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Alaskan Revue

Cloudy and cold Friday and Saturday with a 40 percent chance of snow. Highs in the lower 20s.

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Tank sale to Arabs proposed by Bush

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- The Bush administration has opened arms-sale talks with Congress that potentially include shipping 35 Abrams tanks, considered the world's best, to Saudi Arabia and 40 sophisticated FA-18 jet fighters to the United Arab Emirates, congressional and other sources said Thursday.

Other Arab states would be inline for U.S. armaments under the proposal, made in the next to the last day of the Reagan administration and now the focus of discussions between the Bush White House and Congress.

Also proposed: 200 Abrams tanks, seven multiple-launched battlefield rocket systems and 1,500 Tow anti-tank missiles for Kuwait; 40 Maverick air-to-ground missiles with an infrared guidance system and electronic warfare gear for Bahrain; 24 F-16 jet fighters, 100 Mavericks and 100 Sidewinder air-to-air missiles for Morocco, and seven of the battlefield rocket systems for Saudi Arabia.

Greece would get 60 M48

tanks and 100 Harpoon anti-ship missiles.

If Bush follows through, the proposed Arab sales would seem sure to touch off a battle with congressional supporters of Israel, which is concerned that sophisticated weapons in Arab hands could be turned against Israel in a Mideast conflict.

The list is classified; a copy was obtained by The Associated Press.

Charles Redman, the State Department spokesman, declined to identify the weapons under consideration for sale. He stressed that the document did not amount to a "sale plan," but rather to the administration's "best estimate" of other countries' weapons needs.

"Each item has to be reviewed by this administration," Redman said.

Congress has the power to block a purchase, but only if a majority of both the Senate and the House reject a formal White House notification of intended sale.

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Three amigos

Sorin Hall residents (left to right) Dan Barrett, Pat Souter and Chris Balcezak venture across Main Quad in the cold afternoon air Thursday. A light snow that dusted campus signified the end of the recent warm winter weather.

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Pay raise rejected by Senate in 95-5 vote

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- The Senate on Thursday night voted to reject a proposed 51 percent congressional pay raise, but Speaker Jim Wright said the House would let it take effect next week and then vote to reduce it to "a decent raise" of 30 percent.

The Senate voted 95-5 to reject the raise for Congress and other top federal officials, and to change the law to eliminate current procedures which allow a pay increase to take effect without a vote.

The vote against the pay increase was lopsided but largely symbolic, since both chambers must vote to block it. House procedures make it easier to protect a pay raise in that chamber, and Wright, D-Texas, continued as the main target of opponents as he maneuvered to protect most of the raise.

But Wright said Thursday a

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Government urged to take control of insolvent S&Ls

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- The General Accounting Office Thursday urged the U.S. government, after agreement is reached later this year on an savings and loan bailout and reform package, to promptly take control of the 350 remaining insolvent, but still open, institutions.

Meanwhile, President Bush held a private, hour-long meeting to discuss the S&L problem. The meeting was attended by Chief of Staff John Sununu, Treasury Secretary Nicholas Brady, Budget Director Richard Darman and representatives of five bank and S&L groups, said Frederick Webber, president of the U.S. League of Savings Institutions, who attended the meeting.

Bush, at the White House meeting, did not reveal any preference among the many options for addressing the S&L crisis, according to participants.

Bush "was there to learn from us and he's a good lis-

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Danny boy and girl

Vice President Dan Quayle gives young Cecile Durand a lift Wednesday at the U.S. Embassy in Caracas, Venezuela. Quayle, on his first international trip as vice president, attended the inauguration of Venezuela's President-elect Carlos Andres Perez.

AP Photo

ND alumnus killed in airplane crash

Observer Staff Report

A Notre Dame alumnus was one of the 19 people killed in the recent crash of an Air Force transport plane on Tuesday.

Captain Joseph Nellis was a crew member of the KC-135 which crashed just south of Dyess Air Force Base in Texas. He died Tuesday of injuries received in the crash.

Nellis graduated from Notre Dame and received his commission through the Air Force ROTC unit in 1983. He was assigned as an Air Force navigator to K.I. Sawyer Air Force Base in Michigan.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Normal Nellis of Granger, IN.

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Donnelly elected as new Observer Editor-in-Chief

By MARK McLAUGHLIN
Senior Staff Reporter

By a majority vote of the general board, The Observer named Chris Donnelly as editor-in-chief for 1989-90.

"The Observer has come a long way since my freshman year," said Donnelly, a junior philosophy major from South Bend, Indiana. "I have every expectation that The Observer will continue to serve the campus community and keep improving."

Donnelly started working for The Observer his freshman year as layout staff. He



Chris Donnelly

has held the posts of assistant production manager and assistant Viewpoint editor. Donnelly has served as managing editor for the past year.

Donnelly will assume his duties as editor-in-chief after spring break, succeeding senior Chris Murphy.

OF INTEREST

Chicago Bulls tickets are available at the LaFortune Information Desk for the Feb. 7 game against the Charlotte Hornets at 7:30 p.m. Tickets open to all interested parties. Discount with student ID.- *The Observer*

Applications for summer hall manager and/or assistant manager are now available in the Office of Student Residences, 311 Administration Building. They must be turned in by March 15.- *The Observer*

The governor's office of Indiana offers a one-year fellowship in state government to ten graduating students from Indiana. A current Governor's Fellow (ND '88) will be at the Notre Dame Career and Placement conference room to discuss details of the program on Feb. 7 from 12-5 p.m.- *The Observer*

All Saint Mary's students running for student body or class offices for the 1989-90 school year must attend one mandatory election meeting on either Mon. or Wed., 7 p.m., 304 Haggard College Center. All members on your ticket must attend.- *The Observer*

The International Festival will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at Washington Hall. Tickets will be honored until 7:25 p.m., after which admittance will be on a first-come, first-serve basis.- *The Observer*

Northern Ireland seminar has an opening for one female student participant. This one credit course involves four meetings and an eight day trip to Northern Ireland over spring break. If you are interested call 239-7862 or 239-6444.- *The Observer*

Women's Care Center Phone-A-Thon to be held next week seeks volunteers. All interested should contact Kevin Belton at the Women's Care Center at 232-7781.- *The Observer*

A national championship salute will be held Tuesday, Feb. 7 at 8 p.m. in the Joyce ACC. Father Edward Malloy, Coach Lou Holtz, UPI National Championship Award presenter, and the Notre Dame Football team will be in attendance.- *The Observer*

New library hours: starting this weekend the Hesburgh Memorial Library will open at 10 a.m. every Sun. this semester.- *The Observer*

Wear green to the Duke game this Sun. Irish Insanity will sponsor free face painting before the game.- *The Observer*

NDE 4th Day: all past NDE participants are invited to the Log Chapel today at 4:30 to pray for the participants and team on NDE '88 (this weekend). Also, remember retreat on Christian Leadership this Sun. from 12-3:30 p.m. at Walsh Chapel.- *The Observer*

The Notre Dame Voices of Faith Gospel Ensemble says, "Hold on, hold out. Yes, there is hope for the world!" All are welcome to rejoice and uplift the name of our Lord today at 7:30 p.m., Washington Hall- *The Observer*

Observer Of Interests and other public service announcements may be submitted at The Observer main office on the third floor of LaFortune Student Center until 1 p.m. prior to the date of publication. Of Interest announces free, campus-wide events of general interest. Lecture Circuit announces on-campus and local lecturers. Campus announces other events of general interest, free or paid. The Observer reserves the right to edit all submitted materials and determine if and where announcements will be published.-*The Observer*

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INSIDE COLUMN

Notre Dame shows its lack of diversity

Notre Dame has no class.

All right, some people here do. But certainly the percentage is no higher than anywhere else in the world.

I was rather disappointed with the response to the S-I column printed here earlier this week. Letters to the editor are fine. Letters to the author are fine. Calls to the author's home consisting of obscene remarks that make the Jimmy Johnson calls sound friendly are not fine.

The author of the S-I column committed a Mortal Notre Dame Sin: not only having an opinion that is not of the majority, but going so far as to express it. However, unlike all those phone callers, the author had the guts to attach her name to what she wrote. I can respect the letter writers even if I disagree with them.

But anonymous phone callers are contemptible.

Notre Dame is fairly good at harassment. Witness the plight of homosexuals, who endure constant abuse and instant referral to 'mandatory counseling' upon discovery. Witness the Druids, a group of students trying to stir up the campus for An Tostal, only to be pelted with garbage by residents of several dorms. Witness an act of love between two people turn into instant expulsion.

Harassment goes hand-in-hand with image consciousness here. The administration has their holy grails: no alcohol, no sex, no drugs, token gestures to liberal theology and minorities, nothing even vaguely controversial. What other school claims the whole world as its campus when it comes to random disciplinary action?

But often the students here are just as bad. Engineers are geeks, premeds are throats, and everyone else is a blowoff, except for SMC chicks who are after a ring. And God forbid you're one of those people- 'those' being minorities or chauvinists or feminists or homosexuals or atheists or non-white-middle-class-Catholic-Republican-male-jocks.

Image consciousness is a horrible thing. It's probably why there's a huge problem on campus with date rape: guys living up to their image. It's probably why there's a huge problem on campus with eating disorders: girls living up to their image.

I can just hear the typical Domers reading this column now (those of you who haven't stopped reading and called me an arrogant bastard). "If you didn't like the place, why did you

Mark McLaughlin

News Editor



come here?" Well, if Notre Dame bothered to send freshmen a copy of Du Lac and the Honor Code before they asked for the \$200 deposit, I probably would have known better.

Sure, this place is Catholic. So's St. Joe High. But this place calls itself a university. If Notre Dame is ever going to be a true university, there needs to be an open discussion of ideas. Even non-Catholic ones. As long as we cling to the idea that discussion is fine as long as you come up with the "right," i.e. approved, answers, this place will be a football school.

Humans seem to delight in telling each other what they aren't allowed to do. Universities are supposed to shelter students from that pressure, not cement it into place. But the school walls people in here, and the students wall themselves in. Anyone who doesn't look right gets slammed, just like the real world. So please, spare the "Notre Dame family" rhetoric. It's more like a club.

Why can't we just let people be?

One last thing, for all you teeming millions who might plan on telling me off for calling you names: Please save my roommates the hassle of having to put up with me. Write P.O. Box Q.

The Observer

Applications are now being accepted for the following positions:

Managing Editor
Business Manager
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A three-page personal statement and a résumé must be submitted to Chris Donnelly by 5 p.m. Wednesday, February 8.

News Editor
Viewpoint Editor
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Saint Mary's Editor
Photo Editor

Art Director
Ad Design Manager
Advertising Manager
Production Manager
Controller
OTS Director

A two-page personal statement and a résumé must be submitted to Chris Donnelly by 5 p.m. Friday, February 10.

SMC opens series on diversity with lecture

By KERRY SCANLON
News Staff

Saint Mary's "Gathering Voices" series on cultural and ethnic diversity opened Thursday night with a lecture on post-World War II America by Japanese-American artist Steve Murakishi.

Murakishi's lecture, "Hero, She, Ma: In Post America" discussed ethnic and racial differences within American society from a Japanese-American perspective.

He said two events that shaped postwar America for Japanese-Americans were the atomic bomb dropped on Hiroshima and the internment camps of World War II.

The attack on Pearl Harbor created mass hysteria and animosity toward Japanese-Americans living on the west coast, prompting President Franklin Roosevelt to order native Japanese and Americans of Japanese descent to control stations, Murakishi said.

Although the United States was also at war with Germany and Italy, no German-Americans or Italian-Americans were subjected to blanket exclusion orders like those imposed on Japanese, Murakishi noted.

Evacuated Japanese-Americans were forced to leave possessions or sell them. While their families were in internment camps, some 25,000 Japanese-Americans served in America's armed forces, he said.

The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco estimated in 1942, based on property claims, that Japanese-Americans lost more than \$400 million in personal belongings.

Murakishi said there was a good end to the internment experience on August 10, 1988, when President Reagan signed a redress bill to compensate those interned by Roosevelt's executive order.

Japanese-Americans have received great benefits from the American system of higher education, Murakishi said.

Minority hiring practices have opened the doors and as a group the Japanese Americans have the highest average income of any group in America, he said.

Murakishi said he feels there is a bright future for a strong, progressive relationship with all Americans. But he added that there are "disturbing signs, and a atmosphere of growing hatred and hostility seen in racially motivated attacks and senseless murder."

Murakishi is head of the printmaking department at Cranbrook Academy of Art in Bloomfield Hills, Mich. Three of his works, "Lucky Wong," "Recite: Hero, She, Ma" and "Hardball" will be displayed in the Moreau Gallery.

The "Gathering Voices" series will continue at Saint Mary's during the spring semester with lectures, films, art exhibitions, musical performances and poetry readings.



The Observer / Donald Pan

Brother Robert Lombardo, the 1989 Tom Dooley Dame graduate, received the award for his work with the homeless in New York. Story page five.

\$15,000 worth of computers stolen from O'Shaughnessy

By MICHAEL WELLS
Staff Reporter

Five Macintosh computers worth \$15,000 were missing from the O'Shaughnessy lab when it was opened yesterday at 8:00 a.m., said Lt. Bill Hedl of Notre Dame Security.

The lab's only security system was the door's combination lock and the locked doors of O'Shaughnessy Hall itself. Hedl said at this time Security "cannot determine if any force was used to enter."

Security theorizes, however, that someone who knew the lock's combination entered the lab.

Carolyn Goodnight, director of student consultants and manager of the Macintosh labs, said it would have been possible for someone to have memorized the combination as the lab was being opened one morning.

After the Macintosh lab is closed at 1:00 a.m., it is standard procedure for the custodial staff to lock O'Shaughnessy and ask all remaining students to leave, said Assistant Director of Security Charles Hurley.

The exact time the building was secured Wednesday is unknown, but Hedl said a Security inspection of the building at 2:30 a.m. revealed "nothing unusual."

It has also not been determined how the five computers were removed. "It could have been several people working together, or it could have been one individual who made several trips," Hurley said.

To recover the stolen computers, Security will send the Macintoshes' serial numbers to the FBI's computer and notify local businesses that sell or repair Macintosh computers.

Donald Spicer, assistant provost for University computing, said the lab did not have a security alarm system like the LaFortune lab because "in the case of O'Shaughnessy, we inherited a facility that Arts and Letters had been running."

He added that "if someone knew how to get into the lab, cables wouldn't have helped because they would have come with a cable cutter. In point of fact, there are a lot of computers in offices around campus that are no more secure than the O'Shaughnessy facility."

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Tampa disturbed by riots

Associated Press

TAMPA, Fla.- A drug suspect whose arrest sparked an hourlong rock- and bottle-throwing melee died of cardiac arrest while in police custody, authorities said Thursday.

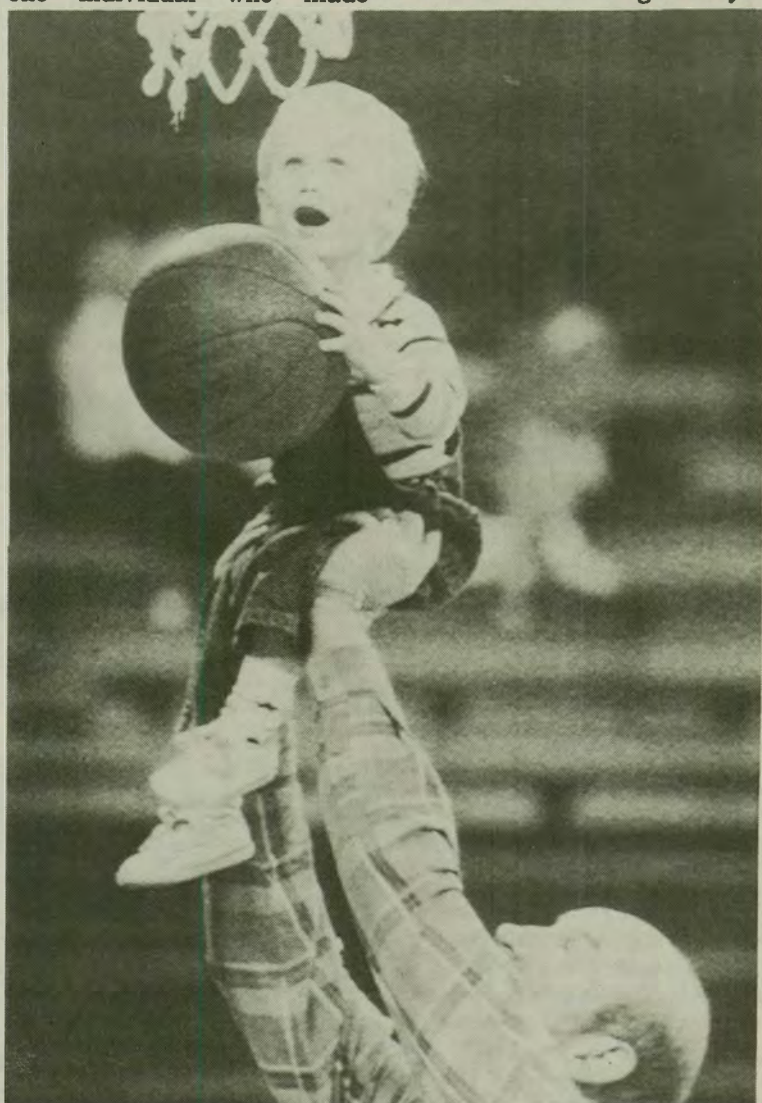
The predominantly black neighborhood was calm a day after about 100 officers in riot gear quelled the outbreak Wednesday night by 75 to 150 young people that followed the arrest of Edgar Allen Price, 40, in an undercover bust.

It was the latest of at least a half-dozen violent outbreaks in the College Hill section in the past two years and the second in Florida in two weeks.

Price, who struggled violently during his arrest, died of cardiac arrest and had not been beaten or choked, Deputy Chief Thomas DePolis said at a news conference announcing preliminary autopsy results.

Police spokesman Steve Cole said earlier that the disruption caused a 45-second delay in treatment for Price, because officers had to move him two blocks so paramedics could get to him.

Both Cole and DePolis said no shots were fired during the incident.



AP Photo

Two for two

Two-year-old Stephen Bostwick, of Lilburn, Ga., watches the basket as his father Dan gives him a lift. The two practiced their shooting during halftime of a Georgia Tech Lady Jacket basketball game in Atlanta Wednesday.



Alumnus and student

The Observer / Donald Pan

Junior Jackie Joyce (right) chats with Dr. John Lungren '38, former president of the Notre Dame Alumni Association, at the alumni-student reception Thursday evening in North Dining Hall.

Quayle criticizes Carter

Associated Press

CARACAS, Venezuela- Vice President Dan Quayle on Thursday criticized former President Carter for meeting with Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega, saying such action "has a chance of complicating matters."

Quayle also criticized Carter for comments reporters said the former president had made urging the Bush administration to use economic persuasion in El Salvador to encourage the U.S.-backed government there to fight human rights abuses.

"If he's calling for economic

sanctions against El Salvador, yes, he's complicating matters," Quayle said. "I don't think it's particularly helpful for a former president to make those kind of statements."

Quayle, on his first diplomatic mission as vice president, was to stop Friday in El Salvador after leaving Caracas. He has said he wants to emphasize concern for human rights and support for democracy there.

Asked if he has talked to President Bush since arriving Wednesday in Venezuela, Quayle said no, noting Bush has laryngitis and a cold.

Bush meets Japanese leader

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- President Bush promised continued good U.S.-Japanese relations on Thursday, telling Prime Minister Noboru Takeshita any disputes between the nations are "the differences of friends."

Takeshita was equally upbeat. Standing alongside Bush in a colorful departure ceremony on the South Lawn of the White House, Takeshita said their session "marked a new start for U.S.-Japan cooperation."

Both leaders pledged closer economic and political cooperation- Bush vowing to work to drive down the U.S. budget deficit and Takeshita promising that Japan would accept more imports.

They also reaffirmed a plan to assist the Philippine government of Corazon Aquino and said they would continue to consult closely on policies toward the Soviet Union, the Middle East and Latin America.

"Continuity will... be the mark of relations between the United States and Japan. On occasion, we may have differences. But these are the differences of friends," Bush said. "Simply put, we respect one another. We need one another."

"We're glad you came our way, Sir," Bush said.

Takeshita, borrowing a phrase from Bush's Jan. 20 inaugural address, told his host: "in your words, the new breeze is blowing, Mr. President."

No policy initiatives had been expected at Thursday's "working lunch" at the White House- Bush's first meeting with a foreign leader since he took office- and apparently none materialized.

Aides said the two leaders

dealt mainly with generalities and did not discuss in any detail a new Japanese proposal for a high-level panel to resolve trade disputes or a joint U.S.-Japanese jet fighter project that has drawn criticism in Congress.

However, these issues were taken up in a separate meeting between Secretary of State James Baker and Japanese

Foreign Minister Sousuke Uno, according to Gaston Sigur, assistant secretary of state for East Asian and Pacific affairs.

Sigur, briefing reporters, said Baker told Uno that "we do have very good mechanisms right now" for resolving trade disputes, but that the United States was willing to engage in talks with Japan to "see whether there are other things that should be done."

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tener," Webber said. "It was very gratifying. The man is personally involved in this."

Sununu rebuked the bank representatives over "irresponsible" newspaper advertisements encouraging savings and loan customers to withdraw their deposits, industry officials said.

Another source, who spoke on the condition of anonymity, said, "Sununu characterized the ads twice or three times as irresponsible. He said, 'This type of garbage is irresponsible.'"

Sununu's anger over the advertisements underscores the administration's concern that the debate in Washington over how to pay for the S&L crisis has unnerved some thrift

depositors even though no one in government has suggested that insured deposits are not fully protected.

White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said the president, who will meet with members of Congress on the subject Friday morning, will detail his S&L program in a speech to Congress on Feb. 9.

Meeting participants said Bush indicated he has not yet received recommendations from the Treasury Department. But Fitzwater said that proposals in the address to Congress "will be pretty specific. You'll know exactly what our proposal is."

"The feeling in the meeting was this is a serious situation. . . . By the time it gets to be a real run, it's too late," said Mark Riedy, president of the National Council of Savings Institutions.

Arms

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The informal list was sent to Congress on Jan. 19 by the outgoing Reagan administration. The Bush administration opened talks with Congress last Friday, said a U.S. official who declined to be identified.

Of all its allies, the United States is planning to share the Abrams tank, also known as the M1A1, only with Egypt, with which the United States recently completed co-production arrangements with

the aim of providing the tanks to the Egyptian army.

Under the plan now under discussion, Egypt would be sold 150 Hawk missiles, 24 helicopters, artillery radar and tank equipment. Israel would be sold 200 shoulder-fired Stinger missiles, 24 helicopters and new equipment for its F-15 jet fighters.

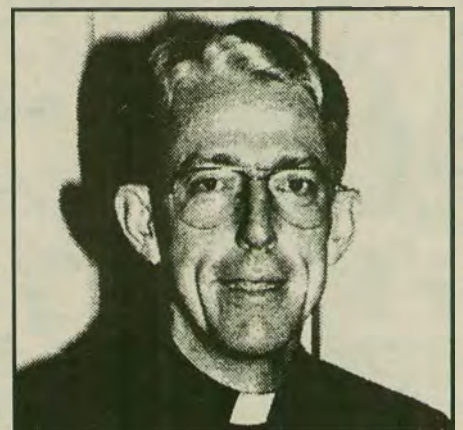
Jordan again would receive no American weapons. Since 1985, Congress has prohibited military aid to the Arab kingdom until it agrees to peace terms with Israel.

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Lombardo gives speech on homelessness and action

By CATHY FLYNN
News Staff

Homelessness is a problem that we should all confront, said Brother Robert Lombardo, during a lecture Thursday.

Lombardo, who is this year's winner of the Tom Dooley Award for an outstanding contribution to the social services, works in the Padre Pio Shelter for the homeless in the South Bronx.

He said he felt a call from God to help people who didn't have the opportunities he had when he was working as an accountant in New York City after his graduation from Notre Dame.

"My experience with the homeless has shattered the stereotypical images I had of them as lazy, mentally ill, or poorly-groomed people. I began to see them not as homeless, but as people," said Lombardo. "I decided back then, that if I was going to go the whole nine yards— give up the wife, kids, and the 2.2 cars—that I wanted to work with the poor."

However, "I was always kind of scared of the poor," Lombardo admitted.

The experience people have in their own lives is enough to allow them to deal with the poor, Lombardo said.

"You see someone in a cardboard box. You see some-

one wrapped up in newspapers, and you ask yourself what you can do. Is this my fault? It is important to ask yourself how you feel," said Lombardo.

Sometimes it is possible to respond to a poor person in the street by simply giving them money, Lombardo said. However, it would be better to offer to buy them a sandwich or a cup of coffee, as so many of them are addicted to substances, he added.

"We are in a position where we can make a difference. We must prick the social con-

science of the United States," said Lombardo.

Although it may seem as if the efforts of social ministers make only a tiny impression on the homeless problem at large, Lombardo said, their actions have a ripple effect on the population.

He encouraged all students to make others aware of the homeless and to partake in programs where they can get directly involved.

"There are people willing to make a difference," said Lombardo.

"We live in the most affluent society, and the fact that we have people living on the streets is wrong."

But, money is not going to solve the problem, Lombardo said.

"When I lay down to bed some nights and say 'God, I would love to wake up in St. Croix or the Bahamas,' I think back to the Grotto. There is a special spirit here that we can carry away with us-- the power of prayer," said Lombardo.

Radio station claims Pan-Am bomb in CIA agent's case

Associated Press

LONDON- The bomb that blew up Pan Am Flight 103 over Scotland was planted by Palestinian terrorists in the luggage of a CIA agent, a radio station said today.

David Johnson, head of the news department at Radio Forth in Edinburgh, reported the CIA officer was returning from Beirut with five colleagues after a mission to negotiate release of the nine American hostages in Lebanon.

Investigators in Lockerbie, Scotland, where the investigation into the Dec. 21 disaster is headquartered, refused comment on the report, which cited information from unidentified Scottish police sources.

In December, U.S. officials in Washington, speaking on

condition of anonymity, told The Associated Press the CIA's chief in Beirut was among the jet's passengers. They did not give the agent's name.

At that time, the FBI's executive assistant director, Oliver Revell, denied the agent was on the jet.

Radio Forth did not name the agent it said was on the jet. It said investigators believe a three-pound charge of Semtex explosive and a timing device were slipped into the agent's luggage by Palestinian terrorists who infiltrated the secret Beirut mission.

It speculated the perpetrators belonged to Ahmed Jibril's Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine-General Command. Jibril has been accused in the past of involvement in the bombing and has denied it.

On Wednesday night, CBS news said Jibril was the prin-

cipal architect of the bombing. It said Jibril, based in Syria, was working for Libyan leader Moammar Gadhafi but was required to clear the operation with Syrian intelligence officials.

Last month, the Hamburg newspaper Bild reported Jibril's organization was involved in the bombing.

CBS quoted Jibril spokesman Omar Shehabi as saying, "I tell you that we didn't do it and we are not involved. We don't practice terrorism and we condemn such actions."

In Frankfurt, West Germany, one of the stops on the flight, prosecutor's spokesman Jochen Schroers said the report of Syrian and Libyan involvement was "just speculation."

The Radio Forth report quoted sources as saying the bomb was placed in luggage that also carried "quite sensitive documents."

SUMMER PROGRAMS

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The ND Alumni Association will be accepting nominations until February 28, 1989, for the Distinguished Student Award. Nominations may be made by anyone honoring an outstanding senior student who fits the above criteria. Applications may be obtained at the Alumni Office, 201 Main Building and at the Campus Ministry Office, Memorial Library.

ADWORKS

Railway accident knocks out power

Associated Press

HELENA, Mont.- Runaway railroad cars derailed and exploded early today, knocking out power to 37,000 people in and around Helena and forcing the evacuation of thousands in wind chills of 70 degrees below zero.

There were no reports of serious injuries in the 4:48 a.m. explosion, which rocked houses up to three miles away, overturned automobiles and shattered windows in a nearby college and homes, officials said.

The explosion occurred in an open area near three major power lines, and authorities believed at least one had been severed. Electricity was restored to all but half the city within 10 minutes.

"It's a miracle no one was killed or injured," said Ed

Schild, undersheriff for Lewis and Clark County.

Firefighters apparently extinguished a blaze near a railroad tanker containing hydrogen peroxide, which had threatened to set off a second explosion, police Capt. Bud Carbis said.

Snow fell as firefighters poured water on the flames. Temperatures of 29 degrees below zero combined with winds to produce wind chills of 70 below, the National Weather Service said.

About 2,000 people, including 700 to 800 of the 1,100 students at Carroll College, were evacuated from a square-mile area around the blast zone, officials said. Evacuees went to churches, the Helena Civic Center, the National Guard armory and schools, which were already closed by the cold snap.



Groundhog daze

Punxsutawney Phil, the weather predicting groundhog of Punxsutawney, Pa. is held by said Phil saw his shadow and predicts six more weeks of winter. Sportsmen's Club representative Bud Dunkel, who

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Caterpillars' diet affects their appearance, say researchers

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- Diet determines destiny for a small caterpillar in Arizona whose appearance is radically changed by food selection- a clear insect demonstration of the old saying that "you are what you eat."

Erick Greene, a researcher at the University of California at Davis, reports Friday in the

journal Science that the caterpillar nemoria arizonaria lives on oak trees and develops the camouflage it needs for the season in which it is hatched. In effect, the clever critter has a spring costume and a fall costume.

"Both fall and spring caterpillars have identical genetic material," said Greene. "The spring brood and the fall brood

look exactly the same when they hatch. Their later change depends entirely on what the caterpillar eats. Diet cues turn on or off the right set of genes so that they turn into the right shape at the right time of year."

Caterpillars, or larvae, hatched in the spring come out and immediately begin feeding on the oak catkin, or flower.

Soon, these caterpillars develop a segmented look that resembles the flower.

After a few weeks, the caterpillar turns into a pupa and later into an adult moth. The adult, which is a brilliant emerald green, quickly mates, lays eggs and dies, Greene said.

The new eggs soon hatch and caterpillars identical to the

spring brood appear. But once they start feeding, changes occur quickly.

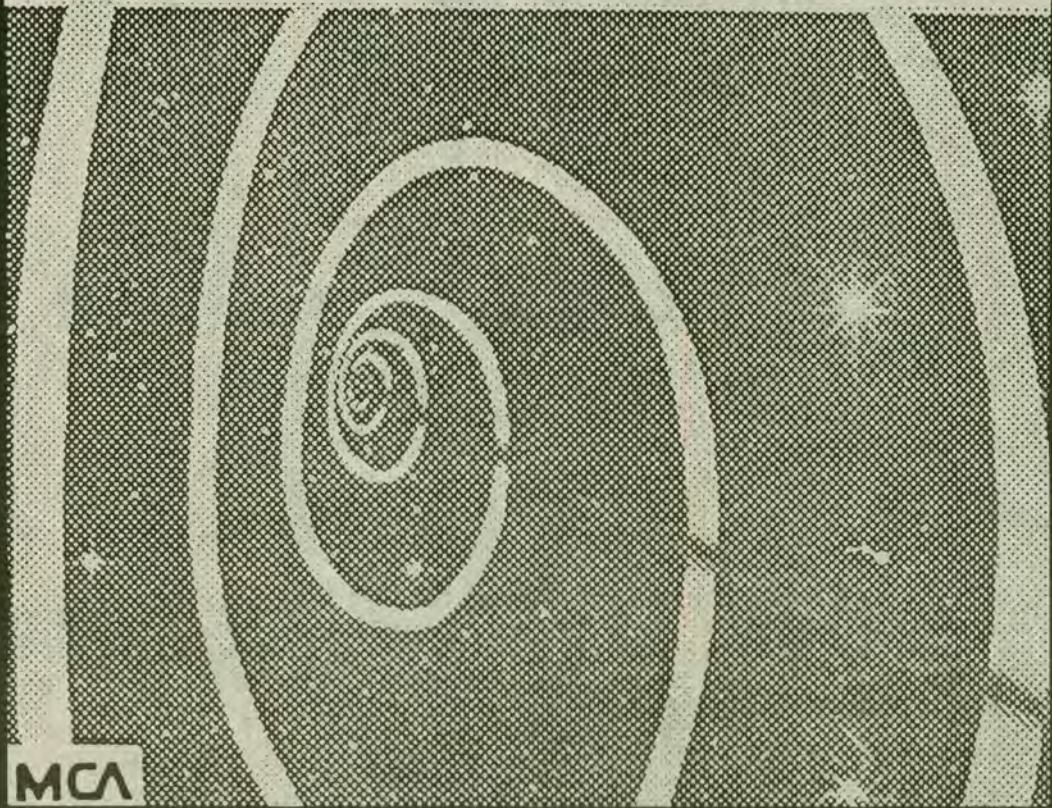
Greene said that by the time the fall brood appears, the oak tree has lost its blossoms and is developing leaves. The new caterpillars feed on these leaves.

Oak leaves have a high content of a chemical compound called tannin.

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Anticipation

Spring semester keeps seniors busy in the job search. A group of seniors waits in the Career and Placement

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Office before interviews with companies' representatives Thursday afternoon.

Probe of crash in Texas continues

Associated Press

ABILENE, Texas- The investigation into the crash of a military tanker is being aided by witnesses who have responded to pleas for assistance in the local newspaper and on broadcast stations, an Air Force official said Thursday.

A KC-135A, the workhorse of the military's tanker fleet, crashed on takeoff just south of a Dyess Air Force Base runway Tuesday. All 19 aboard were killed, including 11 active military men, four retirees and four dependents.

The plane, which was assigned to K.I. Sawyer AFB, Mich., was bound for Hawaii and Guam and planned to refuel four F-16s that were flying to South Korea.

An accident investigating team, led by Col. Dennis Carpenter of Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C., is comprised of personnel from bases other than the one to which the plane was assigned.

Working from grids and charts of the crash that were prepared by Dyess personnel, the team combed the wreckage Thursday and listened to statements from witnesses, said Sgt. Steve Bailey, a Dyess spokesman.

The arctic cold front that has brought frigid temperatures to much of the country during the past week dipped into West Texas, but was not hampering the six-member investigation team, he said.

Mother Teresa opens new chapter of order in Phoenix

Associated Press

PHOENIX- America's young people, laden with possessions, are glad to find the inner peace that comes with giving, says Mother Teresa, the world's best-known advocate of the poor.

"They say, 'We want the life of poverty, prayer and sacrifice that will lead me to the service of the poor,'" the 78-year-old Nobel Peace laureate said Wednesday, explaining the growth of her Mis-

sionaries of Charity order while other Roman Catholic orders face dwindling enrollment.

Mother Teresa, who founded the order in Calcutta, India, in 1948, was in Phoenix to open the 401st chapter of the Missionaries of Charity and the 16th in the United States.

Her itinerary Thursday included a private Mass with Bishop Thomas O'Brien of the Phoenix Diocese, an evening prayer service at Simon and Jude Cathedral and meetings

Nellis

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George Nellis recently retired as the Assistant Director for Administration of the Notre Dame Computing Center.

A memorial service for all victims of the crash will be held today at Sawyer AFB. No information on funeral arrangements was available.

Raise

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"clear majority" of the House privately supported his plan for dodging a pre-deadline vote and then voting a partial rollback of the raise along with a ban on honoraria.

However, the restrictive parliamentary procedure planned by the speaker requires a tough two-thirds vote before the bill could be sent to the Senate. The 51 percent raise would remain in effect unless both chambers agreed to cut it back, and House opponents vowed to roll it back to zero whether Wright wins or loses.

"It would be very difficult for the speaker to find two-thirds for this resolution," said Rep. Tom Tauke, R-Iowa.

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Mike O'Neill (standing) relates his experiences as a Peace Corps volunteer to a group of seniors in the Sorin Hall lounge Thursday night. Corps volunteers

Marty Loesch (left of O'Neill) and Brigitte Goulet also spoke on their experiences.

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Tower vote postponed

Associated Press

WASHINGTON- The chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee said today the panel has postponed an expected vote on the nomination of Defense Secretary-designate John Tower, and another senator said additional meetings with the FBI were planned.

Tower, a onetime chairman of the committee, had appeared headed for confirma-

tion after telling his former colleagues on Wednesday that he had no alcohol problem and would not be swayed by past business ties with defense contractors.

But Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., while chairing a hearing on the Savannah River nuclear reactor, announced that the committee will not vote today on Tower's nomination. He did not indicate when the panel might be polled.

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Basketball coach with AIDS temporarily reinstated

Associated Press

ANDERSONVILLE, Ind.- A volunteer basketball coach dismissed because he has AIDS was temporarily reinstated Thursday while school officials review his case.

Allen Ward, 37, was dismissed last week after only one game as coach of his daughter's intramural team at Laurel Elementary School.

In firing Ward, administrators cited a new AIDS policy that requires school employees suspected of carrying the AIDS virus to be tested and their cases reviewed by a committee of health and school officials.

Don Jobe, superintendent of Franklin County Community Schools, said during a news

conference Thursday that Ward would be allowed to continue coaching pending a decision by the school board on whether his condition constitutes a public health threat.

"In keeping with the board policy, (I am) of the opinion that the medical condition of the afflicted volunteer is not such as to constitute an immediate health threat," Jobe said.

He said he made the decision to reinstate Ward after speaking to Ward's physician, the Franklin County health officer and officials at the State Board of Health.

He said the school board was awaiting written confirmation of Ward's condition from his physician in Indianapolis. A

final decision on whether Ward can stay on indefinitely is expected in about two weeks, he said.

"I would hope as soon as possible," Jobe said. "I will not draw it out."

Ward, who had launched a petition drive to be reinstated, said he was happy to be going back to work.

"I really feel good about it," Ward said. "I believe their decision will come out in my favor."

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"PUCK SHOOT OUT"

Eating disorders pose danger at ND

Editor's note: The following is the first in a series of five articles dealing with eating disorders.

Last March, the University Counseling Center conducted a survey of all the undergraduate women on campus regarding their eating habits and their attitudes and behaviors related to eating disorders. Forty-four percent of the women surveyed responded, a very positive response rate. The Counseling Center staff would like to express our appreciation to the women who participated in the survey. You enabled us to better understand the issues of eating disorders for women on campus. In addition to expressing our thanks for your help, we also want to share a summary of our results with you and the rest of the Notre Dame community. We plan to do this in two ways.

Christine Conway
guest column

First, The Observer will be running a series of articles this week in the Viewpoint section on eating disorders. The first three articles in this series will focus on various aspects of the survey results. The final two articles were written by students relating their own personal experiences with eating disorders. Second, members of the University Counseling Center staff will be meeting with groups of women's dorms to present more detailed information about the results of the survey, answer questions, and get ideas about ways we can address these issues on campus. You can find out more about the results of the survey by attending a feedback session in one of the dorms. The sessions will be held beginning this Sunday, Feb. 5:
Sunday-Farley, 7 p.m.
Monday-Breen-Philips, 7 p.m.
Tuesday-Knott, 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday-Lyons, 7 p.m.
Thursday-Badin, 6:30 p.m.

While the survey focused upon the prevalence of eating disorders among women, eating disorders are not exclusively a female issue. Men also develop eating disorders, although not in the alarming proportions as do women. In addition, as the prevalence of eating disorders increases in women, men are more likely to be affected. Your sister, girlfriend, future wife or daughter may be affected by an eating disorder. It's important that you understand what eating disorders are and what factors

contribute to their development so that you can be a supportive and positive influence to the women in your life. We encourage you to read the articles this week, to attend one of the feedback sessions, and to talk to the women you know about their experiences and views on this issue.

Eating disorders fall into two primary categories, anorexia and bulimia. Anorexia is defined by the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual-Revised (DSM-III-R) published by the American Psychiatric Association as: 1) body weight of 15 percent below that expected; 2) an absence of menstrual cycle due to low body weight; 3) concern about weight and shape; and 4) an intense fear of gaining weight. Estimates of the prevalence of anorexia indicate that between 1 in 100 to 1 in 800 women suffer from this disorder. The onset of anorexia is usually between the ages of 13 and 20. Anorexia kills approximately 5-21 percent of those who suffer from it.

Bulimia is defined by the DSM-III-R as: 1) recurrent episodes of binge eating; 2) two binges per week; 3) the experience of being out of control while bingeing; 4) concern about body shape and weight; and 5) engagement in any of the following methods of purging: vomiting, strict dieting, excessive exercise, laxative use, or diuretic use. In other studies using similar criteria, the incidence of bulimia is reported to be approximately 3 percent. The onset of bulimia tends to be later than for anorexia and is often preceded by a period of restrictive dieting.

The results from the Notre Dame survey indicate that 0.6 percent of the respondents were diagnosable as anorexic. This is similar to that found in other studies. Seven percent of the respondents were considered to be bulimic, a little more than double the frequency reported in comparable studies. An additional four percent of the respondents exhibited all but one of the symptoms of anorexia, and 9 percent reported all but one of the symptoms of bulimia. Thus, a total of 20 percent of the respondents to the Notre Dame survey have either a diagnosable eating disorder or a serious eating problem. Forty-six percent of the respondents have some symptoms of an eating problem. Fifteen percent indicated that they are "concerned about their weight," and 19 percent showed no symptoms of an eating disorder. The literature suggests that the

norm for women is to exhibit some concern about their weight and appearance. Therefore, this group was also considered to fall within the normal range. This data suggests that the frequency of disturbed eating behavior among Notre Dame women is quite high, occurring in two-thirds of the women who responded to the survey.

The etiology of eating disorders is multifaceted and is most typically found in the interaction between sociocultural, developmental, biological and familial factors. Our society stigmatizes the obese and values attractiveness, particularly thinness. Numerous studies suggest that these attitudes affect people of all ages and that these social norms for thinness are applied more strongly to women than to men. Women at greatest risk for eating disorders are those who have accepted and internalized most deeply the sociocultural mores about thinness and attractiveness.

Certain environments also increase the risk of eating disorders. Notre Dame represents one such environment because it is predominantly middle and upper class, and it is a stressful semi-closed situation where the sociocultural pressure to be thin may be intensified. The competitive school environment may foster not only academic competition but also competition regarding the achievement of a

beautiful (i.e. thin) body. Individuals who participate in activities that dictate certain body weights such as dancers, models, actresses, and athletes also evidence a greater incidence of eating disorders.

Although our society prescribes a thin ideal, some women are genetically predisposed to have a heavier body weight. Dieting, the culturally prescribed method of achieving this thin ideal, often results in eating problems. Dieting is not only an ineffective way to attain long-term weight loss, but it may also contribute to subsequent weight gain, binge eating and self-defeating psychological results.

To what extent does the Notre Dame community, and more specifically your own attitudes and behaviors, foster an environment in which people need to achieve some "ideal" in order to be accepted?

The staff at the University Counseling Center hopes that you will take some time this week to learn more about eating disorders. We encourage you to read the articles appearing in The Observer this week and to attend a feedback session in one of the women's dorms. Again, thank you to all the Notre Dame women who made this survey possible.

Christine Conway, Ph.D., is a psychologist at the University Counseling Center.

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ND spirit carries to basketball

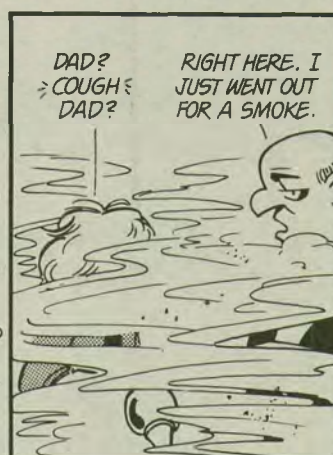
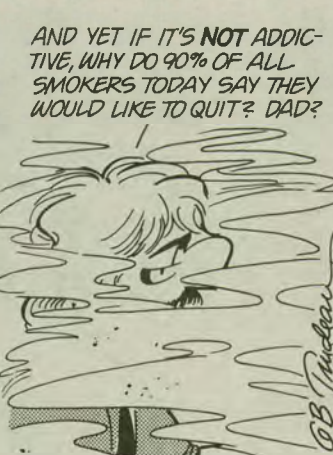
Dear Editor:

As I celebrated our football team's national championship outside of the stadium in Tempe, it was impossible to resist a special feeling of accomplishment that dated back to my freshmen year, Lou Holtz's first season as head coach. It was strange how a season filled with many frustrating and disappointing losses could seem so important now, but, like many of the players, I felt a sense of satisfaction knowing a goal had been reached. I am sure that my feelings are not unique. As students and fans, we are proud to have supported our team as fervently in 1986 as we did this past year.

It is important to realize that a similar opportunity exists with the basketball team. The talent of this year's freshman class and the absence of any graduating seniors are reasons to be excited about next year's season, yet it is just as important to support the team now. Student support has certainly improved from last year, and Sunday's game against Duke offers an opportunity to push Notre Dame basketball to a greater level of success. As the past three football seasons have demonstrated, success is seldom achieved overnight. As Notre Dame students and fans, we owe this team the same patient and loyal support that we have given our football team.

*Erich Straub
Irish Insanity
Feb. 1, 1989*

Doonesbury



Garry Trudeau

Quote of the Day

"Oh, wouldn't the world seem dull and flat with nothing whatever to grumble at."

W.S. Gilbert

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An alternative: ISO dance fest



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They will be dancing in the aisles tomorrow night at the International Festival. The annual festival, sponsored mainly by the International Student Organization, will be held in Washington Hall at 7:30 p.m.. It is directed largely by Ramzi Bualuan, who has chaired the event for four years, and Samira Gonzaine, stage manager.

The performers include students, both undergraduate and graduate, professors, and even one rector. They will perform some dances of their respective native countries, and musical selections. Approximately 25 countries will be represented, including Ireland, Indonesia, China, Korea and Spain. Some well-known dances that will be performed are the "Jarabe Tapatio" (the Mexican Hat Dance), the Latin-American Meringue, and Cha-Cha.

Some of the dances are fun,

such as one from Ireland; others combine grace and skill—particularly one very courageous dance from the Philippines. Others still, like the Korean Floral Fan Dance or "Boo Chae Choom" are just beautiful.

The 85 performers have put in 30 hours of formal rehearsal time and endless hours prior to that. Each act is between three and four minutes long, and the number of people in each act ranges from one to as many as 14.

This year something new will be added—a Folkloric Fashion Show where costumes from different countries are displayed. There will also be a medley of ballroom dances.

The performance is free and tickets are available in the ISO office on the second floor of LaFortune. If not sold out, the doors will be open to all at 7:25 p.m. for those who decide at the last minute to enjoy the show. The festival promises to be a very colorful one, in both costumes and music.



Scott Sullivan (foreground) and Pat McClanahan perform as members of "The Village People."



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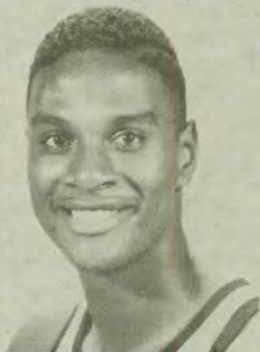
ND's 'Diaper Dandy' living up to expectations

Freshman Ellis handles the pressure

By THERESA KELLY
Assistant Sports Editor

He was Notre Dame's star on the court even before he was a student at the University.

He's been called the man who will put Notre Dame back into college basketball's elite. He was a first-team Parade High School All-American in high school. He was compared to



LaPhonso Ellis

Patrick Ewing by his future coach, Digger Phelps, before he even began his senior season in high school. Somehow, this 6-9 freshman was one of Notre Dame's best players ever—even before he set foot on the court.

LaPhonso Ellis, like all the 'Diaper Dandies,' has had to deal with high expectations.

"All the hype has definitely affected me," he says. "A lot has been predicted about me. . . things I could try to live up to, but trying to do that would hurt more than it helps. I can't be everything."

"It's probably one of the main reasons that I get upset with myself and say I should be doing better. I don't want anyone to expect too much of me, but just enough so it pushes me to do my best. I want to meet the expectations halfway."

He's taken the floor against some of the best freshmen in the country and has shown them all that he's not a player to be taken lightly. He outscored and outrebounded Georgetown's sensation, Alonzo Mourning, when the two player's high school teams played at last year's 7-Up Shootout in St. Louis.

He helped his high school, East St. Louis (Ill.) Lincoln, win back-to-back Illinois state championships. In 1987, as a junior, he hit 27 points and grabbed 10 rebounds against Marcus Liberty (now with Illinois) and Chicago King High School to claim the crown, and in 1988 he helped beat Chicago St. Francis deSalles, featuring current Indiana player Eric Anderson, with 26 points, 15 boards and nine blocks.

Clearly, Ellis was bound to be in the spotlight. His decision to play for Notre Dame came in the fall of 1987, as he faced a trio of schools offering basketball scholarships. On the desk in front of him were letters of intent for Notre Dame, Illinois and UCLA. He was

rumored to be favoring the Illini, but the influence of former Irish assistant coach John Shumate had an impact.

"A big factor in my choice was that I thought I could come to Notre Dame and contribute right away," Ellis says, "and I guess I have."

He guessed right. As of Wednesday, he led the team in scoring with a 15 point average, having started 13 of Notre Dame's 14 games. He carries a 62-percent field goal average, totals 10.2 rebounds per contest, and has blocked 22 shots.

Ellis started the year right, scoring 27 points and pulling down 10 boards against St. Bonaventure in his debut Nov. 28.

"He's physically gifted right now," said St. Bonaventure head coach Ron DeCarli, "but after four years in this program he'll be a pro, and one of us will probably be happy to be his agent."

Until then, Ellis will team up with one of Notre Dame's best recruiting classes to achieve the one goal he emphasizes: taking the team to the Final Four.

"LaPhonso Ellis is obviously the guy who has lifted up everyone on the team. He's gotten everyone to play up to their potential, as well as playing beyond their potential."

**--Irish head coach
Digger Phelps.**

"We've got our Mr. Dangerous, a three-point shooter, in Keith Adkins," he says. "We've got a great point guard, Elmer Bennett, and a great big guy, Keith Tower. Daimon Sweet is a great third guard, and we're all freshmen. If we can put that together, there will be a lot to look forward to as far as Notre Dame basketball is concerned."

Some of Ellis' burden of premature stardom was alleviated by the talent that Phelps brought to Notre Dame this year.

"I don't feel a big burden," Ellis says. "I know that, with the players we have, I don't have to do everything. A lot of people don't understand how many good players we have on this team, and we've all been contributing."

"LaPhonso Ellis is obviously the one guy who has lifted up everyone on the team," Phelps says. "He's gotten everyone to play up to their potential, as well as playing beyond their potential."

Ellis followed up last Sunday's



The Observer / Scott McCann

In a sight all too familiar for Irish opponents this year, LaPhonso Ellis (20) leaps over Dayton's Troy McCracken (44) and Norm Grevey in the paint. As a freshman, Ellis leads Notre Dame in both scoring and rebounding.

Temple game, in which the Owls shut him down and held him to five points, with an 18-point, seven-rebound performance Tuesday against Dayton. Coming back, according to Ellis, is all part of the learning process he's going through.

"The most important thing I'm learning is how to be a man on the court," he says. "You still have to do what you

can when you're not at your best. This is a great team because we pick up for each other.

"I think I've contributed to the expectations of what the team needs from me," Ellis says. "I wasn't sure I'd be able to come in and do as much as I've done in a few games. It's been pretty surprising. Now I just have to follow it up day after day."

By STEVE MEGARGEE
Assistant Sports Editor

After an easy win over a team missing two of its top players, a coach often complains and wishes his team could have faced more of a challenge.

But Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski had three reasons to like what he saw from his team in Sunday's 92-62 victory over Clemson. The Tigers were competing without six players serving a one-game suspension for violation of academic study hall rules.

Duke's easy victory signalled the end of its three-game losing streak, the return of injured All-American Danny Ferry and signs of the dominating defense that Coach K has sought from his Blue Devils all season.

"Considering all the unusual circumstances, we got much more out of the game than I thought we would," said Krzyzewski, whose team plays Notre Dame at 4 p.m. Sunday at the Joyce ACC. "It helped more than I thought it would after hearing about the suspensions."

About Duke

Ferry scored 12 points in Sunday's game and appeared healthier than he has been in some time.

After suffering a back injury two weeks ago, the 6-10 senior forward played with pain in losses to North Carolina and Wake Forest, then sat out a loss to North Carolina State.

The three-game skid, coming after Duke had won its first 14 games and held on to the number-one position for the first two months of the season, caused the Blue Devils to fall into the bottom half of the Top 20.

"No one was a clear number-one choice, and we knew that," said Krzyzewski. "A couple of teams we played that we thought would be early tests for us, especially Kentucky, for whatever reasons weren't those early tests. This has been an unusual year for us."

Heading into a Thursday night game at Georgia Tech, Ferry was averaging 21.9 points and 7.1 rebounds per game to lead the Blue Devils in both categories. He ranked second on the team with 86 assists.

Other Duke players in double figures include forward Robert Brickey (12.4), guard Phil Henderson (11.5) and center Alaa Abdelnaby (10.8). Senior point guard Quin Snyder led the team with 114 assists. Sophomore Greg Koubek and freshman Christian Laettner also see plenty of playing time for the Blue Devils.

Krzyzewski is particularly pleased with the recent play of Snyder, who has emerged as both a scoring threat and an inspirational leader.

"We've tried to change his role so that he and Phil alternate the ball-handling, and he can get in scoring situations," said Krzyzewski. "He plays



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This blocked shot by Robert Brickey (21) exemplifies the potency of a Duke defense running at full strength. Blue Devils coach Mike Krzyzewski believes last Sunday's win over Clemson might have begun a return of the dominating defense that led Duke to the Final Four last season.

really hard, really emotionally. He puts everything he can into the ballgame, whether on the court or on the bench."

Players on the Duke bench Sunday highlighted Blue Devil rallies by slapping their hands on the floor, a trademark of last year's Final Four squad. Krzyzewski hopes the return of that practice also symbolizes the return of the swarming Duke defense that got the Devils into the Final Four.

"We played defense as a team better than we have all season long in the second half," said Krzyzewski, referring to last Sunday's game. "We were swarming the ball, and guys were coming over to help out. We hadn't seen that type of defense this season. The kids had thought they were playing good defense, and they were playing good defense. They just weren't playing Duke defense."

Much of Duke's early defensive problems early resulted from Billy King's graduation. King epitomized the Devils' defensive prowess last season, causing Notre Dame superstar David Rivers and Temple's Mark Macon to play their worst games of the year.

Now it appears that Krzyzewski has

his defense back where he wants it, and also has a healthy Ferry back in the lineup. The Irish know that presents an imposing combination.

"They're fundamentally sound, well-coached, have an excellent defense and a great leader in Danny Ferry," said Irish co-captain Jamere Jackson. "They're always a tough team to play against because of those things."

About Notre Dame

Duke has split a pair of games with Notre Dame over the last two years, with the Irish winning at the Joyce ACC in 1986 and Duke taking one at home last year. Krzyzewski knows he is facing an entirely different Irish squad this time.

"I watched them when they played Indiana," said the ninth-year Duke coach. "They're improved with their depth, they play very hard and they have good three-point shooting."

Heading into Thursday night's Marquette game, freshman LaPhonso Ellis continued to lead the Irish in both scoring (15.0 points per game) and

rebounding (10.2 boards per game). The 6-9 freshman forward also has blocked 22 shots.

"They (Notre Dame) always play good defense, and he (Ellis) gives them shot-blocking ability," said Krzyzewski. "He can score, he's a good offensive rebounder and gives them a big target inside. He'll be one of the really good players in the country for four years."

Other Irish players scoring in double figures are guard Joe Fredrick (14.6), Jamere Jackson (12.6) and Keith Robinson (12.4). Starting point guard Tim Singleton was averaging 6.1 points with 81 total assists in the team's first 14 games.

Robinson also averages 8.9 rebounds per game, second among Notre Dame players.

"He (Robinson) is probably the most underestimated player on the team, yet he's probably the glue to our success that keeps everybody sticking together," said Phelps. "You talk about Joe Fredrick, Jamere Jackson, Tim Singleton having great games, LaPhonso Ellis having great games, Keith Robinson's the guy most consistent with double-figure points and double-figure rebounds."

Notre Dame has gotten much more balanced scoring in its last few games. Eleven different players scored in a 67-45 win over SMU, four players had more than 10 points in last week's 85-63 victory against Rutgers and five players were in double figures in Tuesday's 85-75 win over Dayton.

Freshmen Elmer Bennett and Daimon Sweet have provided much of Notre Dame's strength off the bench. Bennett scored 12 points in the Dayton game and also scored in double figures against San Francisco and UCLA. Sweet has averaged 11 points a game over his last three outings, scoring 15 against Rutgers and 14 versus Dayton.

Before Thursday's game, the Irish had won five of their last six games, including a win over Temple in a nationally televised game last Sunday.

That come-from-behind victory over the Owls at the Joyce ACC has Phelps excited about this team.

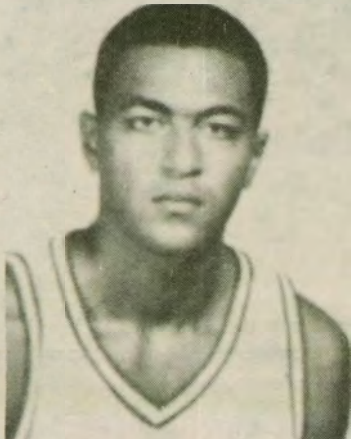
"They showed poise and maturity," said Phelps. "After being down four with some three minutes to play, we go on an 11-4 spurt to win the game against a pretty good Temple team."

"When we play at home, the enthusiasm from the students and the band is really just in amazement over how these kids just believe they're going to go out and play against people."

The Irish realize they will face one of their toughest tests of the year Sunday when they meet the resurgent Blue Devils. They still are confident of coming out on top.

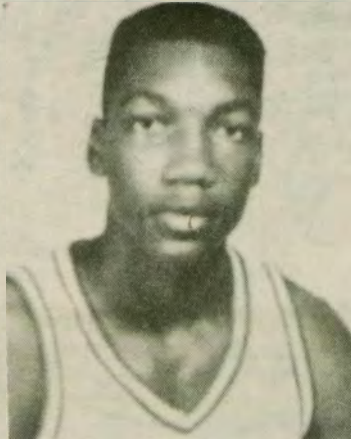
"It's a stiff challenge," said Jackson. "They (Duke) are one of the top teams. But we feel we can play with anybody in the country, and if we do the things we're supposed to do, we have a shot."

BLUE DEVILS TO WATCH



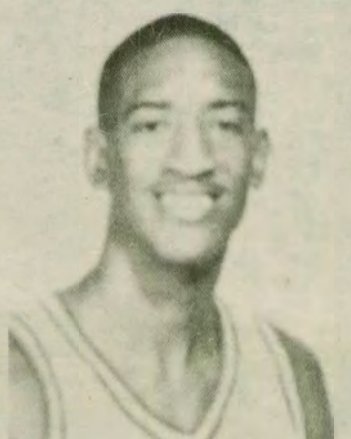
Alaa Abdelnaby (C)

When this 6-10 junior puts up the ball inside, two points are all but automatic. He has a 67 percent shooting percentage that include a long early-season string of consecutive shots made.



Robert Brickey (F)

A 6-5 junior, Brickey ranks second on the team in scoring (12.4), rebounding (5.4) and blocked shots (19). His 55 percent free-throw average makes him Duke's biggest liability on the line.



Phil Henderson (G)

This 6-4 junior is one of Duke's best shooters, knocking in 58 percent from the field, 42 percent from three-point range and 75 percent from the line. Shares ballhandling responsibilities with Snyder.



Quin Snyder (G)

This point guard leads the Devils in both assists and emotion. The 6-3 senior has 114 total assists and has become more of a scoring threat in recent games.



Mike Krzyzewski (Coach)

You can fight over different ways to pronounce his name (it's sha-SHEF-ski), but you can't argue with his success. The ninth-year Duke coach has taken his team to the Final Four two of the last three years.

Ferry strikes fear into the hearts of his opposition

Duke forward posting big numbers despite injury

By BETH TORLONE
Duke Chronicle

DURHAM, N.C.—His numbers will astonish you.

Senior forward Danny Ferry leads both his team and the Atlantic Coast Conference in scoring with 21.9 points per game and is second on the team in assists with 8.9. Ferry also leads Duke in rebounding (7.3), minutes played (30.5), and charges taken (13).

The Bowie, Md., native has been the team's leading rebounder in nine games and Duke's top scorer in 10 contests, including his ACC record-breaking 58-point explosion in the Blue Devils' defeat of Miami in December.

But the opposition is frightened by more than Ferry's numbers—they reveal only part of the story. The immeasurable intangibles of Ferry's game must also be considered in order to appreciate the impact he has made upon Duke basketball.

Ferry remains the catalyst for the 12th-ranked Blue Devils; his passing, court presence and leadership all help hold this team together. From an individual standpoint, Ferry has worked this year to refine his game to a point of near perfection.

Basketball experts continually claim Ferry has redefined the big man's game, and his performance this season has justified those statements.

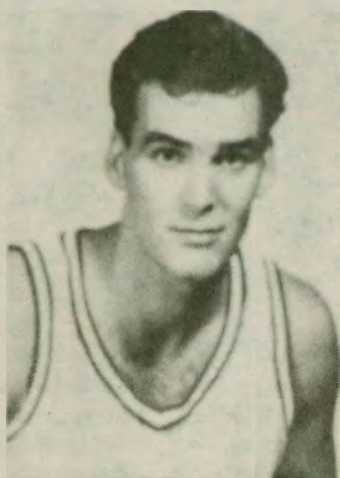
"Ferry is one of those rare players who doesn't so much play a position as he does play the game," said Ron Green, Jr., of Basketball Weekly. "He's capable of controlling a game with his wonderful talents."

Recently, Ferry sat out the first game of his collegiate career against North Carolina State because of a back injury incurred in the second half of Duke's 82-72 win over Maryland. He returned the next game and notched 12 points in the Blue Devils' 92-62 destruction of Clemson.

"My back feels really good," Ferry said last Sunday. "My biggest problem right now is getting back in shape."

Ferry has become one of college basketball's marquee

players. Last season, he went home with a suitcase full of trophies, including Atlantic Coast Conference Player of the Year, ACC Athlete of the Year, All-America, John Wooden Award Finalist, U.S. Olympic Team Finalist, and Most Valuable Player of the 1988 ACC tournament and the 1988 NCAA East Regional.



Danny Ferry

This season, Ferry's face was plastered on the cover of nearly all the pre-season college hoops magazines. Never in the annals of Blue Devil basketball had one player received as much pre-season publicity as Ferry.

Although the notoriety pleases the Blue Devil faithful, the opposition has forced Ferry to pay a hefty price for his fame during the season.

"I definitely think that, because I'm getting all these pre-season honors, it is going to put a little more attention on me by the people I'm playing against," said Ferry before the season. "They're not going to have to look too far to know who Duke is, who their better players are. And they're going to key on us this year because we're going to have a really good team."

"Some other big guys, some other forwards and centers around the league are going to say, 'This guy is getting so much publicity, I can make my name against him.' That's a big challenge for me. It's going to be tough. It's exciting."

The elder Ferry also predicted that opponents will key on his son.

"He's going to see trick defenses," said Bob Ferry, general manager of the NBA's Washington Bullets. "He's going to see so many different things it's hard to tell. I'm certain he'll get that type of respect (as a target player for the opponents). I know this: they can stop him, but (his teammates) will get the ball where they should get it. He'll do that."

Exultations from coaches, players and fans came in the wake of a stellar junior year, but Ferry's third season began with relatively little hoopla from the media. North Carolina's J.R. Reid was grabbing most of the attention at that point, although Ferry finished the season well ahead of his Tar Heel rival in most statistical categories.

Pollsters failed to include Ferry in their pre-season All-America picks. Most eventually regretted that decision as Ferry dominated the conference in the 1987-88 campaign.

He led the league with 19.6 points per game and pulled down 7.6 rebounds while dishing out 13.9 assists for good measure.

"He's (Ferry) one of the great players that we have in the college game," said Kentucky head coach Eddie Sutton. "You're not going to be able to stop him by any means, but you hope that you'll be able to keep him under control."

Although Ferry's junior season was his coming-out party, his sophomore season was filled with many record-breaking moments.

During the 1986-87 season, Ferry became the first player in the 35-year history of the ACC to lead his team in scoring (14.0 points per game), rebounding (7.8) and assists (14.1, 4.3 per game).

"Danny Ferry is one of the best passers since Larry Bird and Bill Bradley," former Southern Methodist coach and current New Mexico coach Dave Bliss said during last season's NCAA Tournament. "He's got a phenomenal gift. He's got real soft hands and great judgment."



The Observer / File Photo

Duke forward Danny Ferry (35) guards former Irish stalwart Donald Royal (15) during Notre Dame's 1987 overtime win over the Blue Devils. The 6-10 All-American has come a long way since that game, in which he shot 3-of-12 before fouling out.

Jackson

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shooter (85 percent), Jackson also has emerged as Notre Dame's biggest threat from three-point range (18-of-36). During his freshman season, he made the first three-pointer in Notre Dame history.

"He's got a lot of confidence in the three-point shot, and he has the green light on the three-point shot," said Phelps. "Obviously, he's a good transition player, yet defensively we usually put him on some good people. He goes both ways for us and comes up with the good challenge."

Much of those defensive chal-

lenges come from the fact that the 6-2 Jackson lines up at small forward. That lineup actually works much like a three-guard setup with Jackson Fredrick and Tim Singleton, but he still usually is faced with the task of guarding a much taller opponent.

"Most nights I go up against guys 6-5, 6-6, 6-7, sometimes 6-8," said Jackson. "It's a challenge, and I'm not expected to do well, but I'm not intimidated by anyone."

"I just go out and do the things I'm taught to do."

That motto may sound ordinary and cliché-ridden, but it certainly has taken Jackson farther than anyone could have expected three years ago.

IRISH STATS

														Through Wednesday			
PLAYER	G-S	MIN-AVG	FG-A Pct.	3P-A Pct.	FT-A Pct.	REB	AVG	A	ST	BK	TP	AVG					
L.Ellis	14-13	441-32	92-147.626	0-0	.000	26-43	.605	143	10.2	15	13	22	210	15.0			
J.Fredrick	14-14	402-29	82-148.554	12-22	.545	29-45	.644	28	2.0	38	11	1	205	14.6			
J.Jackson	14-14	429-31	65-138.471	18-36	.500	28-33	.848	57	4.1	27	14	0	176	12.6			
K.Robinson	14-7	355-25	65-120.542	1-1	1.000	42-59	.712	125	8.9	7	5	1	173	12.4			
T.Singleton	14-13	379-27	30-51.588	0-1	.000	25-37	.676	25	1.8	81	21	0	85	6.1			
K.Ellery	8-0	133-17	17-40.425	8-18	.444	5-16	.313	22	2.8	11	2	0	47	5.9			
E.Bennett	14-1	187-13	26-62.419	0-3	.000	7-17	.412	22	1.6	28	10	2	59	4.2			
D.Sweet	14-0	150-11	24-49.490	0-0	.000	7-10	.700	16	1.1	6	2	1	55	3.9			
S.Paddock	13-7	191-15	18-35.514	0-0	.000	3-11	.273	64	4.9	3	1	1	39	3.0			
T.Crawford	6-0	11-2	6-10.600	1-1	1.000	2-3	.667	3	0.5	0	0	0	15	2.5			
K.Adkins	9-0	32-4	2-14.143	1-8	.125	5-9	.556	5	0.6	3	1	0	10	1.1			
K.Tower	13-1	115-9	3-12.250	0-0	.000	7-15	.467	27	2.1	3	2	7	13	1.0			
Notre Dame		2825	430-826.521	41-90	.456	186-298	.624	572	40.9	222	82	35	1087	77.6			
Opponents		2825	354-799.443	60-145	.414	188-283	.664	398	28.4	166	114	51	956	68.3			

BLUE DEVIL STATS

	Through Wednesday														
Name	G-GS	MIN-AVG	FG-A	Pct.	3P-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Reb-Avg	Ass	TO	BS	St	Pts	Avg.
Ferry	16-16	485-30.3	131-233	.562	16-42	.381	72-98	.735	114-7.1	86	51	10	20	350	21.9
Brickey	17-17	467-27.5	82-142	.577	2-6	.333	45-82	.549	92-5.4	23	37	19	23	211	12.4
Henderson	17-17	472-27.8	72-125	.576	13-31	.419	38-51	.745	62-3.6	49	40	5	16	195	11.5
Abdelnaby	16-11	274-17.1	72-107	.673	0-0	.000	28-40	.700	63-3.9	5	21	10	6	172	10.8
Smith	17-0	306-18.0	47-83	.566	12-23	.522	27-38	.711	62-3.6	12	23	2	11	133	7.8
Laettner	17-7	238-14.0	47-68	.691	0-0	.000	39-58	.672	71-4.2	16	25	11	15	133	7.8
Snyder	17-17	510-30.0	45-111	.405	18-56	.321	18-30	.600	25-1.5	114	46	8	38	126	5.3
Koubek	17-0	312-18.4	34-88	.386	2-20	.100	20-29	.690	55-3.2	22	26	0	10	90	5.3
Buckley	16-0	101-6.3	17-25	.680	0-0	.000	6-10	.600	24-1.5	3	5	1	4	40	2.5
Davis	12-0	81-6.8	8-25	.320	0-0	.000	8-17	.471	11-0.9	12	11	0	6	24	2.0
Palmer	13-0	89-6.8	11-18	.611	0-0	.000	2-9	.222	17-1.3	2	8	5	4	24	1.8
Cook	5-0	48-9.6	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	2-3	.667	6-1.2	6	8	0	2	8	1.6
Burgin	7-0	17-2.4	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	1-1	1	0	0	1	4	0.6
Duke	17	3400	571-1033	.553	63-178	.354	305-467	.653	655-38.5	351	302	71	156	1510	88.8
Opponents	17	3400	425-1025	.415	63-183	.344	229-359	.638	543-31.9	212	366	36	104	1142	67.2

SCHEDULES

NOTRE DAME (11-3)	DUKE (14-3)
d. ST. BONAVENTURE, 92-72	d. Kentucky, 80-55
d. Kentucky, 81-65	d. THE CITADEL, 93-52
d. INDIANA, 84-71	d. EAST CAROLINA, 95-46
d. CREIGHTON, 77-64	d. STETSON, 90-62
I. Valparaiso, 68-71(OT)	d. Miami, 117-102
d. Pennsylvania, 60-55	d. WAKE FOREST, 94-88
I. San Francisco 79-75	d. CORNELL, 94-59
d. Portland, 80-58	d. Washington, 87-61
d. UCLA, 82-79	d. DAVIDSON, 101-53
d. SMU, 67-45	d. Virginia, 84-76
I. Syracuse, 99-87	d. WM. & MARY, 100-38
d. Rutgers, 85-63	d. Maryland, 82-72
d. Temple, 64-60	I. NORTH CAROLINA, 71-91
d. Dayton, 85-75	I. Wake Forest, 71-78
Feb. 2 -MARQUETTE	I. NC State, 73-88
Feb. 5 -DUKE	d. CLEMSON, 92-62
Feb. 8 -at Fordham	Feb. 2 -at Georgia Tech
Feb. 11 -USC	Feb. 5 -at Notre Dame
Feb. 14 -BOSTON COLLEGE	Feb. 8 -VIRGINIA
Feb. 16 -LASALLE	Feb. 11 -MARYLAND
Feb. 19 -HOUSTON	Feb. 14 -at Harvard
Feb. 21 -at Dayton	Feb. 18 -KANSAS
Feb. 25 -at Georgia Tech	Feb. 20 -at Georgia Tech
Mar. 1 -DePAUL	Feb. 23 -NC STATE
Mar. 4 -LOUISVILLE	Feb. 26 -Arizona
Mar. 6 -at Butler	Mar. 1 -at Clemson
Mar. 8 -at Marquette	Mar. 5 -at North Carolina
Mar. 11 -at DePaul	Mar. 10-12 -ACC. Tournament

13th Revue ranks with best

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The 13th Keenan Revue combined a shortened program with more diverse skits to produce one of the best shows in recent years. Even with only three nights to rehearse, the 240 Keenanites presented a polished performance.

The final 41 skits were selected from more than 100 auditions which contained subject matter other than the hackneyed Breen-Phillips and Saint Mary's jokes. The judges wanted to produce a new and improved "Keenan Revue" with new punchlines and jibes. "A lot of skits tried out that were very good and we considered taking them, but we were just looking for something different this year," said director Alan Silvini.

The change in subject matter definitely made for a bet-

ter Revue than in past years. Instead of innumerable slams on members of other dorms (aside from Stanford), the skits focused on the Keenanites themselves, commercials, movies, and guys rather than girls.

Almost every academic major at Notre Dame and Saint Mary's drew fire. The skit entitled "Physics Gods" was particularly witty. According to their version, Physics 997 featured God as the professor and Moses as his T.A. The four students chanted their answers in unison, while an arts and letters major paged through a Sports Illustrated in the corner.

Fans of last year's show may rest assured, as some of the show's more popular acts are back for repeat performances. The sequel to 1988's "Mr. Olympia" includes Tom "Stick" Shaw's adventures after winning the contest.

As always, the administration failed to escape the Keenanites' wrath. Students facing disciplinary action experienced a truly "Electrify-

ing Experience." Bill Mordan, as the mad scientist/administrator, and his hunchback assistant Frank Barletta were appropriately diabolical in their roles.

Silvini and Steve Traubert should be praised for their Monty Pythonesque parody of the dining hall "police." As dining hall monitors, Silvini and Traubert effectively prevented the smuggling of food and proved equally successful at garnering big laughs.

Sensitive viewers should be forewarned of the phallic themes of several acts. Freud would have had a field day studying such sketches as "Keenan Size" and "Three Member Piano."

The Revue also offered several musical numbers; two of the best ones harkened back to favorite 70s songs. Keenan proved that disco lives as the Village People made an appearance with a medley of their biggest hits adapted to the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's community.

One of the best acts of the night was a modern dance parody entitled "Flowers: A Modern Dance." The hilarious sketch pitted Mark Sanders as the fairy godmother against the forces of darkness and death.

Other Keenanites displayed the serious side of their musical talents. One of the original musical compositions included a ballad by Keith Tadrowski entitled "Down in Hollywood." Tadrowski sang and played the piano, while Mark Sanders accompanied him on violin.

Although there were some weaker acts, the Keenanites were able to put on a great show and enjoy themselves at the same time.

The show moved more quickly than the last year's 3-1/2 hour performance, with less dead time between acts. Silvini said, "We wanted to have a 2-1/2 hour show so that people will leave with a good feeling and think 'I want to see that again next year.'"



Pete Mourani (left) and Joe DeSalvo get carded by Matt Most

Bill Mordan as the demonic mad scientist and Frank Barletta as Igor prepare to electrify Joe Dumbra (left) for an alleged parietals violation.



Literary Fest starts Sunday

GERRY SCIMECA
accent writer

Angelo D. is up against it. After 37 years as the Champ, a new heavy-weight has made his presence known. He's made a mockery of the Champ's past glories, and in his rhyming insults intends nothing less than to get the worried Champ into the ring to receive a taste of his kinetic superiority. While the Champ's "stomach clenched" at the very name of his challenger, Kid Gullet, the Champ had a strategy to counter the awesome attack of the Kid: starches and heavy syrups.

Taken from his collection "Descent of Man," "The Champ" is one of many stories where T. Corahessan Boyle inflicts his maniacal wit and vision on a world we think we know. As the highly-acclaimed author of three novels and much short fiction, it is Notre Dame's good fortune in having Boyle com-

mence this year's Sophomore Literary Festival Sunday night. A black humorist as good as any writing in the U.S. today, Boyle, with his irreverence and penchant for the satiristically surreal, takes premises as worn as those of "The Champ" and crafts them into stories bubbling with absurdity, and often, anxiety.

"The Champ," for example, features a bout between men where the biceps and pectorals are of much less consequence than the jaws and stomach. Two gormandizing gladiators mesmerize an SRO crowd at the Garden in an eating contest covered by ABC Sports and attended by Julia Child, Colonel Sanders and Mamma Leone.

In his less obviously comic pieces, Boyle is at his most biting, and also his most unnerving. In "Bloodfall," a group of friends gathered for a night of civil Bohemian celebration suddenly notice a red rain falling along the pro-

portions of Noah's Ark. The comedy arises from the tension of deciding whether it is the end of the world, versus ignoring it and putting another soufflé in the oven.

"Descent of Man" shows the growing anxiety of a researcher at a primate center as he realizes the woman he loves is slipping away from him. We are caught up in the man's romantic yearnings, despite learning that she is a chimp.

The Festival itself runs all of next week with a different author reading his work at 8:00 p.m. each night in the library auditorium, and a reception follows each reading. Admission is free, and though Boyle's name may be new to you, he is a highly-regarded author whose name may be as familiar as Kurt Vonnegut's in the near future. Sunday night provides a rare opportunity to experience a lively and important personality in literature that won't be soon forgotten.



Richard McBrien, director of the Sophomore Literary Fest

Senior Bar to host live R&B

CHRIS WELSH
accent writer

If you have R&B in your soul, then the place for you to be tonight at 10:00 is the Alumni-Senior Club, where Billy "Stix" Nicks and the N's and Out's will be entertaining those in attendance with a healthy mix of R&B, blues, jazz, soul even some contemporary music. Bill Nicks, the group's leader has described them as "a multi-talented group with a taste of music for everyone."

For those unfamiliar with Bill's work, this South Bend Central High School alumnus is no stranger to the music industry. After high school, he and some friends formed a band, the Rhythm Rockers, and appeared regularly on a local teen dance show broadcast by WNDU-TV. After a stint in the Army in the late 1950's, during which Bill performed with the Army Big Band and a small jazz group, he returned to the U.S. and went on the road with Jackie Ivory and the Gents of Soul in 1962.

In 1966 he began performing with fellow South Bend native Jr. Walker and his "All Stars." They recorded the hit, "How Sweet It Is To Be Loved By You." Together they performed at many famous musical venues, such as

the Apollo Theatre in New York, the Uptown in Philadelphia, Shea Stadium, and Constitution Hall in Washington, D.C. During his long career Bill Nicks has worked with Marvin Gaye, Gladys Knight and the Pips, the Four Tops, the Temptations, the Spinners, Sam and Dave, Wilson Pickett, and many other stars in the Atlantic Records stable of talent.

In 1985, Bill organized the present group, which consists of Robert Outley, guitar and vocals; Dan Chamberlain, guitar; Steve Parker, keyboards; Duane Lighter, bass; Ed "E-Z" Wright, vocals; and Billy "Stix" Nicks, drums and vocals. They have been performing quite regularly at Center St. Blues Cafe in Mishawaka, and have received favorable reviews in the process. Michiana Student Expressions called Ed Wright "one of the best performers in the Midwest," and urged readers not to miss "this group's good stuff."

So if you're in the mood for great live music from Duke Ellington's "Take the 'A' Train" to classic sixties R&B, the party atmosphere and professional sound of Billy "Stix" Nicks and the N's and Out's is waiting for you at the Alumni-Senior Club tonight. Don't miss them.

Make a statement with your valentines

Have you started to shop for St. Valentine's Day yet? I'm asking, because I have some interesting ideas I'd like someone to listen to. I have lots of ideas for which I've never found a listener, and I finally figured out why. My ideas are interesting, but the way I tell my ideas isn't interesting-- I punctuate them with verbal pauses, and for-

you have brains when you get a diploma. You know you're getting old when they send you to Sailors' Snug Harbor, and you know you're important when you head a committee. I'd like to start a committee to study the committees everyone else is on. Do they ask you to join a committee because you're important, or do you join a

who they are.

Students who go on retreats to study justice and peace should start sending out valentines that make a statement. For example: "Dear penpal: I heard you whistling 'The Flight of the Bumblebee,' and thought it was terrific. Your sweet notes made me happy all day, so I hope you'll remember to keep your pucker up." If you toss a couple of birdseeds in the envelope for laughs, you could have an over-achiever as your friend for life. Addressing him or her as penpal doesn't commit you to anything; but "Be my valentine," sounds like an invitation to go steady.

St. Valentine's is, or should be, a Christian feast, and that's a good excuse for spreading encouragement among the also-rans who need it. In the wrong hands, it could turn into a popularity contest. Then the day doesn't do anything good for anybody. Hallmark gets rich, and the athletes and the superficially pretty have their vanity flattered.

To avoid the commercialism, you could offer your inamorata your good deed for the day, and save yourself the price of a box of candy.

"Dear Valentine: I've noticed you like tacos. I like tacos too, and that's a great start for a new relationship, if you're interested. On February 14, I'd like to come over and vacuum your room, if you're not too busy."

You're wondering, "How come you, Father Griffin, know so much about the human heart? Do you consider yourself one of the dull, the meek or the nerds?" Probably; but worst of all, I grew up as a fat child whom the swift children and the brave pushed around, although they didn't have to be brave or swift to pick on me, since I couldn't fight, and I couldn't run.

The scars from my childhood still show, when I stand in the light. That's probably why I'm not asked to join committees: the chairman can tell I'm not a winner. During World War II, the question was asked: how should we punish Hitler? A girl answered, "Color him black, and send him to America." My answer was, "Fatten him up, and keep him in grade school." I hated February 14. For everyone else, it was Valentine's Day; for me, it was just another feast of fools.

One year, Catherine Nugent, a redhead, went out of her way to be nice. She sent me a card that practically said she loved me, and

she invited me to her party, where I split my pants after eating ice cream and cake. Next day at school, I was too embarrassed to look her in the face, and by the time recess was over, we'd started to drift apart. The next day, she met a boy fatter than me; and after that, I never had a chance.

She died young, but the good always do. In her memory, I've kept those pants to this day. A nun has promised to cut a small patch out of them when I die, and pin it to my shroud. If Catherine could see it, she'd know what it was, and laugh.

You may wonder how much of this story is true, but does it really matter? Listen to a valentine that makes a statement. "I expect to pass through the world but once. Any good, therefore, that I can do, or any kindness that I can show to any fellow creature, let me do it now. Let me not defer it or neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again."

There used to be a soap opera on the radio, "The Guiding Light," and the characters in it would repeat this passage like a mantra. This was the message printed inside Catherine's valentine, and I cherish it like an inter-office memo. It leaves me with questions. Was that girl a painted doll with sawdust for a heart, or wasn't she? Was I a hobby she took up as a ministry to the stout? I've never been sure. What do you think?

Father Robert Griffin

Letters to a Lonely God



get what I want to say half-way through.

If you have ideas to get off your chest, they say, you should join a committee. Fat chance! I meet sisters, brothers, and priests on this campus, worn out, so they tell me, from running between committee meetings. I'm ashamed to tell them I'm not on one lousy committee, and haven't been for years.

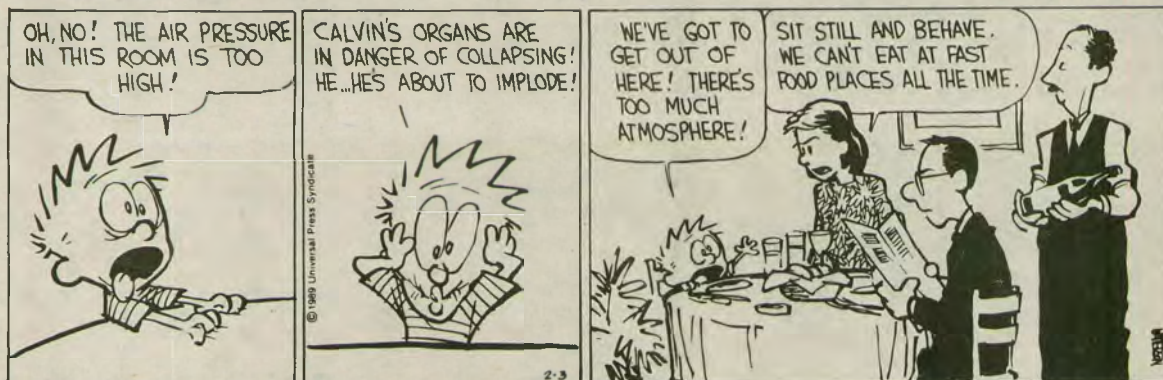
You know you're brave, said the Wizard of Oz, when you get a medal. You know

committee to become important?

"The race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong," writes Ecclesiastes. I don't know which school of hard knocks Ecclesiastes attended. The swift, as far as I can see, get the lion's share; the strong never come out on the short end of the stick. I'd like to put in a good word for the homely, the dull, the meek, and the over-achievers, and you don't have to make an Urban Plunge to find out

Calvin and Hobbes

Bill Watterson



White named NL President

Associated Press

NEW YORK—Bill White will be named on Friday to succeed A. Bartlett Giamatti as National League president, becoming the first black to head a major professional sports league in the United States, The Associated Press learned Thursday.

White, a six-time All-Star first baseman with the New York and San Francisco Giants, St. Louis and Philadelphia, and a broadcaster with the Yankees for 18 years, was chosen Thursday by the five-man search committee, several sources said.

SPORTS BRIEFS

SMC co-ed intramural floor hockey captains have a meeting at 6 p.m. Tuesday at the Angela Athletic Facility lounge. Floor hockey games will be on Thursday nights. For more information, call 284-5549. -The Observer

The NDSMC Lacrosse Club will hold a meeting Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Angela Athletic Facility lounge for all women interested in forming such a team. -The Observer

The ND Men's Volleyball Club hosts the George O'Grady Memorial Classic this weekend. Friday's first-round action matches Bowling Green versus Miami (Ohio) at 6 p.m. and Notre Dame versus Indiana at 8 p.m. The consolation match will be Saturday at 1 p.m. and the championship begins at 3 p.m. All matches will be at the Joyce ACC Pit, and admission is free. -The Observer

Wear green to Sunday's game against Duke. Irish Insanity will sponsor free face painting before the game. -The Observer

Bookstore Basketball XVIII has an open assistant commissioner position. Any freshman or sophomore interested in being assistant commissioner can pick up an application at the student government secretary's office on the second floor of LaFortune. Applications are due Tuesday. Any questions should be directed to Mike at x3305. -The Observer

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JOE BRINK
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Smagala, we're sorry, you are a good DB. We take it all back, we didn't mean to call you "toast" The Stan Fan Club

Happy 19th Dan Sullivan!!!! Love, Aim

CHRIS WEPPNER is it true you went skinny dipping in St. Joe's lake last semester?

sMelanie Welcome to ND! So glad U could make it. Salt & Pepp had to bug out to nite, but George Michael & Madonna said they'd drop by later for pizza (Let's) Have an awesome weekend. M

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Weaver, ND meet No. 8 Oklahoma

By DAVE McMAHON
Sports Writer

Freshmen Chuck Weaver and Marcus Gowens will return to their old stomping grounds Saturday as the Irish wrestling squad travels to Norman, Okla., to take on the eighth-ranked Sooners.

The first-ever matchup against Oklahoma should be one of Notre Dame's most difficult matches on the schedule.

"We'll have to wrestle seven minutes in each match if we're going to win," said head coach Fran McCann.

Weaver, who compiled a 130-5-1 record at the heavyweight level over four years at Midwest City (Okla.) High School, is coming off an 11-1 defeat to Michigan State's Mark Zenas. Gowens, 95-12 at the 126-pound mark at Del City (Okla.) High School, also lost in the Michigan State dual meet to Brian Smith.

The Irish, with one of the toughest dual meet schedules in the nation, are looking forward to the challenge of facing the powerful Sooners.

"Just the fact that they are on the schedule says a lot for how far this program has come, and where we want it to go," said McCann.

Weaver began his successful career at the ripe age of eight. The road to his promising future began with an interesting twist.

"I walked into a sporting goods store to buy football pads and the owner, who was the coach of a YMCA wrestling team, asked me if I wanted to try out for his team," said Weaver. "He said I looked like I would have a shot at making the team, so I tried out and the rest is history."

Just like most successful athletes, an extensive childhood program can be a key to the athlete's future. In Oklahoma, the wrestling mat becomes a familiar place to youngsters.

"We had a great Little League program," said Weaver. "The high school coaches put the finishing touches on everything we learned throughout grade school."

The close ties that he made while growing up in one of the premier wrestling states will be out in force to see Chuck in his homecoming. But the pressure of his family and friends attending the meet doesn't concern Weaver.

"I'm real excited about having the opportunity to go back home to see everyone," he said. "It'll be nice to have all my friends cheering for me when I need their support. Hopefully I can come away with a win and get some people to recognize the program we're establishing."

While the decision of which school to attend can be a rigorous task for student athletes, Chuck knew immediately after he left his Notre Dame recruiting trip that this was the place for him.

"I got on the plane and something inside told me Notre Dame was the place for me," he said. "I felt like I belonged here."

Irish hockey puts win streak on line

By FRANK PASTOR
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame hockey team looks to extend its season-high three-game winning streak and gain a measure of revenge when it takes on familiar rival Michigan-Dearborn this weekend in a home-and-home series.

The Irish (9-21-2) host the Wolves Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Joyce ACC. The two teams face off again the following night at 7:30 p.m. in Dearborn, Mich.

Notre Dame owns a 1-2-1 record against Michigan-Dearborn this season in a potential six-game series. The

Irish won the first game of the series, 4-1 on Nov. 4 and tied the Wolves 3-3 the following night. Michigan-Dearborn swept the last two games but faces a much-improved Notre Dame hockey squad this weekend.

"I think we're playing a little better hockey right now," said Irish coach Ric Schafer. "We've experienced a little bit of success, which helps us play even a little bit better. We're going in with a very positive attitude. We'd like to even the score up with Dearborn."

Michigan-Dearborn (15-11-2) is coming off a trip to Alaska in which it defeated and tied Alaska-Anchorage and was

swept by Alaska-Fairbanks in a two-game series. The Seawolves of Alaska-Anchorage trounced Notre Dame 8-3 earlier this season.

"They're playing pretty good hockey right now, too," said Schafer of last year's American Collegiate Hockey Association playoff finalist Michigan-Dearborn. "They had a fairly successful trip to Alaska. They're a good hockey team. We have a lot of respect for them."

The Wolves are led by left wing Tim Osburn (20 goals, 32 assists, 52 points), center Joe Burton (25-25-50) and wing Larry Pilut (14-16-30). The trio accounted for seven goals and

12 points when the two teams last squared off in a home-and-home series Dec. 2 and 3.

Notre Dame has won three straight games, five of its last six and six of its last nine contests. Last weekend the Irish routed Canisius 4-0 and 5-2 in a pair of home victories. After scoring just 2.7 goals per game in its first 22 games, Notre Dame has averaged 4.6 per game in its last ten contests.

"We scored some goals when the opportunity presented itself," said Schafer. "We managed to allow them only two goals on the weekend. We have to do more of the same if we're to be successful this weekend."

A Spectator's Guide to Fencing

Foil

In foil touches are scored with the point of the blade and must land within the torso of the body (colored area on drawing). The fencer's valid target area is covered with a metallic threaded vest. When an opponent's blade hits the vest, the depressable tip completes an electrical circuit which sets off a light and a buzzer on a scoring machine. A colored light signifies a valid hit, and a white light signifies an off-target hit. The director must then decide who is to be awarded the touch on the basis of "right of way" rules.



Sabre

Sabre fencing allows touches to be scored with cutting motions as well as with the point of the blade. The target area is the entire body above the bend of the hips. There is no electrical scoring in sabre fencing, therefore a jury composed of the director and four side judges is used. If any of the judges see a hit they raise their hand, and the bout is halted. The director then analyzes the actions according to the "right of way" rules and the judges are polled (each judge has one vote and the director has one and a half votes).



Epee

The epee is a descendant of the dueling sword. In epee touches are scored only with the point of the blade, and the entire body is the valid target area. Touches are registered by means of electrical scoring equipment (as in foil). There is no "right of way" in epee, he who hits first scores a touch and if both hit at the same time both score a touch. All bouts in all weapons go until a fencer scores five touches or time is called. In epee if both fencers are tied when time is called, they both lose, however, in foil and sabre the next touch wins.



Source: Junior World Fencing program

Chris Donnelly/The Observer

Fencing

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newcomers. The Irish foilists will have the most depth, with the top three spots held by Yehuda Kovacs, Derek Holeman and Phil Leary.

"This weekend is without a doubt a key matchup for the Irish," said junior Joel Clark. "It will be critical for us to prove that we can rally both at home and on the road."

The Irish sabremen will be led by seniors Geoff Rossi and Tim Collins. In addition, sophomore Leszek Nowosielski will attempt to add to an undefeated freshman year in his first competition of the new season. Two weeks ago the Canadian native was home participating in the Canadian Olympic Circuit.

In epee, seniors Ted Fay and

Todd Griffie will be joined by freshman David Calderhead. Both Wayne State and Michigan should give the Irish some tough bouts this weekend.

The Irish resurgence in competitiveness and vitality exhibited two weeks ago can be attributed to several factors. Undisputedly, one factor is the presence of assistant coach Mike Marx. As a U.S. National Champion, Marx's effect on the Irish has been invaluable.

"I can't even begin to detail the influence that Mike Marx has had on the kids," said DeCicco. "With the kind of enthusiasm he has brought to the team, he has raised the level

of competition a full notch. When the kids scrimmage against him, it's infinitely better than any bouts on the weekend. The chemistry is right at this moment."

By this time next week, DeCicco feels that he will be in a better position to evaluate the true potential of the Irish. At that point the Irish will have

faced some of their staunchest opponents in the likes of Wayne State and Detroit, and will have received results and scouting reports on potential spoilers like Illinois and Ohio State.

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ND Women's tennis hosts Eck Doubles Classic

By CHRIS COONEY
Sports Writer

There will be plenty of activity at the Eck Tennis Pavillion this weekend.

"Students at Notre Dame will be able to see some of the best collegiate doubles in the nation," said Michele Gelfman, the head coach of the Notre Dame women's tennis team.

The activity is the second annual Eck Doubles Classic oc-

curing Friday through Sunday at Eck.

Ten of the best teams from each region in the nation will travel to Notre Dame this weekend to participate in the tournament, which begins today at 8 a.m. The competition includes Nebraska, Ohio State, Rice, Northwestern, Temple, Fordham, Western Michigan, Marquette and Northern Illinois. Gelfman cites Northwestern as probably the most talented team entered. None of

the participating schools are ranked nationally.

Gelfman thinks that the format will take pressure off of the Irish women and allow them to concentrate on playing their best doubles. Separate tournaments will be played at each of the four doubles positions.

"All the girls are playing and they don't have the pressure of a dual meet," said Gelfman. "They can just go out there and play their best doubles without

worrying about a team result."

Play begins at 8 a.m. each morning and continues throughout the day. A round-robin will be played Friday all day until 7 p.m., and will continue until Saturday afternoon. The round-robin will determine the placement of doubles teams in the final tournament.

The finals begin Saturday and will continue until 3 p.m. Sunday. Every doubles pair eventually will play three matches each day.

Gelfman hopes that the tournament will help the Irish regroup after last weekend's disappointing losses to Minnesota and Marquette.

"We are going into it with the attitude that if we lose, it's going to be because we gave it our best and were simply beaten by the better team," commented Gelfman. "I don't want to make any projections because the teams are very tough and we're going to have to play the best tennis we are capable of."

Sizing up the opposition

Buckeyes next Big 10 foe for Notre Dame tennis

By BOB MITCHELL
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's tennis team looks to win its first match against a Big Ten opponent this season when it travels to Columbus, Ohio to face Ohio State.

So far this season, the Irish are 0-2 against Big Ten teams. Michigan and Northwestern have already beaten the Irish this season.

Notre Dame will try to snap a seven-year losing streak to the Buckeyes, who finished last season with an impressive 27-10 record. Last year, OSU handed the Irish a decisive 7-2 loss without their No. 1 player.

"We're not going down there to fill out their schedule," said Irish skipper Bob Bayliss. "We need to return serve well and play good doubles to win. They don't lose many games at home but we do have a fighting chance."

Ohio State placed seventh in the Big Ten last season and is aiming for the Big Ten championship this season. The Buckeyes have a realistic shot at the crown since they return seven lettermen and add Ty Tucker, one of the top freshmen in the country, to their roster.

"This year, our goal is to win the Big Ten championship and it is totally within our reach," said Ohio State head coach John Daly, who believes that skill is not the only way to win a match. "One of my sideline goals is to win by intimidation. I want the other guys to have a fear that they can't beat us."

Indeed, Daly has the right to believe this method may lead his team to victory over the Irish. The top eight Ohio State players average 6-2, 180 pounds. The typical Irish player averages 6-0, 158 pounds.

"As a rule, they are big, strong guys," said Bayliss, who recently earned his 300th career win. "They are better indoor and really like to belt the ball. Two guys who scare me are Steve Miguel and Kevin Dibelius."

Dibelius, a lefthanded junior, played the No. 1 position during the 1987-1988 campaign for Ohio State. The Ohio State Scholar Athlete in 1987 and 1988 posted a 22-16 singles record with his aggressive style of play and big serve.

Steve Miguel is an excellent tactician and outstanding

returner of serve. Miguel, who is ranked 48th in the country, possesses the ability to adjust his game quickly to defeat his opponent.

The Buckeyes' roster includes the Male Junior Player of the Year by Tennis Magazine, Ty Tucker. Tucker, a nine time USTA National Junior Title winner, plays in the No. three position for OSU. According to Daly, Tucker is everything that he is billed to be.

"Ty is playing very well," said Daly, the 11th most winningest active collegiate coach. "His game is right where we want to be."

For Notre Dame, the OSU matchup will provide another stiff test for the aspiring Irish. Notre Dame, who is behind in the series 12-18, needs this victory to reach the .500 level. However, Ohio State is aware of the improved Irish team and professes they are ready.

"We are totally cognizant of the fact that they have improved since last year," said Daly of his first dual match competition. "In the past, we didn't have to be ready, but this year we will be."

Hot-shooting Purdue tops Illinois 76-72

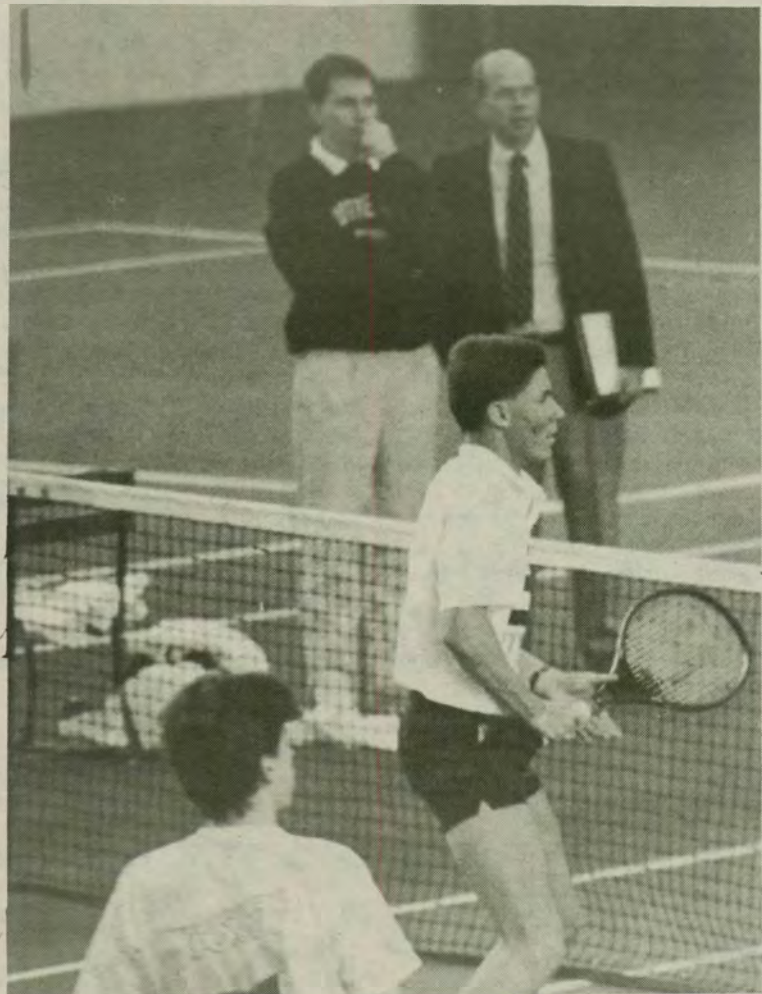
Associated Press

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind.--Melvin McCants scored 12 of his 16 points in the second half and Purdue made 61 percent of its shots to upset No. 2 Illinois 76-72 in Big Ten play Thursday night.

The Boilermakers' torrid shooting kept them in contention in a game that was tight all the way, with neither team leading by more than five points.

Purdue, 10-11 and 3-5, broke a four-game slide. It took the biggest lead of the second half at 69-65 on Ryan Berning's two free throws with 2:31 remaining, then held off the Illini.

Illinois, 18-2 and 5-2, pulled within two points twice after Berning's free throws. Stephen Scheffler, who had 11, made a rebound layup to answer the first challenge with 1:15 left. Loren Clyburn's pair of free throws put the Boilermakers ahead 73-69 with 1:15 left. After Stephen Bardo's 3-pointer with 32 seconds to go pulled Illinois to 73-72, Jones made two free throws with 27 seconds left.



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Coach Bob Bayliss and assistant coach Mike Owens (background) try to figure out the Big 10 competition against Michigan earlier this season.

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Jamere Jackson stretches for the rebound against Marquette's Mike Flory (31) Thursday night.

Jackson let game come to him

By SCOTT BRUTOCAO
Sports Writer

In a game where maturity and free throws were big factors, Jamere Jackson came through with both in last night's 83-68 victory over Marquette.

The junior co-captain was a perfect 10-for-10 from the line, icing the victory down the stretch and doing virtually everything that could be asked of him.

"I'm not a player to force the issue," said Jackson. "I let the game come to me."

And that type of easy-going, pressure-free athlete is the kind that this young, freshman-filled Irish team needs as a leader.

Jackson led all scorers in the game with 23 and topped all rebounders with 12. Both of these numbers were also personal highs for Jackson.

"Jamere tonight, with 12 rebounds and 23 points, and 10-for-10 from the line, you can't ask for more than that," said Head Coach Digger Phelps.

The game saw Marquette take a first half lead, but Jackson's roll-up shots and sure free throws helped keep Notre Dame in the game, and the Irish trailed by only two at the half, 37-35.

Jackson's persistence in the first half was important in maintaining the team's com-

posure. But after the game, Jackson downplayed his individual role and credited the team.

"We just knew we had to keep the pressure on," said the 6-2 guard. "We just wanted to keep the press going, and that's what made the difference."

Free throws were another factor that made a difference, and Jackson's 10 were a key to the success of the Irish.

As a team, the Irish made 24 free throws (in 29 attempts, the best of the season for the Irish) to Marquette's seven, a 17-point differential that exceeded the 15-point margin of victory.

"We've been really concentrating on making free throws," said Jackson, who raised his free-throw percentage to 88.4 percent on the year. "We've talked about it a lot lately, and it's all mental. If we would have made more at Syracuse, it could have made for a different game down the stretch."

Jackson's shots and free throws were timely as well as accurate. In the last five minutes of the first half, with Notre Dame trailing 25-17, Jackson's four free throws and two field goals were instrumental in cutting the Warrior lead to two.

In the second half, Jackson converted all his one-and-one opportunities and extended the

Irish lead, and with 28 seconds left he performed a one-handed slam-dunk on a breakaway that kept the JACC crowd roaring.

"We just played the kind of game we want to play," said Jackson. "We kept running at them, opening the way for a lot of easy baskets and that's my type of game."

Jackson's 12 rebounds, eight above his season average, should not be understated either, as the 6-9 tandem of LaPhonso Ellis and Keith Robinson combined for 10. Eight of Jackson's rebounds came in the second half.

"We were in a situation where we didn't play well at all in the first half," said Jackson. "We just persisted in the second half and wore them down and buried them in the last two or three minutes, and that's what good teams do."

Next Jackson and the Irish must turn every bit of attention they have to incoming Duke, which is scheduled to play the Irish on Sunday. Considering Notre Dame has had three games in the last five days, the whole team has to guard against fatigue.

"I'm in really good shape now," said Jackson. "We've played three games this week, and now we'll try and rest all we can before Duke comes on Sunday. It'll be interesting to see how far this team can go."

Slam

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that might have bothered Notre Dame."

Tim Singleton gave Notre Dame a boost at the end of the first half with a jumper at the buzzer, but it was Fredrick who took charge in the second stanza.

Fredrick scored the first seven points of the second half to give the Irish a 42-37 advantage. Robinson scored on an offensive rebound and Daimon Sweet converted an alley-oop from Singleton to increase the lead to 46-37.

Fredrick scored 13 more points in the half. He converted on 7-of-11 field goals and five-of-seven free throws after taking only one shot from the floor in the first half.

"The first half I was trying to get everyone involved," Fredrick said. "I wasn't really comfortable. I know I was passing up shots. I just had to start playing."

When Marquette cut the lead to 55-52, the Irish reeled off six straight points to take a 61-52 advantage. Marquette could

get no closer.

"I think the second half was as awesome as we've been all year, especially in the stretch drive at the end of the game," Phelps said.

Jackson and Ellis proved especially vital at the line, combining for 18 free throws without a miss. Jackson paced the Irish in rebounding with 12 boards.

Baldwin finished with 20 points to lead the Warriors, while Powell added 17 points.

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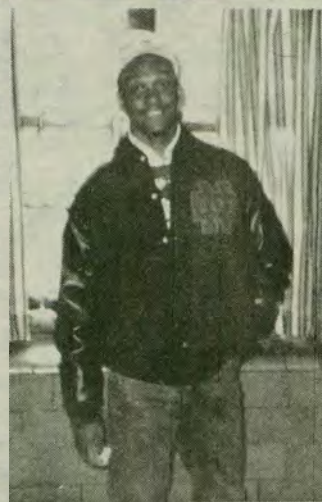
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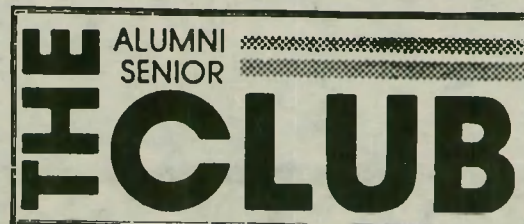


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From training room to captain

Kuhns rebounds from injury to captain Irish basketball

By MOLLY MAHONEY
Sports Writer

Lisa Kuhns has learned to adjust to new roles.

She came to Notre Dame with raw talent and a polished jump shot, content to play the part of a rookie adapting to the college game, but eager to take on more responsibility.

Within a year Kuhns proved she was ready for a new role.

But prior to her sophomore season, a freak accident sidelined Kuhns for the entire year, leaving her with the task of rehabilitating from reconstructive surgery on her knee and the prospect of proving herself a second time.

This did not discourage Kuhns though, as she left no doubts in the coaches' minds—or her own—about her ability. After a year of transition, the 5'10 native of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., has made the transition from training room to team captain.

"For three years (former Irish captains) Mary (Gavin) and Sandy (Botham) were my role models, the people that led the team," said Kuhns. "But now I'm the one who has to be the leader, and after watching them do it, I have to step up and prove I can be a leader. I think that's made my a better player."

She leads the team with a .857 free throw percentage and is the team's only consistent threat from three-point range, tallying a trey in 23 consecutive games coming into this season.

Kuhns has made an impact this season not only with her trademark shooting, but also with her overall play and her enthusiasm for the game.

"Lisa's got a great attitude and people look up to her," said Head Coach Muffett McGraw. "It's not just what she does, but how she does it. She just works hard everyday in practice and speaks her mind when she has to." "She wants to succeed and people tend to rally behind her because they respect her so much."

Kuhns considers herself a student of the game and prides herself is perfecting the basics.

"In order to be a leader, you have to do things right so that others can follow you," said Kuhns. "I try to listen more carefully because not only do I have to know what I'm doing, but I have to know what everybody else is doing too, so I can make sure that they're in the right spots."

"I try to work on the fundamentals and take coach's advice. That makes me more responsible and then I know what coach wants out of me and the rest of us."

Kuhns has made a career out of doing what is best for the team's game plan.

Whether it is shooting the game-winning shot against Dayton last year, or using her defensive skills to keep her opponents from making an impact offensively, Kuhns plays unselfishly.

"My goals are focused around a team goal, the NCAAAs," said Kuhns. "I have to shoot 50 percent, I have to be a good rebounder, and I have to be a good defender."

"But if I do my individual things right and try to be a good leader, that's going to be my contribution to the team and hopefully that will help us get a bid to the tournament."

Kuhns and the rest of the team will be trying to move closer to that goal tomorrow, as they head east to take on Syracuse.

The Irish won last year over the Orangemen in their first-ever meeting, 81-64, and will try bring home a crucial win.

"We're concerned about controlling their forwards," said McGraw. "Their forwards are quicker than their guards, so it puts us in an interesting situation packing it inside against them."

"It's always great to beat a Big East team and win outside your region



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Lisa Kuhns has adapted to her role as co-captain.

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Swim teams look for revenge

Irish close out home schedule against Ball State

By MARY GARINO
Sports Writer

There promises to be great excitement this weekend as the men's and women's swim teams host their final home meet of the season against rival Ball State Saturday.

The Irish men's team (6-3) will be looking for revenge against the Cardinals at 4 p.m. after last year's narrow loss at Ball State. The defeat was especially painful for Notre Dame.

"We had just come off a big win against St. Bonaventure,

and they sort of stunned us," said junior Bill Jackoboice. "They were ready for us."

Both teams will field basically the same lineups as last year, and the top times for each team in eight of the individual events make the winners too close to call. The diving and relay events may end up being the deciding factors in the meet.

Ball State's men's team has at least two outstanding swimmers in Holland native Winand Willigers and Eric Rauschei. Willigers has the Cardinals' top times in six events, and Rauschei is best at the butterfly events.

"It's like playing USC for the last game of the year," said Irish sophomore Paul Godfrey of the meet. "You don't want to lose to them."

The Irish women's team will also face a tough challenge at

1 p.m. Saturday. The swimmers have never beaten Ball State in five meetings, including a 12-point loss last year.

"It's a competitive meet each year," said Welsh. "They are a very good team, and they are swimming well right now."

In last year's meet, the Cardinals demolished the Irish in key events. The Irish have improved in some areas, but it maybe not enough to take away Ball State's advantage. Notre Dame will need to swim a great meet and hope for a break somewhere along the way, which Welsh is confident that the women will get.

"We know that we'll have to swim fast," said freshman Katie Pamenter. "But we're prepared and we're going to show them that we're ready for this meet."



The Observer / Mike Moran

The diving events could be the determining events in Notre Dame's dual meet with Ball State Saturday.

Tailback chooses Notre Dame

Associated Press

SYRACUSE, N.Y.—Dorsey Levens, a standout football tailback at Nottingham High School, announced Thursday that he has picked Notre Dame to attend this fall over his second choice, Syracuse University.

"What it really boiled down to was do I want to leave Syracuse and go away, or do I want to stay here?" Levens said at a news conference in his school's auditorium. "I've made my decision. I'm going to attend the University of Notre Dame."

Levens said that Notre Dame's 1988 national championship did not influence his decision, but that last Thursday's recruiting visit by Notre Dame head coach Lou Holtz did.

"It played a big part," Levens said. "He impressed me with the way he stressed academics."

National letter-of-intent signing day for football recruits is next Wednesday, when Levens is expected to make his choice official.

Levens, at 6-foot-2, 205 pounds, was a first-team Parade All-America. He rushed for 1,062 yards this past season and averaged 8.1 yards a carry.

Of the top 100 high school football players listed by Tom Lemming, a recruiting expert from Chicago, Notre Dame has received verbal commitments from nine players and is still in the running for three more.

The nine who have said they would sign with Notre Dame are as follows:

QB Jake Kelchner, 6-3, 200, Berwick, Pa.
QB Rick Mirer, 6-3, 205, Goshen, Ind.
RB Dorsey Levens, 6-2, 202, Syracuse, N.Y.
WR William Pollard, 6-5, 210, Ft. Knox, Ky.
TE Irv Smith, 6-4, 225, Camden, N.J.
OL Chet Lacheta, 6-3, 262, Chicago Heights, Ill.
DL Junior Bryant, 6-5, 270, Omaha, Neb.
DL Stuart Tyner, 6-4, 258, Tomball, Tex.
LB Randy Scianna, 6-2, 230, Homewood, Ill.

Linebacker Darren Krein of Aurora-Smoky Hill, Co., also lists Arizona State as a possible choice, and linebacker Brian Ratigan also lists Nebraska and Iowa State. Defensive back John Davis of Pahokee, Fla. is looking at Florida State in addition to Notre Dame.



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8 p.m. Slide lecture: "Black Churches Involved in the Civil Rights Movement," by Carlton Wilkinson, Vanderbilt University, Hesburgh Library Auditorium.

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8 a.m. Women's tennis, Eck Doubles Classic, Eck Pavilion.

6-10 p.m. Mexican Dinner at the Center for Social Concerns.

6 & 9 p.m. Notre Dame Communication and Theatre film, "The Unbearable Lightness of Being," Annenberg Auditorium.

7:30 p.m. Notre Dame hockey vs. Michigan/Dearborn, Ice Arena.

8 a.m.-3 p.m. Graduate Record Examination, Engineering Auditorium.

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4 p.m. Notre Dame men's swimming vs. Ball State University, Rolfs Aquatic Center.

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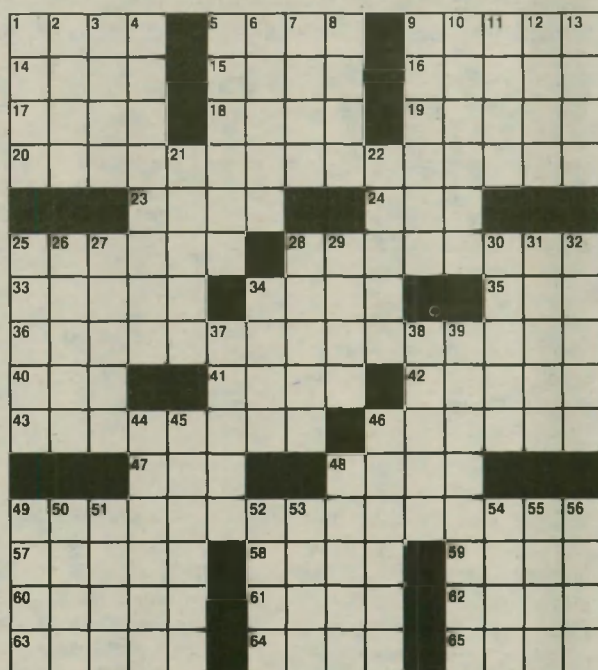
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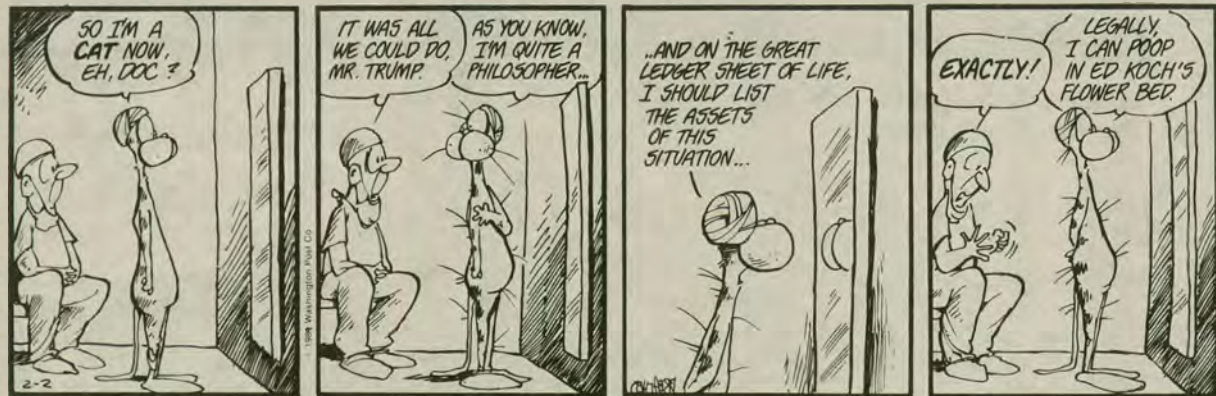
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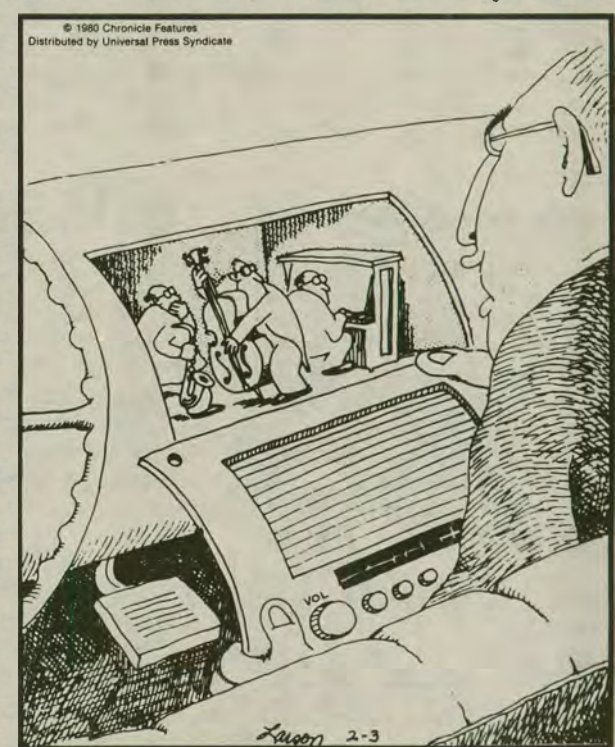
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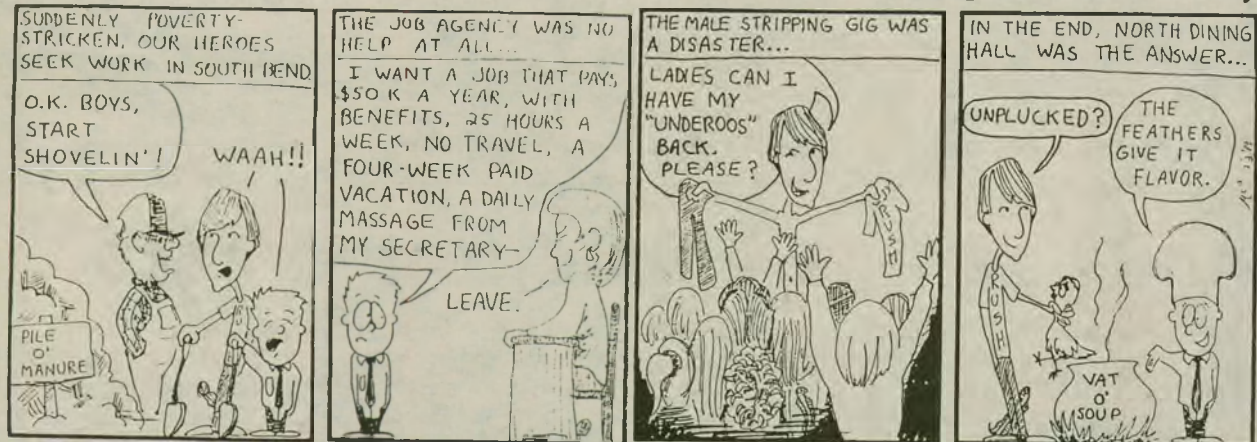
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Irish sputter, then slam Warriors 83-68

By GREG GUFFEY
Sports Writer

For over 38 minutes Thursday night, Notre Dame struggled against a pesky Marquette team. Then, the Irish turned it into just another day at the gym.

While improving to 12-3 with a 83-68 victory over the Warriors, the Irish made a statement with four tremendous slam dunks in the last 1:16—a statement that this team can erupt without advance warning.

"It was just like being at the Rock," said Notre Dame co-captain Joe Fredrick, who capped the dunkfest. "It was just fun. Everyone made sure everyone else got a dunk."

The dunks capped off an impressive stretch run for the Irish, who improved to 12-3 with the win. The young squad matured in the closing minutes, outscoring Marquette 14-4 in the last 3:26.

"I thought it was interesting in the last three minutes how we didn't fold, but exploded, as tired as these kids are," Irish coach Digger Phelps said. "I guess that's a sign of maturity. With three games in five days and no seniors, that was very interesting to see how we responded."

Notre Dame has also gained maturity in clutch free-throw shooting. The Irish sank 24-of-

29 foul shots, much improved from the 8-of-20 showing in a 99-87 loss to Syracuse two weeks ago.

"That's the first time we've gone to the foul line and put it in when it counted," Phelps said. "We've been working on that the past month and it's finally paying off now."

Jamere Jackson led the Irish with 23 points and Fredrick added 20 points, all in the second half. Freshman LaPhonso Ellis tossed in 17 points and Keith Robinson added 10.

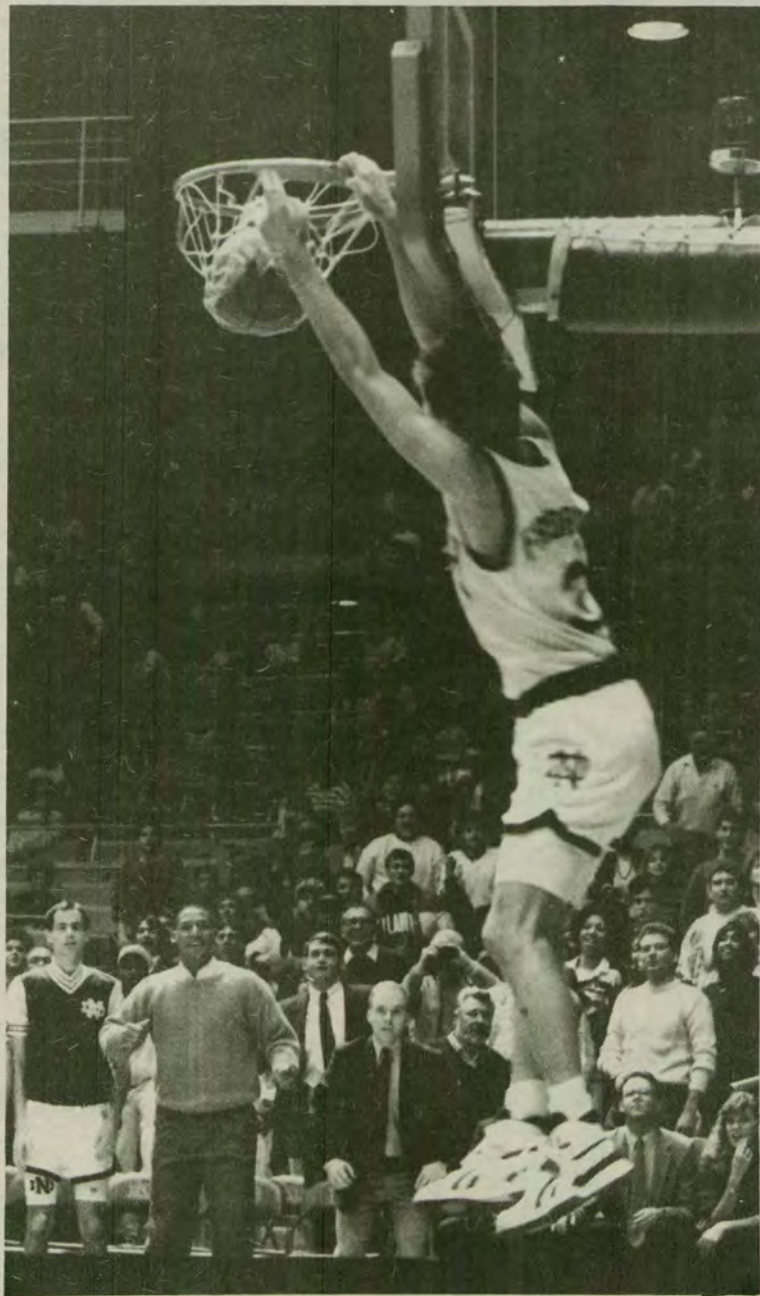
The game may have ended at the playground, but it was anything but fun in the first half.

The Warriors streaked to an eight-point lead at 25-17 with 5:59 to play in the half, thanks largely to the play of forwards Trevor Powell and Tyrone Baldwin. The duo combined for 22 points in the first half.

The Irish rallied late in the half, outscoring the Warriors 18-12 in the last 5:04 to cut the margin to 37-35 at the half. In that first half, the Warriors outrebounded Notre Dame 15-14 and forced nine Irish turnovers.

"Our game plan was to keep their bodies off the backboard," Marquette coach Bob Dukiet said. "In the first half, we hung in for awhile. We played a sagging defense and

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Co-captain Joe Fredrick gets in on the fun in the final minutes of Thursday night's game.

Ga. Tech outlasts Duke 81-76

Associated Press

ATLANTA—Dennis Scott picked the right spot to stretch his string of consecutive games with a 3-point basket to 38, helping lift Georgia Tech to an 81-76 Atlantic Coast Conference victory over No. 12 Duke Thursday night.

"He showed me he could do a lot of things besides hit the 3-pointer," Tech coach Bobby Cremins said of Scott, who scored nine of his 20 points in the final 2:40 and filled in the middle when Tom Hammonds sat out just over seven minutes of the second half with four fouls.

The Yellow Jackets, 13-6 overall and 3-2 in the ACC, were leading 68-66 when Scott took control, getting his flurry toward the finish on six free throws and his only 3-point basket in eight attempts.

Duke, losing for the fourth time in five games, fell to 14-4 and 4-4 despite a 27-point effort by Danny Ferry.

"I really thought we were going to lose it," Cremins said. "We had a five-point lead, a seven-point lead. We were playing our guts out, but I just couldn't get over we were turning the ball over."

Coach Mike Krzyzewski had no trouble pinpointing Duke's problems: the Blue Devils made only 10 of 21 free throws.

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Fencers host first (and last) home meet

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The Notre Dame and Saint Mary's fencing teams will keep the show on campus this weekend as they host their only home meets of the year on Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday's action at the Joyce ACC will pit the Irish against Midwest teams from Cleveland State, Eastern Michigan, Oakland University, Tri State, Detroit, and Michigan,

while the Belles will face a few selected teams.

Sunday the Irish will battle Wayne State in a storied Midwest rivalry.

Despite only one weekend of previous competition, head coach Michael DeCicco believes that his squads are ready for almost anything the opposition has to offer.

"If the great fencing of the young freshmen and sophomores holds up, then they could make me a believer of

this team as a national championship contender," said DeCicco. "The big test this weekend will be how well the women do against Wayne State. I'm anxious to see how it will turn out."

Last year, the women's team finished second behind Wayne State in a very closely contested fight for the national championship.

Two weeks ago, the foursome of Janice Hynes, Kristin Kralicek, Heidi Piper, and

Brenda Leiser handily defeated moderate competition in a meet held in Chicago. Additional help from Tara Kelly could give the women enough depth to power by opponents in their second meet of the season.

The men's team will once again provide a strong field in all three weapons, with an excellent menagerie of experienced veterans and talented

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Recent Irish enthusiasm is music to the ears

Under NCAA rules, the band will not be allowed to play during the course of the basketball game.

A chorus of 'boos' greeted those words when they were announced during the second half of Notre Dame's 64-60 victory over Temple last Sunday. But it did not take long for Irish fans to come up with a much more creative response:

The "Hey" cheer. You know, that cheer only a few people ever stand up for unless the game is on the line.

Last Sunday, everyone was standing. And singing.

"Da-DAAA-da...HEY...da-da-da, Da-DAAA-da...HEY...da-da-da, Da-DAAA-da...HEY...da-da-da...We're gonna beat the heck (or other variation) outta you!"

My confidence in the Notre Dame student body was restored.

The same students who sit down all too often and have been known to leave the bleachers empty for weeknight games against some pretty decent teams were all on their feet—singing.

Of course, Irish fans were not showing off a completely new talent.

They hinted at this singing ability earlier in the year at the Fiesta Bowl, by taunting West Virginia quarterback Major Harris with chants of his name, and ridiculing thousands of Mountaineer faithful by

mocking one of their favorite songs, "Country Roads," as soon as the game was in Notre Dame's control.

"Country roads, take you home, to the place, you belong, West Virginia..." You get the picture. It was a heartstopping rendition.

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Sports Editor



Later that night, a West Virginia reporter said she thought the behavior of the Notre Dame fans was tasteless and "uncalled for."

Let's call for it again Sunday, when the Duke Blue Devils visit the Irish in the Joyce ACC for what promises to be an exciting basketball game.

Duke fans have a lot to be proud of—a heralded basketball history and a strong academic reputation. Notre Dame is no slouch on those counts, either.

The Duke fans also have received their share of notoriety, much like Irish fans of years gone by.

Duke fans are crazy, and have earned the prime seats for Blue Devil home games. Irish fans have

been called "the sixth man" by NBC announcer Al McGuire and "the best college basketball crowd" by CBS analyst Billy Packer. Packer rates the Duke fans right behind Notre Dame's.

Let's prove Packer right Sunday. Let's make Duke second to Notre Dame on the scoreboard and in the stands.

Even if we are a little off key.

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Here they are—the 10 finalists in the Daimon Sweet nickname contest. Let us know which one you like, and the winner will be announced in this same spot next Friday.

In no particular order:

1. Daimon "Honeymoon" Sweet.
2. Daimon "Oh, Sweet Child o' Mine"
3. Daimon "Presidential" Sweet
4. Daimon "We Got the Beat" Sweet
5. Daimon "Air" Sweet
6. Daimon "The Sultan of" Sweet
7. Daimon "Nutcracker" Sweet
8. Daimon "Ain't She" Sweet
9. Daimon "Sweet Georgia Brown" and
10. Just plain, "Sweet"