On St. James' Day

(First of a five-part series by Michael Patrick O'Connor and Michael Hollerich.)

The joys and the hopes, the griefs and the anxities of the men of this age, especially those who are poor or in any way afflicted, these too are the joys and hopes, the griefs and anxieties of the followers of Christ. Indeed, nothing genuinely human fails to raise an echo in their hearts.

On July 25, 1968, Paul VI published Humanae Vitae, his long waited encyclical letter on marriage and birth control; it was to epresent all of the deliberations of his predecessor of beloved memory, John, and a papal commission on the question, and the answer to Vatican II's most urgent question. It fully represented none of these things. If one thing is clear about the encyclical, it is that the Holy Father bears the burden of what it has to say more than any other modern pope has had to bear that awful burden. All available evidence indicates clearly that Paul rose above John's feelings on the matter; in large part, ameliorated the significance of the findings of his commisssion and presented to his venerable brothers and beloved sons and answer completely inconsistent with the world view of Vatican II.

But the question is not Paul's honesty; of that there can be no doubt, but it is, finally, a moot point. Paul took as seriously as anyone could the Council's demanding elucidation of the Church's pastoral function quoted above from the Council document. The problem which the encyclical has raised is precisely the truth of that echo., first if it is strong enough, and second if it has remained

undistorted by other interests and other concerns which appear, but only, appear to be of greater significance.

The substance of the encyclical is contained in this passage from the Pope's address to the U.N. General Assembly October 4, 1965 the life of

man is sacred; no one may dare offend it. Respect for life, even with regard to the great problem of the

birth-rate, must find here in your assembly its highest affirmation and its most reasoned defence. You must strive to multiply bread so that it suffices for the tables of mankind, rather than to favor an artificial control of birth, which would be irrational, in order to diminish the number of guests at the banquet of life."

The modern debate on contraception dates back to 1930, the date of Pius XI's reply to the Lanbeth Conference of that year which urged that the Anglican Church expand its teaching on birth control. In the encyclical letter Casti Connubi Pius states that "any use whatever of marriage, in the exercise of which the act by human effort is deprived of its natural power of procreating life, violates the law of God and of nature, and those who do such a thing are stained by grave and mortal fault."

The scene for the present encyclical however was set by three developments in reaction to Casti Connubi rather than that letter itself. (It probably should be explained at this point that no papal document thus far issued on the subject of birth control falls definitely under the rubric of papal infallibility.) The first of these three developments was the endorsement by Pius XII of the rhythm method by all Catholic couples with serious motives for avoiding procreation. The second was the growth of a new conception of marriage that grew out of greater recognition of the changed status of women and realization that physical love had independent significance in marriage from procreation. The last factor in setting the scene was the acknowledgment by the present Pope that the pronouncements of earlier popes are not binding for all time. Thus Paul himself insisted upon the Church's right to self reappraisal on

With this last statement in mind, the Vatican Council prepared what must stand as a serious prologmenon to any consideration of the validity of Humanae Vitae. The Council adopted the formation of insisting on responsible parenthood and the dual ends of marriage, if with fairly pointed references to the integrity of existing doctrine. Thus the Council chose to shift the burden of the final decision to the Holy Father. Paul himself was awaiting the report of a commission on the problem set up by his predecessor John. Paul expanded the group to include 52 members, distributed among theologians, demographers, physicians, and representatives of the married laity; he also set up a coordinate episcopal group. In June of 1966 the proceedings and reports were presented to the Pope and it was publicly acknowledged that the general commission advocated a change in policy by a large majority and the group of bishops by a small majority. Paul in effect rejected the work of the commission as unsatisfactory and insisted that further work would have to be done on the topic. Less than a full year later the two reports of the commission were published; they provide substance for criticizing the Pope at that time in refusing the commission's work. The minority report holds to the simple assertion that it is not likely that the Church could have so erred through the centuries and that to go back on its previous stand would call the integrity of the church in pastoral matters into serious question among the faithful.

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OBSERVER Wire Editor Sam Boyle, Associate Editor Betty Doerr, and Senior Editor Mike Farnum check the first of United Press International's flow of news to the OBSERVER.

Presidents Grill Fr. Riehle

more than three hours Sunday night, the Hall Presidents' Council closely questioned Dean Special Assistant to Fr. Hesburgh, on the prefect system has yet to be submitted to the

function as a priest and not as a the university. disciplinarian. I certainly was priestly functions."

Under close questioning from "There were no provisions for consultation of students on the prefects . . . No one invited me to a meeting of the Hall Presidents' Council." Rossie, concentrating his attacks on the imposition of prefects as opposed to the system itself, countered with the assertion "Procedures could have been created whereby students might have been consulted." To this suggestion, the Dean of Students replied "It might have been a good thing to do." Riehle contended that with the new Un-

In a meeting which lasted iversity Student Life Council consultation will now be pos-

Rossie also questioned Riehle of Students Rev. James L. closely on sections of a contract Riehle and Philip J. Faccenda, with the Dean of Students office signed by all prefects. Interrupting Riehle's reading of and the new hall judicial code. the contract, Rossie asked for The Council, whose constitution assurance that a prefect making statements against university Student Senate, could not make rules would not be fired. Riehle a statement on either issue but refused to make any statement decided informally to invite Fr. of assurance, comparing the Riehle back for further status of prefects to that of questioning next Sunday night. corperation executives critical of Speaking to the Council; operations. While taking a Riehle vehemently defended the generally moderate position, the prefect system, saying "My idea Dean of Students pointed out is that any priest should that prefects are employees of

Concerning provisions for not ordained to be a policeman. enforcement of university I was ordained to be a priest. regulations, Rossie and Farley The prefects have the combined President Mike McCauley were job of counseling and enforcing critical of prefects reporting rules in the halls. Thus the rector violations straight to the Dean of and one more priest in the halls Students. Riehle assured the will be freed to perform their Council "In every case I possibly can, I will send the matter back to the hall judicial board." the Council and SBP Richard However, Rossie contended Rossie, Riehle maintained that "Due to feelings in the halls the guidelines for prefects, the grey

areas, should be set by the hall councils. You consulted the rectors as you imposed the prefects, but not the hall councils. The way to right this slight would be to allow halls to make reports instead of prefects." McCauley added "If you channel imformation through hall councils you will get the job done and make a lot of people much happier."

Faccenda mainly defended provisions in the hall judicial code, but told the Council that prefects had been instructed never to enter student rooms uninvited unless sure a violation of university rules was taking place. Concerning provisions in the judicial code for 11-member hall judicial boards, Faccenda stressed the necessity of uniformity, saying "You're basic problem is that you're toying with legality. The hall judicial board is no civil court but it has the right ot impose considerable penalties . . . The trial records of last year were uneven. Some sort of organization of the boards is needed campus wide. This is not regimentation but organization so you can get a fair trial."

SLC Elections Postponed

Elections for the Student Life Council have been posponed until after the election and meeting of the Student Senate. Elections for the SLC were originally scheduled for Oct. 1 and senate elections for Oct. 8. The new Senate will now be elected Thursday, Oct. 3.

Student Body President Richard Rossie said last night that the newly formed senate would consider the ratification of the Student Life Council and set new dates for the election of the six student representatives on the new board.

Rossie also said that the new elections would have to be set for before Oct. 14 since the SCL is set to meet that day for the first time.

Joyce Celebrates Opening

Yesterday morning saw the formal opening of Notre Dame's 127th academic year with a concelebrated solemn high mass in Sacred Heart Church. The fete was held at eleven; the entire academic community came in formal academic dress, including flowing black robes and the bright colors which serve to designate field of specialization. Most in evidence yesterday morning was the bright red of the theology department.

Principal celebrant at the Mass was Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, Executive Vice President; among the five concelebrants were Rev. Jerome J. Wilson, C.S.C., University Vice President for Business Affairs, and Rev. James L. Riehle, C.S.C., Dean of Students.

The sermon was delivered by Rev. John E. Walsh, C.S.C., University Vice President for Academic Affairs. Father Walsh



Tony Curtis in **ARRIVIDERCI**



LOST

From Brownson Hall driveway a tan overnight bag and chalice in black box. Finder please phone Father Leo Matusicky at 6430

Foreign Car Service and Parts. . . For All Makes and Models. . **IMPORT AUTO 288-1811** 2416 MISHAWAWKA AVE. Catholic Universities (an Hesburgh has headed for the past several years). The sentence teaching, research and service common to all universities, the Catholic university brings to its task the inspiration and illumination of the Christian message." In passing over the suggestions of those who find absurdity underlying life or who find no meaning at all, Father Walsh spoke of how the quest for wisdom and love. He community.

took as his text a sentence from then went on to discuss the case the statement of position of the of the university and Notre International Federation of Dame in particular: "The University of Notre Dame is organization which Father committed to the finest teaching and research in the sciences, both natural and social. It is was: "In addition to the equally committed to a full flowering of the humanities and

But even deeper and more persuasive is its commitment to the seeking of wisdom which is the culmination of all education and the end most to be treasured of all of life." Father Walsh concluded his sermon by imploring God'd benediction on Christian message encourages the the efforts of the university

Union Heist Unsolved

After a period of nearly five months, comprehensive lie detector tests, and a continuing investigation by campus Chief of Security Arthur Pears, the Great Union Robbery remains unsolved.

The lie detector tests, administered last May by an expert from Chicago, were given to all Student Union executive personell along with those in the Social Commission connected with the robbery. All were exonerated.

Jays Lounge.On US 31 just across the border in Michigan, serving your favorite beers and liquors – seven days a

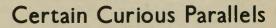
FRESHMEN: Did you know that N.D. has a shoe shop - yes, right behind the Administration Building open Monday through Saturday Noon.

The sum total of the robbery is still estimated at between \$3000 and \$3300 (The gate receipts from the Henry Mancini Concert last March 31.)

As to the investigation which Chief Pears has conducted, no conclusive evidence has as yet been uncovered. Pears said, "we're at the end of our rope. We can't continue until we get some new leads." There is still a \$500 reward offered by Student Union to anyone admitting information leading to the arrest of those involved.

Certain precautions have been taken by the Student Union to guarantee against the possibilities of a similar theft this year. Armed guards will now escort any transfer of funds by Union personell. An elaborate security system is now being initiated within La Fortune Student Center and the feasibility of bonding certain students in Student Union, while handling finances, is being checked into.

Joel Connelly



Nuremburg, September, 1938;

-A band marches through the streets of the old Bavarian city playing the Horst Wessel anthem of the Nazi Party;

-Thousands cheer and surge towards the Sportpalace where the Fuhrer and other Nazi leaders will speak;

-The band nears the arena, being mobbed to the extent that a special squad of Storm Troopers has to protect it from the fanatical

-As the band enters the Sportpalace, the cheering throng takes up a triumphal rendition of the Horst Wessel march in a paen of joy and adulation;

-Egged on by Storm Trooper leaders and representatives of the Propaganda Ministry the crowd takes up chants of triumph and the superiority of Germany, roaring out "Today Germany, Tomorrow the World" and chanting "Fuhrer, Fuhrer, Fuhrer!..."

-Slowly Nazi leaders mount the platform as the mob roars and the band plays. The Fuhrer is last, a small, tense, erect man. The mob exudes adoration and repeadedly chants his name;

-One by one party leaders and some "Old Fighters" of the movement exhort the rally, praising the traditions of the Nazi Party, the strength of the Third Reich, and speaking in awe of the supreme

-The Fuhrer is introduced as the band takes up the Horst Wessel song once more and the throng surges forward screaming, shouting, and clawing. Hitler is obviously tense, but exudes the outward calm of total mastery.

-The master calls upon his slaves for total commitment and obedience. Exhorting the crowd, he cries "Fellow Germans give me your help for I must have the people of the Fatherland with me if we are to overcome our enemies and the shame of Versailles";

-During the Fuhrer's speech the mob screams and shouts at every break, their eyes fixed on the little God who is addressing them;

-The Fuhrer ends, and anything more would be anti-climax. Instead, throughout the huge arena, there comes a hush. then, magigestically, the band strikes up the National Anthem Deutschland Uber Alles as the throng solemnly sings;

-The band marches out, blaring forth the Horst Wessel song for one last time. The party leaders, sweating freely, make for the exits. The Fuhrer gazes down on his mob before leaving.

-The crowd files out, headed for their favorite beer halls south of the arena, and talking loudly of the war games to take place in Nuremburg Stadium the next day

Study Help Sign-ups This Week and Next

tutoring the disadvantaged children of South Bend for one hour per week are invited to join the Neighborhood Study Help Program.

Both St. Mary's and Notre Dame students are asked to help in the tutoring of the second through eighth grade children at the various neighborhood centers through out the city. Bus transportation is always provided to and from the neighborhood centers.

The Neighborhood Study Help Program endeavors to help

Students interested in academically and socially deprived children to re-assert their hopes in the future.

> Signup tables will be located in the dining halls tonight and tomorrow night from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday tables will be located in the LaFortune Student Center from 3 to 4 p.m. and from 7 to 9 p.m.

> Tables will be located at St. Mary's at Madaleva, the cafeteria and the coffee house. Thursday, next Monday and Tuesday signups will be held at the Reignbeaux from 7 to 9 p.m.

Typist Needed

Student Union Publications needs typists to work from six to twelve hours a week, \$1.50 per hour. A schedule will be made up to accomodate classtime and outside activities. Those interested please call 283-7471 or come up to the Observer office between 3-7 p.m. Sunday through Thursday. Ask for Geoff Browning. Notre Dame or St. Mary's students.

Student Senate Elections

All students interested in running for the Student Senate MUST attend the Election Committee's Organizational meeting to be held Thursday, September 26, at 7:00 p.m. in the Student Center Amphitheater. Senate Elections will be held Thursday, October 3. Election rules and procedures will be explained and nomination sheets will be distributed at the September 26 meeting.

Senate Elections: Thurs., Oct. 3, 1968

600 Walk Out on Cardinal O'Boyle Mass

half of the congretation at St. Matthew's Cathedral walked out in quiet protest Sunday when Patrick Cardinal O'Boyle publicly chastized Roman Catholics who disagree with Pope Paul's stand against artificial contraception.

Those who remained in their pews gave the cardinal a rare standing ovation after he finished reading a four page letter sent to all 130 pastors in

The Mail

Editor:

As a freshman, I find it necessary to reply to Michael Murphy's letter of September 20th. Naturally, I respect Mr. Murphy's right of opinion; but I fear that unless a reply is made, the rest of the university community will view my class rather dubiously.

First, to eliminate some techniculities, President Rossie's tone, which Mr. Murphy indignantly refers to as "assertive" in calling for order, was more than appropriate, especially from a student body president. Perhaps Mr. Murphy was too busy talking himself to notice the obvious decrease in noise following Mr. Rossie's comment.

I also feel that Mr. Murphy's attention was lacking again during the body of the address. Mr. Rossie did mention his "cause," the cause of meaningful student direction of life and education at Notre Dame.

Then Mr. Murphy moves on to complain that President Rossie actually exposed his own political beliefs. Shades of Dick Daley-how terrible!

Mr. Rossie's right to refer, with enthusiasm, to the candidacies of Senators Kennedy and McCarthy is unquestionable; the fact remains, however, that these comments had a definite place in Mr. Rossie's address. These remarks were made to prove that we freshmen have mustered the kind of commitment which Mr. Murphy rather contempuously refers to. I for one campaigned for the two Senators in the last few months, and I know many other Freshman who did as well. Mr. Rossie asked in hisspeech that we direct a new, but similar, commitment to the cause of rejuvenating the processes of our

Mr. Murphy's gravest mistake, however, is to believe that his is the opinion of the Freshman Class. Contrary to Mr. Murphy's view, the class was impressed by President Rossie, showing this by the warm reception it gave

Sorry, Mr. Murphy, but I'll be one to follow President Rossie in his quest for a university truly responsive to the student and I think a great number of my classmates will be with me.

Sincerely, Don Mooney 231 Alumni

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WASHINGTON(UPI) - About the Washington archdiocese explaining why members of the church should follow the Pope's controversial encyclical on birth control.

> At a 12:30 mass, about 600 persons of an estimated 1,200 capacity crowd stood up as soon as O'Boyle started to speak. If the cardinal noticed them, he neither acknowledged the walkout nor paused in his delivery.

> A spokesman for St. Matthews said the persons who left the mass were not parishioners and "only came here to walk out." He reported that at two earlier masses there were only about 60 walkouts.

Similar demonstrations, organized by two organizations churches where the cardinal's contraception. pastoral letter was read.

of Catholic laymen in the married couples who decided in confessions. Capital, were reported at other good conscience to use artificial

The cardinal has been Cardinal O'Boyle defended his interviewing 44 dissenting priests disciplinary action against and so far has disciplined 13 of Wahington area priests who have them. His penalties have ranged publicly disagreed with him and from virtual suspension to the Pope. The priests contend restrictions on certain pastoral that they cannot penalize functions, such as hearing

The cardinal urged the laity to exert pressure on the dissenting priests to abide by the papal encyclical.

As the cardinal spoke, the 600 stood up without a word and filed out of the cathedral, which is seven blocks north of the White House.

Bizot Named District Chairman

At its organizational meeting last night the New Politics Party for the Third Congressional District named Notre Dame Associate Professor of English Richard Bizot as temporary district chairman.

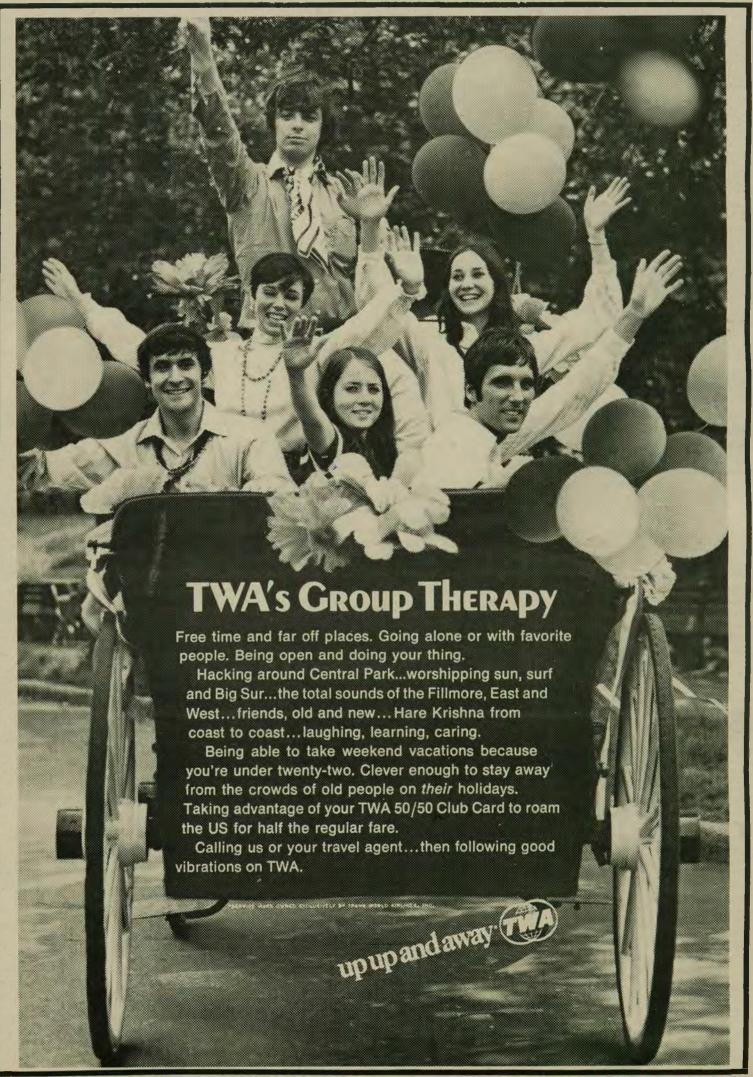
Also named to temporary district offices were David Sims,

vice-chairman, and Cindy Cook, secretary-treasurer. Both Sims and Cook are South Bend residents

The meeting had originally been planned to set up a permanent district organization and to set up district activities for the fall. Since the attendance

was less than had been anticipated, however, the drafting of permanent organization was put off until a larger meeting in the near future.

Approximately one half dozen Notre Dame and SMC students were in attendance.



'We Hit Some People Today'

By TERRY O'NEIL

There were lots of ways to describe the Irish offense in Saturday's 45-21 thrashing of Oklahoma.

The statistician said, "They rolled up 35 first downs and 571 yards in total offense."

Ara said, "I was delighted."

Terry Hanratty said, "Same plays as last year, but much better execution."

Sooner coach Chuck Fairbanks said, "I have to take my hat off to the Notre Dame team. They are much stronger offensively than in 1966 when we played them."

Oklahoma safety Steve Barrett, beginning his third year as a starter, said, "The way they ran through us, I have to admit this is the best offensive team I ever faces, including Tenessee in last year's Orange Bowl."

Meanwhile, there was only one way to describe the defense's performance and only one man to do it. Johnny Ray said, "We hit some people out there today."

Yes, it was one of those roaring, screaming, good-doin'-it football weekends. Bundles of Irish offense, lots more defense



Jim Seymour

than anyone expected and, of no little importance, all the side features that will make Du Lac a circus five more times this fall.

Farley had its usual "dirt-merchant" band; Morrissey Manor couldn't grill the ten-cent hot dogs fast enough; Badin overloaded its circuits while keeping the soft drinks cold outside, blew out all the wall-plug electricity, consequently shut down every refrigerator in the East wing and left some mighty hot guys with some mighty hot beer.

The weather was typical. Rain all through the week. Clearing Friday. Sunny and 81 degrees at gametime. More rain Saturday night.

The rally was one zoo after another, the band showed up Saturday with new uniforms, Jim Seymour broke the only all-time pass receiving record he didn't already own and Knute Rockne's grandson, working as a messenger in the press box, viewed the Irish in amazement.

Indeed, "Little Rock" had every right to be awed.

Offense gains big

The 1967 Oklahoma defense yielded 68 points in 10 regular season games in regular season games, leading the nation in that department. This year's defense included seven of last season's straters, yet surrendered 45 tallies in 60 minutes. That total is just two shy of the most points ever scored against the Sooners – 47 by the Oklahoma Aggies in 1945.

Notre Dame's net rushing yardage, 357, is ten short of the most ever gained against The Big Red, 367 yards by the 1961 Irish squad.

Barrett explained his team's destruction. "We were really banking on the fact that Hanratty would be going to

Statistics

Seymour most of the time. We were actually overloaded on him. Either a linebacker or our rover back would hit him as soon as he came off the line.

"Then we'd usually go into zone coverage with a halfback taking him about 10 yards out and myself picking him up deeper."

"But every time we had him locked up, Hanratty was throwing to someone else or handing off. They were a lot more balanced than we thought."

"And when Hanratty did throw to Seymour, it was always too high for us to reach. (Barrett is listed at six feet, but that's about three or four inches of con job.) He (Seymour) is so tall and fast and he's got so many moves. I don't guess I ever played against anyone better." Steve concluded.

Ara criticized Oklahoma's zone coverage of Seymour. "Most teams are getting away from zones now because the receivers are finding many more ways to beat them. College football is getting better and more specialized. You must try to match individual skills with the opponent by using man-to-man coverage."

Seymour's second TD reception of the day, a seven-yard toss from Hanratty at :56 of the second period, capped a nine-play, 76-yard march which consumed precisely 56 seconds.

It was Jim's 14th career TD grab, breaking Leon Hart's 19-year-old standard of 13 scoring pass catches. Seymour's all-time ND stats now show 94 receptions for 1478 yards and

Individually brilliant as Seymour's performance was, still it depended upon Reilly, DiNardo, Monty, McKinley, Kunz and Winegardner. Those six, averaging 232 pounds per man, compared to 202 for Oklahoma's front wall and linebackers, kept Hanratty from being hit in the pocket all afternoon.

Defense turns it around

Though the attackers were outstanding, it was the defense which turned around the game. Leading 14-7 in the second canto, Oklahoma recovered an ND fumble at the enemy 20. The Sooners moved seven yards in three downs, then called on junior college transfer Bruce Derr for a field goal.

Derr, who had used his gluteus maximus to boot several 65-yarders in practice last week, missed from the 19.

Hanratty Assaults The Record Book

TOTAL OFFENSE

4110 yds. George Gipp Ralph Guglielmi 3285 yds. Terry Hanratty vs. Okla. 227 yds. 3220 yds. Total PASSES ATTEMPTED

436

Terry Hanratty vs. Okla. 27

Ralph Guglielmi

Total 380 PASSES COMPLETED

Ralph Guglielmi 209

Terry Hanratty vs. Okla. 18 Total 206

PASSES HAD INTERCEPTED Angelo Bertelli George Izo 28

Terry Hanratty vs. Okla.

27

COMPLETION PCT.

Total

Frank Tripucka .567 Terry Hanratty

vs. Okla. .667 Total .542

PASSING YARDAGE Ralph Guglielmi 3117

Terry Hanratty

Total 2888 **TOUCHDOWN PASSES** Angelo Bertelli **Bob Williams** 26 Terry Hanratty: vs. Okla.

19

Grid Scores

Total

Here's how future ND opponents fared Saturday: Purdue 44 Virginia 6 Iowa 21 Oregon State 20 Kansas 47 Illinois 7 Michigan State 14 Syracuse 10 Penn State 31 Navy 6 Georgia Tech 17 TCU 7 Southern Cal 29 Minnesota 20 Miami 28 Northwestern 7 UCLA 63 Pitt 7

The stats show 257 yards of total offense for the Sooners. But 72 came on a Warmackto-Hinton pass (which Coach Ray will later explain as a freak play) and 74 more came on a fourth-period march against the reserves.

That leaves 111 yards for a club which averaged 352 in 1967 and lost only three starters.

The 72-yard play to Hinton occurred midway in the first quarter. Usually a tailback or slotback, Hinton flanked wide right for the first time in his college career. Ray picks up the

"We had it played right. He caught a quick, look-in pass. Gasser and Quinn went to tackle him and ran into each other. Then he just took off. It was a bad break."

"Overall, I would say we matured a great deal in the second half," Ray added. Indeed, Oklahoma made a first down with about seven minutes to play in the first half and did not get another first-and-ten until ND's second team yielded one with nearly four minutes left in the game.

Important injuries

Injuries may be a major factor in this week's Purdue clash. Kicker Tony Capers is out for the season after snapping a tendon in his right leg against the Sooners. He may be granted another year of eligibility.

Jeff Zimmerman was on crutches yesterday with a sprained ankle and could miss the Boilermakers. Ara would not say for sure Saturday that linebacker Bob Olson will return this weekend. Sophomore linebacker Jim Wright will be sidelined definately with torn knee ligaments.

Irish Sailors Finish Second

The Sailing Club took up this weekend where it left off last summer.

The Irish, with Bill McElroy at the helm in A Division and Mike Morrissey skippering in B Division, finished second in the Gargantuan Regatta at the University of Wisconsin in Madison.

Nineteen clubs were entered. The top five showed Michigan, ND, Wooster, Indiana U., Wisconsin. Morrissey was tops in his class.

Last June, in the North American Intercollegiate at Yale, New Haven, Conn., the Irish brought home numerous prizes.

Notre Dame was 10th individually, then joined with Michigan to form the Midwest club and finished second in the team competition.

Richie Doyle was elected All-America at Yale while McElroy made honorable mention.

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| | | ND | OKLA | | | O'Brien | 3 | 16 | 0 | 1 |
| Rushing First | Downs | 23 | 6 | | | Theismann | 3 | 25 | 0 | 25 |
| Passing First I | Downs | 12 | 5 | | | Allan | 1 | 14 | 0 | 14 |
| Penalty First I Total First Do | | 0 | 1 | | | Belden | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| | | 35 | 12 | | | Warmack | 10 | 16 | 16 | 0 |
| Times Carried Ball Yards Gained Rushing | | 69 | 36 | | | Hinton | 1 | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Yards Lost Rushing | | 364 | 103 | | | Owens | 17 | 66 | 0 | 66 |
| Net Yards Rushing | | 7 357 | 18 85 | | | Harper | 5 | 12 | 0 | 12 |
| Average Yards Per Carry | | 5.2 | 2.4 | | | Johnson | 3 | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| Passes Thrown | | 28 | 26 | | | Punt Retu | irns | | | |
| Passes Completed | | 19 | 10 | | | Player | No. | Yds | TD | Lo |
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| Yards Punts Returned | | 57 | 0 | | | Gladieux | 6 | 45 | 0 | 24 |
| Kickoff Returns, Number | | 2 | 6 | | | Winegardner | 3 | 56 | 0 | 22 |
| Yards Kickoffs Returned | | 72 | 139 | | | Eaton | 1 | - 12 | Ö | 12 |
| Punts, Number | | 0 | 8 | | | Hinton | 6 | 122 | | 72 |
| Number Had Blocked | | 0 | 1 | | | Zabel | 3 | 42 | 2 | 16 |
| Punting Average | | 0 | 35.3 | | | Killingsworth | 1 | 8 | 0 | 8 |
| Fumbles, Number | | 3 | 0 | | | | | | 0 | 0 |
| Fumbles, Ball Lost | | 2 | 0 | | | Interception | on Retur | ns | | |
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| Pass Receiv | vino | | | | | Harper | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Player | Comp Intc. Yds Kickoff Returns | | | | | | | | | |
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| Theismann | 1 | 1 | , | 0 | 12 | Player | No. | Yds | TD | Long |
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| Rushing | | | | | | O'Brien | 1 | 29 | . 0 | 29 |
| | | | | | | Hinton | 3 | 68 | 0 | 28 |
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| Zimmerman | 17 | 87 | | 0 | 87 | Johnson | | 24 | 0 | 24 |
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