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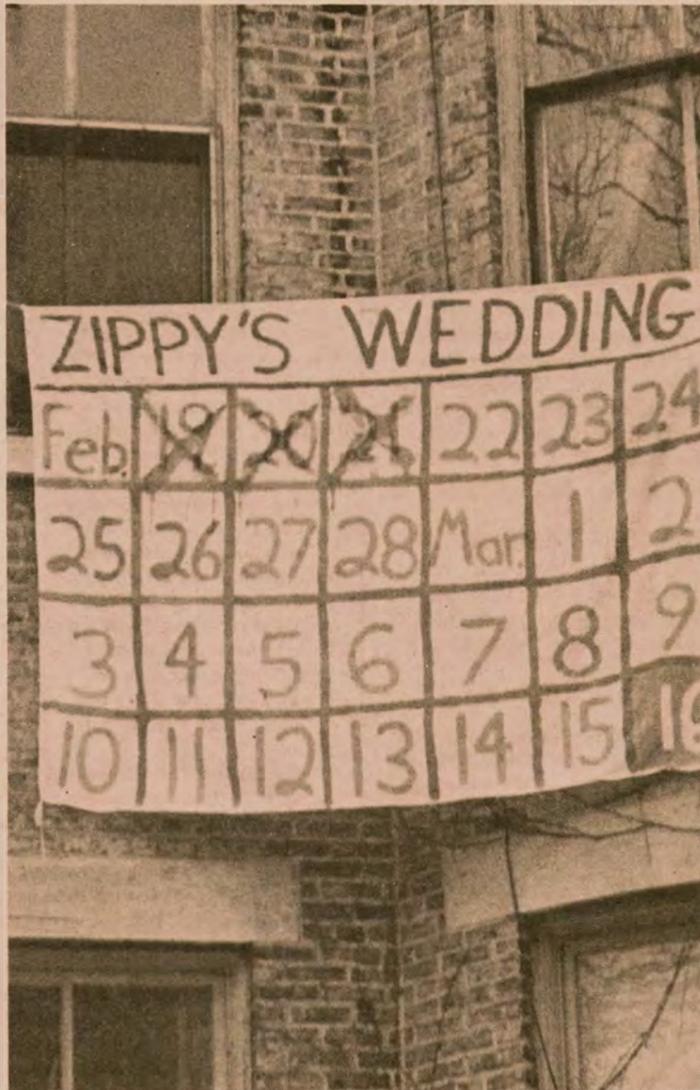
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Signing off

With the return of sunlight to the Notre Dame campus, students have once again gone to great lengths to proclaim their public opinion, now that it can be seen by everyone. At left is the Pi Iota Gamma fraternity of



Keenan Hall 3-North, while residents of Sorin count down the days until Zippy's wedding day. Pangborn also got emphatically into the act, with a sign that declared, "We're Pangborn, damn it."

The Observer/Carol Gales

J-Board bars public from next assembly

By MARK S. PANKOWSKI
News Staff

The March 12 Judicial Council meeting will be closed to students and The Observer, Judicial Coordinator Tim McDowell announced at last night's council meeting.

According to McDowell, the Judicial Council will discuss how hall rectors are handling the judicial functions of their respective halls. He feels if both outside students and The Observer are excluded from the meeting, then hall commissioners will be able to discuss the issues involved freely.

"I don't want (the hall commissioners) afraid of telling the truth. I want honest things coming up," he said. "I don't have anything against The Observer, but I don't want (the hall commissioners) worrying about being misquoted."

McDowell says hall rectors may not be informing students accused of hall offenses of all of their rights.

"If you commit a hall offense, you're supposed to have a choice between having your case heard by your hall's judicial board or your rector unless it is a very sensitive case. I'm not sure if the rectors are telling students that they have a choice," McDowell said.

McDowell also plans to discuss how the hall judicial boards are operating. According to McDowell, "We have to find out how the judicial boards are performing their role as working judicial units of the University. The only way to find out if the judicial boards are working effectively is to find out what's actually happening."

Also brought up at last night's meeting was the apparent apathy of some hall commissioners to their responsibilities as commissioners.

"There seemed to be a lot of apathy this year," McDowell said to the council members. "You seem

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Yarbrough convicted of firing at FBI agents

Associated Press

BOISE, Idaho — Avowed white supremacist Gary Lee Yarbrough, who admitted he was a "frontline Aryan warrior," was convicted yesterday of assault for firing a gun at three FBI agents.

The U.S. District Court jury deliberated about five hours before returning the guilty verdict.

Yarbrough had testified he never intended to harm the agents when he fired a .45-caliber handgun in their direction on Oct. 18 and he said he was trying to "get their attention" because the men failed to acknowledge his shouts.

He was the last witness before the jury began deliberations. The jurors were urged by Yarbrough's attorney to ignore the defendant's character and views and decide only whether an assault took place.

"You're not trying to determine if he's a good guy or a bad guy," said defense attorney James Kaufman said.

FBI agent Michael Johnston testified Wednesday that Yarbrough shot directly at the officers, who were dressed in jeans and flannel shirts and were riding in a borrowed U.S. Forest Service pickup truck on Yarbrough's driveway.

Yarbrough, who has been linked to the June 18, 1984, slaying of Denver talk show host Alan Berg, also testified he didn't know the three men were FBI agents.

"I figured they couldn't read," said Yarbrough, explaining the truck had

to pass at least three "no trespassing" signs.

Yarbrough said he ran to a door and "yelled at them as loud as I could" trying to get them to stop. The pickup truck drove over a log Yarbrough had put across his driveway past the house, he said.

After the truck left Yarbrough's property and turned onto a road, Yarbrough said he tried to catch up to the pickup by cutting through the wooded area behind his home. He said he fired a .45-caliber semi-automatic handgun while aiming at least 15 feet over the pickup truck "to get their attention."

He was standing about 35 to 40 yards away from the pickup truck, agents said. No one was injured.

Yarbrough, who said he practices shooting targets at least once a week, testified that he can "easily" hit a one-foot diameter target with a .45-caliber automatic from 50 yards away four out of five times.

Eldon Cutler, a member of the white supremacist Church of Jesus Christ Christian, or Aryan Nations, said he had been target shooting with Yarbrough and said a pickup truck moving at 15-20 mph would have been "almost like a standing target."

Yarbrough said he left the Aryan Nations several years ago and was renting the rural Sanpoint home under an assumed name because he didn't want people to know of his

past affiliation with the neo-Nazi group. He also said he served a prison sentence in Arizona for burglary and grand theft.

Yarbrough, apprehended Nov. 24 in Portland, has been linked to Robert Mathews, the founder of an Aryan Nations splinter group called The Order.

Mathews died in December in a

Whidbey Island, Wash., house fire after a stand-off with authorities.

Agents tried to arrest Yarbrough the day the shots were fired, but could not find him when they returned with an arrest warrant and search warrant.

However, the weapon used to kill talk show host Berg was found in Yarbrough's home.

ND tax-help program continues

By CATHYANN REYNOLDS
Staff Reporter

The Notre Dame tax assistance program will again prepare income tax forms for members of the South Bend community this spring after preparing 1,837 single-family returns last year.

Refunds from forms prepared last year netted more than \$244,000 in refunds, according to Liz Carroll, public relations director of the program for the past two years.

The program, in its 14th year, is run by senior accounting majors at Notre Dame. It has gained more support from accounting alumni in recent years, said Ken Milani, faculty coordinator.

The Notre Dame program has its own training program and record keeping, but the Internal Revenue Service provides the forms and the Volunteer Income Tax Accountants safeguards the legal aspects.

Some accountants in the program are alumni continuing to serve the South Bend residents filing tax returns.

A certified public accountant and alumnus from

Price Waterhouse in Chicago, Dave O'Brien, has come back to South Bend to volunteer for the program.

When asked about legal problems and responsibilities, Milani said the IRS may call the program about a person's file, but the program is protected by VITA, and not legally responsible.

While following "normal procedure," said Milani, the IRS can call the customer for details and lets the volunteer program know when the problem is resolved.

Besides South Bend residents, Notre Dame and Saint Mary's workers/groundskeepers, housekeepers, and kitchen help have in recent years been assisted by student and CPA volunteers.

Carroll said Notre Dame's tax program offers assistance at "10 different locations in South Bend set up in public buildings, like church halls, and libraries so that service is available at least three hours a week at various shifts."

"Two groups of students volunteer at shut-ins," said Carroll, "when people can't get to a center."

Notre Dame's volunteers are available at the Center for Social Concerns from 2:30 to 5 p.m. on Wednesdays, or by phone at 239-5296.

In Brief

Eleven states reported widespread influenza outbreaks last week, and more than 900 people died of flu or pneumonia, the national Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta said yesterday. The CDC said flu was widespread in Florida, Hawaii, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Virginia and the District of Columbia. Another 17 states reported smaller outbreaks, for the week ending Feb. 16, the CDC said yesterday in its weekly report. This season's predominant influenza strain is what researchers call A-H3N2, or the Philippines flu, which typically strikes young and old alike. Forty-four states have reported it this fall and winter. - /AP

Of Interest

Johnny can read, but he's just a bit behind the rest of the class and could use some individual attention to help him catch up or maybe he is doing fine but has the potential to do even better. Saint Mary's College department of education has opened a reading center for children in grades one through eight who don't have severe learning problems, but need or would like to improve their reading skills. The center, directed by Saint Mary's Assistant Professor Mary Ann Traxler, is open from 4 to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday. Saint Mary's students majoring in elementary education provide the creative writing and literature instruction, and education majors with reading minors instruct in reading. *The Observer*

The Sophomore Literary Festival opens Sunday evening with a reading by novelist and short-story writer Hortense Calisher in the Memorial Library Auditorium at 8. She will be reading from her newest collection "Saratoga, Hot" that is scheduled to be released this spring. Early seating is advised. - *The Observer*.

A square dance sponsored by the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's council for the retarded will be held tonight from 7:30 to 10 at Logan Center. Volunteers are needed to help with the event. Logan Center is also starting a new tradition Saturday with Carnival Rec, a small carnival in the Logan Center gym for the benefit of retarded children in the South Bend community. For further information contact Gus Kelly at 283-1196. — *The Observer*

Notre Dame's Helen Kellogg Institute for International Studies will hold a workshop titled "Feminist Theory, State Policy and Rural Women in Latin America" today and tomorrow. The workshop has been organized by Maria de los Angeles Crummet, Carmen Diana Deere, and Beatriz Schmukler, all fellows of the Kellogg Institute, whose research, according to Institute Associate Director Alexander Wilde, "has used the dimension of gender to throw important new light on the broader issues of Latin American development." — *The Observer*

Saint Mary's galleries will present a show of etchings, lithographs and watercolors by New York City artist Linda Plotkin, from today until March 14 in Hammes Gallery, Moreau Hall, on the Saint Mary's campus. The exhibit will open with a public reception, from 7 until 9 p.m. tonight. Plotkin, who taught printmaking at Pennsylvania State University from 1970-77 and will be the artist-in-residence at Saint Mary's Sept. 8-21, has exhibited internationally. A native of Milwaukee, Plotkin graduated from the University of Wisconsin and received her MFA degree from Pratt Institute in Brooklyn. Saint Mary's College gallery hours are Monday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Tuesday through Friday 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 1 to 3 p.m.; and Sunday 1 to 3 p.m. - *The Observer*

Weather

Think Spring! There is a 70 percent chance of thunderstorms today with a high in the upper 40s. A good chance of rain tonight with lows in the mid 40s. A 50 percent chance of rain tomorrow, with a high near 50. - /AP



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Getting there is half the fun if you can figure out the password

Ever wonder why the grass is so green around the guardhouses at Notre Dame? Perhaps it has something to do with the bull spread around there by students trying to drive on campus.

It seems getting past the gate guard truly has become the great Domer drivers' pastime.

In terms of size, the battle is a mismatch. More than 1,000 registered cars form the backbone of the assault force, armed to the teeth with the latest excuses, the most modern pleas. And on the defense are two mere defenders of the pedestrian campus, veritable Custers in a sea of four-wheeled Indians.

But all the Fords, Chevys and Hondas are no match for security's trump card: the little switch that raises the gate. If the gate isn't raised, even the most prestigious automobile can go down in flaming defeat, having to back up in embarrassing retreat.

Officers with Notre Dame security take this immense responsibility in stride - all in a day's work sort of stuff. But they know that every car they don't let on is one more car they won't have to tow out of a fire lane or out of some rector's parking spot - ticketing it first, of course.

Who can blame them? Few things provoke as heated an outcry as a pilfered parking space.

"It would be nice if we could let a kid in on his honor, but it's sad we can't do it that way. That's why we have to have a lot of rules," says William Krill, a shift commander and a 13-year veteran with the department.

"We do bend the rules a lot with that pass, and under certain circumstances we try to help students out as much as we can," says Krill.

"Yeah," you're saying to yourself. These guys might act like Boy Scouts in the office, but get one of them in a gate house and he becomes a modern-day troll. Or so it seems.

Officers admit the chances of getting a car on campus vary with the person on duty, how many cars are already on, the time of day and probably what side of the bed the officer got out of.

But examine for a moment what these dedicated men and women and blue must tolerate: clueless tourists, demanding faculty, rowdy and often tipsy students...on normal days. What happens when officers refuse to let student on? "Some get furious and squeal their tires or cuss you out. Or they throw something at you," says Ken Cooper, a 2-year officer.

Said another officer, "The athletes are the worst ones of all. They think they have some sort of special

Mark Worscheh

Managing Editor



privilege because they play on a team around here."

"Let 'em walk," he says, "They need the exercise." But, to be fair, any driver's commitment to a Walden-like campus usually evaporates under the pressure of rain, snow, cold or a beer or two. Realizing one of these conditions will be in effect 90 percent of the time, one should have a strategy ready.

To see what works, why not ask the the judges themselves? The Security Department certainly has heard them all. Here's what has been tried (and failed):

•"I'm a brother in Corby Hall." And I'm Father Heshburgh.

•"I want to go to church." At 2 a.m.?

•"I need to pick up my trombone." You can carry it.

•"I have to drop off some things for a party." How 'bout that Alcohol Policy.

In general, the best advice is to tell the truth. Says one officer, "If a student is honest to me, I'll let him on, but if he tries to B.S. his way through, I won't."

But, let's face it, no security guard will let someone on who admits, "I'm lazy and don't want to walk." This is where creativity comes in.

According to one officer, if you can't be honest, be creative.

Try keeping a spare crutch in your car. Or large boxes in your trunk. Or if you always dress nicely, say you are picking up your date for a formal. Many sources indicate that girls, in general, have an easier time than the guys do.

But don't crash the gate or go in on the wrong side. The security folks say they don't like to play Starsky and Hutch, but they didn't order V-8s in those blue Chryslers for nothing. Also, a new gate costs \$17.

In sum, give it your best legitimate shot. But if you get on campus, avoid parking in front of dumpsters or in the middle of the quad. Security says it will begin ticketing with a vengeance if the problems continue. Or as one officer told me, "Once it starts warming up, we're really going to start pounding the hell out of these students." Perhaps getting by the gate is only half the battle after all.



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Icy sidewalks produced by weather are a problem for students, faculty

By MARTIN RODGERS
Staff Reporter

Epileptic movements. A blood-curdling howl or scream. A loud thud. Laughter. Embarrassment. Pain.

Just when everyone thought it was safe - and warm enough - to go to classes, the problem of icy sidewalks, a product of last week's heavy snowfalls and the subsequent warming trend, can now be a daily pitfall for students, faculty, staff, and maintenance alike.

"I fell today outside of Washington Hall on my way to class," said Laurie Chu, a Farley freshman. "It was embarrassing. I'm from Hawaii and this ice thing is a new, painful experience.

"Why don't they do something? One week it snowed hard every day and they never plowed. It was slippery and the paths were so narrow. It's dangerous," Chu said.

Physical Plant Director Don Dedrick is aware of the problem and the complaints it prompts. He assures that his he and his crews will

continue to "struggle against the forces of nature" this winter.

Dedrick says the primary problem is when the severity of the weather is continuous as it was last week. It was "very hard to keep up," he said.

He also said the extreme cold prevented sodium chloride from working. Sodium chloride is only effective when the temperature is between 20 and 25 degrees, he said. Dedrick added plow blades do not clean all the way down to the surface of the sidewalks and that they leave approximately four inches of snow on the ground which develops into ice.

Finally, Dedrick emphasized the task is a tough one - Notre Dame has approximately eight miles of sidewalks - and that his crews are doing the best job they can. Much of the staff, for instance, worked approximately 16 hours a day last week.

The problem is similar at Saint Mary's. "Why don't they just pour water all over and let us (ice) skate to class?" said Megan Comstock, a

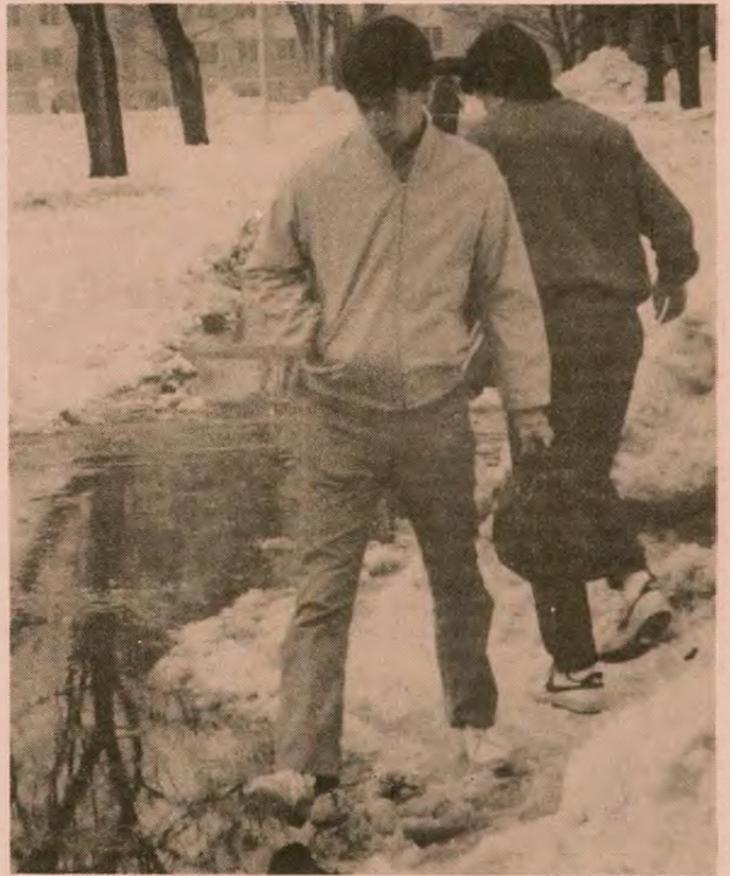
Holy Cross sophomore. "I don't know how many times I've fallen. I'm going to kill myself one of these days."

A potential problem is if someone would injure himself and decides to sue. Notre Dame Counsel Philip Faccenda stated, however, he could not recall any such suit in recent years. Such a suit, said Faccenda, would have to be one of "personal injury due to negligence." He noted one could sue the University for anything, even a common head cold, but would not be likely to collect.

The city of South Bend similarly has had to deal with unclean streets. The city is not accountable for cleaning the sidewalks, however, having delegated that responsibility to private property owners, said a representative of the South Bend streets department.

"I've tried every shoe, sneaker, and boot on the market to get me across campus safely," Fisher junior Skip Holtz said of the frozen precipitation on the walkways. "I've come to the conclusion that I'm going to have to order a pair of Bat(man) boots from the Hall of Justice. JPW was great but would have been a lot better if I didn't have to carry a chisel around to get my mom's heels out of the ice.

"You should have seen the guy I saw coming out of Dillon the other day. His head and feet decided to change places and then he was just laying there. He was one hurtin' cowboy."



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Campus pathways have become quite a hassle in recent days as the warmer weather has been partially melting the frozen rain - well, sort of. What melts becomes slush and what doesn't becomes a health hazard, at least according to some students. Story at left.

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Amy Stephan, a third-year Arts and Letters-Engineering major, has been named managing editor of The Observer for 1985-86, and David Stephenitch, a junior accounting major, has been named business manager.

An English and electrical engineering student from Piqua, Ohio, Stephan has served as The Observer's project manager, a general board position, since November 1984. As a freshman Stephan was a senior staff reporter. In her sophomore year she served as a news copy editor and in the second semester as an assistant news editor.

The managing editor is in charge of the content, style and layout of The Observer. Stephan's responsibilities will include overseeing the day-to-day production of the paper, as well as its long-range improvement.

Stephan's concern is the overall quality of the newspaper. Two of her priorities are to improve the writing of the reporters and the general training of the staff as a whole.

The new managing editor noted the momentum that this year's editor-in-chief and managing editor have established and said she wants to continue the progress they have made. "I plan to work to improve people's journalistic skills so as to produce a better product for the students," Stephan said.

Stephenitch is from Canton, Ill. He has worked as controller of The Observer, a general board position which he has held since January of this year. First hired as The Observer's accounts payable clerk in his sophomore year, Stephenitch also has served as assistant controller of the newspaper.

As business manager, Stephenitch will oversee The Observer's \$300,000 annual budget. One of his priorities is to further develop The Observer's budget process and implement it in all departments.

Stephan and Stephenitch will assume their new positions March 25.

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Wednesday Lunch Fast program draws 500 student sign-ups at SMC

By **BETH WHELPLEY**
Staff Reporter

Five hundred students at Saint Mary's have signed up to participate in the Wednesday Lunch Fast which began on Ash Wednesday. Three dollars per student participating in the Fast will be donated to charities by SAGA food services, said Anne Gallagher, co-chairwoman of the program. Colleen Flynn also chairs the program.

Gallagher pointed out, however, that the actual number of students participating may be closer to 300.

to the Kumundini Welfare Trust in Bangladesh, a women's craft cooperative. Locally, proceeds also have gone to the Justice and Peace Center in South Bend. Possible charities this year include Africa and various emergency relief centers.

Gallagher described the fast as a "conscience builder." Said Gallagher, "At Notre Dame, the Hunger Coalition holds a Wednesday Lunch Fast throughout the year. Over here people were beginning to forget why they were fasting." Gallagher says having the Fast during Lent is more "conscience-raising."

"We only get money from SAGA for the people that keep the Fast. The final answer as to the amount of money that will be made lies in the number of people that keep the Fast for the five weeks of Lent," she said.

Sign-ups for the fast took place from Monday through Wednesday last week. Although sign-ups are over now, Gallagher commented, "It would have been nice if more people had signed up, but it's their own choice."

Proceeds from the Wednesday Lunch Fast, now a five-year tradition at Saint Mary's, have formerly gone

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Farm aid deal terminates filibuster

Associated Press

WASHINGTON — The Reagan administration reached an apparent agreement yesterday with filibustering farm-state senators who agreed to a package offering slight improvements in federal credit aid for farmers.

"I think we've got an agreement if the (Democratic) caucus agrees," said Sen. J. James Exon, D-Neb., a leader of the filibuster that had held up confirmation of Edwin Meese III as attorney general and a \$7 billion highway bill.

The tentative settlement came after a full day of meetings involving the Senate Republican leadership, Democratic and GOP farm-state senators and Agriculture Secretary John Block.

Participants said the improvements included written assurance that the administration will provide adequate money for both direct and guaranteed farm operating loans,

money that would be used for spring planting. Such assurances have been given repeatedly and publicly by Agriculture Secretary John Block over the past several weeks.

Also agreed to was a softening of conditions farmers must meet to receive federal loan guarantees - specifically in the cash flow they must show after payment of loan obligations and living and operating expenses. That level was reduced from the 110 percent in the current administration program to 100 percent.

Another provision agreed to was an increase in levels of loan guarantees to farm banks. Rural lenders, many of them suffering from the worsening financial condition of their borrowers, had sought to minimize their risk through federal backing. The negotiations produced agreement to raise the level of federal guarantee by 5 percent each year, up to a maximum of 90 percent.

Iowa State University farm economist Neil Harl, who has been a leading analyst of the extent of farmers' current credit woes, said the administration's already announced credit relief program would have helped about 50,000 to 60,000 of the 240,000 producers nationwide in financial stress.

The changes extracted by the filibustering group will extend that aid to another 10,000 troubled farmers, Harl said.

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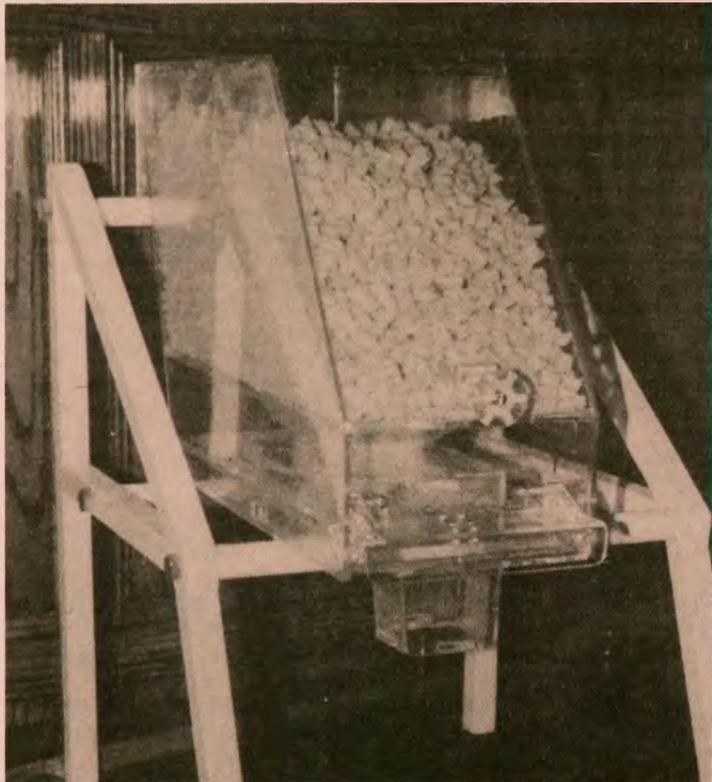
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Indiana University students calling for resignation of William Bennett

Associated Press

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. — Indiana University students have sent a message to President Reagan calling for the resignation of U.S. Education Secretary William Bennett, a student organization announced yesterday.

The Indiana University Student Association approved a resolution calling for Bennett's resignation in reaction to a statement the secretary made last week.

Bennett was quoted as saying Reagan's proposed financial aid cuts for higher education "may require of some student divestiture of certain

sorts - stereo divestiture, automobile divestiture, three weeks at the beach divestiture."

The students' resolution urged Reagan to "carefully select a strong advocate of higher education to serve as a replacement for Mr. Bennett."

"I don't expect the resolution to influence whether or not Reagan asks Bennett to resign," said the sponsor of the resolution, senior Chris Salloway.

"But I think it will make Reagan examine Bennett's statements, his philosophy and his role as secretary of education. We are the first stu-

dent body to address this issue, and if our strategy works, there should be a snowball effect," Salloway added at a news conference yesterday.

Ron Rawald, a junior and president of the student organization, said letters with a copy of the resolution were sent to Reagan and Bennett on Monday.

No response has been made by either Washington official, he said.

Rawald said letters and copies of the resolution were also sent to 65 Indiana colleges and universities, as well as all Big Ten Conference schools.

Jury convicts pair of aiding aliens

The Associated Press

HOUSTON — A federal jury convicted the director of a refugee shelter of illegally transporting Salvadoran aliens, while another member of the sanctuary movement was found guilty of one of three charges yesterday.

Attorneys for Jack Elder and Stacey Lynn Merkt promised to ap-

peal the verdicts, reached after about four hours of deliberation.

Elder, 41, who directs the Roman Catholic Church-sponsored Casa Oscar Romero shelter in San Benito, near the Mexican border, said his conviction on five charges would not deter him from his activities.

"I'm proud that I am following the best traditions of my faith and our country," Elder said.

Merkt, 30, was found guilty on one count of conspiracy but innocent of two counts of transporting two Salvadoran aliens.

"I don't know whether to cry or to yell about the injustices both here and there," Merkt said, referring to El Salvador. "I believe it is time to yell. I will persevere."

Sanctuary activists say they are helping refugees on the premise that international and U.S. laws, including the 1980 Refugee Act, grant legal asylum to refugees who are fleeing political persecution and violence.

Elder could be fined up to \$28,000 and sentenced to 30 years in prison. Merkt faces a maximum five years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. U.S. district Judge Filemon Vela set sentencing for March 27.

Merkt already is on two years' probation for a similar conviction in May and could lose her probation pending the outcome of a March 15 hearing in Brownsville.

"I was grateful," assistant U.S. attorney Robert Guerra said. "We only try people that we believe we have a good case against."

Merkt, a volunteer at the shelter, was accused of taking the aliens from the shelter to a McAllen bus station on Nov. 21.

Elder was charged with two counts of conspiracy and two counts of helping two Salvadorans enter the United States illegally. He also was accused of driving two aliens on Nov. 8 from the U.S.-Mexican border to the shelter.

He was acquitted last month on charges of transporting three Salvadorans in March 1984.

One of the Salvadorans in the latest case, Jose Andreas Mendez-Valle, identified Elder and Merkt as the Americans who helped him and four other aliens after they crossed the U.S.-Mexican border. Another Salvadoran with him, however, could not identify the defendants.

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like you didn't want to be part of the committees or that you didn't have time for them."

In McDowell's opinion, many commissioners did not know what duties were expected from them when they were appointed by their hall presidents. He felt a lack of communication was responsible, but was uncertain who was to blame.

"We don't know where the problem lies. We need to find out exactly where the communication gap is occurring for the new commissioners so that they know their responsibilities and duties as members of the council next year," he said.

Later in the meeting McDowell announced the possibility of creating a position on the Judicial Council for an off-campus student. The off-campus representative would have full voting rights on the council.

"What I want to create is a position where the off-campus student could be represented in a voting capacity on the judicial body," he said. "Should an off-campus student be accused of a University offense, they have a right to know about the judicial process and their judicial rights, which the Judicial Council promotes."

Also announced at last night's meeting were the dates for the upcoming class elections. They will be held March 5, and if necessary, run-offs will be held March 7.

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Reagan has complicated aid to troubled farmers

David Stockman is right about farm subsidies, and so are his critics. This is a complicated matter that Ronald Reagan has tangled into even tighter knots.

Campaigning, Reagan could not define "parity," but he was for or against it in differing time zones. He has a long record of saying

Garry Wills

outrider

that agriculture should return to a market basis, but in 1982, his second year in office, farm subsidies ran three times what they had been in Jimmy Carter's last official year (\$12 billion, against \$4 billion). In fact, before Reagan took office, the subsidies had never gone above \$6 billion.

Reagan managed to combine this largesse with a heavy rate of farm closures, which is in itself no mystery - most farm aid goes to large-scale farmers. Only to the marginal was this aid not, marginally, enough.

The best argument against Stockman is in terms of timing. The government has extended just enough aid to help those smaller farmers expand, and now a credit cutoff will make them lose even their original holdings.

Since there is always an answer to every answer in this merry-go-round world, Stockman might reply: There is no good time to cut a failing program - each moment you challenge it can be presented as especially inopportune, and the longer you put off the difficult decision, the worse does everything become (including the matter of timing).

But Stockman's boss must bear a good deal

of the blame for the truly extraordinary crisis that farmers are facing. Reagan's record deficit is keeping interest rates high, making farm loans unpayable, while it keeps the dollar high, making exported food unsellable to many customers.

High as interest rates are in general, they have been running three or four percentage points higher for farmers - precisely because farms have become a bad risk, and banks that do agricultural business are themselves at risk.

Even Reagan's great achievement - the taming of inflation through a recession that had us at 11 percent unemployment in his first term - has hurt farmers, bringing down the inflated value of their assets while their interest payments were going up.

There is no clean solution - the mythical market will never be restored. But the myths of parity must die, and as much government aid as can be cut without massive bank collapses must be cut. The main thing is to discriminate in favor of the smaller farms - which is exactly the opposite of Reagan's approach to everything else. His first term set records in the closing of small businesses. His second term is already beginning to set records in the closing of small farms. The friend of "enterprise" is really a friend of bigness; of trickle-down, as Stockman admitted in another context, and there is not enough, in Reagan's vaunted time of prosperity, to trickle as far down as he is driving the lower ranks of our society.

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Authenticity originates with moral consistency

Human beings are natural organizers. We seem to automatically seek consistency in our experience and beliefs and, at times, invent consistency where none exists. Nowhere is this tendency more prevalent than in our most serious moral considerations. This ten-

Charles Boudreaux

only solitaire

dency towards "surface consistency" often leads to betraying the life principle from which those tenets arose.

The most serious moral question, one might claim, are the ethics concerning human life and death. The secular humanist believes in the innate worth of each human being. Those holding religious belief believe in service to all "neighbors," that is, the world's population.

To point out the dangers of surface consistency, let us use as example the individual who maintains abortion to be wrong under all circumstances. A person who arrives at this decision necessarily believes the fetus to be either a human life at conception or so sure to be one that it should enjoy the same rights as any other human being, most importantly, the right to live.

This decision entails holding as fundamental that human life is unequivocally prized and/or sacred, depending upon one's foundation in humanism and/or religion.

What are the ramifications of this belief? In keeping with human nature, one would want a stronger position by applying his or her beliefs on the preservation of life to areas other than abortion. Examples would lead to possibly new beliefs that war and capital punishment are wrong.

If we continue to generalize, we will find ourselves face-to-face with some nasty consequences.

A belief that all life is to be preserved rapidly brings the believer to two serious social problems. The first is the problem of overpopulation and starvation in underdeveloped nations.

Admittedly, two possible "outs" exist. The food supply could be increased through better cultivation or provisions from more developed nations. Birth control, whether natural or artificial, could be introduced. The first solution sounds good, but the West does not seem to show a concerted response unless an Ethiopia-sized develops. If the "preciousness of life" opinion-holder accepts birth control, he or she is forced to accept the notion that fecundity is not always a good thing, a challenge to that person's consistency.

The second problem is perhaps the more morally difficult. With the continual develop-

ment of artificial organs and other forms of medical technology, it will not be long until we can create the "human superman," the individual who can be sustained indefinitely on life-support devices. The moral quandary arises when the "superman" decides that he no longer wants to live, thereby begging the question of the right to die or the "living will." The individual who believes absolutely in the sanctity of life and many doctors are in this category would want to sustain the individual's life at the expense of his or her free will.

This sort of moral morass is just where the consistent moral tenet falls short of a true morality. We seem to have secured quantity of life rather than quality, a position which seems to miss the point of both the religious and the humanist messages. Underlying the tenet of "absolute preservation of life" must be a deeper meaning. What is life? Heartbeat? Happiness? This answer, the true tenet beneath the surface statement of our morality, may be much harder to discover than the seemingly consistent statement "preservation of life."

How, then, are we to decide between the human, the inhuman, and the humane? We seem to be left with two undesirable alternatives. We could hold on to our sample policy of "life first"; while consistent, this sort of policy seems to miss the underlying moral principle from which it was derived. Instead, we could have a policy which is inconsistent; while not risking the danger of "surface consistency," each of our individual moral positions would be weakened because of the lack of consistency across our ethical spectrum.

It seems that our only way out is a mongrel blend of these two alternatives. We need to ask ourselves where our consistency should lie: should it rest, for example, on the surface of the word "life" or on the underlying meaning of that word in terms of our true fundamental moral belief? I believe we must be consistent to our fundamental belief or life principle, not consistent from particular tenet to particular tenet. This mixture, of course, has its own drawbacks. Without a policy that features surface consistency, one must look much deeper for moral answers that are in turn much more difficult to come by than before.

Is my proposal that of a variable morality? It may appear so to some. I do not claim to have proposed any answers or made any judgments on the sample moral problems I mentioned. What I propose is consistency in terms of one's central moral belief is the only consistency which allows one to be authentic. If we really look to see where we want to place our consistency, we can center our beliefs on moral bedrock, not on "surface consistency."

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Fighting and backbiting hurts our government

Editor's Note: Because of a production error John Perez's column appeared incorrectly in the Feb. 14 issue of *The Observer*. It is reprinted here in its proper form.

By now, everyone is sick to death of the Great Notre Dame Election Scandal of 1985. For those of you who were hiding under a rock for the past week or so and didn't hear about it, I'll briefly reiterate the story, hopefully for the last time. It seems that one SBP/SBVP ticket committed several infrac-

John Perez

just wondering

tions of campaigning rules, was caught, had its candidacy withdrawn, and ultimately had its candidacy reinstated. In the process, a whole bunch of "important and influential" people connected with the electoral process and student government resigned. Space limitations preclude my providing the scorecard necessary to keep track of who did what and to whom on this merry-go-round.

In the aftermath of this mini-Watergate (Domergate?), one must wonder not only what the role of student government at Notre Dame is, but *who* is "student government". The Student Senate? The Ombudsman? The Hall President's Council?

A couple of days ago, I asked roughly a dozen of my friends who the student body president was. Only three replied "Rob Bertino." None of them had any idea who their student senator was. A few could describe OBUD's functions. Most had an idea of what the HPC was. My point is: If these bodies are such a vital part of our community and supposedly play a major role in student affairs, why don't we hear or know more about them? Are they really fulfilling the needs of the typical student, or are they just a source of nifty-looking resume items for their members?

In the case of our recent election, OBUD laid down the rules and enforced them. It used its "espionage network" to hunt down campaign violations. It confronted the violators,

who admitted their guilt. It stripped them of their candidacy. A job well done.

Then the Student Senate stepped in. It overturned OBUD's decision and restored the guilty parties to the ballot. Why? - we don't know. The decision was made in secret, and no explanations were offered. Is this a job well done?

Ultimately, an ad hoc election committee ran the elections, accomplishing what usually takes months to organize in a mere two days. The elections were conducted without incident. However, all is still not well.

The problem is obvious: *nobody* really knows who is responsible for what. Egos take precedence over rules. Our "leadership" has no direction. A policy of "see no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil" just will not work. The people with the most potential power and influence are least in touch with the student body as a whole. The election fiasco was merely a symptom of this disarray in general.

Despite the good intentions of many, our present system of student leadership is a joke. It is a very bad joke. Like any bad joke, it reflects as poorly upon the perpetrator as the victim. We have the people and ideas to make our community truly great, we only need a push in the right direction. Better organization and communication is that push.

The campus leadership *must* realize that infighting and backbiting will get them, and us, nowhere. Goals and objectives must be set. Strategies and programs to achieve these goals must be implemented, maintained, and reviewed. Responsibilities must be assigned, and the various governmental bodies must respect each others' duties and decisions. Most importantly, they must remember whom they represent - the students. Closed door meetings and secret ballots are tools of dictators, not legislators. We have a right to know what's going on and why. Isn't getting fair representation what elections are all about?

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Pettifer's commentary riddled with feminism

Dear Editor:

Ann Pettifer once again has indulged Observer readers with one of her pathetically misinformed commentaries riddled with the belligerent feminism that has become her trademark. In her most recent article she has warned the sophomore class of the dangers involved in their asking Pope John Paul II to speak at their commencement.

She makes atrocious insinuations concerning John Paul's intentions. Pettifer accuses the pope of being unjust in his dealing with church theologians. She sees his silencing men such as Hans Kung as being threatening to academic freedom. She states, "The class of '87 must ask itself whether a man who would suppress the findings of an academic inquiry belongs at a university commencement." If the findings of an intrinsically subjective report are in contrast with the church's teaching, John Paul II has every right and, in fact, the duty to denounce them. Especially if the report is misrepresented as the church's stance.

The most blatant perversion of reason of which Pettifer is guilty is her manipulation of Schillebeeckx's writings concerning the early church. She alludes to the difference between the role of the priesthood in today's church and the early church. What is your point Pettifer? Of course the roles were different. Are you implying that the early church was perfect? If you would bother reading the New Testament past the Gospels you would find hundreds of examples of the problems that riddled the early church, however, the early church should consider itself lucky for not having to contend with these heresies being published in campus newspapers.

Pettifer sees the pope as a despotic ruler on an inquisitional church. Any astute reader can plainly see that Pettifer's zealous feminism clouds her judgment of the pope. In all her whining one can see she glides over a very important fact. When Christ chose his apostles - apostles to which he would intrust the job of spreading his word - he chose twelve men. Oh, no. Maybe Jesus Christ was a male chauvinist. Just because the church has delegated certain jobs to a certain sex does not mean that women are incapable of full participation in the life of the church. To say they are an affront to women such as Teresa of Avila, Catherine of Sienna, Mary of Magdala, and the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Paul Douglas
Morrissey Hall

A mature person is one who has an open mind

Dear Editor:

This letter is written in response to the Feb. 18 Viewpoint guest column by Ann Pettifer. Pettifer raises some points concerning the request by the sophomore class representatives to have Pope John Paul II speak at their class commencement. In her column, Pettifer argues that the pope would be the wrong person to speak at the commencement.

She begins her argument by stating that the pope is from a long line of "lousy popes." Whether or not this statement is biased, extremist or incorrect is not relevant to any argument against this pope being invited to speak. If President Reagan wished to speak at commencement, we would not cite the examples of earlier presidents against him. President Reagan would certainly not be turned down because Thomas Jefferson was a male chauvinist slave owner, Franklin Pierce was a drunkard and Nixon was a crook. The faults of these past presidents have no bearing on whether or not Reagan would be a good speaker or is a good president. Likewise, the example of past popes has no relevance to any argument against our present pope.

Pettifer continues by attempting to present the pope as an unjust figure. She writes that we should be revolted at the trial of the "scholarly Dutch Dominican Edward Schillebeeckx." According to Pettifer the Vatican has been "hounding" this liberal theologian due to his view that, in the absence of a priest, a community should celebrate Eucharist with a person of either sex presiding, even if he or she has to be ordained, post haste.

It is true that the Vatican does disagree with Schillebeeckx on this point, which comes more from his scholarly view of the early church, by the way, then from an advocacy of changing present policy. This is, however, not the primary reason that he has come to the attention of the Vatican. The major problem concerning Schillebeeckx is that he sometimes appears to question the divinity of Christ. As a Dominican priest and a widely read Catholic theologian, it is not surprising that the Vatican should ask for an explanation of his ideas when they conflict with the traditional views of the Church. This is not a new thing for Schillebeeckx. His writings have brought him before the Vatican several times in the past. After his explanations, he has remained, at least at present, a Catholic theologian in good standing.

Pettifer continues her argument by claiming that, because of the Pope's attitude toward the ERA and his opposition to women in the priesthood, he would not be a good speaker. Not wishing to get anyone up in arms, I will neither support nor argue against the pope's stance. However, I do not think that his stance is relevant to whether or not he would be a good speaker. Pope John Paul II is powerful, influential religious and political leader in the present world. Whether or not we agree with him on all things, he is certainly a man worth listening to. After all, if we only listen to people that we agree with, we will not learn or grow.

Pettifer closed her column by stating that "a mature Catholic is a Christian who sees conversion as an ongoing process." I end my letter by stating that a mature person is one who listens with an open mind.

Brendan Bellina
St. Edward's Hall

Chance to vote on SBP could have been denied

Dear Editor:

I would like to address two issues, as stu-

dent body treasurer and as a member of the Student Senate.

In Wednesday's "Inside" column, Tom Mowle proposed the abolishment of the Student Senate. As mentioned in his news analysis, a function performed by the senate is to set the budget for student campus organizations. This consists of 80 percent of the student activities fee or \$210,000. A solution, according to Mowle, would be for the administration to set the budget; the administration has no say, presently, in the allocations of the student activities fee.

A student activities fee is a fee paid by the students to be used explicitly for the students, according to the student's wants and needs. Who else would be better qualified to budget the student activities fee than students, and involved students at that - the Student Senate.

The sentiment around this campus for the last few years has been that the administration has too much "control" in the students' social life. Mowle seems to advocate more administrative control; control that has not been contested by the administration.

The recent decision by the Student Senate to permit the Pat Browne-Joanie Cahill ticket to be reinstated in the Student Body Presidential campaign has been a very hot topic, at least in The Observer, for the past week. From resignations of various senate members to the proposal of abolishing of the senate have been the only responses to the decision made last Saturday afternoon.

I was one of the eight senate members to vote the Browne-Cahill ticket back into the race.

In making a decision, one cannot just look at the infraction, enforce the prescribed punishment, and shut the book. This seems to be the way many students and senate members have looked at this issue. Campaign rules were broken, thus the candidacy, per the election rules, must be forfeited.

In this case, however, I felt that we, the senate, had to look at the consequences of our decision, and not only "enforce the rules."

Had the Student Senate disallowed the Browne-Cahill ticket to run, the senate, in effect, would have elected the next Student Body President, a the remaining ticket of Healy-Lawrence would have, therefore, been unopposed.

I know the Student Senate does not have much clout, as stated by its adversaries, but do you feel the senate, a body consisting of 15 voting members, should have decided who the next student body president and vice president would be?

I sure as hell don't. And it seems that the 1,051 students who voted for Browne-Cahill felt the same way.

I, or the senate, obviously do not condone the actions taken by Browne-Cahill during the campaign. Thus, we did apply restrictions on their future campaigning before the election.

The students knew full well of the infractions, per The Observer. Thus, the students should be the ones who choose their next student body president and vice president.

I hope the student body somehow appreciates that they were given the opportunity to vote in 1985 for their SBP/SBVP by the senate. Because, if some senate members and The Observer editorial board had their way, the students would have

been denied the chance to vote for student body president.

Alfred Novas
Student Body Treasurer

Blatantly ignorant to expell Browne/Cahill

Dear Editor:

In response to Frank Andreano's article concerning the expelling of Pat Browne. I too, feel compelled to make the following statement. Andreano's suggestion that Browne and Cahill be expelled is probably the most ludicrous and blatantly ignorant statement I have heard come from one of the supposed future leaders here at Notre Dame.

As a friend of mine put it, why don't we all just take Pat and Joanie down to the Grotto and shoot them. Andreano's statement makes him far more a disgrace to the University than he claims Browne is. For Andreano to suggest such an disproportionate punishment and then to imply that he is part of the highly moralistic society here at Notre Dame is about as hypocritical a statement as one could make.

Clearly Browne's actions were wrong. He knows it, and has told me he is sorry about the whole affair but that he has to face it and take what he deserves. Andreano seems to think that Pat's mistake warrants that his future should be considered ruined. Pat does not deserve to attend any graduate school, or for that matter, obtain any desirable job he may wish to seek. This is what Andreano's statement implies, as this would be the case if his suggestion be carried out.

Pat has done nothing less than make one of those once-in-a-while big mistakes that we all make. To suggest such a fate as Andreano proposes in immoral, unethical and in my opinion un-Christian. Andreano would do better in the future to make sure he thinks before he makes such hideous remarks.

I have known Pat Browne for fourteen years and am proud of it. I know what kind of person he is and it gets me quite angry when I read such attacks on his character. In my opinion Pat is one of the most hard working, concerned and good natured people I know. Had he realized the severity of his actions beforehand, things would have been different.

Although it does not justify his actions, Pat's past accomplishments and the hard work he has put in for our benefit, should say something about him. I hope that before anyone else equates his actions with those of a completely immoral, uncaring person they take this into account.

My wish is not that Pat and Joanie's mistakes go unnoticed and forgotten but, that perhaps a few of us are taking things a bit too far in our allegations against them.

It's too bad Pat didn't realize the severity of his actions because they cost us all the chance to have another hard working and concerned Student Body President.

If my reasoning here is wrong then I suggest we all meet at the Main Circle, as we did for the basketball team. Only this time, wear white sheets and carry torches. Andreano will lead us over to Pat's room and then down to Joanie's and finally we'll run them off campus. Let's all get together, as Andreano put it, and show everyone just how moral we can be.

Jim Reilly
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Fugitives from the law

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Not all dorm residents pay room and board.

There is a group of fugitives from du Lac who do not attend class but are the loyal companions of those who do. This group comes in all shapes and sizes both familiar and bizarre.

Cujo the cat spent seven months as a resident of Holy Cross Hall at Saint Mary's. She was not allowed to leave the room because cats are strictly forbidden to live in dorms.

The worst part of feline life at Saint Mary's was the fear of being discovered. The room door had to be shut quickly so escape was not possible. Cujo left school at spring break last year; the fear of discovery was too much.

Blanch thrives on the cockroaches in Zahm Hall. An occasional pork chop from the dining hall may supplement this harmless Mexican red-legged tarantula's life.

The highlight of Blanch's life, which is normally confined to a terrarium, is frightening innocent people. Her owners will place her on someone's neck and scream as if spiders were about to take over the world. This probably does not endear Blanch to many.

Rat sightings are common in many of the older dorms, but Howard Hall has one named Paula in regular residence. Paula lives in an aquarium on a diet similar to that of many student's - she eats cereal at most meals. She has attempted

escape but has never made it beyond her room.

Ig the iguana is a complacent aquarium dweller. Ig's happiness in South Bend is strange because he enjoys nothing more than heat. A pleasant evening consists of closeness to a hot radiator.

Pulse the parakeet has his name because he was bought on impulse. The only time that he is confined to his cage is LeMans in when his roommates are in bed.

Pulse finds enjoyment in sitting on people's shoulders and singing nonstop. On one of his excursions in LeMans, he was friendly enough to stop and check in with the local resident assistant who accepted him as a somewhat welcome guest.

Ralph underwent a definite climate change when he moved from the warm-sandy beaches of Florida to Lyons Hall. Instead of hanging out at the beach this hermit crab now lives in a plastic bowl. Ralph does not get much attention, his roommates say, because he is a dull pet.

Other pets found at Notre Dame and Saint Mary's are fish. Goldfish and piranhas seem to be favorites although their coexistence in the same tank is usually short lived.

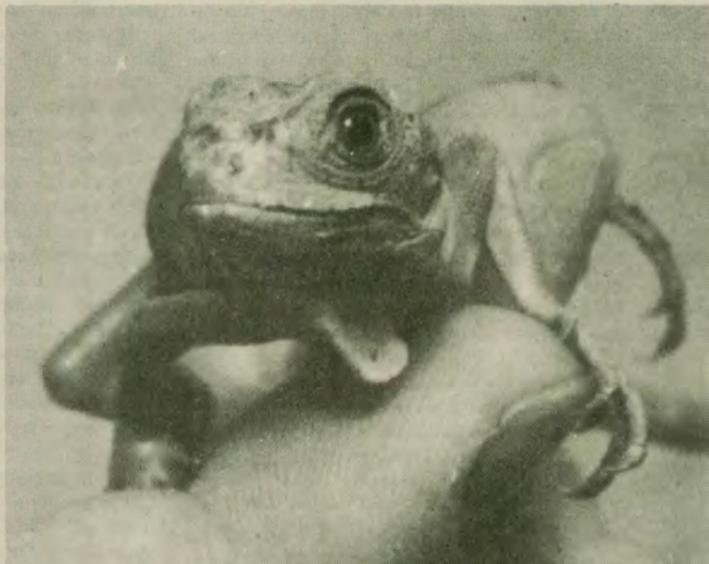
These pets all live, hidden from view, in the dorms of Saint Mary's and Notre Dame. They rely on kindness, mercy and the closed mouths of their neighbors.



Tony Watson feeds his fish in St. Edward's Hall.



Blanch the Mexican red-legged tarantula



Dave Dietz holds Ig his pet iguana



James Butler proves that Blanch



Jennifer Friedhof and Ralph her hermit crab

Correction

Because of an editing error songs by Fats Waller were incorrectly identified in the review of "Ain't Misbehaving." The proper titles are "Fat and Greasy," and "Your Feet's Too Big."

Certain pets may be legal

Monica Fatum
features staff writer

Who ever said that the best dorm pet is a dead dorm pet? It could have been the Office of Student Affairs.

They contend that "for safety and health reasons, pets or animals of any kind are not to be kept on campus or brought onto the campus."

But does the phrase "of any kind" include dead pets? If not, then former pet owners out there are safe and many have stories to tell.

Two weeks ago, the day started out like any other for Oedipus, Wally, and The Beaver. Little did the three battle-scarred piranhas know it was to be their last. As the trio of unwary fish roamed about their aquarium, the water temperature rose to 120 degrees.

Needless to say, Oedipus, Wally and The Beav were in hot water. The largest piranhas on campus

would never again fight over a goldfish.

Joe, the owner of the dead fish, mourned the loss of his pets.

"Have you ever seen a piranha chase a goldfish and munch the hell out of it? What an emotional release," reminisced the distraught former owner. "Maybe I'm just a little psychotic," he said.

In any case, the threesome was painstakingly wrapped in a copy of The Observer and tenderly tossed in the nearest trash can. After all, dead fish do stink.

Some owners strive for more dignified burial services. A crowd of six, dressed in black, gathered at a wake to lament the loss of Gladius, a hamster who resembled the squirrel on the Phone Directory - minus the tail, of course.

During the closed casket cere-

mony, Gladius was laid to rest under a shady tree in a pencil box lined with tissues. While no tears were shed, Gladius' owner admitted that the occasion was sad.

Life after death can be an improvement for some pets. Fred, a stuffed squirrel who resembles the one on the Phone Directory - tail and all - has served as companion to his owner for almost eight years.

Currently Fred graces his owner's desk and helps him out with homework occasionally. Fred's life after death is far from all work and no play. His owner and his friends dubbed Fred "the official roadtrip squirrel". Fred is already sporting a pair of sunglasses for his upcoming jaunt to Florida this spring.

The subject of dead dorm pets is not a pretty one. Perhaps it is not even a legal one on the Notre Dame campus. Nevertheless, dead dorm pets and their owners are certainly worth a chuckle or two.

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Darby II starts his 6th year at ND

Rev. Robert Griffin

Letters to a Lonely God



Five years ago this week, Darby O'Gill II came to live with me as a nine-week old cocker-spaniel puppy. The original Darby died on Monday, Feb. 18. The next day, I went to Chicago to pick up Darby II, bringing him home in a box on my lap.

I told him that as a priest's dog, he had his work cut out for him, because a priest's dog is like a preacher's kid. Both need to stay out of trouble.

Darby got his orders to keep his nose clean at all times. He wasn't to go out nights in search of garbage cans to upset. He wasn't to bark at security guards dressed up as the official campus fuzz. He wasn't to chase squirrels up trees, or make love to the rabbits. He wasn't to show up as an uninvited guest in the Huddle to beg food.

He was to be available to every homesick student wanting to scratch him. He couldn't indulge himself as a nuisance if he wished to stay at Notre Dame.

If he could hang in there with a show of class I promised him I would do my best to make him the most famous Catholic dog in America. Over the years I've worked harder at my part of the bargain than he has at his.

Having a great reputation means nothing to him. He just wants to be free as a dog, living by his instincts.

A moldy biscuit left in the grass for the birds in winter brings him more joy than a bowl of Alpo. His nose is always busy picking up scents.

My bullying doesn't cure him of the habit of sniffing out the feeding grounds of wild creatures. He doesn't care if his name is mentioned in the papers. Darby doesn't read the papers. All he ever asks for

is something good to eat and a pat on the head from a friend.

Strangers meeting Darby will say, "I bet he's spoiled." He gets a lot of attention; he's the pet-in-residence of Pasquerilla West. He takes daily walks on this beautiful campus. He gets most of his meals on time. He travels extensively, but he doesn't always get his own way. I don't

stream of light from under the door that he's inside listening for my footsteps. He hates being alone, and he depends on my being there to take care of him. I don't think he's spoiled, because I know the hard times he puts up with.

Pet owners can make fools of themselves by pretending that their dogs are as smart as people. Darby and I are partners, but he is not my equal. What worries me is when I start wondering if I am his equal. He outshines me in patience and the quickness to forgive, but I have a better sense of humor.

Cocker spaniels, if you can believe their eyes, take life

to be a comedian, because there's not a funny bone in its entire body.

People need funny bones more than dogs do. If they wish to be educated they should learn to enjoy and take part in the human comedy because it's the only answer to the absurdity of the universe.

The way to defeat evil is to laugh at it. Clowns in the circus, getting dumped on by disaster - the seats of the pants catch fire, their cars blow up, their houses burn down - are indestructible, because part of their sweetness is comic. The races that have been put on the rack get in the last word because they pass down humor as part of their folk wisdom.

Darby O'Gill sits in my PW doorway as a con artist, soliciting bites of pizza from the students leaving food sales. He looks as mischievous as a street urchin. He has the ways of Charlie Chaplin playing the little tramp, with a dignity that keeps me respectful. Maybe he's laughing at me as a dim-witted human being, incapable of seeing through his little schemes, yet tender toward me because he thinks I'm limited. I wouldn't like to underestimate him.

Some pet owners claim that they have dogs that wear smiles, forgetting nature has provided them with tails instead of a grin. Some people seem unaware that a sense of humor is proof that the soul of man is immortal. It was the gift that God gave man to help him endure after the loss of Eden. Some of us in this age of anxiety let our funny bones sleep instead of getting the use of them to keep us dancing.

Darby has the air of playing life straight, but maybe the joke's on me. Strangers ask if he knows any tricks. I tell them that his greatest trick has been to remain on campus all this time. He has survived having me as a roommate, and remains sweet-tempered while doing so. He probably has an agenda for survival as an amused and tolerant dog. He's a very private animal. I'm grateful that he stays so faithful.



Darby O'Gill II and Father Robert Griffin

pamper him to the point of ruining him. I like him too well for that.

I'm not an easy boss to live with. He has seen his share of smoke-filled rooms. I feel bad when my dog's coat reeks of nicotine. I worry more about his lungs being spoiled by tobacco than I do my own.

He spends a lot of time waiting for me. When I come back to my room after hours away, I can see from his shadow blocking the

seriously. When I play tricks on him, like hiding his food, he never sees the joke. Dogs, I think, could rule the world if they weren't so literal.

Literal-mindedness is never very smart. Darby has always played games. He bluffs me into thinking he's doing things my way. Then, when I'm off guard, he does it his way. I wish I could show him that he's hilarious. You can't train a dog



ally a harmless tarantula

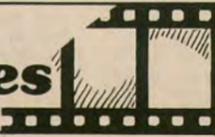
Nazz



•Tonight, a New Music Show will be featuring **Peter Aboud**. He will be displaying his skills in playing the piano from 8 to 9.

•It's the return of the campus legends **John Kennedy** and **Joe Dolan** and their specialty - Irish folk music and story telling. Don't miss it. Joe Dolan is flying in from California for this event.

Movies



•**Prince** will be dazzling the audience in the Engineering Auditorium this weekend. The captivating "**Purple Rain**" is to be featured by the Student Activities Board. This is story of a musician's rise to fame, despite numerous obstacles that he confronts. It makes for an exciting two hours that feature some of the star's hits such as "**When Doves Cry**" and "**Let's Go Crazy**". Showings will be tonight and tomorrow night at 7, 9, and 11. Admission will be \$1.50.

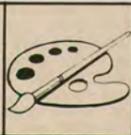
•Tonight at 7:30 and 9:30 the Friday Night Film Series will present the 1983 film "**Liquid Sky**" in the Annenberg Auditorium for \$2.50. This picture, filmed by Soviet emigres, is set in New York. It is a modern fairy tale in which aliens, flying saucers and scientists replace witches,

COMING ATTRACTIONS

FEATURING THIS WEEKEND

fairies and elves in a parable of modern alienation.

Art



•Opening tonight will be the displays of etchings done by Linda Plotkin at Hammes Gallery of Saint Mary's College from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

•**Glenn Zweygardt: Steel and Stone Sculpture** will continue to be shown this weekend from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Zweygardt teaches sculpture and is department chairman at New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University. His monumental steel and stone sculpture has been featured in numerous one-man shows, as well as in private and public collections in the States.

•Opening Sunday at noon in the Women's Art League Gallery of the Art Center is the exhibit **Selections from the Art Ceter**

Permanent Collection: Hoosier Artists. This show is one in a continuing series of exhibitions sponsored by the Art Center which focuses upon various aspects of its permanent collection. The exhibit will feature paintings by celebrated historical Indiana artists such as Theodore Clement Steele, Frank V. Dudley, John E. Bundy, Otto Stark and others. The Art Center is located at 120 S. St. Joseph Street.

Theater



•**Neil Simon's** famed "**The Gingerbread Lady**" will be presented by South Bend Civic Theatre this weekend at the Scottish Rite Auditorium, 409 N. Main Street, South Bend. Performances will be tonight and tomorrow night at 8:30. Tickets may be reserved by calling 234-1112.

Dance



•Records worth \$300, compliments of CBS Records, will be awarded to the winner of the rock star look-alike contest at the dance in the Chautauqua ballroom tomorrow night. Audio specialist of South Bend and Camelot Music will be giving away numerous other awards. Cindy Lauper, Bruce Springsteen, Sade, Tina Marie, Culture Club and other well known artists' music will fill Chautauqua from 9 to 1.

"It'll be a marvelous time," promises WVFI station manager Kurt Holzberlein. Tickets are \$1 per person and \$1.50 per couple. So don't miss this exciting evening tomorrow. "For one dollar you can't miss," Holzberlein said. Tune in to VFI for details on the CBS records which will be given away all week.

Mass



The celebrants for **Mass** at Sacred Heart Church this weekend will be:
 Father Daniel Jenky at 5:15 p.m. (Saturday night vigil).
 Father William Beauchamp at 9 a.m.
 Father Daniel Jenky at 10:30 a.m.
 Father Daniel Jenky at 12:15 p.m.

Sports Briefs

The Notre Dame Judo Club will be meeting on Sunday in room 219 of the Rockne Memorial Building. - *The Observer*

Stepan Center's basketball courts will remain open on Friday nights until 11:30, Paul Matwiy, assistant director of student activities, announced. The extended schedule is on a trial basis. If students do not utilize the courts on Friday nights, then Stepan will return to its previous closing time of 10 p.m. - *The Observer*

A snow softball tournament is being held by the ND Millions Against MS Committee the weekend of March 1-3. The entry fee for teams of five men and five women is \$10, which goes to MS. Prizes will be awarded to the winning team. Anyone who is interested may sign up on Tuesday from 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. in the LaFortune lobby. For more information, call Steve at 283-1045 or Jeff at 283-1049. - *The Observer*

Men

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person is likely to start junior Chris Nikchevich (6.4 ppg.) in the shooting guard slot alongside playmaker Marty Perry, a deft passer who leads the team with 95 assists.

The Cougar guards will have their hands full, though, now that the Irish backcourt is at full strength. Freshman David Rivers now has his full complement of racing partners in Scott Hicks, Dan Duff, and Joseph Price, and that's a fact which pleases Phelps.

"We got our three-guard rotation (Rivers, Hicks, and Duff) going against Fordham, and that's why Rivers was so much more effective,"

notes Phelps. "Now we can concentrate on getting the ball to Rivers and letting him go, knowing that we can give him a rest when he needs it."

Rivers has shown he knows what to do with the ball when he gets it, pumping in 14.6 points a game while leading the team in assists. Still, his play is obviously enhanced by the presence of some backcourt help, primarily Hicks, who scores at a 9.0 ppg. clip.

The closest matchup will be in the front line, where a young BYU contingent will match up with the veteran Irish frontcourt. The Cougars will be looking for help for Saarelainen from 6-9 forward Alan Pollard and 6-10 center Tom Gneiting. Pollard, a freshman, has been a pleasant surprise on the inside, netting eight points a game while

hauling down nearly seven boards per outing. Gneiting, a sophomore also has held his own in the lane with a scoring and rebounding average around the six plateau.

Meanwhile, the Irish front line will be paced by the consistent Ken Barlow, who leads the Irish with a 16.0 ppg. scoring clip. He won't be alone, though, as forwards Donald Royal (7.8 ppg., 5.0 rpg.) and Jim Dolan (4.5 ppg.), as well as center Tim Kempton (7.2 ppg., 5.0 rpg.) have started to gel.

"Our front line is in a groove now," comments Phelps. "They're complementing our backcourt well, and we've found the seven guys we'll live and die with."

Phelps hopes that his Irish and their tournament hopes will do more living than dying tomorrow.

The Observer Notre Dame office, located on the third floor of LaFortune Student Center, accepts classified advertising from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. *The Observer* Saint Mary's office, located on the third floor of Haggard College Center, accepts classifieds from 12:30 p.m. until 3 p.m., Monday through Friday. Deadline for next-day classifieds is 3 p.m. All classifieds must be prepaid, either in person or by mail. Charge is 10 cents per five characters per day.

Classifieds

NOTICES

FOR A GIFT THAT IS UNIQUE, SEND A BELLY GRAM TO YOUR SHIEK! 272-1858

TYPING CALL CHRIS 234-8997

TYPING AVAILABLE 287-4082

PRO-TYPE Computerized typing service 277-5833

WORDPROCESSING AND TYPING 272-8827

EXPERT TYPING SERVICE. CALL MRS. COCKER, 233-7009.

Professional Typing Tina 232-8749

PROFESSIONAL TYPING: CALL TINA 232-8749

ride needed to Phila. area for spring break, call 1213 ask for Bob.

WORDPROCESSING 277-6045

Clevelanders: The "Social Gathering" for Feb. 21 is moved to Mar. 8. It is at the same address. PLEASE COME!

PROFESSIONAL TYPING: CALL TINA 232-8749

DEBBIE— DO I REALLY LOOK THAT MUCH LIKE A PANCAKE? WHO'S GOING TO CLEAN THE TUB ANYWAY?

PROFESSIONAL TYPING: CALL TINA 232-8749

LOST/FOUND

FOUND: A set of car keys on a turquoise and black key chain on the lot between Walsh and Sorin on Sunday Feb. 17, 1985. To claim call Beth at 2978.

lost: Double-strand gold bracelet at the Americana last Friday night. Special sentimental value. If found, please call Kathy at 284-4188.

lost: One very small ladies gold Seiko watch, in South Dining Hall before Christmas break. I know it was a long long time ago, and you're probably used to wearing it by now, but if you have a heart, I'd like it back, with no questions asked, except maybe "How did you get that little tiny watch to fit your wrist?" (You see, I have a very small wrist and it only fits me). Thanks, I'd appreciate it. Yours in Notre Dame, Kathy (3747).

DANGER: 6 foot black scarf lost at ACC skating area last Friday is known to strange unfamiliar necks. Please return to Mark, 3828.

I LOST MY BB TICKET AT THAT TERRIBLE GAME AGAINST LOYOLA SECTION 3 ROW 2. IF YOU FOUND IT PLEASE CALL JACK AT 1670. MY NAME IS ON IT. PLEASE, I AM A SENIOR AND THIS IS MY LAST CHANCE TO SEE OUR TEAM DO WELL.

Lost: pair of gold wire framed glasses in black case. Name and STOP Number on case. REWARD if found. Please call Matt 2465.

REWARD! \$50.00 offered for brown Sampsonite hard suitcase. Luggage tag says Douglas Snell. Call John on days or dispatcher evenings at United Limo PLEASE. 674-6993 or 255-3068

LOST: SET OF KEYS WITH ROOM KEYS, CAR KEYS, AND HOME KEY (GREEN PLASTIC CLAD). IF FOUND, PLEASE CALL MO. 3624.

HELP!!!! I lost a large rinstone old-fashioned clip somewhere at the JPW cocktail dance on Friday, much, much sentimental value!!!! If found, or know of its whereabouts call Linda at 277-6856

I Did it again! I lost my ID and that green little wallet that comes with it. I have no identity without it. If you find it PLEASE call Kathy at 1296. Thank you.

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FOUND: One woman's thin brown leather glove outside of LeMans. call 284-4068 to claim.

SOUTH BEND WINTER COLD GOT YOU DOWN? TELL ME ABOUT IT-AT LEAST YOU HAVE A JACKET-BUT ONE OF YOU LUCKY PEOPLE HAS TWO AND ONE OF THEM'S MINE! WHOEVER INTENTIONALLY OR INADVERTENTLY TOOK MY WHITE ESPIRIT JACKET FROM SENIOR BAR PLEASE RETURN IT TO THE LEMANS HALL LOST AND FOUND-NO QUESTIONS ASKED (WHITE FLANNEL WITH SHEEP FUR COLLAR)

LOST - Camera flash
On the cross country course back by the cemetery. If found please call 284-5186. Reward: 1 six pack

To whomever took my Ralph Lauren jean jacket from senior bar: Since my license was in the pocket you obviously know who it belongs to. I'll pay to get it back, but if you really need a jacket that badly, could you at least mail my license back to me? You have my name and my campus address in the book (SMC).

LOST PAIR OF BROWN LEATHER GLOVES IN ROOM 223 HAYES-HEALY WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON (2/20/85). CALL BRIAN J 239-7276 AND LEAVE MESSAGE. REWARD \$\$.

LOST: Navy blue doll, N.D. mascot, last seen after P.W./LEWIS intra mural bball game. Gym 4, ACC, Tuesday, Feb. 19. Much sentimental value, she was a birthday present. Please call Barb at 4238.

FOUND: Cross pen imbedded in snow between B.P. and Farley identify pen and claim, 401 Farley.

LOST— ONE BOTTLE OF AUNT JEMIMA PANCAKE SYRUP. PLEASE RETURN. I DESPERATELY NEEDED IT FOR WEEKEND ENTERTAINMENT—DEBBIE

Found: The Writer's Rhetoric and Handbook in room 328; Comp/Math building. Call 4069.

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WANTED

RIDE TO NEWARK NEEDED. CAN LEAVE ANY TIME AFTER THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 14. WILL SHARE USUAL. CALL MIKE AT x1745.

Need riders to Kansas City for Spring Break. Call Tom x1479

Need a qualified PIANIST to give lessons to an ND student Call Rob 1076

10 Part-time researchers wanted by Chicago publishing company. Have fun on campus while earning money...It can be done! Call 312-266-4840 or write SANSAPARILLA, Ltd., 62 W. Huron, Chicago, IL 60610.

Riders needed to CLEVELAND. Leave 2/22 afternoon return 2/24. Call Ron at 4256.

Ride needed to ISU, Normal, IL on 3/1. Will share usual. Call Kathy 1296.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: GREAT PARTY CAR 1970 OLDS 98 \$400 X-1768

DISKS GETTING FLOPPY? BASF 31/2" COMPUTER DISKS FOR YOUR MACINTOSH COME IN PLASTIC LIBRARY CASES. \$35.25/10 ASK FOR DAVE X3049

CHEAPER MAXELL XLII 90'S \$24 FOR 10. 1150

TICKETS

Help! Need two GA's for the Washington Basketball game. Call 3790 and ask for Bob.

HELP! Need 3 GA's or Student Tickets for the BYU Game. Will PAY BIG BUCKS!! PLEASE call Pete at 1170.

SAN FRANCISCO FLIGHT SPRING BRK Highest offer-Tim 1187

HELP!!! My parents have never seen an ND basketball game, and I'm about to graduate!

If you have any available GA's for a weekend game, call Lori at 2810 - Today! (I'm a bit of a pup, so money is no object.)

NEED TWO GA OR STUDENT TICKETS FOR BYU GAME. CALL DON 1219

NEED 2 GAs for BYU game!! Call Lauren at 3781.

Need 3 B.Y.U. student tickets; call Miriam 4174

SPRING BREAK IN FLORIDA? Have X-tra RT tax to MIAMI from CHI FOR ONLY \$178.00!! call Chris or Dick at X2289.

NEED 2 GA'S FOR BYU OR WASH SO MOM AND DAD CAN SEE A GAME CALL LORI AT 2810

PARENTAL UNITS ARRIVING FRIDAY SELL ME BYU TIX, PLEASE !! CALL KAREN 277-6740

PERSONALS

PREGNANT? NEED HELP? CALL 234-0363 24 hour hotline/free pregnancy test available. WOMEN'S CARE CENTER

BEST TIME-BEST VALUE: WHERE: DAYTONA BEACH!! WHEN: SPRING BREAK 85. WHO: ALL ND/SMC STUDENTS CALL 239-5136 OR STOP BY SENIOR CLASS OFFICE. 1.5 LAFORTUNE, MON-FRI. 6-9pm.

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MIKE SHRIVER, BOB HAMMERLEIN, and PAUL KUCERA start your weekend right Friday afternoons on WVFI - BEAT THE SOUTH BEND BLUES with WVFI!

NEED A GREAT SATURDAY NIGHT? WVFI, the alternative, and CBS RECORDS present a Video Dance Party - Sat., Feb. 23 at 9:00 in Chataqua \$1.00 per person, \$1.50 per couple - music, dancing, give-aways. **WVFI AND CBS RECORDS BRING YOU SATURDAY NIGHT'S ALTERNATIVE!**

HEY JOE! ARE YOU EXPERIENCED? THE ONLY DJS THAT MATTER! ARE CALL PAT AT 3318 OR 3317 OR DON AT 3573 CLEAR THE PURPLE HAZE OF OTHER CAMPUS DJS FROM YOUR MIND AND MAKE YOUR NEXT PARTY OR SYR THE ONLY DANCE THAT MATTERS!

HEY BRIG, HOW'S THE WEATHER?

Wanting to go on the SAB trip to Ft. Lauderdale but you don't have the cash! Call 283-3815 and find out about a great discount!

SPEND SATURDAY NIGHT DANCING WITH CBS RECORDS AND WVFI, THE ALTERNATIVE

Get ready, Carl, your birthday is coming!

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ATTENTION

All members of Notre Dame's 1985 Microbiology Marketing Club Our gala annual petri dish sale will begin soon!

Watch this space for details.

POST GRADUATE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY - A representative from the DOMINICAN APOSTOLIC PROGRAM will be available in the LIBRARY COURSE on Friday, February 22 from 10 AM to 4 PM to consult with students interested in giving a year of service in the USA. Contact the Center for Social Concerns (239-5293) for information.

HUNGRY? FREE DELIVERY CALL THE YELLOW SUB 272-4453 MO-TH 8-11pm FR-SA 8pm-1am

To all wild and crazy LOGAN CENTER VOLUNTEERS: This is a big weekend for the kids. Friday night, we have our first dance of the semester: a **SQUARE DANCE** from 7:30 to 10 pm. Saturday morning will be the beginning of a new tradition as we have **CARNIVAL REC. VOLUNTEERS** are NEEDED for both events. If you've never been to Logan Center but always wanted to go, **now is your chance.** See you there this weekend.

Volunteers: Elementary & high school teachers and student supervisors are needed to work in the Catholic Missionary Diocese of Prince George, B.C., Canada. We ask, if possible, a 2-year commitment. Room, board, medical coverage and stipend are provided. For more information, please contact: Frontier Apostolate, P.O. Box 7000, Prince George, British Columbia, V2N 3Z2PM

"Success is a journey, not a destination." Donald Keough, President of Coca-Cola

I wish that they would stop having big events on the weekends - I've got to cut my nails

ONCE UPON A TIME IN FAR AWAY DOMERLAND THERE WAS AN INSTITUTION CALLED FREE UNIVERSITY. Free University featured several fun classes to which few people went. You see, people thought that anything that was free could not be too fun. Realizing that the attendance problem resulted from Free University's name, the STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD changed the name to CHEAP THRILLS UNIVERSITY!!!! Once the name was changed, the people realized the tremendous enjoyment that could be obtained from attending CHEAP THRILLS UNIVERSITY. Cheap Thrills University sponsors tons of fun classes: Aerobics, Photography, Hula, Auto Mechanics, Computers, Bartending, Investments, Self Assessor, Job Interview Skills Career Planning, Conditioning, and many more. Sign ups are Monday, Feb. 25 in the LaFortune Ballroom at 7-9pm.

NOTRE DAME IN THE MORNING: MATT BURCHAELL AND THE SMELL OF ETHANOL.

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SKATIE AND SCARY: Only 21 days til and 50 yards from the beach! Happy Friday! Mo

MA & KATIE: Take risk and go for it! I'll do the same! Mo

I'll thrash you three times over.

The Scherwaha is on the loose!

HEY WURPS!! Welcome back to my world. Happy 21st Birthday!! Let's go crazy! Love ya, TJH

Vic (U hairstylist): free and desire change? Tivoli's Sat. night may be solution. Remember, before midnight cin-dere-lia.

WELCOME "HOME" JENNIFER CONRAD! PERHAPS YOUR BOTTOM BUNK ISN'T WAITING BUT THE COUCH IS. HOPE THIS WEEKEND PASSES IN A CLOUD OF BLISS AND OBLIVION. WE LOVE YOU, SANDY AND MAUREEN P.S. YOU FINALLY GOT YOUR PERSONAL!

ATTN MATT DONAHER: I noticed you at JPW last weekend - I saw you everywhere I went! I want you to know I'm interested and you will be hearing from me again. Keep watching the personals...

It's nice to remember special events. This Sunday is the anniversary of one such event, isn't it Marce? The PARTY PATIO will never be the same nor will the PANGBORN WALL! So Happy Anniversary! What sweet memories.

ATTENTION BLUE LIGHT SHOPPERS! YOUR TIME IS UP-ZERO SHOPPING DAYS LEFT. TODAY IS THE DAY-YOUR LAST CHANCE TO WISH MR. PARTY HIMSELF, MIKE BOLGER, A HAPPY 21st BIRTHDAY.

BOLGE-GET HEATED! ENJOY YOUR BIG DAY! FROM THE GUYS P.S.-GOOD GAME!

5 GIRLS AT N.D. - SORRY ABOUT THE S.Y.R. AT DILLON. ROOMATES WERE PLAYING AN ALL TO CRUEL JOKE PLEASE ACCEPT MY APOLOGIES. N. CAMPBELL

MARY COLE, SMC's most talented and most beautiful female, is 20 today! Happy b-day with love, Bruce

HEY MIKE GUESS WHAT YOU GET FOR \$2,000? YOU KNOW WHAT, YOU GET EVERYTHING! YOU ALSO GET A PLANE TICKET, AND YOU KNOW WHAT? YOU CAN USE IT ANYTIME! mummur...MURMUR...HAPPY BIRTHDAY! ROB

U. RJT!
It's Lent so I'll be nice and let you know I think you're much more than acceptable with those gorgeous green eyes, that beautiful nose, and especially that cute hair! Tonight should be fun - I'll be good if you'll be nice. Hugs and Kisses (Is it ok on paper?)
Your favorite bra!

PPMMHHH!

Why are all the girls after Jim Glennon?!

BENDO'S PARTY TONIGHT. IS ANNE BAILEY P? DOES SHE NEED HELP?

ALL OF MANKIND WAS DEBASED WHEN THEY, THOSE SMUG COUGARS FROM BYU WON A NATL FOOTBALL TITLE. BUT THIS IS BASKETBALL, THIS IS BIG. IT'S ALSO PERSONAL. YOU CAN'T JUST SEND ME HOME TO THEM KNOWING WE HAVE LOST. PLEASE DIGGER AND ALL OF YOU: DEFEND THE FAITH. NUKE BYU- THANKS JLD

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BERNADETTE SUPLIK!! HOW DOES IT FEEL TO BE 20? WE HAVE IT ON GOOD AUTHORITY THAT 20 YEAR OLDS HAVE OVERACTIVE HORMONES. IN THE INTEREST OF SCIENCE, WE'VE INVITED ALL ELIGABLE NOTRE DAME MEN TO COME TO ROOM 204 LYONS HALL AND FIND OUT. WILL BERN DO SOUTH QUAD? LOVE ALL YOUR FRIENDS IN 204 AND 208.

Yes, there will be a Wash DC Spring Break bus! Sign-ups will be March 4th - more info later

HI MOM! HI DAD! IT'S YOUR VERY OWN "SPW" HAVE FUN, FUN, FUN! Love & Kisses - K.

KATHY, IS THIS ANY WAY TO TREAT YOUR FANTONLY 3 GAMES LEFT, CAN'T YOU MOVE?

ANNE BRING BACK JUNGLE LOVE. KEEP ON SHAKING BABY, YOUR FAN

KITTY-YOU'RE INSPIRING! KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK FOX!

HEY RILEY COYOTE!! HAPPY 21, TAKE IT EASY!! GUESS WHO?

MICKEY RELAY. HOPE YOU GAK YOUR BRAINS OUT!! HAPPY BDAY, DAN

RILES, STOP BELCHING AND BOOPING AND GROW UP YOU 21 YR OLD BAG ENJOY YOU 'MO OF THE 'HO' PERSUASION! AND GET RID OF THOSE COTTAGE CHEESE CHEEKS!! BILL

YO T, DON'TCHA WANNA BE MY COUBINE? BILL

HBD, Mike Riley. Remember, you only have so many brain cells. Save a few so you can get home tonight.

MARY, MARY, MARY, TERRY AND TRICIA, Thanks for answering the phone, helping with everything and putting up with me JPW wouldn't have made it without you! Love, The other Mary

BETH LOEBEL We're ready to celebrate your legality all weekend. Happy 21st birthday Love ya tons!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY SPROUT!! WE'LL ALL HAVE TO CELEBRATE WITH SOME TEQUILA AND GRAPE KOOOL AID! LIVE IT UP! -H & K

Women

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Morgan, 5-10 senior forward Mary Lou O'Brien, who averages 6.7 ppg. and 6.3 rpg., and, most likely, 6-2 freshman forward Lorilei Watts who hurt the Irish in their last meeting by scoring 9 points and pulling down 13 boards.

"Tracy Manuel and Lorilei Watts have been playing really well for them," said the fifth-year Irish mentor. "They are both very strong inside players. In fact, it was DePaul's inside game which beat us. We got very few offensive rebounds at the critical moments. Those two played very well."

When first-year DePaul coach Jim Izard wants help from the bench, he usually gets it from 6-0 freshman center Janice Streit (11.9 ppg., 5.5 rpg.) and 5-5 junior guard Awanda Mitchell.

"Janice Streit is an effective player," said DiStanislao. "She is a big, bulky kid who takes up a lot of space in the lane. I think she also will make a difference."

The Irish, meanwhile, should be rested and up to the challenge. They are playing staunch defense, holding their opposition to only 59.6 points per game. Furthermore, Irish forward Trena Keys is coming off one of her best games of her career, a 28-point performance against Loyola.

"Basically," says DiStanislao, "We're playing well, but DePaul is still going to be a real challenge. They play an up-tempo offense, but they are quite strong inside as well. They are a deceptive team, and it's going to take a good game to beat them."

If the Irish continue to play as they have of late, they should be able to play that good game against the Blue Demons.

Junior sprinter

Nobles sparks indoor track team

By MIKE SZYMANSKI
Sports Writer

As the members of the Notre Dame men's track team aim toward the climax of the indoor season, the IC4As, they are looking for runners, such as Robert Nobles, to improve their solid performances.

Nobles, a 6-4 junior from Baton Rouge, La., qualified with a 1:11.01 in the 600-yard run for the IC4As last week at the Central Collegiate Championships.

"Noble's turning point came at the Indiana Intercollegiate Meet where he overcame his lack of confidence," according to Irish coach Ed Kelly. "He ran well in three events showing competitive toughness."

After a mediocre freshman year, and ineligibility sophomore year, Nobles worked hard over the summer and came into indoor season in fine shape. He then continued to improve.

"He made the internal commit-

ment to be good, to do everything that it takes," Irish head coach Joe Piane said.

Despite his marked improvement, Kelly said he feels that Nobles must perform well at the IC4As to prove to himself that he can run with the best runners.

Overall, Piane said he likes what he has seen this indoor season. James Patterson has broken school records in the long jump and the triple jump, while Lloyd Constable has qualified for the NCAA championships in the high jump. Chris Matteo has pole vaulted 15-3, and Joel Autry and Gary LeKander have improved in the triple jump.

Mitch Van Eyken, Van Percy and Nobles have led the Irish sprinting core in qualifying for the IC4As while fellow sprinter Dan Shannon still is running with a slight injury.

The middle-distance crew, led by John McNelis and Jeff Van Wie has been very impressive. The two-mile

relay of Paul Duvair, Nick Sparks, John Dadamio and Rick Mulvey, which qualified with 7:44 at the CCC's, will be one of the few all-freshman relays at the IC4As.

Piane looks for his cross-country runners to perform well on the track. Tim Cannon, although injured, placed second at the Indiana Intercollegiate two-mile run. Dan Garrett and Mike Collins, also are showing promise, according to Piane. Bill Courtney has been running his best ever, with two personal records of 4:11 in the mile and 9:15 in the two mile.

"Although the indoor season is not the end," said Kelly, "we have definitely made the IC4As a point to build toward and to peak at. Good performances now will carry over to outdoors, where times naturally are faster."

With runners such as Nobles, the Irish may be headed toward a high peak, indeed.

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Saint Mary's basketball upset in home game

By PAM CUSICK
Sports Writer

Playing its final home game of the season, the Saint Mary's basketball team had hoped for something other than the upset that Purdue University-Calumet handed it by a 67-44 margin last night at the Angela Athletic Facility.

The Belles had just rebounded from a loss to Valparaiso University Wednesday night, 63-50. They now look forward to tomorrow afternoon's showdown with the University of Michigan-Dearborn for an on-the-road opportunity to improve its current 4-13 season record.

The Lady Lakers of Purdue moved to an early lead on the impressive performance of freshman forward LeeAnn De Young last night. The 6-0 forward dominated play on both ends of the court, and Purdue went on intimidating the Belles with its fierce defense and inside play to build a 34-21 halftime advantage.

The Belles were plagued by poor shooting from the field, hitting only 16 of their 62 shots for a percentage of .258, and they could not rally against the Lady Lakers.

"Purdue intimidated us offensively and defensively. They gained control of the game from the beginning and we had no spurt to cut into the margin," commented a disappointed head coach Marvin Wood after the game. "It was, percentage-wise, our worst shooting game of the season."

The top scorer was junior forward Beth Kreber with 16 points, while senior guard Teresa McGinnis, and senior forward Elaine Suess each contributed seven points to complete the Belles scoring performance. Kreber, McGinnis and Suess committed three fouls each.

The Lady Lakers of Purdue were not the only threat to the Saint Mary's basketball team's record this week, as Valparaiso jumped ahead to steal another victory away Wednesday night.

"They (the Crusaders) are a big, strong team. Their 2-2-1 zone press got the ball inside," said Wood. "Defensively, they played well and had good balance throughout the game, shooting 17-18 from the field."

The Belles travel to Dearborn, Mich., tomorrow afternoon to take on the University of Michigan-Dearborn to try to shake off the apparent losing ways that have plagued them recently. Game time is 2 p.m.

Fencers

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national championship, however, we have to prove it to ourselves and to our opposition."

Tonight's match with the Spartans should not provide the Irish with too great of a challenge. Michigan State's individual fencers have all fallen upon bad luck as none have recorded a winning percentage better than .500. This, along with the appointment of a new head coach this season, has sidetracked a usually potent Spartan attack.

"This team is not as competitive as other Michigan State teams of the past," said DeCicco. "We should be able to fence all of our fencers and give our fourth, fifth, and sixth men a shot at monogramming for the season."

Tomorrow, however, is a different story. The tournament will involve 14 different dual matches, six of which will include the Irish.

Opening the action at 9 a.m. on the center strip, the Irish will be facing Chicago. Against the Maroons, the Irish are 37-8 lifetime. On Feb. 9, in Detroit, the Irish faced Chicago and soundly defeated them, 24-3.

At 10:30 a.m., the Irish will face the Purdue Boilermakers. Once again, as in the Chicago match, DeCicco does not foresee any great difficulties. Against the Boilers, the Irish have only lost twice in 29 outings. Last year, Notre Dame beat Purdue, 23-4.

As the Irish fence into the noontime hours, the action will pick up with Northwestern, Wisconsin, Illinois and Wayne State providing four straight, solid challenges to the unbeaten Irish.

Earlier in the year, the Irish traveled to Wayne, Mich., where they met and downed the defending national champions, Wayne State, in their backyard by a 15-12 margin. A meet scheduled with Illinois on January 26 in Columbus, Ohio, was cancelled because of a blizzard.

Of the four major challenges, Northwestern may prove to be the weakest if any can be considered as such. DeCicco, nevertheless, is hoping that the scheduling of the Wildcats before the others will gradually build up his squad to a point at which they can meet perhaps the three best teams in the Midwest.

"They (the Wildcats) are good in

foil and excellent in epee," said DeCicco. "Against Northwestern, I'm hoping that we can really get serious. Wisconsin, Illinois and Wayne State are almost equal in size."

Throughout their history, the Irish have winning records against all of their opponents. Against the Wildcats, they are 19-4. Against the Badgers, 34-10, and against the Illini, they are 29-12. Against the Tartans, they are 24-14.

Meeting any major collegiate team always is a challenge for the Irish when one considers that the Irish fence without any scholarships. Nevertheless, the highly regarded Irish will be looking forward to proving themselves this weekend as the odds-on favorite to win their third national championship in seven years.

Last year, after winning the Great Lakes Championship and going into the NCAA tourney as the top-seeded team from the Midwest, the Irish stalled in the finals and wound up with a third-place finish.

"I'm looking this weekend for our nine starters who will be going to the Great Lakes Championships (March 2 at Notre Dame)," said DeCicco. "If we sweep the six meets, then we could begin talking national championship. Even if we lose one or two, we would still be a 'good' team."

Starting for the Irish in the foil will be junior captain Mike VanderVelden (26-6), defending national foil champion Charles Higgs-Coulthard (24-1), and the oncoming junior Craig Funai (15-6).

In the sabre, the Irish will go with senior captain Mike Janis (24-2), and juniors Don Johnson (18-5) and John Edwards (14-4). Junior Tony Consoli (10-6) may or may not be available for action as he is suffering from a pulled stomach muscle.

In the epee, senior captain Andy Quaroni (27-3) will anchor the Irish

squad. Juniors Christian Scherpe (25-5) and Mike Gostigian (8-2) will add depth as the Irish hope to get at, among others, Ettore Bianchi. Bianchi, a Wayne State senior who won the national championship in the epee last year, always plays tough against the Irish. In their earlier meeting he was 3-0.

Fencing alongside the men will be the women's squad. At 9-4, the Irish are looking to beat some stiff competition and emerge as a true contender for one of three team spots for the NCAA tourney to be chosen from the Midwest.

"In order for us to get there (the NCAAs) we're going to have to knock off an Ohio State or a Northwestern," said DeCicco. "Wayne State will also certainly be one team up for the nationals also."

As with the men, the women should be able to overcome the Spartan challenge tonight. Against Michigan State, they are 7-0.

Tomorrow, the women will face some of the toughest competition in the Midwest. Keying the success for the Irish will be a concerted effort on the part of DeCicco's four starters.

According to DeCicco, freshman Molly Sullivan (31-4) should anchor the squad reasonably well and has a good chance of going undefeated. Needing eight wins per match, DeCicco is looking for Sullivan to provide him with three to four of those wins. The rest will have to come from junior captain Janet Sullivan (23-20) and sophomores Vittoria Quaroni (27-12) and Cindy Weeks (25-16).

"Molly Sullivan will certainly be one of the individuals in the nationals," said DeCicco. "Janet Sullivan, Vittoria Quaroni, and Cindy Weeks - one of those girls is going to have to come through for us to win."

In tomorrow's action the Irish will be facing four teams against which they have winning records:

Northwestern (6-3), Illinois (1-0), Purdue (14-0) and Chicago (1-0). Against Wisconsin and Wayne State, however, they have realized less success. Against Wayne State they have only one win against 14 losses. Against Wisconsin they are 2-8. Last year, though, they played the sixth best team in the NCAA tourney reasonably well. They lost their first meeting (8-8) on touches and their

second meeting by two decisions (7-9).

This weekend's actions should provide the spectator with some outstanding action for free admission. The men will try to maintain a 20-game winning streak and the women will look to better their record beginning tonight in the ACC Fieldhouse at 7 p.m. and tomorrow at 9 a.m.

Scherpe

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team," said DeCicco. "When he chose to come to Notre Dame, I was thrilled."

This far into the season, Scherpe has compiled a 25-5 record and combines with senior Andy Quaroni to form possibly the most devastating one-two epee punch in the country.

Scherpe was born in Krefeld, West Germany, where he grew up fencing in an nation internationally recognized as a fencing power.

He compiled an impressive record fencing for two years at Cal State-Northridge. His outstanding personal record of 57-9 earned him all-American honors both as a freshman and a sophomore. Last year he finished tied for second in the nation in the epee division.

Scherpe said he came to Notre Dame because of its fencing program and its outstanding academic tradition.

"If you get a degree from here, it's easier to get a good job," said Scherpe. "It (the Irish fencing team) is one of the superior teams in the country, and we should have a good chance to win the national championship in at least one of the next three years."

According to Scherpe, the key to winning the title will be the Great Lakes Championships next weekend where the Irish hope to qualify a maximum of two fencers in each weapon.

"It (a national championship) depends upon how many people we can qualify for the nationals at the Great Lakes next weekend," said Scherpe. "If we could qualify all six people - two in each weapon - then we should have a good chance to win it or at least finish in the top three."

For the present, Scherpe will have ample opportunity to expand upon his already good record and help the Irish continue on their unbeaten string this weekend.



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Second year

SMC holds indoor soccer tourney

By DIANE PRESTI
 Sports Writer

This weekend Saint Mary's College will play host to its second annual indoor soccer tournament.

The teams returning from last year's tournament will be Michigan State University, Marquette University, Indiana University, Northwestern University and Notre Dame. New to the tournament will be Eastern Illinois University and Hope College of Holland, Mich.

The tournament is sponsored by the Saint Mary's Soccer Club and the Saint Mary's Athletic Department.

Saint Mary's coach John Akers explained why the College holds this tournament.

"Saint Mary's has a good indoor facility, and women's soccer is growing in the area," Akers said. "Our club has grown to the point where it can compete with most Midwest schools."

The action will begin tomorrow morning at 9:00 and continue through the day until 5 p.m. Play will pick up again at 9 a.m. Sunday and go until the championship game at 3 p.m. There will be one match every hour on both days.

The eight teams will be broken up

into two divisions with Saint Mary's playing Notre Dame, Hope and Indiana. Marquette, Northwestern, Eastern Illinois and Michigan State will compete in the other bracket. The winners of the two brackets will compete in the championship game.

Coach Akers said he feels that if the Belles can persistently attack and score, Saint Mary's can finish in second place in its division. Senior Katie Boldt agreed, saying, "If we work well together we should be really strong."

Last weekend Saint Mary's played a tournament at Northwestern University, and with the help of freshman goalie Patty Hatfield, the team

faired well. The Belles tied the University of Illinois and Eastern Illinois and lost, 2-0, to a Nike-sponsored club in that tournament.

Saint Mary's has only 11 players on its team this season. Seven players compete at one time in indoor soccer.

The team has two freshmen, Hatfield and defender Ann Marie McGraw. Team leadership comes from seniors Alma Fallon, Katie Boldt, Liz Robison and Michele McNeill. Underclassmen Mary Beth Proost, K.C. Chandler, Gloria Eleuteri, Mary Anne Perri and Sue Schierl make up the rest of the roster.

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club level, and are hoping to continue their Notre Dame careers pending acceptance into the Notre Dame MBA program.

"I'm very hopeful that we'll have both of them back," said Irish head coach Lefty Smith. "Getting our two top scorers back would be a real boost to the program for next season."

In the last two seasons, Notre Dame and Dearborn have met six times, and the series is tied at three wins each. The Irish won three of four encounters last season, but the Wolves took a pair of victories, 5-4 and 6-3, in two contests played at Dearborn in early November of this season.

Dearborn is coming off of two losses last weekend to Lake Superior State, a rising power in the CCHA. Lake Superior blanked the Wolves, 11-0, the first night, but in the series finale, Dearborn lost a close 4-3 decision.

"Our goalie, Chuck Irwin, had a super game," said Dearborn Sports Information Director Jim Dufresne. "He made 44 saves, some of which came at very crucial times."

In games against common opponents, the Wolves took a pair of wins from Alaska-Anchorage, 5-4 and 2-1

OT, at Anchorage. The Irish fell, 10-6, to Anchorage. Dearborn also took on Fairbanks on the same trip, but dropped both games, 7-1 and 8-5. The Nanooks downed the Irish, 6-4.

"Dearborn has a very fine team, and next to Yale they are probably the best team we've played," said Smith. "I would like to think that we're a better team since we last played. The injury to Bob Thebeau (shoulder injury in first game of series) also hurt us a lot. "It would be nice to close out the year on a high note. It has been a turnaround year after getting hockey back to varsity, so we'd like to do well in order to ensure the chances for Notre Dame hockey in the future."

On the Irish depth chart, two defensemen are questionable for the final series. Ricci and freshman Frank O'Brien are both nursing knee injuries.

In goal, Smith has junior Marc Guay penciled in as his starter for tonight's game. But he says that tomorrow's starting job is still up for grabs.

After a resounding debut for varsity hockey back in November, the season moved along in a somewhat rocky fashion; and now with just two games still to play, the Notre Dame hockey team would like to add to its present win string and bring the season to a close in grand style.

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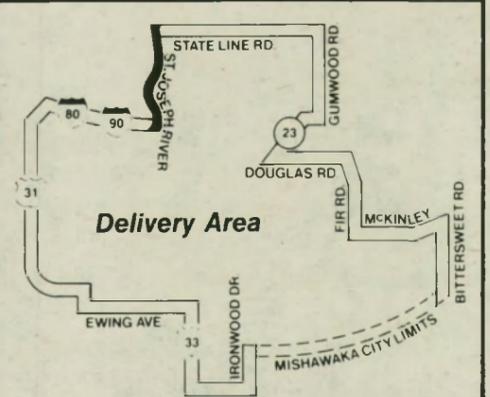


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21 years at ND

Jack Lloyd makes ACC exciting

By **JEFF BLUMB**
Assistant Sports Editor

Tim Kempton goes up for the offensive rebound and comes down with the ball. But before he can go back up with a shot, he is fouled. And because Notre Dame is in the bonus, Kempton steps to the free throw line and readies himself to shoot.

"At the line for the Irish," comes the call from ACC Public Address Announcer John 'Jack' Lloyd, "Tim Kempton shooting one and..."

"The bonus," the student section finishes the sentence in chorus.

Most students, though, know very little about Lloyd, the man behind the microphone at Notre Dame basketball games for the last 21 years.

Following part-time work as a radio play-by-play announcer of high school football and basketball games, Lloyd started doing public address for Notre Dame basketball in 1964, the year John Dee became head coach of the Irish. The two had become acquainted in 1951, when Dee was a Notre Dame assistant coach and Lloyd was allowed to do some traveling with the team because his father was a good friend of John Jordan, head coach at the time.

When Dee returned to the University to assume head coaching responsibilities, he asked Lloyd to be the announcer at home games, which then were held at the now-gone Notre Dame Fieldhouse. The Irish moved over to the brand-new Athletic and Convocation Center in 1968, and Lloyd moved with them.

A 1958 Notre Dame graduate, Lloyd has had his moments in 21 years of announcing the names of some of college basketball's finest players.

"You don't change a mistake once you've made it," says Lloyd. "My best faux pas of all time was in 1971 when we had the first round of the NCAA Mideast Regional here. Al McGuire was here with Marquette and his son Allie was playing for him.

"Love Story was the big movie at the time. Allie had come out of the game and later reported back to the scorer. As he was going back into the game, I said, 'Returning to the Marquette line-up, Ali McGraw.

"I didn't realize that I had said it, and I heard the section full of Marquette students hootin' and hollerin' and wondered what was going on. After the game, a doctor from South Bend came up and told me. I didn't realize it until he told me."

At the same time, Lloyd also has had a lot of fun with names.

"The name that was the most fun to work with," he says, "was probably Orlando Woolridge because it could be dragged out. It started out as simply Orlando Woolridge, and then over a period of time I started dragging it out. As he got to his senior year, I was really dragging it out.

"I also had a lot of fun with Kelly Tripucka's name. People always told me that it sounded like I was getting sick to my stomach when I said it.

"I've done other people's names in different ways," continues Lloyd. "I'll look at a name and say, 'Is there

something I can do,' and then something normally happens, and it's spontaneous at the time it happens. The John Paxson thing was one of those spontaneous type things and it happened in his junior year. All of a sudden, and I don't know what prompted me to do it, but it just hit me to put a 'He's' in front of everything I said for him, and it caught on."

The names of present Notre Dame players present a problem for Lloyd—they aren't any fun.

"The honest truth is," he says, "is that today there aren't really any fun names to do things with. I guess, if any of them, it would be Barlow. There's not a lot of things you can do with it, but it's a two-syllable name and the last syllable is low, so I just drop my inflection.

"But other than that, we really don't have anybody right now that has a name you can really play with. I've been trying to think of something for David Rivers, and I'm sure that by the time he's a senior something will happen."

A first for Lloyd came about this year. The students have become involved in something that he does, finishing the sentence for him whenever he announces that a player is shooting the one-and-one.

"It's interesting, but for probably 14 or 15 years, this is something I've been trying to do," Lloyd comments. "And this year is the first year that they've ever done it, picking up 'the bonus.' I have no idea how the students picked that up.

"I can't recall which game it was, but I did 'one and' and said 'the bonus,' and as I said it I heard the students do it. I thought, 'Are they picking this up?' The second time I did it they did it again, and I thought, 'They are picking it up.' The third time, I quit saying 'bonus' and realized they were into it, and they've done it ever since."

Lloyd was born in Michigan City but has lived in South Bend all of his life. The owner of his own business, Lloyd Insurance Agency, he also has been the football press box announcer since 1965, in addition to volunteering his time to announce the semifinals and finals of the Bookstore Basketball tournament, where he is at his humorous best.

The father of five children, Lloyd realizes that his responsibilities as public address announcer at the ACC go beyond simply reciting names, numbers and personal fouls.

"It's definitely part of my job to create excitement," he says. "In an arena like the ACC, with the people so close to the floor, I think it's part of the program that you can get the students and fans into the game more by something you do."

Lloyd may be required to do a lot of talking while selling insurance during the day, but don't think he doesn't enjoy the talking he does over at the ACC in his spare time.

"The thing I really enjoy about my job is being around young people," Lloyd says. "I think being around young people, and seeing the things that go on at a university or college,

helps you to think and be young yourself.

"In addition, it's a release from the things that I do all day long. You know, you go to work and you're under pressure all day at work. It's a relaxation, and everybody has different forms of relaxation. I guess this is mine."

It may be true that Lloyd enjoys being around young people at the games, but it is probably more true that young people enjoy being around Lloyd. His unique way of announcing not only makes the game more exciting, but also makes a Notre Dame basketball game more than just a basketball game.

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Atlantic Division					Midwest Division				
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Philadelphia	43	12	.782	.5	Houston	32	22	.593	2.5
Washington	29	27	.518	15	Dallas	30	25	.545	5
New Jersey	27	28	.491	16.5	San Antonio	27	28	.491	8
New York	18	37	.327	25.5	Utah	26	29	.473	9
					Kansas City	18	37	.327	17
Central Division					Pacific Division				
Milwaukee	39	17	.696	—	LA Lakers	40	16	.714	—
Detroit	32	23	.582	6.5	Phoenix	27	29	.482	13
Chicago	25	28	.472	12.5	Portland	25	30	.455	14.5
Atlanta	24	31	.436	14.5	Seattle	23	32	.418	16.5
Cleveland	19	36	.345	19.5	LA Clippers	22	34	.393	18
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We have rescheduled our visit to Notre Dame for Tuesday, March 12, 1985. Sign-ups are currently available in the Career and Placements office in the Memorial Library.



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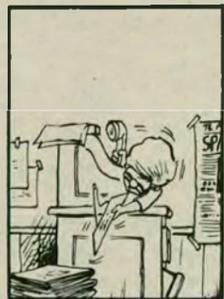


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Friday, Feb. 22

- 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. — **Workshop**, "Feminist Theory, State Polity, and Rural Women in Latin America," Room 234 CCE.
- 12:15 - 1 p.m. — **Faculty Forum**, "Why Not a Critique of Capitalism?" Drew Christiansen, S.J., Brown Bag or Soup and Bread, \$1, Center for Social Concerns.
- 5 - 7 p.m. — **Spring Dance Concert Auditions**, Regina Dance Studio, Saint Mary's.
- 6 - 8 p.m. — **Discussion**, "Shared Experiences of Latin American and U.S. Women," Room 131 Decio.
- 6 - 8 p.m. — **Reception**, SMC Opening Art Exhibition, Linda Plotkin, Etchings and Watercolors, Hammes Gallery.
- 7, 9 & 11 p.m. — **Film**, "Purple Rain," Engineering Auditorium, Sponsored by Student Activities Board, \$1.50.
- 7 p.m. — **Film**, "The Night Ever So Long," Sponsored by Chinese Student Association, Library Auditorium.
- 7:30 p.m. — **Hockey**, ND vs. Dearborn, ACC Fieldhouse.
- 7:30 & 9:30 p.m. — **Friday Night Film Series**, "Liquid Sky," Annenberg Auditorium.
- 7:30 - 10 p.m. — **Square Dance**, Logan Center, Sponsored by ND/SMC Council for the Retarded, Free.
- 8 p.m. — **Harpisichord Recital**, SMC Little Theatre.

Saturday, Feb. 23

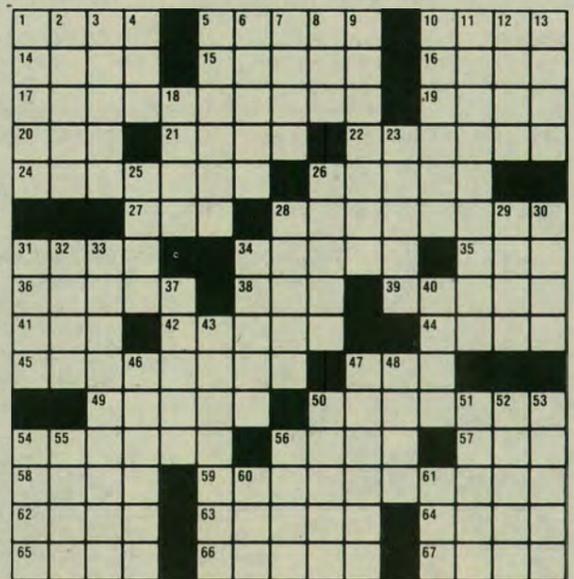
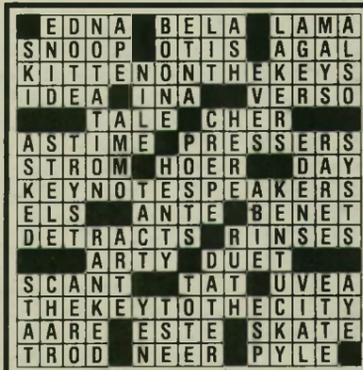
- 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. — **Educational Testing Service Examination**, Engineering Auditorium.
- 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. — **Soccer Tournament**, SMC Indoor Invitational, Angela Athletic Facility.
- 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. — **Workshop**, "Feminist Theory, State Polity, and Rural Women in Latin America," Room 234 CCE.
- 9 - 11:30 a.m. — **Carnival Rec**, Logan Center, Sponsored by ND/SMC Council for the Retarded, Free.
- 10 a.m. — **Fencing**, Illinois, Wisconsin, Purdue, Chicago, Wayne State and Notre Dame, ACC.
- 2 p.m. — **Basketball**, ND Men vs. Brigham Young, ACC Arena.
- 3:30 p.m. — **Harpisichord Recital**, SMC Little Theatre.
- 7, 9 & 11 p.m. — **Film**, "Purple Rain," Engineering Auditorium, Sponsored by Student Activities Board, \$1.50.
- 7 p.m. — **Talent Show**, Library Auditorium, Sponsored by Black Cultural Arts Program.
- 7:30 p.m. — **Hockey**, ND vs. Dearborn, ACC Fieldhouse.
- 8 p.m. — **Concert**, Liona Boyd, Classical Guitar, O'Laughlin Hall.
- 9:30 p.m. - 2 a.m. — **Open Dance**, "Dancing Up a Dorm," Farley Hall, Sponsored by Farley Hall, Free.

The Daily Crossword

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| 5 Insolence | 39 Series of rooms | 65 Russ. villages | 12 That hurts! |
| 10 Barge's relative | 41 Priest's garment | 66 Flashy signs | 13 Flightless bird |
| 14 Beige | 42 Building beams | 67 A Jane | 18 Auctioneer's word |
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| 16 Inking | 45 Bumbershoots for shade | DOWN | 25 Art style |
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Notre Dame and BYU meet with NCAA tourney at stake

By **CHUCK FREEBY**
Sports Writer

It has been said that every Catholic dreams of going to Notre Dame. It has also been said that every Mormon yearns to go to Brigham Young University. Tomorrow, one Catholic, Digger Phelps, and one Mormon, Ladell Anderson, will be trying to make another dream come true.

Making the NCAA tournament. Unfortunately, only one will make progress in achieving that goal tomorrow, as Notre Dame and BYU square off on the basketball court of the Athletic and Convocation Center. The game is listed as a sellout, and WNDU-TV will televise the clash, with tip-off slated for 2 p.m.

Notre Dame enters the contest with a 16-7 record, following an impressive road win over Fordham

Wednesday night, which gave the Irish their seventh win in their last nine outings. BYU comes in with a 15-10 mark after knocking off Air Force last Saturday to win their eighth contest in their last 11 tries.

With both teams finishing the season strong, Phelps said he realizes the importance of Saturday's contest to both squads.

"They're similar to us in a lot of ways, and they have a good shot at the NCAA, too," Phelps said. "As far as we're concerned, this is a home game, a student's game, and a chance for us to get our 17th win. We've got three home games left, and we need to win all of them."

Phelps knows that winning those games will not be an easy task, as BYU comes in with a potent offense which averages 75 points an outing. Spearheading the Cougar attack is 6-

6 senior forward Timo Saarelainen, a member of last year's Finnish Olympic team, who has averaged 23.3 points per game. However, Phelps said he has no special plans to combat the Helsinki hot shot.

"We'll just play our game," contends Phelps, who was impressed with his team's defensive showing against Fordham. "Wednesday night, our defense helped put us in our offensive situations, and that's where we got our scoring balance."

Saarelainen isn't the only offensive weapon in the BYU arsenal, as guard Scott Sinek also has proven to be a scoring threat. Sinek has averaged a shade over 10 points a game, but may miss tomorrow's contest with a dislocated right kneecap. Should Sinek not be ready to go, An-

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Still leading conference

Women take on DePaul at ACC

By **MARTY BURNS**
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women's basketball team got a much-deserved respite yesterday after its pasting of 1984 North Star Conference champion Loyola (Chicago), 84-59, Wednesday evening at the ACC. It will be business-as-usual today, though, for Mary DiStanislao's conference-leading Irish, as they prepare for a Sunday afternoon contest against DePaul at 2 p.m. at the ACC.

The 14-8 Irish, who are now 7-1 in the conference, have been playing their best ball of the season lately, as they have racked up victories in nine of their last 11 matches. DePaul, on the other hand, is coming off a defeat Wednesday to Detroit which left them at 17-7 on the season, and 5-5 in the conference.

This game may, indeed, turn out to be a serious challenge for the Irish, since it was the Blue Demons who handed the Irish their only NSC loss of the season, a 72-64 drubbing in Chicago on Jan. 27.

"The memory of that game will motivate our players," said DiStanislao. "We have to remember it, and guard against making the same mistakes. They (the Blue Demons) are pretty much the same team, and they're going to come in here sky-high to beat Notre Dame."

In that game at Chicago, the Irish led by five points at halftime, despite shooting a woeful 36 percent from the field. DePaul, which shot an even worse 32 percent in the half, turned things around in the second stanza, hitting 58 percent of its shots and outrebounding Notre Dame, 20-15.

Among the stars of that contest

was 5-5 DePaul guard Sally Anderson, who scored 24 points, and 5-10 junior center Tracy Manuel, who grabbed 13 rebounds to complement her 16 points.

Notre Dame can find consolation, perhaps, in noting that it is not the only team to have trouble containing those two DePaul standouts.

Anderson, a sophomore, is averaging 19.9 ppg. for the Blue Demons, while Manuel contributes a 10.9 scoring average to go with her 8.9 rebounds-per-game clip.

"Sally Anderson was a big factor in the first game," said DiStanislao. "She is a very effective player from outside. We are going to have to play better defense on her."

Rounding out the DePaul starting five is 5-0 freshman guard Andrea

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Hockey team ends season with Wolves this weekend

By **ED DOMANSKY**
Sports Writer

As this season, which marked the return of varsity hockey at Notre Dame, swings into its final weekend, the Irish are hoping to extend their present three-game winning streak and finish in style as they play host to the University of Michigan-Dearborn tonight and tomorrow at the ACC. Both contests begin at 7:30 p.m.

The latest victory string has enabled Notre Dame to improve its record to 9-16-1. The Wolves of Dearborn arrive at Notre Dame with a 16-13-1 mark.

Along with the games, this final weekend of 1984-85 will feature the annual Parents Weekend celebration. The activities culminate prior to Saturday night's face-off when team members honor their parents with a traditional red-carpet introduction ceremony.

And for Irish seniors Steve Ely, Al Haverkamp, Tom Parent and Rob Ricci, the weekend series will mark their final appearances in a Notre Dame uniform. Two other seniors, co-captain Brent Chapman and Tim Reilly, have been granted an extra year of eligibility by the NCAA due to last season's participation on the

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The Observer/File Photo
Head coach Mike DeCicco (right) will lead Kevin Stoutermire (left) and the rest of the Notre Dame fencing team against some tough competition this weekend in the ACC. Mike Chmiel previews the action and teams with Mark Stadtmueller to give a profile of Christian Scherpe below.

The big weekend Fencers put unblemished record on the line at ACC

By **MICHAEL J. CHMIEL**
Sports Writer

For the first time this year, the Notre Dame fencing team will bring its talented and undaunted act home to compete before a friendly audience this weekend, as the Irish will play host to seven Midwestern foes in the ACC Fieldhouse.

Tonight, the Irish will make up a postponed dual meet with the Michigan State Spartans at 7 p.m. Tomorrow, the unbeaten Irish will have their 16-0 record challenged as they play host to four Big Ten teams and the defending national champions beginning at 9 a.m.

"I'd pay to see this action," said Irish head coach Mike DeCicco. "Basketball can't compare with the importance of this weekend's fencing. It's like facing Georgetown, St. John's, and DePaul on the same day."

After fencing on the road since the season began in early January, the North Dome of the ACC will be a welcome sight for the Irish. Considering the harsh weather which the Irish have had to face in their travels and the unfriendly surroundings of some nine different sites, the Irish have been extremely sound and have been exemplifying national-championship form. This weekend, though, the Irish must prove themselves against the likes of Wayne State, Illinois, Wisconsin and Northwestern back-to-back.

"We have had a better season than I would have expected," said DeCicco. "In order to come away and say that we have a shot at the

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Scherpe gives the Irish experience in epee division

By **MARK STADTMUELLER** and **MICHAEL J. CHMIEL**
Sports Writers

The Notre Dame men's fencing team has enjoyed great success this season and appears to be heading toward a national championship. One of the reasons for the team's prominence has been the outstanding performance of junior epeeist Christian Scherpe.

Scherpe, along with junior epeeist Alex Gruman, transferred to Notre Dame after attending Cal State-Northridge for two years.

"I was here as an exchange student for one year (in 1981) and if I would have gone back to Germany, I would have gone back to the eleventh grade," said Scherpe, a native of West Germany.

"It would have taken me three years to get my diploma, but I already had it in California.

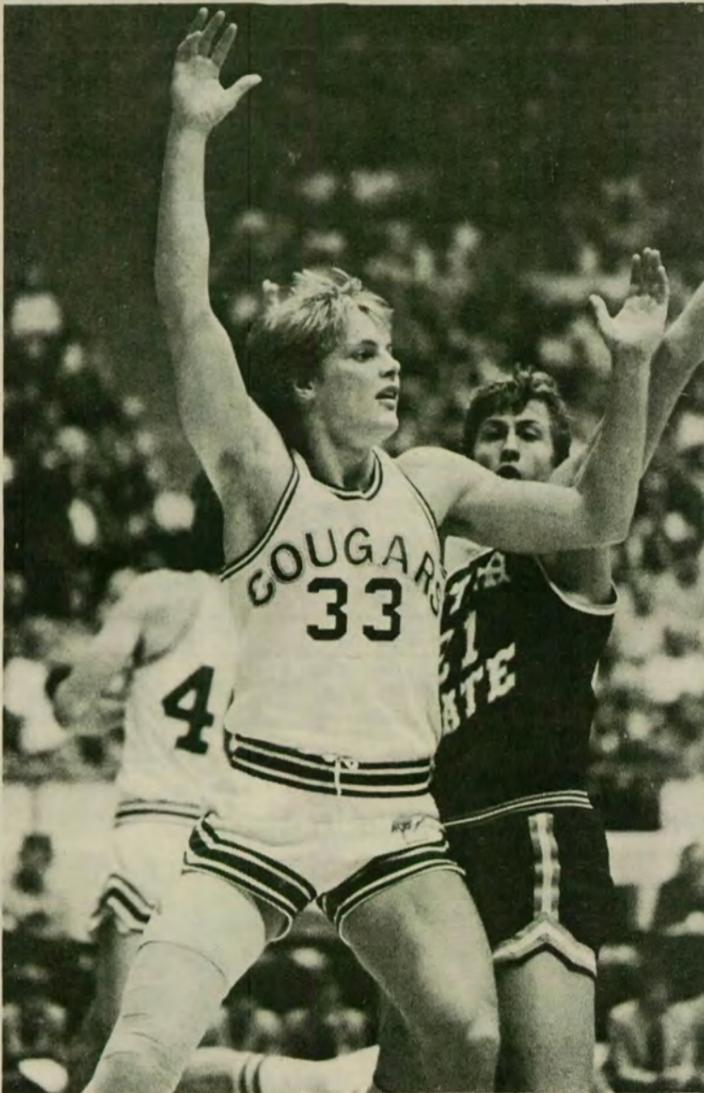
"I applied to Cal-Northridge, and they took me. I would have been graduating from high school now (in West Germany), but now I'm graduating from college next year."

After Cal State-Northridge finished eighth in the NCAA tournament last year, the school was forced to disband its fencing program.

A faculty member at his former school knew Irish head coach Mike DeCicco and recommended that Scherpe apply to Notre Dame. Scherpe and Gruman both applied to Notre Dame and were accepted, much to the delight of DeCicco.

"Scherpe has been a welcome addition to an already good epee

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The Observer/File Photo

Forward Timo Saarelainen, a former Finnish Olympian who averages 23.3 ppg. this season for BYU, will bring the rest of the Cougars into the ACC tomorrow for a showdown with the Irish at 2 p.m. Chuck Freeby previews the contest in his story above.