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Canzoniero and Macy win co-chairs in HPC elections

By BEVIN KOVALIK News Writer

The Hall Presidents' Council (HPC) elected new co-chairpersons for the 1993-94 term Tuesday, according to Jason Coyle, HPC co-chair.

Howard Hall President Jackie Macy and Alumni Hall President Chris Canzoniero ran unopposed and won by a unanimous decision, said Coyle.

Effective immediately following spring break, Macy and Canzoniero will replace seniors Coyle and Marianne Ravry as HPC co-chairs.

"I think Chris and Jackie will do a great job serving the student body," Coyle said. "They hope to build on what HPC has already done this year such as funding various speakers and sponsoring the service project to make HPC a more serviceoriented body." HPC consists of a special group of leaders who have the representation and power to do great things at Notre Dame, said Macy. "We hope to use our voice to positively represent the student body and to promote school unity among the dorms."

"I think HPC can be a very powerful force in the school," Canzoniero said. "We really appreciate all Jason and Marianne have done during their term."

The new HPC officers will officially convene at the next HPC meeting March 16. According to Macy, applications will be taken for the positions of executive coordinator and secretary after the break.

In other business, Students For Environmental Action (SEA) will sponsor a campus-wide competition to conserve electricity during the month of see HPC / page 4 By NANCY DUNN News Writer

Wednesday's run-off elections resulted in a decisive winner for the class of 1995 but only a slim margin of victory for the class of 1996.

The Bryan Corbett ticket (65.1%) defeated the Ira Wade ticket (34.9%) in the class of 1995 election. Corbett's ticket also won majorities in 19 out of the 25 dorms. In the class of 1996 race, the Michaela Kendall ticket (51.31%) edged out the Tim Glenister ticket (48.69%) by 27 votes.

"We are really excited that the class showed that much support for us and for our ideas," said newly elected President Bryan Corbett. Corbett also thanked his running mates Vice President Colleen Campbell, Secretary Nick Galassi, and Treasurer Joe Bergan because "without them victory would not have been possible." Campbell also thanked their

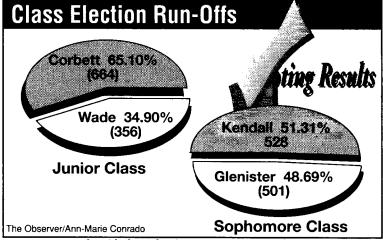


California dreaming

Dreaming of spring vacation, Grace Hall junior James Bukow studies under the Anthony Travel sign in LaFortune Student Center yesterday. During midterms students have all been anticipating spring break.

RHA offices determined

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supporters and said that she is "ready to start planning some fun for the class of 1995."

Run-off names class officers

The winning ticket for the class of 1996 consists of President Kendall, Vice President Sara Ford, Secretary Lauren Aimonette, and Treasurer Marc McDonald.

"We would like to thank everyone who worked on our

campaign, and we are excited for next year," Kendall said.

"This year's elections went very well and were very uneventful," said Andrea Sullivan, election committee co-president. Pete Castelli, judicial counsel president, agreed and added, "I am happy that the candidates participated with such vigor."

GSU names candidates; discusses mail-in ballot

By BRIAN POSNANSKI News Writer

The Graduate Student Union (GSU) announced its candidates for president Wednesday night at its general meeting in the Foster Room of LaFortune Student Center.

Rita Francis, a graduate student in the department of biochemistry, and Ed Wingenbach, a student in the government department, entered their names into the race for president.

Wingenbach said that graduate students' problems are poorly represented to the university. "I'm sort of fed up with graduate students' interests going along with the administration's," he said. "Nothing ever gets resolved."

The University needs to give more attention to social issues, such as the proposal for a women's resource center, according to Wingenbach.

Francis said she would like to see changes in the structuring of committees and the processing of grants for traveling. She also stressed the quality of life issues such as child care.

There were no nominees for vice president. "In the absence of candidates it will be taken care of by the council," said Ulick Stafford, chair of the GSU Elections, Credentials and Procedures Committee (ECP).

Current President Mike Kelly proposed that students be allowed to write in candidates on the ballots, but his motion was denied.

The announcement of the two candidates follows recent reform in the GSU election process. Instead of running on a double ticket as they did in the past, the positions of president and vice president are now elected separately.

Stafford said he hopes to increase voter participation by attaching a mail-in ballot to the next graduate student newsletter.

Elections will occur on March 18.

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By MARY MURPHY
News Writerdecades to form a conference
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for the release of political pris-

in Saint Mary's election

By JENNIFER HABRYCH Assistant News Editor

Tricia Wallace, Isabel Wagner, Anne Homan, Hedi Fuhr and Shelly Gagen won yesterday's Residence Hall Association (RHA) elections for president, vice president, treasurer and secretary and National Communications Coordinator, respectively.

All candidates with the exception of president ran unopposed with approximately 21 percent of on-campus students voting, according to 1992-93 RHA President Karen Fordham.

Wallace received 69.6 percent of the vote for president, Beth Goodwin 28 percent of the vote and 2.4 percent of those voting abstained.

Wagner earned 91.9 percent of the vote for vice president,

with 8.1 percent of those voting abstaining.

Homan received 93.1 percent of the vote for treasurer, with 6.9 percent abstaining.

Fuhr earned 91.1 percent of the vote for secretary, with 8.9 abstained.

Gagen received 81.9 percent of the vote for National Communications Coordinator, with 18.1 percent abstaining.

The four candidates who won president, vice president, treasurer and secretary campaigned together as a ticket.

"We want to let people know about RHA and what it does," said Wallace. "The parietals changes are just one thing RHA can do. They have a lot of power, we just have to work with residents to let them know about RHA and what it can do."

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The Commission for Security and Cooperation in Europe (C.S.C.E.) is an international governmental human rights organization and a vital force in today's political arena according to Erika Schlager, U.S. delegate to diplomatic democracy to C.S.C.E..

The C.S.C.E., also known as the Helsinki Process, is a cold war product created in 1954 to legitimize post war division in Europe, said Schlager. Its membership includes the countries most vulnerable to destabilization.

In his lecture titled "The Helsinki Process and the Future of Human Rights in Europe" Schlager said, "It [C.S.C.E.] is organized as an ongoing process which provides the best potential framework."

The C.S.C.E. took two

decades to form a conference due to opposition by Western countries because the U. S. and the Federal Republic of Germany feared the commission would divide NATO and Western and Eastern Germany. Ironically, the C.S.C.E. has created unity rather than division, Schlager said.

The founding of the conference was also slowed down because some western countries saw contradictions between the conference's concentration on security concerns and human rights.

The first meeting was held in 1975 in Helsinki, Finland and included 35 leaders from Europe, North America and the Soviet Union. These leaders focused on subjects ranging from military security, to the environment, to human rights, Schlager said.

The Helsinki meeting was a rallying point for the oppressed

of Europe and paved the way for the release of political prisoners, free and fair elections, the unification of Germany and free flow of information across borders, according to Schlager.

"The unification of Germany symbolized the unification of the entire continent," Schlager said.

The C.S.C.E. met for a second time in 1990 to acknowledge pivotal events which they had catalyzed. Leaders recounted the relatively bloodless revolutions and lack of return to communist totalitarianism.

It was a "welcoming of the new Europe and a rejecting of the old," Schlager said.

A second purpose of the 1990 meeting was to recommend new regulations for the conference. Due to evolving needs in post Cold War Europe, the C.S.C.E. added standing offices in Prague, Vienna, and Warsaw.

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INSIDE COLUMN

Look back at your past with an eye on your future

"Where I was born and where and how I have lived is unimportant. It is what I have done with where I have been that should be of interest."—Georgia O'Keeffe



These words from Georgia O'Keeffe may not seem all that relevant to_

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a generation that is just coming of age. The undergrads of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's aren't really all that far along that vivacious continuum of time between our births and imminent deaths often called "life."

Ever get to wondering what it's all about? By the time we graduate, most of us will have spent at least 20 percent of our lives in South Bend. Of the rest, another 20 percent was spent dinking around during high school. The remaining 60 percent, we probably don't remember that much, unless some childhood memories are jarred free by Bill Rosemann in "Sucking the Marrow of Life."

According to O'Keeffe, the standard by which she wished to measured was what she did with her life. That question faces us as what are we going to do with our lives.

Many seniors have been slapped in the face by this question, but it's one we've asked many times before. How many of us wanted to be a firefighter back in the first grade?

Reconciliation with the question of what we want to do with our lives is only partially made with the selection of an occupation. Who we are and who we are going to be are other big questions that confront us in college. Being at a Catholic college presents us with guidance, but also with problems in this formation of our personhood.

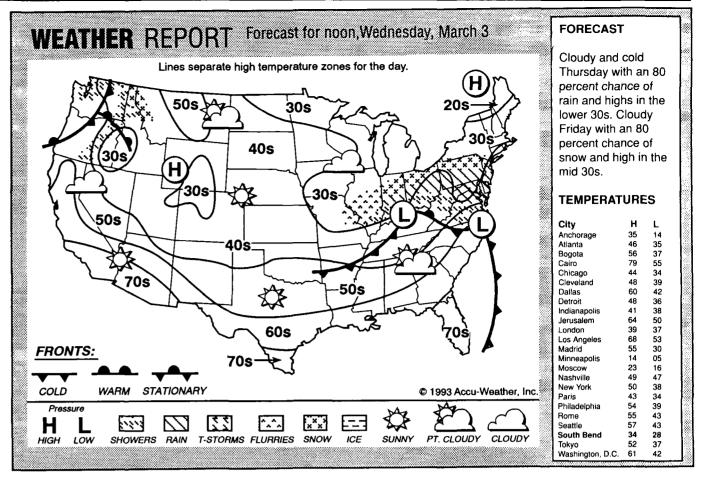
The omnipresent "they" say that "you learn something new every day." I will not dispute that, but only conclude that our formation of personhood will never reach completion.

The meaning of life is not hidden in this column. It may or may not be found in the movie "City Slickers," when the cowboy holds a finger in the air while explaining the meaning of life to Billy Crystal. It may or may not be found in the tomes of philosophical discourse absorbed and chewed on daily.

Kierkegaard suggests that "Life can only be understood backwards; but it must be lived forwards." This sounds obvious enough, but in the normal course of human life, the only thing we learn from the past is that we don't learn from it.

O'Keeffe may have undervalued the importance of the past on our lives, but is correct in asserting that the past is not what we should be judged for, or by. It is what we are doing now and what we plan to do in the future; hopefully using the things we have learned in the past 20 percent. Chances are good that most of what we apply is stuff we learned but not from a text or lecture, but from the experiences we encountered.

As we journey together forward towards the day our last glimpse of the Dome is in the rearview mirror, we should start this process of understanding life through looking backward



TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD

Socialists' cultural policies assailed

PARIS — Graffiti on display at museums. Statesubsidized rap music. Condoms dispensed at high schools. In his 12 years in office, Culture Minister Jack Lang has redefined French culture, flouting tradition and mixing high brow with low. He has financed fashion and haute cuisine, cinema and rock 'n' roll, symphony and the circus. French conservatives will be doing their best to undo his legacy after the legislative elections this month, which they seem assured of winning. Conservatives believe Lang has trivialized culture and pandered to the lowest common denominator. Plagued by numerous scandals and high unemployment, the Socialists' support has fallen to about 20 percent of the population, according to polls leading up to the March 21 legislative elections.

NATIONAL

UAW threatens to strike Kansas plant

DETROIT — The United Auto Workers union has warned Ford Motor Co. it may go on strike at a plant in Kansas City that builds some of the automaker's bestselling trucks. The strike notice means that unless its grievances are settled by midnight Saturday, the union could call a walkout of the 4,000 workers. The strike threat is the first at a Ford plant since 1986, UAW spokesman Karl Mantyla said Tuesday. The plant builds the Ford Tempo-Mercury Topaz and F-series pickup trucks. The union said there are more than 80 grievances, chief among them Ford's plan to eliminate 55 jobs by sending seat-cushion work to an outside supplier. Ford spokesman Bert Serre said that issue is not basis for a legal strike. Separately, a strike by 2,100 workers at a Ford assembly plant in northern Mexico continued for a second day Tuesday in a dispute over wages. The workers earn about \$2 an hour.

vacuum-packed bags of marijuana that began washing ashore last week. Since Feb. 23 authorities have found more than 140 pounds on the beach, and they seized 20 pounds more from a man who apparently got there first. "It's awfully hard telling where this came from," Police Chief Kevin Clayton said Tuesday. He said investigators aren't even sure in which direction the marijuana was heading — out of or toward Alaska. The state has a significant marijuana crop. Police in Cordova were tipped off to the illegal flotsam by a caller who said a man in town had come upon a large quantity of marijuana and was trying to sell it. The police chief put the street value of the marijuana at about \$780,000. He said nearly all of the bags were still watertight. "I sure would like to know what kind of vacuum sealer they used. I could save myself a lot of fish with one of those," he said.

CAMPUS

Faccenda receives excellence award ■NOTRE DAME- Philip Faccenda,

■NOTRE DAME- Philip Faccenda, assistant vice president and general counsel of the University of Notre Dame, has received the 1993 Award for Excellence in Legal Practice from St. Ignatius College Prep, Chicago's oldest preparatory school. Faccenda, a 1947 St. Ignatius graduate, accepted



the award at a luncheon February 26, at Chicago's Midland Hotel. St. Ignatius was the forerunner to Chicago's Loyola University, from which Faccenda received his law degree. He graduated from Notre Dame in 1951 with a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering. Faccenda became Notre Dame's general counsel in 1970 and also has served as a University trustee and vice president for student affairs. A former president of the Notre Dame Alumni Association, he joined the University administration as a special assistant to the president in 1967, during the

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Professors named to foreign programs

Special to The Observer

Alain Toumayan, associate professor of romance languages and literatures at Notre Dame, has been named director of the University's Angers Program in France, and Cathleen Cowhey, a Saint Mary's alumna, has been named the new director of the Innsbruck University's Program, according to Isabel Charles, associate provost and director of International Study Programs.

The appointments last two years beginning in the Fall 1993 semester. The Angers Program was founded in 1966 Centre the part of as International D'Etude Francaises (CIDEF) at the campus of L'Universite Catholique de L'Ouest (CATHO). During the current academic year 31 Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students are enrolled in the Angers Program.

Toumayan received his undergraduate education at the University of Pennsylvania and his doctorate from Yale Univer-

sity in 1982. He joined the Notre Dame faculty in 1989 following appointments at Johns Hopkins and Princeton Universities.

A specialist in nineteenth and twentieth century French literatures, Toumayan has authored one book, "La Litterature at La Hantise du Mal," edited a volume of essays, and produced critical articles for journals such as The Romantic Review and Romance Quarterly.

Also an effective teacher and lecturer, Toumayan will succeed Father Gerald Carroll of Longford, Ireland, who has directed the program since 1990.

Cowhey is a former student in the Innsbruck Program who received a master's degree in theater and medieval history from Ludwig-Maximilians-Universitat in Munich, where she is now completing doctoral studies. She also holds an appointment as a visiting faculty member in Notre Dame's department of German and Russian languages and literatures.



Musical melodies

Janet Hilton, a guest artist at the presentation "Master Class," sponsored by the department of music yesterday, coaches a student from Western Michigan University as he plays the clarinet.

Hand grenade explodes outside of U.S. embassy

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — A hand grenade thrown from a car exploded outside the U.S. Embassy on Wednesday, shattering windows but causing no injuries, a police officer said.

The grenade exploded on the sidewalk, said the officer, who spoke on condition of anonymity. The blast at 10:30 p.m. (4:30 p.m. EST) also damaged the brass plates on the embassy's door. Most of the embassy employees had gone home for the night.

There was no immediate claim of responsibility. Anti-American feelings are

running high in Yugoslavia. Belgrade TV, controlled by hard-line Serbian President Slobodan Milosevic, regularly denounces the United States for allegedly favoring Muslims over Serbs in the fighting in neighboring Bosnia-Herzegovina.

In the past year, weapons of all types have become available in Belgrade, brought by soldiers returning from Bosnia and Croatia. Violent crime has soared and small explosions are a nightly occurrence.

But this was the first time in recent memory the U.S. Embassy had been attacked.

Serbs have also criticized the U.S. airdrop of relief supplies this week to Muslims in eastern Bosnia who have been besieged by Serb rebels.

Police in Zagreb, capital of the former Yugoslav republic of Croatia, defused a bomb left in a briefcase Friday outside the U.S. Embassy to Croatia.





By BRIAN POSNANSKI News Writer

The Health Insurance Subcommittee of the Graduate Student Union (GSU) will meet with University officials March 8, to propose a plan for improved health insurance coverage for married students.

German Echecopar, head of the subcommittee, will propsoe a GSU approved referendum to University officials. "We're looking to find a better way for families to be insured," he said.

GSU's plan involves lowering the cost of coverage as well as expanding coverage for and children. spouses Presently, health insurance coverage for spouses and children is too expensive for most graduate students, Echecopar said.

While coverage for a single student is \$300, covering a family is much more expensive, according to Echecopar.

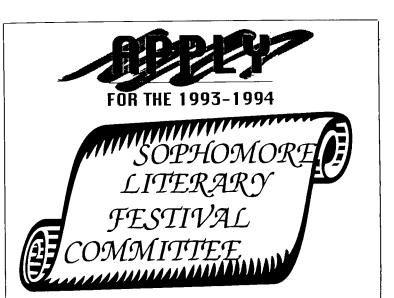
"Three years ago a family of four was insured with \$1,392," he said. "Last year it was ex-actly \$3000." The average graduate student stipend is \$8000.

The referendum has undergone changes. The original plan was to increase health insurance premiums for all graduate students. Projected increase of the premium is between \$50 and \$200.

Echecopar said that this plan was changed for two reasons. He cited first the potential friction between married and unmarried students. The other problem is that if students themselves subsidize insurance coverage, the University might perceive itself as having no responsibility in the matter.

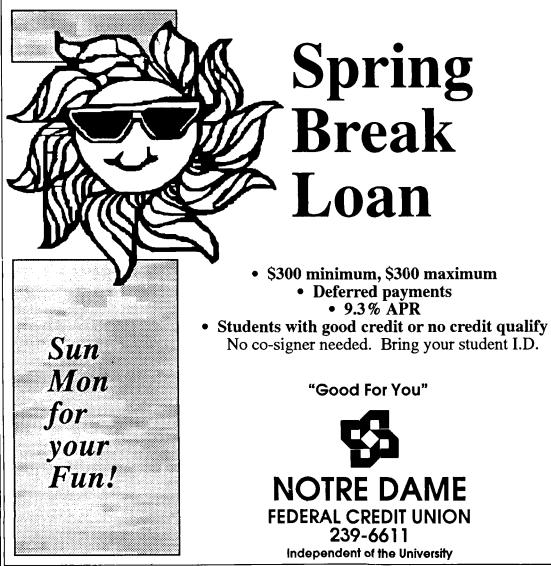
'Many people feel the university should address this issue, not the students," said Echecopar. "We think it should be the University who takes care of it."

Drinking and driving don't mix. Especially during the holidays.



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LAPD policy violated in Rodney King beating

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Three policemen broke Police Department policy by kicking or beating Rodney King after he had fallen, a police official testified Wednesday in the officers' federal trial.

Sgt. Mark Conta, head of physical training and self-defense at the Los Angeles Police Academy, said Officer Laurence Powell should have stopped beating King after his baton blows knocked King to the ground.

"An officer should use only the force that is reasonable and necessary to overcome a sus-

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Wallace said their goals for the upcoming year include the following improvements within the residence halls:

•More hall sponsored events. •An increase in events incorporating the entire campus.

•A floor in each residence hall designated as a senior living area requiring all students living there to be 21 years old by a specified date.

•A campus-wide card access system that would give students access to all halls with one card.

Homan said she looks forward to working with residents next year. "I like living on campus and I want people to stay on campus," said Homan. "By getting involved with RHA I can help improve things so that more people want to stay on campus."

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March, said George Smith, SEA co-president.

In observance of energy conservation month, Smith hopes the competition will motivate students to save electricity in their dorms. According to Smith, the power plant will take the readings of kilowatt usage for each dorm through the month to determine the winner. Smith said the prize has yet to be announced.

"The purpose of the contest is to reduce energy consumption on campus, and to foster awareness which will help to promote good habits for the future when students are living in their own apartments," he said. pect's resistance," Conta said. "Officer Powell was completely outside of LAPD policy."

Powell, who struck King the most times, is on trial along with Officer Theodore Briseno, former officer Timothy Wind and Sgt. Stacey Koon on charges of violating King's civil rights.

The four were acquitted of most charges in a state trial last April, touching off three days of deadly riots in Los Angeles.

Wednesday marked the second anniversary of the beating, which was videotaped by a witness and broadcast

DON'T SPEND AN

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Schlager

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Despite the success of the C.S.C.E., it has faced obstacles in negotiation processes due to the post Cold War breakdown of traditional alliances. An informal network evolved, yet this was not enough, Schlager said.

"The disintegration of the Warsaw Pact removed a critical point of definition for these countries," she said. It also gave "European Community and NATO countries less common ground to stand on."

This obstacle is compounded by the expanding membership of the C.S.C.E.. It has grown from 35 members to 53 because of the recognition of Baltic states and the deunification of the Soviet Union.

"The C.S.C.E. includes every country in Europe except Macedonia," Schlager elaborated.

The C.S.C.E. has become less effective in human rights and the evolution of traditional human rights issues, she said. Schlager defines traditional



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Erika Schlager lectures yesterday on "The Helsinki Process and the Future of Human Rights in Europe" at the Hesburgh Center for International Studies. Schlager is a member of the Commission for Security and Cooperation in Europe.

human rights issues as problems including political prisoners, and prisoners of conscience.

The C.S.C.E. is perilously close to a "conspiracy of silence," Schlager said. Since they do not have the answers to current human rights issues, they have remained silent. "If it is to help, the C.S.C.E. must find its voice...and flesh out the parameters of these issues, " Schlager asserted.

This speech was sponsored by the Joan Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies.





UNITED NATIONS (AP) ---

Ferry accident in Congo; death toll may top 200

BRAZZAVILLE, Congo (AP) — Dozens of victims who drowned in a rush to board a river ferry were buried in mass graves Wednesday. Unconfirmed reports said the death toll may top 200, most of them Zairians ordered expelled by Congo.

Congo. which has set a Friday deadline for illegal immigrants to leave the country, reported 147 people died in the Sunday accident. That would make it one of the world's deadliest river ferry disasters in years.

But a diplomat who visited Brazzaville's main morgue quoted a police officer as saying there were at least 219 victims. Zairian human rights leader Jose Djomoni Demoti put the death toll at 222. Congolese officials announced late Tuesday they were opening an investigation. The death toll reports could not be verified.

Victims of the accident were illegal Zairian immigrants trying to take the ferry across the Congo River to Zaire's capital, Kinshasa, In advance of the Friday deadline.

More than 3,000 Zairians had crowded the port to board the 200-passenger ferry when a gangway collapsed and scores of people fell into the river, police said.

Witnesses and Congo state television accused the captain of the ferry of pulling away from the dock when his boat was rushed. Bosnia's Muslim-led government joined warring Serbs and Croats in accepting a future cease-fire and military withdrawal, taking an important step Wednesday toward peace in the war-torn land. The decision is the biggest

breakthrough in the faltering Yugoslav peace talks since they moved to New York from Geneva last month.

Bosnian Croats and Serbs signed the agreement in January. It is part of an overall peace plan offered by mediators Cyrus Vance and Lord Owen to halt more than a year of ethnic fighting.

But before the cease-fire and withdrawal can take place, the warring parties must agree to the other points of the peace plan: a proposed division of Bosnia into 10 provinces, and arrangements on an interim government and the country's constitutional principles. The three sides have been at odds over the proposed map.

Bosnian Muslims sign agreement

"This brings us one step closer to a political agreement on which a meaningful cease-fire and cessation of hostilities can be based. The missing piece, of course, is agreement on the map," U.N. spokesman Fred Eckhard told reporters.

The agreement signed Wednesday calls for a ceasefire, control of heavy weapons, the rebuilding of infrastructure such as power plants and rail stations and the separation of forces and monitoring of borders.

Bosnian Foreign Minister Haris Silajdzic said his government decided to sign the agreement after receiving assurances that heavy weapons would be placed under U.N. control, one of the Muslim government's main concerns. The Bosnian Muslims had feared Serbs would cheat on the agreement and retain their heavy fire power.

After meeting with Vance and Owen for nearly four hours, Silajdzic announced his government had signed the pact because "considerable U.N. forces could be deployed in Bosnia for purposes of the agreement and to control heavy weapons."

The 15-nation Security Council planned to meet later Wednesday to adopt a statement demanding "immediate action to protect the lives and well-being of the inhabitants of eastern Bosnia," where Serbs are attacking Muslims.

Italy's elite running from spreading scandal

ROME (AP) — The latest highfliers implicated in a spreading scandal are Italy's cement king, a financier who challenged for the America's Cup, a top Fiat executive, and the brother of a former premier. And that is only in the past few weeks.

With the Milan judges' investigations sending tremors down the corridors of power, the government this week rushed to limit the damage before the scandals end "in a cemetery of closed factories and hungry people," in the words of Justice Minister Giovanni Conso.

Conso has recommended that those who confess their guilt and give back the money be permitted to avoid jail or get reduced sentences. The country cannot endure years of drawnout investigations that cast doubt and suspicion on its industry and institutions, Conso said.

Some see this as a whitewash. "The attempt to seek a political solution for the guilty would represent the latest outrage to the conscience and the excessive patience of the Italian people," said Umberto Bossi, leader of the upstart Northern League, the party expected to gain the most from the scandals.

In a country accustomed to scandal, the size and scope of the current one has boggled the mind: Hundreds of millions of dollars kicked back to political parties in exchange for public works contracts, disaster relief stolen or squandered. Nearly 900 people arrested. Italians also have been dazzled by the audacity of Milan judges relentlessly pursuing the country's political and economic elite.

The judges have forced the resignations of two party leaders and three Cabinet ministers. In just the past few weeks they ordered the brief house arrest of Giampero Pesanti, one of the largest cement manufacturers in Europe. Other arrests included Francesco Paolo Mattioli, the No. 3 man at auto giant Fiat.

Raul Gardini, the financier who sponsored Italy's challenge for the America's Cup, was advised that he was under investigation in the sale of a chemical company to a statecontrolled energy group.



ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — The leaders of Afghanistan's two main factions reportedly agreed Wednesday to share power in their shattered homeland for 18 months, then hold elections.

Afghan President Burhanuddin Rabbani and his rival, Gulbuddin Hekmatyar, met for the first time since the Communist governmet fell last April.

Since then, they have battled for control of their homeland. In a struggle for the capital alone, rebel chiefs have rained thousands of rockets on Kabul, killing an estimated 5,000 people, wounding countless more and flattening entire neighborhoods.

Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif of Pakistan called the chiefs of Afghanistan's factions to Islamabad on Monday to try to mediate an end to their bitter feuding.

Pakistan delivered billions of dollars in military assistance —

much of it from the United States — to the groups when they were fighting the Sovietbacked government in Kabul.

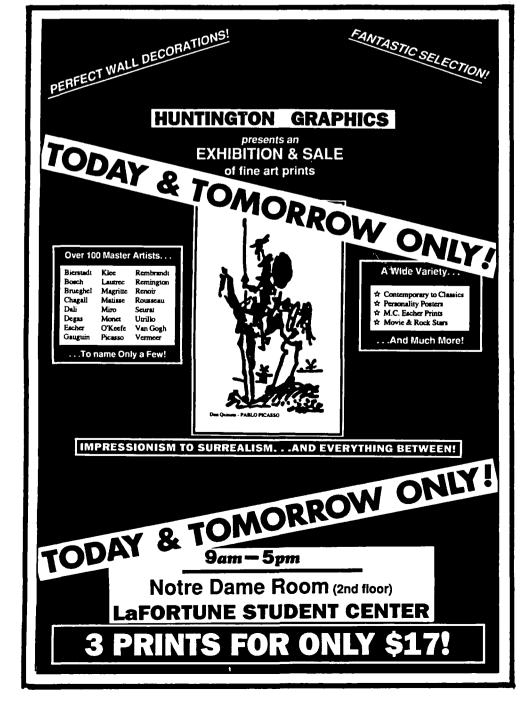
In announcing the powersharing agreement, Sharif said "all sides have shown flexibility" in the talks.

Rabbani, who had been scheduled to return to Kabul on Wednesday, extended his visit another day in hopes the agreement can be signed by all factions before he leaves, said the president's spokesman, Mohammed Aziz Murad.

Murad said that under the power-sharing agreement, Rabbani would remain as president and Hekmatyar would serve as prime minister.

The agreement still must be ratified by leaders of all 10 Muslim groups that ousted the Communists after a 14-year civil war.

Hekmatyar, who is believed to have influence over the smaller factions, was not immediately available for comment.





Developer of oral polio vaccine dies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Health pioneer Albert Sabin, the immigrant whose oral vaccine helped to all but eliminate the scourge of crippling polio in the industrialized world, died Wednesday. He was 86.

"His accomplishments in the area of poliomyelitis are monumental because the vaccine that he developed was one that could be given so easily to so many people," said Dr. William Schubert, president of Children's Hospital Medical Center in Cincinnati where Sabin worked for 30 years.

"He enriched my life, and I think he enriched the lives of many people," said Heloisa Sabin, his wife of 20 years.

The Sabin live-virus vaccine went into widespread use in the United States in 1962 after

Nuts may sharply lower cholesterol

BOSTON (AP) — Could the next health craze be, quite literally, nuts? A new study concludes that they lower cholesterol.

Just how is a matter of dispute. But researchers have assembled two different lines of evidence suggesting that nuts in general, and walnuts in particular, are good for the heart.

"Including walnuts in the everyday diet may be an easy way to lower the risk of heart disease by improving the cholesterol profile," said Dr. Joan Sabate of Loma Linda University, who directed the latest study.

The study, funded by the California Walnut Commission, was published in Thursday's New England Journal of Medicine.

The story began with a study of 31,208 Seventh-day Adventists, who generally avoid smoking and drinking. Researchers questioned them about their consumption of 65 different foods.

Those who ate nuts at least five times a week had only half the risk of fatal heart attacks as those who had nuts less than once a week.

That discovery was published last summer in the Archives of Internal Medicine, along with a skeptical editorial by Dr. William Castelli, director of the landmark Framingham Heart



Albert Sabin

mass trials in 1958-59 in the Soviet Union, Czechoslovakia, Mexico and Singapore.

Because it was dispensed on a sugar cube, it rapidly replaced an injected killed-virus vaccine developed seven years earlier by Jonas Salk. Not only was it easier to take and administer, it provided longer protection.

Between 1962 and 1964, 100 million Americans swallowed the cube, many on "Sabin Sundays" organized by doctors and health departments.

The medical world remembered Sabin with admiration. Salk called Sabin's death "a great loss. ... His contributions toward the control of polio will endure long in the future."

"One of the great pioneers of medical research in our century," said Hiroshi Nakajima, director general of the World Health Organization, which predicts that polio will be eradicated worldwide by the year

2000. "A genius who devoted his life to his fellow man ... an international scientific giant," said Dr. James Edwards, president of the Medical University of South Carolina where Sabin was a research professor for eight years.

Gene for Lou Gehrig's disease is discovered

NEW YORK (AP) — Scientists have identified a gene that apparently causes Lou Gehrig's disease, a breakthrough that suggests existing drugs might treat the illness.

The finding also furthers the idea that scientists may one day be able to slow the rate of normal aging, a federal health official said.

"I think it's the biggest discovery so far" in research into Lou Gehrig's disease, said Lynn Klein, vice president of patient services for The ALS Association, which helped pay for the study.

"We've been saying for a long time that there is light at the end of the tunnel. This is a big beacon."

ALS stands for amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, which became known as Lou Gehrig's disease for the New York Yankees star who died of the illness in 1941.

The progressively paralyzing disease affects an estimated 30,000 Americans at any given time, according to the association.

Faulty genes are blamed for only about 5 percent to 10 percent of cases. The cause of far more common sporadic cases is unknown.

But the new discovery's implications also may apply to sporadic cases, since genetic and sporadic ALS produce identical symptoms and progression, researchers said.

The gene normally helps the body destroy toxic substances called free radicals. If it is defective, it may lead to an excessive buildup of free radicals that then damages tissue, researchers said. If that causes ALS, drugs that destroy free radicals may be able to slow or halt the disorder, researchers said.

Such "antioxidant" drugs are already being tested for other diseases.

"It raises the possibility that antioxidant therapies may be beneficial, but clearly more investigation is going to be required," said Dr. Robert Brown, senior author of the new report and associate professor of neurology at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

Some vitamins are antioxidants, but Brown said he would not advise them as an ALS treatment.

"Nobody should do anything without talking to a physician," said Robert Horvitz, a Howard Hughes Medical Institute investigator at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston and another senior author.

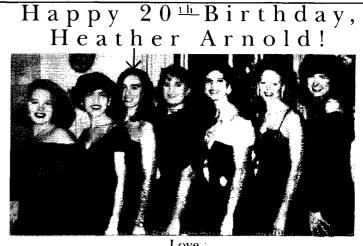
It is not clear yet whether antioxident therapy would help and it might even do harm, he said.

Dr. Stanley Appel, director of the Muscular Dystrophy Association ALS Research Center at the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, called the work "an extremely interesting paper and hopefully very important."



Hitting the beach

With their bags already packed, two Dillon Hall juniors leave for spring break early.



Love, Kate, Ana, Chrissy, Suzy, Katy & Erica (We wanted to be in The Observer, too!)

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Study.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Holocaust greater evil than abortion

Dear Editor:

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In his article "Abortion Cannot Be Worse Than The Holocaust" (The Observer, Feb. 26), Father Robert Griffin tried to address some very issues that have come out of the tensions produced by the abortion debate. While I appreciate the sincerity of his effort to find a way out of the terrible rancor this debate continues to engender, it seems to me that some response must be made.

Father Griffin chides the Catholic bishop who compared abortion to the Nazi holocaust, but also apologizes for him: "He is right too, according to his own lights." But no defense should be offered for so heinous a comparison.

Individual decisions to terminate pregnancies, which are often made by women in desperate circumstances, have nothing in common with the organized slaughter of millions of full-grown adults and children. Whatever personal position we may take on the very personal issue of abortion, surely we must see this difference. Not to would be a very dangerous self-delusion.

This is just not the kind of principle which should even need spelling out: systematic genocide of whole populations is the most horrendous evil of which human beings are capable, and any bishop who compares that horror to a process of very difficult personal choices made by individual parents, should not be a bishop. For that reason I have to criticize Father Griffin as well for comparing memories of Dachau and Buchenwald, with their thousands of corpses, to his own memory of the embryonic remains in the Whitman sampler box. I have no doubt that the suffering of the man and his wife after her miscarriage were real, but their distress is infinitesimal next to the agony of the Holocaust.

But Father Griffin suggests that Jews resent the comparison of such incommensurables just because they have a different view than "us Christians" and don't believe that an embryo is holy-and that is a condescending insult and a serious distortion of reality. Being horrified at the abortion equals holocaust comparison should not require any peculiarly Jewish point of view.

Every person with a conscience should protest, including atheists. And Father Griffin should apologize for implying that if Jews resent the comparison, that must be because they think embryonic life utterly inconsequential. That does not follow, and it was never the issue to begin with.

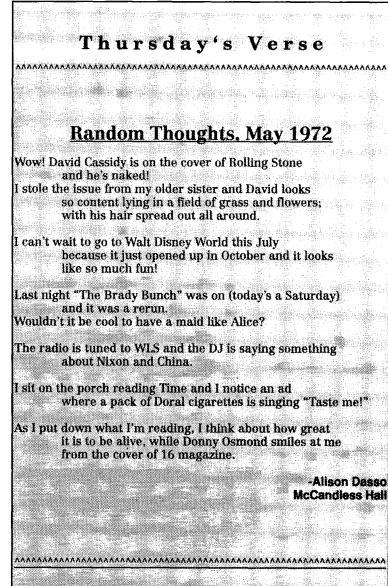
At risk of diluting the main point here, I want to add a further suggestion: Christian and Jewish theologies regarding the unborn are probably not, in fact, far apart at all. Father Griffin mentions the Catholic fundamentalist argument that "the Spirit is prompt in conferring holiness and humanity" at the moment of conception. But the Spirit, the imago dei in every human being, is what we have in common, not what makes us unique persons. The image of God signifies the transcendence we share that makes us equal before God, but it does not by itself constitute a full

individual human being.

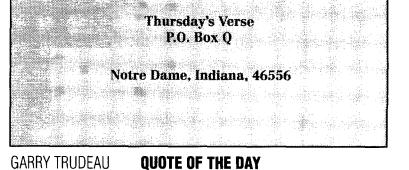
In the Judeo-Christian tradition, a complete person must have a body for earthly existence. That is precisely why Christianity puts so much emphasis on the doctrine of bodily resurrection. Perhaps Platonic doctrine would sanction the notion of an afterlife of disembodied spirits, each of which could count as a person, but this runs counter to the whole weight of the Judeo-Christian tradition. That is also the reason why Catholic tradition, in agreement with Judaism, does not regard an embryonic collection of cells as a proper candidate for Christian burial, and hence has no liturgy for a miscarriage.

This argument does not imply, however, that nothing is wrong with abortion, or that there should be no sanctions against it. There may well be very good social, psychological and moral reasons for thinking that abortion is often reprehensible, just as there will be other considerations weighing against legal sanctions for abortion.

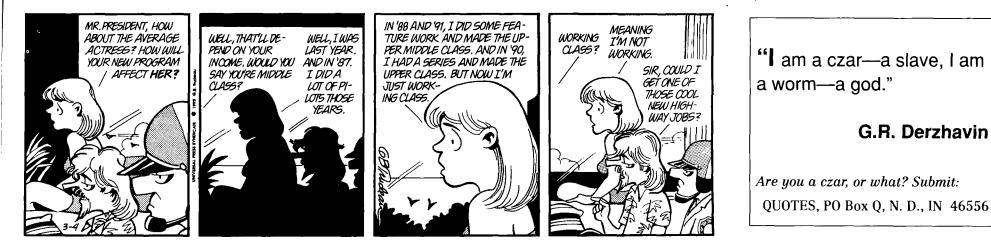
But the theological concept of a person in the Judeo-Christian tradition, I believe, really contributes nothing to this issue one way or the other. And there is real advantage in seeing this. It may allow us to move the debate out of the emotional field of religious faith and into a context in which there is potential for compromise and rational agreement on an issue that is tearing our society apart.



John Davenport Graduate Student Feb. 28, 1993



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Gender Studies gives students a look at societal gender relations

By MARY SCHULTZE Accent Writer

Jane Doe and her boyfriend often sit in Jane's room and argue about the status of women in society. While Jane contends that women are treated as secondary citizens, her boyfriend believes the feminist movement has achieved its goal of gender equality.

Although Notre Dame became a co-educational institution 20 years ago, discussions about gender relations have been largely confined to late night talks with friends and roommates.

This began to change, however, when women on the faculty from several disciplines decided they would like to have a concentration in gender studies, according to Ava Collins, Gender Studies Director. The original proposal was written by Professors Kathleen Wiegert and Joan Aldous, and with the permission of the University, the Gender Studies program began four years ago when the program received a Lilly Grant to develop a curriculum.

"Gender Studies introduces a discussion of gender in an academic atmosphere," said Collins. A multidisciplinary program, Gender Studies investigates what it means to be a woman or man today, feminism, and the ways in which ideas of gender shape how we live. The courses examine how the various social studies and humanities disciplines examine how gender roles have been defined throughout society.

Currently, 37 students, of which three are male, concentrate in gender studies. These students take 15 credit hours of a foundations course, two core courses, one Gender Studies elective course, and three semesters of a one-credit Colloquium which focuses on contemporary developments in gender studies. Through courses in the social sciences and the humanities, students have the opportunity to explore the impact gender has on a variety of disciplines.

that we don't want to 'ghettorize it.' It's hard to talk about women without talking about men," said Collins. Gender Studies attempts to combat heterosexism, or the tendency to think only in a male/female opposition.

Yet in the patriarchal environment of Notre Dame, the fact that Gender Studies does offer many courses dealing with women's issues is what attracts many concentrators. "Since women's issues are generally ignored, I assumed gender studies would focus on women's studies, said Reale. "I took a history course on women in America that paid attention to what women were doing in early American history when the usual textbooks only mention men's contributions.'

The strength of many Gender Studies courses is that they take a different approach and investigate the underlying gender relations and how it affects the understanding of history, literature, film, etc.

One of the problems facing Gender Studies is attracting more students, particularly males, to its courses. "Because classes have their homes in major departments, hopefully more male students will become aware of these issues as an intellectual endeavor," said Collins. She also stressed that more women need to take up the course of studying and pursuing gender relations.

As the university hires more women, the concentration will have the opportunity to grow as a concentration and eventually achieve its longterm goal of becoming a major, according to Collins. She would also like to see Gender Studies "take up a politicized role more actively."

"The future of academic

Twenty years of coeducatid

Academic addit

By BECKY BARNES Accent Writer

Editor's note: This story is part of a monthly Accent series commemorating the 20th anniversary of coeducation at Notre Dame.

When Notre Dame decided to become a coeducational university, most male students gave more thought to the potential social opportunities than to the idea of having women in their classes.

Many weren't quite sure how to react to this small group of intelligent women, and they didn't know quite what to expect.

A Scholastic article written in February of 1972, the semester before the arrival of women, jokingly defined several different attitudes and scenarios regarding the enrollment of women. One of these, the "machismo syndrome," was described as a philosophy held by men in which "women are not the highest moral good, but rather the necessary biological apparatus insuring the sexual sanity of men."

If this attitude is carried into the classroom, the article continued, "the outgrowth of this male-dominant role is that professors would have to be instructed to deliberately grade women more harshly, though never informing them of this decision, for otherwise the ensuing traumas of the males, due to the destruction of their world view, would cause an epidemic of impotency. Or the administration could admit only less intelligent women."

Of course, this didn't happen.

In the fall of 1972, 365 women enrolled at Notre Dame, 125 freshman and 240 transfers, most from Saint Mary's. Chosen from an applicant pool of over 1,100, many of these first women had academic qualifications superior to the male students, which was reflected in their performance. At the end of the first semester, the overall GPA for women was 3.12 while the overall GPA of the University was 2.94.

"Women were numerically the minority, but they stood out academically," said Sr. Elena Malits, chair of the original committee on coeducation.

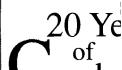
This difference didn't make for good male/female relationships, she added.



Freshmen Justin Taylor and Maria Strunsky study in the Hesburgh I years ago has changed many things, including types of classes offe

all women in his classes C's and didn't hesitate to tell them that, Ford added.

Some professors found that they had to change their styles of teaching because of the new women. Hofman said he had taught for 25 years like a



Senior Alicia Reale decided to concentrate in gender studies because "its spans the different departments. You get a good grasp of gender issues in a variety of fields."

Some of the Gender Studies courses this year include American Feminist Fiction, American Film: Images of Gender, Gender and Politics in the U.S., Marriage and Family, and Women in America.

Although Gender Studies investigates women's issues, it does not intend to focus solely on women. "It is called Gender Studies for a reason which is feminism is activism and activism begins in pedagogy," said Collins, quoting a recent essay on feminist studies.

The Gender Studies program faces a variety of challenges as it aims to appeal to the student body, while remaining focused on an intellectual examination of gender relations. "It is an academic discipline," strssed Collins. "Hopefully students will become more aware of these issues as an intellectual endeavor."

Currently Gender Studies emphasizes the academic importance of gender relations but this does not inhibit the possibility of extending the lessons outside the classroom. Collins believes that through the examination of gender relations in an academic environment, students can become aware of how they can impact both their intellectual and social life on campus. Kathy Coleman, a 1978 graduate, agreed that men and women competed in the classroom, which often led to social tension.

Distributing the small number of women in classes also proved problematic, said Emil Hofman, a

chemistry. professor and dean

of freshman year 'In a big lecture, I think it's of studies at the time. Many really intimidating for a seminars had only one woman, who woman to speak out,'

was usually called upon to give "the woman's point of view." Most women resented being asked as one

person to speak for _______ all the women in the world, said Hofman.

Josephine Ford, professor of theology, found in her classes that many of the first women hesitated to speak at all.

One professor automatically gave

marine core drill instructor, a style appreciated by macho 18-year-olds.

But he thought women might like something a little different, and found that a father-figure role worked better with his female students.

"Of course I didn't change any of

the academic requirements," he aded.

Primarily, the first year was one of trial and error, m a k i n g adjustments to find what suited the needs of both women and men.

—Ann Fennelly, senior "There were English major tensions," said English Professor James Robinson.

"They were not perilous times, but some tense times."

But overall, most faculty and administrators considered the academic climate the most positive result of coeducation, said Sr. John Coedu

Miriam Jonas, chair that studied the state University in 1977. Women changed the

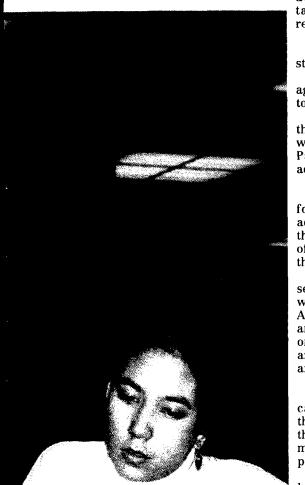
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This year, women comprise 15.3 percent of professors in the undergraduate colleges, according to statistics on gender and ethnicity from Notre Dame Institutional

avereage, Professor Avallone usually talks to one or two women a day regarding gender issues.

So where does all this leave women students today?

Better off than they were 20 years ago, said Malits. But still with a ways to go.

Women comprised 42.5 percent of the 1992-93 freshman class, a figure which reflects the applicant pool, said Pat Leonardo, associate director of admissions.

The admissions office is currently focusing on a "gender blind' admissions policy, but Leonardo said that he cannot predict how the ratio of men to women will change under this new method.

Statistics from Institutional Research show that just over half of all women students are in the College of Arts and Letters. Another 40 percent are evenly distributed in the Colleges of Business and Science, six percent are engineers, and three percent are architecture students.

While few female students report cases of outright discrimination in their classes, Ava Collins, director of the gender studies program, said that many women "feel a sense of disempowerment in the classroom.

"I still think that women students have small voices," Collins said.

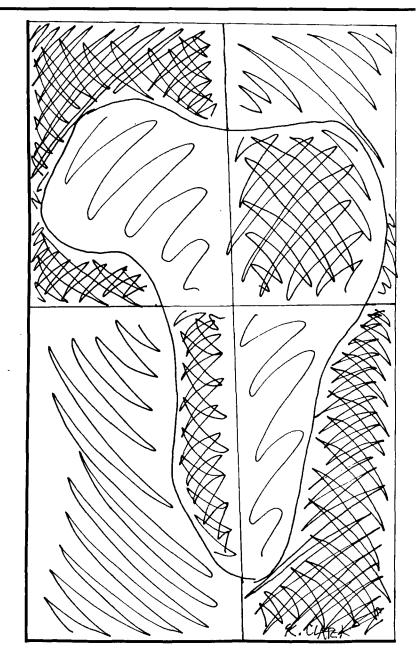
Women don't speak out in classes for several reasons, said Avallone. Many women find if they express a feminist opinion, professors will often call on them as the "class feminist," a label that is often considered demeaning, she said.

Other women have found that gender specific name-calling" occurs in the classroom, and there is still the fear that men won't date women who appear too intelligent, she added.

In a big lecture, I think it's really intimidating for a woman to speak out," said senior English major Beth Ann Fennelly.

She also spoke of a drama class that studied only male authors and never addressed issues of gender in the texts. "If texts are sexist, it lays a sexist base to the class," she said.

Helen Bowers, assistant professor of finance, finds that her women students are less assertive and take fewer leadership roles. Although she sees no difference in test scores between men and women, she said that women speak out less in the classroom.



'Xala' examines current political and social problems facing Africa

By JAHNELLE HARRIGAN

Accent Editor

The film "Xala," by African filmmaker Sembene Ousmane will help the African Student Association create discussions on the current political, economical, social and cultural problems Africa faces, according to the Association's president Guillaume Zounlome.

Instead of simply portraying European exploitation and racism, Ousmane's "Xala," shown tonight at the Snite Annenberg Auditorium, uses satire to focus on the myth of African independence and the wholesale black-facing of white colonial policies by African leaders.

"It points out some of the issues of Africa, including the relationship between businessmen and the body politic-how they cooperate," said Zouniome.

The film takes place in Africa, 1974, and depicts a self-satisfied, half-Westernized black businessman who is suddenly struck by the Xala—a curse which inflicts its victim with impotence.

While the man desperately chases after witch doctors to cure him, his impotence becomes a mirror of the impotence of young African tions that are over-independent on white technology and bureaucratic structures. Spoken in Wolof and French with English subtitles, the film is humorous, sad and satirical-"a mixture of everything," according to Zounlome.



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Research. Of full professors, 4.4 percent are women. Seventy-four percent of women professors are in the College of Arts

and Letters, and there are no tenured women in the College of Business. The College of Engineering has three female assistant professors.

Another business student said that she thinks male professors have different expectations for men and women. "Women are often taken less seriously. They don't think you're the

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But Notre Dame has changed for the better over the years, said Hofman. "You have to know what it was like before to really compare," he concluded.

of finance women here," she said. "I don't feel

And much credit can be given to its creator, Ousmane Sembene. Born in 1923 in a Senegal village, Sembene spent his youth as a fisherman on the Casamance Coast. In 1944 he started as a dock worker in France, was an active militant in the French labor unions and participated in the cultural movement of African students.

Teaching himself to read and write French. Sembene published his first novel in the late 1950s—"Le Docker Noir," a story of the life of African emigres in France. His later fiction established him as an African writer of international repute.

Sembene turned to filmmaking in 1960 to focus on problems of African society. Unable to obtain apprenticeship in Paris, he went to Russia to work and study.

Soon returning to Africa, Sembene created films such as "Sonrai Empire" (1962), "Borom Sarret" (1963), and a feature film entitled "Black Girl" (1965).

"Xala" will be shown tonight at the Annenberg Auditorium at 7 p.m. and all are welcome. Admission is a \$1 or more donation.

The film is sponsored by the Notre Dame African Student Association, Educational Media, African and African-American Studies Program, Office of the President, Government Department, Minority Student Affairs, International Peace Studies Program and the International Student Affairs Office.

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Men's tennis handles Hoosiers

By JONATHAN JENSEN Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's tennis team tightened their stranglehold on the title of the Midwest's top collegiate tennis team with a 6-1 thumping of rival Indiana last afternoon at the Eck Tennis Pavilion, handing the Hoosiers their first loss this year.

The Irish looked to their two and three-doubles teams to pick up the crucial doubles point, and the two wins sparked Notre Dame to their second win over a top Midwest team, as the Irish defeated #23 Minnesota earlier this year.

In three-doubles, Irish coach Bob Bayliss went with a new combination, bringing in senior Chris Wojtalik to play with

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talented freshman Mike Sprouse, and the two produced a huge 8-4 victory over a team made up of Indiana's numberone singles player Chris Angell and Erik Barrett.

"We served really well, our first serves really helped us,' said Sprouse, who noted that he liked the new combination. "I love it, he (Wojtalik) gives

me a bit of motivation. He has a lot of experience and that calms me down on the court,' stated Sprouse, who admits he is surprised by the impact he has had this season. "I think if he (Bayliss) would have told me at the beginning of the year I would be consistently playing on a doubles team, I would have laughed. But I'm feeling a lot more confident on the court, and feeling pretty good about



Senior Mark Schmidt tearned with classmate Ron Rosas for a big win at number two doubles in Notre Dame's 6-1 win over Indiana Wednesday.

the way I'm playing."

Then at two-doubles, seniors Mark Schmidt and Ron Rosas came up with a big 8-6 win over Mark Ableman and Dave Held to seal the doubles point.

If there was one not-so-bright spot in the win, it would be Will Forsyth and Chuck Coleman's 8-5 loss to Chris Angell and Tom Wiese at one-doubles. "I think when we have problems is when we're not playing well at the same time," said Forsyth, who came back to pick up a win at one-singles against Angell, "but when we both play well we can beat anyone."

"It was a tough day for us, reiterated Coleman.

Forsyth's 6-3, 6-3 sweep at one-singles came at the expense of an extremely powerful server in Angell, and highlighted the Irish singles rout.

At five and six-singles, Todd Wilson and Wojtalik picked up impressive wins, with Wilson taking Barrett 6-3, 7-6, and Wojtalik battling to a 7-6, 4-6, 7-5 victory over Wiese. Coleman and Rosas also picked up straight-set wins at two and four-singles, with Coleman disposing of Russell 6-4, 6-4, and Rosas dumping Ableman by the same score.

The Irish's only loss came at three-singles, where Mark Schmidt could not put away Held in the second set and ended up falling 7-6, 6-7, 3-6.

The Irish, who have already faced four top-ten teams this spring, will need all the toughness they can muster this spring break as they travel to sunny Arizona to face three tough foes in #4 Pepperdine, #17 Tennessee, and #25 Arizona State in Tempe.

"It will be an interesting week for us," said Bayliss, who believes that a tough regular season schedule helps a team come tournament time.

"We've played so many tough teams that I think it has helped us in becoming match-tough. That's really a big advantage,' agreed Coleman.

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Connolly

Morshead, who was knocked out for the season when he fractured his left clavicle on February 6, was playing his best hockey of the year and had quietly taken hold of the team lead in goals. He is still tied for first in goals with twelve and lies in fourth place in overall scoring.

The Irish have received an enormous boost this season by the outstanding play of their highly talented crop of freshmen. Nine freshman have played in at least sixteen games this season, and it is not infrequent for five freshman to be on the ice at a time.

Jamie Ling, who is leading the team in overall scoring, is a strong candidate for CCHA Rookie of the Year and the AllLeague team. He has scored a goal against all but two teams in the CCHA, and he has earned four assists against both of the teams which have held him scoreless. He is leading all CCHA freshmen in assists.

Brett Bruininks, who along with Ling is among the five Notre Dame players to play in all thirty two games this season, is tied for fifth place in overall scoring with Osiecki.

Although the Irish have a dismal record, they are a very talented group of skaters who have competed fiercely against the top teams in the nation with several near upsets. They have been disadvantaged this year by injuries and inexperience. However, if nothing else they have gained the respect of the many foes which may have considered them an easy victory. They have taken the first step toward building a highly successful hockey program.

Strong bench play helps lift men's volleball over UIC

By KEVIN DOLAN Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's volleyball team took an easy three-game match from Illinois-Chicago (15-2, 15-5, 15-13) Wednesday night with key performances from a developing bench.

Fifth-year senior Chris Murdy was the star off the bench for the Irish in the match, setting Brian Ceponis up for the kill that ended game two and adding three kills and a block of his own early in game three.

The usual strong performances were turned in by Matt Strottman, Tom Kovats and Pat Madden, and it was a jovial Irish locker room after the match.

'We all had a lot of fun tonight," said coach Jen Slosar. "We probably won't face a team this easy again this season. It was good to get everybody in." According to Madden, the

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Madden, Ceponis and Leo Casas were taken out early in game three to allow the bench some time in the close game.

Along with Murdy, freshmen Miguel Ascencio, Bill Raney and Matt Limtiaco took the floor. Ascencio and Raney each had crucial kills late in game three, a close

affair that saw the Irish down 8-6 before rallying to take the game and match.

"Even though we changed the lineup around in games two and three, we played right through it," said Ceponis.

The next home matches for the Irish are on March 19 and 20, when they face Central Michigan and Illinois, respectively.

The Irish played their best volleyball of last season against Illinois and hope to repeat that performance on the 20th.

In the meantime Ceponis said, "We could all use a break."

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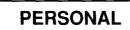
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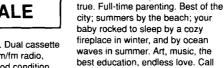
The Momentary Lapse of Reason was... WOW! Hope you enjoy the big one on Friday as much as the lil' one. Rescuer

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sophomore Paul Failla will replace Counsell at shortstop and sophomore Craig DeSensi will step in at third.

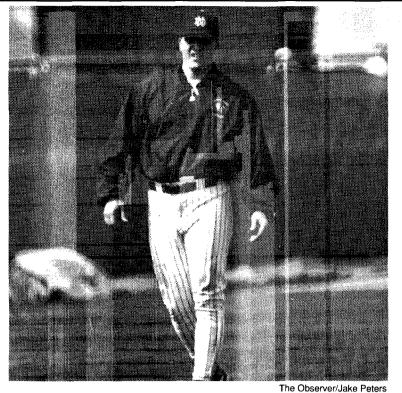
All four infielders have limited experience, but should prove to be valuable to the team. Failla who is in the hunt for the starting quarterback job for the football team will miss 10-12 games for football, but will be the starting shortstop and number-three hitter for the Irish.

The outfield will be led by the experience of Hartwell in leftfield and Danapilis in right. In centerfield will be sophomore Steve Verduzco, 1992 Midwestern Collegiate Conference allnewcomer.

The 1993 freshmen class should also contribute to the success of the team. Ryan Topham, Robert Kent, A.J. Jones, Mark Mapes, and Rowan Richards are all rookies to keep an eye on this season.

Murphy is pleased with their progress.

"They've been a real godsend. None of them are really ready to step right in and be a mainstay in our program yet. A couple of them are pretty close.



Notre Dame head coach Pat Murphy has a tough schedule awaiting his team during spring break.

They're attitudes have been outstanding and I equate them to the Cory Mee, Counsell class. They're that type of class. A real overachieving class with great attitudes. I'm really pleased with our freshmen class. They've got a great future here." It is difficult to predict how the Irish will do on their road trip.

"It's hard to say how a team will do against this kind of competition this early in the season," Murphy said. "We'll find out."

California Angels top list of Notre Dame opponents

By JENNY MARTEN Associate Sports Editor

Here's a round-up of the Irish baseball opponents during the seven-game spring break trip. ARIZONA STATE—March 8

The Sun Devils (16-4) are 11-2 at home this year and are most recently coming off a successful road trip to UCLA. Against the Bruins, Arizona State won two out of three.

Irish coach Pat Murphy on Arizona State: "Arizona State didn't know how good they were going to be and now they're 16-4 and beating everybody. I feel like they're on a real confidence kick. Nobody knew how good they were going to be. They've got some real good depth offensively. Their pitching staff is deep also."

ARIZONA-March 9, 10

The Wildcats (11-5) lead the series against Notre Dame, 3-0, with all three games played in 1961. Arizona is led by All-PAC-10 rightfielder John Tejek, leftfielder Robbie Moen with a 10-game hitting streak, and catcher Willie Morales (.397, 5 HR, 15 RBI). The Wildcats' talented pitching staff is bothered by injuries. Murphy on Arizona: "Arizona's got a great ball club. They've got two first-round draft pick pitchers and their hitting is outstanding. I'm not going to say that we can't beat them. I think we'll go down there and play well. I think we have a chance to be real competitive with them. They're a solid veteran baseball team."

CALIFORNIA ANGELS-Mar. 10

Murphy on the Angels: "That'll be a real good experience for our players and I think it'll be a real confidence builder because our players are going to see that these are the best in the business and we can stay on the field with them.

WICHITA STATE—Mar. 12, 13, 14

The Shockers (3-0) are led by outfielder Carl Hall (.625, 1 HR), second baseman Joe Jackson (.500, 3 RB1) and first baseman Toby Smith (.273, 5 RB1).

Murphy on Wichita State: "No question-we're going to be the best team they play. They've got a great program. They play a lot of home games. They've got great pitching. One of their kids will be a first-rounder also."

CAMPUS MINISTRY... ...CONSIDERATIONS

The naming and the healing

Perhaps you remember this story: Many years ago, out in the country, Jesus was confronted with a man possessed by the devil. Before healing the man, Jesus addressed the evil spirit, and when he did so he asked the devil for his name.

But the devil was not so easily tricked. He replied: "My name is Legion, for we are many."

An insignificant little story, perhaps, but it is one that we could spend a long time mulling over during these Lenten days.

There was a reason the devil would not give Jesus his name. In Old Testament times, people believed that there was a real power in naming. They were loathe to disclose their names to anyone, for fear that the stranger would have some kind of control over them. It is very different from our society, where we'll plaster our names just about anywhere, from license plates to tee-shirts. Signing our names or disclosing our identities doesn't seem to have the sacredness it once did.

But in some ways, our ability to name, and the power that can happen in that naming, is just as significant as it was two thousand years ago. This is especially true when it comes to things that have control over *us*.

Many things can control our lives — they are legion, just as the devil cunningly observed in the story above. They may be destructive habits, like alcohol and substance abuse, or an eating disorder. Or we may be controlled by events from the past that seem not to fade from our memory. People experience great struggles with lonelines and depression. Relationships that are treasured and very beautiful can to turn to shame, for reasons that seem to be beyond our control. And sometimes, that which controls our life is just simple anxiety — we don't know which direction to take, or what the future may hold.

For instance, the first psalm we hear during Lent is Psalm 51, the response for Ash Wednesday. It is also our response for the First Sunday of Lent, and continues as a refrain for many of the weekdays: "Have mercy on me, O Lord; in your kindness cleanse me from sin." What does this refrain name as its truth? One is this: that in our transgressions, we are cleansed by *kindness*. Not through guilt, or aggression, or some kind of righteous wrath. We are cleansed by kindness. The kindness that Jesus talked about when he told stories of Loving Fathers and Prodigal Sons.

One hopeful image during Lent is taken from the writings of the prophet Isaiah, and read in our churches on Friday following Ash Wednesday: "...Lift up your voice like a trumpet blast! Would that today you might fast so as to make your voice heard on high! " And later on in the passage: "This is the manner of fasting that I wish: Releasing those bound unjustly, untying the thongs of the yoke, and setting free the oppressed!"

It is a hope-filled reading, heralding great joy and freedom — not what we're used to finding in Lenten readings. And it offers us some insight into what our Lent could really be like. Why not, during this season, forget about the candy and dig down into what really causes our pain? Why not look at the season of Lent as a time of release, as a time of preparation for joy, as a time to set free ourselves and those around us from the things that drag us down? Instead of seeing this as a period of deprivation, why not look at these days as an opportunity for living in abundant prayer and peace?

We can do this in so many simple ways. Turn to the psalms, our poetry and prayer-book of the Scriptures. Look within our own hearts, and the hearts of those with whom we live. What are our burdens? Can we name them? And after naming them, can we also find some inspiration to better cope with our plight? Can we help those we love name the things that keep them imprisoned? And, if we have the courage to help with the naming, can we accompany our friends (and ourselves) on the ensuing journey to wholeness?

When we begin to name the habits, the events, fears, or the memories that hold us back, we begin a journey back toward the Light. One of the greatest examples of the power of naming, and the healing that comes from it, is rooted in the experience of the addict. The first step toward recovery is to accept the fact that you are what you are, and that you cannot control who you are. In that moment, a long process of healing begins. There is a total acceptance — a naming, if you will — of one's condition or predicament. The healing stems from that moment of truth and revelation.

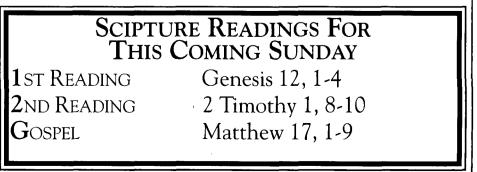
Thankfully, we can name more than the dark habits of our life. The truth of naming is just as powerful when we identify those things that can help us out of our dilemmas. These are the tools that help us focus on hope, or help us derive some inspiration out of our everyday struggles. What are these tools? Where can their names be found?

One of the greatest tools we have is the knowledge that we are never far from God's embrace. There is a poster/reading that many around here are fond of, called "Footprints in the Sand." It speaks of the truth that, especially during moments of intense adversity and loneliness, God is always present.

Another great tool is inspiration, the kind we get when we read something very profound, or listen to beautiful music. The Psalms are songs — love poetry, as it were, of God's continued relationship with humanity. In the psalms can be found many inspiring tools that can help us shape our lives.

There is a wonderful discipline to the season of Lent. Giving up things we like, turning more to prayer and inward peace, and partaking of community activities all help us to focus on who we are, and the kind of people we are meant to be. But perhaps the greatest aspect of the season has nothing to do with our activities, but with our ability to get in touch with, to name, the aspects of our lives that help or hinder our day to day journey to God. When we begin to name these aspects of living, then we begin our Lenten pilgrimage toward Easter joy.

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Butler stands in the way of McGraw's mark

By JASON KELLY Sports Writer

Records can be distracting. Worrying about breaking a record can shift the focus from the game at hand.

Muffet McGraw doesn't expect that to happen tonight against Butler as she tries to become Notre Dame's winningest women's basketball coach.

"The only record we're concerned about is six straight MCC championships," McGraw said, referring to Notre Dame's dominance in the Midwestern Collegiate Conference tournament in recent years.

McGraw is currently tied with Mary DiStanislao with 115 wins, but breaking the record won't be an easy task tonight against Butler.

The Bulldogs already clinched the MCC regular-season title and they handed the Irish an 82-70 loss in January.

Butler brings a talented squad into tonight's game, led by Julie VonDeilingen, who scored 25 points in the last meeting. Angela Cotton and Mary Majewski each added 15. "They're telented and they

"They're talented and they

have a lot of experience," Mc-Graw said. "They can beat you from anywhere on the floor."

Notre Dame is much improved since the last meeting with Butler, winning six of their last seven, including a 91-63 rout of Duquesne Monday night. Against the Dukes, the Irish had six players in double figures, led by sophomore Audrey Gomez and freshman Stacy Fields with 17 points each.

Freshman Carey Poor has emerged since entering the starting lineup against Dayton. In her three starts she has totaled 59 points, connecting on 22 of 33 shots from the field and 13 of 16 from the free throw line.

"I'm really happy with the way the team is playing right now," McGraw said. "We had some trouble with Butler earlier this year, but some of our younger players are really starting to play well."

Letitia Bowen and Kara Leary are expected to return to the lineup tonight after sitting out the Duquesne game with injuries.

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Candidate in the CCHA, has registered 11 goals and dished out 26 assists to lead the Irish in scoring for the season.

Other Irish weapons include freshman Brett Bruininks (8G, 7A), junior captain Matt Osiecki (6G, 9A), and Hasselman (6G, 1A).

The Falcons lead the overall series by a 16-12-2 mark, including two wins this year 5-2 and 7-4 at Bowling Green.

"We need to contain their top scorers, and convert our own scoring opportunities," concluded Schafer.

After this weekend's contests, the Irish will most likely face Michigan in the first round of a best of three CCHA playoffs series in Ann Arbor on March 12-14.

Seniors

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goals in his career, but his presence has been appreciated. "Eric's come a long way in his development, and we'll miss his competitiveness," Schafer said.

"The senior defensemen have taught me a lot, and I've gained valuable experience from them," said freshman David Dalgrande.

The Irish will lose one of their goalkeepers with the graduation of Stevens Point, WI native, Carl Picconatto. Picconatto typifies the true student athlete with a cumulative 3.77 GPA in chemistry.

"He's a pleasure to be around daily, and he's a scholar and gentleman," said Schafer.

Picconatto, a valuable backup throughout his career, cracked the lineup in November and registered the Irish's first win of the year on November 20.

"It was a dream to play college hockey and Notre Dame



Dan Marvin and the rest of the Irish seniors will play their final home game tonight against Bowling Green.

gave me the opportunity," he realized. "It's sad to be leaving, but the team is pumped for a win."

The other three seniors are forwards. Marvin, a three year monogram winner from Warroad, MN, has contributed 18 goals in his career.

"I think he's played his hardest on every shift in his entire career, which is a tribute to his work ethic," said Schafer.

"I have mixed feelings about ending my career," said Marvin. "It's been a long year, and I want to leave the Joyce on a high note."

"My whole career has been worthwhile, and our class has a lot to be proud of," he added. "I want to thank the fans for supporting us for four years."

Janicke, an assistant captain from Brooklyn Park, MN, has 144 career points and ranks ninth on the all time Irish assist list with 98 total assists. "He's a hard nosed competitor who's contributed a lot to our program," said Schafer.

Although he's had nagging

injuries throughout his senior campaign, Janicke has managed to score a team leading 12 goals. "I'm excited, but I'm a little nervous considering it's my last game," he said. "I've had a pretty good career and I've enjoyed every minute of it."

Bankoske, an assistant captain from Williamsville, NY, has had the opportunity to be a part of Notre Dame hockey for five years because of a wrist injury suffered last season.

"He's a gifted athlete and a real gentleman," said Schafer.

Bankoske has 177 career points and ranks eighth all time on the Irish assist list. "It's extra special, because I've been here five years," he said. "It will be weird to reminisce about all the memories I've experienced on and off the ice."

As the Irish close out their first season of CCHA play, the seniors leave behind a young and talented squad. "We're a couple years behind some of the top teams, but we're coming along and I appreciate the efforts of our senior class,"

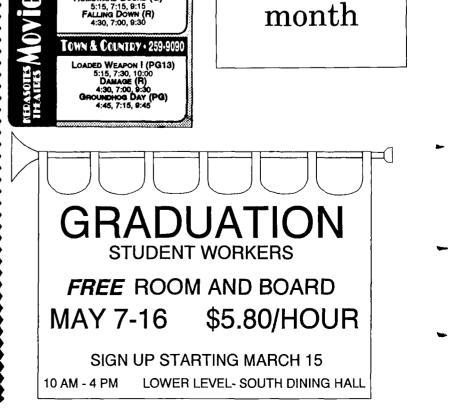




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Adamson a bright spot in loss

BY DOMINIC AMOROSA Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's basketball team ended their home schedule with a disappointing 80-66 loss to Valparaiso last night. The Irish finished the year with only four wins at home. However, on the bright side, Matt Adamson, a third year senior walk-on ended his home career in grand fashion.

Adamson, a 6-3 guard from Fair Oaks, CA, started his first game and scored a career high eight points while playing a career best 20 minutes. Also, he had three steals and numerous deflections throughout the game.

deflections throughout the game. "He had a great game," said Irish coach John MacLeod. "We didn't plan on playing him so much, but he was playing so well that we left him in."

"It was exciting to start, and I played as hard as I could," commented Adamson. "It was sad to lose the game."

"Walking off the court for the final time was tough," he added.

Although he's not a captain, Adamson commands attention. "He's a leader and he always has intelligent things to say," said senior co-captain Monty Williams.

"He's a great asset to our program and he's just a great guy," added junior co-captain Brooks Boyer. "I'm just glad I got the opportunity to be around him for three years."

"He proved tonight that he's a good player," added Boyer. "He has a great future in whatever he decides to do."

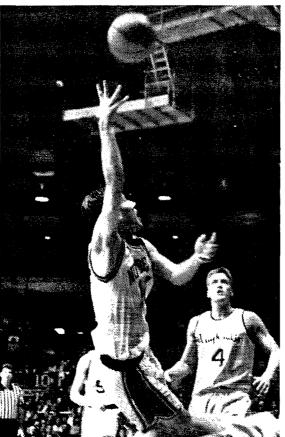
Adamson has endured three seasons of banging bodies during practice, but he's enjoyed every moment.

"This game was my most memorable moment, but it was bittersweet because we lost," he said. "It's been a great three years."

The surprising play of Adamson limited freshman guard Ryan Hoover to only nine minutes of action, while starting guard Lamarr Justice registered only ten minutes. "Matt played well and he deserved to be in there," said Hoover. "He makes his teammates better and I have tremendous respect for him."

"I've always been impressed with Matt," said MacLeod. "He's come to the point where he makes a significant contribution."

"He's a blue ribbon young man," concluded MacLeod.



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Senior Matt Adamson stumbles as he shoots in Wednesday's loss to Valparaiso. He finished with a career-high eight points.

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The last cheerleading clinic before break will be tonight at 7 **p.m.** in gym 4 of the JACC.

The Mechanical Priests defeated High Balls to win the Co-Rec volleyball championship Tuesday night. Kari Kowalski, Susan Schaeffer, Amy Richardson and Danielle Mahaffey led the winning team.

Valpo

continued from page 16 John MacLeod said of his squad's 20 turnovers. "They play as a team, stick their nose in there, and make you pay."

The Irish paid dearly during a 3:42 stretch in which they could not manage a hoop. Williams finally made a basket with 2:10 remaining, but the Crusaders cruised to the win with 10 straight free throws in the last 1:47.

Adamson, in the first start of his three-year career, contributed two rebounds and three steals in 20 minutes of playing time. "We did not plan on playing him so much, but he was playing well so we left him in," MacLeod said of the senior guard.

Adamson appreciated a final moment in the spotlight, but like his teammates, he couldn't ignore the dissatisfying end to the season.

"I had a great three years," Adamson said. "I've had a lot of fun. But it's a sad way to end it, losing this game. Walking out, all I could do was look at the scoreboard and it was real sad. Give Valparaiso credit, though. They have a nice team."

Men's swim team prepares for Easterns

By ALLISON MCCARTHY Sports Writer

After a disappointing loss to LaSalle at last weekend's Midwestern Collegiate Conference Championships, the Notre Dame men's swim team travels to Cleveland State today to compete in the Eastern Intercollegiate Swimming and Diving Championships.

"The team is really excited and we're looking forward to swimming fast," said freshman Tim Sznewajs. "The competition at Easterns is always tough, but we're looking to win it."

The Irish, who placed third last season, will face difficult competition from St. Bonaventure, Southern Illinois, Villanova, and host Cleveland State among other teams.

"We had a letdown last weekend at MCC's, but we feel very prepared for this meet," said Head Coach Tim Welsh. "It's hard to train for two championship meets in a row, but the men feel rested."

In their dual meet season, Notre Dame defeated both St. Bonaventure and Cleveland State on the road.

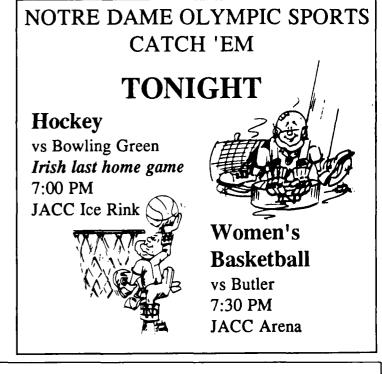
"The Bonnies always provide great competition for us," stated Welsh. "Our dual meet this year was very close, and we expect the same kind of competition from them this weekend."

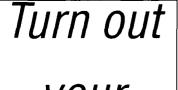
The Irish will be led by senior

Colin Cooley, who will attempt to qualify for the NCAA Championships that take place at the end of the month.

"This weekend has been the focus of our season," Cooley stated. "Cleveland is a great pool to qualify for NCAA's. The coach has prepared me well and I'm just hoping to swim well."

Junior Sean Hyer, who will compete in the diving events for the Irish this weekend, will also compete next weekend in the NCAA Zone Diving Championship at the University of Michigan. The top eight finishers of the meet will qualify for the NCAA Championship. Hyer will perform eleven dives on both the one and the three meter boards.





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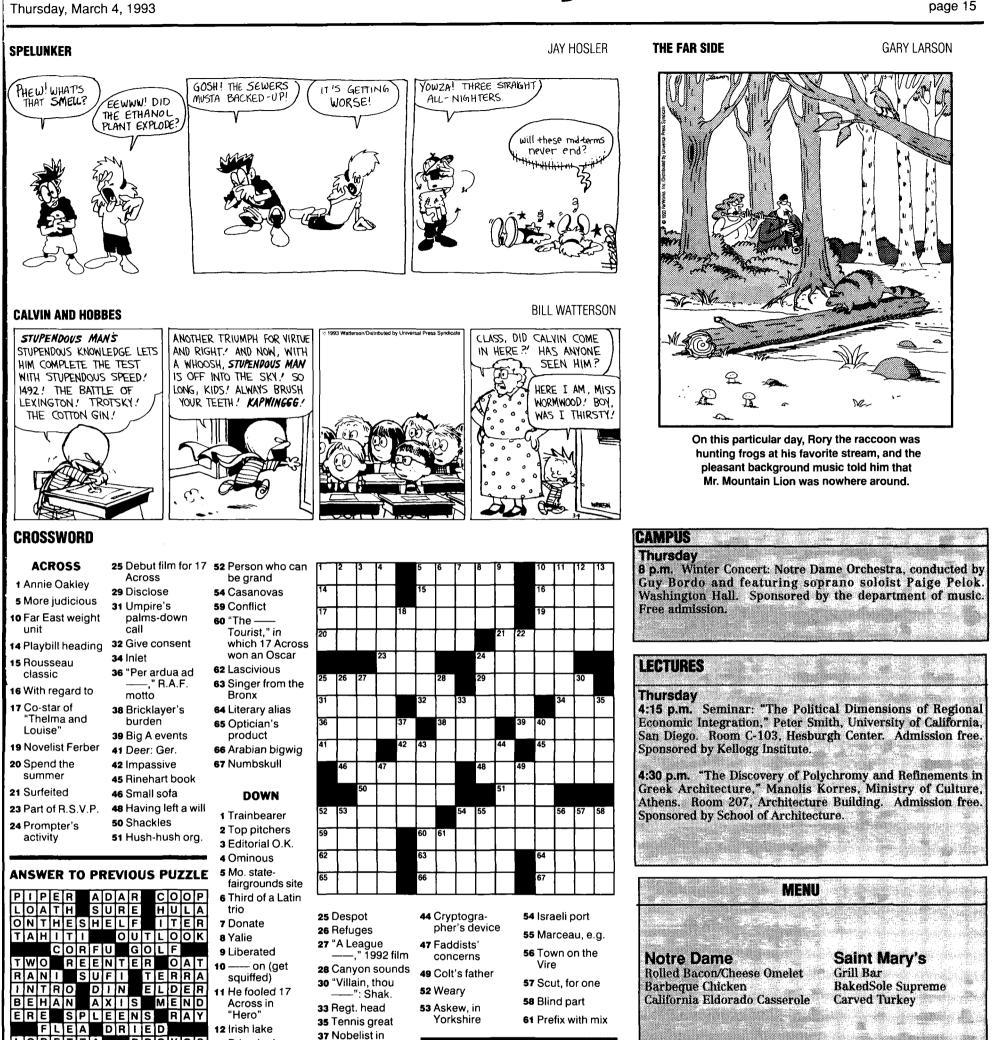
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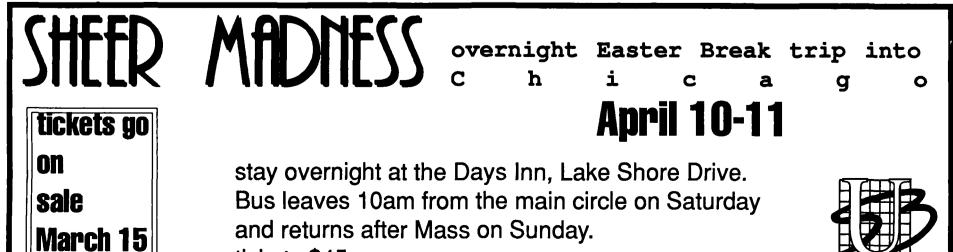
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Face Off

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Initial CCHA season frustrating for Irish hockey

Frustration. The only word which properly describes the Notre Dame hockey team's feelings toward its results this season is frustration.

Through thirty two games this year the Irish hockey team has battled to a somewhat disappointing record of 7-23-2

To the average Notre Dame sports fan, these numbers would indicate that the hockey squad is a rather untalented, uncompetitive team.

Numbers can be deceiving.

The 1992-93 edition of the Notre Dame hockey team should not be judged solely in terms of its record. Further examination of their performance this year reveals that the Irish have played competitively against many of the best teams in the country and that they could clearly be a .500 team right now had a few more pucks bounced their way.

This season has been marked by a number of major changes which have made a strong impact on the success of the team. The most significant change the Irish encountered was rejoining the Central Collegiate Hockey Association, a league which is considered by many to be the premier college hockey league in the nation. They have also faced a major revamping of their lineup with the addition of nine regularly playing freshmen.

Before reentering the CCHA, the Irish spent eight years playing as an independent against teams which varied greatly in terms of talent. By jumping to the CCIIA they joined a league which has produced four of the last nine national champions, including last year's winners, Lake Superior State.

Thirteen of the team's 23 losses this season have come from the hands of teams which are ranked in the top ten in the nation. The Irish have also lost six one-goal games, which leads the CCHA, and two two-goal games.

If the outcomes of these tight contests were reversed the Irish would have had a 15-15-2 record, an outstanding accomplishment by a team in its first season of CCHA play.

The Irish were disadvantaged earlier in the season by inexperience against teams of CCHA calibre. They lost their first eight games of the year against their league opponents, a streak which was ended when they tied the University of Illinois-Chicago at the UIC Pavilion on November 14. After garnering that point the Irish went on

It won't be a relaxing vacation for the Notre Dame baseball team

By JENNY MARTEN Associate Sports Editor

This won't be a relaxing spring break. Playing three top-10 teams and the California Angels in seven days, the Notre Dame baseball team won't have much time to work on their tans during a seven-game roadtrip out west which features No. 6 Arizona State, No. 7 Wichita State and No. 8 Arizona

"We want to establish ourselves as a solid club. We know we're a good ballclub and we know we're going to be a good ballclub at the end of the year. It's always difficult in the initial games to go out and get the feel of things," said fifth-year Irish head coach Pat Murphy.

Last year, the Irish (48-15) went to the Atlantic Regional championship game of the NCAA tournament, but lost to Miami, 5-1. Unfortunately, the team lost several key players from that team including Craig Counsell, Joe Binkiewicz, Cory Mee, Pat Leahy and Mike Rooney.

"I don't know if you could ever replace those guys. Those six guys, they're a special group of people," said Murphy. "I'm looking for some guys to emerge like them, but I don't know if we can replace those guys.'

The 1993 team would like to try.

At the plate, senior sluggers Eric Danapilis (.377, 6 HR) and Eddie Hartwell (.359, 3 HR) will pace the Irish. Notre Dame will also get plenty of help from designated hitter and comeback kid, Korey Wrobleski. Wrobleski injured his back before his freshman season started and now, after four years of rehab, is back in action.

On the mound, the Irish are led by an experienced pitching staff which has earned a reputation as hard-working and hard-nosed. Leading the returning staff are Al Walania (RHP, 9-4, 2.94), Chris Michalak (LHP, 10-5, 2.20), Dave Sinnes (RHP, 8-1, 2.31) and Tom Price (LHP, 7-1, 2.80). Bob Lisanti and Matt Haas will share the duties behind the plate.

"I think this is a solid group of pitchers who will get it done. They're not necessarily great pitchers. They're just winners," said Murphy.

In general, the defense is weakened by inexperience. Four players are at new positions making half the defense game-day rookies.

The Notre Dame infield, hurt by the loss of Mee and Counsell, will rely on several younger players. Hass will step in at first, junior Greg Layson will continue his work at second,

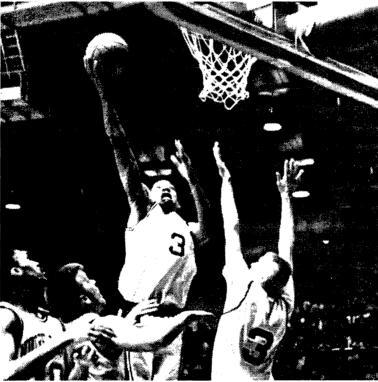


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Senior Chris Michalak returns after leading the team with a 2.20 ERA in 1992.

Valpo runs away from the Irish, 80-65



Monty Williams shoots over Valpo's defense. His 29 points weren't enough to lead the Irish to victory.

Hockey looks for a win in home finale By DOMINIC AMOROSA Sports Writer

The Notre Dame Hockey

By DAN PIER Sports Writer

The Notre Dame basketball squad entered last night's contest against Valparaiso determined to salvage at least one win from a dismal second half of the season.

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Adamson shines in finale

page 14 The Irish had to settle, however. for fine performances by their lone graduating senior and their top scorer in an 80-66 loss to the Crusaders.

Matt Adamson, who scored a career-high eight points, and Monty Williams, who poured in 29, were the only two bright spots for Notre Dame.

The first half of the game seemed like a computer fantasy matchup with one team playing against itself. Matching scrappy man-toman defenses and patient offenses, both teams scored 33 points on 14 of 25 shooting from the floor.

Williams controlled the inside with 16 points and eight rebounds.

We were very concerned with Monty Williams at halftime," said Valparaiso head coach Homer Drew. "We consider him an All-American performer. He can hurt you inside or outside, and I wish he would have played more on the perimeter tonight.

The second half began as evenly as the first, but David Redmon hit a long three to put the Crusaders ahead for good, 42-39. The Irish staved close until a chaotic scramble for the ball ended in a Notre Dame turnover, which Redmon converted on a layup and a foul to make the score 57-51.

"We made careless passes and they made us pay for it,' Notre Dame head coach

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Seniors say goodbye against Bowling Green By DOMINIC AMOROSA Sports Writer

Tonight's game at the Joyce ACC Fieldhouse will be the last time that six Notre Dame seniors grace the home ice in their careers. e, Dan Sawyer, Dan Marvin, and Carl

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o capture six of their next eleven	
contests, a stretch which finished with	
he squad going 5-2-0.	,

Since this stretch the Irish have been plagued by injuries to key players. Captain Matt Osiecki, alternate captain Curtis Janicke, and freshman Jamie Morshead have all missed games due to shoulder injuries. Janicke, who has missed six games since the team went on its tear, is tied for the team lead in goals and is second in overall scoring.

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team concludes regular season play in the **Central Collegiate Hockey Association** with a home game tonight against Bowling Green (15-20-1 overall; 10-17-1 in CCHA), and a Saturday night road game at Michigan State (21-12-2 overall; 17-9-2 in CCHA).

Notre Dame enters the game with a 7-23-2 overall record after dropping two games last weekend to CCHA powers Western Michigan and Michigan.

The Irish currently hold tenth place in the CCHA standings, while Bowling Green ranks seventh.

'We'll honor our seniors before the game, and hopefully win one for them,' said Irish coach Ric Schafer.

Tonight's game marks the final home ame for six Notre Dame seniors.

In order to stop Bowling Green, the rish must contain Falcons sophomore enter Brian Holzinger, who has scored 4 goals in his last 28 games.

"He's one of the premier players in the eague," commented Schafer. "Jeff Haselman has slowed him in the past, but e's a little banged up and we'll have to

Eric Gregoire, Curtis Picconatto finish their home careers tonight at 7:00 p.m. against Bowling Green. As a result, the Irish carry some extra emotion into tonight's contest.

"It's a culmination of four years coming to an end with very few wins at home," ealized Sawyer. "There will be a lot of emotion, but it will be fun."

Sawyer, a defenseman and three-year monogram winner from Kinnelon, NJ has 24 goals and 40 assists in his career.

"Dan's had an up and down year, but he's playing the best hockey of his career right now and he's been a valuable member of our program," said Irish coach Ric Schafer.

Gregoire, another defenseman, had yet to think about his last game.

"It hasn't hit me, but I'd love to go out on a winning note," he said.

A three-year monogram winner from lthaca, N.Y., Gregoire has scored only 6

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see if he can go.'

will be looked upon for a scoring punch.

Hasselman, a sophomore, has played in 63 consecutive games, but a shoulder injury may limit him tonight.

Besides Holzinger, BGSU boasts a 40 point scorer in senior Brett Harkins, and a 39 point scorer with junior Sean Pronger.

"We're a little banged up, so everybody needs to contribute offensively and defensively," said Irish assistant captain Dave Bankoske.

For Notre Dame, Bankoske, senior Curtis Janicke, and freshman Jaime Ling

"We need production from our leaders, because if we put it together we can beat them," Schafer explained.

Bankoske has been rolling lately with three goals and three assists in his last six games to increase his season totals to 12 goals and 13 assists.

Janicke, who missed four games prior to last weekend, has scored 12 goals and handed out 18 assists during the season. Meanwhile, Ling, a Rookie of the Year

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