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Presenting award

AP Photo

U.S. Desert Storm commander General Norman Schwarzkopf presents, Saturday, the citation for the Legion of Merit, Degree of Officer Award, to British Lt. Gen. Peter De La Billiere, at the Ministry of Defence and Aviation in Riyadh. De La Billiere was praised for his astute leadership in the Gulf War.

Saddam steals \$10 billion in oil profits

NEW YORK (AP) — The head of the company hired by the Kuwaiti government to find out the size and location of Saddam Hussein's wealth estimates the Iraqi president's family has skimmed \$10 billion in oil profits since 1981.

Jules Kroll also says Iraqi investors working for Saddam have purchased nearly \$1 billion worth of shares in public companies, including Paris-based Hachette SA, one of the world's largest media companies. Kroll says the stock purchases were made by Saddam's half-brother and several Iraqi directors.

Kroll, president of the New York-based Kroll Associates investigations company, spoke in interviews published today by the Financial Times, a British newspaper, and

broadcast Sunday by CBS News' "60 Minutes."

Kroll described Saddam, who took power in 1979, as one of the world's richest men.

The reports quoted Kroll as saying Saddam and his family have skimmed up to 5 percent of Iraq's \$200 billion in oil sales since 1981. Kroll also said he found evidence they siphoned an average of 2.5 percent off contracts with Japanese companies.

The Financial Times report did not address whether any of the holdings could be classified as ill-gotten gains under U.N. resolutions adopted after Iraq's August 2 invasion of Kuwait. Those resolutions intended to force Iraq to relinquish Kuwait and recover plundered Kuwaiti assets.

The CBS report, quoting

Kroll, said Iraq had moved some of its money to circumvent a freeze on overseas Iraqi accounts.

Kroll said Iraq transferred huge sums in early August to Jordanian banks. He also said Kuwaiti luxury vehicles stolen by Iraq's occupation forces were shipped to Europe on a Royal Jordanian Airlines cargo flight, some turning up at Iraq's Embassy in Geneva.

Asked whether Saddam's agents were still salting away money, including assets looted from Kuwait, he said, "I would judge that is the case, yes."

Montana management was set up by Barzan Ibrahim, Saddam's half brother, the Financial Times quoted an Iraqi official as saying. The official was not identified in the story.

Better grad. program to improve undergrad

By MEGAN JUNIUS
News Writer

The University of Notre Dame believes by strengthening the caliber of the graduate program, that the quality of undergraduate education will improve as well, according to Professor Nathan Hatch, vice president for advanced studies.

Hatch, along with Rev. Edward "Monk" Malloy, president of the University and Professor Francis Castellino, dean of the College of Sciences, discussed the role of the graduate student teaching and researching at Notre Dame during a lecture Monday evening.

According to Hatch, the University is facing the new challenge of bringing the quality of the graduate level education up to that of the level of education that an undergraduate receives at Notre Dame.

"When receiving a graduate level education, it is imperative to learn both how to teach as well as how to research," he said. "When giving a graduate level education, Notre Dame feels the responsibility of training teachers and researchers of the next generation of academic scholars."

Hatch believes Notre Dame is in the position to build a quality graduate program because the foundation has already been laid during the past 20 years.

"Notre Dame has worked improving the faculty. The University did so by improving the salaries of professors as well as decreasing the teaching loads. This has attracted an outstanding junior and senior faculty," he said.

"Now we are striving to the building of research laboratories. We see the University increasing the infer structure for

graduate research," Hatch added.

As a Catholic research university, Hatch wants to see that values are freely explored. "The religious component at Notre Dame should play a role," he said.

Finally, "Graduate students should expect personal attention; this is a face to face university," Hatch said.

Malloy feels that the graduate level at Notre Dame should improve as the graduate stipend increases.

"One of the greatest problems is that many of the Notre Dame money-giving alumni only participated in the undergraduate program at Notre Dame, therefore giving only to the undergraduate program. Tuition and endowment provides for the undergraduate program. Research programs are more expensive," he said.

Malloy said Notre Dame does not have the funds to research every area; therefore the University has focused on particular areas and will broaden at the graduate level as the funds allow.

According to Malloy, as researching costs continue to rise, public universities will no longer have enough funds to spread out research. Therefore, these universities will suffer from cutbacks, possibly losing students to smaller, growing graduate programs, such as that at Notre Dame, he said.

Malloy also stressed the graduate student not only as a teacher and researcher, but as a student as well. "Becoming a graduate student requires financial, social and personal sacrifices," he said, "It requires one to reevaluate oneself

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Senate elections result in three wins, two run-offs, and controversy

By CATHY FLYNN AND
MONICA YANT
News Writers

In yesterday's Student Senate elections, 27 votes prevented a clear winner in the district one race, which has recently taken a racial focus that candidate Billy Allen called, "ridiculous."

The three other campus contests resulted in decided victories for Kristi Shafer, Joe Wilson, and Bong Miquibas, but the off-campus race will pit the Jim Gordon-Brian Murphy ticket and the Kristen Harknett-Ellen Lanser in the Wednesday's run-off.

The votes for the off-campus election were 71 to 68, respectively.

Shafer claimed the district two position with 52.4 percent of the vote. Matthew Bomberger, the only other candidate from this district, took 43.9 percent of the vote.

In district three, Miquibas won with 456 votes to Jorge Vera's 283 votes. "I am going to

work to deliver what I said I was going to do in my campaign," Miquibas said.

Wilson ran an uncontested race in district four.

A 3.1 percent difference in votes between Billy Allen and Paul Peralez made a run-off election necessary in district one. Allen received 288 votes

to Peralez's 261.

Controversy has surrounded the district one race. In an article in yesterday's Observer, Peralez claimed that his campaign was sabotaged when his posters were removed from Pangborn, Morrissey, and Alumni Halls.

Peralez has been outspoken

against Students United For Respect (SUFR), and the posters in question claimed the organization a "special interest group which has denounced Notre Dame in the local and national media."

"My primary motive is to be a fair and equal voice," said Peralez after the election re-

STUDENT SENATE ELECTION RESULTS

DISTRICT 1

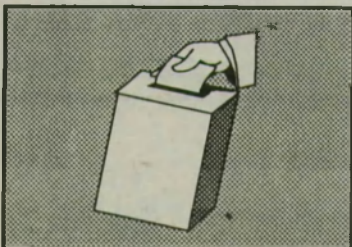
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4 McDonald 128
5 Other 24

DISTRICT 2

Shafer 184
Bomberger 154
Other 13

DISTRICT 3

Miquibas 456
Vera 283
Other 75



DISTRICT 4

Wilson
(UNCONTESTED)

DISTRICT 5

Gordon 71
Harknett 68
Sharkey 60
Folgia 45
Guilbault 43
Espino 30
Other 18

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sults were announced. "I just want to point out that Billy Allen has voted for Students United For Respect through the NAACP. I would be a vote of reason."

While campaigning in Dillon Hall last night around 11 p.m., Allen said he spotted Peralez hanging up posters reading, "That S.U.F.R. guy from Alumni vs. Paul of Dillon Hall."

Allen said he asked Peralez what he was doing, and asked that the posters be removed because the information on them was incorrect.

Allen stressed that he is not a member of SUFR, and said that he did not, as a student senator this year, ever take part in any vote regarding SUFR.

"The signs have been removed totally," Peralez responded after the incident occurred. He explained that he took them down immediately after the conversation with Allen.

The posters were "definitely

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INSIDE COLUMN

Quasimodo should be ND mascot

Freshman year was pretty rough.

I couldn't figure out why there weren't any books in the Bookstore (only shot glasses and facial tattoos). I never did find my French class (subsequently, my grasp of the language never progressed beyond my high school memorization of the "Hail Mary").



Paige Smoron
Assistant Accent Editor

And I'll never forget the day the Notre Dame mystique was irreparably shattered for me. I was mercilessly informed that there was no hunchback here.

Indeed, hardly anyone even limps.

I'm sure I'm not alone in this tragic misunderstanding. How many of you listen to Sacred Heart chime the Alma Mater and mentally envision a magnificent, hulking, swinging creature up in the bell tower? How many of you are here on false pretenses?

To prevent any further confusion, I read Victor Hugo's "The Hunchback of Notre Dame," and learned that the reason it doesn't sell nearly as well as "God, Country, Notre Dame" is because it's actually based on that other Notre Dame, a less popular university in France, famous only for its Alchemy Institute.

And, of course, for its grotesque (but well-meaning) hunchback, who apparently spent his time (in between ringing largish bells) pouring molten lead on the heads of peasants. The guy had style.

So what are we doing with a weenie leprechaun?

My proposal (Will you marry me?) is that we dump the annoying green dwarf and latch onto the hunchback as our new mascot. While I realize it will be difficult to find something to rhyme with "Quasimodo" in the Fight Song, I feel strongly that such a move will ultimately be beneficial to the Notre Dame community. We must cast off the tinge of ethnic stereotypes. "The Fightin' Irish" blatantly and ignorantly promotes a harmful image of an entire nationality. What's next? Where will the malevolent slurs end? "The Irritable Italians?" "The Grouchy Greeks?" I could go on, but I'll refrain.

Oh, I can't. "The Testy Turks?" "The Resentful Russians?" "The Belligerent Brits?" "The Sullen Sri Lankans....?"

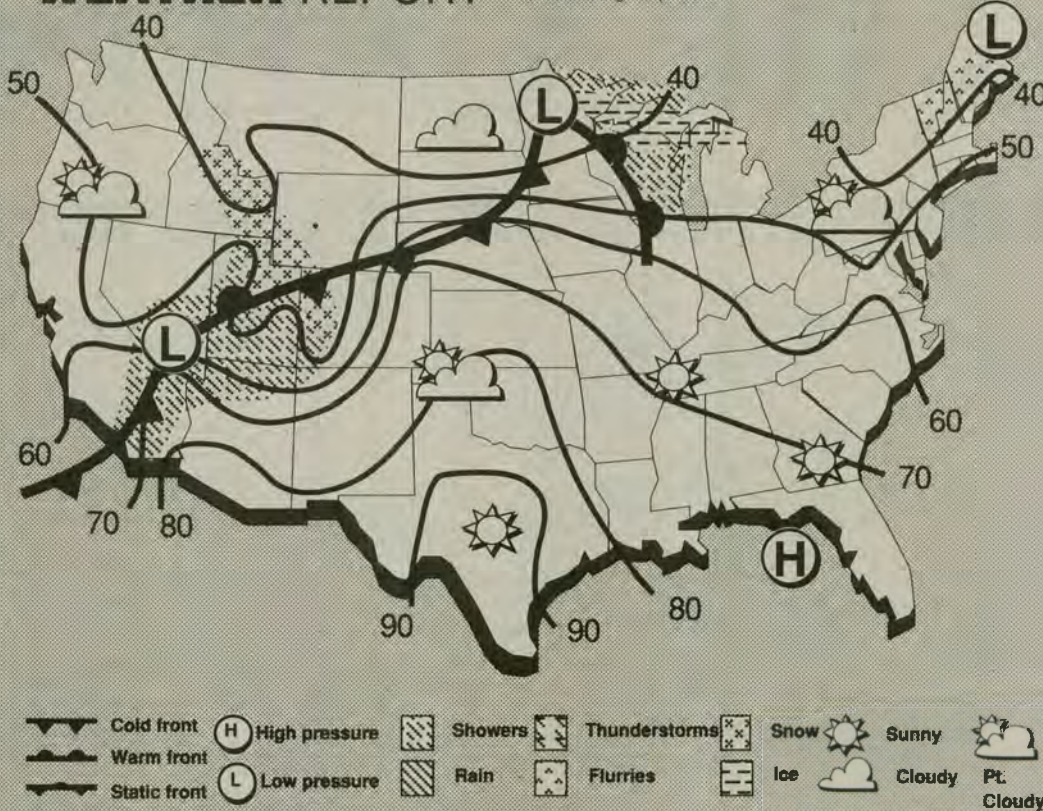
Besides, I have it on good authority (someone who *did* find their French class) that "Notre Dame du Lac" is far from Irish, so wouldn't it be more appropriate to go with something like "The Feisty French?"

Nay. With the hunchback as a mascot or team name, we would be taking advantage of a natural association, we would be culturally correct, and we would be far more intimidating.

And with a genuine freak of nature and reject of society, just think of how the tourist trade will boom. The commercial possibilities are endless. Quasimodo could moonlight giving campus tours. Instead of genial shamrock facial tattoos, the Bookstore could hawk stick-on warts.

WEATHER REPORT

Forecast for noon, Tuesday, March 26, 1991
Lines show high temperatures.



Legend:
Cold front (line with triangles), Warm front (line with semicircles), Static front (line with dashes), High pressure (H), Low pressure (L), Showers (cloud with rain), Rain (cloud with rain), Thunderstorms (cloud with lightning), Flurries (cloud with snowflakes), Snow (cloud with snowflakes), Ice (cloud with ice crystals), Sunny (sun), Cloudy (cloud), Pt. Cloudy (cloud with sun).

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FORECAST:

Cloudy and warm today with a 50 percent chance of showers. Warm tomorrow, with highs in the 60s.

TEMPERATURES

City	H	L
Athens	72	48
Atlanta	83	48
Berlin	52	43
Boston	40	35
Chicago	65	33
Dallas-Ft. Worth	76	55
Denver	70	37
Detroit	59	35
Honolulu	82	66
Houston	83	64
Indianapolis	47	33
London	48	41
Los Angeles	59	50
Madrid	57	39
Miami Beach	80	72
Moscow	43	36
New Orleans	83	55
New York	53	43
Paris	50	43
Philadelphia	51	43
Portland, Ore.	49	35
Rome	84	46
St. Louis	81	51
San Francisco	55	45
South Bend	64	29
Tokyo	61	50
Washington, D.C.	62	46

TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD

Earthquake hits Northern China

■ **BEIJING** — A strong earthquake struck a coal mining region west of Beijing early Tuesday, injuring more than 100 people, the government said. The quake struck at 2:02 a.m. (noon Monday EST) and measured 5.8 on the Richter scale, said Gu Yongxin at the State Seismology Bureau in Beijing. He said many homes collapsed, but said he did not have detailed information on casualties or damage. The quake was centered near Datong, a mining center of about 1 million people that is about 170 miles from Beijing.

NATIONAL

Teenagers arrested for vandalism

■ **FALLBROOK, Calif.** — Two Hispanic teenagers were arrested following a rock-throwing incident outside the home of a white supremacist who has been ordered to pay \$12.5 million in connection with a racial killing. Tom Metzger told sheriff's deputies the boys had vandalized his mailbox and were throwing rocks at the house outside San Diego when he confronted them Sunday night. The juveniles, ages 17 and 13, were arrested for investigation of vandalism, being drunk in public and resisting arrest. They were released to the custody of their parents. Their names were withheld because of their ages.

Lawsuit filed on behalf of fire victims

■ **NEW YORK** — A \$5 billion lawsuit was filed Monday on the first anniversary of the Happy Land Social Club fire on behalf of 93 victims, said a city agency that is among those filing the suit. The lawsuit

the lease-holder was filed in state court by 34 private lawyers — some of whom represent more than one victim — and Robert Black, public administrator for the Bronx borough. On March 25, 1990, Julio Gonzalez allegedly set fire to the club with a dollar's worth of gasoline. He is scheduled to appear in court April 19, when a trial date will be set.

CAMPUS

Computer seminar to help grammar

■ **NOTRE DAME** — A seminar on "Using Computers to Check Your Grammar" will take place Wednesday at 12:15 p.m. in the Board Room of Hayes-Healy Center. The seminar, led by Kevin Misiewicz, associate professor of accountancy and Barry Keating, professor of finance, will concern the operation of grammar checking computer programs and propose ways these might be used to improve business communication. The seminar is sponsored by the Notre Dame Center for Business Communication.

Trip planned to Art Institute of Chicago

■ **NOTRE DAME** — The friends of the Snite Museum of Art are sponsoring a trip to the Art Institute of Chicago on April 17 to view "High and Low: Modern Art and Popular Culture." High and Low emphasizes the bonds between the world of individual artists, such as Picasso and Rosenquist, and the world of popular culture. To coincide with the viewing of this exhibit, John Shields, education coordinator, will present a preparatory lecture on this show April 11 at 4:15 p.m. in the Annenberg Auditorium. For more information call 239-5516.

OF INTEREST

■ **An Introduction to Resume Expert** presentation will be given today from 3:30-4:30 p.m. in the Career and Placement Services Conference Room. The computerized resume preparation system will be described and detailed instructions will be given on how to use the program to complete and enhance your resume.

■ **Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACOA)** can meet tonight for an informal workshop in the Hesburgh Library

Auditorium from 6:30-8:00 p.m.

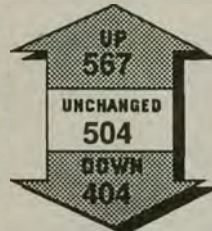
■ **The Recyclin' Irish** will have a mandatory meeting for dorm representatives and anyone interested tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Center for Social Concerns.

■ **Shenanigans' spring concert** will be held tonight at 8 p.m. in Washington Hall. Admission is free.

MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY'S TRADING/March 25, 1991

VOLUME IN SHARES
197.17 Million



NYSE INDEX 201.61 ↑ 0.48
S&P COMPOSITE 367.48 ↑ 0.90
DOW JONES INDUSTRIALS 2,864.60 ↑ 5.69

PRECIOUS METALS

GOLD ↓ \$4.30 to \$359.40/oz.
SILVER ↓ 4.1¢ to \$3.926/oz.

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

- **In 1909:** Russian troops invaded Persia to support Muhammad Ali as shah in place of constitutional government.
- **In 1942:** Nazis began sending Jews to Auschwitz in Poland.
- **In 1979:** Egypt and Israel signed a formal treaty, ending 30 years of war.
- **Ten years ago:** Carol Burnett won \$1.6 million in a libel lawsuit against The National Enquirer, which printed a gossip column depicting her as intoxicated at an encounter with Henry Kissinger.

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Bostwick resolves proper hygiene for 1991-92

By DAVID KINNEY
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Student Senate headlined its light-hearted final meeting under 1990-91 officers with a resolution calling for proper dental hygiene to become a campus-wide priority.

Lisa Bostwick, district 2 senator who submitted the resolution, emphasized that "it's definitely an issue that all the members of the Notre Dame community can take to heart."

The document, which was passed unanimously, operates on the premise that poor dental hygiene "negatively impacts the interfacing of members of the Notre Dame family and is contrary to the mission of the University."

The Bostwick resolution calls for the issue to be addressed by appropriate bodies, including the University Ad Hoc Parking Committee and the Sophomore Literary Fest, that training in proper hygiene become a part of Residence Hall Staff Training and other orientation programs.

Finally, the resolution demands that 1991-92 be designated the Year of Proper Dental Hygiene.

"I think this would greatly improve male-female relations," Student Body President Rob Pasin added.

In other senate business:

•1991-92 Treasurer John Coffey raised the issue of the

nine percent tuition increase and six percent room and board increase next year. Coffey questioned whether the administration is really still concerned with undergraduate financing.

"If it keeps going like that," he said, "you're looking at in a couple of years— a lot of people, even in this room, won't be able to come here or it's going to be an extreme sacrifice on their family."

Coffey pointed out that ND will not have enough students to fill all the new buildings on campus.

"Are we really getting our tuition money's worth? Are we getting teachers that are concerned about students?" he asked.

•The senators approved the Student Union Board Executive Council for 1991-92. Lynn Ramsay will take over as board manager; Beth Wittman will become director of programming; Heather Burns has been selected for director of marketing; Kristina Hannam will serve as director of relations; and Chris Weismantel will take over as controller.

•The topics for the Board of Trustees reports were announced and approved. The first report "will examine the status of teaching as Notre Dame moves to become a premier research university," while the second will examine volunteer activity at ND.



AP Photo

Back home

Released Kuwaiti prisoner of war embraces a relative as he arrives in Kuwait City's Surra neighborhood Sunday. Zaid was among another batch of POWs released by Iraq who returned home.

ND prof. elected fellow to AAAS

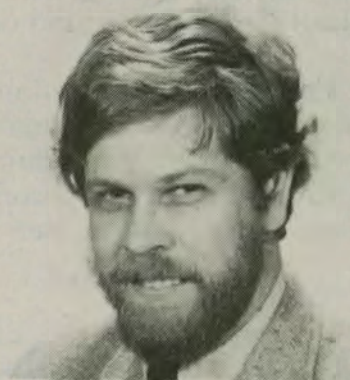
By ALICIA REALE
News Writer

Robert Scheidt, professor of chemistry and biochemistry at Notre Dame, was recently elected a fellow of The American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS).

There are approximately 140,000 members of this organization and only five percent receive this honor.

Scheidt said he was elected fellow as a result of his more than twenty years of extensive publication. According to Scheidt, members receive fellowships in reward for distinct contributions to the scientific field.

Scheidt's research attempts to "make a variety of different metalloporphyrin systems and determine their molecular structures and try to relate those structures to other chemical and physical properties," he said.



Robert Scheidt

According to Scheidt, his research explores complexities not understood as recently as twenty years ago. His general goal is to explore "everything there is to understand" about the important biological molecule metalloporphyrins. Scheidt said he studies these molecules by relating structures to properties.

The advancement of science is the organizational goal of the AAAS, according to Scheidt. "There are certain questions one feels compelled to answer simply because they're there," he said.

The AAAS publishes a weekly magazine, *Science*, which reports what is happening in science over a wide range of topics, said Scheidt. His new fellowship will be announced in a future issue of the magazine.

Scheidt has been a professor at Notre Dame since 1970. He received his bachelor's degree in chemistry at the University of Missouri at Columbia in 1964. He then received a doctorate at Michigan and went on to do his post-doctoral research work at Cornell University. This year he is teaching honor's general chemistry.

Scheidt has been invited by the University of Paris to guest lecture at the University this summer.



SPRING 1991 MUSIC REGISTER

THE FOLLOWING MUSICIANS ARE INTERESTED IN FORMING/JOINING AN ON CAMPUS BAND:

Steve Brown Guitarist, Vocalist
x1603

Gary Chirhart Guitarist
x1161

**Good luck to all bands
and musicians.**

Courtesy of **S.U.B. MUSIC**

American Heart Association



Happy 21st Birthday Laurie



**From your
Catbutt friends!
Love, Cyn,
Mark, Stan,
Joe, Kate, and
the rest of
the gang.**



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



1942-1944: First World War
1972-1982: Second World War
1990: Persian Gulf War

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Costner's "Dances With Wolves" sweeps Oscar night

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Dances With Wolves," Kevin Costner's three-hour Western that was initially scorned by Hollywood, dominated the Academy Awards on Monday night with seven Oscars, including best picture and director.

Kathy Bates, the demented recluse in "Misery," and Jeremy Irons, the sinister Claus Von Bulow of "Reversal of Fortune," won Academy Awards for best leading performances.

"Dances," which had led with 12 nominations, also won for sound, original score, film editing, cinematography and Michael Blake's screenplay adapted from his own novel.

"I'll never forget what happened here tonight," an exultant Costner said as he held up the best picture trophy he shared with co-producer Jim Wilson.

Costner also won an Oscar for

his debut as director in charge of the big-budget spectacle with Sioux subtitles, which became a box-office and critical sensation after being laughed at by the industry.

"I'd like to thank the academy — I've been waiting a long time to say that!" said a teary Bates, an upset winner who was a relative unknown in films despite a long stage career. Most observers had predicted that either Anjelica Huston or Joanne Woodward would walk off with the prize.

"This is great!" Irons said. He thanked his wife, who is in England, saying "I wish you were there to carry this, because you helped me win it."

Whoopi Goldberg, the fake psychic who surprises herself by contacting the dead in "Ghost," and Joe Pesci, the maniacal mobster of

"GoodFellas," won Oscars for supporting performances.

"Ever since I was a little kid I wanted this," said an emotional Goldberg, who had struggled since receiving a best actress nomination for her screen debut in the 1985 film "The Color Purple."

"When I was a little kid, I lived in the projects. You are the people I watched. The people who made me want to be an actor," she told the star-packed crowd.

She became only the second black woman to win an Oscar and the first since Hattie McDaniel was honored for the 1939 film "Gone With the Wind." "Ghost" also won an Oscar for original screenplay.

Pesci was much more subdued, saying "It's my privilege, thank you," and walking off.

Comedian Billy Crystal emceed the show in style, starting off

with a hilarious musical tribute to the five best picture nominees for the 63rd annual ceremonies, which took place at the Shrine Auditorium and was televised by ABC-TV.

"Dick Tracy," Warren Beatty's big-budget detective adventure, won prizes for makeup and art direction and song. The best costume award went to the French period drama, "Cyrano de Bergerac," and the sound effects editing prize went to "The Hunt for Red October."

The Oscar for best documentary feature went to "American Dream" and the documentary short subject award went to "Days of Waiting."

"Journey of Hope," a Swiss movie, won the award as best foreign film.

Several special Academy nods were presented: the Irving G. Thalberg award to producers Richard Zanuck and David Brown, an honorary award to

actress Myrna Loy and a special achievement Oscar to actress Sophia Loren.

Loren was on hand to receive her award, but the 85-year-old Loy has been ill and had to accept the honor via satellite from her apartment in Manhattan.

Presentation of the best original song had a tragic overtone.

Country singer Reba McEntire sang one nominated song, "I'm Checkin' Out" from "Postcards From the Edge." She had withdrawn from the show after seven members of her band and her road manager were killed in a private plane crash on March 16.

But the widow of her road manager, Jim Hammon, persuaded the singer to perform as scheduled, reasoning, "Jim worked all these years to get you where you would sing on the Oscars."

Campus Ministry and You



Holy Week

This week most of the Churches of the Christian Tradition celebrate Holy Week, the week commemorating the death and resurrection of Jesus.

The week begins with a reading of the passion - the story leading up to the crucifixion - on Sunday, followed by a reenactment of the Lord's supper on Thursday - the meal at which Jesus instituted what has become the primary religious celebration of the Christian faith - the Eucharist.

Probably the biggest difference between this Eucharistic celebration and those held on other days is the ceremony of the washing of feet - an act by which Jesus made clear that he had no intention of establishing a church built on hierarchical power but rather of establishing one based on service and humility.

Friday is the celebration of the crucifixion and death of Jesus. Key to this celebration are the questions: "He saved others; why can't he save himself?" and "If He is truly the Son of God, why can't he come down from the cross?"

The answers are not easy, but are central to all of Christian belief: a Christian accepts that which comes his or her way in life, always believing that it points beyond itself. A death by crucifixion feels and looks terminal, but it isn't. It only leads to what comes next.

What comes next is celebrated at the Easter Vigil on Saturday evening and the Easter Services on Sunday: eternal life.

Simply put, this week is the most significant of the Christian year because it crystallizes the essence of Christianity. If one seeks eternal life, one need only submit to life on life's terms. We change what can be changed to conform with the will of God (justice and peace for all) and accept that which can't be changed - no matter how weak it might make us appear. Even if that leads to death, we trust it is full of meaning and hope and leads to oneness with God. For the Christian, oneness with God is the ultimate goal.

Create in me
a clean heart
O Lord



Lenten Penance Service

Tuesday, March 26, 1991

10:00pm Sacred Heart Church

Opportunity for individual confession following the service.

The mystery of Christian faith is being celebrated at Notre Dame this week as follows:

Holy Thursday 5PM Presider: Rev. Carl Ebey, C.S.C.
Homilist: Rev. William Dohar, C.S.C.

Good Friday 3PM Presider: Rev. James Flanagan, C.S.C.
Homilist: Rev. Mark Poorman, C.S.C.

Holy Saturday 9PM Presider: Rev. Peter Rocca, C.S.C.
Homilist: Rev. Richard Warner, C.S.C.

Easter Sunday 8AM Presider: Rev. George Wiskirchen, C.S.C.

10AM Presider: Rev. Thomas Gaughan, C.S.C.

11:45AM Presider: Rev. Stephen Newton, C.S.C.

Changing social attitudes create ethical dilemmas

By PAUL WASINGER
News Writer

According to Jean Porter, professor of theology at Notre Dame, the recent dilemma over medical ethics can be attributed to current medical techniques combined with wide-spread changes in social attitudes.

In a lecture titled "New Challenges for Moral Medical Ethics in the 90s," Porter blamed the more advanced medical techniques that have emerged in the past 20 years for pushing former ethical guidelines to their limits and forcing new developments in moral theory.

"Until relatively recently medical ethics, such as it was, was extremely simple; so simple that no one would have really thought of teaching a whole course just on medical ethics much less, as is common today, going to a whole Ph.D program and specializing just in medical ethics," said Porter.

However, the vast expansion of a physician's capacity to save life ushered in new moral questions, she explained.

"Increasingly, we found ourselves in a position of being technically able to save or at least prolong life, in the case of people who were very, very sick to begin with, and we begin to wonder whether we really want to do this," Porter said.

Because of changes in social views, Porter said doctors are now faced not only with questions of whether or not to care for critically ill patients but also with the question of who counts as a moral subject.

"Even if we start out with what counts with a good or a harm, we then still have to ask to whom are we trying to do

good and avoid harm."

In addition to these changes, Porter also blames the ethical crisis on the growing financial crunch associated with medical care. "At the level of social structure a host of questions arise about who should pay for medical care, how it should be allocated, and how funds for research should be allocated," she said.

Porter believes that the greatest challenges to medical ethics today come not from the developments in medicine but in the developments of moral theory.

She sees the current trend towards dealing with ethical issues on a case orientated approach, "ethics based on reflection," as working well in homogeneous communities yet breaking down in not so homogeneous communities.

For this reason, Porter believes that it is a mistake to do much with medical ethics as a discipline. "Medical ethics as a discipline should self-destruct, if it has not done so already."

She instead said that because there are no easy solutions with respect to these difficult ethical decisions, doctors should move towards a greater cohesiveness in moral decision-making.

"Make a point of including divergent voices. Voices from different socioeconomic classes and different races," she advised, "And try, at least, not to force consensus where consensus is not warranted."

The lecture was sponsored by the Provost Office, University Academic Code of Honor Committee, and the Student Academic Council Committee in the ongoing series on Professional Ethics.



Serious about elections

The Observer/Macy Hueckel

Breen-Phillips Hall resident exercises her right to vote during the Student Senate elections yesterday.

Kremlin forbids public rallies

MOSCOW (AP) — President Mikhail Gorbachev's Cabinet on Monday banned rallies in Moscow for the next three weeks, fearing that unhappiness over price hikes and a no-confidence vote on Gorbachev's chief rival could boil over in violence.

Boris Yeltsin's position as chairman of the Russian Federation parliament is to be tested at an extraordinary session of that parliament due to start Thursday.

Several groups, led by the anti-Communist movement Democratic Russia, have scheduled a mass demonstration to support Yeltsin on Thursday. Moscow City Council, controlled by pro-democracy forces, has already granted a permit.

March 10 drew about 500,000 people to Moscow and tens of thousands more into streets in

other cities, the biggest demonstrations since the 1917 Bolshevik Revolution.

Hard-line members of the Russian republic's parliament, which is known formally as the Congress of People's Deputies, called the session after Yeltsin demanded that Gorbachev resign in an appearance on national TV last month.

Yeltsin's plea came as Gorbachev was attempting to muster support for last week's national referendum to preserve the union. The two leaders each accused each other of fomenting civil war and trying to expand personal power with the referendum, which passed with nearly 77 percent of the vote.

Monday's order for the Interior Ministry, KGB and other security agencies to prevent any gatherings on city streets from March 26 to April 15 went be-

yond a previous ban and showed clear apprehension that demonstrations could turn violent or threaten government authority.

An emergency Cabinet meeting approved a resolution banning all marches, demonstrations, picketing and rallies, the state news agency Tass said.

Yeltsin's future is riding on the no-confidence vote. He criticized the March 17 referendum as "ambiguous" but welcomed Russian voters' approval of a second question that created a new Russian presidency.

Many commentators speculate that Yeltsin will run for the new presidency if he loses the no-confidence vote. His title now is chairman of the Russian parliament, although most Soviets refer to him as president.

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Alumnae to present final lecture in series

By EMILY WILLETT
Saint Mary's Editor

The "Life of the Mind" lecture series will conclude with a Saint

Mary's Alumnae - Student Conference, "Genesis 3," the weekend of April 5-7.

The conference will feature active discussion of the connec-

tion between college life and the world beyond. A select group of twenty alumnae will share their post-graduate insights and the effect of their Saint Mary's College experiences. Students will participate in small group discussions with the alumnae, providing an opportunity for the discovery of the value of a Saint Mary's education and the quest for intellectual growth.

Students interested in applying should contact Patrick White, associate dean of Faculty, at 117 LeMans Hall, 284-4584 or Karol Dlouhy at 64 LeMans Hall. Brief applications are due March 28.

PLACEMENT EXAMS

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Mandatory Placement Exams in **French** and **Spanish** will be given on **Wednesday, April 3** and **Thursday, April 4** respectively. Students who have studied French or Spanish in high school but have not yet taken a course in these languages at Notre Dame must take a Placement Exam prior to registration.

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Hampshire professors dismissed

AMHERST, Mass. (AP) — Two professors in this college town contend there is such a fervor at their school to mix social issues with curricula that they were booted out for not being "politically correct."

Hampshire College administrators say Jeff Wallen and Norman Holland were denied reappointment only because they were ineffective teachers. But the two professors pin their dismissal to criticism from colleagues that they took a "Eurocentric" approach to courses and weren't committed enough to Third World studies.

"It came up in letters to my file. These accusations are in writing," said Holland, a Panamanian-born assistant professor of Hispanic literature.

Hampshire, which began 20 years ago as an experiment in alternative education, encourages students to build a Third World aspect into their courses and degree plans under something called the Third World Expectation.

"I'm totally in favor (of the Third World Expectation)," said Holland, who is finishing up his final semester of teaching. "I've never been at all opposed, and strongly supported it, not only personally but in my courses."

Wallen, who teaches comparative literature, said he was criticized for using the Jacobite-English conflict in a Walter Scott novel as an example of imperialistic conflict. Ballots cast against his contract renewal contained written criticisms of his lack of Third World commitment, he said.

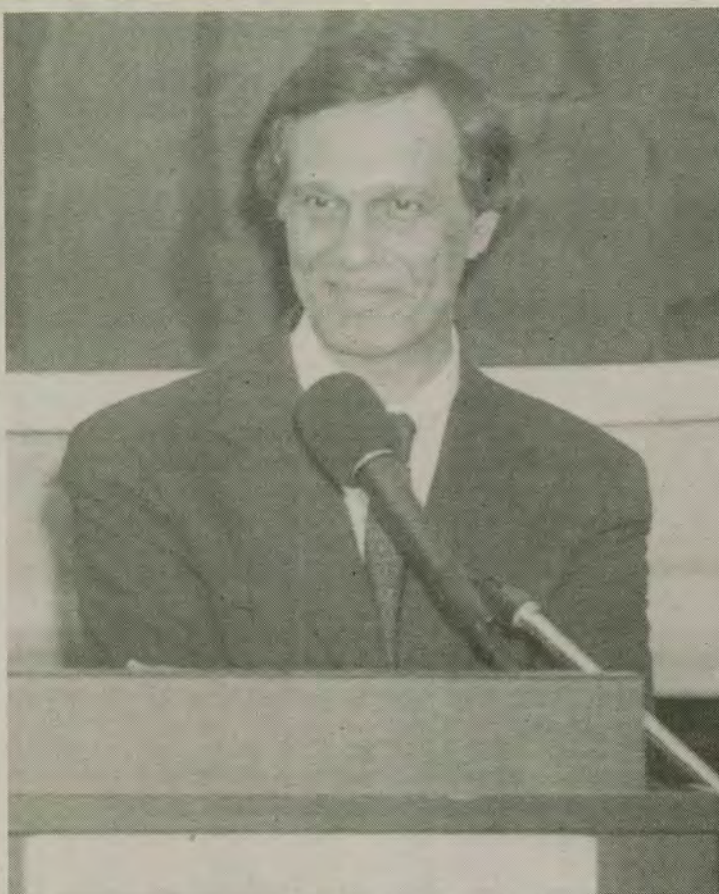
"First of all, I teach European literature, and second of all, I don't teach European literature simply as a story of colonialism and imperialism. Some people want it to be as simple as that," said Wallen, currently on a year's sabbatical and living near Boston.

Across town at the University of Massachusetts, a new approach to basic writing came after a 1986 campus brawl between black New York Mets fans and white Red Sox fans.

The University of Massachusetts writing program consists of two different classes, Basic Writing and College Writing. About 4,000 first-year students enroll in the courses each year, with five percent taking Basic Writing and the rest going directly to the more advanced course.

Basic Writing students select two books from a list that includes such diverse topics as "Brothers and Keepers," an account of the lives of two black brothers, and "The Parish and the Hill," a story of Irish immigrants in Massachusetts. Other titles include "The Lost Language of Cranes," an account of three men coming to terms with their homosexuality, and "The Joy Luck Club," vignettes of four Chinese women and their American-born daughters.

In the second course, students write and discuss their work, and teachers can introduce notes of cultural diversity by bringing in such items as a flier about a campus seminar on racism or a newspaper article.



New Harvard president

AP Photo

Former Provost of Princeton University Neil Rudenstine smiles during a press conference Sunday at Harvard University after being named the new president of the University. Rudenstine will replace Derek Bok who will be stepping down at the end of June.

Palm Springs spring break lacks traditional chaos

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — The first weekend of spring break in Palm Springs was relatively tame this year, with police reporting a dramatic drop in arrests and none of the major disturbances of previous years.

"It's been really quiet," Sergeant Ron Starrs said. "We did not get the crowds we expected."

About 80 people were arrested Friday afternoon through Sunday morning, mostly for public drunkenness and drunken driving, police said. Starrs said, the number of

arrests was down 50 percent from last year.

Students from all over the region pour in for the annual celebration, sometimes leading to rioting and deaths.

In 1969, students rampaged during rock concerts. In 1986, 600 youths threw rocks and bottles through windows and tore clothing off women.

Officials of this staid desert resort attributed the unusually docile crowds this year to increased security, cold weather, new bans on nudity, and concrete barriers along the main street to discourage cruising.

Tuition increase to ensure 'excellence'

Special to The Observer

College faculty.

The University of Notre Dame has announced a 1991-92 undergraduate tuition increase of 9 percent, or \$1,115, to a total of \$13,505. The rate of increase is lower than the average 9.6 at the University over the last five years.

Notre Dame's trustees have also approved a hike of 6 percent, or \$200, in the room and board fee, which will now average \$3,575. The overall cost of an undergraduate residential student will increase \$1,315, or 8.3 percent, to \$17,080.

In a letter to parents of returning undergraduates and 1991 freshmen, University President Father Edward Malloy, said the five-year budgeting plan of the University calls for the rate of increase to be reduced further. He attributed the increase for 1991-92 to "an expensive word: excellence."

The letter cited faculty salaries in the top 20 percent of the nation's universities, a five-year, \$27-million campus computing improvement, and expansion of the Arts and Letters

Tuition for Notre Dame's Graduate School will go up \$1,115 to \$13,385. In the Law School, tuition will be up the same amount to \$14,095 and the M.B.A. program will see a \$1,420 increase to \$14,095.

In his letter, Malloy presented figures on current costs at comparable highly selective, private institutions of higher learning which show Notre Dame to be ranked extremely low-33rd among 35 colleges and universities—in combined tuition, room and board expenses.

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Cascading rain
Three children play in water cascading down the steps of an alley in an Amman neighborhood Sunday. This waterfall is the result of heavy rains and floods which hit the desert-like area during the past two days, drowning five people and injuring 80.

Arab base to be established

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia (AP) — Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf says the United States is closer than ever to establishing a permanent land base on Arab soil— a goal governments in the region had blocked for many years.

The U.S. commander in the Persian Gulf War told reporters Sunday that the base would not include American ground forces.

He also said that the American troops who remain in the gulf will go home after a permanent cease-fire is signed with Iraq.

A report in a U.S. newspaper today said that American armored forces drove deeper into Iraq over the weekend, but the Pentagon said that was not true.

In another development, Iraq's government newspaper, Al-Jumouriya, on Sunday denounced the cease-fire terms set by the allies as aimed "at usurping Iraq's sovereignty, mortgaging its will and holding its wealth hostage."

The U.S.-led coalition, which halted hostilities last month after driving Iraq from Kuwait, says it will not sign a permanent cease-fire accord unless Baghdad destroys its chemical, biological and nuclear arsenals and agrees never to resume production of the weapons, among other conditions.

Prisoner releases, however, continued. A Red Cross official in Riyadh said 1,000 Iraqi prisoners of war traveled to the Saudi border post of Arar on Sunday and were handed over to Iraqi officials. He spoke on condition of anonymity.

Also Sunday, hundreds of Kuwaiti soldiers who spent months in Iraqi prisons returned home to their war-wrecked nation, where they were greeted by weeping relatives and celebratory bursts of machine-gun fire.

Since Kuwait was liberated on Feb. 27, some U.S. forces have begun helping the Kuwaitis rebuild their nation. Other American soldiers are occupying part of southern Iraq, where they are keeping an eye on Saddam Hussein's troops.

Schwarzkopf said the soldiers are not expected to remain in Iraq after a permanent cease-fire. But a permanent truce has been complicated by the rebellions by Kurds in northern Iraq and Shiite Muslims in the country's south.

Schwarzkopf said U.S. logistics troops could be in the gulf as long as eight to 10 months to help load up equipment, but that the vast majority of soldiers will be home before then.

Nearly 100,000 of the 540,000 American troops sent to the gulf in Operation Desert Shield have departed, the Central Command says.

The command, now based in Riyadh, plans to return soon to its headquarters in Tampa, Florida. But Schwarzkopf said Sunday, "There's a possibility we will be moving a forward headquarters element of Central Command— not the entirety... someplace over here on the gulf."

"But's there's an awful lot of negotiations that have to go on, the locations have to be accepted and all the arrangements have to be made... we're certainly much closer to that now than we've ever been before."

The Washington Post, meanwhile, reported in today's editions that U.S. Army troops have driven deeper into Iraq. It said heavy armored units drove 60 miles north to the Euphrates River valley over the weekend in a major repositioning apparently aimed at intimidating Saddam.

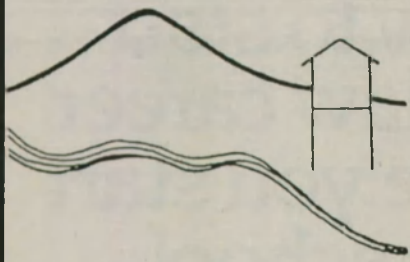
Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams denied the report, saying the movement was part of the repositioning of troops that has been going on in recent days.

As was reported last week, the Army's VII Corps is taking over territory that was captured by the XVIII Corps, elements of which are leaving Iraq to return to the United States.

The New York Times, quoting U.S. and Bahraini officials, today reported that the United States was close to signing an agreement with Bahrain to base part of the command in the island nation off Saudi Arabia.

U.S. officials had been indicating for months that Bahrain was the desired location for a base, and a senior Pentagon official today confirmed that talks were under way to allow some representatives of the Central Command to remain in that nation. The official would not say how large the contingent might be. "It's not finished yet. We're still talking," the official said.

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SECURITY BEAT

THURSDAY, MARCH 21

1:51 a.m. Two residents Walsh Hall reported seeing a suspicious person in the LaFortune Study Lounge.
12 p.m. A visitor to the University reported being harassed by the Hammes Book Store security while in the book store.
12:41 p.m. A resident of Fisher Hall reported receiving harassing phone calls.
11:20 p.m. Notre Dame Security assisted a resident of Lewis Hall while she waited for transportation to St. Joseph's Medical Center.

FRIDAY, MARCH 22

5:25 a.m. Notre Dame Security broke up a gathering on the Burke Memorial Golf Course that was in violation of the University's rules and regulations.
11:52 a.m. A resident of St. Joseph's Hall reported that a suspicious person had entered his room claiming to be looking for someone.
5 p.m. Notre Dame Security transported a resident of Dillon Hall to the Student Health Center. He had injured himself while playing sports on the southwest quad.

SATURDAY, MARCH 23

3:16 a.m. Notre Dame Security escorted a resident of Breen Phillips Hall to the Student Health Center. The student had fallen and injured herself in her dorm room.
1:58 p.m. A visitor to the University reported that someone attempted to sell him drugs in the men's bathroom near section 105 of the JACC. Notre Dame Security searched the area, but found no suspects.
8 p.m. A University employee reported that her purse was taken from her unattended office in Hayes Healy.
10:45 p.m. A resident of Breen-Phillips Hall reported receiving an obscene phone call.

SUNDAY, MARCH 24

4:04 p.m. A resident of Lyons Hall reported that her parking decal was stolen from her car while it was parked in the Gate #6 area of the JACC.
10:30 p.m. Notre Dame Security escorted a resident of Stanford Hall to St. Joseph's Medical Center. The student was injured playing basketball in the JACC.

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as a person. Many people drop out as they realize what is expected of a graduate student."

Following Malloy, Castellino described the researching method of the science department at Notre Dame. This is done so by forming a hypothesis, testing that hypothesis, evaluating the results, and then forming a unified theory. He discussed the need to continue to learn through discussion, reading and interaction with others from specialized laboratories.

"Research, especially at the graduate level, requires vast amounts of resources; thus students must work with constraints. Scientific methods are formally learned in lecture, lab and discussion.

In the science department, the University does not give sole responsibility of undergraduate classes to graduate students, Castellino said. "We work on the unified university approach—undergraduate students, graduate students, and faculty all working together," he said.

Hatch spoke on the responsibilities of teaching and researching among the humanities and social science departments, "There is no inherent reason teaching and research are related," he said.

"Teaching students while still being a graduate student, helps the graduate student learn what the profession is about," he said.

"In humanities and social sciences, the research is much more on the individual level," Hatch said, "Research depends basically on the individual student's doctrinal dissertation."

This lecture was last of a five part series sponsored by the Graduate Student Union.

Caffeine-chemo link

PHOENIX (AP) — Doctors said Monday they have found a way to figure out the safest and most effective dose of chemotherapy to treat cancer — by measuring the body's response to the caffeine in a cup of coffee.

So far, the new technique works for only one experimental cancer medicine, but scientists are looking for similar tests that will help them tailor treatment more precisely.

The goal is to allow physicians to give people enough cancer medicine to destroy their tumors without triggering life-threatening side effects.

Mark Ratain of the University of Chicago described his findings with the coffee test at a meeting of the American Cancer Society.

"The important thing is that a simple test has turned out to be predictive of how toxic a drug will be," commented Daniel Ihde, deputy director of the National Cancer Institute.

In other presentations at the meeting, doctors described preliminary results with two new weapons against cancer. One combines a poison with a normal protein to target cancer cells. The other combines antibodies with radioactive isotopes.

The coffee test will allow doctors to pick the best dose of amonafide, a promising experimental medicine that is being studied for use against cancer of the breast, uterus and prostate.

"We would like to maximize the dose to maximize re-

sponse," said Ratain. "We know that the more chemotherapy we give, the better the chance of benefit. We are limited by toxicity."

Currently, doctors pick doses of chemotherapy based on the patients' height and weight. However, there are great differences in how people respond to amonafide, as there are to many other drugs. A dose that causes no side effects for one person may kill another.

"The average patient does not exist," he said. "Everybody is more sensitive or less sensitive."

Amonafide is broken down in the body through a process known as acetylation. People who are fast acetylators produce high levels of a substance called N-acetyl-amonafide, which is highly toxic.

Therefore, people who are slow acetylators should receive higher doses, and those who are fast acetylators should get less. But until recently, there was no way to figure this out in advance.

Caffeine, the chemical that gives coffee its kick, is acetylated the same way as amonafide. So by using urine analysis that measures how quickly people break down the caffeine in a cup of coffee or a can of caffeinated cola, doctors can estimate how their bodies will respond to the cancer drug.

"It appears that when the drug is given properly, the response rate can be quite high," Ratain said.

In testing on 18 cancer patients, he found that 11 were

violation could be subject to penalties. He could not comment any further until having spoken with Peralez.

Allen said that he is pleased with his campaign. He said that he thinks that he has covered the issues well and has the experience in student government which his opponent lacks.

"I don't think that this is an issue of race," said Allen. "I'm not playing these games."

"I think it is a case of who can do the best job," he said.

William McDonald, another candidate from district one, received 14.7 percent of the votes. He said that he hopes that his supporters will now vote for Peralez.

"I am not trying to be a sore loser, but I am kind of upset that my name was not on the



Going my way?

AP Photo

President Bush thumbs a ride with members of the press after stopping to check the White House tennis court surface following church services in Washington Sunday. The president is followed by an unidentified Secret Service agent.

slow acetylators and seven were rapid acetylators. All were given standard doses of the drug. None of the slow acetylators had serious side effects, but three of the fast acetylators had life-threatening reactions.

On other subjects, C. Frederick LeMaistre of the University of Texas at San Antonio outlined the use of a natural hu-

man protein that has been welded to a poison through genetic engineering.

Unlike most healthy tissue, some cancer cells are highly responsive to a natural substance called interleukin 2, or IL-2. So doctors combined the gene that makes human IL-2 with the gene that makes diphtheria toxin.

ballot in today's Observer," McDonald said.

Allen also expressed disfavor with The Observer, because of the article that appeared yesterday about Peralez' posters being torn down. According to Allen, every candidate had some posters taken down.

"Paul could have just gone

around and put his posters back up," Allen said. "That is what I had to do."

The run-off elections will take place between 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. on Wednesday. On campus students will vote at their dorms and off-campus students can vote at the LaFortune information desk.

Elections

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not approved," according to Matt Caito, chairman of the student government Election Committee.

"I don't think it's (the posters) in the best judgement," Caito said. "It takes the campaign to a personal level, and it's not supposed to be mudslinging."

Peralez said he believes his campaign is fair. "I've tried to run a clean campaign," he said, "But we are both pitted in a race that both of us want to win."

"This is a campaign, and indiscretions will happen," Peralez said.

Caito said that the campaign

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Bob Simon meets Shamir

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CBS television reporter Bob Simon, who was captured by Iraqi forces while covering the Gulf war, but normally stationed in Israel met Sunday for an informal chat with Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir (right), at the Prime Minister's office.

Troops arrest president of Mali

ABIDJAN, Ivory Coast (AP) — Soldiers in Mali have arrested Gen. Moussa Traore following days of rioting and protests against the embattled president, sources in Mali's capital said early Tuesday.

Idrissa Traore, president of the Mali Barristers' Association, said military sources in Bamako informed him of the president's detention. He did not describe the action as a "coup" but said the soldiers "have the situation under control."

Idrissa Traore is no relation to the president.

There was no official confirmation of the report in Bamako.

Residents of the city cheered and set off firecrackers after hearing reports that Traore had been detained. There were also reports of looting and gunfire in the downtown area. Burning barricades and tracer bullets lit the night sky.

"Everyone's in the street. Nobody's sleeping. We're all so happy," said a woman who answered the telephone at the home of human rights leader and lawyer Demba Diallo. She would not give her name.

A worker at Gabriel Toure Hospital in Bamako said three bodies and eight wounded people had been brought to the center early Tuesday.

Thousands of workers in Mali went on strike Monday, and 45,000 people rallied in the capital to demand Traore's resignation. For the first time in four days, troops did not fire on anti-government protesters.

Opposition groups said Traore's troops had killed at least 148 civilians and wounded hundreds during daily pro-democracy protests that began on Friday. Traore says 27 were killed. Neither report could be independently confirmed.

There has been unrest in the West African nation of nearly 8 million people since January.

Traore had agreed to free political prisoners, lift a state of emergency and curfew and make other concessions after meeting with opposition leaders on Sunday night. But he has said he would not resign.

Diallo said the strike called by the National Union of Malian Workers brought the city to a standstill and pressure would continue until Traore resigned.

"Our movement is irreversible and cannot go back," he said.

Traore seized power in a military coup in 1968, eight years after the country gained independence from France. He installed himself as civilian president of a one-party state in 1979, and he was the sole presidential candidate in 1985 elections.

Juror discusses murder trial in public

CONCORD, N.H. (AP) — The state said Monday it is investigating a complaint that a juror publicly discussed the trial of a high school instructor given a life term for manipulating her student-lover into killing her husband.

The complaint was filed by Pamela Smart's mother, Linda Wojas, who said she received an anonymous call last week from a man who said he heard a juror illegally discussing the case in public.

Mrs. Wojas said she testified at a closed hearing Thursday before Judge Douglas Gray, who presided over the three-week trial.

Gray called in the juror "and he denied it or explained it away or whatever," said Mrs. Wojas' daughter, Beth. "The judge apparently decided it was not enough to do anything more about it."

Assistant Attorney General Paul Maggiotto would not say if the juror was being investigated

further, only that Mrs. Wojas' complaint was.

Smart, 23, was convicted Friday of being an accomplice to first-degree murder, murder conspiracy and witness-tampering. Gray sentenced her immediately to the mandatory term of life in prison on the first charge.

Prosecutors said she persuaded their teen-age lover, William Flynn, and two friends at Winnacunnet High School in Hampton to kill her husband.

New York restores death penalty

ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — The state Senate approved legislation Monday to restore the death penalty in New York, although a supporter said its chances of becoming law were slim.

The Senate passed the bill 40-18 after nearly three hours of debate. The bill is expected to easily pass in the state Assembly, where it will come up for a vote in the next few weeks.

Governor Mario Cuomo said he will veto the death penalty, as he has done in each of his eight years in office.

"Nobody in a position to make a deal goes to the chair," Cuomo

said. "Poor people go to the chair and nuts who want to go to the chair."

The fate of the death penalty after Cuomo's veto was not certain.

"I'm not optimistic," Assemblyman Vincent Graber, a Democrat and chief death penalty sponsor, said of chances that the Assembly will override the veto.

Senate sponsor Senator Dale Volker, a Republican, said, "I think we've got a shot at it."

Several times in recent years the Republican-controlled Senate has mustered enough votes to override death penalty vetoes

only to see the effort fizzle in the Democrat-dominated Assembly.

"We've had a number of people who have been wavering over there for a long time," Volker said.

But Graber said the override is less likely in the Assembly this year with three former death penalty supporters gone.

New York's electric chair has not been used since 1963. Court decisions overturned the state's death penalty and repeated vetoes by former Governor Hugh Carey and by Cuomo blocked efforts to approve a new one.

Rathburn to assist ND relations

Special to The Observer

Ann Rathburn has been appointed assistant director of corporate relations at the University of Notre Dame.

A 1987 Notre Dame graduate,

Rathburn has been assistant manager for Fitness U.S.A. Health Spas and district manager for the South bend office of Automatic Data Processing.

While pursuing a major in

American Studies at Notre Dame, she was student intern in the University's Office of Public Relations and Information.

In addition to assisting the director of foundation and corporate relations, her present responsibilities will include development work with local corporations and business leaders. During the 1989-90 fiscal year, Notre Dame raised \$10 million in contributions from corporations.

Rathburn's father, Paul, is an associate professor of English at Notre Dame.

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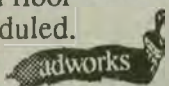
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Notre Dame should consider responses to secular challenge

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Guest Columnist

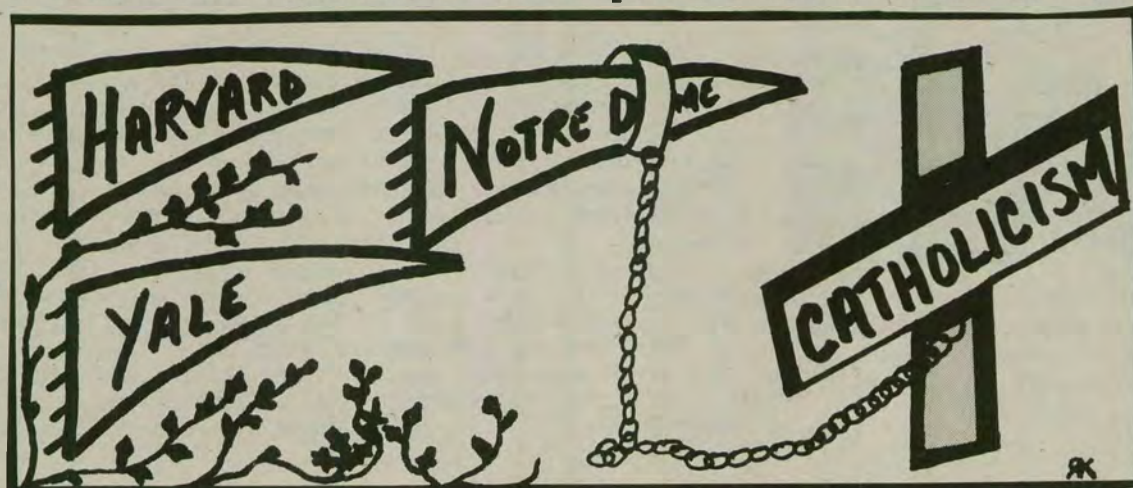
There has been much recent discussion centering on the character of Notre Dame as a Roman Catholic university, sparked mainly by a new stress on the transition from a traditionally education-based school to a major research institution. The question thus arises, must ND forsake its Catholic character and mission in order to become a "great" university, such as Harvard or Yale, schools at which there evolved a gradual separation of religious commitment from the scope of enquiry?

Some have argued that we would only be deluding ourselves if we thought Notre Dame could be on a par with the secular Ivy League schools without having to do as they did, namely, free themselves of the "shackles" of religious commitment, under the aegis of objectivity and a broader scope of enquiry.

This discussion raises very important issues which Notre Dame as a school must address in order to maintain institutional honesty and integrity. Indeed, these uncertain times in which we live, where nearly every claim to truth is afforded equal weight, regardless of substance or merit, challenges this university to define where it stands.

Perhaps the main consideration in question is one which needs to be pondered seriously by every faculty member, student, administrator — the identity of Notre Dame, that concept inextricably linked to understanding our past, evaluating our present, and defining our future.

Notre Dame cannot consider itself as an isolated enclave, insulated from the rest of the



world of education. Among American schools, it is arguably the most recognizable of a Catholic orientation. National prominence was not won easily, for sure, and cannot be gauged merely by the presence of the Golden Dome, or by a crucifix in every classroom. It owes its special recognition as one of the best Catholic institutions especially to those within the Catholic community who have seen many fine scholars from around the world come here to continue the tradition of academic excellence fostered by the Holy Cross.

Notre Dame also distinguished itself from secular universities by belonging to a faith community, one which conducts its enquiry within certain bounds, tempered by the light of revelation. Thus the importance of Notre Dame's national prominence signifies a large responsibilities which the university has taken on, in defining and manifesting its educational mission, precisely because of the shaping of its identity.

A second major consideration in this discussion should be the question naturally arising from the concept of identity: how has this identity been fostered and nurtured throughout the

university's history? The answer lies in assessing the character of Notre Dame as a faith community, that undeniable facet which has been part of the University's mission throughout, which has served to distinguish this university from others with no similar commitment to religious beliefs.

The contemporary dilemma in which we find ourselves centers on the nature of this commitment, and his this commitment affects our response to the secular challenge. Several options appear available. The commitment to faith can be done away with altogether, with the possibility that Notre Dame go the way of Harvard and Yale in terms of secular prominence. This decision would entail a rejection of both that identity which has fostered the uniqueness of Notre Dame and that faith commitment which has nurtured this identity.

A second course is that in which we maintain all of the furnishings of our Catholic character, but simply live off it. Living off our character would mean conducting our enquiry as if the commitment spelled out in the catalogues and journals did not present insurmountable difficulties to being functional

secularists. We would find ourselves in an intellectual bind, put there by two quite different factions with legitimate claims. Indeed, the secular institutions would view us as an aggressive competitor, yet one who is trying to shake the yoke of the Catholic identity. In secular eyes, Notre Dame would not be seen as a realistic threat, for its very lip service to forsaken ideals would prevent it from playing on the even field of secularism.

On the other hand, to live off of Notre Dame's faith character would also forsake those who look upon it, with respect borne of faith, as the Catholic institution, and they would wonder about whether or not such a wavering about beliefs would merit quite an estimable title.

A third option is one in which Notre Dame continues its identity by living it, and this is the situation that I think we should continue to pursue. The necessity of a continuing identity entails a situation requiring self-consciousness or our ongoing commitment to the faith. Living the identity means furthering those shared beliefs, albeit in a new era, a society much different from the times of Sorin.

Morrissey, even Hesburgh. New means and tactics are necessary to continue the identity and manifest those ideals, which, if we believe in them, we should not be embarrassed of in contemporary society.

If this continuing mission means standing for something which we hold precious, then Notre Dame should stand for its beliefs with clarity. An identity of a body is the aspect of which its constituents would be most proud. If there are real differences, real conflicts and arguments between the faith community and those secularists who question its identity, they should be spelled out. The secularist is entitled intellectually to a response on his own grounds. It would be a disservice to both questioner and respondent if one's claims are not treated as unique, not considered in light of a long-held and well thought out tradition held by a community living its identity.

The war of ideas continues—we, emboldened by the hope of the faith community, must strive not only to meet the secular challenge, but in doing so, we will present to those secularist questions of meaning and demand an answer.

The notion of Notre Dame as a living witness to its religious commitment is the ideal of the present, requiring both intellectual honesty about that nurturing of the past, and a consistent clarity with regard to the projection of our identity into the future. In doing so, we who are Notre Dame have the unique pastoral and evangelical opportunity to answer the secular challenge to our identity, and in doing so, continue manifesting the believers' challenge to secularism.

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GARRY TRUDEAU

QUOTE OF THE DAY

'Love makes the world go around, but it is laughter that keeps us from getting dizzy.'

Author Unknown

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Faculty member answers criticism from colleague

In his recent letter to The Observer (March 6) my colleague, Prof. Rochberg-Halton escalates his broadside against what he calls fascism and once again he targets me as somehow engaging in its "apologetics." While I certainly respect his right to his opinion I regret that I am unable to follow this exchange any further in the direction he has chosen to take it. Not only does he so coarsely misreport remarks made at the teach-in of late January which appear to have first incited this volley but, in addition, his mode of argumentation too widely misrepresents the facts as well as my stated views to allow for me to continue a discussion in this forum.

Clearly, Prof. Rochberg-Halton is determined to duke it out, rhetorically of course, with some purported enemies of democracy. But I simply do not recognize myself at all as the interlocutor to whom he refers. In fact, in reading his last letter, will all due respect, I almost have the sense that I have slipped into the epistolary version of a Calvin and Hobbes cartoon except that the accusations he levels are so outrageous and barbed. Furthermore, not only do these qualitative factors make a response prohibitive, but quantitative concerns enter as well. The sheer volume of the muddle that he offers in support of his convictions would require an entire special issue of the The Observer to sort out the particulars properly.

To insist, for instance, as he does, upon reducing the highly variegated and changing landscape of contemporary Middle Eastern societies to a gross polarity of fascism versus democracy strikes me as ultimately unhelpful. One might as well simplify the shifting intricacies of the Thirty Years War to a view either of degenerate Papist against heroic Reformers, or loyal Catholics against treacherous heretics, depending, naturally, on contrasting prejudices. Unfortunately the contemporary Middle East especially in the face of the present catastrophic crisis in the Gulf War requires considerably more attentive perception and far more refined analytic tools that these relatively Euro-centric labels. Without the calibrated use of more sophisticated distinctions there is little hope of understanding the current struggles of the many peoples in the region to achieve for themselves and their neighbors something of an indigenous free, just, equitable, secure, prosperous and modern civil order.

But even as I must resign myself to the impossibility of carrying on this debate, perhaps I can briefly illustrate the character of the difficulties just described. Given the constraints of space, I will limit myself to a few comments on the charges that Prof. Rochberg-Halton raises merely in the first paragraph of his expansive letter. Here, he insists, initially, that I inaccurately alluded to Dr. Ghada Talhami's position as an "emphatic condemnation" of Iraq's invasion and occupation of Kuwait because, he says, she denied that Scud attacks on Israel are terrorist acts. Unfortunately, he does not elaborate on the logic of that unites these two issues and makes them in some unspecified way irreconcilable.

Nevertheless, with regard to this question, her view, articulated quite clearly, merely started with forthright condemnation of Iraq's invasion and occupation of Kuwait. It then proceeded to condemn other instances of illegal occupation by other states in the region, notably, the Israeli occupation of Arab territories seized at the end of the Six Day War. Her argument was quite plain. If UN Resolution 660 (demanding that Iraq remove its forces from Kuwait) has led to the instant mobilization of an international effort to liberate one occupied country why then has UN Resolution 242 (requiring Israel to withdraw from territories to overrun in June, 1967) been treated for two and a half decades as little more than a topic for debate without any significant enforcement of its protocols with respect to another occupied country, namely that of the Palestinians?

Dr. Talhami's view of how the Scud attacks on Israel are best described emerged, as I understood it, from an analysis of the complex history of tragic and reciprocal violence resulting largely from the failure of those responsible to provide a framework for a just resolution to the original problem that followed upon the UN's decision to partition Palestine in 1947. Prof. Rochberg-Halton should take up this matter with her directly if he wishes to pursue it further. However, since he sweeps me too into his broad dragnet of allegations, let me modestly venture a streamlined response in the terms of international law which poses this question of classification as a double set of alternatives.

One might say, on the one hand, that with the exception of Egypt, the 1948 war between Israel and its Arab neighbors has never formally ended.

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Hence, technically, a state of belligerence continues even though it has remained largely latent. It was exactly on these grounds that Israel sought to justify its bombing of the nuclear reactor in Osirak near Baghdad in June of 1981. If one accepts the premises of Israel's own argument then by the same principle the recent Scud attacks by Iraq may also be recognized as yet another phase of this long war, even granting that such assaults were utterly futile by any military estimation and like all violence, especially against innocents, they were totally abhorrent in human terms. On the other hand, if Iraq's Scud attacks on Israel are terrorist acts then Israel's earlier bombing of Iraq is no less so.

Turning to what he asserts are the disqualifying liabilities in my own emphatic condemnation of Saddam Hussein's violations of basic rights both inside and outside his country, Prof. Rochberg-Halton advances two charges. First he faults me for failing to respond, point by point, to the catalogue of what he claimed to have heard from Dr. Talhami at the teach-in. True, I did not structure my letter (The Observer, Feb. 25) in this way, firstly, for purely practical reasons. To respond to his telegraphic and often distorted restatements of her views would have required another teach-in or more. Instead, I judged it wise to economize by satisfying this need by means of a blanket rebuttal in order to concentrate on the one explicit misunderstanding that he cited in specific reference to me.

But secondly, there was an important principle at stake in my decision. I hold that freedom of expression is an absolutely essential feature of a university community, not to mention a cornerstone of democracy. I defend Prof. Rochberg-Halton's right to state his views with the same vigor that I defend Dr. Ghada Talhami's freedom to state hers. I do not take it to be my task to lash out with lurid condemnations in every setting where views may be expressed with which I may not agree. Furthermore, I do not find it conducive to the clarification of delicate tangled issues to pillory as a fascist a very distinguished guest scholar with an impressive international reputation in such fields as civil rights, ecumenism and constructive dialogue between Jewish Israelis and Palestinians.

But Prof. Rochberg-Halton's second reason for rejecting as

incomplete my condemnation of Iraq's invasion and occupation of Kuwait is still more astonishing. It is because, he insists, I "ignore...the obdurate fact that Yasser Arafat's Fatah faction of the PLO was launching missiles toward Israel..." Once again no explanation on the link between these two issues is provided. And yet here, more than ever, my sympathy stirs for the parents of Calvin with their sadly limited adult capacities to recognize the lovable Hobbes that their gifted son calls into life by the sheer force of his imagination.

The incidents that Prof. Rochberg-Halton is apparently referring to occurred on January 29th and 30th, a full week after the aforementioned teach-in was held in the Library Auditorium. How is it, then, that my colleague takes me to task for omitting discussion of an event that had not happened yet, and since I lack clairvoyance, how could I be expected to know that it would occur? Besides, this sort of eventuality was not relevant to the social and political history of the Gulf region which constituted the subject of my presentation.

Nevertheless, the fact that he attaches such importance to associating issues touching on Kuwait with issues touching on Palestine while adamantly denying any relationship between the two continues to baffle me. Neither, I should add, does this incident come up anywhere in Prof. Rochberg-Halton's first letter to The Observer (Feb. 14) to provide me with some cue from which I might have guessed that he was awaiting my pronouncement on this or any other subject.

Moreover, and far more importantly, Prof. Rochberg-Halton's clear implication that I do not find the shooting of these Katyusha rockets objectionable (none of which landed in Israel, incidentally, nor did those that landed in Lebanon cause any casualties) is also sheer fantasy. In fact, I most certainly do condemn them and do so utterly, just as I also condemn Israel's continuing occupation of the Lebanese territory where they landed. And between these two issues, I do perceive a connection. In fact, these launchings marked the first violation of this sort since the PLO formally renounced terrorism over two years ago.

Very sadly, these rockets also reflected the extremely heightened tensions that are now testing by fire that admirable landmark decision reached by democratic means. As such, they also betokened the downward spiral toward bitterness and desperation among many

Palestinians who feel doubly betrayed, by Saddam Hussein's ruthlessness as evidenced in the murder of Abu Iyad, and because after having, at last, themselves officially recognized Israel, they find that Israel's government adamantly refuses to do likewise while instead it continues to tighten the grip of its iron fist.

But Prof. Rochberg-Halton's small anachronistic error along with his implied misattribution of my views are not the worst of it. What he leaves out of his summary judgment is still another key piece of information which flatly contradicts the very "obdurate fact" upon which he rests his case. In his eagerness to accuse me of "one-sidedness" he omits, for some reason, the absolutely essential issue of responsibility. Note the following sentences which appear, not in some obscure scholarly footnote nor in what he calls the "propaganda put forth by Baghdad" but in the one source that Prof. Rochberg-Halton shows he is familiar with since he cites it elsewhere in his letter. They report a crucial detail that quietly pulls the rug out from under his curiously backdoor case for "linkage."

In the January 30 issue of *New York Times* on page A8, one reads: "The PLO late Tuesday issued a statement from its headquarters in Tunis denying that Mr. Arafat had issued orders to his estimated 6,000 guerrillas entrenched in southern Lebanon to open a front against Israel in solidarity with Iraq...Beirut newspapers reported today that Mr. Arafat sent a message to his most senior representative in southern Lebanon, Zaid Wehbeh, reprimanding him for making warlike pronouncements."

I end this overlong exchange with a note of thanks once again to Prof. Rochberg-Halton especially in light of his generous conciliatory remarks at the close of his letter. Not only do I agree with him that there is ample reason to fear that our country is heading for terrible times, but I add my confidence in the power of truth and justice and mercy to his resistance to the "cult of the gun." And with regard to the Middle East our primary task, I feel, must be to attend with most special solicitude to victims of brute violence, oppression, and yes, even of "fascism," wherever they lodge whether in Kuwait, or Tel Aviv, Sabra-Shatilla, Riyadh or Basra.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Co-ed dorms may not solve problem of poor male-female relations

Dear Editor:

Coed dorms, through their lack of existence on this campus, seem to have become glamorized and overrated. I transferred to Notre Dame from a university in California where I lived in a coed dorm. Living on the same floor with the opposite sex did not produce the earthshattering experience that Ms. Eaton (The Observer, March 20) seems to anticipate. I suspect that Ms. Eaton and many others who share her views suffer from a grass-is-greener delusion.

Coed dorms do not automatically induce a "healthy and normal environment" between the sexes any more than sitting at the same table in the dining hall does. On my former campus, male-female tensions are as much or more prevalent then here at Notre Dame, an indication that gender related problems do not automatically evaporate or even diminish significantly because of cohabitation. "Normal healthy friendships" stem from individual attitudes and personality traits, not housing arrangements.

Campuses with only coed housing do possess a different type of environment than that which presently exists at Notre Dame. But one will find that students residing in this different atmosphere still experience sexual harassment, tensions and insecurities about relating to the opposite sex. Any change that coed housing may foster would be temporary and wear off with the novelty. Idealistic, spontaneous bonding between the sexes merely due to housing arrangements is not a realistic expectation. Instead, trivial

changes, such as acquiring a lowered inhibition about members of the opposite sex removing one's underwear from shared washing machines, result.

Notre Dame is a unique university in many ways; being different need not necessarily be negative. It is true that few campuses have dorms similar to Notre Dame's. Those other dorms, however, consequently lack the individual character and the closeness that result from single-sex dorms in which students continue to reside for

most or all of their college years. Also unlike Notre Dame, other campuses have fraternity and sorority organizations in compensation. I urge students to carefully and more realistically evaluate the pros and cons of coed dorms instead of automatically blaming poor relations upon university housing.

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Participants in GOLD program are hopeful for the future

By PAIGE SMORON
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It's happening in social spaces, kitchens, and upper-classmen's singles. Freshmen are getting together to talk about homesickness, roommate problems, and which Biology class to avoid at all costs.

Well into its first year, the fledgling Guidance and Orientation for Long-term Development (GOLD) program has grown and adjusted along with its freshman participants. GOLD was officially established to promote social interaction, to provide informal peer guidance, and to stimulate intellectual growth among freshmen through peer groups led by a well-informed upperclassmen.

But the program has unexpectedly evolved from casual orientation groups into something more: friendships. "We've actually been surprised with the rapport that has sprung up in these groups," said Melissa Smith, who, along with Scott Boehnen and Lynn Ramsay, coordinated the program in response to several Board of Trustees reports that indicated a need for longer-term orienta-

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tion for freshmen.

The peer groups are structured with ten freshmen drawn from differing backgrounds, intended college programs, residence halls, and both sexes. The result is a random sampling of the freshman class.

The function of the facilitator was to be a resource person who would be more accessible and less intimidating than counselors at the Freshman



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A group of GOLD participants, (from left to right) Scott Smoron, Mark McGrath, Nicole Farmer (facilitator), Jenny Benning and Deidre Bolden discuss their spring break adventures.

Year of Studies. In short, "The main focus of the program was to provide an informal information exchange, but real bonds have been formed as the participants have gotten to know each other," said Smith.

One group insists that the main reason they continue to meet is for the social aspect of the program. They begin each meeting by comparing notes on tailgaters, movies, and love lives.

But this easy familiarity serves a deeper purpose. "Because the atmosphere is so relaxed and personal, it's easier to tackle more serious topics, like off-campus safety and time management," said Nicole Farmer, a GOLD group facilitator.

Perhaps this rapport is achieved because the upper-class facilitator of each group is

so close in age to the freshmen. If a candidate can meet the other requirements, a facilitator can be as young as a sophomore. "The leader is more like a friend than an authority figure," said Jenny Benning, one of the freshmen chosen to participate in GOLD. "There's more trust involved, and you know you're getting the real low-down on what everyday life is like at Notre Dame."

Group members are also encouraged to get to know their facilitators on a one-to-one basis. Because there are no office schedules and appointments involved, some freshmen are more comfortable approaching their group leader than an administrative figure. If the facilitators are faced with more serious problems—specific examples in the past have been eating disorders and academic

difficulties—they can point the freshmen in the right direction for more qualified help.

But while the groups are a convenient forum for freshmen to air their complaints about their "home-town honeys" and "impossible" work loads, the GOLD program also provides more positive distractions. Each group has a small budget they can use to hold a Christmas party, a movie outing, or use the money as they see fit. In addition, activities are planned with some or all of the other GOLD groups, such as bowling trips, softball games, and last semester, a lecture by Father Hesburgh.

In the beginning, the participants themselves had few or vague expectations of the program. One freshman professed to be looking only for an older connection who could buy beer.

But by now, everyone has developed their own opinions of GOLD and has a story to tell about how the program has affected them. Scott Smoron, who joined a group when another freshman dropped out, said that the encouragement he received within his group "motivated me to run for class office."

Mark McGrath, another freshman participant, values most the "insider tips" he received on scheduling classes. And Deidre Bolden, from the same group, likes getting to know people from all over campus, and all over the country. "I don't think the friendships we're forming will be limited to freshman year. I know they'll last all four years."

Freshmen group members also have strong ideas about the areas of the program that need improvement. They clamor for a bigger budget, more regular meetings, and more activities, as well as an expansion of the program. "My friends ask me, 'How did you get picked to do this?' I think everyone should get a chance to participate," said Benning.

Lynn Ramsay, co-coordinator of the program, verified that it would be ideal to expand GOLD to affect the entire freshman class, but pointed out the enormity of the undertaking. "There would be a tremendous demand for facilitators; we would need 150 upperclassmen to cover the freshman class. The project would probably be too big to stay within Student Government," she said.

The future of the GOLD program is uncertain at this point. The coordinators have been gathering feedback from surveys, and will compile a report for Student Affairs and the Freshman Year of Studies. On April 1, GOLD will be evaluated and terminated or continued.

Hopefully, the future of the GOLD program will be as bright as those of its participants.

'Kill Uncle' doesn't compare to Morrissey's performance in The Smiths

By JASON WINSLADE
Accent Writer

As much as I thought to myself that I had outgrown my high school days of Smiths' worship and Morrissey idolatry, I still bought his third solo effort, "Kill Uncle" to see what

Smiths as one of the most influential British progressive rock bands of the early 80's, spearheading the second wave of Manchester bands.

It was the Morrissey/Marr combination that made that band what it was, with

his solo career, must rely more heavily on his developing lyrical style, in order to compensate for the usually second-rate music written to accompany it.

"Kill Uncle" suffers from this problem. Morrissey no longer collaborates with producer, Stephen Street in the music writing, or utilizes the whining guitars of Durutti Column's Vini Reilly, or backup with the other Smiths. His newest collaborators are guitarist, Mark E. Nevins and producer, Clive Langer. Ironically, the two songs that rely most heavily on guitars and come closest to Morrissey's work with the Smiths are, "Mute Witness,"

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and "Found Found Found", are the ones co-written by Langer, and incidentally are also the strongest tracks.

The other songs are heavily dominated by piano, keyboards, and violin, with guitars very

much in the background. Although, one of the better songs on the album, "Driving Your Girlfriend Home," is an acoustic piece reminiscent of the Smiths' "Stretch Out and Wait." Violins dominate "Asian Rut," a slower piece dealing with racial violence in a definitely Morrissey-esque manner. Piano dominates the slower piece, "There's a Place in Hell for Me and My Friends," and there is a cheesy vibraphone sound in the album's weakest track, "King Leer." Other goofy, yet irresistible pop songs include the singles "Our Frank" and "Sing Your Life."

Morrissey, while hitting a plateau with his more melodic vocal style, shows definite maturation with his lyrics. No longer concentrating on personal rejection, Morrissey has developed a style of telling quirky stories and then inserting his own personal statement at the end, usually proving his ironic Oscar Wilde outlook on life is pretty much the same.

He even seems to be able to make fun of himself now, as in "Our Frank" when he pleads "Won't somebody stop me from thinking all the time about ev-

everything so deeply, so bleakly." He often portrays himself as a neutral observer to someone else's relationship, as in "Driving Your Girlfriend Home," one of the few heartfelt songs

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on the album, proving that he can still describe situations to which the average person can relate.

As a Smiths fan, I always admired Morrissey's talent for writing lyrics about common experiences to which almost anyone can relate. I always defended his self-indulgence by saying that almost everyone has felt like Morrissey at some time in their life, and that he appealed to our need to feel sorry for ourselves. He is still able to be quite odd and clever in "Kill Uncle," but the music often does not hit the mark because it lacks the rawness and freshness of the Smiths. In short, Morrissey must attempt to reach back to his former simplicity, or else he is destined for pop mediocrity.



the old self-indulgent complainer/crooner was up to. Morrissey's audience is definitely not the same group of adolescents who loved the

Morrissey's clever and biting lyrics and his monotone yodeling, balancing Marr's complex and melodic guitar maneuvering. Morrissey, and

UNLV streaking to Final Four

LAS VEGAS (AP) — When UNLV went on a 14-0 tear to open the second half of Saturday's NCAA West Regional finals, it meant the beginning of the end for Seton Hall's season.

The run was old hat for the Runnin' Rebels. Just ask Georgetown and regular-season opponents Arkansas, Florida State, Michigan State and Princeton.

UNLV has made a habit this season of starting second half action several minutes before they let their opponents into the game. The key, says coach Jerry Tarkanian, is knowing which player to motivate.

"You have to try to push the right button when the time comes," Tark the Shark said. "Each kid is motivated differently."

The Rebels (34-0) have used these emotional lifts to move within two games of becoming the first team since UCLA in 1973 to capture consecutive NCAA championships and the first since Indiana in 1976 to do it without losing a game.

When the Rebels pour it on to open a second half, it's usually because Tarkanian preaches defense during his halftime talk.

"When our defense picks up, we begin creating a lot of turnovers and that's what allows us to make those scoring

runs," Tarkanian said.

Against Seton Hall, the Rebels led 39-36 at the half, then ran off 14 straight points and coasted to a 77-65.

Seton Hall coach P.J. Carlesimo was impressed.

"As soon as we slipped a bit, they lived up to Tark's nickname," he said. "They go for the jugular pretty good."

Even Tark marveled at his team's ability to turn it on.

"It was something to see," Tarkanian said. "I can't wait to go home and watch the tape."

There are a few tapes Tark would enjoy:

— In the second round of the tournament, the Rebels used a 15-4 run against Georgetown on their way to a 62-54 victory.

— In their showdown with then No. 2 Arkansas on Feb. 11, the Rebels trailed 50-46 at halftime, then opened the second half with a 10-0 run and outscored Arkansas 29-11 in the first seven minutes to win 112-105.

— At Michigan State, the Rebels broke a 56-56 tie with a 16-6 run and won 95-75.

— Against Florida State, the Rebels used an 11-0 run in the first half to break open a tight game, then added a 21-2 run in the second half to win 101-69.

And, there was a 22-3 run against Princeton, a 19-3 spurt

against Utah State, a 20-2 run against Rutgers and a 16-2 streak against Louisville.

The Rebels have used the sprees to toy with opponents all season, with most of the scoring surges coming at the start of the second half.

"It all depends on what's happened the first half," Tarkanian said. "We don't generally get mad or upset with them at halftime. We just go over what's working and what's not, just make some defensive adjustments that need to be made."

"This year's club is just so good that we haven't had to make a lot of adjustments at halftime."

An exception was Thursday's game against Utah, when a fuming Tarkanian switched from man-to-man to an amoeba defense during a halftime session that wasn't pretty.

"One of the few times I really got upset was the Utah game," Tarkanian said. The Rebels defeated the Utes 83-66 to advance to Saturday's regional final against Seton Hall.

Tarkanian gave his players a rare two days off following the Seton Hall victory, with workouts scheduled at home Tuesday and Wednesday before the team leaves for Indianapolis.

Rich, Buffalo still in the hunt for expansion team

BUFFALO, N.Y. (AP) — Buffalo's chance to obtain a National League team has not been hurt by the prospective owner's concern over the cost of a franchise, the chairman of the league's expansion committee said Monday.

Douglas Danforth, owner of the Pittsburgh Pirates, said Robert E. Rich Jr.'s recent statements have been echoed throughout baseball.

"It's not just the Riches who were saying that," Danforth said after he and three other members of the committee visited the city, one of six finalists for an expansion team in 1993.

"There are a lot of people that are concerned because salaries have jumped about 35 percent between 1990 and 1991," Danforth said. "Heretofore, it was 8, 9, 10, 12 percent (annually)."

Rich, president of the country's largest privately-held frozen food company and owner of the Class AAA Buffalo Bisons, said in December he had questions about the financial viability of a major league expansion here, considering the steep rise in player salaries.

The expansion committee, which made visits to three Florida cities earlier this year,

visited Washington and Buffalo on Monday. A visit to Denver is scheduled for Tuesday, and Danforth said the committee will name the two new National League cities by the middle of the summer.

Danforth said he sees two positives — solid ownership and a stadium — and two negatives — market size and available parking — impacting on Buffalo's chance to get an expansion franchise, which will cost \$95 million.

"The thing that impresses me the most ... is the Riches know what they're doing," he said. "They run a very good club, probably the best-run triple-A franchise that I know of."

"They know what they're doing in concessions and they know what they're doing in providing entertainment for the family. They're real baseball people."

Added Philadelphia Phillies owner Bill Giles, another committee member, "Certainly they're the kind of people that you want to have as partners in major league baseball."

Giles added that he was "very, very impressed" with Pilot Field, the city's 20,000-seat downtown baseball stadium that opened in 1988.

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NBA STANDINGS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Boston	50	19	.725	—
Philadelphia	38	30	.559	11 1/2
New York	34	35	.493	16
Washington	26	42	.382	23 1/2
New Jersey	22	47	.319	28
Miami	20	49	.290	30

Central Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Chicago	51	17	.750	—
x-Detroit	43	27	.614	9
x-Milwaukee	42	28	.600	10
Atlanta	38	31	.551	13 1/2
Indiana	34	35	.493	17 1/2
Cleveland	24	43	.358	26 1/2
Charlotte	19	49	.279	32

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Utah	46	22	.676	—
x-San Antonio	44	23	.657	1 1/2
x-Houston	44	24	.647	2
Dallas	25	42	.373	20 1/2
Orlando	24	43	.358	21 1/2
Minnesota	22	45	.328	23 1/2
Denver	18	51	.261	28 1/2

Pacific Division				
	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Portland	49	18	.731	—
x-LA Lakers	50	20	.714	1/2
x-Phoenix	47	22	.681	3
Golden State	36	32	.529	13 1/2
Seattle	32	35	.478	17
LA Clippers	26	44	.371	24 1/2
Sacramento	18	49	.269	31

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Monday's Games

Orlando 115, Golden State 106
 Washington 113, New Jersey 106
 Houston 100, Chicago 90
 Detroit 118, Denver 94
 Utah 109, Milwaukee 98
 LA Lakers 99, Sacramento 89
 LA Clippers 106, Phoenix 94

Tuesday's Games

Golden State at Charlotte, 7:30 p.m.
 Atlanta at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
 Cleveland at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
 Philadelphia at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
 New York at San Antonio, 8 p.m.
 Minnesota at Phoenix, 9:30 p.m.
 Seattle at Portland, 10:30 p.m.

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Women

Through March 24

WTA Money Leaders

1. Monica Seles, \$389,108. 2. Gabriela Sabatini, \$261,441. 3. Jana Novotna, \$246,308. 4. Mary Joe Fernandez, \$190,300. 5. Martina Navratilova, \$177,625. 6. Steffi Graf, \$108,651. 7. Zina Garrison, \$100,347. 8. Arantxa Sanchez-Vicario, \$90,266. 9. Patty Fendick, \$71,173. 10. Helena Sukova, \$68,209.

Men

Through March 24

ATP Tour Money Leaders

1. Ivan Lendl, \$420,524. 2. Jim Courier, \$370,954. 3. Stefan Edberg, \$304,323. 4. Boris Becker, \$300,364. 5. Guy Forget, \$255,626. 6. Michael Stich, \$211,040. 7. Patrick McEnroe, \$157,971. 8. David Wheaton, \$145,962. 9. Cristiano Caratti, \$139,768. 10. Omar Camporese, \$133,395.

NCAA BASEBALL RANKINGS

The top 25 college baseball teams as determined by the staff of Baseball America magazine, with records through games of March 25 and previous ranking:

Record	Pct.	1
1. Florida State	28-3	1
2. Southern Cal	25-8	2
3. LSU	22-7	3
4. Stanford	17-7	4
5. Miami, Fla.	27-7	5
6. Texas	27-9	6
7. Pepperdine	21-5	7
8. Hawaii	21-4	8
9. Ohio St.	15-2	9
10. Long Beach St.	23-9	10
11. Creighton	16-4	11
12. Texas A&M	25-10	12
13. Wichita State	18-7	13
14. Clemson	18-4	14
15. Georgia Tech	17-7	15
16. South Carolina	24-6	16
17. South Florida	25-7	17
18. Arizona State	21-16	18
19. Oklahoma State	12-8	19
20. CS Northridge	22-10	20
21. Michigan	10-6	21
22. Tulane	20-6	22
23. Oklahoma	18-5	23
24. North Carolina State	24-6	24
25. Notre Dame	13-7	25

WFLA STANDINGS

European				
	W	L	T	Pct.
London	1	0	0	1.000
Barcelona	1	0	0	1.000
Frankfurt	0	1	0	.000

North American East				
	W	L	T	Pct.
Montreal	1	0	0	1.000
Orlando	0	0	0	.000
Raleigh-Durham	0	1	0	.000
N.Y.-N.J.	0	1	0	.000

North American West				
	W	L	T	Pct.
Sacramento	1	0	0	1.000
San Antonio	0	0	0	.000
Birmingham	0	1	0	.000

Saturday's Games

London 24, Frankfurt 11
 Sacramento 9, Raleigh-Durham 3
 Montreal 20, Birmingham 5

Sunday's Games

Barcelona 19, New York-New Jersey 7

Monday's Games

San Antonio at Orlando, 8 p.m.

Saturday, March 30

Sacramento at Birmingham, 8 p.m.
 Raleigh-Durham at Orlando, 8 p.m.

Sunday, March 31

New York-New Jersey at London, 1 p.m.

Monday, April 1

Frankfurt at San Antonio, 8 p.m.
 Barcelona at Montreal, 8 p.m.

NBA LEADERS

Scoring

	G	FG	FT	Pts	Avg
Jordan, Chi.	67	797	443	2062	30.8
King, Wash.	63	711	383	1813	28.8
K. Malone, Utah	67	679	543	1903	28.4
Barkley, Phil.	61	618	454	1732	28.4
Ewing, N.Y.	68	707	384	1798	26.4
Wilkins, Atl.	68	651	402	1780	26.2
Adams, Den.	53	448	366	1384	26.1
Mullin, G.S.	67	644	421	1746	26.1
Robinson, S.A.	67	623	477	1724	25.7
Richmond, G.S.	62	576	345	1530	24.7
Hardaway, G.S.	67	616	261	1574	23.5
Miller, Ind.	69	497	484	1566	22.7
K. Johnson, Phoe.	68	523	447	1500	22.1
Worthy, LAL	66	620	190	1450	22.0
Drexler, Port.	67	536	342	1461	21.8
Daugherty, Clev.	67	541	375	1457	21.7
Hawkins, Phil.	67	481	399	1453	21.7
Campbell, Minn.	62	510	290	1325	21.4
Pierce, Sea.	63	475	354	1345	21.3
Chambers, Phoe.	65	500	339	1358	20.9

Rebounding

	G	Off	Def	Tot	Avg
Robinson, S.A.	67	279	590	869	13.0
Rodman, Det.	69	298	549	847	12.3
Oakley, N.Y.	69	279	560	839	12.2
K. Malone, Utah	67	203	602	805	12.0
Ewing, N.Y.	68	170	605	775	11.4
Daugherty, Clev.	67	155	571	726	10.8
Parish, Bos.	68	218	500	718	10.6
Thorpe, Hou.	67	237	458	695	10.4
Coleman, N.J.	61	219	413	632	10.4
Barkley, Phil.	61	242	376	618	10.1

Assists

	G	No.	Avg.
Stockton, Utah	67	968	14.4
Johnson, LAL	66	844	12.8
Adams, Den.	53	584	11.0
K. Johnson, Phoe.	68	689	10.1
Hardaway, G.S.	67	649	9.7
Richardson, Minn.	67	615	9.2
Thomas, Det.	39	357	9.2
Grant, LAC	65	579	8.9
Bogues, Char.	67	579	8.6
Douglas, Mia.	62	533	8.6

Field Goal Percentage

	FG	FGA	Pct.
Williams, Port.	292	486	.601
Gamble, Bos.	455	759	.599
Parish, Bos.	405	678	.597
Divac, LAL	306	527	.581
Barkley, Phil.	618	1093	.565
Thorpe, Hou.	463	831	.557
McHale, Bos.	427	771	.554
Paxson, Chi.	254	460	.552
Robinson, S.A.	623	1129	.552
Grant, Chi.	329	598	.550

Team Offense

	G	Pts	Avg
Denver	68	8169	120.1
Golden State	67	7869	117.4
Phoenix	68	7810	114.9
Portland	67	7680	114.6
Boston	69	7762	112.5
Indiana	69	7672	111.2
Chicago	67	7400	110.4
Atlanta	69	7597	110.1
Houston	67	7198	107.4
Milwaukee	69	7351	106.5
L.A. Lakers	69	7331	106.2
Seattle	67	7109	106.1
Orlando	66	6998	106.0
Philadelphia	68	7193	105.8
San Antonio	67	7072	105.6
Utah	67	6958	103.9
Charlotte	68	7004	103.0
L.A. Clippers	69	7094	102.8
New York	69	7088	102.7
New Jersey	68	6978	102.6
Miami	69	7039	102.0
Washington	67	6814	101.7
Cleveland	67	6795	101.4
Dallas	67	6692	99.9
Detroit	69	6871	99.6
Minnesota	67	6643	99.1
Sacramento	66	6260	94.8

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

American League

CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Optioned Norberto Martin, second baseman, to Vancouver of the Pacific Coast League.

CLEVELAND INDIANS—Optioned Jeff Shaw and Mauro Gozzo, pitchers, to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast League. Waived Sergio Valdez, pitcher, for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release.

TEXAS RANGERS—Sent Kevin Belcher, outfielder; Monty Fariss, infielder; and Bill Haselman, catcher, to Oklahoma City of the American Association; and Gary Miele, pitcher, to their minor league camp for reassignment. Released Charley Kertel, pitcher, unconditionally.

National League

LOS ANGELES DODGERS—Signed John Candelaria, pitcher, to a one-year contract.

NEW YORK METS—Sent Anthony Young, pitcher; Todd Hundley, catcher; Chris Donnels, infielder; and Chuck Carr, outfielder, to their minor league camp for reassignment.

SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS—Placed Rick Parker, outfielder, on the 15-day disabled list.

New York-Penn League

AUBURN ASTROS—Named Clark Crist coach.

BASKETBALL

USA BASKETBALL—Named Jeffrey Orridge assistant executive director for legal affairs, corporate relations, and Joseph Buchanan administrative assistant.

National Basketball Association

BOSTON CELTICS—Signed A.J. Wynder, guard, to a 10-day contract.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

CINCINNATI BENGALS—Signed Alex Gordon, outside linebacker.

CLEVELAND BROWNS—Signed Charles Arbuckle, tight end.

LOS ANGELES RAIDERS—Signed Ronnie Lott, defensive back.

COLLEGE

QUINNIPIAC—Announced the retirement of Burt Kahn men's basketball coach. Named Bill Mecca men's basketball coach.

RICE—Announced the resignation of David Hall, baseball coach, effective at the completion of the season.

NHL STANDINGS

WALE CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
x-Pittsburgh	39	32	5	83	325	290	25-12-2	14-20-3	18-13-1
x-NY Rangers	35	30	12	82	283	253	21-11-6	14-19-6	14-14-5
Washington	35	34	7	77	247	249	20-13-5	15-21-2	18-12-3
New Jersey	31	31	14	76	263	251	22-9-7	9-22-7	13-14-5
Philadelphia	33	35	9	75	247	257	18-14-6	15-21-3	12-14-6
NY Islanders	23	44	10	56	215	282	14-19-6	9-25-4	11-19-4

Adams Division

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div
y-Boston	42	23	12	96	282	252	25-9-5	17-14-7	17-8-5
x-Montreal	38	29	11	87	268	242	22-12-5	16-17-6	14-12-4
x-Buffalo	29	30	17	75	274	265	14-13-11	15-17-6	11-12-7
x-Hartford	31	36	10	72	227	260	18-16-5	13-20-5	9-15-6
Quebec	15	48	13	43	221	338	8-22-8	7-26-5	8-12-8

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

	W	T	Pts	GF	GA	Home	Away	Div	
x-Chicago	47	22	7	101	271	203	26-8-4	21-14-3	18-7-3
x-St. Louis	43	22	11	97	295	243	21-9-7	22-13-4	15-11-3
x-Detroit	33	36	8	74	262	281	25-13-0	8-23-8	13-15-3
x-Minnesota	26	36	14	66	244	252	18-14-6	8-22-8	9-15-5
Toronto	23	44	10	56	234	306	15-21-3	8-23-7	10-17-2

Raiders sign free agent Lott

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. (AP) — Ronnie Lott, left unprotected by the San Francisco 49ers despite being an All-Pro last season, has signed a two-year contract with the Los Angeles Raiders as a Plan B free agent.

Lott said Monday at a news conference that the contract is not guaranteed and that he'll move from free safety to strong safety with the Raiders.

Originally drafted as a cornerback by the 49ers with the eighth overall selection in 1981, Lott switched to free safety in 1985.

"I've always been committed to winning," Lott said. "If that means playing strong safety, if that means playing cornerback, if that means bringing water to my head coach, that's what I'm going to do."

Lott, 31, has been one of the NFL's premiere defensive players for the past 10 years and was a starter on four Super Bowl championship teams with the 49ers.

Lott was sidelined late last season when he strained both knees, and it was feared he had damaged ligaments. But he returned to the lineup during the playoffs and he was one of the dominant defensive players for the NFC in his ninth Pro Bowl, where he showed no effects of the knee injuries.

"The knees are feeling fine," he said. "I've been able to play a little basketball in addition to rehab work."

"That (the knees) was the main reason I had to play in the Pro Bowl. I just wanted to show

people I could still play this game and play if effectively."

Lott earned \$800,000 in his final year with the 49ers and was scheduled to make \$1 million in 1991. It's believed he'll earn slightly more than \$1 million per year with the Raiders.

"I feel it's going to be a new challenge, not only to play a new position but to wear the Silver and Black," he said. "Growing up as a kid, I always emulated the Jack Tatum, the George Atkinson (two hard-hitting former Raider defensive backs).

"I'm going to come in here and play hard, play with enthusiasm and try to fit in."

"I'm going to come in here and try to win a job. I've got my work cut out for me."

Assuming he's healthy, winning a job would seem to be the least of Lott's worries.

"We'd like to welcome the great Ronnie Lott to the Raider organization," Raiders coach Art Shell said. "When he was placed on the list, I said, 'Something's wrong here.'"

"I don't know how much speed he's lost. We feel he can help our football team and that's why he's here."

Mike Harden played strong safety and Eddie Anderson free safety for the Raiders last season. Harden wasn't one of the 37 players protected by the team in the Plan B system.

"We've got a couple of hard-hitting guys (Lott and Anderson) who can knock the ball loose from people," Shell said with a smile.

Lott acknowledged that he of-

fered to take a \$200,000 pay cut, staying at his 1990 salary, to remain with San Francisco, but that still was not agreeable to the 49ers, who already shoulder the NFL's biggest payroll.

But Lott said he understood their decision and harbored no ill feelings.

"They wanted me to play one year and then possibly get involved in the organization," Lott said. "I've told people that if I was in their shoes I might have done the same thing, based on the philosophy of the organization."

"You've got to be objective about it. Looking at the overall picture, I don't sit here and say, 'Man, they did the wrong thing.' If I was a general manager, I might have done the same thing."

"They've been a first-class organization and they'll always be a first-class organization. I think they did what they did in the best interests of the organization."

Lott is the 49ers' all-time record-holder in interceptions (51), interception return yardage (643) and interceptions returned for touchdowns (5). He was credited with 721 tackles in 129 regular-season games for San Francisco.

By signing with the Raiders, Lott will be coming home, so to speak — he played his college ball at Southern Cal.

"My family's here," he said. "I told my parents Saturday night and they were enthused and excited to see me in this area again."

SPORTS SHORTS

Former Irish All-American Flanagan dies

■ **PORT ARTHUR, Texas** — Funeral services were held on Monday for Christie Flanagan, a star halfback for Notre Dame from 1925 to 1927. Flanagan, who got a starting job at left halfback after Jim Crowley graduated, had a 4.6 rushing average and was named All-America twice. Flanagan died last Friday at age 85.

High school sophomore yanks javelin from body

■ **PORTLAND, Maine** — Alfred Judd reacted on sheer adrenalin when a 10-foot javelin punctured his abdomen, passed through his left kidney and exited part way out his back. The 15-year-old Livermore High School sophomore gave a quick tug and yanked the javelin free. "It was just instinct. I just pulled it right out," he said in a telephone interview from Maine Medical Center, where he was listed in satisfactory condition. The accident took place Friday afternoon during a track and field practice when Judd used the javelin to try to stop a discus that a teammate had rolled in his direction and was headed downhill. "The point went into the ground and he went into the end of it," said Karen Erlandson, the school's athletic director.

Former Negro League team ready for season

■ **JESUP, Ga.** — Wayne County hasn't had a baseball team since the Negro League's Jesup Braves were disbanded 20 years ago. But one of the Braves' former players is trying to revive the team. Solomon Samples, now 75, played first base for the Jesup Braves almost 60 years ago. Next month, he will watch as the new Braves begin their season in the amateur South Georgia-North Florida League. He hopes the team will help baseball become a community pastime, as the old Negro League club did. "Young folks loved baseball back then. They didn't know anything else and it kept them out of trouble," he said. "Today, kids are messed up on drugs because they don't have anything to do."

Diego Maradona heading for Argentinian team

■ **NAPLES, Italy** — Diego Maradona is said to be getting ready to join Argentina's national soccer team for an exhibition Wednesday against Brazil, which is likely to trigger another major discipline problem with his Naples club. A spokesman for Napoli said Monday that the player did not ask for permission. Italian clubs must let their foreign stars play in official international games, but can stop them from playing in exhibitions. Maradona did not announce that he was going to play against Brazil, but friends said he would fly to Buenos Aires Tuesday. Maradona, who wants to leave Italy at the end of the season, has been fined twice by the Italian league recently for leaving team practice and a crucial Cup of Italy game.

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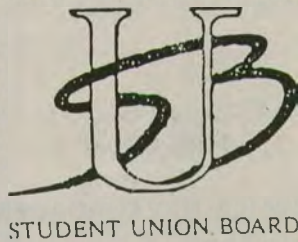
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Boggs: 'Back tire narrowly missed running over my head'

WINTER HAVEN, Fla. (AP) — Dazed and hurting while stretched out on the ground, Wade Boggs looked up at his wife and asked, "Am I still alive?"

The Boston Red Sox' five-time American League batting champion told Monday of his "pretty dramatic experience" Saturday night when he fell out of moving pickup truck driven by his wife, Debbie.

"I'm just glad to be alive," Boggs said. "The back tire narrowly missed running over my head."

Boggs, whose mother and grandmother were killed in a traffic accident in 1986, escaped with minor injuries treated first by his wife and then by Red Sox trainer Charlie Moss on Sunday.

While the team traveled to Sarasota for a game with the Chicago White Sox Monday, Boggs remained at Chain O'Lakes Park. He walked gingerly, but got in some batting practice.

"You'd never know he was hurting, he could hit in his

sleep," batting practice pitcher Bill Maloney said after Boggs lined shots all over the outfield.

Boggs said he and his wife had dinner at a nearby restaurant and when they left to go home, they took a left onto U.S. 17 South.

"We hadn't gone far when the next thing I knew I was bouncing around on 17," he said. "I don't know what happened. Everything happened so fast. I don't know whether I leaned on the door or I kicked it somehow with my leg. But it opened and boom."

Boggs said that he didn't know whether he had failed to close the door completely, but he blamed himself for not using the seat belt.

"Ever since the death of my mother, I haven't got into a car without buckling the seat belt," he said. "For some unknown reason, I didn't Saturday night."

Boggs said that his wife was driving "about 25 miles an hour, something like that" when he suddenly was thrown out.

"The rear tire just missed running over my head and I



AP Photo

Wade Boggs, five time American League batting champion, lucky to be alive after freak car accident.

heard my wife screaming. When she got to me, the first thing I asked her was, 'Am I still alive?'"

Displaying a nasty gash on his right elbow, Boggs said that he thinks the tire may have caused it. He quipped, "Now I have an

imprint of a radial on my elbow."

Boggs said that at first he thought he was covered with cuts and bruises, but "when I got home there was only the cut and bruise on my elbow and my right ankle was bruised and

sore. There were no other cuts, not even on my back from landing on the (road) shoulder."

Because Boggs went home and did not require hospitalization or formal medical treatment, no report was made to police or other officials.

Tennis

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victory.

Senior captain Kim Pacella said, "I think we were a little bit down over spring break, especially after we lost to Northwestern. It was important for us to come out and make a strong showing this weekend, especially against Michigan and Ohio State, which are regional matches that we lost last year. This was an important weekend for our confidence."

The Irish indeed made a strong showing, downing Michigan 7-2 on Saturday. Tracy Barton defeated Christine Schmeidel, ranked 52nd nationally, 6-3, 6-4 as the Irish won five of six singles matches, four of which went the full three sets. Barton/Christy Faustmann and Ann Bradshaw/Tholen chalked up very close straight-set wins at first and second doubles, 6-4, 6-4, and 7-6, 6-4, respectively.

Said Irish coach Jay Louderback, "Against Michigan, we just played great. We won four tight singles

matches, and our kids played really hard. The match was pretty heated, and it looks like we have a big rivalry starting. Everyone pulled together, and that strong play carried over to Ohio State."

The Irish methodically dismantled the Buckeyes in a 9-0 romp. Tracy Barton did not play singles, and Harris and Faustmann led the way with 6-0, 6-1 and 6-2, 6-4 wins at first and second singles. Notre Dame did not drop a single set in either singles or doubles in the rout, one of the team's most dominating performances of the year.

"Our kids did not want to lose to Michigan and Ohio State," said Louderback. "We

lost to them both last year, so we wanted to get back at both of them.

After exacting revenge on their regional opponents, the Irish took on Boston College on Monday. Due to time constraints, only five singles and one doubles match were played, with the doubles counting for two points.

Notre Dame quickly took the doubles match, with Bradshaw/Tholen romping to a 6-0, 6-0 shutout. The singles matches proved to be much tougher for the Irish, who eventually pulled out a 5-2 win, though it was closer than the score indicates.

Tracy Barton dropped a 6-4, 6-1 match to Pam Piorkowski at

first singles, and Christy Faustmann lost a close 7-5, 7-6 contest to Michelle Choa at third. Harris again came from behind to win a thrilling match, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1 at second singles. Terri Vitale and Kim Pacella also posted singles wins for Notre Dame.

Riding a four-match win streak, the Irish will host Michigan State on Thursday at 4 p.m. in their final home match of the season.

Louderback said, "Michigan State has not been real strong in the past. They've been at the bottom of the Big Ten for the last couple years, and they are not any stronger this year. They shouldn't be as tough as the teams we played this weekend."

The Irish will be playing the remainder of the season without Katie Clark, an important contributor at both singles and doubles, who is suffering from back problems. The depth of the team will be tested, as four of the final five matches are against ranked or near-ranked teams, in matches which will likely decide the post-season fate of the Irish.

Pacella recollected upon the team's progression during her four years, saying, "It's really amazing how the team has come along. I'm amazed I'm still playing. The team has changed so much lately. Jay has turned this program completely around."

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■**The Irish Heartlites** fun runs are coming up April 11th. There will be a 3 & 6 mile run. Students and staff should start training now.

■**Scorekeepers** are needed for the Bookstore Basketball Tournament. Anyone who is interested should contact Shelley Guillbaut at 283-2549.

■**Women's Bookstore** basketball will have sign-ups on Tuesday, March 26th from 6-9 pm at the Sorin Room of La Fortune and the lobby of Haggart at St. Mary's.

■**Antostal mud volleyball** sing-ups will be held Thursday and Friday April 4th and 5th from 4 to 6 pm in the S.U.B. office. For more information call Lou at 283-2071. Minimum two women per team. Entry charge is \$5 per team.

■**WVFI Sportstalk** from 8-9 pm talks about the NCAA tournament and the upcoming baseball season. Call the studio at 239-6400 to debate with the experts.

■**ND/SMC Sailing Club** will meet at 6:30 on Tuesday in the Boathouse. There will be information about practice, regattas, and lessons. Practice will be at 2:30 Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

■**Attention crew members:** A very important meeting will be held Wednesday, April 3 at 7:30 pm in 127 Nieuwland. Be there.

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ranked Mark Jeffrys, 6-4, 7-5. DiLucia played with a back that had been troubling him since he suffered back spasms against UCLA on March 15.

Also for Notre Dame, sophomore Chuck Coleman defeated Gary Henderson 7-5, 6-3 and sophomore Ron Rosas defeated Tom Peacock 6-4, 6-3. Will Forsyth lost to Daniel Courcol 6-7, 6-4, 6-2 and sophomore Andy Zurcher lost to Per Nilsson 7-6, 6-4.

The only doubles score

recorded and needed was Zurcher and Forsyth's 2-6, 6-3, 6-1 win over Mississippi State's Jefferys and Nilsson.

On Saturday, the Irish faced 11th-ranked South Carolina and swept all six matches. DiLucia defeated Johan Sunberg, a second semester freshman from Sweden, 6-3, 7-5. Troubles continued for DiLucia as he went down on the court with more back spasms. He was able to continue the match, but was hospitalized later.

Forsyth played his best match of the year defeating 17th-ranked David Hopper 6-1,

6-4. Coleman bested P.T. Langone 6-3, 6-1. Schmidt beat Andres Theuron 6-1, 2-6, 6-4. Zurcher defeated Dak Hahn Heisen 7-6, 4-6, 6-0 and Rosas defeated Manh Palos 6-3, 6-1.

On Sunday, the Irish fell to ninth ranked Arizona State 5-1. DiLucia posted the only Irish win and his 19th straight in a gutsy match with Brian Gyetko. Once again, his back was bothering him, but DiLucia stuck it out and won a tough three-setter, 6-4, 6-7, 6-1.

"My back was stiff which concerned me, but I just tried to focus on getting my first serves in," said DiLucia about his back problems.

DiLucia's performance gave him a clean sweep at the Blue-

Gray and earned him Most Valuable Player honors. He is the first non-senior to earn the honor.

"His play was nothing short of phenomenal," said Bayliss. "I'm really happy David was named MVP."

However, the rest of the Irish were not as fortunate. Rosas had his best match of the year leading 5-2 in the second set only to lose 4-6, 7-5, 7-5 to Ross Matheson. Schmidt pulled a hamstring against South Carolina and was helpless against Joel Finnegan in a 6-3, 6-2 loss. Forsyth lost a two-and-a-half hour contest to Tom Lominsky, 7-5, 6-4.

"Will played extremely well," said Bayliss. "He gave it his all."

pressure, with North Carolina there, or when N.C. State was doing it," Krzyzewski said. "Maybe that's the best thing because then we're able to develop our own program instead of trying to copy somebody else."

When Bubas left in 1969, North Carolina had just finished the third of its three-year run in Final Fours. The Tar Heels lost the 1968 title game to UCLA and lost two consolation games.

Duke had been to the Final Four in 1966 after winning the ACC championship. The Blue Devils lost to Kentucky in the national semifinals, but earned third place with a victory over Utah in the consolation game.

Duke struggled with mediocrity after Bubas stepped down. North Carolina made two more trips to the Final Four in the 1970s and won four more ACC titles under Smith.

Zurcher fought hard but was overmatched by Bob Gamibo who beat him 6-1, 6-4. Coleman also lost 7-5, 6-2 to Dan Marting.

DiLucia praised the play of the team.

"I think the team rebounded well from the lost to UCLA with the South Carolina victory," said DiLucia. "No one expected it."

Bayliss was also pleased with his team's performance.

"The Blue-Gray is without a doubt one of the best and toughest tournaments in the country. There were some very good teams that came out of it 0-3 so I'm really pleased that we tied Texas Christian for third place," said Bayliss.

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Softball

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bled to left for the first hit off Linn. Ginnie Hartman sacrificed, and Erica Greiner came through with an RBI single.

Valparaiso had a golden opportunity to break the tie in the seventh. Ingram again led off with a double, and again Hartman sacrificed. However, McMurray tried to get Ingram at third and was unsuccessful.

With runners at the corners

and nobody out, Greiner grounded the ball to Kmak, who made a perfect throw to catcher Amy Folsom to nail Ingram at the plate. Given a reprieve, Linn proceeded to wriggle out of the jam with a pop-out and weak grounder.

"It was a great play," Boulac said. "Ruth had to go into the hole a little bit to make the play. It was a tough throw to make in that situation, and we were very fortunate to execute the way we were supposed to. That's what won the ball game

for us."

First, though, Notre Dame had to survive another Valparaiso scoring threat in the eighth when Michele Gregor tripled with one out. But Linn once again pitched out of trouble, getting Carla Reiter and Krista Bane to pop out.

The Irish finally won it in the ninth when Crossen hit a lead-off single and was replaced by Alvarez. Pinch-hitter Kathy Verneti laid down the sacrifice, but Crusader second baseman Stacy Witfill dropped the throw at first.

After Folsom grounded to third, coach Boulac called for the suicide squeeze, and daughter Debbie executed to perfection, bringing home Alvarez with the winning run.

"We have (the suicide play), but we don't do it often," he said. "But when you have the baserunners and one of your better bunters up, that's what you have to come with."

"We're starting to play as a team. We did some things tonight when we were struggling in the second game where we pulled together and kept our intensity, and that's only going to help us as the season progresses."

Next up for Notre Dame is a doubleheader at Ball State (7-11) this afternoon. The Cardinals have been struggling lately, having lost five of their last six games.

Senior Kim Becker and freshman Michele McCorkle each hit .340 to lead Ball State in hitting—McCorkle also leads the Cardinals in stolen bases with nine. Junior Karen Oliver (4-5, 3.22 ERA) is the ace of the Cardinal staff.

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Murphy optimistic despite weekend losses to UVA

Walania leads Irish pitching in single win

By DAVE DIETEMAN
Sports Editor

Despite losing two of three games to the Virginia Cavaliers over the weekend, coach Pat Murphy's Notre Dame baseball team has climbed in some polls.

"The team actually rose in the Murphy ranking," related Murphy. "I feel like we played under a lot of adversity. I don't want to build excuses, because the trip was a good experience. We grew as a team and went through some hard times.

"We had a 15 hour bus ride to get there and a 13 hour ride home. That makes things tough. We've also had some tough times academically lately, but we've still had very positive performances. At best, these things happen when everyone does not play up to their potential. There were lots of positives for us. I refuse to worry about the national picture until we are together as a team."

Skiles scores 31 in Magic win; Nets lose 16th straight on road

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) — Scott Skiles scored 13 of his 31 points in the fourth quarter and the Orlando Magic used a 21-13 spurt at the start of the final period to pull away for a 115-106 victory over the Golden State Warriors on Monday night.

The victory was the third straight for the second-year Magic, which has won 11 of its last 15 home games and increased its victory total to 24 — six more than in its inaugural season.

Dennis Scott scored 25 points and reserve Jerry Reynolds added 23 for Orlando, which led 80-76 after three quarters. Skiles hit a pair of 3-pointers and Scott made one to fuel the decisive burst that enabled the Magic to open a 101-89 lead with just over five minutes remaining.

Golden State got 33 points from Tim Hardaway and 32 from Chris Mullin.

Bullets 113, Nets 106

LANDOVER, Md. (AP) — John Williams scored a season-high 24 points and Harvey Grant added 20 as the Washington Bullets won their third straight game and handed New Jersey Nets its 16th consecutive road loss.

New Jersey has lost 26 of its last 27 road games and 30 of 35 overall. The Nets' only victory away from home in the last four months was at Miami on Jan. 26.

The Nets made 16 of 22 shots and led 38-29 after the first quarter, but shot just 8-for-23 in the second quarter and trailed 60-56 at halftime. Washington led by 10 after three quarters and the Nets got no closer than six points the rest of the way.

Sophomore pitcher Alan Walania was the eye of the storm which rained on Notre Dame's weekend, as he pitched a complete game shutout in the first game of the Sunday double header. Walania, 4-2, fanned six while walking none and giving up five hits.

The Irish offense provided another bright spot, exploding for a 12-run, 12-hit attack. Frank Jacobs went two-for-three with two runs scored and three RBI in addition to knocking his seventh home run of the season. Mike Rooney drove in two runs while going a perfect three-for-three at the plate. Joe Binkiewicz also "dialed eight" for the first time this season, as Notre Dame scored in five of the seven innings.

"Virginia is not a bad club," said Murphy, careful to give credit where it was due. "They aren't as good as we are, but we happened to lose two out of three. We could very easily have won two of three. Give some

credit to Virginia. They played very well."

Yet the wily coach was also careful to give blame where due.

"We played under very adverse conditions," stated Murphy. "It was wet, rainy and the field was very different—it was half astroturf. Those are not excuses, but just the same, we had to make adjustments."

"At this level, where we are playing all of these top teams—and Virginia also beat Georgia, the defending national champions, last week—anybody can beat anybody on any given day. I am very pleased with the way the team has responded to some challenges. We have more challenges ahead in Purdue and the Oscar-Mayer Tournament, which we are honored to have been invited to."

Challenges aside, Murphy issued what is, effectively, a warning to the rest of the collegiate baseball world: "Don't worry about us, we'll be back."



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Junior Joe Binkiewicz nailed his first home run of the season as the Irish exploded for 12 runs against the Cavaliers.

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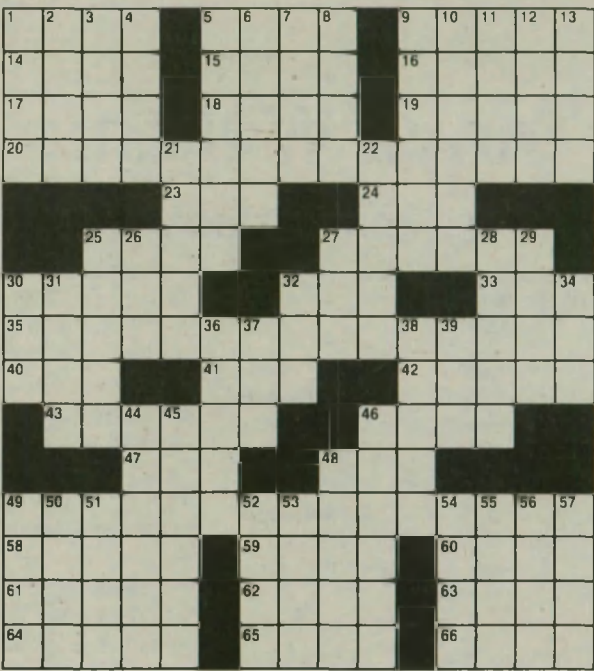
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23 Compass point
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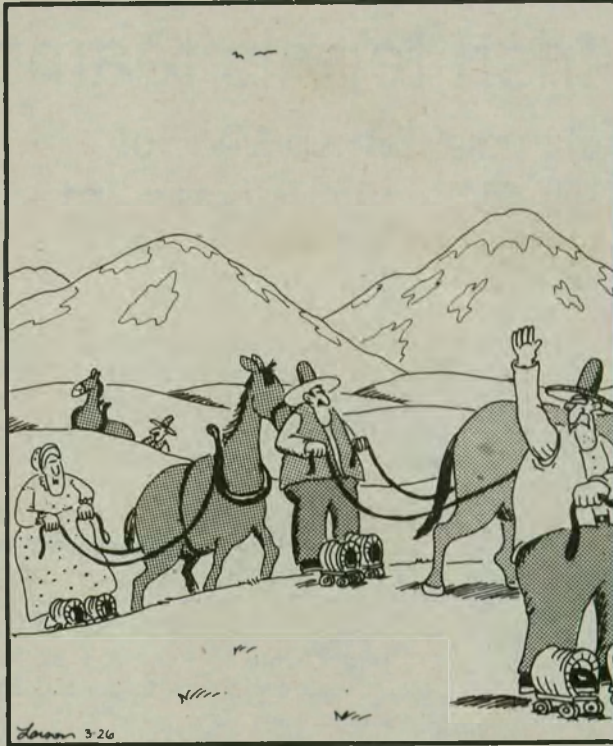
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46 Bumper plating
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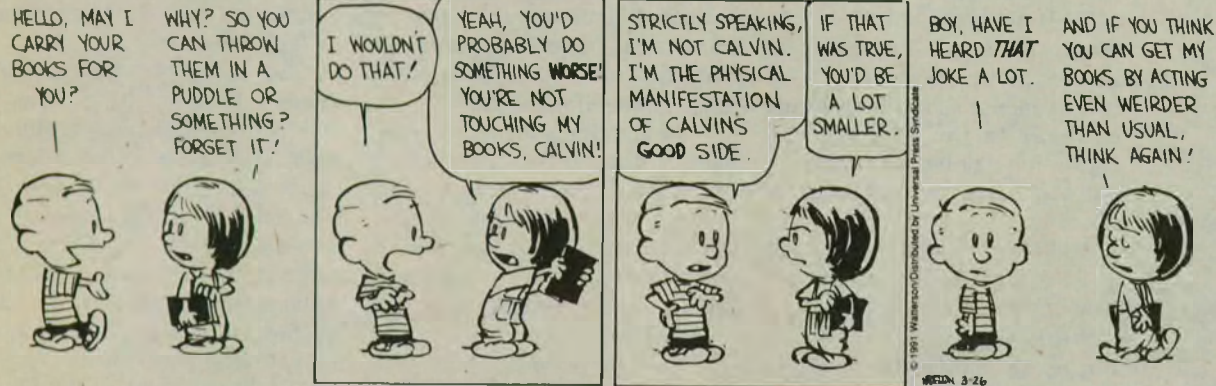
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Tanya Williams named All-American in swimming

Irish swimmer places 8th in the NCAA 400 individual medley; sets new University record

By BECKY WOOD
Sports Writer

Sophomore sensation Tanya Williams made a major Irish inroad on the national swimming scene at the NCAA Women's Swimming and Diving Championships. Williams became Notre Dame's first All-American swimmer this weekend in Indianapolis.

Since Notre Dame nabbed Williams in 1989 she has made Irish history. Last year, Williams, a nationally-ranked recruit, was the first Irish swimmer to qualify for the NCAA's. Now she has added to her accolades by earning her first All-American title.

Williams placed eighth in the 400 individual medley in a university record setting time, 4:19.88. Irish coach Tim Welsh felt Williams' performance achieved two significant accomplishments.

"For Tanya, I think getting to the big final with the big girls is the first of several. It's the beginning of her claiming as a

collegiate swimmer. She needs to take the 400 individual medley, remember it and build on it and go from there," said Welsh. "For the program, last year she qualified (for NCAA's) and opened up the door for qualifying. This year she qualified in faster times and opened the door for All-Americans at Notre Dame."

"Now we can talk to the best athletes with evidence that our team has progressed to the point where we qualify for the meet and score and become All-Americans," added Welsh.

Williams scored 11 points to rank the Irish 30th out of 159 Division I schools that sponsor swimming. Notre Dame tied with Princeton and Indiana in a field where only 158 individual swimmers qualified for the NCAA's nationwide.

Last year's champion, the Texas Longhorns, captured first (746 points) ahead of Stanford (653 points), Florida (353) and California-Berkeley (275). Since women's athletics joined the NCAA in 1982, only three schools have won the national

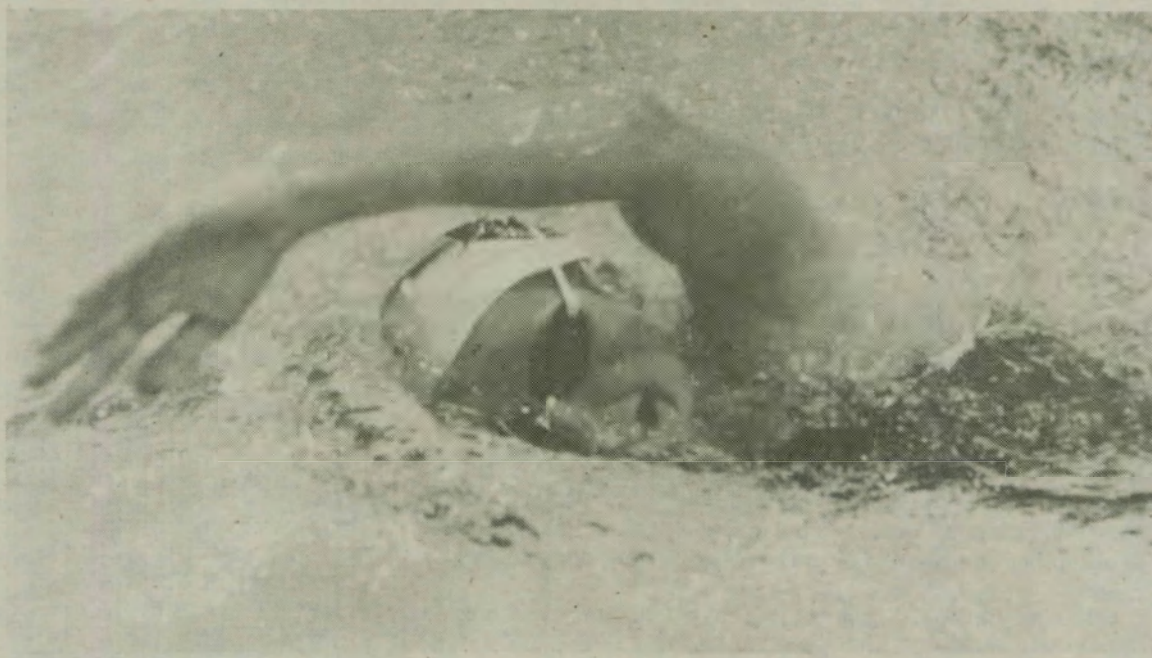


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Sophomore Tanya Williams became Notre Dame's first All-American swimmer after her performance in the NCAA Championships.

title - Florida, Stanford and Texas, and since 1983 no one else has cracked the top three in the final standings.

Stanford freshman Summer Sanders highlighted the meet,

winning three events and earning Swimmer of the Year honors. Sanders broke Tracy Caulkin's 200 individual medley American record in 1:57.06, Janet Evan's 400 i.m. meet

record in 4:05.19 and Mary T. Meager's 200 butterfly meet record in 1:54.17.

CBS televised the NCAA Championships and will air the event on Sunday, March 31.

Irish tennis teams closing in on NCAA tournament bids

DiLucia named MVP of Classic; team finishes 3rd

By JENNIFER MARTEN
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame's men's tennis team had a very successful weekend in Montgomery, Alabama. The team tied for third place with Texas Christian in the prestigious Blue-Gray Invitational and junior Dave DiLucia was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

On the first day of play, the Irish defeated Mississippi State 5-2. Sparking the Irish victory was sophomore Mark Schmidt's three hour come from behind win. Schmidt lost the first set 4-6 to Christophe Damiens and was down in the second set when he turned things around. His 4-6, 6-3, 7-5 victory gave Notre Dame a 4-2 edge in the 5 point match going into doubles play.

Irish coach Bob Bayliss was impressed with Schmidt's play.

"He showed what he's always shown-his ability to play error free tennis at crunch time," said Bayliss.

At number-one singles, DiLucia, ranked third in the nation, won his 17th straight by defeating 22nd-



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The women's tennis team recovered from a disappointing spring break to sweep four matches over the weekend.

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Women take four important matches at Eck Pavilion

By RICH SZABO
Sports Writer

Playing to redeem themselves after a disappointing spring break trip, the Notre Dame women's tennis team swept a four-match long weekend at the Eck Tennis Pavilion.

Using power and speed, the Irish defeated Oklahoma and Michigan, overwhelmed Ohio State, and finally shook off the challenge of a stubborn Boston College team to raise their record to 13-6.

On Friday, the Irish squeaked past Oklahoma 5-4 in a very tight match. Regular top-singles player Tracy Barton was rested, so Melissa Harris moved up to the number-one slot. Continuing her strong play, Harris won a thrilling 5-7, 7-5, 6-1 match over Stacey Bullman, ranked 53rd in the country, after being down 5-7, 1-5.

Lisa Tholen, Kim Pacella, and Kristy Doran all posted singles wins for the Irish. Following losses at first and second doubles, Notre Dame clinched the match at third, with Doran and Terri Vitale, playing together for the first time, chalking up a 6-3, 6-2

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Strong pitching leads Irish softball to sweep of Valparaiso



The Observer / John Rock

Kathy Verneti slides past Valparaiso's Stacy Witfill in yesterday's action, which saw the Irish take both games of a doubleheader.

By RENE FERRAN
Associate Sports Editor

For the third time in four days, the Notre Dame softball team swept a doubleheader from an unsuspecting visitor.

Monday afternoon, the victim was Valparaiso (9-11). The Irish (11-12) pounded out 11 hits in the opener in an 8-0 victory. In the nightcap, they staved off two excellent Crusader scoring chances in the seventh and eighth innings before squeezing out a 2-1 win in the bottom of the ninth.

In the first game, sophomore Staci Alford faced two batters over the minimum in pitching a two-hit shutout. The Baton Rouge, La. native struck out 10 batters, walked none and was behind in the count to only three hitters.

"I love this warm weather; it

makes it so much easier to throw," Alford said. "I felt good out there, and I had great defense behind me that really helped me out."

Alford dropped her earned run average to 1.63 in raising her record to 4-2. Her steady improvement from some early-season difficulties—she has won three straight outings, giving up only two runs in 21 innings—is a good omen for the Irish.

"Staci's been throwing very well since we've come back from our spring trip," said Notre Dame coach Brian Boulac. "All she needed was to get a little confidence in herself. She's really tough, and we needed her to come back and give us solid pitching."

The Irish broke onto the scoreboard in the third inning. Back-to-back triples by Carrie Miller and Ruth Kmak, com-

bined with a wild pitch, gave Notre Dame a 2-0 lead. It pushed three more runs across in both the fourth and fifth innings to break the game wide open.

The second game was a pitcher's duel between Valparaiso's Erin Reiter (4-7) and Notre Dame's Missy Linn (5-7).

The Irish pushed a run across in the third. Casey McMurray led off with a single. Lisa Miller sacrificed, and Carrie Miller was hit by a pitch. One out later, Kmak reached base on an error by Reiter. The error proved costly when Reiter walked Rachel Crossen on four pitches to force in pinch-runner Amy Rueter.

The Crusaders tied the score in the fifth. Karen Ingram dou-

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