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### HE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER SERVING NOTRE DAME AND SAINT Student senate, class election headed for runoff Roemer will

### By KATIE MURPHY News Writer

As a result of yesterday's elections for class offices and Student Senate positions, two sophomore class office and offcampus co-president tickets will participate in a runoff this Wednesday.

In the sophomore class elections, John Kmetz of Fisher, Brian Klausner of Flanner, Andrea Smith of Siegfried, and Deborah Hellmuth of Pasquerilla East captured 336 votes, over 30 percent of the 1112 votes cast. They will run tomorrow against Bob Ryan of Morrissey, Janine Van Lancker of Siegfried, Katie Flynn of Farley, and Pat Abell of Morrissey. The Ryan ticket won 312 votes, approximately 28 percent of the votes.

Finishing with nearly 19 percent of the sophomore class office votes, the ticket of Ranika Ahuja of Badin, Ted Mahan of Sorin, Jillian Pagliocca of Knott, and Mike Burgdorf of Stanford won 211 votes. Nicole Carlstrom and Lisa Lienhard of Walsh, and Ryan Furmick and Eric Strong of Grace captured over 15 percent of the electorate with 170 votes. The tick-et of Cavanaugh residents Matt Pollack, Jeremy Murtaugh, Jerry Spartz, and Marni Ryan of Pangborn won almost 7 and a half percent of the electorate, or 83 votes.

The seven-ticket race for offcampus co-presidents was extremely close this year, according to Andrew Alfers, judicial coordinator.

"If the results differ by ten votes or less, we have to re-count the votes," said Alfers.

Nikole Reidlinger and Matt Reh won over 27 percent of the electorate with 118 votes. Tomorrow they will run against Chad Clay and Brian Harron, who captured 70 votes, or



16.36 percent of the electorate. Close behind were Dana Anderson and Brian Deeley, who received 69 votes and 16.12 percent of the votes. Molly Donius and Michael McEvilly won 68 votes, or 15.89 percent. Brian Kickham and Jordan Timothy O'Driscoll and Patrick Maggio received 14 votes, just

Parry captured almost 14 percent of the electorate with 59 votes. Finishing with 30 votes, or about 7 percent of the electorate, was the ticket of Thad Nation and Steven Sostak.

over three percent of the votes cast.

The following elections will not go to a runoff.

In the junior class election, George Fischer of Fisher, Matt Schindler of Morrissey, Missy Deckard of Pasquerilla West, and Dominic Amorosa of Zahm won over 53 percent of the electorate with 522 votes.

Finishing with nearly 47 per-cent, the ticket of John Giovacco of Flanner, Jason Laurie of Cavanaugh, Melanie Sissel of Pangborn, and Nicole Bohn of Siegfried received 446 votes.

Running unopposed for senior class office, Joe Bergan of Dillon, Colleen Campbell of Farley, Pat Grogan of Grace, and Jane Daly of Lyons won 543 votes, or over 77 percent of the electorate.

In the race for South Quad senator, Brian Foley of Fisher received 380 votes, or over 52 percent of the votes cast. Brian McCarthy of Alumni won just over 47 percent of the electorate with 342 votes.

Walsh freshman Amy Jagodzinski ran unopposed for God Quad Senator. She received 290 votes, or over 84 percent of the electorate.

In the North Quad senate election, Zahm junior Sean Sullivan won over 77 percent of the electorate with 495 votes. Farley freshman Shannon Lennard received 142 votes, or approximately 22 percent.

Sara Skalicky, a Knott junior, captured 530 votes and over 65 percent of the electorate in the Mod Quad senator election. Freshman Tom Mattzie received nearly 35 percent of the electorate with 284 votes.

The newly elected tickets will take office on April 1.

# run for third term

**By IOHN LUCAS** Associate News Editor

Stressing initiatives toward helping children and improving the structure of the family, Democratic

congressman and Notre Dame alumnus Tim Roemer recently announced his candidacy for re-election



**Tim Roemer** to the House of Representatives.

"My highest policy priority as a member of Congress is investing in America's youngest generation, because helping our youngest generation reach their potential will mean a better America for every generation," he said in announcing his candidacy on February 17.

After establishing a task force on education during his current term, Roemer plans on continuing working for the betterment of children, with a special focus on keeping children in school.

"Look closely at most of those Americans bringing violence to our schools and streets and you will find children who are dropouts," he said.

Maintaining the structure of the family and continuing to increase education is one of the most important ways to curb crime and violence, he said.

"I focus on children . because I ran for Congress three years ago to be a part of shaping our nation's future," he said. "Tomorrow, when hundreds of American youngsters will commit violent crimes, is the future.'

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## Security responds to

# Professors look for alternatives during teachers' strike

### **By ELIZABETH REGAN** Saint Mary's News Editor

Hachen Associate Professor of Sociology at Notre Dame. Joel Cooper, the Assistant

the school system may not be the best solution.

said. "It is detrimental because they are destroying the school corporation in order to save it."

screams

### By SARAH DORAN Associate News Editor

A Howard Hall resident notified ND security after hearing screams from the Saint Mary's lake area last night.

Upon finding footprints indicating that someone may have fallen through the ice, a South Bend emergency rescue team was called in to continue the search but found no sign of a break, according to Dennis Moore, director of Notre Dame public relations and in-formation.

Rescue officials "combed the area and determined that there was no sign fall through the ice," said Moore.

An emergency rescue official said that the ice was unsafe to cross, Moore said. No further information was available at press time.

Both Notre Dame and Saint Mary's professors are taking a stand in the community by keeping their

children at home since South the Ben d Teachers' Strike began last Thursday.

"We support the teachers Professor and don't feel as if we'd be David Hachen

satisfied with the education going on in the classrooms right now," said Saint Mary's Sociology lecturer Henry Borne. As educators, they seem to relate closely and support fully the South Bend teachers' demands.

"Movement by the School Corporation is needed to realize that teachers are worth their weight in gold," said David

Director of Enterprisewiae Services Development at Notre Dame, originally decided to send his third grader to Jefferson Elementary school if there was a substitute teacher and things looked reasonable.

Upon arriving at Jefferson on Thursday morning and being the only adult in sight, Cooper decided to keep his child at home.

"There was no way that 'quality education' was going on there," he said. "Luckily the kids were doing what they normally did on autopilot."

Attendance was about 42 percent of normal enrollment on Monday and has decreased from 57 percent when the strike began on Thursday.

"Kids are huddled around watching movies," Borne said, "it's just not worth it."

Despite the significant decrease in attendance, closing

We must recognize that public education is a community service beyond education," he said. "Some working parents do not have a choice and have to send their children."

Many professors have been teaching their children lessons at home.

"We have structured activities such as spelling , reading and math exercises for our first and third graders," said David Beston, Director of Hesburgh **Program of Public Service and** Associate Professor in the **Economics Department.** "Our sixth grader is keeping himself busy.

Not only are the children the losers in this situation, but the community is as well, according to Cooper.

"The strike has a negative impact on the community," he

If the strike continues, many parents may turn to private schools in the area.

"Eventually parents will be looking for alternatives that will lead to a school system that is poorer in spirit, poorer in students, and poorer in money,' Cooper continued. "They are risking the future of the community."

Cooper faults the National Education Association and administration's hostility for the strike.

"It is up to the people in bargaining positions to act like adults and hammer it out,' Cooper said.

There also needs to be pressure from the community because the bottom line is that the community is not being served and the administrators are playing fast and loose with our future.

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### **WORLD AT A GLANCE**

### Lebanon buries church bombing victims

### JOUNIEH, Lebanon

Anguished relatives flung themselves on coffins Monday at a funeral for nine Maronite Catholics that was held at the church where the victims died in a bomb explosion. Thousands of mourners gathered in and outside the Notre Dame de la Delivrance, which had been cleared of debris and blood stains overnight. The dead included a 4year-old girl. The bomb exploded during Mass. Across the country, Muslims joined Christians in a governmentsanctioned shutdown to show their solidarity against a rekindling of the 1975-1990 civil war. Government offices, schools, businesses, restaurants and recreation centers closed in Christian and Muslim areas. The attack was a setback for Prime Minister Rafik Hariri's efforts to rid Lebanon of the terrorist image it acquired during the civil war, when assassinations, hijackings, kidnappings and suicide bombings occurred regularly. There was no claim of responsibility for the church bombing in the Zoug Mikael neighborhood of Jounieh, 12 miles north of Beirut. Media reports said up to six people were being interrogated. The bombing also wounded 60 people. But the casualties could have been far worse: a larger bomb was found inside the church's organ and defused. President Elias Hrawi and dozens of other dignitaries attended the funeral. The altar was hastily repaired, but walls still bore shrapnel scars and a small crater in the floor was covered by a piece of plywood.

### Russia expels U.S. diplomat

Russia expelled a senior U.S. diplomat Monday to retaliate for Washington's expulsion of a Russian intelligence officer — a tit-for-tat action reminiscent of the Cold War. Among his own spies, President Boris Yeltsin did some housecleaning, firing the head of Russia's counterintelligence agency which provides the Kremlin with reports on the political situation inside the country.

The abrupt removal of Nikolai Golushko was another sign of continued disarray in Yeltsin's camp, as well of the ongoing turmoil in Russia's internal intelligence operations. But Russia reacted swiftly on the foreign front, ordering U.S. Embassy counselor James Morris to leave the country within seven days. The action was a reminder that the Cold War legacy of mistrust still clouds efforts to forge a new U.S.-Russian partnership. Russia's expulsion of a U.S. diplomat had been expected after Alexander Lysenko, chief of Russia's intelligence station in Washington, was ordered Friday to leave the United States within seven days. U.S. officials said Lysenko "was in a position to be responsible" for CIA officer Aldrich Ames and his wife, Rosario, who were charged last week with spying for Moscow since 1985.

### Airlines cut some cross-country fares by half

### **NEW YORK**

Major airlines matched an America West promotion Monday by cutting some cross-country air fares up to 52 percent. The discounts apply only to a dozen America West routes, and other carriers matched the cuts only on routes where they compete. Passengers have until March 10 to buy tickets, and trips must be completed by June 15. The sale is one of the biggest since the half-price sale of the summer of 1992, which devasted airline finances. Unlike that sale, America West's cut comes during a season when fares are usually discounted to some extent and come from a higher base price. With 14-day advance purchase. Saturday night stay and mid-week travel, the New York-San Francisco round-trip fare is cut to \$318 from \$659. The smallest discount, 29 percent, was applied to Milwaukee-Phoenix, \$348 from \$492. America West also extended an existing 30 percent sale.

### **INDIANA** Weather

### Algerian police officers hijack jet, surrender

### MADRID

Three Algerian policemen hijacked a domestic flight with 131 people aboard Monday and forced it to land in southern Spain. They surrendered hours later, but were denied political asylum. It wasn't clear whether the hijackers were fleeing political violence in Algeria, where Muslim radicals have targeted soldiers, police, intellectuals and foreigners in a two-year campaign against the army-backed regime. The Air Algerie plane was en route from Oran, in western Algeria, to Annaba, near the Tunisian border, when the three forced the crew to divert the jet across the Mediterranean to the southern Spanish town of Alicante, authorities said. The Boeing 727, carrying 124 passengers and seven crew members, landed without seeking permission from air traffic controllers, and paramilitary Civil Guards surrounded it, authorities said. The hijackers released eight women, two men and two children unharmed, then surrendered several hours later. There were no reported injuries during the hijacking. The hijackers carried handguns throughout the fivehour ordeal that was prolonged by language problems between Spanish negotiators and the Arabic- and French-speaking hijackers, said Alfonso Calve, civil governor of the Alicante region. Calve said the three policemen would remain in custody pending an investigation and would not be granted the political asylum they had requested.

### Cardinal dropped from sex abuse lawsuit

### CINCINNATI

A man who accused Cardinal Joseph Bernardin of sexually abusing him in the 1970s dropped his lawsuit against the Roman Catholic prelate Monday, saying his memory was unreliable. Steven Cook, 34, filed a \$10 million lawsuit Nov. 12 in Cincinnati claiming that Bernardin and the Father Ellis Harsham of Beavercreek sexually abused him from 1975 to 1977 when he was a high school student attending a program at a Cincinnati seminary. Bernardin, now cardinal of Chicago's 2.3 millionmember archdiocese, was Cincinnati's archbishop at the time. "I harbor no ill feelings toward Steven Cook," Bernardin told a news conference in Chicago. "I have compassion for him. I have prayed for him every day, and I will continue to do so." Cook also accused the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and archdiocesan officials, including current Archbishop Daniel Pilarczyk, of negligence for allowing the alleged abuse. Only Bernardin was dropped from the lawsuit, which is to go to trial May 9. Bernardin, Harsham and the other defendants have said repeatedly they did nothing wrong. But on Monday, he asked U.S. District Judge Arthur Spiegel to drop Bernardin as a defendant, saying in a court filing he was no longer sure if memories that arose during hypnosis "are true and accurate.'

### Another Janet Jackson concert postponed

### DENVER

A second Janet Jackson concert was postponed Monday because the singer still hasn't recovered from the flu that forced her to cut short a performance last week. Jackson was rushed to a Salt Lake City hospital Saturday night after she became ill during a concert. She was treated in the emergency room for flulike symptoms and dehydration and released. Concerts scheduled for

Sunday night in Salt Lake City and Tuesday night in Denver were canceled. Fans were urged to save their ticket stubs because Jackson planned to reschedule both concerts, said Jackson's tour manager, Marty Hom. "Jackson . . . has been suffering from the flu," he said. "She is extremely sorry to disappoint her fans."







thinks of the word "strike" they think of two parties: the workers and the employer(s). In the case of South Bend the School Community **Corporation's teachers'** strike, however, there is a third party to be considered.

In addition to the



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teachers who have left their classrooms until their demand for a three percent pay raise has been met by the superintendent of schools, Virginia Calvin, and her school board, a third

party is waiting in limbo -the students. South Bend school teachers are reliving the late sixties, the local media is enjoying some

heated controversy and Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students are making a quick buck "scabbing," but what's the message of all these actions to the students?

Students learn in health class that the effects of marijuana on the body are hardly different than the effects of alcohol, but they learn that marijuana is the worse vice because it is illegal. Some of the same teachers who have warned students against breaking drug laws are now breaking laws themselves. Striking is illegal.

Now don't get me wrong. There is a difference between being against the strike and against teachers, just as there's a difference between marijuana and alcohol.

I support the demands of South Bend teachers for a pay increase, an increase in respect from the school board and a seven-hour school day, but I do not think their ends justify their means. But morality and legality aren't the only issues; these strikers are making are direct impact on the youth on this community.

They call themselves educators. After teachers have gone to great lengths to

discourage and prevent truancy, they are skipping school themselves.

Most parents spend years stressing the importance of perfect, or at least good, attendance. This week, however, some parents have to explain to their children why they will not be going to school; that because the teachers are behaving in a manner that would mean detention for students, kids will not be getting on the bus for a while.

Some parents, who cannot afford day care, are being forced to send their children into an environment that should be a guaranteed safe place but this week it is not.

For parents who are giving the schools a chance, their children are crossing the picket line only to enter schools where attendence is less than half on the part of both students and teachers; thus, quality education means movies, games and any kind of busy work that will kill time until teachers and the administration return peacable to the budget table to come to a peacable resolution.

For striking teachers their crusade is worth sacrificing \$250 to \$300 in wages each day and being held in contempt of court. For the superintendent and school board, sacrificing the reputation and function of their school system will be worth it if they don't have to renegotiate contracts. But what are worth? They say that this ordeal will ultimately benefit the students because if working conditions are improved, education will improve. What about the long term effects of the messages being sent here? It is time teachers and administrators reexamine who should be top priority - the students. Afterall, isn't that why they are in the education business? The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and are not necessarily those of The Observer.



# MOSCOW



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# Southern Africans struggle in post-Portuguese period

By SUSAN McCABE News Writer

Southern Africa has been in a constant state of change since the fall of the Portuguese colonial empire, Victor Evans Machingaidze told an audience at Saint Mary's Stapelton Lounge as a part of Black History Month celebrations.

Machingaidze, a professor at the University of Zimbabwe, offered his perspective on economic, political and social developments as well as the influence of Western powers in the newly liberated countries of southern Africa at the lecture.

'The history of Western relations with southern Africa is nothing to be proud about," said Machingaidze as he explained the colonial relationship which existed between Portugal and several southern

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African countries until the mid-1970s.

The flourishing gold mining industry in South Africa motivated Portugal's economic interest in the countries of southern Africa. Though South Africa itself was not under Portuguese control, the majority of workers in its gold mines came from the nearby Portuguese colonies of Angola and Mozambique.

By supplying the mines with sixty to one-hundred thousand migrant workers, Portugal profited greatly. Under the system, the workers only received a small percentage of their salaries while the remaining percentage went to the South African Reserve Bank which in turn paid the Portuguese government in gold.

In 1961 and 1964 wars broke out against Portuguese rule in Angola and Mozambique. Machingaidze explained that Portuguese colonial policy "left no room for African nationalism." There was "no way to come to terms peacefully," he said. In 1975, Angola and Mozambique were finally granted independence following a 1974 military coup in Lisbon.

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After the liberation of the colonies, one of South Africa's main objectives became to support the destabilization of these new countries. Until recent peace agreements, South Africa's efforts led to devastation in both Mozambique and Angola.

Recently, South Africa has moved from this policy of destabilization to one advocating controlled change. Machingaidze cited the recognition of the independence of Nambia and the release of political prisoners such as Nelson Mandela as examples of such change.

Though these recent changes have brought the first real peace to the region in decades, Machingaidze also pointed that the outcome of these developments have also been fraught with problems.

One of the major problems concerns the large South African bureaucracy, said Machingaidze. Other problems have resulted form the ANC's promise to guarantee positions for whites for the next five years. Though this move is aimed at giving the present officeholders time to find new

employment, many of the formerly oppressed people looking for openings in the government will be disappointed.

Still other difficulties will result from the lack of quality education for blacks in South Africa and the shortage of land available for relocating dispossessed people.

"The ANC is sort of gagged in many respects," Machingaidze said.

Finally, Machingaidze stressed the influence of foreign investors in the southern African market. Right now, the ANC "must establish an atmosphere which will be conducive to foreign investment," he said. Machingaidze feels that in order for the ANC to stabilize the situation in South Africa, the international community must be understanding.

In his concluding remarks, Machingaidze stated that "the greatest benefit of the liberation of southern Africa is the return of peace which means countries in the area will spend less on defense." However, he also stressed that "for the people of South Africa liberation will be minimalist unless the ANC can get help from the international community.

Machingaidze's lecture was entitled "Southern Africa Since the Fall of the Portuguese Colonial Empire," and was sponsored by the Saint Mary's Office of Multicultural Affairs.



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# Aerial photo to be shot at SMC Reso

By PATTI CARSON News Writer

An aerial "150" picture will be taken Tuesday, March 22 at

### 4 p.m. to commemorate Saint RESIDENCE HALL ASSOC.

Mary's sesquicentennial year, according to Residence Hall Association (RHA) President Tricia Wallace.

Students will gather at 3:30 p.m. in the LeMans circle,

## Roemer

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SECURITY BEAT

Even with a primary election coming up on May 8, Roemer will not begin to campaign until much closer to the election in November, according to Desiree Green, Roemer's press secretary.

"He's really not focused on the campaign," Green said. "He's just trying to focus on doing his job."

After the May primary, Roe-

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where the picture will be taken at 4:10 p.m. Many participants are needed to make this event a success, according to Wallace. In other business:

•Mango Jam, Minneapolis' "tropidelic" quintet, will perform Wednesday, April 13 from 6-8 p.m. in front of the dining hall. This band will perform original tunes with roots in funk, reggae, jazz and blues. Mango Jam mostly draws

mer is expecting to run in the general election on Nov. 8, where he hopes to be elected for his third term.

from the sounds of Hawaii and

In addition to being a graduate of Mishawaka's Penn High School, Roemer has received two graduate degrees from Notre Dame in the area of international affairs.

As a representative of Indiana's 3rd Congressional District, Roemer's constituency is made up of residents in St. Joseph, Elkhart and LaPorte counties, as well as parts of Starke and Kosciusko counties.

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the Caribbean with a touch of Grateful Dead and Steely Dan influences, according to a Minnesota newspaper.

Performing tunes such as "Chaoss in the Kitchen" and "Kind Nectar," these music makers will bring their "tropical island funk" to Saint Mary's.

•Regina Hall raised \$50 in Penny Wars, the residence hall fundraiser. This amount will be doubled and sent to victims of the Los Angeles earthquake.

Although Roemer has outlined an agenda in which he hopes to supports bills on health care reform, welfare reform and anti-crime initiatives, as well as education, one of his primary goals is to become more responsive to his constituency, he said.

"I have always believed that an election can and should be about more than simply who gets the most votes," Roemer said. "For me, this campaign is an opportunity to continue an ongoing dialogue with those I serve on the issues that concern them most."

Friends don't let friends drive drunk.

## Resolution warns against student interference in strike

### By ANALISE TAYLOR News Writer

A resolution addressing the South Bend teachers strike which stresses that Notre

### **STUDENT SENATE**

Dame remain neutral throughout the controversy was proposed by Student Body President Elect David Hungeling, sparking a heated debate at last night's meeting. The resolution pointed out that Notre Dame students' involvement as substitute teachers may be seen as taking a side, according to Hungeling.

"The Student Senate calls upon the student body to recognize the complexity and seriousness of the teacher's strike, and that substitute teaching may directly undermine efforts of striking teachers," states the resolution.

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1:37 p.m. A Keenan Hall resident reported the theft of cash and a credit card from his room. The room was left unlocked and unattended at the time of the theft.

1:55 p.m. A Pasquerilla West resident reported the theit of her bookbag from the JACC area. Her bookbag was left unattended at the time of the theft.

2:04 p.m. A Walsh Hall resident reported receiving harassing phone calls. Hall resident to St. Joseph's Medical Center for treatment of a head injury. SUN., FEB. 27

1:37 a.m. An Alumni Hall resident reported receiving harassing phone calls. 11:13 a.m. Security and Notre Dame Fire Department responded to a small fire

in Breen Phillips Hall. There were no injuries reported. 4:20 p.m. A Lewis Hall resident reported receiving harassing phone calls. 9:13 p.m. Security transported a

Keenan Hall resident to St. Joseph's Medical Center for treatment of a sports injury.



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## CLC explores empowerment

By MEGAN THOMAS News Writer

Yesterday's Campus Life Council (CLC) meeting dealt with the issue of student empowerment.

### **CAMPUS LIFE COUNCIL**

A Student Senate proposal which was recently presented to the Board of Trustees suggests that Student Senate resolutions should be presented directly to the administration,

without having to be first accepted by the CLC - a body composed of students, faculty members and rectors.

As the constitution is now structured, Student Senate resolutions are not guaranteed to be met with a response from the Office of Student Affairs. Resolutions passed by the CLC will gain a response within seven days of submission.

It was argued that the way in which student resolutions are presented to the adminis-

tration should be restructured in order to improve communication between student government and the administration.

William Kirk, assistant vice president for student affairs, was opposed to the idea of student empowerment on the grounds that, to his knowledge no Student Senate resolutions had been presented before the CLC for consideration. Further, Kirk did not believe that any change in the governmental process was necessary.

Student body president Frank Flynn stated that he did not wish to diminish the power of the CLC; rather, the student empowerment resolution would only increase the amount of influence exerted by Student Senate.

The faculty members present at the meeting were generally more receptive to the concept of student empowerment. Professor James Collins of the department of Communications and Theatre agreed that the Student Senate should be able to submit resolutions to the administration.

The meeting ended with several council members voicing their frustration regarding the perceived lack of the definition of the role of the CLC in campus government, and the lack of communication between students and the administration.

# British colonialism still affecting India

### By MARY PELZER News Writer

In a discussion on the regional disparities in India, graduate student Jainshakar Raman stressed the effect of British colo-

nial policies on various Indian states and how they started the cycle of unequal stan-

dards of living - Mil in different Raman parts of India.

Addressing the weekly Development and International Workshop sponsored by the Department of Economics yesterday, Raman drew upon extensive doctoral studies of the area

British agricultural policies were a powerful force inspiring success in certain areas of India. while contributing to the economic decline of others, according to Raman. In states like Punjab and Madras, where more effective land tilling procedures motivated rises in the level of productivity, economic development was extensive. In contrast, farming techniques promoted by the English in

Bengal provided no incentive to increase output; consequently, the region's growth rate was significantly slower.

Colonial industrial policies also played an important role in deciding the economic fate of Indian states. In Bombay a successful cotton industry, financed from local private capital and concentrated on domestic production, was encouraged.

In Calcutta the British endorsed and subsidized an export-oriented jute industry. The Bombay region fared much better economically than Calcutta following India's independence from Great Britain in 1947, said Raman.

What Raman sees as especially troubling is that the trend appears to continue. As proof, Raman cited recent statistics showing that in terms of per capita state domestic product, states in the west and northwest have income levels much higher than the national average whereas incomes in the east are much lower.

Social indicators reinforce this study," Raman said. "Data on infant mortality rates, levels of education and availability of infrastructure all suggest incongruities existing between the different states.

The government's increasingly liberalized policies threaten to only make the current situation worse, said Raman. The last three years have witnessed a relaxation of import policies in an attempt to loosen control of state development. The result is that more foreign capital flows into already developed places.

'It enhances problems that are already in existence," Raman said.

Not surprisingly, the large variances in standards of living and economic prosperity are the cause of much recent political tension in India. Some members of the poorer states, not liking the current situation. want to break away from India. Likewise Punjab, one of the more economically successful states, is experiences political problems because some people complain that too many resources are going to other states, according to Raman.

"To understand why these things happen," Raman explained, "we have to ask 'What are the stories behind the sit-uation?' The United States is homogeneous. In India, if you're from Bombay, you're completely unlike someone from West Bengal. You don't understand the language, and you have different ethnic identities. That's why we can't ignore this issue, and why we must study the historical process in order to attract private capital to these struggling regions. We must end the disparities.'

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BACCHUS and GAMMA encourage you to play it safe during Spring Break this year. Whatever your plans are, make sure they include these tips:

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## page 6 U.S. fighters down four Serb warplanes over Bosnia

By DUSAN STOJANOVIC Associated Press

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia Bosnian Serbs put NATO's long-questioned resolve to the test on Monday and received a swift, severe answer: missiles from U.S. F-16 fighter jets downed four Serb warplanes.

It was the first time that NATO had struck militarily in its 44-year history, and came after repeated threats by the alliance to intervene to back U.N. resolutions aimed at ending the 23-month war.

NATO said the planes ignored several warnings to leave a U.N.-imposed no-fly zone over Bosnia or face attack, then were observed bombing a Muslim-controlled area. U.N. officials said the Serbs were bombing an arms plant.

Bosnian Serbs first denied involvement. But one Serb army official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, confirmed that four of their planes were shot down. Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic said Serb pilots might have been making "training flights."

NATO and the United Nations say they are neutral in the Bosnian conflict and will act against any side violating U.N. agreements. Most recently, the alliance forced Serbs to pull their artillery away from SaraBosnian government officials,

who have appealed repeatedly for outside help for their outgunned troops, were exuberant. 'Better days are ahead of

us," Bosnian Vice President Ejup Ganic said in Sarajevo, Bosnia's capital.

Russia, a traditional Serb ally that criticized NATO over its ultimatum to Serbs on the Sarajevo siege, reacted mildly to the clash. "If the Serbs did this, I see no justification," said Defense Minister Pavel Grachev.

Although Russia has warned that military intervention could worsen the war, Grachev said he did not think the incident would escalate the conflict.

Hours after the planes were downed, Karadzic arrived in Moscow to consult with Russian diplomats. The Bosnian Serb leader told reporters at Moscow's airport his visit was meant to "ensure the peace process," but he declined further comment.

U.S. Adm. Jeremy Boorda, the NATO commander for southern Europe, said the lesson to be learned from the incident was simple: "You ought not to violate the no-fly zone." He said NATO would not hesitate to fire on any other violators.

The pilot who shot down the fourth Serb aircraft, identified

only as Yogi, said of the incident, "It wasn't much of a con-test." He was interviewed by U.S. journalists in a joint teleinterview phone from Washington.

The ban was imposed in October 1992, after Bosnian Serbs had overrun about 70 percent of Bosnia's territory in fighting with government soldiers and Bosnian Croat forces. About 200,000 people have been reported dead or missing since the war began over Bosnia's secession from Serb-dominated Yugoslavia.

Boorda said U.S. pilots detected six planes by radar and broadcast three warnings for

them to immediately land or leave Bosnian air space or risk attack. No response was received, and the Americans then saw the planes "make a bomb-ing maneuver" and witnessed explosions on the ground.

One U.S. plane then shot down three planes with air-toair missiles and a second U.S. plane downed a fourth, Boorda said at a briefing in Naples, Italy. The two other planes escaped by flying west over Croatia and then north and back east over Banja Luka, a Serbcontrolled region in northwestern Bosnia, NATO said. Many of the Bosnian Serb aircraft are based in Banja Luka.



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# **BUSINESS**

### Tuesday, March 1, 1994

### FACULTY BUSINESS FORUM

# Strike is a waste of human capital

For over ten years innovative U.S. firms have adopted the "Japanese-German-Swedish" style management. Loyal workers, cooperative rather than conflictual labor relations, and team production explains some Japanese superiority over US producers. Building trust between management and workers, and, more important, cooperation between co-workers, has something for everyone. Workers work harder and prof-



M. Teresa Ghilarducci

itable innovations flow from ongoing communication between managers and line workers. Unions in this setting are needed for three reasons: 1.) The union makes pay a nonarbitrary, open, rule-based system. 2.) The union grievance procedures give a voice to disgruntled but skilled workers who would otherwise leave; and 3.) the union protects a worker in a total quality managment environment who might be critical of managment, or make the suggestion that her or his job is redundant and unecessary. Without job security employee suggestions change lunch room paint, but not the bottom line.

The new management yields more productivity more goods and services per person, a larger standard of living. These cooperative, worker-protected forms of managment are not about taking sides - about deciding who should get a larger piece of the pie. These innovations concern the quality and size of the pie. There are still old style, I-want-more-than-you-managers in America. A good example is the relations between the South Bend School Corporation and its teachers.

Along with professionals and factory workers. Indiana teachers unionized to maintain professional standards. The teachers also engage in collective bargaining, which economists call a countervailing monopoly against the monopoly the School Board has on jobs. The union provides a wage floor, not ceiling. When the School Corporation refused to negotiate

they missed the dialogue that comes from bargaining. The teachers don't want to stop cooperating with each other and start competing against each other. The school district has gone through hard times; Indiana is not a pro-education state and tax revenue has not been enough to maintain or improve quality.

Unions, it is widely known, have made concessions when presented with sickly balance sheets. Community examples include: AM General, Bendix, Torrington, and Uniroyal workers who all took pay and benefit cuts in negotiations.

Who Dr. Calvin might be copying is President Ronald Reagan's success at breaking the air traffic controllers strike in 1981. By forcing the Controllers on strike by refusing to bargain, 10,000 highly trained employees went to work at jobs at half their salaries requiring a fraction of their skill. That represents both human capital and Gross Domestic Product lost forever.

In this South Bend teachers strike the size of the pie is discussed, but not its quality. The School Board Corporation has chosen not to negotiate in good faith since August. By keeping the schools open they can collect money from the State as if they were educating the students. Since many students are not attending school in support of the strike, when a substitute is hired two or three classes are combined so that education seems to be going on. The School Corporation reports that all three classes, the normal amount, is learning, for instance, science. The substitutes are allowing the School Corporation to pretend that the situation is under control. This is worse than having no computer chips in US air traffic control towers. Destroying a union diminishes job security and promotes competitive and secret wage setting processes. Both, the innovators say, worsen the quality of the product. This would be a shame if the union was the United Auto Workers and the product was rear axles or batteries. It is a national tragedy with long term ramifications when the product is education.

# MCI invests in mobile phone firm

**By JEANNINE AVERSA** Associated Press

WASHINGTON

MCI Communications Corp. moved today to become a major competitor in wireless communication, investing \$1.3 billion in one of the nation's largest mobile radio companies.

MCI's alliance with Nextel Communications thrusts the nation's second largest telephone into the fast-growing wireless market. MCI Chairman Bert Roberts said he expected that market to grow over the next 10 years from today's 15 million customers to as many as 90 million.

Before today's development, AT&T was poised to dominate that market through its pending acquisition of McCaw Cellular Communications, the nation's No. 1 cellular phone provider.

MCI's alliance will mean consumers will be able to use the same mobile phone and phone number anywhere in the country. Today, with cellular phone service, consumers must look up and punch in "roaming codes" when they travel from city to city.

Additionally, customers for the new service will be able to use their mobile phones for paging, faxing and other services without needing additional equipment. That is because Nextel's network is all-digital, different from the technology used in many existing cellular services.

But to do so, consumers will need to buy a sophisticated telephone that will be manufactured by Motorola. The phone is expected to cost \$100 and up, said MCI spokesman Kevin Inda.

Inda said he expected charges for mobile phone services to be in line with those from cellular providers, anywhere from \$30 to

### MCI goes wireless

MCI Communications Inc. is teaming with three other companies to develop advanced computer technologies that provide wireless communications well beyond traditional cellular telephones. The goal is to combine cell phones, answering machines, faxes, computer modems and pagers into one device with one phone number that will work anywhere in the country. A look at the venture:

### The technology:

Instead of "analog" technology that uses traditional radio waves, the companies will develop "digital mobile networks." These transmit data that has been converted into the billions of ones and zeros recognized by computers. This data is sent over radio waves using audio pulses that sound like modems or fax machines



- 22 NEXTEL Nextel Communications Inc., Rutherford. N.J.

Started in 1987, building two-way radio systems for taxi fleets and other businesses. Now serves 200,000 subscribers in U.S. Recently has made deals giving it radio frequencies that could reach 95 percent of the U.S. population.

MCI MCI Communications Inc., Washington, D.C.

The nation's 2nd largest long distance telephone company. Investing \$1.3 billion in Nextel, in exchange for 17 percent ownership. Money will allow Nextel to convert its radio networks to digital technology, MCI will market the new service.

COMCAST' Comcast Corp., Philadelphia.

Operator of cable TV, cellular phone systems, mostly in the Northeast. Cellular networks serve population of more than 7.4 million. Owns 17 percent of Nextel. Will also market the new communications services.

Motorola Inc., Schaumberg, III.

The country's biggest cellular phone manufacturer. In November, sold 2,500 radio frequencies in 21 states to Nextel, in exchange for 20 percent ownership. Will make the new communication device, price \$100 and up. Monthly cost of service: similar to cellular, roughly \$30 to \$60 a month.

service.

#### SOURCE: Nextel, MCI \$60 a month.

MCI will market the new service nationally. In local markets, it will be marketed by Comcast Corp., one of the nation's largest cable TV companies. Comcast owns a 17 percent stake in Nextel.

The arrangement will give Comcast customers "one-stop shopping" for services ranging from video to telephone, said Bill Dordelman, Comcast's assistant treasurer and director of finance.

As the first crucial step in its



plan for the next generation of

communications services — the

alliance provides MCI with a leg up

on entering an evolving business

called "personal communications

Unlike its competitors, the new venture will not have to depend on

getting radio frequencies from the

FCC because Nextel already has

them. The FCC is scheduled to

begin auctioning radio frequencies

for personal communications ser-

vice in May but the process may be

CHICAGO The Chicago Sun-Times, the nation's eleventh largest daily newspaper, will be bought by the Canadian publishing company Hollinger Inc. for about \$180 mil-lion in cash, the companies said Monday.

"networkMCI" program — the company's business and marketing Chamber of Commerce shies

**By CHRISTOPHER CONNELL** Associated Press

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce retreated Monday from its support for making all employers kick in for health insurance. It also backed off, at least for now, from pushing for universal coverage.

The chamber's new policy, adopted by its board of directors, now opposes forcing businesses to help pick up the health costs for workers

away from health proposal The 220,000-member chamber came under intense pressure from

within its ranks and from WASHINGTON Republicans on Capitol Hill to abandon its year-old support for "shared responsibility" between employers and employees for health insurance.

It had rejected previously Clinton's employer mandate, which would saddle businesses with 80 percent of the bills. But as recently as Feb. 15 its health committee reaffirmed support for some form of joint employer-employee contributions. But with the rival National **Federation of Independent Business** leading the charge against the Clinton health plan and the Business Roundtable and the Association National of Manufacturers both dumping on it, the chamber's leaders decided to harden their line. The chamber will canvass all 220,000 members on employer mandates, but leaders said they had no doubt about where the rank and file stood. 'It's clear . . . that our membership is not supportive of an employer mandate approach," said Robert Patricelli, chairman of Value Health Inc. and chairman of the chamber's health committee. 'We have suspended support for universal coverage." said Lesher. "We have put that on the shelf." Clinton has promised to veto any bill that does not guarantee all Americans a comprehensive set of health benefits.

AP/Carl Fox

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- M. Teresa Ghilarducci is an Assistant Professor of Economics.

### MARKET ROUNDUP



and their families. An employer mandate lies at the heart of President Clinton's troubled health plan.

"Companies do not like mandates," Chamber President Richard Lesher said at a news conference after the board of directors reversed its stance. "A very, very substantial portion of our membership adamantly opposes mandates and we must recognize that opposition."

Meanwhile, the House Ways and Means health subcommittee postponed its plans to begin work Tuesday on a reform plan that was expected to differ markedly from the Clinton blueprint. The panel put off the hearing for a week while it waits for the Congressional Budget Office to estimate the cost of alternative reforms backed by Rep. Pete Stark, D-Calif.

Stark would jettison Clinton's mandatory insurance purchasing alliances, but force all employers to contribute toward health insurance in some form.

The deal provides the Sun-Times with solid financial backing and nearly doubles the total circulation of Hollinger's U.S. daily newspapers, according to company officials and an industry analyst.

"We have now ensured the longerm viability of the Chicago Sun-Times as well as our suburban newspaper companies," Sam McKeel, president and chief executive of the Chicago Sun-Times Co. said at a news conference. The agreement includes 60 weeky and biweekly suburban papers published by the Sun-Times Co.'s Pioneer Press and Star Newspapers units. Hollinger's U.S. division, American Publishing Co., publishes 97 daily newspapers with a total baid circulation of about 540,000. Under an agreement that is to lose by March 31, a new subsidiary of American Publishing vould acquire all outstanding stock of the Sun-Times Co. from a New York investment firm, other institutional investors and members of the Sun-Times management.

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### THE OBSERVER

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### **LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

Managing Editor Kevin Hardman

## C.A.R.E. responds to flyer: Precaution, never prevention

### Dear Editor:

On Monday, Feb. 14, a red flyer entitled "WANTED RAPIST" appeared all over campus, especially in LaFortune. The flyer featured a silhouette of a ND male with his "credentials" below it. The flyer warned women of the ND/SMC community of strangers lurking in the bushes, but also cautioned them to be aware and protect themselves always.

I was shocked when I saw this announcement and quite disturbed when someone mentioned that Campus Alliance for Rape Elimination (C.A.R.E) sponsored it. C.A.R.E. is not a group for women who bash men.

On the contrary, C.A.R.E. is a group of men and women who strive to educate all stu-dents about rape. C.A.R.E. offers information and refects of this violent crime. C.A.R.E. speaks of precautions, but never prevention. C.A.R.E.

men who felt personally attacked by it and the assumption that all men, particularly on this campus, are rapists.

In addition, the flyer warns women, "you must be aware and protect yourself always," and, in essence, places the responsibility on them. It re-victimizes women by suggesting that if one is violated, then there must have been some-thing she failed to do or did incorrectly that invited this vio-lence. No other crime places responsibility or blame on the victim, why is it different or more acceptable for rape?

One thing that both C.A.R.E. and the students who participated in these projects to boycott rape seem to agree on is that rape is a problem on this campus that needs to be ad-

Getting angry about these in-

# Christian compassion and AIDS

### Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to the column by Frank Pimentel on the Feb. 25 Viewpoint page.

Pimentel begins his column by questioning Michael Thurner's statement from Feb. 21 that Notre Dame's response to the AIDS epidemic has been un-Christian. In the column Pimentel proceeds to explain why the Notre Dame population does not need to be concerned about HIV because we do not fit into any of the high risk groups.

I question the Christianity of Pimentel's theory. Christ lived among lepers and prostitutes, he did not question their life styles but recognized them as brothers and sisters created in God's image. When they suffered he was with them to heal and comfort his friends in their time of need. By separating himself from the realities of HIV Pimentel has turned his

I was the logistics coordinator

virus that causes AIDS does not discriminate. Heterosexuals who engage in risky behavior can become infected. Standing behind the Church's teachings against premarital sex and contraception is denying that like on every other college campus the students at Notre Dame are sexually active and therefore may be at risk of infection.

I spent much of the weekend of the Quilt display in Stepan Center wondering how people can not have compassion for the people who have died, are dying, and will die of AIDS and for the people who love them.

Too many conversations I had with quilt visitors ended up with tears and hugs as they told me about daughters, sons, brothers, and friends who have died. I found one woman standing outside the front door crying because she had come with a HIV positive friend and reality had set in for her as she watched her friend and her friend's daughter view the quilt but felt like she could not cry in front of thern.

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Even though it was a hard weekend it was also a beautiful one. As one visitor said to me about the dlisplay, "There is an awful lot of love in this place." I wish more students, professors and administrators could see the Quilt, it is a moving memorial to AIDS victims and a wonderful testament to the strength and understanding that can come from love. Please Notre Dame do not remove yourself from this problem, embrace it and learn from it because it can effect you too.

SARAH FINGER Senior Lewis Hall



### Tuesday, March 1, 1994

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

# VIEWPOINT

# Ethical aspects of South Bend school teachers' strike

## Students should not 'serve as scabs'

### Dear Editor:

When watching WNDU's coverage of South Bend teacher's strike. I was saddened that South Bend's school board will be using many Notre Dame students as scab replacements for the local teachers.

Crossing the picket line as a substitute teacher will be no help to the local teachers, the bargaining process between the teachers and the school board. and certainly not the children either. Furthermore, it can only hurt Notre Dame's image among the local community which is often a bad one already.

One might argue that the opportunity to serve as a sub (scab) is a chance for an off campus ND student to earn some extra money to put food on the table. Another might argue that it is a great chance to earn some money for that trip to Florida next week. Both of these cases pale in comparison to the plight of the striking teacher.

During the duration of the strike, these people that will be receiving no pay to put food on the table for their families. These are people that are putting their entire livelihood on the line to make things a little better for their families. Serving as a substitute teacher

can only give an unfair advantage to the School board, and ultimately lengthen the strike.

I'm not arguing that teachers are necessarily going to lose their jobs because of scabs, but taking the place of a teacher will pull money right out of the pockets of people who have dedicated their lives to the service of their community by potentially lengthening the strike.

Someone else might argue that substitute teachers only wants to help the children learn during the strike. If the sub really want to help the local

**H**hese are people who are putting their entire livelihood on the line to make things a little better for their families."

children, he or she could donate time to the children in some other capacity. It is naïve to believe a school can function with any regularity without regular teachers who have regular lesson plans and real teaching certificates.

How many people remember what it was like to have a sub back in high school? Was the prevailing opinion among the students one of respect? Was it a normal and effective learning environment, or did many students look for ways to hassle the temporary teacher?

Serving as a replacement will decrease the chance that these school days will be made up at the end of the strike with qualified teachers at the helm. A sub may think he is helping the students, but he hindering the educational process by offering a sub par product to the community's youth. If no scabs would have showed up on Monday morning, the schools wouldn't have opened, and the day would have been made up at the end of the strike.

With CSC and many other opportunities for students to our society, Notre Dame has a reputation among many people as a place were students are willing to help society out of the goodness of their hearts. ND students serving as scabs can only make our population here look like a bunch of greedy opportunists who are so insensitive about the lives of working people that we would pull money out of the pocket of a teacher for the sake of buying a couple more cases of beer down in Florida.

Our image among many South Bend residents is already poor and ND students crossing

## Refusal to substitute in accord with Catholic social teaching

### Dear Editor:

Commendations are very much in order for Elizabeth Regan for her writing on the current South Bend school teacher's strike, to St. Mary's Department of College Education for its stand of not becoming involved in a school strike, and to those St. Mary's and Notre Dame students who refused the appeals to serve as substitute teachers during that strike. All are very much in accord with Catholic social teaching which insists on a worker's right to strike without interference, save in extreme circumstances and after all other measures have been exhausted.

I would urge students now substituting for teachers on

picket lines won't help. As far as job opportunities go, it doesn't get much lower on the ladder than serving as a scab. Doing so will only make you look either greedy or naïve.

If anyone really wants to help South Bend's students, donate your time in some other area. Take a trip down to CSC and find out what else you can for South Bend, but please don't interfere with the bargaining strike because of financial or other reasons to reconsider! Consider that substituting will now jeopardize, not only people's careers, but also families' livelihood. These are issues that still must be sorted out in discussions and bargaining. No one wants to look back with regret for such damage Especially when one realizes that after graduation one may well be in the same danger! Join a panel discussion, Tuesday, March 1, 1994 at the Center for Social Concerns, 4:30 PM. Topic: "South Bend School Teacher's Strike: Ethical **Choices and Dilemmas."** 

> **FATHER PATRICK** SULLIVAN Sociology Department

process between the local teacher's union and the South Bend school board. Doing so will only hurt the teachers, the local students, and our image as an institution of genuine service. Do the right thing and please don't serve as a scab. It's the dirtiest word in the world of work.

> JEFF MONBERG Sophomore Cavanaugh Hall

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JOSEPH OZERSKY Diverse reflections: Beavis, Butthead, Trashetta & the OUC

THREE COLUMNS FOR THE PRICE OF ONE- BEAT THAT!

Rather than generating yet another unreadable block of dense and sanctimonious text this week, I have decided to divide my column neatly into three sections, each addressing an important minor presence in my consciousness. None of the three is worthy of extended treatment, or complete omission, so here they are, in order of importance.

SECOND THOUGHTS ON BEAVIS AND BUTTHEAD

Since the publication of my Beavis and Butthead column several weeks ago, I have been watching their hour constantly, and a whole new list of observations have come to me. For example. I now realize how much I like the Fat Albert-style back-and-forth motions they make when dancing in front of the TV. Try getting that from computer animation! More and more, I've come to appreciate the crudeness of the Look animation. how Butthead's eyes are asymmetrical, and the air of mystery that gives him. Or the way his hair moves when he's talking. I've also done a 180 on the old people on Beavis and Butthead: I formerly considered them a flaw in the show, but now I see my error. What could be more perfect than their irritating voices at the Burger World drive-through window? "I want a cheeseburger, with no ketchup...uhhhhhh...and an orange soda, with no ice...ugghhhhh...and a small onion rings, with no salt...ughh..." It's unendurable - and just when we've had all we can take comes "Shut up," Butthead's voice, accented by



little lightning bolts coming from the speaker. "Uh, go away. We're, like, closed or something." The Burger World stuff is highly rarefied. Beavis

has changed from one of hostility and fear to one of almost comfortable familiarity. I now have a fake name and address

I have here before me a copy of the OUC Consultant's Handbook, Fall 1993, and it must be said that this is an impressive document. Nearly 80 pages of single-spaced text enumerate for the newly-hired \$5an-hour employee the full range of regulations, "interper-sonal skills" tips, "mission statements," graphs, tables, procedures, guidelines, rules, and inspirational mottoes the brain trust of the OUC has cooked up for his benefit. And he'd better stick to it! Employees have to sign a little contract vowing to respect this manual, and to die for it if necessary. Outsiders may be skeptical of my description, surmising from it as they may that I was handed the mitten for not following cluster procedure. But I see now the folly of my way Here is a section called "The Role of Cluster Consultants": well, it's not to sit on a stool and take your ID, as I at first thought. Understanding the role of the consultant (as opposed to "Team Leaders" and

"Cluster Managers," who have their own chapters) means "Becoming acquainted with new developments in computing by reading computing magazines." It means knowing that 'A consultant must wear his/her name tag and periodically circulate through the cluster to locate users needing help."

Most importantly, it means studying tips on language and body language, since "Of all the things you wear, your expres-sion is the most important." And remember to "Make the person feel better about him/herself. Tell them what they did right." The OUC manual even provides convenient Goofus and Gallant-style models of cluster decorum: "Avoid phrases like: 'You'll have to ...' Instead, inform the user [or student, to use lay terms] of what needs to be done by saying, 'Here's how we can handle that." Or, to take another OUC example, Goofus says, 'hang on a second, I'll be right back.' Gallant says, "I need to step away [or put you on hold] for a moment. Is that all right?' Then there are attitude tips. "You are not smarter than the "Thank them for talking user." with you." "Don't express your prejudices. You have every right to dislike any software package. However, you don't need to tell that to the user asking for help." Whew, that's a relief! Late in my tenure at Hayes-Healy, I was beginning to feel guilty about my bigotry toward Quattro Pro. If only I had read the manual! I'd be making tens of dollars todav

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at the deep fry alone ("Cook! Cook! Cook!") is worthy of transmission to space.

The suavity of Butthead's voice can't be overestimated. His Chris Issak imitation will, and you read it here first, ruin that crooner's career, so eerily accurate it is. Or how about Butthead's demolishment of the red AIDS ribbon? "Uh, those are those ribbons they give you for being rich or something." AIDS ribbons - finished! When I first starting watching Beavis and Butthead. I thought they looked like old ladies, but now I am coming to the realization that they are more real to me than most people, possibly more real than myself.

### WHO IS TRASHETTA?

Readers of this column will remember me complaining of anonymous calls. This has stopped, with one exception: a mysterious undergraduate. My relationship with this person to work with, and so I can relate to this person in Reservoir Dogs style, that is, without knowing her Christian name

At first she threatened my car and windows, adding in a few anti-Semitic wisecracks for good measure. (There is trash for you.) But now she and I have fallen into a comfortable anonymous relationship. I like the attention, and it amuses her to periodically mock me. A gratifying relationship all around. But now the inevitable thought has struck me: what does Trashetta look like? She might be any woman I see during the course of the day — an eerie thought, but also an exciting one. So perverse the human intellect is, that even the tepid scorn of a stranger will excite the imagination, and inflame the appetites.

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Josh Ozersky is a graduate student in the history department.

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# To each their own... floor

ACCENT

### By MATT CARBONE Accent Writer

Kerri Carpenter has a problem.

The senior accounting major from Walsh Hall faces two midterms and two days of her CPA review class, in addition to a regular week's worth of homework.

As if this weren't enough stress for one student to handle, Carpenter has no place to study-her favored 8th floor cubicle in the Hesburgh library has been taken.

"There's been stuff there [in her cubicle] for the past week," said Carpenter. "I went there just to check if my spot was open, and it wasn't.'

Carpenter is one of many students who has a preferred studying spot in the library. But does it really matter where you study? To hear Carpenter and others tell it, where you study is a vital element of getting a good grade.

"I do much better on tests when I study at that cubicle,' insisted Carpenter. "It's got a beautiful view of the Dome.

'When I'm getting tired of studying, I'll look up at the Dome, and really feel refreshed and inspired, and ready to go back to studying."

Mike Benavidez agrees that the right Hesburgh study spot can make the difference between being able to party his summer away in his native Colorado and summer school.

"I cannot study anywhere except the twelfth floor," said Benavidez. "You see, I was born on the twelfth of April, so it's a little bit of superstition for me. Plus, it's really quiet on the upper floors."

While it is definitely true that the upper floors are much more serene, some students eschew the double digits for the more social second floor.

Doug Vincent is one of the these students. "I love to study on the sec-

ond floor," said Vincent. "I couldn't study anywhere else. When I study, I like to have other people around. I need the distractions, because otherwise I'd go crazy."

"During finals week, second floor is the best, because that's when the Alumni guys do their streaking," said Vincent. "That's when the second floor can get to be a little bit of a madhouse, but I enjoy the chaos.'

"I haven't missed (the streaking) once in my four years here," said Vincent. "Also, I get to see a lot of

friends on the second floor -it's a great place to socialize," said Vincent.

Recognizing this latter characteristic, there are some who will not study on the second floor.

"I refuse to study on the second floor," said senior Maura Cavanagh. "It gets way too rowdy down there - like it's a big party or something-and I can't get a thing done.

"I studied there once in my freshman year," said Cavanagh. "Never again."

Junior Nate Mick agrees, and has found an interesting locale in which to keep up his Dean List G.P.A.-in the bathrooms of the 'Brare.

"When I have some serious reading to do, I'll just go into a stall, lock it, and I won't come out until I'm done," said Mick.

'What I do might sound strange, but it has really worked for me," said Mick. "I'm not going to argue with results. Hey, if you've got a problem with it, don't knock it until you've tried it.'

Um... O.K., Nate, we won't. We'll just chalk it up to the resourcefulness of the Notre Dame student, who will do whatever it takes to succeed.

Study Days.

library.



The Observer/Scott Mend

One student leaves his study space unoccupied while taking a study break.

## Students find interesting places to study

At times freshman may feel overwhelmed by their workload, but not Erin Mellifont from Regina Hall. A nursing major and member of the track team, Mellifont spends much of her time on the second floor of the Cushwa-Leighton library. Mellifont says, "There are too many distractions in the study lounges. I go to Cushwa to get serious studying done." Many students enjoy the comforts of home and avoid venturing out into the cold if at all possible when they are looking for a spot to study. Kim McGuire often studies in her room when her roommates are not around. "I often study to music, and with my stereo available I can choose what I listen to," McGuire said. "Sometimes I take breaks by making phone calls to my friends from home." Everyone has their favorite study spots where they are most productive. For one reason or another, students love "their" special place.

### Tuesday, March 1, 1994

### **Medical Minute**

### Prevent the spread of disease; avoid high risk activity by Ryan J. Grabow N.R.E.M.T.

With the Names Project coming to a close, and after a week of informational presentations about AIDS and HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus), most of us have been left with an awakened awareness about a disease that infects about I in 500 people in the United States. Testing for HIV and other STDs (Sexually Transmitted Diseases) is recommended for anyone practicing "high risk activities," yet many of us here at Notre Dame are unsure of what activities actually due fall under the category of high risk! For those of us who do fall under this category, no information has been given as to where and how testing can be acquired. Undoubtedly, abstinence is the ONLY 100% effective way to prevent transmis-sion of HIV and other STDs. However, many STDs can be transmitted without sexual intercourse!

A wide variety of activities fall under the category of "high risk." These range from acts such as "French" kissing to oral, anal, and genital inter-course. Anyone of these activities can result in transmission of HIV or other STDs if blood or body fluids are exchanged or if open sores contact the skin. Activities that are considered "low to no risk" include actions such as holding hands, a kiss on the cheek, and other such gestures. Some people are concerned with the possibility of catching a STD from a toilet seat. This would be a very rare but not impossible occurrence. Due to the wide variety of STDs, there are a host of signs and symptoms that can indicate the presence of an infection. Problems such as mild to severe burning upon urination, discharge from one's genitals, presence of flat or cauliflowershaped warts in the genital or facial region, itching in the genital region, visible infestation of lice, eruption of sores in the genital or facial region, possible fever, headache, swollen glands, pelvic pain, rashes, and genital inflammation. Some of these signs and symptoms are specific to certain diseases while others are more general in appearance. In women are likely to suffer symptoms than men. Thus it si important for women to have regular gynecological exams, especially if they are sexually active. Many of the signs and symptoms with STDs have other non sexually related causes, thus only medical testing can identify the proper cause. at Notre Dame Here University Health Services performs private testing for HIV and other STDs. One simply has to call and make an appointment (first name only) to meet with one of the doctors on the University staff. Students only pay for the lab work and any possible medications needed, so costs are considerably less than at an outside hospital. All bills can also be paid in cash to insure the anonymity of the patient. Most STDs can successfully be treated if detected early. Good Luck and Stay Healthy!

#### By LISA MONACO Assistant Accent Editor

Where do students go when nev don't want to fight for a seat at the Hesburgh Library which has a full house during mid-terms week? Some head for LaFortune Student Center. La Fortune is a favorite of many who prefer a more relaxed atmosphere than the library. They can do some serious studying while having a bite to eat or they can take a study break by watching an episode of Seinfeld on one of the big screen TVs. Allison Martin, a sophomore sociology major says she goes to LaFortune "to work on group projects which involve a great deal of discussion.' "LaFortune has a much more relaxed atmosphere. The library is more intense," Martin said. Fans of LaFortune can take full advantage of the 24 hour access and the extended hours of the Huddle which is now open till 3 a.m..



One study place which has

Each student finds his or her own preferred study space. For many this is a study carrell in the Hesburgh Library

work spaces and good lightbeen relatively uninhabited has been Riley Hall. The ing. unoccupied classrooms pro-

"No one bothers you and vide an escape from the commotion of LaFortune and the there are no distractions. she said. O'Connor feels that the classrooms are perfect Katie O'Connor, a photography major, prefers the unocplaces to take a break from cupied classrooms over the the dark room and work on non-photography assignments. library because of the big

# on their way toward perfect season

### **By JOE VILLINSKI** Sports Writer

Neither rain, nor sleet, nor snow would keep the Notre Dame fencing team from getting to their meet at Ohio State last Saturday.

Unfortunately, that snow part of the equation forced four other teams to withdraw from the meet leaving the Irish in Columbus to fence the host Buckeyes.

Northwestern, Tri-State, Cleveland State, and Case Western Reserve were all scheduled to compete, but the snowstorm that hit the midwest last weekend kept all four teams from making the trip.

"Just getting here was a major accomplishment," laughed men's head coach Mike DeCicco about the weather that turned a four hour bus trip into an eight hour journey.

However, it turned out to be worth all the trouble as both the men and women's teams completed undefeated seasons with 21-0 and 23-0 records, respectively. The men completed their 16th undefeated season in 58 years, while the women helped to put their names in the record book with their fourth undefeated season

Husted and sophomore Amy Siegal finished

fourth and fifth in the women's final with times

of 5:01.75 and 5:07.44, respectively to cap off the

great performances at the invitational against

tough competition including some professsional

"Our women's team is not as deep as the men's

team, but they keep on improving each year, just

Track

runners.

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in 23 years.

"The real accomplishment was meeting a fine team like Ohio State and beating them," added DeCicco.

The men helped to ensure their perfect season with a 16-11 victory over Ohio State.

Epeeist captain Greg Wozniak along with foilists Stan Brunner and Conor Power and freshman sabreman all posted key victories to break a 7-7 tie enroute to the win.

This was a good win for a few reasons," noted DeCicco. "Our foil team proved conclusively that they are the team to beat in the midwest."

"Our sabre team also came up with a clutch win against a fine team," he said. "Our whole team won this match together, just like they have done all season long.'

As for the women, the foil team downed the Buckeyes 9-7, even though the match was really not that close. The Irish clinched the match at 9-1 after reeling off nine wins in their first ten bouts.

"It was amazing," said women's head coach Yves Auriol. "Just like that, the score was 9-1. It's clear we are not a onewomen team, as some might say," he added.

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However, one women that had a truly amazing season was sophomore sensation Maria Panyi who went 3-0 on the weekend to finish the season with an individual mark of 41-1. That now puts her into second place(.976) behind former Irish great, Heidi Piper, for the best single season winning percentage(.978).

Sophomore Claudette De Bruin also enjoyed an unblemished weekend, going 2-0 against the Buckeye's twin towers, Rita Borbley and Carin Wolf.

"Our team is made up of at least six good fencers that have shown they are the number one team in the Midwest," said Auriol.

Women's epee also completed a successful season trouncing Ohio State 9-0.

"We have worked hard for two years to build our program for this season," commented Au-"Marit Fischer, Maura riol. Gallagher, Ashley Shannon, Amy Sromek, and Danielle Girardi have really started us off on the right foot for the future." The Irish now return to practice this week in order to get ready for the NCAA Midwest Regional qualifiers to be held March 5-6 at Notre Dame.

# Michigan mischief

### **Associated Press**

ANN ARBOR, Mich. An arrest warrant was issued Monday for a Michigan football player accused of firing shots at plainclothes police officers he thought were breaking into his car.

The football player told police he was protecting \$7,000 in car stereo equipment when he fired the shots at about 3:35 a.m. EST Sunday after his car alarm went off. Police did not identify the player because he has not been charged.

The incident started after police officers arrested a 23year-old man for larceny from an auto and fleeing and eluding police. Police said the man allegedly broke into at least two cars in the athlete's apartment complex before driving off.

Following the suspect's arrest, officers Joe Dye and Brian Jatczak and detective Tom Pressley — all three in plain clothes, but accompanied by other uniformed officers were searching vehicles when the suspects' car alarm went off. His alarm was set off on his pager but was not audible

## Swimming

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free with a time of 1:42.03, and also placed second in the 100 free

to police, according to police reports.

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Dye was writing a report while sitting in his car when he first heard yelling coming from an apartment. He and Jatczak then heard four to five gunshots coming from the second-floor balcony.

The officers took cover along with Pressley. They yelled, 'Police! Police!" toward the man. Police did not return the fire, and no one was hurt.

A police report said the player's girlfriend had called 911 to report the car being broken into. Sgt. Harry Jinkerson took the call and retraced it back to the player. He talked him into surrendering to police.

The player was arrested. Assistant prosecutor Larry Burgess ordered that he be released from custody, but a felonious assault warrant was authorized Monday.

The gun is registered with the Ann Arbor Police Department. The player told police he had just had stereo equipment installed. He is expected to be arraigned Tuesday.

Football coach Gary Moeller said he was "totally shocked" by the incident.

"This week was a good indicator for next week," said senior captain Kevin Flanagan. "It shows just how fast we're going to swim at the next meet, which we've been gearing up for since September."

Beginning Thursday at **Cleveland State University**, both teams will compete in the Eastern Intercollegiate Championships. This meet marks the end of the Irish swimming season, and both teams hope to perform well and swim their best times.

The Observer accepts classifieds every business day from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Notre Dame office, 314 LaFortune and from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m. at 309 Haggar College Center. Deadline for next-day classifieds is 3p.m. All classifieds must be prepaid. The charge is 2 cents per character per day, including all spaces

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The Irish, unfortunately, were not as consistent as their 'iron man' whose consistency and hardwork continue to move him up the rankings.

contributed to the men's effort. Freshman Rich Murphy finished third in the 400 IM, and Will McCarthy, also a freshman, earned the fourth-place spot in the 1650 freestyle race.

Like their female counterparts, the underclassmen also

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Hey Not-so-Random, Thanks for the flowers, you made my day. For next time. though, there are 2 "N"'s in my name, not one. DiaNNe

Gotta get to Grace. . . WHOA! Hope I didn't lose my toga!!

Pale green? Sparkles? . We love the LOVE COUCH!!

Hey, Katie! You gonna help salt the walkways today??

Hello? Mike? ... Can I get a last name please?

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By G.R. NELSON	<b>By KIMBERLY BERO</b>	The Belles came out aggres-	"We were short on size and	rebounding.
Sports Writer	Saint Mary's Sports Editor	sively early on in the first half of the game, but the momen-	we just did not have the bench depth," said Wood.	"She is a truly remar and talented player,"
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Toledo University 15-3, 15-5, 15-5 Friday night in Toledo.	Saturday afternoon with a 90- 58 loss against second-ranked	"Franklin was a strong oppo-	ranks twelfth in the nation in	fourth-ranked Divisio
The stiffest challenge the	Franklin College.	nent, but we didn't get blown-	Division III scoring leaders and	three-point shooter in th
Irish (7-1) faced was getting	The Belles finished the season	out until the late stages of the game," said Wood.	is the Saint Mary's season scor- ing record holder, finished the	tion.
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they arrived, the rest came	it their best efforts," said Saint	fling defense, strong rebound-	successes this season by setting	we were not that success
easy. "We killed them," said cap-	Mary's head coach Marvin Wood. "We never gave up."	ing skills, and a definite size advantage over the Belles.	three more school records in steals, single game points, and	got along well and learne from each other."
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# Saint Mary's track team returns with four new records

By ANNE HERMANN Sports Writer

From Lillehammer, Norway to Huntington, Indiana, competitors struck gold, as the Saint Mary's track team broke four school records, Saturday, at the Huntington Inviatational.

There were approximately ten teams at the meet including Manchester, Kalamazoo College, Goshen College, Spring Arbor, Tri-State, DePauw and Huntington. They competed on a four lane track which caused the teams to choose four individuals to compete.

"We were very happy with the results. Although this was not a scoring meet, it was very

good to see many people improve," said Saint Mary's track coach Larry Szczechowski.

School records were set by four individuals. Paula Kivinen high jumped with a mark of 5'2".

Erin Mellifont finished the 800m run at 2.28.25. Michelle Wenner broke the 1600 mile run record at 5.36.73.

Last, but not least, four members of the team, Carrie Ratke, Erin Mellifont, Melissa Roberts, and Michelle Winner completed the 4X2 Relay with the time of 3.49.97.

The Belles took advantage of the chance to compete against many other Division III teams. "We wish we would have more

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opportunities to compete against more teams at our level. The team enjoyed competing against Division III schools," said team captain and senior Katie Linehan.

The team had an opportunity to emphasize their personal goals. Before each meet the team fills out a personal goal sheet and completes another following the meet. They discuss the improvements needed for the next meet.

"Because the competition we face usually consists of Division I and II schools, it is important to have personal goals," said Linehan.

Of the individuals that competed, at least eight personal

records were broken and four seasons best. Many of these record-breakers were competing in first-time events.

"The improvement was good from the week before," said Szczechowski.

The Belles still hope to improve the in the longer races in preparation for outdoor meets.

"Everyone is looking forward to the outdoor season. After spring break there will be a real shift in gears. The distance runners always practice outside, but the rest of the team will join them after break," said Linehan.

The Belles are working towards improvement week to week. "We have worked very hard in practice, and it has paid off," said Szczechowski. "I saw a killer instinct come out at this meet, one that you normally see in basketball or football, but rarely see in track."

The Belles demonstrated the result of competetiveness.

"Running is one thing, competing is another. In track you have to compete at a different level, " said Szczechowski.

The team continues to practice in preparation for their last indoor meet, Friday, March 3, at North Central College.

"It is very good to see this many people improve. We're happy with the results, and we had a good time. Now we know we're on the right track," said Szczechowski.

### **SPORTS BRIEFS**

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### The Observer • IRISH BASEBALL HISTORY

# ake Kline's impact on Irish baseball spanned a lifetime

**By JENNY MARTEN** Senior Sports Writer

The following is the second article in a five part series chronicling the history of baseball at Notre Dame:



"Some people come into our lives and leave lasting footprints on us. Some come through and we just meet them and say

hello, but others come through and leave footprints on our heart that will stay with us for the rest of our lives. That was Jake Kline."-Chuck Lennon, Alumni Association director and Irish outfielder 1958-1961

In 1934, Clarence "Jake" Kline took over as the 15th head coach of the Notre Dame baseball team and for the next 42 years he made lasting impressions on the Notre Dame community as well as the national collegiate baseball community.

Kline did not start his career in South Bend as a coach, as he first arrived at Notre Dame to play, not coach baseball. Monogramming in 1915-1917, Kline had a collegiate career with numerous highlights including a record-tying 1916 game against Michigan.

In that game, Kline hit three home runs to tie Clarence Sheehan's 1905 mark and to propel the Irish to a 14-6 victory. A fourth drive landed foul by inches or he would have notched another roundtripper.

After graduation, he turned down a big league offer to serve in World War I, but joined the minor leagues when the war ended. In 1931, Kline returned to Notre Dame as coach of the freshmen baseball team and a professor of mathematics.

Notre Dame Athletic director Richard Rosenthal who played for Kline in 1952 and 1953 remembers the coach fondly.

"He was a coach who was always very interested in players careers. He exhibited a keen concern for that. He was a master of wonderful quips. He was very colorful and marvelously excitable. I certainly enjoyed my spell with him and learned an awful lot from him," said Rosenthal.

It isn't known how his students did in the classroom, but a 558-449-5 coaching record and eight bids to the NCAA tournament indicate that his baseball lessons sunk in.

quent attendees at the NCAA tournament which at the time included only 32 teams. From 1949-64, seven of his teams participated in post-season play including a trip to the College World Series in 1957 in which his team tied for third.

One reason for Notre Dame's success is the caliber of player here at the time. Kline helped some of his players move into the professional ranks, but he never got a chance to coach the player who would have become his most famous student. In the 1950's, Carl Yastrzemski attended Notre Dame as a student and would have started playing in the spring of his sophomore year if he hadn't signed a contract with the Boston Red Sox.

Many of the his players lettered in more than one sport and he heartily approved, making two sport stars practically a



esy of Notre Dame Sports Info Jake Kline led the Irish baseball team as coach for 42 years. In honor of his dedication, the field in Eck Stadium will bear him name

norm in his years. Rosenthal played basketball and baseball, two of Notre Dame's Heisman Trophy winners, Angelo Bertelli and Johnny Lujack, played football and baseball, and Kevin Hardy, in 1965, was the last three-sport athlete.

Notre Dame's opponents were mainly Big Ten teams and other area teams.

Road games were all reached by bus and the players remember the trips with mixed emotions.

"There was a certain kind of unique camaraderie that grew out of those trips. Pitchers got to sleep in the back seat of the bus and other players got to lay on the floor and a couple of people who weren't too big even got up on the racks above. I think every pillow in the dormitory that you could get your hands on became a borrowed piece of equipment necessary to complete those bus trips," said Rosenthal.

In the dugout, Kline was able to control his temper, but not

his left arm. Kline did get tossed out of a few games, but not too often. As for his left arm, he would develop a nasty twitch in his left shoulder when things were not going well.

"Jake was always the epitome of the Notre Dame person and the epitome of the Notre Dame coach and the greatest representative that this University could have," said Lennon who served as an assistant coach under Kline from 1961-1968.

Recognized around the country, Kline was known as the Dean of College Baseball and he was voted into the College Baseball Hall of Fame in 1968.

After the 1975 season, the 81year-old Kline retired, ending his 42-year career as baseball coach of the Irish and leaving a large set of footprints to fill.

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In the middle of his coaching career, Kline's teams were fre-



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It's a known fact that the sheep that give us steel wool have no natural enemies.

Attention Seniors: CAP representative Janet Lagerman will be on campus today to talk to interested seniors who want to do post graduate volunteer work. The Christian Appalachian Project works in the Appalachian region of eastern Kentucky. She will be in the Library Concourse from 9 a.m. to noon and in the afternoon 1 to 4 p.m. at the CSC. For further information call the CSC at 1.5202 or step by call the CSC at 1-5293 or stop by. ■"Effective Interviewing For Juniors" is the topic of

a workshop to be held tonight in the Notre Dame Room of LaFortune 6:30-7:30 p.m. The workshop will provide information typically asked during an interview and in-structions on verbal and non-verbal behaviors. Dos and don'ts during an interview will also be discussed. The workshop is presented by Career and Placement Ser-

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at the North and South Dining fails and the Huddle Four 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. The event is spon-sored by the Office of Alcohol and Drug Education. ■ "Minorities in Academia," a Candax McNair Presentation given by Arnold Mitchem, NCEOA, Washington D.C. will be at 7 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium. Interested faculty and students are invited

**EAmnesty International** will have a table with peti-tions set up in LaFortune's O'Hara Lounge this afternoon in observance of Worldwide Abolition of the Death Penalty Day. There also will be an AI meeting tonight in the CSC Coffeehouse at 8 p.m. The Future of the Church and its Ministries" will

be discussed by Father Richard McBrien, the Crowley -O'Brien - Walter professor of theology, tonight at 8 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium. The lecture is sponsored by the committee on Notre Dame's Position on the ordination of Women, Student Advocates for Indusive Ministry (S.A.I.M.), the Notre Dame Theology Depart-ment, Women's Resource Center and Gender Studies. **Natural Family Planning** instructional classes for en-gaged and married couples will begin on Wednesday, March 2, from 7 to 9:30 p.m. in Room 221, Hayes-Healy The fee for six classes, including materials is \$125 financial aid is available. For more information please call the office at 237-7401.

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# **SPORTS**

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### rish women swim to MCC title, men earn second By KELLY CORNELIS Sports Writer

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With many top swimmers resting for the upcoming championship meet at Cleveland State, the Notre Dame women still managed to win its seventh consecutive Midwestern Collegiate Conference swimming and diving title, while the men placed a close second to LaSalle.

The women won only four races, but placed in the top five in nearly every other event.

After this weekend's performance, the future of women's swimming at Notre Dame looks very bright, with many freshmen and sophomores putting forth great efforts.

Freshman Alyssa Peterson led the Irish with a record-setting time of 4:37.07 in the 400 IM. She also placed second in the 200 breaststroke and third in the 500 free, while contributing to Notre Dame's second-place finishes in both relays.

Sophomore Kelly Walsh was another individual winner, as she captured the 50 free in 24.98. Walsh then combined with fellow sophomores Anna Cooper and Mary Wendell and freshman Susan Buchino to win the 200 freestyle relay. Foley finished first in the 100 back and second in both the 100 fly and the 200 IM.

Freshmen Susan Buchino and Michelle Lichtenberger had great meets as well. Buchino accumulated four second-place finishes to go along with her win in the 200 freestyle relay. A member of the second-place 400 medley relay, Lichternberger also earned a second and a third in the 200 and 100 back, respectively.

"All in all it was a great meet," stated Lichtenberger. "Shaving down was a really exciting thing, and almost everyone had their best times. We really inspired each other."

Irish coach Tim Welsh was extremely proud of his team's effort, especially considering the lineup that he used.

"This was clearly the fastest MCC meet ever, and our young swimmers were right there in

almost every event, " commented Welsh.

The men, who had sixteen swimmers resting for this weekend, were forced to settle for second place behind the Explorers, who set many records en route to victory.

Senior diver Sean Hyer dominated both boards, amassing 504.95 points in the one-meter event, and 572 points in the three-meter diving.

Captain Dave Nathe had a record-setting swim in the 200

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## Men's tennis up and down **By PHIL LANGER** Sports Writer

It was a weekend filled with mixed emotions for the Notre Dame men's tennis team as they split four matches on their way to 11th place at the USTA/ITA Men's National Indoor Intercollegiate Championship in Kentucky.

The Irish opened play last Wednesday with a 4-3 win over No. 19 New Mexico, but fell to No. 4 Texas on Thursday 2-5, a team they were a moments breath from beating just two weeks ago.

The key to the victory over New Mexico came when senior and team captain Andy Zurcher won the deciding match by breaking Tad Burkowitz's lethal serve at 5-4 in the third set.

"Andy deserves a lot of credit," commented Notre Dame head coach Bob Bayliss, "to pull off a win in that situation, with the team's round of 16 hopes in the balance."

In the highly anticipated rematch with No. 4 Texas, however, the outcome seemed to come down to revenge.

"It was an oddity," stated Coach Bayliss, "that the people who won for both teams in our first meeting lost and those won were victorious lost the second time around."

Both senior Todd Wilson and freshman phenom Ryan Simme, the No. 32 player in the country, were victorious. Yet, it was Simme who captured the spotlight when he blew No. 23 Ian Williams off the court 7-5, 6-4.

The see-saw battle continued when Notre Dame suprisingly upset No. 11 Alabama 4-3 on Friday before losing to eighth-ranked Mississippi on Saturday 2-5 to complete tournament play. The



Irish tracksters are out in front at the Alex Wilson Invitational, held at the Loftus Indoor Track.

# All-stars shine at Wilson Invitational

More Irish qualifiers for IC4A's

By JOE VILLINSKI

meters with a time of 8:28.70. With that time, Smedley qualified for the prestigious IC4A's to be held next weekend at Princeton University. That now brings the Irish total to 27 runners that will be competing next weekend.

Senior Todd Herman once again placed first in the men's high jump with a jump of 7'1". Following Herman was Todd Hendrick, Tom Mescall, and Todd Johnson who placed second, third, and fourth respectively. The Irish runners also placed consecutively in the 5000 meters as senior Mike McWilliams came in sixth with a time of 14:34.30. Junior J.R. Meloro, and seniors John Cowan and Nate Knuth finished 7th, 8th, and 9th following McWilliams.

freshman Randy Kinder who placed second in the 200 meters with a time of 21.22, while also helping the 4X400 relay team to a time of 3:12.89 and a second place finish. In the 55 meter hurdles, Senior Chris Lilly and sophomore Tom Mescall placed fourth and fifth with times of 7.76 and 7.77, respectively, while senior Clint Johnson took second in the 55 meters in a blis-

#### Sports Writer

In an invitational billed as an all-star track meet, the Alex Wilson Invitational, held Saturday at Loftus, saw tremendous individual efforts from both the Irish track team and the other twenty teams that were invited.

"There were terrific performances by both the men and women's teams," said Irish head coach Joe Piane.

Some of those performances included a fourth-place finish by junior Nate Ruder in the mile with a time of 4:07.21 and a first-place finish by sophomore Mike Smedley who captured the men's 3000

"It was a great example of team running this weekend," said Meloro who, along with Cowan and Knuth qualified for the IC4A's.

"I am real hppy about qualifying, considering that is one of the main focal points of our season," added Meloro. Rounding out the men's lineup, was

tering 6.38.

On the woman's side, sophomore Erica Peterson highlighted the woman's competition with a first place finish in the 400 meters with a time of 55.85. Junior Maureen Kelly had a personal best in the 5000 meters with a time of 17:33.31, while taking third in the event. Peterson and junior Monica Cox finished one two in the 55 meters hurdle consolation final, with junior Lisa Junck placing second in the final with a time of 7.93. Finally, junior Emily

Irish now stand at 9-3.

The only Irish player who walked away undefeated in Kentucky was Todd Wilson who, consequently, was proclaimed the teams "Iron Man" of the weekend by Coach Bayliss. Wilson swept all four of his singles matches by beating Coulter Wright (New Mexico) 7-5, 6-4, Tre Philips (Texas) 6-7, 6-4, 6-4, Kip Layman (Alabama) 6-3, 6-3, and Johan Hede (Mississippi) 6-4, 6-4.

"Todd has made some adjustments on

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Men's Volleyball The Irish men's

Volleyball team cruised to an easy 3-set victory at Toledo.

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### Inside SPORTS Saint Mary's Track

The Belles raced to four new school records over the weekend at the Huntington Invitational.

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### Wolverine Woes

More legal trouble plagues Michigan teams. New accusation is shooting at police.

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