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Brain power hits Notre Dame in full force... Nobel prize winners speak on campus

Poet Seamus Heaney shares life, laughs, and lauded poetry

By JILLIAN M. PAGLIOCCA
News Writer

Entertaining the standing-room only crowd with anecdotes from his childhood in County Derry, Northern Ireland, Nobel laureate Seamus Heaney gave a reading of his poetry Friday in the Center for Continuing Education.

In his presentation, Heaney, winner of the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1995, attributed his earliest pieces to his experiences in his farm community. The poet also touched on the difficulties of growing up in a strife-ridden Ireland, which he explained is implicitly reflected in his work.

Many of the pieces he read drew on these perceptions in youth, especially "Keeping Going," dedicated to his brother, and "The Ministry of Fear," a recollection of his adolescent years. The reading was given as part of the Joseph Duffy lecture series.

Heaney recited poems, partially from memory, that ranged from early to more recent work, and offered his appreciation at having been invited once again to read at Notre Dame. This is the third time in four years that the Dublin resident has been asked to speak on campus.

Heaney is a Foreign Member of the American Academy of Arts and Letters and held the chair of Professor of Poetry at Oxford from 1989 to 1994. He spends part of each year teaching at Harvard University, where he was elected the Boylston Professor of Rhetoric and Oratory in 1984.

Heaney's latest collection of poetry, "The Spirit Level," is his 13th published since "Death of a Naturalist" in 1966. Other works include three books of criticism and a translation of Sophocles' play "Philoctetes," called "The Cure at Troy."

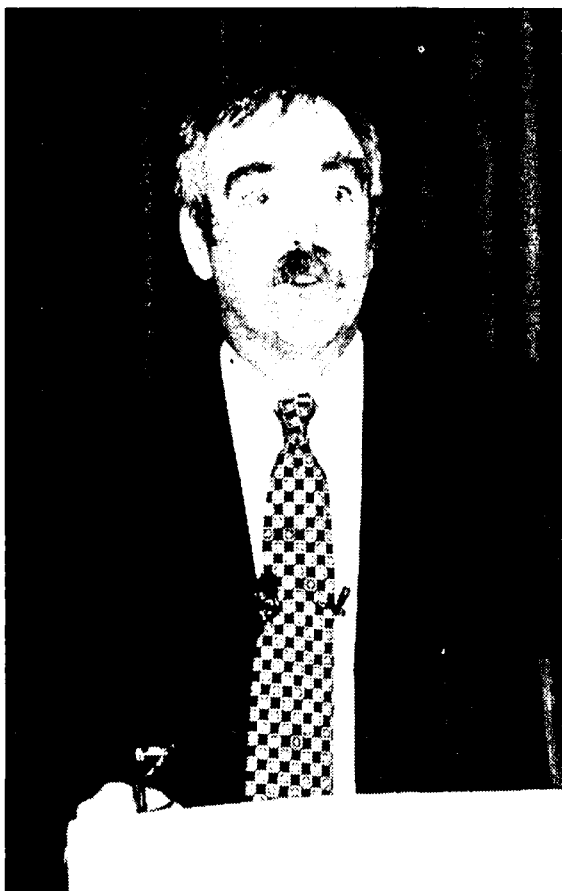
Professor Seamus Deane, Heaney's lifelong friend and fellow poet, introduced the speaker. Deane is the Keough Chair in Irish Studies and spends one semester each year teaching at Notre Dame. Heaney read a series of poems, "Singing School," from the 1975 collection "North," that was dedicated to Deane.

Heaney closed the reading with a witty elegy he wrote for a Russian poet, strictly modeled after W.H. Auden's elegy for W.B. Yeats.

After the reading, Heaney met with members of the audience and autographed copies of his books.



Seamus Heaney (above) and Eric Wieschaus (below), a Notre Dame grad, came to campus this weekend to share their Nobel Prize-winning work.



Wieschaus describes path to Nobel Prize

By SASKIA SIDENFADEN
News Writer

Contrary to popular belief, Nobel Prize winners are people too.

Eric Wieschaus, the 1995 Nobel Prize winner in medicine, proved this fact during a humorous, yet informative, address last Saturday honoring Professor Emeritus Emil Hofman.

Wieschaus, a 1969 graduate of Notre Dame, related the "nitty gritty" details of how he earned the Nobel Prize for his research in the genetic control of embryonic development in fruit flies. The first ever Nobel laureate from Notre Dame, Wieschaus had much to say concerning his early years as an undergraduate at the University.

Although Wieschaus admitted that his "memories as an

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Report will appear on Web page

By AMY SCHMIDT
News Writer

Plans are underway to make access to student government's Board of Trustees report as easy as surfing the net.

Student government has been developing an agenda for the report since last April, and has decided that the focus of the report should include issues such as examining recreational space across campus and suggestions for a performing arts center.

Student government traditionally makes a report to the Board of Trustees during each semester. The contents of the reports usually focus on topics that most interest the student body.

"We are really excited about the possibilities for the report," said Student Body President Seth Miller. "It looks at so many aspects of Notre Dame student life, and provides recommendations to the board that are not only consistent with the University's long-term plans, but with what students want and need."

Rough drafts of the report were completed by last Friday, and student government plans to post the report on its homepage by tomorrow morning. Posting of the report, coupled with the availability of additional copies for viewing in the student government office, will mean unlimited access to the report for students.

Students will be able to provide feedback to the report all day Tuesday via e-mail. Student government will send the report to be printed Wednesday morning.

The idea has received a positive response from students on campus. Most felt that it is important for Student Government to continue to make all information regarding student life as accessible as

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O'Neill Hall dedication marks start of new era

By DAVID FREDDOSO
News Writer

The newly nicknamed "Angry Mob" of O'Neill Hall has been living in its new quarters for several weeks already, but it officially began its tradition on Friday, when University President Father Edward Malloy dedicated the hall in memory of Notre Dame alumnus Joseph O'Neill Jr. and his family.

The festivities began in the early afternoon as Malloy offered a Mass of Thanksgiving for the new dormitory at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart. The O'Neill family, the hall staff, and the new dorm's resi-

dents were all in attendance.

Decked out in coats and ties, the "Angry Mob" of O'Neill marched across campus after the Mass through the drizzling rain to see Malloy give the hall his blessing.

"Bless O'Neill Hall," he prayed, "and bless all those who live here, and now and forever, bless the O'Neill family. May all those who serve Our Lady's School grow in the grace and favor of your kingdom."

Malloy was very happy for both the residents and for the O'Neill family, whose contributions in large part made the construction of the residence

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Charles Schwab, pictured above with Father Malloy and junior Matthew Lewis, was on campus this weekend to witness the dedication of O'Neill Hall. Schwab, a relative of the family, donated money towards the construction.

■ INSIDE COLUMN

Every breath you take

Hey folks. Hopefully you will excuse the following rant that I call my first column. It is not in any way indicative of what I think of my landlords. They are nice people and have yet to evict me.

Recently, many off-campus housing developments have decided to crack down on drinking. But they are not just focused on drinking. The management of these areas decided that they would crack down on parties in general.

One place announced that any violations of their policy would result in immediate eviction. Another sent a memo around saying that a gathering of nine or more people would be considered a party and could be broken up by police.

What does this have to do with me? Well, I decided to throw a party on Saturday night. I bought a keg. I sank \$100 into making sure my friends could come to my apartment and have a good time. When I got all set up, there were at least four security guards roaming the parking lot. While I definitely felt safe, I had to turn away at least twelve of my friends. I knew that if a large group of people was seen at my apartment, we would get busted. So I had the party with a maximum of fifteen people and we hung out until 5:15 a.m. (At least, that's when I called it a night).

But this whole sneaking around routine doesn't have to happen. These policies are simply a result of the University's whole "in loco parentis" (Latin phrase meaning "in the place of the parents") ideal.

We pay over \$20,000 a year to learn and grow as adults and prepare for the real world. Some people, however, seem to have the idea that students need to be led along as though they were still children. My real parents stopped doing that years ago. But some administrators have decided that they are actually very expensive baby-sitters.

I left the dorms because I could not stand the idea that a rector could call my parents and tell them what I was doing in school. I talk to my parents every week. I tell them what is going on. I don't need an impartial observer to evaluate how I spend my free time.

Then there is the "student spy" in the form of a resident assistant. These people are your friends, they are students like you. They are sent by the rector to make sure everything stays as it should be. I find the whole system to be ridiculous. But they own the dorms, they make the rules.

The University might think for a minute that the number of students moving off-campus could be a direct result of the watchdog policies that are incorporated into dorm life. Sure, it's less convenient to live off-campus. It also could end up being more expensive. (Except I haven't bought groceries for a few weeks.)

But the one thing that made it all worthwhile was the freedom. I moved for the ability to act and be treated as an adult. I moved so that no one would be watching my every move. I moved to escape parents that are stricter than my real ones. I left, running in fear from "el loco padres."

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.

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■ WORLD AT A GLANCE

As Hortense declines, Fausto picks up along Pacific

HALIFAX, Nova Scotia
Hurricane Hortense weakened to a tropical storm Sunday, after roaring into Nova Scotia with 100-mph winds that peeled roofs from buildings, flooded streets and left tens of thousands without power.

But as Hortense declined, Hurricane Fausto in the Pacific Ocean moved closer to the Mexican coast. The storm was moving north toward Baja California.

Residents there were preparing for the strength of the storm, which registered gusts of up to 130 mph over the weekend.

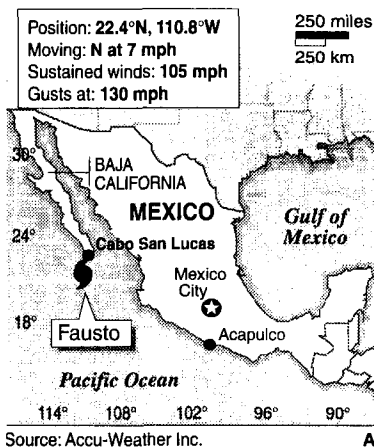
Late-evening winds were maintaining a rate of 105 mph, reports said.

Late-season vacationers at Acapulco were relieved that the hurricane would bypass the resort, but the anxiety expressed by residents further north echoed the fear that Nova Scotians felt earlier in the day.

"It was very terrifying," said Linette Hudson, recovering from hypothermia and sore muscles after being

Hurricane Fausto

As of 5 a.m. EDT Friday



swept by raging floodwaters from her car near Ingonish, Nova Scotia on Cape Breton Island.

"The winds were very high and the current was just like when you go white-water rafting — it was that fast," Hudson said.

Power was restored to much of the province Sunday as Hortense's winds diminished to 60 mph, bringing it below the 74-mph threshold necessary to qualify as a hurricane.

Hortense left Cape Breton and headed across colder waters, and was expected to weaken even further by Monday.

Hurricane Hortense made landfall just east of Halifax about 10 p.m. Saturday. Winds topped 100 mph at St. Paul's Island in the Cabot Strait and more than 5.4 inches of rain fell in Bedford, Nova Scotia outside Halifax.

Tens of thousands of Nova Scotians were without power all night into Sunday. The hurricane knocked down trees, left buildings without roofs and blew out windows.

Clinton touts four-year progress

INDIANOLA, Iowa

President Clinton dashed into Iowa to open a three-day Midwest campaign swing Sunday, snaring \$400,000 at political fund-raisers and declaring, "We're a lot better off than we were four years ago." "You're gonna win," a supporter shouted to Clinton from a crowd of thousands of people sprawled across a sloping field at a rally. "I am," Clinton exclaimed. "I am if you keep that same attitude for the next 51 days." In barely four hours in Iowa, the president pumped hands and posed for pictures at a \$500-a-couple meeting with contributors at River Oak Farm. Afterward, Clinton met privately with big-money donors, people contributing between \$5,000 to \$25,000. Clinton spoke at the same field four years ago in his first race for the White House. "When I look at the farm prices, when I look at farm assets, when I look at the direction of the economy here, I'd say we're a lot better off than we were four years ago and we ought to keep going in the same direction. We lowered the deficit four years in a row for the first time since before the Civil War."



Chess olympiad opens in Armenia

YEREVAN, Armenia

The World Chess Olympiad opened Sunday with a record 209 teams from 127 countries as Armenians enthusiastically welcomed world champion Garry Kasparov as one of their own. Kasparov, the world's highest-ranked player and champion of the Professional Chess Association, leads a Russian team that won the last Olympiad in Moscow two years ago and will contend for top honors again. The 33-year-old Kasparov was born in Baku, capital of neighboring Azerbaijan, to an Armenian mother and a Jewish father. He later moved to Moscow. His presence is a source of pride for Armenians: A crowd of 5,000 people attending Sunday night's ceremonial opening gave him a thunderous standing ovation. "Honestly, many people were skeptical when Armenia expressed its readiness to host the Olympiad, and they were doubtful when they heard that everything was going ahead all right," Kasparov said. "I believe that today everybody was convinced that the potential of this country and its people has no real limits."

Reverend: 'I will weep for Tupac'

NEW YORK

Tupac Shakur, remembered by many as a violent rapper who died in the gangsta culture he glorified, was mourned at his boyhood church Sunday as the victim of a society that destroys black youth. "He had the genes, he had the ability, could we have provided the society that would have made him blossom," the Rev. Herbert Daughtry said at The House of the Lord Pentecostal Church in Brooklyn. Two days after the 25-year-old Shakur died of gunshots wounds suffered in a drive-by shooting on a Las Vegas street, the pastor asked: "Who will weep for Tupac Shakur? I will weep for Tupac," he replied. Though he left Brooklyn in his teens, Shakur still is listed as a member of the congregation he joined when he was 15, with his mother and sister. Shakur — who had served time for assault, weapons violations and sex abuse — was hit by four bullets Sept. 7 as he rode in a car driven by the head of his label, Death Row Records chief Marion "Suge" Knight. Knight, who suffered minor injuries, and an entourage of at least 10 cars, including bodyguards, have failed to provide any suspects. Los Angeles police said the shooting of three Crips gang members in Compton, Calif., last week was in retaliation for the Shakur shooting.

'Maximum Risk' tops box office

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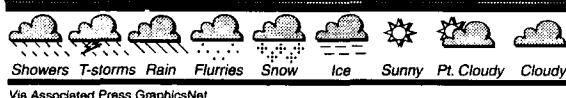
Two new movies, "Maximum Risk," a Jean-Claude Van Damme thriller, and the family adventure "Fly Away Home" opened atop the weekend box office list. "Maximum Risk" was No. 1 with an estimated \$5.8 million in ticket sales. "Fly Away Home," about an estranged father and daughter who help a flock of geese migrate, was second with \$5 million, according to preliminary estimates Sunday by Exhibitor Relations Co., which tracks receipts. Both films were released by Columbia Pictures, and the timing of the one-two punch is ironic considering that Sony Corp., Columbia's parent, had forced out studio chief Mark Canton on Friday after a summer of expensive flops including "The Cable Guy." "Bulletproof" was third at \$4 million, "Tin Cup" No. 4 at \$3.5 million, and "First Kid" fifth at \$3.3 million. Final figures were to be released today. The preliminary top six: 1. "Maximum Risk," \$5.8 million. 2. "Fly Away Home," \$5 million. 3. "Bulletproof," \$4 million. 4. "Tin Cup," \$3.5 million. 5. "First Kid," \$3.3 million. 6. "The Rich Man's Wife," \$3.2 million.

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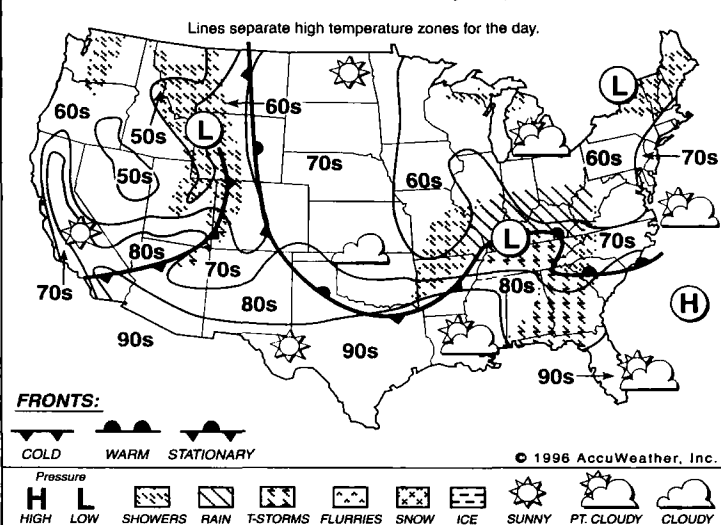
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Thursday		69	48
Friday		72	55



■ NATIONAL WEATHER

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Monday, Sept. 16.



Atlanta	82	68	Dallas	89	63	New Orleans	94	75
Baltimore	71	63	Denver	70	50	New York	68	63
Boston	62	55	Fort Wayne	68	53	Phoenix	62	45
Chicago	70	51	Los Angeles	83	62	Pittsburgh	69	55
Columbus	69	55	Minneapolis	67	52	St. Louis	72	55

Industry Day presents unique opportunities

By JOHN DE BOY
News Writer

The job search will officially begin tomorrow for students who plan to participate in the College of Engineering's 16th Annual Industry Day, a two-day event sponsored by the Joint Engineering Council and the Society of Women Engineers.

Industry Day will begin at 6:30 p.m. tomorrow with a special reception and banquet in the Joyce Center's Monogram Room.

Michelle Paduch, a Notre Dame senior who serves as chairperson of the Industry Day 1996 Executive Committee, said the event will provide engineering students with a unique opportunity to meet representatives from companies in various engineering fields.

"It's a chance for students to interact with the representatives and ask them what their companies are like," Paduch said. "Representatives can talk with students about possible summer internships or even permanent positions. Hopefully, students will make some good contacts and do a little networking. It's our opportunity to bring the companies to students."

Representatives from more than 40 companies will attend.

Participating students will be seated with representatives from companies of their choice, providing the opportunity to mingle with employers in a conversational setting.

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All company representatives who attend tomorrow's banquet will receive a binder containing resumes from students interested in their corporations.

The banquet's keynote speaker will be Patty Pieronek, a 1988 graduate of the College of Engineering who currently works for Andersen Consulting in Chicago. Pieronek also serves on the College of Engineering Advisory Council.

Industry Day activities will continue on Wednesday with a career fair from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on the first and second floors of Fitzpatrick Hall.

Many companies will conduct interviews in Fitzpatrick Hall during the career fair.

Among the corporations and organizations expected to send representatives to both Industry Day events are several leaders in government and private industry, including Amoco, the Boeing Company, the Central Intelligence Agency, Chrysler, General Electric, IBM, and Procter & Gamble.

While tomorrow's banquet is intended solely for students in the College of Engineering, other interested students are welcome to attend the career fair on Wednesday.

For more information on Industry Day or its participating companies, contact the Industry Day World Wide Web site at <http://www.nd.edu/~jec/industryday>.

■ ELECTION '96

Series targets economic issues

Observer Staff Report

The second installment of a weekly series at Notre Dame focusing on the 1996 election will be held Monday in the auditorium of the Center for Continuing Education.

The series, "The 1996 Elections and the Common Good," allows Notre Dame faculty members to present their ideas on all facets of the coming elections.

Professors Jeffrey Bergstrand of the department of finance, Chuck Craypo of the department of economics, and Ed Trubac, associate dean of the College of Business Administration, will speak on "Issues in the Economy" as part of the weekly series.

The presentation, which is free and open to the public, will begin at 4 p.m.

■ FAST FACTS

WHAT: "The 1996 Elections and the Common Good"

WHEN: This afternoon at 4 p.m.

WHERE: The Center for Continuing Education auditorium

OF NOTE: Professors Jeffrey Bergstrand, Chuck Craypo, and Ed Trubac will speak about economic issues.

"This series will help people get better prepared to vote and to vote with the idea of the 'common good' in front of them," said Kathleen Maas Weigert, an associate director of the Center for Social Concerns, one of the sponsors of the series. A discussion session follows the presentation.

The series will run every Monday through Oct. 14, from 4 to 5 p.m. Future speakers will be announced as they are determined.

Among the campus organizations sponsoring the series are two student groups, the College Democrats and College Republicans.

SMC prof offers London tour

Observer Staff Report

As many students are leaving to study abroad for the semester or academic year, a Saint Mary's professor is offering a taste of London through a one-week tour during Christmas break.

From Jan. 2 to 9, Professor Claude Renshaw of the business administration and economics department will host a tour of London, similar to the tours of Washington, D.C., he has sponsored during semester breaks.

Renshaw took a semester-long sabbatical in London in 1987, and has visited the city numerous times since. As a result, Renshaw says that the week will provide an insiders' view into the city.


The group, which he plans to limit to 12 students, will stay in apartments in London and tour the major sights of the city, including little-known spots that Renshaw discovered during his experience in the town.

"England's history goes back thousands of years — it is so

interesting to trace it, and then see it," said Renshaw. "There are so many interesting things in London, and it's amazing what you can find, and learn about the history."

The total cost of the trip is \$888, which includes round-trip air fare from Chicago to London, transportation and accommodations.

There will be an informational meeting tonight at 6 p.m. in 247 Madeleva. All interested students are welcomed and encouraged to attend.



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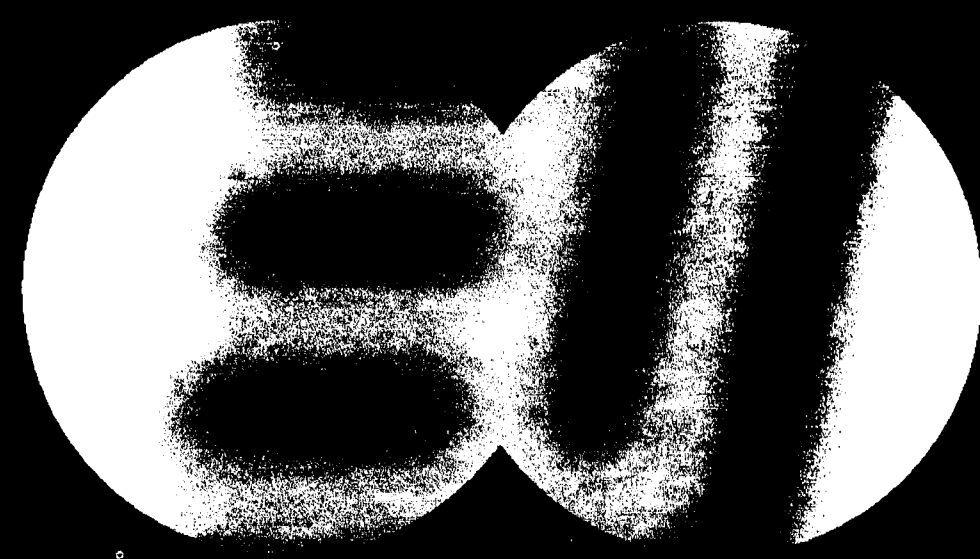
Arnold Air Society: Sept. 19 & 20 - Thurs., 5:00 pm prayer service at the Grotto, followed by vigil at Fieldhouse mall, Fri., 5:00 retreat at South Quad Flagpole

Asian American Association: Meeting Wed., Sept. 18, at 9:00 pm Faculty Lounge (Hesburgh Library)

Amnesty International: Meeting Wed., Sept. 18 in the CSC Study Lounge at 8:00 pm

African Student Association: Tues., Sept 17, Hesburgh Center Auditorium, 4:15 pm - "History in the Making: Africa at the 1996 Olympics" Wed., Sept 18, 102 DeBartolo @ 7:00 pm Gito L'Ingrat: African Film \$1 donation

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hall possible.

"It's really exciting to have two beautiful halls, and to do both of the dedications," he said, referring as well to the new Marilyn T. Keough Hall, which will be dedicated in two weeks.

"The [O'Neill and Keough] families especially appreciate getting to meet some of the students who are living there," he continued. "I think that means a great deal to them, because you can feel good about giving a building, but when you see the people who are living there, it all comes to life for you."

Residents of O'Neill had been eagerly anticipating the dedication since the beginning of the school year. Jason Lineen, a sophomore resident, was glad to see that the festivities exceeded his expectations.

"We are very happy with the turnout of members of the dorm. We were getting excited about this at all the section

meetings," Lineen said. "We were just a bit worried about whether they would dress up or if they would all show up, but today we got some great participation."

Now that O'Neill Family Hall has become the first men's dormitory to be dedicated since 1969, the hall residents have been given the task of establishing for its new home a unique identity and tradition.

Sean Ziegler, a sophomore and former resident of Grace Hall, was excited at this prospect. "It's a big responsibility," he said, "and we are very grateful to the O'Neill family."

Malloy also commented on this rare opportunity that the men of O'Neill have been given.

"The generation of students that live here now will represent all the generations of students who will live here in the future," Malloy said. "They will come back after they graduate, and they will be able to say, 'That was where I lived. I remember when it was brand new.' It's fun to be a part of history."

NACUFS honors food service head

Special to The Observer

David Prentkowski, director of food services at Notre Dame, has been elected president of the National Association of College & University Food Services (NACUFS).

NACUFS is a professional association of food service professionals from more than 600 colleges and universities in the

United States and Canada. Established in 1958, NACUFS promotes high quality food service on campuses by providing educational and training opportunities and supporting research.

"I've been involved with NACUFS for 12 years now, and I've found it to be extremely beneficial to me, personally as well as professionally," Prentkowski said. "By serving

in this leadership position, I'll be gaining more exposure to various opportunities and even learning new ways to enhance our operation here at Notre Dame."

Prentkowski, a South Bend native, has served as publications officer and president of the organization's Region VII chapter, national president-elect and chair of the marketing committee.

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■ CAMPUS BRIEFS

Trustee's husband succumbs to illness

Special to The Observer

Word has been received of the death of Ralph Pfeiffer Jr., husband of Notre Dame Trustee Jane Pfeiffer. Mr. Pfeiffer died after an illness.

Visitation will be Tuesday at Gallagher Funeral Home, 31 Arch Street, in Greenwich, Conn., and the Mass of the

Resurrection will be celebrated Wednesday at St. Mary's Church in Greenwich.

The Pfeiffers were married in 1976, when both were vice presidents with IBM. Mrs. Pfeiffer, who subsequently became chairman of the board of the National Broadcasting Company, had been elected a Notre Dame trustee in 1974.

Troupe to perform at SMC

Special to The Observer

Chicago's Trinity Irish Dance Company kicks off the 1996-97 John M. Dunnigan Series at Saint Mary's College on Saturday at 8 p.m. in O'Laughlin Auditorium.

In drawing inspiration from ancient Celtic myths and stories, the company's performances explore the development of Irish dance as a precursor to tap, clog and square

dancing, as well as the connection to African rhythms and dance styles.

The dancers, whose ages range from 15 to 28, offer traditional Irish dance as part of their program, but put new twists on the tradition, in the form of progressive, athletic interpretations, and sleeker costumes.

The current company was formed in 1990 as an offshoot of Howard's Trinity Dance

Academy, which won 12 titles at the World Championship of Irish Dance in Dublin, Ireland. Among the company's highlights was a specially choreographed performance on one of Johnny Carson's final "Tonight Show" broadcasts.

Tickets for the Trinity Irish Dancers are \$16 for adults, \$14 for senior citizens, \$8 for members of the Saint Mary's and Notre Dame community, and \$5 for students.

LONDON PROGRAM

INFORMATION MEETING FOR FALL '97 AND SPRING '98

Tuesday, September 17, 1996

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6:30 PM

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SB police cite ten in SUDS raid

Observer Staff Report

A police raid of an off-campus party Friday night at Lafayette Square Apartments resulted in citations for 10 students.

The students were cited for consumption by a minor. No arrests were made.

The raid, conducted by the Stop Underage Drinking and Sales division of the South Bend Police Department and the Indiana State Excise Police, occurred at 11:30 p.m.

Police conducted the raid after being alerted of the likely possibility that underage students were drinking at the party, said Capt. David Chapman of the South Bend Police Department.

"Because of the concern of area law enforcement with underage drinking, this raid was conducted, and more are being planned," Chapman said.



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Wieschaus Trustees

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undergraduate are kind of a blur," he did manage to recollect some of his more humorous experiences and thank the faculty who helped launch his interest in microbiology. Among the science courses he took as an undergraduate, it was during an embryology course that Wieschaus literally fell across what would become his life-long passion. "I knew, at that time, that was what I wanted to do. I wanted to be a scientist," said Wieschaus.

"That course, and so many other courses like it, provided a very sound basis for my later development as a scientist," he added.

After graduating from Notre Dame, Wieschaus went on to pursue his doctorate at Yale University, which he received in 1975. During his research on embryonic development, he traveled to Germany where he continued his studies with the help of colleagues Edward Lewis of the California Institute of Technology and Christiane Nusslein-Volhard of the Max Planck Institute. The scientists began using fruit flies as models for their studies of how certain genes were programmed to create corresponding body parts in humans.

Wieschaus admitted that his beginning discoveries were the result of trial-and-error and the "foolish mistakes" of any amateur. Yet, as pioneers of a new science, the research he and his colleagues conducted was "widely accepted and read by the scientific community."

Wieschaus' work with fruit flies embryos opened similar veins in medical research. The identification of certain genes allowed scientists to discover the reason for mutations in human embryos. Once they knew the causes for birth defects in humans, scholars could approach preventive medicine at a microscopic level, perhaps preventing genetic defects from occurring.

Hofman appeared at the conclusion of the lecture and commented on Wieschaus' performance as an undergraduate. He joked that even a Nobel Prize winner in medicine can receive a B in General Chemistry, alluding to a class Hofman formerly taught at Notre Dame in which Wieschaus was a student.

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possible.

"I think that this (the posting of the report on the World Wide Web) is a very important idea because almost everyone is on the Web today," said sophomore Leah Toeniskoetter. "Also, the option to e-mail back to student government is important because it's the easiest way to respond to the issues."

Research to fine-tune the contents of the report was conducted over the summer, and an eight-point agenda was decided upon. The agenda includes the following:

- an audit of current student space reviewing the following: office and club space, recreational space, study space, and public social space.

- suggestions for the tentatively planned performing arts center.

- the possibility of building a large auditorium to be used for special events such as featured guest speakers.

- reflections on food service, including expansion of the South Dining Hall and concerns about the Oak Room.

- discussion of the need for increased funding of student organizations.

- consideration of the way the University can implement its plans for enhancing student life in the Colloquy for the Year 2000.

- supporting ideas and statistics obtained from targeted surveys of other institutions, dormitory rectors, and student leaders.

- clear recommendations for the Board of Trustees to consider in its advisory role.

Student Body Vice President Megan Murray, who led the research team this summer, said that "there is a great opportunity here to get a lot more social space for students, to create opportunities for a lot of new and exciting events."

Student Senate approved this agenda for the report at its meeting on Sept. 4, and also approved a proposal for a special Student Senate committee that would participate in the final editorial process of the report.

Miller and Murray will present the final report to the Student Affairs Sub-Committee of the Board of Trustees on Sept. 26.

Snite hosts art symposium

Special to The Observer

Prominent sculptors, art critics and museum curators will take part in a symposium on sculpture Saturday from 1-5 p.m. at Notre Dame's Snite Museum of Art.

The symposium will be followed by an opening reception for an exhibition entitled "Contemporary American Sculpture," which will run through Nov. 28 in the Snite's O'Shaughnessy West Gallery.

The symposium will begin with a keynote address by Robert Morris, sculptor, art theorist and author of "The Mind Body Problem" and "Continuous Project Altered Daily."

The address will precede a panel discussion moderated by Father Austin Collins, associate professor of art, art history and design at Notre Dame.

Panelists include Terence Dempsey, director of St. Louis University's Museum of Contemporary Religious Art; Robert Haywood, assistant professor of art, art history and design at Notre Dame; Gregory Knight, chief curator at the Chicago Cultural Center; and Lynne Warren, curator of special projects at the Museum of Contemporary Art in Chicago.

The exhibition, of which Father Collins is the curator, includes sculptures by 30 contemporary American artists including two members of

Notre Dame's art faculty: William Kremer Jr., chair of the department of art, art history and design, and Father James Flanagan, associate professor of art, art history and design.

Both the symposium and the exhibition are being held in conjunction with the Notre Dame Public Sculpture Project, an exhibition of three outdoor sculptures organized by Notre Dame's department of art, art history and design; the Snite Museum of Art; and the Campus Sculpture Committee.

The Public Sculpture Project exhibition, which includes eight works from the Snite's permanent collection and 11 works by Notre Dame alumni, will run through next July.

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■ THE VATICAN

Pope to have surgery for inflamed appendix

By FRANCES D'EMILIO
Associated Press Writer

VATICAN CITY

To combat "news, supposition and rumors" about the pope's health, the Vatican announced Saturday that John Paul II was suffering from an inflamed appendix and would have surgery later this year.

The 76-year-old pope's condition "is not urgent," said Vatican spokesman Joaquin Navarro-Valls. John Paul will go ahead next week with a hectic, four-day trip to France.

No date was set for the appendectomy, but Navarro-Valls indicated it would take place sometime after Oct. 6, when John Paul is scheduled to lead a beatification ceremony in St. Peter's Square.

The pope's personal physician, Dr. Renato Buzzonetti said he



John Paul II

and others on had ruled out the possibility of an abdominal tumor. John Paul had surgery in 1992 for what the Vatican said was a benign intestinal tumor.

Buzzonetti said the pope's "transitory episodes of abdominal pain linked with a fever, which have occurred since Dec. 25, 1995," are caused by "recurring episodes of inflammation of the appendix."

The medical team recommending surgery included Francesco Crucitti, who did the tumor surgery and two surgeries in 1981 to repair damage from an abdominal gunshot wound in an assassination attempt.

The Vatican said it released Buzzonetti's medical assessment to combat "the news, suppositions and rumors that have been spread in recent weeks."

In recent months John Paul has often grimaced in pain and seems to tire easily. Last Christmas, the pope became nauseous while reading holiday wishes to a worldwide TV audience and had to break off. The Vatican then said the pope had "something like" the flu.

■ ITALY

Bossi declares north free

Secessionist blasts Rome at political rally

By DANIEL WAKIN
Associated Press Writer

VENICE, Italy

As thousands of followers cheered, secession leader Umberto Bossi declared northern Italy an independent nation Sunday, in his sharpest challenge yet to the country's political establishment.

"We peoples of Padania solemnly proclaim: Padania is an independent and sovereign federal republic," said Bossi, using the name he would give to an independent north.

The declaration was only a symbolic gesture, marking a dramatic finale to three days of rallies for secession and against the Rome-based government, which Bossi accuses of oppressing and exploiting Italy's comparatively wealthy north.

Bossi leads the Northern League party, which emerged in the early 1990s as a powerful force in the north's wealthy, industrialized regions, which include the cities of Venice, Treviso, Milan, Bergamo and Brescia.

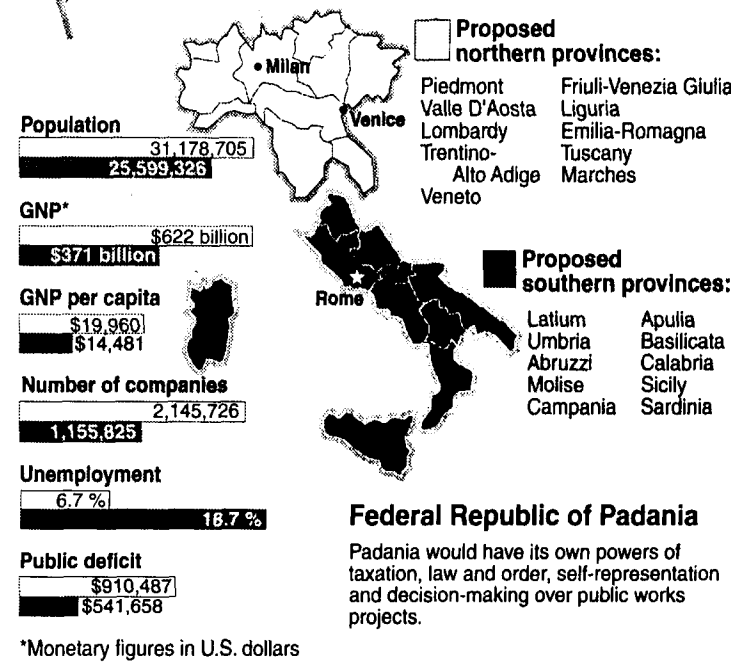
Polls show only a small minority of northern Italians favor secession. By police estimate, 10,000 supporters turned out to hear Bossi's declaration of independence, the biggest crowd yet in the three days of protests.

Landing near Venice's Grand Canal in a catamaran, the grav-



Italy secession?

Umberto Bossi, leader of the secessionist Northern League, is planning a weekend of rallies calling for northern Italy to break away from the rest of the country.



AP/ Terry Kole

ely voiced leader somberly read out a declaration that condemned the Italian state for "colonial oppression, economic exploitation and moral violence" and denounced Rome for using the north's resources for "Mafia-like welfare for the south."

"I feel free of Rome," said Andrea Dalla Vecchia, 21, who came from nearby Vicenza to see Bossi.

Earlier Sunday, Premier Romano Prodi, speaking elsewhere in the north, declared

that "unity and autonomy must travel together in our country."

Scores of independence events leading up to the declaration were held in cities and towns along the Po River, which runs through the rich industrial and agricultural heartland of northern Italy.

In Venice, over 4,000 police were on hand to control the crowds. Leftist Mayor Massimo Cacciari urged citizens to stay home. Shoving broke out at another rally in Chioggia, injuring a parliamentary deputy.

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Redwood anti-logging rally leads to arrests

By JOHN HOWARD
Associated Press Writer

CARLOTTA, Calif. Scores of environmentalists — including singer Bonnie Raitt — were arrested Sunday in a demonstration against logging in the world's last privately owned virgin grove of redwood trees.

The protesters, many of them emerging from soggy camp sites after a nightlong drizzle, converged on a quarter-mile stretch of road in front of Pacific Lumber Co.'s Carlotta mill, about 280 miles north of San Francisco.

Nearly 4,000 people were at the site, and by early evening between 300 and 400 of them had been arrested and handcuffed on charges of intentionally trespassing on Pacific Lumber land.

Among the arrested were families with children, although none of the protesters was being jailed. They were processed at the site and released.

The protesters trickled in throughout the day by bicycle, car and on foot. Raitt was arrested along with her father, Broadway star John Raitt. Bonnie Raitt and Don Henley were among the singers who made appearances to support the cause.

Private security guards and sheriff's deputies in riot gear were deployed in front of the mill.

Demonstrators went prepared to be arrested for civil disobedience on behalf of the giant trees, said Earth First leader Judy Bari.

"We've tried everything," Bari said. "These are some of the most magnificent beings on Earth. There is nothing left for us to do but put our bodies on the line."

Last year, a similar protest drew 2,500 people and about 120 were arrested.

The demonstration by a coalition of environmental groups was aimed at Pacific Lumber's plans to remove dead, dying and diseased timber from about 3,000 acres of the Headwaters Forest.

The company called it a salvage operation, and had approval from courts and state forestry officials.

Environmentalists said the logging would damage live trees and harm wildlife habitat.

Several men toting a logging banner drove to the center of the protest site. "If we don't log it, somebody else will," said one private timber worker.

Voters bring crime fear to polls

By JULIA PRODIS
Associated Press Writer

LONGVIEW, Texas Daisy Carey double-locks her doors and is afraid to go outside. Chuck Brizius won't let his wife go out alone after dark, even if it's just to buy a lottery ticket.

They live on opposite sides of the same east Texas town, she in a neighborhood of dope houses and derelicts; he in an exclusive fenced-in community with a clubhouse and security guard booth at the front gate.

He's got a .45. She's got a shotgun.

As different as their worlds are, they have one thing in common — fear of crime. Like so many other Americans, when they go to the polls in November to vote for president, crime will be one issue that factors into their decision.

They also have something else in common with other Americans: They differ on which candidate would make them feel more secure in their homes and on their streets.

"Neither one seems to be as strong on it as I would be," Brizius says, though he's leaning toward Bill Clinton over Bob Dole.

"Maybe (Ross) Perot would be, but I don't think he stands a chance," says the 71-year-old retired Army aviator, who has become the butt of jokes as the "only man at a hen party" when he insists on accompanying his wife out at night.

In the heart of "yellowdog" Democrat country in east Texas, Longview is an oasis of Republicans who have voted for every GOP presidential candidate since Eisenhower. North Longview in particular, the upscale area where piney woods are being bulldozed for new walled subdivisions, is a bastion of Republicans.

Kathryn and Ben Hauk, who moved to Brizius's secure neighborhood after their old house was burglarized in broad daylight, plan to vote for Dole.

Dole represents strong family values — and if those are in place, less crime will follow, Mrs. Hauk says.

"Putting more policemen on the street isn't going to take care of it," says Mrs. Hauk, 73, referring to Clinton's efforts. "We have to start when they're young teaching them values."

Down the street, across from the clubhouse, pool and tennis courts, Sarah and Brad Olson are planning to vote for Dole mainly because of his opposition to abortion. But crime is a real concern for them, especially while raising their two young children.

Even though there hasn't been a crime here in Town Lake Village for 10 years, Mrs. Olson still worries. "When my husband is gone, I don't sleep well. I leave all the lights on. I have no particular reason, nothing ever happened to me, but in today's society, you have to be concerned," says the 28-year-old stay-at-home mom.

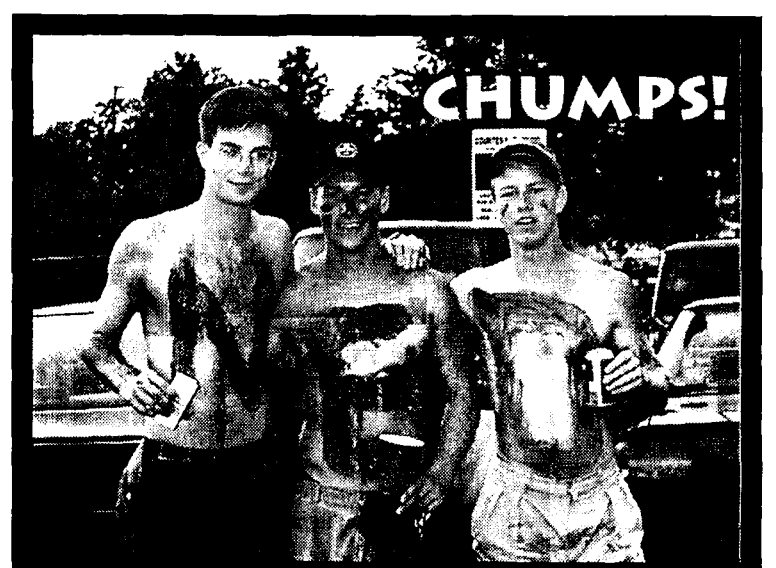
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■ THE WINTER OF MY DISCONTENT

Coping with 'circumstantial schizophrenia'

I don't have anything too profound or insightful to share with you all this week. The world of national politics is exceptionally dull and depressing right now. There are no new local controversies raging, and if I choose to write on a campus issue, I'll have to live of accusations of "whining." But I must confess that this condition of pseudo-writer's block is partly my fault as well: you see my best friend from high school was here this weekend and

I'm sure a lot of you have experienced this. You have your life at home, and you have your life here. You're the same person in both places (making my use of the term "circumstantial schizophrenia" somewhat questionable, but, hey, I couldn't do any better), and the people in each place are sort of vaguely aware of your other reality—you've told them stories or shown them pictures. But nonetheless your two existences remain pretty much distinct, with you yourself as the only bridge between them.

You have groups of people who are incredibly dear to you in both places but don't know each other and probably never will. You have stories about your adventures in one place that you tell in the other, but they end up sounding distant and impersonal. You use a slightly different vernacular at school and at home: "hook up", for example, goes from meaning a random physical encounter with the opposite sex to meeting people for lunch or coffee. Your operative name is subject to change, as high school nicknames rarely carry over and their college counterparts seldom make it home.

Again, I can't expect everybody to relate to this. One of my good friends up here, for example, is from a little town in central Illinois, and on any given football Saturday seemingly has about half of his high school class up here and/or a family-sponsored tailgater. It's hard for me to imagine that he ever feels too far removed from his "other" life.

The Chicago people can hop on the South Shore Railroad and be home for any given weekend, presumably lessening the feeling of having two completely separate lives. And then there

are the poor 'Benders who have been here for years...

I don't know, perhaps I'm making more of this than it really deserves. But it seems that I'm always missing someone. Over the summer a phone call or letter from a Notre Dame friend was enough to make my day. The

'You have groups of people who are incredibly dear to you in both places but don't know each other and probably never will. You have stories about your adventures in one place that you tell in the other, but they end up sounding distant and impersonal.'

school year just reverses the situation by bringing me together with my ND friends even as it carries me away from my family and old friends.

And when the distinct realities do finally intersect at an event like JPW or via a friend's trip, it's downright odd. For example, my best college friend visited me in Dallas a couple of summers back, and while out with him and a group of my high school buddies, the realization that in a sense my college peer group mirrors my high school peer group hit me. Certain friends in both places have been cast in the same roles in my life.

Junior Parents' Weekend provoked similar sensations in many of us as we for the first time brought our real families into contact with the surrogate family of friends that we have devel-

oped over our time here. I recall many people commenting on how draining and exhausting—albeit fun—JPW was, and I think that this was largely a product of the stress of bringing together the two most important groups of people in our lives; would one approve of the other?

And then there is the challenge of trying to explain Notre Dame to an outsider. A lot of what goes on around here just defies rational explanation: how do we account for things like the Linebacker ("Let me get this straight; your most popular bar is a cinder-block shack that plays Neil Diamond and Frank Sinatra?"), Sergeant Tim McCarthy ("Why are y'all laughing at that stupid pun?"), alumni wearing plaid pants ("Do they issue you guys those things at graduation?"), and parietals ("Isn't that a botany term?")?

Over the last three years I've free-loaded all over the continental United States, taking advantage of the national scattering of Notre Dame's student body during the summers, and the Diaspora of my high school friends during the school year. This unique distribution has allowed me to stay for free in about a dozen locations, from Baltimore, Maryland, to Seattle, Washington. I even stayed with a guy in Heidelberg, Germany, for a while. I can only hope that I didn't plunge all those people kind enough to take me in into the same sort of introspection and self-analysis that this past weekend provoked in me, but, oh well—at least I got a column out of it.

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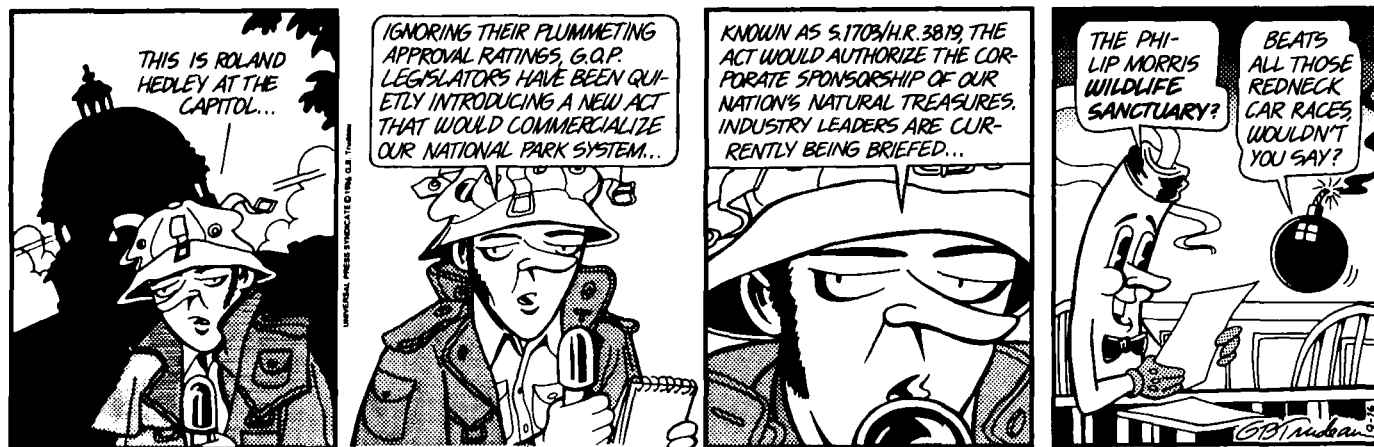


usurped my usual column-writing time and energy. But in the process he also provided me with a topic for this thing by forcing me to confront just how "circumstantially schizoid" my existence has become.

Now the statement may not make sense to you. Indeed, it shouldn't mean much if you're one of the many Chicagoans or Hoosiers running around this place. But if you, like myself, have to endure a multi-day car ride or transcontinental plane flight every time you go to or from South Bend, then perhaps you have some idea where I'm going with this. I suppose it's an inevitable side effect of going to school a thousand miles away from home, but it's still disconcerting when you realize that you have developed two full independent, unrelated, complete lives that parallel each other but never—or at least very rarely—intersect.

■ DOONESBURY

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■ QUOTE OF THE DAY

"You're young, and you've got your health. What do you want with a job?"

—Evills Nokes

■ NOW SHOWING

Don't Bother Taking a 'Maximum Risk.'

BY MARK TORMA
Accent Movie Critic

☆☆ (Out of Four)

In a town in the south of France, a man runs frantically from two pursuers. The man is Jean-Claude Van Damme, but he looks far clumsier than usual. His pursuers are American and considerably more out of shape than he is, but the chase goes on.

And then, still at the beginning of his new movie, "Maximum Risk"... Jean-Claude is killed!

Wait - save the wailing and gnashing of teeth. The real central character is the dead man's long-lost twin brother, who learns of the dead brother's existence and his death at the same time. This man is, of course, also Van Damme, who from then on indulges in a lot of meditative soul-searching as to the true nature of his family and himself. Hint: if you've seen "Bloodsport," you know that this is quintessential Jean-Claude. After all, martial arts masters (especially those who were also snipers in the French Army) are always that introspective.

However, Alain Moreau (the surviving Jean-Claude) doesn't waste too much time deep in thought. He's fast on the trail of his brother's real identity; it leads him to New York, where he discovers that Mikhail Subarov, his brother, was a big-time gangster in the Russian Mafia, operating in the states.

A crooked FBI outlet is also working with the Mob in Little Odessa, so Alain has a lot to worry about, on both sides of the Atlantic, when he learns that Mikhail was going to turn

over evidence to government officials and implicate the entire operation. Due to Mikhail's unfortunate turn of events, that evidence is still in a bank vault in Nice, so it's up to Alain to recover it and restore his brother's good name.

Does Alain do this? Of course he will eventually, but that's not the real question. Who knows Alain's Alain and not Mikhail? The FBI or the Russian Mob? That depends on who tried to kill Mikhail in the opening sequence. That would have been a great point of suspense, but it only comes up at the moment the question is answered.

The action instead centers around Alain's constant battles with a huge, blonde Russian thug (but hadn't every-

body had forgotten about the Cold War and "Rocky IV"). If Van Damme's fast-kick action scenes are your special cup of tea, then these scenes will rock your world. Otherwise, they were absolutely nothing more than the thrilling window-dressing that should be expected in a Van Damme movie.

Then again, there wasn't anything in the story of "Maximum Risk" that shouldn't be expected. The big thug, the criminal organizations out to get our muscular hero, and last but not least, the more-than-beautiful woman who is inextricably mired in a dire situation. That woman is Natasha Henstridge, mostly memorable for her "work" in "Species." She plays the girlfriend of

Mikhail who knows everything about him and his personal mission to turn in his associates in crime. As soon as she sees Alain in action, she falls for him and his impeccable morals - and yes, his body, too. This plotline is a great surprise, as is the fact that Henstridge's character Alex has a whole wardrobe that's two sizes too small.

Alain gets over this flaw in Alex and falls for her, too, and they travel back to Nice, accompanied by the FBI agents, who would like to obliterate the evidence implicating them. This includes obliterating Alain and Alex as well, but after even more breaking of heads, shattering of glass, and crashing of cars, Alain has reclaimed the damning evidence and obliterated his Russian enemies, and the only thing left for him to do is dispose of the renegade G-men.

Well, Hollywood seems to think that foreigners must not be allowed to kill U.S. citizens: Alain doesn't think twice about putting a bullet in a Russian's skull, but he spares the miserable lives of the FBI agents. Looks like Van Damme knows where his fan base lies.

"Maximum Risk" is ninety minutes of gore and violence, and a little bit of explicit sex. The plotline is laid on thick with broad strokes; the viewer can only become confused if he or she thinks too much.

If all of this appeals to you, you must - you MUST - see this movie immediately. The rest of us can stay behind, gloating over our cultural sophistication while we read our Marvel Comics.

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Photo Courtesy of Columbia Pictures Industries, Inc.
Jean-Claude Van Damme stars as retired French soldier Alain Moreau in the action thriller "Maximum Risk."



Photo Courtesy of Columbia Pictures Industries, Inc.
Natasha Henstridge stars as Alex Minetti, the girlfriend of Alain's (Jean-Claude Van Damme's) murdered brother.

■ MOVIE REVIEW

'Bogus' Oddly Aimed - Better for Television

BY JOSH BECK
Accent Movie Critic

As I was watching "Bogus", I made a note that this was the way television movies were made. The plot, the acting, the script, and everything else looked like it should have been molded into an ABC Friday night movie. This was such a problem that I was almost seeing spaces where I could flip the channel during one of those insane commercial breaks where the announcer tells you, "We'll be back in a moment." I also remember parts toward the end where if it had been a T.V. movie that I would have fallen asleep on my couch. All of these attributes go into making a movie for television.

However, making a good movie has nothing to do with where it is viewed. It has to do with something called an audience. Most filmmakers aim their movies at certain audiences. For instance, I wouldn't go see a movie like "First Kid" unless I were under the age of twelve and extremely gullible for my age. Or I could be one of those unfortunate parents who drag their kids to see that kind of stuff until they've grown out of it. The point is that a children's movie with a G or PG rating is directed towards just that type of audience: children. I couldn't figure out what the filmmakers of "Bogus" wanted me to believe it was. At first I thought it was a kid's picture. But as it moved on I became more confused and I finally

stopped trying to figure it out. The plot doesn't help, either.

The beginning of the movie portrays a young boy named Albert (Haley Joel Osmond) and his mother, Lorraine (Nancy Travis). One night Lorraine, who works as a showgirl at a Las Vegas hotel, is killed in an automobile accident. Albert then has to go through the pain and anguish of losing his mother while his Lorraine's closest friends try to find a place for him to live. They find papers saying that the Lorraine's closest relative is Harriet (Whoopi Goldberg), her foster sister when she was a child. She's contacted in Newark where she works as the boss of a shipping company. Through some legal procedure (don't ask what), Harriet finds that in the event of Lorraine's death, she is the mother of Albert. Albert then flies to Newark, where on the way he meets Bogus (Gerard Depardieu), an invisible friend with whom only he can converse and see and converse. Albert then meets Harriet, and their whirlwind relationship begins from there. At first I

thought that "Bogus" was actually part of Albert's conscience, but later I got confused as he is made out to be a figment of the imagination but something magical is well. The movie turns out not to be the story of Albert but the struggle for Harriet, who was a foster child herself, to acknowledge her imagination and therefore have a better relationship with

believe that this would have made more money if NBC had broadcast it. Also, there is no definite audience for which it is aimed. Of the ten people in the theater, two of them could be considered children, and the only thing I heard from them was the snoring of one and the incessant rocking of the seat from another. This movie is not meant for kids, although the

preconception of it might lead you to believe so. On the other hand, I can't say it was really an all-out drama. The title for it would probably be a 'dark family film.' The words drama and comedy don't apply because this film was neither. The word family is used loosely because it



Photo Courtesy of Warner Brothers
Gerard Depardieu stars as Bogus, in this new release with Whoopi Goldberg and Nancy Travis.

Albert. It is a dual journey into the souls of both Harriet and Albert.

As I said before, 'Bogus' is better suited for living room viewing rather than the big screen. The length of the movie, the plot development, and the acting all lead me to

isn't made out to be a family film. It's dark because of the content of the plot. This movie confused more than entertained.

Let's face it: Whoopi Goldberg is an entertainer. She's taken movies like "Ghost" (for which she won an Oscar) and "Sister

Act" and made them into something more. Movies are just a little bit funnier when she's in them. However, this film didn't bring that out. I don't know whether it was the lines or just because she didn't give everything she could have, but she wasn't as funny and neither were the movies few comedic scenes. Her acting is decent, and so is that of Depardieu, who is cast well as the big, clumsy, imaginary friend of Albert. This is the first film that I've seen Osmond in, and his performance was believable but a little forced in some scenes. Norman Jewison directed and wrote the script, but I thought that this film needed more development and better lines.

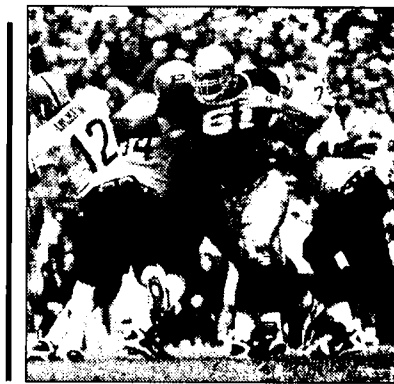
Because of the plot and the quality of the lines and the acting, I think "Bogus" would have been better served as a family film that could be watched at home. A little cleaning up of the language and a lighter plot could have made it just that. Also, if that had been done, we would have at least known if it was a film for the kiddies or one for the masses. I would have liked "Bogus" if it hadn't moved so slowly and Whoopi Goldberg had been at her best. But, hey, you can't have everything when it comes to movies, and "Bogus" proved me right. So, when it comes down to the decision of what to watch this weekend, go rent something with Whoopi in it. It'll be a lot better than what you see on the screen these days.

Notre Dame Purdue 35-0

With only one penalty on the afternoon, the Irish helped only themselves, never offering Purdue good field position.

Autry Denson
By combining two rushing scores with one on a screen pass, he proved the Blarney offense can work.

"We always look for something to happen and when something happens we do our best to capitalize for the positive."
--Lyron Cobbins



Dominant
Melvin Dansby and Co. continued to impress on the defensive side of the ball. The Irish have allowed just 46 net rushing yards in their first two outings.

Irish Extra

Purdue D-Railed



Fullback Marc Edwards took a hand-off and went airborne over the Boilermaker defense to score his second touchdown of the season.

The Observer/Rob Finch

Defense "reigns" as Irish roll 35-0

By MIKE DAY
Assistant Sports Editor

Notre Dame delivered a stirring message to its critics on Saturday: pack your bags and get out of town.

Following an avalanche of criticism after an uninspiring performance in the season opener, the Irish answered the critics in resounding fashion, stomping the Purdue Boilermakers 35-0 on a cold and rainy day at Notre Dame Stadium.

"I thought we played very well today overall," said Irish head coach Lou Holtz. "Purdue came out and played well. They made some nice throws. Our defense played especially well today."

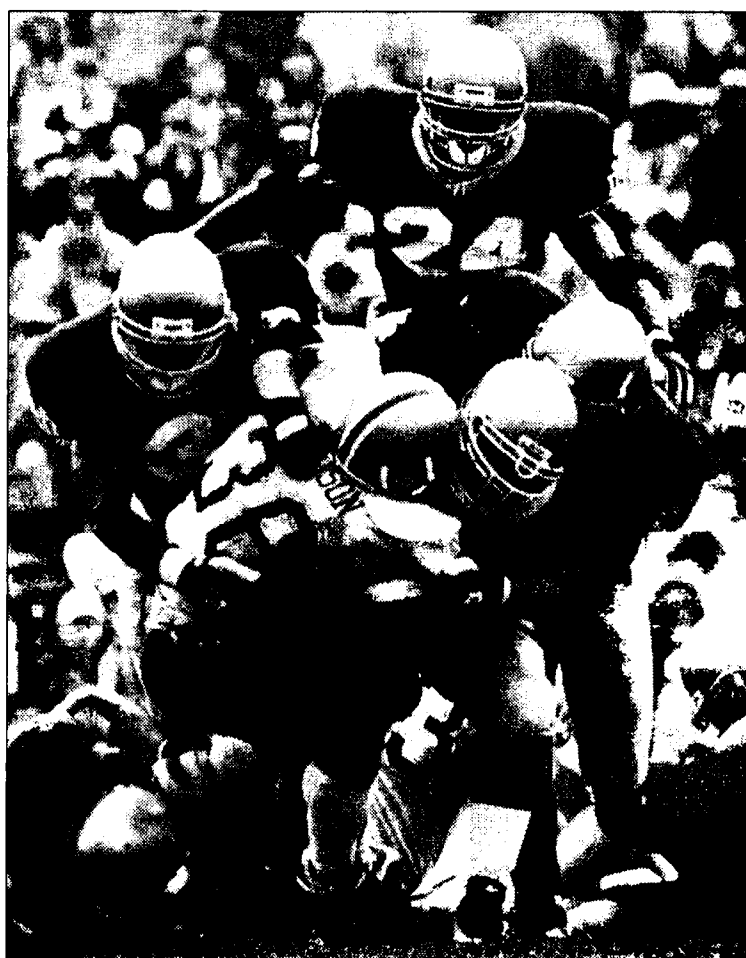
Eager to set the tone early, the Irish more than accomplished that on the opening kickoff. Kick returner Allen Rossum burst out of the gates like a well-trained thoroughbred, galloping 99 yards for the game's first touchdown.

"The way it was designed and the way it worked out, I've never had that happen before," said Holtz. "But it was a good start."

Rossum's return was the fourth best in school history and the longest since Clint Johnson ran a kick back for 100 yards against Stanford in 1993.

Notre Dame was able to control the clock in the first half, putting together two drives of more than 90 yards to take a commanding 21-0 lead.

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Purdue tailback Edwin Watson found little daylight against the Irish.

The Observer/Rob Finch

■ IRISH INSIGHT

All the way

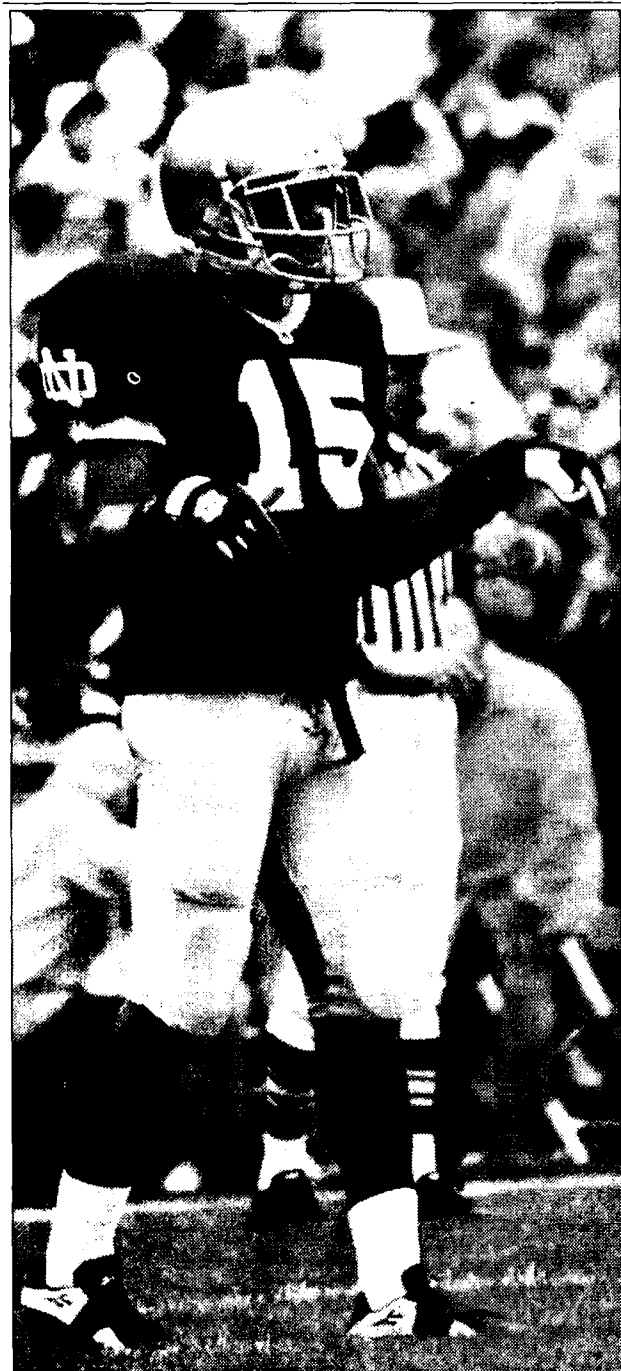
Last Friday night at the Pep Rally, Notre Dame linebacker Bert Berry told the crowd there are three types of people in life. According to Berry, there are leaders, followers, and those who just need to get out of the way.

With a little help from the Irish special teams unit, Purdue chose the third option during yesterday's opening kickoff, providing one of the most memorable plays to begin a season at Notre Dame Stadium.



Joe Villinski
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Before his memorable opening kickoff return, Allen Rossum pointed towards the ground as if to indicate this return would be special....
The Observer/Mike Ruma

A prophecy fulfilled: Rossum races the distance, flashbacks abound

By TIM SHERMAN
Sports Editor

The last time Notre Dame scored within the first minute of the game was 1993. The last time they started the season with two wins was 1993. The last time they returned a kick-off for a touchdown was 1993.

Are you sensing a pattern here?

During the year in question, the Irish streaked out to a 10-0 start and finished the season as the nation's second-ranked team. Though it is still very early in the season, Allen Rossum's 99-yard kickoff return on the opening play of Notre Dame's 35-0 win over the Boilermakers of Purdue evoked memories of 1993.

During the opening game against Northwestern, Irish linebacker Pete Bercich intercepted a tipped Len Williams pass and took it in for a touchdown. Later in the year, speedster Clint Johnson sailed through the Stanford kick coverage unit for a 100-yards score.

Rossum's burst up the middle combined those two memorable scores into one thrilling play.

Taking Chris Arnce's kick at the one-yard line, Rossum, who is considered to be the fastest man on the Irish roster, wasted no time in hitting a hole that was quite comparable to the parting of the Red Sea.

"Everyone contributed to that play," an exuberant Rossum said after the win. That hole was ten feet wide. No one touched me. The kicker was the closest guy."

What made the 13 second play even more interesting was the circumstance under which the play unfolded.

"Last night (Friday night) during the relaxation period, we went over the opening kickoff verbatim," Irish coach Lou Holtz explained in his post-game press conference. "It was the middle match (the designed play in which everyone takes one man), the ball went to Allen Rossum, and everyone just got their block and we scored on it."

And it made Holtz look a bit prophetic.

"It just worked out that way," Holtz said. "I've never had that happen before."

Rossum was more entertained than surprised about the prediction.

"Well, coach had a vision of his own," Rossum joked. "Down at this thing called 'relaxation', he just went through the game and he said on the opening kickoff, we'll have middle match and I was going to return it for six. I'm just glad that I was able to contribute to this win."

The play was not just a contribution, it was a immediate momentum builder.

"That is a tremendous boost," Rossum said. "This was a pick-me-up. A couple guys may have been down...I don't know. But this was a nail in the coffin early."

Talking about a coffin when over 59 minutes remained on the clock may have been a bit premature, but Rossum has never been one to lack confidence.

"(After the touchdown) I was just trying to maintain from celebrating too much," said the Irish cornerback. "I didn't want to get called back for a celebration penalty."

Rossum's excitement wasn't just contained to his actions after the runback.

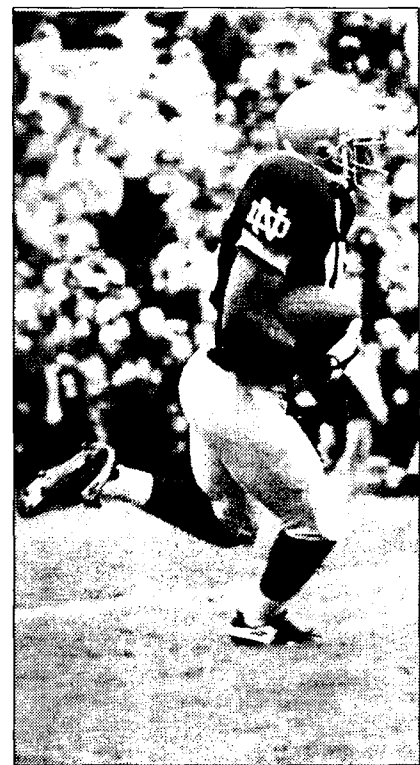
Even before he took the kick, the 5-foot-8, 178-pound junior was seen motioning as if to say 'All the way'.

"That (the relaxation period) was all that was going through my mind," Rossum said. "I was telling myself, 'I want to make a touchdown.'"

He succeeded in that. Now, it's up to everybody else to see if this was indeed a precursor to a stand-out season.

1993 comes to mind.

The Observer/Rob Finch



The speedy Rossum then raced untouched for a game-opening TD.
The Observer/Mike Ruma

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Tailback Autry Denson, starting in the place of the injured Randy Kinder, scored the first of his three touchdowns on a two-yard scamper into the corner of the endzone.

"The line did it for me," said Denson. "They made great blocks so that I could have huge holes to run through. We played hard as a team, and we accomplished this as a team."

Fullback Marc Edwards, who was relatively quiet on the day with just 40 yards on the ground and no receptions, capped a nine play, 90-yard drive with his second touchdown of the season. The senior captain displayed his athletic ability, taking a Ron Powlus handoff and diving over the pile from one yard out.

The score stood at 21-0 with less than a minute left before intermission. After the Notre Dame defense forced a Danny Rogers punt, the sellout crowd all but assumed Irish would run out the clock and prepare for the second half.

My, how times have changed. This is a different type of Notre Dame offense with a completely different mindset. In past years, the Irish would have sat on the ball, content with a lead going into the intermission. Instead, Lou Holtz's offense came out passing, and the results speak for themselves.

With the help of a defensive holding call and a personal foul by PU cornerback Janel Coleman, the Irish moved the ball to the Purdue 19-yardline.

After finding tight end Pete Chryplewicz open for nine yards at the 10-yardline, Powlus spotted Denson cutting across the middle of the field and the sophomore tailback did the rest. He quickly reversed his direction and danced into the endzone for the easy score.

On the final drive of the half, Powlus, who completed 19-of-32 passes for 238 yards for the game, displayed the confidence and leadership that he seemed to lack in the season opener.

"I have a great group of guys this year that I feel comfortable with," said Powlus. "I know that these guys will do

whatever they have to do to protect me and I know that they always give everything they have."

While the offense tallied 459 yards, the story of the game was the Irish defense. The unit held the Boilers' to just 203 yards and 13 firstdowns while forcing Purdue quarterback Billy Dicken to run for his life all day long.

"They are a good defensive team," said Purdue head coach Jim Colletto. "Their defense from last year is a year older and stronger. They are a physical bunch of guys."

Defensive coordinator Bob Davie's bunch recorded seven sacks, including one apiece for the starting linebacker corps of Lyron Cobbins, Linnon Tatum,

Bert Berry, and Kory Minor.

"It's great playing with all these guys," said Cobbins. "It's like playing with a family that will support you. We always look for something to happen and when something happens we do our best to capitalize for the positive."

"We played well this week in the game, and we hope to carry it on throughout the season."

Notre Dame capped its offensive fireworks with 4:20 remaining in the third quarter. Denson, who finished with 51 yards rushing and 62 more receiving, scored from two yards out for his third touchdown of the afternoon.

"They had a lot of third down conversions," said Colletto of Notre Dame's con-

version of 9-of-14 opportunities. "You've got to be able to stop them some place. We didn't line correctly or get in the right place."

With the rain and mud finally taking its toll, the fourth quarter was characterized by sloppy play from both the Irish and Boilermakers. The Purdue-Notre Dame rivalry is well-renowned for poor weather, and this year's contest was no different.

"I don't care what the forecast is, it rains every time we play Purdue," said Holtz. "I can't remember the last time it didn't rain when we played Purdue."

Nonetheless, even Mother Nature couldn't keep the Irish from silencing the critics.

■ GRADED POSITION ANALYSIS

Quarterback A-

Ron Powlus again threw for over 200 yards, and cashed in his first touchdown pass of the season. Interception was only big mistake, but it didn't matter in 35-0 laughter.

Running Backs B+

Autry Denson led ground attack with two touchdowns and 66 yards, but Marc Edwards and Robert Farmer remained quiet.

Receivers A-

Malcolm Johnson continued to emerge, and Powlus got help from practically every receiving threat on the team.

Offensive Line A-

Wisne impressed in his starting debut, and the men in the trenches put in another solid performance.

Defensive Line A

Dansby, Wynn, and Maiden are a formidable trio. Continued pressure helped cause six sacks on the day.

Linebackers A

Bert Berry continued torrid play, and Minor nearly had a pick. These guys are scary.

Secondary B+

Unit allowed 159 yards through the air, and managed to not surrender the big play.

Special Teams A-

Rossum's return was a spectacular team effort, but missed field goal and fumbled punt return prevent perfect grade.

Coaching A-

In his historic game, Holtz used a balanced attack to keep the Boilermakers guessing.

Overall Grade 3.67

Home blowout helped erase memories of last two seasons, and the team's performance helped erase doubts many voiced after Vanderbilt thriller. This is a very talented team.

-Dylan Barmmer

Receiving corps beginning to catch on...and on...

QB Ron Powlus spreads the wealth in new-look offense

BY DYLAN BARMMER
Assistant Sports Editor

As the Notre Dame offense struggles to forge an identity this season, there is one fact which seems a constant for this unit.

Strength can certainly be found in numbers.

During the Irish's 35-0 lambasting of Purdue this past weekend, Irish fans were treated to what has, over the past few seasons, come to seem like a rarity - an airborne football.

In passing for over 200 yards for the second straight game, Ron Powlus and the Irish utilized just about every possible receiver on the roster. Ten different players caught balls for the Irish, the most since a win over Michigan State in 1993.

The Irish even utilized the shotgun, a weapon which seemingly had been passed up in favor of the more traditional battering ram for the past several seasons.

When asked about the variety of targets during the press conference following the game, coach Lou Holtz seemed more exasperated than exhilarated.

"We don't really have any more to show," Holtz quipped when asked what else he had up his sleeve. "I'm not pleased with where we are offensively - not at all."



Veteran wideout Emmett Mosley was one of ten pass-catchers on the day for the suddenly balanced Irish attack. The Fightin' Irish tallied more passing yards than rush yards for the first time since last year's nailbiter against Army.

Perhaps Holtz's frustration lies in the fact that his team has had problems running the ball - a problem that Holtz is not used to, nor one which was expected this season.

"We can't control the line of scrimmage well enough on a consistent basis," muttered Holtz. "We aren't able to run the ball consistently, and I can't figure out why. If we can mix up the run and pass well and run the ball effectively, we'll be

alright."

The mix has definitely been there, but it is the inefficiency of the running game which has caused Holtz the most concern. While Autry Denson and the Irish ground attack tallied a respectable 215 yards on the ground, they also managed to lose two fumbles, bringing the total of lost fumbles to six in just two games.

If you know anything about Holtz, you'll know that's six too

many. Not just for two games, but for the whole season.

While the ground game has stalled, it has been the passing attack which has kept the Irish on top. Powlus was a respectable 20-34 for 244 yards, a touchdown, and one interception on the day, numbers which nearly mirror his 19-32 performance in the Nashville nailbiter the week before.

And with the departure of

star receiver and ball-hog Derrick Mayes, Powlus has been able to look to more than one or two targets during the course of a game this season, a luxury that he never seemed to enjoy at all last year.

"We don't have that one go-to receiver any more," commented tight end Pete Chryplewicz, who caught a career-high five receptions for 52 yards on the afternoon. "But we do have guys you can count on."

The Irish counted on two hands the number of reliable receivers on the day, from freshmen Raki Nelson and Deke Cooper, to senior wideout Cikai Champion, who caught just his second ball in three seasons.

"The offense is designed to take advantage of whatever they're not covering," commented Champion. "It was nice to get involved today and make a contribution."

Contributing in a big way once again was emerging star Malcolm Johnson, who led the Irish in receiving yardage for the second straight game with four receptions for 75 yards.

Johnson, a big target who entered the season with zero career receptions, isn't complaining about the increase in passing situations.

"As a receiver, you always want to catch the ball," said Johnson. "Running the ball is still our bread and butter, but opening up the attack gives a whole new wrinkle to the offense, and gives defenses something else to think about."

It may give the Irish themselves something else to think about this season as well:

A National Championship.

AP TOP 25

TEAM	RECORD	POINTS	PREVIOUS
1. Nebraska (58)	1-0	1662	1
2. Tennessee (5)	2-0	1561	2
3. Florida St. (4)	1-0	1536	3
4. Florida	2-0	1519	4
5. Penn St.	3-0	1369	6
6. Texas	2-0	1232	7
7. Ohio St.	1-0	1225	8
8. Michigan	2-0	1211	11
9. Notre Dame	2-0	1099	9
10. Miami	3-0	1071	10
11. North Carolina	2-0	926	12
12. Colorado	2-1	911	5
13. Alabama	3-0	764	13
14. Auburn	3-0	746	15
15. Southern Cal.	2-1	702	16
16. Kansas St.	3-0	684	17
17. Arizona St.	2-0	587	18
18. Virginia Tech	2-0	528	19
19. Iowa	2-0	454	21
20. Virginia	2-0	441	22
21. LSU	1-0	381	20
22. Kansas	2-0	360	24
23. Syracuse	0-1	214	23
24. Washington	1-1	174	-
25. Oregon	3-0	103	-

Others receiving Votes: Brigham Young 93, Northwestern 52, West Virginia 47, Georgia Tech 22, Texas Tech 19, Wyoming 16, Arizona 8, UCLA 8, Utah 8, South Carolina 6, Air Force 5, Wisconsin 4, California 3, East Carolina 2, Texas A&M 2, Toledo 2.

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STATISTICALLY SPEAKING

	Purdue	Notre Dame
First Downs	13	28
Rushed-yards	26-44	43-215
Passing yards	159	244
Sacked-yards lost	6-37	1-3
Return yards	18	20
Passes	14-31-0	20-34-1
Punts	10-39.5	3-44.0
Fumbles-lost	0-0	3-2
Penalties-yards	10-87	1-13
Time of possession	25:32	34:28

Individual Statistics

RUSHING: Purdue-Watson 15-50, Matthews 3-19, Dicken 8-minus 25.

Notre Dame-Denson 15-66, Farmer 7-40, Edwards 9-37, Jackson 3-24, Mosley 2-19, Spencer 2-13, Powlus 2-12, Goodspeed 2-8, Cooper 1-4.

PASSING: Purdue-Dicken 14-31-0-159. Notre Dame-Powlus 19-32-1-238, Jackson 1-2-0-6.

RECEIVING: Purdue-Tillman 5-66, Alford 4-36, Olivadotti 3-41, L. Johnson 2-16. Notre Dame-Chryplewicz 5-52, M. Johnson 4-75, Denson 3-61, Nelson 2-17, Carreta 1-11, Cooper 1-9, Champion 1-8, Mosley 1-6, Stephens 1-6, Spencer 1-minus 1.

SCORING SUMMARY

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Purdue	0	0	0	0	0
Notre Dame	14	14	7	0	35

SCORING SUMMARY

FIRST QUARTER

Notre Dame-Rossum 99 yard kickoff return (Sanson kick) at 0:13 (1 play, 99 yards)

Notre Dame-Denson 12 yard run (Sanson kick) at 10:43 (13 plays, 92 yards)

SECOND QUARTER

Notre Dame-Edwards 1 yard run (Sanson kick) at 12:58 (9 plays, 90 yards)

Notre Dame-Denson 10 yard pass from Powlus (Sanson kick) at 14:58 (5 plays, 56 yards)

THIRD QUARTER

Notre Dame-Denson 1 yard run (Sanson kick) at 12:00 (9 plays, 70 yards)

FOURTH QUARTER

None

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Allen Rossum's 99 yard touchdown return was certainly an auspicious way to christen the not-quite-new Stadium. It's too bad another 20,000 weren't there to witness it.

His run could not have been scripted better. Before ripping off the fourth longest return in Notre Dame folklore, Rossum could be seen motioning towards the ground as if this was going to be the big one.

The one everyone's been waiting for.

For two years.

After the 1994 and 1995 home openers, severe outbreaks of depression were visible on campus. Football optimism was inevitably peaking, but would be short-lived. For the past two years, widespread optimism received a jolt of reality courtesy of Michigan and Northwestern.

Back-to-back opening home losses forced the Irish into a hole from which they could not recover. Sure, they won other games, but hopes of that elusive perfect season were dashed immediately.

Even before the first official day of autumn, Notre Dame fans were forced to turn in every night without visions of a national championship passing and rushing through their minds.

On Saturday, Rossum and the rest of the Irish made sure those same fans have pleasant dreams for at least another week. Rossum's run energized a crowd and gave them a moment that will be difficult to duplicate.

After squeaking by Vanderbilt, fans entered the Stadium not knowing what to expect, but by the end of Rossum's run, they might have thought anything was possible. While Rossum ran it back, fans probably ran the gamut of emotions with him.

Just think about it.

Rossum takes it at the goal line..."Gee, I hope we start stronger than last week."

He's at the 20..."Mmm, looks like we've formed a nice wedge there. Pass the popcorn."

Past the 30..."Cut left Allen. Cut left. 70 more yards and the mosh pit starts."

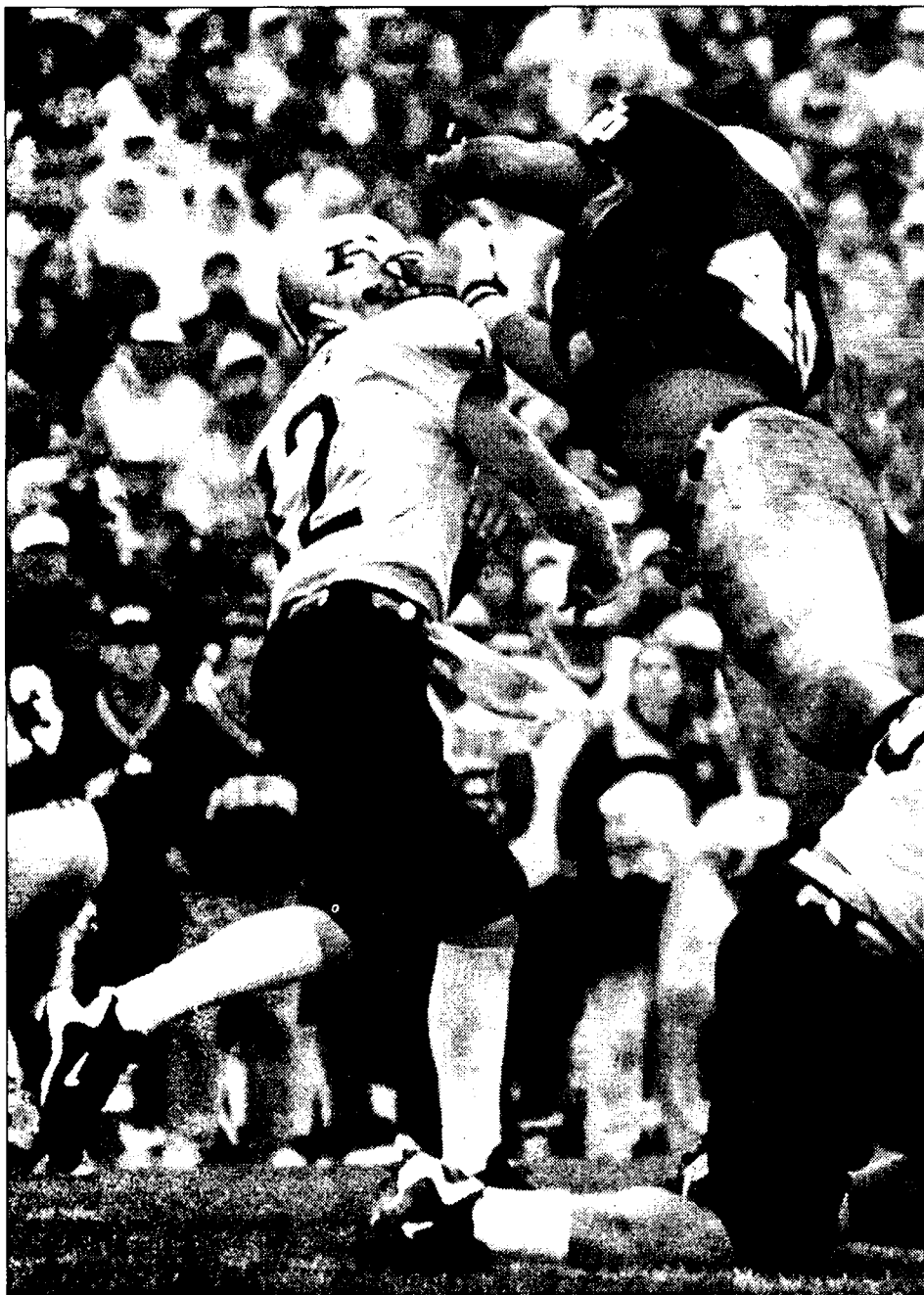
Down to the 40..."Split those defenders and you're home free. This is unbelievable. To hell with the popcorn."

Rossum breaks away at the 50..."Rossum rules. You can outrun any Boilermaker. You're the man"

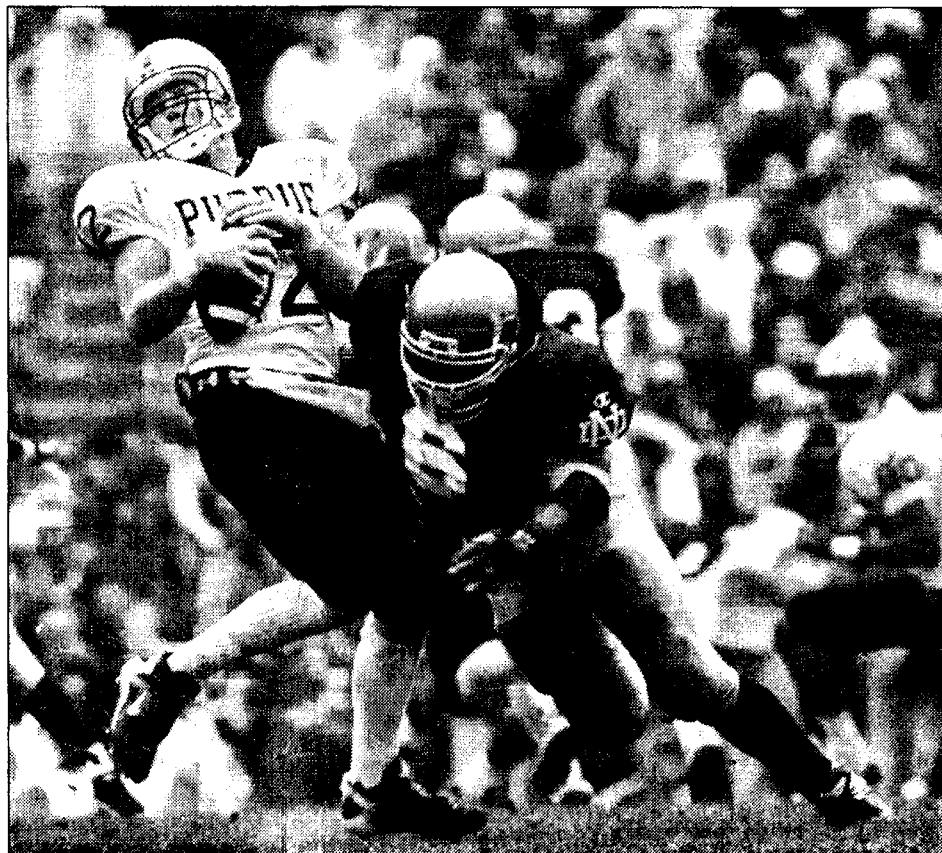
Passing the 30..."Hey, quit grabbing me. He's not there yet, hold off on the celebration."

15...10...5..."This is a historic moment. I love Notre Dame football and I love Allen Rossum."

Touchdown..."We're going all the way this year." Just like Rossum.



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Defensive end Renaldo Wynn forces Billy Dicken into another hurried throw.



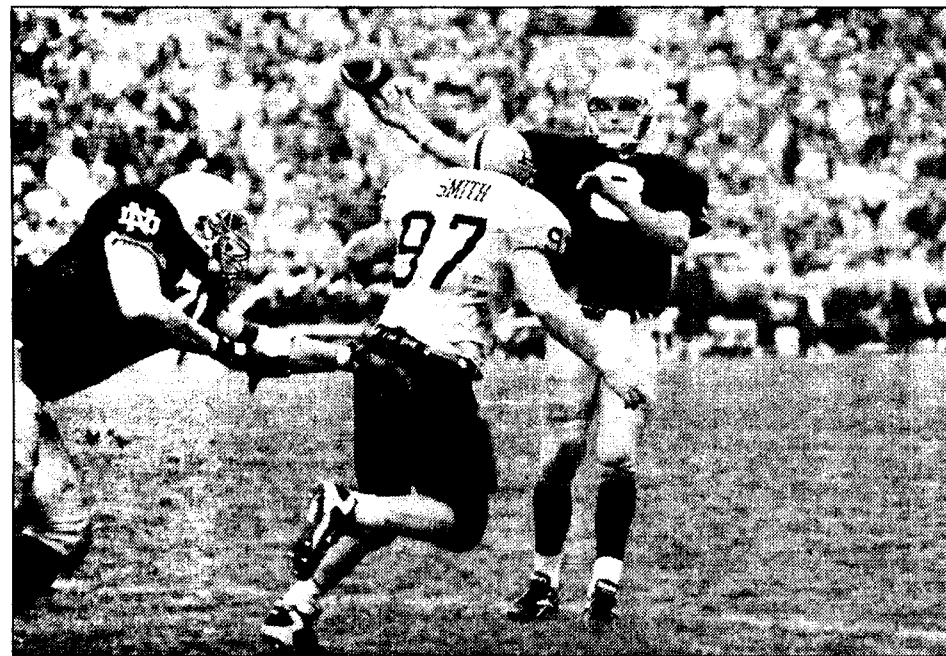
The Observer/Rob Finch
Middle linebacker Lyron Cobbins, seen here registering one of seven Irish sacks, applied pressure on Purdue QB Billy Dicken all day.

Notre Dame 35 Purdue 0

Notre Dame Stadium
September 14, 1996



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With just seconds remaining in the first half, Irish tailback/wide receiver Autry Denson high-steps his way into the endzone for one of his three touchdowns.



The Observer/Rob Finch
Purdue defensive tackle Greg Smith bears down on Irish QB Ron Powlus, forcing him to attempt an unorthodox pass.

■ GAME NOTES

Wisne, receivers, and referees all help Irish

DEBUT

Disappointed with the play of senior left guard Jeremy Akers in the season-opening 14-7 win at Vanderbilt, Irish coach Lou Holtz opted to start sophomore Jerry Wisne in his place. The 6'7", 294 pound Wisne did not disappoint. Early in the contest, Wisne threw a superb block that sprung Emmett Mosley for a 16-yard reverse. The Tulsa, OK native was also a key cog in the Irish offensive machine that racked up an impressive 459 total yards in offense.

SPREADING THE WEALTH

Ten different Irish receivers caught passes against the Boilermakers. The last time so many had receptions was the 1993 game against Michigan State. Tight end Pete Chryplewicz led with five.

"It's great to spread the ball around," said Malcolm Johnson, who chipped in four. "We do it like receiver by committee."

ACTION JACKSON

The much-anticipated debut of future first-string quarterback Jarious Jackson was less than spectacular. While at times showing great potential, a fourth-quarter fumble and other first game jitters caused Holtz to jokingly label Jackson "a very good fourth-string quarterback" following the game.

PENALTY BOX

Not only did the Irish dominate the

total yards column of the stat sheet (459 to PU's 203), they also fared well in the penalty area. The officials whistled ND for just one 13 yard penalty while the Boilermakers were flagged 10 times for 87.

"I think we got some breaks on some calls from the officials today and it helped some drives," senior fullback Marc Edwards noted.

FOR SALE

The commercialization of Notre Dame football has perhaps reached a new height, as the University announced that an auction of authentic pieces of the pre-renovation Notre Dame Stadium will be held on November 25th in South Bend. It will be conducted by Christie's Sports Auction. Among the available items will be the elevator from the press box, the ND carpet from the locker room, and the actual sideline bench of the Irish.

TRADITION CONTINUES

One of the many traditions of a home game at Notre Dame is a fourth quarter public service announcement concerning the dangers of drunk driving that is given by Sgt. Tim McCarthy of the Indiana State Police. Sergeant Tim has provided a pun about drinking and driving during each home game since 1960. Playing off the rainy condition of South Bend during the game, Sgt. Tim offered, "Never drive like an animal when it's raining cats and dogs."

■ AT THE VIDEO STORE WITH FATMAN AND DADDY

Dr. Strangelove. Or, How to Learn to Stop Worrying and Love the BombBy FATMAN and DADDY
Accent Movie Critics

☆☆☆☆ (Out of Four)

Synopsis: A wacky and renegade United States Air Force general orders a nuclear strike on Soviet Russia in order to stop those insidious communists from destroying the purity of our American essence. With only moments remaining to avert the entire destruction of the human species, a group of inept politicians and bureaucrats scramble to avert the impending disaster. Are they successful? Rent this classic film and find out!

Daddy: When the hierarchy of the Observer asked the Fatman and I to periodically review movies on video so that our audience could both discover a few classic dusties and gain a little insight as to what makes their favorite critics tick, we were delighted to accept the new responsibility. However, upon learning that pornography and pre-recorded Journey concerts wouldn't jive with what the man wanted, we were worried that we might be incapable of finding a video to write about. Luckily enough, we stumbled into a copy of "Dr. Strangelove"; and, in doing so, found ourselves right smack dab in the middle of this week's offering.

Arguably the best movie from prodigious director Stanley Kubrick, "Dr. Strangelove" is a campy look at the utter madness better known as the U.S. Military Machine. Set in the heart of the Cold War, this movie is an incredible reminder of just how darn silly the whole Red Scare was. The movie's main antagonist, General Jack D. Ripper, fearing that water fluoridation marks the beginning of Russia's attempt to destroy the U.S., launches his own nuclear attack on our old commie foes. After watching the movie, you will laugh convulsively and ask yourself if any conspiracy scenario could be more ridiculous and implausible. The answer to your question is yes. It was called the "Domino Effect Theory", and it led us to battle the nefarious peasants of Southeast Asia. Hence, the main point and beauty of "Dr. Strangelove".

"Dr. Strangelove" is a timeless classic that teaches its audience to fear military institutions which must constantly generate false threats in order to justify their costly and brutal existences. The idea is no less apropos in 1996 than it was in 1966...except our current cardboard nemesises reside in the Mideast and not Eurasia. This movie also teaches us that there can be no fighting in the War Room. Most importantly, this film shows its audience what a damn fine actor Peter Sellers was, and why Stanley Kubrick just might very well be America's finest director.

Fatman: Of the endless slew of movies that have passed before my sagging eyes throughout the years, "Dr. Strangelove" is one of my favorites. Its cynical, unabashed look at American ignorance and social programming makes it a must-see for anyone whose IQ exceeds Monk Malloy's.

Stereotyping, blind allegiance to nationalism, and a complete lack of perspective mark the targets of Stanley Kubrick's dead-on dark comedy. The film mocks the politically expedient depiction of communism as a conspiring agency of evil challenging the divine destiny of American imperialism. It does so not with a heavy-handed, pretentious dissection of conceptions of western political ideology, but rather with a playful sense of humor that makes the impact of its message all the more effective. It still shocks me that "Strangelove's" humor and wit transcend 30 years time.

"Dr. Strangelove" also marks the beginning of Stanley Kubrick's string of cinematic masterpieces. This film was succeeded by "2001: A Space Odyssey" and "A Clockwork Orange". All three were made consecutively. I don't know of any other American director who has strung together such an impressive streak of artistry. And I think that "Strangelove" is the most remarkable of the three. It's incredibly funny while still showing us the foibles of our political agenda. It is also important to note that this attack against senseless violence and mutual ideological prejudice came out at the beginning of the Vietnam War.

Well, Daddy and I heartily recommend this masterpiece. I can think of no better place than Notre Dame for a film which questions unwavering allegiance to an ideological institution to be shown. Watch this, learn from this, process this. Also, laugh with it.

Fatman and Daddy are John Zach and Scott Bozik.

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■ SOAP OPERA UPDATES

Days of Our LivesBy JENIFER KOCH
and JULIE BARBOUR
Days of Our Lives Correspondents

Howdy y'all! Sorry about that, but we're practicing our Texan lingo for our upcoming trip to UT. Don't worry though, our travel plans won't interfere with our Days correspondence. We take our journalistic responsibilities seriously, you know. So, with that said, let's talk about this week on Days.

"A Child Stolen" plugged up the hourglass as everyone except Bo and Hope end up in Paris helping in the search for Will. Kate arrived with plans for a television spot starring Austin and Sami as the desperate parents planning for the return of their son. Will's temporary parents saw the news flash and were so overwhelmed with guilt that they immediately bought plane tickets out of France. Hopefully, they are headed for Salem, the forgotten hub of action, and we can get the cast back to the States before their visas expire. Carrie, the "big sister who's ready to play rough," failed to find Mary through Celeste's psychic powers but later managed to catch the kidnapper while on a stress-relieving shopping spree with Billie. Mary refused to talk to the police at first, but after a plea from Carrie, an attack by Sami, and a compromise with René the French detective, Mary revealed the name and address of Will's buyers.

Kristen suddenly exploded with pregnancy, padded of course, ending Marlana's suspicions of hypersensitivity to the near miscarriage (or maybe not so near). John, Mr. "I don't miss a detail," attributed the rapid change to the baby shifting positions. Yeah, he's quick like that.

Peter attempted to make up for forgetting Jen's birthday by throwing an impromptu party at the sidewalk cafe, complete with Laura's arrival in Paris. Jack scored bonus points with a sentimental gift for Jen, and managed to plant even more seeds of doubt in her mind. Troubles continued to build for Peter when Celeste, who hired our very own ND Student Managers to paint on her gold dress, showed up with Daniel Scott as her date. After realizing the identity of his host, Daniel tried to bolt for the door but Laura, who wowed us with her sprinting ability, caught Daniel in a chase through the Parisian alleyways.

A showerless Vivian and Ivan popped in for a segment from the French prison where their communication through the pipes will continue due to Kate's friendship with the judge in charge of the case. After hearing Kate's horror stories about Vivian, the judge denied the shameless duo's release.

Bo and Hope owe us a week's supply of crackers to go with the cheese they've spread. After running in to Mrs. H at the Salem Club (exactly the place we'd want to see our grandmothers), they spent the next few episodes aboard the infamous Fancy Face, which had been overly decorated by the sneaky Sean D. Don't expect wedding bells just yet...Billie's on the plane back to Salem.

This week we're predicting the exposure of Peter's background and possibly Will's long-awaited rescue. Who knows, we might even see the start of a miraculous recovery for Victor. But we don't want to get our hopes up for all that—it's only one week.

Questions, comments, and heartfelt praise may be sent to our Days duo at Jennifer.L.Koch.6@nd.edu or barb2883@saintmarys.edu.

General HospitalBy GENEVIEVE MORRILL
General Hospital Correspondent

This week in Port Charles...

Robin's going-away party is made perfect when Felicia arrives unharmed. Robin spends her last night with Jason and leaves a note for Mac explaining about the new HIV drug therapy she plans to become a part of. She comes back as he's reading it, and they share a tearful goodbye. As Jason drops her off at Yale, he tells her he loves her and then, crying, roars off.

Lucy saves the day by saving both Felicia and Kevin from his other personality. The painful secret from Kevin's past was revealed: apparently, in his childhood, his mother would take Ryan into the bathroom; unbeknownst to the young Kevin, Ryan was being molested. Oblivious to the reasons behind his mother's attentions to Ryan, Kevin was jealous. One day, he impersonated his twin and narrowly missed being molested himself. He told his father, who responded by packing Kevin up and moving out. For thirty years, Kevin carried the guilty feeling that he had left Ryan and, thus, has viewed himself responsible for what his brother became. Lucy helps Kevin to realize that there was nothing a child could have done, and a shaken Kevin emerges from his subconscious. He is taken to the hospital and Mac does not press charges. Felicia, on the other hand, is tormented by flashbacks of Ryan and Kevin.

Carly, under pressure from Piser, decides to tell Tony who she really is. At the hospital, Bobbie notices the discrepancy between Carly's entrance exam results and the work she has done so far. Tony defends Carly and then goes to see her. As soon as he walks in, Carly spins her seductive web, ensnaring the hopelessly naive Dr. Jones. Is Tony just dense, or does he do it to get it on?

Nikolas, still missing, has the PCPD, Luke, and various Cassadine and Corinthos goons looking for him. Luke finds him in the catacombs and gives him some advice: hit the road, kid. Nikolas breaks into the Spencer house to see Lulu. The tender scene is interrupted by an enraged Lucky, who proceeds to attempt to rough up Nikolas...despite the fact that the latter has a foot and one hundred pounds on him. Luke and Laura return home and Luke tells his wife that he has no idea where the young Cassadine is. They open the door to the bump, bump, splat of the aforementioned Nikolas falling down the stairs and landing at their feet. Lucky stands at the top of the stairs, looking both horrified and proud. Stefan, informed by a goon of Nikolas's whereabouts, is on his way over. Will the feud between the families claim another victim?

Lois gives Ned her permission to stay and defend ELQ from his mother and Jax. "Your fights are my fights," she tells him. Meanwhile, Brenda discovers what her husband is up to, and calls him on it. He answers her truthfully on every point and gets philosophical about why he does what he does. My God, is this man perfect or what? Sonny who?!

Tune in for more GH excitement next week...

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-That's not possible.
- I beg to differ. In fact, Happy
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- Well moron, good for Happy
Gilmo-OH MY GOD!!!!

LUCAS- feel better!- KRISTA

GANG GREEN. It's not just a dis-
gusting disease anymore.

Hi honey.

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I'm a horny president -Bill Clinton

Sorry, but I don't like golden show-
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Hey you big lug,
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of each other...?

Krista hopes you feel better, too,
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You know, I really don't feel like
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■ NFL

Redskins top hapless Giants

By TOM CANAVAN
Associated Press Writer

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. The Washington Redskins lost six straight games to the New York Giants because they couldn't stop the run or make the big play.

The Redskins (2-1) turned the tables on New York and may have moved the management of the winless Giants closer to pushing coach Dan Reeves out the door with a 31-10 victory Sunday.

Terry Allen ran for 146 yards and a game-clinching

touchdown, Gus Frerotte threw a 30-yard scoring pass on a fake field goal and Tom Carter had two fourth-quarter interceptions for the Redskins, who gained 241 yards on 42 carries, a 5.7 yard average.

The Giants, who have failed to make the playoffs the past two years, have now started the last two seasons with 0-3 records, the first time that's happened in franchise history.

Even when New York scored, there were boos from the crowd at Giants Stadium, particularly after Reeves elected to go for a short field goal

by Brad Daluiso in the third quarter trailing 17-7.

Although Daluiso made the kick, the boos got louder when Allen carried five times for 38 yards, capping a 76-yard drive with a 7-yard run for a 24-10 lead on the first play of the fourth quarter.

Dave Brown, who was 17-for-31 for 201 yards, including a 7-yard TD to Aaron Pierce, drove New York to the Washington 34 and 27 in the fourth quarter, but Carter twice picked off passes near the end zone.

Moon returns to lead Vikes to win

By MIKE NADEL
Associated Press Writer

CHICAGO

Warren Moon has been called too old before. He's been beaten up on the field and off. Yet he's almost always managed to come back and do what he must for his team to win.

Back in the lineup after missing the previous 1 1/2 games with arch and ankle injuries, the 39-year-old Moon passed for 239 yards Sunday and led the unbeaten Minnesota Vikings to a 17-14 victory over the Chicago Bears.

"We're only going to go as far as he takes us. He's the guy we're going to lean on," said Cris Carter, who caught a 30-yard pass from Moon to set up Scott Sisson's tiebreaking 33-yard field goal with 7:25 to play.

"We don't get concerned about his age. Warren is as durable as any quarterback in this league. He takes shot after shot and gets up. We know he's going to be there."

The first two games, Moon watched as backup Brad Johnson rallied the team to victories over Detroit and Atlanta. Some Vikings fans felt Johnson, almost 12 years younger than Moon, should have stayed in the lineup.

"That's the nature of quarterback — what have you done for me lately?" Moon said. "It doesn't offend me. It was something you kind of expect, but our team knows who's the guy here."

In the hard-hitting game against the Bears, Moon went the whole way and was 22-of-44.

"I got some pretty good shots out there, but I'm still standing," he said. "I'm proud of the fact that I can still play at this age."

The Vikings haven't had a 3-0 start since 1975. They next meet Green Bay in a battle of NFC Central unbeatens.

Carter said these Vikings have "more fight" than previous Minnesota teams of this decade.

And Moon said the team has rallied around coach Dennis Green, who is involved in legal

entanglements.

"We wanted him to know that we are all a part of a family and that families come together," Moon said. "It hasn't been a distraction."

The Vikings scored all six points of the second half on two fourth-quarter field goals by Sisson. They have outscored their three opponents 29-3 in the final period this season.

The Bears (1-2) were more than beaten; they were beaten up.

Cornerback Donnell Woolford, fullbacks Raymont Harris and Tony Carter, receiver Michael Timpson and defensive end Alonzo Spellman all suffered injuries.

Faring the worst was Harris, who is expected to miss eight weeks with a sprained knee ligament. Harris was out almost all last season with a broken collarbone.

The Vikings' defense, led by Derrick Alexander, threw Chicago quarterback Erik Kramer all over the field. Kramer, who played with ace bandages wrapped around his back and left leg, was 18-of-40 for 199 yards and three interceptions.

Kramer didn't use pain as an excuse for his poor play this season. Sunday's 5-yard touchdown toss to rookie Bobby Engram is his only scoring pass this season after setting a team record with 29 a year ago. And he now has five interceptions after getting picked off 10 times all last season.

"I have not done my part so far this year," Kramer said. "I take responsibility for that. I've got to play better."

It was 14-14 when Chicago's Carlos Huerta hit the left upright on a 44-yard field goal. His kick was low and Alexander said he got a small piece of the ball.

Huerta, who has missed three of seven field goals since replacing fan favorite Kevin Butler, was booed heavily. And coach Dave Wannstedt said afterward that he would have to "re-evaluate" the kicking situation.

"My job's in jeopardy every time I take the field," Huerta said.

"I'm not going to sit here and cry about it or go home and get a voodoo doll. I don't know what's going to happen."

After the miss, the Vikings drove 51 yards for Sisson's go-ahead kick.

Kevin Minifiefield was flagged for pass interference on third-and-8 to keep the drive alive. And the 30-yard Moon-to-Carter pass on third-and-10 gave Minnesota the ball at the Chicago 22. It was Carter's 499th catch for Minnesota, a team record.

Sisson added a 34-yard field goal with 6 seconds to go.

Kramer's TD pass to Engram and a 14-yard scoring run by Minnesota's Robert Smith made it 7-7.

Woolford intercepted a pass by Moon and went 28 yards for a touchdown to put the Bears up 14-7 midway through the second period. But Kramer was intercepted on Chicago's next two possessions. The second pickoff, by Corey Fuller, set up Moon's 29-yard touchdown pass to a leaping Jake Reed with 1:54 left in the half.

Though the Vikings sacked Kramer only once, they put tremendous pressure on him.

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■ NFL

Marino celebrates birthday with victory

By STEVEN WINE
Associated Press Writer

MIAMI
Four Dan Marino passes resulted in touchdowns Sunday — one by the New York Jets, then three by the Miami Dolphins.

On his 35th birthday, Marino shook off Aaron Glenn's early 100-yard interception return and rallied unbeaten Miami past New York 36-27.

"Obviously, you don't want to get in a shootout with Dan Marino," said the Jets' Neil O'Donnell, whose three TD passes couldn't prevent the Jets from falling to 0-3.

The Dolphins fell behind 14-0, then scored touchdowns on four consecutive possessions. The comeback began with

Marino's 74-yard scoring pass to rookie fullback Stanley Pritchett, and backup tight ends Frank Wainright and Brett Carolan made the first touchdown receptions of their careers.

"Dan has confidence in everybody," Wainright said. "It doesn't matter if you're a rookie or a six-year veteran."

Rookie Karim Abdul-Jabbar rushed for 124 yards on 23 carries, with touchdown runs of 4 and 7 yards for the Dolphins, who scored 33 unanswered points.

Miami looked sloppy at times but improved to 3-0 under new coach Jimmy Johnson.

"If you can make that many mistakes in a game and still win it," Johnson said, "it says something about you."

Allen hits mark as Chiefs roll

By JIM COUR
Associated Press Writer

SEATTLE
Marcus Allen reached another milestone in his career, and Dale Carter did his impersonation of Deion Sanders.

Allen became the eighth player in NFL history to rush for 11,000 yards in the Kansas City Chiefs' 35-17 victory over the Seattle Seahawks on Sunday.

Carter, a two-time Pro Bowl cornerback given additional duties on offense this week because of injuries to the Chiefs' receiving corps, caught the first three passes of his career

— one a 46-yard touchdown from Steve Bono.

The TD pass to Carter was one of three by Bono as Kansas City (3-0) won its 11th straight AFC West game and beat Seattle (0-3) for the 10th time in 11 games.

Bono also had scoring passes of 9 and 1 yards to Chris Penn, who had the first two-touchdown game of his career. The 36-year-old Allen, in his 15th NFL season, scored on 2-yard run in the third quarter to give the Chiefs a 27-10 lead and again on a 1-yard run with 3:19 left.

They were Allen's 104th and 105th career touchdowns,

putting him in third place on the all-time rushing TD list behind Walter Payton (110) and Jim Brown (106).

With 52 yards on a dozen carries, Allen increased his career rushing total to 11,012 yards, 224 yards behind O.J. Simpson.

The Kansas City defense also chipped in, holding Chris Warren to six yards on 14 carries and sacking Rick Mirer seven times.

Leading 21-10 at halftime, the Chiefs took the second half kickoff and went 76 yards in nine plays into the end zone with Allen going in from 2 yards out.

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■ NFL

Packers pulverize listless Chargers for third victory

By ARNIE STAPLETON
Associated Press Writer

GREEN BAY, Wis. — So far this year, the only competition the Green Bay Packers seem to have is themselves.

The offense, defense and special teams all got to do the Lambeau Leap in Sunday's 42-10 rout of the previously unbeaten San Diego Chargers at Lambeau Field.

"They beat us in every which

way, in every phase," said San Diego coach Bobby Ross.

"There's really not much that I can say, other than the fact that we took the old, butt-kicking. It started early and it didn't really stop."

The Packers, who now are 3-0 for the first time since 1982, have beaten three opponents by a combined score of 115-26.

"When you're executing in every phase of the game, it makes a difference," Packers

quarterback Brett Favre said. A huge difference.

After Favre led the Packers on four touchdown drives, safety LeRoy Butler returned an interception 90 yards for a touchdown and 92 seconds later, Desmond Howard returned a punt 65 yards for a TD in the closing minutes.

"We beat a good football team," Packers coach Mike Holmgren said. "It always surprises me when there's that

much point differential. I don't expect these. Guys just keep making plays."

San Diego (2-1) was actually still in it with 6 1/2 minutes left, trailing 28-10 and threatening again when Butler stepped in front of Terrell Fletcher at the Packers 10.

Butler raced down the left sideline for the score, then vaulted himself into the stands as has become customary at Lambeau Field.

"One of the embarrassing things was not jumping in the stands all the way," said Butler, who needed some help from the fans to get over the railing. "Because we grade each other on that. It was a very low grade."

Very little went wrong for the Packers.

Favre completed 22 of 34 passes for 231 yards and TD passes of 19 yards to Antonio

Freeman, 8 to fullback William Henderson and 7 to tight end Keith Jackson. Robert Brooks led the Packers with eight catches for 108 yards.

Favre also had two interceptions, the last of which led to San Diego's only touchdown, a 9-yard pass from Stan Humphries to Tony Martin that made it 28-10 with 8:16 left.

The Chargers were befuddled all day by the Green Bay defense. Reggie White and Sean Jones each had two sacks on Humphries, who was 16-for-31 for 130 yards, a TD and two interceptions.

"I'd hate to play quarterback against our defense," Favre said. "I felt sorry for Stan today. It wasn't his fault. Our guys were just brining it."

San Diego had only 33 yards rushing, and the Packers had a 17-minute advantage in time of possession.

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■ NFL

Harbaugh, Colts shock Cowboys

By DENNE FREEMAN
Associated Press Writer

IRVING, Texas — Cary Blanchard and Jim Harbaugh apparently didn't get the word that the crippled Colts were supposed to lose to the Super Bowl champion Dallas Cowboys.

Blanchard kicked four field goals, including the game-winner from 43 yards with 51 seconds left and Harbaugh threw two touchdown passes Sunday as unbeaten Indianapolis rallied from an 18-point deficit to down Dallas 25-24 as Chris Boniol's 57-yard field at the gun hit the cross-bar.

Dallas (1-2) went ahead 24-22 with 13:26 left on a 52-yard field goal by Boniol but his 40-yarder hit the right upright and bounced away with 2:48 to go to keep the Colts in the game.

Harbaugh, who was 19 of 28 for 244 yards, hit Ken Dilger with a 28-yard pass and Zack Crockett with an 18-yarder to position Blanchard for his perfect field goal try.

After the Colts trailed by 12 at halftime, Harbaugh threw two touchdown passes in the third quarter to rally the Colts (3-0) to a 22-21 lead. The passes traveled 48-yards to Marcus Pollard and 8 yards to Dilger.

The Cowboys dominated the first half, taking a 21-3 lead

and leading 21-9 with the Colts' only points coming on Blanchard field goals of 24, 25, and a career-long 52 yards.

After Blanchard had put the Colts up 3-0, Troy Aikman took Dallas 67 yards in 9 plays with the payoff coming on 4th and 1 from the Indianapolis 5 when Aikman faked to Emmitt Smith and rolled out to find fullback Daryl Johnston standing all alone for the touchdown.

The next two touchdowns came courtesy of the defense which was third in the NFL coming into the game.

Tony Tolbert cracked Harbaugh from behind and Deion Sanders picked up the loose football, returning it 22 yards for the touchdown.

Roger Harper intercepted Harbaugh two plays later at the Colts 44 and the Cowboys marched to their third touchdown which came on Smith's 2-yard run to make it 21-3.

The Colts played without six injured regulars, including running back Marshall Faulk, cornerback Derrick Frazier and defensive end Tony Bennett.

It was the first time they had defeated Dallas since Super Bowl V in 1971 when they lost on a last-second field goal kicked by Jim O'Brien. Dallas has a 7-4 lead in the series.

Aikman completed 17 of 27 for 184 yards.

Hostetler's return lifts Raiders

By ROB GLOSTER
Associated Press Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. — The Oakland Raiders celebrated Jeff Hostetler's return from injuries by breaking an eight-game losing streak in a ragged game featuring precious little offense and 18 penalties.

The image of 320-pound de-

fensive tackle Jerry Ball lumbering 66 yards for the game-breaking touchdown was a fitting way to sum up the Raiders' sloppy 17-3 win over Jacksonville on Sunday.

Trailing 10-3 late in the fourth quarter, Jaguars quarterback Mark Brunell led his team to the Oakland 26. But he was hit by Rob Fredrickson,

and the ball popped right to Ball, who barreled toward the end zone with an escort of four Raiders.

Tim Brown caught a 19-yard scoring pass from Hostetler and Cole Ford had a 32-yard field goal for the Raiders (1-2), who had not won since last November. Mike Hollis kicked a 33-yard field goal for Jacksonville (1-2).

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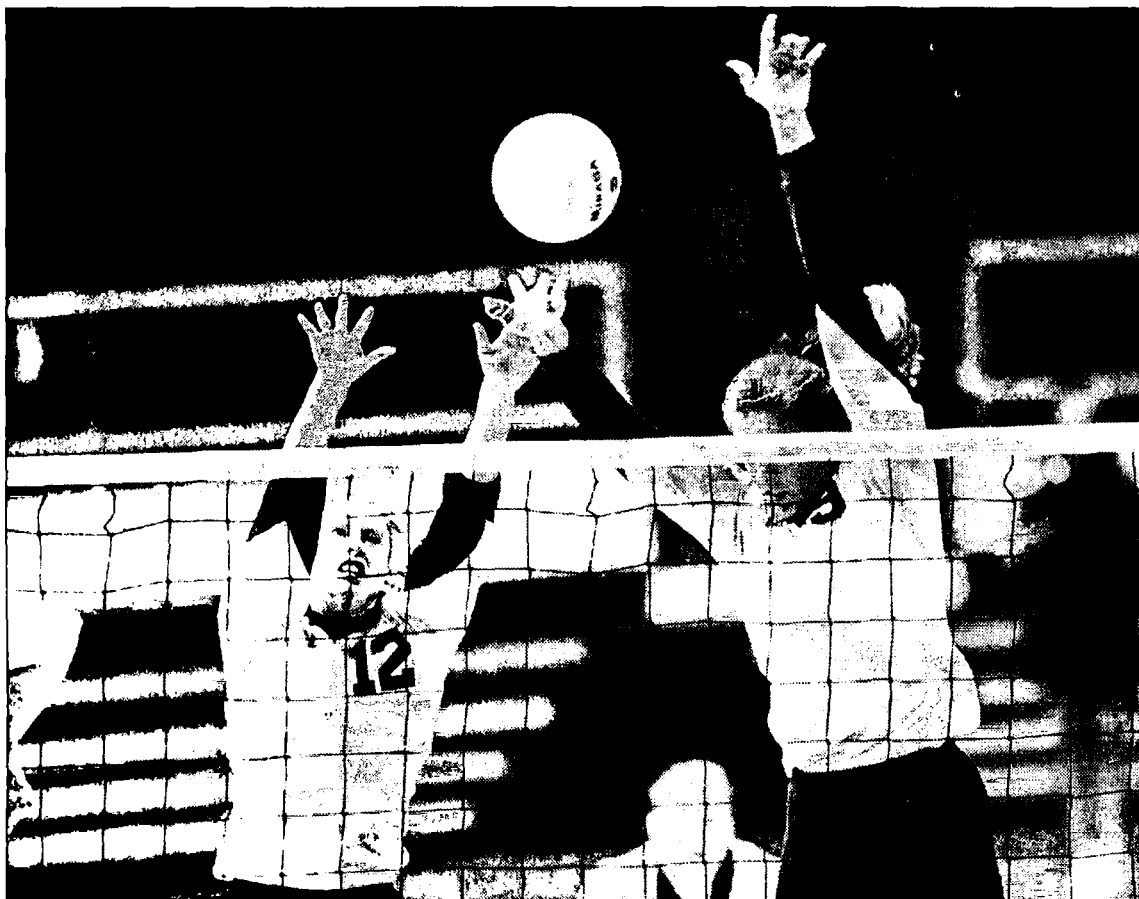
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Despite the strong play of outside hitter Jenny Birkner and middle blocker Jennifer Rouse, the Irish fell to the Nittany Lions on Friday night. Birkner moved into tenth place in Irish history with her 82nd career ace.

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battled until the Lions came out on top of two games that went the distance, and then some.

"We played good volleyball. We just didn't make it all the way through the matches," said senior captain and all tournament selection Jenny Birkner. "We were not ready physically to play a team like that. They were stronger, quicker, and more conditioned for a match like that."

Lee concurs, "We didn't close out at the end of games three and four. They were both at 14-14 and they just did the little things, and we didn't. It was disappointing because we played really well, but they are a great team. They handled Washington State who was ranked ahead of them in three straight games in the finals."

Freshman Mary Leffers continued to impress as she led the team in kills against the Lions with 13. Birkner chipped in 11 while Angie Harris and Treadwell added 10 apiece.

The squad continues to learn and build on each match as

they remain upbeat and confident despite their tough losses to ranked opponents.

Sophomore middle blocker Lindsay Treadwell explains how the team will refine their skills to get to the next level.

"As long as we keep working on things like blocking and defending behind the block, these things will help our passing which makes a better offense. It's like a domino affect. If we keep working hard on all of those things, we will eventually get there."

"We are making the progress we need to make," said head coach Debbie Brown. "When we compete with a team like that, it is very encouraging. We know we can be much better."

Along with the physical aspect of the game, the Irish know that these difficult matches will improve on the mental aspects.

Lee expressed, "I think we are going to rebound really well. We know we are a good team, but we think we can be a great team. With each tough match we are making improvements."

Treadwell discussed the team's mental game considering their numerous injuries.

"Things have been kind of tough with all the injuries because we get physically worn down a bit," she said. But mentally, I think the team is very tough. We know we can play through the hard matches, and we need to build a little more confidence so we can go out there and actually win those tough matches."

Birkner elaborated on how the team would improve on their confidence.

"The mental side of the game will come with playing more together and having more confidence in each other."

In two of the team's losses, they had to turn around and play the next day. The squad has shown that they can shake off those losses and can put away their next opponents. In fact, those next opponents, which included Clemson this weekend, failed to take a game as the Irish have swept in all of their wins.

Brown's squad has not lost to an unranked opponent since they were upset by Michigan State in September of 1994. The triumph over Clemson marked the program's 50th straight win versus unranked opponents.

Therefore, Brown saw it as a fitting time to rest one of her best offensive weapons, Angie Harris. Harris has played through pain and tendentious in her right knee after off-season surgery.

Senior middle blocker Jennifer Rouse stepped in with her second best hitting match of her career (.571) while recording nine kills and only one error in 14 attempts. She also added seven block assists.

Brown raved at her team's ability to rebound after a difficult loss.

"They showed a lot of character. We are not getting down after our losses. They do not dwell on the past, and they are putting those matches behind us."

The Irish will next battle two Big Ten foes this weekend. They will look to improve on their 6-3 record as they travel to Ann Arbor to square off against the Wolverines before hosting Purdue this Saturday.

Notes:

Birkner's six aces on the weekend moved her into 10th place on the Notre Dame career aces list (82).

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Sophomore midfielder Shannon Boxx scored the first goal for the Irish in Sunday's 5-0 victory over Indiana. The Observer/Mike Ruma

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consistent players for the team this season.

"The play developed on a great combination," explained Koloskov, "between (Ryan) Cox and (Bill) Savarino."

Cox, a freshman who is just starting to work his way into the lineup due to an early season ankle strain, played the ball to Savarino on the wing. The junior made an excellent crossing pass to Koloskov who was at the top of the goal box. Koloskov capitalized on the opportunity by firing the ball past Mountaineer goalie Carlos Iga.

The senior's tally was all that the Irish would need to stay undefeated almost one-third of the way into the 1996 campaign.

Notre Dame will go on the road today in an effort to improve their record to 5-0-1 and to prepare for what are sure to be two key conference matchups next weekend against No. 17 Connecticut and talented Seton Hall.

It may be tough for the team to avoid overlooking this afternoon's non-conference contest with lowly DePaul. After all, the Irish opened last season by stomping the Blue Demons 8-0 and five of the starters from that DePaul squad were lost to graduation.

However, when Notre Dame

struggled to score twice to beat a weak Valparaiso team last week, they learned an invaluable lesson.

No matter how important future games might be, no game is ever a given.

■ SAINT MARY'S VOLLEYBALL

Belles suffer setback at tourney

By KATHRYN COUSINO
Sports Writer

After capturing first place last weekend at the Hanover College tournament, the Belles suffered a disappointing 3-1 loss at the Ohio Northern University tournament this weekend.

"There was definite room for improvement in the team's playing level this weekend," coach Julie Schroeder-Biek said.

"But I was excited over the exposure that the tournament gave SMC volleyball and the

new freshmen finding their strength. They led the stats with the most kills."

In the Hanover game, SMC overcame a 14-9 deficit in the fifth game to defeat Hanover 16-14.

"Freshman Mary Rodovich did wonderfully under incredible pressure," Coach Schroeder-Biek said. "Coming into the game at the 9-14 deficit, she served seven straight points to throw Hanover's defense off and win the game for the Belles."

Other coaches at the tourna-

ment also commented on her great skill to bring SMC out of single digits and force the opposing team into making errors with her power serves.

Other freshmen stand-outs included Agnes Bill with 43 kills and Jayne Ozbolt bringing in 35 kills. Co-captain Meg Kelly slammed in 28 kills for the Belles as well.

Besides the Hanover game, SMC also did well against the ranked Ohio Northern University by taking them into the fifth game.

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they get."

The only momentum Indiana experienced was the one shot they put on goal late in the second half. The Irish countered that one with 32 of their own.

"Our goal was not to let them in the game because that's what we did against Michigan State," goalie Jen Renola said. "Putting a couple away early was the key to that."

Putting a couple away was made easier by an Irish defensive unit that took on a familiar look from last year. After playing a zone through the first five games, Notre Dame switched to a man-to-man style that brought them success a season ago.

"Our defenders were awesome," midfielder Holly Manthei said. "Kate (Sobrero), Jen (Grubb), and Fish (Kate Fisher) are the best marking backs in the country. We tried to make the other one work

and it didn't so we went back to the defense that won us a national championship."

You can't argue with results like that.

"I thought we dominated defensively which is something we hadn't done yet," Petrucelli added. "I think the whole team did a great job, but in particular, the guys in the back were outstanding. They defended really well, and got into the attack."

Led by the defenders, the Irish steadily pressured the Hoosier end, creating numerous scoring chances. Sophomore Shannon Boxx was the first to capitalize, netting her sixth goal of the year on assists from Grubb and forward Amy VanLaecke.

Before halftime, the Irish went up 2-0 on freshman Jenny Streiffer's fifth goal of the year. Manthei got her eighth assist on the season, placing a perfect ball on Streiffer's head.

Hoosier goalie Merit Elzey had an excellent game, fending off a majority of the quality Irish chances, including two

spectacular diving saves.

"She (Elzey) really kept them in the game," Petrucelli said. "Against most goalkeepers, we score ten goals today."

The Irish also had four shots that hit the post, keeping the goal count at five.

"We haven't really worked on finishing or much offensively because we've been focusing on our defense so much," Renola said. "We didn't finish as well as we could've, but that will improve. Once we work in that area more, we'll finish more chances."

The final three tallies came in the second half courtesy of Manthei, Van Laecke and co-captain Cindy Daws.

The other co-captain, Renola, only touched the ball yesterday when her teammates passed it back to her, demonstrating how difficult it was for Indiana to even traverse midfield.

"It's exciting for me when they try to keep me in the game," Renola said jokingly.

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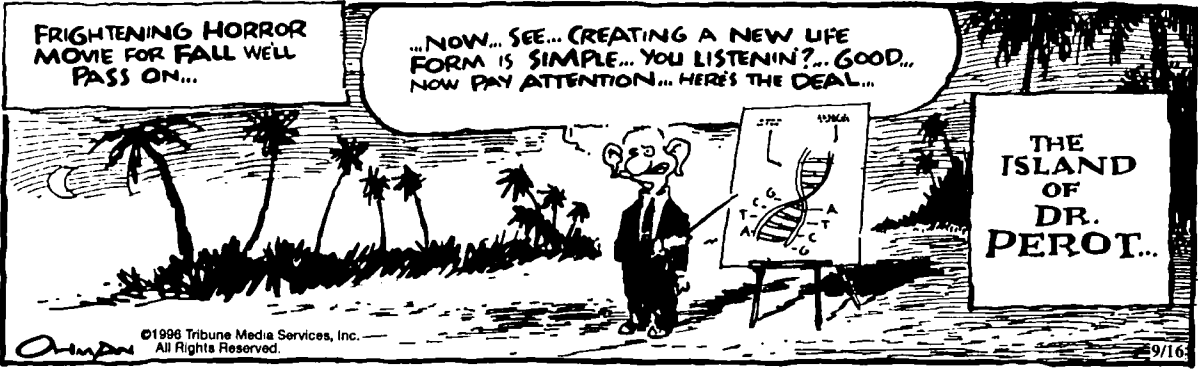
Volleyball Tournament - RecSports will be sponsoring a one night tournament on September 19 at Stepan Courts. For more information, contact RecSport by Wednesday, September 18. **Challenge U Fitness** - Some classes are still open. Please call RecSports for details. If you are not able to attend for any reason, please contact the RecSports office so that we may give the spot to someone else.

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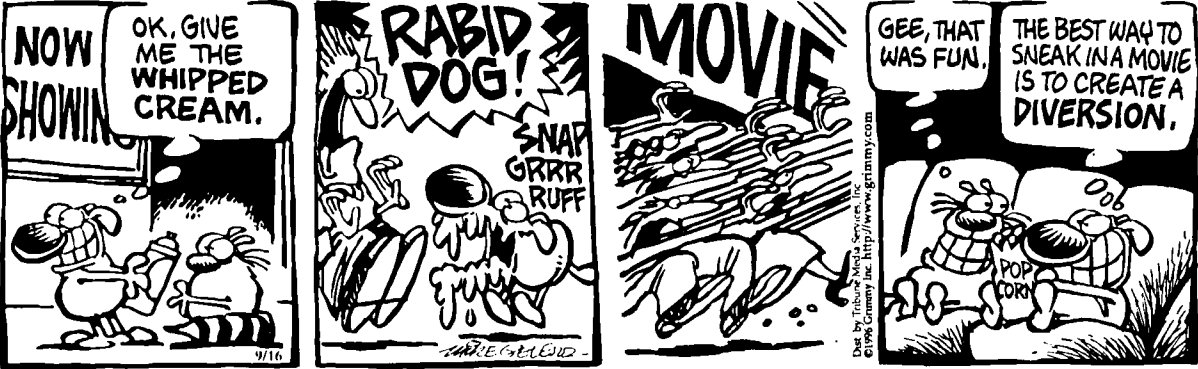
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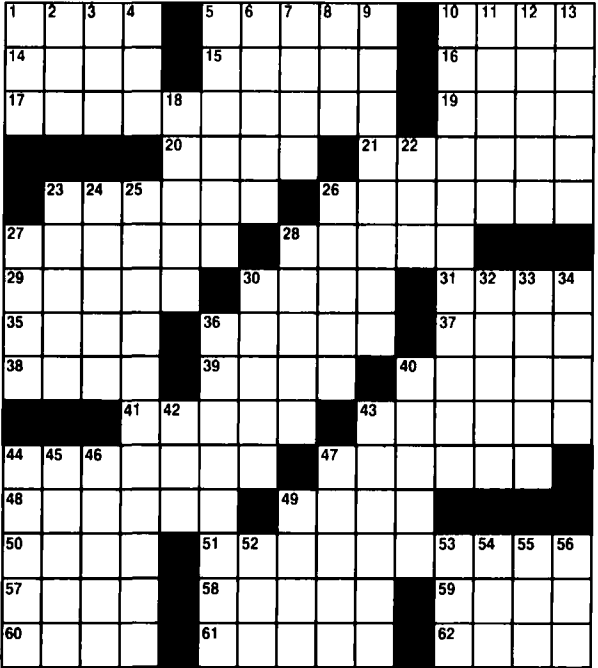
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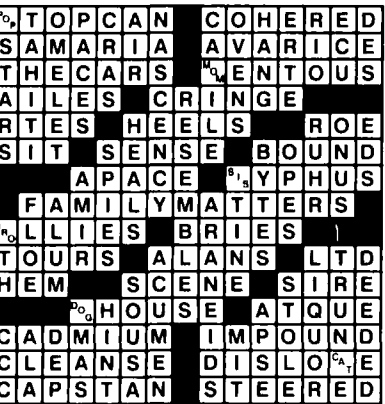


CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
- 1 Give a Bronx cheer to
 - 5 Camel features
 - 10 Dog's annoyance
 - 14 Region
 - 15 W.W. II plane — Gay
 - 16 Melon throwaway
 - 17 Party munchies, e.g.
 - 19 Within: Prefix
 - 20 Comic book heroes
 - 21 "Return to —"
 - 23 Smart, as students
 - 26 Waterfall
 - 27 Submarine detection systems
 - 28 Big name in copiers
 - 29 "— luck!"
 - 30 Army vehicle
 - 31 Brothers
 - 35 "I'd hate to break up —"
 - 36 Ram, astrophysically
 - 37 Rolling in money
 - 38 Like most postage stamps: Abbr.
 - 39 Female sweetheart
 - 40 Spotted North
 - 41 Politico North
 - 43 Teeter-totter
 - 44 Fix indelibly
 - 47 Equilibria
 - 48 Evolution theorist Charles
 - 49 Leopold and — (1920's murder case)
 - 50 Bright thought
 - 51 How a surprise might catch you
 - 57 Stadium level
 - 58 Utah's — Mountains
 - 59 De — (opulent): Fr.
 - 60 Hourglass fill
 - 61 Japanese camera
 - 62 Nerve cell part
- DOWN**
- 1 Brit. W.W. II fliers
 - 2 Mr. Onassis
 - 3 Buddhist sect
 - 4 Zig's opposite
 - 5 Greek messenger of the gods
 - 6 Starved
 - 7 Apollo 11's goal
 - 8 Arafat's org.
 - 9 Inept soldiers
 - 10 Burger side order
 - 11 Figure skater
 - 12 Open — (unrestricted)
 - 13 Revere
 - 18 Newsboy's cry
 - 22 "— Beso" (1962 song)
 - 23 Christmas bird



ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE



- 24 The "I" in ICBM
- 25 VCR button
- 26 Movie theaters
- 27 Personal affront
- 28 Hoist
- 30 Choo-choo
- 32 Get the suds out
- 33 Play the role of
- 34 Third place at the race track
- 36 Jokingly
- 40 Singer Bryson
- 42 My —, Vietnam
- 43 Edberg of tennis
- 44 Prepares for publication
- 45 Gymnast Comaneci
- 46 Golf hole's locale
- 47 — voce
- 49 Thin
- 52 52, to Flavius
- 53 Rock — (jukebox brand)
- 54 Oft-rented outfit
- 55 Outside: Prefix
- 56 Cub Scout group

Answers to any three clues in this puzzle are available by touch-tone phone: 1-900-420-5656 (75¢ per minute). Annual subscriptions are available for the best of Sunday crosswords from the last 50 years: (800) 762-1665.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY! IN THE NEXT YEAR OF YOUR LIFE: Focus on communications that will advance your professional and personal aims. The financial outlook shows decided improvement as winter approaches. Research will put you in a better bargaining position should you decide to buy or expand a business. As 1997 begins, romance takes on new luster. A vacation you embark on early next summer will have unexpected business benefits. A young-at-heart widow or widower could remarry by this time next September. Be open-minded.

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY: actress Lauren Bacall, master illusionist David Copperfield, bluesman B.B. King, tennis player Rosemary Casals.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Head for the limelight! Mingling with VIPs and influential acquaintances will lay the foundation for a new alliance. Collaborating with a colleague or professional group will bring greater financial success.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): If your relations with someone in authority are strained, keep a low profile and be cooperative if asked to perform certain tasks. Romance and travel are on the horizon.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Major changes are in the works. How you react to them will determine how much success you enjoy! Taking the initiative will help you resolve a personal dilemma.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): New ventures will prove energizing. Have the courage of your convictions. Your enthusiasm will win the hearts of many people. Choosing a partner will not be difficult.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Bold thinking will turn heads in your direction. Get your ideas across in an imaginative way, without being confrontational. Romance soars to new heights. Update your image.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): A loved one needs more TLC. Step back and let others bask in the limelight. Never doubt your base of support. Family and friends are solidly behind you. Show your gratitude in tangible ways.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Careful attention to detail will prevent costly mistakes. Delays or mix-ups could complicate a project. Your backup plan had better be terrific.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Keep your good luck to yourself. Put extra funds away for a special vacation. Delegating routine tasks helps you get quicker results. Influential people will be impressed.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Back to the grind. Your co-workers are depending on you to carry the ball! Take a leadership role, but welcome their input. The financial returns from a difficult work project will be excellent.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Listen to your partner's ideas. If you go along with a clever plan, profits will soar. Handle real estate matters promptly. Costs are not as high as you feared.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): A public appearance goes well. Others are impressed by your way with words. Accept a last-minute invitation to lunch. A romantic encounter leaves you purring with contentment. Make a date with this person.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): The emphasis now is on being more sociable and people-oriented. Put your best foot forward, especially at work. Finish one job before starting another. A romantic admirer's extravagant promises could dazzle you.

■ OF INTEREST

Eight Ball Pool Tournament: There will be an 8-ball tournament in the Gorch Games Room in the LaFortune basement Tuesday at 7:30 pm. There is a \$5 entry fee and the grand prize is from Best Buy. Free practice for entrants will take place from 7:00 to 7:30 pm.

Elections Lecture: "The 1996 Elections and the Common Good: Issues in the Economy" will be the topic for a lecture discussion led by Professors Jeff Bergstrand, Chuck Craypo, and Ed Trubac. It will be held on Monday from 4 to 5 p.m. in the CCE auditorium.

Yearbook pick-up: The 1993 to 1996 yearbooks are available at the LaFortune Information desk from Sept. 30 to Oct. 4., Monday through Friday from 9

■ MENU

- Notre Dame**
- North: Vegetable Lo Mein, Broccoli Spears, Beef Turnovers
 - South: Meat Loaf, Stir-fry Szechuan Vegetables, Chicken Fajita Salad
- Saint Mary's**
- Grilled Chicken Sandwich
 - White Rice
 - Vegetable Lo Mein
 - Candied Sweet Potatoes

Wanted: Reporters, photographers and editors. Join The Observer staff.

Don't miss the opportunity for students and faculty to meet and mingle at the all-campus picnic following the official opening mass of the school year on September 22. Students and faculty will be seated by department, and both dining halls will be closed during the event.

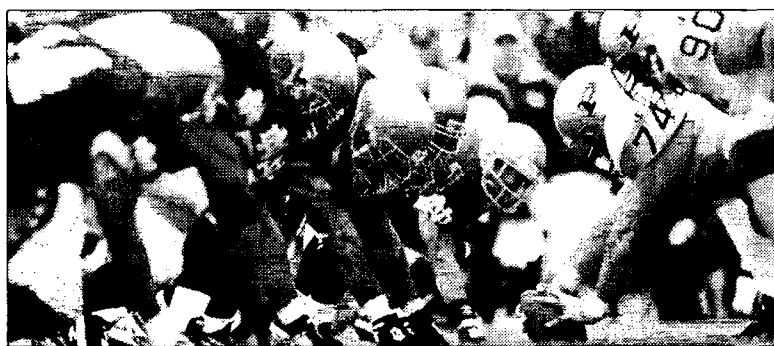
Mass begins at 4 p.m. Please join us!

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■ MEN'S SOCCER

Irish top Mountaineers to remain undefeated

By BRIAN REINTHALER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's soccer team is currently enjoying their best start since Mike Berticelli took over as head coach in 1990. Lifted by a game-winning goal from senior midfielder Konstantin Koloskov, the Irish improved their record to 4-0-1 and 2-0-1 in the Big East.

It was not an easy victory for Berticelli's crew, as bad weather and an inconsistent offense slowed the Irish in the first half. Senior midfielder Konstantin Koloskov explained the shaky start.

"We played well defensively," said Koloskov, "but poorly on offense."

Such has been the case on a few occasions this season. The defense, which once again shut down opposing attackers for 90 minutes, has played well in each of the five games this year

and has helped goalkeeper Greg Velho maintain a perfect goals against average in regulation play.

However, Velho played even more of a role than usual in Friday evening's contest with the Mountaineers. The sophomore recorded five saves in the game and completed his fourth shutout of the season. He faced the majority of those shots in second half and quite a few from short-range, but Velho was up to the challenge.

The Irish, in search of offense in the second half, may have sacrificed a small amount of their defensive strength, as evidenced by Velho's work load.

Referring to the offensive effort, Koloskov said, "The coach (Berticelli) made some changes at halftime and we did better."

The game-winning goal was provided by senior midfielder Konstantin Koloskov, who continues to be one of the most



Senior midfielder Konstantin Koloskov tallied the game-winning goal for Notre Dame in Friday's victory over the Mountaineers. The Irish improved their record to 4-0-1, including a 2-0-1 mark in the Big East.

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■ WOMEN'S SOCCER

Hoosiers fold under pressure

By JOE VILLINSKI
Associate Sports Editor

With the Notre Dame women's soccer team leading Indiana 1-0 in the first half yesterday, leprechaun Bryce Emo spotted two spectators departing the stands at Alumni Field.

Trying to keep the two from leaving, Emo deadpanned, "It's not over yet."

Fact was, however, the statement was dead wrong.

The two then kept walking and Notre Dame kept on dominating.

The No. 2 Irish were in control from the beginning on Sunday, cruising to a 5-0 victory. After a shaky start Thursday in a 5-3 win against Michigan State, head coach Chris Petrucelli was pleased at the play from the outset.

"One of our goals was to start fast," he said. "I think in every game it's important for us to start fast because the longer we leave teams in games, the more momentum



Freshman forward Jenny Streiffer helped the Irish build a 2-0 advantage just before the half as the squad cruised to a 5-0 victory.

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■ VOLLEYBALL

Notre Dame falls again to ranked foe

By JOE CAVATO
Sports Writer

A loss in which the game could go either way is certainly tough to swallow. Losing two consecutive matches in which a break here or there could change the outcome is even more devastating. But how must it feel to lose three in that fashion? Unfortunately, the Notre Dame volleyball team knows the answer to that question.

In Chicago, the Irish split their two matches in the very competitive Mizuno Cup. The currently No. 11 ranked Irish dropped a nail biter to the fifth ranked Penn State Nittany Lions (15-10, 6-15, 14-16, 14-16). The Irish rebounded to knock off the Clemson Tigers in straight games (15-12, 15-4, 15-7).

The Irish are 0-3 against ranked opponents this season, and all of those matches have been filled with high caliber play and play makers. Stanford's all-everything Kristen Folkl and Louisville's Russian Marinia Sinchenko came up with the big plays to overcome the never say die Irish. Friday night, it was last year's Big Ten Player of the Year and tournament MVP Terry Zemitis' turn.

The 6-foot-2 middle hitter carried the Lions as she racked up 30 of State's 74 kills.

"I think she is one of the best middles in the country," junior Jaimie Lee expressed. "We did a good job, but I think that we should be able to focus on her in the future because she is their offense."

After splitting the first two, the Irish and Lions battled and

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September 20, 7:30 p.m.



at Michigan,
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Volleyball, at Bethel
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