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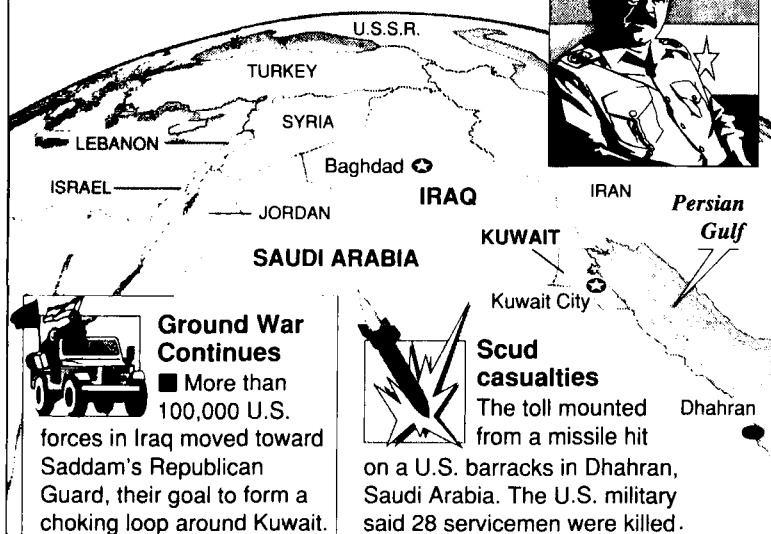
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Gulf War Roundup Tuesday, Feb. 26

President Saddam Hussein told his war-wrecked nation in an address today on Baghdad radio that, "Today we will complete the withdrawal of our forces, God willing." Allies reported seeing some signs that the Iraqis were withdrawing.



U.S. plans to rebuild Kuwait

'Essential services' will be restored initially

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. military officials intend to play a long-term role in restoring order to war-torn Kuwait, helping the government in health care, public safety and other areas, a document of contingency plans says.

Military planners and Kuwaiti officials drew up the contingency plans in the months before U.S. military forces moved into Kuwait, which has been occupied by Iraqi troops since Aug. 2.

The 200-page document, issued by an Army civil affairs reserve unit, was obtained by Pacific News Service, which



OPERATION DESERT STORM

provided a copy to The Associated Press. Army officials here said they were unfamiliar with the document and could not comment on it.

Once Iraqi troops were out of the country, the document said,

it would take about two weeks to restore "essential services," and about three months for "minimal services" to be put in place. The reconstruction phase was open-ended.

"Throughout all phases of the recovery period, and into the reconstruction phase, additional (U.S.) support will be provided to the established security force," the paper said.

Although the government of Kuwait will be in charge of the area once Kuwait is declared secure, the document said U.S. Army civil affairs people will help with food, water, health, sanitation, transportation and telecommunications.

Perkins says perception is key in state of race relations

By MEREDITH MCCULLOUGH
News Writer

Perception is the key to the state of race relations at this moment in United States history, said Joseph Perkins in his lecture last night titled "Race Relations in the 1990s."

Perkins, a former White House domestic policy analyst and former Wall Street Journal editorialist, gave a relatively optimistic view of the race issue while expressing a hope that relations will become progressively better in the 90s.

The two most daunting problems facing American blacks, according to Perkins, are the

continued existence of poverty among all races and the widespread practice of "politics of victimization." Both of these issues affect how different races perceive themselves as well as how they see others.

"The greatest emphasis of better relations is prosperity," said Perkins. "When America prospers there is a general feeling of euphoria among all races."

Perkins attributes this sense of euphoria to the fact that when people are less concerned with their financial state, they are less likely to participate in "zero sum thinking," or the thought that one race's gain comes at the expense of another.

"If black America was prosperous overall... much of the race problem that exists in America today would dissipate over time," he stated.

Statistics he provided showed that over the past ten years there has been a dramatic increase in the number of middle class and affluent black households. He stated that this year marks the first time that the black middle class outnumbers the black poor.

In spite of these improvements, problems continue to arise from the practice of "politics of victimization" among Black leaders and the media in general. Perkins explains this practice as the tendency for public figures to pre-

sent Black America on a whole as a victim society resulting from inherent racism.

He states that such a view distorts perspective and ignores both "white American's significant credit for taking down barriers" and "Black progress and success."

By providing the public with a bleak image the black community rather than focusing on "important measures of progress," such politics cause resentment to increase and moral to decrease.

Perkins does not see affirmative action or other such "special treatment" as a viable response to either poverty or "politics of victimization." Instead he would like to see pro-

grams that aid all of America's poor— "Black and white alike."

"Poverty is not as much a racial problem as a family problem," said Perkins. He explained that the best way to improve race relations is by preserving the family structure.

Programs such as incentives to uphold two-parent families and to encourage a community effort to instill basic values in children are necessary, he said. Once strong family structures are reestablished, all other aspects of human decency and, consequently, race relations will fall into place.

The lecture was held at 7:30 p.m. in Cushing Auditorium and was sponsored by the Student Union Board.

Doctor seeks to make legal suicide machine

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — An inventor whose "suicide machine" launched a debate over assisted suicide told Michigan legislators Tuesday they should let doctors help terminally ill patients kill themselves.

Dr. Jack Kevorkian sharply criticized pending legislation to outlaw assisted suicide in Michigan.

"You're in the dark ages — you haven't solved anything" if the bill passes, Kevorkian told the Senate Family Law, Criminal Law and Corrections Committee.

"Michigan has the opportunity to lead the civilized world" by permitting and regulating assisted suicide, he said.

The sponsor of the bill, Sen. Fred Dillingham, said the law is necessary to prevent the state from becoming a suicide haven.

The committee delayed action on the bill until next week.

The bill would make it a felony to help someone commit suicide, punishable by up to four years in prison and a \$2,000 fine. Forcing or coercing

someone to commit suicide would be first-degree murder.

On June 4, Kevorkian let Janet Adkins, 54, of Portland, Ore., use his "suicide machine" to inject herself with a fatal dose of drugs. Adkins suffered from Alzheimer's disease.

Kevorkian was charged with first-degree murder, but the charges were dropped. Three weeks ago, Circuit Judge Alice Gilbert made permanent her injunction barring him from helping anyone else commit suicide.

A Loomis, Calif., man, Bertram Harper, 79, faces trial in Wayne County on charges of murder and conspiracy to commit murder in the death of his wife, Virginia, 69.

Harper told police he pulled a plastic bag over her head after she took some sleeping pills Aug. 19 in a motel near Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

The couple, who had seen news accounts of Adkins' suicide and believed assisted suicide was legal in Michigan, came to Detroit so Mrs. Harper, who had cancer, could kill herself.



National security briefing

President Bush meets in the Oval Office at the White House Monday to receive a national security briefing. From left are: Chairman of the joint Chiefs Gen. Colin Powell, Chief of Staff John Sununu, Defense Secretary Dick Cheney, Vice President Dan Quayle, Bush, Secretary of State James Baker, National Security Adviser Brent Scowcroft and his deputy Robert Gates.

AP Photo

INSIDE COLUMN

Coverage of Gulf War: A Circus

Remember the feeling as the Gulf War started, some 40 days ago, as we all crowded around our televisions to hear and see what was going on and what might happen?



Florentine Hoelker
Assoc. News Editor

There were a bunch of us in the newsroom that night watching the networks with a combination of anxiety, fear, disbelief, and a terrible burst of excitement. And during the whole first night or so I kept wondering, *Where are the commercials?*

The role of the press in this war is an altered one, with not a little comment on all sides. The press feels itself somewhat cheated by the military because the military will not answer all its questions regarding troop movements and other future Allied strategies.

The military feels the press is asking too much. Some protesters (members of the Gulf Crisis Action Group come to mind) feel the press has been lacking in its coverage because not everything is instantly revealed to an eager and blood-thirsty public.

Yet all the while it bothers me that the press gets so excited by all this. War and death and destruction are all big news. Big news for the press is big business. Networks are fighting for news ratings, the newspapers relish being able to print really big headlines, and some women love to see their T.V. screens lit up by the face of Arthur Kent. Hooray for Hollywood.

This isn't war. This is the press' bread and butter. It's a circus, an event, something to get excited about. Ratings are up. Newspaper sales are up. All the while men and women are dying by the dozens (hundreds? thousands?), two nations are being devastated, and God knows what the future will bring. But the important question is: Do you think Fred Francis gets paid for those descrete military book ads from his rear bookshelf?

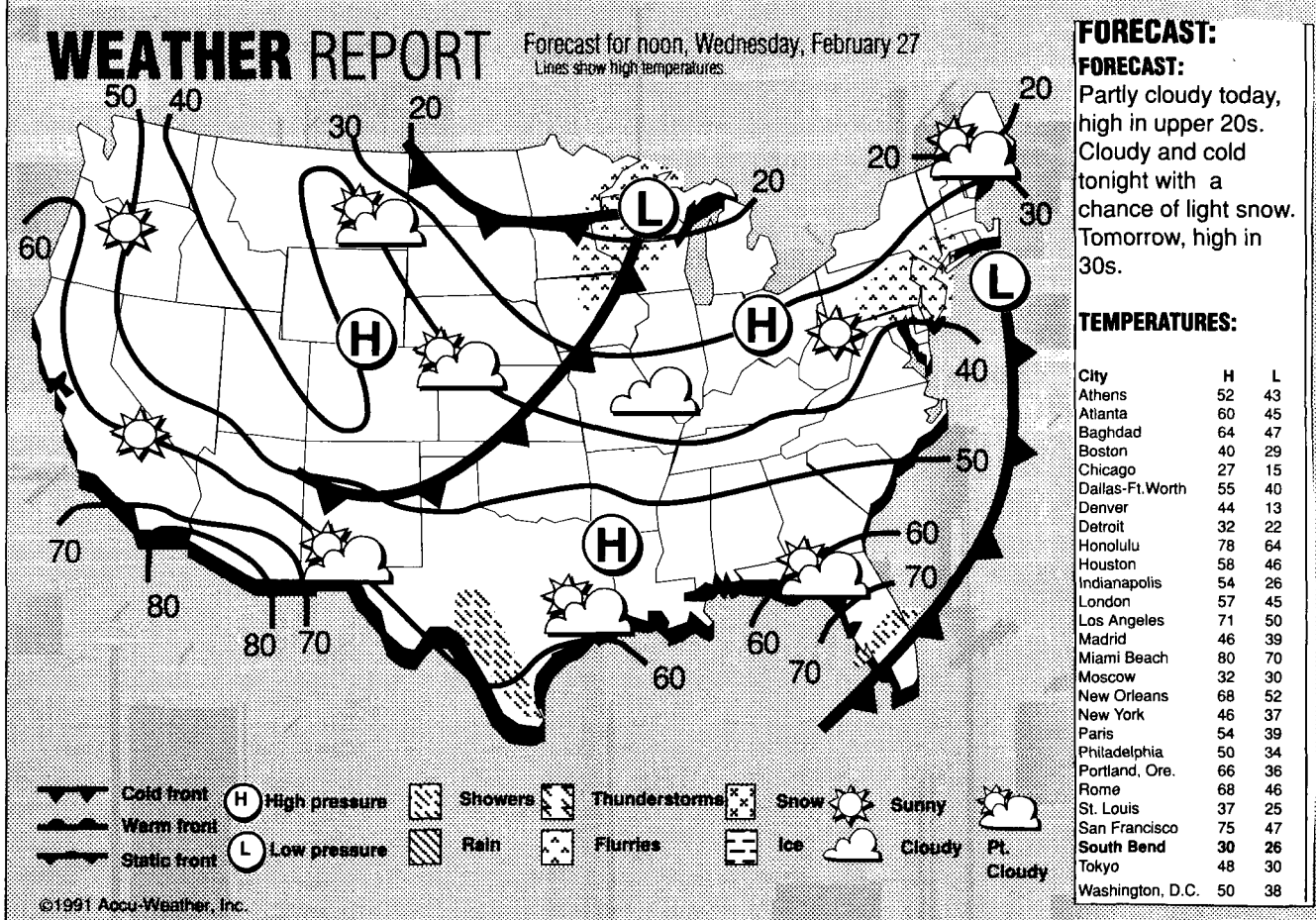
However, it's our job to report what's happening. I don't think there's much of an argument there. People want to and should know what occurs, and they should know as much as they can. They should know everything, eventually.

This doesn't mean we the press, the great defenders of the first amendment, need to know everything immediately. Why do reporters insist on asking what the generals plan to do?

They honestly think they'll be told? Perhaps national security is just a ruse. Reporters cry censorship, expect us to take them seriously, then feel fit to include a two-minute update on the war between halves in a basketball game. It just doesn't mesh.

Broadcasting live, and interviewing today's two-bit military analyst, the news people tell us how things are. As they switch reporters from New York to London to the Gulf, you can almost see the beaming of the anchors as they cover the big story in Saudi Arabia. It's a war. And it's news.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily



TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD

Teenagers killed by drug-backed gang

■**BOGOTA, Colombia** — Gunmen killed nine teenagers playing soccer on a Medellin street on Tuesday in the latest massacre blamed by police on drug-backed gangs. Medellin police said five heavily armed men in a moving automobile opened fire on the boys during a soccer game and then sped away. Six youths died at the scene and three later died of their wounds at a hospital, they said. The killings were the work of hired assassins who "have developed a death culture," Medellin city official Rodrigo Palacio said in an interview with the RCN radio network. On Sunday, gunmen killed five vendors at an outdoor market in Medellin, a cocaine trafficking center and Colombia's second largest city. On Monday, assailants burst into a Medellin high school classroom and fatally shot two teen-age boys in front of a teacher and 40 fellow students.

NATIONAL

Restrictive abortion bill fails in S.D.

■**PIERRE, S.D.** — A bill proposing one of the most restrictive abortion laws in the nation was rejected Tuesday by the South Dakota Senate by a single vote. Anti-abortion forces stepped up lobbying and eroded

support for the measure, said its Senate sponsor, Richard Belatti. The House approved the bill overwhelmingly about two weeks ago. The measure failed in the Senate on a vote of 17-18 after nearly two hours of intense debate. Supporters suggested asking the Senate to reconsider, but Belatti said another vote will not be taken. Belatti, a Sioux Falls Republican, said senators had made up their minds on the issue and were unlikely to change their votes. "I think there's nothing to be gained by working it over again," he said. The measure would have allowed abortion only in cases of rape, incest, endangerment to the physical health of a pregnant woman or when a doctor determined that a fetus was severely mentally or physically handicapped.

Derailed train spills chemicals

■**MOXAHALA, Ohio** — Part of a train designated as carrying flammable chemicals derailed today, spilling an unidentified liquid, and some residents near the site were evacuated, a sheriff's official said. Perry County sheriff's Chief Deputy Dennis Carley said about 10 cars derailed on Conrail tracks about a half-mile north of this village in southeastern Ohio. Authorities at the site did not immediately know what liquid spilled, but Carley said signs on the train indicate it might have been carrying dichlorobutene, butanol, butyl alcohol and other flammable and corrosive materials. Carley said he did not know how many people were evacuated. Moxahala, a village of about 350 people, is about 50 miles southeast of Columbus.

OF INTEREST

■**Ushers are needed** for all performances of Fortune: The Rise and Fall of a Small Fortune Cookie Factory. Sign up at 320 O'Shaughnessy Hall.

■**A lecture by Ellen Harris**, professor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, will be presented by the Department of Music at 4:30 p.m. in Room 124, Crowley Hall of Music. The lecture is entitled "German and Italian Influences on Operatic Librettos of G.F. Handel."

■**Sexuality and Alcohol: Myths and Truths** will be presented by Mary Cecelia Roemer, M.A., C.A.C., a psychotherapist with specialties in working with women and with alcohol issues, today from 4:00-5:00 p.m., Notre Dame Room LaFortune Student Center. Co-sponsored by

The Year of Women, the University Counseling Center, and The Office For Alcohol And Drug Education.

■**Fad Diets vs. Good Diets**, Today students can learn to effectively plan and organize meals at a forum sponsored by The Year of Women Committee and University Food Services. The "Fad Diets vs. Good Diets" presentation will feature actual food demonstrations by Chef Denis, and participants will receive recipes and handouts. The forum will be held from 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. in the Faculty Dining Room of South Dining Hall.

■**Seniors** interested in a year of volunteer work, Sr. Mary Budde, '90 of the Franciscans will be on Campus today to discuss the options available to you. Library course 10 a.m.-noon and CSC 1-5 p.m.

MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY'S TRADING/February 26, 1991

VOLUME IN SHARES 193.82 Million	NYSE INDEX 200.50 ↑ 0.85
S&P COMPOSITE 367.23 ↑ 1.61	DOW JONES INDUSTRIALS 2,887.87 ↓ 1.49
PRECIOUS METALS	
GOLD ↓ \$2.50 to \$359.50oz.	SILVER ↑ 6.8¢ to \$3.576/oz.

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

- **In 1633:** The Italian astronomer Galileo arrived in Rome for trial before the Inquisition.
- **In 1920:** The League of Nations recognized the perpetual neutrality of Switzerland.
- **In 1935:** A jury in Flemington, N.J., found Bruno Richard Hauptmann guilty of first-degree murder in the kidnap-death of the infant son of aviator Charles Lindbergh. The verdict carried an automatic death sentence.
- **In 1945:** During World War II, the Soviets captured Budapest, Hungary, from the Germans after a 50-day siege.
- **In 1982:** The UAW traded wage and benefit concessions for job security in a new contract with Ford.

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Music professor to give a faculty organ recital

Special to The Observer

Craig Cramer, associate professor of music at the University of Notre Dame, will give a faculty organ recital at 8 p.m. on Sunday, March 3 at Sacred Heart Church, on the University's campus. The concert, which will feature an all Bach program, is free and open to the public.

In addition to his faculty appointment, Cramer also serves as organist at the First English Lutheran Church in Mishawaka. He has performed in thirty states and Canada and has appeared as featured recitalist for conventions of the American Guild of Organists.

Next summer Cramer will make his first European concert appearance on an eight city tour of Germany.

Cramer holds degrees from Westminster Choir College and the Eastman School of Music, where he earned a doctorate in organ performance. The Eastman School also awarded him the prestigious performer's certificate in organ.

He has studied with Russell Saunders, William Hays, James Drake, and Andre Marchal and has been named the winner of several competitions, including the Alexander McCurdy Competition in Organ Performance at Westminster Choir College and the National Competition at First Presbyterian Church in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

HPC discusses freshmen elections

By CARRIE DWYER
News Writer

Two Student Senate amendments concerning freshman class elections and the formation of an ethics committee to oversee students organizations were discussed by Hall Presidents' Council (HPC) last night.

Because of inconsistencies in the freshman class representative elections between the halls in past years, an amendment was passed in the Senate and by HPC to require that the freshman class government be composed of an elected representative from each residence hall.

These representatives would be elected by October 1, and

the Freshman Class Council would then elect among themselves four officers by November 1.

Each class president would be an active voting member of the Student Senate and would remain in office until April 1.

Also passed by the Senate was an amendment that called for the creation of an ethics committee whose purpose would be to "review and address any allegation of misuse of student funds or misconduct of student organizations and their members."

The committee would act as a sort of Judicial Board that would oversee all undergraduate student organizations that are recognized by Student Ac-

tivities.

In related HPC business:

•HPC will be accepting nominations for their annual Irish Clover Award next week. The award is open to any student, faculty or staff member of the University who has given outstanding service to the students of Notre Dame.

•It was announced that any hall wishing to hold its formal at an establishment supplied by Victory Bar will have to pay approximately an additional \$400 to compensate for the minimal amount of insurance that the bar holds.

Victory Bar is currently the supplier for both the Greek Orthodox Church and Gene Van's.

Saint Mary's Peace Group meets

By ANNA MARIE TABOR
Assistant Saint Mary's Editor

The Saint Mary's Peace Support Group agreed that even though an end to the war may be in sight, it is important not to let voices die after the Gulf War is over.

Mary Turgi, assistant director of Campus Ministry, said, "I think we need to start talking about where do we go from here. After break, will it be all over militarily? (But) what has been unleashed by this?"

The group discussed the need to keep people's awareness because there will be far-reaching consequences, including compensation for the damage. "The bill hasn't come in yet on this war," Turgi said.

The press has been inundated

with war news, while the United States' problems such as increased homelessness and class differentiation have taken a back seat, according to Ann Clark, professor of philosophy. "Bush is going to have to come back to problems here," she said. "There is a pattern of avoiding tending to our own problems by thinking we have special insights into other people's lives (and getting involved in them)."

Ideas for future Peace Support Group meetings include speakers who know about the political, economic, and ecological outcomes of the war. Rosalind Clark, professor of English, has suggested to the English department that there be an "evening with E.E. Cum-

mings" presenting anti-war poetry tapes that haven't been shown. Clark elected to give a synopsis of why they haven't.

To provide continuity and depth to the group, Turgi suggested that they read a common book throughout the semester to come to a better understanding of the situation. The group was encouraged to read journals and alternative viewpoints.

Ann Clark described a current Women's Peace Study project as "a general statement on war, not specifically on the Middle East War." Rosalind Clark said that the goal is to get people who agree with the statement to sign it and possibly give it to Resident Assistants to suggest that students read it. Men are included in the project.

Croatia's defense minister prosecuted for 'rebellion'

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Croatia's defense minister and seven others were formally charged by a military prosecutor Tuesday with planning an armed rebellion against Yugoslavia.

An army statement said Martin Spegelj and the other Croats, including two active army officers, had masterminded the plan by importing arms to create an independent Croatian army. The charges carry a maximum sentence of life imprisonment.

Spegelj has repeatedly denied wrongdoing. He is hiding out, supposedly in the Croatian capital of Zagreb, and pro-

tested by dozens of security guards.

The army ordered Croatian authorities and army troops to arrest Spegelj in January and again this month, but the Croats defied the order and the troops failed to carry out the arrest.

His seven co-defendants were arrested last month after the broadcast of a secret army film purporting to show Spegelj and the others plotting to kill army officers and their families.

The film also accused them of illegally importing arms from Hungary. The Hungarian government has confirmed the sale of about 10,000 submachine guns to a Croatian trading firm.

The Center for Civil & Human Rights and

The Notre Dame Law Review

present

A Symposium on

The Rights of Ethnic Minorities

Friday, March 1 from 9 - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 2 from 9:30 - 4:00 p.m.

Law School Court Room, Room 220

U.S. attempts to stop terrorism lacks funds

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government efforts to develop high-technology defenses against terrorist attacks have been starved for money, congressional analysts said Tuesday.

Officials of the Federal Aviation Administration said, meanwhile, their new thermal neutron analysis or TNA detector has improved its performance over the past six months, finding smaller amounts of explosives with fewer false alarms.

The machine, now being used to check luggage at three international airports, has been criticized in the past as not being up to the task of finding a bomb in a mass of innocent suitcases and packages.

Anthony Fainberg of the congressional Office of Technology Assessment told the Senate Government Operations Committee that slender financing for the inter-agency group coordinating anti-terrorism research has severely hampered its ability to obtain worthwhile results.

Fainberg said the group's available annual funds fell from \$10 million in 1986 to \$2 million last year.

One project, a mobile labora-

tory designed to respond to chemical or biological attacks by terrorists, was delayed for a year, he said.

Committee members said that the threat of terrorism is likely to persist long after the Persian gulf war ends.

One witness, Dr. Stanley Wiener, professor of medicine at the University of Illinois in Chicago, said there is no way to detect a terrorist attack using biological weapons while it is going on.

Wiener called for research to develop "a rapid and specific detector" to warn of such attacks.

"Such studies are under way but they are not funded to the extent they should be, given the capacity of these weapons to cause mass casualties," Wiener said. He added, "And I'm not talking thousands, I'm talking millions."

Speaking for the technology assessment office, Fainberg said the thermal neutron analyzer is flawed and the FAA should not buy more than the six already purchased.

The analyzers, he said, produce too many false alarms when tuned to detect miniature bombs of the type that brought down Pan Am Flight 103 over Scotland three years ago.



AP Photo

Congressional briefing

Senate Majority Leader George Mitchell, surrounded by congressional leaders, talks to reporters after a briefing at the Pentagon Monday.



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Joins with the *Observer*
in hoping for the quick and
safe return of our friends
and loved ones in the
Persian Gulf.

How embarrassed are you, Matt?
Happy 21st to this big (and little) guy



Love, the Howard Lovelies
P.S.: Nice Butt Crack!!

Biko - Stewart

AFRICAN FILM FESTIVAL

Wednesday, February 27: CAMP DE THIAROYE

Directed by Africa's celebrated film-maker, Ousmane Sembene, this film is a powerful WWII drama of African troops in the French army. More authentic than *Glory*.



Thursday, February 28: A WORLD APART



Barbara Hershey stars in this based-on-fact drama about a South African family caught in the early struggle against apartheid.

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The Observer is seeking an eager and creative person to oversee the daily design of Observer advertisements. This person must be good humored, responsible and be reasonably competent with Macintosh computers.

Art Director:

The Observer is seeking an artistic person with a penchant for graphics to direct the Observer's graphics department. This position is open to people with either illustrative abilities or graphics skills.

Anyone interested in these positions should submit a two page personal statement by 5 pm, Friday, March 1 to Kelley Tuthill. Any questions should be directed to either Kelley or Lisa at 239-7471.

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positions on our Saint Mary's staff:

Assistant Editor
News Editor
Accent Editor
Sports Editor
Photo Editor
Office Manager
Advertising Representative

Applicants should submit a one page personal statement to Emily Willett by 5 pm, Thursday, February 28, 1991 at the Haggar College Center Desk. For more information call Emily Willett at 284-5086.

Students enabled to use debit cards to buy drinks

LEWISBURG, Pa. (AP) — Plastic is replacing metal in Pepsi machines at Bucknell University. No, not in the cans, in the coins.

Since December, students have been able to use plastic debit cards instead of change to purchase soft drinks from the Pepsi machines on campus. The cards are the same ones the university has used for copying machines for two years.

Pepsi-Cola Company spokeswoman Leigh Curtin said Tuesday Bucknell is the only test site for the plastic cards. She said the company "wasn't anxious" to release early test results, but Eric Schmidt, purchasing officer for the university in Lewisburg, said sales were up. He wouldn't say how much.

Machines that dispense and read the cards are made by Technology Products Inc. in Harleysville, Pa. Company President Nelson DeShong said the technology can be integrated into just about any machine that uses coins.

"In the future, for students all over the country, the ID card will not only let them buy food in the cafeteria, but also use all vending machines and use the card for entrance to their dormitories," DeShong said.

DeShong's company makes its money by selling the dispensers and readers. Pepsi and the university make money through sales.

"What we commonly see is

that when we put one of these readers on a copier, the use of the copier goes up substantially because that machine is more convenient," DeShong said.

The cards, with magnetic strips on the back, are sold in \$1 or \$5 denominations. Using a card, a soda costs 50 cents, the same as when coins are used. Card users save money on copying, paying only a nickel a copy, as opposed to 10 cents for coin users.

Digital readouts on the soda and copying machines tell users how much credit is left. The same cards can be used on soda machines and copiers.

Schmidt said 60 percent to 80 percent of the students have them.

"The bad thing is it's not like spending money, but it really is each time you use it," said Sharon Friedman, a Bucknell junior in psychology and Spanish from Roslyn, N.Y.

The increased sales generate more money for the school's scholarship fund. Schmidt said vending sales came to \$50,000 last year and that the copying machine card helps cut down on library damage.

"Now, with the cards, they don't have to tear a page out of a book," he said.

The technology is also being used at the U.S. Mints in Philadelphia, Denver and San Francisco, which make coins. They prohibit employees from bringing coins to work.



AP Photo

Thanks America

An exiled Kuwaiti waves the American flag from his car window in Cairo in the pre-dawn hours Tuesday after Iraq announced it would withdraw from Kuwait. Hundreds of Kuwaitis celebrated in the streets.

House rejects S&L bailout bill

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Banking Committee rejected a bill Tuesday that would have authorized another \$20 billion in taxpayer money to continue the bailout of failed savings and loans institutions over the next seven months.

The measure was defeated on a 31-19 vote after being amended several times during a 10-hour committee session.

The Senate, meanwhile, began debating its own version, favored by the Bush administration, that would authorize \$30 billion for the bailout agency, the Resolution Trust Corp.

Both bills merely would set spending ceilings. The money would have to be provided through separate appropriations bills.

Officials of the corporation say it will run out of money this week unless Congress provides additional funds. The fate of the legislation was unclear after the House committee acted, but the House could still take up the Senate version if it passes the Senate.

At the start of the committee's work session, the House bill would have provided the same \$30 billion as in the Senate measure. But among several

amendments adopted was one to provide \$20 billion immediately and authorize the additional \$10 billion only if President Bush sends Congress a plan for paying for the bailout in future years without worsening the budget deficit.

Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady had said in a letter to congressional leaders that anything less than \$30 billion would result in "a start-and-stop cleanup process that produces further delays, substantial additional costs to taxpayers and confusion and fear in the minds of depositors."



Christmas in April 1991

ATTENTION STUDENTS--LAST WEEK OF SIGNUPS

Off Campus Sign-ups:

February 25 - March 1 in North and South Dining Halls during lunch.

February 25 - March 1 at LaFortune information desk.

On Campus Sign-ups:

Now - March 1. Look for posters in respective dorms.

"Christmas in April 1991" will take place in the St. Casimir - Ford Street neighborhood

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Czech Parliament ends state control over economy

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP) — Parliament on Tuesday approved landmark legislation to end 40 years of state control over the economy with a vote to hand over all nationalized industry to private investors.

The law is the most important in the government's ambitious program to turn the country from a Communist-controlled economy to a market-oriented system.

"It is an all-out attempt to get rid of ... state ownership of industry and the only way to solve this enormous problem," Deputy Finance Minister Dusan Triska, architect of the legislation, said in an interview Tuesday.

All 4,500 industrial enterprises valued at \$130 billion should be available to domestic or foreign private investors by year's end, he said.

Deputies present in the 300-seat legislature voted 157 in favor, 24 against the vote, and 12 abstained, the official news agency CTK said.

Finance Minister Vaclav Klaus, chief architect of economic reform, called the draft law an "historic document" when he presented it to parliament last Thursday.

Czechoslovakia was among Europe's most advanced industrial countries before World War II, with military, textile and engineering industries re-

spected worldwide.

Four decades of Communist rule after 1948 brought its economy to the verge of collapse, leaving the nation's first post-Communist government last year with outdated heavy industry and a polluted environment.

The country's economic reform shifted into high gear last month, with price deregulation and auctions of small shops that gave the population the first taste of post-war capitalism.

Klaus, in an interview published Tuesday, expressed optimism about the reform, despite inevitable jumps in inflation and unemployment.

"Everything points to the fact

we can manage it," he told the weekly Reflex.

The new privatization law permits the sale of the country's most healthy industrial ventures to foreign investors in an effort to reap the capital needed to overhaul other outdated industries.

But Triska suggested no more than several dozen large Czechoslovak enterprises would merit the attention of large foreign investors.

Companies illegally nationalized by Communists after 1948 will be returned to original owners or their descendants. Shares in the bulk of the remaining enterprises will be made available to other

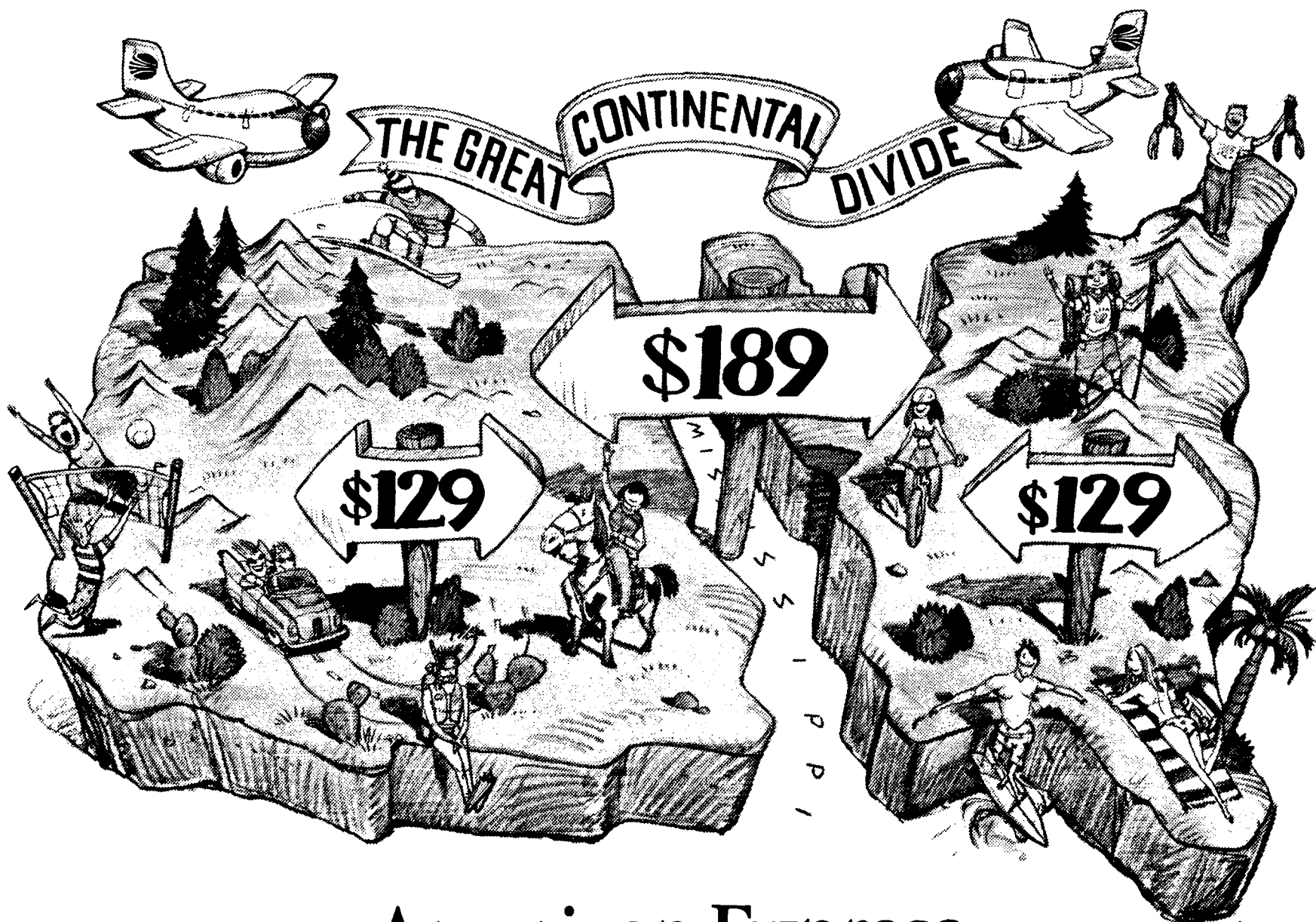
Czechoslovaks through an intricate system of government-issued coupons.

"It will be a financial transaction of dimensions unprecedented in this country," Triska said, adding that millions of people will be issued the bonds in a gigantic computer-run operation in late 1991 or early 1992.



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Joins with the *Observer* in hoping
for the quick and safe return of our
loved ones in the Persian Gulf.



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Now students can get the Card
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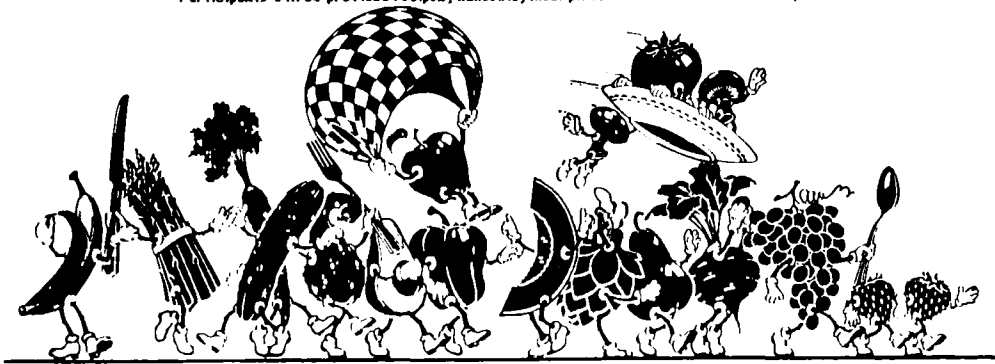
Members of a U.S. Marines light infantry unit study captured Iraqi weapons in Kuwait Monday, the second day of the ground war. The weapons include rocket powered grenades and AK-47's.

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Bush administration says recession will be short

WASHINGTON (AP) — An overwhelming majority of the nation's top economic forecasters share the Bush administration's expectation that the current recession will be shorter and much less severe than the average downturn since World War II.

The National Association of Business Economists (NABE) survey showed on Tuesday that 49 of the 54 forecasters participating in the poll, or 91 percent, believe the recession will last nine months or less — meaning it should be over by mid-year.

Both their length and severity projections were just a bit less rosy than the White House's.

The eight previous recessions since 1945 have averaged 11 months in length during which the economy fell an average 2.5 percent. The consensus of the NABE forecasters project the drop in the GNP this time to be just 1.0 percent. The poll was conducted in the first two weeks of February.

"Compared to historic norms, that is a fairly short recession," Richard Rippe, NABE president and chief economist for Dean Witter Reynolds in New York, told a news conference. "In terms of severity, the recession is expected to be fairly shallow compared to historic norms."

A recession generally is defined as at least two consecutive quarterly declines in the gross national product — the nation's total output of goods and services. The Commerce Department said the GNP fell at an annual rate of 2.1 percent in the fourth quarter of 1990.

President Bush based his fiscal 1991 budget on assumptions that the recession would be mild and last just two quarters, with economic growth resuming in the April-June period. The NABE forecasters were slightly less optimistic, projecting a tiny contraction in that quarter but moderate growth thereafter.

In other economic news Tuesday:

• The Commerce Department said orders to U.S. factories for durable goods declined 0.7 percent in January after advancing 2.7 percent a month earlier. Orders for durable goods — items ranging from trucks to turbines that are expected to last more than three

years — have bounced up and down for more than a year.

• The department also said the U.S. merchandise trade deficit narrowed to \$108.68 billion in 1990, the smallest gap in seven years and down 5.4 percent from the imbalance posted in 1989. Both exports and imports set records, although the import growth was slower than exports.

The NABE forecast projected the economy will decline 0.2 percent in 1991 on a year-over-year basis. That includes contractions of 1.6 percent in the current quarter and 0.3 percent from April through June before posting moderate growth rates of 1.9 percent in the third quarter and 2.5 percent in the fourth.

The forecast said the economy will advance 2.5 percent in 1992 while the Bush forecast calls for 3 percent growth each year from 1992 through 1996.

The NABE forecast projected an unemployment rate of 6.6 percent this year, dropping to 6.2 percent in 1992. The jobless rate was 5.5 percent in 1990.

The forecast also projected after-tax corporate earnings to decline 3.8 percent after edging up just 0.1 percent in 1990. And, Rippe said, it called for "weak results in such cyclical sensitive sectors such as housing, automobiles and industrial production."

On the other hand, Rippe noted "a few bright spots:"

• Inflation as measured by the Consumer Price Index is expected to slow to 4.6 percent this year on a year-over-year basis and to 4.0 percent in 1992. The CPI rose 6.1 percent during 1990.

• Interest rates for both short-term Treasury bills and long-term Treasury bonds will decline slightly between now and the end of June, but then rise throughout the balance of 1991 and during 1992.

• And the U.S. merchandise trade balance will drop to \$95 billion this year from \$101.1 billion in 1990.

But, the forecasters said, the nation's other deficit, the federal budget gap, will jump to \$300 billion this fiscal year, up from \$220.4 billion in fiscal 1990, before falling to \$291 billion in the fiscal year starting next October.

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President Bush has the floor as he jokes with members of his cabinet prior to a working lunch at the White House Monday. Secretary of State James Baker, left and Defense Secretary Dick Cheney

School offers course to improve parenting

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Patricia McTyer was tired of seeing her second-grader's afternoons slip away in front of the television. Jannie Dixon wanted to help her 7-year-old granddaughter learn to share.

When their elementary school offered a special course on better parenting, both women rushed to enroll. The \$100 bonus school officials offered to parents completing the 11-week session just added zest to the venture, they said.

"I read what they were offering and I said, 'This is what I want,' and then, 'Wow, it's great we're going to be paid for going to get help,'" McTyer said.

Response to the pilot program, which pays parents to get more involved in urban classrooms, is encouraging, organizers say.

"In a very real way in urban America, this is about saving

lives really and I believe that we need to be creative," said Paul Brekke-Miesner, program manager for Oakland schools' comprehensive health and safety plan.

But some question the wisdom of paying parents to take an interest in their child's education.

"I personally do not feel that a parent should be paid to get involved with their children," said Mae Monroe, president of the Oakland Council PTA.

Eleven parents signed up and nine finished the program recently completed at Webster Elementary School, which has 898 students. A second session starts this spring at another elementary school.

In addition to the \$100 incentive, participants who met specific goals, such as enrolling in junior college, received an extra \$50.

Investigation nabs crack dealers

ATLANTA (AP) — A three-month crack cocaine investigation in Georgia, Florida and South Carolina resulted in 13,593 arrests and the seizure of \$25.5 million worth of drugs, officials from the three states announced Tuesday.

"This historic 'crack attack' may well be the largest coordinated drug bust in the history of law enforcement," Georgia Gov. Zell Miller said at a news conference.

The investigation dealt "a devastating blow to drug production, distribution, smuggling and trafficking facilities from

Key west to Atlanta and to Myrtle Beach," Miller said.

Authorities said 272 sheriffs in the three states participated in the arrests and drug seizures. They also seized 649 vehicles, four boats, one plane, \$2,368,169 in cash, and 1,200 firearms and miscellaneous weapons, totaling \$7,603,000 in value.

In a four-day drug sweep conducted last week, officers used traffic stops to search vehicles for drugs along highways from Miami to the North Carolina border.

The effort will not curtail the crack cocaine epidemic entirely, but "it will make a dent," said Bud Cody, executive director of the Georgia Sheriffs Association.

The operation experienced a few setbacks. In one instance, the Clayton County Narcotics Unit broke in the door of an elderly couple's home south of Atlanta on Friday because an officer typed the wrong address on a search warrant.

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Gorbachev lashes back at Yeltsin and other 'radicals'

MOSCOW (AP) — President Mikhail Gorbachev on Tuesday lashed back at Boris Yeltsin and other radicals who are demanding his resignation, saying they were trying to oust him through street demonstrations, "and they might succeed."

Warning that would lead to civil war, Gorbachev distanced himself from the forces of radical reform and aligned himself closer to Communist Party traditionalists in a major speech

setting the tone before a national referendum March 17 to hold the Soviet Union together.

The anti-Communist opposition has staged three huge rallies in Moscow since the Kremlin's Jan. 13 military crack-down in Lithuania, with increasing calls for Gorbachev's resignation as he has turned toward hard-liners.

Yeltsin, his political rival and president of the Russian federation, went on national television Feb. 12, accused Gor-

bachev of sacrificing perestroika for personal power and demanded his immediate resignation.

The speech by Gorbachev, to Byelorussian intellectuals in Minsk during his first domestic trip in a half-year, was also his first public comment about Yeltsin's demand.

"The democrats are striving for power," Gorbachev said, referring to Yeltsin and other reformers. "And since their initial plan for a lightning capture of

power by legal means through the Congress and Supreme Soviet did not work, they decided to use what some analysts define today as neo-Bolshevist tactics.

"You know what I mean. It's the transition of the struggle to the streets: organizing demonstrations, rallies, strikes and hunger strikes," Gorbachev said.

Gorbachev said his political opponents were waging "psychological warfare" against him.

"In the absence of positive programs, they address the people — the working class — over the heads of the parliament, with an appeal to dissolve this and that, and force the president to resign, and the situation is tense, strained," he said. "And they might succeed. And that's what they calculate on."

"We categorically reject any attempts to repeat the forcible capture of power which would almost inevitably be followed by a civil war," Gorbachev said.

Gorbachev said he has been hampered the past 18 months "by the most intense power struggle."

In an apparent reference to demands at recent demonstrations for the national parliament to resign, he accused his opponents of trying to dismantle the Soviet Union's "first democratically elected organ."

In fact, the 2,250-member Congress has hundreds of deputies selected by party-controlled organizations. In addition, its members have given Gorbachev increased powers in recent months so that he rules virtually by decree.

He also accused opposition leaders of waging the campaign against him "to improve their dropping political rating," but it is Gorbachev's popularity that is falling. A poll conducted in 11 Russian cities by the All-Union Center for Public Opinion since Yeltsin's TV appearance found 62 percent of the respondents felt negatively about Gorbachev and only 24 percent positively.

Voters will be asked March 17 in a nationwide referendum whether they want to preserve the Soviet Union "as a renewed federation of equal, sovereign republics in which human rights and freedoms of any nationality (people of all ethnic groups) will be fully guaranteed?"

The radical reformers have said they will try to use the vote as a referendum on Gorbachev's six years in power.

Gorbachev said reformers such as Yeltsin and Moscow Mayor Gavril Popov want to dismember the 15 republics making up the Soviet Union.

"There is no need to wonder that these 'democrats' enter a political alliance with separatists and nationalist groups," Gorbachev said. "They have one common goal: to weaken and, if possible, dismantle the union."

He also suggested the radicals are directed from abroad, saying the "slogans that inspired the active forces of perestroika became devoid of substance, altered, rephrased and used to disguise long-term plans, in some cases hatched in alien research centers and alien heads, and consequently we do not need them."

"Recently the so-called democrats have embarked on a frankly anti-Communist road, calling for proclaiming the Communist Party of the Soviet Union a criminal organization and staging a trial," he said. "This supercilious mocking hides the desire to lead the people astray. ... If Boris Yeltsin and Gavril Popov proclaim themselves democrats, millions of Communists have by far more reasons to call themselves such."

Earlier Tuesday, as he visited the Minsk Tractor Works, Gorbachev was asked about Yeltsin's demand, and he replied that that his rival's objectives "are at odds with the goals of perestroika," according to Tass.

"It would be very simple if everything boiled down to our personal relationship. What is at issue is two political lines and associated strategic goals," the news agency quoted him as saying. "That's where the difference is."

Gorbachev also got an earful of complaints about the economy from the factory's workers.

The evening TV news program "Vremya" showed assembly line workers amid shiny red tractors arguing about the economic crisis with the fur-hatted Gorbachev, who wagged his finger back at them.

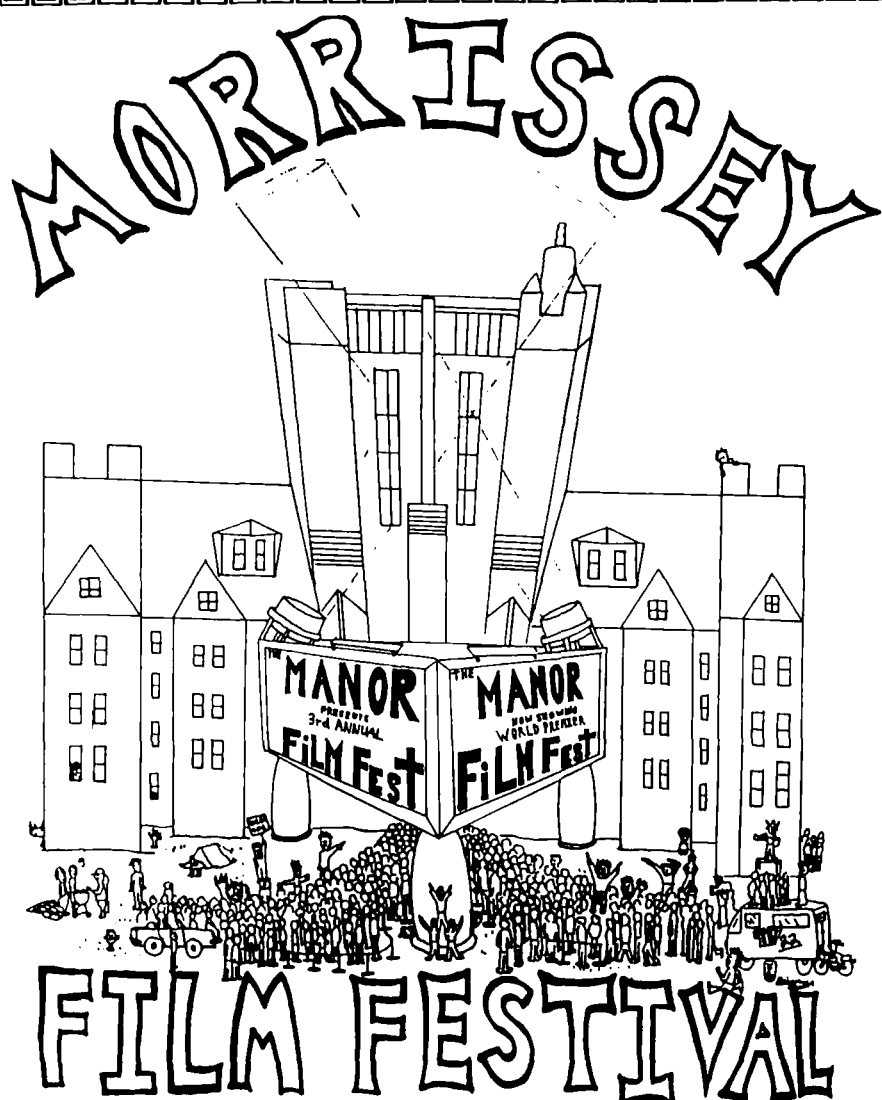
"I don't even have boots!" said one worker.

"There is no food, no goods," a woman told Gorbachev. "I have a booklet of shopping coupons and there is not a single coupon that has been clipped out. I can't buy anything after work. The shelves are bare!"

Gorbachev also said he would spend two of three days in Byelorussia visiting areas contaminated by the April 1986 Chernobyl nuclear power plant accident.

About one-fifth of Byelorussia, where more than 2 million people live, was contaminated. Politicians and residents allege bureaucratic bungling, medical incompetence, corruption and waste in the cleanup.

Gorbachev's last domestic trip was Aug. 17, when he spoke to soldiers in the Black Sea port of Odessa.



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Bush vows to press on with war against Iraq

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush grimly vowed to press the war against Iraq "with undiminished intensity" Tuesday as the Pentagon said Saddam Hussein's shattered army was "in full retreat." Bush said the troops were leaving only in hopes of regrouping to fight again another day.

"Saddam is not interested in peace," Bush declared.

"He is trying to save the remnants of power and control in the Middle East by every means possible," Bush said. "And here, too, Saddam Hussein will fail."

Pounded by air and ground attacks, Saddam's forces were on the run in occupied Kuwait and threatened by more than 100,000 U.S. and allied troops in southern Iraq. A small band of U.S. and Saudi special forces probed Kuwait City as an allied force of thousands waited to enter the Kuwaiti capital.

"Tomorrow, when the sun comes up, the question in my mind is whether the enemy is going to be there," Lt. Gen. Thomas Kelly said at the Pentagon. He said Saddam's powerful Republican Guard had not performed any better in battle than other units.

"The Iraqi army is in full retreat, although there is still fighting going on," Kelly said.

Declaring that the allies were advancing faster than expected, Bush proclaimed, "The liberation of Kuwait is close at hand."

After an afternoon update on the war, Bush said, "We are not only on schedule, we're ahead of schedule. No commander in chief has ever been so proud of America's men and women in uniform."

In a radio speech, Saddam said he had ordered his troops to withdraw. Bush dismissed that in a terse and unyielding statement in the Rose Garden, saying, "He is trying to claim victory in the midst of a rout."

Vice President Dan Quayle was at Bush's side during the White House statement and later made clear that the United States wants to render Saddam powerless. "Saddam and his military machine are simply incompatible with a lasting and just peace," Quayle said in a speech at McGuire Air Force Base in New Jersey.

Bush's tough stand was endorsed by allies. Britain, France, Egypt, Germany, Italy and Japan all said withdrawal alone was not enough and that Iraq must comply with all U.N. resolutions imposed after Iraq's Aug. 2 takeover of Kuwait.

Aside from demanding immediate and unconditional withdrawal, the measures call for quick release of detained foreigners, raise the possibility of war reparations and urge nations to collect evidence of human rights abuses, presumably for use in war crimes trials.

On Capitol Hill, Gen. Colin Powell, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said, "We're very pleased with the progress to date but ... it is not yet over so it will continue until it is over."

Increasingly, Bush has appeared determined to see the war through on his unyielding terms rather than embrace diplomatic solutions suggested by Moscow. In fact, his conditions have been made tougher in recent days, with demands for Saddam himself to bow to U.S. terms. The clear goal is to deny Saddam a face-saving way out of the war.

Bush said Saddam had not renounced his claim on Kuwait nor accepted all the mandates of the U.N. "Nor is there any evidence of remorse for Iraq's aggression or any indication that Saddam is prepared to accept the responsibility for the awful consequences of that aggression," Bush said.

He said Saddam also had not complied with demands for the release of prisoners of war and other detained persons or to put "an end to the pathological destruction of Kuwait."

"The coalition will therefore continue to prosecute the war with undiminished intensity," he declared.

Bush demanded that Saddam's forces — in both Kuwait and the Iraq war zone — lay down their arms if they want to be spared. He said the allies would not shoot at unarmed soldiers in retreat but "we have no choice but to consider retreating combat units as a threat, and respond accordingly."



Scud devastates American barracks

AP Photo

An American soldier walks through the rubble of an American military barracks Tuesday morning after an Iraqi Scud missile destroyed the building Monday, killing 27 American soldiers and wounding 98.

U.S. tanks close in on 'Guard'

(AP) — In three days, driving hard to the northeast in numberless phalanxes of M1A1 tanks and personnel carriers, tens of thousands of U.S. and British troops had advanced from the Saudi-Iraqi border to the desert precincts of the Republican Guard, the elite Iraqi army units holding down the Kuwaiti-Iraqi border region.

The powerful VII Corps task force includes the U.S. 1st and 3rd Armored Divisions, the 2nd Armored Cavalry Regiment, the 1st Infantry Division, and the British 1st Armored Division, which includes the famed "Desert Rats" brigade of World War II fame.

American military officials said VII Corps elements had engaged some Guard units. They said a Guard mechanized-infantry division had been

severely damaged. But they gave few details and no location for the desert fighting.

Kelly asserted that the Guard divisions' future was bleak.

"If they elect to stay in their defensive positions, and get close up on American combat forces, they're in deep, deep trouble," Kelly said.

Neil MacFarquhar, an AP correspondent with the VII Corps, said some of the Guard tanks were coming out of their protective revetments, but pilots of surveillance planes saw no coherent plan in their movements. An intelligence officer told him they apparently "are trying to conduct some kind of strategic withdrawal."

Pentagon officials said some U.S. units were at the Euphrates River, which runs

northwest into the Iraqi heartland, "poised to prevent any withdrawal to Baghdad" — some 150 miles to the northwest.

But it was clear the "noose" had not been completely closed. No Desert Storm units had penetrated far enough east to cut off the route straight north from the battle zone to the southern Iraqi city of Basra. Any Iraqi units retreating along that route would be subject to air attack, however.

"If they try to go back to Basra, the Air Force will kill them," one Pentagon official said.

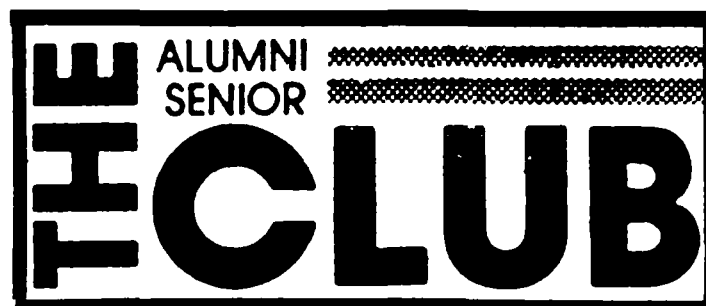
The Pentagon reported Tuesday that more than 2,000 of the estimated 4,200 Iraqi tanks in Kuwait and southern Iraq had been destroyed in six weeks of air and now ground war.

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Surge of patriotism causes flag shortage in Congress

WASHINGTON (AP) — The surge of American patriotism accompanying the Persian Gulf War has caused a flag shortage in Congress, where purchases by lawmakers on behalf of constituents have soared.

Through Feb. 25, congressional workers had flown 23,532 flags over the Capitol, compared to 18,313 for the same period last year, according to William Raines, spokesman for the Capitol architect's office.

And more would be flown, except that manufacturers are having trouble keeping up with demand. Just last Friday, 1,100 were flown in a single day after a new supply arrived, Raines said.

One of the many perquisites of elected office is that House members and senators can order flags run up the flagpoles atop the Capitol. The lawmakers or the constituents buy the flags, but the service that

makes the flags special is free.

Usually, people can choose from a variety of sizes and either cotton or nylon material ranging in price from about \$8 to \$15. But despite weekly deliveries, the shelves are being cleared these days.

Raymond Colley, deputy clerk of the House, whose office orders the flags, said three different companies produce the flags sold in the House stationery store. He said those companies are dealing with big increases in demand not just in Congress but across the country.

"We sold last year for the whole year about 160,000 flags. Today, it would be 30 percent above that level" if the pace continues, he said.

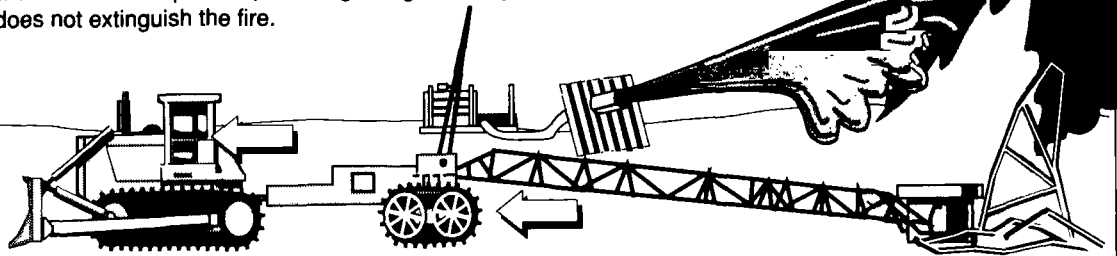
Raines said three flagpoles on the west side of the Capitol roof are being kept busy, but the force can be expanded if necessary.

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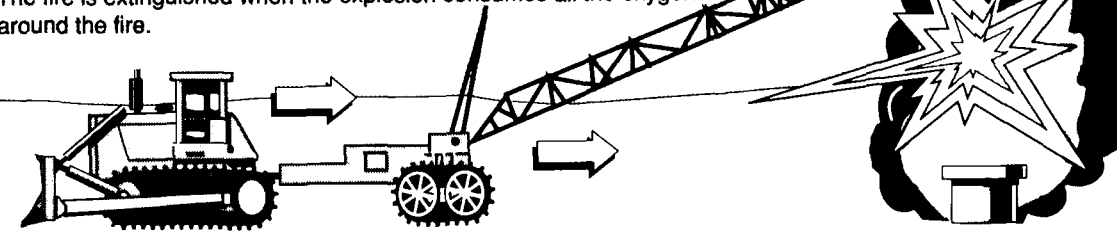
Pits are dug by bulldozers to hold water. Pumps spray huge volumes of water into area of fire to keep it cool, enabling firefighters to get close to the wellhead. Water does not extinguish the fire.



Cranes, attached to a device called an Athey Wagon, drag hot metal debris from the well. If not removed, debris could reignite the fire.

Blowing out the fire

A bulldozer powers the Athey Wagon and backs into the well area. Explosives mounted on the wagon are detonated directly over the wellhead. The fire is extinguished when the explosion consumes all the oxygen around the fire.



Saddam promises a 'greater victory' in the future

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — President Saddam Hussein said Tuesday he was pulling all his troops out of Kuwait immediately and promised his people a "greater victory" in the future.

His military commanders said the allies continued their attacks.

Baghdad radio said Tuesday night that Saddam visited the commanders of the 1st Army Corps to inspect preparations for defending "great Iraq's security and sovereignty."

The broadcast, which identified Saddam as a field marshal, president and commander-in-chief of the armed forces, did

not disclose the time of the visit or the location of the 1st Army Corps. Earlier, Iraq said the corps was in western Kuwait.

"The withdrawal has started and today it will be completed," Saddam said in his Baghdad radio broadcast.

He did not mention U.N. Security Council resolutions allied leaders insist he accept. Their provisions include payment of reparations to Kuwait and renunciation of claims to the emirate, which Iraq invaded Aug. 2.

President Bush and leaders of other coalition countries said the war would continue, feeding

widely expressed fears in Baghdad that the allies are more interested in destroying Iraq than recapturing Kuwait.

Air raid sirens sounded in bomb-battered Baghdad repeatedly Tuesday. Iraqis hoping for peace heard the thump of explosives even as Saddam spoke. Dense, dark fog laced with dust and smoke from burning oil refineries or wells shrouded the city.

In a communique Tuesday night, the Iraqi military said allied ground forces and aircraft were attacking the withdrawing troops. The military spokesman also said allied ar-

mor was attacking Iraq's 48th Division while it prepared for withdrawal, but did not give a location.

Spokesmen for the allied command claimed Iraqi units were not withdrawing, but retreating under fire, pausing to assume defensive positions and fight.

The Iraqi military spokesman said: "Our forces will continue their organized, orderly and disciplined withdrawal in spite of what is happening, including during the coming night hours."

Saddam said Iraq was forced to withdraw from Kuwait by "the aggression of 30 countries,

led by the United States and its allies." He described his foes as "the criminals and the traitors."

Kuwait had been a part of Iraq "legally, constitutionally and practically" from Aug. 8, when Iraq annexed it, until Iraq's withdrawal started Monday night, Saddam declared.

He added that the emirate was a part of Iraq that had been taken away in the past.

Iraqis won a moral victory by calling attention to the Palestinian cause "and the issues of poverty versus greed, atheism versus faith, justice versus injustice," he said.

Allies concentrate on stopping the Republican Guard

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. and allied troops deep inside Iraq are drawing a noose around Saddam Hussein's vaunted Republican Guard, preventing a retreat and

"destroying them in place," U.S. officials said Tuesday.

An assault force of more than 100,000 soldiers from the U.S. Army's VII Corps swept hundreds of miles through the

desert west of Kuwait in an effort to execute Gen. Colin Powell's order to "cut off and kill" the Guard, the heart of the Iraqi military machine, officials said.

"There have been tank engagements with the Republican Guard; in each case, the result has been a very positive one for us," said Lt. Gen. Thomas Kelly, operations director for the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The eight divisions of the 150,000-member Guard remain for the most part in bunkers, but have clashed with U.S. forces in "sporadic" engagements that have cost them at least 30 Soviet-made T-72 tanks, said a senior Pentagon official, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Allied forces — some of whom have reached the Euphrates River in an effort to pressure

the Guard — are bent on preventing Saddam's top troops from escaping as they continue to be pummeled from the air, the official said.

At a Pentagon briefing, Kelly described the Guard troops as being in "deep, deep trouble," whether they remained in their bunkers or rose up to confront U.S. and allied forces closing in on them.

Their communications have been so severely disrupted that "they are having difficulty sensing from which direction they might be attacked," said Rear Adm. Mike McConnell, the Joint Staff's director of intelligence.

While Kelly said the fighting against the Guard "hasn't been any stiffer than fighting against anybody else," he warned the force was still capable of

mounting "some kind of attack."

The U.S. forces are at the Euphrates River, "poised to prevent any withdrawal to Baghdad," a senior Pentagon official said. "This is it; we have them checkmated."

Although allied forces hadn't encircled the Guard on the ground, he contended that allied air power would prevent the Iraqis from seeking refuge in the key military city of Basra, which is closer than Baghdad.

"If they try to go back to Basra, the Air Force will kill them," he said. "If they go to the other side of the Tigris, the bridges are down. If they try to flee north to Baghdad, they'll run into the U.S. Army and if they move south into Kuwait, they run into coalition forces and the U.S. Marines."

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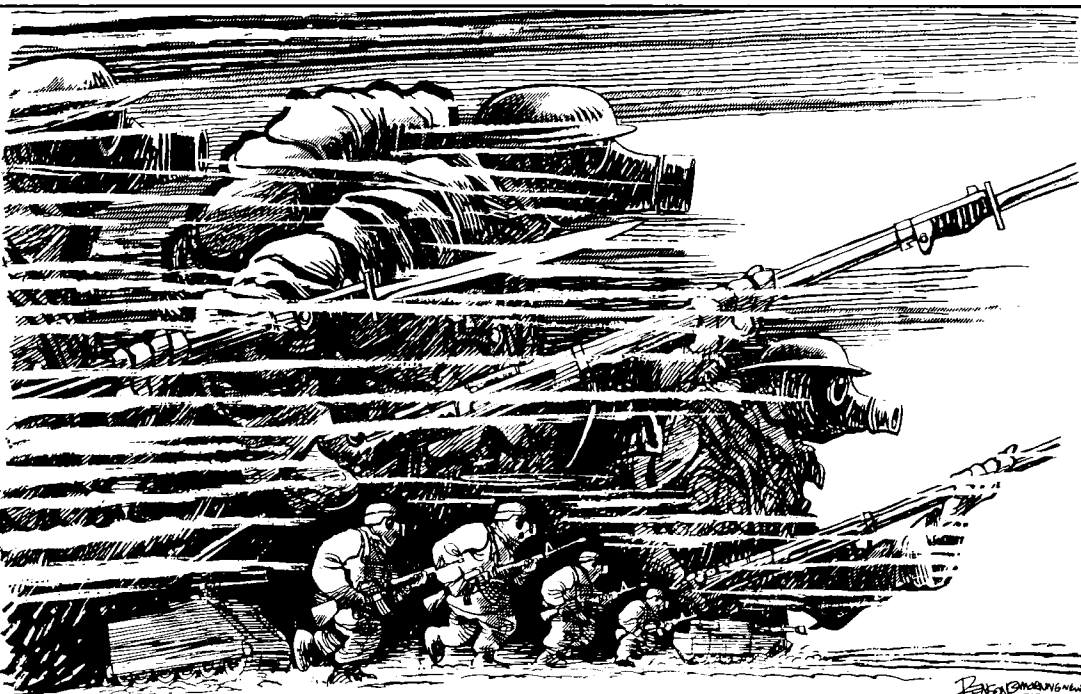
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THE WAR to END ALL WARS (CONTINUED)

EDITORIAL

Students must remain active in ethnic issues

Notre Dame's Vice-President of Student Affairs Patricia O'Hara has given students the opportunity to test just how much pull they have with the Administration.

The efforts of the committee which prepared the February Board of Trustees Report titled, "The Challenge of Diversity: Racial Relations at Notre Dame," and the coalition Students United For Respect have made racial issues pressing concerns on the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's campuses. By scheduling weekly meetings with Board of Trustees report committee to discuss the issues they presented, O'Hara is evidencing a commitment to the students' interests voiced through both groups' endeavors.

These students have not only the opportunity, but also the responsibility, to the community to set an agenda for these meetings which accurately reflects the students' needs. Student leaders in all aspects of campus life routinely promise this type of leadership to their constituents. Some take the initiative to follow their rhetoric with appropriate action. Others prove reluctant to make waves. The students asked to attend O'Hara's discussions of racial issues cannot afford to be passive leaders.

Without the committee's efforts, the weekly discussions will accomplish nothing, but the responsibility to effect change is not only in their hands. Support from the student body is also vital. If Notre Dame is to be a truly diverse campus, all of the students must be willing to commit to a change in the racial environment.

Students have been offered a rare commodity: a direct line to Notre Dame's Administration through their own peers. The students attending the weekly meetings provide a valuable resource which must be utilized. They can report directly to the student body by initiating their own open forums to discuss the issues they raise with O'Hara, for example. If they prove themselves willing to take these steps, the student body must respond in kind by remaining attentive to racial concerns.

The Administration's unwillingness to solicit student input has been a source of frustration for this community for years. For once, student voices are being actively sought. If the students take the Administration up on its offer, the community will learn a valuable lesson: either everyone will become more informed about racial issues, or they will know, once and for all, that their input plays only a superficial role in the formulation of policies.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Winter months provide best time for JPW

Dear Editor:

The article "JPW should not take place during winter months" (The Observer, Feb. 19), claims that JPW should take place during a spring month. The support for the claim comes from the fact that this year's JPW was ruined by the snowstorm that occurred. The underlying warrant of the claim is that all JPWs will be ruined because they always occur at a time when a lot of snow and other types of bad weather occur. The main problem with this argument is that there is not evidence to prove that the claim of the underlying warrants are true.

The author does not cite suf-

ficient evidence to prove her claim. She only says that this year's JPW was ruined. Also, it was only ruined for her because her parents would not travel in this weather. She does not say if any past JPWs were ruined by bad weather. I agree that bad weather has probably occurred in the past but not to the degree of this past weekend. During the other years, when there was less snow, the bad weather did not ruin JPW.

She goes on to say that some of her fellow classmates also had a bad time. "Some" could mean anywhere from 3 to 300, but it would still not be a majority of the junior class. Most juniors had a good time in

spite of the bad weather.

One thing the author did not even consider was the fact that the winter months might be the best time to have JPW. All the other weekends might be full of other activities. Also, this is the best time of the year for working people, like parents, to receive time off from work so that they can drive out and visit their son or daughter at college. More evidence must be presented for this article to be a good argument against having JPW in the winter.

Peter Sweeney
 Zahm Hall
 Feb. 21, 1991

Observer coverage of SMC election lacks respect

Dear Editor:

As one of the election commissioners at Saint Mary's and as one of the candidates in the election, I have to comment on the coverage of the election. The coverage was both insulting and disrespectful to the entire Saint Mary's community.

First of all, in the Notre Dame student body elections, all of the candidates were interviewed. For our student body elections, The Observer was present only at the debates. While the debates are important, they are only part of the entire campaign. Since the committee that decides which ticket The Observer should endorse is composed primarily of Notre Dame students, some more in-depth investigative reporting was necessary before a fully informed endorsement could have been made. Interviews with both tickets would have contributed greatly to a more

complete picture of the ideas each ticket represented. I question how students who do not even attend Saint Mary's can know enough about the issues on this campus to properly endorse the best candidate.

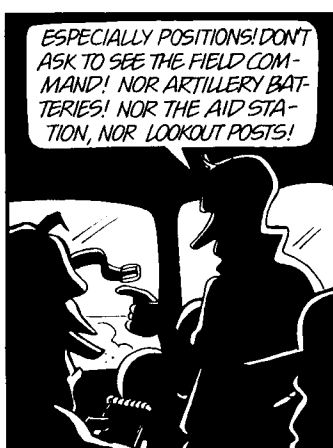
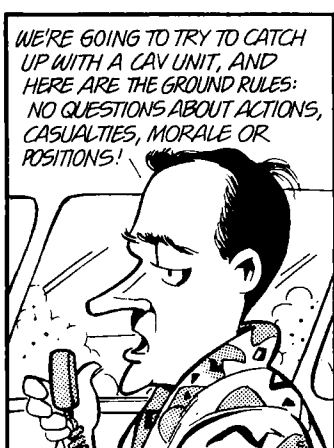
Secondly, every candidate on every ticket in the Notre Dame class election was listed on the front page of The Observer. In sharp contrast to the treatment of the Notre Dame tickets received, the Saint Mary's tickets were never listed prior to the election. Even after the election was over, only the name of the presidential candidate on each ticket was listed. The elections were for class officers, not merely for class president, so, in order to be accurate, The Observer should have listed all of the members of the winning tickets. If The Observer truly

appreciated the dedication and work each candidate put into her campaign, all of the members on all of the tickets would have been given the recognition they deserved.

If The Observer wants to serve the Saint Mary's community, as it proclaims on the front page every day, it could start by changing its haphazard approach to reporting Saint Mary's events. In the case of elections, the lack of thorough reporting led to ill-informed opinions on the part of The Observer. The events at Saint Mary's are important to the students here, including myself. If The Observer is not going to cover our events with the accuracy and respect they deserve, I would rather it not cover them at all.

Melissa Petersmarck
 Holy Cross Hall
 Feb 22, 1991

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GARRY TRUDEAU

QUOTE OF THE DAY

'There is nothing more exhilarating than to be shot at without result.'

Winston Churchill

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Pacifism includes respecting humanity of enemies

Dear Editor:

The best reasons to support the U.S. troops in the Gulf are also very good reasons to be a pacifist.

Whether or not they are sufficient reasons to be a pacifist is another question, I admit. But they are reason enough to think carefully about the morality of war. Wherever each of us comes out, they are reason enough to ask what it really means to "support the troops."

I am assuming that we all agree on this much: Whatever we think about the morality of warfare in general, or this war in particular, or the Bush Administration's policies for waging this war, the troops should not be victims of our debate.

That is what happened in Vietnam. The draftees who had already suffered as much as any U.S. citizen from a controversial war came home to suffer yet more. And we were all the losers. U.S. society split bitterly. Those who had sent friends and family members into the war felt betrayed. The anti-war movement needlessly alienated many of the people it wanted to convince.

So we all have an interest in the quality of our debate. Those who believe that the way to defend the sacredness of life is to resist the war (or all war) must respect the human dignity of those who are fighting it. Those who believe that the troops are truly defending democratic freedoms must allow dissenters to practice those freedoms.

Even Desert Storm supporters, then, will want dissenters to support the troops. Lest that support erode in the coming months, they might actually want dissenters to have solid reasons for doing so.

If the war is politically wrong, the troops are among its victims. Even though the military is supposed to be "all-volunteer," many lower-class and minority soldiers joined because they had few other



choices for social and economic advancement. In any case, all soldiers are victims if the policies shaping the war effort are fundamentally misguided.

Also, if the war is morally wrong, the troops are still forgivable. Or, in non-religious terms, they are still human beings whose dignity is worthy of respect. Both pacifist and just war teaching insist that individuals must take some personal responsibility for their participation in warfare. But on Christian terms, God's love is the basis for morality, not vice-versa. In other words, immoral action does not erode God's fundamental offer of life and forgiveness for all human beings.

Societies may not be so forgiving. But ours has agreed to accord even the worst criminals a basic level of human dignity. Death row inmates, for example, are not subject to degrading torture.

So why be pacifist?

Because both of these reasons for supporting the troops apply also to our so-called enemies. That the Iraqi people are victims of a brutal regime hardly needs elaboration. President Bush is quite willing to say the same. Further, the military policy of striking hardest at Saddam Hussein's Republican Guards assumes that most of the other troops who occupy Kuwait are Iraqi conscripts who are less than enthusiastic.

But what about those who really are loyal to him? What

about Saddam Hussein himself? Here the second reason kicks in. However distasteful a figure he may be, he is still a human being. And as such, he retains human dignity and worth.

It may strain the imagination to think of circumstances in which he would ask God's forgiveness, so I will leave that aside. The Bush Administration, however, has imagined the possibility of putting him on trial as a war criminal. Would convicting him warrant the human degradation of torture? Ironical though it may be, even those who might call for a death penalty would surely say no. He remains a human being, not an animal, not the personification of evil.

If the same reasons for supporting the U.S. troops are also reasons to respect the humanity of the "enemy," then we are well on the way to a case for pacifism. Pacifism does not deny, as Jesus did not deny, that we may have enemies. But it refuses to consider the boundaries that define enemies as final. It may search for non-lethal ways to resist enemies. But it refuses to act in such a way that those boundaries become final. Killing the enemy would do just that.

Of course, these may not be reasons enough to convince everyone to become a pacifist. We live in a tragic world. Even if we do not degrade criminals, someone may need to seek them out and arrest them. To many the alternative appears to be allowing them to victimize

the innocent.

Ultimately, my own reason for being a pacifist is a further one. In Jesus Christ, God has loved humanity even when we made ourselves into enemies of God. To respond to God's love is to follow Jesus Christ in offering the same love to our enemies. To follow Jesus Christ includes hearing his call to bear the same cross on which his enemies nailed him. To hear such a call is possible because of his resurrection. It promises that God's nonviolent love is already beginning to achieve the only kind of victory over injustice that can be final.

But I have no illusions that all other members of society have heard or responded to Jesus Christ. In fact, while I might wish that all other Christians would hear and respond to him this way, I have no illusions about that either. Many Christians have found ample cause in the world's tragedy to argue for going to war, under certain circumstances, to protect the innocent.

On one thing, however, we pacifists must insist. Others should not have illusions either. If the world's tragedy is the best (perhaps only) argument for going to war, none should speak of war in ways that obscure the deep tragedy of war, even under justifiable circumstances.

Whatever else may be said about this war, from whatever position, certain things must not go unsaid. For example:

— This is not a struggle between good and evil, as

President Bush has claimed. At the very most, it is a struggle between police and criminals, human police and human criminals. It is not a crusade or a holy war.

— No war is a football game or a video arcade. Weapons do not kill tanks and planes and speed boats. Weapons kill people in tanks and people in speed boats.

— B-52's do not "attrit" Iraqi fortifications. They terrorize, maim, dismember, destroy and otherwise turn human bodies — the bodies of parents, spouses, children — into something stomach-wrenching.

— "Collateral damage" is just as deadly for its civilian victims as are direct terrorist strikes against noncombatant civilians.

So if someone wants to argue that all this is worth it, they had better be brutally honest about what "all this" is. And they had better have extremely good reasons for the worth of "it." That is what the traditional just war teaching of the Catholic Church insists, by the way. We pacifists are stubbornly skeptical about all reasons for war. But our own pacifism also commits us to a lot of listening.

Euphemisms, cheerleading, crusading and flag waving will not do, however. The fact that the war is no longer just a possibility, but a reality, changes none of this. If we all needed better reasons and fewer slogans on Jan. 14, we still need them now. War is no substitute for honest language, clear thinking and convincing justifications.

For God's sake, let none of us lose our sense that even a "justifiable" war is a deep human tragedy. For truth and sanity's sake, let's be honest. And for the sake of troops and civilians on both sides, let us keep debating.

Gerald W. Schlabach
Off-campus
Feb. 18, 1991

Ultrasound presentation is not pro-life propaganda

Dear Editor:

I just returned this evening from the ultrasound presentation given by Shari Richard at Saint Mary's. I can honestly admit that this was one of the most educational two hours of my last four years here at Notre Dame. Shari Richard is an ultrasonographer who testified before Senate and House subcommittees in March, 1990, against the "Freedom of Choice Bill," which, if enacted, would have legalized abortion on demand with no state restrictions.

The key piece of Ms. Richard's testimony was to be her video "Ultrasound: A Window to the Womb." Utilizing the latest in ultrasound technology, this video depicts the development of the fetus within the mother from seven weeks to birth.

As part of Ms. Richard's presentation, we were able to view this video. I think that after seeing this video any observer would have to admit that the new ultrasound technology is truly amazing. The fetus — one must even say baby — at seven weeks is already recognizable as a tiny human being. One can see and hear the heart beating.

By 10 weeks the babies are jumping, sucking their thumbs and moving vigorously. This is the age when most babies are aborted.

Ultrasound technology consists of high frequency sound waves, so it is impossible that it stimulates the baby's movement. The movements that one can view are the normal movements of the child in the uterus.

It may be suggested, however, that these appear to be the simple reflex movements of an "obligate parasite," as one of the pro-choice male doctors testified before the House subcommittee. And yet the movements of the tiny creature in the uterus are clearly the same squirming movements that we have all seen our brothers and sisters, or, perhaps, even our own infants, make. The only difference is that these babies can be legally destroyed.

I earlier stated that the ultrasound video was part of Ms. Richard's intended presentation before the House and Senate subcommittees. Unfortunately, Ms. Richard was prevented from showing the videotape to the House subcommittee and was only able to show five minutes of it before the Senate

members told her that her time was up.

Incidentally, when Ms. Richard appeared before the Senate, she was the only pro-life witness. The pro-choice side was allowed six witnesses and thus allotted six times as much testimony. It seems amazing that our representatives were unwilling to witness the newest ultrasound technology in such important deliberations. But this case of "censorship" (the word used by Representative James Sensenbrenner whenever Ms. Richard's was unable to air her video) is not at all uncommon. In fact, it goes on in abortion clinics and hospitals throughout the country. Ms. Richard's personal experience as an ultrasonographer includes being prevented from showing ultrasound pictures of their unborn babies to women considering abortion.

She cited the advice given in the February, 1986, issue of "OB.Gyn News": "Sonography can make induced abortion safer, but care must be taken so that its psychological impact is not negative." Dr. Sally Faith Dorfman said at the annual meeting of the American Public Health Association.

Later in the article Dr. Dorfman emphasizes that "seeing a blown-up, moving image of the embryo she is carrying can be distressing to a woman who is about to undergo an abortion." She also suggests that these same images invariably have negative effects on staff members as well.

Up to this point in Ms. Richard's presentation, one might have entertained the possibility that all of this was slanted pro-life propaganda. Perhaps the pro-life movement has brain-washed Ms. Richard into supporting their cause—a cause which appears to many people to be yet another example of the patriarchy oppressing women by making them have unwanted children. But the last part of Ms. Richard's presentation destroyed this idea.

Ms. Richard admitted that she herself has had two abortions encouraged by abortion clinic counselors who told her that the growing organism inside of her was "a blob of tissue." It was only after her training as an ultrasonographer that she realized that the "blobs" she aborted were tiny human

beings.

This last point, the reality of censorship, is one which I challenge all men and women to take seriously. How "free" is a choice if a doctor withholds the truth about fetal development from a woman? Is a woman liberated if her access to information is manipulated by her doctor?

These are the questions that are raised in my mind by Ms. Richard's presentation. And I believe that any reflective person who takes the abortion issue seriously should be concerned about them too.

I am not asking anyone to immediately join the pro-life cause. I am asking, challenging everyone to see Shari Richard's videotape. Become educated about the issue. And then decide. Anyone who is willing to accept this challenge is welcome to contact me or Maria Rhomberg, president of ND/SMC Right to Life, for a screening of "Ultrasound: A Window to the Womb" and is promised that they won't be confronted with propaganda but with the facts.

Lisa M. Gabany
Lewis Hall
Feb. 21, 1991

Good 'fortune' abounds for Theatre Grottesco

By PAIGE SMORON

Assistant Accent Editor

Grottesco.

No, it's not a die-hard Valley Girl's reaction upon finding the remnants of a four-year-old taco salad under a sofa cushion. It's actually an Italian word that means unusual, comic, outrageous, and larger than life. And that's exactly what "Fortune: The Rise and Fall of a Small Fortune Cookie Factory" is.

The Theatre Grottesco, presented by Notre Dame Communication and Theatre, will be performing the world premiere of its comedy at Washington Hall starting tonight at 8:10 p.m. and running through Sunday, March 3.

"Fortune" is a touching story of a small family-owned cookie factory on the brink of bankruptcy. A destitute novelist applies for the job of message writer for the fortune cookies, is hired and turns the fortunes of the company completely around (pun intended). As the company enjoys the meteoric rise in popularity it is also faced with the struggle against greed, pride and avarice. An expressionistic melodrama unfolds as the strain of success pulls the company apart.

The company's on-stage style has been described as "wonderful madness," and it hits hard with humor and whimsy to expose the foibles of

contemporary America. Like other pieces by Theatre Grottesco, it is a tightly woven piece of theatre-dance where the actors define both space and time without the aid of a set. Theatrical imagery is created through the marriage of movement and the spoken word.

One critic suggests that the members of Theatre Grottesco "can find more eloquence in a yawn than other actors can in a well-turned phrase." Company member Paul Herwig says, "The remarkable thing about 'Fortune' is its ability to make people laugh while challenging them with the kind of theatre rarely seen in America."

"Fortune: The Rise and Fall of a Small Fortune Cookie Factory" is the first play in what Theatre Grottesco calls "An American Trilogy." The ensemble is an international group formed in Paris, France, nearly a decade ago. In 1987, the company moved to Detroit. Grottesco's original plays are powered by stunning visual imagery and polished physicality.

Besides the performances, Theatre Grottesco will present a free, public lecture-demonstration of its theatrical style, Monday, February 25, at Washington Hall at 4:15 p.m. The week-long residency will also include visits to the acting classes of Notre Dame Communication and Theatre.



The members of Theatre Grottesco let their true personalities shine through in a moment of nuttiness. Their newest production, "The Rise and Fall of a Small Fortune Cookie Factory," debuts in Washington Hall this evening at 8:10 and runs through March 3.

The visit of Theatre Grottesco to Michiana is sponsored by Arts Midwest members and friends in partnership with the National Endowment for the Arts and special assistance from Hudson's.

Performances of "Fortune:

The Rise and Fall of a Small Fortune Cookie Factory" will run from tonight to Saturday, March 2, at 8:10 p.m. and Sunday, March 3, at 3:10 p.m.

Tickets are \$7 for reserved seats and are available at the

door or in advance at the LaFortune Student Center Box Office. Student and senior citizen discounts are available for tonight's, Thursday's, and Sunday's performances for \$5. For MasterCard and Visa orders, call (219) 239-8128.

Underrated rocker triumphs again with latest, 'Struck by Lightning'

By MIKE BYRNE

Accent Writer

Few artists have been as praised by critics, and as shunned by the public, as Graham Parker. In 1976, when the pop audience was gaga for Peter Dinklage and Boston, when "progressive" New York rockers were piercing themselves amid the punk revolution, Parker and his British band The Rumour debuted with "Howlin' Wind."

The album blended intelligible, intelligent, and uncompromising lyrics with driving rock, seasoned with blues and reggae, and Parker's unique nasal snarl. And later that year, Parker outdid himself with "Heat Treatment," ten songs filled with starkly honest sentiments of anger, desire, defiance, and anguish.

His next two albums, "Stick It To Me" and "The Parkerilla," (a live set), had their moments, but it was Parker's next album, "Squeezing Out Sparks," that solidified Parker's reputation as a master songwriter and musician. Most Parker aficionados, the few that there are, would likely call the album his best. And, while Rolling Stone is by no means scripture, it lists the album (along with "Howlin' Wind") among its top 100 albums of all time.

Highlights of the album include "Local Girls," which some may recall from the early days of MTV, "Passion Is No Ordinary Word" (my second favorite song ever), and "Protection," in which Parker impressively manages to rhyme the words "sweaty" and "confetti." "Your love letters/Are confetti/I ripped them up/My hands are sweaty."

The album came out on the Arista label, whom Parker signed with after contractual disputes with the Mercury label.

But with both labels, Parker suffered from lousy promotion and from execs who pressured Parker to make his music more accessible. Parker refused to compromise, and from 1980-1985 came out with four good albums that maintained his trademark bluntness: "The Up Escalator" (with a cameo by Bruce Springsteen), "Another Grey Area" (featuring "Temporary Beauty," that video in which Graham walks among some lovely ice sculptures, carrying a blowtorch), "The Real Macaw," and "Steady Nerves."

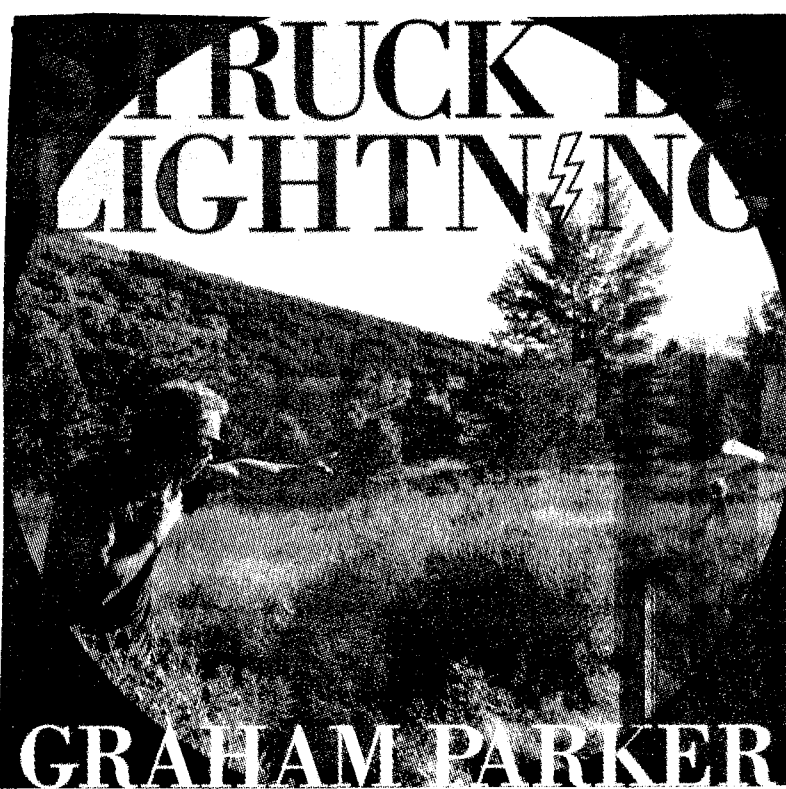
Meanwhile, out came the retrospective albums "Pourin' It All Out" and "Look Back in Anger"—featuring a blistering cover of the Jackson 5's "I Want You Back." (Well, you may not actually get blisters when you listen to it, but it's still fantastic).

But it was 1988's "The Mona Lisa's Sister," on the RCA label, that reaffirmed Parker's status as a songwriter to be reckoned with. The songs are pared

down, led by acoustic guitar and with little evidence of production. Parker's still-biting voice is in the forefront, focusing the listener's attention on the lyrics.

Parker refers to such diverse artistic figures as pop author Joe McGinnis, 16th-century artist Hieronymus Bosch, beat author Jack Kerouac, and singer Sam Cooke—the album features a terrific cover of his "Cupid." Since then, the prolific Parker has issued another live album, and 1989's "Human Soul," which explores the real and surreal sides of one of Parker's favorite subjects.

If you're at all interested in this remarkable artist, I



recommend "Sparks," "Treatment," "Mona Lisa's," and the retrospectives as his most accessible inroads. Most are available on CD, and most are cheap since nobody buys them.

Parker's new album, Struck by Lightning, ranks as one of his best, but it's not the kind of album that's love at first listen. It is unquestionably his most folksy album. Appropriately, it features Garth Hudson, former keyboardist of The Band, on accordion and Hammond organ.

The opening track, "She Wants So Many Things," calmly rocks back and forth, while Parker talks with a guy whose manipulative, gold-digging girlfriend has his "soul on a plate." The tension between music and

lyrics continues in "They Murdered the Clown." The carnival sounds of the Hammond organ and the easily-rocking acoustic guitar are married with talk of evildoing amid the innocent, escapist exterior of the circus.

The next five songs are even more folksy than the first two; blues harmonica and violin are featured in all of them. Parker proceeds from the warming feeling of watching his young daughter at play ("The Kid with the Butterfly Net"), to remembrance of the first time ever he saw his wife's face ("And It Shook Me"), to the profound pleasure of touching and being touched by the one he loves ("Wrapping Paper").

Graham has a legitimate shot at a hit song with "A Brand New Book," if any bozo on FM radio would be gutsy enough to play it. I called the deejay at WAOR the other day to request this very song by Graham Parker, and the deejay said, "Grand Funk?" It is a jejune world we live in when a deejay has heard of Grand Funk Railroad, and not Graham Parker.

Anyway, Parker has his hands on a terrific synthesizer riff, and he knows it. But he refuses to add trite pop lyrics to it; in fact, here's the chorus: "The words came out/Not twist and shout/Cause that's not what a grown man writes about/That chapter's over, let it blow over/I found that I've become the owner/Of a brand new book."

Next comes "Weeping Statues," an eerie rocker that mockingly examines revelatory eerie rocks: "Statues only weep for some/And Elvis just shows up when he's hungry/Lightning strikes at everyone/But only hits the very lucky."

Parker takes an affectionate, humorous look at the frazzling experience of raising children in "Children and Dogs." He jokes, "I won't work with either one again/It's not in our contract." The remainder of the fifteen songs in this collection likewise rock steady, with country-folk overtones, and the usual dose of reggae ("When I Was King").

The lyrics are nostalgic, honest, and encouraging sentiments about living with family and friends in America. The defiant bite Graham Parker wielded as an angry young man has been tempered by time and experience (see "King" and "Ten Girls Ago"), but it remains deeply incisive. And, as usual, the music is innovative and engaging. Like I said, this album will not hit you with full force the first time you hear it, but, as I've found over the years, the best albums rarely do.

Correction:

The Medieval Banquet will be held on this Saturday, March 2, not Friday, March 1, at 6:30 p.m. The Observer regrets the error.

Ballesteros prepared for challenge of Doral field

MIAMI (AP) — The expectations are a little more modest for Seve Ballesteros.

"A top-five finish would be good," the Spanish star said Wednesday after a skins game outing that served as a warm-up for the Doral-Ryder Open.

The tournament, which begins Thursday on Doral's Blue Monster course, serves as the start of the Florida swing on the PGA Tour as well as the first stop of Ballesteros' limited American schedule.

Ballesteros, a three-time British Open champion and twice the winner of the Masters, is seeking to rebound from what he called the poorest season of his career.

"I didn't enjoy playing very much last year," said Ballesteros, once the outstanding player in the world.

"Nothing was right," he said

of the 1990 campaign which produced a victory only in a small European event. "I didn't want to play. It was very difficult to play, to try hard every week.

"When you can't hit the ball straight, when you can't make any putts, it's very frustrating."

And there's no indication that anything has changed, Ballesteros said, following a

lengthy break from competition. His only start since November, Ballesteros said, was "in a small European tournament."

"I think I need to play for a few weeks to find out where I am," he said. "When you stop for a couple of months, you need competition to know what you are doing."

There was a small change in the pre-tournament format for this event: a four-man, nine-

hole skins game was placed on the pre-tournament schedule.

It matched Ballesteros, Jack Nicklaus, Ray Floyd and defending Doral-Ryder champion Greg Norman, with \$105,000 at stake.

Ballesteros won the first hole, worth \$5,000, and Floyd took the third, worth \$10,000. The next six holes were halved in pars, leaving \$90,000 unclaimed.

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See this new band at Club 23
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At last they're here:

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Club 23 : Thursday
Coffee House : Friday
Senior Bar : Soon !

THIS is the one:

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Trust me.

J—Congrats on getting the
internship at "the paper."
I'm so proud. Thanks for an
awesome weekend, especially
for taking care of me when my
tummy hurt. Betty and Butch
are awesome. I love them—I hope
they make it through the week.—K

See Mark in his boxers.
See Mark lose his boxers.
See Mark run naked down the hall.
DON'T BE A MARK.
Keep your jeans on!
With love,
"I slept with Chris and liked it" AND
"Tie me up-tie me down"
PS- We liked what we saw, and we
saw IT ALL!!!!

GAY NEL
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NELLIE YOU ARE
ALMOST LEGAL!!

Kelley,
Thanks for the congratulatory
present. You still are a crappy
mother. B and B are latchkey fish.
But I still think you're really cool.
Tee, hee, hee.
Love,
Gerard
P.S. I Wuff You.

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ON SATURDAY AND HE WILL BE
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K and J ---
Oh give it up!!! Butch and Betty
will NOT!! live through this week
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and most importantly.... get a
net so you don't have to smack
them up against the side or drop
them in the sink!!!!
Love,
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Hi Mare-
What's new?
No more cynicism, right?
Only positive mental attitudes
Hi Louise-
We'll have to bond.
It's 7:55 am and what does your
roommate do? Run screaming to
the bathroom thinking she has 5
minutes to get to class when really
she has over an hour. Go figure!
Hi Christina-
Hope that everything is looking up.

NBA STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Boston	40	15	.727	—	7-3	Lost 2	24-4	16-11	24-11
Philadelphia	30	24	.556	9 1/2	6-4	Won 5	19-7	11-17	21-12
New York	25	31	.446	15 1/2	5-5	Won 3	12-17	13-14	16-19
Washington	22	34	.393	18 1/2	2-8	Lost 4	15-10	7-24	14-21
New Jersey	18	37	.327	22	4-6	Won 1	13-15	5-22	11-22
Miami	16	39	.291	24	4-6	Lost 3	11-18	5-21	9-27

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Chicago	40	14	.741	—	10-0	Won 10	24-3	16-11	26-7
Detroit	37	20	.649	4 1/2	4-6	Lost 3	23-5	14-15	25-11
Milwaukee	35	21	.625	6	7-3	Won 2	24-4	11-17	23-12
Atlanta	31	24	.564	9 1/2	7-3	Won 3	22-6	9-18	17-18
Indiana	25	29	.463	15	6-4	Lost 1	18-8	7-21	16-18
Cleveland	20	36	.357	21	5-5	Won 1	14-16	6-20	13-22
Charlotte	16	38	.296	24	2-8	Lost 2	12-16	4-22	10-25

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
San Antonio	35	17	.673	—	4-6	Won 2	21-6	14-11	24-12
Utah	35	18	.660	1/2	7-3	Won 1	24-4	11-14	25-10
Houston	32	23	.582	4 1/2	8-2	Lost 3	20-8	12-15	19-16
Dallas	20	33	.377	15 1/2	4-6	Lost 4	13-13	7-20	12-22
Minnesota	18	36	.333	18	2-8	Won 1	13-14	5-22	13-27
Orlando	17	36	.321	18 1/2	6-4	Won 2	14-14	3-22	13-22
Denver	15	39	.278	21	1-9	Lost 2	12-15	3-24	7-27

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Portland	44	12	.786	—	6-4	Lost 2	28-5	16-9	28-10
LA Lakers	40	15	.727	3 1/2	6-4	Lost 1	22-5	18-10	25-9
Phoenix	36	18	.667	7	7-3	Won 2	21-4	15-14	23-12
Golden State	29	24	.547	13 1/2	4-6	Lost 2	18-7	11-17	18-17
Seattle	25	28	.472	17 1/2	5-5	Won 1	16-8	9-20	12-17
LA Clippers	18	35	.340	24 1/2	3-7	Won 2	14-12	4-23	14-19
Sacramento	15	38	.283	27 1/2	3-7	Lost 6	14-11	1-27	10-22

Monday's Games

Atlanta 96, Sacramento 88
Philadelphia 92, LA Lakers 90
Phoenix 128, Charlotte 108

Tuesday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Cleveland 106, Detroit 103
Milwaukee 119, Miami 106
New Jersey 129, Indiana 104
New York 112, Washington 109, 2OT
Minnesota 100, Dallas 94
Chicago 129, Boston 99
San Antonio 102, Portland 101, OT
Houston 129, Denver 99
LA Clippers at Seattle, (n)
Orlando at Golden State, (n)

Wednesday's Games

Minnesota at Boston, 7:30 p.m.
Dallas at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
Atlanta at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.
Orlando at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.
Golden State at Utah, 9:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m.

Thursday's Games

Detroit at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
San Antonio at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Portland at Atlanta, 8 p.m.
LA Lakers at Denver, 9:30 p.m.
Houston at LA Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

NHL STANDINGS

WALE CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Dmiv
NY Rangers	32	22	10	74	240	200	19-9-5	13-13-5	12-9-4
Philadelphia	31	27	7	69	217	203	17-12-5	14-15-2	11-12-6
Pittsburgh	32	27	4	68	274	239	21-11-1	11-16-3	15-12-1
New Jersey	27	26	11	65	224	210	19-8-7	8-18-4	11-13-5
Washington	28	32	4	60	204	222	16-11-3	12-21-1	15-12-2
NY Islanders	21	35	9	51	188	239	12-16-6	9-19-3	9-15-4

Adams Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Dmiv
x-Boston	36	20	8	80	238	215	21-7-3	15-13-5	15-7-3
x-Montreal	32	24	8	72	218	200	19-11-3	13-13-5	12-10-4
Hartford	28	28	7	63	189	208	16-13-3	12-15-4	9-11-4
Buffalo	23	25	16	62	221	221	11-11-10	12-14-6	7-10-7
Quebec	12	41	11	35	183	290	6-18-7	6-23-4	6-11-6

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
x-St. Louis	38	18	7	83	253	201	20-6-5	18-12-2	14-8-2
x-Chicago	38	20	6	82	214	167	21-7-3	17-13-3	15-6-3
Detroit	27	31	8	62	229	247	22-11-0	5-20-8	12-12-3
Minnesota	21	32	11	53	203	219	13-14-5	8-18-6	7-13-4
Toronto	17	40	7	41	188	267	11-20-2	6-20-5	7-16-2

Smythe Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
Los Angeles	36	20	7	79	266	202	19-8-4	17-12-3	13-7-4
Calgary	34	22	7	75	267	206	19-7-2	15-15-5	12-7-3
Edmonton	30	29	4	64	219	212	18-11-2	12-18-2	10-11-2
Winnipeg	22	33	11	55	220	234	14-15-5	8-18-6	8-8-6
Vancouver	23	36	7	53	202	255	14-14-4	9-22-3	8-18-1

x-clinched playoff berth

Tuesday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Buffalo 1, N.Y. Islanders 1, tie
Philadelphia at Minnesota, (n)
Chicago at St. Louis, (n)
Hartford at Winnipeg, (n)
Pittsburgh at Los Angeles, (n)

Wednesday's Games

Montreal at Detroit, 7:35 p.m.
Washington at N.Y. Rangers, 7:35 p.m.
New Jersey at Toronto, 7:35 p.m.
Edmonton at Calgary, 9:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh at Vancouver, 10:35 p.m.

HOW THE AP MEN'S TOP 25 FARED

How the Associated Press' Top 25 teams fared Tuesday:

1. UNLV (26-0) did not play. Next: at Fullerton State, Saturday.
2. Ohio State (24-1) did not play. Next: vs. Michigan State, Sunday.
3. Arkansas (28-2) beat Baylor 106-74. Next: at Texas, Sunday.
4. North Carolina (21-4) did not play. Next: at Georgia Tech, Thursday.
5. Indiana (23-4) did not play. Next: at Michigan State, Thursday.
6. Syracuse (25-4) beat Villanova 77-63. Next: vs. Georgetown, Sunday.
7. Arizona (22-5) vs. Stanford. Next: at Oregon State, Thursday.
8. Duke (23-6) did not play. Next: vs. Clemson, Wednesday.
9. Utah (25-2) did not play. Next: at Brigham Young, Saturday.
10. Kansas (21-5) beat Iowa State 88-57. Next: at No. 15 Nebraska, Sunday.
11. New Mexico State (21-4) did not play. Next: vs. Pacific U., Thursday.
12. Oklahoma State (20-5) did not play. Next: vs. No. 15 Nebraska, Wednesday.
13. Kentucky (21-6) beat No. 24 Alabama 79-73. Next: vs. Auburn, Saturday.
14. Southern Mississippi (20-5) lost to Florida State 85-83. Next: vs. SW Louisiana, Thursday.
15. Nebraska (23-5) did not play. Next: at No. 12 Oklahoma State, Wednesday.
16. UCLA (20-7) did not play. Next: at Washington State, Thursday.
17. St. John's (20-6) did not play. Next: at DePaul, Saturday.
18. LSU (19-7) did not play. Next: at Florida, Wednesday.
19. East Tennessee State (25-4) did not play. Next: Southern Conference tournament.
20. Seton Hall (18-7) did not play. Next: at Connecticut, Wednesday.
21. Princeton (21-2) beat Pennsylvania 63-56. Next: at Harvard, Friday.
22. Pittsburgh (20-9) beat Boston College 88-76. Next: vs. Connecticut, Saturday.
23. Mississippi State (18-7) did not play. Next: vs. Auburn, Wednesday.
24. Alabama (17-9) lost to No. 13 Kentucky 79-73. Next: vs. Tennessee, Saturday.
25. Virginia (20-9) did not play. Next: vs. Maryland, Saturday.

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Agreed to terms with Anthony Telford, pitcher, on a one-year contract.

SEATTLE MARINERS—Agreed to terms with Dave Cochrane, infielder, on a one-year contract.

National League

SAN DIEGO PADRES—Agreed to terms with Jerald Clark, outfielder-first baseman; Joey Cora, infielder; Tom Lampkin, catcher; and Frank Seminara, pitcher, on one-year contracts.

BASKETBALL

National Basketball Association

CLEVELAND CAVALIERS—Activated Winston Bennett, forward, from the injured list. Placed Derrick Chievous, guard, on the injured list.

MILWAUKEE BUCKS—Signed Everette Stephens, guard, to a 10-day contract. Placed Steve Henson, guard, on the injured list.

WASHINGTON BULLETS—Activated Darrell Walker, guard, from the injured list. Placed Mark Alarie, forward, on the injured list.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

BUFFALO BILLS—Signed Reggie Rogers, defensive end.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Named Tom Bass vice president of public relations-player personnel; Joe Mendes vice president of player personnel; Patrick Forte vice president of administration; and Pat Hanlon director of public relations.

PHOENIX CARDINALS—Agreed to contract terms with Sidney Coleman, linebacker.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

NHL—Suspended John Kordic, forward, for one game for receiving three game-misconduct penalties in one season.

BOSTON BRUINS—Announced the retirement of Michael Theilven, defenseman.

SOCCER

National Professional Soccer League

NEW YORK KICK—Signed Heinz Pak, defenseman.

SAN DIEGO SOCKERS—Signed Tommy Loeber, defender, to a developmental player contract.

COLLEGE

CINCINNATI—Dismissed Rodney Harris, free safety, and Willis Knighten and Keith Short, linebackers, from the football team.

LOUISIANA STATE—Announced the resignation of John Mitchell, outside linebackers coach.

MIDWESTERN COLLEGIATE CONFERENCE—Placed Xavier, Ohio forward Maurice Brantley and Butler guard Darin Archbold on probation for the remainder of the season for fighting after a game Feb. 23.

NICHOLS STATE—Announced the resignation of Francis Foley, men's basketball coach.

PENN.—Named George Landis offensive coordinator and assistant coach.

PITTSBURGH—Announced the resignation of Ed Bozik, athletic director, effective July 1.

SAN FRANCISCO STATE—Announced the resignation of Dennis Creehan, football coach, to accept an assistant coaching position with Edmonton of Canadian Football League.

SYRACUSE—Named Glenn Deadmond assistant football coach.

NCAA MEN'S SCORES

EAST

Assumption 84, Quinnipiac 79
Bentley 88, Bryant 82
Brandeis 88, Tufts 76
Coast Guard 86, Connecticut Coll. 55
Delaware 92, Boston U. 69
Merrimack 98, St. Anselm 79
Northeastern 78, Vermont 69
Phila. Pharmacy 80, Alvernia 75
Pittsburgh 88, Boston College 76
Princeton 63, Penn 56
Springfield 80, Stonehill 66
St. Joseph's 98, West Virginia 89
St. Peter's 85, La Salle 53
Syracuse 77, Villanova 63
Wesleyan 115, Trinity, Conn. 64
Worcester Tech 76, Amherst 73

MIDWEST

Cedarville 121, Cent. St., Ohio 105
Columbia, Mo. 84, Missouri Baptist 80
Kansas 88, Iowa St. 57
Morningside 94, St. Cloud St. 78
Nebraska-Omaha 109, N. Colorado 70
Notre Dame 92, Dayton 87, OT
SW Baptist 97, Mo. Western 80
South Dakota 80, Mankato St. 64
Wayne, Mich. 99, Orchard Lake St. Mary's 87
Wis.-Milwaukee 86, Chicago St. 77

SOUTHWEST

Arkansas 106, Baylor 74

SOUTH

Florida Memorial 109, St. Thomas, Fla. 97
Florida St. 85, Southern Miss. 83
Kentucky 79, Alabama 73
Louisville 95, Tulane 72
N.C.-Chattanooga 79, Furman 74
Webster 84, Warner Southern 78

FAR WEST

Arizona 89, Stanford 68
Colorado St. 71, Wyoming 68

NCAA WOMEN'S SCORES

EAST

Canisius 63, Niagara 52
Clarion 113, Slippery Rock 102
Manhattan 62, Iona 49
Penn 62, Princeton 53
St. Bonaventure 85, Duquesne 66

SOUTH

Augusta 70, Winthrop 54
Lincoln Memorial 93, King, Tenn. 75
N.C.-Greensboro 95, Wofford 50
Richmond 52, James Madison 47

MIDWEST

Briar Cliff 76, Dordt 72
Dayton 70, Xavier, Ohio 60
Morningside 78, St. Cloud St. 75
Mount Mercy 74, St. Ambrose 69
Neb.-Omaha 77, N. Colorado 64
Northwood, Mich. 82, Mich.-Dearborn 64

SOUTHWEST

LSU 79, Stephen F. Austin 77
Texas 77, Texas Tech 53
Texas A&I 83, Cameron 81
W. Texas St. 126, E. Texas St. 38

NBA BOXES

BOSTON (99)

Bird 6-14 0-0 12, Gamble 7-16 2-2 16, Parish 2-5 3-5 7, Shaw 3-10 2-2 8, Lewis 5-8 0-0 10, Brown 5-10 6-7 16, Kleine 3-7 5-6 11, Pinckney 0-2 0-0 0, M.Smith 6-8 0-0 13, Vrankovic 2-2 0-0 4, Popson 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 40-84 18-22 99.

CHICAGO (129)

Pippen 14-18 5-6 33, Grant 1-3 2-2 4, Cartwright 3-4 0-0 6, Paxson 2-5 0-0 4, Jordan 17-29 4-8 39, Livingston 2-5 2-2 6, Perdue 4-6 1-1 9, Armstrong 2-6 1-2 6, Hodges 3-10 0-0 6, King 2-3 10-10 14, Williams 1-2 0-0 2. Totals 51-91 25-31 129.

Boston 12 36 21 30—99
Chicago 33 41 31 24—129
3-Point goals—Boston 1-1 (M.Smith 1-1), Chicago 2-5 (Jordan 1-1, Armstrong 1-1, Paxson 0-1, Hodges 0-2). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Boston 46 (Bird 7), Chicago 48 (Perdue, Jordan 8). Assists—Boston 25 (Shaw, Brown 6), Chicago 28 (Armstrong 8). Total fouls—Boston 26, Chicago 19. A—18,676.

LA CLIPPERS (81)

Manning 5-17 5-6 15, Smith 7-15 1-2 15, Polynice 1-5 2-4 4, Grant 10-18 1-1 22, Harper 8-17 2-2 19, Norman 0-1 0-0 0, Garrick 0-0 0-0 0, Martin 3-7 0-1 6, Bannister 0-0 0-0 0, Kimble 0-1 0-0 0. Totals 34-81 11-16 81.

SEATTLE (93)

Johnson 6-14 2-2 14, Kemp 6-11 3-5 15, Cage 3-6 2-2 6, Payton 0-1 0-0 0, Threatt 12-20 6-6 31, Benjamin 7-9 1-2 15, McMillan 2-5 0-0 5, Barros 2-8 0-0 5. Totals 38-74 14-19 93.

LA Clippers 25 15 20 21—81
Seattle 23 19 28 23—93
3-Point goals—Los Angeles 2-11 (Grant 1-3, Harper 1-5, Smith 0-1, Martin 0-2), Seattle 3-8 (Barros 1-1, McMillan 1-3, Threatt 1-4). Fouled out—None. Rebounds—Los Angeles 44 (Polynice, Smith 8), Seattle 49 (Kemp 15). Assists—Los Angeles 12 (Grant 5), Seattle 26 (McMillan 9). Total fouls—Los Angeles 19, Seattle 18. A—11,305.

PORTLAND (101)

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Chicago sings the Blues as St. Louis extends lead



AP Photo

Chicago Blackhawk Jeremy Roenick keeps his eye on the puck in front of Blues goalie Vincent Riendeau. St. Louis won Tuesday's game 3-1.

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Rookie Pat Jablonski stepped in for injured Curtis Joseph and stopped a penalty shot and two breakaways as the St. Louis Blues defeated the Chicago Blackhawks 3-1 in a battle for first place in the NHL standings.

Brett Hull scored his league-leading 69th goal and Adam Oates and Scott Stevens had two assists apiece as the Norris Division leaders won their club-record ninth straight home game. Cliff Ronning and Geoff Courtnall also scored for the Blues, who lead the NHL with 85 points.

Dirk Graham scored on a second-period deflection for Chicago, which is second overall and in the Norris with 82 points.

Jablonski, who came in when Joseph was hurt 1:57 into the game, stopped Michel Goulet's penalty shot and two breakaways by Jeremy Roenick.

and spoiled a 42-save performance by Flyers goalie Ken Wregget.

Minnesota has a five-game unbeaten streak (2-0-3) and has lost only three times in its last 15 games (8-3-4). Philadelphia is 3-0-2 in its last five games.

Neil Wilkinson hit Broten at Philadelphia's blue line and Broten scored low to Wregget's stick side for his first goal in 10 games this month. Mike Modano scored early in the third period for Minnesota. Pelle Eklund and Mike Ricci had first-period goals for the Flyers.

Jets 5, Whalers 4

WINNIPEG, Manitoba — Ed Olczyk scored his 200th NHL goal and added an assist as Winnipeg held off Hartford.

Olczyk, obtained from the Toronto Maple Leafs last November, scored from the left circle on a power play at 19:23 of the first period.

Brent Ashton, Danton Cole, Mark Osborne and Dave McLlwain also scored for

Winnipeg. Bobby Holik scored twice for Hartford.

Islanders 1, Sabres 1

UNIONDALE, N.Y. — Dale Hawerchuk's power-play goal with 49 seconds remaining in regulation time gave Buffalo a 1-1 tie with New York, a few hours after the Islanders were put up for sale.

General manager Bill Torrey announced before the game that John Pickett, the team's owner since 1978, was putting the team up for sale.

Islanders goaltender Glenn Healy was less than a minute away from his fourth career shutout before Hawerchuk drove a bad-angled five-foot shot through Healy's pads during a power play for his 22nd goal of the season. The tie was the Sabres' league-high 16th of the season.

Brent Sutter had the Islanders' only goal.

Kings 8, Penguins 2

INGLEWOOD, Calif. — Wayne Gretzky had three assists in outplaying Mario Lemieux and Los Angeles clinched a playoff spot by overwhelming the Penguins 8-2.

Mike Donnelly had two goals and Luc Robitaille and John McIntyre scored nine seconds apart for the Kings, who won their fifth straight game and opened a six-point lead over idle Calgary in the Smythe Division.

The Penguins, third in the Patrick Division, saw their winless streak away from the Civic Arena reach eight games (0-7-1).

Gretzky helped set up goals by his usual linemates, Tomas Sandstrom and Tony Granato, and had his third assist on a goal by Steve Kasper for his NHL-leading 129th point. Lemieux, who had six goals and 12 assists in his previous seven

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St. Petersburg a hit with NL Expansion Committee

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — The fact that a potential baseball franchise for the Tampa Bay area would have to play in a domed stadium doesn't hurt its chances to win an expansion team, the chairman of the National League Expansion Committee said Tuesday.

"Generally, the preference is to play outside. We understand that your climatic conditions are such that it might not be practical on the west coast of Florida," committee chairman Douglas D. Danforth said as his group concluded a two-day swing through the state's potential expansion areas. The group visited Orlando and Miami on Monday.

The committee has to inspect three more potential expansion sites — Denver, Washington and Buffalo, N.Y. The league plans to award two franchises, with the announcement coming between June and the end of September.

The four-man committee

toured the Florida Suncoast Dome in downtown St. Petersburg, a 42,000 seat facility built to attract an expansion franchise.

The league's expansion criteria states a preference for open-air stadiums, but Danforth added: "You may recall in our criteria that we expressed preferences, but not absolutes."

The committee said it was more concerned about the lack of parking around the stadium, but Danforth said he was satisfied by city assurances that more spaces will be made available.

"We really don't see any serious negatives," he said.

"Except for a slight possibility of needing more parking, I didn't see any negatives here, to be honest about it," said committee member Bill Giles, president of the Philadelphia Phillies.

"I think the stadium will be fine for baseball. I think the

seating here is terrific," he said. "The fact that there are only 42,000 seats to me is better than having a larger stadium, so that's a positive. The ownership group is impressive."

Danforth reiterated the league's position that it would award both teams to Florida cities if it decides they are the strongest markets. The American League, which must approve the expansion sites, has threatened to block such a move.

"I know that one owner of an American League team has indicated a preference not to have two teams in Florida," Danforth said. "We will try to resist that."

"We will try to select the two best locations for major league baseball over the long haul. Hopefully, we could be persuasive enough, if that were the case, that we could convince our colleagues, and it would not be a deterrent."



The Big Red Machine

Cincinnati Reds coach Tony Perez gives a high five to Reds shortstop Barry Larkin at Cincinnati's spring training facility in Plant City, Florida.

Kentucky rolls Tide to 1500th

LEXINGTON, Ky. (AP) —

Richie Farmer scored 16 points to lead No. 13 Kentucky, which joined North Carolina as a winner of 1,500 games by beating No. 24 Alabama 79-73 Tuesday night.

Kentucky (21-6, 13-4 Southeastern), opened a 70-61 lead when John Pelphrey hit a 3-pointer following an Alabama turnover with 4:31 remaining.

Alabama (17-9, 11-6), which has lost three of its last four games, rallied to 75-71 at 1:14 on consecutive baskets by Marcus Webb and James Robinson.

But Kentucky was on the way to its 20th straight victory in Rupp Arena when Farmer hit one of two free throws and Pelphrey scored on a fast break layup after Robinson missed from the corner for a 79-71 lead with 24 seconds left.

Pelphrey and Sean Woods had 13 points apiece, Reggie Hanson 12, Deron Feldhaus 11 and Jamal Mashburn 10 as Kentucky gained a split with Alabama for the season.

Gary Waites led Alabama with 21 points, followed by Melvin Cheatham with 20 and Robinson 15.

North Carolina became the first team to reach the 1,500 level with a victory Saturday over Clemson.

Farmer hit two 3-pointers and a layup in the opening four minutes as Kentucky took a 14-6 lead. But Alabama pulled even at 20 when Waites hit a three from the top of the key with 12:10 remaining in the half.

Kentucky went on a 17-5 surge behind Mashburn's 6 points for a 41-29 lead before Alabama rallied to trail 43-34 at the half.

Cheatham scored eight points in the first 6 minutes of the second half as Alabama pulled even at 47. But Feldhaus countered with a 3-pointer at 13:53 and Kentucky was in front the rest of the way.

Kentucky coach Rick Pitino, usually a conservative dresser, wore an aqua blue and beige sports coat in a friendly poke at Alabama coach Wimp Sanderson's usual plaid attire.

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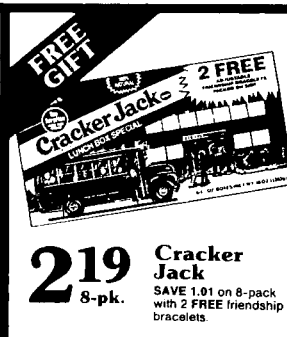
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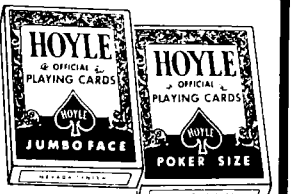
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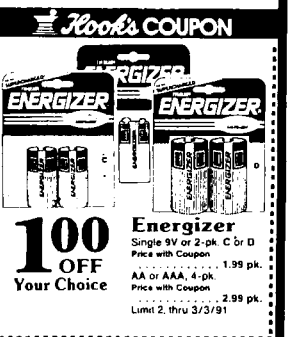
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Stern envisions NBA as part of new global community

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) — Michael Jordan, Magic Johnson and Charles Barkley aren't familiar names worldwide — yet.

NBA Commissioner David Stern foresees basketball and other sports becoming increasingly popular internationally as the world's nations continue to become a global community.

"The global decade of the '90s ... is upon us," Stern said Tuesday at the Sports Summit, an annual sports business conference.

"NBA games will be televised to 73 countries this year. League teams will participate in eight international tournaments," he said.

The commissioner believes the NBA brand of basketball will get an even bigger boost in 1992, when pro players can participate in the Olympics for the first time.

"That will be the most watched basketball competition in Olympic history," Stern predicted.

Despite the probable increased interest in the NBA

worldwide, Stern said that the league doesn't expect to have franchises around the globe.

"That's not part of our plan," he said. "There already are existing leagues and federations in most countries. We won't impose ourselves; we'll be working with those leagues and federations."

Stern said the "global decade" will offer sponsors and products unique opportunities for promotion through sports.

"We want to work together to make basketball the No. 1 sport in the world."

Hoosier Hysteria Begins

Brebeuf, Concord victorious in first round

(AP)—Alan Henderson scored 30 points Tuesday night as fourth-ranked Brebeuf avenged a tourney-ending defeat last year and its only loss this season with a 61-57 overtime victory over No. 19 Ben Davis.

The first-round sectional tourney victory sent Brebeuf into Friday's semifinals at Ben Davis against Northwest Pike, which beat Northwest for the sectional championship last year, will play Washington on Wednesday.

Henderson, who also had 12 rebounds and six blocked shots, fouled out in the closing seconds of regulation as he battled for a rebound of a missed shot that could have won the game.

Instead, the Braves went into the overtime tied 53-53 without their top player, a 6-foot-9 Indiana University recruit. Brebeuf hit all six of its free throws in the extra period, including two by guard Greg Barber that broke a 57-57 tie with 23 seconds remaining.

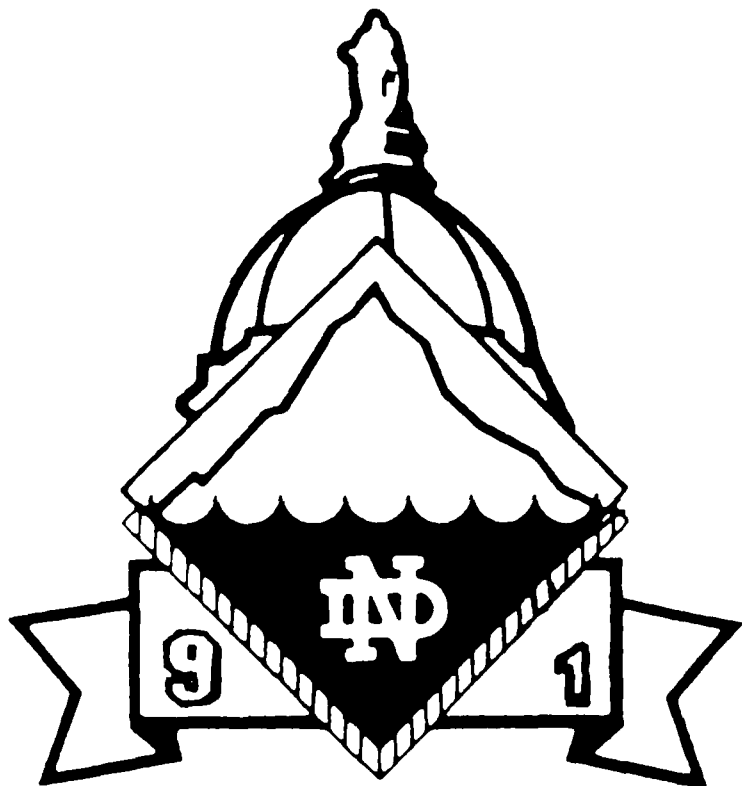
Larry Courtney added two more free throws to clinch the Brebeuf victory with two seconds to go.

Brebeuf (20-1) won its first 12 games this season before a 61-53 loss to Ben Davis (16-7), which also beat the Braves 65-54 in the first round of last year's sectional.

The only other ranked team in action Tuesday night was No. 6 Concord, the state tourney runner-up last year, which opened with an 85-24 romp over Jimtown in the first game at Elkhart. The Minutemen will play Elkhart Memorial, a 50-44 victory over last year's sectional runner-up Elkhart Central, in Friday's semifinals.

Jeff Massey scored 22 points and Donny Hackworth added 10 points to lead Concord, the state runner-up twice in the past three years.

Another defending sectional champion, host South Adams, had its two-year sectional title streak snapped 60-57 by Southern Wells. Elsewhere, North Judson opened defense of its own sectional title with a 70-51 victory over Oregon-Davis, and defending champion Merrillville opened the Calumet sectional with a 73-50 victory over Lake Station.



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Bulls gore Celtics in Chicago; Spurs down Blazers

CHICAGO (AP) — Chicago passed Boston for first place in the Eastern Conference as Scottie Pippen scored 13 of his 33 points in a 33-12 first quarter on the way to a 129-99 victory, the Bulls' 10th in a row.

The Bulls won their 19th straight at Chicago Stadium. Their 40-14 record is a half-game better than Boston's 40-15 mark and increased their Central Division lead over Detroit to 4 1/2 games.

The 30-point loss was Boston's worst of the season.

Spurs 102, Portland 101

SAN ANTONIO — David Robinson's free throw with 1.9 seconds left in overtime lifted San Antonio past Portland 102-101, the Spurs' second victory over the Blazers in three nights.

Buck Williams had a chance to win the game for Portland with no time left in regulation but missed a free throw. Williams tied the game for the first time at 91-91 by grabbing a rebound off a missed Danny Ainge shot, hitting the shot and drawing a foul by Terry Cummings at the buzzer.

Cavs 106, Pistons 103

CLEVELAND — The injury

plagued Detroit Pistons continued to struggle Tuesday, losing their third straight game and sixth in their last nine as Larry Nance led Cleveland to a 106-103 victory over the defending NBA champions.

Nance scored seven points during a span of 2:11 late in the fourth quarter that helped Cleveland withstand an unlikely flurry of 3-pointers by Dennis Rodman to beat the Pistons.

Nets 129, Pacers 104

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. — Derrick Coleman scored 21 points, grabbed 13 rebounds and added seven assists as the Nets snapped the Pacers' six-game winning streak 129-104.

Reggie Theus, playing in his 1,000th NBA game, and Sam Bowie each added 20 points for New Jersey. Detlef Schrempf led the Pacers with 21 points and Reggie Miller added 20.

Bucks 119, Heat 106

RICHFIELD, Ohio — Dan Schayes tripled his scoring average for the second consecutive game, scoring 29 points to lead the Bucks to a 119-106 victory over Miami.

Schayes, averaging 9.6 points

per game had a season-high 31 Saturday in a victory over Cleveland.

Miami cut an early 22-point deficit to 75-71 with 5:30 left in the third quarter before the Bucks regained control.

Rockets 129, Nuggets 99

DENVER — Sleepy Floyd had 40 points and personally outscored Denver 22-19 in the third quarter to lead Houston to their third win in a row, a 129-99 win over the Nuggets.

The Rockets were up 52-47 at the half and were ahead 62-57 when Floyd came off the bench with 7:18 left in the quarter to hit 8 of Houston's next 10 baskets as Houston went on a 27-6 run that broke the game open at 89-63 with 1:10 left in the period.

Wolves 100, Mavs 94

MINNEAPOLIS — Tyrone Corbin had 31 points and 11 rebounds for Minnesota, which outscored Dallas 14-5 late in the fourth quarter and defeated the Mavericks 100-94.

The victory was Minnesota's fifth straight over the Mavericks after starting 0-4 against Dallas in the 1989-90 season. The Timberwolves ended a three-game losing streak and won for only the



AP Photo
Scottie Pippen goes up for two of his 33 points during Tuesday night's 129-99 drubbing of the Boston Celtics. Michael Jordan had 39.

second time in 10 games.

Knicks 112, Bullets 109

NEW YORK — Patrick Ewing had 30 points and 20 rebounds as the New York Knicks improved their overtime record to 5-0 with a 112-109 double-overtime victory over the Washington Bullets.

Washington has lost seven consecutive road games after winning at New York on Jan. 31 behind Bernard King's 49 points. The Bullets have lost four straight overall and 10 of 12 to fall three games behind the Knicks in the race for the final Eastern Conference playoff spot.

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Belles end season with win

Seniors contribute in victory over Saint Francis

By CHRIS BACON

Saint Mary's Sports Editor

The first NCAA Division III basketball season came to a close for Saint Mary's last Saturday with a home victory over former NAIA rival Saint Francis, 74-67.

For the Belles, whose season has been mixed with injuries, illnesses and uncertainty, this victory was just another example of their desire to achieve.

"I was impressed with the performance of our young ladies. In many ways they were over achievers. They worked hard. They overcame injuries and illnesses and it was because we had great attitudes," said Belles head coach Marv Wood.

The Belles had five players in double figures, led by junior forward Janet Libbing with 18 points. Junior forward Catherine Restovich tallied 13 points. Senior guard Mea Tettonborn and center Linda Garret added 12 points apiece. Sophomore Kim Holmes contributed 11 points. Saint

Francis had two players in double figures. Both Julie Post and Linda Dahman tallied 18 points each.

The Belles were masters of the court for most of the game. After trailing initially, the Belles' offense began executing its game and took a 29-19 lead with 5:30 on the clock. The Belles' zone defense contained the potentially explosive offense of Saint Francis and held on to a 37-29 halftime lead.

"They're a run-and-gun team and we made them play half-court," said Wood. "We didn't let them run. We made them work hard for their shots."

It appeared that Saint Mary's had sealed its victory early in the second half by opening up a 16 point lead, going up 55-39. However, Saint Francis, led by Dahman, chipped away at the lead. Dahman ran wild, scoring 16 of her 18 points in the second half as the lead was cut to just three points, 59-56.

"I think we let down a little as they hit their shots," explained Wood.

"Things had been going so smoothly for us that we began playing not as a team, but as individuals," said Tettonborn. "I think we didn't realize that we have to play 40 minutes instead of 30 minutes."

In the end Saint Mary's proved to be too much for Saint Francis. The Belles reestablished a nine-point lead with three minutes left to play. Saint Mary's held on to that lead and sealed their last home victory.

This final game marks not only the end of the season, but the end of playing for the team's two seniors, Tettonborn and Garret.

Tettonborn started for the Belles and was the third leading scorer for the season, averaging 9.1 points per game, and tallying 181 points total for the season. Garret came off of the bench this season to be the fourth leading team scorer, averaging 7.6 points per game, tallying 159 points total for the season.

"Mea will be missed. She had great quickness. She was a valuable part of the team," added Wood. "Linda came off of the bench and really made a front line contribution."

UNLV players could face suspensions for hotel bills

LAS VEGAS (AP) — The NCAA will decide this week whether four UNLV basketball players violated regulations by not paying hotel phone and room service charges during recruiting visits, an NCAA official said Tuesday.

Janet Justus, director of eligibility for the NCAA, told KVBC-TV that the organization's legislative services committee will decide this week whether the incidents are a violation.

If found to be a violation, Justus said the eligibility committee will decide whether the players would sit out one or more games.

The charges reportedly involve a little more than \$100 among the four players, identified by the station as Larry Johnson, George Ackles, Evric Gray and Bobby Joyce. Johnson and Ackles are starters.

UNLV officials didn't return phone calls seeking comment.


The No. 1-ranked Runnin' Rebels, currently under NCAA inquiry for 29 alleged violations, are 26-0 with one game remaining Saturday against Cal State Fullerton.

Last year, 10 UNLV players sat out a game because of unpaid incidental hotel bills during road games.

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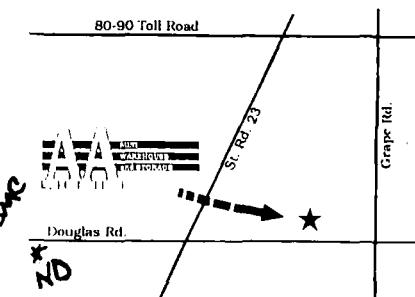
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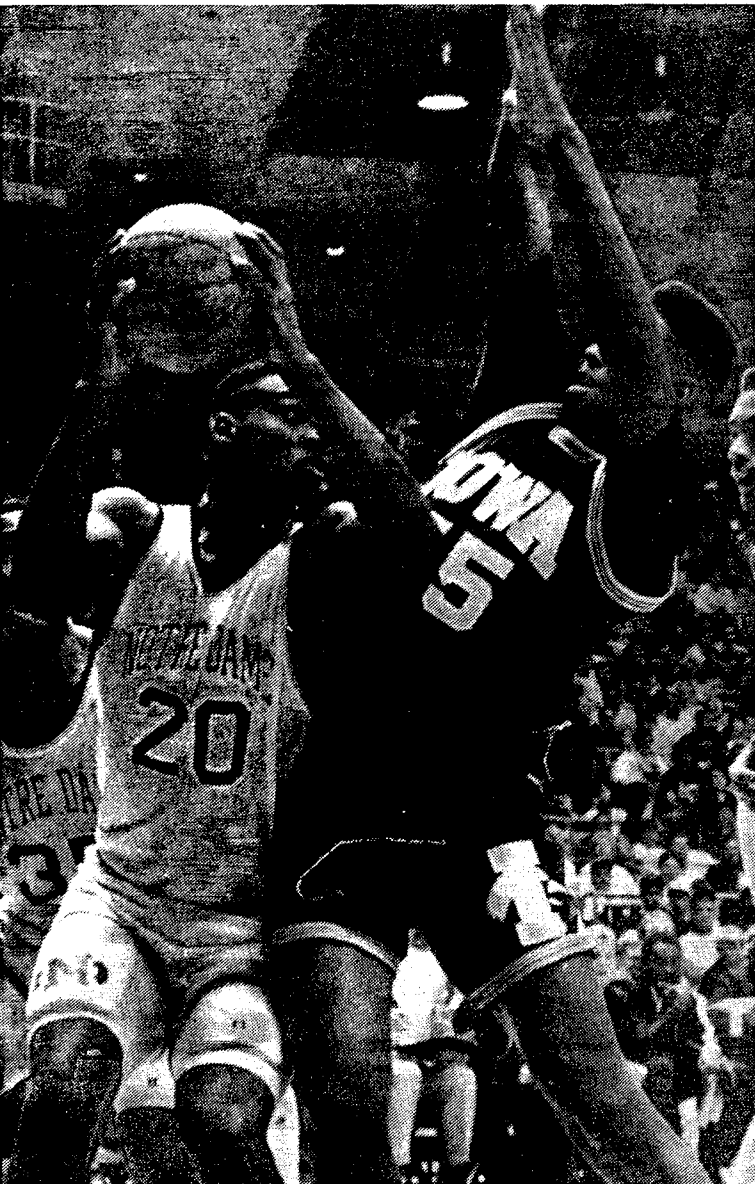
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Iowa's Acie Earl fined after reversing plea in assault case



Acie Earl (55) defends Notre Dame's LaPhonso Ellis. Earl pled guilty Tuesday to charges of assault against a 17-year-old female.

IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) — Iowa basketball player Acie Earl, saying "what I did was wrong," changed his mind and pleaded guilty today to a charge of simple assault.

The charge was filed by a 17-year-old girl who earlier had said she wanted the charge dropped.

Earl, Iowa's leading scorer and rebounder, had pleaded innocent to the charge in Johnson County District Court on Monday.

Earl's attorney, Randy Larson, filed a written plea of guilty before District Associate Judge John R. Sladek at about 8:45 a.m. today.

Sladek fined Earl \$50, Larson said. If Earl had gone to trial and had been convicted, he would have faced a maximum penalty of 30 days in jail and a \$100 fine.

Larson said the guilty plea was "filed at Acie's request."

"He just wanted to take responsibility for what he had done," Larson said. "He just felt like it was wrong."

Later, Earl appeared with coach Tom Davis to apologize to the school, team, fans, family

and friends.

"I just felt that what I did was wrong and I wanted to take responsibility for it. My friend and I were very upset at the time. But to hold on to her the way I did, even for just a few seconds, was wrong and I didn't want to leave anybody thinking that it could be anything but wrong," Earl said at Davis' regularly scheduled news conference.

He thanked Davis and other Iowa athletic officials, saying they have "put me in touch with some people that I have talked to and will continue to talk to about handling myself better and especially how I can learn to handle emotional situations without scaring anybody. No one should have to be scared of someone even for a few minutes."

Davis said Earl would be excused from practice today but would be welcome back Wednesday.

The coach said Earl would lose his starting spot but would remain on the roster.

County Attorney J. Patrick White said he was ready to pursue the case.

"I reviewed the police reports and indicated to Earl's lawyer that I believed that an offense had been committed and that the case should be prosecuted," White said. "Mr. Larson indicated that that being the case, they would like to plead guilty and put it behind them."

The 6-foot-10 sophomore from Moline, Ill., was charged late Sunday morning after an altercation in the parking lot of his residence with the girl, also a resident of Moline.

According to the police complaint signed by officer Frank Cummings, Earl's actions "resulted in physical contact which was insulting or offensive and placed the victim in immediate fear."

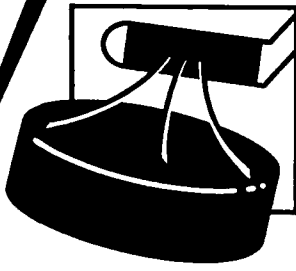
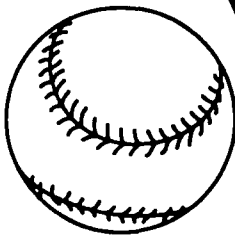
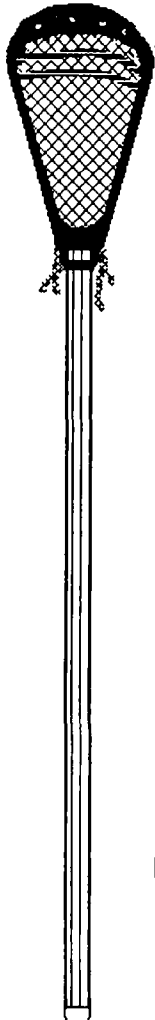
The girl said in the complaint that Earl chased her after they got into an argument. The complaint said Earl "grabbed her by the neck" and that a "reddening on the right side of her neck was observed."

The girl, whose name wasn't listed in the police complaint or in court documents, was described Monday as a "longtime friend" by Larson.

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4:30 p.m. Colloquium Series, Spring 1991, "German and Italian Influences on Operatic Librettos of G. F. Handel," Ellen Harris, professor, Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Room 124, Crowley Hall of Music. Sponsored by Department of Music.

7:30 p.m. Panel Discussion, "When Women Are Priests, Will the Church Be a Pyramid?" Chaired by Professor Adela Yarbro Collins. Auditorium, Hesburgh Library. Sponsored by The Committee on Notre Dame's Position On the Ordination of Women.

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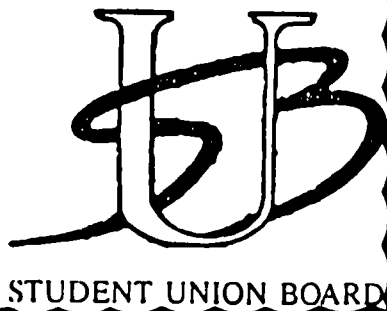
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Flyers crash and burn as Notre Dame wins in OT

By KEN TYSIAC
Associate Sports Editor

An unlikely hero stepped forward to seal a 92-87 overtime victory for the Notre Dame men's basketball team over Dayton Tuesday night at the Joyce ACC.

With the Irish up by three, the Flyers were trying to move the ball up the court for a desperation three-pointer which would have tied the score and possibly sent the game into a second overtime. Dayton guard Sean Scrutchins heaved the ball downcourt, but Notre Dame forward Joe Ross foiled his plans.

Ross stepped across midcourt

and picked the ball out of midair with 13 seconds showing on the clock. He quickly passed off to Elmer Bennett, who sank two free throws to clinch the victory for the Irish.

"Joe made a great play," Notre Dame coach Digger Phelps said. "He read it, he knew where it was, and it was a great steal."

Ross's steal finally took the fight out of a Dayton team which up until that point had refused to quit. The Flyers were down by as many as 10 points in the first half, but they fought back to take a 45-43 lead on a Chip Jones layup with 15:54 remaining in regulation. The Irish immediately went on a 10-

1 run to go ahead 53-46. But Dayton fought back again to tie it at 59.

Notre Dame pulled ahead again, and when Daimon Sweet hit a baseline jumper the lead was 72-64. But the Flyers had one more comeback left in them, and when Sam Howard hit an improbable three-point shot from the corner with nine seconds left they sent the game into overtime.

Dayton coach Jim O'Brien was as surprised as the rest of the JACC when Howard, who had made just 5 of 21 three-pointers all season, threw in a prayer to tie the game.

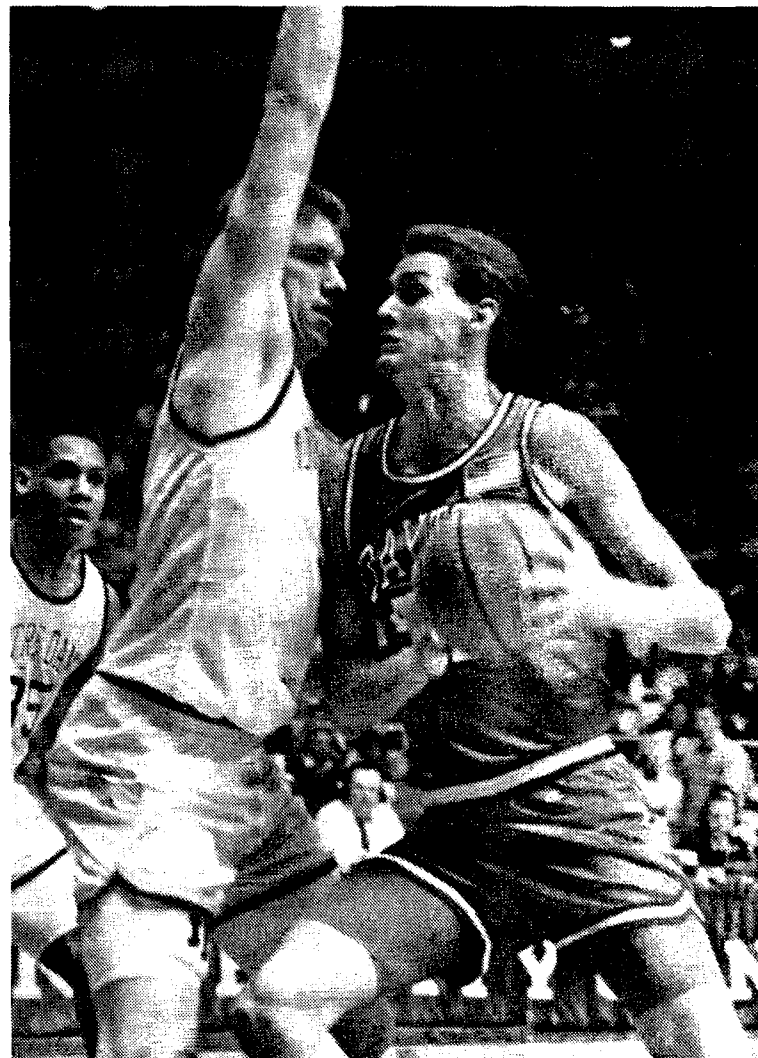
"We try to get deep penetration by our point guard," O'Brien said of his team's strategy. "We try to get four players at the three-point line and hope that the point guard draws somebody, but that was a prayer. You don't want a 6-9 guy dribbling to the corner and shooting a fadeaway with nine seconds to go."

"The shot at the buzzer was just one of those flukes that go in," Phelps added.

The Irish took the lead for good with 1:51 left in overtime when senior point guard Tim Singleton, playing in his last game at the JACC, hit a short baseline jumper off the dribble. That made the score 84-83 in favor of Notre Dame.

The Flyers kept it close, but Ross managed to step in and ruin their plans of sending the game into yet another overtime. Although Ross was in the right place at the right time, his steal did not overshadow the performance of three other Irish players.

Daimon Sweet scored a career-high 28 points on 13 for 21 shooting from the field. Keith Tower had a career-high 17 rebounds to go with his 21 points. And Elmer Bennett scored 24 and dished out 7 assists as well. It was the first time since March 7, 1988 that three players have scored more than 20 points for the Irish in



The Observer/David Lee
Keith Tower gets in Wes Coffey's face. Tower scored 21 points and pulled down a career-high 17 rebounds in the Irish victory over Dayton.



The Observer/David Lee
Daimon Sweet puts two points home at the ACC Tuesday night. Sweet scored a career-high 28 points and added five rebounds.

one game.

Phelps seemed especially pleased with the play of Tower, who always seems to play well against Dayton. The 6-11 center scored 22 points and 11 rebounds against the Flyers at Dayton on Jan. 29.

"I thought Tower was awesome," Phelps said. "We went to Tower like we did last time against Dayton and he responded. He played very, very well, especially with four fouls."

"I don't know what it is, but I always play well against Dayton," Tower said. "The ball

always seems to bounce my way against them."

Guard Chip Jones led the way for the Flyers with points, although he made just 8 of his 23 shots from the field. Wes Coffey added 15 points and 12 rebounds for the Irish and Alex Robertson chipped in 14 before he fouled out with 20 seconds left in overtime.

Singleton had six points and added six assists in his last JACC performance, while fellow senior Kevin Ellery contributed eight points and six rebounds.

Women's hoops hopes to score first-ever NCAA tournament berth

Jogging from the tunnel to midcourt at the JACC Saturday in their final regular-season home game, the seniors on the women's basketball team had cause to be somewhat sentimental—and satisfied.

"I think it was great," said senior captain Krissi Davis. "It was nice to see how the crowd has changed. It's neat to see it build up in four years. To have so many people be at our last game, it was really satisfying."

As the spotlight rescued the players from the surrounding darkness, a record 3,291 fans cheered for the 19-5 Irish. The energy level was high; the buildup even higher.

This stands in great contrast to the spotlight introductions the Irish experienced earlier this season. Head coach Muffet McGraw remembers earlier in the season when the opening-ceremony pandemonium was, shall we say, less established.

"Those introductions are so much nicer with a good crowd there," said McGraw. "The first time we did it, we had about 300 people there and the spotlight was panning empty seats."

Not against Old Dominion. In that game, a boisterous crowd watched Notre Dame come from 11 points down midway through the first half to win, 70-58. The crowd also may have witnessed the beginning of a sequence of perennial Top-25 Irish teams. The game certainly was the fitting ending to a natural progression begun four years ago.

In 1987, McGraw took over a Notre Dame squad that had been 12-15 the year before, but had had



Scott Brutocao
Irish Items

considerable success during the program's 10-year history. Accompanying McGraw were three freshmen: Krissi Davis, Karen Robinson and Sara Liebscher.

In the 1987-88 season, the Irish finished 20-8 and McGraw was named North Star Conference Coach of the Year. Switching to the Midwestern Collegiate Conference the following season did not hinder them, as the Irish went 21-11. The following year the team went 23-6.

Now the trio that came in with McGraw are seniors, and with the win over Old Dominion their record is 20-5. What's more, the team is ranked 22nd in the country, and barring loss in the last two games of the season, the Irish should be heading to the NCAA tournament for the first time ever.

"If you're in the Top 25, it certainly isn't a guarantee you'll go to the NCAA's, but it sure helps," said McGraw, whose team was passed over by the tournament committee last year, presumably because of the Irish's soft schedule.

In that year, the Irish were 18-0 in the MCC but only 5-6 outside of it. This year, the Irish are 6-5 outside of the conference, and two of those wins came against respected powers Louisiana Tech and St. Joseph's.

"Right now we're in the driver's seat," said McGraw. "If we don't lose the last two games of the season (at Dayton and Xavier, two MCC teams) or the MCC tournament, we won't be leaving the judgment up to the NCAA tournament committee."

What, then, is the difference between this year's and last year's squads?

"They're a much-improved basketball team from last year," said Tennessee coach Pat Summitt, whose team has beaten the Irish the last two years. "They play well together, they play a really heady game, and they spread the ball around the perimeter. They've obviously got people who can score."

Last year, during the second semester, Notre Dame had only eight players on the roster. Consequently, all



players got experience and all but one returned for this season.

"Those eight people during the second semester build a really good core," said Davis. "We're a very close team this year, and I think the eight players last year were a building block for this year. The closeness and the way we work together has been successful."

Karen Robinson saw the difference as something much different.

"I think defense is one of the things we've been playing a lot harder," she said. "In the Old Dominion game, and Louisiana Tech, we just pressured them and took them by surprise."

Said McGraw, "The big thing with this team has been its chemistry—they play so well together."

The only question now is whether the Irish can continue their impressive MCC win streak, which over the last two years is 32 games. If they do continue their complete MCC domination, Notre Dame Olympic sports will reach another milestone as another team will be entered into the NCAA tournament ledger books.