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Fund drive could bring free MTV-sponsored concert to ND campus

By SCOTT BEARBY
News Staff

The Notre Dame campus could be the site of a MTV-sponsored concert given by one of the top five rock groups touring this spring if the University wins a contest involving 15 other Midwestern universities to raise the most money for Multiple Sclerosis. This information and other details about the event were revealed at last night's Hall Presidents Council meeting.

The contest, which will begin this Saturday and last officially until April, is being tested by the MS organization to see what response college campuses will have toward fund raising for them. Raising the most money per capita is the criteria for winning the competition.

Campus efforts will begin this Saturday at Senior Bar where \$.30 of each \$1 spent will be donated to MS. Other early campus activities include the premiere of a MTV video at the University and a kick-off to the campaign by former Notre Dame football coach and key MS spokesman Ara Parseghian.

Should Notre Dame raise the most money per capita from students, the South Bend community, and alumni, it will host the major concert during An Tostal on April 27. The concert by the unnamed group would be free to all students.

Also, Susan Saavedra, a representative for the Committee to Assist Bill, explained that the committee is designed to aid a post-graduate student and part-time employee of the Memorial Library in paying medical bills for his chronic illness. He currently has about \$30,000 in medical

expenses which are not covered by any other source.

In order to assist the student, CAB is seeking donations from any campus organization and will be holding a raffle soon. 5,000 tickets will be sold for the Dec. 12 drawing with first prize being an "Escape for Two Weekend" at the South Bend Marriott.

A 24-hour basketball marathon sponsored by the Notre Dame Circle K is on the agenda for Dec. 8-9. Marathon spokesman Roger Wilke told the Council the event will feature competitive tournaments for men's and women's dorms and non-competitive games for any organization or group of students wishing to pay the \$25 entry fee. All proceeds will go to the South Bend Muscular Dystrophy Association.

The Trivial Pursuit marathon began last night and will continue until Saturday in the New Orleans Room at LaFortune Center. The Junior Advisory Council hopes to raise \$3,000 for the Hope Rescue Mission and the Suicide Prevention Center from the event.

In order to help undercut Senior Formal bid prices, spokesman Steve Smith announced candy bars will be sold at all hall food sales. Proceeds from this weekend's movie "Brian's Song" will also go towards the effort.

The goals of the Hall Presidents Council were also reviewed by the members. The group is currently working on an information booklet for future hall presidents, since "part of their task is to help presidents do a better job in running their halls," according to Council President Chris Tayback. They are also looking into the sponsorship of a leadership lecture series next semester.



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Senior George Jordan discusses the "Women of Notre Dame" as freshman Patti Tripathi and senior Laura Lee look on. Both Tripathi and Lee appear in

the calendar, which goes on sale today. For more details, see the story below.

Hall sponsors of calendars dispute charges of sexism and exploitation

By BOB MUSSELMAN
News Staff

Two calendars featuring the "people" of Notre Dame make their campus debut today, as the publishers of each attempt to calm allegations of chauvinism and exploitation.

"The Women of Notre Dame Calendar," a project of Holy Cross Hall, will be available for \$7 at the dining halls starting tonight. Saturday, calendars will be sold outside the South Dining Hall, inside The Huddle, and in the north dome of the ACC.

"The Men of Notre Dame Calendar," published by committees from Walsh and Farley Halls, may be purchased in the sponsor halls today, in most dorms Friday and Saturday, and in women's dorms Monday. Price is \$6, and two for \$10.

The Holy Cross-sponsored calendar was introduced to those featured in it at a meeting last night in the Center for Social Concerns. Pictures appear in full color and are accompanied by a short description of the women featured.

Reaction to the calendar was extremely positive from both the women who appear on its pages and

project coordinator George Jordan. Asked about a recent *Observer* editorial which criticized the calendar, most women present were quick to defend both its content and intentions.

"It's a statement that there are women at Notre Dame," said Alison Yurko, who is featured in June's picture layout.

Robin Holley, featured in August, said there is nothing wrong with "being intelligent," and appearing "attractive on top of that." She noted 50 percent of the profits generated

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Student representation on boards of trustees uncommon

Editor's note: The following is the fourth of five articles examining the Notre Dame Board of Trustees. The series will concentrate on who makes up the board, what its responsibilities include, and the question of a student on the board.

By FRANK LIPO
Copy Editor

"The practice of students serving on a university board of trustees is not as widespread as some think," according to Nancy Axelrod, vice president for programs and public policy at the Association of Governing Boards in Washington, D.C.

Axelrod cited figures from the 1977-78 academic year which showed less than one percent of the total trustees of private and public colleges and universities in the United States are student trustees.

The AGB has not taken a position on student representation on boards, said Axelrod. She said it is a frequent topic of inquiry at the

AGB and one with no clear-cut answer.

"Having students on the boards is not the only way of achieving student participation in the governance process," said Axelrod. Student participation through committee membership is one viable alternative to actual student trustees, an alternative which is practiced by some colleges and universities, she said.

"In some states student representation on boards is mandated by law," said Axelrod.

Kentucky is one such state in which law requires state-run schools to seat a student on the board of trustees.

At the University of Kentucky at Lexington, a student has sat on the board since 1968 and has had voting privileges since 1972. The student trustee is the student body president unless he is not a Kentucky resident. In that case, a special election would be held to choose the student trustee.

Tim Freudenberg is the student body president and student trustee at UK. He said a student trustee can ensure students have a say in the activities of the board.

"Most of the trustees here (besides faculty trustees) do not have much contact with students. They look to me for feedback from students."

Freudenberg said the board generally does not take a stand on the day-to-day operations of the university. Instead the board accepts the recommendation of the uni-

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versity president on such a matter as routine promotion of faculty members.

The board instead focuses on long-term planning for the university. UK owns several thousand acres of forestland in Kentucky, said Freudenberg. A few years ago the trustees felt it was a "good economic move" to clear the land and exploit the coal vein under it.

There was strong student sentiment against the coal mining plan, said Freudenberg. The student trustee was instrumental in informing the board and reversing their original plan, he said.

The board of trustees of UK is "sensitive to what is happening on campus" because of the student trustee, said Freudenberg, especially on "issues that affect students."

On certain "sensitive issues" the student interest is best served by private negotiations, said Freudenberg. But he said the long-range policy of the board should be to "air the laundry" concerning board decisions. He said secrecy is "not a blanket policy."

"It's been a learning experience," said Freudenberg. He said dealing with the trustees has been "a real eye-opener" and "I wish that more students had the opportunity to experience what I have."

Stanford University has no student members on its board of trustees. Mary Beth Roberts, assistant to G. Robert Hamrda, who is an assistant to the university president and works with the board, said Stanford has student members on each of three major committees of the board of trustees. She said the committees meet seven times per year prior to each time the full board meets.

The Associated Students of Stan-

ford University, the Stanford student government, has a nominating committee which nominates students for the trustee committees, Roberts said. The university president has final approval of the students.

"The major gain for students being on the board is the spreading of knowledge from the students on the committees to the ASSU, to the student body," said Roberts.

Roberts said the student committee members make the board of trustees "more credible." She said much of the impetus for student representation came from the 1960s and alleviates some mistrust students have for those in authority.

Boston College does not have students on its board of trustees. Margaret Dwyer, vice president at Boston College, said, "The question has been examined many times but it has been decided by the board that no internal constituents will be chosen as board members."

Dwyer said the alumni association is not given the option

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Of Interest

Representatives of 30 colleges and universities offering the master's program in business administration will participate in a Mini M.B.A. Forum at Notre Dame today at 4 p.m. The meeting in the ballroom of LaFortune Student Center is open to all area college students interested in the advanced degree. Representatives of the schools will answer questions concerning admission requirements, application procedures, curriculum, scholarships, tuition and housing. The annual forum is sponsored by Notre Dame's Career and Placement Services office. - *The Observer*

Saint Mary's' department of music will present its Fall Choral Concert, featuring the Women's Choir and the Collegiate Choir, tonight at 8 in the Moreau Hall Little Theatre. Nancy Menk, music instructor, will direct the Collegiate Choir in renditions of "Modern Music" and "When Jesus Wept" by William Billings, "Exultate Deo" by Alessandro Scarlatti, and "The Boatmen's Dance" and "I Bought Me a Cat" by Aaron Copland. The Women's Choir, also directed by Menk, will perform "The Lass From the Low Country," a British folksong arranged by LaMance, "Magnificat" by Ralph Vaughan Williams, and Johannes Brahms' "Vier Gesänge, Op. 17." The concert is free and open to the public. - *The Observer*

A Dance Concert featuring new works by student choreographers will be presented by the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's Dance Theatre. The concert will be tonight at 8 in the Dance Studio, Regina Hall at Saint Mary's and admission will be \$1. - *The Observer*

The Semester Around the World overseas program will be the subject of a slide show tonight from 7:30 to 8 in LaFortune's Little Theater. The SMC program was recently opened to Notre Dame students, and features study in India and travel through Asia and Europe. Program Director Dr. Cyrus Pullapilly will be narrating the slide show and answering questions. Application forms will also be available. - *The Observer*

Law Professor Douglas Kmiec will host Channel 34's "34 Front," a public affairs program, tonight at 8. This week's topic will be the controversial Faith Assembly Church. Questions will be accepted from the live studio audience as well as from telephone callers. - *The Observer*

Don't forget to sign up to volunteer at the shelter for the homeless. Sign-ups for December and January will be on the first floor of LaFortune at the Ombudsman desk tonight from 6 to 8. Teams of four each with two men and two women and at least one trained member should sign up between 6 and 7. All other teams should sign up from 7 to 8. All four team members must be present to sign up. - *The Observer*

The student general store needs your support. During lunch today student representatives will be collecting signatures on a petition for the store in both dining halls. - *The Observer*

The senior class is sponsoring a class party at H.I.'s Old Town in Niles, Mich., tonight starting at 9. A 21-ID is required. - *The Observer*

James Jack, chief financial officer and executive vice president of the Associates Corporation of North America, will speak to Saint Mary's Finance Club at 7 tonight in Room 303 of the Haggard College Center at Saint Mary's. His topic will be "Financial Function in a Corporation." Jack is a member of Saint Mary's College's Board of Regents. The talk is open to the public at no cost. - *The Observer*

Weather

Cloudy and windy today with a 30 percent chance of morning showers. The high will be in the low 50's. Clearing tonight, but colder, with a low around 30. Tomorrow, it will be sunny and cool with a high in the mid 40s. - *AP*



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A new wave of music reaches Notre Dame

Keith Harrison

Assistant News Editor

Inside Thursday



Dear Kate,

I'm sorry I haven't written in such a long time, but I've really had to crack the books lately. I realize you don't have to do much of that, but then again, we can't all go to Penn State.

Anyway, I'm sure you've opened this letter expecting to find the same obnoxious, boastful predictions of an Irish victory that preceded last year's ND/PSU football game. Your expectations are, of course, entirely correct. But this year I've got something else to brag about as well.

All summer long, I had to endure endless abuse from you concerning the social lives at our respective universities. With my occasionally-latent school pride aroused, I did my best to defend Notre Dame, the home of the SYR and the Chance to Dance. But in a debate that pitted PSU's frats against ND's LaFortune Student Center, the odds were not in my favor.

I spent the rest of the summer singing the praises of Notre Dame academics.

But now, Kate, those of us under the Dome clearly have the edge on PSU in at least one aspect of collegiate social life. Notre Dame's social strong point has suddenly become: rock concerts.

Granted, a couple of great shows may not make up for the non-stop parties that you crazy kids at Penn State have. But really, Kate, how long will it take before you get tired of having totally obliterated, toga-clad freshmen scream the refrain of "Louie, Louie" in your face?

Don't you ever wish there was something else to do?

Don't you ever wish you could go to a concert?

For being basically in the middle of nowhere, ND has been host to some surprisingly big shows in the past. PSU students, on the other hand, have usually been stuck with MTV or *Solid Gold*.

This year, however, the "concert gap" between our two schools has grown even wider. The reason is simple: punk rock has come to Notre Dame.

Okay, I admit, nobody calls it punk rock anymore. And I can't call it new wave, 'cause everybody thinks of Devo when they hear that. So let's call it "new" music. Anyway, Kate, it's here, so you can eat your heart out.

While you and your PSU buddies were busy studying for that big exam in Fun With Clay 101, a group of ND students were transforming the Musical Entertainment Committee of the Student Activities Board into a powerful social asset.

Earlier in the year, this committee brought both the

Bangles and Joe "King" Carrasco to campus for shows. But their biggest coup to date occurs tomorrow, when they present a show by those big-time rock stars, the Fixx.

Sure beats another night at Sigma Phi, doesn't it, Kate?

The only hitch in the whole deal so far is the relatively small attendance at the first two shows. Approximately 740 people came to see the Bangles and some 200 fans watched Carrasco, despite ticket prices of less than \$5.

Part of the problem, I'm sure, is the relative obscurity of these acts. Our campus rock station tries to reduce this problem by playing some "new" music for the students. In a rare showing of Penn State logic, however, ND has shoved its rock station into the void known as the AM dial, while devoting its FM stereo station to classical music.

But the problem may be deeper than that, Kate. You see, I'm afraid that when many ND students hear the term "punk rock," they immediately think of a brazen, snotty delinquent who wears a safety pin in his

cheek and hates his mother.

This is not to say that this type of little beastie doesn't exist - it's just that he's quite the exception to the rule.

Once ND students realize this, I'm quite sure they will take a gamble on an unknown band or two. They'll love some of the shows, while other bands just won't tickle their fancy. But if tickets remain as cheap as they have been, nobody will really complain.

Of course, since you don't have a concert scene at Penn State, you don't have to worry about these things, Kate. I just thought I'd fill you in on that "terrible" ND social life, so you'd have something to think about on your way to Phi Kappa Gamma - or was that Delta Omega Epsilon, or maybe Alpha

Oh, Kate, I almost forgot. We're gonna beat the stuffing out of your football team this Saturday.

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Keith

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WATCH FOR SIGNS!!

Block Party kicks off senior weekend Friday

By ELIZABETH FLOR
Senior Staff Reporter

The Class of 1985 is beginning a 'Senior Weekend' with the fourth annual Block Party tomorrow from 3:30 to 6:30 in the North Dome of the Athletic and Convocation Center. Following the Notre Dame vs. Penn State game on Saturday, the seniors are sponsoring a Senior-Parent Dinner with cocktails at 4 and a buffet at 5, in South Dining Hall.

Co-Chairpersons of the Block Party Committee Mike Schmutz and Connie O'Brien said the committee hand-delivered invitations to seniors, faculty, administrators and residents of the northeast neighborhood. The Block Party is also open to parents and alumni. South Bend Mayor Roger Parent will be there as well as Notre Dame Football Coach Gerry Faust and some members of the football team.

University Food Services is providing a range of food from pizza and bratwurst to nachos at varying prices. Senior Bar is providing beer for those with identification and coffee and soda will also be sold.

According to Schmutz and O'Brien, the "contemporary" rock group Triple Sec is alternating with disk-jockey Buster Lopes, a Pangborn senior, to provide entertainment. At 5:30, Shenanigans will perform.

Schmutz said the purpose of the Senior Block Party is to "sponsor something that says Notre Dame is not just a school involved with itself." He pointed out that many students and faculty live in the 91 city blocks of the northeast neighbor-

hood and they are therefore involved in that community.

According to Schmutz, the Block Party was started by Father John Van Wolvlear, former vice president for student affairs, and James Roemer, former dean of students. At first, it was more like a picnic, with grills and hotdogs, Schmutz said. "They wanted to get away from 'vandalism' as the 'death march' provided a bad attitude."

According to the 1982 issue of Notre Dame Magazine, the march was a senior tour of local bars the Friday before the last home football game.

The first march was held almost 17 years ago and annually aggravated the tension between South Bend residents and Notre Dame students until four years ago. The Block Party is an attempt to improve this relationship and "provide goodwill" between the parties, Schmutz said.

The current Block Party format and purpose is similar to the original conception of the Block Party, Schmutz said, yet the activity has grown past the first conception.

Last year, Schmutz admitted, the majority of people attending the Block Party were students, but the northeast neighborhood is working to increase attendance.

Tickets for the Senior Dinner the next night, which are \$6 for parents, guests and seniors without meal plans, can be purchased at the door. Seniors with a valid meal plan only need to present their student identification cards. The buffet menu is top round of beef, chicken coq au vin and hake fillet of cod. Director of University Food Services William Hickey is organizing the banquet.



The Observer/Paul Kramer

Bibliophile's Dream

Booklovers of all ages peruse the offerings at the Memorial Library's used book sale yesterday. The sale took place on both Monday and Tuesday.

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of appointing an alumnus who will represent alumni concerns in trustee decisions. By the same logic, students and faculty do not have representatives on the board to represent student and faculty concerns.

Dwyer said, "Students and faculty have input through the committees." These individual committees meet before the complete board meets. She said students and faculty may request to meet with the board committees, subject to the approval of the committee chairman and a BC vice president.

The Campus Life Committee of the board of trustees at BC has a permanent student member. Dwyer

said this student provides the "primary student channel but not the only one" for communication with the trustees. The subjects the committee discusses are brought up before the full board.

Yale University does not have a student on its board of trustees, a legal corporation in the state of Connecticut, because of tradition and its charter, said Sharyn Wilson, associate secretary of the university. She said there also are other reasons for the policy.

"Over the years the administration and the university have felt there should not be members with a constituency," said Wilson. "Even the alumni members do not feel that they are on the board primarily to represent alumni interests."

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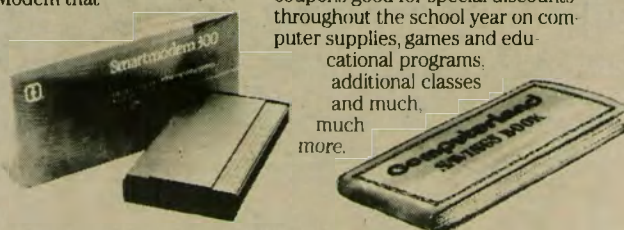
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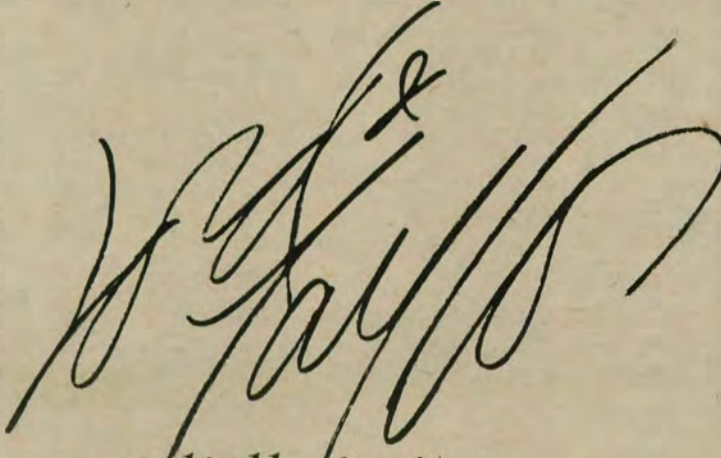
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Rumors of Augusta closing untrue

By CATHYANN REYNOLDS
News Staff

There is no truth to the rumor that Augusta Hall will not be open to students next year because it will be taken over by the Sisters of the Holy Cross, said Pat Rissmeyer, director of residence life at Saint Mary's.

Rissmeyer said she had "no notification this year" that Augusta Hall, which has 65 resident spaces, would not remain a student residence.

She added "if Sister Karol Jackowski, dean of student affairs, did say Augusta would be closed to students," there would be a notification period of "one to two years."

LeMans Hall President Joanie Giblin said the topic was brought up at the Board of Governance meeting, and Vice President of Student Affairs Anne Marie Kollman said to "put a stop" to the rumour.

Kim Kegowicz, McCandless Hall President, said many students believe "there are many spaces available, especially in Regina Hall," and this extra space may have caused students to presume Augusta was closing.

In the event of there being many empty student rooms, Rissmeyer said, "we would examine the situation carefully. Closing Augusta would not be the first choice." She said the Office of Residence Life

would consider closing a wing of LeMans or another dorm.

Augusta Hall offers a "specific service" and Residence Life does not want to hinder a student's choice of dorm, Rissmeyer said. "Students who love Augusta" should have the option to stay and voice their preference, she said.

Rissmeyer said she does not know about the chances of Augusta being turned back over to the Holy Cross Sisters. She said, "If people have questions they can call and ask questions."

If they are worried about a change in the residence life at Saint Mary's, Rissmeyer said, students should "call and say how they feel, rather than perpetuate these rumors."

ND faculty publish book to explain letter

By MIKE ELLIOTT
Staff Reporter

Notre Dame faculty members John Houck and Father Oliver Williams recently published a book designed to aid understanding of the Bishops' Pastoral Letter. Titled "Catholic Social Teaching and the U.S. Economy: Working Papers for a Bishops' Pastoral," the book is a co-editorial effort.

The book is a compilation of essays from a broad spectrum of experts, from theologians and scholars to business and labor leaders. It follows the same sequence of issues as the pastoral letter: human work and employment generation; the poor and disadvantaged; U.S. trade with developing countries; and cooperation and planning for the U.S. economy.

Last year, the U.S. bishops challenged the nation with their letter on nuclear ethics, "The Challenge of Peace." Many American Catholics criticized the bishops for "chasing secular political goals while neglecting the needs of their congregations for moral and spiritual nourishment," the authors said.

The opening chapter of the new book challenges those Catholics. According to Williams, "The vision of the Catholic Church is one of integral humanism which considers the concrete person enmeshed in social and political structures." Williams argues the teachings of the Church assume "redemption affects all crea-

tion, and efforts to overcome unjust aspects of the world are part of the spiritual task."

Houck introduces each of the four parts of the book with a summary of the opinions of the authors represented there. The introductions also include the past Church teachings in the four areas of concern.

The book stresses the critical moral implications of unemployment as well as the political and economic implications. In the section about the poor and welfare reform, the book claims the level of poverty is too high, and the poor should not have to withstand the brunt of campaigns to cut government expenditures. The pastoral letter expressed similar ideas, the authors said.

The new book is co-published by Notre Dame's Ave Maria Press and The University Press of America.

Multiple Sclerosis common among adults between 20-40

By TERRY BLAND
Staff Reporter

Multiple Sclerosis can attack anyone between 20 and 40 years old, a time when most people are building careers and starting families, according to Wendy Condon, patient service coordinator of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Multiple Sclerosis is a chronic, progressive disease of the central nervous system in which nerve fibers called myelin are destroyed causing messages to the brain to be slowed down or lost.

"79 percent of people with MS have completed college," said Condon. "The most active are the ones struck."

"The emotional toll it takes on people is very significant," Condon said. "It attacks self esteem."

Although scientists do not know the cause of MS, Condon said research is being conducted to determine if the disease is started by a virus or immune reaction. She added the disease is not contagious or hereditary.

There is higher incidence of MS in cool, temperate areas of the country, Condon said, especially in areas between 40 and 60 degrees latitude. There are 1,070 northern Indiana residents in the local chapter of the

National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Symptoms of MS include blurred vision, fatigue, muscular tremors, and numbness. People with MS, however, live a normal life span, Condon said.

MS can take up to three years to detect, said Condon, with doctors using CAT scans and spinal tests to determine if a person has the disease. If someone has MS, their mental ability is usually not impaired, she added.

There is not a lot of government money put into discovering a cure for MS, according to Condon. "The cost of MS to society is phenomenal," said Condon.

Condon gave the example of a woman, who, in her last year at law school, showed symptoms of MS. "At first the doctor didn't diagnose anything," said Condon. "She finished law school and the symptoms got worse. She got a job in a law firm and when she told them she had MS she was immediately let go."

Condon said there is no staff or office for the National MS Society in South Bend, but volunteers help in fund raising. Forty percent of the money raised by the Northern Indiana Chapter of the National MS Society is given to the national office while 50 percent goes directly to research.

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from the sale of the calendar go to the Y.M.C.A. Shelter for Battered Women in South Bend.

The controversy, said December's Susan Downes, may stem from the fact that some Notre Dame students "make a big deal about anything new."

Pictures in the Walsh and Farley-sponsored calendar appear in black and white and are accompanied by the selection's name and home town.

The men chosen for this calendar were selected on the basis of "good looks," said Walsh committee chairman Kelly Fitzgerald, but added the men "are typically guys of high achievement."

Fitzgerald said the calendar is "complimentary to guys for being good looking," and the pictures are presented in an "artistically good" manner.

LaFortune to become a real student center

The moniker has adorned the building for years, but by 1986 LaFortune will finally deserve to be called a student center. The \$3.7 million renovation and addition should satisfy the most critical needs of students: a place to meet, a place to eat and a place for entertainment.

LaFortune currently is viewed as none of these. A trip to The Huddle usually stems from missing a meal in the dining hall. Student groups must meet in obscure lecture rooms in Hayes-Healy and Nieuwland because the center cannot accommodate large groups. And on weekends, the only sound one often hears coming out of Chautauqua is an echo.

The need for an improved student center certainly is no great revelation. In 1982, Student Body President Don Murday devoted much of the spring semester to studying student centers across the country, such as at Northwestern, Vanderbilt and Duke. He concluded that LaFortune's facilities were woefully inadequate. Later that year, Provost Timothy O'Meara acknowledged in the PACE report that social facilities on campus were outdated and outgrown. The committee recommended the "development of a cluster of social and cultural centers" in the central part of the campus. No one quite understood what a cluster was, and the project received a low priority - until last spring.

The release of the alcohol policy in April and the subsequent protests forced the issue of social life to the fore. The policy reaffirmed the PACE report's desire to shift the focus of student socializing away from the residence hall, and the students loudly affirmed that things definitely were amiss here with the social atmosphere. The protests were for more than just beer.

Suddenly, the student center project moved to the top of the administration's "Things to Do" list. A report on the needs of a renovated and expanded center provided the basis for a preliminary set of plans by the South Bend architectural firm Cole Associates.

Those drawings made their debut at a Student Senate meeting in early September. Since then, a committee of four students and Joni Neal, student activities director, has carefully reviewed each change in the proposed plan. John Heasley, a member of the group, says he is "satisfied with the input" the committee made.

From the look of the first set of plans, the building appears promising indeed. The Nazz will leave the basement, replaced by remodeled student stores, the General Micro outlet, University Hairstylists, a travel service and the record store. A new stairway will lead from the atrium in the center of the building to the retail area. The addition to the east side of the building will allow for more dining space at The Huddle, in addition to an entirely new Huddle operation.

A new club will be constructed on the second floor featuring a DJ booth, a dance floor, tables and a possible split-level seating area in the west alcove. The third floor will be transformed into a campus media center. Other amenities include an elevator and a main entrance facing the Fieldhouse Mall.

But the success of the building does not lie in the mortar and the brick. LaFortune must be used effectively in order to avoid becoming an expensive white elephant. The PACE report emphasized this point two years ago: "A facility by itself will not be enough. Innovative and creative leadership, thinking and organization by the University will also be essential, both in the planning of a facility as well as in its use."

Such responsibility falls directly on the shoulders of the Student Activities Board, Student Government and on the Office of Student Affairs.

A student always should be able to find something to do in LaFortune. Regular activities must be carried on there. One of the reasons that four-for-one beer night has done so well at Senior Bar is everyone knows that it is on Wednesday night. Many people go to bars simply because others also will be there. LaFortune needs to establish that sort of consistency.

For special events, the leaders of the Student Activities Board must aggressively attempt to get the word out to students. Moreover, some events may require marketing, not just publicity. Student Government could assist this effort by boosting the Ombudsman's meager budget, allowing it to operate as a true information service, rather than a flyer stand.

LaFortune may never become the perfect student center, but in two years it may just become a pretty darn good one. The building itself bears no permanent stigma - it just requires a little \$3.7 million plastic surgery and a dose of innovative planning. The first part of the remedy has begun. Student Activities needs to be ready to finish the task.

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A forgotten mandate and HPC pizza parties

As another season comes to an end, the time has come for new topics of discussion. The last leaves of the political and football campaigns are dropping to the ground. Looking back, it has not been a particularly good fall for Gerrys.

Last spring, when the leaves were springing forth life, the "primary" focus of the student body was the alcohol policy of the campus, not the economic policy of the country. At the dining halls, we chatted about classes, not candidates. Predictability governed our lives.

As the fall of 1984 approached, we began talking about the Bomb, and it had nothing to do with football. Increasingly, we uttered the word "college" in the electoral sense. Campus

series (which has included Father Hesburgh) and a monthly newsletter. I hope other class officers are working as hard for their peers.

When students have a question or problem, they can now confidently call the Ombudsman Organization which has scored some impressive victories with the flawless handling of the Mock Election and the popular Gripe Nights - the most recent of which produced 72 complaints concerning campus life. Striving for closer relations between students and their government, Ombudsman Director Henry Sienkiewicz personally responded to the complaints by writing the students and telling them what Obud had done to assist in the resolution of their problems.

Also, Operation Brainstorm began this week. This Obud program seeks to put student imagination to work for the campus. Sienkiewicz and his crew are to be commended for their quiet leadership.

Unfortunately, the pettiness for which student government is noted reappeared last week. At the HPC meeting, the hall presidents debated whether to continue to supply themselves with pizza (usually Domino's) and soft drinks at our expense. By a 15 to nine vote, these campus leaders choose to keep the pizza and beverages as an after-meeting refresher. Now, I do not mind them enjoying themselves after one of their "rigorous" meetings, but I cannot believe they would be so frivolous with the funds entrusted to them. The council ignored the protest of St. Edward's Hall President Duane Lawrence and will continue this abuse. Cost estimates indicate each "dinner" diminishes the host hall's funds by \$50.

If they want pizza, they should pay for it out of their own pockets.

The worst part about the HPC's pizza parties is that its irresponsibility damages the actions of other campus groups who are doing their jobs responsibly. Is the price of a few pizzas worth sacrificing the principles of service the HPC is supposed to reflect?

All I can say is that Domino's had better get that pizza to the HPC meeting in under 30 minutes since that's about how long the HPC meetings last.

I have a warning to the HPC: With the Nov. 6 election behind us, student government will be watched even closer. I have an idea for Operation Brainstorm: Let the HPC eat cake.

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Joseph Murphy

here I stand

voices raised a new North-South struggle - one between countries, instead of quads. Football pep rallies gave way to ones for political teams.

During the last three months, I often thought of the forgotten candidates. You remember - the ones we elected to run student government. We gave them a mandate to lead just like the one we gave the Gipper last week.

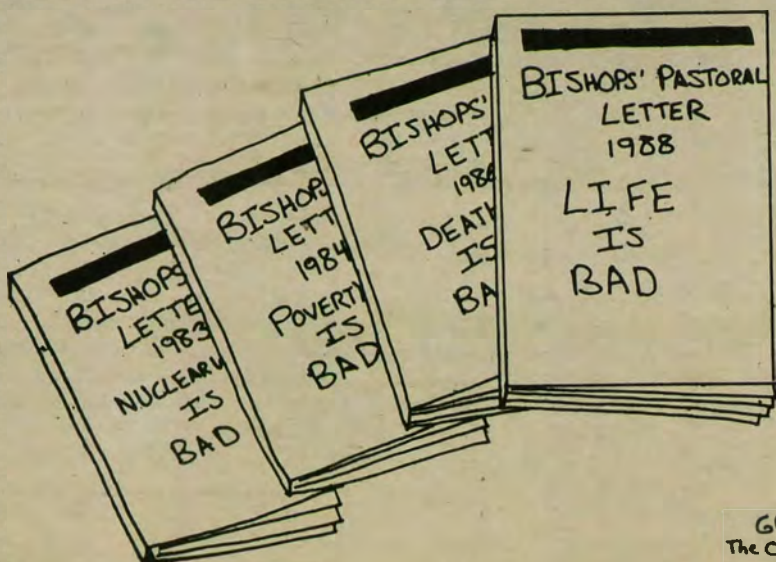
So where have they been leading us, you ask?

To my surprise, the forces of student government are heading us in the right direction. We, the students, are passengers in their taxi cab. Knowing that at any moment we could be swallowed by a huge pothole, Rob Bertino took a student driving course before taking office and has avoided many of the accidental policies of his limp predecessor.

To the Student Senate's credit, it just passed what promises to be an excellent alternative to drunk driving - the new Dry Driving Club. With more students going off campus to entertain themselves, this idea may prove to be a life-saver.

The recently released Faculty Course Evaluations are a positive plus for students. The FCEs were prepared by student government.

Another bright spot has been the renewed vigor of the class officers. The trips to the dunes set the tone for things to come. One of the groups committed to excellence is the sophomore class's officers. Their early projects included a nursing home program, a picnic with Saint Mary's sophomores, a speaker



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Learning a language is learning about yourself

Learning a language is learning about yourself. If we realize that language is a mirror of the person or people who speak it, we should also realize that there is nothing more rewarding, more interesting and, at the same time, more enjoyable than learning a language, any language besides the mother tongue. When we learn a language, we learn about people who speak it and about their culture. In learning about other people, we actually are learning about ourselves because people become

find it so frustrating to learn another language?

It is true that some people learn more quickly than others. This premise applies to any field of knowledge and, therefore, to language also. There is no such thing as "I cannot learn a foreign language." Any human being who is exposed to a foreign language for a certain time will learn it sooner or later. It all depends on the individual, his attitude towards the language and learning and the method and techniques of learning and teaching languages.

However, learning a foreign language is not that simple. In order to achieve some degree of fluency, one must be born with some talent for learning languages, in the same way that one is born with the talent of a poet, an artist or a singer. That is why we see people who pick up languages quickly and others who struggle with the language for years and never master it. However, talent or no talent, we all can learn a language, just as we all can sing. But a singer is a singer! And since we all, for one reason or another, want or must learn a language, the answer lies in making the learning and the teaching process interesting, effective and enjoyable.

Why do people learn languages? The goals for learning a language can be many, but for our purpose we can reduce them to three major categories.

Students learn languages in school as part of the curriculum and may or may not use that language after school.

People learn languages in order to read and eventually write the language.

People learn languages to use them in normal, everyday communication.

All these goals of learning require different

methods and techniques of learning and teaching. That is, one's goal for learning a particular language determines the method of teaching and learning. At this point, however, it is necessary to understand the difference between learning a language and learning about a language.

Learning a language means learning how to use the language verbally in every day communication.

Learning about a language means learning how to use more efficiently what one already knows and, especially, learning to read and write the language, to appreciate literature and other facets of culture, to enrich one's vocabulary and to study the make-up and workings of a language - in other words, to study the formal grammar.

Learning a language by using it means that the more one uses the language in speaking and in listening, in reading and in writing, the more one learns it. A convincing analogy of the process of learning language in this way is that of learning how to play a game, any game. The more a player plays under the guidance of an able coach, the better a player he becomes. The player learns the rules of the game unconsciously as he plays. The same process should apply to language-teaching and learning. The students, under an able instructor, should be drilled again and again in speaking the language, understanding it, reading it and eventually writing it. During this process, the students are bound to make mistakes. Even native speakers make mistakes.

A teacher who becomes upset when students make mistakes has a problem, and stu-

dents who are embarrassed to say something in a language for fear of making mistakes will never learn that language. This process of learning, therefore, should be spontaneous, natural and without fear or pressure. It should be enjoyable and fun, like playing a game.

Now, the question of grammar arises. How can one use a language without knowing its grammar? Based on this assumption, then, some language teachers feed the students, day in and day out, rules of grammar. This is a waste of time and causes unnecessary frustration for both the students and the teacher, who loses touch with reality and becomes overly grouchy. But this does not mean that students should not be taught the mechanics which make language work, that is, grammar. But the rules of grammar should be fed naturally and spontaneously without pushing too hard because, when rules are forced into the head of the student, the rules usually enter one ear and exit from the other.

Learning a language by studying means that one must first learn the rules of grammar before doing anything with the language. This type of learning is a must for scholars, graduate students and prospective teachers, who should also speak the language. But students who learn languages in this manner learn to read and write well but, in most cases, these students cannot speak the language. This is why grammar is for scholars, for teachers and for the birds.

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guest column

more aware of who they really are when they discover other people who are different from them.

It is a fact that most people feel proud when they are able to say something in another language. We should recall the joy and pride on the face of John F. Kennedy when he told the Berliners, "Ich bin ein Berliner." The joy and pride in language is reflected not only in the foreigner speaking but also in the native listening to the speaker. People are delighted to hear someone speak in their tongue even when that person does not speak it well.

Knowing another language is also very rewarding because it opens new channels of friendship and new horizons of opportunities in many fields. Moreover, learning a foreign language is entertaining because its sounds and spelling and its words and meanings make us think, wonder and often laugh because of the novelty. Then why is it that some people

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Why is the library bell so loud and so long?

Dear Editor:

I am sending up a plea to any administrator who can answer this simple question for me: "Why does the library insist on ringing that obnoxious bell (for what seems like an eternity) at 11:35 p.m. every night of the week?" The library is supposed to close at 11:45. But of course, it is impossible to study after 11:35, because you cannot write with your hands over your ears. Is the bell a device for punishing students who wish to study in the library until closing? Or is it merely a device for punishing throats who even consider staying that late? Maybe the guards are deaf and it does not bother them, or perhaps they are extremely sadistic. Why, for heavens sake, must they ring the bell for over a minute?

I realize that it is to remind students that the library is about to close, but why must they rupture eardrums to get the point across? Is it all part of a big psychology experiment to determine the effects of noise pollution? Please, all I want is a logical answer to this question. Can anybody help me?

*Scott C. Wallace
Keenan Hall*

Blatant exploitation of men looks bad for all

Dear Editor:

I was approached by a girl from Farley Hall about possibly appearing in the "Men of Notre Dame Calendar." Of course I said no, but now I open my *Observer* and read some poor letter from "Concerned Representatives of Farley", whoever they are, and find that they were picking the men based only on looks. I am outraged. Who the heck are they anyway? They want to find twelve men that they can

exploit in the calendar for their own profit. Are they giving any money to charities? Heck no. Are they paying the guys anything for appearing? Heck no.

On a campus that works so hard for male rights, how can we tolerate this blatant exploitation? Is what they do right just because they are honest about it? I keep my room clean, and change my sheets every other week, but did they approach me based on my accomplishments? Heck no. Just for my looks.

When I read that letter, why, I was so mad that I almost choked on my broccoli cheese casserole. I was so depressed about the whole thing that I didn't get any sleep in my next class. It has even driven me to start drinking beer. I just cannot believe that anyone would attempt anything so evil as trying to exploit someone as innocent as me. And somehow it is all acceptable just because they admit they are doing something wrong.

I for one am outraged at this blatant exploitation of men just for their looks. It is simply intolerable. I demand an apology!

*Bob McMenamin
Holy Cross Hall*

Dr. Rai's views are very distorted and baseless

Dear Editor:

I was amazed to read Dr. Rai's views in the article in *The Observer* on Nov. 7.

In my opinion the theme of his story was "How the Sikhs are being discriminated in India." It appears to me that he could have been a very good fiction writer. Most of the facts he presented to support his biased views were distorted and totally baseless.

The president of India is a Sikh, as were the guards who were supposed to protect the life of prime minister Indira Gandhi. Unless the Sikhs were trusted and treated fairly they could not have been in these important posi-

tions. In fact, the majority of Sikhs in India have a very good relationship with Hindus and they do not feel the same way as Rai.

His comparison of the Golden Temple to the Vatican is meaningful only from religious perspectives. But when Sikh leaders have failed to prevent the Golden Temple, which has been under their control, from becoming a staging area for violent Sikh terrorists, this comparison no longer holds.

Rai attempts to justify Sikh autonomy by claiming that they are responsible for 60 percent of our food production. This is not only silly but simply untrue. According to *India 1983* India produces 133 million tons of food grain and Punjab's contribution is 13 million tons.

Rai's article reminds me of a recent article about the behavior of the Sikhs abroad by a fellow American Sikh in an Indian weekly, which stated, "It is a kind of leadership, however, that has appeared on the scene just recently and claims to speak for Sikhs everywhere. Many of these people left Punjab and India decades ago to settle down abroad, mostly for economic betterment. And they have done well for themselves. As they now sense an opportunity of leadership roles, they are seeking to ride the tiger of Sikh outrage to propel them to such positions. They are busy forging alliances with like-minded persons in Punjab and have formed several organizations mostly in Britain, Canada and here in the United States, aimed solely at keeping the Sikh anger at a boiling point so it can be used to further their own political ambitions."

It would be silly to pretend that the Hindus are vestal virgins in this orgy of violence. Certain elements have shown that they can butcher and burn as well as the rest. Many innocent people have suffered. This must end. We should realize that, if India is to survive we must stand together because divided we will surely fall. After all, no man is an island.

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America's best defense is a conventional one

Dear Editor:

In response to last Thursday's *Viewpoint* article concerning the threat posed by nuclear weapons. I feel that the solution suggested, that of waiting for "effective counter-measures" to be developed, is an inadequate solution to the political and moral dilemma at hand. In preserving the best interests of the United States, the maintaining of a strong defense is, of course, paramount. Yet, for a nation so dedicated to its own preservation, we have waited dangerously long already for acceptable defensive weapons, as well as for realistic nuclear arms control agreements between the United States and the Soviet Union.

The United States possesses the capability to alleviate the threat posed by nuclear weapons without jeopardizing the defense of this country. Initially, we can reduce the likelihood of nuclear accidents by ceasing to take the risks associated with nuclear testing. Then by slowly phasing in conventional weapons, as distinguished from nuclear ones, we will eliminate the lethal role played by this country in the nuclear arms race. By basing our deterrent strength on conventional means of warfare, the United States will not disrupt its political or military stability.

Although there is an imminent need to build up our defensive capabilities, I see the return to conventional weapons as being the most comprehensive move toward abolishing the threat of nuclear confrontation.

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'Ears' looking at you

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The drunk townie at the table next to us gave me strange looks all night. Finally he came over to where my roommate and I were sitting.

"What's that in your ear, boy?"
"Uh... it's an earring."
"Is you queer, boy?"
"No - I just wear an earring."
"Maybe in New York or New Orleans you's is okay - but in Indiana you's is queer."
"Thanks for letting me know, sir."

Males, like myself, who wear earrings can still provoke misconceptions: guys who wear earrings take drugs, or they're gay or effeminate, or they're trying to destroy social norms. However, earrings today are much less taboo than in the past because there has been a substantial increase in the number of guys wearing them. The reason for this increase is a little unclear. The unisex influence of some progressive music groups from Europe - like The Human League and Culture Club - may be the drive behind the growth of earring popularity among males.

"It probably started when cavemen first

got into animal bones," one guy told me, "Neanderthal men, but bones through their noses and ears."

Why do more guys wear earrings now than in the past? Are they making a statement? The answers vary: "I always wanted to have one 'cause I thought they looked good on some people," said Jim Nelson, a senior from Washington, D.C.. "I got it two years ago in France, where it was much more acceptable."

"At first it was different but now it's a trend - so it's not much of a statement. At home I see thirteen-year-old kids wearing break dancing pants and earrings. I think, 'If there's any similarity between them and me I'm getting rid of my earring right now.'"

Most guys realize that the earring is a little offbeat - especially at Notre Dame. Still, they don't wear it solely to be different. "I wear it to look sharp," said Scott Ebersol, a senior from Anaheim, California.

"It was an urge," said Dan Kinnucan, a sophomore from the Chicago area. "Not to be different - I wasn't speaking out against the madness of this world, it's just a great con-

versation piece with girls."

Personally, I find the earring is a good conversation piece with women, but not always because they like it. "Women think it's repulsive," said Mike Donals, a senior who has had an earring for well over two years. "Girls here at Notre Dame don't like to put things through parts of their bodies. It's like getting an injection or something. Maybe it's Freudian."

Most guys rarely get hassled about their earrings. "I've gotten a lot of stares from across the room," said Donals, "but I enjoy that."

The only serious embarrassment the earring causes occurs around older people, like parents. "My dad said, 'If you're gonna wear an earring - then I'm gonna wear your mother's purse,' " said Kinnucan. "And then we walked into a really nice restaurant like that - I was very embarrassed. I couldn't believe he did it - but I guess he couldn't believe I had an earring."

Like parents, job interviewers may warrant the removal of the earring. "Interviewers are put ill at ease by the earring, and it's not good to get those people ruffled," said Donals. "Earrings are a little way of getting away from 'the herd' but you don't want to be too different."

No one I talked to, including myself, wore

their earring at their summer job. Kinnucan stopped wearing his altogether after last summer. "I got tired of putting it in and out every day - that was a hassle so I stopped wearing it. There was no emotional attachment, so I didn't stay in bed all day 'cause I couldn't wear my earring."

Diamonds are easily the most popular type of earring among men. Small hoops and gold studs are unpretentious, and will match almost any style of clothing, but diamonds are classier than hoops. They are also a more suitable earring for SYRs and formals.

Guys generally look down on "pirate earrings" - anything gaudy or excessively large. "Nobody wants to wear a fish hook around," two men said.

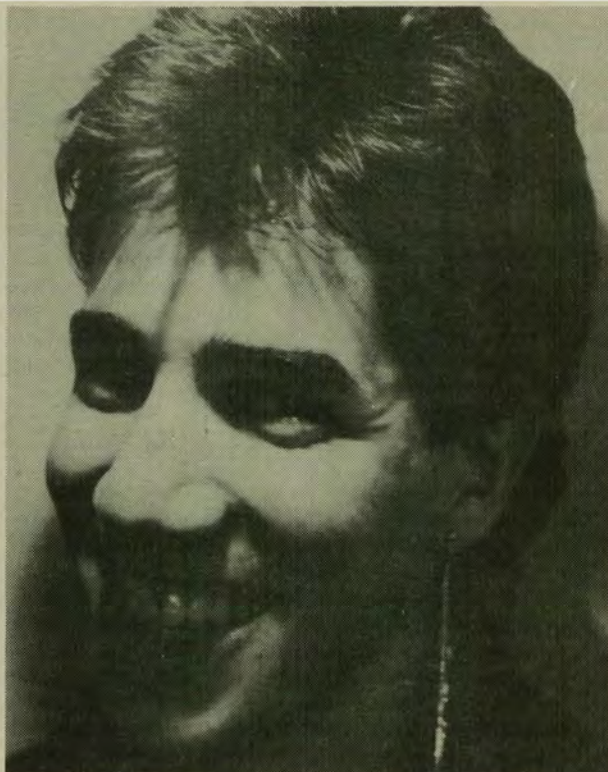
Wearing the earring in the left ear signifies heterosexuality. Ebersol is unusual because he has two earrings in his left ear. "I did it on a bet," he said. "If I got another one two friends of mine without earrings had to get them. I figured I had one already so why not?"

Whatever the reason for wearing them, guys with earrings enjoy having them - they look good and are still somewhat novel. "It's really nothing," said Nelson. "That's what it should be."

"It's like people who have weird hairstyles," said Kinnucan. "I think it's very creative."



Tom Pavlick



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'Instincts' made with void of love

Tim Adams
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Take a close look at Romeo Void's name. What does it mean to you? If you have even a perfunctory knowledge of Shakespeare, you can pretty much figure out that, loosely translated, it means "the absence of love." Instead of love, all that exists is a void, a Romeo void. This is what *Instincts*, Romeo Void's latest wax outing, is made of.

Featuring a rather obese female singer with a nice voice, Romeo Void looks a bit strange but still sounds relatively normal. This San Francisco quintet relies heavily on the strengths of Debora Iyall's voice and Benjamin Bossi's saxophone playing. They made a dance-club favorite in 1982 called "Never Say Never," but they never replicated this success. Recently, though, they have been permeating the airwaves with *Instincts*' first single, "A Girl in Trouble (Is a Temporary Thing)." And despite some overly laid back performances, the rest of *Instincts* is pretty good, too.

I'll discuss my main complaint first, as it is wholly in nature and not representative of just one song. As I mentioned before, the band is too laid back at times. I don't mean that they are sloppy or lazy, but at certain times the drumming and guitar playing are quite tepid. Aaron Smith, the drummer, taps his high-hat cymbal and hits the snare drum with such a cursory manner that it is aggravating. Rarely, if ever, does he add any fills to his playing, and the force with which he hits the drums is almost nonexistent. Listen to "Out on My Own," "Just Too Easy," "Billy's Birthday" or "Your Life is a Lie" for proof. Peter Woods's guitar remains hidden for most of the album, and that is too bad, because for most rock groups, strong guitar playing can be an invaluable asset.

Other than that, Void comes

across as a competent band with a penchant for the negative side of romance. The songs seem to reflect the viewpoint of Iyall, as she sings about the failings of her men and her desire for independence. On "Out on My Own," she sings about a tough girl who doesn't want to be tied down with marriage or even real love:

*I was the girl who tore up the streets
House on the hill was not my dream*

*I was the one who had to run free
Had to run wild, nobody running with me
Out on my own*

To this girl, this was the life she wanted. The chorus of "I thought I knew what I wanted, thought I got what I needed" casts some doubt on this, though. She *thought* she knew what she wanted, she *thought* she got what she needed. But did she?

"Just Too Easy" is the LP's maneater cut, with Iyall scorning her lover in her famous airily-produced voice:

*How fair can I be?
How big's this mistake?
You have a cigarette, and
I have a headache
Nothing makes me lonelier
Than a phone call to you
You're waiting for nothing
To be nowhere soon*

She has the upper hand on her lover because, as she sings, he's always falling apart, and it was just too easy to break his heart. In the end, she finally does leave him.

Side two begins and ends with the two best songs on the album, "A Girl in Trouble (Is a Temporary Thing)" and the title track. Concerning the former, the band actually gets into the song and works a



little, and its obvious catchiness makes it irresistible. "Instincts," however, is a very slow song that features some touching keyboards. Reminiscent of U2 at their most tender, it succeeds on its own unpretentious terms. It would also make a terrific slow dance song.

The other tracks are not very remarkable, for the most part. "Going to Neon," the album's sole

instrumental, scores with its evocative sax playing, but crumbles a little because of some pretentious, "mysterious" whisperings in the middle. The chorus of "Billy's Birthday," which goes "It would not be right to miss it," is memorable for the fact that Iyall literally breathes the first word, instead of blurting it out normally. "Your Life is a Lie" pleased me because it was

more lyrically direct than the other songs, and so it offered a change of pace.

Overall, listening to *Instincts* will probably elicit a response like "Yeah, that was okay, but so what?" Upon repeated listenings, though, you might develop personal favorites, as I did. *Instincts* is not a classic, but simply a competent effort from a competent group.

Features briefs

Fliers - to be read or to be wasted?

NAMPA, Idaho - A \$100 reward offered on five of 8,000 fliers distributed for last week's general election has gone unclaimed, leaving a candidate wondering whether people read campaign literature.

Leo Taylor wrote on five of his fliers that the holder would receive \$100 by returning it to him Saturday.

Taylor then waited all day at his office, but nobody showed up.

"Leo wanted to prove a point," he said. "No matter how hard you work, going from door to door, talking with people, they don't pay that much attention," said Bill Gosvenor, Taylor's campaign committee co-chairman.

Taylor, a Democrat, lost his bid to unseat Republican Canyon County Commissioner Glenn Koch.

Burgers and buns

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. - It may be just ground beef on a bun to you and me, but to Guyla Descy, the hamburger is his life's passion.

The Indiana University linguistics instructor has been studying the hamburger for 20 years, sampling versions around the globe. And now

he's sharing his experiences in a book, *Hamburger for America and the World*.

"I traveled around the United States every year, visiting small cities, villa . . . hamburger parlors, and I made the observation that the real 'breeding' places of the hamburger are the small parlors, not big company outlets," said Descy, 59.

He has tried the Dallas Burger in Varmland, In. He's eaten the Waikiki Burger in Albuquerque, N.M. he's had the Brontosaurus Burger in Dinosaur, Colo.

Cologne 'driven' to success

Associated Press

CHASE CITY, Va. - Can truck drivers accustomed to the smell of diesel fumes appreciate a fragrance just for them?

Entrepreneur Marshall Bank is betting they can, marketing Long Haul cologne for truck drivers at \$16 for a 4-ounce bottle.

Bank, whose company also manufactures work clothes for drivers, began deliveries last week to about 200 truck stops. He said Tuesday that 12 machines called misting devices would be sent out to selected truck stops around the country, where they will put out a whiff of the product every 15

minutes.

The cologne is billed as "the best-selling fragrance on America's highways."

"It's masculine all right - has an odor all its own," said trucker Mickey Dolquery, 50, of Cedar Bluff, Ala. "But do you think all truck drivers should smell alike?"

Question in air

KANSAS CITY, Mo. - For Laura Gault, the big question came from out of the blue - the blue yonder, that is.

On Sunday, during halftime at the football game between the Kansas City Chiefs and Houston Oilers, a plane came out of the east and soared over Arrowhead Stadium.

Trailing behind it, in 5-foot-high letters, were the words: "Laura - will you marry me? *Lantz." With thousands of spectators cheering her on, the 25-year-old Ms. Gault said afterward, how could she say no?

Her fiance, Lantz Welch, Kansas City lawyer, said he came up with the idea for the uncommon proposal a few months ago. It was a fitting way to pop the question, he said, for a relationship that some might consider uncommon.

"I guess you would call ours a May-to-December relationship," said Welch, who refused to say how old he is.

'Failsafe' - our future?

Karen B. McCloskey
features staff writer

Movies

Failsafe, a movie made some twenty-seven years ago depicts the consequences of an accidental nuclear attack by the United States on the Soviet Union.

Briefly, a false alarm sends U.S. Air Force squadrons on their assigned bombing missions into the Soviet Union. All squadrons are recalled except one. It cannot be contacted because of a computer malfunction. The tension heightens as all efforts are made to stop the squadron from reaching its target, Moscow.

As far as the technical achievements of the film go, close-up face shots and intricate lighting effects convey the psychological strain of the situation. By switching scenes from the White House to the Pentagon War Room to Strategic Air Command in Omaha to the inflight bomber squadron, the director lets us see the motivations and actions of all the players.

No single player is solely responsible for the nightmarish scenario which is taking place. It is everyone's fault and no one's.

I guess that's what makes the movie so frightening. If there's no

one to blame for the nuclear nightmare that we face, then who do you rely on to prevent it?

Maybe this article is getting too somber for a movie review, but then the purpose of *Failsafe* may have been to force us to think about the situation that faces us every minute. The movie is nearly three decades old. The nuclear dilemma is older than the movie. And it's just as scary. *Failsafe* forces us to look at our reliance upon machines. It warns that the false sense of security bred by this reliance could lead to our destruction.

It is almost thirty years later and the message remains the same. Accidents can happen, there must be some way to prevent the consequences from getting out of hand.

Failsafe is a movie that should be seen. Its message is timely and its craftsmanship is superb. No, it is not fun to watch. But, the consequences of ignoring our dilemma are unspeakable.

Oh yes, Moscow does get bombed at the end of the movie. And so does New York City.

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NEED 2 Penn State GAs. Jeff 1049

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-The Femmes

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IT WAS THEN I FELT THE STRANGER KICK ME RIGHT BETWEEN THE EYES

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Whose humor was really quite rank.
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He became an expendece,
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Did anyone ever read it? Does anyone care?
HURRAY!!!

RACE ROCKS

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JEN BUD
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IN THE WORLD!!

love,
Tom and Debbie

Peggy (I won't put your last name), this weekend we will have the first exhibit of photos portraying vacation antics. Be there or be blackmailed into another vacation with us!! I hear New Zealand is nice in March!!!

-omnipresent shutters

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ATTENTION YORK IRISH FANS! HAPPY BIRTHDAY MOM, HAPPY ANNIVERSARY MOM AND DAD, HAPPY THANKSGIVING MOM, DAD, AND KATIE. IT WONT BE THE SAME WITHOUT YOU! LOVE, MGM

Q: What do Carla Haunz and Helen Keller have in common? A: The same Turkey Shoot score.

SUSAN ODLAND,
HERE'S THE PERSONAL YOU'VE ALWAYS WANTED!!

GUESS WHO

TWINK, HAPPY BIRTHDAY! CAN'T WAIT TO CELEBRATE WITH YOU. I LOVE YOU VERY DEARLY. HAVE FUN TODAY. FAV

NEED 2 RIDES TO AND/OR FROM D.C. FOR BREAK. LYNN 3726

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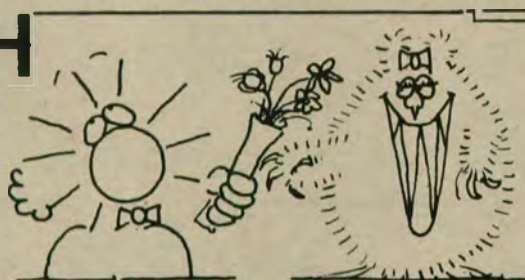
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Sophomore nose tackle

Griffin plays active role on defense

By JERRY MELIA
Sports Writer

The 1984 season for the Notre Dame football team has been somewhat of a disappointment. Many sports publications had the Irish ranked as one of the top teams in the country, with a chance at the national championship. However, these preseason expectations have not been reached. The Irish currently find themselves with only five victories in nine contests, and have two very difficult games remaining.

The coaching staff has received a great deal of criticism for Notre Dame's mediocrity. Maybe the coaches deserve some of the blame, but much of the team's lack of success has been due to the many injuries suffered throughout the season to starting players and reserves in key positions.

This has been the case especially in some key positions on defense. The Irish have had many injuries to their linebacking corps in particular. This situation has put more pressure on the defensive line and the secondary to cover up for the mistakes that might be made by the reserve linebackers. Mike Griffin has been one member of the defensive line who has overcome the many problems that have confronted this year's team to perform quite well in his weekly assignments.

Griffin, a 6-4 254-pound sopho-

more, has done a great job for the Irish at the nose tackle position for the last two years.

Like all other Notre Dame athletes, this powerful lineman had a rather impressive high school career. He earned three letters as an offensive and defensive tackle at Benedictine High School in Cleveland, Oh. His outstanding performances on the field, including 130 tackles as a junior, earned him all-northeast Ohio, all-independent, and all-state selection both his junior and senior seasons.

Griffin was also named one of the top 100 incoming freshmen for '83 by the *Football News* and a member of the Adidas *Scholastic Coach* prep All-America team.

In evaluating these accomplishments and honors, it is obvious that Griffin was very highly recruited.

"I chose Notre Dame for its academics," says Griffin. "There is more to my life than just football, because someday my career will be over."

The Cleveland native has been pleased with his decision to attend Notre Dame, but he admits, "It has been tougher than I had expected, both on the field and off, but I feel it's for the best."

In 1983, Griffin began his career by making his presence known on the defensive line almost immediately. He earned a monogram by playing in every game but the Mic-

higan State contest. His opportunities for seeing action were greatly increased when the starting nose tackle, Jon Autry, incurred a nagging ankle injury which kept him out of the lineup for a major part of the season.

This injury to Autry enabled Griffin to start against Colorado, USC, Penn State, and Air Force. The hard-hitting lineman responded to this opportunity for additional playing time by recording the second-largest total of tackles among first-year defenders behind Mike Kovalski.

Highlights of his freshman season include six tackles, including one for lost yardage in his first start against Colorado. Griffin also had six tackles against Air Force, five in South Carolina, and a key sack of Doug Flutie in last year's Liberty Bowl during Boston College's final drive of the game.

Coming into the 1984 season, Griffin had a much different outlook on his football career. A year ago he was a freshman and did not know what to expect from the program. However, this year he knew he would be starting because he earned the position during the spring and fall drills.

"This year, I play a more important role on the team," says Griffin, "because the defensive line is more active."

Although much pressure was placed on the line with critical injuries to linebackers Mike Larkin and Tony Furjanic, the players on the team did more than an adequate job in the absences of the two Irish linebackers.

"I give a great deal of credit to Mike Kovalski," says Griffin. "He really picked up the slack."

This season has been a very successful one for Griffin. Although the Morrissey Hall resident had a minor knee sprain which caused him to miss the Missouri game, he has started and been a contributing factor in each of the other games the Irish have played this season.

This mainstay on the defensive line has racked up 33 tackles, one of which for lost yardage, while causing two fumbles.

Even though he has done a great job for the team this year, Griffin does not yet consider himself to be a leader.

"There is so much talent on this team," says Griffin, "it's very difficult to shine."

This statement shows the kind of modesty Griffin displays both on and off the field. A fan would have to be asleep or take trips to the refreshment stand when Irish opponents have the ball not to notice number 94 on the field.

The Irish have a very important game at Notre Dame Stadium this weekend against Penn State. The team has had the opportunity to heal from the previous injuries, and will be regaining the services of Furjanic this week after seeing Larkin return to the lineup three games ago.

"The feeling of the team is very good about the game," says Griffin. "We are coming off two wins, and we haven't beat Penn State in a couple of years, so we'll be ready."

But, regardless of the outcome, Griffin's contribution to the team will have been an important factor in the success of the '84 Irish defense.

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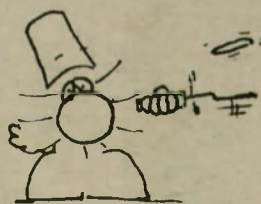
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The Notre Dame Rugby Club will be meeting today in the LaFortune Little Theatre at 4:30 p.m. - *The Observer*

The Dolphin Club will be meeting today at 7 p.m. in the LaFortune Little Theatre to recruit timers for Notre Dame swim meets. For more information, call Paul at 283-1535 or Blaise at 283-1075. - *The Observer*

The ND/SMC Ski Club will be meeting today at 6 p.m. in the LaFortune Little Theatre. Anyone interested in the trip should attend. For more information, call Julie at 283-4354. - *The Observer*

Sign-ups for the SMC Turkey Trot will be accepted until tomorrow at 5 p.m. at the Angela Athletic Facility. The three-mile cross-country race will be held Monday, Nov. 19, and is open to all Saint Mary's students, faculty and friends. A \$1 advance registration fee is required to cover the cost of awards. For more information, call the Saint Mary's Athletic Department at 284-5548. - *The Observer*

Basketball and hockey officials are needed for the interhall season. Anyone interested should apply at the NVA office. - *The Observer*

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In the NBA last night the Atlantic Division-leading Boston Celtics defeated the New York Knicks, 115-99, while the Phoenix Suns maintained their Pacific Division lead by beating New Jersey, 98-86. In other games, Washington downed San Antonio, 125-106, Indiana defeated Houston, 125-117, and Detroit edged Philadelphia, 137-133, in overtime. - *AP*

In the NHL last night the Norris Division-leading Chicago Black Hawks downed the New York Rangers, 6-4. Elsewhere around the league, Buffalo defeated Boston, 4-2, Los Angeles skated by Toronto, 4-3, Quebec beat St. Louis, 6-4, and Pittsburgh edged Winnipeg, 4-3 in overtime. - *AP*

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Stanford

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game will win," says Sorin coach Mike Conlin. "Neither of us seem to have much confidence in the passing game."

Much pressure will be placed on the defenses to shut out the opponent, as both have done four times this year.

"I think it will come down to a field goal," says Stanford linebacker Pete Sawin with a grin. The grin reflects the confidence that Stanford has in field goal kicker Dan O'Donnell, who won a game earlier this year in the last seconds.

Hopefully, the finals will not meet the same difficulties as last year. First, the game had to be switched from the stadium to Cartier Field because the stadium field was torn up from the varsity game the previous

day. That was unfortunate, because both teams had been looking forward to their chance to play in the stadium.

Second, there was controversy over who had to change jerseys since both of last year's challengers, Stanford and eventual champ Dillon, wore red jerseys. That problem was avoided when Stanford charged onto the field after warm-ups in new, all-white jerseys specially bought for the championship game.

This year, the weather report does not forecast rain and Sorin's and Stanford's jersey present enough of a contrast to avoid confusion so the only thing on the minds of the players should be their goal of winning the championship. All are encouraged to come and see two quality teams faceoff in what should be an old-fashioned, hard-hitting football battle.

Heading into the final game of the interhall season, it is time to congrat-

ulate all the players and coaches for a successful and competitive season. Special praises should go to Sorin coach Mike Conlin for taking a team from the small-dorm division all the way to the finals. Stanford's Chris Soha also deserves cheers for guiding his team to the championship game for the second year in a row.

Two dorms, Morrissey and Zahm, experienced a change of fortune this year. Last year, Morrissey posted a 0-3-2 record, but this year, under the leadership of Dan and Steve Elder, Morrissey won the Parseghian division with a 5-1 record. Zahm coach John Looney expressed confidence from the very beginning of the season, and it obviously rubbed off on his team as they had a 3-1 regular season slate, good enough for runner-up in the Leahy division and its first playoff berth in recent memory.

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Alford's 32 pace Hoosiers

Associated Press

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — All-American guard Steve Alford scored a game-high 32 points as Indiana defeated the Yugoslavian Nationals 96-81 in an exhibition basketball game before 12,372 fans last night.

Indiana, on top 44-39 at halftime, outscored the Yugoslavians 16-6 in the first 5:22 of the second half, including the first eight points to open up a 61-45 lead with 14:38 remaining.

Alford, who hit all five of his shots in the first half, finished the night 10

of 13 from the floor and 12 of 13 from the free throw line.

The Yugoslavians who are on a five-game tour of the United States, evened their record at 1-1. They were led in scoring by Sonan Radovich, 6-3 guard, with 16 points, and 6-10 Ivo Tetovic added 10.

The Yugoslavian Nationals cut the 16-point deficit to nine, 63-54, with 10:29 remaining. But four straight points by the Hoosiers pushed the lead back to 13, and Indiana coasted the rest of the way as all 15 players on the Hoosier roster saw action.

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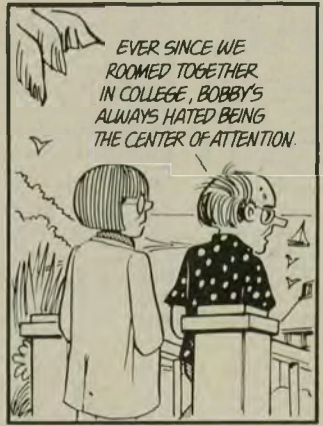
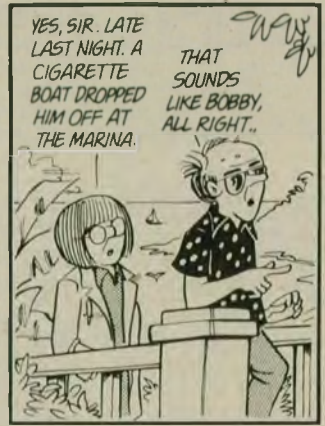
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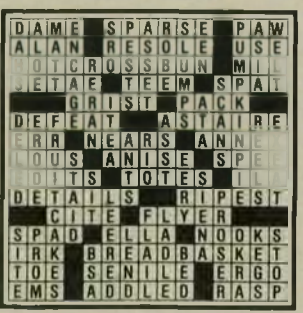
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 - 20 Spinner
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 - 24 Extremist
 - 25 Intersect
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 - 37 Concealed
 - 38 Portly plus
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- 6 Relentless person**
- 7 Touched down**
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- 9 Cat and goat**
- 10 Vendor's concern**
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Campus

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- 4:30 p.m. — **Mathematical Colloquium**, "On Linearization of Cy Action on Three Dimension Affine Space," Prof. Mariusz Koras, McGill University, Room 201 CCMB.
- 4:45 - 6:45 p.m. — **Women of ND Calendar Sale**, North & South Dining Halls, Sponsored by Holy Cross Hall, \$7.
- 6 - 8 p.m. — **Mandatory Sign-ups**, For Shelter for the Homeless Volunteers, OBUD Desk, LaFortune.
- 7, 9:15 & 11:30 p.m. — **Film**, "The Graduate," Engineering Auditorium, Sponsored by Student Activities Board.
- 7 p.m. — **Thursday Night Film Series**, "Best Years of Our Lives," O'Shaughnessy Hall Loft.
- 7 p.m. — **Basketball**, ND vs. Yugoslavia, ACC.
- 7 - 8:30 p.m. — **Slide Show**, Semester Abroad Program, Dr. Cyrus Pullapilly, Little Theatre, LaFortune, Applications Available.
- 7 - 9 p.m. — **Presentation-Reception**, Harris Corp., For All BMD Students in EE, Alumni Room, Morris Inn, Sponsored by Career & Placement Services, Free.
- 7:15 p.m. — **Meeting**, Fashion Show Committee, BCAC Meeting Room, LaFortune, All Are Welcome.
- 7:30 p.m. — **Black Studies Film**, "Sugar Cane Allen," Library Auditorium, Free.
- 7:30 p.m. — **Lecture-Discussion**, "New Direction in the College of Arts & Letters," Dean Michael Loux, Library Lounge, Sponsored by Arts & Letters Student Advisory Council.
- 7:30 p.m. — **General Meeting**, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Center for Social Concerns, All Are Welcome.
- 8 p.m. — **Choral Concert**, SMC Choir & Guest Artist Cheryl Briggs, Little Theatre, Sponsored by SMC Dept. of Music.
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- 8 p.m. — **Film**, "How Much Is Enough?" Center for Social Concerns, Sponsored by Ground Zero, Free.
- 8:30 p.m. — **Steve Landesberg**, O'Laughlin Auditorium, Sponsored by SMC Student Activities Board and IUSB, \$5, \$4 for Students.
- 8:30 - 10 p.m. — **Presentation-Reception**, E. F. Hutton, For All Senior A&L and BBA Students, Notre Dame Room, Morris Inn, Sponsored by Career & Placement Services, Free.
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Stanford, Sorin square off in battle of undefeated division champions

By BRIAN MCCARTHY
Sports Writer

The Stanford Studs vs. The Sorin Mean Machine. Although it sounds like a battle between two chain gangs, it is actually the match-up for the men's interhall football championship to be played this Sunday at 2 p.m. Notre Dame Stadium.

Sorin, the top-seeded team in the playoffs, downed Howard 11-3 last Sunday to up its overall record to 5-0. Stanford, whose record now stands at 4-0-1, topped Morrissey, 6-0.

Both teams are remarkably similar, relying on strong running games and tough defenses to propel them into the finals. In fact, Sorin outscored its five opponents by a combined score of 55-3 while Stanford overwhelmed the competition by a 45-3 margin.

Stanford's leading rusher throughout the regular season was Tony Dawson, but he

missed the Morrissey game with a twisted knee and is questionable for this week. Nevertheless, Stanford's running game did not suffer as Jack Gleeson more than took up the slack by rushing for 110 yards on Sunday.

Gleeson will get help from fullback Jim Clevenger and quarterback Brent Basham, who has proven to be a capable passer when Stanford has been forced to go to the air.

Sorin's offense counters with hard-nosed tailback Sean Garrett running behind a big, tough offensive line. Quarterback Tim Laboe had a solid game against Morrissey, picking up some important first downs via the pass.

However, don't expect a high scoring passing war but rather a low-scoring defensive struggle and a display of ball-control offenses.

"The team that establishes the running

see STANFORD page 14

Top-seeded, defending champ P.E. getting ready for battle with Farley

By JOHN COYLE
Sports Writer

The stage is set. Farley and Pasquerilla East will meet head to head in the championship game of the women's interhall flag football league Saturday in Notre Dame Stadium to decide who will be the champion.

The action is set to begin 1 p.m. this Sunday. Farley is coming off a tough win over Breen-Phillips and will be looking to take the crown away from the defending champs. Farley's hopes rest heavily on the shoulders of Mary Lou Almeida. Almeida is probably the best quarterback in the league and is the center of Farley's offense.

Almeida is a double threat - she has the ability to pass pass or run with equal effectiveness. Farley is mostly successful when Almeida connects with receiver Kara England and pitches

the ball on the option to running back Joyce Metti.

Pasquerella East's attack is a little more balanced. P.E. has several talented running backs who will be the focus of its offense. Quarterback Jenny Yuhl usually gives the ball to speedsters Kathy Nelson and Elise Armstrong.

Both teams have solid defenses with many strong players. But it will be interesting to see if either team is capable of stopping the extremely potent offenses of the opponent.

The players figure to be a little nervous at the start, which allows the strong possibility of a big play early. A quick score could alter the style of the game significantly.

"Farley girls just want to have fun," says Farley head coach John Janicki. But P.E. will be out to prevent that fun and to avenge its loss to Farley each of the last two years in the championship game.

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Top Yugoslavian club team

Men's basketball team faces Zadar

By PHIL WOLF
Assistant Sports Editor

The Notre Dame men's basketball team will suit up in its regular home uniforms tonight to take on outside competition for the first time this season. The Irish, who played an intrasquad scrimmage last Sunday, will take on the Zadar Club from Yugoslavia in an exhibition game at 7 p.m. in the ACC.

The teams will be playing according to regular NCAA rules. Last year, when the Irish played the Yugoslavian National Team, international rules were used because it was an Olympic year, and the coaches wanted their players to get experience playing with the rules.

The game will be the fifth for Zadar on a nine-game American tour that was organized through the efforts of the Notre Dame basketball coaches. The Yugoslavian club's tour includes upcoming games against Northwestern, DePaul, Loyola and Wisconsin.

Zadar has established a 1-2 record on the tour with losses to Dayton and Illinois-Chicago Circle and a victory over Butler, where the club escaped with a 76-73 win. Last night, the team played at St. Joseph's.

The Zadar roster includes 10 players who comprise one of the best club teams in Yugoslavia, according to Notre Dame assistant coach Jim Baron. The Zadar players range in height from 6-2 to 6-10 and in age from 19 to 26.

Baron said he expects the Yugoslavians to have a good-shooting, passing ball club that will play team ball. Zadar is an offensive-minded team that likes to play a slow, calculated offense, but the players also will shoot when the easy opportunity presents itself, Baron said.

Tonight's game will be the fourth matchup between Notre Dame and the Yugoslavian club. In May, 1983, the Irish toured in Yugoslavia and came away with a 2-1 edge over Zadar and the championship in the Zadar Cup tournament. All three of those games were closely contested, with the Irish winning, 84-82 and 94-92, and Zadar taking one game, 95-92.

Three key players from that Zadar squad will be with the club at the ACC tonight. Guard Peter Popovic, who averages over 20 points per game for the club, had an average of 13.3 ppg. against the Irish last year with a high game of 23 points. Guard Ante Matulovic scored 32 points in one of those games and averaged 23.0 in the three contests. Forward Veljko Petranovic averaged 17.0 and had a high game of 22 points.

Irish head coach Digger Phelps said he expects the squad Zadar brings to the ACC tonight to be competitive opposition for his team.

"They have two good guards," he points out. "Popovic is a very good player, and their front line is very strong."

The Irish also will have good guards and a strong front line on the

court tonight. Scott Hicks and David Rivers will start in the backcourt, while Tim Kempton, Ken Barlow and Jim Dolan will be the big men.

Rivers will be the one to watch tonight and all season, since he is the play-maker on this young Irish squad. The 6-0 freshman guard will be counted on this year to create opportunities for his teammates with his quickness and accurate passing skills. He also is expected to add some scoring of his own. In the team's intrasquad game last Sunday, Rivers accounted for 25 of the White team's 102 points.

Hicks also was impressive Sunday, as he led all scorers with 27 points for the White squad. The 6-3 sophomore averaged 4.8 points per game last season, but Phelps said he expects Hicks to improve that figure this year, particularly since the Irish will be playing more of a run-and-gun sort of offense this season.

Dolan, Kempton and Barlow should provide solid play underneath the basket. The three junior tri-captains will be playing together as a unit for the second consecutive year. The line will benefit from an average height of 6-9 and combined averages of 26.6 points per game and 19.2 rebounds per game. In addition, the Irish front line presents a formidable defense for opponents.

One thing which still remains to be seen is how well the bigger, slower players will be able to keep up with the faster transition game that Rivers and Hicks will be playing.



Freshman point guard David Rivers, who scored 25 points in the Blue-Gold Game on Sunday, will lead his team against the Zadar Club of Yugoslavia tonight at 7 p.m. in the ACC. Phil Wolf previews the game.

Phelps said he thinks that the big men will be able to keep pace with the quick guards.

"We'll just let them go," he said. "We'll let them get up court any way they can."

Phelps is noticeably excited about the new season.

"We're just going to play," he said. "We're ready to play. I'm anxious to get it going."

For the thousands of Irish basketball fans who anxiously are awaiting the start of the new season, tonight's exhibition will be a welcome chance to see the team perform.