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## Raise in activity fee rumored, disputed

By CHRIS SKORCZ  
Staff Reporter

The rumor currently circulating about a possible increase in the mandatory student activities fee contains no truth, according to Father David Tyson, vice president for student affairs.

"As of now, it is nothing more than a rumor. Since the Board of Trustees approves the budget and all increases, this won't be acted upon until they meet in May if it is acted upon at all," said Tyson.

The rumor came to the attention of Al Novas, student government treasurer, who is responsible for overseeing all transactions and must approve them if they pass through student government.

"I am just going on prior experience of last year when the fee was raised from \$30 to \$35. Supposedly, the student government is thinking about it, but that is all I know. They are simply kicking the idea around right now. This is about the time of year that it was increased last year," Novas said.

The increase, if made, would be "somewhere in the neighborhood of \$15 to (a \$50 fee)."

The idea behind the proposed increase, according to Novas, is to give each class more money in order to help them centralize activities, moving them away from the dorms.

Novas added that any such pro-

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## SMC freshman to take part in St. Patrick's Day parade

By DAN McCULLOUGH  
News Editor

Erin Anne Brennan, a freshman at Saint Mary's College, has been selected as a member of the Queen's court for the annual Chicago Saint Patrick's Day parade being held this year on State Street this Saturday, March 16.

Brennan was chosen on Friday, March 1, at the Grand Ballroom of



Erin Anne Brennan

the Palmer House Hotel in Chicago.

Brennan said her father and mother had entered her in the contest. "The contest is very well-

known in the South Side of Chicago," she said. Brennan is from Joliet, Ill.

"It's really an honor," said Brennan. She had previously had plans to go to Daytona Beach, Florida for spring break, she said. "I had to weigh the differences, but I decided that this was more of an honor."

Originally 500 to 600 women entered the contest, which is held annually. Photos are sent into the contest committee and 180 contestants are chosen to take part in the final judging at the Palmer House.

From there a panel of approximately 30 judges narrow the field down to 35, based on appearance and poise, said Brennan. The final eight are interviewed by the judges, and then five women for the Queen's court are selected.

"I'm really excited about this," said Brennan, who has attended the parade in Chicago before and said she was aware of what it is all about.

On Saturday, the court will attend Mass at Holy Name Cathedral, attend a special brunch, and then take part in the parade.



AP Photo

## Ill winds for Reagan

Strong winds in Washington ruffle President Reagan's hair as he says goodbye to Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak Tuesday at the White House. Later, the president's temper was ruffled as Congress blew away his budget proposals. Story below.

## Committee rejects Reagan budget

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The Senate Budget Committee, after days of chipping away at President Reagan's 1986 budget, voted outright yesterday to kill the entire plan.

The vote in a showdown engineered by the Democratic minority was 16 to 4.

Reagan anticipated the defeat, telling a group of businessmen beforehand he was disappointed in the committee's action.

He added, "I have my veto pen drawn" for any legislation raising taxes and challenged Congress to "go ahead, make my day."

What the committee is drafting, however, is a budget to serve as a tar-

get when specific appropriation and revenue bills come up. As such, it would not go to the president for his approval.

The panel's chairman, Sen. Pete Domenici, R-N.M., said the vote "shouldn't surprise the president," given the committee's slashing of his proposed military buildup while ignoring most of his appeals for domestic spending cuts.

The action was largely symbolic as Republicans leaders had never introduced the president's spending plan and had no intention to do so.

The vote dramatized, however, the widespread lack of support in Congress for the Reagan plan, with its \$30 billion in proposed increased

military spending and \$40 billion in domestic spending cuts.

The issue was forced to a head when Sen. James Exon, D-Neb., introduced the entire Reagan \$974 billion fiscal budget as a substitute for the plan the committee has been drafting and demanded a vote.

Domenici dismissed Exon's move as political posturing, but said, "We've done the same every year for every president (putting the entire spending plan to a single vote) so we ought to do it this year for this president."

The chairman said he would vote against the president's budget and "it won't be any shock to him when he sees how few of us support his package."

## Student Saver business slow despite low-cost merchandise

*Editor's Note: The following stories are parts five and six of a series on the financial workings of Notre Dame student government and several student organizations. Today's stories examine the Student Saver general store and the Irish Gardens.*

By BOB MUSSELMAN  
Staff Reporter

The newcomer on the student-run business block, Student Saver, exists on the premise that students want an outlet for second-label and generic goods on campus. And surveys conducted by Student Body President Rob Bertino indicate such a store can be successful.

Thus far, it is at least surviving. The store was the brainchild of Bertino's surveys, which indi-

cated Notre Dame Hammes Bookstore's prices were above those in town. Competing with the bookstore is not one of the student store's goals, but providing students with cheaper beauty aids and school supplies is.

Student Senator Pat Browne chaired a committee which pre-



sented a proposal to Student Senate, where it passed easily, and to the Campus Life Council, where it received similar response. The proposal received final approval by Father David Tyson, vice pres-

ident for student affairs, and opened at the beginning of this semester on the second floor of LaFortune Student Center.

As for performance thus far, Browne said the store is "doing OK - they're not hurting."

## Irish Gardens provides service at a profit

By FRANK LIPO  
Copy Editor

"What is our goal as Student Activities Board businesses? Pure services or pure profit?" These questions were asked by Student Body Treasurer Al Novas.

Novas said the businesses exist to serve students and make a profit - as far as covering all costs. Irish Gardens, the first student business opened three years ago,

Browne continues to support the store because it has "so much potential."

Rick Schimpf, store manager, said the store will be close to breaking even by the end of the semester, but noted that no stu-

dent store has made a profit in its first year of operation. Student interest will expand in time, he said, which eventually will make the business profitable.

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pays good wages to student workers, gives experience to student managers and provides a needed service to students; all important functions of student businesses, said Novas.

"We see ourselves as a service to the community. We could easily make \$5,000-\$6,000, but that is not our goal," said Denise Keller, one of three Irish Gardens managers. She added that most people on campus are aware of

Irish Gardens and its popularity is peaking.

Novas said last year Irish Gardens made approximately \$6,000 in capital expenditures, including two new refrigerators and reflooring of the shop. Although this large investment looks bad on the books because of the method of accounting used by his office, Novas claimed it

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# In Brief

**An Army helicopter** on a routine training mission crashed at Fort Bragg, N.C., yesterday afternoon, killing all 12 passengers and crew, an Army spokesman announced at the Pentagon. The helicopter, a new-model UH-60 Blackhawk, "crashed today at 12:40 p.m." EST, said spokesman Lt. Col. Miguel Monteverde. "The aircraft was totally destroyed and all 12 crew and passengers were killed," the spokesman added. The spokesman said the helicopter was flying in formation with several other copters at the time of the crash "and an accident investigation is already under way." -AP

**Only low-alcohol beer** will be sold to Detroit baseball fans this season at Tiger Stadium, where officials hope to promote a "more healthy atmosphere." At Tigers offices in Pittsburgh, Pirates fans can sit in a new "Family Section" if they want to avoid rowdy beer drinkers. And folks attending Denver Gold football games can't buy beer during much of the fourth quarter at Mile High Stadium. It's all part of a move by officials to try to control excessive drinking at sports events. "The management of our arenas has come to recognize that this has become an increasing problem over the years," said Frank Rose, vice president of the Harry Stevens Company that runs concessions at Shea Stadium, Fenway Park, Giants Stadium and Candlestick Park, as well as the Astrodome, Nassau Coliseum, Madison Square Garden and Byrne Arena. -AP

**President Hosni Mubarak** of Egypt said yesterday a "golden opportunity for peace" exists in the Middle East because of the recent agreement between Jordan and the Palestine Liberation Organization to jointly seek peace with Israel. Mubarak repeated his call for the United States to invite a Jordanian-Palestinian delegation to Washington "to explore the chances for peace." President Reagan made clear to Mubarak in a meeting Tuesday the United States won't agree now to such a meeting, but Mubarak said in a speech to the National Press Club yesterday that the United States "could render the cause of peace a great service" by agreeing to a meeting. -AP

# Of Interest

**The Washington, D.C.**, Notre Dame club will sponsor an informal Career Night Tuesday, March 19. The reception will begin at 6 p.m. at 2175 Rayburn House, the office building at the U.S. Capitol. Students in the area during break are invited to come and talk with alumni in various fields. Questions can be directed to Gary Caruso, 202-225-7742. -The Observer

**The senior class** will sponsor a St. Patrick's Day party a little early this year. The party will be tonight beginning at 9 at Senior Bar. Digger Phelps' green carnations will be distributed free of charge. -The Observer

**Staying for break?** Then you can celebrate the start of spring by attending the Spring Zoolebration party to benefit the Potawatomi Zoo. More than 80 local celebrities will host the festivities on Thursday, March 21, from 5:30 until 11 at the Marriott Ballroom in downtown South Bend. Dancing, hourly raffle prizes, food and drink will be featured. Admission is \$3. -The Observer

**The Notre Dame Concert Band** begins a 10-city tour through Eastern states today and will return to the campus for the annual spring concert at 7:30 p.m. March 24 in the Athletic and Convocation Center. The annual spring tours are usually sponsored by Notre Dame Alumni Clubs or friends of the University across the nation, and raise several thousand dollars in benefit programs for local scholarship and other funds. -The Observer

**Measles vaccinations** will be administered free of charge from 1 until 4 today at the Student Health. The service is being provided by the State Health Department. -The Observer

# Weather

**Come on!** You knew it wouldn't last. A chance of snow flurries this afternoon with highs in the upper 30s. Clearing and cold tonight with lows in the low to mid 20s. Mostly sunny tomorrow with highs in the low 40s. -AP



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# Being a good sport on that long-distance road trip

It's been awhile since I've taken a long road-trip. Must be years. But with a 23-hour drive to Fort Lauderdale to look forward to, I can't help but reminisce... The best road trips I've taken were definitely the ones I took when I was little. It could be I was just excited about the destination - but I tend to think it was all due to the agenda of exciting stuff we did to pass the time on the way there.

I've decided there's no reason why, a few years later, the be-a-good-sport road-trip spirit can't be recaptured for all.

Hoping to come up with a complete things-to-do list for all those hitting the road for more than two hours over the next few days... I searched and found hidden, deep in the corners of my memory, a dusty collection of activities for all.

Of course the list required a little editing and updating, unless you're interested in playing with Barbie and Skipper as you wait to reach your destination. The following list is thus suitable for both mature - and immature - audiences... depending on your mood, not your age group.

*I see something you don't see and the color of it is...*

This game requires more than one player. One person says, "I see something you don't see and the color of it is (for example) green." At this point, all other participants scan the car and guess wildly, screaming out any objects that appear remotely green. Each guesser gets five chances to figure out what the object is. Be prepared - tricky players may choose "something" as simple as green stuff under the driver's finger nails or the grass outside.

*The name game song*

Remember this one? Sure it's been awhile - but if you can remember the melody, you can sing at least as many rounds of "The Name Game" as there are people in the car. Let me trigger your memory with a little example. Suppose the driver's name is Larry (it's good to keep the driver involved in the fun... and it's fun to keep the driver awake), all will sing:

*Larry Larry bo-barry  
 Banana-fana fo farry  
 Me and my mo-marry... Larry!*

*Twenty Questions*

This game must have been invented for the intellec-

**Margaret McCabe**

Assistant Accent Editor



tual road tripper.

Maybe not.

At any rate, one person privately brings to mind a member of either a plant, animal or mineral category. Let's say he or she chooses a famous personality. The other players are informed that "it" is an animal, then they are free to ask any yes/no questions that will help to reveal the identity of the animal. Be sure to start off with basic questions "Is it living? ... Is it human? ... Is it male?" (watch the questionee carefully on these last

two, difficulty in answering them may be a clue - perhaps it's Idi Amin or Boy George). Only 20 questions can be asked and if you haven't guessed by that point, then you're forced to give up. The questionee will tell you what he/she had in mind, all will groan, and the same person will maintain the position of questionee.

*The License Plate Game*

This fun one must begin as soon as you leave campus. All those in the car or in your general vicinity of the bus must predict how many states will be found represented by license

plates before the destination is reached. As I recall, this always leads to a few hot debates. Should provinces of Canada be included? ... Can the numerous license plates on 18 wheelers be counted? ... Should wagers be made on the results? Whoever comes closest to the actual number without going over is the winner.

*Others* A little imagination does wonders when you're tired of watching fields pass by. Have a thumb fight tournament, count mile markers, point out to those around you what shapes you see in the clouds (you may be surprised at what shapes have shown up since you were eight years old).

I hope the ideas I have offered will inspire you to appoint yourself Road-Trip Director (much like a Cruise Director but sorry, no shuffle board), and make the hours you spend on the road just as much fun as the time you'll spend at the end of the road. If not... well, then just enjoy the ride, drive carefully and - have a great break!



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# Ethanol plant ordered to stop odor within 6 weeks as protests continue

By MIKE MILLEN  
Senior Staff Reporter

The unmistakable fragrance from the ethanol plant is not scheduled to disappear soon. In fact, last night's Public Works Committee meeting gave the New Energy Company a six-week period to install equipment worth over \$150,000 to help lessen the odor.

According to plant manager Bill Cribbs, "the odor stems from concentrations of soluble solids and drying corn left with starch in it." Cribbs said he "hoped by the end of April to have solved the problems," although he admitted "I don't have a lot of confidence that the odor will completely go away."

Few onlookers were happy with the council's decision to give New Energy six weeks to install the equipment. One local resident thought it unfair for the plant to operate "at our expense," suggesting the company cease production until it had stopped the smell. When asked how much per day New Energy would lose if temporarily closed, Cribbs responded "I don't have that information with me."

Aside from the odor, Dr. George Plain, St. Joseph County Health Officer, said, "No literature shows any long term effect." Many residents disagreed, however, stating they had trouble both breathing and sleeping.

In the beginning, many city council members were assured the \$185

million plant would be odor-free. Councilman Tom Zakrzewski, chairman of the Public Works Committee, commented "everyone bought the plan because there would be no smell." Beverly Crone, councilwoman, said she had "attended a meeting where they (New Energy) said there would be an odor, but an acceptable odor."

The council attorney said there might be reasonable cause to sue the plant under the recently passed City Nuisance Ordinance. This action will not be considered until the next committee meeting on May 1, at which time the situation will be reassessed and the improvements will be discussed.

# Optimistic Bush meets Gorbachev

Associated Press

MOSCOW - Vice President George Bush had a long meeting yesterday with Mikhail Gorbachev and said President Reagan will meet with the new Soviet leader whenever the Kremlin is ready.

"If there ever was a time when we could move forward with progress in the last few years, I'd say that this is a good time for that," Bush told reporters after a session with Gorbachev that lasted nearly 1 1/2 hours.

The vice president said he had brought a letter from Reagan to Gorbachev, but would not say whether it included an invitation to a summit meeting in the United States, as had been reported by U.S. officials in Washington.

"I will not discuss the contents of it (the letter), but I believe the presi-

dent does feel a meeting would be useful."

Asked whether Reagan had an early summit in mind, Bush replied: "I think he'd be ready as soon as the Soviet leadership would be."

Bush and Gorbachev had met briefly earlier in the day. They shook hands and chatted for a moment during a reception that followed the funeral of President Konstantin Chernenko, who was buried yesterday in Red Square.

In Washington, U.S. officials said Reagan had sent Gorbachev a personal message proposing a superpower summit in the United States. Reagan said Monday he was "more than ready" to meet Gorbachev.

Bush said before the meeting with Gorbachev that he came to Moscow bearing "a message of peace" from

Reagan, who he said "has no greater hope and no greater goal" than peace with the Soviets.

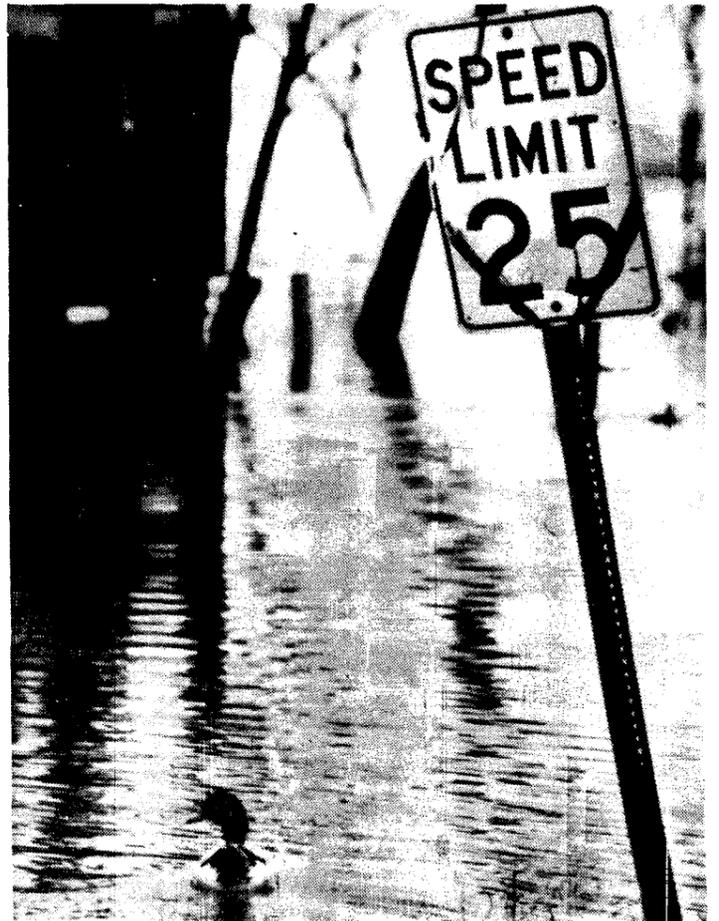
The vice president was accompanied by Secretary of State George Shultz.

Gorbachev is the fourth Soviet leader to hold the top party job since Reagan became president, but Reagan has not met any of them. In the past, the United States said a summit should be held only if it was likely to produce concrete results.

Yesterday, the White House announced U.S. conditions had been relaxed and that Reagan would meet with Gorbachev if "it would be beneficial to the cause of world peace."

It is the third time Bush has flown to Moscow to attend the funeral of a Soviet leader. In 1982, he came for the funeral of Leonid Brezhnev, and in 1984, he attended the funeral of Yuri Andropov. Chernenko died Sunday.

This time, Bush is meeting the first Kremlin leader of a new postwar generation.



AP Photo

## Fowl weather

No, the police aren't after ducks now. The new home of these ducks is simply the result of flooding in Spring Bay, Ill., where the Illinois River crested this past weekend. Although the river is now slowly falling, the ducks may be around for a little longer, as the water is still 8 feet above the 18-foot flood stage.

## Gardens

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"mistates activities." The expenditure was necessary for the future of Irish Gardens, said Novas.

Keller said Irish Gardens made \$1,600 last semester, although budgeted to make \$1,000 the entire year. The two weeks prior to Valentine's Day brought in \$12,000 worth of sales, she said.

Keller said the volume at Irish Gardens is "unbelievable" compared to most shops. For instance, most shops sell approximately 600 roses per week. Irish Gardens sold approximately 3,200 for Valentine's Day alone.

Irish Gardens is trying to become more efficient in as many areas as possible, said Keller. This year financial statements were instituted to provide better financial control. Keller said the pricing policies are based on those statements.

Seventeen students work at Irish Gardens, all of who must be eligible for financial aid. Keller said in the past certain workers carried the majority of the hours. Balancing the working hours has been another way of improving efficiency.

"We have tried to cut the payroll by becoming more efficient," Keller noted. She added, however, that the nature of the work produces a large payroll.

Quality control, operating procedures such as a new order system, and an emphasis on efficiency have been more important than in other years, Keller said.

There has been an increase in prices because of the doubling of wholesale prices, but Irish Gardens maintains the lowest prices in town, said Keller. She was optimistic about the its future.

"The year before last the prices were incredibly high," said Chuck VanRavenswaay, general business manager of the SAB, speaking of Irish Gardens. He said last year the prices were lowered to make it more reasonable.

"We don't want to gouge the students," VanRavenswaay said.

Last year's capital expenditures and lowering of prices accounted for the fiscal loss at Irish Gardens, said VanRavenswaay. This year they were budgeted negatively \$1,000, which they already made up last semester. Any money made this semester will be channeled into other SAB endeavors.

Irish Gardens "generates the most traffic, people utilize it the most," said VanRavenswaay. He said because of a uniform fiscal policy, expenses and waste are coming under control, not just in Irish Gardens, but in all student businesses. He credited the manager's hard work with keeping prices down.

## The Observer

The independent student newspaper serving Notre Dame and Saint Mary's is accepting applications for the following positions:

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Questions should be directed to Keith Harrison or Joe Murphy. Resumes and personal statements are due Thursday, March 14.

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# Sextuplet pregnancy rumor untrue

Associated Press

KITTERY, Maine - A woman who received national publicity when she reported that she was expecting sextuplets despite her husband's vasectomy is not pregnant and is undergoing psychiatric care, her family said yesterday.

Richard Perham, 33, of Kittery, said his wife, Kim, 27, has been admitted for observation in an institution he declined to name. She is "very confused right now" and is under psychiatric care, he told Foster's Daily Democrat of Dover, N.H.

Perham, mother of 2-year-old twins, said last week she became pregnant after her husband had a vasectomy, and that an ultrasound test at Portsmouth (N.H.) Hospital on Feb. 28 had shown she was pregnant with two boys and four girls.

Perham's pregnancy came under question Tuesday when doctors disputed key parts of her story.

Doctors at the hospital said they had no record of an ultrasound test given Perham.

Dr. William Cusack of Dover, who the Perhams said was her obstetrician, said in a statement yesterday that he had seen Perham once in recent months, had not given her a pregnancy test, and that she was not under his care.

Perham's father, Donald Perham of Rye, N.H., told the newspaper his daughter-in-law had an ultrasound test performed recently to determine whether she was pregnant, but he said she "has not been pregnant and is not pregnant now."

Both Perhams said they did not know what prompted her story be-

cause she had no history of such incidents. Her husband said that when the story was publicized last week he "had no idea" that she wasn't pregnant and that apparently no one else knew either. She had gone alone to all her doctor's appointments.

An unidentified spokesman at Brigham and Women's Hospital in Boston, where Perham had said she expected to deliver the sextuplets by Caesarean section on July 28, told the Boston Globe the hospital had no record of her being transferred to the hospital.

Since reports about her pregnancy, Perham has been featured on two national television news shows, and a local milk company had offered to donate one year's supply to the family.



The Observer/Paul Pahoresky

## All the world's a stage

Senior Mike McKay and junior Phillip Manning audition for the play "We Won't Pay, We Won't Pay" in Notre Dame's Lab Theater. The Notre Dame/Saint Mary's theater department production is slated for a May performance.

## Store

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Schimpf said maintaining a full inventory has been difficult thus far, citing inadequate estimates of demand and problems with his supplier. These difficulties should iron themselves out in time, he said.

The store buys in cooperation with Broadmore Pharmacy.

The store spent about \$450 on shelving and other start-up supplies, Schimpf said, under the guidance of the Student Activities Board. Its operation comes under direct control of SAB, as do all other student businesses.

The SAB second-quarter performance report shows \$650 spent on the Student Saver last semester. No money was budgeted for its operation.

Student Body Treasurer Al Novas commented that the store will present a special problem for the treasurer's office in that if at the end of the year the store has \$10,000 in inventory, it will show up as an expense, and therefore a loss.

In their accounting system, a major purchase, for example a computer purchased last semester, is recognized as an outright expense. Most businesses consider such purchases, as well as current inventory, assets and depreciate their value, as usefulness is exhausted.

"The general store is going to have a specific audit at the end of this year to find out how they're doing," Novas said.

Increasing product lines has already been considered, but such an action is considered premature by the administration. The store currently stocks 76 items, according to Schimpf, and he would like to see that number grow close to 100 in the future.

One item Schimpf did say will be appearing soon on his shelves is sun-tan lotion.

Schimpf's description of the store's goals follows closely on

Novas' remarks on the subject mentioned earlier in the series.

"Definitely, we're here to make money," Schimpf said, but he stressed the store's commitment to student service. Prices are lower because of lower initial cost associated with the type of products the store carries, he said, not due to a smaller markup in relation to the bookstore.

Father Francis Cafarelli, vice president of student services and the person in the administration with whom the store's operators deal directly, said the store is "an enterprise of student government," and his duty is to "monitor, see how it's doing."

"Research indicated a need was there, but I can't vouch for that," Cafarelli said. So far, business seems to be good, he added, "but it takes a lot to be successful."

"The store is approved, estab-

lished; I want to see it have a chance to succeed," he said.

All actions of the store are monitored by student affairs, and are governed by seven guidelines imposed on the store at its approval, Schimpf said.

One such restriction is that the store cannot carry items the bookstore carries. Browne said the managers of the bookstore were asked if it would carry second-label items which surveys indicated students wanted. They declined.

But according to both Schimpf and Browne, the bookstore has begun carrying such products. Schimpf regards this as a "pretty big inconsistency."

"We've done nothing to compete," Schimpf said, and it "seems like they're trying to get our business."

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# Search goes on for 'alcoholic' dog

Associated Press

RAPID CITY, S.D. - He was a boozier and a womanizer who treated officers with disdain, but for thousands of enlisted men who trained to fly here during World War II and the Korean War, Bismarck was a special dog.

Now Air Force officials are searching for his grave so they can build a monument to the Rapid City Air Base mascot, believed to be the only canine in base history to reach the rank of master sergeant.

"This dog was terrific, and maybe just a tad overweight" because of his alcoholic binges, said Staff Sgt. Charli Kochmar, who started the search as historian for what is now called Ellsworth Air Force Base.

"The reason his eyes were so sad is he was an alcoholic," said Littleman Carlson, who served at the base for nearly 20 years.

According to Bismarck's obituary in the Sept. 14, 1951, issue of the base newspaper, The Outpost, the shaggy, black and white mutt even had a road on the base named after him.

Bismarck was a clumsy-footed, homeless pup when he showed up at the base in 1942. He became a pal of the men training "for the grim job ahead in World War II," the obituary said. "He lived with them, flew with them, slept with them and drank with them."

"He hated officers. He'd only associate with enlisted men," the obituary said.

"That's the truth," said Jim Anderson, a retired Air Force colonel who was stationed at the base from 1947 to 1960. "And he never walked anywhere. He always rode."

"There wasn't a single person on the base who didn't know him," Anderson said. "They'd give him a ride in their car. I would bet that in his

entire life on the base, he didn't walk more than 100 yards cumulatively."

"Of course, downtown, he'd have to walk from bar to bar," he added.

Bismarck also was a womanizer, and he didn't seem to care who knew it.

He was busted to corporal once "for chasing a member of his opposite sex through the NCO mess club," his obituary said. However, he "rose to master sergeant again by time in grade."

Bismarck was about 10 years old when he died in September 1951.

Kochmar, an 11-year Air Force veteran and historian for the 28th Bombardment Wing, said she hopes to find the grave and have a monument erected in time for the 35th anniversary of Bismarck's death in 1986.

Carlson said he vaguely recalls the burial site, "I think on the south end of the main runway. They had quite a ceremony," he added.

# University requirements

Present curriculum Proposed curriculum	Time to complete requirement			
	Fresh.	Soph.	Junior	Senior
Eng. Comp./Sem. (1 sem. ea.) Eng. Comp./Sem. (1 sem. ea.)	■			
Math (2 sem.) Math (2 sem.)	■	■		
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Science (2 sem.) Science (2 sem.)	■	■		
Philosophy (2 sem.) Philosophy (2 sem.)	■	■	■	■
Theology (2 sem.) Theology (2 sem.)	■	■	■	■
Fine Arts/Lit. (1 sem.)	■	■	■	■

Correction: The University Requirements' graphic in yesterday's issue did not appear correctly. It is reprinted above.

Observer Graphic  
Source: Office of the Provost

# Indiana man killed in plane crash

Associated Press

ANGOLA, Ind. - An Indianapolis man died and four others were critically injured in the crash last night of a single-engine plane near Angola.

The Cherokee six-passenger plane went down near the Tri State Municipal Airport about 5 miles west of Angola at about 6:30 p.m.

after the pilot reported icing problems, said Indiana State Trooper Gary Robbins.

Carter Sharp, 66, of Indianapolis was pronounced dead at Cameron Hospital in Angola, Robbins said.

Sharp was a passenger in the plane flown by Joseph Miller Jr., 52, also of Indianapolis, who police said operates a charter service.

Robbins said police had not been able to confirm late last night whether the flight, enroute from Lansing, Mich., to Indianapolis, was chartered.

Miller was taken to Parkview Hospital in Fort Wayne, where he was listed in critical condition with a broken back.

# Wire Service Guild rejects UPI wage freeze

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The Wire Service Guild said yesterday it has rejected a proposal by United Press International for an 18-month wage freeze and other concessions by employees of the news service.

The union, which represents about 900 UPI editorial employees, said the company made its proposals Tuesday at a meeting in Washington with Guild president William Morrissey and secretary-treasurer Dan Carmichael.

A union statement said Morrissey and Carmichael called the UPI proposal "entirely unacceptable."

The union officers agreed to relay

the proposal to members of the union's executive committee and the UPI national committee, the statement said, "but told UPI to get its own house in order before again asking employees to give up wages and benefits."

David Wickenden, UPI general manager for information, said he had no comment on the Guild statement.

The union said the company proposal was made by Luis Nogales, UPI president and chief executive officer, and company representatives Ray Wechsler and Bobby Ray Miller.

According to the Guild, UPI management proposed to continue current, reduced pay levels - which are

85 percent of normal wages - for an additional 18 months, until October 1986.

In addition to the new wage freeze request, the union said, UPI proposed curbs on staff overtime, a 25 percent cutback in vacation time, a 50 percent cut in "personal days" or holidays, a freeze on audio fees and differentials, and a reduction in the reimbursement rate for use of personal cars on company assignments.

The Guild said UPI also proposed continuing a 10 percent penalty for sick leave, which had been scheduled to expire April 15, and restrictions on payments for employee transfers.

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## Rumor

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posal would have to originate with a student and be acted upon by the senate in order to be considered by Tyson. He noted, however, that he was unsure about what would happen in the event of an administration proposal.

"It was mentioned that a lot of dorms had raised their hall taxes but those are completely different," Novas noted, since hall taxes originate with the hall presidents.

"If the increase is made official, you don't have a choice. You must pay it since it is part of your tuition. The only way students can respond if they are upset by the raise is to try to get a referendum going to protest it," he said.

"I would not be surprised if it were proposed," Novas concluded.

Student Body Vice President Cathy David was not aware of the rumor.

"As far as I know it is nothing more than a rumor. There is nothing at all positive or definite. Student government won't propose such a change but maybe the SAB will propose an increase so they can sponsor more activities," she said.

A spokesperson for Joni Neal, director of student activities, said she was unaware of any such increase or even the proposal of an increase in the fee.



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## The course of evolution and the 'macho' man

In my last article for *The Observer*, I presented four stories which portrayed male violence towards women. Ever the optimist, I did not dream that this would provoke yet another story in the same genre! It seems I badly underestimated the sick undercurrent in the Notre Dame male culture.

Shortly after my essay appeared, I received a very nasty hard-core pornographic picture and an advertisement designed to humiliate me as a woman. The sender, apparently unable to cope with

**Ann Pettifer**

guest column

ideas that confronted his prejudices and neurotic predilections, struck obscenely and anonymously - the modus operandi of the coward from time immemorial.

In her Sophomore Literary Festival lecture, Catholic author, Mary Gordon, told of having received death threats after the publication of her novels, "Final Payments", and "The Company of Women." I found this revelation mind-boggling, for I had read both books and could not see how the themes and ideas that they contained could possibly incite such irrational responses. I shared my incredulity with a theologian friend - how could these intelligent novels activate the demons of hate and violence I wanted to know. Without a moment's hesitation, my friend said she could see why crazy, reactionary Catholics would find the books threatening. It had to do, she pointed out, with Gordon's extraordinary accuracy in naming the pathological elements in Roman Catholicism.

This pathology, which shares many features with fascism, includes an obsession with authority and hierarchy, male dominance and a fierce repression of affective feelings. However, the Janus face of dominance is insecurity and, in extreme cases, paranoia. As dominant Roman Catholic males are challenged by women, a classic repressive/aggressive response is triggered and swift action is taken to bring these women back into line.

The pornographic picture which I received was just a more barbaric variety of the kind of sexual harassment that the Vatican Sacred Congregation for Secular and Sacred Institutes is presently directing at twenty-four nuns in this country. These women have shaken the Roman patriarchy

to its foundations by calling for more informed discussion on abortion. They are particularly concerned to see abortion situated in its social context and to analyze abortion as a symptom of a culture characterized by male aggression and female powerlessness. For their pains, these women have been threatened with expulsion from their communities if they refuse to recant. The Vatican's paranoid reflex is making our church the laughing stock of civilized society.

So what is to be done? Do women stand a chance of converting these obdurate, silly, insecure men? The odds are dismal. My money is on evolution. I have been reading a lovely book, "On Becoming Human," by anthropologist Nancy Makepeace Tanner. If her thesis is on target, we can expect that the chest-beating male will be eliminated from the gene-pool through sexual deadend. His culture has given us all that is destructive in our world, from nuclear weaponry to capitalist pillage. If our poor planet is to survive, we shall have to evolve values that are closer to the ethic of stewardship which Jesus preached.

A very long time ago, our wiley female hominid ancestors appear to have pulled the species up the evolutionary ladder when they developed a more complex gathering culture in contradistinction to the cruder, male hunting culture. Through sexual selection, Tanner says, the female also helped to reduce male primate characteristics, like large canines: 'If females were choosing to copulate with the sociable males, ones who did not bear large canine "fighting teeth" at them - then sexual selection supported the reduction of male canines.'

There were already signs that women are beginning to ignore dominant, macho males as potential sexual partners. Self-respecting females are increasingly aware that they cannot afford relationships with men who cannot handle equality. As the patriarchal family becomes more and more dysfunctional, the patriarchal male, with his high testosterone level, will be left braying with frustration as the female selects a less aggressive, more humane sort of chap. In her search for a new family model, it will be a discipleship of equality in domestic chores, in child rearing and in the civil order that will count most with the culturally evolving female.

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## Problem-solving must be done nonviolently

The number of incidents involving violence as an acceptable means of resolving conflict seem to be growing daily throughout the country. Some people, following in the footsteps of our esteemed government and seemingly dissatisfied with the status quo, have decided that the best way to solve their problems is by taking matters into their own hands. This has resulted in numerous outrageous acts of violence across the country.

However, just because our government uses violence to solve its problems does not

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Another classic example of the administration's use of violence is the aid we give the contras in Nicaragua. The United States aids a group of rebels attempting to overthrow, by force, the legitimate government in Nicaragua. The reason? Our government does not like the political affiliations of the Nicaraguan government. The message clearly states that if you do not like the situation, change the rules to suit your needs, which is what people like Bernhard Goetz seem to be doing.

But is this the proper attitude for our government or for the citizens of this country to take? I think not. Using violence as a means to solve problems is not only unacceptable, but it is also impractical. Violence only breeds violence. It does not, and will not, breed peace or solutions to a problem. This is not to say that violence is not unavoidable at certain times - like if one is attacked by someone or a country has war declared on it by another country - but there are better ways to solve problems.

The idea of communication and mutual concession is one which seems to work well in resolving conflicts. Unfortunately, our government does not do much of either but instead resorts to the ends justify the means theory. We, as Americans and responsible human beings, have a duty to encourage our government and ourselves not to resort to violence when we have a problem to solve but to try and solve it through peaceful methods. Peaceful methods can and will bring about the best results.

The present administration consistently has used force or violence as a method of problem-solving throughout the last four years. Many citizens of this country, in turn, have grown so accustomed to it that they are now following the government's lead and using violence to solve many of their problems. It is easy to see how the actions of our government have influenced some Americans because there have been many acts of violence or force by the government, and all have been deemed acceptable by the Reagan administration.

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**Michael Froning**

guest column

The tendency to use violence as an acceptable means of resolving conflict has taken root in such incidents as the bombing of abortion clinics across America. And in Pennsylvania, a pastor allied with the Denominational Ministry Strategy, a social activist group which promotes violence as a means towards social justice, has been working with a local group of militant labor leaders in harassing local executives in his church in an attempt to gain employment for the many unemployed people in his town.

But perhaps the most exploited incident has been the shooting of four black youths on a New York subway by Bernhard Goetz. When asked by the youths for five dollars, Goetz reportedly replied, "I have five dollars for each of you" and proceeded to shoot all four.

But what has prompted these acts of violence? In the past, violence as an acceptable means of resolving conflict has not been so widespread, but these incidents seem to be occurring more and more frequently. The reason for this is that our government, specifically the Reagan administration, has been acting as a role model for our citizens.

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## The Russian bear is just wearing new clothes

This week's top news story is the death of Soviet leader Konstantin Chernenko, 73, after a lengthy bout with emphysema and assorted other serious ailments. Mikhail

**John Perez**

just wondering

Gorbachev, a 54-year-old lawyer, was named to succeed him.

Chernenko's rule, lasting a mere 13 months, has been described by many Kremlin watchers as a spectacular failure. The Soviet Union's agricultural sector missed all its production quotas by a wide margin, domestic political dissent is at an all-time high, and the Soviets are about to begin the latest round of disarmament talks with the United States with nary a bargaining chip.

Even as Chernenko's grave is still fresh, we must stop and think about how this latest leadership change will affect US-

USSR relations, and every one of us in turn. What should we expect from the new Gorbachev administration? Will we be better off after this latest round of Kremlin Roulette?

In a visit to Great Britain last December, Gorbachev stunned western observers by his most un-Sovietlike behavior. Instead of parroting the usual "promote world revolution" slogans and making a spectacle by visiting Karl Marx's grave, he made the rounds of London's cocktail party circuit acting like a sophisticated party animal. Jokes, not propaganda, were his favorite topic of conversation.

Does this signal a major breakthrough in the Cold War of the superpowers? In all probability, no. Said Britain Foreign Affairs Committee chairman Sir Anthony Kershaw: "He's more dangerous because he's better up to the job than any of the old geezers."

In an era dominated by rapid technological change, Gorbachev's apparent ability to be equally at ease with computers and combines, plus the fact that most of Moscow's most influential agencies are staffed

by similar whiz kids, probably means that a new Soviet diplomatic/economic/military onslaught on the rest of the world is close at hand. The Russian Bear is alive and well, he is just wearing different clothes.

A dead giveaway of the Soviet Union's intentions was its decision to begin the long-delayed Geneva arms talks with the United States as scheduled Tuesday. Ordinarily, one would expect the death of a head of state to disrupt such a meeting, but the Soviets' top priority is to obtain arms concessions from the United States. The funeral and memorial ceremonies will just have to wait.

When the arms talks broke off last year, the Soviets had the upper hand. Their SS-20 ICBM's seemed to drive an invincible wedge between the Eastern Bloc and the western allies. Today, after deployment of the Pershing II intermediate range missile, the advanced cruise missile and the B-1B bomber, the nuclear balance of power has once again shifted in favor of the U.S. side. The Soviet Union has its back to the wall, and the Strategic Defense Initiative (Star Wars program) looms like a sword over

their heads. They are in trouble, and they know it.

Another major problem for the Soviets is their generally poor economic condition. Their tattered economy makes them a second class superpower - one without the clout to get their message across. Any sort of economic reform will require dealing with the West. This, of course, will necessitate an appearance of "niceness" toward the United States and its allies.

In summary, do not expect anything new. The players may be different, they may seem dashing and daring and new, but the coaches and the game remain the same. We must not forget that the East and West are based on fundamentally different ideas, ideas shaped and defined by both brains and bloodshed, and as such are unlikely to change significantly. Look at all the pomp and ceremony as just "entertainment" - a mask that merely hides the never-ending state of "business as usual."

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# P.O. Box Q

## Acknowledging hard work and dedication

Dear Editor:

This letter is written to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of four women - Carrie Bates, Laura Daugherty, Ruth Kaiser and Mary Beth Schueth.

These four seniors of the Notre Dame Women's Basketball team are largely responsible for the tremendous progress of the program since their freshman season. The leadership, determination, perseverance and dedication these women display have, undoubtedly, inspired the younger members of the squad to aspire to the high standards of performance these seniors have demonstrated each time they are on the court.

Carrie, Laura, Ruth and Mary Beth should be proud of the fine reputation they have built for this program. They are exemplary Notre Dame student-athletes, both on and off the court.

Stephanie A. Korbeck  
Atlanta, Georgia

## Domagalski was right in his senate actions

Dear Editor:

Sophomore Class President Jim Domagalski should be applauded for protecting the integrity of the Student Senate by walking out of the recent meeting. The issue of reconstructing the senate is an important one which will affect the organization of student government for the next few years, and it should not be determined by a debatable vote.

The fact that the proxy votes were non-written votes does not allow for any proof of those votes. In addition, the proxy were given to a non-voting members of the senate, which is a questionable procedure. Student Body Vice President Cathy David has a different constituency than student senate member Mike Quinn and, therefore, he should not be voting for her.

As it turned out, Senator Paul Healy had left a written proxy which did not count for a quorum, so the vote could not have passed anyway. But the fact that the senate attempted to pass this measure under uncertain circumstances indicates that the restructuring proposal has been rushed and that several aspects of the policy remain vague, as some of the voting members admitted.

Because of the importance of this issue, Domagalski's move might spur further examination of the proposal, or at least ensure that the policy is passed by an unquestionable quorum of the senate.

Ellen McDonald  
Liza McAndrews  
Notre Dame sophomores

## The military has been utilized irresponsibly

Dear Editor:

The controversy raised by the recent letter of Fausto Nolasco centers on the question of whether or not ROTC should be on the Notre Dame campus at all. Nolasco obviously struck a nerve in those who defend the presence of ROTC here. Responses to his letter illustrate an archaic and dangerous view of the role our conventional forces, like the Rangers or the Marines, have played in defending "our national security" or in "preserving peace among the nations."

Recent history reveals all too well that forces, such as those Rangers shown in Monday's issue of The Observer, which have been training in Mishawaka have been used to thwart nationalistic movements in small countries which pose no real threat to our na-

tional security (Guatemala in 1954, Cuba in 1962, the Dominican Republic in 1965, Vietnam in the 1960's and '70s and Grenada in 1983). Such aggressive actions by these forces of ours do nothing more than protect isolated U.S. business interests and gloss over the fact that the root of such movements lie not in international communism, but in the reality of the extreme poverty and injustice plaguing many regions of the world. It is highly unlikely that our Armed Forces will be defending our country's natural borders because of the vast nuclear arsenal we now possess.

In considering all of this, again the question must be asked - does ROTC belong on the campus of a Catholic university such as Notre Dame? When taking the Gospels into consideration, the message is obvious: "Love one another, love your enemies, love your neighbor as you love yourself." Our Catholic faith calls us to make a radical stand for life. When considering what the military is involved in, it appears evident that one's faith necessarily becomes conformed as a member of the military.

Notre Dame should be encouraging us to be peacemakers rather than training us for an unjust war. Notre Dame should be challenging us to be prophets of peace of the modern world where the choice is between non-violence or non-existence. Instead, Notre Dame conforms its Catholic character with the fallacy that a Christian education will produce a more Christian soldier when, in fact, due to the reality of the American military institution, the concept of a Christian soldier is a contradiction in terms. It is true that Sacred Heart Church's south entrance is engraved with the message "God, Country and Notre Dame." Those who use the message to justify the presence of ROTC on campus seem to have the order of the dictum confused.

Peter Carter  
Chuck Rublin  
Notre Dame students

## Everett's ideas show a poor understanding

Dear Editor:

Frederick Everett's recent letter to The Observer demonstrates a lack of understanding regarding the highly complex nature of homosexuality causality and morality, as well as an ignorance of the Roman Catholic's views on homosexuality.

Everett's indignation over Notre Dame's apparent support of homosexuality would seem to indicate that he believes homosexuality is a sin. This is not Roman Catholic teaching. Ask any orthodox theologian. Ask any bishop. Ask the pope. They will all tell you that while homosexual acts are to be considered immoral - a homosexual orientation is not, of itself, sinful. And neither of these "poisonous tapes" advocates homosexual activity.

Roman Catholics believe that divine revelation comes through holy scripture and through sacred tradition. It might be nice if the scriptures were as clear in their condemnation of homosexuality as Everett believes them to be but, alas, there is not a single, unambiguous text in either testament which condemns homosexuality as a condition. A check of current moral theology texts would have revealed this.

Concerning sacred tradition, in 1976 the Roman Catholic bishops of the United States issued a pastoral letter entitled, "To Live as Christ Jesus" in which they stated: "Homosexuals, like everyone else, should not suffer from prejudice against their basic human rights. They have a right to respect, friendship and justice. They should have an active role in the Christian community." Imagine that - "an active role in the Christian community." It almost sounds as if the bishops are supporting homosexuality or, at least,

homosexuals. They even went as far as to say that homosexuals were worthy of friendship and respect. And that was nearly ten years ago.

Insofar as what the bishops have said above is authentic, Catholic teaching, one should not be surprised to find a Catholic university in the business of supporting it - maybe even promulgating it.

Let me propose the possibility that the Holy Spirit has not yet revealed all of the "supernatural truths" about homosexuality, or any other issue for that matter. The problem with believing that you possess the whole truth is that you stop searching for it, as did the churchman who based their condemnation of Galileo on the truth of the scriptures which they thought they possessed.

So perhaps before we take our Christian heritage seriously, we ought to find out what it is. I always thought it was about being charitable, compassionate, merciful and avoiding self-righteousness.

Brother Michael Dini, E.S.C.  
Brownson Hall

## ND cheerleaders were merely 'in attendance'

Dear Editor:

At the Dayton game last Saturday, we noticed late in the first half that our cheerleaders were in attendance. We say "in attendance" because they were little more than that. They were noticeably inactive; none of us saw them perform even one cheer.

Of course, this situation should be put in perspective before we wrongfully criticize them. The cheerleaders were flown to and from the game for free and had one of the best spots from which to view the game. With these pitiful accommodations, who could honestly expect them to cheer? Conversely, we rented a car to get to Dayton, bought scalped tickets (which we might add were in the nosebleed region of the arena), jammed six guys in a single room in a nearby fleabag motel and screamed our lungs out. We also stood for the entire game surrounded by seated Dayton fans. The most excited we saw our cheerleaders become was at the bars Friday and Saturday nights.

It is time the cheerleaders earn their keep. If they are not going to cheer, why don't they just do us all a favor and stay home instead of looking ridiculous on the sidelines?

Mike Schreder  
Dan McKeever  
Tom Halpin  
Dave Hipp  
Pangborn Hall

## Christian duty involves helping, not judging

Dear Editor:

This is in response to Frederick Everett's letter concerning the Counseline's tape dealing with lesbianism. After reading his comments and listening to the tape ourselves, we find a few of his basic premises wrong.

First of all, just because Notre Dame/Saint Mary's is a Catholic community does not mean that all of the individuals attending these schools are Catholic. This mistaken belief is the basis of the majority of Everett's argument. They simply say that it is wrong to practice homosexuality. This is also said about heterosexual premarital sex and all intercourse using an artificial contraceptive.

Second, although the speaker says that she personally does not feel lesbianism is immoral, the tape stresses the viewpoint that no individual can tell another what is right or wrong. It is your own choice.

Finally, three-quarters of the tape deals with raising the homosexual's self-esteem. It is not promoting lesbianism. Contrary to Everett's interpretation of the tape's message as "if it feels good, do it," the tape says to do what

feels best for you, emotionally and physically.

Homosexuals are not freaks. They need our understanding, not the pig-headed condemnation Everett displays. After all, our Christian duty is to help, not to judge.

Toni Rutherford  
Lorri Wright  
Saint Mary's College

## Tom Mowle's pining is not unprecedented

Dear Editor:

Tom Mowle pines in his anxiety over meatless Fridays, but he does not pine alone. Every year, someone takes up the cudgel anew on our behalf, to construct a rationale with a twist for students to be served meat during Lent. This year, we have been counseled of our "right to sin."

It is unclear to me whether Mowle really believes that breaking the abstinence constitutes a sin since he obfuscates this point with his charming humor. But, in case he does, I should be interested to know whether he claims a right to expect the dining halls to abet us in sin. Perhaps he will spare the space in one of his columns to instruct us in more subtle detail regarding this right - how one ought to exercise it and so on. It certainly would make captivating reading. Until then, I continue to wonder why this ancient Church discipline causes so many people such great anguish.

I fail to understand how any mature adult could find such major difficulties in such a minor inconvenience. Mowle, for example, seems to take it for granted that the administration has foul play in mind by adhering to this church canon. His point of view is not unique, of course (although his delightful article, with such merry little arguments, has provided me with more entertaining reading than anyone else's), but it is one that I have never quite understood.

His suggestion that the administration's enforcement of the abstinence is designed to keep the students immature is so positively breathtaking that it transcends my ability to formulate a civilized response. As for the charge of "religious discrimination," I have never known an open-minded non-Catholic who claimed to suffer from Catholic chauvinism simply because the dining halls failed the abstinence rule as Mowle feels, then I might respectfully request, for the peace of those of us who are able to tolerate it, that they find some way to break it if they simply must but to break it noiselessly.

Richard Flint  
Notre Dame graduate student

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## What stands between you... and the doors to law school?

**Andi Schnuck**  
features staff writer

As students put the finishing touches on spring break plans, one can tell that spring is around the corner. Soon, the main concerns will be room picks and summer jobs. But, for juniors interested in attending law school, some thought ought to be given to starting the application process.

Although procrastination comes in all shapes and sizes in a student's life, the search for good law schools to apply to should not be put off until the last minute. Even spring of one's junior year is not too early to begin asking professors for recommendations - the earlier the better.

By the time junior year rolls around, you *hopefully* have an idea of what you'd like to be doing after you graduate from Notre Dame. Law school is an option that can launch a student toward one of a variety of professions, not necessarily practicing law. Only one-third of those who graduate from law school go on to practice law.

Notre Dame graduates do fairly well in comparison with the national averages of their peers applying to law school. This has been attributed to the solid liberal arts background that the University provides.

This year, national statistics from the Law School Admissions Service reports that 66 percent of those taking the Law School Admissions Test (LSAT, an aptitude test for law school applicants) received a 34 percentile ranking on a scale with a high score of 48. Also worth noting is the national mean GPA of those tested - 3.2.

A Pre-Law Action Report states that Notre Dame produced a total of 505 candidates for law school in 1984, with an average GPA of 3.2 and an average LSAT score of 34.22.

According to current trends, Notre Dame students have fared slightly lower than the national mark set in the school year begin-

ning in 1984. The LSAT percentile dropped to 33.5 while the GPA remained constant at 3.2.

Of the 110 students taking the exam, 39 were taking it for the second time. Twenty-seven of those who retook the test this past fall bettered their previous scores by an average of 3.21 additional points.

Most Notre Dame students considering law school apply to 5 or more schools to increase the chances of being accepted by a



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good school. Over one-half of the graduates who applied last year were accepted by at least one of their choices.

Some students considering law school often change their minds because they believe that since they are not Arts and Letters, they will not have the right background for law. This is not the case.

Law Schools do not look specifically for a *pre-law* major. Instead, they seek someone with a strong literate background who can cope with the heavy load of reading and analyzing that law school entails.

English and philosophy in one's curriculum are helpful. This is not to say that science or engineering majors aren't going to make it in law. They actually might do very well because of the logical nature of scientific work.

Although the actual application

process will not begin until senior year, juniors can get a headstart on their competition for admission spots by sending for law school bulletins and catalogs over the summer. This allows enough time to sift through all the information and find the schools that best meet the student's needs.

Along with the busy work of collecting information, time should be spent seriously considering the reasons behind your desire to go to law school. What is really motivating you to head in that direction? Have you always wanted to be a lawyer? Are you simply trying to make your parents happy? Will it

help you in the career you desire?

Law school is a very important step in one's future. The expense and work involved are only worthwhile if it's what you want to do. Other alternatives such as grad school or training programs may better suit your career plans.

Juniors may want to begin looking for professors who will be good personal references for applications. Professors you know well or those who taught classes you did well in are good places to begin. Provide the professor with an opportunity to get to know you. Ask him or her for an appointment before you ask for a recommendation.

Richard Yao, author of "Packaging: Your Key to the Top Law Schools," recommends self-evaluation as a good starting point for those interested in law school.



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*The pretentious doors of the law school may spark a fleeting curiosity as to what lies beyond and furthermore, what it would take to be a student of law. At left, a view of the law library and in the lower left corner, two students apparently "camped out" and working diligently.*

"Smart applicants will start collecting recommendations and will cultivate professors who are potential recommenders early on," says Yao. "It's not a decision to be made in the last semester in college."

Among the self-help books available for those interested in applying to law school, "Packaging" encourages students to emphasize their strong points and boost the weak points. Keying in on extracurriculars will help those with a lackluster GPA or LSAT score.

Yao strongly recommends that time and care be put into the personal statement - this will be a key factor in a law school's decision on your application.

Another aid in the preparation for law school are Stanley H. Kaplan Educational Centers across the country which offer courses designed to prepare you for the LSAT, as well as other major aptitude tests. They offer a fairly intense program consisting of classroom instruction, tapes and homework, all with a format similar to that of the LSAT.

"We have good figures on our students for the LSAT," says a Kaplan representative. Kaplan boasts a 36.5 average score for its

students on the LSAT as compared to the national average of 30.5. She adds that 32 percent of those who take the test over again after participating in the Kaplan course raise their scores by 8 whole points.

Obviously, actually taking the LSAT is a vital step in the process of applying to law school. As seen in the Kaplan statistics, preparation prior to the test seems to indicate a higher score.

Craig Douglass, a senior from Keenan Hall, advises applicants to law schools to take time and put some effort into the applications. "You're selling yourself in your application," says Douglass, "so you should try to make it say the most good about yourself." He also recommends that you have someone professional, such as a professor, look over the application to make sure it's done right.

Another suggestion Douglass makes is to make sure you apply to several schools on different levels, with different reputations. "Apply to a school you're sure to get into, a couple of decent schools, and one that you don't think you really can get into."

The old saying - "Why put off 'til tomorrow what you can do today?" can apply to anything. But if we want to designate it as a motto for all those considering law school, it requires a little revision - namely, "Why put off 'til tomorrow what you *should* do today?" As the application process is long and involved, a head start can only better the chances of it being a process with satisfying results.

## Moot Court — experiencing law

**Margaret McCabe**  
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"A lot of people want to be lawyers - but they really don't know what law school is like and they're surprised when they get there," says Christina Smith, one of 160 first-year law students who have been working for the last month and a half as participants in Moot Court, an annual event that winds to a close tonight with final oral presentations.

Perhaps defining "Moot Court" is the best way to eliminate the element of surprise that may arise as a first-year law student opens his or her "Moot Court Survival Handbook." The definition of Moot Court, as found in Black's Law Dictionary, happens to be the first sentence of the introduction to the Moot Court handbook: "a court held (normally in law schools) for the arguing of moot or hypothetical cases."

Moot Court is also the name of a course required of first-year law students (not only at Notre Dame, but at most major law

schools across the country) in the students' second semester. According to Professor Terry Phelps, director and coordinator of Moot Court, when most people hear "court" they think "trial." Moot Court, however, involves appellate cases, cases that have already been decided but are now being appealed. Thus, students must analyze a court record and appeal the decision as a real attorney would appeal a case. Arguments will not focus on what the law is, but how it has been applied.

Students paired off into teams, and each team represented either the appellant or the appellee in a given case. There were 20 cases assigned (each case assigned twice) which were of a criminal or civil nature.

How should students regard their cases? The handbook makes itself perfectly clear - "This case is your first professional assignment. For this reason you will be treated like professionals and expected to

produce professional work."

Each team must present a written brief representing the pair's best effort at a legal analysis of the case. This gives judges a chance to pick up any weaknesses in the argument before it is presented orally in a simulated courtroom.

When a case is presented in the "courtroom," all is in order. Three judges, comprised of an upperclassman, a professor and an attorney from South Bend, will each be addressed as "your honor." A court clerk will keep track of time. And, for the very first time, students will be addressed as "counselor."

"The judges are tough," says Smith, "they play devil's advocates to force students to think quick on their feet." Smith adds that the judges represent the *real* opposition, much more than the opposing side.

Apparently, what students learn from Moot Court cannot be found in books. "Students sit in class and *learn* criminal law, tort, contracts, procedures and so on," says Phelps. "Moot Court is their first chance to *experience* what it is like to be a lawyer."



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# Baron contributes to academic success of players

*Editor's Note: Today The Observer continues its series profiling the assistant coaches of the Notre Dame men's basketball team. Assistant Jim Baron is third in the series, which will conclude tomorrow with a look at Don Casey.*

**By NICK SCHRANTZ**  
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's basketball program has earned a solid reputation nationwide based on its fine performance on the court and its excellent record in the classroom. Notre Dame assistant coach Jim Baron contributes strongly to the Irish in both areas.

Baron returns to Notre Dame for his fourth season as a part-time assistant. Because of a NCAA rule, the part-time label detains him from any on-the-road recruiting. Otherwise, he performs the same functions as the other Irish assistant coaches.

The most amazing record of the Notre Dame basketball program comes from the fact that during Head Coach Digger Phelps' 13-year career here all of his players have received their degrees. Part of this success must be credited to Baron and his work with the Irish players.

"I work with Coach Mike DeCicco (academic advisor) and the players on their academics," Baron states. "I keep in touch with the academic of-

fic and the players in order to check on their progress."

Despite stressing academics, Baron's basketball experience gives him a solid knowledge of the game.

Baron graduated from St. Bonaventure University in 1977, where he started for three years. The playmaking guard led the team in assists twice, and in his senior year he co-captained the 1977 team that won the National Invitational Tournament.

After graduation, Baron served as head basketball coach at Aquinas Institute in Rochester, New York. In the following three years he worked

as an assistant coach at the University of Rochester, Loyola College in Baltimore, and finally returning to St. Bonaventure for the 1980-81 season.

Following a year as an assistant at his alma mater, Baron moved to his present position at Notre Dame.

After eight years in the coaching field, the Brooklyn, N.Y., native looks forward to a long career in basketball.

"Basketball has been very good to me, and in turn I want to teach to others what I learned," Baron explains. "Through all of this you can also learn a lot about life."

Baron obviously enjoys his current role, but he still has several goals for his basketball future.

"I would love to be a head coach some day and have my own program," he says. "The first step would be to become a full-time assistant so I can get on the road and recruit, and thus get all the experiences of coaching."

Baron believes that his years at Notre Dame have taught him plenty, and the experience will prove valuable later.

"It's been great learning from Coach Phelps because he is one of the top coaches in the country and a very good tactician," Baron explains. "Notre Dame stresses both academics and basketball, so its been the best situation for me."

In the summers of 1982 and 1983 Baron served as the national coach for the Panamanian national team in the World Games. He heard of the job through Phelps and Father Edmund Joyce, who was a classmate of the archbishop of Panama. This international experience, combined with his collegiate years should give him a fine background to achieve his goal of a head coaching position.

Qualifying for the NCAA Tournament for the first time in four years has proven to be a very exciting time

for the Irish basketball program. For Baron, the NCAA games being played at the ACC have even more significance because his brother Paul leads the team in scoring, as well as assists.

"Paul has done a great job and I'm proud of what he has achieved," Baron says. "His leading the team in assists impresses me because it shows he's an unselfish player. His love for the game serves as a stepping stone for him out of the environment in Brooklyn. Plus, academics are still number one for him."

While success in the NCAA Tournament is number one with Baron this weekend, academics never seem to be slighted. This combination of basketball and academics should soon make Jim Baron a valuable commodity in the basketball coaches' market.



Jim Baron

## Beavers

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"Notre Dame's front line is very active and has good size to it."

The Beavers, who carry an impressive 10-4 road record, also think they're ready to face the heavily-partisan ACC crowd. In fact, Green says, the heat might be on the hometown Irish.

"We love to play on the road. There is not as much expectation from the fans playing on the road," said the Associated Press third-team All-American. "There could be more pressure on Notre Dame playing at home."

Besides the 6-9 Green, third in career scoring and second in career rebounding at Oregon State, the Beavers start a pair of juniors up front, 6-7 forward Tyrone Miller (3.1 ppg, 1.4 rpg) and 6-9 center Steve Woodside (12.9 ppg, 5.1 rpg). Irish center Tim Kempton believes Green and Woodside are the two players Notre Dame must stop to win.

"We feel the strength of their game is the inside people, especially Green and Woodside," the junior center says. "We'll be looking to contain those two."

"At the same time, we feel we need an inside and outside game if we're going to go anywhere in the

NCAAs. We have confidence in our rebounding game. We're going to try to get points on the offensive end and try to get their big people in foul trouble."

Irish sophomore Donald Royal, who has been on an offensive tear of late, will draw the assignment of guarding Green.

"Green is tough to defend," says Notre Dame coach Digger Phelps. "He's so fluid and there are so many ways that he can get open. As much as he goes inside, he can go outside. Plus he's very active around the boards and posts up well. He's one of the top players we've faced all year."

The Notre Dame front line probably won't be at full strength tonight, though. Forward Ken Barlow, the team's second-leading scorer behind David Rivers with a 15.4 point average, still is feeling the effects of strep throat. The illness became public at Monday night's basketball banquet, and Barlow only shot briefly at yesterday's early-evening workout.

He had a 99-degree temperature yesterday, after it had been 102 the day before. Soreness remained in his throat last night, and it won't be determined until sometime today whether he can play against the Beavers.

But don't expect the game to hinge entirely on the battle up front. Oregon State's backcourt isn't all that bad. Like Notre Dame, the Beavers start a freshman guard in Eric Knox. And while Knox may not be to Oregon State what Rivers is to Notre Dame, he does aid the Beaver cause significantly, chipping in 7.2 points a game.

Paired with Knox is 6-3 junior Darryl Flowers, the Oregon State playmaker. Flowers is the team's third-leading scorer behind Green and Woodside with 10 points a game.

"Their guards really compliment their front line," Phelps says.

By the same token, Oregon State will have to contend with the backcourt of Notre Dame, especially David Rivers, who himself was an honorable mention AP All-American. But, although Rivers is Notre Dame's leading scorer at 16.6 points game, Miller sees a weakness there.

"We know he's the key to their situation," the veteran coach says, "but he doesn't present any special problems for us. I was noticing where he shoots just over 40 percent a game. It will be important to keep him on the perimeter, and to keep him from penetrating and dishing off the ball."

Should Oregon State be successful in that task, Rivers won't be penetrating and dishing off the ball for Notre Dame until sometime in late November. If he is, though, the Irish will move ahead in a tournament, as they did one year ago tonight by beating Old Dominion at the ACC in the first round of the NIT.

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**An interhall lacrosse league** is being formed by NVA. The deadline for entries is Monday, April 8. For more information, call the NVA office at 239-6100. - *The Observer*

# Tennis

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all but one have seen collegiate competition prior to this year.

Heading the list is junior Susie Panther, who plays at the number one singles spot. Panther, a native of Prairie Village, Kan., had a sensational season last year as she ran off a 34-8 mark in the top singles slot. Her aggressive play over the past two seasons has allowed her to accumulate the best winning percentage (.784) in combined singles and doubles play in Notre Dame history. Thus far on the season, Panther is 9-1 overall, with an undefeated fall season and a 2-1 mark in the spring.

Also vital for the Irish in singles competition is junior Mary Colligan, who survived some off-season lineup shuffling by Petro to find herself in the number two slot. Colligan tallied a 25-11 record at the number-three singles slot last season, and has carved out a 2-1 mark so far in the spring after winning 12 matches in the fall. Colligan is also an excellent doubles player, as she teams with senior Lisa LaFratta in the number-two doubles slot. Colligan, who lost

her fine doubles partner of a year ago, Pam Fischette, to graduation, has blended in well with LaFratta to post a 3-0 mark on the new season.

LaFratta, a senior from Richmond, Virginia, and a co-captain of the squad, plays also at the number-three singles slot. She won 26 matches last year, and has been stellar so far this year with a 3-0 record.

At the number-four singles slot is freshman Michelle Dasso. Dasso, who comes to Notre Dame ranked 98th in the nation from her home in Sunnyside, Wash., has compiled a 3-0 slate in singles to go with her identical 3-0 slate on the number-three doubles team with Cathy Schnell.

Also vital elements to the squad are senior Laura Lee, sophomore JoAnne Biafore, and junior Isobel O'Brien. Lee will be counted on this year in doubles, as she teams with Panther in the number one spot. Biafore and O'Brien, meanwhile, are holding down the fifth and sixth singles slots respectively, and have compiled a combined 4-0 record this season.

These positions and pairings, however, are subject to change as the season progresses and as the needs of the squad change.

# Tourney

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how they handled their first-round games," says Danch. "It's just a matter of being organized."

Organization also meant a lot to Lou Scanna, a technical manager for CBS. "We had to be concerned with the number of cameras, tape machines, and graphics machines," says Scanna, explaining that, unlike Saturday's games, today's games are an NCAA production as opposed to a CBS production. CBS was hired by the NCAA to provide facilities for today's games, which are being broadcast live nationally by ESPN. CBS then will take full rein for Saturday's games.

So putting on a major production such as this requires input from all angles. In the end, thousands of tickets will have been taken, a bevy of programs and releases will have found their way throughout the arena, a steady succession of television waves will have carried the games to viewers across the country, concessions will have been made and then sold, and two teams will have survived through the media blitz to come out on top.

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MICHELLE T., MICHELLE M., SUE,  
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SEASON EVER! YOU GIRLS ARE TER-  
RIFIC! (AND YOUR LEGS AREN'T BAD  
EITHER) WELL P.S. YOU -- LOVE,  
JAN AND PATTI P. SPECIAL THANKS  
TO JOHN FOR ALL HIS HELP!

ORA-HONEY, YOU WERE  
"ELECTRA"FYING!! LOVE FROM  
YOUR KEENAN FRIENDS WHO "WANT  
TO KNOW WHAT LOVE IS."

TO THE GIRLS EATING LUNCH IN C-  
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ANYONE COULD LOVE CARROTS SO  
MUCH

HEY ROACH, GOING DOWN TO MIAMI  
TO SEE IF YOU CAN GET GOOSE  
AGAIN? I STILL THINK SHE WAS  
AFTER YOUR WALLET... SKELLY

KIM & CHRIS, Thanks for putting me up.  
You're real saints. Have fun on break. NIC

Nick G.-- J'espere que vous aurez un bon  
temps a Montana. Take lots of pictures.

Q. Why did no Morrissey guys run for class  
of '88 office? A. Because freshmen rep.  
Tony Simon is a pillar of ineptitude.

THE DISCIPLES OF DOLAN  
congratulate Jimmy for being voted  
BEST DEFENSIVE PLAYER OF THE  
YEAR.

Keep up the good work, big guy!

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Love, Sugar Bear

BAPPY BIRTHDAY ERINI!... from the  
one who dares to be different... Hope  
your 20th is the best. Get psyched for 10  
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ley girl has figured out who is sending the  
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KATIE AUSTRALIA! If you were a temple  
I'd be a hun, wear something transparent to  
dinner, you might as well I do worse  
things in my dre @ms. --Indiana Gordon

I think I won this round--THE RETARD

PROFESSOR HIGHLAND: NOW THAT  
CLASSES HAVE RESUMED, WHAT  
ARE YOU GOING TO TEACH ME? IF  
THE COURSE IS AN ELECTIVE, I  
CHOOSE " I WANT TO KNOW WHAT  
LOVE IS " --400 LEVEL, OF COURSE.  
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DENT. (ME-PAL)

DEAR SANDRA DEE AND DEBBIE, I  
wanted to wish you both a FANTASTIC  
St. Patrick's Day! Drink a few for me, be-  
cause I'm sure hard drinking isn't on the  
agenda in Coldwater, Michigan. You're  
both really...adequate roommates (just  
teasing!). See ya! Maureen

TROY ILLIG: I'm so glad that we are fi-  
nally on the same wavelength. You don't  
know how long I've been waiting for this.  
Believe me, the feeling is mutual. Please  
reply at your nearest convenience. Love  
and kissees, SEXXY

Beats Grace for title

# OC takes hockey championship

By KEVIN HERBERT  
Sports Writer

Day in and day out, Off Campus continually proved itself to be the class of interhall hockey this year.

Off Campus brought its unblemished season to a close Tuesday night when it defeated Grace, 3-2, in overtime to capture the interhall hockey championship.

The top two teams in each division earned the right to participate in post-season play. In the Corrigan division, Alumni claimed the divisional crown with a record of 5-0-1. Pangborn claimed the runner-up position with a 4-0-2 mark.

These two teams were able to outdistance Stanford (4-2), Zahn (3-2-1), Sorin (2-4), Carroll (1-5) and Fisher (0-6).

In the Krause division, Off-Campus got off to a great start and was never surpassed, although it was equaled.

Both Off Campus and Grace claimed the top spot with identical, undefeated records of 5-0-2.

Close behind the front-runners was Holy Cross/St. Ed's, posting a

record of 4-1-2. Finishing in a two-way tie for fourth were Cavanaugh/Howard and Dillon (3-3-1). Rounding out the Krause division were Flanner (1-6) and forfeit-plagued Keenan (0-7).

In the first round of the playoffs, Off Campus handed Pangborn its first defeat of the year by a score of 3-0. In the other postseason square-off, Grace defeated Alumni 8-0.

This set the stage for the second meeting between the two Krause division powerhouses. Tuesday night in the ACC, Off Campus and Grace met to decide who would be crowned interhall champion.

In the first half, each team was able to put pressure on the opposing defenses. Despite this pressure, and despite each squad hitting its opponent's goalpost with the puck, neither team was able to score a goal in the half.

The outstanding goaltending continued for each team in the early part of the second half as Off Campus' goalie Pete Berry and Grace' goaltender Pat Chura proved equally stingy.

Midway through the second half,

however, the scoreless tie was broken when Off Campus' Bill Smith was able to beat Chura and give his team the early 1-0 advantage.

This lead did not last long, however, as Grace came right back to tie the game at one.

With around six minutes remaining in regulation time, Off Campus was once again able to take the lead when Dave Hooster scored the go-ahead goal.

Grace was able to tie the game on a fluke goal with less than five minutes remaining. The puck bounced off of an Off Campus defender, behind Pete Berry, and into the net. The game was tied at two.

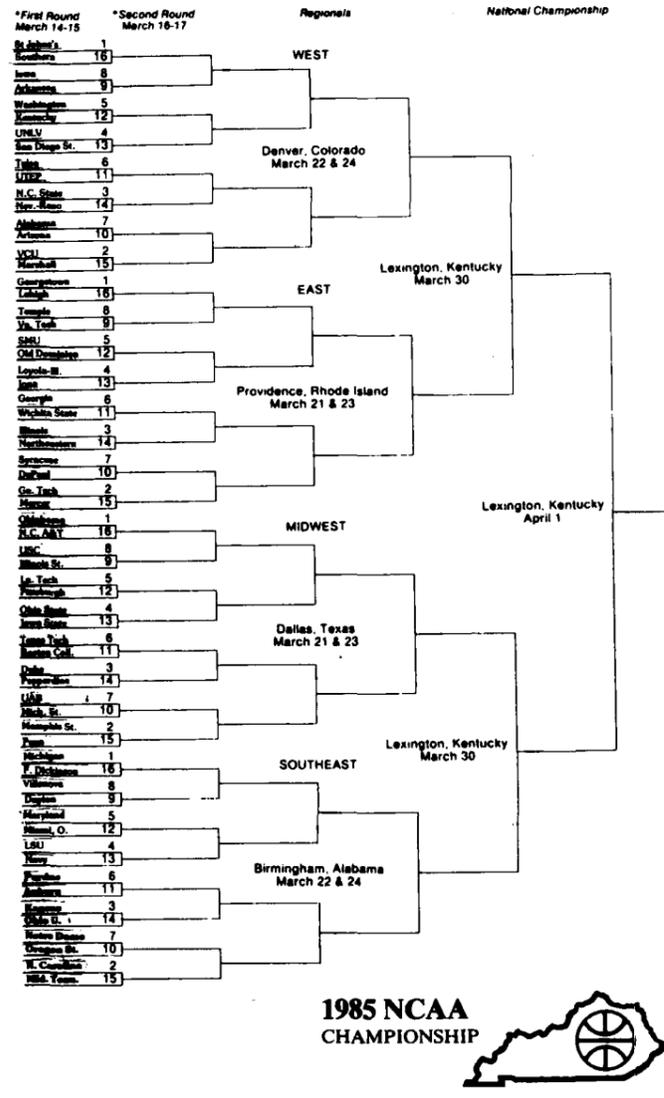
That is the way the score remained until the end of regulation time. This forced the game into sudden death to decide the interhall hockey league champion.

With three minutes remaining in overtime, a Grace team member wound up and blasted a slapshot towards the Off Campus' goal. Unfortunately for Grace, the shot never got to the net, it was blocked by Off-Campus defenseman John Dunn. Dunn then quickly shuffled the puck to John Leary as Off Campus streaked towards the Grace goal on a three-on-one breakaway.

Leary stick-handled the puck very well into the Grace defensive zone where he fed Ed Sullivan who was all alone, Sullivan then capitalized on the opportunity, sending the puck behind Chura to give Off Campus the interhall hockey championship by a score of 3-2.

Alumni ended the year, playoffs included, with a record of 5-0-1. Pangborn was 4-1-2, Grace was 6-1-2, and Off Campus ended its championship season with an unblemished mark of 7-0-2, the best record in interhall hockey.

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# KANSAS JAYHAWKS VS. OHIO U. BOBCATS

(12:07 p.m.)

## Ohio University

- Location: Athens, Ohio.
- Enrollment: 14,930
- Colors: Green and White
- Nickname: Bobcats
- Conference: Mid-American

### Personnel:

#### Probable Starters are:

- Henry Smith; Fr., forward, 6-5, 210 lbs., 3.6 ppg, 3.9 rpg.
- Eddie Hicks; Sr., forward, 6-6, 205 lbs., 9.9 ppg, 6.7 rpg.
- Richard Stanfel; So., center, 6-10, 245 lbs., 2.4 ppg, 3.4 rpg.
- Paul Baron; Jr., guard, 6-3, 185 lbs., 9.3 ppg, 3.9 rpg.
- Robert Tatum; Jr., guard, 6-0, 185 lbs., 15.3 ppg, 2.5 rpg.

#### Top substitutes are:

- Vic Alexander; Sr., forward, 6-7, 240 lbs.
- John Rhodes; Fr., center, 6-9, 230 lbs.
- Eddie Washington; Sr., forward, 6-3, 195 lbs.
- Rick Scarberry; Sr., guard, 6-3, 175 lbs.

•Strengths and weaknesses: Defense is probably the Bobcats' biggest strength, and it is one that they have worked hard to perfect because of their lack of size. The key to their defensive game is quickness and variation.

"We're a very simple team," says Ohio coach Danny Nee. "The nucleus of our whole game is defense. We use multiple defenses, we press, we play man-to-man, and zone.

"Offensively, we have a couple of explosive players in Robert Tatum and Vic Alexander (Alexander, recovering from a knee injury, is not expected to start.) Paul Baron is our leading assist man. We're not an explosive team as far as putting points on the board; we're more a spurt-type team. But we are very sound defensively."

•Coaching staff: Nee, in his fifth year as head coach at Ohio, has restored a winning tradition with three straight 20-victory seasons. He is no stranger to Notre Dame, as he spent four years here as an assistant coach, from 1976-80, assisting on four 20-game winners. In his five years at Ohio, Nee has a 85-58 record for a winning percentage of .594.

Both of Nee's assistants, Billy Hahn and Fran Fraschilla, have been with the team for four years.

•How they got here: Nee calls his players "blue-collar workers," guys that roll up their sleeves and do what they have to do to get the job done. Adversity is what made them that way, and they have had plenty of it. Early injuries to Tatum and Alexander forced Nee to go to his bench, and players like Smith and Scarberry responded. Ohio reeled off 11 straight wins at one point and rolled into the MAC Tournament with an NCAA bid as its goal. Wins over Kent State and Miami of Ohio clinched the tournament championship and gave the Bobcats their NCAA bid. They finished the year at 22-7 overall, 14-4 in the MAC.

•Post-season experience: The last NCAA bid for Ohio was in 1983, when Nee's Bobcats beat Illinois State, 51-49, before falling to Kentucky, 57-40. Before that, you have to go back to 1974 to find a Bobcat team in the NAAs. But Nee is undaunted by his team's lack of experience.

"The things we've done all year are the same things that we'll have to do in the tournament," he says. "It all starts with good solid defense."



Larry Brown  
Kansas head coach



Danny Nee  
Ohio head coach

## University of Kansas

- Location: Lawrence, Kan.
- Enrollment: 25,400
- Colors: Crimson and Blue
- Nickname: Jayhawks
- Conference: Big Eight

### Personnel:

#### Probable Starters are:

- Danny Manning; Fr., forward, 6-11, 205 lbs., 15.0 ppg, 7.6 rpg.
- Ron Kellogg; Jr., 6-5, 190 lbs., 17.8 ppg, 5.0 rpg.
- Greg Dreiling; Jr., center, 7-1, 240 lbs., 13.6 ppg, 6.9 rpg.
- Cedric Hunter; So., guard, 6-0, 180 lbs., 6.7 ppg, 2.4 rpg.
- Calvin Thompson; Jr., guard, 6-6, 205 lbs., 13.5 ppg, 4.7 rpg.

#### Top substitutes are:

- Milton Newton; Fr., guard, 6-4, 195 lbs.
- Mark Turgeon; So., guard, 5-10, 150 lbs.
- Tad Boyle; Sr., guard, 6-4, 180 lbs.

•Strengths and weaknesses: One of Kansas' biggest strengths is its size across the front line - particularly Dreiling and Manning, who usually have kept the Jayhawks in control on the boards. Strong rebounding has, in turn, keyed Kansas' transition game. The Jayhawks are a team that likes to run and score a lot of points; they averaged better than 76 points per game this year, and four starters average better than 13 points per contest. Kellogg and Manning are the keys to the offense, along with point guard Hunter, the team's assist leader with 137.

Defense hasn't been one of Kansas' strong suits this season, but its wide-open style of play is a big reason why it gives up 70 points per outing. The key to beating the Jayhawks is slowing down the tempo of the game and forcing them into halfcourt situations.

According to Kansas coach Larry Brown, one of the Jayhawks' big problems has been maturity; not just that their roster includes seven freshmen, but in light of the team's overall chemistry. The Jayhawks have not been as unified a team as Brown would like.

"It's been a trying year, one of my most difficult in coaching," Brown says. "But we've won 25 games with a young team. Still, I would rather we had done a better job learning to care about each other off the court."

•Coaching staff: Brown, in his fourth season as a major college head coach, is only the sixth full-time coach in Kansas history. He was the head coach at UCLA for two years (1979-81), where he compiled a record of 44-17. Each of Brown's four collegiate teams have won at least 20 games and gained an NCAA tourney berth.

On the pro level, Brown has nine years of experience, including four years in the NBA, where three of his teams won at least 44 games in a season. In short, Brown is one of the best in the game. He is knowledgeable and experienced, and knows how to win - in 13 years of pro and college coaching, he has never had a team finish below .500.

Assistant coaches Bob Hill, Ed Manning and John Calipari add further knowledge and experience to the staff. Hill is in eighth season at KU, while Manning is a former collegiate and pro player. Calipari coaches the Jayhawks' junior varsity team. Graduate assistants R.C. Buford and Tom Butler complete the staff.

•How they got here: With such a dominance of youth on his roster, Brown suggested it would be a "season of ups and downs," and his prediction proved true. Kansas struggled early in the conference, but then went on a tear, winning five straight Big Eight games. Late-season losses to Missouri and Iowa State forced the Jayhawks into second place, however, where they finished the regular season. Their record stands at 25-7, 11-3 in the conference. A loss to Iowa State in the opening round of the Big Eight Tournament prevented Kansas from improving its ranking.

•Post-season experience: The fourth-winningest program in collegiate history, Kansas has been a mainstay in the NCAA tournament. The Jayhawks have appeared in the tourney 15 times, and KU is seventh in all-time tournament victories with 23. The Jayhawks have been to the Final Four six times.

In last year's tourney, Kansas nipped Alcorn State, 57-56, before falling to Wake Forest, 69-59.

## Middle Tennessee State University

- Location: Murfreesboro, Tenn.
- Enrollment: 11,250
- Colors: Navy Blue and White
- Nickname: Blue Raiders
- Conference: Ohio Valley

### Personnel:

#### Probable starters are:

- Kerry Hammonds; Fr., forward, 6-7, 225 lbs., 14.0 ppg, 8.0 rpg.
- Kim Cooksey; Jr., forward, 6-3, 175 lbs., 17.4 ppg, 4.8 rpg.
- Lonnie Thompson; Sr., swingman, 6-4, 195 lbs., 13.1 ppg, 5.3 rpg.
- James Johnson; Jr., guard, 6-5, 200 lbs., 5.8 ppg, 1.21 assists.
- Billy Miller; So., center, 6-8, 225 lbs., 3.9 ppg, 3.0 rpg.

#### Top substitutes are:

- Russell Smith; Sr., forward, 6-7, 196 lbs.
- Al Holland; Jr., center, 6-8, 220 lbs.
- Greg Stevenson; Fr., guard, 6-3, 170 lbs.
- Neil Murray; Fr., guard, 5-11, 115 lbs.

•Strengths and Weaknesses: One of Middle Tennessee's greatest strengths lies in its solid outside shooting. Cooksey and Thompson, although not blessed with great size, own excellent outside jump shots. "Cooksey and Thompson certainly can shoot the ball," says North Carolina head coach Dean Smith, whose Tar Heels will face the Blue Raiders tonight. "We better have a hand in their faces."

The Blue Raiders also have a very talented player in Smith coming off the bench. An All-Ohio Valley Conference pick last year and a starter for the first part of the year, Smith now comes off the bench to give the Blue Raiders help in the middle. "Smith, the all-conference forward, isn't starting now," says Smith. "And that's strange, because he can come off the bench and hurt you."

The Blue Raiders lack height, however. Going up against the huge front line of the Tar Heels, this deficiency will be especially

noticeable. As far as playing a slow-down game against the Tar Heels goes, Blue Raider Head coach Bruce Stewart doesn't feel he has the players to pull it off successfully. "We just don't have a quick point guard to be able to stall away a game," he says. "A coach always will do what he can to win a game, but you won't see a 2-0 game."

•Coaching staff: Head coach Bruce Stewart is in his first season at Middle Tennessee after compiling a 64-9 record in two years at Wesleyan. Before that, the 31-year old Stewart took Volunteer State Junior College to the national junior college tournament. Although young, Stewart is considered an up-and-coming coach. A very hard worker, he has been able to transform last year's 11-16 club into this season's 17-13 Ohio Valley Conference champion, gaining an NCAA tournament bid in the process.

•How they got here: Before the season, Blue Raider fans were unsure of the potential of the Middle Tennessee squad. The team had a new coach, Stewart, and eight new players. Four newcomers were freshmen, while the other four were junior college transfers. While most Middle Tennessee State followers did not know what the season would bring, Stewart was confident. "By the middle of February or so," said Stewart at the beginning of the season, "we're going to be the one team in the Ohio Valley Conference that other teams want to play the least." The Blue Raiders proved him correct when they upset Murray State, Tennessee Tech and Youngstown State to take the OVC title and gain a berth in the NAAs.

•Post-season experience: Middle Tennessee is probably best remembered as the team that upset Kentucky in the 1982 NCAA tournament - the victory termed the "Miracle of Murfreesboro." But the Blue Raiders finished with losing records each of the last two seasons, and so few, if any, of the players have appeared in post-season action. Playing North Carolina in the NCAA tournament would tend to make any team nervous, whether or not any of the players had post-season action under their belts. It remains to be seen whether Stewart can keep his players loose tonight as they meet the highly-favored Tar Heels.

MIDDLE TENNESSEE VS NORTH CAROLINA

(7:07 p.m.)

# AUBURN TIGERS VS. PURDUE BOILERS

## Purdue University

- Location: West Lafayette, Ind.
- Enrollment: 31,457
- Colors: Old Gold and Black
- Nickname: Boilermakers
- Conference: Big Ten

### Personnel:

Probable starters are:

*Mark Atkinson*; Sr., forward, 6-8, 197 lbs., 7.8 ppg, 5.1 rpg.  
*Todd Mitchell*; Fr., forward, 6-7, 199 lbs., 7.1 ppg, 4.4 rpg.  
*James Bullock*; Sr., center, 6-6, 215 lbs., 14.2 ppg, 6.4 rpg.  
*Troy Lewis*; Fr., guard, 6-4, 185 lbs., 10.1 ppg, 1.9 rpg.  
*Steve Reid*; Sr., guard, 5-9, 175 lbs., 12.5 ppg, 2.1 rpg.

Top substitutes are:

*Mack Gaddis*; Jr., guard, 6-1, 178 lbs.  
*Robert Littlejohn*; Jr., center, 6-9, 207 lbs.

•**Strengths and weaknesses:** The most noticeable strength on this Purdue squad is its experience. The Boilermakers are led by its three seniors, Atkinson, Bullock and Reid. The three veterans started all 28 games for Purdue in the regular season, and Bullock and Reid have led the team in scoring with their double-figure averages. Reid also has dished off 166 assists over the course of the season.

"I think any team that has scoring forwards has a chance to win at any level," Purdue coach Gene Keady says. He also stresses the defensive skills of his seniors. Bullock usually does a good job guarding opponents' big men, and Atkinson takes care of the shooting guard or forward.

Purdue is able to play the fast game and the slow-tempo game equally well, according to Keady. Like most Big Ten teams, the Boilermakers like to play the physical game when they get a chance. Their size, however, could be a factor that limits their ability to push people around in the tournament. Lack of size also has kept Purdue fairly even with its opponents on the boards.

•**Coaching staff:** Head coach Gene Keady is in his fifth year at the helm for the Boilermakers. He has compiled an 82-41 record at Purdue, following two years at Western Kentucky, where he was 38-19. Keady has coached three teams to the NCAA tournament and has taken two to the NIT.

Keady has two full-time assistants, Bruce Weber, who is in his fifth year as a Purdue coach, and Paul Curtis, who is in his third year with the Boilermakers. Part-time assistant Tony Branch and graduate assistant Kevin Stalling round out the staff.

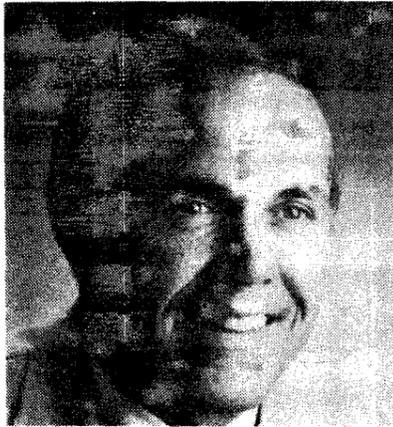
"Our staff is very compatible," Keady says. "It really has been a happy basketball family."

•**How they got here:** The Boilermakers have a 20-8 record coming into the tournament. They won 12 of 16 games at home and went 11-7 in the Big Ten. Purdue has won its last two games, and won as many as seven in a row during the regular season. The Boilermakers have outscored their opponents by an average of five points a game.

•**Post-season experience:** Purdue has played in post-season tournaments in 11 of the last 16 years. The Boilermakers played in the NCAAs each of the last two years, winning two games in 1983 and falling, 66-48, in the first round to Memphis State last season.

"I think since we were in (the tournament) last year, we know sort of what it's about," Atkinson says. "Hopefully, that will help us in the stretch."

## (2:37 p.m.)



**Gene Keady**  
Purdue head coach



**Sonny Smith**  
Auburn head coach

## Auburn University

- Location: Auburn, Ala.
- Enrollment: 18,600
- Colors: Burnt Orange and Navy Blue
- Nickname: Tigers
- Conference: Southeastern

### Personnel:

Probable starters are:

*Chuck Person*; Jr., forward, 6-8, 215 lbs., 22.3 ppg, 9.0 rpg.  
*Jeff Moore*; Fr., forward, 6-7, 220 lbs., 8.6 ppg, 7.3 rpg.  
*Chris Morris*; Fr., center, 6-7, 185 lbs., 10.3 ppg, 4.7 rpg.  
*Frank Ford*; So., guard, 6-4, 210 lbs., 11.1 ppg, 4.7 rpg.  
*Gerald White* So., guard, 6-1, 175 lbs., 8.0 ppg, 2.5 rpg.

Top substitutes are:

*Carey Holland*; Sr., forward/center, 6-7, 230 lbs.  
*Terrance Howard*; Fr., guard, 6-1, 165 lbs.  
*Johnny Lynn*; Fr., guard, 6-2, 170 lbs.

•**Strengths and weaknesses:** "Basically what we are is a very young basketball team that matured late," Tigers head coach Sonny Smith says. Auburn starts two freshmen, two sophomores and a junior, and there is only one senior on the squad. The young players definitely have been on a roll lately, though, which gives them a boost coming into the tournament. But if they run out of gas now, they could be in trouble.

It was defense that won the Southeastern Athletic Conference tournament for the Tigers. The team's depth is limited. "We have one great player," Smith says, "and some very good role players." That great player is Chuck Person, the oldest starter, who leads the team with his 22.3 points and nine rebounds a game.

The Tigers will have to overcome some internal weaknesses if they are to be victorious in the tournament. Auburn does not have a particularly big or quick team, in the assessment of its head coach. He also says that he is concerned about the Tigers' lack of experience and the trouble they have executing the offense.

Smith also claims, however, that Auburn has shot over 50 percent in its last 13 games. In addition, his bench, which was inconsistent at the beginning of the season, has come on strong to help the team in recent weeks.

If the Tigers continue to get solid play from their thin, young bench, they may succeed, but Smith says he is concerned that his team might be worn out after its four Southeastern Conference tournament games. "We dressed out a guy called Emotional High for about four straight days," Smith says, "but I don't know if Emotional made the trip."

•**Coaching staff:** Smith, who is called Sonny by his players (out of respect, he says), announced his retirement at midseason. He said that he had completed what he had come to do at Auburn. His accomplishments in seven years there include a 103-99 record and two consecutive NCAA tournament bids. Smith previously compiled a record of 30-23 in two years at East Tennessee State.

Smith is assisted by Tevester Anderson, in his fourth year at Auburn, Mack McCarthy, in his seventh year at Auburn and 10th with Smith, and first-year coach Lawrence Johnson.

•**How they got here:** The Tigers surprised many people by "maturing," as Smith says, late in the season and winning the Southeastern Conference tournament. Auburn ended the season with a 20-11 record, despite a schedule that was rated by the NCAA computer as the second-toughest non-conference schedule in the country and the fourth-toughest overall. The Tigers were 8-10 in the SEC, and they now are riding a five-game winning streak.

•**Post-season experience:** Last year was Auburn's first appearance in post-season play other than the SEC tournament. The Tigers were upset by Richmond, 72-71, in the first round.

If the Tigers can continue to play as they did in the Southeastern Conference tournament and if their hero, Emotional High, is on their side, Auburn could make it to Round Two for the first time in its history.

## University of North Carolina

- Location: Chapel Hill, N.C.
- Enrollment: 21,757
- Colors: Carolina Blue and White
- Nickname: Tar Heels
- Conference: Atlantic Coast

### Personnel:

Probable starters are:

*Brad Daugherty*; Jr., center, 6-11, 240 lbs., 17.3 ppg, 9.6 rpg.  
*Joe Wolf*; So., forward, 6-10, 235 lbs., 9.1 ppg, 5.0 rpg.  
*Dave Popson*; So., forward, 6-10, 210 lbs., 6.2 ppg, 2.5 rpg.  
*Steve Hale*; Jr., guard, 6-3, 180 lbs., 10.8 ppg, 166 assists.  
*Kenny Smith*; So., guard, 6-3, 165 lbs., 12.5 ppg, 212 assists.

Top substitutes are:

*Warren Martin*; Jr., center, 6-11 1/2, 240 lbs.  
*Curtis Hunter*; So., swingman, 6-4 1/2, 193 lbs.  
*Buzz Peterson*; Sr., guard, 6-5, 180 lbs.  
*Ranzino Smith*; Fr., guard, 6-1, 189 lbs.

•**Strengths and Weaknesses:** North Carolina's greatest asset is its size. The Tar Heels have the luxury of four players who stand 6-10 or taller. "You can make jokes all you want about their height," says Middle Tennessee State head coach Bruce Stewart, "but when they toss the ball up, we'll have to deal with it." Three of the four are often in the game at any one time, giving the Tar Heels the ability to overpower many teams inside. Daugherty, an All-Atlantic Coast Conference selection, has come on lately, averaging 17.5 ppg and 10.4 rpg in his last 13 games.

The Tar Heels also benefit greatly from point guard Smith's playmaking ability. A second team All-ACC selection, Smith leads the team with his 212 assists. An excellent transition player, Smith has been able to master North Carolina's patterned offense as well.

But aside from the speedy Smith, the Tar Heels lack the quickness that has marked North Carolina teams of recent years.

•**Coaching staff:** No preview of the Tar Heels would be complete without mentioning Dean Smith. Considered one of the best, if not the best, coaches in the nation, Smith is making his eleventh straight NCAA appearance with the Tar Heels. This season perhaps has shown the true coaching talent of Smith. Although most people did not expect the Tar Heels to perform well after the loss of Michael Jordan, Sam Perkins, and Matt Doherty, Smith has produced an excellent squad that tied for first in the ACC during the regular season, and lost to Georgia Tech by three points in the conference tournament. Smith holds a 28-15 record in NCAA tournament play.

•**How they got here:** The Tar Heels started the season as a team that appeared suspect on paper. Many experts picked North Carolina to drop from the heights of the ACC after the loss of Jordan, Perkins and Doherty. So the Tar Heels quickly went out and proved the "experts" wrong by finishing first in the ACC, extending a streak that has seen North Carolina finish either first or second in the conference for each of the last 19 years.

The Tar Heels started the season with eight straight wins. "Before the season even started, people really had written us off," says Daugherty. "We all felt that we had a little to prove to ourselves and others." Except for a few minor slumps in the middle of the season, the Tar Heels continued to play excellent basketball, ending up the season 24-8 and seventh-ranked in the nation after the close loss to Georgia Tech in the ACC finals.

•**Post-season experience:** Although Dean Smith and the North Carolina basketball program will appear for the eleventh straight time in the NCAA tournament, the present players do not have much post-season experience. Kenny Smith and Daugherty are the only starters back from last year's NCAA tournament squad, while Hale, Peterson, Popson and Wolf also saw some playing time. But last year, all of them were members of a supporting cast for a team on which Jordan and Perkins starred. In this year's NCAA tournament, they will be asked to carry the load by themselves, something they have done very well all season. It remains to be seen if they can continue this performance in the tournament.



**Dean Smith**  
UNC head coach

Plays in Baltimore over break

# ND lacrosse looks to defend title

By MIKE SULLIVAN  
Sports Editor

Best in the Midwest. That title sounded so nice to the Notre Dame lacrosse team last season when it put on a late-season spurt to capture the Midwest Lacrosse Association championship, a feat that gave the Irish a legitimate claim to being the best lacrosse team west of the Appalachians.

But what was nice a year ago means trouble this season as Rich O'Leary's Notre Dame squad tries to adjust to its unfamiliar position as King of the Hill. Despite the fact that the Irish lost little to graduation, they realize that every other team in the conference will be aiming to knock them off their perch.

"We didn't lose much from last year's team and, because we ended so strong, we gained a lot of confidence," says O'Leary, who begins his fifth year as Notre Dame coach. "Still, we realize that everyone will be shooting for us. We had some close games which we were very fortunate to win last year, so we know we have to work even harder this year."

The 1985 lacrosse team has one major advantage over past teams, though, and that is namely experience. For the first time, O'Leary will not have to rely on freshmen to fill in gaps in the starting lineup. With 19 letterwinners returning, the Irish will be able to field an entire team of players with two or more years of experience.

"All the experience really makes me feel good," says O'Leary. "We don't have gaps that we have to fill with the freshmen, so we don't have to throw them in before they're really ready."

Notre Dame will need all its experience when it opens the 1985 season over break with four games in Baltimore, a place where lacrosse enjoys huge popularity. The team will take on Vermont (March 18) and Duke (March 20), before taking part in the Loyola (Md.) Tournament on the weekend of March 23-24. Loyola, Delaware and New Hampshire also are in the tourney field.

Each of the Eastern opponents, especially the teams in the Loyola tournament, will present the Irish with some tough competition. Not only have most of them already started their seasons, but they also have one major advantage over Notre Dame - they grant scholarships.

In the past, the Irish have had some problems with their Eastern opponents, even though they do fare well against the Midwestern part of the schedule. Three years ago, for instance, Notre Dame played in the Loyola Tournament and was destroyed by the host team, 27-10.

However, the Irish have improved a great deal each year and O'Leary hopes his squad can earn some respect in the East with a good showing during the trip.

"Whatever impact we're going to have on a national level is going to happen during this trip," says O'Leary. "We'd like to have a good showing in the East and show people what we're doing with our program."

"Still, our main goal is to win the conference and I'd like to do it a little easier this time. We're capable of beating everyone, and we can have a very successful season by doing just that."

Whether the Irish actually do beat everyone in the MLA will rely, in a large part, on the play of senior co-captains Bob Trocchi and Justin Shay. Trocchi, an attackman, was Notre Dame's leading scorer last year with 36 goals and 12 assists, including the game-winner in an 11-10 win over Michigan State that gave the Irish the MLA title. The Sudbury, Mass., native should become Notre Dame's all-time scoring leader despite playing only three seasons with the Irish.

Shay, on the other hand, will be part of the starting defensive unit for the fourth straight season. He has been first-team All-Midwest for the past two years and is considered, as is Trocchi, as a bonafide all-America candidate.

Trocchi and Shay will lead a team that has plenty of experienced players and talented newcomers, some of whom will contribute almost immediately.

Nowhere is this more evident than in the attack where Trocchi is joined on the first unit by junior Joe Franklin, the second-leading scorer on the team last year (21 goals, 12 assists) and senior Kevin Rooney (5 goals, 1 assist). These three will be backed up by some unfamiliar faces in sophomores John McLachlan, Jim Shields and Kevin Cullinan, and freshman Frank O'Brien.

McLachlan, who did not play last season, has been especially effective in the preseason practices and is expected to play a major role at either attack or midfield despite his small 5-5 stature.

"John is an amazing little player," says O'Leary. "He has extremely good stick protection and is in the best condition on the team. He should really help us out."

There are plenty of familiar faces among the midfielders, but some of the veterans are going to have to pick up the slack caused by the graduation losses of Steve Pearsall, Mike Quinn and Kevin Smith.

The leadership most likely will come from one of the first two lines, which are manned by experienced players. Juniors Mark Steranka and Tom Grote, and senior John Wilson will be looked to to provide some

scoring punch in order to take some of the scoring pressure off the attack. They will be backed up by Joe Hart, Tim Corrigan and Dave O'Brien on the second line, while freshmen John Burtis, John McNicholas and Tom Lanahan wait in the wings. Juniors Tony Rettino and Bob Carillo will handle the faceoff duties.

On the defensive end of the field, Shay will be joined by junior Mike Rice and sophomore Wally Stack. Converted midfielder Dwayne Hicks, Randy McDonald, Ed Phillips and Steve Cloud will provide some depth.

The goalkeeping duties are once again in the capable hands of Rob Simpson, a senior who has started since he was a freshman. Last year he stopped an impressive 70 percent of the opponents' shots and has been even more impressive in practice. Another freshman, Matt McQuillan, will serve as his backup.

"I think we have a very balanced team," explains O'Leary. "The first few games are going to be very difficult, and I am worried that if we play poorly, it might carry over. But I don't want to play teams just to get a win. By playing better teams, we can learn from what they're doing and be better for it when we play the conference teams."

"I'm not worried about getting into the NCAA's right now, so we don't need wins when we play tough teams. We can lose and gain lots of valuable experience."

**IRISH ITEMS** - Notre Dame's home and MLA opener will be Wednesday, March 27, when Lake Forest visits Cartier Field for a 3:30 p.m. game.



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The Irish lacrosse team will undoubtedly benefit this year from the leadership of senior co-captain Justin Shay, a starter in Notre Dame's defensive unit for the fourth straight year and an all-America candidate. Mike Sullivan previews the season, which begins next week, at left.




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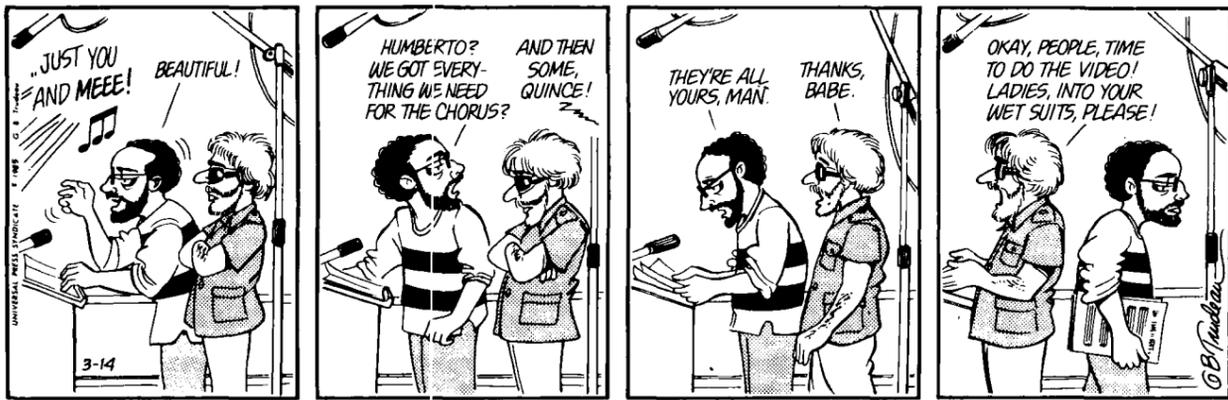
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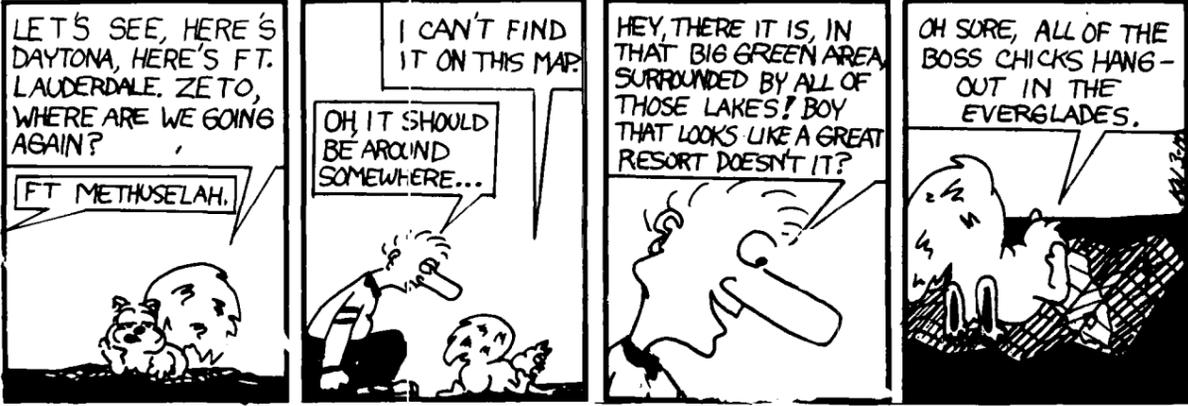
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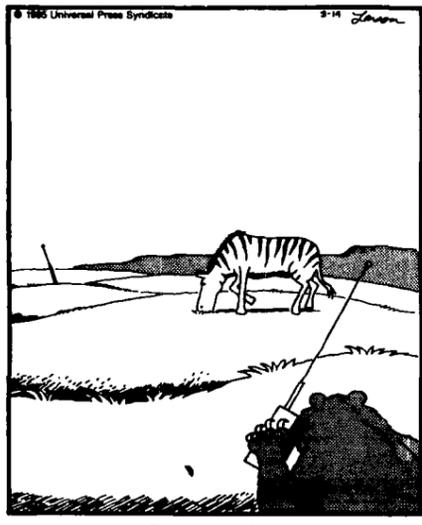


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- 7, 9 & 11 p.m. - Film, "And Now For Something Completely Different," Engineering Auditorium, Sponsored by Student Activities Board, \$1.
- 7 - 9:30 p.m. - Ice Skating Party, ACC Ice Rink, \$1, Proceeds go to ND Millions Against MS.
- 7:30 p.m. - Lecture, "What is Art?" Colqr, Prof. Harold Zisla, IUSB, Annenberg Auditorium.
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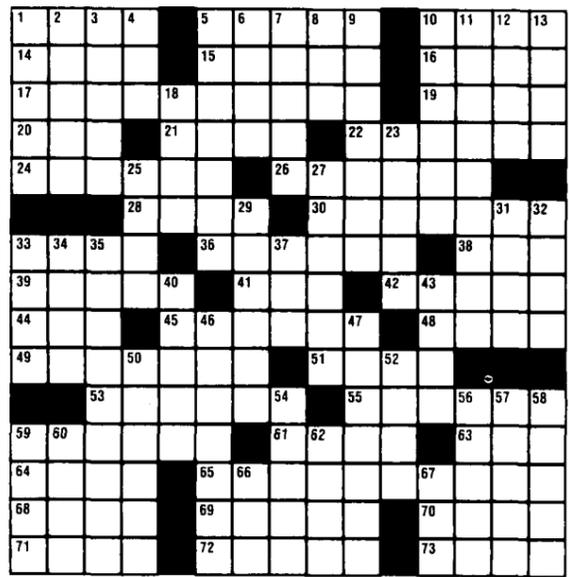
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- 7:00 p.m. 16 M\*A\*S\*H  
22 Three's Company  
28 Jeopardy
- 7:30 p.m. 16 Barney Miller 2  
22 WKRP in Cincinnati  
28 Wheel of Fortune
- 8:00 p.m. 16 Bill Cosby Show  
22 Magnum, PI  
28 Movie  
34 In Search of Excellence
- 8:30 p.m. 16 Family Ties
- 9:00 p.m. 16 Cheers  
22 The 11th Annual People's Choice Awards
- 9:30 p.m. 16 Night Court
- 10:00 p.m. 16 Hill Street Blues  
28 20/20  
34 A Passion for Excellence: An Evening With Tom Peters
- 11:00 p.m. 16 NewsCenter 16  
22 22 Eyewitness News  
28 Newswatch 28  
34 Body Electric
- 11:30 p.m. 16 Tonight Show  
22 NCAA Playoffs  
28 ABC News Nightline  
34 Movie - Dark Journey
- 12:00 a.m. 28 Love Connection
- 12:30 a.m. 16 Late Night With David Letterman

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## Irish begin their second season against Beavers

### Oregon State looking to pound the boards in first-round game at ACC

By **JEFF BLUMB**  
Assistant Sports Editor

One year ago today, the Notre Dame basketball team began a two-week journey to the finals of the National Invitation Tournament. Tonight, the Irish hope to begin a similar trip, only this time in the NCAA Tournament, when they face Oregon State at 9:37 in the ACC. For those without tickets, the game will be telecast live on WNDU-TV (Ch. 16).

The Beavers come to South Bend after closing out a 22-8 season last Saturday with

Oregon State head coach Ralph Miller. "We are not deep, and you lose the edge in conditioning and for game time preparation. We've been relying on five or six players and I felt the fatigue factor hurt us. I think we are coming back now, however."

Fatigue has cut into the Oregon State style of play lately. Known for their 40-minute pressing defense, the Beavers were forced to move away from that against USC. The same may be true tonight.

"I don't think we've quite recovered," Miller says. "We may be somewhat conservative in the first half with the press. But our philosophy has always been to slow the break before it gets momentum; we're not going to take that out of our game."

Expect tonight's match-up to be a battle under the boards. Notre Dame ranks ninth in the NCAA with a plus-7.7 rebounding differential and will attempt to take advantage of its strength underneath. Oregon State thinks it is ready to face up to the challenge.

"I know we'll have to be more aggressive with them and use our own muscle," says A.C. Green, Oregon State's leading scorer and rebounder at 18.8 and 9.1, respectively. "I know myself. I plan to be more aggressive."

"Our goal will be to keep them off the boards," adds Miller, who has spent 15 years at Oregon State and 33 years at the college level.

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The Irish may be without the services of junior forward Ken Barlow when they take on Oregon State tonight at 9:37 in an NCAA Tournament first-round contest.

Barlow, the team's second-leading scorer, has been bothered by strep throat and practiced only lightly yesterday.

### 1985 NCAA CHAMPIONSHIP



60-58 overtime win at USC. Third-place finishers in the Pac-10 with a 12-6 record, Oregon State began the season by rolling up 15 victories in its first 16 games, reaching as high as 10th in the Associated Press poll.

But as the season wore on, injuries and fatigue took control, and the Beavers could manage only a 7-7 record over the season's final 14 games. A lack of depth didn't help the situation much.

"Our problems stemmed from all the nicking-type injuries we had in January," says

## Tourney is a major happening for Notre Dame

By **MARC RAMIREZ**  
Sports Writer

A few days ago, the Notre Dame Athletic and Convocation Center was practically empty. Today, it will be a carefully planned, well-orchestrated machine housing approximately 12,000 persons as the NCAA Southeast Regional gets underway with four first-round contests.

Yesterday afternoon the tense, electric atmosphere of tournament conditions had begun to set in, as the pieces of the preparation puzzle fell into place. Table after table was set up, row upon row; TV cameras were placed into proper position; members of the press procured credentials and observed the festive application of last-minute touches; and curious fans bearing caps and T-shirts of their

favorite teams watched players practicing on a court bordered by NCAA decor.

In the ACC Monogram Room, places were set for a special luncheon and dinner. In the Office of Sports Information, meticulously timed schedules were ironed over and reservations verified. Outside of this inner world, fans with tickets prepared themselves for the likes of North Carolina, Kansas, Auburn and Oregon State. And, of course, Notre Dame.

It is a major happening.

"We're used to big-time events here," says Mike Danch, ACC general manager. "However, life doesn't just stop because of the NCAA Tournament. The biggest obstacle we've confronted has been to schedule the tournament around everything else."

Six games in three days can be quite a problem to schedule around the likes of P.E. classes

and practice-space availability for spring sports teams. But it was accomplished with a little planning, and the result is two-game sessions today with hour-long breaks in between. "That gives our crews time to clean the place out and make it ready for the second session. It's going to make for a very long day, but we knew that when we put in our bid more than a year ago."

The long days began for the Office of Sports Information several days ago. "We had to try to prepare for the onslaught of phone calls which we knew we'd receive," says Associate Sports Information Director John Heisler, "as well as make sure everyone had hotel space, and that we had a place for press conferences and a working press room."

Press headquarters for the approximately 260 members of the media who are in town was set up at the South Bend Holiday Inn.

Thirty phone lines instead of the usual 10 were allocated for press purposes. Press releases were produced by the dozen to keep the media informed.

"More than anything, we've just had to let people know what's going on, keep things organized and ready to go," Heisler says.

Although today signals the third time that Notre Dame has hosted NCAA post-season tournament games, this experience is somewhat different. "Before, we've hosted tournaments with only four teams playing," notes Heisler. "But this time it's double that. We've never had eight teams at a site."

"This is precedent-setting. There's nothing to fall back on."

But there are other examples to learn from, and Marquette University was studied "to see

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The Observer/File Photo

Lisa LaFratta, senior co-captain of the Notre Dame women's tennis team, had a solid season last year, posting 26 from the second singles spot, while also nabbing seven wins in doubles play. Her 3-0 record this season has helped the Irish win their first three matches of the spring.

## ND women's tennis team starts '85 well by winning first three matches

By **MARTY BURNS**  
Sports Writer

While the excitement generated among the Notre Dame student body over the long-awaited arrival of springtime has been intense, it cannot compare to the excitement felt by the Notre Dame women's tennis team as it embarked last week upon its seven-week spring schedule.

The anticipation can be understood, for Irish Head Coach Sharon Petro and her tennis squads have finished third in NCAA Division II tennis the past two years. With eight players returning from last year's 25-5 team, and with the experience of the past two NCAA tournaments, it should be an even stronger force this season.

"I think we have improved," says Petro, "and it has really shown so far."

"Our goal this year is to win the national championship. But we can't afford to let down and just wait until the end to start working. This is the

toughest schedule we have ever played, and the majority of the teams we play are Division I schools."

So far on the young season, the seventh-year coach has had no reason to worry. Notre Dame posted a perfect 5-0 dual match record in the fall, good for a North Star Conference championship, and it has won convincingly its first three matches in the spring, against Big-10 teams from Purdue, Iowa, and Ohio State.

"I was very pleased with those victories," adds Petro. "We had a good autumn, and it has carried over so far. We beat three Big-10 teams, and they were Division I teams."

The 3-0 Irish now will go back to practice before heading south on Friday to partake in the Florida Southern Tournament on March 20-23. This tournament promises to be another great challenge to the squad, since several of the competing teams are top-flight Division II schools. The Irish will face Southern Illinois-Edwardsville, which finished second in NCAA Division II last year,

as well as Florida Southern, California Poly Pomona, Stetson, Abilene Christian, and Auburn. The tournament also should present to the Irish a chance to experience the type of pressure conditions which they will face later in the season and in the NCAA's.

"This spring tournament is quite important," says Petro. "Six of the teams competing are good Division II teams, and Auburn is a good Division I team."

"Also," continues the Irish mentor, "we will have two matches per day for three days, which is good practice for the NCAA tournament."

Indeed, the practice should come in handy, for Notre Dame certainly has the experience and depth necessary to make the NCAA tournament field. The Irish appear especially strong in the singles lineup, as they boast six talented players, of whom

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