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THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER SERVING NOTRE DAME AND SAINT MARY'S

ND sets new annual fundraising record

By DAVID ZIRINGER
News Writer

Notre Dame received \$53.8 million as a result of 1990 fundraising, establishing a new record for annual contributions.

According to Joseph Sandman, director of Development, students stand to benefit as a result through financial aid.

The funds will provide "greater support for undergraduate scholarships and graduate fellowships," so students can attend Notre Dame "regardless of economic background," Sandman said. Many gifts were restricted to student assistance, he said.

By enticing graduate students with fellowships, Sandman said Notre Dame "has the potential to be ranked among the best research universities in the country."

Also, contributions will subsidize professorships and library endowments as well as providing \$60 million towards university construction, he said.

Sandman said the \$53 million record is the result of both traditional and temporary sources.

He credits the Strategic Moment campaign as being an especially profitable source.

The campaign, a five-year effort concluding in 1990, has allowed the university "to reach out to many more people," he said. With the campaign, alumni, 50% of which donate annually, are personally solicited by phone.

So far, this program alone has amassed over \$450 million.

"The tremendous enthusiasm alumni and friends have for the university is a direct reflection of supporters' endorsement of Notre Dame's direction," Sandman said.

He said contributors' generosity reflects "confidence in the leadership of the university."

Corporate and foundation donations amounted to \$18.5 million, including an unprecedented \$2.4 million in corporate matching funds. Also, the Annual Fund and planned-giving commitments achieved record levels.

Sandman is "optimistic of future fundraising" as pledge commitments are fulfilled.



AP Photo

Directors aplenty

Members of the U.S. Army's 24th Mechanized Infantry Division appear to be guiding an F-16 plane's bomb payload to target during a live fire exercise in the Saudi Arabian desert Thursday.

New program will research better teaching methods

By MARK CAWLEY
News Writer

Notre Dame will institute a new teaching fellows program next year in the College of Arts and Letters as a result of a \$135,000 grant from Lilly Endowment Inc.

After a competitive selection process, six junior and one recently-tenured faculty will be chosen to participate in the program. The new fellows will each work with mentors on a teaching-related project. During the year they will each prepare an innovative teaching

program or improve upon an existing program.

The fellowship year will also include monthly meetings between the fellows and their mentors during which they will discuss ways to improve teaching methods. The fellows will also receive a one course reduction and a summer stipend.

Jennifer Warlick, associate dean of the College of Arts and Letters, said the program is intended to provide the fellows with "a philosophical foundation (on which) to base their

teaching careers."

In a written description of the program Warlick stated, "the program here has two principal goals: to allow faculty members to experience the rewards of good teaching at the same time as they pursue their research; and to maintain the tradition of teaching excellence for undergraduates as Notre Dame becomes a major research university."

The quality of teaching is "a critical problem in research universities because tremendous demands are placed upon

junior faculty," said Michael Loux, dean of the College. Loux said that junior faculty must balance their research with the demands of the courses they instruct.

The program will be funded by the Lilly Foundation for three years. If the program is successful, the University will continue the funding of the project. At this point, there are no plans to institute similar programs in the other colleges at Notre Dame, but "we hope that it will be so successful that the other colleges will want to

institute similar programs," said Jennifer Warlick.

The endowment also provides money to start a video tape library of the best teachers at Notre Dame. Fellows will be able "to take the tapes home and study them," said Warlick. The video tapes will be arranged according to the nature of the class and the style of teaching.

The College of Arts and Letters will solicit applications to the fellowship this spring. The first program will begin with the 1991-92 school year.

ND students give in spirit of Christmas

By SIOBHAN MCCARTHY
News Writer

Though stress over final exams has caused most of us to feel a little more like Scrooge recently, there are quite a few ND students who've been busy volunteering their time and effort in the giving spirit of Christmas.

Dorm Community Service Commissioners all over campus have organized special service projects to help out all of the needy, modern-day "Tiny Tims." Projects include everything from Christmas baskets and stockings, special collections, giving trees and various kinds of volunteer work.

Notre Dame is also attempting to spread its Christmas cheer across the world this holiday season. U.S. soldiers won't be getting any egg nog this Christmas, but Notre Dame students have decided to settle for the next best

thing: Kool-Aid.

Erin Lavelle spearheaded the campus drive for donations to buy sugar-free Kool-Aid, which will be sent to the soldiers in the Middle East.

"Right now, (as of Thursday) we have at least \$200 in the (change containers in the) Huddle," according to Lavelle. This amount, however, does not include any of the money collected from various dorm boxes located all over campus.

Chip Fortson has also gotten into the holiday spirit while helping to organize a service project for Saint Edward's Hall.

"We get every room to put together a \$10 to \$15 stocking" which is filled with much-needed items such as caps, mittens, socks, and school supplies, Fortson said.

The stockings were collected and then given to inner-city Chicago kids. "We've been doing this for three years now, and it's working really well," Fortson added.

Siegfried Hall has been busy as well, coordinating several festive projects at once in preparation for the joyful season. Community Service Commissioners Jill Miller and Julie Hennigan were in charge of "collecting toiletry and clothing for the Women's Care Center in South Bend. We also collected money for a family in South Bend through the Salvation Army," Miller said.

In addition, Siegfried residents have been doing some volunteerwork at Portage Manor. Portage Manor is a shelter for homeless people, recovering alcoholics, people with personality disorders and the mentally and physically handicapped.

"We've visited them all throughout the year, and just recently held a Christmas Party for them," added Miller.

Keenan residents have been

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Spring computer class schedule announced

Special to the Observer

The spring schedule of evening computer training classes has been announced by the Office of University Computing. The classes are free and open to all Notre Dame, Saint Mary's and Holy Cross students.

Scheduled classes will be held if more than five students are registered in advance. Students may register in person at the Information Resource Center, Room 111 in the Computing Center Mathematics Building. Registration can also be done by phone by calling 239-8111.

Class sizes are limited to 15, and registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. The following classes will meet from 7 to 9 p.m. on the specified dates.

"Beginning Microsoft Word 4.0" is designed for students who have no previous experi-

ence with the Macintosh word processor Microsoft Word. Basic keyboard skills and familiarity with the Macintosh concepts of point, click and drag is assumed. It will be held in Room 248 of the Hesburgh Library. The sessions offered are: Jan. 22 (Tuesday), Feb. 6 (Wednesday) and Feb. 21 (Thursday).

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Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays!

This is the last issue of The Observer before Christmas break. We will resume publication on January 16. The Observer would like to wish everybody a safe and happy Christmas and New Year.

INSIDE COLUMN

Friends make holidays a time for celebration

For as long as I can remember, "Christmas Eve's Eve" has been a highlight of the holiday season. It's the day that my three best friends of the past 16 years and I exchange our gifts.

The scenario is always the same: Jenny and I, the two

lacking any shred of patience, make desperate pleas to start the proceedings early. Lizzie, on the other hand, is the procrastinator. We're lucky if she's even shopped for our gifts by December 23, let alone wrapped them. And Molly's no help, as she knows that changing the rules would make Lizzie even more frazzled.

Sooner or later, we get to the real fun: opening the loot. As we have changed over the years, so have our tastes. Gone are the days of chinsy costume jewelry from Claire's Boutique (usually given by me, since I was the only one who didn't have pierced ears and was so damn jealous that I wanted to buy earrings anyway).

Molly and I went through the "Official Preppy" paraphernalia stage, accumulating handbooks, photo albums and all things pink and green. Jenny was always the Beatles nut, that is until she picked up an affinity for books about Ted Bundy and Charles Manson, with titles like "The Top Ten Grisliest, Bloodiest, Violent Murders in the United States."

I remember the year that trench coats were all the rage, hence the Salvation Army digs that hang limply in our closets to this day. Group presents have always been a hit, from Jenny's hand-painted boxer shorts to Molly's porcelain ornaments to Lizzie's chocolate sampler boxes that she buys us with leftover dining hall money.

Last year's group present is my all-time favorite. After convincing the Sears Photo Studio schlepps that the four of us were sisters, we snagged a free family portrait courtesy of a cereal box coupon. Jenny then had 8x10s made for all of us.

What's funny is that even though the presents have changed, the tradition, and more importantly, our friendship, hasn't. We may be scattered across the Midwest seeking the meaning of life (or at least a bachelor's degree), but we haven't lost sight of that which we will always know is real: our "Randallia Drive" bond.

Although it's harder to buy presents now that we're older, we still do it. Molly's an artist-in-training and practically an adult, but it seems strange to buy her something practical. Lizzie's off to Germany next semester, so I could always go the "traveler's necessities" route. Jenny's gift is easy: Now that she's a practicing Granola, I know I can't go wrong with anything in the ethnic-jewelry/Deadhead clothing department.

Perhaps I'll just frame this column for each of them. Then, twenty years from now when we struggle to find a way to get together each Christmas Eve's Eve, it will be easier to remember why we always do.



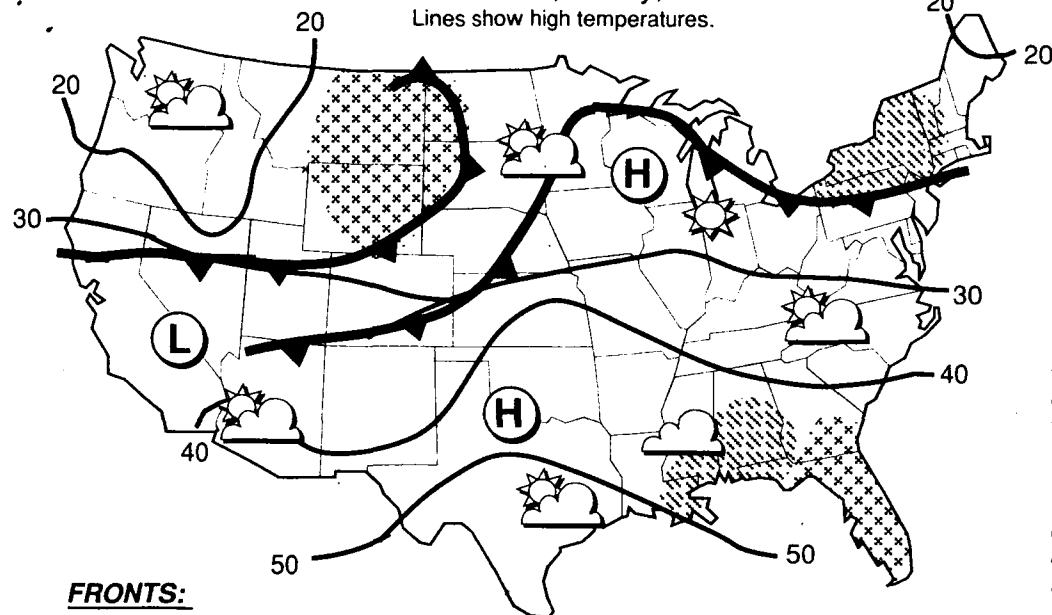
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WEATHER

Forecast for noon, Friday, Dec. 14

Lines show high temperatures.



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COLD WARM STATIONARY

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Yesterday's high: 57
Yesterday's low: 35
Nation's high: 86
(McAllen, Texas)
Nation's low: -6
(Warroad, Minn.)

Forecast:

Partly cloudy and cold today. Highs in the middle 30s. Mostly cloudy tonight with a 50 percent chance of rain or freezing rain late night. Lows around 30. Cloudy Saturday, with a 60 percent chance of rain. Highs around 40.

OF INTEREST

A memorial mass will be held for Laurie Lesniewski at Holy Spirit Chapel in LeMans Hall on Saturday, Dec. 15, at 4 p.m.

The Michiana Coalition for Justice and Peace is sponsoring a silent, candlelight vigil for peace in the Persian Gulf. The vigil will take place on Friday, Dec. 14 from 7 to 10 p.m., Sat. Dec 15 from 7 to 10 p.m., and Sunday, Dec. 16 from 3 to 5 p.m. at Howard Park along Jefferson Ave. Call Candace Carson at 273-1763.

Directing Finals will be held at the LAB Theater in Washington Hall, Friday at 7 p.m. Four one-act plays will be performed.

Congratulations to the following winners of the LBBS/BCAC raffle— 1st Prize, Chris Michel; 2nd Prize, Joseph Profy; 3rd Prize, Laurie McNeilly.

WORLD

OPEC ministers today endorsed maintaining high crude production to ease any oil shortages caused by the Persian Gulf crisis, and pledged to sharply reduce their output once it is resolved. Nigerian Oil Minister Jibril Aminu said the accord, which quickly wrapped up the cartel's winter meeting that began Wednesday, "should firm (prices) up and send a signal (that people) need to relax in a time of worry." The ministers' action reaffirms an earlier decision to suspend the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries' production quota system and allow its 13 members to produce to their utmost. Iraq and Libya had opposed the move by the cartel in August to produce excess crude.

Oliver Tambo, president of the African National Congress, returned to South Africa today after 30 years in exile, and thousands of wildly cheering supporters hailed the opposition leader. Tambo was welcomed by Nelson Mandela, the ANC's deputy president and the anti-apartheid organization's leading figure, and other senior leaders when his plane from Zimbabwe touched down at Jan Smuts Airport. Foreign diplomats, including U.S. Ambassador William Swing, were at the airport to greet Tambo. About 5,000 people, some singing and dancing, stood outside the airport to welcome Tambo. "Viva Tambo!" the crowds chanted as they waited for a glimpse of him.

NATIONAL

Charles Keating's version of his dealings with five senators is being sought by the Senate Ethics Committee through the indirect questioning of a top aide of the savings and loan operator. James Grogan, who served as Keating's lobbyist, was believed to have extensive knowledge about Keating's ties to five senators under investigation by the panel. And he had extensive contacts himself with the lawmakers and their staffs. Grogan appeared under subpoena before the ethics panel in closed session on Wednesday and was called back for more questioning today. The committee ordered Grogan to testify in hopes he would provide information from a side that has not yet been heard in 16 days of public hearings — that of Keating, whose Lincoln Savings and Loan Association collapsed in 1989 at a cost to taxpayers of more than \$2 billion.



The Census Bureau says it has found an additional 750,000 people — mostly criminal parolees and probationers — it missed during its April count. But officials of the nation's cities insist this is only a fraction of the total number overlooked and want an adjustment in the final tally. "At this point we feel we have done a very thorough census," Census Director Barbara Everitt Bryant said Wednesday in announcing the update. The newly counted people will be added to the preliminary count of 245.8 million. Bryant and Michael Darby, undersecretary of commerce for economic affairs, said the newly counted people were found through five programs designed to check the accuracy of the April 1 head count. The Census Bureau compared its count against parole and probation records, asked people to come forward if they were missed, sent workers to recanvass households that had mailed in a census form, and checked vacant and uninhabitable housing for someone who might be living in them.

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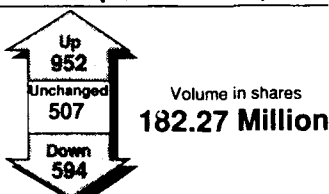
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INDIANA

Christopher Harville, 3, of Noblesville, was killed in a mobile home fire that apparently started when he and an older brother were playing with matches or a cigarette lighter, authorities said. "It appears that the boys, Christopher and his (5-year-old) brother, Edward, were playing in a closet of the home and they got something to start a fire. It caught an old mattress on fire in the closet, and the fire got out of control," Lt. Mitch Russell of the Hamilton County Sheriff's Department said. No other injuries were reported. The children's mother, Carmen Harville, escaped the mobile home with her son Edward after the fire broke out, authorities said. Authorities are continuing to investigate the blaze.

MARKET UPDATE

Market Update for Dec. 13, 1990



NYSE Index 180.25 ↑ 1.83
S&P Composite 330.19 ↑ 3.75
Dow Jones Industrials 2,561.88 ↓ 24.26

Precious Metals

Gold ↓ \$0.70 to \$373.50/oz.
Silver ↓ 0.24¢ to \$4.026/oz.

ALMANAC

On December 14:

- In 1911: Norwegian explorer Roald Amundsen became the first man to reach the South Pole, beating out an expedition led by Robert F. Scott.
- In 1939: The Soviet Union was dropped from the League of Nations.
- In 1945: Josef Kramer, known as "the beast of Belsen," and 10 others were hanged in Hameln for crimes committed at the Nazi's Belsen and Auschwitz concentration camps.
- In 1962: The U.S. space probe Mariner 2 approached Venus, transmitting back information about the planet's atmosphere and surface temperature.



Victim's weapon

AP Photo

Kentucky State Police Det. Robert Foster displays the shotgun that was used by a teenaged victim to shoot Phillip Clopton, who she said chained her to a tree, whipped and raped her.

Many students, rectors prefer former housekeeping system

By PAUL PEARSON
Assistant News Editor

Chris Colville liked it better the old way.

Colville, a resident of Flanner Hall, was very friendly with "Larry," a housekeeper assigned to Flanner Hall last year, and still refers to him as a "stud."

"He'd come in and talk to us [last semester]," said Colville. "He wouldn't slow down his work or anything, but he'd talked to us while he worked. He was cool."

However, this past semester changed that. As of this semester, housekeepers no longer come into students' rooms except for a weekly emptying of garbage cans.

Colville said he misses "Larry," who now works in another men's residence hall. "Now, the only time I see the maids is when they come early in the morning to empty the trash," he said.

Joe Minadio, a resident of Grace Hall, said he and his dormmates also miss the per-

sonal contact with the housekeepers of his hall. "We always used to get together and give [the housekeepers] a Christmas present. Now we don't know who they are."

According to "Joanna," a housekeeper in a men's residence hall, most of the housekeepers also miss the personal contact with students. "I don't get to meet people anymore," she said.

"Joanna" said that the housekeepers did not have much input in the decision to stop cleaning students' rooms. "When they announced the changes, our bosses basically told us 'If you don't like it, you can get another job.'"

Col. David Woods, director of support services, was not available for comment. However, Frank Parker, assistant director of building services, said "There have been improvements in dorm cleanliness over the last semester."

However, Father Wilfred Borden, rector of Pangborn Hall, disagrees with Parker's assessment of the situation.

"The general climate in the dorm has diminished. The showers aren't as clean," he said.

Borden said that last semester, the housekeepers were also helpful in terms of hall security. "They'd know if a stranger was in the hall, and they'd report it to us."

The rector of one women's residence hall, who spoke on the condition of anonymity, said that, while there had been no noticeable change in the quality of her hall's cleanliness, she has noticed that her housekeepers seem "pressed to get the work done."

She also said that her housekeepers had "expressed regret for the loss of personal contact with the students."

To compensate for the loss of maid service, the halls are now stocked with cleaning supplies for the students to use in their rooms.

However, Brother Bonaventure Scully, rector of Keenan Hall, said that his students "are not using the cleaners as much as they should."

New travel agent to move into LaFortune

Special to the Observer

The University will have a new travel agency on campus effective January 2, 1991. Anthony Travel will occupy the space in the LaFortune Student Center which Travelmore/Ask Mr. Foster has leased for the past several years.

Anthony Travel will be designated as the University's official travel agency. The president of the company, John Anthony, will oversee the LaFortune office. Office hours will be between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. The phone number will be 239-7080.

Anthony Travel has a toll free number for its LaFortune office during normal business hours. This number can be used when you are traveling and need to make changes in your travel plans. The number is 1-800-366-3772.

A second toll free number will be established for 24-hour-a-day, seven-days-a-week assistance. This number will be announced in January.

HAPPY 21st BIRTHDAY



Maureen O'Connell

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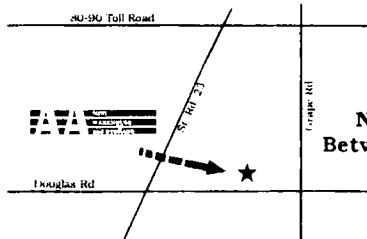
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Sunday, December 16

10:00 am Fr. John Lahey, C.S.C.

Houses watched over break

Special to The Observer

Off-campus students who would like their houses checked by the South Bend Police Department over break must make requests before leaving for home.

In an effort to reduce home burglaries, the South Bend Police Department will provide a house check for Notre Dame students who reside off-campus while away on Christmas break.

To request a Home Watch call the South Bend Police at 284-9201 or pick up a form at the Notre Dame Security Complex. Only one Home Watch form per house should be filled out and the house must be unoccupied during the period requested.

Let the Party Begin!

Butch, Happy 21st Birthday!!!

Love, Chris, Annmarie, Susan, Maria, Alicia
Maggie, Trisha, Gail, Mar, Mags, ..etc..

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WATCH FOR OUR GRAND OPENING DRAWING



An Amtrak passenger train, left, and a Massachusetts commuter train collided Wednesday morning inside the Back Bay train station in Boston. Over 100 people were injured in the accident. See story below.

Investigators search for cause of wreck

BOSTON (AP) — Federal authorities Thursday began examining everything from personnel files to train data recorders to determine what caused an Amtrak train to derail in a tunnel and hit a commuter train, injuring 264 people.

Investigators said they could not confirm or deny reports that speed was a factor in the crash Wednesday and said they would not speculate on the role of an apprentice engineer oper-

ating Amtrak's Night Owl train from Washington. He first took over operation of a regular train run Monday, authorities said.

The investigators worked under a temporary brace put up Thursday to bolster the tunnel ceiling, which ruptured when the Amtrak engine jackknifed on impact.

Federal investigators have conducted drug and alcohol tests on crews of both trains, as is routine after crashes. They

also planned to see if the tracks conformed to the proper gauge size and check maintenance records.

They will also document what happened to the seats, walls, food equipment and other equipment on the trains to look at how they withstood the impact.

Wednesday's morning rush-hour crash in the Back Bay Station injured 264 people. Fifteen people spent the night in hospitals.

Xmas

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almost as busy as Santa's elves lately.

"Every section does a project," said Keenan Community Service Commissioner Joseph Whalen. "Some guys adopted a sister at Saint Mary's (College). Our section adopted a family," according to Whalen. Another section went Christmas caroling at retirement homes.

Other Keenanites went to the Northern Indiana State Day Care Center and played with mentally and physically handicapped children.

"Some went bowling and others went swimming," Whalen added.

Howard residents have gotten involved with the addition of "a giving tree in the front area entrance," according to Laura Cattaneo, Howard community service commissioner.

Residents were asked to voluntarily pick an ornament off the decorated tree. Written on each of the ornaments was the name of a particular item such as a hat, gloves or mittens, "that would really help needy people during wintertime," said Cattaneo.

Alumni coordinators Mark Ross and Mike Smith have been busy organizing a solid base of volunteer workers at a new homeless shelter in downtown South Bend.

"We're serving dinner to them (homeless people) this year," Ross said.

The group has already conducted a clothing drive and is still asking for volunteers to join the group of thirty people already signed up. All ND students are welcome to join.

"We need to get a good base of people, basically students. It'd be an excuse for them (volunteer students) to do two good things at once," added Ross.

Students would be able to help poverty-stricken people

and make some good friends, too, according to Ross.

Badin residents have helped spread the holiday cheer to a family with a "daughter our age," according to Laura Navarro, Badin community service commissioner.

Badin residents have provided the family with "clothes and a meal," according to Navarro.

Kathy Royer, coordinator for service/social action groups at the Center for Social Concerns, commented on the extensive role which the CSC has played in these dorm Christmas projects.

"The Center for Social Concerns referred all the commissioners to the Salvation Army"

in order to obtain the names of needy South Bend families.

There are also "quite a few staff and faculty groups that are doing that, too." ROTC students also made donations to South Bend families, according to Royer.

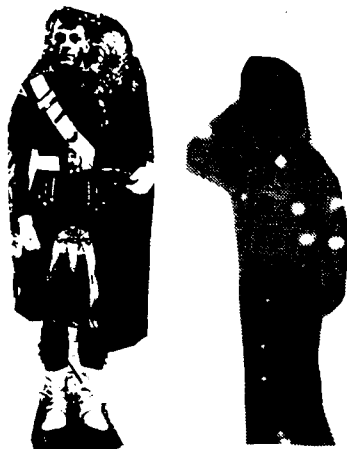
The Student Government also contributed its share through the 1, 1 and 1 project. The project collected one non-perishable food item, one article of clothing and one children's book from donors. All collected items were given to the Saint Vincent Depaul's society, an organization which distributes food and clothing to the poor.

The project was "fairly successful," according to Rob Pasin, student body president.

Yeah!
Sport's finally
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Happy 21st

Love,
Mom, Dad,
Terri, Steve,
Lyndsey, Marci,
Kevin, Connor,
Tim



DON'T FORGET!
Cathy Evces will be 21
on January 4!



Happy
Birthday
Cath!

Love, Mom,
Dad, Mike,
Marsh, and
Terry

Class

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"Beginning WordPerfect 5.1" is designed for students who have no previous experience with the PC/DOS word processor. Students are assumed to have WordPerfect 5.1 basic keyboard skills. The class covers the basics of word processing using WordPerfect 5.1. Students will create, format, edit, save, retrieve and print a simple document. They also will learn to use the spell checker and thesaurus. This class will be held in Room 247 of the Hesburgh Library on Jan. 23 (Wednesday), Feb. 7 (Thursday) and Feb. 19 (Tuesday).

"Writing a Paper with Microsoft Word 4.0" assumes basic knowledge of Microsoft Word 4.0 to produce a complex document, including advanced formatting and finishing, columns, tables, footnotes and importing graphics. This class will be held in Room 248 of the Hesburgh Library. Sessions will be offered on Jan. 29 (Tuesday), Feb. 13 (Wednesday) and Feb. 28 (Thursday).

"Writing a Paper with WordPerfect 5.1" assumes basic knowledge of WordPerfect 5.1 and covers several advanced features of WordPerfect 5.1 that are especially useful for writing papers and setting up documents in final publication

format. These features include: footnotes and endnotes, foreign characters, system defaults, headers and footers and page numbering. The location of this class will be Room 247 in the Hesburgh Library. Sessions will be held Jan. 30 (Wednesday), Feb. 14 (Thursday) and Feb. 26 (Tuesday).

In "Introduction to Hypercard 2.0," students will be introduced to Hypercard database, painting and hypertext tools and will explore their potential uses. This class will be held in Room 248 of the Hesburgh Library. Sessions will be held Jan. 31 (Thursday) and Feb. 12 (Tuesday).

In "Graphics with SuperPaint 2.0," students will learn how to create new graphics and manipulate existing graphics. Topics include painting, drawing, special effects and more. The location of this class is Room 248 of the Hesburgh Library. Sessions will be held on Jan. 24 (Thursday) and Feb. 5 (Tuesday).

"Introduction to Unix" is a general overview of the UNIX operating system. Topics include the directory structure, file handling, editing and mail. The intended audience is the UNIX novice on any platform. This class will be offered in Room 175 of the Fitzpatrick Engineering Building. Sessions will be held Jan. 22 (Tuesday) and Jan. 29 (Tuesday).



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9:45

HAVANA

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LENA OLIN

5:00-8:00



Voices of Faith

The Observer/David Short

Members of the Notre Dame Voices of Faith Gospel Ensemble, with the accompaniment of several musicians, performed last night at Washington Hall. With "Having You There" as the theme, the 11-year-old choir provided a celebratory, praise-filled concert.

Doctor goes on anti Gulf hunger strike

FORT HOOD, Texas (AP) — A flight surgeon with orders for Saudi Arabia is on a hunger strike and hopes he will be discharged from the Army after becoming too debilitated to work.

Capt. David Wiggins, 28, a West Point graduate, said he opposes war and has been trying to get out of the Army since February. He is scheduled to ship out to Saudi Arabia on Monday.

"I came away from West Point realizing that moral decisions are up to you," Wiggins said. "War is not a necessary evil, because non-violent political change is possible."

He said his hunger strike is designed to make him of no use to the Army, and he believes he soon will be unable to perform his duties.

On a diet of water and vitamins, the 5-foot-10-inch Wiggins said his weight has dropped from 167 pounds to 152. He began the fast Nov. 30 after a federal judge refused to overturn the Army's ruling that

he could not be discharged as a conscientious objector.

"I am applying for conscientious objector status because I have come to the conclusion that it is immoral and futile to defend freedom through the use of military force," Wiggins wrote in his application in February.

"Freedom is a natural human drive, spontaneously expressed, which does not need defense and rebels against force of any kind. Only through non-violent means can we safely defend our freedom."

Wiggins has offered to pay the government for his education at New York Medical College.

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Wiggins said that as an 18-year-old, he thought "war was good if America was fighting it."

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EC will vote on aid to Soviets

ROME (AP) — The European Community will vote on a \$2.4 billion aid package for the Soviet Union at a summit this weekend and will renew demands for Iraq's unconditional withdrawal from Kuwait, Italian delegates said Thursday.

On the eve of the two-day meeting in Rome, President Bush sent a letter to Italy, now EC president, urging the Europeans to stand firm against Iraq.

"For us, the withdrawal of Iraq from Kuwait must happen without conditions," said Premier Giulio Andreotti's spokesman, Pio Mastrobuoni.

He said European leaders were unmoved by Iraq's release of Western hostages and would issue a declaration in line with their previous statements demanding Iraq abide by U.N. resolutions.

The meeting starting Saturday is also expected to launch the 12-nation trading bloc on a radical path of political and economic union.

British Prime Minister John Major will make his international debut. EC officials hope Major will be more open to European integration than his predecessor, Margaret Thatcher.

Her isolation at an EC summit in Rome in October was a main factor leading to her forced resignation after 11 years in power.

"We will miss Mrs. Thatcher because she was the only woman sitting with us," Mastrobuoni told a news conference. "But I can only say that in the preparation phase there has been active cooperation from the British side."

A proposed \$2.4 billion food and economic aid package to the Soviet Union will top the agenda.

The proposal by the Community's executive body, the European Commission, envisages \$1 billion in food aid for 1991 — one-third in grants and two-thirds in guaranteed credits. The rest would consist of technical help for 1991 and 1992.

Bush said Wednesday the United States would provide \$1.3 billion in loan guarantees for the Soviets to buy U.S. farm products and manufactured goods.

Despite Italian confidence that the EC will approve the Soviet aid, the issue remains controversial. Some member states argue Moscow will never be able to repay the loans and that help should focus on the chaotic Soviet distribution system, not on handouts.

The European leaders will also consider aid to the new democracies of Eastern Europe. The European Commission says Bulgaria, Poland, Romania, Czechoslovakia and Hungary, as well as Yugoslavia, will need \$5.5 billion in extra financing next year.

On Saturday, the summit will inaugurate two intergovernmental conferences to fashion treaties for monetary, economic and political union.

Calls for a common defense have increased since the Persian Gulf crisis. Only Britain and France, for example, have sent ground forces to the gulf.

But not all EC governments are ready to talk about a joint defense policy. Britain fears undermining the role in Europe of the U.S.-led North Atlantic Treaty Organization.



War and peace

AP Photo

A Zulu, holding an axe and an olive branch, stands at a rally Wednesday addressed by Zulu Inkatha leader Mangosuthu Buthelezi.

Earthquake shakes Sicily, killing 19

SYRACUSE, Sicily (AP) — A moderate earthquake shook eastern Sicily early Thursday, killing 19 people and injuring about 200, panicking thousands and destroying part of a small town, officials said.

Worst hit was Carlentini, a town of 10,000 people between Catania and Syracuse, where members of five families were killed when their homes crumbled on top of them as they slept.

The quake struck at about 1:30 a.m. (5:30 p.m. Wednesday EST) and registered 4.7 on the Richter scale, the Ministry of Civil Protection reported. It was followed by dozens of aftershocks during the day.

"There was a huge roar all of a sudden. Everything shook," said Sebastiano Valvo, an employee at the Syracuse prefect's office.

The bodies of 13 people were pulled from the rubble in Carlentini. They included two elderly couples; a woman, her two daughters and two grand-

children; a 32-year-old bar owner; and a couple and their 18-month-old daughter.

The bar owner's wife died of her injuries in the hospital in Lentini.

In addition, four elderly people from the Catania area and one person from Niscemi, west of Syracuse, died of heart attacks after the quake, the Italian news agency ANSA reported.

A rescue worker in Carlentini told ANSA that he found the bodies of Sebastiano Musumeci, his wife Francesca and their 18-month-old daughter Veronica together.

"They're all hugging in a big bed," the unidentified worker was quoted as saying. "Maybe they were in such a deep sleep that they didn't even understand what happened. Let's hope it was like that."

The couple's 5-year-old son Rosario escaped.

About 200 people were injured, the Italian news agency AGI said.

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Returning British hostage John Biggs celebrates with his wife, Pam, and his sister Ann, at left, after landing at London's Gatwick Airport Tuesday night. Released American hostages were welcomed at the White House by President Bush on Thursday. See story at right.

Bush welcomes home hostages

Says 'hell no' to rewarding Saddam for release

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush, welcoming former Persian Gulf hostages to the White House on Thursday, sharply rejected any suggestion that Iraq's Saddam Hussein should get a reward for letting them go.

"Hell, no. Not one thing," Bush said. "You don't reward a kidnapper. You don't reward somebody who has done something he shouldn't have done in the first place."

Asked if he expected to be able to defuse the tensions in the Persian Gulf, Bush snapped, "One way or another we will."

The president met with seven newly released hostages as 32 of their countrymen left the Persian Gulf on what could be the last charter out. He said stories told by returning hostages have demonstrated the brutality of Saddam's actions.

"What this man put the world through — I just can't express it. And I think you all expressed it coming home with a clarity that has brought this home to the American people," Bush said.

He said after the hour-long meeting, "It was a very moving experience. A lot of people who showed a lot of support for what we're doing."

The hostages included one man who hid within the U.S. Embassy compound in Kuwait, four who had been used as "human shields" at sensitive Iraqi installations and two who had been in hiding in Kuwait.

Also on Thursday in Washington:

— Defense Secretary Dick Ch-

eney stressed that Saddam's release of the hostages brought with it no indication the Iraqi president would pull his troops out of occupied Kuwait.

Cheney said Saddam "continues to deploy more forces to Kuwait and southern Iraq. Every indication is he intends to continue his illegal occupation of Kuwait." Cheney made his comments to reporters after speaking at the National War College.

— U.S. District Judge Harold Greene denied a request by 54 Democratic members of Congress for an injunction to force the president to seek a declaration of war before launching an attack on Iraqi troops in Kuwait.

The judge said the Constitution requires a president to gain such authorization before launching an actual attack, but he said the case was premature since a majority of Congress had not expressed a view on a possible attack and because Bush "has not shown a commitment to a definitive course of action."

— The Air Force said it is sending more U.S. warplanes to Saudi Arabia from Germany and Britain, and the Navy announced the activation of hundreds of reservists for medical duty in the gulf area.

Also, the Pentagon said Cheney and Gen. Colin Powell, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, will travel to Saudi Arabia next Tuesday to visit American troops and to meet with Saudi government officials.

Two former hostages spoke

with reporters after the meeting with Bush and said the group supported his handling of the gulf situation.

"To a man, we were in agreement with the care and the diligence which is being taken by the president," said Ralph Montgomery, 56.

Montgomery, an architect from Indian Rocks Beach, Fla., said he hid with his son-in-law, who was a teacher at the American school in Kuwait. He praised their Palestinian neighbors for protecting them.

Antonio Mireles, who had stayed at the embassy compound, said the hostages told Bush the Kuwaitis are a peace-loving people and "what has happened here cannot be left unattended."

"It was atrocious what occurred here," said Mireles, 48, who had been working a civil engineer for the Kuwaiti government.

The last planned U.S.-sponsored flight from Iraq arrived in Frankfurt, Germany, carrying 94 passengers. Those on board included the last five U.S. diplomats from the U.S. Embassy in Kuwait.

Ambassador Nathaniel Howell and other American diplomats had defied Iraq's order to shut down the embassy in August. Cut off from most supplies and with their compound surrounded by Iraqi soldiers, the embassy staff subsisted mainly on canned tuna and boiled water from their swimming pool.

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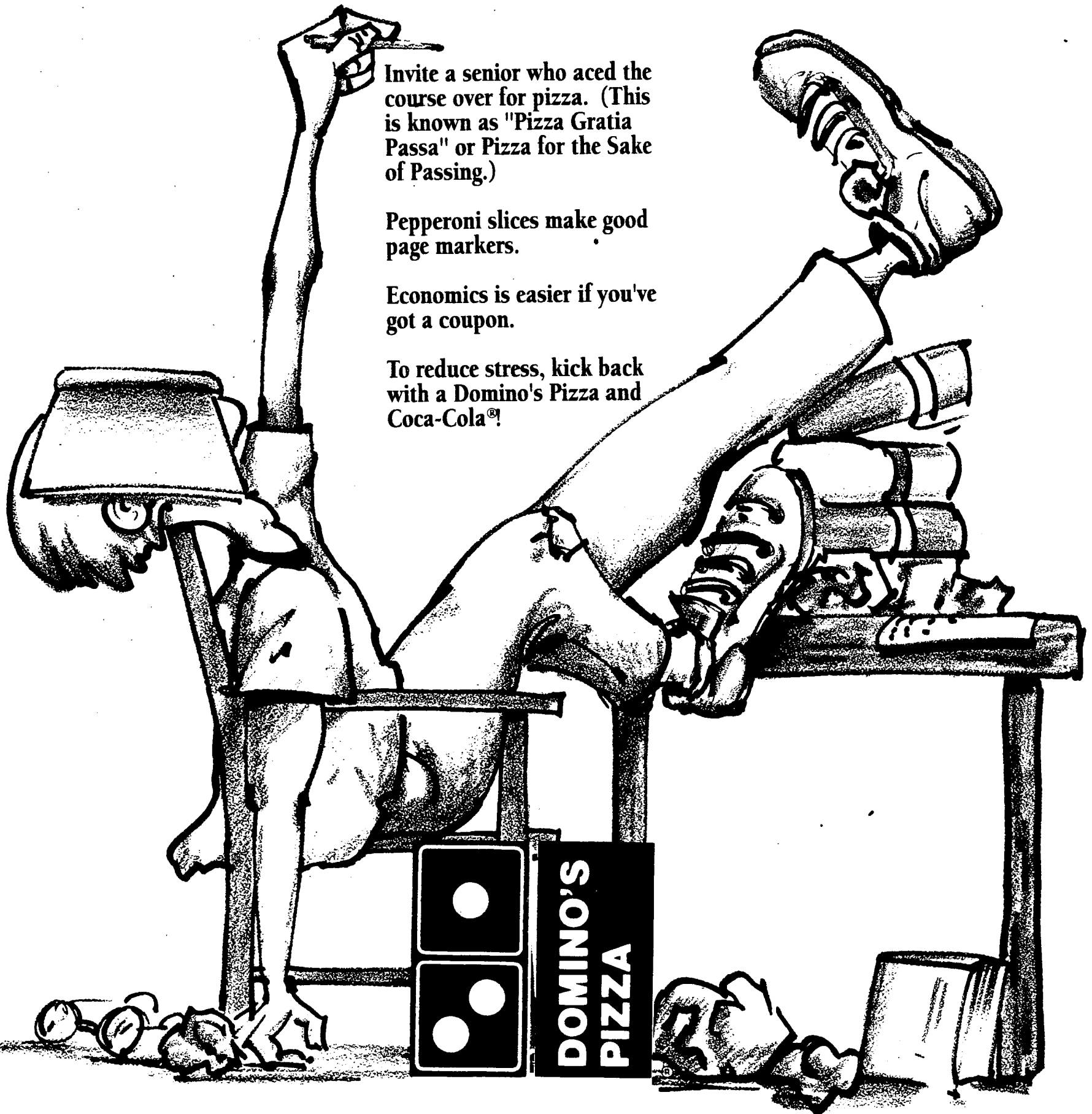
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President Bush gestures while meeting with Angolan rebel Jonas Savimbi, Thursday in the Oval Office of the White House. On Wednesday, Savimbi met with Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze which U.S. officials say will enhance prospects for a peaceful settlement of Angola's civil war.

Angola gets assistance from superpowers

WASHINGTON (AP) — Representatives of the two warring factions of Angola met Thursday with three outside mediators and a joint statement issued afterward reported "significant progress" toward reaching a cease-fire in the country's civil war.

Joining the Angolans at the talks were officials from the United States, the Soviet Union and Portugal, the former colonial power in Angola and site of the five rounds of peace talks held thus far this year.

"We believe that significant progress has been made, and that the prospects for a successful sixth round of negotiations in Lisbon early next year have been enhanced," the joint statement said.

The statement said the delegates were favorably impressed by the friendliness of the atmosphere created by the two Angolan parties as well as by the seriousness of their approach to the negotiations.

The U.S., Soviet and Portuguese officials held a news conference late Thursday,

but declined to cite the areas in which progress was made. They also said the discussion was an exchange of views rather than a negotiating session.

Herman Cohen, the U.S. assistant secretary of state for African affairs, said that the "main point of agreement" is that Angola's leftist government is now willing to implement constitutional changes that will convert the country from a one-party Marxist state to a multiparty democracy. This was agreed to at a party congress this past weekend.

The Portuguese representative, Antonio Monteiro, said an "enormous gap of confidence" has existed between the two factions but that this problem is being overcome.

The United States and the Soviet Union have been arming opposite sides in the conflict but have agreed to stop weapons shipments once a cease-fire agreement is reached. The war has dragged on for 15 years and killed hundreds of thousands of Angolans.

The leader of the Angolan rebel movement, Jonas Savimbi, said Thursday after a meeting with President Bush that peace prospects have improved as a result of joint efforts by the superpowers.

"I think both the United States and the Soviet Union are joining hands in trying to find a solution to the Angolan problem," Savimbi said after a 20-minute meeting with Bush, during which he thanked the president for U.S. support for his forces.

He said his goal is a truce in early 1991 and free and fair elections by the end of the year. He said the rival factions in Angola are close to a settlement.

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Young farmhand is key witness in Mendes trial

XAPURI, Brazil (AP) — An illiterate farmhand in hiding for more than a year has become a key witness in the trial of a rancher accused of plotting the murder of Amazon rain forest defender Chico Mendes.

Prosecutors say the testimony of the 15-year-old farmhand, who waited for hours under heavy guard to testify Thursday, will be vital in their attempts to prove rancher Darly Alves da Silva plotted Mendes' 1988 killing and even held a barbecue to celebrate it. Attorneys say his testimony is now expected Friday.

Alves da Silva's son stunned the court on the first day of the trial Wednesday by confessing to the slaying of the rubber tapper, but prosecutors contend the statement was crafted to protect his father.

Mendes, 44, had gained international recognition for organizing opposition to ranchers who have cleared vast swaths of rain forest for pasture, threatening a vital ecosystem as well as the livelihood of rubber tappers.

He became a symbol of Brazil's poor and landless, and the trial in this Amazonian town near the Bolivian border has gripped this nation of 150 million people. His killing galvanized international efforts to save the rain forest.

Amazonia contains 30 percent of the world's rain forest. Uncontrolled slash-and-burn clearing already has destroyed more than 250,000 square miles of rain forest, an area equal to the size of Texas.

Scientists estimate a patch of jungle the size of a football field disappears on Earth every eight seconds, with the carbon dioxide released by the burning adding to the greenhouse effect said to be warming the planet.

The teen-age witness, Genezio Barbosa da Silva, was to take the stand late Thursday on the second day of the trial, but reading of depositions into the night here pushed back his testimony to, at earliest, Friday morning. The jury also asked Thursday for a transcript of the son's videotaped confession.

The boy arrived in this remote jungle town Tuesday under escort by state troopers carrying submachine guns. He has been kept isolated in a back room of the tiny wooden courthouse guarded by a half-dozen heavily armed police.

Prosecution lawyers said they have received anonymous threats saying Genezio would be killed. He has remained in hiding for more than a year in several southern Brazilian

states, thousands of miles away.

The verdict and sentencing were expected by Saturday. If found guilty, Alves da Silva, 54, and his 23-year-old son, Darci Alves Pereira, would face a sentence of 12 to 30 years in prison.

Mendes was ambushed Dec. 22, 1988, in the yard of his home in this remote western Amazon town, 2,650 miles northwest of Rio de Janeiro.

On Wednesday, Alves da Silva denied accusations he had ordered his son to carry out the shooting.

Prosecution lawyer Sueli Belato said Genezio would testify Alves da Silva had ordered the deaths of several local men. Their bodies allegedly were doused with fuel and burned in a field on the Parana ranch seven miles from Xapuri.

Genezio, a shy youth with brown curly hair and a distant relation by marriage, is the only member of the close-knit clan to testify against the patriarch.



Darci Alves Pereira, right, the main defendant in the murder trial of slain rain forest advocate Chico Mendes, sits in court with his father, co-defendant Darly Alves da Silva in Xapuri, Brazil, Wednesday. Pereira confessed to the murder in the opening hearing Wednesday. His father has pleaded innocent to allegations he planned the shooting. Prosecutors say an illiterate 15-year-old farmhand has become a key witness.

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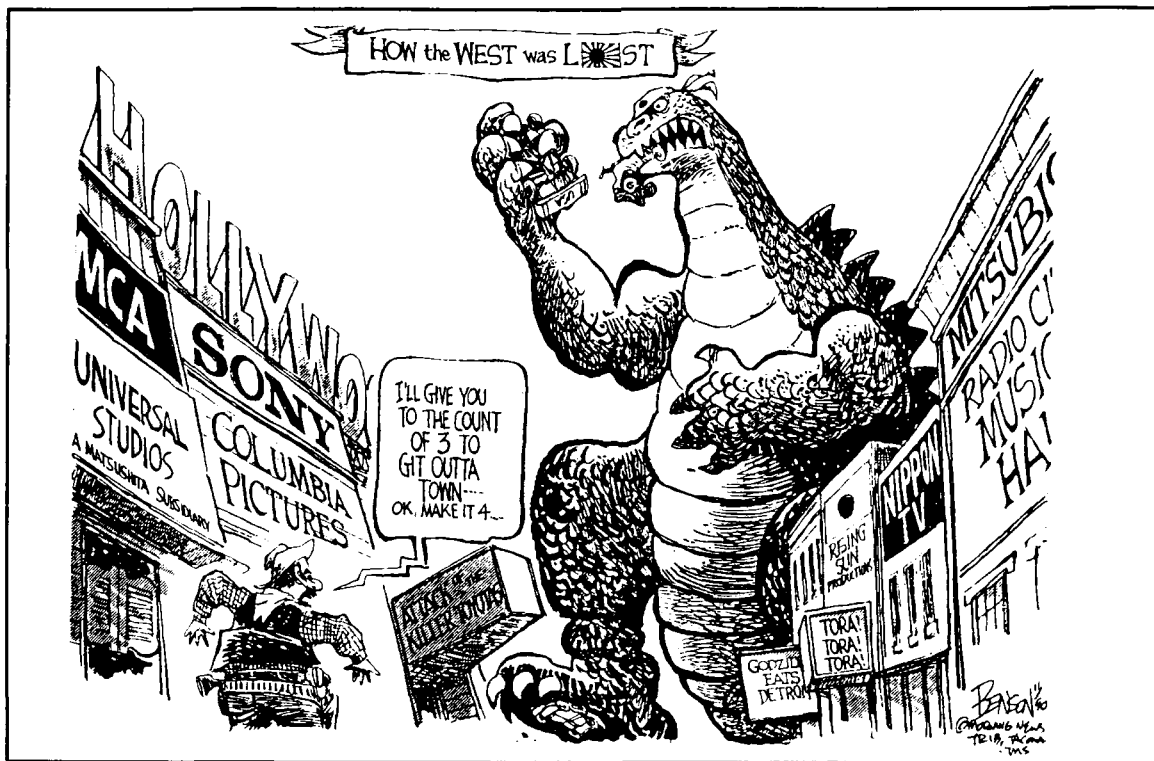
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LETTERS

ND needs to shed billboard image by focusing on social concerns

Dear Editor:

As in recent years, the college bowl lineup this year is blessed with a multitude of corporate sponsored games: the Mazda Gator Bowl, Domino's Pizza Copper Bowl, Poulino's Weezer Independence Bowl, and the list goes on and on.

This may be of little significance to many, but think about what has happened here. Corporations have guaranteed bowls millions of dollars in exchange for endless advertising on television and through souvenir merchandise. For example, Notre Dame fans have advertised the Sunkist company on their chests for the past three years since the Sunkist Fiesta Bowl national championship T-shirts were sold. With this being the second consecutive trip to the Federal Express Orange Bowl, overnight mail delivery has acquired a duo of spoketeams in Colorado and Notre Dame.

Are we a university or a billboard? Perhaps we should scale down our public affiliations with corporate America and, instead, use our increased television exposure in a more positive manner.

Next year, there is no official bowl invitation date. Therefore, as of Jan. 2, bowl committees can begin lining up next year's bowls, without any reference to records, rankings, etc. Without a regular season contest scheduled between them, a huge bidding war will commence for the services of one game, Notre Dame vs. Miami. Corporations will dish more and more money out as enticements. Major bowls may drop affiliations with conferences just to get that game.

They may even create a new bowl game, just for these two teams. The Catholics vs. Convicts Bowl. (No, that name won't work). How about, the Silver Bowl. Oops, forgot the corporate sponsor. The Sony Silver Bowl. The game will be played in the Pontiac Silverdome. They'll play the game the day after the New Year's Day bowls. Television ratings will be higher than the Super Bowl.

I suggest Notre Dame resists this temptation before it occurs and begins a new trend away from corporate sponsored bowl games. Why? Because Notre

Dame stands for the student-athlete, higher education, moral values and social justice, not mega-corporations. Notre Dame has proven it can single-handedly change the face of televised football with the NBC deal. Now, it can change things for the better by reversing the corporate blitz.

Notre Dame should begin this year by refusing to wear Orange Bowl emblems on their uniforms that bear the name of the corporate sponsor, Federal Express. Instead, they should wear emblems representing a social concern that this University supports. I suggest a "Remember the Homeless" emblem. That would redirect our attention toward an important social concern of the University while at the same time making a subtle statement against corporate sponsorship.

The University of Iowa football team has made a similar move by placing an "ANF" logo on their helmets, standing for "America Needs Farmers".

A small gesture, but one which gains national attention and which is certainly more palatable than turning the

team into a huge marketing gimmick.

Next year, Notre Dame should refuse to play in any corporate sponsored bowl. A bold move, perhaps risking the loss of thousands of dollars, but maybe a move that won't lose revenue. Instead, it may restructure the post-season games in the same way that the NBC deal has changed the conference alliances of many colleges. Let's

Limiting photographs in exhibit violates constitutional rights

Dear Editor:

Recently, I attended the exhibition of Rolling Stones photographs, which was both interesting and informative. Spending time viewing each photograph allowed me to formulate a personal opinion of each one. I was puzzled, however, when the photograph of Janis Joplin was nowhere to be found. When I inquired as to the photograph's whereabouts, I was directed to the Office of Student Activities. At the Office, I asked to speak with the coordinator of the exhibit. Their response to my inquiry was that the photograph had not been displayed because of its nudity.

I was surprised to hear this response, especially since there were other photographs displaying nudity or lewd gestures. This does not mean that I feel these photographs should have also been removed. On the contrary, I believe that one must be exposed to different types of works in order to make an informed decision as to what he or she considers art.

Perhaps those who decided to remove the photograph sought to protect me from an overly sexual piece of work, but how

face it: when Notre Dame football talks, the country listens.

Theodore E. Mandell
Asst. Professional Specialist
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Dec. 11, 1990

Argument against priest employs patriarchal reasoning

Dear Editor:

Is it so hard to see what J. Michael Leger is up to in his "tirade" against Father O'Connor (The Observer, Dec. 7)? The question is not who has the better argument, but who can abuse his opponent the most. But as he accuses Father O'Connor, Leger, himself, shows us little reason to discount O'Connor claims. Just the length of his response, as well as the style of his

rhetoric, are sufficient proof that something much different than reason enters in here. For instead, Leger very easily—too easily—takes the intellectual and moral "high ground" against what he calls a clueless priest, who is "patriarchal," "phallogocentric," "propagandistic," and "uncritical." If only reasoning were so easy.

If abuse (i.e. power) is really at the base of it all, what will it

profit us to thrust off one "patriarchy"—one set of "authoritarian, propagandistic" power structures—only to establish another in its place? And even in the best construal, in Leger's world picture reason itself is and must be authoritarian—it too is, in a word, patriarchal. So if it comes down to a choice; who should we call "Father"?

Mark Smillie
Off-campus

DOONESBURY



GARRY TRUDEAU

QUOTE OF THE DAY

'If one advances confidently in the direction of his dreams, and endeavors to live the life which he imagined, he will meet...success.'

Henry David Thoreau

Policy of 'forceful' nonviolence creates new options for world leaders

By Hugh Mundy

The World War Two era is generally regarded as the most destructive period in modern history. Events such as the bombing of Pearl Harbor, the use of atomic weapons, and the senseless annihilation of Jews by the Nazi regime give startling insight into humanity's violent capabilities.

Occasionally, however, materials surface which provide an affirmation of humanity amidst the wartime atrocities. For example, Philip Hallie's "Lest Innocent Blood Be Shed" tells a story of Le Chambon, a French community which served as protection for Jews during the Holocaust, and its courageous leader, Andre Trocme. Although the members of the

small town share similar beliefs and ideals, Trocme is the force which bonds the community through his selfless behavior and leadership ability. Of all the values held by Trocme, I am most impressed with his unique policy of nonviolent resistance.

Until reading Hallie's account, I had always considered pacifism to be a glorified expression for indecisiveness. To me, the term simply indicated a lack of motivation coupled with intolerance for any aggression. I believed that pacifists, although honorable in their peaceful ethic, possessed nonviolent tendencies due to cowardice rather than valor. Trocme's actions certainly prove otherwise. From an origin in

the simple Christian ideal, "Love thy neighbor," Trocme develops the idea of nonviolence into a way of life for his community.

However, nonviolence does not mean inactivity. On the contrary, the pastor's ethic requires tireless labor and a refusal to back down in the presence of an aggressor. The culmination of Trocme's staunch morals is shown in his hesitation to flee Le Chambon even after learning of several threats on his life. His desire to aid his "neighbor" in the face of death presents Trocme as a "Christ-like" figure who possesses the strength and power to uphold his Christian views regardless of the consequences.

Reading about the efforts of

Andre Trocme has provided me with historical information regarding the political and social aspects of World War Two in France. Moreover, Hallie's work has helped develop and strengthen my personal beliefs concerning a disturbing current event: the Persian Gulf crisis. For months, I have been searching for a means to express my concern regarding U.S. occupation in the Gulf. I certainly do not advocate the use of force by the American military, but, nevertheless, I believe Iraq's unprovoked aggression is intolerable. For this reason, I have remained somewhat confused about the situation. Noted pacifists, such as journalist Colman McCarthy, who lecture on nonviolence but evade the issue of just "what to

do" leave me unfulfilled with their pointless rhetoric. President Bush is equally mystifying, as he cannot seem to justify (or even list) reasons for occupation. However, by considering Trocme's policy of "forceful" nonviolence, a wealth of new options evolves. Concepts such as economic sanctions, as well as a multinational peace keeping force without offensive weaponry, appear much more plausible using Trocme's ideal of pacifism. His simple philosophy based on the ancient Christian ethic surely merits consideration from present day world leaders.

Hugh Mundy is a sophomore in the College of Arts and Letters.

LETTERS

Anti-alcohol activist misrepresents beer advertisers

Dear Editor:

Recent Observer coverage of an appearance by anti-alcohol activist Jean Kilbourne (The Observer, Oct. 11) included accusations by Ms. Kilbourne that Anheuser-Busch advertising promotes the abuse of our products. As Vice-President of Consumer Awareness and Education for Anheuser-Busch Companies, I would like to address Ms. Kilbourne's misinformation, not only with regard to our advertising.

Ms. Kilbourne's basic argument is that beer advertising causes alcohol abuse. This opinion is not and can not be backed with any credible research. In fact, to the contrary, many experts have studied the

relationship between alcohol advertising and consumption and abuse and all have concluded that there is little evidence to support her claim. These experts included numerous social scientists, a Congressional committee, a former Federal Trade Commission chairperson and, most recently, the Department of Health and Human Services.

Ms. Kilbourne states that "alcohol is one of the most heavily advertised products in our society." Not according to Broadcast Advertisers Inc., and organization that tracks the level of product advertising. The facts are that beer advertising represents only 3% of total ad expenditures annually and about 1% of the total ads

on television, falling well behind nearly a dozen other products.

Kilbourne goes on to say that the alcohol industry denies that their advertising is designed to recruit new customers. That is a totally false statement. The purpose of our advertising is to recruit customers from competing brands, which is what must be done in a product category which is experiencing no growth. In spite of the fact that per capita consumption of beer has been flat for the past ten years, Anheuser-Busch market share has grown steadily during this period as a result of consumers switching to our brands.

This was achieved with the help of an aggressive advertising plan. With one share point worth 440 million dollars in retail sales in our industry, it should be clear, even to someone with as little marketing savvy as Ms. Kilbourne, that advertising for market share makes a great deal of sense.

Finally, Ms. Kilbourne gets on the anti-alcohol bandwagon with the usual list of solutions to alcohol abuse promoted by prohibitionists like herself. These include more government regulations against advertising, counter advertising and higher taxes.

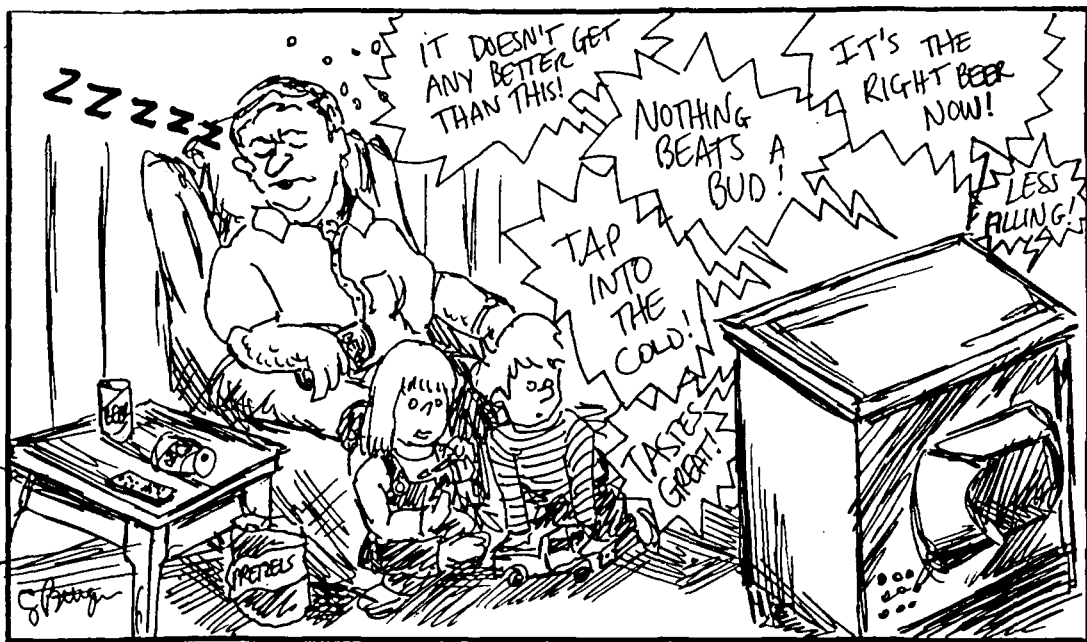
all presented with the promise of reducing alcohol abuse. All one need do is look at other countries who have tried many of these so-called solutions. In each case, there has been very little, if any, impact on the problem of alcohol abuse.

No one, including Anheuser-Busch, wants an individual to abuse alcohol. However, contrary to the anti-alcohol groups

who promote more and more government intervention into our private lives, my company has relied on a long standing commitment to public awareness and education as an effective way to address alcohol abuse. This effort is embodied in our 8-year-old "Know When To Say When" campaign. If any readers wish to learn more about the extensive programming we offer in this area, please contact the Department of Consumer Awareness and Education at Anheuser-Busch Companies, St. Louis, Missouri.

*Stephen J. Burrows
Vice President
Consumer Awareness & Education
Dec. 3, 1990*

Editor's Note: This letter is in reference to a lecture given by Jean Kilbourne at Notre Dame on Oct. 10. Kilbourne is a member of the Board of Directors of the National Council on Alcoholism and an internationally recognized media critic.



ND contributes to recovery with its spirit

Dear Editor:

About two months ago, a CAT scan revealed a tumor at the base of my brain. I flew home to Atlanta to prepare for surgery and rapidly became the object of many prayers, thoughts and a great deal of love. I feel a great desire to thank all those responsible for my success and recovery.

First, I must thank the gentlemen of Alumni Hall, especially Father George and Father John. The Dogs sent me a beautiful card filled with notes of encouragement and support by means of a fax machine the day of surgery. Next, I must thank the Band of the Fighting Irish, which expressed great concern for my health and showed amazing support for my spirit. The mass offered

on my behalf, the flowers and the sheer quantity of notes was a meaningful, pleasant surprise.

Finally, I have to give a great thank you to the Notre Dame football team. Let's understand that this entire incident occurred prior to the Miami game. Therefore, the only thing I asked of my doctor was a television and consciousness at 2 p.m., Saturday, October 20. He complied, and I was fortunate enough to see the Irish play the most outstanding football game of the year. When I returned to campus, the team honored and graced me with the gift of a game ball from Miami. I cannot express the privilege and excitement such a gift represents to me. Thank you all!

Now, let me explain why I am

writing this. Ladies and gentlemen of Notre Dame, we are lucky enough to go to a school where people are not afraid to express some emotion of affection. People care here and want those they care about to know it. I have been fortunate enough to be on the receiving end of this experience. I can only thank God for my health, my friends and Notre Dame. I pray that everyone at this University has an Alumni Hall, marching band, or football team with whom he or she can show and receive some love. I am just glad to be back under the Dome! Thank you.

*Robert Fitzgerald
Dec. 12, 1990*

Mature sense of patriotism requires intellectual, moral considerations

Dear Editor:

John Gerosa's letter (The Observer, Dec. 11) presents a disturbing view of patriotism. He argues that we must not protest U.S. involvement in the Middle East because "for a military operation like the one which may take place in January to be a success, it takes more than winning on the battlefield; it requires the support from the people at home." A more mature sense of patriotism would require us to define success according to our moral and intellectual faculties before supporting military action.

Mr. Gerosa asks us to "review three very important words which signify this fine institution: God, Country, Notre Dame;" then he asks us to disregard the first and third in favor of a simplistic notion of the second.

Any consideration of the first, God, requires us to consider the moral implications of the U.S. action in the Middle East. We must ask ourselves, is it right to kill innocent Americans, Kuwaitis and Iraqis before all peaceful options have been rigorously pursued?

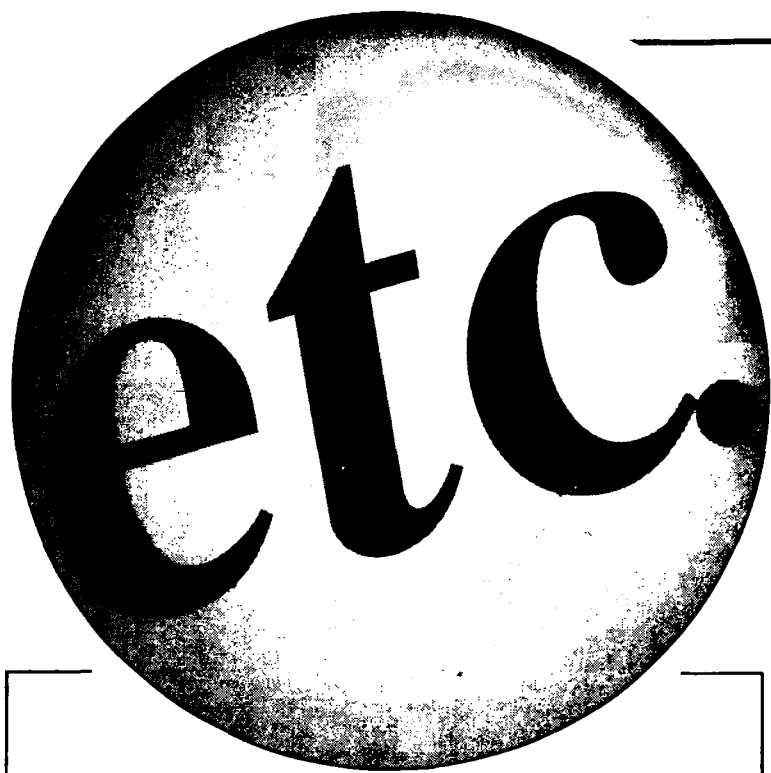
Any consideration of the University of Notre Dame re-

quires us to seek intellectual consistency in our actions. If we are fighting for economic interests, does it make sense to spend billions of dollars to protect the right of OPEC to continue earning billions of our dollars? If we want free access to oil, why didn't we take military action against OPEC when it first formed?

If our goal is to protect the Kuwaitis against injustice, why are we so tolerant of injustice in Beijing, Tibet and South Africa? If there is a difference between the Kuwaiti situation and the others, what is it, and is it worth killing and dying for?

A more mature concept of patriotism would not ignore morals and intellects. Great people are worthy of respect and honor because they strive for moral and intellectual consistency. The U.S. is a great country in that it does the same; the only way it will do so is if we ask the questions Mr. Gerosa wishes us to ignore.

*Mike Bailey
Alumni Hall
Dec. 11, 1990*



DECEMBER 14 - 16

weekend calendar friday

MUSIC

The Generics, Bridget's, 10 p.m.
Krosen Roe, Club 23, 9 p.m.
Breakup Band, Center Street Blues Cafe, 9:30 p.m.
Glee Club Christmas Concert, Stepan Center, 8 p.m.

saturday

MUSIC

After Hours, Center Street Blues Cafe, 9:30 p.m.
New Earth Blues Band, Club 23, 9 p.m.
Handel's "Messiah", featuring the South Bend Symphony Chamber Orchestra, O'Laughlin Auditorium, Saint Mary's College, 8 p.m. Tickets \$13.75 adults, \$5.75 students.

sunday

MUSIC

Service of Lessons and Carols, Church of Our Lady of Loretto, Saint Mary's College, 8 p.m.

EVENTS

Pancake Breakfast, North Dining Hall & South Dining Hall, 11 p.m. - 12:30 a.m.

films

FRIDAY

"Christmas Vacation", Cushing Auditorium, 8 & 10:30 p.m.

UNIVERSITY PARK EAST

"Dances With Wolves", 1:15, 4:45 & 8:15 p.m.
"Three Men & a Little Lady", 1, 3:05, 5:05, 7:15 & 9:30 p.m.
"Ghost", 1:30, 4:15, 7 & 9:30 p.m.
"Predator II", 1:45, 4:30, 7:30 & 9:45 p.m.
"The Rookie", (two screens) 1:50, 4:35, 7:30 & 9:55 p.m.

UNIVERSITY PARK WEST

"Home Alone", (two screens) 11:45 a.m., 1:30, 2:15, 4:45, 6:30, 7:15, 9 & 9:45 p.m.
"Prince & the Pauper" & "Rescuers Down Under", (double feature with intermission) 11:30 a.m., 2, 4:30, 7 & 9:20 p.m.

TOWN & COUNTRY

"Misery", 5, 7:15 & 9:45 p.m.
"Memphis Belle", 4:45, 7 & 9:15 p.m.
"Quigley Down Under", 4:45, 7 & 9:30 p.m.

100 CENTER

"Exorcist III", 7 & 9 p.m.
"White Palace", 7:30 & 9:30 p.m.



Miami area hot spots

By ALISON COCKS
Editor in Chief

Visitors to the Miami area can indulge almost any whim, not only in Greater Miami, but also in its surrounding areas: Coral Gables, Coconut Grove, and Miami Beach. Below are some of the area's highlights:

Penrod's

When Irish fans travel to games, they like a place to congregate. In Miami, the spot of choice is Penrod's.

Once again, Penrod's will be the center of much of the pre- and post-game activity. The pep rally will be held here on Dec. 30, along with a New Year's Eve party beginning at 9 p.m. the following night and a post-game victory party. Located in Miami Beach, Penrod's boasts a generous stretch of beach, a swimming pool and volleyball nets. The club features a multi-level dance floor, a laser show, ample bar space and a number of televisions. The menu is also appealing, particularly the appetizer selections.

Monty's

Located on the Biscayne Bay in Coconut Grove, Monty's Raw Bar is a well-known, popular hangout. Monty's is the site for weekly broadcasts from Miami Hurricane coach Dennis Erickson; patrons can also find a school bus parked outside, painted in Hurricane colors and sporting 'Go Canes' on its side. The atmosphere is excellent, but since Monty's is an outdoor bar, inclement weather can hinder social activity. Along with an extensive drinks menu, a wide selection of food is offered. On New Year's Eve, Monty's will be celebrating New Year's in The Raw—for a \$10 cover, party-goers can enjoy live entertainment, party favors, a midnight champagne toast and complimentary breakfast. On New Year's day, \$1 drafts will be served all day. Valet parking is complimentary.

Coconut Grove Area:

Coconut Grove is a small area next to Coral Gables, and a popular one at night. Many of the area's residents 'cruise The Grove' on weekends and other holidays. Bar-hopping around this area provides an opportunity to see and be seen. Many people choose to drive up and down the area, and still more park their cars on the street and spend an evening sitting at one of the many sidewalk cafes and restaurants.

Stringfellows

Mayfair in the Grove, 3390 Mary St. (Coconut Grove)
Already a hit in London, New York and Beverly Hills, Stringfellows has also become a popular restaurant and nightclub in Coconut Grove.

Dancing begins at 11:30 p.m. and continues until 5:00 a.m. Every Monday is jazz night. Cover charges are \$10 Sunday - Thursday, \$15 on Fridays and \$20 on Saturdays.

Joe's Stone Crab Restaurant

This is one of Miami Beach's most famous seafood restaurants, renowned for its name implies, for stone crabs of all sizes. Joe's opens only while its infamous stone crabs are in season, from October to May. Reservations are not accepted, and patrons are warned to be prepared to wait. The fare, however, is definitely worth both the wait and the price. Although the atmosphere is fairly casual, shorts and t-shirts are not permitted.

The Acapulco

Fans of Mexican food will appreciate both the atmosphere and the entrees at The Acapulco. The dining area is intimate and the service friendly and attentive. Customers can enjoy nacho chips, spicy salsa and a variety of imported beers served in frosted mugs. The fajitas are particularly good.

Dockside Terrace

Bayside Marketplace, 401 Biscayne Blvd.

This casual indoor/outdoor restaurant is located in downtown Miami and sits on the Biscayne Bay. Its exotic tropical drinks, munchies, dinners and desserts are inexpensively priced. Valet parking is complimentary and dock space is available.

Bayside Marketplace

401 Biscayne Blvd., greater Miami

This waterside mall can be found at the College/Bayside station of Miami's Metromover, right across from the Miamarina. The public transportation system which circles the city. The 235,000-square-foot marketplace features retail shops, pushcarts, restaurants, and a fast food court with approximately 30 vendors.

Pineapple's

530 Arthur Godfrey Road, Miami Beach

Art deco and health food fans will appreciate Pineapple's. It is both a health food restaurant and store, and is decorated in art deco pink. Dress is casual and reservations are not accepted.

Lulu's

1053 Washington Ave, Miami Beach

Elvis fans will find their bit of heaven at this mini Graceland in Miami Beach, which shimmers with Elvis memorabilia. All of the legendary King's favorite foods are offered at this Kitschy - American restaurant—fried peanut butter and banana sandwiches, cornbread, fried chicken, peanut butter and chocolate volcano cake. Reservations are not accepted.

FUN IN 1

Juicy

BY KELLEY TUTHILL
News Editor

Why search for places to party in Miami when the Alumni Association has already taken care of it? For those students who want to participate in any of the Notre Dame sponsored events, here is the Orange Bowl weekend schedule.

Be sure to keep in mind the following dates and places:

Friday, Dec. 28 - Sunday, Dec. 30, Hospitality Center and Notre Dame Bookstore South, Hyatt Regency 400 SE 2nd Ave. (official Notre Dame headquarters)—10 a.m. until 10 p.m.; Penrod's Sunday Dec. 30 and Monday Dec. 31.

The Bookstore has a few choice items that are not available on campus, including unique game shirts. Like here, the items are not cheap, so bring plenty of cash or a credit card.

Friday, Dec. 29

• Junior Orange Bowl Parade, Coral Gables—7 p.m.

A preview to Monday's big



Downtown Miami

THE SUN ON JAN. 1



Orange Bowl events

Orange Bowl parade.

Saturday, Dec. 29
•Mass, Hyatt Regency Hibiscus Room—4 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 30

•Mass, Hyatt Regency Hibiscus Room—11 a.m.
•Pep rally/mixer, Penrod's on the Beach—7 p.m.

This is a must-see! Watching the band march down the beach at Penrod's was a highlight of last year's trip. Plus, admission is free with a Notre Dame/Saint Mary's I.D.

Monday, Dec. 31
•Mass, Hyatt Regency Hibiscus Room—4 p.m.

•Orange Bowl parade, downtown Miami—7 p.m.

If you can handle the crowds, this is well worth your time. If you prefer you can watch the parade in the Hyatt Regency Hibiscus Room on a big screen TV.

•Penrod's New Year's Eve Party—9 p.m.

If you didn't party too much at the Pep Rally the night before, definitely head back to Penrod's on New Year's. A huge bash complete with hats, noise makers, champagne and dancing. If you want to go a bit more formal or need a place to ditch

your parents, try the Alumni Association's New Year's Eve Dinner and Dance, Hyatt Regency Ballroom—9:30 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 1

•Mass, Hyatt Regency Hibiscus Room—11 a.m.

•Pre Game Tailgate, Sun Bank parking lot (near stadium)—4 to 7:30 p.m.

Don't miss this all-you-can-eat feast conveniently located within walking distance of the Orange Bowl. Last year there was plenty to drink, as well as eat. Admission, \$10 with student I.D.

•Notre Dame crushes Colorado at the Federal Express Orange Bowl, Orange Bowl Stadium—8 p.m.

•Victory party, Hyatt Regency and Penrod's—after the game

For those students who aren't planning on staying at the Hyatt, here are a few of the more reasonably priced hotels in the Miami International Airport area.

Best Western Miami Airport Inn, 1550 NW LeJeune Rd. 1-800-327-6087.

Holiday Inn Airport North, 1111 S. Royal Poinciana Blvd. 1-800-HOLIDAY.

Quality Inn Airport, 2373 NW LeJeune Rd. 1-800-666-0668.

Pickup of student tickets for the game will be at The Hyatt Regency according to the following schedule: Saturday, Dec. 29, noon to 4 p.m.; Sunday, Dec. 30, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Monday, Dec. 31, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Tuesday, Jan. 1 at the Orange Bowl starting at 4 p.m.

If you feel the urge to attend a sporting event other than the Orange Bowl, here are two that we suggest. The Blockbuster Bowl, featuring Penn State versus Florida State in Ft. Lauderdale (a 30 minute drive from Miami) on Friday, Dec. 30. Also, the Indianapolis Colts (and former Irish star Anthony Johnson) take on the Miami Dolphins, Sunday, Dec. 30. A limited number of tickets for each are available through Bucky Lopez (305) 358-5100.

Finally, the Alumni Association would like students traveling to the game to call the office at 239-6000 to let them know where you are staying. The ND Club of Miami and Student Activities will sponsor a shuttle service on New Year's Eve if they can determine where most students are located.

The scoop on CU fans

BY L. PETER YOB
Assistant News Editor

This is the rematch that no one wanted. Well, at least no one at Notre Dame.

ND accepted the invitation to play Colorado in the Orange Bowl, it seems, because there was no option. The policy of "play the highest ranked team available" has mandated a return trip to the Sunshine State.

I've heard the complaints about playing in Miami for the second year in a row. From what I've heard, the people's choice would have been the Sugar Bowl and an excuse to spend New Year's Eve in New Orleans.

But fate has determined that ND will again face Colorado. If this match-up leaves those in South Bend less than thrilled, it has been met with enthusiasm

in Boulder, Colorado, home of the CU Buffalos. Well, maybe I should qualify that statement; It has been met with as much enthusiasm as Boulderites can possibly muster.

I spent four years of my life in Boulder as a student at CU. Most of my memories of that time are just a blur, thanks to the loss of gray matter I've suffered as a law student, however, for me to give the students here a general idea of what to expect from CU fans in Miami.

Boulder is a town that prides itself on being different and being non-conformist. It's liberal sentiments have caused many to call it, half-jokingly, a people's republic. CU students tend to be politically apathetic, unless provoked (not that it would come up, but don't mention CIA recruiting, South Africa or boycotting Coors).

CU considers itself a hip, trendy school. New fads are started in Boulder. By the time a trend reaches the Midwest, chances are it's already passe to the students at CU.

This trendiness tends to put CU students out of touch with large parts of the country. "The void, the empty place," and "the place I fly over," are common references for the Midwest.

Don't be surprised if you meet someone from Boulder and they haven't the vaguest idea of where Notre Dame is located. If they're forced, they will likely guess that ND is in New York, Ohio or Massachusetts.

When you tell a CU fan that you go to school in Indiana, you'll likely receive a blank stare. More than likely they have never met a person from Indiana, which is good, because they'll have no preconceptions.

On the other hand, preconceptions exist about Colorado. Most of the people I've met here refer to Colorado as "the place where I ski." Boulderites are not only skiers, but outdoor enthusiasts as well.

CU students are admittedly not the best football fans in the country. This may be a result of the wishbone style offense CU employs. A former classmate of mine commented last year that CU has three plays, run it around the left side, run it around the right side and run it up the middle.

This does not make for tremendous excitement. More than once I've been in the stands of Folsom Field in the fourth quarter and overheard one student turn to another and ask, "What is the score, anyway?"

If you meet people from Boulder, they may not be football-wise, but they will likely be friendly. They enjoy and know how to have a good time. If you get the chance, spend some time getting to know them. Just remember, whatever you do, don't mention fifth down!



'More than a Whisper' promotes creativity

By LAURIE BRINK
Guest Columnist

Once in a land of higher learning, a decree came forth from under the golden dome and it stated: "There shall be a Year of celebrating. And that Year will celebrate Women. And that Year will promote and encourage the accomplishments and aspects of Women. And that year is now."

Those who gathered and heard this word, heard so through many different ears. One dressed by J. Crew and hurrying to a class responded: "Terrific. Now they'll hear our point of view."

One topped with a ball cap and hurrying to the same class, grumbled, "Terrific. Another opportunity for the radical feminists to create upheaval."

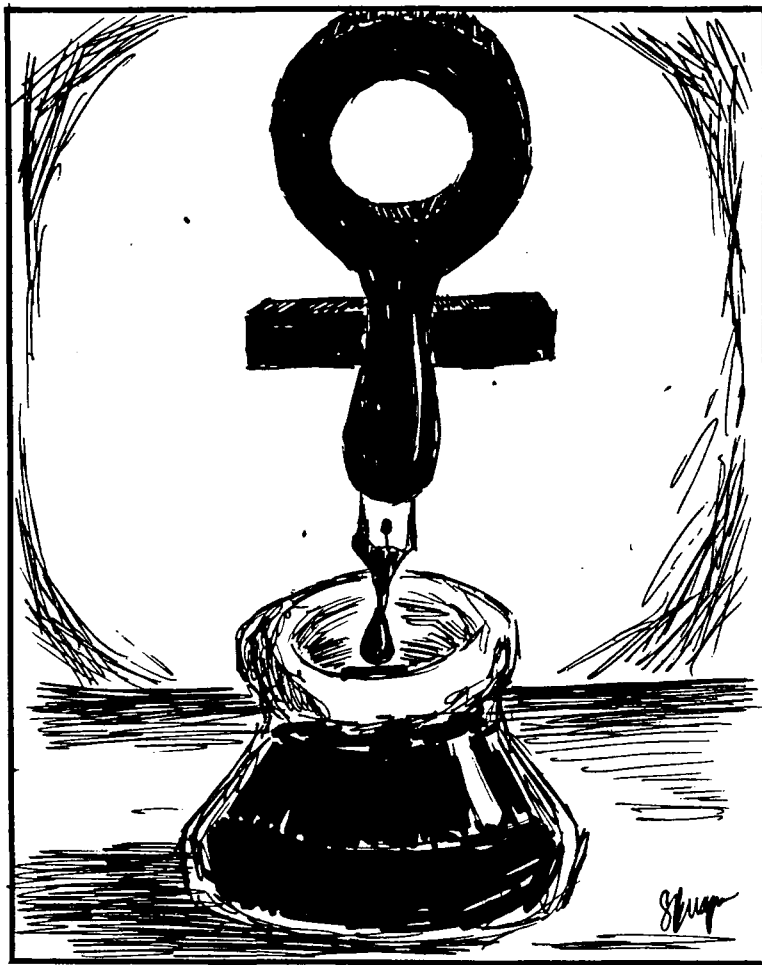
One, bespeckled and walking with the air of great wisdom, said, "Probably won't do much good. A lot of fanfare and nothing of import."

But there were others who heard and what their ears allowed them to receive was shaped not by their opinions, but by their heart. What they heard started as a whisper.

"Perhaps," began the whisper, faint and still far away. "Perhaps, something of import could indeed come. Perhaps something that promoted women's perspective without shooting arrows through men's. Perhaps, a forum for radical and reluctant. For praise and dirge. For poetry and prose..."

"POETRY AND PROSE!" Suddenly the whisper grew louder and echoed through the Mod Quad, shaking the stillness of a napping afternoon.

When it was more than a



whisper, those who heard knew what they must do. They must celebrate the year not in controversy that leads to emptiness, but in art that leads to greater understanding. But how? came the next question.

"Through a solid mass of creativity," bubbled one. "A giant granite block dead center in a quad."

The others smiled politely. Then visions of another Moses donning seasonal paraphernalia and decorated with euphemisms skirted by their collective mind. No, a sculpture

would not encompass more than one individual's concept and may invite others' non-constructive responses. "This," said the whisper, "must allow many to speak, create, photograph and draw."

"If the block were somehow multi-faceted, like a diamond..." said one.

"With many sides, allowing all to add their own touch," added another.

"Then gathering the small whispers from many, we would have work that spoke loudly," commented a third. And now

the sound of their own excitement became deafening. This new music would spill out over the quads and through the classrooms. This new psalter would ring praise of women and of men. Of gender and of differences. Of growing up and growing wise.

This new endeavor would be a magazine, a diamond of paper and ink. A magazine open to all the Notre Dame community. A magazine inviting poetry, prose, art and photographs. If it could be reproduced on paper it could be submitted.

"But when the multitude sends its expression, how will we choose one from another?" asked one.

"We will not," answered another. "We will ask representatives from administration, the faculty, the student body, the Holy Cross community and support services to select the material to be published. That way all have equal opportunity to be read and possibility published."

And those who first heard the whisper called others—commissioners already serving with the Year of Women Committee. And these commissioners would carry the message back to their dorms. They would be the collectors of work and general overseers of the project. That way all would have a part in its preparation.

But still there needed to be a nucleus—a central body which could direct and edit and solicit support for the costs of this new birthing. And so Deanna Dobrowolski and Laura Molach volunteered to be editors. Coaxed and cajoled into service was the business manager, Terry Cotter. Eager and excited came a graphic designer: Au-

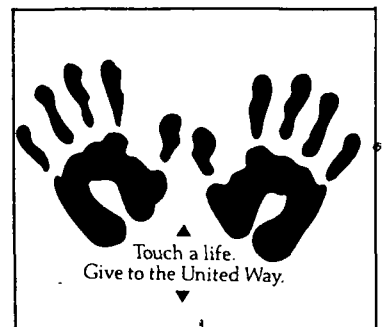
drey Welling. And serving as an ever-ready ear to the growing whisper, Laurie Brink would advise.

A deadline was set: December 12. But, alas, the burden of season found many a creative mind buried under the weight of overdue assignments. Fingers that once so numbly danced atop the typewriter suffered from knotting, cramped from overuse. But their cries for relief did not go unheard. The nucleus listened and responded.

"Creativity need not be rushed. Art is not measured by time. We shall extend the deadline. We shall slate January 23 as the final submissions date. All prose must be less than 2,500 words and typed, double-spaced. All art and photos must be mounted on 8 1/2 by 11 paper," said the editors.

And all comments and queries should be sent to 326 Pasquerilla West.

And so as the sounds of the season—the clicking of keyboards and rustling of papers, the printing of computers and the gulping of yet another drink of caffeine—drifted out over the winter scene, the whisper grew quiet for a moment. It was a pregnant pause that would anxiously await full birth. Next semester.



Reflection on the life of an old rector

Viator Grzeskowiak, a Holy Cross Brother who retired last spring after 15 years as the Rector of Stanford, died very suddenly last weekend at the age of 68. To help the freshmen in Stanford understand what the old rector of their hall was like, I want to share with them the homily I delivered this week at Vi's funeral.

Outside the windows that belonged to Brother Viator in Stanford Hall is a wonderful old sycamore tree that grows blamelessly and happy, the world forgetting, by the world forgot, like the cloistered nun in Pope's poem-tucked into the narrow space between the dorm and the chapel, that tree was about all Vi could see of the natural beauty of the Notre Dame campus.

He loved that sycamore very much, and had turned it into a sanctuary for turtledoves in need of shelter. All winter long, he scattered seeds for the birds to feed on; and when the snow was on the ground, he scattered birdseed on his windowsills, so that those turtledoves could find it more easily. So many birds came that you couldn't keep count, though you could see dozens of them perched on the branches of Vi's sycamore any time you looked out the window.

This winter, with Vi gone from Stanford, the turtledoves have not been back, though sometimes a hungry bird will show up, like a bon vivant trying to crash the party at Gatsby's house, not knowing that the party is over, and the kitchen is closed.

The bird-feeder hasn't been

Father Robert Griffin

Letters to a Lonely God



He was the grain of wheat, buried in the earth, waiting to explode into liveliness, here and hereafter.

re-stocked since Vi left, as I could tell when I checked it on the morning of his funeral. Without those wintering turtledoves—or the occasional cardinals which came to pay that flock a pastoral visit—to keep it company, the sycamore looks so lonesome I offered it comfort: "Tell our guests that St. Francis doesn't live here anymore. Tell them, please, from Vi and me: 'Thanks for the memories.'"

The Jewish rabbis say that when God wants to judge a person's character, He looks to see how well that person tends his sheep. God must have thought highly of Viator as guestmaster and shepherd to the birds of the air. Other rectors keep the campus beautiful by planting flowers. Viator kept the world beautiful by saving the birds.

I, however, would never have known about it, if I hadn't gotten up early a few times, and caught him in the act: lugging bird-seed home from the mall; wading through snowdrifts so high, his belly-button must have been in deep freeze. He kept his apostolate to the turtledoves so private, it

becomes a metaphor for all the kindnesses and favors he did for people, without letting his left hand know what his right hand was doing.

One Christmas, a Notre Dame alumnus sent me a check for \$600—scentence money which he wanted me to give to charity as a fulfillment of some penance he had imposed on himself.

I asked Vi to find a home for the money; from the report he gave me later, I could see he had divided up that windfall to charity like a drill sergeant's pay—\$50 to a university employee hard pressed to buy Christmas presents for her children; \$50 to an unemployed janitor; \$50 to some women's group that helps unmarried mothers.

That well-thought out list gave me a bird's eye view of Brother Vi sensitivity, and possibly of his private philanthropy.

You could find many Gospel images that could be appropriately used to describe this Holy Cross Brother. He was the faithful servant waiting to greet the master coming home unexpectedly. He was the grain of wheat, buried in the earth, waiting to explode into liveliness, here and hereafter. He was a Joseph-figure helping his brothers in the land of Egypt; and his patron was that later Joseph who, as foster-

father and spouse, protected the innocence of Jesus and Mary.

Some of my best memories are of Vi presiding over a dinner table as host, feeding his guests as though he were trying to spoil them as a Polish mother would. Vi must have paid close attention to the biblical episodes of Jesus having suppers. He was invited to.

Vi certainly took the rules of hospitality to heart, and turned them into another metaphor for the way that life should be lived. The guest master, capable of serving a gracious meal to his friends, is not apt to be careless in observing other kinds of ritual, especially if they are religious. On the other hand, if, as Dr. Johnson said, a man is not faithful to his stomach, he's not apt to be faithful to much else.

Newman wrote the prayer for a happy death which I say all the time: "May he support us all the day long till the shades lengthen and the evening comes and the busy world is hushed and the fever of life is over and our work is done. Then, in His mercy, may He give us a safe lodging and a holy rest and peace at the last." From now on, when I say that prayer, I will think of Vi, because the kind of serenity it expresses was present in his life as a Christian who has found his fulfillment in doing God's will.

Seeing Vi's life in hindsight, I realize how he relied for support on the Everlasting Arms, though his faith was of the quiet kind that hates to show off.

Together, as rector and chaplain in Stanford hall, we were old timers growing mellow together. Each day's lengthening shadows reminded us of the brevity of life. The coming of evening must have caused him, as it caused me, to wonder how close we were to the darkness that would finish us like candles that have burnt out at both ends.

Of course we never talked of Time's winged chariot hurrying near, for that would have been morbid; but we were reminded of our mortality every time we read the evening hymn at Vespers.

Sometimes I would wait with him for the dorm to quiet down at midnight, or late on the weekends. As aging curmudgeons, the fever of life only heated us vicariously, through the students we lived with and sometimes counseled.

Vi was always happy to see his day's work done; and late evening always found him ready for the crib. Yet he would have kept the night watch as rector until the cows came home, if he had been allowed to.

Now he has gone to the house of the Lord; and I'm in no great hurry to join him there. I only wish that he hadn't left us so soon, because we had planned to get together for more good meals and some laughs and a drink or two.

On the Christmas card I received on the morning of his funeral, he wrote: "Miss the good times that we had together." Now he has accepted this better offer, which he could not refuse. May flights of angels sing him to his rest.

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*** TARA MCDONALD ***

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Goose, have a splendiferous
celebration of the advent of your
angst-ridden life. I wish you
countless days free from
tormentation by crazed squirrels,
and nights when you won't be
picking thorns from your skin.
Salutations and birthday greetings
to my one and only
goosemann....love, mo.

TUTS and FLO: happy ho ho day
to the more perverse 2/3 of our
disgusting threesome. thanks for a
great, smut-filled semester. love
and sloppy kisses (as flo would
say) — MONY

Jumpin' Joe Moody, Pete's Loftus
and Yob, Paul, Brad (Chip),
Siobhan, Christine, Kev, Kev,
Frank, Max, Colleen, and Alicia:
You are the very reason this news
dept. exists, the heartbeat that
sustains our life. or something like
that. have a super vacation, free of
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and tuts, flo and mony. we love you
even if you hate us.

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Love,
Casey and Laura

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Did that get your attention? I
figured it would! Just wanted to tell
you ONCE AGAIN that I'll miss you
lots next sem.!! But I like it here &
you want to be there - we're stuck!!
Do what you must but KEEP IN
TOUCH - after all, you'll wanna
know if I ever get a 22%! Love ya -
the Selective Slut

hey JuDe

MERRY CHRISTMAS to 3rd Floor
Siegfried!!!

Mike Richardson and John Kroepfl
like to dress as Santa and put little
girls on their laps. Their roommate
gets chicks anyway. Tom Gibbons
plays Milli Vanilli in the shower. Tim
Rogers is still unemployed (yes,
still.) BLAIR O'CONNOR WILL
SPEND HIS 21ST BIRTHDAY IN
THE STALL ALONE. WITH A
RUBBER DUCKIE AND SOME
MOZZERELLA CHEESE (grated,
of course.)

To the Fishermen of the 4th
floor (and B.C.):
We wanted to thank you for
a great 1st semester!

MERRY CHRISTMAS
and
A POMPATOUS NEW YEAR!
Love,
A. H. and N.

ETT,
Merry Christmas and Happy New
Year!!! I wish we could celebrate
together. (Hypo-
thetically speaking...) I'll miss you!!
Love,
Me

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9. Hey, no withholding pertinent
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8. Bonk!
7. It's my American duty to vote!
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check the oil!
5. Butthead!!!
4. You've got information written
all over your forehead!
3. You mean Thanksgiving is
ALWAYS on a Thursday!
2. I can feel my chest pressing
against the floor!
1. How many ways are there to
get P_____ Breath?

We will be at ND,
and
You will be aBROAD

Love Always,
The Oldest, The Youngest, and
The Shortest!!!!

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this is 'Church Chat'.....
I mean, the Commencement
Speech." —Margaret Steinfelds
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY
from across the way !!

hey JuDe,
ERD

Gavin
Ten Memories from fall 1990:
-baloney
-mih-ens
-when they shot two-socks
-the girls' bathroom
- the RA's room
-the lake
-the basement
-the loft
-all things Scottish
-aunts, aunts, aunts!
I love you. Merry Xmas.
Tony

KNOTT HALL IS AWESOME !!!

THE GENERICS
at Bridget's
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the last jam of the year!!
THE GENERICS

HAPPY 21ST BIRTHDAY MATT
BULGER-The man who defined
MIA. Will II be Missing In Action
tonight?

HAPPY BELATED 21ST
BIRTHDAY KELLY SMITH
love,
everyone

Louise, Alicia, Bridget, Kevin,
Brian, Ben, Matt-the-birthday-boy,
Dave, Jim and last, certainly the
least Alese, good luck on finals,
have a Merry Christmas and
Happy New Year.
love, Chris
P.S. Sorry, no Christmas presents.

KAREN JURGENSON
Your b-day is over break.
Go nuts! Go crazy! Go wild!
It's time to celebrate!

21 only comes once
You're legal until time ends.
(That means you'll buy for us
b/c we're your underage friends!)
DOE!!
Lynn, Maura, Beth

Sarah,
Thanks for being the greatest
roommate this semester. I will miss
you muchly when I'm starving in
Leningrad and freezing to death. I
know you'll leave the window open
in the room all winter in sympathy.
Good luck getting into the (warm
climate) grad schools of choice for
next year, you psych goddess! Red
and green are the coolest. Do you
think there will be any tuna of
ducks in the Soviet Union? Or the
Bahamas, for that matter? Have a
great time lazing on the beaches
and sending me lots and lots of
postcards (hint). I will miss you, but
you know the mail works (write to
me!)

Love,
Catherine

JIM
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Love, Lisa

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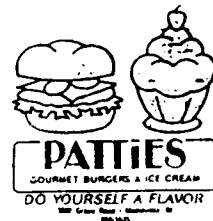
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Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Boston	17	4	.810	—	8-2	Won 2	10-1	7-3	10-3
Philadelphia	14	7	.667	3	7-3	Lost 1	10-2	4-5	11-5
New York	9	11	.450	7 1/2	3-7	Won 2	4-6	5-5	5-7
New Jersey	8	12	.400	8 1/2	6-4	Lost 1	6-4	2-8	4-9
Washington	6	14	.300	10 1/2	4-6	Lost 3	4-3	2-11	4-9
Miami	5	14	.263	11	2-8	Lost 5	4-7	1-7	4-10

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Milwaukee	15	7	.682	—	6-4	Lost 1	11-0	4-7	12-7
Detroit	14	7	.667	1/2	5-5	Lost 1	8-1	6-6	11-1
Chicago	12	8	.600	2	7-3	Lost 2	5-3	7-5	6-4
Cleveland	10	11	.476	4 1/2	3-7	Lost 3	6-4	4-7	8-9
Atlanta	9	11	.450	5	5-5	Won 3	4-6	5-5	4-10
Charlotte	8	12	.400	6	3-7	Lost 5	5-4	3-8	7-8
Indiana	8	14	.364	7	3-7	Lost 2	8-3	0-11	5-9

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
San Antonio	12	5	.706	—	7-3	Won 3	7-1	5-4	9-4
Utah	14	7	.667	—	9-1	Won 6	10-2	4-5	12-4
Houston	12	9	.571	2	6-4	Won 1	8-3	4-6	8-5
Dallas	7	11	.389	5 1/2	2-8	Won 1	4-5	3-6	5-9
Minnesota	7	13	.350	6 1/2	3-7	Lost 1	5-5	2-8	5-9
Denver	5	16	.238	9	4-6	Lost 1	4-6	1-10	3-12
Orlando	5	17	.227	9 1/2	2-8	Lost 3	4-6	1-11	3-12

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Portland	19	2	.905	—	8-2	Lost 1	11-1	8-1	12-2
Phoenix	12	7	.632	6	6-4	Won 4	7-3	5-4	10-4
Golden State	13	8	.619	6	5-5	Won 1	8-2	5-6	8-5
LA Lakers	11	7	.611	6 1/2	8-2	Lost 1	7-4	4-3	9-6
LA Clippers	10	10	.500	8 1/2	5-5	Won 1	8-4	2-6	8-7
Seattle	6	13	.316	12	2-8	Lost 1	4-5	2-8	2-8
Sacramento	4	15	.211	14	3-7	Won 1	3-6	1-9	2-9

Thursday's Games

Atlanta 106, New Jersey 97
New York 87, Minnesota 76
Phoenix 125, Orlando 114
Utah 141, Denver 126
Golden State 129, Seattle 106
Sacramento 100, Portland 88

Friday's Games

San Antonio at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Miami at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at Boston, 8 p.m.
Houston at Washington, 8 p.m.
LA Clippers at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Dallas at Portland, 10:30 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Washington at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.
Boston at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
New York at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
San Antonio at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
Cleveland at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
LA Clippers at Milwaukee, 9 p.m.
Phoenix at Denver, 9:30 p.m.
Indiana at Utah, 9:30 p.m.
Dallas at Seattle, 10 p.m.
LA Lakers at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
Orlando at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Lakers at Portland, 10 p.m.
Indiana at LA Lakers, 10:30 p.m.

NHL STANDINGS

WHALES CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
NY Rangers	18	11	5	41	130	103	10-4-2	8-7-3	5-6-2
Philadelphia	18	14	3	39	121	114	10-7-2	8-7-1	6-8-3
Washington	18	15	0	36	112	100	9-6-0	9-9-0	10-6-0
New Jersey	18	13	4	36	129	116	11-3-3	5-10-1	8-8-2
Pittsburgh	13	16	3	29	129	126	7-9-1	6-7-2	9-6-0
NY Islanders	10	17	3	23	80	110	6-8-1	4-9-2	4-8-3

Adams Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
Boston	18	10	4	40	110	100	8-4-2	10-6-2	8-5-2
Montreal	16	14	3	35	105	103	9-6-1	7-8-2	9-4-2
Buffalo	13	15	4	30	91	107	6-8-5	7-7-1	6-8-3
Quebec	7	20	6	20	92	142	2-9-4	5-11-2	3-5-4

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
Chicago	22	10	2	46	116	84	11-5-1	11-5-1	8-4-0
St. Louis	18	9	4	40	107	85	9-3-4	9-6-0	9-4-1
Detroit	15	13	4	34	121	118	13-5-0	2-8-4	8-5-2
Minnesota	9	18	6	24	94	110	6-9-2	3-9-4	1-9-2
Toronto	8	24	1	17	88	140	5-13-1	3-11-0	4-8-1

Smythe Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
Calgary	19	10	4	42	138	104	9-4-1	10-6-3	9-1-1
Los Angeles	16	9	5	37	122	99	11-4-3	5-5-2	4-4-3
Vancouver	14	15	3	31	99	108	8-5-1	6-10-2	3-7-0
Edmonton	12	15	2	26	91	88	8-7-1	4-8-1	2-7-2
Winnipeg	9	18	7	25	112	124	6-8-2	3-10-5	5-4-4

Thursday's Games

Boston 8, Hartford 2
Detroit 5, Quebec 2
N.Y. Islanders 2, Philadelphia 2, tie
Pittsburgh 9, New Jersey 5
Chicago 5, Winnipeg 4
St. Louis 4, Minnesota 2
Calgary 4, Los Angeles 1

Friday's Games

Pittsburgh at Buffalo, 7:35 p.m.
N.Y. Rangers at Vancouver, 10:35 p.m.

Saturday's Games

Detroit at Philadelphia, 1:05 p.m.
Chicago at Minnesota, 2:35 p.m.
New Jersey at Boston, 7:35 p.m.
N.Y. Islanders at Quebec, 7:35 p.m.
Hartford at Washington, 7:35 p.m.
St. Louis at Toronto, 8:05 p.m.
Montreal at Winnipeg, 8:05 p.m.
Edmonton at Los Angeles, 10:35 p.m.

Sunday's Games

Minnesota at Chicago, 2:35 p.m.
Calgary at Vancouver, 5:05 p.m.
St. Louis at Buffalo, 7:05 p.m.
Detroit at Pittsburgh, 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia at Winnipeg, 8:05 p.m.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

CALIFORNIA ANGELS—Announced that Max Venable, outfielder, had accepted salary arbitration offer.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Released Mark McLemore, infielder.

NEW YORK METS—Agreed to terms with Terry Puhl, outfielder, on a one-year contract.

ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Agreed to terms with Gerald Perry, first baseman, on a three-year contract.

Pacific Coast League

COLORADO SPRINGS SKY SOX—Announced the resignation of Fred Whitacre, president and general manager.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

MONTREAL CANADIENS—Recalled Andre Racicot, goaltender, from Fredericton of the American Hockey League.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Sent Dennis Vial, defenseman, to Binghamton of the American Hockey League.

ST. LOUIS BLUES—Recalled Steve Tuttle, right wing, from Peoria of the International Hockey League.

East Coast Hockey League

NASHVILLE KNIGHTS—Traded the rights to Michel Lenouette, forward, to Winston-Salem.

HORSE RACING

THOROUGHBRED RACING ASSOCIATIONS—Named Morris Alhadeff director emeritus.

SOCCER

National Professional Soccer League

CHICAGO POWER—Placed Manny Sanchez, goalkeeper, on waivers.

TRACK AND FIELD

U.S. SENIOR WOMEN'S CROSS COUNTRY TEAM—Named Vince O'Boyle coach for the 1992 World Championships.

COLLEGE

ARIZONA—Announced the resignation of Rob Bernardi, football program coordinator, to become assistant commissioner of the American South Conference.

GARDNER-WEBB—Named Timothy Vaughan sports information director.

JACKSONVILLE—Announced the resignation of Andy Jacobs, athletic counseling director.

TULANE—Named Tom Peters acting athletic director.

WASHBURN—Named Dennis Caryl football coach.

ALL-AMERICANS

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Offense

Wide receivers — Herman Moore, Virginia; Ismail, Notre Dame. Tight end — Chris Smith, Brigham Young. Tackles — Stacy Long, Clemson; Anthony Davis, Tennessee. Guards — Joe Garten, Colorado; Dean Dingman, Michigan. Center — John Flannery, Syracuse. Quarterback — Detmer. Running backs — Eric Bieniemy, Colorado; Greg Lewis, Washington.

Defense

Linemen — Chris Zorich, Notre Dame; Russell Maryland, Miami; Kenny Walker, Nebraska; Mitch Donahue, Wyoming. Linebackers — Michael Stonebreaker, Notre Dame; Maurice Crum, Miami; Alfred Williams, Colorado. Defense backs — Ken Swilling, Georgia Tech; Darryl Lewis, Arizona; Tripp Welborne, Michigan; Jesse Campbell, North Carolina State.

Specialists

Kick returner — Dale Carter, Tennessee. Kicker — Phillip Doyle, Alabama. Punter — Brian Greenfield, Pittsburgh.

MAXWELL AWARD

Name	School	Points
Ty Detmer	BYU	1,993
Raghib Ishmail	Notre Dame	1,385
Eric Bieniemy	Colorado	747
Shawn Moore	Virginia	431

NFL STANDINGS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
y-Buffalo	11	2	0	.846	373	207	7-0-0	4-2-0	9-2-0	2-0-0	6-1-0
y-Miami	10	3	0	.769	275	184	5-1-0	5-2-0	8-1-0	2-2-0	6-0-0
Indnplis	5	8	0	.385	200	281	2-5-0	3-3-0	4-6-0	1-2-0	2-4-0
NY Jets	4	9	0	.308	216	295	2-4-0	2-5-0	3-9-0	1-0-0	1-5-0
N England	1	12	0	.077	154	366	0-6-0	1-6-0	1-10-0	0-2-0	1-6-0

Central

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Cincinnati	7	6	0	.538	292	294	3-3-0	4-3-0	6-3-0	1-3-0	3-1-0
Houston	7	6	0	.538	324	243	5-2-0	2-4-0	6-3-0	1-3-0	3-1-0
Pittsburgh	7	6	0	.538	234	200	5-2-0	2-4-0	5-5-0	2-1-0	1-3-0
Cleveland	2	11	0	.154	201	396	1-6-0	1-5-0	2-8-0	0-3-0	1-3-0

West

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
Kan. City	9	4	0	.692	314	199	6-1-0	3-3-0	6-4-0	3-0-0	4-3-0
LA Raiders	9	4	0	.692	268	225	4-2-0	5-2-0	7-3-0	2-1-0	5-2-0
Seattle	7	6	0	.538	242	240	3-3-0	4-3-0	6-4-0	1-2-0	3-4-0
San Diego	6	7	0	.462	272	220	3-4-0	3-3-0	5-6-0	1-1-0	2-3-0
Denver	3	10	0	.231	277	334	2-4-0	1-6-0	3-7-0	0-3-0	2-4-0

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
x-NYGints	11	2	0	.846	285	163	7-0-0	4-2-0	2-0-0	9-2-0	6-1-0
Washington	8	5	0	.615	299	242	6-1-0	2-4-0	1-0-0	7-5-0	4-4-0
Phila	7	6	0	.538	325	275	4-2-0	3-4-0	1-3-0	6-3-0	3-3-0
Dallas	6	7	0	.462	193	255	4-3-0	2-4-0	1-1-0	5-6-0	1-5-0
Phoenix	5	8	0	.385	206	308	3-3-0	2-5-0	2-2-0	3-6-0	2-3-0

Central

	W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA	Home	Away	AFC	NFC	Div
x-Chicago	10	3	0	.769	290	207	6-0-0	4-3-0	2-1-0	8-2-0	5-1-0
Green Bay	6	7	0	.462	241	270	3-4-0	3-3-0	1-2-0	5-5-0	3-4-0
Minnesota	6	7	0	.462	297	252	4-2-0	2-5-0	2-1-0	4-6-0	3-4-0
Tampa	5	8	0	.385	210	311	3-3-0	2-5-0	0-1-0	5-7-0	4-2-0
Detroit	4	9	0	.308	301	345	2-5-0	2-4-0	1-2-0	3-7-0	1-5-0

West

x-San Frn	12	1	0	.923	297	199	6-1-0	6-0-0	4-0-0	8-1-0	3-1-0
New Orlns	6	7	0	.462	235	239	4-2-0	2-5-0	2-1-0	4-6-0	2-2-0
LA Rams	5	8	0	.385	305	346	2-5-0	3-3-0	2-6-0	3-6-0	2-1-0
Atlanta	3	10	0	.231	292	332	3-3-0	0-7-0	2-1-0	1-9-0	1-4-0

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closer to you, each day a small
present I'll bring to you.
For this first day of Christmas
your gift shall be,
These jolly words in verse, to
you from me!

Merry Christmas!
Love,
Terese

Thanks to Shannon, Allison,
Christina, Stacy, Pam, Glenn,
Chris, and everyone else who
made my birthday so special!! You
guys are the greatest and I love
you all!! THANK YOU!!!
Love,
Deb

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Jeanne,
Tonight's the night. Gonna be
allright. Can't wait until I get a little
"culture." Be careful with that
"nutcracker." Can't wait much
longer.
Love, Arthur
P.S. Don't forget the baby oil.

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to you. Just don't let the "Church
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finals at the Grace Coffeehouse.

Marianne,
Have a great break. Don't be
stupid at your Deb Dance. And,
don't laugh too hard when you fall
as you do your curtsy.
Love,
Your adorable Roomie1!!!!!!!

Jenny,
Sorry I haven't kept in touch. Have
a great break, and hope to see you
back in Portland.

Rich,
I'm using this space as a great big
"filler ad."
Have a good break but none of this
"Spanky Hanky's" or whatever you
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Detmer stories, awards piling up

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — As the awards pile up for Ty Detmer so do the stories about him.

The Maxwell Award was the BYU quarterback's latest piece of hardware and former college and NFL coach Dick Vermeil told the one about Detmer refusing to be turned down by his future school.

Vermeil conducted a telephone news conference with Detmer, the junior who has broken 42 NCAA passing and total offense records.

It is fairly well-known that Detmer, accompanied by his father, made an unsolicited visit to the Brigham Young campus to see coach Lavelle Edwards when he was deciding which college to attend.

Vermeil said that what isn't generally known is that after the slim youngster told Edwards that he wanted to go to Brigham Young, the coach and his staff weren't sure they wanted him.

"They weren't impressed with this scrawny, little guy," Vermeil said.

Vermeil said Edwards suggested to Detmer, "Go visit UCLA and Southern California and some other schools. Then make up your mind."

But Detmer rejected the suggestion and according to Vermeil told Edwards, "I've decided. I'm coming here."

"They were stuck with him," Vermeil said. "And look what happened."

Detmer, who was honored on Dec. 6 with the Heisman Trophy as the year's outstanding college player, beat the same competition for the Maxwell Award.

In a vote of 878 coaches,

members of the media and fans, Detmer finished with 1,993 points to 1,385 for Notre Dame running back Raghib "Rocket" Ismail. Colorado running back Eric Bieniemy had 747 and Virginia quarterback Shawn Moore 431. Detmer was named on 830 ballots and received 47 percent of the first-place ballots in the 3-2-1 voting.

Ballots are sent to members of the American Football Coaches Association, the Football Writers Association of America and the nearly 1,000 members of the Maxwell Football Club.

Detmer repeated his intention to return to Brigham Young for his senior year and let the NFL wait until after he graduates.

"First of all I made a commitment to the school and I believe in living up to that," Detmer said. "I'm just enjoying school right now. I don't think I'm ready to go on my own yet. There is no reason for me to leave right now."

Detmer's statement was reminiscent of the two juniors, quarterback Andre Ware of Houston and running back Barry Sanders of Ohio State, who uttered similar words after winning the previous two

Heisman Trophies. They insisted they were going back to school for their senior year, but both changed their mind and are with the Detroit Lions.

Detmer didn't say his intentions were etched in stone.

Vermeil, former head coach at UCLA and with the Philadelphia Eagles, covered Detmer in two games this season as an analyst for ABC.

"I've never seen a kid throw the ball more accurately. Now, he's not the biggest guy. He's not the most elusive guy. He's just one of those guys who is gifted when it comes to throwing the football where it has to be to be completed," Vermeil said.

"I wonder how great he would be if he only had to throw the ball 35 times a game (instead of 50 or more) and the offense ran 35 times a game. I think then it would magnify how efficient he is as a passer. He throws the ball a lot. I think he probably will be a very fine NFL quarterback."

Detmer has broken 21 total offense and 21 passing records and tied five. This past season he completed 361 of 562 passes (65.6 percent) for 5,188 yards and 41 touchdowns and 28 interceptions.

SPORTS BRIEFS

Alison Lester, a member of the Notre Dame women's soccer team, was named a High-School All-American for the spring season of 1990 by the National Soccer Coaches Association of America. During her freshman season at Notre Dame, Lester set records for Most Goals (Season, 15) and Most Points (Season, 35).

Joe Piane, Notre Dame cross country and track and field coach, has been named coach of the United States Pan-American juniors team by The Athletic Congress. The team will compete July 6 against the Canadian and Mexican squads in Spokane, Wash. The juniors will also face Great Britain and compete in the championships in Kingston, Jamaica.

Michael Marx, assistant coach of the Notre Dame fencing team, has been named the United States Fencing Association male athlete of the year for 1990. Marx, who will compete for the U.S. in the Pan American Games in August, is a record seven-time U.S. men's foil champ and placed 23rd in the world championships this year. This is the fourth time Marx has won the award.

Sorin won the NVA Volleyball championship Monday night by beating Pangborn 16-14, 15-12. The team, which finished the season 8-0, includes Mike Hudson, Bryan Krayner, Mike McKinnon, Jay Blount John, Mangels, Sean Goldrick and P.J. Stettin.



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A's On Parade

Rehearsing for their soldier parts in the Oakland Ballet's performance of the "Nutcracker" are manager Tony LaRussa (left), outfielder Steve Howard, pitcher Dave Stewart and first baseman Mark McGwire. They will appear in the A's night presentation at Oakland's Paramount Theater Friday, December 14.

AP Photo

MCC elects new president

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Butler University president Geoffrey Bannister has been elected president of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference.

Bannister had served as interim president following the resignation from the position with the conference of the Rev. Albert J. DiUlio, president of Marquette University. He will complete DiUlio's term through next spring, then begin a two-year term through the spring of 1993.

Butler athletic director John Parry was elected chairman of the MCC Executive Committee of Athletics, and Butler senior associate athletic director Mary Ann Rohleder was elected chairman of the MCC Women's Athletics Committee.

The election occurred at a meeting of the MCC Council of Presidents on Wednesday and was announced by the conference on Thursday.

Rhode Island, Providence brawl way to suspensions

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — It had been so long since the Big East's fighting rule had been invoked, it almost seemed forgotten. Almost.

Three players from Providence became the fourth, fifth and sixth players to be suspended under the conference rule and the first since Jan. 23, 1989.

Corey Floyd, Marvin Saddler and Kenny McDonald were automatically suspended for one game when they were ejected from last Saturday night's game with Rhode Island after a brawl which spilled into the stands and saw Rhode Island coach Al Skinner hit on the head but not seriously hurt when he tried to break it up.

The Providence players generally were considered the instigators, but it escalated when the Rhode Island players turned aggressive.

Mike Brown, Andre Samuel and Mike Moten of Rhode Island also were ejected from the game, but the Atlantic 10

Conference has no provisions for automatic suspension as the Big East does.

Rhode Island athletic director McKinley Boston said in a statement today that Rams players would have only a one-game suspension but they and the coaching staff must attend workshops on dealing with emotional stress during games.

If they don't attend, there will be unspecified further penalties, Boston said. And the requirement will be extended to all team sports at URI.

"The unfortunate incident which took place on Dec. 8 during the URI-PC game should never happen again," Boston said.

Skinner said he did not expect his players would receive more than their one-game suspension after he met with Boston on Wednesday.

Skinner told The Providence Journal-Bulletin in today's editions that he was upset his players received the same penalty as the Friars.

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Women's basketball to play in tough tourney

By RENE FERRAN
Sports Writer

Christmas vacation will not be a season of rest and relaxation for the Notre Dame women's basketball team.

The Irish (3-3) play six games over the break, including two in the Texaco-Hawk Classic in Philadelphia with perennial powers Louisiana Tech and St. Joseph's, as well as Arizona.

For Notre Dame, the holidays could be make-or-break-it time as far as the NCAA tournament is concerned. Last year, its non-conference record was used against the team in its quest for a tourney berth, and with losses to UCLA, Stanford, and Indiana so far in December, the Irish must make a good showing in its remaining non-league slate.

"For us, every game is a big game," Irish coach Muffet McGraw said, "and for the NCAA tournament especially. We can't afford to lose any more games in December. We've got to start playing well and get together."

Next Friday, the Irish finish off their current home stand against MCC rival Marquette. Even though Notre Dame has won 24 straight conference games, McGraw is not taking the Warriors (2-4) lightly.

"Marquette's a very good team," McGraw said, "and we have not yet found our chemistry."

"They play Loyola Marymount-style. They run and press, and they shoot the ball real quick. They're going to shoot lots of three's. It's going to be a really up-tempo game."

The Warriors are led by guard Courtney Romeiser (14.7 points, 2.8 steals per game), who leads the MCC in treys per game (2.7), center Heidi Ach (14.0 ppg, 7.8 rpg), and Tammy Shain (12.8 ppg, 6.0 rpg, 3.0 steals).

Notre Dame's first-round opponent in Philly will be seventh-ranked Louisiana Tech. The Bulldogs (3-1) are one of the top women's basketball programs in the country, finishing 32-1 last year and making the Final Four for the fourth straight season—winning it all in 1988.

Louisiana Tech returns three senior starters: guard Sheila

Ethridge, an American South Conference first-team selection last season; guard Shantel Hardison, a heady point guard who was named Most Outstanding Player in the Midwest Regional last year; and forward Annie Lockett.

In the other bracket, host St. Joseph's (4-1) should reach the finals. The Hawks have three players averaging in double figures: Katie Curry (14.8 ppg), Rita Balaban (14.4 ppg, 40.7 percent from three-point range), and Wendy Brink (12.8 ppg, 5.6 rpg), as well as leading rebounder Robyne Bostick (7.0 ppg, 7.2 rpg).

McGraw sees the tournament as an excellent chance for the Irish to gain in the eyes of the NCAA selection committee and the AP voters.

"I think it's a great opportunity for us to finally get some recognition," McGraw said. "If we play well and we win, it obviously would put us in the Top 25."

After the new year is rung in, Notre Dame faces MCC rivals Detroit at home and Butler in Indianapolis, and then travels to Chicago to face DePaul.

Detroit (3-2) is led by center Sharon Miller (17.5 ppg, 7.0 rpg) and Mandy Chandler (15.5 ppg, 8.5 rpg). The Titans are last in the MCC in points allowed so far this year (84.3 ppg).

Butler (7-0) is off to its best start since the 1980-81 season. The Bulldogs' leading scorer and rebounder, Julie VonDielingen (21.1 ppg, 10.0 rpg, .585 from the field), also is pacing the MCC in both categories.

Irish icers up for east coast swing

By RICH KURZ
Sports Writer

Most students use the Christmas break to kick back, relax, and maybe take a trip.

Well, the Notre Dame hockey team is taking a trip this holiday season, but it sure won't be getting much rest and relaxation on its tour of the East Coast.

The Irish (8-6-1) will be playing four games in a week against some of the top hockey teams in the country. Their next game will be on December 29, when they face off against the Princeton Tigers. From Princeton, their journey will take them to Army, New Hampshire, and fifth-ranked Boston College.

After winning seven out of their past eight games, including a defensive gem in the last game, a 6-0 shutout of Lake Forest, the Irish couldn't ask for a better time to make this trip.

"We're playing really well right now," said sophomore Dan Sawyer. "Our power play is starting to click, and we're cutting down on goals (allowed). We're coming together on defense."

Junior left wing Lou Zadra echoed Sawyer's comments.

"We pretty much have balanced scoring," he said. "Everybody's doing their job."

Head Coach Ric Schafer again will be counting on his trio of talented juniors to take charge of the scoring for the Irish. So far Dave Bankoske, Mike Curry, and Lou Zadra have scored 27 of Notre Dame's 68 goals on the season.

Freshman Greg Louder continues to improve in goal,

notching a shutout last game to lower his goals-allowed average to 3.71, while his save percentage has risen to a superb .855.

One thing the Irish need to beware of are the post-holiday blues. A rather lengthy layoff like the one Notre Dame will have has the possibility of producing some rust.

"It'll be interesting," said Zadra of their first game back, "but we should be ready."

"We're starting off (after the layoff) against a team at about our own level," said defenseman Dan Sawyer, "so hopefully we can get our legs back."

Coach Schafer wasn't overly concerned about his team's condition coming back after Christmas.

"Well, there's always the possibility that they'll eat too many Christmas cookies," he said, "but I'm not too worried (about the team's physical condition)."

Some of the Irish players will have extra motivation going into this trip, as many of them are from the East.

"I'm really excited to go out East for some games," said Zadra. "We should be able to step it up a notch."

"Friends and relatives will get to see us play," said Sawyer. "We'll get to play against colleges that recruited us and show them our stuff."

The first two games, against Princeton and Army, are the type of games the Irish need to win to boost their road record. The Tigers, who compete in the East Coast Athletic Conference, are 3-5 on the year. Princeton

and Notre Dame have met only once in the past, with the decision going to the Tigers 9-7 in 1985.

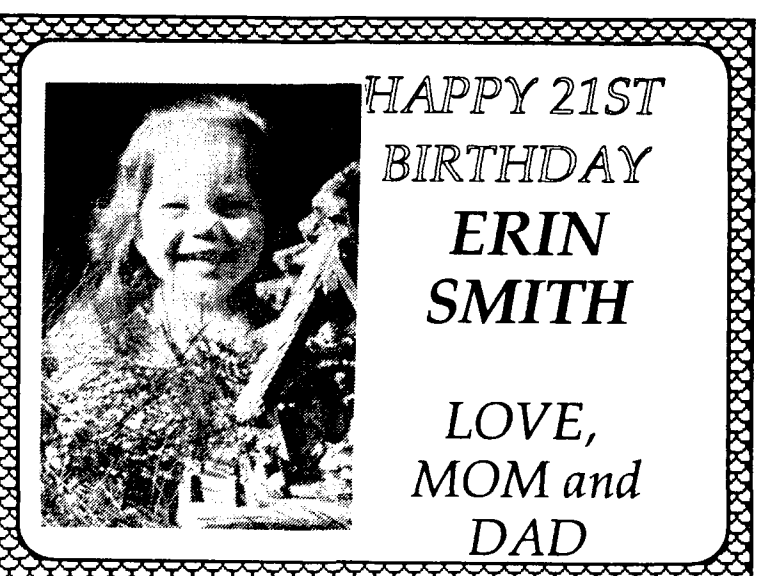
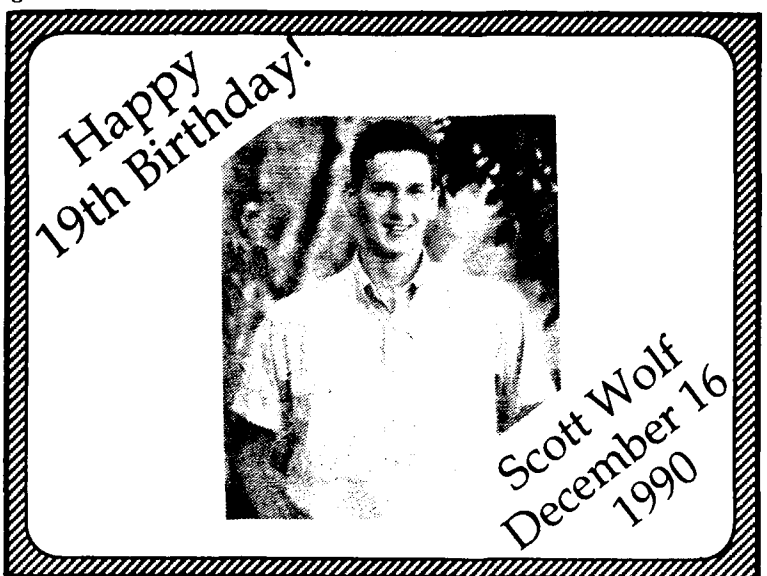
Army was 10-16-4 last season, but two of those wins came against the Irish, 7-4 and 5-2. The last time the Irish beat the men from West Point was in 1989, when Notre Dame won 5-2.

The real test for the Irish will come on the second half of the trip, when they travel to New Hampshire and Boston College. New Hampshire's Wildcats are 8-3 on the season and rising rapidly, having defeated Boston College last Friday night. New Hampshire and Notre Dame had common opponents in Alabama-Huntsville. The Wildcats took two from the Chargers, winning by scores of 6-3 and 8-2, while the Irish won 8-7 and 3-2.

Boston College is one of the toughest teams Notre Dame will face this year. The Eagles were 28-13-1 last season and made the NCAA Final Four, and they're on pace to return there this season. Boston College is currently ranked third in Division I. The Irish have a 6-7 all-time record against the Eagles, but that mark is possibly misleading, since the two teams haven't met since 1978.

The Irish, as an independent, need to rack up some wins against quality opponents to gain the lone independent berth in the NCAA Tournament, and this is their perfect chance.

Besides, Notre Dame probably won't mind giving up some of its vacation time to get some big victories on the road.



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Big East begins assembling football conference

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — The Big East said on Thursday it would form a four-team football conference and talk individually with four other schools — West Virginia, Rutgers, Temple and Virginia Tech — about joining.

Boston College, Miami, Pittsburgh and Syracuse are the current Big East members which will comprise the football-only league that begins play next season.

The meetings with the four non-Big East members will probably be held in mid-January, commissioner Mike Tranchese said. Those schools, if they join, would play only football and would not join the 10-team conference for other sports.

Miami became the 10th member of the conference earlier this year. The Hurricanes won three national football championships in the 1980s and their admission forced the Big East to look for a solution to keep its other major football members happy.

West Virginia University

president Neil Bucklew stopped short of saying the decision means the Mountaineers are part of an Eastern football conference.

"Everyone will have to reach their own conclusion, I guess," Bucklew said. "It's clear that an arrangement has taken place and we're one of the players in that. It's an option we have explored fully."

"We need to confirm that everything is as we think it is. I think we're taking a major step closer to forming a conference ... but anything could happen between now and January. The wheels could come off the buggy, but I don't expect them to."

Bucklew also said he believes "it will be a premier conference for football purposes, and that makes me feel good. If there's any sense that's contrary to that, I had hoped these deliberations over the last 18 months would have resulted in an all-sports conference."

West Virginia athletic director Ed Pastilong issued a written statement on the decision.

"I have discussed this proposal at length today with both Mike Tranchese and some of the other athletic directors involved in these plans. ... One reported issued that had concerned us was talk of a 10-year commitment and a lock-out policy against formation of an all-sports league in the future," he said.

"But I asked Mike Tranchese today and he told me specifically that neither of those stipulations would be a part of the merger. ... We will enter the discussions as an equal, and I think this scenario presents many interesting possibilities."

The athletic directors from the Big East's four football schools met Wednesday in Washington, D.C., to discuss plans for the new league.

Reports of the Eastern football league — a topic of conversation and conjecture for years — had been circulating all week.

Syracuse, Boston College and Pittsburgh have major-college football programs and have considered bolting the Big East, but Tranchese had promised a solution to the football problem.

"We have put forth a tremendous amount of time and effort in laying the groundwork for a football conference," Tranchese said.

The Big East's other members — Connecticut, Georgetown, Providence, St. John's, Seton Hall and Villanova — don't have Division I-A football programs.

According to two sources who spoke on the condition they not be identified, one issue remaining is the hope for an automatic bowl bid for the conference champion. A tie-in with the Southwest Conference champion is being examined, one source said.

Young says goodbye to West Point

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP) — Jim Young was lucky. He got hit with a bucket of water as his last game as Army coach drew to its happy close.

The water may have helped Young, a master at masking his emotions, hide a tear or two in the final minute of Army's 30-20 victory over Navy last week.

It is impossible, however, to hide what the 55-year-old Young has accomplished in eight years at West Point.

Before Young took over in 1983, Army football was "a disaster," as former athletic director Carl Ullrich not-so-fondly remembers.

The record speaks for itself. The 10 years before Young took over were the bleakest in the football program's storied history. The team, once a terror, was simply terrible.

The 1973 Cadets lost all 10 of their games. Army had failed to win a game only one other time — in 1890. But that was the team's first season and the Cadets played only one game, losing 24-0 to Navy.

From 1973-82, Army won only 33 games, lost 72 and tied four, and had but one winning season. Worst of all, the Cadets lost to Navy eight times, won once and tied another. Three of those losses were shutouts, including a 51-0 rout in 1973, the most lopsided loss in the history of the series. Aside from their 17-14 victory in 1977, the Cadets scored a meager 39 points in the nine other games against the Middies.

As the 1970s drew to a close, the coaching job became a revolving door. After just one winning season in five, Homer Smith left in 1978, Lou Saban came and went in 1979, and Ed Cavanaugh began an unsuccessful three-year stint in 1980.

Army football was at a very low level, and not only on the field.

"When I came here in 1980 we were just about bankrupt," said Ullrich, who left West Point last summer to head the Patriot League.

Enter Young, who already had resurrected programs at Arizona and Purdue.

Young had given up coaching in 1982 to become associate athletic director at Purdue, but he missed those football Saturdays on the sidelines. Then the Army job opened.

"He came to us with an enthusiasm and commitment to the job that no one else would have," said Ullrich, who decided to hire Young. "There was almost an electricity about him and the way he felt about West Point."

Young expected to step right in and win. He didn't.

The team won only two of 11 games in his first year and lost 42-13 to Navy before 81,000 in Pasadena. The alumni weren't pleased, even though the Army program pocketed almost \$1.5 million from the telecast of the game.

"After Jim was 2-9, some of the alumni said, 'God, Ullrich, you really did it!' But I believed in Jim with all my heart," Ullrich said. "I thought I knew a winner."

Ullrich introduced Young to Earl "Red" Blaik, the famed Army coach who had transformed the Cadets from a patsy into a powerhouse in the 1940s. Blaik's teams were an incredible 57-3-4 from 1944-50 and won national championships in 1944 and 1945.

Blaik desperately wanted to see the program recover. Young obliged, calling on the past for inspiration. He demanded a continuation of the school's tradition from his people, dusted off films of the glory years and showed them to his teams, and tacked up mottos and slogans in the meeting room, some of them made popular by Blaik.

"He used that to encourage the kids, to raise their sights," Ullrich said. "The kids hated losing. You don't get other than winners at West Point, but there was almost a feeling that maybe we couldn't get the job done in 1-A football."

Fall Saturdays at picturesque Michie Stadium remained festive occasions for many, but not because of football.

"We had a lot of loyal folks who stuck with the program through thick and thin," Ullrich said. "There were a lot of folks who came and tailgated and didn't even go into the stadium. The football game wasn't important at all."

"But as we began playing exciting football, people came in a little earlier and you didn't see that big crowd out in the parking lot."

The excitement returned in 1984, when Young switched to the ground-oriented wishbone attack employed so successfully by Air Force. The Cadets were 8-3-1, led the nation in rushing and went to their first-ever bowl game, beating Michigan State 10-6 in the inaugural Cherry Bowl.

Army went 9-3 in 1985, giving the Cadets 17 wins in two seasons, more than they had won in the five previous years combined. They completed the season with a 31-29 victory over Illinois in the Peach Bowl. Three seasons later they again were 9-3 and nearly upset heavily favored Alabama in the Sun Bowl before bowing 29-28.

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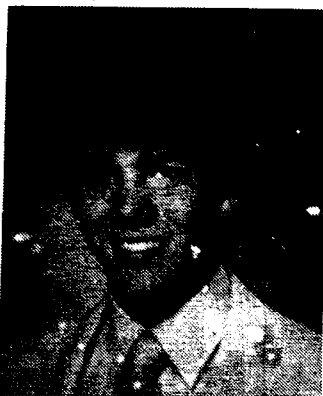
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Valdiserri given first BCSIDA Achiever Award

Observer Staff Report

Notre Dame Associate Athletic Director Roger Valdiserri recently won the first Achiever's Award presented by the Black College Sports Information Directors Association (BCSIDA).

Jim Alnuti, executive secretary of the BCSIDA, said Valdiserri was honored for the role he played, while serving as President of the College Sports Information Directors Association, in assisting BCSIDA to grow to its present status.

"His leadership and personal efforts on behalf of our organization gave us an unprecedented impetus in becoming an effective organization and a viable member of the national sports information community," Alnuti said. "He personally saw to it that BCSIDA members were given opportunities to serve as members and chairs and in leadership roles on the various CoSIDA committees, positions which were not available to us previously."

"He also corresponded with every president at the historically black institutions about the importance and function of their sports information directors. As a result, attendance at the annual CoSIDA workshops increased substantially. Our institutions have benefitted from

FIFA soccer group adjusts 1994 World Cup

ZURICH, Switzerland (AP) — Africa today was awarded a third berth in the World Cup soccer finals, with the additional berth coming from Europe's allotment.

The move was proposed by FIFA president Joao Havelange after Egypt and Cameroon put on outstanding performances last summer, but it needed approval from the 29-member executive committee.

For the 1994 finals, to be played in the United States, Europe will have 13 of the 24 berths, including the slot given to the defending champion — in this case, Germany.

FIFA also gave the Central and North American region a chance at a third berth, but no guarantee. The region has two guaranteed spots.

Asia's bid for a third berth was rejected, partly because of Asian teams' disappointing showing at the last World Cup.

The federation's policymaking Executive Committee also launched a study which could lead to radical rule changes to increase scoring.

Action was taken against three countries.

Costa Rica was suspended for two years from all FIFA youth competitions, including the Olympic soccer tournament, for fielding an overage player in a 1985 tournament. The case was uncovered when the same player, Hernan Medford, listed a different age when playing for Costa Rica at last summer's World Cup finals.

Colombia was barred indefinitely from hosting international games of any kind because turmoil in the country was deemed a safety risk for soccer.

Iraq was effectively banned from international soccer until the Gulf crisis is resolved.

his concern, assistance and guidance."

Carol Hudson Jr., president emeritus of the BCSIDA, made the presentation to Valdiserri.

The inscription read, "To Roger Valdiserri of the University of Notre Dame. The Black College Sports Information Directors Association takes great pleasure in recognizing an individual whose effort, dedication and total commitment has assisted this organization and the historically black institutions of higher learning to attain greater recognition for their student athletes and our membership. May God continue to guide you."

Valdiserri is in his 25th year as a member of the athletic department. He graduated in 1954 from Notre Dame and served as an administrative assistant to Irish football coach Terry Brennan until 1959. He then became public relations director for Mercedes-Benz of North America before moving to the Kansas City Chiefs as public relations director in 1964.

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there and just played like I knew I could play."


Comalita Haysbert—whose 13 first-half points led the Irish to a 39-28 halftime lead—for one had no doubt in her mind that Orlosky could do the job when called upon.

"We all knew Sherri could come in the game and do something," Haysbert said. "She's an excellent shooter, and she can play defense. She can hold her own on the court."

"We had faith in her, and finally, coach (McGraw) put her

in the game and she had a chance to prove herself... we were just happy that she had her time to shine."

And if Orlosky continues to shine on the court as she did this evening, the future appears very bright for her at Notre Dame.



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Roger Valdiserri, Associate Athletic Director at Notre Dame, received the first BCSIDA Achiever Award from (left) Carol Hudson, Jr. (past president) and (right) James H. Alnuti (BCSIDA Executive Secretary).

High ranking for Irish tennis teams

Special to The Observer

The Notre Dame men's and women's tennis teams received some pleasant news Thursday when they learned that they were both ranked in the final fall poll.

The Irish men are 13th in the current poll, while the Irish women are tied for 25th.

Top singles player David DiLucia is ranked sixth among individuals, his highest ranking ever. DiLucia completed the fall season with a 16-2 record. He and Chuck Coleman are third in the doubles' poll, also their highest ranking ever. They posted a 10-0 mark this fall.

Junior Tracy Barton leads the women with a ranking of 28th after posting a 12-5 record in

matches this fall. Freshman Christy Faustman is 43rd with a record of 11-5, while sophomore Melissa Harris is 44th at 11-1. The doubles tandem of Barton and Faustman is 12th with a 13-3 mark.

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Gowens headlines Irish wrestlers

By DAVE DIETEMAN
Sports Writer

Someday there will be a new name among the prodigious list of great Irish wrestlers.

It is likely that when someday comes, Marcus Gowens will be that new name.

Provided that he keeps up his stringent work ethic. If you ask Marcus about his success, you get the impression that he not only plans to, but will keep it up.

"I'm very optimistic about qualifying for the NCAA tournament again," admitted Gowens. "I just have to focus my mind on the tournament. I've already wrestled the fifth-ranked wrestler in my weight class (LeShawn Charles of Arizona State) at the St. Louis Open. A penalty point was the difference in that match. I felt like I could have won the match if I had done a few more things right. I sure feel like I have proved to myself that I can compete with the top eight wrestlers in my weight class."

Last year, Gowens placed third at the NCAA West Regional to qualify for the NCAA Tournament. Gowens

also bagged 24 wins for the second year in a row, while tying Mark Gerardi for the team lead in pins (six). The then-sophomore from Del City, Okla., also won the Michigan State Invitational and the National Catholic Tournament. This year, Gowens is ranked tenth in the nation at 126 pounds, after having won the Michigan State Invitational and placing seventh at prestigious Las Vegas Invitational.

Of course, Gowens' spectacular exploits still leave him with room for improvement.

"In the past, Marcus was not a great practice wrestler," explained Notre Dame head coach Fran McCann. "In the past, he was able to get away with it - he could turn it on for meets. But in college, you must practice hard. He has really matured in that area and the results are starting to show. Marcus also has a very good confidence level now."

"He can get a little bit better on his feet. When he gets onto the mat with someone he respects or someone that he thinks is tough, he becomes more defensive. Marcus just needs to open up on people in

those cases. Our philosophy is to dominate whoever we wrestle."

But don't think for a minute that Gowens is unaware of the work he must get done to climb to the top of his sport.

"I've just approached this season with a new attitude," confessed Gowens. "I'm not worried about making weight anymore. I have a new diet, so I don't have to worry as much as I used to. Now, I can just worry about wrestling."

"I guess that is the reason I am better in practice this year; I can really pay attention to practice. I think that I have matured, and I have learned to listen more to the coaches. They have good advice, and I think that my good relationship with my coaches has helped me wrestle better - both in practice and in matches."

Against Missouri, Gowens had a chance to put his new and improved wrestling self to the test. As may have been guessed, he passed with flying colors.

"The wrestler I beat had beaten me at St. Louis," stated Gowens, "and it felt nice for me to return the favor. I felt that I could have scored more points on my feet. The guy was a defensive wrestler, and he took away a lot of my offense, but I was happy with the win."

As one of the more senior members on a relatively young team, one may wonder how Gowens thinks the Irish will



Photo Courtesy of ND Sports Information

Marcus Gowens, one of many talented Irish wrestlers, hopes that his dedication will earn him a return trip to the NCAA Tournament this year.

fare in the future.

"I am really optimistic about the team and the whole year," stated the confident, yet humble junior. "It's tough having such a young team, but keep in mind that because we are young, we will learn from a tough schedule. Our schedule will definitely help us be prepared for the NCAA tournament, which is our primary concern. More than anything, we want to be ready for the NCAA tournament."

Perhaps more important than anything else, Marcus Gowens is succeeding at the school of his choice.

"I came to Notre Dame be-

cause they combine academics and athletics so well," confessed Gowens without hesitation. "I had to choose between going to those schools which I though focused primarily on athletics and those which were mainly academic. I couldn't find any other school that combined academics and athletics with the good balance that Notre Dame does."

Over break, Gowens and the Irish must take on Ohio University, No. 12 Ohio State, and No. 18 Syracuse - all on the road.

"It'll be tough on the road," said McCann. "Ohio University should be a solid team, but they're not in the same class as Ohio State or Syracuse. We've always had decent luck against Ohio State, but this will be our first dual meet against Syracuse. Syracuse could be the best team in the east, and they have lots of redshirt freshmen."

"It's going to be like starting the season all over again," said McCann. "Hopefully, we'll work out over break. We'll certainly have to intensify our efforts after Christmas."

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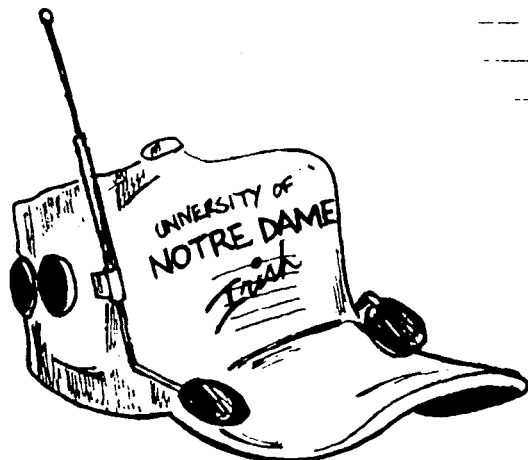
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including five bowl teams, have combined for a 75-52-4 record (58.9 winning percentage) in '90.

Notre Dame's schedule, widely considered the most difficult in the nation in preseason ratings, includes eight bowl teams and opponents who have combined for a 68-47-5 record (58.8 winning percentage).

For the second consecutive year, Notre Dame has the opportunity to knock Colorado from its No. 1 perch and out of national championship contention. The Irish (9-2) are within striking distance, but need help from Nebraska and Miami to claim their second national title in three years.

The 19th-ranked Cornhuskers play No. 2 Georgia Tech in the Citrus Bowl, while the fourth-ranked Hurricanes face No. 3 Texas in the Cotton Bowl. Notre Dame should have the edge over Miami should both teams win their bowl games since the Irish soundly defeated the Hurricanes earlier this season in Notre Dame Stadium.

The Orange Bowl represents the final collegiate appearance for Notre Dame's senior class, the most successful four-year class in school history. The class of '90 has accumulated a 41-7 record (.854 winning percentage) over the past four years, second only to Miami (43-4).

The current Irish seniors also have won a record 18 games over teams ranked in the Associated Press top 25, have won 13 games over top 10 AP teams, and have appeared in four straight postseason games,

a Notre Dame first.

"Our seniors have gone to four Jan. 1 bowls (the Cotton in '87, the Fiesta in '88, and the Orange in '89 and '90)," Holtz said, "and we've been through an awful lot of adversity. I wonder just how good we could have been if we didn't have all the distractions."

The distractions have continued this season for Holtz and Notre Dame. Rumors of steroid use, recruiting violations, misuse of telephone calling cards and Holtz's departure for the professional ranks began over the summer and have followed the Irish throughout the season.

With the exception of the rumors concerning Holtz's future at Notre Dame, perhaps no story has grabbed more headlines than the demise of the Irish defense this season.

After losing three secondary starters to graduation last May and defensive coordinator Barry Alvarez to Wisconsin in January, new defensive coordinator Gary Darnell has used seven different starting combinations in a defensive secondary that currently ranks 90th in the country.

Traditionally, Notre Dame has defended the rush more effectively than the pass, and this year has been no exception. The Irish front seven has yielded an average of 123.2 yards per game on the ground (24th in the country), but Notre Dame ranks only 73rd nationally in total defense.

"I don't think we're taking as strong a team as we did last year," Holtz said. "We've given up more big plays this year than in past years combined. We don't have the speed in the secondary we had last year, and we don't present as many problems (offensively) for a de-

fense as we did last year."

Colorado's offense, however, should present more problems for the Irish defense this year. After a 1-1-1 start in which they converted only 15-of-48 third-down conversion attempts, the Buffaloes clicked at a 55 percent rate over the last nine weeks in situations that have proven to be Notre Dame's achilles heel this season.

Colorado is currently ranked 14th in the country in total offense, a statistic that has improved considerably since Head Coach Bill McCartney decided to let quarterback Darian Hagan go to the air more often.

"Darian Hagan has a strong arm and a quick release," Holtz said. "He also has very good peripheral vision. The ability to throw the football gives him a dimension more than a year ago. (Wide receiver) Mike Pritchard is a very fine receiver. He reminds you a lot of (Notre Dame flanker) Rocket (Ismail)."

Defensively, Colorado boasts one of the finest linebacking corps in the country in bookends Alfred Williams and Kanavis McGhee. Williams won the '90 Butkus Award, while McGhee was a finalist for both the Butkus and Lombardi (won by Irish nose tackle Chris Zorich) awards.

Notre Dame will counter with a rushing attack that has virtually dominated opponents the last seven weeks of the season. The Irish have averaged 261.7 yards rushing per game and scored 18 touchdowns in the final seven contests. Their season average of 250.3 yards per game ranks 12th best in the country.

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who averaged 30.7 ppg and 8.6 rpg as a high school senior last season.

The most difficult game for the Irish over break will be a Dec. 5 matchup against North Carolina in The Meadowlands in East Rutherford, N.J. The Tar Heels have won four of their first five games, the latest of which was an 84-81 triumph over Kentucky Tuesday night.

Coach Dean Smith's North Carolina squad is led by senior forward Pete Chilcutt, smooth swingman Rick Fox and point guard King Rice. Freshman center Eric Montross, a seven-footer out of Lawrence North high school in Indianapolis, was one of the most sought-after prospects in college basketball last year and should be tough inside.

Next up for Notre Dame, after a Jan. 6 exhibition against the USSR in Springfield, Mass., will be a trip to Kansas to play Wichita State on Jan. 10. The Shockers have already beaten Oklahoma this year, so they may be better than last year's

10-19 record indicates. Senior forward John Cooper (17.0 ppg last season) will lead the Shockers, who are coached by Mike Cohen.

From Kansas the Irish will travel to Miami to take on the Hurricanes on Jan. 15. Miami's first-year coach Leonard Hamilton will look for 6-9 center Joe Wylie (18.4 ppg, 9.5 rpg last season) to do most of the damage inside for the Hurricanes.

The Irish will then return home to face West Virginia on Jan. 15, the first day of classes in the spring semester. The Mountaineers, members of the Atlantic 10 conference, are coached by Gale Catlett, who has a 249-119 record in 12 years at West Virginia. The player to watch for the Mountaineers is junior guard Tracy Shelton, who averaged 17.8 ppg last season.

Notre Dame's matches with Portland, Valparaiso, North Carolina Miami and West Virginia will all be carried by SportChannel America. Television coverage is not scheduled for the exhibition versus the Soviets or the Wichita State contest.

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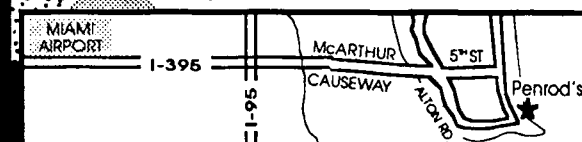
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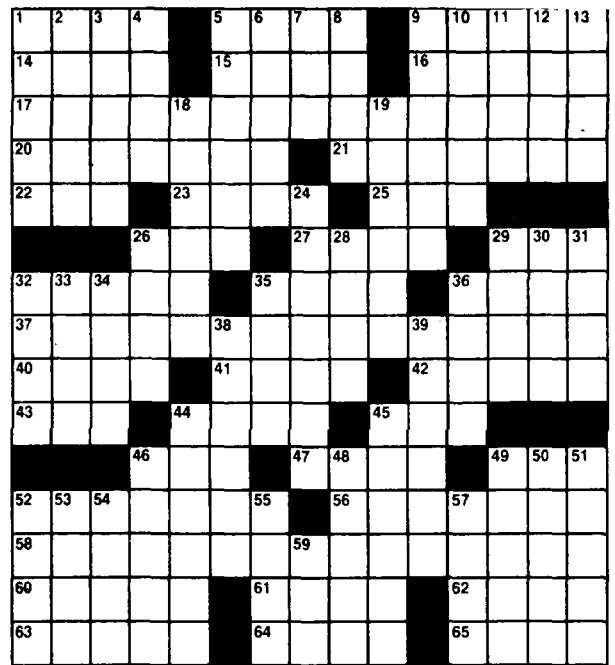
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 - 17 Historic series of linguistic changes
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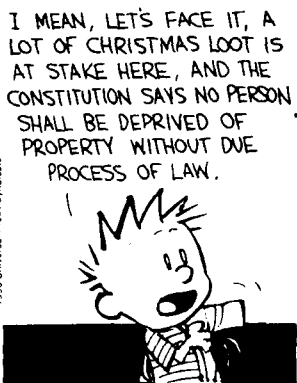
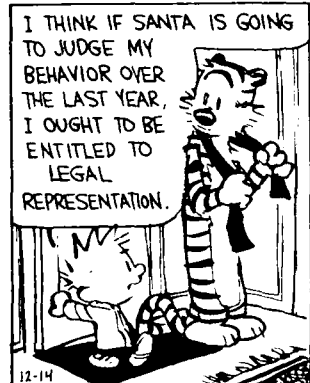
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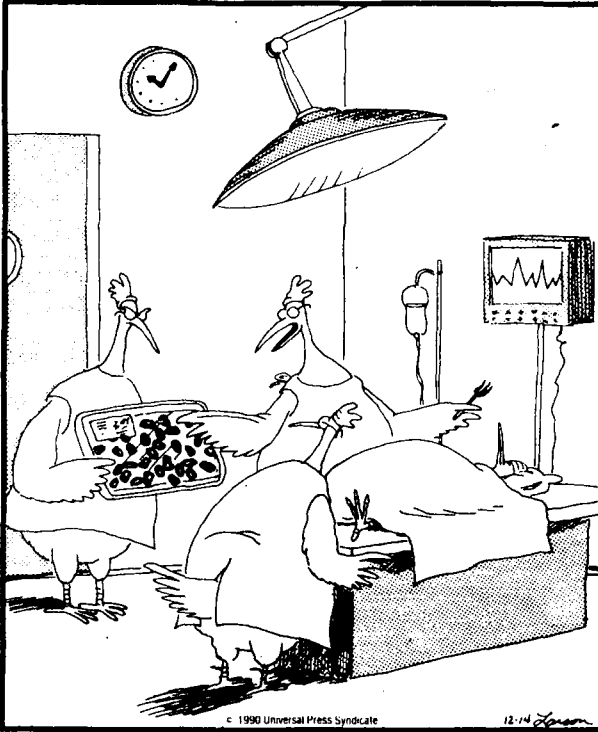
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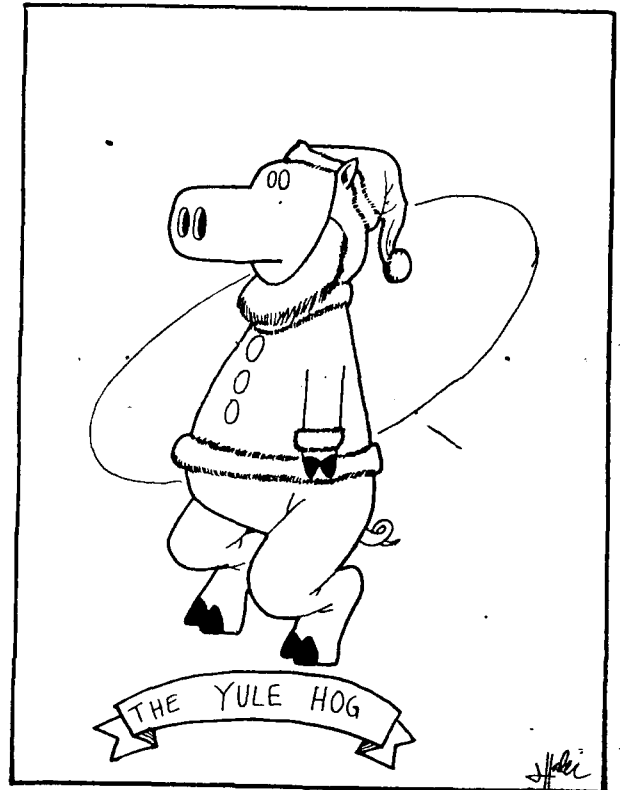
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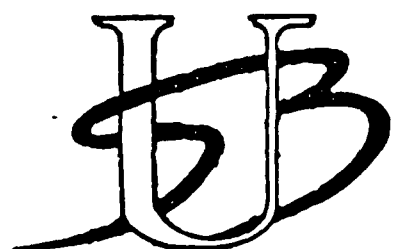


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Women's hoops surge past Texas Christian 78-67

Robinson, Haysbert each net 17 in sloppy, messy win

By CHRIS COONEY
Assistant Sports Editor

In what Notre Dame head coach Muffet McGraw called their worst performance of the season, the Irish women's basketball team defeated Texas Christian 78-67 at the Joyce ACC Thursday night.

McGraw was extremely dissatisfied with Notre Dame's play, although the Lady Frogs really never threatened after the Irish took the lead with 7:09 left in the first half.

"We didn't play well mentally," McGraw said. "We didn't have our intensity. We weren't concentrating."

McGraw pointed to missed layups, poor defense and "bad decisions with the ball" as problems that plagued the 3-3 squad. The Irish turned the ball over 24 times and had difficulty bringing the ball up the court when TCU implemented a tight full court press in the closing minutes of the game.

"We didn't play like a team," McGraw said.

The Irish came out cold in the first half, failing on their first five shot attempts and missing 14 layups. While Notre Dame began with a strong 14-6 start, TCU fought back early in the game, taking the lead twice in an 11-4 run.

A full court drive and basket by senior guard Karen Robinson, who along with Comalita

Haysbert paced the Irish with 17 points, put Notre Dame on top 20-19. Freshman Katura Jones followed with a three point play, and Robinson added a trifecta from the left wing. The Lady Frogs never led again.

Notre Dame headed to the locker room with a 39-28 lead behind Haysbert's 13 points. The junior grabbed seven rebounds to lead the Irish.

Haysbert and Krissi Davis, who also had seven rebounds, virtually shut down TCU's most potent offensive attack in the first half by limiting sophomore Liz Zeller to three points. But the forward, who averages 15.3 ppg., came back in the second half and finished as the Lady Frogs leading scorer with 23 points, although she did not sink a field goal until 3:33 into the second half.

Despite her high scoring and eight assists, Robinson agreed with McGraw that the Irish played poorly.

"It was an ugly win," said Robinson. "We should have looked like a machine out there, but we didn't."

Robinson and McGraw both attributed the problem to a lack of team cohesiveness.

"I think it's attitude," said McGraw. "We're not playing like a team."

Part of the problem may stem from having 13 players on the team. Robinson said that after

becoming accustomed to only seven or eight people on the squad last season, there is more pressure on everyone to excel this year.

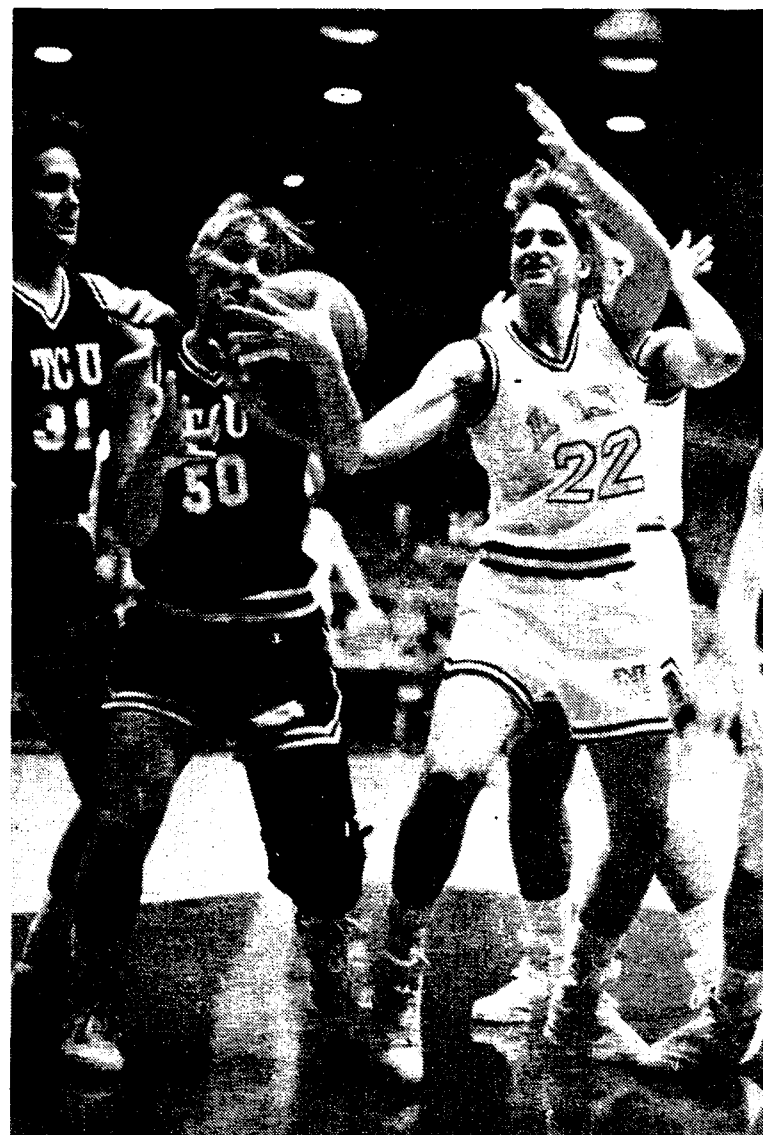
"Last year everyone knew their roles and we don't right now," said Robinson. "We're not playing well together because we don't all know each other well on the court yet."

McGraw was happy with the play of freshman Sherri Orlosky, who found her niche from about 15 feet on the left side of the basket. Orlosky contributed eight second half points - all from that spot - as she capitalized on the weak spot in the Lady Frogs' zone defense.

It was TCU's full court press late in the second half, however, that made McGraw nervous. Although the Irish had led by as many as 19, the Lady Frogs whittled away that margin by converting on numerous Notre Dame turnovers.

"The guards tried to dribble between two and three people," said McGraw.

NOTES - Joi Wells kept TCU in the game early, scoring 10 of her 18 points win the first half...Davis, who started her 67th consecutive game despite suffering a sprained right knee last Saturday against Syracuse, had 10 points and two blocked shots...Jones added nine points off the bench.



The Observer/Dave Lee
Sherri Orlosky's (#22) timely second-half scoring helped the Fighting Irish to a 78-67 win over the Horned Frogs of TCU last night.

ND teams set for winter break

Digger Phelps and Company to face Tar Heels, Valpo

By KEN TYSIAC
Associate Sports Editor

A bad season has become worse for the Notre Dame men's basketball team with each passing day. The Irish will get a much-needed break from basketball during final exams next week, but will play five games and an exhibition game over Christmas Break and one on the first day of classes Jan. 15.

The Irish have been short-handed since senior captain Tim Singleton went down with a back injury against Kentucky in the Big Four Classic Dec. 1. Singleton should be out for at least a couple more weeks with the injury. This has put an added burden on junior guard Elmer Bennett, who has taken over the point guard position in Singleton's absence, as well as Daimon Sweet and Kevin Ellery, who have had to handle the ball more in support of Bennett.

"We're just not deep at the guard spots," Irish coach Digger Phelps said after Notre Dame's 105-95 loss to USC Wednesday. "and when Bennett has things going where he gets tired and you've got Sweet and Ellery, who aren't really second guards, handling the ball, we're not as effective as we would be with Singleton out there."

The lack of depth has Phelps considering employing a more deliberate gameplan after Christmas.

"We've got to come back and figure out how we can play with this team and the style of game we can play," Phelps said. "If that means we have to play in the 60s, then we have to play in the 60s to win, because it's obvious we can't run for 40 minutes when other teams want to run with us. We just have to play a lot smarter than we are right now with regard to the tempo of the game."

Notre Dame's next chance to

end this losing streak, which is the longest the Irish have had since 1971-72, will be Saturday, Dec. 22 at 1:30 at home against Portland. The Pilots, members of the West Coast Conference, will be led by senior guard/forward Ron Deaton and junior guard Erick Spoelstra.

After the Portland game the Irish players will have a chance to spend the holiday with their parents. They will then return to campus on Dec. 28 to begin preparing for the rest of their schedule.

Notre Dame will ring in the New Year on Jan. 2 at 8 p.m. at home versus Valparaiso. The Crusaders, who were 4-24 last season, have been dismal thus far this year as well. The only Valparaiso players worth mentioning are sophomore guard Tracy Gipson, who averaged 10.3 ppg last season, and freshman guard Geoff Gilmore,

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Football team set for Orange Bowl rematch with Buffs

By FRANK PASTOR
Associate Sports Editor

Notre Dame has played more than its share of "character-building" games this season, duelling Michigan, Michigan State, Stanford, Tennessee, Penn State and USC to the wire. The Irish have nothing on Orange Bowl opponent Colorado in the excitement department, however.

The Buffaloes' first five games, against Tennessee, Stanford, Illinois, Texas and Washington, were not decided

until the final two minutes. A sixth came down to a controversial fifth-down play in which quarterback Charles Johnson scored from one yard out as time expired in Colorado's 33-31 win at Missouri.

The top-ranked Buffaloes, who have won nine straight games and have compiled the best record in college football over the last two seasons (21-2-1), are looking to snap a seven-game losing streak in bowl games and claim their first national championship when they take on No. 5 Notre Dame

in the Jan. 1 Orange Bowl game.

"Colorado has been in some very critical times and been productive for the most part," Notre Dame head coach Lou Holtz said. "It's always more impressive when a team wins a close football game than when it wins a blowout. They've been in close games and come back."

Colorado finished its regular season with a 10-1-1 record against perhaps the toughest schedule in college football. The Buffaloes' 12 opponents,

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Orlosky powers Notre Dame in second half

Up until now, freshman Sherri Orlosky had been biding her time, waiting for the opportunity to let her talents shine in an Irish uniform.

Before Notre Dame's 79-68 victory over TCU, Orlosky had played only 21 minutes and had scored only two points all season. After tonight, she can anticipate a lot more playing time.

"She really helped us tonight," Irish coach Muffet McGraw said. "I thought she was the key - the player of the game. She turned us around off the bench."

Orlosky had eight second-half points to bust open a TCU zone, and effectively, the game. When she entered the game, the Lady Frogs were down 47-37 with 15:34 to go. By the time Orlosky's scoring spree ended on a nice 16-foot jumper, the lead was 18 and only eight minutes remained.

"(TCU) playing in a zone really helped her," McGraw said. "She's much better against a zone."

Just as important as her shooting, however, was Orlosky's defensive play. She helped shut down the Lady Frogs' third leading scorer, Deana Giles. Giles finished with only four points, three rebounds, and seven turnovers.

"My role is coming in and playing good defense, working the offense, and hitting the open shot, and it was there tonight," said Orlosky.

Was it ever. The Irish did a good job reversing the ball against the TCU zone, and more often than not, Orlosky, setting camp around the 15-to-18-foot mark on the left wing, was wide open.

Orlosky appeared to gain confidence as McGraw put faith in her freshman, leaving her in during a crucial time of the contest. The tentative style she had exhibited in her previous brief stints vanished as the game progressed.

"She's just been waiting for her chance to get in the game," McGraw said. "She's only been playing three- or four-minute stretches, and tonight, she played a little longer than she had been, so she had a chance to feel comfortable."

Orlosky, however, believed there was more to her stellar play than just getting more playing time.

"You have to be ready to go all the time, even if it's only for two minutes or whatever," she said. "You've got to be concentrated, and I think I got my concentration down, went in

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