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■ FACULTY SENATE

Malloy: Future looks bright for ND programs

By GWENDOLYN NORGLE and
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News Writer

University President Father Edward Malloy addressed the Faculty Senate Wednesday night, and a number of issues topped his discussion.

Malloy responded to a number of questions concerning the progress of the Colloquy, the selection of the Provost, financial aid, staff salaries, and graduate education that were submitted to him by the Senate prior to the meeting.

In his opening remarks to this discussion, Malloy said, "There are reasons to be optimistic in looking toward our future."

Although he pointed out a number of these reasons for optimism, Malloy described the lack of financial aid as a significant problem. "Financial aid looms very, very large to me," he said. "We hope to be able to build our financial aid resources. We have a dual strategy to continue as aggressively as we can to solicit funds."

Malloy mentioned tuition increases as another one of the main financial issues that the University must confront.

"We have to try to reduce them as much as possible," he said.

Northwestern University, Malloy noted, has a lower tuition than does Notre Dame, and it may serve as a role model for Notre Dame because it is run in a "healthy" way.

"If we're going to be healthy and competitive, we have to struggle to bring our tuition increases down as much as possible," he said, adding that this will be "a daunting task."

According to Malloy, the fundraising campaign, which may help to lessen increases in tuition, is "well under way" and will be announced in the Spring of 1997.

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Last summer, Notre Dame student Jenny Richtsmeier assisted Professor Susan Sheridan in the unearthing of ancient bones in Israel as part of the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program. The remains were studied for information on the cultural profile of the Byzantine civilization. The program was founded by Sheridan to provide undergraduates with experience in the anthropological field of study.

Photos provided by Jenny Richtsmeier

Not just dry bones

Research program allows ND student to spend summer in Israel studying the remains of a Byzantine culture

By DAVE PREISSLER
News Writer

Jenny Richtsmeier, a biology/anthropology major, got to see a lot of history this past summer as she traveled to Israel with Susan Sheridan, assistant professor of anthropology, to study the remains of an ancient group of Byzantine monks. Their mission: to construct a biocultural profile of the former inhabitants.

The two researchers wanted to examine the health of this fifth cen-

tury population, looking for answers to many questions: Who lived there? Did they eat well? Were they healthy?

They found that 97 percent of the bones they unearthed were male with an unusually high quantity of them being children.

"We started pulling the remains out, and they were just enormous! They weren't tall. They were just eating well. Even their teeth were beautiful — white, with no cavities. It doesn't look like they were even sick when they were kids," Sheridan

said.

Sheridan has found the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP), which partially funded the program, not only helpful for the professors leading the projects, but also important for the students. She believes that undergraduate students should begin field research early in their

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Vitale provides scholarship

Fund to benefit those in 'spirit organizations'

By KAREN BELL
News Writer

They're out there practicing come rain, hail or shine; they're dedicated, talented and integral to the success of Notre Dame sports — but they're not our athletes.

They are the members of our "spirit organizations:" the marching band, the cheerleaders, the Irish Guard, the pom-pom squad and even the Leprechaun. Now, thanks to sportscaster and Notre Dame parent Dick Vitale, some of them will have a little help in paying for school.

Vitale has established an endowed academic scholarship at the University, to be known as the Dick Vitale Family Spirit Scholarship.

Vitale, a college basketball analyst for ABC Sports and ESPN, is funding the scholarship to assist students with financial need who are members of such spirit boosting organizations.

The scholarship, Vitale said,



Photos courtesy of Dick Vitale

Sportscaster Dick Vitale has established a scholarship that will be available only to members of Notre Dame's "spirit organizations."

is for those who worked above the norm — he noted the hours of practice that went into the bands and cheerleading.

He felt these groups had as much of a financial need as the recipients of sports scholarships.

Vitale feels fortunate that the job he loves gives him the opportunity to travel across America and visit many colleges. However, he is still adamant

that Notre Dame has something unique.

Having not missed a home football game in the last six years, Vitale has first hand experience of the Notre Dame Spirit and "the Lady of the Dome that shines brightly — like a beacon for the values" he believes are intrinsic to the school and himself.

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Class allows students to play stock market

By MELANIE LAFLIN
News Writer

Dreams are coming true for senior finance majors who have found that they can invest in stocks without paying a dime. A new course offered by the College of Business Administration will allow students to invest real money, previously handled by the Student Investment Club, in real stocks

"What makes this so unique is that not only are students bidding in the market, but are now also learning how to manage their investments," said Scott Malpass, Notre Dame's chief investment officer and assistant professor of finance.

The Applied Investment Management team-taught course provides students with the opportunity to blend the theory of investment with the practical demands of hands-on portfolio management.

The class seemed to "evolve over time," as Malpass and his teaching compatriots, Frank Reilly, the Hank Professor of Business Administration, John Affleck-Graves, associate pro-

fessor of finance, and Mark Yusko, the University's assistant investment officer, began to use their experiences with the Student Investment Club as a starting point to construct their theoretical as well as practical course.

"We sat in on a similar class at Ohio State and found their management of endowment money to be very insightful," said Malpass.

The course's academic aspects include an understanding of the process of establishing and implementing a portfolio strategy, a study of the mechanics of trading, and knowledge of current theories of market microstructure.

"Due to the amount of discussion and training involved, this fall's class could be open to only twenty-four senior finance majors. Each candidate had to apply and write an essay to be considered. The next spring and summer semesters will be open to graduate MBA's," said Malpass.

The course began this fall by establishing portfolio management policies and objectives

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■ INSIDE COLUMN

Christianity and military do coexist

Tomorrow the United States of America celebrates Veterans Day. Tomorrow we pay tribute to those men and women who have fought and died for the ideals that our country is built upon. Tomorrow we celebrate those individuals who have fought around the world for the values that bind together the patchwork quilt that is America. In short, on this day we celebrate our armed forces.

This Veterans Day is surrounded by a somewhat unique atmosphere. Here at Notre Dame, home to one of the best ROTC programs in the nation, there is a group called Peacenet agitating for its demise. This is a group with some admirable ideals, from non-violence to unity.

The reason behind Peacenet's antagonism towards ROTC's "military presence" on campus is their view of Catholicism. The group's leader has been quoted as saying "the bonding between student and militarism contradicts the Catholic witness and mission of this University. Christ preaches forgiveness, compassion, and love. We see the ROTC as an adjunct of this University. This high level relationship shows a true dedication to the Pentagon." This seems to be a pretty strong statement considering the large number of Catholic individuals here who choose to become reserve officers.

Yes, Christ did teach "forgiveness, compassion, and love." However, the members of Peacenet need to take a quick reality check. No matter how forgiving, compassionate and loving we are, there will always be Hitlers, Stalins, and Saddam Husseins who forgive none, have compassion for none, and love only themselves. As long as men like this are present, there will always be the threat of war. Why? Because those of us who believe in those Christian values will not stand for a tyrants disregard for them. War is perhaps the most horrid reality that mankind must face.

Unfortunately, sometimes the only way to protect good is to fight for it. It is then that people like those in ND-ROTC are willing to put their lives on the line for that which is right and for the well being of their neighbor. It is because of men and women like this that we don't now live among the crimson hatred of the swastika in a Nazi America.

Further, there are few better places in this country to provide such leadership than Notre Dame. The ethics and morality instilled in a student here are exactly what is needed in the military. If all Christians, who believe in those same Christian principles, are not to be soldiers, who will be left to stop those who make it their mission to destroy those principles? Who will be there to stop the devastating holocausts, purges and ethnic cleansings? Our greatest generals, from Eisenhower to Powell, have voiced their extreme distaste for war. It is people like them, whose sense of ethics make love of bloodshed impossible, that are needed to fight when the fight is right.

To sum things up, perhaps America has not always been right, but on this Veterans Day I ask that all students here remember the veterans of past wars and give a special glance of appreciation to our ROTC students—not for militarism or the Pentagon, but because of a willingness to fight and die for those sacred Christian tenets that the members of Peacenet enjoy.

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

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■ WORLD AT A GLANCE

U.S. running out of properly sized astronauts

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. Too tall, too small, too heavy, too chesty — one by one, America's astronauts are dropping out of the international space scene.

They may have the right stuff, but they're the wrong size. In the last month, two NASA astronauts have been disqualified from training for long stays aboard the Russian space station Mir. One was too tall, the other 1 1/2 inches too short.

It gets worse. After three years of joint space cooperation, NASA has just learned that only about half of its 88 astronauts can meet rigid Russian size requirements for Soyuz spacecraft, the cramped ships that ferry cosmonauts aloft and also serve as Mir's emergency escape craft.

Astronauts must be 5 feet 4 1/2 inches to 6 feet tall, with seated height no more than 37 inches; weigh no more than 187 pounds; and, for Soyuz spacesuits, have chests no smaller than 38 inches and no larger than 44 inches.

Of the currently qualified astronauts, up to two-thirds are training specifically for space shuttle flights and are thus out of the running for Mir duty. Not all of the remaining 15 or so are eager to move to Russia for the required year of training then spend a minimum four months aboard the aging space station.

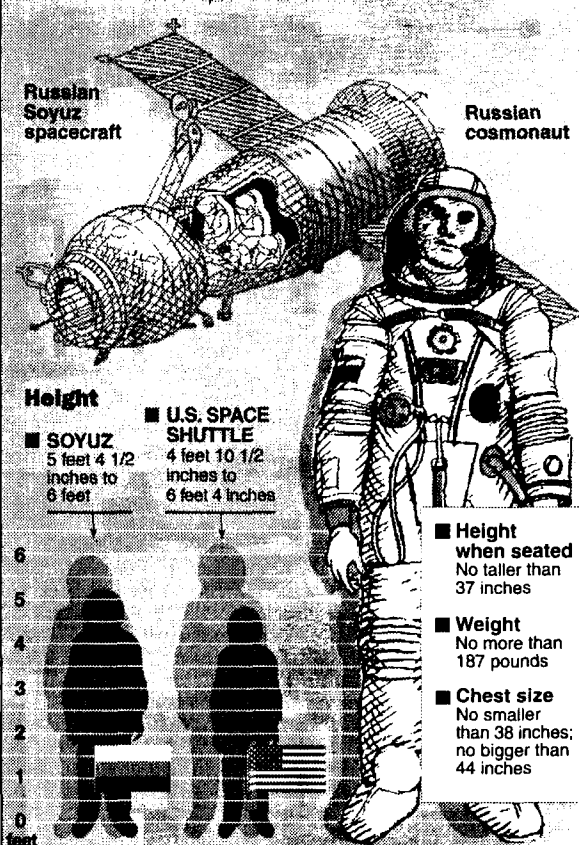
"Now you take who fits, and who's available, and who wants to go that's available, and who can speak Russian and do all this, and the list is very short," says David Leestma, director of NASA's flight crew operations.

The Soyuz capsules pose a potentially more troublesome problem for the future. When the planned international space station starts taking in permanent residents, perhaps in just 2 1/2 years, the capsules will not only see duty as "lifeboats" but will also carry all crews up and back in the first few years of its existence.

Translation: NASA may not have enough Russian-speaking, ideally sized astronauts for its desired international space station slots over the next five years.

Right stuff, wrong size

About half of NASA's astronauts do not meet Russia's stringent size requirements for their Soyuz spacecraft. The Soyuz is used to ferry crews to the Mir international space station.



Calvin and Hobbes calling it quits

KANSAS CITY, Mo.

Calvin and Hobbes, the terrible tyke and his sidekick tiger, will be retired from the funny pages on Dec. 31. In a letter to newspaper editors Thursday, cartoonist Bill Watterson said the decision to end the strip was not a recent or easy decision. "I believe I've done what I can do within the constraints of daily deadlines and small panels," Watterson, 38, said in the letter. "I am eager to work at a more thoughtful pace, with fewer artistic compromises." In his letter, Watterson said he had not decided on what he will do next. Universal Press does not know if Watterson will produce new books or other materials. The reclusive cartoonist has refused to be interviewed and will not reveal where he lives.



Cop foils donut shop robber

PHILADELPHIA

A cop knew something was up when an unfamiliar waitress fumbled behind the counter and handed him the wrong-size coffee cup, half full, during his nightly doughnut shop stop. "I figured this person doesn't work there," Sgt. Michael Regan said Wednesday. Lingering in the parking lot, he watched her walk into a back room and return with two employees. "I saw her make one of them open the register, and when he did that she scooped up the money," Regan said. That's when he called for backup. The woman spotted his cruiser and climbed through the takeout window. After a chase across a busy road, along a ditch, over a fence and onto the grounds of a country club, he lost her in the dark. Another officer and his dog managed to track her down. Ella Harold, 26, was charged with robbery, accused of taking about \$100 from the store the night before.

Boy Scouts uphold ban on gays

TRENTON, N.J.

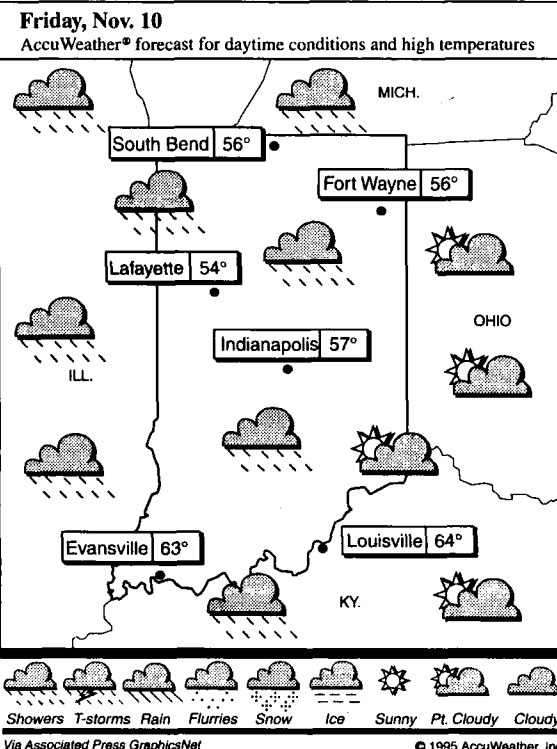
A state judge, citing biblical evidence that homosexuality is immoral, upheld the Boy Scouts' ban on gays. Superior Court Judge Patrick McGann found that the Scouts did not violate state laws when they expelled assistant scoutmaster James Dale in 1990 after learning he is gay. The judge said the Boy Scouts is a private organization and has a constitutional right to choose its members. He cited the Bible: "Sodomy is derived from the city, Sodom, which, with the nearby city of Gomorrah, was destroyed by fire and brimstone rained down by the Lord because of the sexual depravity (active homosexuality) of their inhabitants," he wrote. James Dale is now a fund-raiser for a New York City drug rehab center. "To think that someone as qualified as myself, an exemplary Scout, can't be an assistant Scoutmaster when adults are needed is ridiculous," he said.

Senate to examine NFL team moves

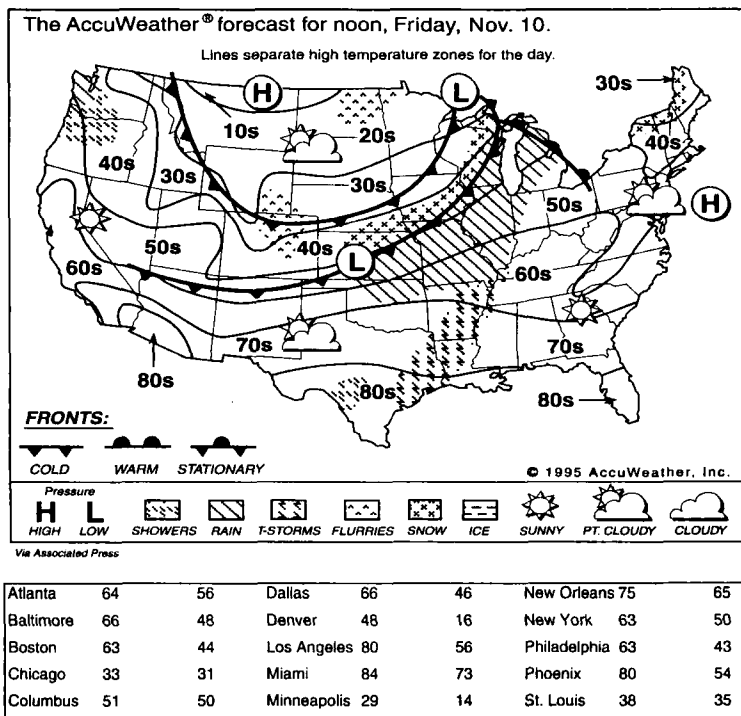
WASHINGTON

National Football League representatives will be summoned to Capitol Hill to discuss the Cleveland Browns' pending move to Baltimore and other franchise moves, a lawmaker announced Thursday. A Senate subcommittee has scheduled a hearing to look into questions being raised by unhappy Ohioans who object to Browns deal. "It's important that Congress take a close look at the current state of franchise relocation," Sen. Mike DeWine, R-Ohio, said. "Significant tax dollars are invested for the benefits of sports teams. And unfortunately, when decisions are made for teams to leave, taxpayers are left holding the bag." Sen. John Glenn, D-Ohio, plans to introduce a "Fans Rights Act" which will require six months' notice before any team relocates. Glenn said his bill will give communities, fans and the league a greater say in determining whether franchises remain or move.

■ INDIANA WEATHER



■ NATIONAL WEATHER



Native American Hill to perform on campus

Special to The Observer

Native American comedian Charlie Hill will perform on Nov. 11 at 8 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library auditorium.

An Oneida Indian from Wisconsin, Hill worked as a disc jockey, studied acting and was a member of a Wisconsin theatre group before becoming nationally famous as a performer on the Richard Pryor show.

His first album, "Born Again Savage," was recently released by Headband Productions.

He now appears on numerous late night television programs, including Jay Leno's Tonight Show and David Letterman's Late Night.

He also has a role in an upcoming episode of the television show Roseanne.

The Native American Student Association of Notre Dame is sponsoring the performance as part of Native American Awareness Month.

Tickets, to be sold at the door, are \$3 for students and \$5 for all others.



The Observer/Brandon Candura

Women of "Steel"

Actresses perform the final scene in last night's production of the play "Steel Magnolias," which took place at Saint Mary's. See page 13 for story.

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The Army, Navy, and Air Force ROTC units of the University of Notre Dame will conduct their annual Veterans Day Retreat Ceremony in honor of fallen comrades today from 4:30-5:15 p.m. at the campus's flag pole north of the Law School.

Speaking will be Maj. Gen. James M. Lyle, commanding general of the U.S. Army Cadet Command at Fort Monroe, Va.

Lyle's military career has in-

cluded two tours of Vietnam as well as service in Germany and military postings throughout the U.S.

He has taught military science at Lehigh University and was director of training in the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations and Plans in Washington, D.C.

Lyle's decorations include the Army Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Meritorious Service Medal, Air Medal, Joint Services Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal,

Army Achievement Medal, combat infantryman's badge and parachutist's badge.

Lyle earned his bachelor's degree in physical education from the College of William and Mary and his master's degree in educational administration from Lehigh University.

His military education includes the Armor Officer Basic and Advanced courses, the Army Command and General Staff College, and the Naval War College. He is a graduate of Basic Airborne training.

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Faculty

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Describing the progress made in terms of the Colloquy, Malloy mentioned new campus buildings and his goals for study abroad programs.

According to "peer comparative indicators," Malloy said, "we knew we had to take some dramatic action" with the University libraries.

He called the library holdings "unimpressive," but said that it is "a sign of improvement" that 15 new endowed library collections were added to the Hesburgh Library and the Law Library.

As "a second level of need," Malloy addressed the necessity of office space on campus.

"The new plan to create more library and office space appears to be working," he said, due in part to the conversion of Flanner Hall.

However, there are still "lingering questions about shelving and book preservation," he said. "We must try as shrewdly as possible to build it into our operating budget to avoid having to build a new library facility." Needs such as these are difficult to present to benefactors, Malloy said.

Describing the development of other campus structures, Malloy said that the new bookstore will be comparable to the Barnes and Noble on Grape Road. Its construction will begin in the spring of 1997.

Malloy noted an increase in certain faculty and staff positions. Twelve new faculty spots have opened up in the University, and most are in the College of Arts and Letters.

Malloy said there have been significant increases in the staff at the Office of University Computing and the Development Office, and this may be due to "the aggressive position" the University has taken on improving computing at the University.

Expressing his goals for the Study Abroad Program, Malloy stated his interest in having all students graduate with the ability to speak "at least" two languages.

Although the University is "far from" this goal right now, he said, it is "an exciting possibility." Malloy would also like to double the number of students who go abroad because this would expand the "opportunity for service," he said.

Malloy also described goals that are continually being striven for in terms of salaries for members of the Notre Dame staff.

Among these goals are the University's ability to pay fair wages and benefits, maintain the educational benefits for staff members' children, and have safe working conditions, opportunity for advancement, and long-term job security.

"We are the largest employer in our community," Malloy said. "We have wonderful people here," he commented, and he stated that his primary concern

is for the welfare of all workers, not just the 65 percent of the staff that is female.

He said he wanted the staff salary average to be 110 percent of the South Bend average.

In commenting on the process of selecting Nathan Hatch as the new Provost, Malloy said that the "hardworking" executive committee was "one of the best I've ever worked with."

"They kept in the forefront the best interest of the University." The questioning of the candidates was "appropriate" and "not belligerent," he said.

Another topic discussed by Malloy was the development of graduate education at Notre Dame.

He expressed the importance of seeking out the very best graduate students and improving this search "to the point of quality that we'd like it to be."

In speaking of the progress made in the graduate program, Malloy said, "The great universities have to target and have to begin to make hard decisions. We are fortunate to be in a growth mode."

The growth needs to be selective and well thought out. I believe that every college and school needs its share of resources. I'd like to see a distribution."

Malloy listed some of the increases to the base budgets of the Law School and the Business School, among other colleges, noting that "these funds will be used to enhance competitiveness."

Stocks

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consistent with those of Notre Dame, including a commitment to basic moral values of fairness, respect for human life, defense of human rights and social justice.

Students manage a "live" portfolio that was started with \$120,000 previously handled by the college's Student Investment Club.

Based upon weekly fundamental and technical analyses of individual companies, students as a class vote on invest-

ment decisions. By the middle of October, the students' investments had earned more than \$10,000 in a bull market.

The course also includes tours of institutions such as the Chicago Mercantile Exchange, the New York Stock Exchange, research and consulting firms, investment firms, and major brokerage houses.

As to whether the class will someday be able to use the University's endowment money to invest in stocks, "That would be somewhere down the road, maybe after three to five years of the course's existence, we'll keep an open mind to it," said Malpass.

NOTRE DAME COMMUNICATION AND THEATRE PRESENTS



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by John Guare

Directed by Reginald Bain

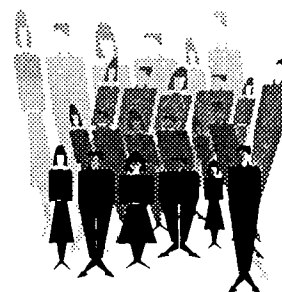
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Vitale

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The letter he received from Jamie Sotis (the Fighting Irish Leprechaun, and the first recipient of the scholarship) "was very touching and just to hear of the happiness it brought to Jamie and his family was worth a million dollars."

Vitale was the head coach of

the National Basketball Association's Detroit Pistons in 1978-79 following a highly successful tenure in the same position at the University of Detroit, where one of his star players was current Notre Dame assistant basketball coach Terry Tyler.

Vitale joined ESPN in 1979 and has been with ACE since 1988.

He was honored this year with a CableACE Award for his

color commentary on ESPN's college basketball broadcasts. In addition to his sportscasting, he is a popular motivational speaker and the author of four books, including his recently released book "Holding Court: Reflections on the Game I Love".

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Service project benefits neighborhoods

Annual Festival joins students with residents

Special to The Observer

Students from the University of Notre Dame will join residents of South Bend's north-east neighborhood on Saturday, November 11 from 9

a.m.-1 p.m. in order to clean up the neighborhood around the intersection of Howard and St. Peter's Streets.

The Fall Festival is held annually and is sponsored by Notre Dame's Center for Social Concerns as well as student government in cooperation with the Northeast Neighborhood Association.

The project will bring hundreds of student volunteers

into the residential area just South of campus to cut down dead trees, rake leaves, pick up litter and other debris, clean out basements, haul away broken appliances and furniture, and plant tulip bulbs donated by Notre Dame's landscape services department.

More than 250 student volunteers participated in last year's Fall Festival.

Organizers of this year's

event hope to match or exceed that number.

A barbecue for volunteers and residents will follow this year's cleanup at 1 p.m. in Kelly Park, on the southwest corner of Howard and St. Peter.

For further information on the Festival, call Greg Zuschlag at 235-5547 or 277-0893 or Kristin Beary at 634-1277.

Manhattan quintet to perform

Special to The Observer

The Saturday Brass Quintet will perform a concert Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Annenberg Auditorium of the Snite Museum of Art.

The program will include "Suite for Two Trumpets" by Henry Purcell, Richard Danielpour's "Urban Dances Book Two," Charles Ives' "Variations on America," "Music of Brass" by Ingolf Dahl and "Richochet" by Kerry Turner.

Tickets are \$5 general admission and \$2 for students and senior citizens.

The concert is sponsored by the University of Notre Dame's Department of Music.

The Saturday Brass Quintet is made up of Charles Olsen and Tom Hoyt on trumpet, Pete Schoettler on horn, Thomas Hutchinson on trombone, and Kyle Turner on tuba.

The five, a quintet-in-residence at the Manhattan School of Music, perform traditional Renaissance, Baroque and classical works but also act as advocates of contemporary music.


They have commissioned and premiered more than a dozen new compositions by such notable composers as Anthony Davis, Arvo Part and John Harbison.

The quintet frequently gives masterclasses at the Julliard School and the San Francisco Conservatory of Music.

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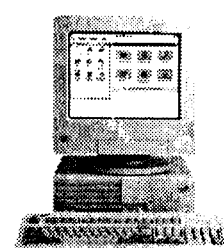
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SMC honors Hessert as Shannon Scholar

By MAUREEN HURLEY
Saint Mary's News Editor

Kathleen Hessert is a pioneer in the communications field, with achievements ranging from interviewing three United States presidents to starting her own major communications firm. Last night, she spoke with Saint Mary's students and faculty, as her alma mater honored her as a Shannon Executive Scholar.

The Shannon Executive Scholar Program was founded by professor William Shannon and his wife in 1993.

The program brings distinguished alumnae from various majors, such as Hessert, back to the Saint Mary's community through classroom lectures, seminars and discussions.

"I was determined I would go into broadcasting," Hessert said. As graduation approached, she sent out 100 resumes, receiving 67 responses and 7 offers. "Any response I got, I showed up at their doorstep," she said.

And persistence paid off. Hessert became one of the pioneering women in broadcast journalism, capturing the honor of being the first woman to solo-anchor in upstate New York.

She worked for nearly a decade as an anchor, pro-

ducer, reporter and talk show host for CBS and NBC in the northeast.

Hessert said she loved the "adrenaline" of the job. "One day, I interviewed a United States president in the morning, had a few interviews throughout the day, then rode an elephant the same night," she said. "I spent 10 years in broadcasting, and I loved every minute of it."

In 1984, Hessert started her own communications speaking and consulting firm, Communications Concepts. Hessert stated that "my typical client is a multi-billion dollar firm," including the CIA, Southern Bell, AT&T, Miss America and Nike.

Her firm branched out to add the Sports Media Challenge division. Clients include the athletic department of the University of Notre Dame, the NBA, and the NFL, along with Olympic athlete Bruce Jenner. Hessert wrote and produced the NFL's media program.

Believing in your own potential is the key to success, according to Hessert. "You need to dream big. Most people don't have the guts to do that," she said.

"You need to stick your neck out, and use the strengths you have to make a difference."

Man sues for arrest in bombing

By PAUL QUEARY
Associated Press

OKLAHOMA CITY — A Jordanian-American who was strip-searched and led through a crowded airport in handcuffs hours after the Oklahoma bombing sued the government Thursday for more than \$1.9 million.

Abraham Ahmad, 32, of Oklahoma City claimed that he was singled out because of his Middle Eastern appearance and name and because he was flying to Jordan. He was held for more than two days before he was released.

He was cleared of any wrongdoing and was never officially described as a suspect in the April 19 bombing of the federal building.

"No one should ever have to go through the mistreatment I went through," said Ahmad, who broke down in tears at a news conference in front of the courthouse, across from where the federal building once stood. "This ordeal has left me and my family hurt and emotionally scarred."

The complaint filed on Ahmad's behalf by the American Civil Liberties Union claims false arrest, false imprisonment, abuse of process, invasion of privacy, injury to reputation and defamation.

ACLU attorney Louis Bograda said the bombing, which killed 169 people, unleashed a storm of anti-Islamic sentiment.

"Federal employees revealed information about Mr. Ahmad's detention and his purported link to the bombing to the press," the complaint alleged. The leaks "led to a rash of

defamatory press reports, a tidal wave of press harassment of the other members of the Ahmad family, and hostile and abusive behavior by the Ahmads' neighbors and other local residents."

Justice Department spokesman Carl Stern in Washington said the agency had not received a copy of the lawsuit. Ahmad, a naturalized American citizen, left Oklahoma City for his native Jordan about two hours after

the bombing. Federal officials detained him for five or six hours in Chicago, where he was fingerprinted and questioned.

The agents eventually put Ahmad on a flight to London since he had missed his flight to Rome.

When he arrived in London, British agents detained him, strip-searched him, handcuffed him and "paraded through the airport so that other passengers could see him," according to the complaint.



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McNamara questions general on history

By KATHY WILHELM
Associated Press

HANOI, Vietnam
When former Defense Secretary Robert McNamara met the enemy's leading strategist Thursday, he raised a question he'd saved for 30 years: What really happened in the Tonkin Gulf on Aug. 4, 1964?

"Absolutely nothing," replied retired Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap.

Both sides agree that North Vietnam attacked a U.S. Navy ship in the gulf on Aug. 2 as it cruised close to shore.

But it was an alleged second attack two days later that led to the first U.S. bombing raid

on the North and propelled America deep into war.

Many U.S. historians have long believed either that the Johnson administration fabricated the second attack to win congressional support for widening the war, or that the White House had only flimsy evidence of a real attack.

McNamara was Johnson's secretary of defense at the time, but even he admitted Thursday that the administration may have made "serious misjudgments."

For McNamara, Giap's word was the clincher.

"It's a pretty damned good source," he said.

Argentinian plane crashes killing 53

Associated Press

BUENOS AIRES

An air force plane slammed into a mountain in a rainstorm, and rescuers who reached the remote area on muleback Thursday said all 53 people on board were killed.

The Fokker F-27 twin-engine plane crashed Wednesday night, diving into a deep ravine in the Cordoba Mountains, about 500 miles northwest of Buenos Aires.

Rescuers on foot and muleback reached the rocky crash site on Mount Champaqui at dawn and said there were no survivors among the 48 passengers and five crew members.

Bodies and wreckage were scattered over a 500-yard area, said police Inspector Jose Carreras in the small town of Villa Dolores, 12 miles from the crash site.

The plane was traveling from a base in the southern oil town of Comodoro Rivadavia.

Air force spokesmen said the passengers were mostly sergeants, their wives and children who were on their way to a celebration at a military academy in Cordoba.

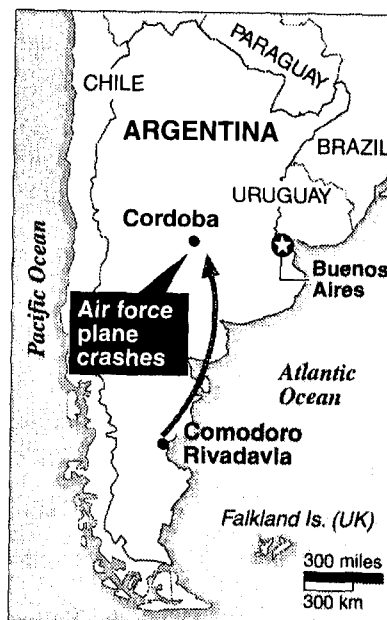
Brig. Gen. Juan Paulik, the

air force chief of staff, said weather conditions in the area were "very poor," but the cause of the crash was under investigation.

Residents of the sparsely populated ranching area told rescuers they heard a low-flying plane followed by an explosion, then saw flames on the mountainside.

The crash was the second armed forces-linked tragedy in Cordoba province in less than a week.

An army-operated munitions plant blew up in the town of Rio Tercero last Friday, killing 13 people and injuring more than 300.



Support weakens for Yeltsin

By JOHN IAMS
Associated Press

MOSCOW

Public confidence in Boris Yeltsin's ability to govern Russia appears to be slipping as the president remains in a hospital with heart trouble, a poll showed Thursday.

Only 11.4 percent of those questioned by the Mnenie polling organization believed Yeltsin's health permitted him to carry out the responsibilities of president.

Another 39.9 percent said Yeltsin could not do his job because of his health.

A similar poll conducted a year ago found that 35.3 percent believed Yeltsin could do his job even though his health was rocky, while 28.7 percent did not think he could.

The poll was based on telephone interviews with 1,051 Moscow residents from Nov. 1-3.

The margin of error was 3 percent.

Yeltsin entered the hospital two weeks ago for the second time in less than four months for treatment of a serious heart ailment.

He is not expected to return to work in the Kremlin before December.

On Thursday, he met in his hospital room with Foreign Minister Andrei Kozyrev to discuss the war in Bosnia, European security and other issues.

At the end of the meeting, Yeltsin instructed Kozyrev "to defend Russian interests in Europe, and in the Bosnian settlement in particular," the Interfax news agency reported.

The agency said Yeltsin expressed confidence in Kozyrev, who has previously come under presidential criticism for allowing Russian foreign policy to drift.

Yeltsin's chief spokesman, Sergei Medvedev, told Associated Press Television that the president was getting better and increasing his workload daily.

Medvedev said reports Yeltsin might have to travel abroad for medical treatment were unfounded.

He also said the United States had offered help.

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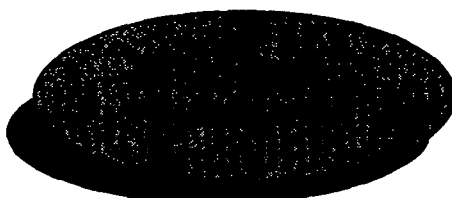
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Bones

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studies.

Richtsmeier's experiences prove that it is beneficial for students to start early. She learned hands-on field techniques such as the proper removal, washing and labeling of bones and how to establish the gender of human remains.

"[The field work] is important. Everyone has taken the classes [and] the graduate record exams. The field work helps you stand out," she said.

Richtsmeier found, though, that she learned not just from the research. She also experienced the unusual environment surrounding her work. Just a few miles away from her excavation, the habitual violence of that area of the Mideast continued.

In one particular happening, their group, which included some Jews, found their vehicle stuck in dirt. And even though much tension exists between the Jews and Arabs, a group of Arabs driving by stopped to help their group out.

Although Richtsmeier went for the educational value alone, she said that her summer experience cannot hurt her from continuing her education in graduate school and then on to a career like Sheridan's.

The undergraduate student experience is the very reason that UROP partially funds these

projects. Program administrator Jennifer Warlick, associate dean of the College of Arts and Letters, said, "We're trying to give students an opportunity to pursue topics of interest to them- not to their professors- in depth with a professor assisting them. One of the goals is to establish mentoring relationships so they can go further in depth than they could in class."

UROP was established through a grant from Notre Dame alumnus John R. Madden, a La Grange, Ill., bank executive who sits on the College of Arts and Letters advisory council. The program offers awards to individual undergraduates or groups of as many as six students under the direction of a single faculty member.

Richtsmeier was not the only one who benefited from the program: Tonya Callahan, a senior, researched the history of African women during the 1994-95 school year. And due to the fact that UROP funds more than academically credited research projects, Ryan Beville and Jessica Szczepariak-Gillece, also seniors, both received grants to fund their creative writing activity in poetry.

Sheridan has advised more individual students than any other faculty member since UROP began. She adamantly promotes the program because she had the same opportunity as an undergraduate at the University of Maryland.

Lugar criticizes rivals for mean-spirited tone

By MIKE GLOVER
Associated Press

JOHNSTON, Iowa
Indiana Sen. Dick Lugar said Thursday his "mean-spirited" Republican presidential rivals have turned off mainstream voters and would be "dead on their feet" in a race against President Clinton.

Lugar said the increasingly conservative Republican presidential campaign may please party activists, but it makes Clinton look better and better to voters. Lugar, stuck in single digits in polls on presidential preference, said surveys show growing negative ratings for leading Republican contenders such as Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole.

"They are out there walking around as candidates, but they're dead on their feet," Lugar said. After several candidate meetings at which I've listened to all of my fellow candidates, it offers a competition as to who is the most mean-spirited, the toughest, pounds them in the head the most times that night," Lugar said.

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Jackson considers candidacy

By DARLENE SUPERVILLE
Associated Press

WASHINGTON
Two-time presidential candidate Jesse Jackson said Thursday he's thinking anew about running in 1996 now that retired Gen. Colin Powell has ruled out a potential White House bid.

Less than 24 hours after Powell announced he would not run, Jackson said that he has met with his advisers to "assess the landscape."

"I still have the fire in my belly and clear vision in my head about what a president ought to do to make the nation better," said the founder of the National Rainbow Coalition and presidential candidate of 1984 and 1988.

"I have a plan to revitalize our economy to make us more fiscally responsible, to change our priorities, to make us more humane," he said.

Jackson said it was premature to say when he would reach a decision.

GOP race for the White House

Who's in and out of the 1996 presidential race:

- ✗ Retired General Colin Powell: Ended months of speculation Wednesday.
- ✓ Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole
- ✓ Rep. Robert Dornan, California
- ✓ Sen. Richard Lugar, Indiana
- ✓ Sen. Arlen Specter, Pennsylvania
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Arafat travels to Israel to honor Rabin

By DAN PERRY
Associated Press

TEL AVIV, Israel
Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat made his first visit to Israel since the peace process began, visiting the widow of Yitzhak Rabin Thursday night to offer his condolences.

Government spokesman Uri Dromi said Arafat and his entourage arrived at the Rabin home in north Tel Aviv around 10:15 p.m. (3:15 p.m. EST) and stayed briefly. Arafat's presence in Israel was kept secret until he returned to his home in the autonomous Gaza Strip.

Dromi quoted Arafat as telling Leah Rabin that the slain premier was "a hero of peace" and that he had lost a personal friend. "He will be sorely missed by both me and the peace process," Dromi quoted Arafat as saying.

Mrs. Rabin replied that her husband had considered Arafat "a full partner in peace" and wished him success in seeing through the process of Israeli-Palestinian conciliation, according to Israel Radio.

Rabin was assassinated during a peace rally Saturday by a religious Jewish extremist who opposed his policy of gradually

handing over parts of the West Bank and Gaza to Arafat. The area is considered the heart of the biblical land of Israel.

The secrecy that shrouded the visit reflected the strong opposition in Israel to Arafat, still reviled by many Israelis. Arafat stayed away from Rabin's funeral on Monday, saying he did not want to provoke extreme right-wing Israelis.

"It was my duty because, you know, in the moment of the funeral I could not be for security matters," Arafat told reporters upon returning to Gaza after his meeting with Mrs. Rabin.

Arafat was accompanied by Ahmed Qureia and Mahmoud Abbas, two of his top aides and leading figures in the PLO's 2 1/2-year negotiations with Israel.

Dromi would not say how Arafat traveled. It was not known when Arafat last visited Israel. According to some reports, he secretly visited Tel Aviv in the late 1960s.

He officially returned to Palestinian land in July 1994, after a 25-year exile, to take over the reins of the Palestinian authority established in Gaza and Jericho two months earlier as part of his peace deal with Rabin.

Rabin: What happened?

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■ A third shot hits Rabin's bodyguard as he hits the assailant on the arm

- 4 Rabin is taken to Ichilov Hospital

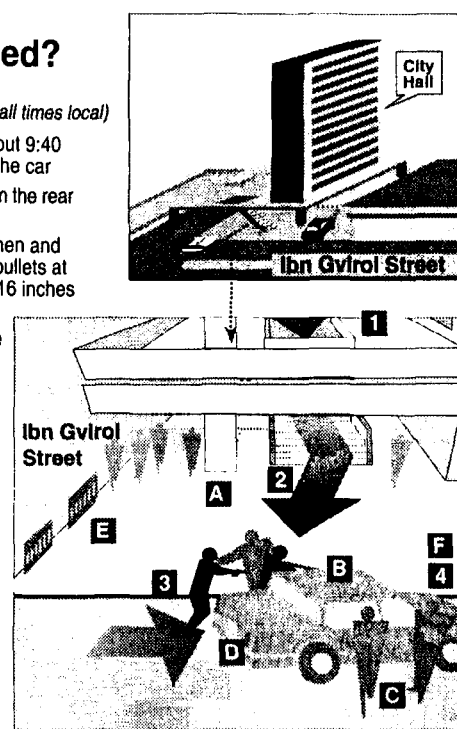
Some security problems

A Area between stairwell and car was not secure

B Rabin not wearing bulletproof vest

C Human shield inadequate. Two bodyguards had already gone to the other side of the car.

D Car left in place for an hour, giving shooter knowledge of where to wait



E Barricades were up, but no one was searched. Shooter allowed to stay near vehicle, apparently mistaken for a driver

F Trip to hospital was delayed by crowds. Driver not given emergency instructions in advance, hospital not alerted to situation

*Some Israeli media reports showed Amir approaching the car from its left side, and shooting from several meters away.

Source: AP research

AP/Tonia Cowan

Leaders condemn extremists

By RON KAMPEAS
Associated Press

JERUSALEM

As the possibility of giving up land to the Palestinians loomed ever larger, extremist rabbis' rhetoric grew more ruthless: Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin was a criminal. A traitor. He deserved to die.

Five days after an assassin echoing their edicts shot Rabin dead, fringe rabbis are coming under increasing attack by mainstream religious leaders who accuse them of corrupting society. On Thursday, they called for the ouster of their extremist colleagues. "These people must be thrown out" of their jobs, said Yehuda Amital, a rabbi at a West Bank religious seminary who counsels dialogue with Palestinians.

Another West Bank rabbi, Yoel Bin-Nun, said he would "fight to the death" against rabbis whose recent religious rulings named Rabin as a traitor and called for his death.



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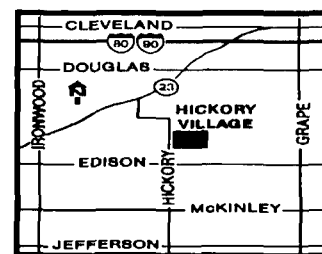
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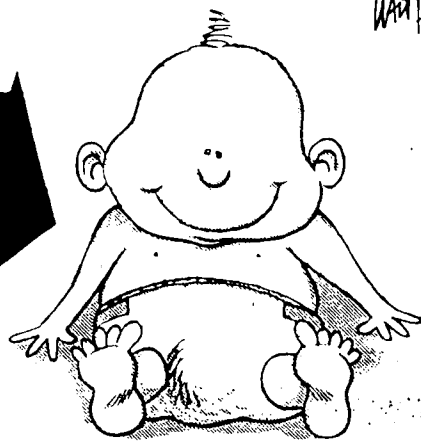
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EDITORIAL

A solution to frostbite?

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These figures come from "Parking Lines" a flyer published by the Parking Services Section of the Office of University Security/Police. The double-sided flyer carefully outlines recent parking changes, construction detours and road closings.

As temperatures continue to drop, that 11 or 12 minute walk might seem more like an eternity. With the closure of the B1 lot around the stadium, the University decided to bump faculty and staff into the C1 lot which formerly served as off-campus student parking. In turn, the off-campus student parking lot was relocated to the JACC parking lot, or "south of Joyce Center."

In the view of the University, nearly everyone will have to make a sacrifice in order for the construction of the stadium to be successful. Their view is probably correct. Both the Ad Hoc parking committee and the Parking Services Section has done a credible job in assessing student and faculty concerns and trying to accommodate them according to the available space. Unfortunately, off-campus students are at the bottom of the parking food chain and will be forced to make do with the current arrangement, even if new spaces are practically in Turtle Creek's back yard.

Although it may be little consolation, students who are walking longer distances should know that they aren't alone—faculty and support staff members are facing longer hikes as well. Showing up late for class is one thing, but showing up late for work is generally frowned upon.

But just because off-campus students are walking greater distances doesn't mean that they should be forced to arrive at class with frostbite. The uniquely unpleasant combination of South Bend's wailing winds and biting temperatures will likely make this new arrangement a chilly version of hell for students headed in to the Main Building, LaFortune or South Quad.

One way to alleviate the possibility of exposure cases would be the establishment of a University operated shuttle service running during the months of December, January and February.

Buses could run from the new C1 lot near the JACC to Main Circle, Library Circle or LaFortune during prime hours of the day for off-campus students. The shuttle service would be of prime value on weekday mornings when students are headed onto campus with regularity.

If that plan does not sound feasible, why not roll shuttle buses over to Turtle Creek, Campus View and Lafayette Square? Such a plan would eliminate the hassle of winter driving and would certainly be more environmentally sound.

Unlike many other issues of student concern, few obstacles appear in the way of establishing a shuttle. Student Government has indicated a willingness to explore the issue, and Phil Johnson of Campus Security said the shuttle plan has been raised in the past, but specifics were never negotiated.

As always, the success or failure of the idea will probably boil down to dollars. But it seems logical that if student organizations found cash to fund failures like Weekend Wheels, there must be funds for a more practical service, such as this one. Some timely leadership by Off-Campus student senators could probably make the difference.

After all, preventing frostbite is a worthy goal.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

ND/BC oneness shown in action

Dear Editor:

In the wake of the Notre Dame/Boston College football game, and the intensity of the rivalry which has developed between the two schools, I would like to call our communities' attention to an act of kindness and hospitality that far outweighs the competition that exists between our schools.

A ten-year-old boy from my hometown of Brighton, Mass. named Christopher Neiman is one of the biggest Boston College football fans around.

Sadly, Christopher is dying from cancer and probably won't be with us much longer. Hearing of his plight and his devotion to Boston College, several members of the Eagles' program have taken the time to get involved in his life. The BC players have adopted Chris, visiting him at home and trying to cheer him during his illness. Last spring, Coach Dan Henning asked Chris what he would like most in the world, and Chris told him it would be to see BC play Notre Dame. Henning arranged for Chris and his parents to fly out with the team for last Saturday's game.

When the Notre Dame Student Government heard about Chris, they decided to make his trip as special as possible. President Jonathan Patrick, Vice President

Dennis McCarthy and their chief of staff, Mark Mitchell, arranged for a campus tour, a meeting with Ron Powlus and several other Irish players and gave Chris the opportunity to go on the field for the presentation of the Ireland Trophy. In addition, the football office provided an autographed ball for Chris.

Unfortunately, Chris' condition has been worsening. He was able to make the trip, but was too sick to participate in any of the planned activities.

I wanted to express how truly impressed I have been with the care and concern of the BC players and the ND Student Government and players. The level of hospitality and willingness to help this young boy was truly touching, and will surely make his short time with us as pleasant as possible. With all the talk of animosity between

Notre Dame and Boston College, it is important to see how the two schools can come together where a human life is concerned. It shows how much the schools truly have in common.

Thank you to all who were involved with making Chris' visit to Notre Dame an unforgettable one!

MAUREEN MINIHANE, CSC

Recteur
Siegfried Hall

Fed-Ex Joe sends greetings, wishes

Dear Editor:

Hello everyone. After being carrier for over thirteen years (almost ten on the Notre Dame-Saint Mary's-Holy Cross campuses), I was offered a position in the Fed Ex station at the South Bend airport.

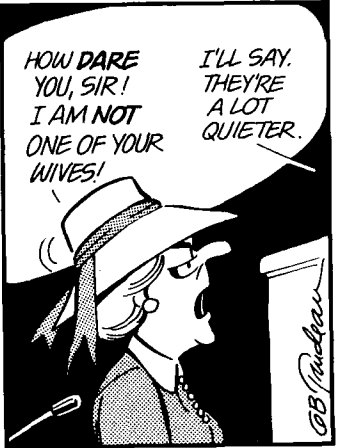
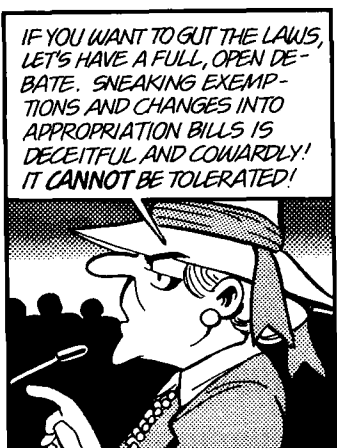
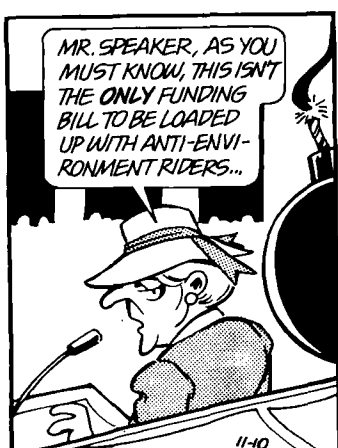
Myself, and a small crew, are in charge of the loading and on-time departures of the aircraft and semi-trucks with your packages (which I notice if possible, daily).

I miss you all, and the campuses, but not the stress of 120 stops a day. Hope to visit everyone soon. Take care and go Irish!

JOE TALBOON

The Fed Ex Guy

DOONESBURY



GARRY TRUDEAU

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Advice is seldom welcome; and those who want it the most always like it the least."

—Philip Dormer Stanhope

■ LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Columnist's words strike a chord in readers

Dear Editor:

I am a lot smaller than you Josh Ozersky (As it appears from your picture) and I am going to take you on about the article in the Observer on Thursday Oct. 26, 1995. I hate to inform you *but*, there is such thing as a cab.

I'm sure that you have heard of one, after all you are a graduate student at N.D. There was *absolutely* no reason for Mr. Adams to be behind the wheel of a car when his Blood Alcohol Level was 0.18. That is *way* above the legal limit. I choose not to drink and I'm sorry to say, but I am Not a "dork." The article you wrote was tasteless and glorifies drinking and driving which last time I checked was still against the law. Next time I hope that you think before you write and don't write.

AMBER FRAISER
Freshman
McCandless Hall

Friend's loss not only tragedy of car accident

Dear Editor:

Thursday, Oct. 26, 1995, as is usual for Thursdays, I agreed with the negation of most all of the main points Josh Ozersky made. This time however, I became visibly depressed. While I never knew Rob Adams, Josh's eulogy of Rob nonetheless prodded me to finally respond to Josh's Weltanschauung.

As I've gotten a chance to look into Josh's mind (via his too frequent column), I've been discouraged with the dishonorable views he both holds and champions. Josh is one of this campus' most vocal students in encouraging the defilement of the marriage bed. Josh glories in the thought of most every imaginable form of consensual adult sexual perversion (no doubt an oxy-

moron in his mind) and uses his expansive vocabulary to engage in childish name-calling—even towards a colleague in his own department. It was probably a year ago when Josh wrote about what a good time he had littering the interior of a Meijer store. It soon became clear to me that what Josh did at that store, he is intending to do to the soul of his readership. Josh's base pronouncements trash the soul of humanity and converts an obliging reader from a human to a dog in heat — some out-of-control hedonistic and intensely selfish animal.

The author of the "Kevorkian Korner" writes, "Unless you have some dork handy who doesn't drink, you have to drive in the midwest [sic], drunk or sober" (The Observer 10/26/95). What lavish dedication to a pathetically low view of man. How many friends would Josh need to lose before he

stops his dehumanizing and gutless mission for moral anarchy and irresponsibility? It is a tragedy for these thoughts to be embraced by someone at the graduate level. It is an indictment on an institution of learning when its pupils possess the trappings of education—the sheepskins, the expansive rhetoric, a certain amount of knowledge and a visible position of influence—and yet do not know the difference between love and hate.

It is because I love Josh and his ideological sympathizers (as well as the ideologically vulnerable) that I bother to write these condemning words. I will not do to Josh what

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he does to his friends.

PIEDER BEELI
Graduate Student of Physics
Off-Campus

'Dork' identifies other possible choices

Dear Editor:

Josh Ozersky, you were correct in saying that you shouldn't use your 'Thursday forum to homilize about the demise' of your friend. All you did was show your true ignorance on the subject of alcohol use and abuse, both here at Notre Dame and throughout the country.

Let me begin by saying that I feel horribly that Rob had to lose his life at such a young age because of something as seemingly meaningless as drinking and driving. But, that's the whole point isn't it? Drinking and driving is not meaningless. What it means is that hundreds of people lose their life every day due to the irresponsible act of drinking and driving by either themselves, or someone else. The saddest thing about this whole tragedy is there was no reason for Rob to die. He had no business behind the wheel of a car with a blood alcohol content of .18. Had he killed someone else, possibly you or someone close to you, I feel that the outpouring of regret and sympathy would be entirely different—there would be none.

Drinking alcohol is not necessarily a bad thing if done responsibly. But, when it comes right down to it people do not drink responsibly. Unfortunately, your article seems to condone this irresponsible behavior. I'm sorry, but there are other options available to people who think they must drive when they are drunk. Granted, taking a bus or walking may not be good choices,

but they are choices. Another good one would be to call a cab. I would just like to ask a question, if the only way you have to get home after getting wasted is by driving, shouldn't you rethink the idea of getting wasted all together? What good could possibly come of it? The only thing I can see is the death of either those drinking or some innocent by-stander.

To conclude, I would also like to inform you that choosing not to drink does not make you a 'dork.' Unless of course you are defining the term as someone with enough intelligence, responsibility, and foresight to know that their actions do have an effect on their lives. I don't drink, and am proud to say it. I don't condemn those who do drink, and would be perfectly willing to drive anyone home who was unable to take themselves. If that makes me a 'dork' then I'm honored to have the title.

Hopefully someday people will stop to think before they act. Hopefully someday we will no longer be writing about the premature deaths of our peers due to alcohol. Hopefully someday people like you will wake up and realize that you do have options, and that those of us who choose to take the safer one are far from inferior to those who don't.

BRIDGET DEPUTY
Freshman
McCandless Hall

Dear Editor:

We are writing in response to Josh Ozersky's Oct. 26, 1995 article, "Last words before taking a needed break." At the start of said article, Mr. Ozersky encouraged drinking and driving — a stand we find to be atrocious. Regardless of whether or not the tragic death of Rob Adams was due to alcohol, a friend has been lost and this cannot be ignored.

Obviously there are advocates of drinking and driving in this community. If there were not, this act would simply not happen. We ask all those who approve of doing so to stop and think for a moment. How would you feel if you were driving after drinking and someone died because of you? Maybe a friend riding in your car, or perhaps a child riding in the car you happen to hit. Most accidents involving alcohol end in the severe injury or death of one of the people who has not made the decision to drive after drinking. And knowing you have killed someone will undoubtedly stay with you for the rest of your life.

When one looks at what can result from drinking and driving, it is very difficult to fathom why someone would do so. We therefore think the statement of Mr. Ozersky, "Unless you have some dork handy who doesn't drink, you have to drive in the midwest, drunk or sober," to be, frankly, wrong. We entreat the students of this university to not listen to such a statement which places immediate desires over valuing human life.

HOLLY BARKER
KRISTIN BELL
CHRISTINE DUFFY
AMANDA EPSTEIN
MICHELLE MCGARRY
TOM MORAN
JEN RUBNER
SADD Officers

Youth sports program provides summer service opportunity

Dear Editor:

During the past summer, seventeen Notre Dame students received three hours of academic credit and lived in Pasquerilla East and West. They were the leaders of a summer service project which served over 300 inner city kids. Next summer we hope to recruit 30 Notre Dame students for this same program.

Lou Holtz talked at length last July with nearly 300 area children about the relationship between love and discipline. Few Fighting Irish football teams have received a better motivational speech.

Soon after Holtz spoke, South Bend Mayor Joe Kernan told the same group of kids about his experiences as a prisoner of war during the Vietnam conflict. Few campaign speeches have had more impact.

The kids Holtz and Kernan met with participated this summer in the National Youth Sports Program (NYSP) at Notre Dame. Funded by Congress, NYSP is a five-week program that provides athletic, academic, and enrichment opportunities on college campuses nationwide to economically disadvantaged young people.

This isn't a "Notre Dame program." Instead, it's a partnership between the university and community to help local kids who need help the most.

Most of the participants in NYSP at

Notre Dame came from the inner-city neighborhoods of South Bend. With the assistance of school teachers, principals and counselors, as well as the South Bend Public Housing Authority, we recruited 385 kids for this year's program.

All of the children — at no cost — received medical examinations at Memorial Hospital and Saint Joseph's Medical Center before beginning the program on July 3.

Throughout the duration of the program, Transpo bused the kids to Notre Dame at 11 a.m. each week day. Once on campus, the kids ate lunch at the South Dining Hall, then took part in an afternoon full of activities before they were bused home at 5 p.m.

At DeBartolo Hall, for example, they learned how to call up a picture of themselves off computers, type in additional information and print out a souvenir. Shiree Moreland of Notre Dame's Computing Center directed this program.

They spent time daily with South Bend DARE police officers who provided counseling on alcohol and her drugs.

And, of course, the children participated in numerous athletic activities for two hours every day. Swimming instruction is an important part of the program and, by the end of the six weeks, the majority of the kids had mastered at least the basics. Other lifetime sports

skills also were taught in volleyball, track and field, softball, tennis, soccer and basketball.

Through the course of the summer, the kids were under the direction of 17 Notre Dame students who served as group leaders, as well as a professional staff of coaches and administrators. The student leaders received a tuition credit and room and board for their participation. They also took part in directed readings, kept a daily journal and will submit a five-page paper reflecting on their service in order to earn three academic credits.

Sue Cunningham in our Center for Social Concerns coordinates the entire "summer service" program which is in approximately 190 alumni cities in the United States. Our local alumni clubs host and sponsor these Notre Dame students in the alumni home areas. Kathy Andrews and the Andrews Scholarship Foundation in Kansas City (honoring the late Jim Andrews) fund certain of those students who serve in those alumni cities. His partner, John McMeel, the current president of the Universal Press Syndicate, assists in this important program.

This particular project which is the subject of this letter to the editor involves only the service which Notre Dame students will perform on our campus next summer with local kids from

the inner city of South Bend.

Notre Dame is grateful to the many community partners who contributed to the university's fourth and most successful National Youth Sports Program. Norwest Bank donated \$12,000 to help fund the student leadership effort. Three local labor organizations contributed \$1,500. K-mart, Target and Meijer provided award prizes. Hoosier Golf Carts contributed two carts for our coaching staff. Cellular One contributed six mobile phones to help coordinate daily operations. Notre Dame made in-kind and cash contributions totaling almost \$200,000.

Kristen Janowsky-Dales, a counselor at Madison Center, served as our activity director during the summer and her organization and dedication made this program a success.

We hope someday to document how NYSP changes the lives of both our participants and the student leaders. We have come to truly cherish the young people who took part in the program, and we're looking forward to seeing them again next summer.

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A Celebration of Women



Notre Dame's Cultural Mecca The Snite Museum

By GREG BARLIN
Accent Writer

American universities are established with the premise of providing a place at which a student can experience all aspects of life. Notre Dame is no exception. In addition to expanding the intellectual horizons of young people in the classroom, Notre Dame has a variety of other places at which students can enrich their appreciation of various aspects of life. One such place is the Snite Museum of Art.

Have you ever taken the time to stroll through the Snite? Admission is free, and a few minutes within can illuminate the mind. Imagine strolling through gallery after gallery of art from across the globe which spans the history of modern civilization. An artistic background is not needed to appreciate the pieces found in the galleries of Notre Dame. Art is a wonderful reflection of culture. Just browsing in the Snite reveals insights about societies from around the world.

The Snite Museum is in possession of over 14,000 works of art. From paintings and sculptures to photographs and wood carvings, virtually every imaginable medium is displayed at the Snite. Because of the limited space in the Snite all works are not able to be presented at once, but the museum rotates the pieces throughout the year. The O'Shaughnessy Galleries are two special galleries at the Snite. They contain traveling exhibits — those collections that are not owned by the museum but that are being displayed on loan for a short period of time. Currently these galleries house two unique collections. The first is "Irish Art," a collection of 42 paintings depicting Ireland from 1770 until the present. The second exhibit, entitled "Portraits and Dreams: Photographs by Mexican Children," is a collection of photos compiled by Wendy Ewald. Ms. Ewald distributed high-quality cameras to Mexican children between the ages of nine and thirteen from the southern state of Chiapas. She taught the children how to use the cameras, but she gave them the freedom to snap pictures at will. The results are remarkable.

The Snite is not strictly an art gallery, however; a medley of activities take place at the museum. Periodically, the Snite invites distinguished scholars to speak on their own art work or the work of others. These speeches usually deal with exhibitions currently on display at the Snite, primarily the traveling exhibits in the O'Shaughnessy Galleries.

Another activity held throughout the year is storytelling. This event takes place on eight Saturdays annually and is run by volunteer students, faculty, and other members of the Notre Dame community. Each session begins with folk

music which is followed by stories told throughout the museum. What makes these stories especially captivating is that they are told in the galleries amidst the art.

Every Monday, Tuesday, Saturday, and Sunday, the Snite shows movies in the Annenberg Auditorium within the museum. The movies vary and include foreign films, such as "Exotica," cult favorites like "Clerks," and even popular modern motion pictures like "Terminator 2." In the auditorium, the Snite also hosts concerts presented by the department of music. These concerts feature musicians from across the globe as well as from Notre Dame. Upcoming concerts include a performance by The Saturday Brass Quintet on November 12 and a solo concert by violinist Professor Christine Rutledge on November 16.

The Snite makes an effort to involve itself in the education of all students at Notre Dame. For those students with a specific interest in art as a major, the museum offers multiple internships. For other students, a more commonly used program is "Curriculum Guided Tours," established by current Curator of Academic Programs Diana Matthias. This program's purpose is to expand the artistic appreciation of the common student through a non-art-related class. The tours focus directly on the subject of each course. For example, a tour for a French class would view those works of art that are strictly French, while a history class would explore art from many countries within a fixed time period.

Occasionally, the Snite will host major conferences. Although these take place only a few times per semester, one will be held on November 11. The Day of Women conference is a one-day presentation by women from the Michiana area who will speak about their roles in society. "Because most of the works in the Snite were made by men who lived far away and are now dead," says Diana Matthias, "we think it is appropriate that we celebrate the talents of women living in our area today." The theme of this year's conference is "Teaching, Learning, and Entertainment." Women from this area have been invited to speak about their professions in each area of the theme. The day's activities will include speeches and discussion and will conclude with performances in music and dance by women. Everyone is encouraged to attend and admission is free.

These activities are just a sampling of the variety of events presented by the Snite that are enriching and enjoyable for all students. The museum is open from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m., Tuesday through Saturday, and from 1 p.m. through 4 p.m. on Sundays. It is closed on Mondays and Holidays. Additional information about current exhibitions and upcoming events can be obtained by calling 631-7960 anytime.

Steel Magnolia

By MARY BETH ELLIS
Accent Writer

See "Steel Magnolias" with a friend. And make sure you bring the Kleenex.

"I've realized as a woman how lucky I am," is a line from the play, a "dramedy" that examines life through a mist of hair spray at a Southern beauty salon. The women speak with Southern drawls rather than twangs. "Steel Magnolias" fits Saint Mary's Cinderella's slipper: its characters are smart, quiet women determined to laugh through whatever tragedy befalls them.

Set in the eighties in a small Louisiana town that actor puts it, is so quiet "there's not much else to do each other," "Steel Magnolias" tracks the roller coaster of dynamic women. With each scene, we drop in on the characters drop by the salon where the entire play takes place — in a warm, comfortable, would-you-like-a-cup-of-tea atmosphere. Constantly changing, often subtle touches on the music playing under a scene, outrageous Christmas earrings — reflect the mood and time frame of each of the ladies' experiences.

The playwright sees it that those moments were spotlights, both the profound and mundane, all of it in Southern-speak. The audience is privy to a full range of communication, everything from a gut wrenching daughter-tension to a rollicking gossip session to a lull of extracurricular activities of the town's Christmas.

"Steel Magnolias" walks a poignant tightrope between comedy and tragedy. The play is rich with reflection of actual life. Its characters remain static. As the show progresses, different clothes, different hair styles (and colors), attitudes. Mirroring the experiences of the women and life itself — the script jerks the audience from tears to laughter and back to the brink of tears again, angering authenticity. At one point in the play, for a somber mood created by a discussion of an imperfect transplant is made almost buoyant when a character reports that donated organs are transported long-distance coolers.

The complex themes of the play are not lost on

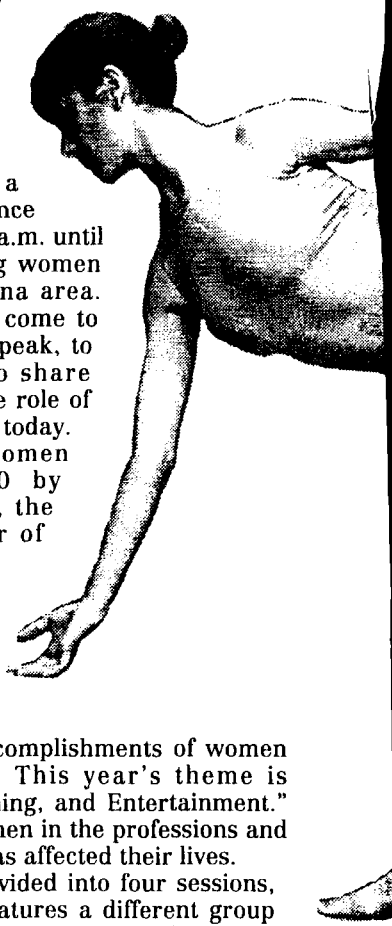
Day of Women Teaching, Learning, and Entertainment

By GREG BARLIN
Accent Writer

Tomorrow, for the fifth consecutive year, Notre Dame's Snite Museum of Art will host its Day of Women event in the Annenberg Auditorium. The Day of Women is a day-long conference running from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m., featuring women from the Michiana area.

The women will come to Notre Dame to speak, to perform, and to share their ideas on the role of women in society today. The Day of Women began in 1990 by Diana Matthias, the current curator of academic activities at the Snite. She thought of the conference as a way for the Notre Dame community to celebrate the accomplishments of women from our area. This year's theme is "Teaching, Learning, and Entertainment." It focuses on women in the professions and how the theme has affected their lives.

The day is divided into four sessions, each of which features a different group of women. The first group of women includes Jeanne Jourdan, a Superior



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Mary's student Debbie Justice, whose brassy portrayal of salon owner Truvy threatens to steal nearly every scene, responds to the quasi-feminist message of the play. "The playwright is able to capture the strength of these women. They are not stereotypical Southern belles." Justice points to a line near the end of the play that alludes to its contradictory title, "Men are supposed to be made of steel or something...."

"(It's about) the solidarity of women," agrees Melissa Dunne, who adds a sophisticated, caring presence as Clairee, the widow of the town's former mayor. "The strength between them holds them together in pressure situations." Whether daring to cut their hair short for the first time since kindergarten or deciding to have a child against the warnings of the medical community, the women of "Steel Magnolias" are, snatching a line from Truvy, "made of nothing but courage."

The show's reliance on individual stories to present a single picture of these six courageous women is apparent; "Steel Magnolias" is a carefully woven tapestry of the character's intersecting lives. Justice, Dunne, and the four other members of the cast interact with just the right amount of energy to deliver punch lines during lighter moments as well as keeping a well-maintained air of barely masked pain while playing serious scenes. Molly LaJoie plays Shelby, a diabetic struggling to deal with both her relationships and the limits of her body; Molly Kelsey is Ouiser, a sharp-tongued but (of course) lovable grump; Greta Zandstra portrays the victim-turned-party animal-turned-born-again-Christian Annelle; and 1986 Saint Mary's alumna Lori Wright returns to play Shelby's mother, M'Lynn.

The cast's talents were molded by SMC drama and theater professor Mike Morris. "It's been a breeze to do the show," he said before the final dress rehearsal, in-between overseeing a sound-effects check and manning a video camcorder that monitors the actress' every move while on stage. "It's a funny, well-written, poignant play." Morris faced the difficult task of helping to narrow the eighty Saint Mary's students who auditioned for "Steel Magnolias" to the six-woman cast, which, he says, "has been fabulous. Things have fallen together very well." Especially when the lives of the characters seem to be coming apart.

"Steel Magnolias" runs November 9, 10, and 11 at 8 p.m. and November 12 at 2:30 p.m. in the Little Theater of Moreau Center at Saint Mary's College. Tickets: Call Saint Mary's Box Office at 219-284-4626.

Women at the Snite:

and Entertainment in the Lives of Women

Judge for St. Joseph County, Karen, a nurse practitioner, Jill, an instructor at Saint, College, and Sharon, the chair of Notre

Robles, and Martha Kline will discuss teaching and a woman's place in education in today's society.

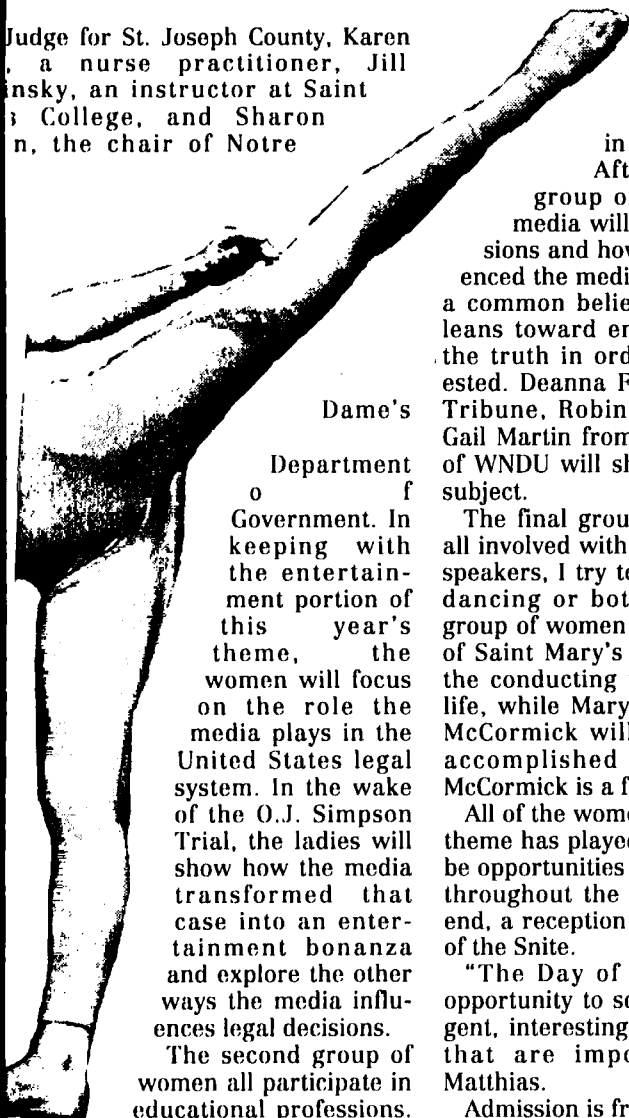
After a break for lunch, a group of women involved in the media will speak about their professions and how entertainment has influenced the media in recent years. There is a common belief that the news at times leans toward entertainment rather than the truth in order to keep people interested. Deanna Francis of the South Bend Tribune, Robin Alexander from WVPE, Gail Martin from WNIT, and Ellen Crooke of WNDU will share their feelings on the subject.

The final group of women to speak are all involved with music. "In addition to the speakers, I try to get some music or some dancing or both," said Matthias. This group of women fill that role. Nancy Menk of Saint Mary's College will speak about the conducting that she has done in her life, while Mary Anne Ballard and Rosie McCormick will perform. Ballard is an accomplished viola player, while McCormick is a folk singer.

All of the women will discuss the role the theme has played in their lives. There will be opportunities for questions and answers throughout the day. Once the festivities end, a reception will be held in the atrium of the Snite.

"The Day of Women is a wonderful opportunity to see and hear active, intelligent, interesting women talk about things that are important to them," says Matthias.

Admission is free, and all are welcome.



And the Winnners Are....

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Mary Volland and Tina Potthoff
Siegfried, Freshmen

2nd



Mark Zajac
Graduate Student



Nikki Rockwell
Farley, Freshman

Congratulations to all of the winners and thanks to all who entered. Winners, please pick up your mystery prize at the Observer Office in LaFortune

■ NBA

Even on an off night, Jordan owns Cavs

The Associated Press

Michael Jordan overcame a lackluster first half and scored 29 points Thursday night, and Scottie Pippen had a triple double as the Chicago Bulls beat the Cleveland Cavaliers 106-88.

Pippen had 18 points, 13 rebounds and 12 assists for the Bulls, off to their first 4-0 start since 1987. The Cavs have lost their first four games for the first time since 1989.

Both teams played without a starting forward. Dennis Rodman sat out for Chicago because of a strained calf muscle

that the team said would probably keep him out at least one more game; Rodman told a radio station he might miss a month.

The Cavs were without Tyronne Hill, still hospitalized with weakness in his right arm and leg because of a car accident Tuesday night.

Bobby Phills led Cleveland with 26 points and Chris Mills scored 19.

The Bulls in general, and Jordan in particular, merely went through the motions in the first half, building a 51-47 lead even though Jordan and Pippen were

a combined 6-of-16 from the floor. Jordan had six points at the half.

But Chicago picked it up late in the third quarter after Cleveland went on a 9-2 run, capped by Danny Ferry's short bank shot, for a 67-64 lead.

Jordan answered with two straight 3-point shots and Pippen followed with a dunk for a 72-67 lead Chicago never relinquished.

Knicks 103, Pacers 95

Two nights after getting a broken nose, Charles Smith scored 21 points off the bench, keying a third-quarter spurt that helped the New York Knicks hand the Indiana Pacers their first loss of the season, 103-95 on Thursday night.

In a contentious game that illustrated the bitter rivalry that has developed between the teams, 54 fouls were called, play was physical and tempers were short.

Pacers coach Larry Brown

was ejected with 4:54 remaining after drawing two quick technicals from replacement officials Mike Bobiak and Tom Drakeford. Brown, who had spent most of the game protesting various calls and no-calls made by the substitutes, refused to leave the court and continued to berate Drakeford, who repeatedly tried to turn away from the coach.

Finally, Indiana assistants Gar Heard and Billy King succeeded in dragging Brown away.

The last time the Pacers visited the Garden, it was for Game 7 of the Eastern Conference semifinals. Indiana avenged a 1994 conference finals loss to the Knicks when Patrick Ewing's finger roll hit the back of the rim just before the buzzer, giving the Pacers a 97-95 victory.

Derek Harper led the Knicks with 22 points on 8-for-11 shooting. Ewing added 21 points, 14 rebounds and four blocks and John Starks scored 18 points.

Rodman out for one month

The Associated Press

CHICAGO

Chicago Bulls forward Dennis Rodman said Thursday he will be out about a month with a leg injury, but the team said his status is day-to-day.

Rodman told Chicago radio station WSCR-AM that he ripped his left calf muscle trying to jump on the last play of Tuesday's game against the Toronto Raptors.

He said it feels similar to an injury he suffered three years ago that caused him to sit out for a month.

"I know it's a month," he told the station in a telephone interview from Cleveland, where the Bulls are playing the Cavaliers. "It's kind of disappointing."

Bulls spokesman Tom Smithburg said Rodman made the trip to Cleveland for Thursday's game and would be examined by team doctors Friday.

Tuesday night's 117-108 win over Toronto was his best game with the Bulls — 11 points, 13 rebounds and six assists.

Rodman is known for his hair color changes, tattoos, a brief romance with Madonna, missing practices, suspensions and saying outrageous things. After signing with Chicago, he said he would sit out the season unless his \$2.5 million salary was raised. He quickly dropped the matter.

The 6-foot-8 forward, who has led the NBA in rebounding four straight seasons, came to the Bulls in an off-season trade with the San Antonio Spurs. The Bulls gave up backup center Will Perdue in the trade.

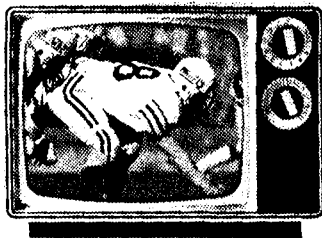
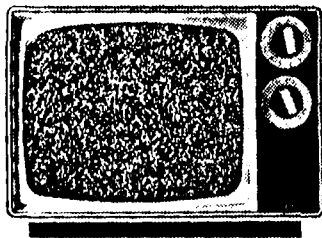
Many here wondered how he would fit in with Michael Jordan and Scottie Pippen — two players he had been at odds with when he played for the Detroit Pistons. But Rodman has behaved himself so far and the three have performed well together on the court as the Bulls have started 3-0, their best season start in years.

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■ NFL

Packers thin at quarterback

By ARNIE STAPLETON
Associated Press

GREEN BAY, Wis.

Joe Montana wasn't interested in coming out of retirement to help out an old friend.

So, Green Bay coach Mike Holmgren must make do with two journeymen quarterbacks and even a wide receiver to face division-leading Chicago Sunday if Brett Favre can't.

Both the Packers (5-4) and Bears (6-3) expect Favre to start Sunday despite a severely sprained left ankle that kept him on crutches and out of practice all week. If Favre can't go, Holmgren is leaning toward Bob Gagliano, 37, whom he summoned Monday from the tennis courts of Santa Barbara, Calif., as his starter.

Gagliano shared snaps with the No. 1 offense this week with T.J. Rubley, who foolishly cost the Packers a victory at Minnesota last week.

The No. 3 quarterback will be split end Mark Ingram, who used to throw passes to Andre Rison at Northwestern High School in Flint, Mich., 13 years ago. The Packers even signed rookie Mike McCoy to the practice squad.

Holmgren, who worked with Montana as quarterbacks coach for the 49ers in the 1980s, playfully tried to talk Montana into a comeback in a phone call Wednesday.

"I said, 'Before you say no, listen to my proposition,'" Holmgren recounted. "He said he hadn't touched a football in a while and he likes what he's doing."

Montana, who retired on April 18 with a year remaining on his contract with the Kansas City Chiefs, has been relaxing

with his family and doing studio work for NBC-TV.

Packers spokesman Jeff Blumb said Holmgren and Montana, who are good friends, talk frequently and Holmgren's efforts were "in jest."

After what happened in last week's 27-24 loss to the Vikings, however, Holmgren can't be blamed for trying.

Favre sprained his left ankle when guard Aaron Taylor fell on him, putting his NFL-leading streak of 54 consecutive starts in jeopardy, not to mention Green Bay's once-promising season.

Top backup Ty Detmer was lost for the season with torn ligaments in his right thumb, and No. 3 Rubley, a former part-time starter with the Los Angeles Rams, came in with the score tied at 24 and blew it.

Gagliano is 7-6 as a starter, but hasn't played in a regular-season game since Dec. 17, 1992.

"I'm not saying it's going real good," Gagliano said. "You hear people say to take it a day

at a time. Well, I'm kind of taking it a moment at a time."

Of course, Favre said he'll be the one taking snaps Sunday, and the Bears say they're preparing for Favre, not Gagliano or Rubley or Ingram.

"Brett Favre's a great competitor. We expect him to be out there Sunday," said defensive tackle Jim Flanigan, who leads the Bears with 7 1/2 sacks.

Also proclaiming he'll bounce back is Green Bay's defensive leader Reggie White, who strained a ligament in his right knee Sunday when he collided with fellow defensive end Sean Jones, who sustained a concussion.

"It's coming along. Let God do his work," said White, who's been walking without noticeable discomfort.

Jones said he'll play. And wide receiver Anthony Morgan (ankle) said he'll be ready, too.

"I'm not going to miss this game," said Morgan, a former Bear.

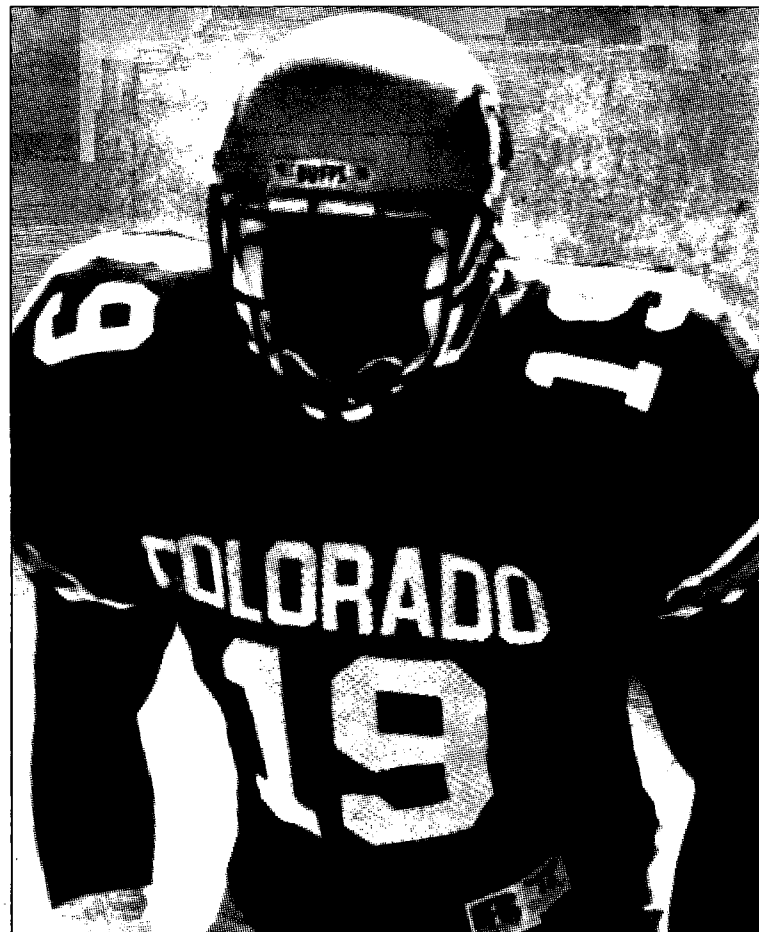


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Bears running back Rashan Salaam, shown here while at the University of Colorado, leads all rookies in rushing yards.



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■ NHL

Belfour's return lifts Hawks

Associated Press

Ed Belfour returned from injury to make 49 saves as the Chicago Blackhawks defeated the Vancouver Canucks for the 10th straight time, 5-2 Thursday night.

Five different players scored for the Blackhawks, whose streak against Vancouver includes a four-game sweep in last season's playoffs. Chicago also went 4-0 against the Canucks last regular season, outscoring them 25-10.

The Canucks outshot Chicago 51-25 but gave up goals on 3-on-2, 2-on-1 and 2-on-0 breaks. The Blackhawks also had two power-play goals after entering the game in a 1-for-24 man-advantage slump.

Belfour hurt his back against Toronto on Oct. 26, when a loss started the Blackhawks on a 1-3-1 skid. He wasn't allowed to ease back into the lineup, as Vancouver had at least a dozen point-blank shots. Belfour made save after save as the crowd chanted, "Ed-die! Ed-

die!"

The Blackhawks went up 4-0 on first-period goals by Chris Chelios, Gary Suter, Sergei Krivokrasov and Denis Savard.

Chelios' goal, at 4:59, came on a power play. Suter scored at 9:21 after Tony Amonte stole Russ Courtnall's pass to start a 2-on-1 break. About 2 1/2 minutes later, Krivokrasov capped a 3-on-2. The barrage ended with 32.4 seconds left in the period, as Vancouver again got caught up ice and Murray Craven fed Savard on a 2-on-0 breakout.

After receiving no support from his teammates, Vancouver goalie Kirk McLean was pulled in favor of Corey Hirsch, who played the last two periods.

Flyers 3, Flames 1

After watching his former team on television beat the defending Stanley Cup champion New Jersey Devils, Joel Otto personally made sure the Calgary Flames wouldn't have that opportunity against his

Philadelphia Flyers.

Otto broke open a third-period scoreless tie with a goal and later added an assist as the Philadelphia Flyers defeated the Flames 3-1 Thursday night.

"It was a new experience," said Otto, who had spent Wednesday night watching the Devils-Flames game at the Meadowlands. "I make no secret that I wanted to play a good game against them. I know a lot of faces over there. I'm sure it will be different when we go to Calgary."

The 34-year-old center received an added bonus in the morning pre-game skate. Philadelphia coach Terry Murray told Otto, who had been on the checking line, he would be taking the spot of injured Eric Lindros as the Flyers' No. 1 center.

"Sure I was excited, but I had all day to prepare myself," Otto said. "They create so well offensively. They make it easy that way. I got a little taste of offense. It was fun to play a little offense."

■ COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Pullig leads Aggies over lowly Owls

By MICHAEL GRACZYK
Associated Press

HOUSTON

Corey Pullig's 26-yard scoring pass to Albert Connell in the third quarter put Texas A&M ahead to stay and the 18th-rated Aggies struggled past Rice 17-10 Thursday night.

It was the fourth straight victory for Texas A&M (6-2, 4-1 Southwest Conference) and its 15th consecutive triumph over Rice (2-6-1, 1-4).

Owls quarterbacks Chad Nelson and Raphael Tillman failed to complete a pass until Tillman, in relief of the injured Nelson, hit Spencer George with a 10-yard completion with 1:40 left in the game. It was the only completion for Rice quarterbacks.

Punter Tucker Phillips completed two passes for Rice in the first half, each time catching Aggies special teams napping. His first-quarter, 37-yard pass to Jeff Venghaus gave the Owls a 7-0 lead.

Leeland McElroy had 168 yards on 28 carries for the Aggies, including a 45-yard TD run that tied the game 7-7 in the second quarter. The score came after linebacker Keith Mitchell recovered a botched pitch by Nelson at the Owls 45. Two plays and 18 seconds later, McElroy broke a couple

of tackles on the left side of the line of scrimmage and outraced defensive back Warrick Franklin to the end zone. It was the Aggies' longest rush of the year.

The defense helped Rice to a 10-7 lead early in the third quarter when Detron Smith fumbled after catching a pass from Corey Pullig and the Owls' Brynton Goynes recovered at the Texas A&M 31. The Owls moved to the Aggies 4 before stalling and Mike Ruff kicked a 22-yard field goal.

Texas A&M followed with its best drive of the game, going 75 yards in eight plays. Connell outjumped Rice's LaDoughyous Shaw to pull down Pullig's pass in the front corner of the end zone and give A&M its first lead at 14-10.

Kyle Bryant accounted for the final margin when he capped a 67-yard drive with a 40-yard field goal with 7:13 to go in the game.

Rice had a last chance when it took over at its 35 with 2:38 left but the drive ended when Tillman's pass on fourth-and-15 from the Texas A&M 45 was intercepted by Reggie Brown.

The game marked the end of a series that began in 1920. With the demise of the Southwest Conference, Rice is headed to the Western Athletic Conference while Texas A&M goes to the expanded Big 12.

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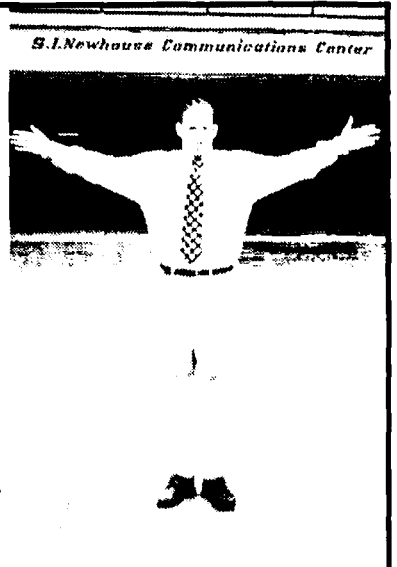
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SMC Track & Field - The team will have a meeting Tuesday, November 14 at 6:30 in the Angela Athletic Facility. All interested should attend.

Drop-in Volleyball - It will take place on Tuesday November 14, 21, 28 and December 5 at the Joyce Center from 8-11. No advance sign-ups or established teams necessary.

Sportstalk - Join hosts Matt Hoefling and G.R. Nelson as they welcome Kory Minor this Sunday on WVFI, 640 AM at 9:00.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Henderson, Ivey, commit to play for Notre Dame

Special to the Observer

The Notre Dame women's basketball team got a little taller and a little quicker yesterday.

Julie Henderson, a 6'3" center/forward from Ann Arbor, Michigan, and Niele Ivey, a 5'8" guard from St. Louis, Missouri, signed National Letters of Intent to attend the University of Notre Dame beginning in the fall of 1996.

The powerful Henderson, currently playing for Huron High School, is averaging 12.0 points and 10.0 rebounds this season, after helping lead Huron to their second consecutive South Central Conference championships last season.

A two-time all state selection who also played for two years at Greenhills High School, Henderson has guided both schools to a 73-15 record during her four-year career.

"Julie is a great rebounder who fills a lot of our needs in

this area," commented Irish head coach Muffet McGraw. "She is very aggressive around the boards, and is a versatile player who has a good shot away from the basket."

The speed comes in the form of Ivey, a multi-talented guard with a lethal shooting touch.

The all-time leading scorer at Cor Jesu High School, Ivey led her school to a perfect 31-0 record and the Class 4A state championship in 1995. Ivey is also the school's all-time steals leader, and poses a triple threat to the opposition, as evidenced by her averages of 18.1 points, 6.9 rebounds, and 5.0 assists last season.

Among her many accolades, Ivey was the 1995 Missouri Player of the Year, and was invited to Olympic Festival try-outs last spring.

"Niele will help us out immediately," commented McGraw. "She is a tremendous defensive player with excellent quickness and speed on the court."

MEN'S SOCCER

Lanza earns spot on All-Big East squad

By DYLAN BARMMER
Sports Writer

While the Irish men's soccer team's first season in the Big East was fraught with difficulties, it can at least be said that they didn't go unnoticed by their conference peers.

One thing which remains etched in their collective minds was revealed yesterday, when senior forward Bill Lanza was named to the All-Big East Second Team.

Lanza played in just 14 games due to injuries this season, starting 12 matches. In limited time in those games, Lanza amassed six goals and 11 assists for a team-high 23

points.

Lanza, who currently stands ninth on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 29 goals and 25 assists (83 points), has a year of eligibility remaining after missing all of the 1994 season with a leg injury.

In eight Big East games, Lanza tallied a goal and seven assists.

The Irish, beset by injuries and hampered by inexperience, finished the 1995 season with a 9-10 overall record, and a 4-7 mark in Big East play. Their eight conference points weren't enough for the team to qualify for the Big East tournament, as they finished just tenth out of twelve Big East teams.

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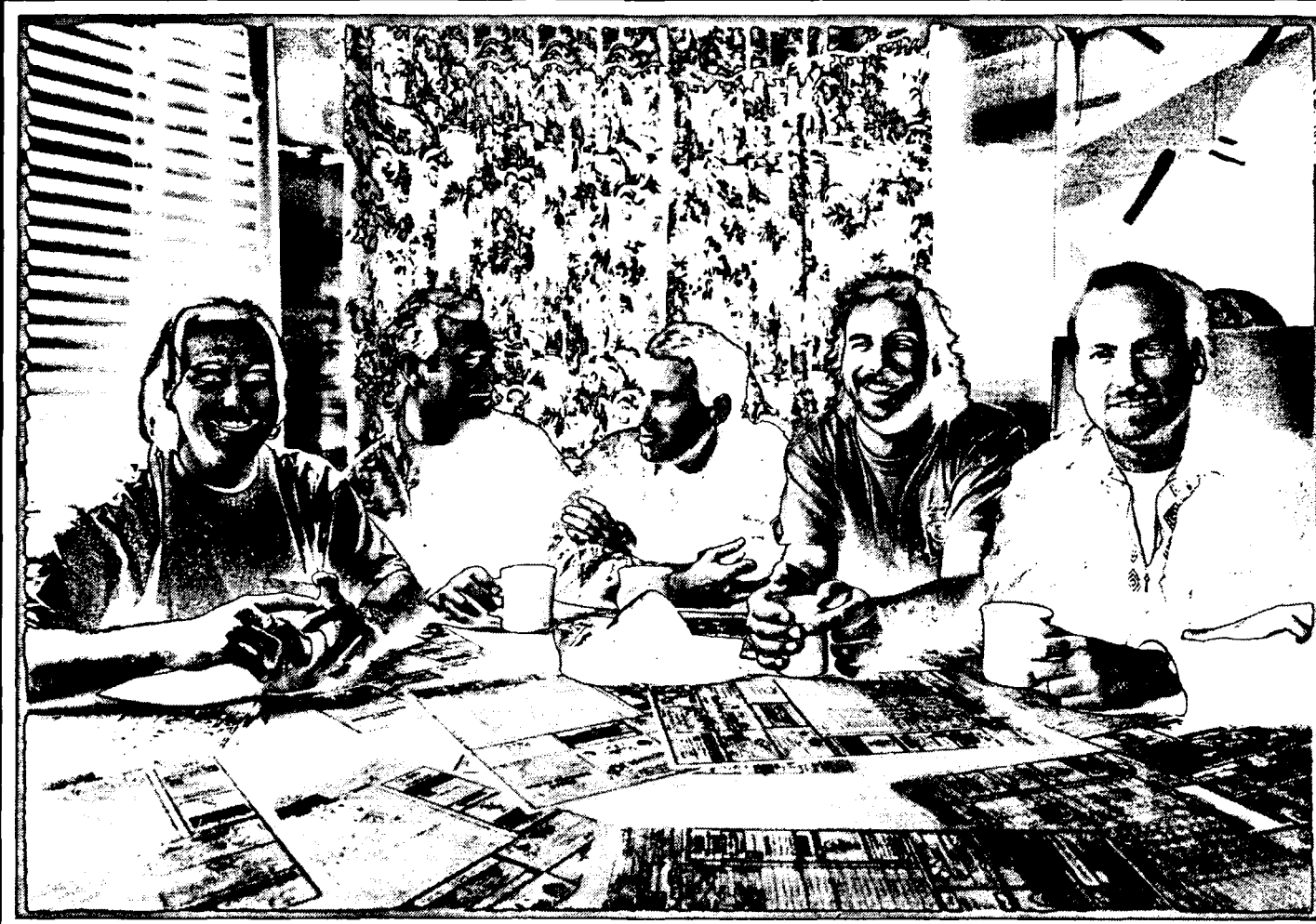
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cold to venture out and buy a nice gift. Besides, your date probably won't appreciate it anyway. Also, you wouldn't want to miss the upset of the year when Arkansas stuns Florida in the SEC Championship. It might help Arkansas' chances if Florida's offense decides to fly American Eagle to the game.

December 3: The final polls come out, and the top five are: 1) Nebraska 11-0, 2) Tennessee 10-1, 3) Ohio State 11-1, 4) Florida 11-1, 5) Notre Dame 9-2. Since neither Tennessee nor Florida are the SEC champs, they aren't eligible to challenge Nebraska in the Fiesta Bowl, and Ohio State is locked into the Rose Bowl, we get to pack up and head for Arizona, again.

January 1: Tennessee has spent so much time complaining about being No. 2 and not getting a shot at Nebraska that they take the Gator Bowl lightly and end up losing it. Northwestern recovers from their loss to Iowa to knock off Florida in the Citrus Bowl.

Steve Spurrier was expecting a bunch of guys with pocket protectors and didn't even see Darnell Autry whizzing by him all day. At the Rose Bowl, USC coach John Robinson borrows an idea from Gerry Faust when his Trojans switch to green jerseys at halftime to inspire a stunning comeback win over Ohio State. Heisman Trophy winner Eddie George fumbles four times in the game.

January 2: Tom Krug sets a school record by throwing five touchdown passes, including a last-minute strike to Mayes to pull the Irish within one. Jarious Jackson comes in to run the option to perfection and the two-point conversion gives the Irish the lead. The ghosts of David Gordon and Remy Hamilton are finally destroyed as Nebraska's last-second field goal sails wide right. Notre Dame becomes the first team ever to win a national championship with two losses.

All right, I admit it's a little far-fetched, but in a season where Northwestern can beat Notre Dame, Michigan, and Penn State and get ranked in the top five, anything can happen.

V-Ball

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percentage leader. "We don't expect a great match from Boston College, but they will provide us with a chance to improve."

Carey May agrees. "A win in the final game of the season should provide us with a little much needed momentum for the finals in two weeks."

The Irish should improve their record this weekend to 24-6 as they travel to the East Coast for their final two regular season matches of the year. With two wins, Notre Dame will clinch the number one seed in the Big East Tournament and earn a bye in the first round.

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■ SAINT MARY'S SWIMMING

Belles back in action after two-week layoff

By LAURIE KELLEHER
Sports Writer

After two weeks of tough practices and two tough meets, the Saint Mary's Swimming and Diving team will take on Calvin College this Saturday. The team is looking to improve after their losses at the Notre Dame invitational and DePaw two weeks ago. Coach Mike Whatley expects to see each swimmer improve their times.

"I don't know how Calvin College is as a team," said Whatley. "I do know that we've been practicing hard for the past two weeks. We are in much better meet shape this time. I expect to see improvements for every swimmer."

The swimmers feel more ready for this meet now that they have had more practices and a few meets finished.

"I'm excited to see how we do," said sophomore Betsy Wright.

Even though they lost to

Calvin last year, the team expects to make a good showing. Many hope that the competition will push them to go faster.

"I think I should do well," said sophomore Sarah Gillen. "There should be some good competition to push me to improve my times."

The diving team is also making vast improvements as the season goes on. Coach Dan Slattery has helped the divers learn some new dives and improve on others. The divers also hope to do even better in this meet.

"We have been working hard for the past two weeks," said Slattery. "The girls are really coming along."

Captain Megan McHugh is equally enthusiastic about the progress of the team.

"The freshman have had an awesome week of practices and should do really well this Saturday," said McHugh.

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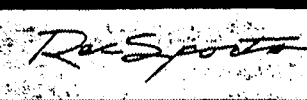
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■ CROSS COUNTRY

NCAA qualification at stake

By B. J. HOOD
Sports Writer

It's time to find out who the nation's best cross country teams are.

The Notre Dame cross country teams travel to Purdue on Saturday to run in the district IV meet. The meet is very important, as the top three men's teams and the top two women's teams will qualify for the NCAA championship meet.

The Notre Dame women's team started the season by winning the Buckeye Invitational and finished second at the National Catholic Invitational at Notre Dame. The women have struggled lately, which has frustrated the runners and Coach Joe Piane.

"They certainly have not run up to their potential," Piane said. There is some talent there, I wish I could put my finger on why they're not running better."

Senior Maureen Kelly has led the squad this year, finishing first on the team at every meet

so far. Piane has also been impressed with freshmen Mary Volland and sophomore Mieke Walsh.

"(Mary Volland and Mieke Walsh) have done a good job," Piane noted.

The men's team has seen consistent efforts all season. The Irish have had a strong group in front in seniors Joe Dunlop, Derek Martisus, and Derek Seiling, junior Matt Althoff, sophomore Jason Rexing, and freshmen Antonio Arce. All six of them have finished first or second for Notre Dame this season. Piane made special mention of Martisus.

"Derek Martisus has run very well," Piane complimented.

The Irish have run against tough competition this season, and Saturday will be no different. Notre Dame's teams will face tough competition from Wisconsin, Michigan, Bowling Green, Marquette, Michigan State, Loyola, and host Purdue. Thirty-nine teams are in Notre Dame's district, though not every team will run. The men

run at 11:00 Saturday morning, with the women to follow at noon.

Twenty-two teams will qualify for the NCAA meet. The top three men's teams are guaranteed to advance, while only two women's teams are assured of qualifying. However, there are at large spots among the top teams advancing to the championships, so the women would have a chance to qualify if they finish in the top three.

Piane thinks the men have already run well enough to qualify, so they only need to perform like they have previously to advance.

"They (the men) have run solid and consistent, and if they keep it up (on Saturday), they'll have a good shot of qualifying," Piane said. "(The women) need to run as a group...they've been reluctant to be a front running group."

On Saturday, the Irish will find out how good they really are. If Piane and company have their way, they will run like one of the best teams in the nation.

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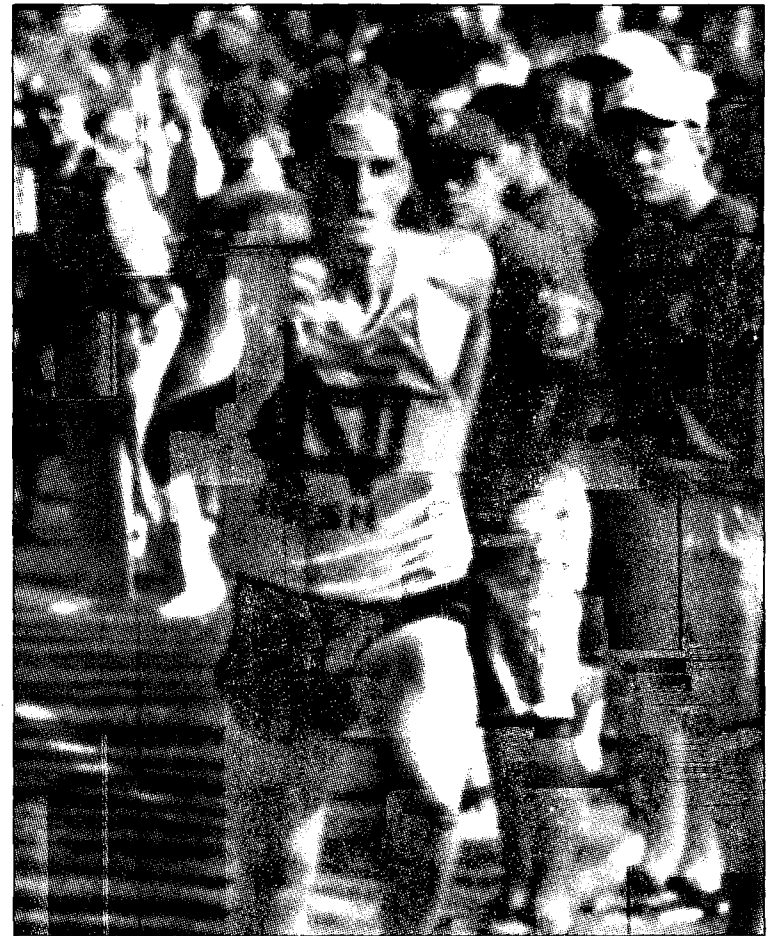



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Senior Andy Burns hopes to lead the Irish to a victory at the District IV Meet Saturday at Purdue.





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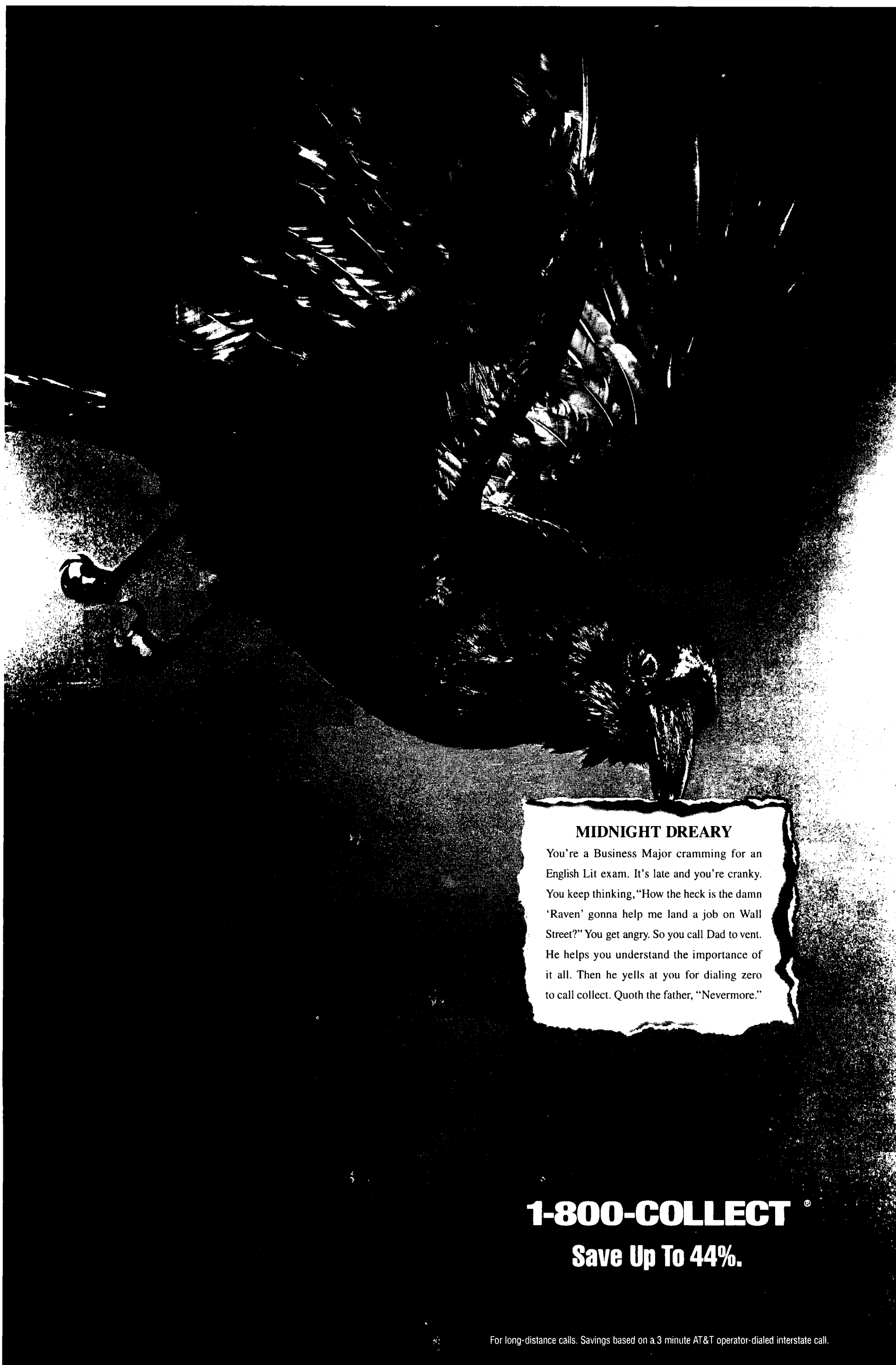
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■ HOCKEY

Irish hope to halt losing skid

By MIKE DAY
Sports Writer

Struggling to keep their heads above water.

If sea level indicates respectability, then the Notre Dame hockey team is in dire need of a life preserver.

Heading into tonight's contest against Illinois-Chicago and Saturday evening's matchup with Ohio State, the Irish have dropped five straight games to fall to tenth place in the CCHA. However, they have a golden opportunity to turn it around this weekend against two of the conference's lesser known hockey programs.

"We have to win these two games with our back against the wall," said junior right wing Tim Harberts. "We know that we can play much better than we have to this point. We just have to go out and execute the game plan."

While Harberts has emerged the past two weeks after a slow start, the offense as a whole has struggled after starting the season off strong. Averaging only 3.38 goals per game, the unit has reached their opponents' nets just six times in their last three games.

Freshman right wing Brian Urick (10 points) and senior center Jaimie Ling (eight

points) have been solid all season long, but their teammates must step up this weekend to sweep the Flames and Buckeyes. Junior center Terry Lorenz is beginning to reach 1994 form after recording just one point in his first three games.

"I owe a lot of my success so far this season to Terry Lorenz," said Urick. "He has done a good job of getting me in position to score, and he's made it a lot easier for me to make the adjustment in my first season here."

The Flames enter tonight's matchup ranked eighth in the conference with a 3-1-2 overall record, including a 1-1 mark in CCHA play. Junior center Mike Perron (eight points) and freshman center Chuck Mindel (eight) are the team's top scorers, while sophomore center Adam Lord is expected to start at goaltender.

Believe it or not, the Buckeyes currently boast a 3-1 record and rank first in the league in defense with a 1.50 GAA. However, to this point, Ohio State has played a schedule that rivals toilet paper in terms of softness.

"It is important that we get a win this weekend in terms of momentum and confidence," said head coach Dave Poulin.

"It would be frustrating if we had not shown improvement this year, but we have, and we know that it will eventually start to show."

As has been the case this year, Poulin plans to utilize most of the roster in different situations. Last weekend, defenseman Jeremy Coe and right wing Brett Bruininks, two of Notre Dame's top players, were out of the lineup in consecutive games against the Broncos.

"We've maintained that the players determine who plays by how they play," said Poulin. "Different players are judged in different ways. It is not OK though for a good player to not play up to his ability."

The Notre Dame defense has been a huge question mark all season long.

"The team is still learning a new system, and it takes time to adjust to a different style and a different coach," said Poulin. "We need to start making those adjustments and get to where we want to be defensively."

Otherwise, treading water will just get harder and harder.



The Observer/ David Murphy

Senior center Jamie Ling will try to help the Irish end their losing skid this weekend against Illinois-Chicago and Ohio State.

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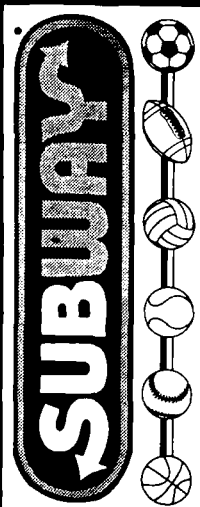
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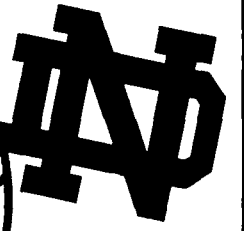
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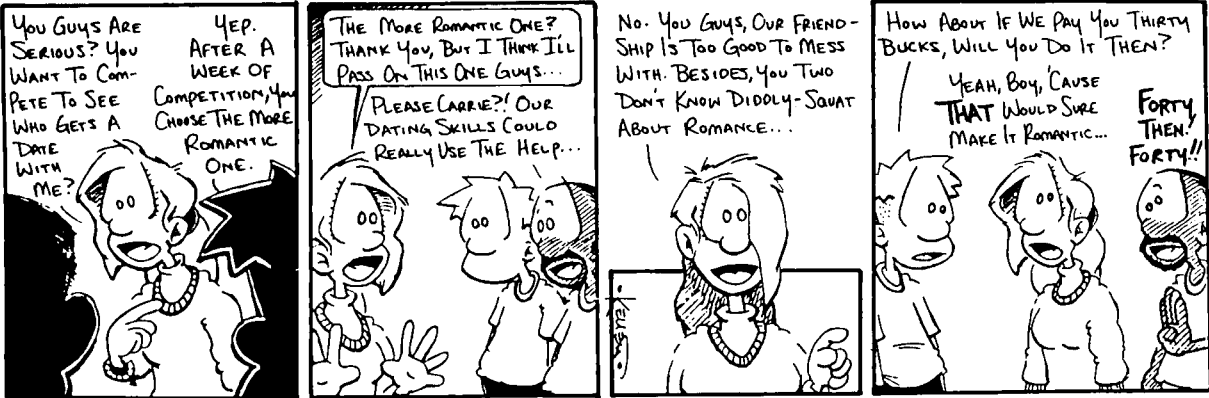
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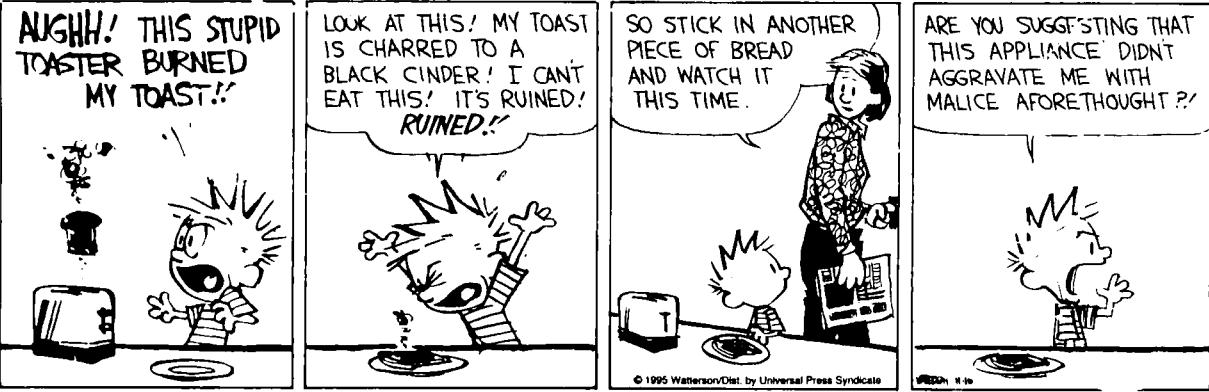
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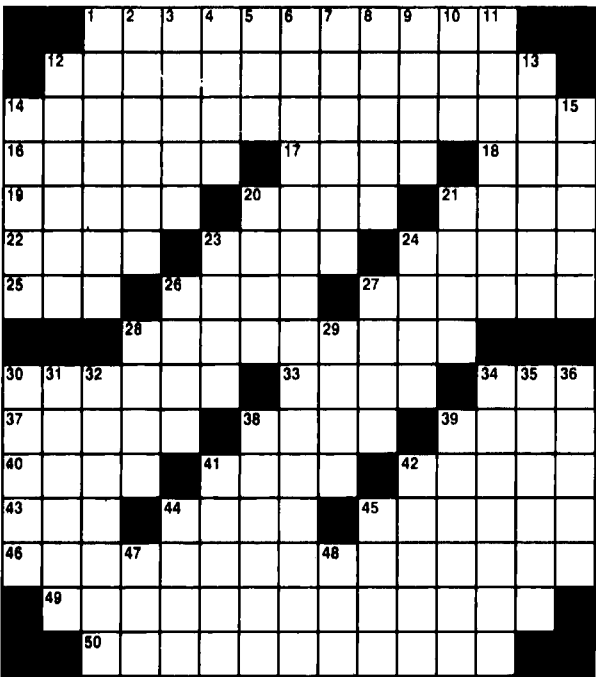
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JEANE DIXON

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ARIES (March 21-April 19): Get as much work done as possible today in order to spend a worry-free weekend. Your spirits are lifted by a short business trip. Begin your holiday shopping.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Two heads are better than one today. A friendship will be loving and lasting if based on mutual respect. Act confident when negotiating a business deal.

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CANCER (June 21-July 22): Business travel will be very rewarding if you stick to a budget. Doing some consumer research before you make a major purchase will save you a bundle.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Give financial concerns top priority today. Apply for a loan. Additional income could come through advertising or free-lance work. An older person offers well-intentioned advice.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Review your financial situation with your accountant. Limit credit card debt by paying cash for new purchases. A sense of fair play helps you make wise decisions. Set up a regular bill payment schedule.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Teamwork is essential when starting a family-owned business. Romance may have to wait. State your views in a frank but calm manner, rejecting superficial answers. Seek better rapport with all members of your household.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Getting better organized will reduce confusion. Initiate budget and financial talks. Working in solitude proves highly productive. Remain goal-oriented where business is concerned. Pay attention to loved ones' needs.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Blend in with the crowd rather than going out on a limb alone. Influential people applaud your efforts to be part of a team. Sharing confidences causes warm feelings to run deep. Harmony prevails.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): A well-researched investment will produce a nice pay-off. A promotion or special perks is possible. Your congenial attitude and urbane manner gets a new relationship off to a great start. Plan ahead.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Acquaintances up this weekend. Accepting someone's offer will signal a wish to become closer. Are you ready? If not, distance yourself from this person. As your social circle widens, wonderful plans take shape.

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Regular season closes with conference foes

Squad travels to Providence, Boston College

By MICHAEL THOMPSON
Sports Writer

This weekend the Notre Dame volleyball team finishes off its conference play at Providence and Boston College. Coming off of a loss at the hands of the top-ranked Nebraska team, the Irish look to bounce back against their last two regular season opponents in an effort to gain some momentum going into the Big East Championships.

The always effervescent Carey May commented positively about the Nebraska match. "Overall, it was a good experience, we now realize how we have to play to accomplish what we want to accomplish."

Going into this weekend, the Irish lead the Big East with a record of 9-0. Providence, 3-6

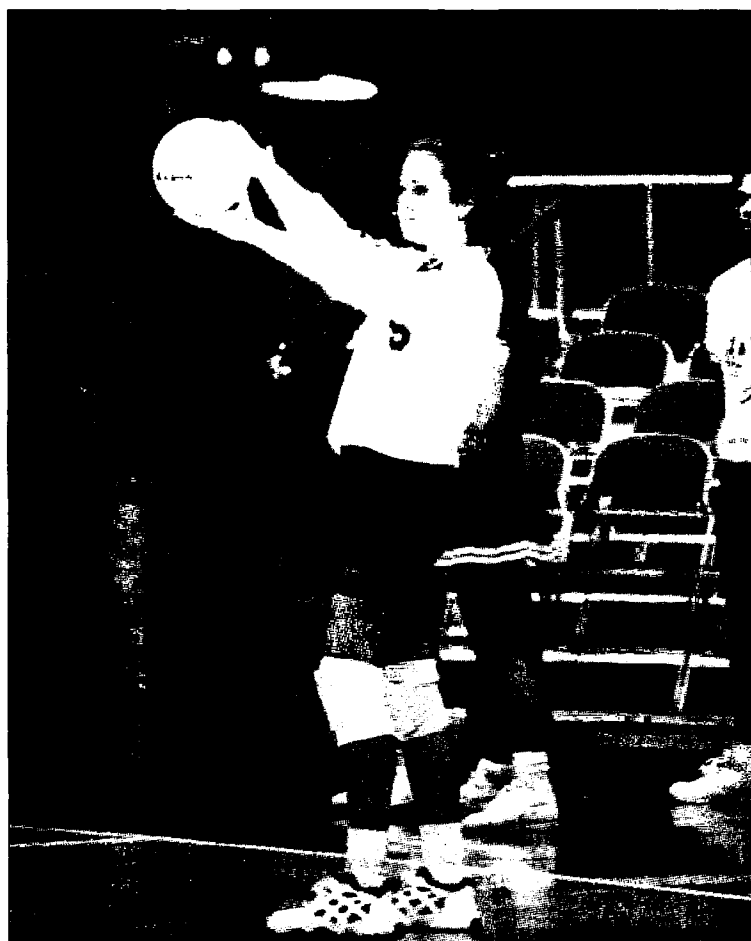
in the Big East and 16-13 overall look to be no problem for 13th-ranked Notre Dame. Angie Harris and Jaimie Lee lead the Big East standings in kills, and they'll be taking their 382 and 366 kills into Rhode Island. However, Providence takes into the match the fifth-ranked defense in the Big East to defend against the hard hitting Irish.

The Lady Friars are led into the match this weekend behind the hitting of junior Becky Loftus and senior leader Kelley Tooley who have combined this year for 552 kills. The defense of Providence however is where the real story is. Tooley ranks in the top five in the Big East in digs averaging just under four per game.

Boston College, on the other hand, is not as equipped to handle the attack of the Irish.

With a record of 1-8 in the Big East and 11-22 overall, the Eagles shouldn't keep Notre Dame in Boston for more than an hour, according to Lindsay Treadwell, the Big East hitting

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The Observer/Brent Tadsen

Senior Brett Hensel and the Irish volleyball squad hope to complete a perfect conference season this weekend with victories over Providence and Boston College

Stranger things have happened

For the first time since August, there is no football game to highlight the weekend's activities.

This allows all the college football fanatics, myself included, an opportunity to check out some of the other top teams in the country and spend hours avoiding studying by talking about the endless bowl possibilities.

Before you become satisfied with a top-ten finish for our Irish and start deciding who you'd like to see win the national championship, consider this: Theoretically, it is still possible for Notre Dame to be number one when the all the dust settles on January 2.

Now before you get too excited, realize that it's not going to happen, just that it's theoretically possible. The necessary scenario has more ifs than Liz Taylor has ex-husbands; and many of those ifs are less likely than the Cubs winning the World Series. However, to think that it's possible is exciting, so follow me as we take a dream journey through the rest of the season.

This Saturday: That test on Monday is going to be a piece of cake, so there's no need to waste a Saturday studying for it. Instead watch Iowa stun Northwestern. I know we've all enjoyed seeing the Wildcats do well, but it's almost midnight and the carriage is ready to turn back into a pumpkin.

November 18: Notre Dame's game at Air Force isn't until night, so the afternoon is perfect for watching Colorado knock off Kansas State.

November 25: Take your leftover turkey out to the living room with you so you can see Michigan ruin Ohio State's championship hopes. I know it's hard to root for Michigan, but remember how rude Ohio State's fans were. If you are fortunate enough to have cable and a second television, then call up pay-per-view and simultaneously watch Florida rack up 60 or so points at the expense of Florida State. As you're having your second piece of pumpkin pie, make sure to catch Bobby Bowden whining at the post-game press conference about Florida running up the score.

December 2: Your Christmas formal is that night, but it's too

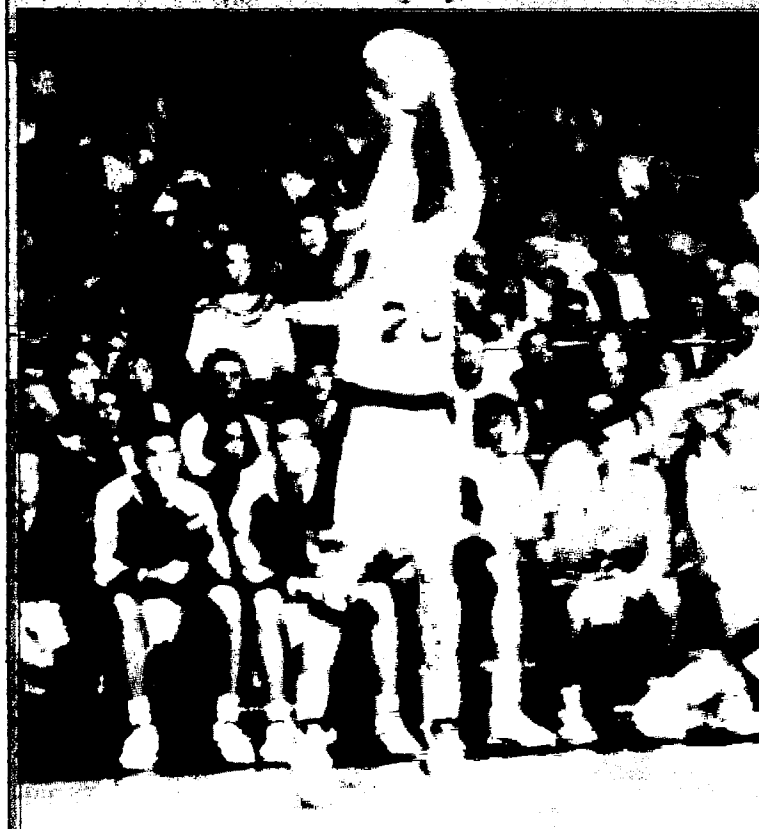


Andy Cabiness
Sports Writer

Germans conquer Notre Dame

By JOE VILLINSKI
Assistant Sports Editor

If a bright spot does exist following the initial men's basketball game of the year, it's that things can't get much worse.



The Observer/John Peters

Senior guard Keith Muroski was 0-for-6 from the field last night in Notre Dame's 71-61 loss to the Giesen of Germany

Last night, Notre Dame dropped an exhibition contest to Giesen (Germany) 71-61 in one of those games the Irish are hoping they got out of their system.

"That was not a good display of basketball," head

coach John MacLeod said. "I'm being real generous here. It was not a good night for Notre Dame."

Generosity appeared to be the theme of the night as the Irish totaled 23 turnovers and missed numerous open shots. Those missed shots accounted for the abysmal shooting percentage that allowed Giesen to take a 29-25 lead into the locker room at halftime.

"We just weren't hitting shots, we were getting good open shots, we just couldn't get much to drop," senior guard Ryan Hoover added. "We shot like 28 percent. Anytime you shoot that bad you're not going to be in any games."

By rounding up to the nearest decimal place, the Irish concluded the night shooting 29 percent which can largely attributed to the 17 percent in the first half.

Irish were in the lead at the start, jumping to a 10-3 lead before the shooting began. They would slowly build to a halftime advantage as Irish went almost nine minutes without a field goal.

"We didn't set up our own man up and we didn't react," MacLeod added. "We had a difficult time from an offensive standpoint."

However, there was not much offense by either team in the first half. Following the amicable exchange of T-shirts by the players, it seemed as if the participants didn't realize the Cold War ended.

Giesen connected on eleven attempts from the charity stripe, while Notre Dame made eight as the teams collaborated to commit 26 fouls. The twin tower duo of Marcus Young and Matt Gotsch both had three fouls with just under ten minutes left in the half.

In the second half, the Irish were never able grab the lead. After an Arrie Alig jump shot put Giesen ahead by two, the German team would never look back. For Giesen, James Shields had 25 points, while Alig and Kevin Lynch each tallied 13.

Even though this trio may have seemed unknown, all three have had extensive experience. Lynch spent two years with the Charlotte Hornets, while Shields played at Richmond and Alig at Chaminade.

Currently, the team is on a break from its European schedule and has already been working together since the middle of the summer.

"We have been practicing

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