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## Carroll Hall 'abolishes' parietals; plans protest

by Mark Rust  
Senior Staff Reporter

Carroll Hall residents, dissatisfied with a campus atmosphere they say is partially caused by visitation restrictions, have voted to "abolish" parietals in a move that some hall presidents say has the potential to spread campus wide.

The Carroll residents met Monday night to discuss their beefs against the social atmosphere on campus, which they say is "downright unhealthy." They plan to collect support for a campus wide protest.

The vote to "abolish" parietals, which the residents admit will not affect University policy, is "only the beginning," according to Mark MocarSKI, a Carroll section leader and sponsor of the Hall Council motion to "abolish" parietals.

Under the leadership of MocarSKI, the residents plan to wait for a show of solidarity from other halls in the form of similar votes to "abolish" parietals. Once they receive that show of support, according to MocarSKI, they intend to organize and publicize a "parietals break night" that will "involve the whole campus."

MocarSKI said the resident in Carroll decided to "do something about it" when it became clear to them that accepted avenues of change--recommendations from the Campus Life Council to the University administration-- were closed.

They pointed to Provost Timothy O'Meara's recent rejection of a CLC appeal that would place parietals in the jurisdiction of hall judicial boards as evidence that the avenues were "closed."

Carroll Rector Bro. Frank Drury said that he learned of the hall council vote to "abolish" parietals the following day and "really couldn't get very excited about it."

He said that this is a "good purpose" to University rules and regulations, and that their vote "doesn't change anything."

Drury pointed to Eastern Michigan University, a school in Ypsilanti, MI, as evidence that having parietals "allows the students more freedom."

"They had parietals in their hall and their roommates didn't have to worry about how they were attired or who came in their room after a certain hour," Drury stated.

Drury said that he understood, based on conversations with officials at Eastern Michigan, that students preferred parietals over 24 hour visitation.

The Carroll residents, however, pointed to Memphis State as an example of what they considered an ideal compromise. "At Memphis State each hall has its own visitation rules," Tim Coonan, a Carroll sophomore said. "Some have no restrictions and others have strict visitation hours. By giving them a choice, Memphis State shows their students that they consider them

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*Skiing has been great but all this snow can really get you down.*

## O-C students discuss problems

by Dan Letcher  
Staff Reporter

A group of students interested in off-campus problems met last night in LaFortune to discuss a list of goals including shuttle service expansion, security awareness programs and a proposed amendment to the Student Government constitution.

Student Government Off-Campus Commissioner John

Fitzpatrick opened the meeting with a brief comment about the need for each member to concentrate on a specific goal such as vacation storage or the publishing of a monthly newsletter.

Phil Johnson, a sophomore, delivered a presentation concerning security and crime prevention. In his address he stated that, "the group's main concern is to raise student's awareness in this area."

In a discussion afterwards, Fitzpatrick commented on an article which appeared in Monday's *Observer*. This article addressed the decrease in off-campus crime and Fitzpatrick felt, "that this article was misleading." He pointed out that the two most highly-populated student sections had the highest burglary rate in South Bend.

Junior Shannon Neville then discussed the shuttle service and her hopes to expand the number of off-campus stops. "If we come up with a schedule and show that there is a demand, we could get another

bus specifically for off-campus students," she added.

Talk then turned to the possibility of amending the Student Government constitution. This amendment would give off-campus students representation on the Board of Commissioners which, in turn, would give off-campus students some say in the allocation of funds.

"This group is also hoping to see an off-campus council formed which would be similar, but on a smaller scale, to the Hall President's Council," Fitzpatrick noted. This council could also serve as a link between the students and neighborhood groups.

The group is attempting to gain the support as well as the assistance of more off-campus students. Fitzpatrick feels that "the university will generally take care of on-campus students while it neglects the off-campus students." Such attitudes may change if the group can gain more recognition.

## In Grace Hall meeting

### HPC discusses laundry, sports

by Aileen Lavin  
Staff Reporter

The possibility of installing washers and dryers in Grace Hall was among the topics discussed at last night's HPC meeting in that hall.

The HPC had previously voted to approve the men's laundry, but have decided to poll the dorms to see how many male students are interested in using the proposed washers and dryers.

The poll is being undertaken to answer concerns voiced by the University at the Monday night's HPC meeting.

The University has expressed concerns that too many students would not be willing to pay laundry costs if given the alternative, which they say would lead to the closing of St. Michael's Laundry and affect the unionized workers.

Funds amounting to \$1500 were reallocated to clubs and organizations who appealed for them last Sunday. \$3500 still remain due to the lack of clubs applying for the excess funds.

Dan Darfler, HPC representative to the board of commissioners, explained the poor response was a result of "lack of communication."

The sailing club will receive aid from the HPC's funds to help them recover from the fire last fall, if the club is unable to obtain help elsewhere.

Paul Callahan, An Tostal chairman, announced the need for volunteers on the organizational committee. The meetings are

held every Sunday night in the Little Theater in LaFortune.

This year the Jimmy Brogan Award, given to the dorm who does the craziest thing in the An Tostal spirit, will be a cash prize of \$100, according to Callahan. Representatives from the men's dorms are needed to help organize this year's Mr. Campus contest, Callahan said. He also pointed out that women representatives are needed to coordinate Recess, a traditional An Tostal event.

Because of the abundance of complaints by students, the snow in D-1 and D-2 will be removed this Saturday. All students must move their cars by 8 a.m. Saturday morning to parking lots, C-3, 4 and 5.

Security has announced its willingness to help those students who are unable to move their cars because they are buried or need battery jumps. The cars will have to be returned to the parking lots in the afternoon because of the scheduled basketball game Saturday evening, according to Security.

The HPC set up a sports commission to establish guidelines for choosing all-star teams for football, basketball, soccer, hockey, and volleyball.

Previously, football was the only sport for which an all-star team was chosen. The members of the new commission are Ed Durbin, Marty Paulson, Ellen Dorney, Carrie Seringer, and Jack Prendergast.

Next week's meeting will be hosted by Holy Cross Hall.

## China desires peace, reunion with Taiwan

WASHINGTON (AP) - Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping was reported yesterday to have declared that China wants a peaceful resolution of the Taiwan issue, but "cannot commit herself not to resort" to the use of force.

The account of Teng's remarks at a Senate luncheon came from a senator who took notes. Another senator, Thad Cochran, R-Miss., quoted the Chinese leader as saying: "You can rely on our assurance that we don't intend to use force" and

that "there has been no discussion of boycott" against Taiwan.

The senator who made notes declined the use of his name. His notes quoted Teng as saying:

"We will permit the present system on Taiwan and way of life to remain unchanged. We will allow the local government of Taiwan to maintain people-to-people relations with other people, like Japan and the United States.

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## *Khomeini to return to Iran as Americans leave*

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) - The government said yesterday that Avatullah Ruhollah Khomeini, the architect of the Iranian uprising, could return to Iran, and gave Air France permission to fly him from his Parisian exile to an expected triumphant re-entry in his homeland. The American Embassy meanwhile ordered U.S. government dependents out of Iran "at the earliest feasible date" after attacks on three Americans. Millions are expected to greet the 78-year-old Khomeini when he returns, possibly tomorrow to press his campaign to oust the constitutional monarchy headed by Prime Minister Shahfour Bakhtiar and set up an Islamic republic. Khomeini led the uprising that forced Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi to leave the country for what many feel is permanent exile.

## *Pope exhorts young to seek peace of Christ*

MEXICO CITY (AP)-Pope John Paul II urged all young people yesterday to forsake "those ideologies that lead to hate, violence and despair" and seek joy, serenity and peace in Christ. He then flew to Guadalajara, Mexico's second largest city. Thousands waved handkerchiefs in the Vatican's yellow and white colors and let fly hundreds of small balloons as the pope got off the jet at Guadalajara's airport. He was scheduled to meet with workers, cloistered nuns and seminarians before returning to the capital. Before departing Mexico City, "El Papa" told a large crowd gathered at a grammar school that "the church sees an enormous renovating force in youth, which our predecessor Pope John XXIII considered a symbol of the church itself."

## *State Commissioner says students should invest loans*

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP)-The state Commissioner of Higher Education has suggested that college students should reap thousands of dollars of profit by investing federal student loans rather than using them to pay for their education. In a copyrighted story yesterday, the Indiana Daily Student reported that Commissioner Richard P. Nugent said students who can manage to pay college expenses without spending the loan money should invest it and make more than \$2,000 in interest during their four-year college careers. "If I had children in college, that's what I would do," he told an audience at a legislative seminar in Indianapolis earlier this month.

## *Marvin takes stand - philosophizes on love*

LOS ANGELES (AP)-Actor Lee Marvin said yesterday that he never felt "the ultimate in love" toward Michelle Triola Marvin, his lover for six years and his opponent in a landmark property rights suit. "There are all degrees of love on a scale," said Marvin, taking the stand for a third day. "There would be the young frivolous love," he said. "The childlike love of a teddy bear, and as we go up the scale, I would imagine the ultimate in love would be between people - a deep regard for the other person, truthfulness, loyalty, fidelity and a tremendous sense of selflessness toward the other person." Marvin Mitchelson, Miss Marvin's attorney, asked the actor what kind of "love were you referring to that you did not have for Michelle." "The love I described toward the end," Marvin said. "The loyalty, fidelity, truthfulness - that kind of love?" Mitchelson asked. "Yes," said Marvin.

## *Weather*

Mostly cloudy and breezy with 30 percent chance of snow or snow flurries today. Highs in the upper teens to the lower 20s. Fair and cold tonight and tomorrow. Lows tonight 5-10 above. Highs tomorrow in the upper teens and the lower 20s.

# Campus

12:15--LECTURE, "the liposome, does it have a future?" dr. charles kulpa, spon. by microbio dept, GALVIN AUD.

4:20--COLLOQUIUM "particle production from nuclei," prof. a. bialas, fermilab & jagellonian u., krakow, poland, spon. by physics dept., 118 NIEUWLAND.

6 pm--MEETING, college bowl competitors, 1st FLOOR LAFORTUNE

6:30--MEETING, sailing club, 204 O'SHAG.

7:30 --HOCKEY nd vs. bowling green, A.C.C.

8:15--RECITAL\* becky stauffer-soprano, spon. by music dept., LIB. AUD.

## SU social commission meets today

There will be a general meeting for all past and present members of the Student Union Social Commission today at 7 p.m. in the Social Commission office.

The purpose of this meeting will be to discuss events already planned for second semester, and to solicit proposals for additional activities.

Anyone wishing to work with the Commission in planning events this semester is welcome to attend. If you are interested, but not able to attend the meeting, contact John Bonacci, social commissioner, at 3797.

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## Scholars needed for College Bowl

There will be an informational meeting at 6 pm in the South Alcove of the first floor LaFortune for those interested in participating in College Bowl competition. Intramural games will be held soon to select a team to compete in the regionals at Saint Mary's in March. All students are invited to attend.

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Possible machine installation

# Grace Hall considers laundry

by Pat Toomey

The installation of laundry machines in Grace Hall is currently under serious consideration by the University. Thomas Mason, vice-president for Business Affairs, stated the machines could be installed "this semester, if no serious problems develop."

Curt Wesseln, Grace Hall vice-president, the driving force behind the proposal, is optimistic about the proposed installation of the machines for

this semester. Wesseln has been trying to get them installed since September.

Under the plan now being considered, the University would rent the machines and put them in the Grace basement. The revenue gained from this system would offset the loss in income which the Notre Dame laundry would incur.

Mason said he opposed a student-run operation because he did not want a proliferation of student vendors on campus. He also expressed concern over

the annual turnover of management in any student-run operation.

In order for this plan to be implemented, it would have to be approved by both the administration and Grace Hall resident. Brother Kieran Ryan, vice-president for Business Affairs, is scheduled to visit Grace soon to make sure that the basement would be a suitable location for laundry machines.

Wesseln will go to the Grace Hall Council tonight to settle several issues. Grace residents must determine if they will restrict the use of the machines to Grace residents, if they will accept having the University run the machines, and if a laundry would best utilize the involved space.

# Students return to class after sniper assault

SAN DIEGO (AP) - A few minutes before the children started filing back into Cleveland Elementary School yesterday, a playground supervisor knelt on the sidewalk to clean away the bloodstains.

The flag was flying at half mast.

"I had bad dreams and thought the lady would still be here," said 9-year-old George Johnson as he entered the school about 8:40 a.m. "But my dad said it's all right now."

Twenty-four hours earlier, a sniper holed up in a house across the street had opened fire with a .22 caliber rifle, killing the principle and the janitor and wounding nine others including eight children.

The "lady" of the boy's dream has been identified by police as Brenda Spencer, a 16-year-old girl who they say sprayed the school grounds with gunfire in a seven-hour siege.

Miss Spencer, described by a girlfriend as "crazy about guns," was being held at Junvenile Hall while law enforcement officials decided what charges to file and whether she will be prosecuted as an adult or a juvenile. It may be several days before a decision is made.

Teachers went ahead with their regular class plans yesterday but much of the time was spent trying to explain the violence of the day before.

Most of the children appeared calm, but some seemed dazed.

Acting principal Daryl Barnes said psychiatric help will be given to any of the school's 311 pupils,

"if they need any help."

Monday's violence began as the students and staff arrived for school. They were walking up a wide sidewalk to enter the main building when the shots rang out.

The children screamed and scattered, Principal Burton Wragg saw a student fall and rushed from his office. He was hit in the chest and fell on the sidewalk, 30 feet from the front door.

Michael Suchar, the school custodian, ran to Wragg's aid and also was hit in the chest. Both men died later.

One of the first officers to arrive, Robert Robb, 28, was also hit. He was in fair condition yesterday at Alvarado Hospital with a neck wound.

Six of the eight wounded students were treated for and released, but two 9-year-old girls remained in serious condition.

Miss Spencer, a red-haired 11th-grader described as "an average" student at Patrick Henry High School, came out of the house and surrendered at 3:10 p.m. She lay down a pellet gun and a .22 caliber rifle with a telescopic sight and went back inside to fetch several hundred rounds of ammunition, police said.

There were open liquor bottles in the front room of the house and police said the girl told them that she had been drinking and taking barbituates.

Last summer Miss Spencer was arrested for shooting out the Cleveland school's windows with a B-B gun.

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# **MCAUTO**

# ... Carroll

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adults." "I personally object to not being treated as an adult here at Notre Dame," Coonan continued. "That is, in large part, what is wrong with the social atmosphere here at Notre Dame. It's downright unhealthy." Echoing Coonan's sentiments was a roomful of Carroll residents, all of whom were quick to point out they they are primarily interested in changing the social atmosphere at Notre Dame. The students said that they could have picked any issue to protest, but they chose parietals because they see that issue as

central to creating "the unhealthy atmosphere." Drury tempered the residents' remarks with the observation that Carroll Hall in particular "has certain problems" that affect the viewpoint of its residents. "You have to understand, first of all, it takes a deliberate act for someone to come and visit out here. We are pretty isolated," he said. "Second we have mostly freshmen and sophomores in the hall. We have only seven upperclassmen besides the RA's. If we had more upperclassmen, I'm sure there would be a more mature

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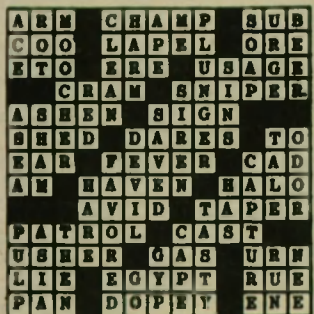
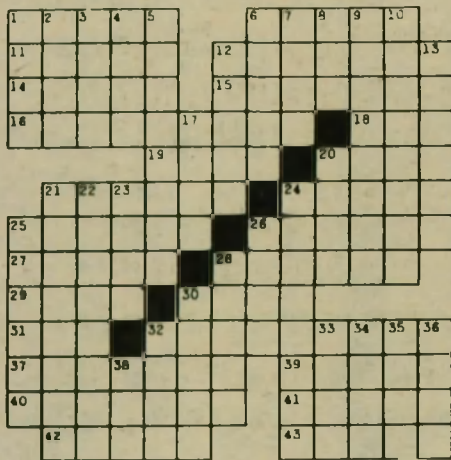
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| 11. Spry                         | 28. Sullen                   | 3. Clenched hand                        |
| 12. Spoke: 2 wds.                | 29. Manly brews              | 4. Run away                             |
| 14. Stratagema                   | 30. Unusually good           | 5. Ambiguous                            |
| 15. Stimulate                    | 31. Christmas drink          | reply: 3 wds.                           |
| 16. Private conversation: 3 wds. | 32. Winter "visitor": 2 wds. | 6. Ship of 1492                         |
| 18. One that produces: suffix    | 37. Gymnastic apparatus      | 7. Church projection                    |
| 19. The "N" in N.B.              | 39. Propertion               | 8. Corded fabric                        |
| 20. Elevate                      | 40. Establishes              | 9. Buildings                            |
| 21. Cheap and gaudy              | 41. Inspecting               | 10. Certain to be successful: hyph. wd. |
| 24. Masculine name               | 42. Transactions             | 12. Devoutness                          |
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|                                  |                              | 28. Symbols of authority                |
|                                  |                              | 30. Demolishes                          |
|                                  |                              | 32. Take definite form                  |
|                                  |                              | 33. East Indian broadbill               |
|                                  |                              | 34. Big name in elevators               |
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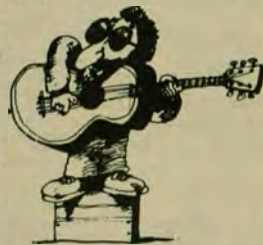
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ACC experiences overcrowding

Winter forces athletes indoors

by Maribeth Moran



Winter's snow and frigid temperatures force many of Notre Dame's full and part-time athletes indoors during the cold months. Both the Rockne Memorial and the ACC experience a marked increase in the use of their respective facilities. According to Mike Danch, events manager at the ACC, "we get so crowded that we're reaching the limit in the usage of space in the building."

Among those who use the ACC for training are twelve varsity sports, numerous clubs and intramural leagues, and individuals. Men's basketball, hockey, wrestling, fencing, baseball, track, soccer, and tennis as well as women's fencing, tennis, and basketball are the varsity sports that use the ACC. Add to this the interhall sports of hockey and basketball, co-rec sports such as volleyball and one can perceive what an extremely crowded

schedule there is at the ACC. "We're bulging at the seams", states Danch.

Danch also pointed to the many individuals who come in from the cold to jog in the concourse or to use the weight room. Boxers who wish to participate in the Bengal Bouts also train here. Squash, handball, and racquetball courts are filled to capacity, so filled, it is difficult to reserve one.

The ice rink also sees much service in the form of interhall hockey, free skating and use by physical education classes. "Our biggest problem is to accommodate what is going on now. we really have no security problems," said Danch.

Accommodation is also a problem at the Rock according to Edward Kazmierzak, supervisor of the Rockne Memorial. "Activity really picks up the first five weeks of the semester due to the weather and lighter workloads", he stated.

As many as 850 students use the Rock on any given day, last

Saturday, however over 1000 students used the facility. The most popular areas seem to be the racquetball courts and basketball gymnasium where long waits are required before playing a game.

While the Rock's pool and weight rooms are kept busy by individual athletes, several club sports use it as a conditioning center. Both the gymnastics club and the ND Crew use it as the site for winter workouts.

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## Orlando Woolridge: 'The Tree' plants his roots at Notre Dame

by Mike Ortman  
Sports Writer

"A slam dunk by the TREE ... Orlando Woolridge," bellows the announcer in that drawn out, often-mimicked way. The crowd responds fanatically. "O" they scream as they spring from their seats to voice their approval

Orlando certainly has the ability to keep the fans in the game, even when the Irish lead by such lopsided margins. His awesome slams, jams and stuffs arouse the emotions of even the most bored spectator in the ACC. "I do that to get the team fired up and to get the fans fired up," admits the 6-9 forward. "It's just one small way for me to contribute to our team." But as most Irish fans know, Woolridge contributes in many other ways as well.

Woolridge's stats are typical for this year's Irish squad. Before last night's game, he had connected on 65 of his field goal attempts, was one of five players averaging between four and five rebounds per game (4.1) and was one of the five scorers averaging in double figures (11.2). All of that ain't bad when you consider that the "Tree" plays just 24 minutes per game.

Without a doubt, Woolridge is

a big favorite of the student body. In the recent game against South Carolina, Gamecock forward Cedrick Hordges violently fouled the sophomore giant. The students became outraged. This brazen lumberjack had chopped down their mighty "Tree." They became so incensed with anger that every time Hordges touched the ball, a thunderous "boo" rang throughout the arena. It seems that the students need "O" (to keep things interesting in some of those one-sided slaughters), but he needs the students as well. "I need them to get me up sometimes," says the Mansfield, LA. native. "I'll be out on the court sometime and I'll need a little extra something to get me going. To know that they're behind me really gets the adrenaline flowing."

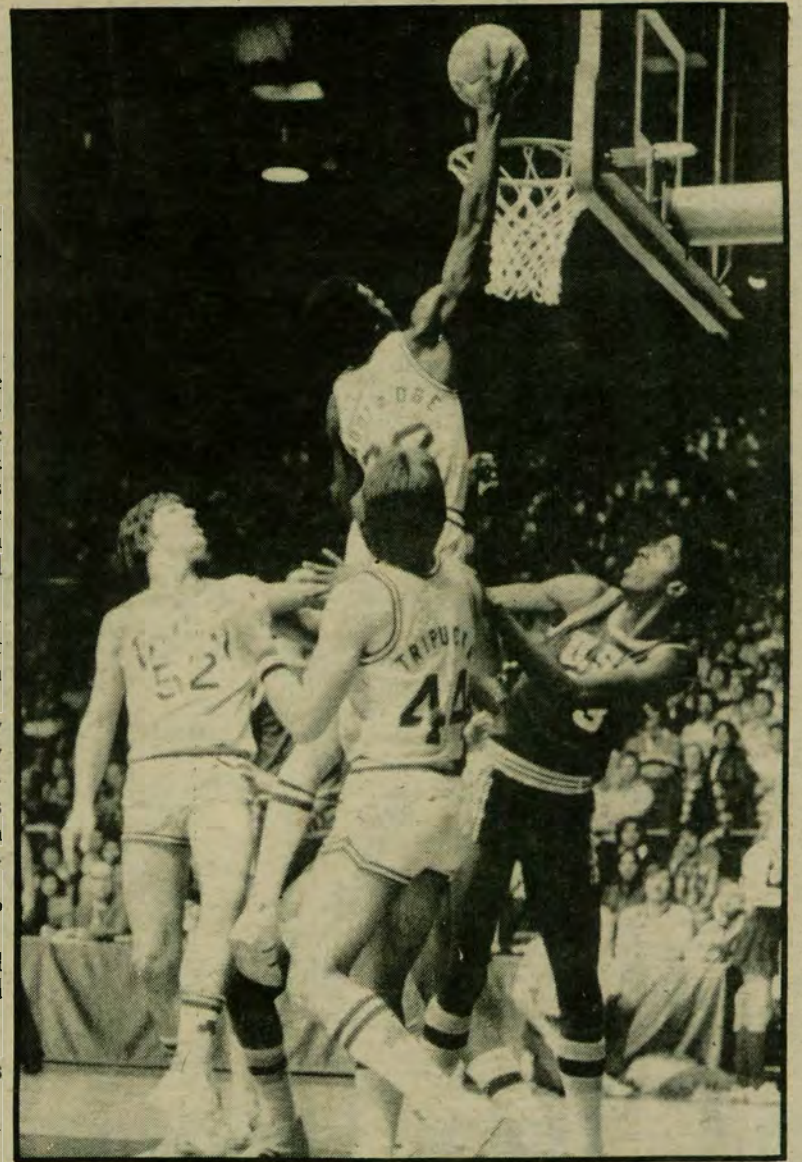
There is little question that the relationship between Woolridge and the students is an excellent one. But Orlando feels that this relationship extends outside the confines of the ACC. "In a lot of colleges, the student body rarely gets to meet the players or even get to know who they are off the court. That's what I really love about Notre Dame. People here can get to know you off the court as well. It's not "here is a

basketball player" and "here is a student." Instead it's "here is a friend." The athletes aren't really singled out here and I like that."

Woolridge feels that the highlight of his brief Notre Dame career was this year's San Francisco game. That marked the second time that "O" received a game's MVP honors (St. Francis was the other). Against the Dons, he hit nine of thirteen from the floor for 18 points and hauled down seven rebounds, leading the team in both departments. "I got to play against some really good competition in that game," said Woolridge. The Dons weren't only "really good" but they were "really big." Frisco, led by 7-1 All-American Bill Cartright, boasts one of the tallest front lines in college basketball. But Woolridge's career is yet young. Surely he will receive more MVP honors in the future.

By the way, when asked whether he preferred to be called "O" or, "Tree" Woolridge responded "Well, they call "O" around here," gesturing to his teammates. "But I mean look, compared to him (pointing to 6-11 Laimbeer), I'm just a shrub."

Somehow it is hard to imagine the students standing up after a Woolridge dunk and screaming "shrub!"



He's the "Tree", Orlando Woolridge, seen here doing what he does best. [Photo by Doug Christian]

## MVP Branning leads with 16

# Notre Dame paints Brown green, 80-53

by Ray O'Brien  
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Despite a weekend loss to Maryland, Notre Dame's basketball team held on to their number one ranking and didn't disappoint any of their backers as they quickly crushed the Bruins of Brown, 80-53 last night at the ACC.

The Irish showed no signs of a

letdown after their last-second loss on Saturday as Orlando Woolridge and Bill Hanzlik lead an early barrage. Notre Dame broke a 4-4 tie and ran off ten unanswered points and that was as close as their visitors from the east would get this night. Another eight point rush after a Bruin basket spearheaded by Rich Branning's outside shooting gave Notre Dame a 22-6 lead with

12:08 remaining. "Digger" Phelps then sent in a new crew as Brown did some regrouping of their own.

Bruin Coach Joe Mullaney slowed down the pace to little avail as the home team continued to increase the gap with Stan Wilcox and Mike Mitchell hitting only net on their field goal attempts.

Brown, who has not scored

over 70 points all year, got all their offense from Peter Moss. Moss thrilled an otherwise quiet crowd with a slam dunk and a block of a Woolridge shot as his team salvaged a 46-27 deficit by halftime.

The second stanza was not much different from the first except that Mullaney solved ND's full court press, cutting down on turnovers and the amount of scoring. Branning, who was voted the game's MVP, continued to hit from the top of the key and was joined outside by Tracy Jackson as Notre Dame cruised to the 80-53 final tally.

"I thought we played well," offered Phelps afterwards. "The defensive intensity at the beginning of the game was necessary to set the tempo of the game and avoid the slowdown."

Phelps was especially pleased with the play of his guards as Branning's 16 point performance, 8-12 from the floor, marked the end of a slump for the Irish floor leader. "I thought Branning played well, showed intensity and shot well," said Phelps. "I think this really was good for his confidence."

"The way I've been playing lately, I wanted to get things together," confided Branning. "I think I've been letting down the team in a lot of areas. But I'm happy we're number one at the halfway mark and I'm thinking of the rest of the games as a second season."

On the Irish number one ranking Phelps remarked, "I was surprised at the ranking because I voted for Indiana State. When North Carolina lost I thought we would stay at number two. But we don't have to prove anything. We've established ourselves as a national power and we just have

one month to get ready for the NCAA's."

Woolridge and Jackson hit double digits for ND with 12 and 10 points respectively. Moss poured in 14 markers in the losing cause as Brown dropped to 5-9 on the season.

Notre Dame will be without the services of Gilbert Salinas for the remainder of the season due to academic ineligibility.

The Irish's next contest is against Xavier Thursday night at the ACC. Tipoff is set for 8 p.m.

## Irish remain No. 1

The Top Twenty teams in the Associated Press college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses.

1. Notre Dame (15)
2. Indiana State (32)
3. Duke (8)
4. North Carolina (1)
5. UCLA (2)
6. Louisville (2)
7. Ohio State
8. Syracuse
9. Georgetown, D.C.
10. Louisiana State
11. Texas
12. Marquette
13. Alabama
14. Illinois
15. Michigan St.
16. Texas A&M
17. Maryland
18. Temple
19. Arkansas
20. Vanderbilt

## Captains to meet

There will be an important meeting for all men's Interhall Basketball captains, Wednesday, Jan. 31, at 4:30 in the ACC Auditorium. Due to excessive water leakage, Gym IV will no longer be available for use. Consequent schedule changes will be announced at the meeting. Captains will be held responsible for all revisions made at this time.

## Sharon Petro eyes second state title

Two state championships in two different sports for one coach in one year? Is it possible? Sharon Petro will find out in a matter of a few weeks.

In the fall of '78, Petro's women's tennis team captured the Indiana state team tennis championship. As we near the spring of '79, Petro's women's basketball team is headed towards the same goal. But their road isn't paved.

At this point in the season, the Notre Dame women own an 11-2 record. And they have five very difficult games ahead of them. The first of those games will involve a trip to Snow City, USA, where the Irish will take on DePaul. The game, a make-up of a previously scheduled game, will be played on Tuesday. Then on Saturday, the Irish will play host to a tall Marquette University club at 3:30 p.m. at the ACC. The final three regular season games will be against three of the top teams in Notre Dame's district. It is these three teams that will pose the most problems for Petro's squad some tournament time.

"I can't really assess how well we'll do in the tournaments," stated Petro, "until I've seen how well we perform against St. Joe's (supposedly the toughest team in the district), Marion, and Goshen. All three are super tough, and the fact that they have revamped the state pairings doesn't help us either. Under the new rules we have to win our district to make the states."

"But we can't look ahead too far yet; we've gotta play DePaul first."

Indeed, the road ahead is tough, and DePaul is next, but visions of the past should be enough to tame the fears of those looking ahead.

In only their second year, the team has established itself as another of the great upholders

## Mark Hannuksela



of Notre Dame tradition. Over the course of their year-and-a-half existence, the team has a combined record of 24-6. Among the more notable accomplishments for the team thus far are tournament wins at Huntington and Northern Illinois, four consecutive wins over Valparaiso, and four more over archrival Saint Mary's College. Oh, and one more thing; of the fourteen members of this year's team, only three will be lost to graduation. To most fans, that means the team will get better; to most opponents, that means trouble. Individually, senior co-captain Carol Lally has spearheaded the Irish attack by averaging 14.2 points per ballgame and 5.5 rebounds. That rebounding figure is good for third place on the team. Jane Politiski leads that category with 106 rebounds, and 8.6 game average. Politiski is also second on the team in scoring with an 8.6 ppg average. One of the Irish's oncoming stars has been freshman Tricia McManus. At 5-11, the tallest member of the team, Tricia has the third highest point total on the team (92, including 22 against SMC on Saturday, for a 7.1 average), is second in rebounding with a 6.4 average, and leads the team in blocked shots with 15.

What's in store for the Irish? Well, this reporter doesn't claim to hold a key to the future, but I've seen the door, and looked through the keyhole. When Sharon Petro gets there, I think she's going to like what she sees.