apple seed from a garden of paradise. In Narnia, the children are destined to be high kings and queens of a country populated by dwarfs, unicorns, fauns, centaurs, wood sprites, talking animals, and other fanciful creatures, good and evil, as well as men and women of high or humble estate.

When the children arrive, Narnia is blanketed with the snows of an eternal winter imposed by the wicked White Witch, a self-proclaimed queen. Their ally in liberating Narnia from the Witch is Aslan the Lion, Son of the Emperor-Beyond-the-Sea and a Christ-figure incarnate as the King of Beasts.

Narnia is not another dreamland, like Oz, or the symbol in an allegory of the struggle between good and evil like the place-names in "Pilgrims' Prog-

Edmund from paying the price of his sin, undergoes a deliverance from death, and deals with Narnians as their resurrected God.

In the third chronicle, Aslan describes Narnia as a country of the young. Lucy, about to return to England with the other children, asks, "Will you tell us when we can come back to Narnia again?"

"Dearest," said Aslan, very gently, "you and your brother will never come back to Narnia...You are too old, and must begin to come close to your own world now."

"It isn't Narnia, you know," sobbed Lucy. "It's you. We shan't meet you there. And how can we live, never meeting you?"

"But you shall meet me, dear one," said Aslan.

"Are--are you there too, sir?" said Edmund.

"I am," said Aslan. "But there I have another name. You must learn to know me by that name. This was the reason why you were brought to Narnia, that by knowing me here for a while, you may know me better there."

Kodak captures interest of amateurs

Associated Press

Eastman Kodak Company is celebrating the 100th year of the snapshot with the introduction of new cameras and film.

In June 1888, at a time when photography was still primarily a complicated and cumbersome wet plate process, George Eastman introduced the first Kodak camera. It was a box-type camera, light weight, small in size, and loaded with a roll of light-sensitive emulsion on stripping paper long enough for 100 exposures. The price of the loaded camera, including a shoulder strap, was \$25.

After exposure, the camera was sent to Rochester, N.Y., where the exposed strip was removed, developed, and printed, and a new one was inserted for \$10.

That Kodak camera created an entirely new market for people who had no special knowledge of photography but who wanted to take pictures. Anybody could "press the button," and Eastman's company "would do the rest."

Kodak has come a long way since 1888. The new Kodak products being introduced at the Photo Marketing Association show in Chicago this

month include cameras and films that still encourage the inexperienced photographer to just "press the button" and let Kodak do the rest.

Eastman would be proud of the new Kodak Fling 35, a throwaway camera that contains 24-exposure Kodacolor ISO 400 film. Last year, Kodak introduced a Fling camera utilizing 110-size film. The step up to 35mm size should improve picture quality considerably.

With the Fling 35, you just take the pictures and turn the camera over to the processor to get your prints. No, you don't get the camera back. The Fling 35 can't be re-loaded like Eastman's original camera. You'll have to buy another. However, at a suggested price of \$8.35 (you'll find it cheaper at discount stores), it's an affordable alternative when you're on vacation and your camera breaks down. It's also a perfect camera for the beach, boating or skiing.

Another camera being introduced at the Photo Marketing Association show is the Kodak Winner camera, a compact Olympic-themed edition of its popular 110-format camera. The new Winner, which showcases Kodak's participation in

the 1988 Olympic Games, is designed to introduce young picture-takers to the delights of photography.

"Many adults have fond recollections of receiving their first camera which, in many cases, was a Kodak," said a Kodak spokesman. "With the Winner camera, we are building on that tradition."

The Winner, designed for children ages 5-12, uses ISO 200 or 400 film and accepts an 8-bulb or a 10-bulb flip-flash for indoor photography. It will be available in red or blue and in a package that contains a 24-exposure roll of Kodacolor film and a book of rebate coupons worth \$5 on Kodak film and battery purchases. A step up from the Winner is Kodak's new 35mm S100EF camera, an inexpensive manual camera featuring a built-in electronic flash and lens cover, a 35mm f4.5 fixed-focus lens, and a suggested price tag of \$59.95. It will be available in either red or black.

At the top of the ladder of the new cameras is the Kodak S900 Tele camera. It features two lenses: a 34mm wide angle fixed-focus lens and a 62mm three-zone autofocus telephoto lens. A flip of a switch on the camera flops a mirror inside



from one lens to the other so that the user can compare images in the viewfinder before taking the picture.

Some of the other features found on the S900 Tele camera include: auto-advance of the film to the first frame after the film is loaded and the shutter button is depressed; automatic sensing of the film ISO speed with DX coded films; automatic flash when it's needed (which can be turned off with a defeat switch); auto-advance; and rewind and exposure. It's made

in America and has a suggested list price of \$299.99.

Also scheduled for introduction at the Photo Marketing Association show are new gold Kodak film packages. Now known as Kodacolor VR-G 100, 200 and 400 films will become Kodacolor Gold 100, 200, and 400 films. The premier 100 ISO film will be an improved version. Kodak says the others will essentially be the same films with, perhaps, some improvements later.

Sports Briefs

UMOC and Company defeated Eight Bumps and a Spike 2-1 to win the water volleyball championship. *-The Observer*

The Rockne Memorial pool will be open today from 7-9 a.m. and from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Over Spring Break, the pool will be open from 7-9 a.m. Monday, March 14 through Friday March 18. Rolfs Aquatic Center will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. today. It will also be open tomorrow and Sunday, as well as next Saturday and Sunday, from 1-5 p.m. and will be open Monday through Friday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. *-The Observer*

Aerobic instructor applications are now available at non-varsity athletics for 1988-89 positions. Interested students should submit their applications no later April 1. Call 239-6400 for more information. *-The Observer*

Sports Briefs are accepted in writing Sunday through Friday in The Observer offices on the third floor of LaFortune Student Center before 3 p.m. on the day prior to publication. *-The Observer*

Fencers get set for NCAA's

By **CHRIS FILLIO**
Sports Writer

Done. It looks like, of NCAA sports under close kept scrutiny, only the Notre Dame fencing teams have emerged without conflict as they enter post-season play.

The regular season's surprises have provided mixed results for both the men's and women's teams. The defending NCAA champion women appear disadvantaged without number two starter Janice Hynes. The men's team, on the other hand, finished fourth at the NCAAs last year but have seen a few pleasant surprises come about through the efforts of a fairly young team.

The lack of any clear-cut favorites entering the NCAA Championships this month at Princeton only serves to enhance the ambiguity. Nonetheless, fencing coaches Michael DeCicco and Yves Auriol feel that they are sending two very competitive teams.

"I feel as confident today as

I did two years ago when (the men's team) won it," said DeCicco. "Both the men and the women have a very good chance of making a big splash at the NCAAs this year."

Top competitors on the women's team include captain and All-American Molly Sullivan and junior Anne Barreda, winner of last week's NCAA Midwest Regional. Both participated in last year's NCAA tournament.

The men will send six qualifiers, two in each of the three weapons. The foil participants of senior Yehuda Kovacs and freshman Phil Leary will be one of the strongest weapons for the Irish men. In sabre, it will be undefeated freshman Lesek Nowosielski and second-year man Danny Yu. The epee squad will feature juniors Ted Fay and Todd Griffiee.

The coaches know that the both teams are within reach of a national championship.

"Training is one thing," said DeCicco, "but once they're

ready, we've got to pump these kids up by letting them know that they are capable of performing their best. They must feel that every touch could take the national championship away from the team."

In order to do this, it will be necessary for the Irish women to perform like the championship form they are known for. And while DeCicco does not list three gold medals in the mens' weapons as his highest priority, he emphasizes the need to finish high in all three divisions. For the Irish head coach, the right time is now.

"I always say that in order to win next year's championship, the kids must begin thinking about it an hour after we finish the NCAAs in Princeton," said DeCicco. "But I don't want to worry about next year. I want it this year. I want our team to want it this year."

Teams will converge on Champion, NJ, for the NCAA Championships from March 21-26.

Sobering Advice can save a life

Think Before You Drink Before You Drive



Classifieds

The Observer Notre Dame office, located on the third floor of LaFortune Student Center, accepts classified advertising from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. The Observer Saint Mary's office, located on the third floor of Hagggar College Center, accepts classifieds from 12:30 p.m. until 3 p.m., Monday through Friday. Deadline for next-day classifieds is 3 p.m. All classifieds must be prepaid, either in person or by mail. The charge is 10 cents per five characters per day.

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Lost Mens class ring. On Fri Mar 3 in the huddle or on the way to Keenan. It has my name in it, so if you find it PLEASE give me a call. The REWARD could provide for an exciting spring break. £1239

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WELL-HUNG HANGERS! WELL-HUNG HANGERS! WELL-HUNG HANGERS!

NEED RIDE TO KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE FOR EASTER BREAK!!!!!! (OR ANY WHERE IN THE NEAR VICINITY) PLEASE CALL CAROL AT 271-0868.

"DO YOU KNOW WHAT A NANNY GOAT IS?"

NAN for UMOC

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"It's gonna get ugly." (Well, UGLIER!)

STEPH LYNDON, Just seven short years shy of 30. Please remember old people must watch themselves. Oh my God: BE RESPONSIBLE! No more snakebites, bourbon, and three days in bed. Seriously, I can't say how much I wish I were there to celebrate with ya!!!!

Love, Your London roomie

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Things We Won't Miss XVIII: This place for ten days

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BIZ-Welcome to South Bend! Your smile brightens this campus&my

THE REGATTA IS COMING!! THE REGATTA IS COMING!! SEE YOUR HALL PRESIDENT FOR DETAILS

Enough of this Irish Stuff already... Happy St. Joseph's Day!

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THE YEAR OF THE BRAVES It begins on April 5.

14923 Brentwood-From N.D. sweats to red silk, you're my favorite sight on campus. I hope you had as great a time last weekend as I did. Think of me on the hellbus.

Isn't it bad enough that we named this school after them? Happy St. Joseph's Day!

Oh, lordy, Ethel She threw a water balloon at us Isn't there a \$50 fine for that?

Happy St. Patrick's Day and Happy Spring Break to all!!

love, Amy, Copy Center

ADWORKS

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Are you taking a plane out of Michiana Regional on Friday? Don't spend all your Break \$ on a cab just to get there. Take the Student Gov't Domes Shuttle on Friday for only \$2! Buses leave Main Circle from 12-4 pm on the hour.

thank you st. jude for prayers answered-cj

Q: WHAT DO JOHANA AND AL PACINO HAVE IN COMMON ?? A: THEY BOTH HAVE A 'SCARFACE' ! 'SCARFACE' FOR U.M.O.C.

Q: WHAT DO JOHANA AND A LEECH HAVE IN COMMON ? A: THEY'RE BOTH PA. IASITES, BUT ONE LEAVES A RING AND THE OTHER NEEDS A RING... 'SCARFAE' FOR U.M.O.C. !!

thank you st. jude

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E ENGINEERS' WEEK IS ON ITS WAY!!! MARCH 21 -25

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THANKS JUDE

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Oh Holy St. Jude, Apostle and Martyr, great in virtue and rich in miracle near Kinsman of Jesus Christ, faithful intercessor of all who invoke your special patronage in time of need, to you I have recourse from the depth of my heart and humbly beg to whom God has given such great power to come to my assistance. Help me in my present urgent petition. In return, I promise to make your name known and cause you to be invoked. Say three Our Fathers, three Hail Marys and Gloria. Publication must be promised. St. Jude pray for us who invoke your aid. Amen. This Novena must be said for 9 consecutive days.

To the most fascinating woman he's ever met: (Yes, yes, that's you) Listen to the words that you say! It's getting harder to stay! Want to see you... Meet you upstairs at Angers in 3 months! Love, Cindy

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nan sauer for UMOC... Just when you thought it was safe to vote for a decent, upstanding American citizen... nan sauer for UMOC...

Kansas City -Here We Come

Kelly Kelly Kelly Kelly Have a good break, can't wait until we get back You know who

Hepp Me!! Hepp Me!! I need a ride to Chicago O'Hare airport Friday morning and would rather watch another Rockne Stamp dedication than take the shuttle. Call Mike Naughton at 271-0576 and make a friend for life.

Voter registration for the primaries will be today from 4:45 to 6:45 in South Dining Hall.

JMR I love you more than chocolate!

GOODBYE MBA'S! GOODBYE!

ENJOY YOUR BREAK EVERYONE I JUST WANTED YOU ALL TO KNOW I'M THINKING OF YOU TODAY AS I SIT ON THE BEACH IN DAYTONA I JUST WISH THERE WERE SOME GIRLS DOWN HERE!

WELL I'LL KEEP LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO STAY LIVE FROM FLORIDA TOUR '88 THIS IS THE "CRIB DOG" SAYING SEE YOU IN A WEEK

BEAUX-ARTS beaux-arts BEAUX-ARTS beaux-arts BEAUX-ARTS beaux-arts

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Kara England is 22 today. Hope it's happy!! Your favorite frosh of 209 & 213

HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOHN BRANIGAN!! Jen, Jen, & Ally

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SMC swim team ends year

Belles finish with trip to National Championships

By KRISTINE GREGORY
Sports Writer

The Saint Mary's women's swim team ended its season on a good note last weekend with respectable relay finishes at the NAIA National Championship in Orlando, Fla.

The 200 medley relay team of Lori Swedish, Clair Druley, Lynne Olivieri and Meghan Rafferty recorded its best time of the season, good enough for a 17th-place finish. This was one position away from being named Honorary All-Americans. The ninth to 16th place finishers receive the

Honory All-American title, while the top eight finishers are named All-Americans.

"I was very pleased with the way the girls swam," said first-year Belles coach Dennis Cooper. "Every single time was a season best by at least one second. Everyone swam very well."

A 19th place finish was recorded in the 400 medley relay by Swedish, Druley, Olivieri and Rafferty. The relay team knocked four seconds off of its previous best time.

The 200 free relay team of Kristen Gruber, Mary Malina, Olivieri and Rafferty recorded

a 21st place finish, as did the 400 free relay team of Sara Maurer, Malina, Olivieri and Rafferty. The latter beat its previous best time by nine seconds to achieve this finish.

The only individual contender was senior Meghan Rafferty, who recorded a solid 22nd-place finish in the 100 backstroke and swam three seconds off her personal best time.

"At the beginning of the season we geared ourselves toward Nationals," said Cooper. "I was very pleased because we peaked there, which looks very promising for next season."



The Observer / Suzanne Poch

The Saint Mary's swim team ended its season last weekend with an impressive showing at the NAIA National Championships in Orlando, Fla. Kristine Gregory details the season-ending meet at left.



The Observer / Susy Hernandez

Following an exceptional fall campaign, the Saint Mary's tennis team got its spring season off in the right direction last weekend with a victory over Toledo. The Belles next face Wheaton College in a home match after Spring Break.

Belles tennis team tops Toledo; freshmen play key roles in win

By HEATHER ATKINSON
Sports Writer

Starting its spring season off with a bang, the Saint Mary's tennis team defeated the University of Toledo Rockets 6-3 at the Angela Athletic Facility last weekend.

The Belles' win over the Division I school, coming off a highly successful fall season, left Saint Mary's coach Debbie Laverie understandably pleased.

"This was a great way to start off the season," said Head Coach Debbie Laverie. "Toledo is a Division I program and has always beaten us in the past. Last time we lost 9-0. This time we went in and worked real hard and just wanted it more than the other team did."

Only three courts were available at the Angela Facility, resulting in a very long day where the matches were more like endurance contests. Saint Mary's was able to use that situation as a home court advantage.

Since the Belles were in better condition than Toledo's players, Saint Mary's came out victorious in many of the three-set matches.

Freshman Sarah Mayer was one player to come back and win in three sets. In her first collegiate spring match, Mayer lost in the second set and rebounded to win the third and defeat her opponent 7-5, 2-6, 6-4.

Mary Turk, also a freshman, won in straight sets. Both sets were close, but Turk came through with a 6-4, 6-4 victory in the first spring season match of her collegiate career.

Mayer and Turk both contributed in the Belles' two vic-

tories in the doubles category. Mayer teamed up with Charlene Szajko, defeating their competition 6-2, 6-2. The duo of Turk and Jane Schnell won with scores of 6-3, 6-0.

"The big difference this time was that we put the emphasis on playing aggressively. We won a lot of our points at the net," said Laverie. "Our number one players always play well, but I was really pleased with the performances of the number two and three players. They have shown great improvement."

The next match for the Belles will be on March 26 at home against Wheaton College.

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Irish

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Hardin-Simmons, the Irish have made strides to recover from a late season shooting slump. Junior Mark Stevenson is 10-of-13 in the last two outings (6-of-6 against Marquette), while senior Gary Voce and sophomore Keith Robinson have picked up the pace inside to pound the ball at opponents in the paint.

"We want to have eight or nine people playing well," said Phelps, in his 17th season at the helm for Notre Dame. "I think we've got Mark Stevenson and Jamere Jackson back where they need to be. We just needed to come back and shoot the ball well in these last few games, and we did that against Marquette and Hardin-Simmons."

Tourney

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I've been sports editor for two years, and it's been more fun than anyone could imagine. Now the horn is sounding, and the game is over.

I'd like to thank a lot of people, more than I can here. First thanks to all the coaches, players and administrators who ever took a few minutes out for an interview.

I'd also like to thank the people in the Sports Information Department -- Roger Valdiserri, John Heisler, 'Spook'

Daves, Rick Ohren and all the student assistants. After traveling all around the country to different school, you realize these people are the best at what they do.

Finally, my staff. Without all of you, this paper wouldn't get out. Thanks to you all.

And, yes, it is sometimes better to just go fishing.



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Turmoll has started to form in the New York Mets clubhouse as a result of some controversial remarks from Darryl Strawberry. An article in Esquire magazine includes quotes from Strawberry criticizing some of his teammates and Mets manager Davey Johnson.

Spring training roundup

McGwire hits monster clout

Associated Press

Mark McGwire hit two home runs, including a towering three-run shot to center field in the ninth inning, as Oakland defeated the San Francisco Giants 7-5 Wednesday in exhibition play.

McGwire's first homer, a solo shot off Mike Krukow, came in the second inning. The three-run homer came off Craig Lefferts and cleared a 30-foot fence in straightaway center field, 430 feet from home.

"The public address announcer said he's never seen anyone hit a ball over that fence, and he's been here 21 years," Giants Manager Roger Craig said of McGwire's long homer. "He not only hit it long, he hit it straight down the middle of the fairway."

McGwire now has four exhibition homers, all in the last three games.

three-run homer in the sixth inning to give the Twins a 4-1 lead.

Red Sox 2, White Sox 1

Jeff Sellers and Ed Lynch each pitched three shutout innings, and five Boston pitchers combined on a four-hitter as the Red Sox beat Chicago.

Braves 6, Expos 2

Gerald Perry drove in two runs with a double in Atlanta's three-run fifth inning, and Rick Mahler pitched three scoreless innings as the Braves won their third in a row.

Astros 4, Expos 1

Rafael Ramirez hit an RBI triple in Houston's two-run sixth inning, leading the Astros to a 4-1 victory over the Expos split squad.

Cubs 1, Angels 0

Rick Sutcliffe allowed five hits in five scoreless innings, combining with three other pitchers on a seven-hit shutout.

Yankees 10, Rangers 3

Jose Cruz hit his first homer of the spring season, leading the New York Yankees to a 10-3 victory over Texas. Mike Pagliarulo also homered.

Phillies 4, Pirates 3

Darren Daulton's two-run triple helped Philadelphia rally from a 1-0 deficit to a 4-3 victory with four runs in the fourth inning against Pittsburgh.

Twins 10, Tigers 7

Randy Bush started Minnesota's four-run third inning with a double, and the defending World Series champion Twins defeated Detroit. Jack Morris, the first of four Tiger pitchers, gave up six runs on nine hits in the three innings he worked.

Twins 6, Royals 5

Sal Butera's bases-loaded walk off Luis Aquino snapped a ninth-inning tie, and the Twins split squad beat Kansas City. Tom Brunansky hit a

Dodgers 6, Reds 5

Dave Anderson's RBI single capped a two-run eighth inning that carried unbeaten Los Angeles to a 6-5 victory over Cincinnati.

Strawberry starts fuss

MIAMI - The New York Mets held a closed-door meeting Wednesday and reached an uneasy truce with Darryl Strawberry, a day after he blamed Manager Davey Johnson and some teammates for the club's problems last year.

"I don't think anybody likes to have derogatory things said about them," said Johnson, Strawberry's prime target. "But I don't want to drag this out and make it any bigger than it is."

The storm started Tuesday when an advance copy of Esquire magazine's April issue appeared in the Mets' clubhouse, containing a story about Strawberry.

In the interview, he said Gary Carter and Keith Hernandez "quit" last season and he had some uncomplimentary comments about teammates Wally Backman and Len Dykstra.

Of Johnson, he said, "I always wonder how many games this team would have won if Whitey was managing," a reference to St. Louis Cardinals Manager Whitey Herzog.

The Mets failed to repeat as World Series champions last year when they were beset by injuries and off-field problems.

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NIU swamps Irish

Special to the Observer

Gina Stubbs and Carol Owens combined to score 50 points, leading Northern Illinois to a 95-74 thrashing of the Notre Dame women's basketball team Wednesday night at DeKalb, Ill.

The Lady Huskies' leading scorer, Lisa Foss (20.0 ppg), left the game with a knee injury midway through the first half. NIU led 29-19 at that point.

But Stubbs and Owens simply picked up the slack to help give the Lady Huskies a 47-28 halftime advantage.

Notre Dame was hurt more by its injuries. Sarah Liebscher went out with a

twisted ankle when 15:49 was left in the second half. She is expected to miss Saturday's game at Dayton.

A total of 50 fouls were called during the game, but NIU took fuller advantage of its opportunities. The Lady Huskies shot 29-of-38 from the line, while the Irish were 17-of-29. Heidi Bunek fouled out of the game with 11:45 left in the contest.

Sandy Botham led the Irish with a season-high 27 points. Her career high is a 28-point performance last year against Northern Illinois.

The Irish fell to 19-8 with the loss. Northern Illinois evened its record at 14-14.

Irish hope Vegas brings more luck

Women's tennis tries to end slump

By FRANK PASTOR
Sports Writer

With spring break nearly here, the Notre Dame women's tennis team is headed for the land of the high rollers. The Irish netters (5-8) are bound for Las Vegas, Nev., where they will compete against Cal St.-Northridge, Colorado, UNLV, Alabama, Princeton, and Utah.

In attempting to snap their current five-game losing streak, the Irish must face four new opponents which most certainly enhance the level of competition found on this year's schedule. UNLV, Alabama, Princeton and Utah would like nothing better than to post victories in their first meetings with Notre Dame.

Cal St.-Northridge and Colorado, the two remaining teams on Notre Dame's spring break schedule, each have played the Irish once before. The Irish defeated Cal St.-Northridge in 1984, but dropped a match to Colorado earlier this season at the Eck Tennis Pavilion.

All six of these teams are indicative of the increasing level of competition the Irish have faced since earning NCAA Division I status under the guidance of head coach Michelle Gelfman during the 1985-1986 campaign.

Remarkably, Notre Dame reached this plateau only thirteen years after becoming a co-educational institution.

"We've upgraded our schedule about 500 percent since I came here," said Gelfman. "And we will continue to upgrade our schedule."

Their new opponents are not the only obstacles the Irish will have to overcome in Las Vegas. Saturday's match against Cal St.-Northridge marks the team's first outdoor match of the season. As luck would have it, inclement weather has postponed any attempts on the part of the Irish to prepare for play under these new conditions.

"We haven't had the opportunity to get outside to play," explains Gelfman. "We'll be practicing in Las Vegas for the first time. The courts there are not in very good condition. They're fast courts. We'll be facing a big adjustment problem going from indoors to outdoors."

Finally, lest anyone fear that the trip to Vegas will be all work and no play for the Irish, Gelfman stresses the importance of moderation in the team's schedule.

"When we're on the courts, we're there to play," says the third-year coach. "When we're off the courts, we're there to relax."

College basketball roundup

Ohio State stuns Purdue

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio - Jerry Francis scored 14 points, including six in an 11-2 spurt that turned the game around in the second half, as Ohio State upset No. 2 Purdue 71-60 in a Big Ten Conference game Wednesday night.

The victory, which moved Ohio State to 16-11 overall and 9-8 in the Big Ten, was the Buckeyes' fourth at home over a ranked conference opponent. Purdue, which clinched the Big Ten title Saturday, fell to 26-3 and 15-2.

Purdue led 47-42 with 12:21 remaining, but was limited to two points in the next seven minutes. The Boilermakers missed five straight free throws in one span as Ohio State took a 53-49 lead.

The Boilermakers pulled within 55-54 with 4:13 left, but John Anderson hit a 15-foot jumper and Jay Burson scored on a driving layup and free throw for a 60-54 Ohio State lead.

The Buckeyes then hit nine of 11 free throws in the final 1:13.

Troy Lewis led the Boilermakers with 20 points.

Ill. 85, Mich. 74

CHAMPAIGN, Ill. - Ken Bat-

tle and Nick Anderson scored 25 points each Wednesday night as 19th-ranked Illinois upset 10th-ranked Michigan 85-74 in the Big Ten.

The victory was Illinois' third straight over a nationally ranked team. Previously, the Illini defeated Indiana on the road and Iowa at home.

Glynn Blackwell, playing his final home game, added 15 points for Illinois, 21-9 overall and 11-6 in the conference. Michigan 23-7 and 12-5, was led by junior forward Loy Vaught with 24 points.

Temple 68, URI 63

MORGANTOWN, W.Va. - Tim Perry's three-point play with 3:44 left turned back a Rhode Island comeback and Mark Macon and Howard Evans stretched the lead with 3-pointers in No. 1 Temple's 68-63 victory for the Atlantic 10 tournament title Wednesday night.

Temple, 29-1, won its 15th straight game and third conference tournament crown in four years. Rhode Island fell to 26-6 and is hoping for an NCAA at-large bid.

The Owls took a 16-point lead, 43-27, with 18:05 left in the game when Perry hit a pair of free throws. But Temple went cold over the next 11 minutes

as Rhode Island fired back.

Macon and Rhode Island's Tom Garrick each finished with 25 points.

MCC tourney preview

INDIANAPOLIS -

Regular-season champion Xavier, led by player of the year Byron Larkin and coach of the year Pete Gillen, takes a 13-game winning streak and a lot of pressure into the Midwestern Collegiate Conference basketball tournament.

Five other teams are taking aim at the No. 20 Musketeers.

"It's a little tougher this year in that everybody is shooting at us. We're a marked team," Gillen said Wednesday before practice for the three-day tourney, which begins Thursday night at Market Square Arena.

The Cincinnati university, seeded No. 1, gets a first-round bye and will play either No. 4 Butler or No. 5 Loyola, Ill., in Friday's semifinals. Second-seeded Evansville, the only conference team to beat Xavier in the regular season, also gets a bye and will play either No. 3 St. Louis or No. 6 Detroit.

The winner of the championship game Saturday night will get an automatic berth into the NCAA tournament.

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Dr. Krishna Choudhary, joined the Materials Science and Engineering Department in August 1986 after receiving his Ph.D. degree from Stevens Institute and engaging in research at Brookhaven National Laboratory. Dr. Choudhary's interest in the science of surfaces and interfaces is readily applicable to the materials technologies of thin films used in electronic devices. By probing solids with intense beams of gamma rays, Dr. Choudhary can tell when the position of an individual atom is slightly changed by the presence of its neighbors. This environmentally sensitive movement is used to study the bonding between atoms in different solid layers, the bonding between an atom on a solid surface with a molecule of gas and the arrangement of atoms on a free surface. Such studies are critical to the development of the "new age" electronic materials that are being fabricated one atom layer at a time. Normally brittle ceramic materials are being toughened by treatments that adjust the arrangements of small volumes of atoms. Thin layers of one material on another quite frequently disturb the properties of both the substrate and the coating. How can we use this knowledge to improve engineered materials and synthesize new ones? This is the goal of the surface science thrust.

Dr. Paul McGinn, received his Ph.D. from Notre Dame and returned in January,

1987 after working for I.B.M. His experience in electronic packaging, plasma processing and oxide materials fits well with his role as site coordinator for the Indiana Center for Innovative Superconductor Technology. Dr. McGinn's novel processing methods for the new high temperature superconducting ceramic materials has enabled him to attract the support of the National Science Foundation in addition to industries in Indiana. This technology is still deep in the laboratory and it will be many years before commercial opportunities develop. In the meantime Dr. McGinn's research provides an exciting opportunity for several undergraduates to participate in a technically relevant program at the forefront of a science fiction-like materials breakthrough. Other activities include the design and set-up of a sophisticated processing system that will produce unique thin films of materials using plasma. Superconducting ceramics will be some of the first material processed, no doubt.

Dr. Alan Pelton, a graduate of South Dakota School of Mines and the University of California, Berkeley joined Notre Dame in August 1986 after working at Iowa State University's, Ames Laboratory. His expertise in electron optics and studies of the influence of atomic arrangements on the properties of materials has provided him with a unique background in ceramics,

glasses, and high strength alloys. The use of an electron microscope allows him to see minute details at magnifications of 1,000,000X. Atomic level imperfections in normally perfect crystals can then be studied and their behaviors documented by this close scrutiny. Since these minute imperfections impact electrical, magnetic, optical, strength and other physical properties of materials, the ability to "see" them is essential. Recent electron microscopy studies of a hard coating applied to cutting tools to improve performance has identified a microfracture mechanism that undoubtedly does not allow them to achieve their potential. Further studies may lead to an improved family of hard coatings.

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The University of Notre Dame and the Joyce ACC are gearing up to host the first two rounds of the NCAA Midwest Regional, and if sports editor Dennis Corrigan's predictions are correct, Charles Shackleford and North Carolina State are headed for the JACC. Dennis has a complete listing of his predictions on page 20.

NCAA hosts have quite a task

By RICK RIETBROCK and MARTY STRASEN
Assistant Sports Editors

Many call the NCAA basketball tournament the most exciting sporting event of the year.

The Notre Dame Athletic Department, for the second time in four years, is realizing the tournament also can be the most complicated event of the year, as it prepares to host the first and second rounds of the 1988 tournament next Thursday and Saturday.

"We even went out to Seattle for a seminar on how to run it, even though we had already been through it once," said co-tournament Manager and Notre Dame Associate Athletic Director Joe O'Brien.

Notre Dame hosted the first and second rounds in 1985, when a David Rivers turnover in the final minute led to an early exit by the Irish and a North Carolina victory. But although the Notre Dame basketball team lost in 1985, the University itself was victorious in impressing the NCAA enough to host the event again this year.

"We were ready to start planning as soon as we finished in 1985," O'Brien noted. "We were that gung-ho about it. It was a very exciting moment for us, and we showed the NCAA then that we could do a good job for them in the future."

And what a job it is. O'Brien and Roger Valdiserri, also a co-tournament Manager and Notre Dame Associate Athletic Director, have been working on the event since Notre Dame's bid to host it was granted by the NCAA in January of 1987.

The co-managers have divided a number of responsibilities among many members

of the Athletic Department, and with good reason.

Some of their tasks include arranging motel accommodations for teams, members of the media and officials, distributing tickets, reserving practice times, arranging for security, allowing for the distribution of programs and souvenirs, setting up press conferences and a variety of other jobs that the television cameras never pick up.

"A lot of it has to be done before you put in a bid," explained John Heisler, Associate Sports Information Director and Tournament Media Coordinator. Notre Dame entered its bid in August of 1986.

"You have to submit a whole budget by that time, in terms of what it's going to cost you to put on a tournament," Heisler continued. "So you've got to have a pretty good game plan to start with. We certainly have an advantage in that we've done it before. We know what it takes to get it done."

The 1985 tournament brought in a revenue of approximately \$350,000 and cost Notre Dame \$50,000 to run, O'Brien said. Of the remaining \$300,000, Notre Dame was allowed to keep 20 percent, or \$60,000, O'Brien added. The rest was returned to the NCAA.

Notre Dame will keep 20 percent again this year. The expenses will be nearly the same, O'Brien said, and added that he thinks the event will bring in about \$365,000 this time around.

One difficult aspect of hosting the tournament is to keep the local fans happy. Notre Dame season ticket holders were sent ticket order forms earlier this year, according to Ticket Manager Mike

Bobinski. They were guaranteed seats, but not guaranteed the same seats they have for Notre Dame games. After that sale (in which the lower arena was sold out), tickets were made available to the general public.

"It's really not our event, it's the NCAA's event and they impose a lot of guidelines on us," said Bobinski. "We lose a lot of the lower seats because of the extra media and because all the teams will most likely bring their bands along."

When the team bids go out Sunday, the eight schools who will be playing at the Joyce ACC will receive pre-made booklets with information about their arrangements, O'Brien said. Then a different kind of work begins.

"As soon as we find out who's coming here," says Bobinski. "We have to find out if they will be able to use up their allotment (each team is allotted 250 tickets). If not, those tickets are available to the public."

One added responsibility for the Athletic Department this year is NCAA drug testing, which was not done in the 1985 tournament.

Trainer Jim Russ will act as the Drug Testing Coordinator during the tournament. He will set up equipment away from the lockerroom facilities, where he will be assisted by NCAA officials in testing certain athletes.

Testing this year will be even more complicated than in last year's tournament, Heisler said.

"Last year, everybody knew they were going to be tested after the first round games," Heisler explained. "This year, the NCAA is not going to announce it in advance. We've just got to be ready."

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Campus officials attribute his departure to an early case of spring break, as numerous faculty members recall hearing Jimmy Buffet coming from his walkman.

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MidwayConnection

Lax starts year in Colorado

Western swing includes important date with Air Force

By PETE LaFLEUR
Sports Writer

While the majority of Notre Dame students will be enjoying their Spring Break basking in the Florida sun, skiing in the Rocky Mountains, or visiting hometown friends, the Notre Dame lacrosse team will be opening their season on a four-game road swing through Colorado.

The Irish will face the Colorado School of Mines, Colorado College, the Air Force Academy and the University of Colorado. Notre Dame has never played Air Force before. That game will take on further significance because at the end of the season the Irish and the Falcons should be in contention for the NCAA Tournament's Western bid.

That fact is not lost on Irish coach Rich O'Leary. In his 18th year as the Irish coach, O'Leary sees the four-game trip as a crucial determinant for the success of the season. The Irish will attempt to improve on last year's 7-5 record.

"I'd like us to come back from the spring trip winning at least three, and possibly four, games," said O'Leary. "I'd like to come back having beat Air Force."

O'Leary expressed the hope that a win against the Falcons would propel the Irish on to late-season victories against Ohio State and Michigan State, who are also early favorites to capture the NCAA West bid. particularly aided the progress of this year's squad.

The reserved bid was employed last season in order to give the traditionally weaker "Western" teams adequate representation in the tournament, which is usually dominated by Eastern schools.

O'Leary said that victories against the Buckeyes and Spartans could mean winning the Great Lakes Lacrosse Association and, combined with a victory over Air Force, would make Notre Dame "the representative to the NCAA's."

O'Leary's hopes are supported by his assessment of the team's progress thus far. He said last Sunday's scrimmage with Michigan State and two months of practice have been encouraging. He added that the team can depend on senior tri-captains Tom Lanahan, Art Brady, and John McNicholas to provide the leadership that is needed on the rather young team.

"Against Michigan State our style of play was very aggressive and we passed the ball very well," said O'Leary. "We consistently came up with very good plays and put a lot of pressure on their defense. It was a team effort."

O'Leary praised the outstanding play in the scrimmage from "people who we expected to do well," particularly the tri-captains and attacks John Olmstead and Jeff Shay. He also said that junior middle Dave Kidder is playing well and that sophomore middle Mike Quigley "is looking better and could be a starter soon."

The most surprising play of the scrimmage may have come from three freshman middies (Pete Gillen, Mark Brady, and John Capano) who "all played very well," according to O'Leary.

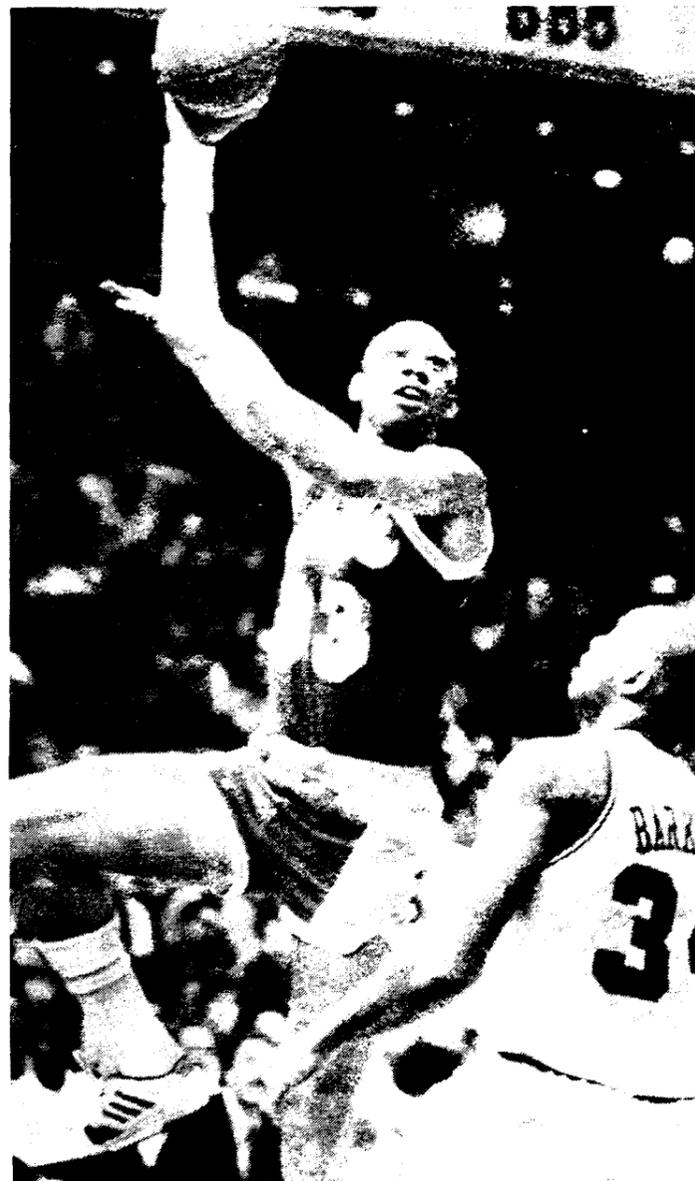
The Notre Dame defense suffered a setback against Michigan State when sophomore Jeff Salamon suffered a knee injury which required surgery. It is doubtful he will return this season.

Junior Kevin O'Connor "seems to be leading the defense now," according to O'Leary, while senior Randy McDonald and junior Doug Spencer also remain defensive keys.

Senior Matt McQuillan has returned from academic ineligibility to begin his third season as the starting goalie. McQuillan did not play against the Sparans because of a prior commitment, but O'Leary said that McQuillan's backup, sophomore Jeff Glazier, had "a very good game in goal. He's improved tremendously from last year."

Practicing in the Loftus All-Sports Center has particularly aided the progress of this year's squad.

"We met early as a team and decided we would put more time into practice, and the indoor facility has made a big difference," said O'Leary. "It has allowed us to play aggressively and very hard from the beginning and has helped us play better as a team."



AP Photo

Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and the Los Angeles Lakers ended the New York Knicks' 13-game home winning streak by knocking off the Knicks 104-99 at the Madison Square Garden on Wednesday.

Reds tired of being bridesmaids

Associated Press

PLANT CITY, Fla. - The Cincinnati Bridesmaids have had enough of trying to catch the bride's bouquet.

For three straight years, the Bridesmaids have finished second in the National League West, beaten out in order by Los Angeles, Houston and San Francisco.

Cincinnati hopes this is its year.

Reds Manager Pete Rose has a ballclub that is just about set and most importantly, has a new-look and, he says, a better-look pitching staff.

"We hope it's better," Rose said. "We think it's better. We've got some good, young arms."

There is a distinct shortage of that commodity in baseball these days. So if he's right, the Bridesmaids could be in business.

The rotation is headed by Danny Jackson, imported from Kansas City in a winter trade, and Tom Browning, a former 20-game winner who won half that number last season and even spent some time in the minors.

Behind them are Dennis Rasmussen, who won 13 games for the New York Yankees and Cincinnati last season, and Ron Robinson, coming off arthroscopic elbow surgery.

The fifth starter could be Guy Hoffman. Or he could be Jose Rijo, acquired from Oakland in the Dave Parker trade, or he could even be Mario Soto, once the ace of this staff and trying to come back after two years worth of shoulder troubles.

The bullpen is solid with John Franco, who won eight games and saved 32 others last year, and Rob Murphy and Frank Williams, who appeared in 87 and 85 games respectively.

Besides Rijo, the Bridesmaids also acquired another pitcher, Tim Lincecum, in the Parker trade. More importantly, they opened up a lineup spot for some young talent that has been waiting for a chance to play.

The lineup is just about set, with veterans Buddy Bell and Nick Esasky anchoring the infield at first and third and Bo Diaz catching. Young Barry Larkin is the everyday shortstop and Jeff Treadway shares second with 38-year-old Dave Concepcion in a platoon.

Center fielder Eric Davis was the best player in baseball for the first half of last season and now Rose needs a full year from the talented young man.



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Campus

Thursday

12:00 Thomas J. White Center on Law and Government Lecture "Brian T. vs. Pacific Bell: Is Civil Redress Possible for Victims of Pornography?" by Benjamin Bull, Esq., legal counsel, Citizens for Decency Through Law, Phoenix, Arizona. Room 110 Law School

4:20 p.m. Physics Colloquium "Neutrinos as Cold Dark Matter of the Universe," by Dr. Palash Pal, University of Massachusetts. Room 118 Nieuwland Science Hall

39th Annual meeting of the Metaphysical Society of America, (MSOA) Thursday, March 10 through Saturday, March 12. Theme: The End of Metaphysics: The Question of Foundations. All meetings will be held in the Center for Continuing Education. Partially sponsored by the College of Arts and Letters

7:30 p.m. MSOA lectures 1) "The End (Demise) of Metaphysics? What Whitehead Knew and Rorty Overlooked," by Donald Sherburne, Vanderbilt University; 2) "The Death of Philosophy and the Future of Metaphysics: The Case of Rorty and Whitehead," by George Lucas, Clemson University. Commentator: Joseph Grange, Southern Maine University.

10-11 p.m.: Campus Perspectives talk show on Alcohol and Drug Problems, with Dave Dannison, head of the Office of Alcohol and Drug Education, and Jane Heisel, former president of BACCHUS, and recovering alcoholic students, host Lynsey Strand will take questions at 239-6400, WVFI-AM 640.

Friday

9:00 a.m. MSOA Session I: The Great Tradition Chair: Brian Martine, University of Alabama at Huntsville. "Neither With Nor Without Foundations," by Kenneth Schmitz, University of Toronto

10:45 a.m. MSOA Lectures 1) "The View from Everywhere: Metaphysics After the Post-Nietzschean 'Deconstruction' Thereof," by Huston Smith, Syracuse University; 2) "Hegel on Metaphysics and Foundationalism," by Thomas Rockmore, Duquesne University.

11:00 a.m. Department of Economics Public Policy Workshop with Terry Urbine, graduate student in Economics. Room 131 Decio Hall

11:45 a.m. MSOA open discussion

2:00 p.m. MSOA Session II: The Continental Challenge Chair: Joseph Grange. "The Middle Voice of Metaphysics," by Charles Scott, Vanderbilt University

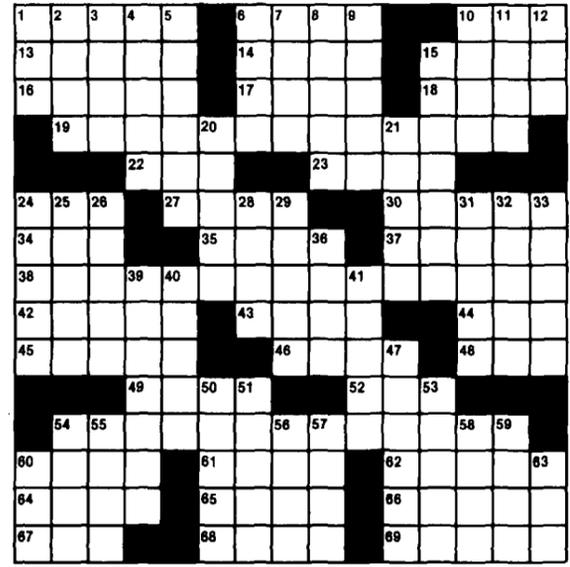
3:45 p.m. MSOA Lectures 1) "Foundations that Never Were: The Law of the One and the Law of Countraries at the Beginning of Metaphysics," by Reiner Schurmann, New School for Social Research; 2) "Ambiguity and the End of Philosophy," by Linda Fisher, McGill University

4:45 p.m. MSOA open discussion

8:00 p.m. MSOA Presidential Address Chair: Robert C. Neville, Boston University. "Metaphysics, Critique and Utopia," by Richard J. Bernstein, Haverford College

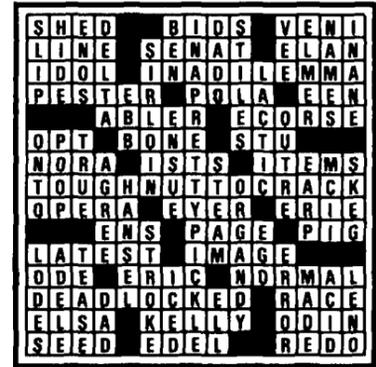
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- ACROSS**
- 1 Highlanders
 - 6 Under the sheets
 - 10 Do gardening
 - 13 Chl. airport
 - 14 Lopez theme song
 - 15 Beer or East
 - 16 — four (cake)
 - 17 Trolley
 - 18 Gain by work
 - 19 Manhattan buildings
 - 22 Observe
 - 23 Arthurian lady
 - 24 Royal title letters
 - 27 Icelandic work
 - 30 Jeweled headdress
 - 34 WWII command
 - 35 Festive
 - 37 Spartan serf
 - 38 Fifth Ave. sight
 - 42 Goat antelope
 - 43 Br. composer
 - 44 Consumed
 - 45 Ms Doolittle
 - 46 Hamilton's bills
 - 48 Tchrs.' gp.
 - 49 Burden
 - 52 Pronoun
 - 54 Desirable seats
 - 60 Douse
 - 61 Showy flower
 - 62 Archaeology find
 - 64 Diva's song
 - 65 Pielet
 - 66 Muse of poetry
 - 67 Obtain
 - 68 Sword
 - 69 Circuit journeys
- DOWN**
- 1 Soak
 - 2 Huntley or Atkins
 - 3 Solemn promise
 - 4 Attempts
 - 5 Divan
 - 6 One against
 - 7 Nee
 - 8 Gladden
 - 9 Friend of Pythias
 - 10 Listen
 - 11 Paddles
 - 12 Coastal bird
 - 15 More indigent
 - 20 Piece of pie
 - 21 Flexible twig
 - 24 Boundary of bushes
 - 25 Backless seat
 - 28 Muslim girl in Paradise
 - 28 Art school
 - 29 Keen
 - 31 First Eng. martyr
 - 32 Way to go
 - 33 Cruising
 - 36 Skin woe
 - 39 Rocket launcher
 - 40 Grassy plain
 - 41 Nairobi's land
 - 47 Evening party
 - 50 Join together
 - 51 Belt
 - 53 Exorbitant
 - 54 Ripped
 - 55 Be patient
 - 56 Put to work
 - 57 Punta del —
 - 58 Mythomaniac
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 - 60 Droop
 - 63 Call for help



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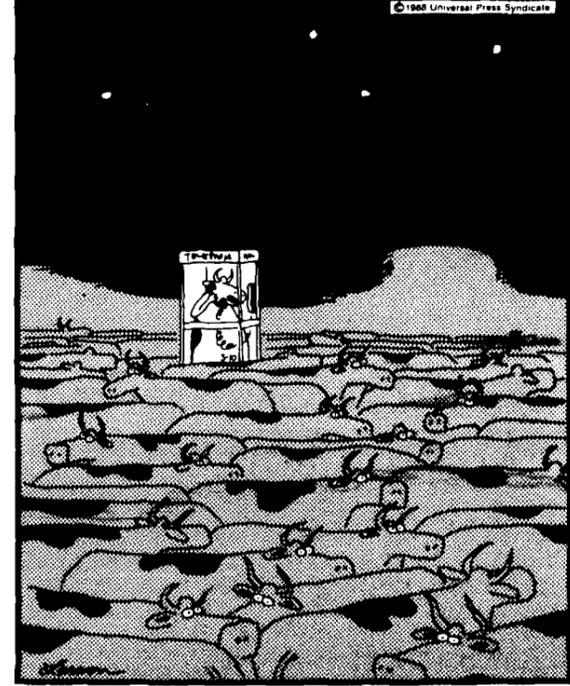
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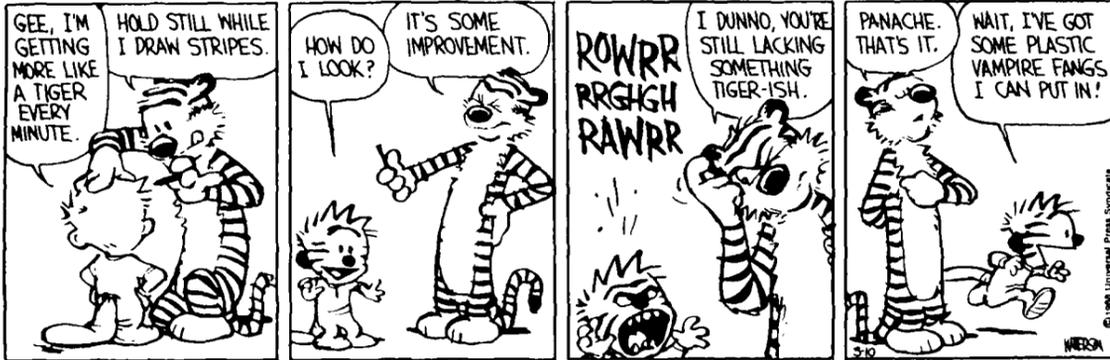
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Thursday

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Irish beat Goshen, end skid

By STEVE MEGARGEE
Sports Writer

Three Notre Dame pitchers combined to hurl a one-hitter, as the Irish blanked Goshen College 10-0 Thursday at Jake Kline Field to end their five-game losing streak.

Erik Madsen started and allowed no hits in his five-inning stint. Mike Coffey pitched the sixth inning, allowing just a bunt single by Mark Gerber. Kevin Kerns came on in the seventh and was perfect in his one inning of work.

"Madsen had been inconsistent, and he needed to show me that he could throw strikes," said first-year Irish coach Pat Murphy. "I was really happy that Coffey and Kerns could get in there and keep the ball somewhere around the plate, especially Coffey."

While the Irish pitchers toyed with Goshen's hitters, Notre

Dame (2-5) also had a little trouble at the plate in the early going. The Irish left four men on base in the first three innings.

"With it being a cold day, I think the weather had something to do with the hitting," said Murphy. "We were a little tight at first."

Notre Dame broke the scoreless tie in the fourth inning without the benefit of a hit. Darren Miller, relieving Goshen starter Tom Bennett, walked James Sass and Ed Lund to lead off the inning.

Mike Moshier's grounder retired Sass, but Dave Yawman's fly ball was dropped by Warrior outfielder Sam Glick. The error by Glick, who had just entered the game at the start of the inning, scored Lund and Moshier.

The Irish broke the game open in the fifth, scoring six

runs to take an 8-0 lead. Tim Hutson had the big hit of the inning, tripling down the right field line to score Mike Coss and Dan Peltier. The triple gave Hutson a team-leading 15 runs batted in for the season.

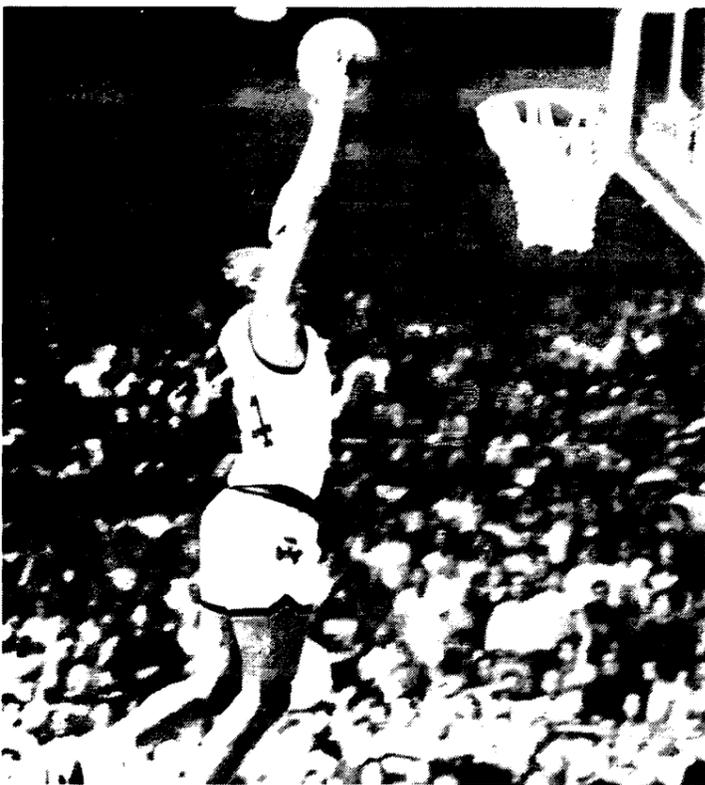
Moshier and Terry Andrysiak also played big parts in the rally. Moshier singled, then advanced to second when the ball went through the Goshen outfielder's legs. Hutson and Lund scored on the play. Two batters later, Andrysiak's hit went off first base into the right field corner. The hit was good for a double, scoring Moshier for Andrysiak's first RBI of the season.

A two-run Irish sixth inning, also done without the benefit of a hit, closed out the scoring. Notre Dame took advantage of three errors by Gerber at shortstop to score two runs.



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With first baseman Tim Hutson hitting a two-run triple, the Notre Dame baseball team trounced Goshen College 10-0 Wednesday afternoon at Jake Kline Field. The shutout ended Notre Dame's five-game losing streak.



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Mark Stevenson (24) and the Notre Dame basketball team look to soar past the Dayton Flyers and into the NCAA Tournament this weekend. Brian O'Gara previews the last regular season game

ND meets Dayton in finale

Basketball team aims for 20-win season, NCAA berth

By BRIAN O'GARA
Assistant Sports Editor

To a lot of Spring Break-bound students, Dayton is a connecting point for flights to southern hotspots.

To the Notre Dame basketball team, it's a chance to stay hot and secure a connection to the NCAA Tournament in its season finale.

The Irish head to Dayton this Saturday (2:15 EST, Dayton Arena) seeking their fifth-straight 20-win season and fourth-straight NCAA bid.

"We've got a chance to win 20 games and that's one of our goals each year," said Notre Dame head coach Digger Phelps, "so I think our players understand what's out there. This is a chance for us to grab a road win, and finish 20-8 with eight wins in our last nine games."

The Flyers have had a little

trouble getting off the ground this season, entering the contest with a 13-17 record. Head Coach Don Donoher's team is coming off a nip-and-tuck battle with Miami (Fla.) which Dayton pulled out, 90-89. The Flyers had five players in double digits for the game, led by 6-9 junior Steve Pittman, who poured in 30 points.

Anthony Corbitt, a 6-7 sophomore swingman, paces Dayton's attack with 16.1 points and 6.9 rebounds per outing. Negele Knight, a 6-2 sophomore guard, averages 14.6 points a game while Pittman chips in 12.5 points and 6.7 rebounds.

Despite the Flyers' lackluster record, this series (which Notre Dame leads 18-9) has consistently featured tight contests. Like DePaul and Marquette, Dayton joins Notre Dame as one of the four 'Great Independents' of the Midwest.

Next year, however, the Flyers will join the Midwestern Collegiate Conference.

"The last time we played," said Phelps of his team's 59-47 win over Dayton on February 18 at home, "Pittman wasn't healthy, and Dayton really controlled the tempo. I thought we did a good job of handling that, but we've got to be prepared for anything. We've taken some awfully good teams down there and lost."

The Flyers' last win over Notre Dame was a 67-65 upset at Dayton in the 1985-86 season. Since then, the Irish have won four straight over the Flyers.

After snapping a three-game losing streak against Fordham exactly one month ago, Notre Dame has won eight of its last nine games. In the last two wins, over Marquette and

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Here are the Tournament pairings (we think)

With NCAA Tournament bids just four days away, my own selection committee met yesterday to decide, or guess, who was invited to the dance and where they were dancing.

One thing we learned is that it's harder than it looks. Getting the 64 teams is fairly easy. We had a list of seven bubble teams, five of which made it. Then the fun begins -- who goes where and with what seed.

It's difficult because you have to ensure two teams from the same conference can't meet until a regional final. Four hours after we started, we thought we finally had it -- until we were forecasting how the tourney would go and had Illinois playing Purdue in a regional semifinal.

A lot of the seeds had to be juggled in order to keep schools away from each other as well as keep teams home in the first and second round. Yes, keep them home. Face it, the committee has never kicked a team off its home court, and they probably aren't going to do it again.

A large part of our decisions on seedings was based on the NCAA strength of schedule rating (Notre Dame's is 36 out of 290) and Sagarin power ratings, which have been remarkably accurate the last few years.

So here it is, our choices for the NCAA Tournament:

Midwest Regional (finals at Pontiac, Mich.)
at Lincoln, Neb.

- No. 1 Oklahoma vs. No. 16 Cornell
- No. 8 Villanova vs. No. 9 Texas-El Paso
- No. 5 Bradley vs. No. 12 Louisiana Tech
- No. 4 Iowa vs. No. 13 S.W. Missouri St.

at South Bend, Ind

- No. 6 Florida vs. No. 11 St. John's
- No. 3 N.C. State vs. No. 14 E. Michigan
- No. 7 Kansas St. vs. No. 10 Notre Dame
- No. 2 Michigan vs. No. 15 N. Texas St.

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East Regional (finals at East Rutherford, N.J.)
at Hartford, Conn.

- No. 1 Temple vs. No. 16 Fairleigh Dickinson
- No. 8 Wyoming vs. No. 9 Wichita St.
- No. 5 Kansas vs. No. 12 Cal-Santa Barbara
- No. 4 Illinois vs. No. 13 Richmond

at Chapel Hill, N.C.

- No. 6 DePaul vs. No. 11 LaSalle
- No. 3 Syracuse vs. No. 14 Boston U.
- No. 7 Indiana vs. No. 10 Oregon St.
- No. 2 North Carolina vs. No. 15 N.C. A&T

West Regional (finals at Seattle)
at Los Angeles

- No. 1 Arizona vs. No. 16 Lehigh
- No. 8 LSU vs. No. 9 Maryland
- No. 5 Loyola, Calif. vs. No. 12 Baylor
- No. 4 UNLV vs. No. 13 Ohio St.

at Salt Lake City

- No. 6 Vanderbilt vs. No. 11 Seton Hall
- No. 3 Duke vs. No. 14 Utah
- No. 7 Missouri vs. No. 10 SMU
- No. 2 Pittsburgh vs. No. 15 Boise St.

Southeast Region (finals at Birmingham, Ala.)
at Cincinnati

- No. 1 Purdue vs. No. 16 Southern
- No. 8 Auburn vs. No. 9 Louisville
- No. 5 Xavier (Ohio) vs. No. 12 Murray St.
- No. 4 Georgetown vs. No. 13 Arkansas-Little Rock

at Atlanta

- No. 6 Georgia Tech vs. No. 11 Rhode Island
- No. 3 BYU vs. No. 14 N.C. Charlotte
- No. 7 Arkansas vs. No. 10 Iowa St.
- No. 2 Kentucky vs. No. 15 Tenn.-Chattanooga

Final Four? Duke, Kentucky, Michigan and North Carolina. Who wins it all? The Dukies.

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