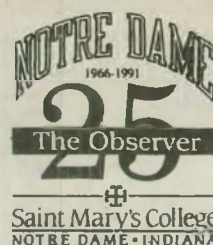




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THE INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER SERVING NOTRE DAME AND SAINT MARY'S

Car strikes two sophomores

By **BECKY BARNES**
News Writer

Two Saint Mary's students were seriously injured in a hit and run accident early Sunday morning near Turtle Creek Apartments, said Public Relations Officer Brett McLaughlin.

Elizabeth Joyce and Cara McCourt, sophomores in LeMans Hall, were walking on Ivy Road at approximately 2:07 a.m. when a car traveling at a high speed struck Joyce and threw her off the side of the street, according to St. Joseph County police.

A side-view mirror that flew from the vehicle then hit McCourt in the back.

Saint Mary's Security declined to comment or release any information regarding the incident Sunday or Monday.

Security deferred all calls to Public Relations. McLaughlin said he was not aware of the incident until Monday.

The women said the car was white, but could offer no additional description.

Joyce remains in fair condition at St. Joseph Medical Center. She received a broken neck and skull fractures.

McCourt initially refused medical treatment but was later diagnosed at St. Joseph Medical

Center with a broken lumbar spine and contused kidney. She was discharged after examination.

The police have no suspects at this time, but Sgt. Charles Feirrell said, "We're really hitting this heavy because of the seriousness of the injury to the girls and because it was hit and run."

Police said that the car should be damaged near the right front fender and should have a missing right side-view mirror.

Anyone with information about this incident should contact the St. Joseph County Police at 284-9611 or Crime Stoppers at 288-STOP.

Dahmer reacts passively to life sentence in prison

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Serial killer Jeffrey Dahmer was sentenced to life in prison Monday after some relatives of his 15 victims called him a devil and Dahmer told the judge, "I know society will never be able to forgive me."

Dahmer was stone-faced and spoke in a low monotone as he described his crimes not as acts of hate but the work of a sick man.

"I take all the blame for what I did," he said.

Moments before, nine relatives of Dahmer's victims, many wearing picture pins of their loved ones, described the pain they have suffered because he

killed, butchered and had sex with the corpses of their family members.

The hysterical sister of victim Errol Lindsey shouted "Satan!" at Dahmer and screamed, "Jeffrey, I hate you!!" as she lunged toward him, shaking her first and shouting obscenities. She was led away.

A jury decided Saturday that Dahmer, 31, was sane when he killed 15 young men and boys he lured to his home. Dahmer pleaded guilty but insane.

The former chocolate factory worker confessed to 17 slayings since 1978 after his arrest last

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Observer file photo
Curtis Maynes and Mara Hooker, both recipients of scholarships from the GM Minority Engineering Program, stand beside Joy Vann (middle), director of the program.

ND engineering students earn scholarship funds

By **ANNIE VENESKY**
News Writer

Two Notre Dame students have been awarded scholarship funds from the General Motors Minority Engineering and Science Scholarship Program. The University of Notre Dame's Minority Engineering Program has received \$10,000 in scholarship funds.

Mara Hooker, a sophomore chemical engineering major from New York City, and Curtis Maynes, a junior electrical engineering major from El Paso, Texas, each will receive \$5,000 awards, according to Joy Vann, director of Notre Dame's Minority Engineering Program.

The students were selected for their "outstanding academic promise" which their grade point averages reflect.

Maynes does not currently plan to attend graduate school,

and will use his award to further finance his education at Notre Dame. Hooker is presently considering continuing her post-graduate education at Duke University in preparation for a career in biomedical or biochemical engineering. She will also utilize her award to finance her undergraduate studies at Notre Dame.

The Notre Dame program, which began in 1987, is a support resource designed to increase retention and graduation of minority students in the engineering curriculum.

The G.M. scholarship program is a pilot program designed to increase the number and quality of minority students pursuing engineering and science degrees. According to Vann, G.M. will also sponsor a GM Scholars Banquet to honor the students on February 25.

Teen-agers bind wrists, die together

SELMA, Ala. (AP) — Two teen-age boys bound their wrists together and leapt more than 300 feet to their deaths, leaving behind notes that said they were curious about death and looking for a new life, authorities said Monday.

Sheriff Cotton Nichols said a relative found them Sunday at the foot of a grain elevator just outside the Selma city limits. Investigators found a backpack that contained two notes and a poem they had written together.

"One of them made a statement it was curiosity about death and it was adventurous," Nichols said. "They wanted to search for a new life."

SMC candidates state platforms

By **MARA DIVIS**
News Writer

Ideas for changes and proposals in Saint Mary's academics and student life were abundant as candidates for student body office stated their platforms and answered questions at Monday's student body election debate.

The three tickets, after stating their platforms, answered questions on subjects which ranged from security issues to academic councils to social events.

Candidates for Student Body President, Vice President for Academic Affairs, and Vice President for Student Activities, respectively, include:

Tina Carrara, Mary Beth Wilkinson, and Julie McCormick; Katie Damm, April Ehret, and Jonna Kwiatkowski; and Colleen Rhattigan, Ann Grant, and Martha Marzolf.

Each ticket offered different views on varying issues which face the College today, but all were centered on the issues of pride in Saint Mary's, improved

relations with academic resources, improved visibility of student government, and new ideas for social life.

Student Body presidential candidate Katie Damm said that a major goal of her ticket is to promote the already active interest in student government.

"The great thing about this campus is that so many women are willing to get involved," she said. "But they're not getting involved. We need to let them know that we need to hear their needs. We're the ones who eat in the dining halls, live in the dorms, and go to classes."

The Rhattigan ticket has publicity as a primary issue as well, said Presidential Candidate Colleen Rhattigan.

"Student government needs to be promoted by student leaders," she said.

She added that the creation of a publicity board would enable student officers to communicate current issues and student government events to the student body in general.

While wanting to increase the visibility of student government, the Carrara ticket, with its

theme of "Women Making Changes for Saint Mary's College," would also like to concentrate on improving the communication between the students and faculty, said Presidential candidate Tina Carrara.

"We plan to unite," she said. "We want to be able to utilize Saint Mary's resources and student energy."

As far as academic ideas, each candidate for vice president of Academic Affairs offered ways to improve the existing student academic council.

Grant stressed that service is a major priority with her ticket.

"Service is vital to this school in all aspects," she said. She said that she would suggest a program in which students could receive academic credit for service within their major field of study.

Wilkinson spoke for her ticket in saying that they would investigate the election of student academic representatives.

"Students are often not elected, they're appointed," she said. "Often, the students who are appointed are not the ones

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The Observer/Andrew McCloskey
Ann Grant, Colleen Rhattigan and Martha Marzolf (left to right) debate academics, security and other issues at Monday night's election debate.

INSIDE COLUMN

U.S. must make call for human rights

The time has come once again for campaigning in the United States—that glorious time dedicated to buttons, speeches, promises and, oh yeah, hard core issues.

With preparation for the presidential primaries underway, as well as the announcement of many possible Congressional candidates, campaign agendas are slowly beginning to take shape. The media is buzzing with talk of tax plans, health care, defense spending, education, and revitalizing the economy.



Meredith McCullough
Assistant News Editor

But something is missing.

Whether candidates hope to focus on domestic or foreign concerns, there is one issue that has failed to make headlines so far this campaign season.

International Human Rights.

Recent political improvements in Eastern Europe seem to have temporarily put concern for human rights on the back burner, but for all the peace-oriented changes, one cannot forget that human rights abuses are still practiced worldwide. Over 30 countries have been reported as torturing individuals, denying fair and prompt trial, and/or holding prisoners of conscious (those imprisoned for their beliefs, color, sex, ethnic origin, language or religion), according to Amnesty International, an international organization dedicated to ending such human rights abuses.

The problem has not disappeared.

As the international scene begins its shift towards peace, now is the time for all people (including U.S. citizens) to express their disgust and concern for this situation. Guilty governments must know that the international public is aware of their actions and that they will not stand for these acts of injustice.

U.S. leaders can play an important role in getting such a message across. This doesn't mean an outpouring of money. This doesn't mean sacrificing efforts to improve the domestic environment. What it does mean is that the U. S. needs to take a public stand, that the U. S. needs to support high standards of human rights and act accordingly.

This is not to say that the United States has always blatantly ignored such issues, but that as an international leader, much more can be done.

On March 23, 1976, sixty-three countries joined together in a fight against human rights violations by ratifying the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights. The United States was not one of them.

While the United States prides itself on setting a positive example for individuals' rights, the Senate has still not yet seriously addressed the treaty. The U.S. is the only Western industrialized democracy that has failed to ratify the covenant. What kind of example does this set?

Organizations such as Amnesty International insist that individuals joining together can make a difference worldwide. The time has come for U.S. individuals to voice their concerns. The upcoming elections provide a prime opportunity to bring this issue to the forefront.

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

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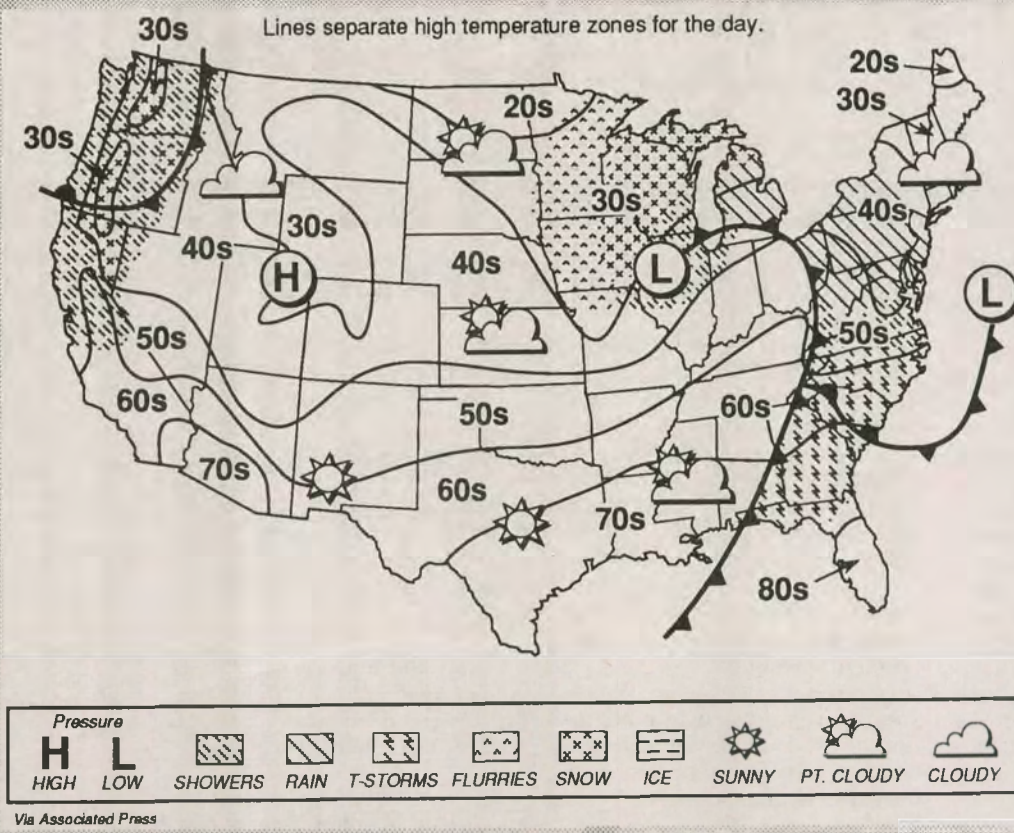
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WEATHER REPORT

Forecast for noon, Tuesday, February 18



FORECAST:

Seventy percent chance of showers today with highs in the low to middle 50s. Cloudy and cooler Tuesday night.

TEMPERATURES:

City	H	L
Albuquerque	49	30
Atlanta	65	48
Austin	75	54
Baton Rouge	77	60
Bismarck	34	30
Boise	45	33
Boston	27	17
Columbia, S.C.	73	40
Columbus	42	33
Denver	45	28
Des Moines	53	39
Harrisburg	48	29
Helena	45	28
Honolulu	82	70
Indianapolis	40	34
Jackson	72	56
Juneau	33	26
Lincoln	59	44
Madison	36	34
Mpls-St. Paul	35	34
Nashville	55	38
Sacramento	55	47
Salt Lake City	42	30
Tallahassee	82	53
Topeka	59	43
South Bend	36	34
Vienna	37	32
Washington, D.C.	56	35

TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD

Sunken treasures sought

ONTARIO — The steamer Atlantic sank to the bottom of Lake Erie 140 years ago with hundreds of immigrants on its decks, their possessions in sturdy oak crates. Buoyed by a federal judge's ruling, the salvage company Mar-Dive Corp. of Van Nuys, Calif., has claimed the wreck in Canadian waters and is looking for descendants of passengers who want some of the possessions after diving begins this summer. A grain freighter rammed the Atlantic on Aug. 20, 1852, killing 150 to 300 people and sinking the paddlewheel steamer near Long Point, Ontario. The exact death toll is unknown because the passenger logs were incomplete.

NATIONAL

Yale graduate students strike

NEW HAVEN, Conn. — Graduate students at Yale University began a three-day strike Monday, and about 1,400 union employees honored picket lines. Most dining halls were closed and most classes taught by graduate students were canceled. The Graduate Employee and Student Organization, representing about 1,300 graduate students, struck to pressure the administration to negotiate. Among other changes, the group seeks a formal grievance procedure for students, higher salaries for teaching assistants and longer time limits for completing doctoral requirements.

Girls suspended for aspirin use

HAMILTON, Ohio — Two 14-year-old girls were suspended from school for five days because one gave the other two Tylenols. School officials said Dana Merry and Michelle Wiles of Wilson Junior High School violated a policy that bars students from taking drugs, even non-prescription drugs, without adult supervision. They were suspended Friday. "We can't be sure that a bottle of Tylenol really contains Tylenol," said Ron Ellis, director of student services. Merry said she gave Wiles the pain relievers after her schoolmate fell on an ice.

INDIANA

Invention Decapitates Effigy

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. — The winning entry in Purdue's 10th annual Rube Goldberg contest is a machine that decapitates an effigy of Indiana basketball coach Bob Knight. Using everything from golf balls to bicycle tires, five teams competed to open a lock in the most complicated way possible, using a minimum of 20 steps. The decapitation was the 13th step in the entry's total of 27 which won the contest.

OF INTEREST

■ **The Student Art Forum** will have an information and planning meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Snite Museum of Art. All members are asked to attend. New members welcome.

■ **Campus Alliance for Rape Elimination** will be holding an organizational meeting Thursday night at 6:30 p.m. in LaFortune's Montgomery Theater. For further information call Missy Sherman at 283-2926.

■ **The Philippine Club** will hold another Mah-Jong night this Thursday at 7 p.m. in the basement of Alumni Hall.

■ **"Government Career Day"** will be held Wednesday, February 29 from noon until 4 p.m. in the lower level of the CCE. Representatives from federal, state, and local government agencies will be in attendance to discuss ca-

reers in the government sector. Students of all majors and classes are invited to attend.

■ **Natural Family Planning Classes** information meeting for engaged couples will be held tonight from 7-8 p.m. in the auditorium of the Hayes-Healy Building. This overview fulfills one of the diocesan guidelines for pre-marriage preparation.

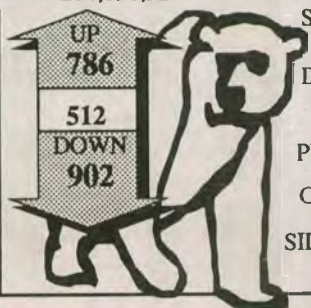
■ **Seniors interested in teaching:** Beth Kaiser and Sarah Vakkur, representatives of the Diocesan volunteers of New York, will be at the Center for Social Concerns tomorrow, Wednesday, Feb. 19 from 1-3:30 p.m. to talk about their program.

■ **Seniors may turn in pictures** for the senior class video to the Student Activities Office - 3rd floor LaFortune between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. until March 6.

MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY'S TRADING/ February 17

VOLUME IN SHARES 264,898,520	NYSE INDEX 228.16	↓ 0.57
	S&P COMPOSITE 412.48	↓ 1.21
	DOW JONES INDUSTRIALS 3,245.97	↓ 0.68
	PRECIOUS METALS	
	GOLD ↓	\$2.20 to \$353.70/oz.
	SILVER ↓	4.5¢ to \$4.158/oz.



ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

■ **In 1546:** Martin Luther, leader of the Protestant Reformation in Germany, died.

■ **In 1564:** The artist Michelangelo died in Rome.

■ **In 1861:** Jefferson Davis was sworn in as president of the Confederate States of America in Montgomery, Ala.

■ **In 1885:** Mark Twain's "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" was published in the U.S. for the first time.

■ **In 1930:** The ninth planet of our solar system, Pluto, was discovered.

■ **In 1984:** Italy and the Vatican signed a revised concordat under which Roman Catholicism ceased to be the state religion of Italy.

Student Senate considers FCC appointment process

By MICHAEL SCHOLL
News Writer

Residence halls will have the option of using selection committees to appoint representatives to the Freshman Class Council (FCC) if the Student Senate ratifies an amendment submitted for consideration last night.

Under the proposed amendment, a hall council can, by majority vote, decide to forego holding an election and have their dorm's FCC representative chosen by a selection committee.

The committee would consist of "no less than the hall president and vice president and the previous representative to the Freshman Class Council," according to the text of the amendment. The appointment of additional members to the committee would have to be approved by the hall council.

Members of the FCC had been appointed by their rectors every September until this year, when rules changes mandated that they be elected by a majority vote of the freshmen in each dorm.

The selection rules were changed in order to give freshmen greater say in student government. However, many believe that the lack of familiarity that exists between freshmen early in their first semester can create problems for the election process.

This belief is especially evident in large dorms such as Grace and Morrissey. Representatives of those dorms spoke

in support of the amendment last night.

"(The amendment's selection process) is very fair, given the constraints of holding a freshmen election in a large dorm," said Grace Hall president Keith McKeon.

"There is a strong need for an appointment process in the larger dorms," according to Morrissey Hall vice president Mike Griffin.

Nevertheless, some senators were concerned that a return to selection through appointment would make FCC members less accountable to freshmen.

"Our dorm's (elected) FCC representative feels very responsible towards the freshmen class," said Sophomore Class president David Reinke.

The amendment, which was ratified by the Hall President's Council on January 28, will be voted on by the Senate during next Monday's meeting.

Also last night, the Senate:

- Decided that Notre Dame overseas students will not be able to vote in the upcoming class officer elections unless they request absentee ballots from the election committee;

- Discussed potential changes in the method of selecting members of the Student Union Board; and

- Appointed Teri Niederstadt to be Student Body Treasurer, effective April 1;

- Heard Senator David Certo discuss allegations that his campaign posters were defaced during the recent Student Body presidential election campaign.



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Bike in a jam

The owner of this bike was surprised to see his transportation suspended from a tree.

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Career and Placement Services
February 24, 25, 26

Government career fair provides job info

By MOLLIE MUDD
News Writer

Career and Placement is sponsoring a Government Career Day tomorrow from noon to 4 p.m. in the lower level of the Center for Continuing Education.

The career fair will host 50 representatives from 24 federal, state and local govern-

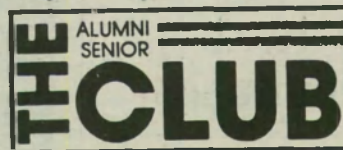
ment agencies, such as the F.B.I., the Peace Corps, the Environmental Protection Agency, Congressman Tim Roemer's Office and the Army Corps of Engineers. The Office of Personal Management will also be there to assist in the application process for government jobs.

Students at all levels and all majors are invited and encouraged to attend. Agencies are

looking not only for liberal arts and government majors, but for technical, business and science majors as well.

Coordinator Marilyn Rice said that "this is not a job fair, it is a career fair ... to get information, not to drop off resumes." Rice said that "the federal government is the largest employer in the country. You can find most careers in the federal agencies; there are opportunities for all students in government jobs."

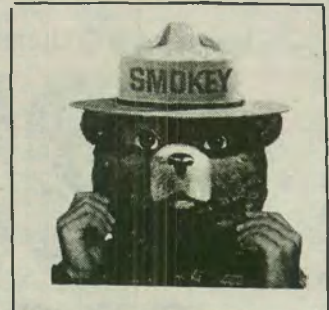
This is an informal opportunity for students to gain information about career opportunities and to meet personally with staff members of many governmental agencies in a convenient and casual setting.



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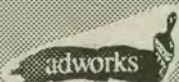
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John Engels
Mike Barrett
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ISO discuss concerns before elections

By JULIE BARRETT
News Writer

All three tickets running in the International Student Organization (ISO) presidential race are campaigning for increased diversity and interaction between the different ethnic groups and members that comprise the ISO.

Bearing the motto "Include everybody and exclude nobody," the ticket of Jeremy Liau, Ignacio Arias and Sigfrido Elmufdi, pledge to integrate the international student body into the ND/SMC campus as well as "provide activities to promote cultural exchange and a sense of community between the ISO members."

The Alejandro Armas/Christophe Kougniazonde ticket expressed the need for greater "input from the international grad students" who comprise the majority of the ISO, but many times fail to participate in ISO activities and events. They also proposed a need for greater interaction between ISO members and the South Bend community through volunteer service projects.

The ticket of Darko Zuazo, Eduardo Bocock and Jose Maria Castro Ceron emphasize the importance of diversifying the ISO by organizing various activities and events to increase participation of all ISO members from all different cultures and ethnic backgrounds, and therefore, "unite the international community here at Notre Dame."

Another important concern the candidates expressed is the need to help international students on campus, especially incoming freshmen, to integrate not only with members of the ISO, but also with American students.

"International students experience culture shock when they come to the United States," Bocock said. "We hope to make them feel more comfortable by organizing special orientation activities and events where they

can meet and get to know other international students."

Liau, Arias and Elmufdi would like to implement an ISO Big Brother/Big Sister Program, "which will help the adaptation of incoming students to the (ND/SMC) community."

Armas, a sophomore from Puerto Rico, and Kougniazonde, a fourth year government graduate student from Benin in west Africa, are running for co-presidents. Armas is currently a Board member of the ISO and a member of the Hispanic-American Organization at ND. Kougniazonde is an active member of the ISO and, among other things, is on the Board of the ND Multi-cultural Executive Council.

Liau, a sophomore from Singapore, and Arias, a junior from Panama, are running for co-presidents of the ISO. A junior from the Dominican Republic, Elmufdi is running on the ticket for the position of secretary. Liau is an ISO Board member while Arias and Elmufdi have been active members of the ISO, having helped plan and organize various ISO events.

Zuazo, a junior from Bolivia, and Bocock, a sophomore from Honduras, are running for co-presidents, and Ceron, a sophomore from Spain, is vying for the position of secretary. Both Zuazo and Ceron are currently on the ISO Board, while all three have been active members in the organization, as well.

The elections will take place this Friday, Feb. 21, in the second floor lounge of the ISO office from 2-6 p.m. All ISO members are eligible to vote and must present their student ID cards. Posters listing the tickets' aims and experience will be listed outside the ISO office throughout the week.

The ISO is the largest student organization on campus. It is comprised of 699 members with 66 countries represented in the organization.



The Observer/Pat McHugh

Candidates in the upcoming ISO elections lined up yesterday to present their platforms.

Saint Mary's BOG meeting considers implementing new shuttle bus schedule

By CHRISTINE SERAPHIN
News Writer

Dennis Andres, director of special events, spoke at the Saint Mary's Board of Governance (BOG) meeting last night. He discussed shuttle schedule changes that would affect the Saint Mary's route only.

Implementing a new schedule could be as early as after spring break but will more likely be next August. BOG had a

general consensus to accept the proposal, and it is now up to the senior officers to approve the new route.

Residence Hall Association (RHA) has set elections for officers to be held on March 23 and 24. Run-offs will be on March 26, if needed. The RHA representative informed BOG that room selections will be March 16, 17, and 18.

Other events happening

around campus include Sophomore Parents Weekend February 28 - March 1, and Little Siblings Weekend to be held on April 24-26.

Maureen Lowry, president of BOG, ended the meeting with the mention of discontinuing the Freshmen Register, more commonly called "The Dog Book," next year. This will be brought up and discussed at the next meeting.

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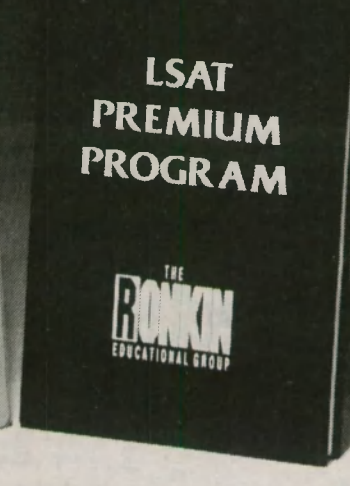
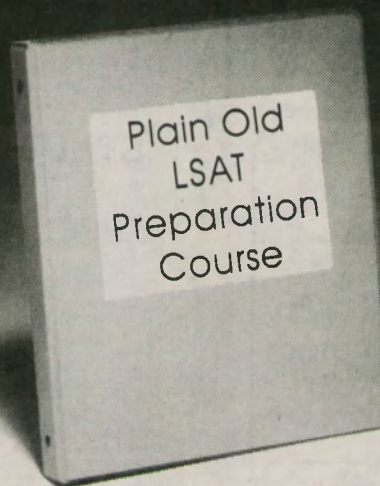
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COTH department presents "Our Town"

Special to The Observer

"Our Town," Thornton Wilder's Pulitzer Prize-winning play of small-town America, will be presented by the University of Notre Dame Department of Communications and Theatre in Washington Hall.

Mark Pilkinton, department chair, will direct the production. Richard Donnelly will design costumes, and Bruce Auerbach will design the setting and lighting. Both are associate professional specialists in the department.

Wilder uses a stage manager to introduce the audience to Grover's Corners and its inhabitants. The stage manager is a storyteller who directs the action in the play, and comments on it. He converses with the 1992 audience and with the characters from Grover's Corners in 1901.

In "Our Town," Emily Webb and George Gibbs marry, but Emily dies in childbirth a few years later, and George is left with a four-year-old son. Emily

joins the dead of Grover's Corners in the cemetery, but is reluctant to rest, desiring to relive her life.

She is given the opportunity to relive one day, but is warned not to choose a day that has too much importance attached to it. Emily chooses her twelfth birthday, but becomes frustrated when she sees that as a twelve-year-old, she was unable to appreciate the day's importance.

Emily comes to realize the importance of each day of her life, and wishes she could convey this to the living.

Performances will begin at 8:10 p.m. February 19-22, and at 3:10 p.m. February 23. Tickets are \$7 for reserved seats and are on sale at the LaFortune Student Center Office, and at the door. The play will cost \$5 for students and senior citizens on Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday. For MasterCard and Visa orders, call (219) 239-8128.



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SECURITY BEAT

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12

1:59 p.m. A minor two car accident occurred in the Loftus parking lot. No injuries were reported at the scene.

2:26 p.m. An off-campus student reported the theft of his car stereo speakers from his locked vehicle which was parked in the East visitors lot.

4:50 p.m. A Cavanaugh Hall resident reported the vandalism of a copy machine in the hall.

THURSDAY, FEB. 13

8:15 a.m. A University employee reported a parking gate arm closed on the roof of her vehicle as she drove into the B1 parking lot.

10:13 a.m. A South Bend resident reported his parked car had been struck by another vehicle while it was parked at the Notre Dame Credit Union.

11:40 a.m. A Notre Dame Security Officer transported an injured St. Edward's resident from the Rockne Memorial to the Student Health Center.

12:45 p.m. A Notre Dame student was caught shoplifting in the Hammes Bookstore.

1:30 p.m. Notre Dame Security and Fire Department treated an injured faculty member and later transported him from the JACC to the St. Joseph's Medical Center.

8:57 p.m. Notre Dame Security and Fire Department treated a visitor to the University at the Rockne Memorial Building. The visitor was transported to the St. Joseph's Medical Center.

11:12 p.m. Notre Dame Security arrested a Niles, Michigan man and charged him with attempted battery with an automobile after the man struck the car of a University employee who was trying to flee from the suspect. The suspect also struck the vehicle of a visitor to the campus. This accident occurred on Lake Road. The suspect was apprehended outside of the Notre Dame Security Building. No injuries were reported.

FRIDAY, FEB. 14

6:05 a.m. Notre Dame Security received a report of vandalism to a chapel window at the Cedar Grove Cemetery.

8 a.m. A University employee reported vandalism to two Food Service trucks which were parked outside the North Dining Hall.

SATURDAY, FEB. 15

1:38 a.m. A fire alarm was activated in Keenan Hall after a resident knocked over a candle he had lit. The fire became worse when two students tried to extinguish it with a pizza box. The fire was then extinguished with water before it caused any further damage.

2:28 p.m. An U iandale, Iowa resident reported la .eny from his locked vehicle that was parked in the C1 parking lot. The theft occurred during the Friday night JPW activities at the JACC.

SUNDAY, FEB. 16

4:13 a.m. Notre Dame Security assisted in transporting an intoxicated P.E. resident from her room to St. Joseph's Hospital.

4:14 a.m. A Morris Inn employee reported three suspicious persons were in the Morris Inn lobby.

7:44 a.m. A Notre Dame Security Officer reported vandalism to a flag pole outside of the Notre Dame Law School.

1:30 p.m. A P.W. resident reported she lost her purse in the North Dining Hall.

3:50 p.m. Notre Dame Security arrested a South Bend resident in LaFortune and charged him with criminal trespassing.

5:13 p.m. A Knott Hall resident reported the theft of several unattended items from a racquetball court at the JACC.

Saddam's son emerges from shadows as father tightens ring

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Saddam Hussein's youngest son is taking an increasingly important role in Iraq as his father tightens his protective shield, say diplomats and knowledgeable travelers from Iraq.

Qusai Hussein, 26, never held an official position in the Baghdad hierarchy or appeared to harbor any ambition for one, and lived in the shadow of his elder brother, Uday.

Now he heads the Special Security Apparatus, the nerve center of Saddam's pervasive internal security network, said the sources, all of whom spoke on condition of anonymity. He also commands a special 10,000-man military force recently formed to protect Saddam, the sources said.

By all accounts, Saddam's inner circle is increasingly wracked by feuding as economic problems caused by the U.N. trade embargo worsen conditions for Iraq's 17 million people following the Gulf War.

The sources said Qusai has been sent to mediate at least two quarrels between prominent clans in the Sunni Muslim community, the backbone of Saddam's support.

What could become the most serious rift is between the al-Majids, the clan of Saddam's late father, and the al-Ibrahimis, his stepfather's clan to which his three half-brothers belong.

Gunfights between the rival families have been reported. The sources said that in one Baghdad shootout, one of Saddam's nephews was killed by another nephew from the al-Ibrahimis. Saddam reportedly ordered the nephew hanged, but it is not known if the execution was carried out.

Saddam has in recent months been putting close blood relatives into key positions, particularly in the intelligence and military sectors. That has raised speculation that he is growing suspicious of even longtime associates.

"We characterize the situation of Saddam Hussein's regime now as being brittle, something that is hard on the outside but easy to crack," said Edward Djerejian, a top State Department official. "We feel that his situation is deteriorating, not improving."

Djerejian, assistant secretary of state for Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, spoke at a Bahrain news conference during a visit to the Persian Gulf that followed reports President Bush had authorized an increase in covert operation to aid opponents of Saddam.

Saddam has regularly purged his hierarchy and the military to prevent power blocs from emerging to threaten him.

Penetrating the secrecy of Saddam's regime is almost impossible.

Iraq's government has become increasingly hostile to Western news organizations and has refused to allow many, including The Associated Press, to operate in Baghdad.

Newspaper discontinues Indian team nicknames

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Indians have disappeared from the sports pages of Oregon's largest newspaper, along with Braves, Redmen and Redskins.

The Oregonian has declared the nicknames of those sports teams offensive and will not print them.

"We do not expect the rest of the journalistic world to fall into line behind us, nor do we presume that our action will change any team names," Managing Editor Peter Thompson said in a statement.

"But we have concluded that we will not be a passive participant in perpetuating racial or cultural stereotypes in our community — whether by the use of nicknames or in any other way."

The Oregonian is believed to be the first major U.S. newspaper to adopt such a policy.

In its Sunday editions, the 432,000-circulation paper dropped references to the Braves in an Associated Press story about part-time Atlanta Braves player Deion Sanders leaning toward a career with the Atlanta Falcons football

team.

The newspaper referred to the "National League champion Atlanta" or "the baseball team."

The policy will apply to any team from grade school through professional sports using an Indian nickname, Thompson said. So far, the policy has been limited to the four nicknames.

Sunday's Oregonian included references to the Miami Tribe, a team in the now-defunct Professional Spring Football League, and the Vancouver Canucks, a hockey team whose nickname some consider a derogatory term for Canadians.

Other nicknames might be dropped "if it becomes evident that they, too, are offensive," Editor William Hilliard said.

Indian groups have protested for years that ethnic nicknames and phony Indian costumes and gestures trivialize and mock their culture. Stanford University dropped the nickname "Indians" in 1972, and in 1989 the Minnesota Board of Education asked high schools to drop Indian nicknames, and many did.

Campus Ministry...

...Considerations



Doesn't catholic means diverse?

Twenty year ago this Fall, the University of Notre Dame began to admit women into its undergraduate colleges. At the time, this action was seen as an accommodation to the changing nature of our world, and was explained as an attempt to provide a more humane, more integrating education for Our Lady's students. Clearly, this was a response to the enhanced status of women, spurred by the women's movement, and it involved a desire to share the perceived richness of the Notre Dame experience with all God's people. In the following years, a difficult blessing was bestowed on those women (some would say it's still difficult to be a woman here) but most everybody survived and the real beneficiaries of the change were the men, who, left alone with themselves, would have lived a much less challenging, more bizarre kind of life.

Five years ago, upon assuming his responsibilities as President of the University, Fr. Malloy announced a commitment to increased cultural diversity and a desire to enhance international awareness as major priorities for his administration. To that end, in 1988 increased goals were announced for admission to the University from the traditionally underrepresented communities and goals were set for increased faculty hiring from these minority communities.

Like the situation twenty years ago, the transition has not been so smooth. An increased number of minority students have come to this campus, but tensions suggest that the whole range of supports and understandings that need to be in place to deal with our evolving situation have not been available. The protests of SUFR last year and the ongoing discussions of this year's Task Force on Cultural Diversity indicate a need to articulate more clearly how everyone here - not just our minority students - benefits from an atmosphere that is more consciously and culturally diverse.

It was good for women to come to Notre Dame. It would have been hopelessly strange to try to live without them. It is we men who need their insights and attitudes to enhance our own - and vice versa.

I believe that the same case for mutual benefit can be made as we engage the struggle for cultural diversity. It will surely not succeed if recent decisions are seen as being made mainly for the benefit of the minority communities. Surely, we all benefit from encounter with a truer picture of the world and its people and their issues.

Notre Dame's deep desire is to be a Catholic university, a place where quality scholarship is shaped by the values of the Gospel and the traditions of the Church. The deep insight of the Catholic spirit through the years has been an openness to many voices, a reverence for a variety of customs, and a trust that the Spirit speaks most demandingly after the interchange of many experiences.

Let us hope that this kind of "catholic" spirit will grow to shape

our future interactions and to convince us all of the blessings available from the variety of gifts we bring to this place to develop and to share.

Tom McDermott, C.S.C.

Sign-ups for the Notre Dame Encounter of March 27-29, 1992, will begin tomorrow, Wednesday, February 19, and will end one week later on Wednesday, February 26. Application forms may be picked up and returned at 103 Hesburgh Library.

Applications are also available these days for the Holy Cross Associates program. This program, which is designed for graduating seniors, involves a one year commitment to service, prayer, and a simple, common life. Houses are established in various cities throughout the United States, where young men and women work and live in proximity to Holy Cross religious, while pursuing the goals of the program. Further information is available from Mary Ann Roemer at the Center for Social Concerns, and from the office of the Holy Cross Associates at Moreau Seminary, telephone number - 239-5521. Applications are due by March 20, 1992, for this coming year's program.



Weekend Liturgies at Sacred Heart Basilica

Sat. February 22 5:00 pm — Fr. John Conley, C.S.C.

Sun. February 23 10:00 am — Fr. Jose Martelli, C.S.C.
11:45 am — Fr. Richard Warner, C.S.C.

Dahmer

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July. He is to stand trial in an Ohio killing, and wasn't charged in one Milwaukee death because of lack of evidence.

"I hope God has forgiven me," Dahmer said. "I know society will never be able to forgive me. I know the families of the victims will never be able to forgive me for what I have done."

Milwaukee County Circuit Judge Laurence Gram Jr. sentenced Dahmer to consecutive life prison terms. Under consecutive sentences, if Dahmer gained parole in one sentence the next sentence would automatically take effect. The prosecutor said Dahmer would not be eligible for parole for 936 years.

Dahmer's lawyer, Gerald Boyle, said no appeal was planned.

Dahmer, making his first public statement about the slayings, told Gram he didn't seek freedom by pleading insane, but understanding.

"I wanted to find out just what it was that caused me to be so bad and evil," he said. "The doctors have told me about my sickness and now I have some peace."

"This has never been a case of trying to get free," Dahmer said. "I didn't ever want freedom. Frankly, I wanted death for myself."

Wisconsin has no death penalty.

Dahmer said he has turned to God since his arrest.

"I should have stayed with

God," he said. "I tried and I failed, and created a holocaust."

As Dahmer spoke, victims' relatives seated in the courtroom gallery leaned forward, straining to hear his words.

"I feel so bad for what I did to those poor families, and I understand their rightful hate," Dahmer said. "I have seen their tears and if I could give my life right now to bring their loved ones back, I would do it."

Earlier, Dahmer sat emotionless as relatives described their loss.

"Jeffrey Dahmer has erased a million future memories for me of my brother," J.W. Smith, brother of victim Eddie Smith, said as he read brief statements from each of Eddie's 12 brothers and sisters.

"Jeffrey Dahmer, you have become a hero for a few, but you have become a nightmare for so many more," said Stanley Miller, uncle of victim Ernest Miller. "Did you ever think this was someone's son?"

Dahmer's three-week sanity trial included testimony from police and psychiatrists who described how the serial killer's urges to have sex with the dead led him to drug, kill and dismember.

Witnesses told how Dahmer cooked and ate a heart, biceps and thigh; how he slit corpses from sternum to toe and cut the flesh into fist-sized pieces; and how he soaked torsos in acid and kept skulls and other parts as mementos.

Dahmer said he would not contest civil lawsuits some victims' families have filed against him, seeking any profits he might make by selling his life story.

Ireland prevents abortion for teen

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) — A judge ruled Monday that a pregnant 14-year-old who says she was raped cannot escape Ireland's ban on abortions by going to Britain.

It was the first test of a woman's right to obtain an abortion abroad.

Justice Declan Costello said in his written decision that he had no choice under Ireland's constitution, which was amended in 1983 to include an abortion ban that had long been part of the legal code.

"It's very painful, distressing and tragic for the girl and her family," Costello said in a written order following a 45-minute private hearing.

Court officials said they expected the family, who was not identified, to appeal Costello's ruling to the Supreme Court.

The family had sought to overturn an order issued by the attorney general last week that blocked the girl from leaving Ireland to have an abortion.

The case is unlikely to have a significant effect on the several thousand Irish women who go elsewhere for

abortions each year to get around Ireland's ban. It is the strictest in Europe, permitting only a "morning-after pill" that will terminate a pregnancy within 72 hours of intercourse.

Attorney General Harry Whelehan learned of the girl's plans only because her parents asked police if they should have tissue tests conducted on the fetus after her abortion in Britain for use in any criminal proceedings. The rape case has not yet gone to trial.

Advocates of abortion rights condemned Monday's court ruling.

"Victims of rape now face a double ordeal, which puts the credibility of Irish law in doubt," Jon O'Brien of the Irish Family Planning Association told British Broadcasting Corp. "Abortion is a reality for Irish women, even if the constitution should say differently," O'Brien said.

Britain's Office of Population Censuses and Surveys says the most recently available statistics show that 4,064 Irish

women had abortions in England and Wales in 1990. Abortions are legal there through the 24th week of pregnancy.

Maxine Brady, president of the Union of Students in Ireland, said the judgment violated a European Community treaty that allows free movement of citizens to seek medical services in other member states.

The Society for the Protection of the Unborn Children, the largest anti-abortion lobby in Ireland, accused abortion rights supporters of exploiting the case.

"The girl and her parents have been shamefully used as publicity fodder by those seeking to change the Irish constitution," director Phyllis Bowman said.

Ireland's constitutional ban on abortions was adopted by Parliament after it passed in a national referendum by a 2-to-1 margin in this overwhelmingly Roman Catholic nation.

Budget cuts hurt state colleges

WASHINGTON (AP) — State colleges and universities, faced with huge budget cuts from recession-wracked states, are raising tuition, giving pink slips to professors and eliminating courses.

Nineteen states have cut allocations for colleges and universities this year, a report by the American Association of State Colleges and Universities shows. Of the states that didn't report cuts, nine say they expect cuts in the near future.

"Many institutions are choosing to increase tuition, cap enrollment and cut programs, rather than trying to stretch diminishing funds," said association President James Appleberry.

The 370,000 students in the 20-school California State University System — the nation's largest — pay 20 percent more in required state fees that go for special services such as

registration and record-keeping. This compares with a 40 percent increase by the University of California system.

Last fiscal year, the annual fee for full-time California State students was \$952, but the amount increased to \$1,108 this year, which ends on June 30. Officials propose increasing the fees to \$1,480 in fiscal 1992-93.

Students from other countries or states pay tuition in addition to the fees.

The City University of New York System, the nation's third largest with 200,000 students, is faced with a recommended \$500 tuition increase per student on July 1. In the fall of 1990, the tuition was \$1,250 a year but was raised to \$1,450 a year in the spring of 1991. This fiscal year, the tuition increased to \$1,850 a year, said spokeswoman Rita Rodin.

"If the tuition increase goes through as recommended, our senior college students will be paying 88 percent more for their education in 1992-93 than they did in the fall of 1990," said Rodin, pointing to all the expenses of running the institution.

Rodin added that 72,000 CUNY students attend part-time, about 40 percent of the total graduate enrollment. The new budget proposes to cut \$2.4 million in funds normally allocated to this group.

If the budget proposal becomes a reality, CUNY Chancellor W. Ann Reynolds told a state budget committee, one question left to ask will be "how many will we have to watch get forced out of college and onto streets already ravaged by unemployment, drugs and crime."

presidential candidate April Ehret.

"Students are the most important part of the Academic Council," she said. "We need to meet more often. It's the most important aspect of this college — academics over social events."

Each candidate for vice president of Student Activities said fundraising and publicity would be key issues for the Student Activities Board 1992-93, while Marzolf said that a key objective of her ticket would be an emphasis on campus social life at Saint Mary's, rather than encouraging students to leave campus for social life.

The three tickets disagreed on whether experience or change is more valuable in student government. Rhattigan

said that the experience on her ticket will provide the leadership necessary to lead Saint Mary's through changes.

"I know the way student government works," she said. "Experience to me means we've constantly had to change. If elected, I will implement changes from day one."

Damm said her ticket's goal is to define and showcase the pride in Saint Mary's.

"We all chose Saint Mary's because of the community," she said. "Everyone is here because they care. My goal is to recapture pride in Saint Mary's."

Change is also on the agenda for the Carrara ticket. Carrara said that informing incoming student classes about the function of student government will be her ticket's primary concern. She suggested the creation of a manual explaining the workings of student government to be given to incoming freshmen.

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who will be vocal if there's a problem."

The Damm ticket will focus on academics over social aspects of campus life, said vice

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Allegations against International Paper misleading

Dear Editor:

We have received word of the letters posted on campus and recent demonstration against International Paper and Notre Dame trustee Jane Pfeiffer (The Observer, Feb. 10, 'Students protest company's policies'). The allegations made by United Paperworker's International Union (UPIU) in the posted letter and by the Democratic Socialists of America (DSA) quoted in The Observer accuse IP of environmental, safety, and labor abuse, as well as racial discrimination and harassment.

We are Notre Dame Alumni employed as engineers at one of IP's largest production facilities. We feel that ND students and faculty should be aware of the other side to these misleading allegations and the motivation behind the UPIU's campaign against IP.

We have both been involved in environmental improvement projects at our facility. IP has voluntarily spent several million dollars over the last two years at this facility to decrease environmental impact. IP manufactures many grades of paper from recycled fibre and devel-



ops products that can be recycled.

Our facility produces a polyethylene coated board for containers and cartons in which both the fibre and polyethylene coating are recyclable. IP owns 6.4 million acres of forest land which are fully regenerated and managed for wetlands protection and wildlife conservation.

It has also been our experience that IP takes the safety of employees seriously. Many hours are spent training employees to use proper safety equipment and procedures; this training is reinforced monthly. IP has installed warning and detection systems throughout the mill, provides extensive supplies of safety equipment, and have worked to try to eliminate hazards in the workers' environment.

According to the 'Summary of Occupational Injuries and

Illness' by the American Paper Institute, IP's incident rate (a total of any type of work related injury per hours worked) was 7.4 in 1990, compared to 11.23 for the pulp and paper industry as a whole. IP's incident rate dropped by 15% to 6.3 in 1991. IP also won safety awards in 1991 from the National Safety Council and other government and independent organizations.

IP's investments in South Africa occurred when the company purchased the Masonite Corporation in November 1988. Masonite in turn owns a subsidiary based in South Africa. According to corporate reports, 90 percent of this company's employees are non-white, all facilities are integrated, and employees receive equal pay for equal work.

The wages it pays are higher than other sources of income for most employees, and it also provides health services and

has constructed modern homes and schools in the communities. This issue was voted on by the shareholders.

Concerning the allegations of racism, I am a minority female engineer at IP and do not feel I have been harassed or discriminated against by any employee of IP. I have been treated fairly and receive the same salary, benefits, and wage increases as other employees. I have heard of no other minority or female employee complain of mistreatment.

The UPIU charges of worker abuse are foolish. Hourly workers (members of the UPIU) at our facility earn an average annual salary of \$44,000 as of 1991. The average factory worker in our state, Texas, earns \$18,000 annually. IP workers also receive good benefits, overtime, and annual salary increases.

Workers at other IP facilities receive comparable salaries and benefits. When a single position at the mill opens for an hourly worker there are usually 200 or more applicants. Also, IP has not laid off large numbers of employees or closed facilities

(as other manufacturing companies have) due to the current recession.

The motivations behind these attacks on IP are political. Many of the largest of IP's facilities are currently undergoing contract negotiations with UPIU (contracts usually run 3 to 6 years). The UPIU is attempting to force management to concede to their demands by these counterproductive actions.

They have taken the opportunity to bring this to ND by targeting Jane Pfeiffer, who happens to be a trustee of Notre Dame as well as a member of the IP Board of Directors. From The Observer article it is apparent that the UPIU has found a voice on campus in the DSA.

It is unfortunate that the union is taking advantage of the idealism of students by providing them false or misleading information and then using them as political leverage.

Hong Tuyet Nguyen-Si '89
Michael S. Falco '89
IP Employees
Feb. 16, 1992

Swim tragedy stirs memories for parent of killed student

Dear Editor:

Please know how much I am grieving with the Notre Dame Community because of the deaths and injuries of the Notre Dame swimmers. This tragedy has enlarged the hole that has been in my heart since my son, Patrick McManus, was hit by a car and killed three years ago in Chicago. Patrick swam for Notre Dame for four years and was captain of the team during

the 87-88 season. It is absolutely unbelievable that Coach Welsh and Notre Dame swimming could be dealt such a devastating blow again.

The Notre Dame swimmers that I have been associated with are a unique group of people. I have never in my life seen such tight bonding, love, support and loyalty for each other and caring for others as is

constantly exhibited by these men and women. I credit Notre Dame for instilling such wonderful qualities and values in their students. No other school can compete with ND in this area.

I can truly empathize with the parents of Colleen and Megan. Somehow life goes on but it will never be the same. Certainly, the support that they are re-

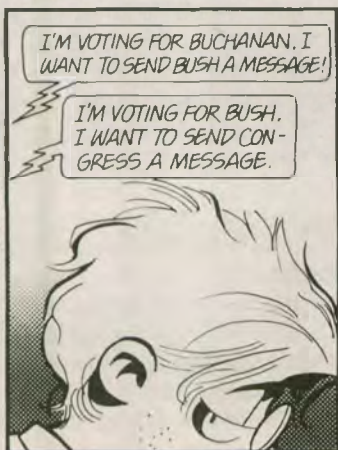
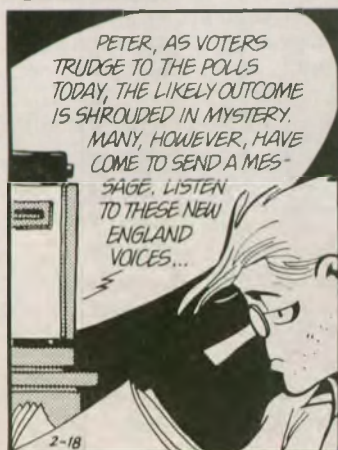
ceiving will make their lives a little more bearable. There is a difficult road ahead for them. They will need caring and thoughtfulness even more in the months to come.

In closing, I would like to thank everyone who has contributed to the Patrick Reilly McManus Swimming Scholarship. Special thanks to Steve Coffey (ND Swim Team Captain

86-87), Scott Stephen '87 and the other Chicago alums who have organized and attended annual Super Bowl and tailgate parties to raise money for the fund. It should top the \$50,000.00 mark very soon. This is a remarkable amount to be donated in just three years.

Terry McManus
Jenkentown, PA
Feb. 3, 1992

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'Our national symbol is not the ostrich.'

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By CAROLINE CLARKE
Accent Writer

Quick. What has a British accent, wears Indian garb, and speaks fluent Spanish? Stumped? The answer is a Saint Mary's economics professor, Ravindra Parashar. An exuberant personality, Parashar admits he is a walking paradox.

Born as an only child in Burma, India, Parashar is accustomed to a versatile lifestyle. His father worked in the Indian Foreign Service, which mandated frequent moves. Rather than become disoriented, Parashar manipulated this to work to his advantage. Despite experiencing difficulties leaving newfound friends, he harvested knowledge from other cultures.

Parashar was raised in a devout Hindu household. An appreciation for Hinduism was instilled in Parashar since childhood. Religion has always played a key role in his life, cementing his family ties.

"There were never any Sunday schools available for instruction. As a result, I relied on my parents to learn more about my culture and religion. After my dad would come home from work, we would sit together and chant our prayers," Parashar said.

Living in Buenos Aires in the early 1950s, there was no designated place of worship for Hindus. According to Parashar, Hinduism does not mandate regular attendance to services. Hindus are able to worship in their homes, attending services of their own volition.

During the times when his family felt the need for a supportive faith community, they attended a Catholic church. This did not present a problem to Parashar.

Parashar has fond memories attending a Catholic kindergarten in Rangoon, Burma. "The nuns always reminded us of the Golden Rule: do unto others as you would have them do unto you. This was easy for me to accept," he said. Parashar integrated this moral ideal with Hinduism's law of Karma.

The good life

Ravindra Parashar applies Hinduism to his lifestyle as a professor



The Observer/ Sean Farnan

Economics professor Ravindra Parashar has been teaching at Saint Mary's since 1986 and plans to teach in Mexico after this semester.

Cultural integration was not the only benefit Parashar reaped while living in Argentina since he had the opportunity to master the Spanish language. He also lived in Mexico, further improving his linguistic skills. Parashar credits his excited speech and boisterous personality to living in Latin America.

"The lifestyle is very relaxed and open. Also, I'm never embarrassed to ask for a favor. In Latin America, it is give and take with people. In America, people are hesitant to ask for

anything. They are raised to believe they should be independent," he explained.

In 1969, as a 25 year-old attending the University of Florida graduate school, Parashar was thrust into independence. After completing graduate school, Parashar taught as an assistant at his alma mater.

He then returned to Mexico to teach at the University of Americas in Mexico. Dr. John Ruhe, a Saint Mary's professor Parashar befriended in school, offered him a job. The position

was for a one year visiting professor in February, 1986. Parashar accepted, yet maintained reservations.

"I was wary as to how students would receive an Indian economics professor. Dr. Ruhe assured me that Saint Mary's was a reputable school with eager, hardworking students," he said.

Upon arriving at Saint Mary's, he was pleased with what he saw. "The students helped me along at first. They were very receptive to me; my energy to teach was fueled by their desire to learn. I always learn from my students."

Parashar is known for his personal interest in others, and his rapport with students. He maintains contact with some students who have graduated and are pursuing careers. "Nothing is more wonderful than watching timid freshmen evolve into poised, competent young women," he said.

He feels the environment at Saint Mary's is conducive to such development. "At this college, women have no barriers and every chance for involvement," he added. Parashar finds the women at Saint Mary's to be academically superior and more motivated than his past students.

Parashar currently resides in South Bend with his parents. To Americans, this is an unusual situation, but Parashar explains it is commonplace in other cultures. "In America, parents try to instill independence in their children. Ultimately, they are supposed to go off on their own and exist as adults," said Parashar.

Contrary to what some may believe, living at home has minimal restrictions. "Adult children may live their lives, but money and belongings are communal." He believes that Americans equate living on one's own with independence and that perhaps this explains the deterioration of the family unit in America.

This is Parashar's last semester at Saint Mary's. Having lived in Mexico for 18 years he maintains a special affinity for Latin American life. He hopes to teach in Mexico after leaving the United States.

'Wayne's World' offers reminiscences of youth

By ELIZABETH HAYES
Movie Critic

And you thought I wasn't going to like this movie. Me, the snobby film critic. But wait.

Action, adventure, fast cars, sex, laughs, rampant cheesiness, rock and roll, foul language, guys with long hair, guitar-worship, Queen's "Bohemian Rhapsody," vomit, and the good guys triumphing over evil and getting the girl.

Really, when it comes down to it, what more can you ask of a movie?

Some might yelp: "We should demand talented acting, excellent direction, existential meaning, outstanding cinematography, social relevance, and a great soundtrack. Aesthetic sensibility. You know, *worth*."

For most movies, I would be inclined to agree with these critics. I would be the one pounding on the table, demanding quality and threatening to give the offending cinematic effort the worst punishment at my command: one star.

However, I am also a Platonist. I believe in the Form of Movies. There is the Form of the Big Drama, the Heavy Romance, the Foreign Blather, the

Wayne's World

Produced by Lorne Michaels
Directed by Penelope Spheeris

(out of five)

Political Whining, the Twilight Zoner, the Nasty Cynical and many more. And high amongst this august company sits a Form of Flick that is unique. It is the Insipid Comedy.

Its form requires that all the jokes and gags be executed without the aid of cleverness or wit. In its own way, it demands more of writers and actors than dry or cute humor does because of its exceedingly unliterary nature.

It can't even rely exclusively on the charisma of the actors like physical comedy can. The overriding element of the Insipid Comedy that must at all times be adhered to is self-conscious stupidity.

I present to you the Form of the Insipid Comedy: "Wayne's World."

Of course the comparisons of "Wayne's World" (and aspersions from the cinema snobs) abound. Wayne and Garth, played by Mike Meyers and Dana Carvey, bear a striking resemblance to the comedy duos Laurel and Hardy and



Abbot and Costello (one blond, one dark — one dominating, one timid, etc.).

They also favor the modern reincarnation of the buddy movie, (Bill and Ted's two adventures, and the peerless McKenzie brothers in "Strange Brew") but they have taken the form to new heights.

They have almost perfectly reproduced the kind of humor you have with your dorm buddies. It's stupid, it's often vulgar, it's repetitive, and it's hilarious. It's funny because it's *yours*. Never have I seen a movie that so easily creates a private joke just between the actors and the audience as this one

does.

The repetition of the half-witted gags creates the feeling in this movie that you are with your old high-school buddies, bandying around the same old adolescent gratuitous humor. And don't you remember how you used to laugh and laugh with them? You laughed so hard your stomach hurt, didn't you?

Wayne and Garth have recycled the humor of not-very-bright 15-year-olds (which we all were, at one point) and remind us that we used to get a real kick out of it. And we laugh harder at it this time because we are not just laughing at the jokes, but at ourselves.

The last time the two met, Tomba beat Accola in a slalom at Wengen, Switzerland, on Jan. 26, just before the Olympic break.

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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
New York	32	18	.640	—	7-3	Won1	18-6	14-12	23-13
Boston	29	21	.580	3	4-8	Won1	19-6	10-15	17-14
Philadelphia	24	27	.471	8 1/2	4-6	Lost13	16-11	8-16	16-20
Miami	24	28	.462	9	5-5	Lost2	19-8	5-20	17-18
New Jersey	21	30	.412	11 1/2	2-8	Lost1	14-11	7-19	12-20
Washington	17	34	.333	15 1/2	3-7	Lost2	8-17	9-17	9-22
Orlando	13	38	.255	19 1/2	2-8	Won1	8-17	5-21	9-22

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Chicago	42	10	.808	—	5-5	Lost1	23-3	19-7	27-4
Cleveland	33	16	.673	7 1/2	6-4	Won2	20-5	13-11	26-8
Detroit	29	22	.569	12 1/2	6-4	Won1	15-10	14-12	18-15
Atlanta	26	25	.510	15 1/2	5-5	Won2	15-9	11-16	14-17
Milwaukee	24	26	.480	17	5-5	Lost2	19-6	5-20	15-17
Indiana	23	30	.434	19 1/2	8-2	Won3	15-11	8-19	13-18
Charlotte	16	35	.314	25 1/2	5-5	Lost1	11-14	5-21	11-21

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Utah	34	18	.654	—	8-2	Won3	23-2	11-16	20-8
San Antonio	29	21	.580	4	7-3	Won1	17-6	12-15	19-13
Houston	26	26	.500	8	3-7	Lost2	17-8	9-18	15-14
Denver	19	31	.380	14	3-7	Lost1	16-11	3-20	11-22
Dallas	15	35	.300	18	2-8	Won1	10-17	5-18	9-20
Minnesota	10	40	.200	23	3-7	Won1	6-20	4-20	7-24

Pacific Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away	Conf
Portland	35	15	.700	—	8-2	Lost1	21-6	14-9	18-11
Golden State	32	15	.681	1 1/2	6-4	Won3	17-7	15-8	21-10
Phoenix	33	18	.647	2 1/2	7-3	Won1	21-4	12-14	20-10
LA Lakers	29	21	.580	6	5-5	Lost3	16-9	13-12	19-13
Seattle	26	25	.510	9 1/2	6-4	Lost1	14-10	12-15	16-12
LA Clippers	25	25	.500	10	5-5	Won3	18-8	7-17	15-17
Sacramento	17	33	.340	18	5-5	Lost2	14-11	3-22	8-23

Saturday's Games

Cleveland 128, New Jersey 92
Indiana 117, Minnesota 101
Chicago 99, New York 98
Dallas 103, Houston 99
Utah 106, Denver 93
Phoenix 124, Washington 98
Golden State 140, Seattle 122

Sunday's Games

Detroit 90, Philadelphia 83
Orlando 118, Milwaukee 104
Charlotte 126, Miami 109
Boston 114, LA Lakers 107
San Antonio 112, Sacramento 106
LA Clippers 107, Portland 106

Monday's Games

Late Games Not Included
Atlanta 117, Washington 110
New York 104, Miami 102
Indiana 128, Charlotte 117
Cleveland 113, Chicago 112
Minnesota 124, Houston 122, OT
Boston at Utah, (n)
Phoenix at Seattle, (n)
San Antonio at LA Clippers, (n)
LA Lakers at Golden State, (n)

Tuesday's Games

Sacramento at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Orlando at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Phoenix at Portland, 10 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Detroit at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at Orlando, 7:30 p.m.
Washington at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Charlotte, 8 p.m.
Boston at Golden State, 8 p.m.
Minnesota at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Dallas at Utah, 9:30 p.m.
LA Lakers at LA Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

1992 Winter Olympics

MEDALS

Through 37 medal events

	G	S	B	T
Germany	8	8	5	21
Unified Team	7	4	6	17
Austria	4	6	6	16
Norway	6	4	3	13
France	3	4	1	8
Italy	1	3	3	7
Finland	3	1	2	6
United States	3	2	1	6
Japan	0	1	2	3
The Netherlands	0	1	2	3
Canada	1	0	1	2
Switzerland	1	0	1	2
China	0	2	0	2
Czechoslovakia	0	0	2	2
Sweden	0	0	2	2
Luxembourg	0	1	0	1

ICE DANCING

1. Marina Klimova and Sergei Ponomarenko, Unified Team, 2.0
2. Isabelle Duchesnay and Paul Duchesnay, France, 4.4
3. Maia Usova and Alexander Zhulin, Unified Team, 5.6
4. Oksana Grikschuk and Evgeni Platov, Unified Team, 8.0
5. Stefania Calegari and Pasquale Camerlengo, Italy, 10.0
6. Susanna Rahkamo and Petri Kokko, Finland, 12.4
7. Klara Engli and Attila Toth, Hungary, 13.6
8. Dominique Yvon and Frederic Palluel, France, 16.6
9. Sophie Moniotte and Pascal Lavanchy, France, 17.4
10. Katerina Mrazova and Martin Simecek, Czechoslovakia, 20.6
11. April Sargent-Thomas, Odgersburg, N.Y., and Russ Witherby, Cincinnati, 21.6
12. Jacqueline Petr and Mark Janoschak, Canada, 24.8
13. Anna Croci and Luca Mantovani, Italy, 25.0
14. Regina Woodward and Csaba Szentpetery, Hungary, 29.0
15. Rachel Mayer, Wellesley, Mass., and Peter Breen, Brockton, Mass., 29.0

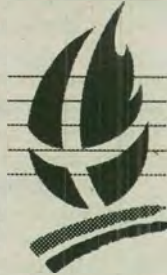
OLYMPIC HOCKEY UPDATE

CURRENT STANDINGS

TEAM	W-L-T	Pts.
United States*	4-0-1	9
Sweden*	3-0-2	8
Finland*	3-1-1	7
Germany*	2-3-0	4
Italy	1-4-0	2
Poland	0-5-0	0
Canada*	4-1-0	8
Unified Team*	4-1-0	8
Czechoslovakia*	4-1-0	8
France*	2-3-0	4
Switzerland	1-4-0	2
Norway	0-5-0	0

* Clinched medal round berth.
In the event of a tie, seed is determined by goals for/goals against ratio.

The Observer/Brendan Regan



ALBERTVILLE 92



QUARTERFINALS

Tuesday:

U.S. vs. France

Canada vs. Germany

Wednesday:

Sweden vs. Czechoslovakia

Finland vs. Unified Team

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

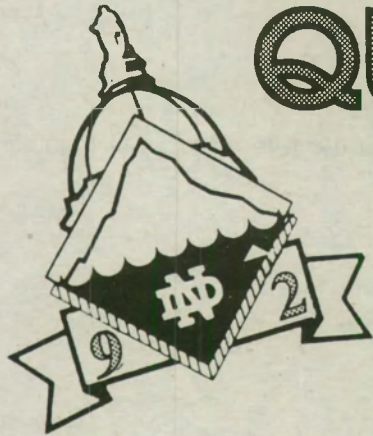
American League

BALTIMORE ORIOLES—Traded Craig Worthington, third baseman, and Tom Martin, pitcher, to the San Diego Padres for Jim Lewis, pitcher, and Steve Martin, outfielder. Assigned Steve Martin to Rochester of the International League.
BOSTON RED SOX—Agreed to terms with John Cerutti, pitcher, on a minor-league contract.
KANSAS CITY ROYALS—Agreed to terms with Jeff Montgomery, pitcher, on a one-year contract.
MILWAUKEE BREWERS—Agreed to terms with Cal Eldred, Mike Ignasiak and Mark Kieffer, pitchers; John Jaha and Pat Listach, infielders; and Dave Nilsson and Joe Kmak, catchers, on one-year contracts.
OAKLAND ATHLETICS—Named Reggie Jackson assistant to the president for community affairs.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Agreed to terms with Eric Hanson, and Mike Schooler, pitchers, on one-year contracts.
TORONTO BLUE JAYS—Agreed to terms with Duane Ward, pitcher; Ed Sprague, catcher; Domingo Martinez, first baseman, and Derek Bell, outfielder, on one-year contracts.

National League

CINCINNATI REDS—Agreed to terms with Tim Belcher, pitcher, on a one-year contract.
HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms with Craig Biggio, catcher, on a one-year contract.
PITTSBURGH PIRATES—Agreed to terms with Doug Drabek, pitcher, on a one-year contract.
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS—Agreed to terms with Bob Tewksbury, pitcher, on a one-year contract.
BASKETBALL
National Basketball Association
NBA—Fined Miami forward Willie Burton \$6,500 and Charlotte forward Johnny Newman \$1,500 and suspended Burton for one game for their parts in an altercation during Sunday's game.
CHARLOTTE HORNETS—Signed Cedric Hunter, guard, to a 10-day contract.
Continental Basketball Association
CBA—Suspended Dave Everett, center, and Treg Lee, forward, of the Fort Wayne Fury for failure to abide by the league's substance abuse policy.
SIOUX FALLS SKY FORCE—Signed Marc Iavaroni, forward, for the remainder of the season and named him assistant coach. Signed Antoine Nance, forward, United States Basketball League.
PHILADELPHIA SPIRIT—Named Ed Gershman project coordinator and Evan Ross public relations director.

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Duchesnays angered by rules

ALBERTVILLE, France (AP) — This time the Duchesnays — not their fans — lashed out at the staid ice dancing establishment.

Isabelle and Paul Duchesnay, the Olympic silver medalists, criticized the sport's officials after Monday's competition, saying they felt inhibited by a strict interpretation of the rules.

Their "West Side Story" free dance was more conservative than some past dances, and the Duchesnays pointed the finger at judges and referees.

"We were formally told, 'You must do it this way,'" said Isabelle. "We did feel we were very constrained."

While the Duchesnays felt limited, the gold medalists Marina Klimova and Sergei Ponomarenko of the Unified Team, were performing a sensual routine that featured a half-dozen unique lifts and carries.

The Duchesnays have always been different, skating to exotic music, selecting unusual dance themes. They have taken some liberties with the rules, introducing illegal lifts, costuming that sometimes includes props

and skating separately.

When Christopher Dean choreographed the "West Side Story" routine last year, he felt he had to play it by the book, Paul said.

"We could have done more interesting moves but Chris felt chained by the rulebook," he said. "You don't get the freedom you would like."

This season, they felt more imprisoned than ever. They felt the establishment's eyes upon them.

"They follow us quite closely and sometimes television films our programs at shows," Paul said. "So the feedback is almost immediate."

"If they tell us to change some stuff we either have to ignore them and hit a stone wall in competition or go along with them and change it."

After years of being on the outside, the Duchesnays thought they had found complete acceptance by judges at last year's world championships. They won the free dance and the title.

Those outside the sport have often criticized ice dancing's subjectivity. In past years, many judges have favored the more

classical style of ice dancing skated by the Russians, who have dominated the sport since it was introduced into the Olympics in 1976.

Dean and his partner Jayne Torvill were the first to challenge the judges and stretch the rules. The Duchesnays have done the same.

Even Klimova and Ponomarenko don't think much of some of the sports regulations.

"If you know some of the rules, many of them are stupid," said Sergei Ponomarenko.

After what may prove to be their last amateur performance, Paul said he's not sure ice dancing should be a judged sport at all.

"I think it should just be performed just to be enjoyed by the spectators," he said. "It's too subjective. You can't really always judge it fairly. It's almost impossible. It becomes a question of taste."

The taste of the French crowd in the Olympic Ice Hall ran toward the Duchesnays' "West Side Story," but they were strongly receptive of the Russians' dance to Bach.

Jordan's 46 not enough as Bulls fall to Cavs

CHICAGO (AP) — Craig Ehlo had four points as Cleveland outscored Chicago 6-2 in the final 1:32 and snapped the Bulls' 14-game home winning streak with a 113-112 victory Monday night despite Michael Jordan's 46 points.

It was only the third loss in 26 games at Chicago Stadium for the Bulls. The Cavaliers, who lost their 12 previous regular-season games against Chicago, still trail the Bulls by 7 1/2 games in the conference and division standings.

Brad Daugherty scored 25 points and Mark Price 23 for the Cavaliers.

The Bulls led 99-92 midway through the fourth quarter, but the Cavs tied it 103-103 on John Williams' two free throws with 4:03 left.

Chicago responded by taking a 110-107 edge before Larry Nance converted two free throws, pulling Cleveland within one with 1:32 remaining.

Ehlo drove the lane for a basket and a 111-110 lead with 1:04 left and added two free throws 20 seconds later for a 113-110 advantage.

Jordan responded with a

pull-up jumper from 15 feet with 34 seconds left, leaving the Cavs with a 113-112 edge.

Scottie Pippen, who scored 24 points for the Bulls, had a chance to put Chicago ahead with 6.0 seconds left, but his shot went off the rim.

Neither team could get a lead of more than four points in the third quarter, which ended with the Bulls ahead 90-88. Chicago shot 63 percent in the quarter and got 14 points from Jordan and 10 from John Paxson, while Cleveland was 59 percent from the field behind Price's 11 points.

A 10-2 spurt, with Daugherty hitting three baskets, gave the Cavaliers a 48-41 lead with 5:47 remaining in the first half, and they extended the margin to 59-51 with 2:04 left.

Chicago then scored the last nine points of the quarter for a one-point lead at halftime despite Cleveland's 68 percent shooting in the first two periods.

The Bulls led 27-25 at the end of the first quarter despite being outshot 69 percent to 57 percent.

1000m Jansen's last medal hope

ALBERTVILLE, France (AP) — Now that Dan Jansen's kept his feet, it's time for the next step: winning a medal.

His last chance is Tuesday, when Jansen returns to the rink for the men's 1,000 meter speedskating. In three Olympics, Jansen has won hearts and provoked tears, but never taken home a medal.

Two fourth place finishes in his strong event — the men's 500 — are the best he's done.

The worst is Olympic history.

Jansen went to Calgary in 1988 expecting medals in both the 500 and the 1,000. Instead he found heartbreak and the ice, falling in both events after learning his 27-year-old sister had died of leukemia.

Jansen has since set the world record in the 500, and stands fourth in the World Cup 1,000 rankings.

He skated again Saturday in the 500 and finished fourth. Not great, but still a victory — after all, he finished. But for an athlete who once had a chance to claim gold and glory, it was a disappointment.

In 1988, Jansen was skating on a world record pace when he fell 400 meters from the finish line. Now, on the rough ice of Albertville's outdoor oval, Jansen won't be looking for a record — only a medal.

"It hasn't been my strongest race," Jansen said. "The 500 is definitely my strongest race, but, sure, if I skate a solid 1,000 and have a good last lap, there's medal possibilities. Definitely. I have the speed to skate a good 1,000, and the strength. I've worked hard on endurance."

Jansen's hopes were bolstered Monday when Germany's Uwe-Jens Mey, a long-time rival and the winner of the gold in the 500, pulled out of the 1,000.

Mey, 28, was scratched today from the race due to the flu. But there is other competition.



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Top-seeded U.S. to begin medal round

MERIBEL, France (AP) — The U.S. hockey team gained the top medal-round seed in its Olympic group Monday night despite blowing a 3-0 third-period lead to world champion Sweden and settling for a 3-3 tie.

Ray LeBlanc stopped 45 shots but not even he could save the United States' dream of becoming the country's first unbeaten, untied Olympic champion since 1960. The 4-0-1 start mirrors the record that the Miracle on Ice club brought into the 1980 medal round.

The Americans, who hadn't allowed any third-period goals in their first four games, meet France (2-3) in a Tuesday quarterfinal.

With the goalie pulled and a sixth attacker on the ice, Mikael Johansson scored with 21 seconds to play to give the Swedes (3-0-2) the tie and let them stay in second place in Pool A.

Johansson tried a wraparound from LeBlanc's left and the puck deflected off the right skate of U.S. defenseman Dave Tretowicz and into the net.

The Swedes will face Czechoslovakia in a Wednesday quarterfinal. A loss would have

let Finland (3-1-1) jump past Sweden; instead, the third-place Finns must play the formidable Unified Team on Wednesday.

The Swedes seemed determined to avenge "the Shame in Chamonix" — a Feb. 5 pre-Olympic loss to the United States, after which Swedish players and coaches accused American players of overly physical play.

Sweden did more than make accusations Monday.

Just 2:04 into the game, Mats Naslund, who once won an NHL trophy for gentlemanly behavior, bloodied the face of U.S. defenseman Greg Brown with a vicious hit along the boards. The hit might have been counterproductive; Naslund, one of Sweden's best players, was ejected and the United States appeared to gain emotionally.

The Americans were emotionally charged well before the hit. It took only 36 seconds for Clark Donatelli to tip Tim Sweeney's feed past Sweden goalie Roger Nordstrom.

LeBlanc continually bailed out a U.S. defense that played well in spots but gave up several excellent scoring chances. LeBlanc stopped three

breakaways and at least 20 other dead-on shots.

He has played every minute of the tournament and has allowed only seven goals. He had a scoreless string of 136 minutes, 39 seconds snapped by Tommy Sjodin at 6:21 of the third period. Hakan Loob made it 3-2 with a power-play goal at 13:25.

By the time Sjodin scored, the Americans had a three-goal lead. Ted Donato got loose for a breakaway and slid the puck between Nordstrom's pads at 7:18 of the second period. At 2:42 of the third, Donato set up Marty McInnis for a shot over Nordstrom.

Hard hits were exchanged all game, starting with Naslund's flagrant charge.

Naslund went the entire length of the U.S. defensive zone, left his feet and slammed Brown face-first into the boards behind the U.S. goal line.

Brown stayed on the ice for several minutes before leaving with a cut above his right eye and across the bridge of his nose. U.S. coach Dave Peterson told CBS-TV that Brown had suffered a concussion and asked that Naslund be thrown out of the tournament.

Tyson

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definitely has a fighting chance.

And what does this whole ordeal mean for the sport of boxing? With its number-one money maker out of the ring, it can only hurt boxing's popularity. Holyfield, Foreman, Buster Douglas, et al, simply cannot hold the public's attention like Tyson can.

Finally, what does the Tyson verdict mean for sports in general? Certainly after the William Kennedy Smith trial and the Anita Hill affair, women's faith in the American system had to have been shaken.

But with the jury finding Tyson guilty, it sends a signal to all famous people, including sports personalities, that their fame and fortune does not necessarily protect them in disputes against the common man. They will be held up to the same standards as any other criminal.

The fall of the sports idol has had its consequences. No longer are the Michael Jordans and the Ken Griffey Jr.s, the romantic heroes of yesteryear that Joe DiMaggio and Babe Ruth were.

But society and the press as well will no longer turn a blind eye to sports stars' indiscretions. Jose Canseco's arrest for possession of a concealed weapon is only the latest indication that there is no longer a special status conferred upon athletes with regard to the law or society's moral standards.

People ask how the Hall of Fame can keep Pete Rose out and allow drunkards such as Grover Alexander and yes, Babe Ruth, in. It's only because of this change in America's thinking that this question is even asked.

Tyson may still be a role model for inner city youths looking for an example of someone who's "made it" in the world.

But he is also a shining example of our intolerance of athletes thinking they can get away with anything because they're Mike Tyson.

When Ali returned to boxing in 1970, he was not quite as brash or flashy as he was when he first won the heavyweight title. Three years away from the sport had brought a touch of humility to the man, and his fans adored him even more.

Let's hope the same can be said of Tyson if and when he returns from his exile.

Irish hockey splits with Kent State

Observer Staff Report

The Notre Dame hockey team split a weekend series at Kent State last weekend, winning the opener 6-5 on Friday night before falling 3-1 on Saturday.

In the first game, the Irish (9-15-1) scored three goals in the second period to force Golden Flash goalie Mario LaCasse from the game. Sophomore defenseman Matt Osiecki scored the game-winner.

In the closing game, the Irish were unable to muster a potent offense in falling 3-1. Kent State had won six of seven previous games before facing the Irish, including wins at Boston College and Providence.

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Belles

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Belles held the Lady Buccaneers to just two points in a five-minute span.

Junior guard Kristen Crowley said, "I think the zone slows us down. When we're fast breaking, we're hard to beat. And when we play intense defense, we play intense offense."

Another key in Saturday's win was a balanced offense. Three Belles players scored in double figures against Beloit. Junior center Julie Snyder led the Belles with 23 points.

Senior forward Catherine Restovich tallied 15 points and junior center Kim Holmes added 10 to the Belles' successful offensive drive. The Belles will need to continue this even offensive attack to win tonight.

Hurting the Belles will be the absence of senior forward Janet Libbing. In the earlier matchup, Libbing contributed 18 points and 10 rebounds to the team's efforts.

She is also the Belles second highest season scorer, with 235 points to date, and the Belles leading rebounder with 125. However, a torn knee ligament in the first half of the Beloit game will put her out of action for the remainder of the season.

"We've lost Janet and that's going to hurt us. She's a hard



The Observer/Marguerite Schropp
SMC's Janet Libbing, shown against Bethel, suffered a knee-injury that will keep her out of the lineup as the Belles go for their fifth-straight win.

person to fill. But the girls did it Saturday. They came right back," commented Cromer.

After tonight's matchup, the Belles will have three games remaining. If they can spark big wins against Olivet, Kalamazoo,

Calvin and Wheaton, they have a shot at a post-season tournament.

Wheaton will pose an obstacle for the Belles; however, coach Cromer is confident that his team will be successful in their future games.

"I really think we can play Olivet tonight, and Kalamazoo on Saturday. We played Calvin in a tournament, we can play with them. Wheaton will be the toughest."

"If we win the rest of these games, we would have an opportunity to earn a berth in the playoffs," Cromer added. "But we have to win the game tonight. We just have to try winning one game at a time. If we can do that and play Wheaton well, it will give us something to look forward to."

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Herschel, 4-man sled seek 1st medal since '56

LA PLAGNE, France (AP) — Twenty-four hours after finishing seventh in the two-man bobsled, Herschel Walker was back on the Olympic track Monday with three teammates turning in the best start time of the day.

Unfortunately, it was only a practice run.

"That wasn't bad for us," the NFL running back said. "We haven't done a four-man for the last two weeks."

Driver Randy Will, sidepushers Joe Sawyer and Karlos Kirby, and brakeman Walker dominated the first run. They had the fastest start time of 6.24 seconds en route to a run time of 1 minute, 21 seconds.

In the second run they posted a 6.25 over the first 50 meters to tie for sixth with the No. 1 German sled, driven by 1988 silver medalist Wolfgang Hoppe.

Their run time was 1:00.47, seventh-fastest in the field of 38. Their combined time of 2:00.68 put them third, behind Canada I and Switzerland III.

"Things went very smooth," U.S. coach John Philbin said on a bitterly cold day high in the French Alps. "The good thing too is their load, which is very important. And that all comes down to teamwork. They've got that down very, very good. It's very promising."

Philbin estimated the Americans went at 85-90 percent speed, and said most teams weren't going all-out. He said they'll pick it up as practice continues through Thursday.

Philbin said it will take Walker three or four pushes to make the transition from two-man to four-man.

"Things happen faster when you're on a four-man," Philbin said. "It comes out of the hole faster, and he has the ability to make that adjustment because he does have that great athletic talent."

"You've got three guys who are pushing the sled away from you," Walker said, "so it's got to be a quicker hit and your first step has got to be on the ice real quick because you've got help pushing the sled. So they are totally different things."

Philbin said the start of the 1,508-meter, 19-turn La Plagne track is the flattest in the world, putting pushing at a premium.

"As you can see, this is a track meet. You've got to get off the top the best, otherwise you can pretty much cancel it there. We have the athletes who can do it and the teamwork we've put together in the last two weeks," he said.

The U.S. hasn't won a medal in the four-man since 1956. The closest call since then came in 1988, when Brent Rushlaw missed the bronze by two-hundredths of a second.

Walker would like to get the medal that eluded him and two-man partner Brian Shimer.

"I think we've got a very good chance. That's the reason I'm here. ... I'm from the U.S., I'm on the U.S. team and I'd like to see the U.S. win a medal," Walker said.

SPORTSBRIEFS

■ **Attention ND/SMC Sailing team** and anyone who likes to sail: There will be a mandatory meeting Monday, February 17, at 8:15 p.m. in room 204 O'Shaughnessy. Everyone is welcome to attend, including freshmen.

■ **The new Bookstore Basketball** commissioner for 1992 is Andy Sinn, and the following people have been named assistant commissioners: Theresa Forst, Bobby Sullivan, Pat Coleman, Allen Echiverri, John O'Rourke, John Neal, Dan Gutchewsky, and Scott Buccellato. Congratulations to everyone.

■ **Attention all freshmen:** The Student Managers Organization will have an informational meeting for all interested in assisting the male and female athletes of Notre Dame. The meeting will be held Wednesday, Feb. 19 at 8 p.m. in the Loftus Football Auditorium. Any questions please call the Manager's Office at 239-6482.

■ **Attention Rowing Club:** There will be an important meeting this Wednesday at 7:30 in room 120 Cushing. Spring break balances are due.

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The packets must be completed and returned by Wed. March 4. No exceptions!! All social service & graduate clubs must also pick up their forms from the CCC office.

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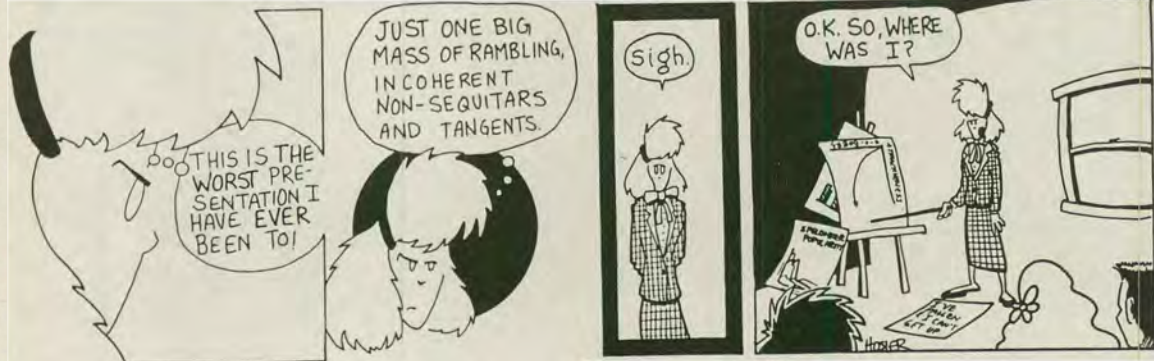
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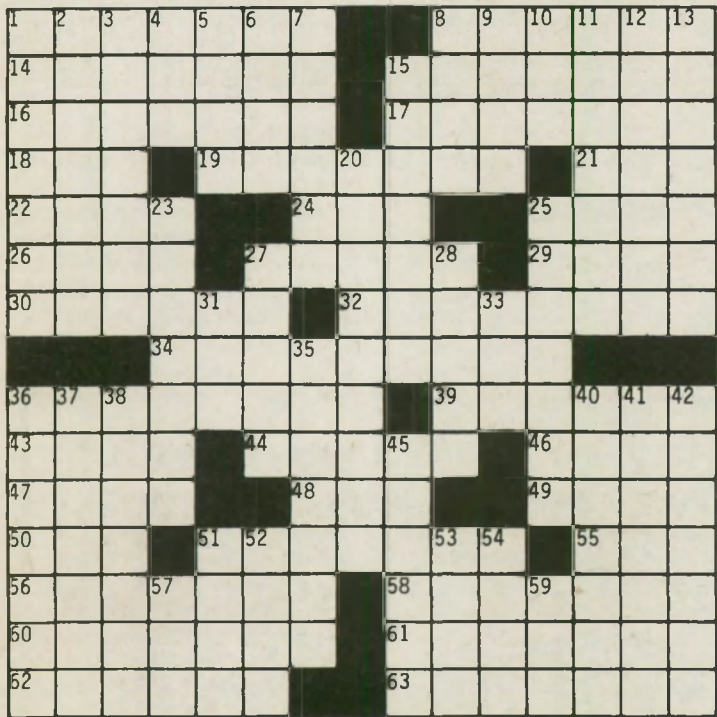
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7 p.m. Popular Culture Group Film Series with discussion, "Cover-up: Behind the Iran-Contra Affair?" Auditorium, Science Hall, Saint Mary's College. Sponsored by Popular Culture Group and Justice Education, Saint Mary's College.

7 p.m. Film, "The Conversation." Annenberg Auditorium.

9:15 p.m. Film, "Easy Rider." Annenberg Auditorium.

LECTURES

4:15 p.m. Part of Sesquicentennial Series: Traditions of Learning at Notre Dame, "Poetry at Notre Dame." Panel discussion with John Engels, Sonia Gernes, John Matthias, Ernest Sandeon, and Jay Walton. Hesburgh Library Lounge. Sponsored by Graduate School, Department of English and Notre Dame Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.

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Restovich paces Belles hoops

By CHRIS BACON
Sports Writer

Like father like daughter. It's a slight twist on the old expression, but the meaning is the same, especially for Saint Mary's Catherine Restovich. The four year starter for the Belles has followed her father's basketball footsteps all the way to South Bend.

Restovich's father, George, was a dual-sport athlete for Notre Dame in 1968. "My father was always a big influence. He played basketball and baseball at Notre Dame," said Restovich.

The 5' 7" forward from Rochester, Minnesota leads the Belles in scoring this season, averaging 16 points per game. This is a tremendous improvement over her 10.8 points per game last season.

As a matter of fact, Restovich has already surpassed her total points last season, scoring 240 points for the season this year compared to 215 the year before.

"She should be proud of herself. She has dedicated herself to basketball," explained Belles

coach Don Cromer. "If she does in life what she does in basketball she'll be happy."

"I've started since freshman year, but I never had the confidence I had in high school. Then, you're the big wig. Here, you're among many," Restovich added. "I never reached my potential, but this year I've received the permission, the confidence to play my game."

Restovich creates commotion not only on the offensive end. As the Belles fourth leading rebounder, Restovich grabs 5.9 boards per game, an improvement over last season's 4.12 rebounds per game. Of her total 89 rebounds this season, 55 of them come from her defensive efforts inside the paint.

Restovich's presence on the floor is not only seen in her statistics. What makes her a leader on the court is her unselfish play.

With 38 assists to her name, Restovich is known for helping her teammates make the big plays. As a senior, she has the experience to do whatever it takes to help lead the Belles to victory.

"She's unselfish," remarked

Cromer. "She wants to make things happen and she wants to help others. She doesn't do all the scoring. Some nights you don't score, you pass the ball."

The Belles will look to Restovich to lead them tonight against visiting Olivet College. Earlier this season in the Saint Mary's Roundball Classic, Olivet squeaked past the Belles 84-81. In that game, Restovich rallied for 12 points, including a perfect 6-6 at the line, and six assists.

Tonight, with the absence of teammate Janet Libbing, the Belles will turn to Restovich to spark their offensive drive. Libbing led the Belles against Olivet with 18 points in their previous encounter, but Cromer is confident that Restovich will fill the void that Libbing leaves behind.

"Catherine is a player that makes things happen," Cromer said. "Each year she has improved. Now she drives to the basket. She'll shoot the ball left handed. You don't see many girls who will go in there and do a turn-around shot or shoot left handed. She's not afraid to."



The Observer/Marguerite Schropp

Senior Catherine Restovich, shown against Northeastern Illinois, is a leader of the Belles hoops team, currently on a four-game win streak.

Warriors to invade the ACC tonight

Irish flying high after win over Syracuse

By DAVE DIETEMAN
Sports Editor

Just over two weeks ago, Notre Dame came from behind to stun Marquette 69-63 in Milwaukee.

Yet despite that victory and Marquette's 12-10 record, John MacLeod's Irish (9-11) squad is hoping to avoid a let-down on the heels of its 101-98 win over Syracuse.

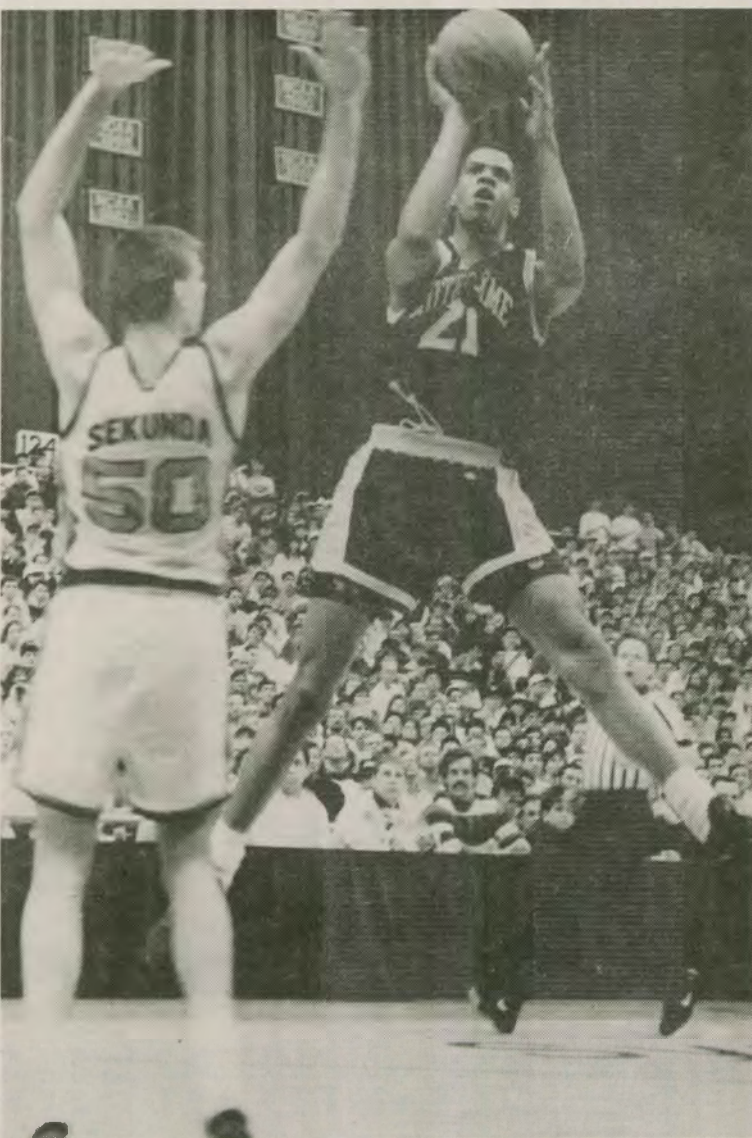
"I'm very pleased with the way we played versus Syracuse," said MacLeod. "We eliminated the scoring droughts and I think we're starting to shoot the ball better. We need to shoot better because we can't continually say that the defense is going to hold us. I especially liked what Malik Russell and Jon Ross did coming off the bench. They were excellent."

"Marquette is getting better. They've improved since the last time we played them. They've lost some close games but they still are improving. That's a credit to their coach and certainly to their players. Offensively, they're doing a very good job of running their offense and setting their picks."

Damon Key, who netted 13 first-half points against the Irish in Milwaukee, leads the Warriors in scoring with an average of 14.7 points per game. Robb Logterman is second in scoring with 11.9.

Aside from praising Marquette's offensive prowess, MacLeod duly noted the potency of the Warrior defense.

"Defensively, they seem to be much better with their man to man—much quicker and better reacting," said MacLeod. "They've improved on both offense and defense. Their record doesn't reflect that, but if you look at the calibre of people that they've played and the closeness of the games, to me that's a barometer that you use."



The Observer/John Rock

Freshman Malik Russell, seen here skying for a shot against Syracuse, is one of a group of freshmen providing depth for the Irish.

"We won't be overconfident, because after we played Duke we played Detroit," continued MacLeod. "And Detroit popped us here at home. I don't think we're going to be overconfident. We only have eight games left and our players are well aware of what Marquette did to us in the first half at Marquette."

"They shot 80 percent in the first half and we were down by 20, so they are keenly aware of what this Marquette ballclub is. So I don't think there's going to be any problem getting our players ready based on what Marquette did to us in the first

half of the first game."

The Irish are currently two games under .500 and face second-ranked UCLA at the ACC on Saturday. For a team still harboring hopes of post-season play, tonight's game against the Warriors is a must win situation, and a couple upsets in the remainder of the season are also necessary.

With the leadership of four seniors determined to go out on a strong note, anything can happen. It will be an uphill battle, but this team seems to perform best when the odds are against them.

Belles hoops to take on Olivet

By CHRIS BACON
Sports Writer

Can they make it five in a row?

That is the question on many minds today as the Saint Mary's basketball team (8-8) hosts Olivet College tonight at 7 pm in the Angela Athletic Facility.

The Belles are currently riding high on a four-game win streak following Saturday's 77-72 victory against Beloit and hope to stretch it to five. The Belles may have one problem, though, and that is tonight's opponent.

At Saint Mary's Roundball Classic, Olivet squeaked passed the Belles 84-81. Tonight the Belles are looking for revenge.

"We played Olivet in the tour-

nament and they hit the three pointers against us. We're not going to let them hit the three pointers," explained Belles coach Don Cromer. "They beat us 81-84. Hopefully, we'll be able to reverse that score and beat them."

For tonight's matchup, the Belles will have to close the defensive holes and stop Olivet's shooting game. The Belles' zone defense allowed Olivet to open up on the outside, enabling them to sink six easy trifectas.

The Belles will also have to continue executing the fast break and pressuring man-to-man. In the second half of Saturday's Beloit game, the

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Tyson case provides harsh realities for athletes

Last week, Mike Tyson lost the biggest decision of his career.

We'll never know for sure the events of that fateful night last summer, although if the news reports of the trial were accurate, it certainly appears that the jury was correct in its verdict.

What we do know is the result.

A jury found Tyson guilty of rape and two counts of deviate sexual conduct last Monday, and he now faces up to 60 years in an Indiana state prison.

Even if he should receive a "light" sentence (10-20 years) and time off for good behavior, he will most likely serve around five years in jail, meaning the end of his boxing career.

Or is it?

Consider the case of Muhammed Ali.

Ali was banned from boxing for three years (1967-1970) because of his refusal to be inducted into the military during the Vietnam War.

His absence took place during what are considered the peak years of a boxer's career, and many boxing fans still wonder what his career would have been like if he had fought during those years.

However, what is known is that when Ali returned from his three-year ban, he was able to win the heavyweight crown twice more before finally hanging up the gloves for good.

What does this mean then for Tyson, the top contender for the heavyweight title now held by Evander Holyfield? It certainly bodes well for the ex-champion, who, if the above scenario holds true, would still be able to box, and box well, if or when he is paroled.

If George Foreman can fight into his 40s, then Tyson, should he maintain his physical stamina during his prison stay,

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Rene Ferran
Out of Bounds