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In Bush's last days, U.S. mounts strikes on Iraq

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States on Sunday unleashed a punishing shower of Tomahawk missiles against an Iraqi military complex just eight miles from downtown Baghdad, forcefully delivering "the political and diplomatic point" that Iraq must comply with United Nations resolutions.

In a dramatic crescendo for President Bush's final weekend in office, U.S. forces shot down a MiG-23 warplane and struck an Iraqi air defense installation. Hours later, U.S. warships launched more than 30 Tomahawks into the night skies near Iraq's capital.

White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said the United States had targeted the non-nuclear cruise missiles at a nuclear fabrications plant in response to a series of weekend military provocations by Iraq.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein "is determined to create a confrontation in the closing days of the Bush administration," and emphasized that Bush would not flinch.

In New York, the United Nations rejected Iraq's latest conditions for weapons inspection, raising the

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possibility of further U.S.-led raids. U.N. officials want Iraq to allow unconditional travel into Iraq by U.N. weapons inspectors and guarantee their safety.

Bush was at Camp David, Md., for the weekend and made no statement.

Cheney referred to Saddam as a "pathetic figure" for testing the U.S. presidential transition and the resolve of the United Nations coalition that defeated Iraq in the 1991 Gulf War.

The attack put Saddam on notice that the United States was willing to hit him close to home. Like last Wednesday's hostilities, it was a limited action unlikely to expose U.S. forces to much risk.

Baghdad was lit by bright blasts of anti-aircraft fire from Iraqi gunners. It was not immediately known whether the attack was successful. "We don't have a damage assessment at this point," said Fitzwater.

The operation did not involve any allied warplanes, and lasted about two hours.

The nuclear-weapons site in the suburb of Zaafraniyeh, a scant eight miles from downtown Baghdad, was attacked with missiles fired from U.S. warships in the Persian Gulf and Red Sea. Each missile was armed with a 984-pound non-nuclear warhead.

The plant has been dormant, according to International Atomic Energy Agency spokesman David Kyd, who said it was visited by inspectors in June 1991 and subsequently. He said it was "absolutely out of action."

However, a senior Pentagon official insisted that the site was "key" to the Iraqi nuclear weapons program. Not all the buildings at the site were tar-

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U.S. troops to depart Somalia

MOGADISHU, Somalia (AP) — The U.S. Marines will send their first combat troops home Tuesday as the United States moves toward transferring military control of Somalia to a U.N. command, perhaps within two weeks, a spokesman said Sunday.

But the spokesman, Marine Col. Fred Peck, stressed that the Security Council had not yet adopted resolutions necessary for the transfer or decided on a command structure and the rules of engagement.

The announcement of the departure of a battalion of 850 Marines came on one of the quietest days in Somalia since U.S. troops landed Dec. 9 to restore order in a nation that has lost 350,000 people to famine, fighting and disease in the last year. An additional 2 million people are considered at risk.

For the first time, Peck told the daily briefing: "I don't have anything to announce today (on fighting). It was a very quiet day."

In still another indication of improving security, a convoy of 25 trucks carrying nearly 400 tons of food set out for the first time over 400 treacherous miles to western Somalia. French troops accompanied the convoy.

"The roads have not been used," said Brenda Barton, spokeswoman for the World

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Learning something new

Pangborn freshman Emily Hansen studies work displayed in the architecture building. Touring the building can be of interest to all students with the presentations of historical architectural works.

Group protests bombing of Iraq

By MEREDITH MCCULLOUGH
Associate News Editor

Armed not with weapons or hostility but with banners and words of peace, a group of students calling itself the Coalition for Peace gathered Friday in the quad opposite the bookstore to protest the most recent allied bombing of Iraq.

The noon-time demonstration took the form of a of a symbolic "die-in," in which approximately 10 students positioned themselves on the snowy ground in order to represent Iraqi citizens reported killed in these bombing raids. The students remained in this position for the duration of the half hour protest.

Other members of the group held signs reading "Arab Blood is Human Blood" and "No peace with Bombs," while still others distributed press releases explaining their position.

The protesters' intentions were two-fold: to express their rejection of the use of violence to achieve political aims of peace and justice and to raise awareness and discussion in the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's community, according to group leader Jasmin Habib.

"We oppose all escalation of violence in the region and propose nonviolent sanctions," Habib said.

She emphasized that the group was not taking sides, but called for solutions that are in accord with international law and United Nations resolutions. "A double standard is being played out here," she said. "United Nations resolutions are not being followed."

The demonstration also stressed human factors and the effect of war upon the innocent.

Habib expressed concern that bombs are not always completely accurate in hitting solely political targets and said, "Bombs are not just something that drop out of the sky—they kill people and the civilians they kill have nothing to do with Saddam Hussein."

"We feel sorry for the people there," added a member of the group who chose not to be identified. "It is the people who suffer the most."

"Human lives are the bottom line," said Habib.

Though the sight of students laying in the snow surrounded by a red dye symbolizing spilt blood may have been a shocking one for some passersby, the group said it hoped that the demonstration would generate awareness and dialogue.

"The students on this campus are ignorant of international issues. They are not aware of what happens outside their nation," said protestor Abir Khater. "We hope they open their ears a little bit and their hearts too," she added.

As if in response, music including the Cure's piece "Killing an Arab" resonated from a window in Dillon Hall and two students ran amid the prostrate bodies throwing a football.

"It (the demonstration) is just a start," said Khater acknowledging the disruptions. "It might not help that much."

Like most of the other

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Saint Mary's plans events for King Day

By KATIE CAPUTO
News Writer

In celebration of Martin Luther King Day, Saint Mary's College will sponsor the following presentations dealing with attitudes on peace and racism:

•a videotape of King's "I Have a Dream" speech will be shown continuously in the Great Hall of LeMans from 9 am through 4 p.m.;

•the campus band Sister Chain will perform at noon at Haggar College Center parlor;

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•a prayer service will be held in the Little Theatre at 4:15 p.m.;

•buses will be leaving from the Regina Hall lobby at 6 p.m. to transport students to the South Bend/Mishawaka Community Celebration at

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Saint Mary's to begin nursing program

By CHRISTINA CANNON
News Writer

Saint Mary's will offer a 13-month accelerated nursing program starting this summer.

The accelerated program will consist of a 13-week summer session beginning in June 1993, two semesters during the college's 1993-94 academic year and a final session in the summer of 1994, said Brett McLaughlin, director of public relations at Saint Mary's.

After completing the program, graduates will be eligible to take the National Council Lincendure Examination to become registered nurses, said McLaughlin.

Saint Mary's decided to initiate the program because a large number of Saint Mary's graduates have called the nursing department seeking an accelerated degree, according to JoAnn Widerquist, associate professor of nursing.

Although Loyola of Chicago started a similar program last year, Saint Mary's pilot program is the only one of its kind available in the state and has received approval from the State Board of Nursing, said Widerquist.

The program is limited to 10 students and offered to those who have earned a bachelor's or other advanced degree in studies other than nursing. Applicants must meet all of the standard admission requirements of Saint Mary's, said McLaughlin.

For applications and registration information contact the Saint Mary's nursing department at 284-4680. Applications are due Feb. 15, 1993.

INSIDE COLUMN

There was no good reason to forget MLK day

Kenya Johnson
Assistant Accent Editor

Some believe that it is a true atrocity that Notre Dame does not honor Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday, a national holiday, by cancelling classes for the day.

This is true. But it is also an atrocity that Labor Day, a national holiday in remembrance of several Americans who were murdered for striking against unjust working conditions, is not honored.

And let's not forget that Notre Dame also overlooks Veterans Day, a national holiday as well; a day devoted to those who have served our country, either voluntarily or forced by the government, in the armed forces.

I have no intention of wasting good column space with "Notre Dame bashing." So long as Notre Dame is being ***consistent*** with its lack of acknowledgment of these meaningful holidays, there's no problem.

But there is a problem when a day like today goes by without any recognition what-so-ever. Today is the observation of Martin Luther King's birthday—the day when our country was blessed with the birth of a great man who lead people, black and white, to a somewhat "better" America.

Yet as we walk from DeBartolo to O'Saughnessy or from the dorms to the dining halls, this day, or rather the meaning of this day, tends to be forgotten.

Thankfully, Saint Mary's is sponsoring some events in King's memory, but I am appalled that there are no events going on today in memory of Dr. King at Notre Dame.

Some are blaming the African-American associations for not planning anything. Others are blaming the University for not having a day of commemoration. And undoubtedly, student government is receiving a lot of heat too.

The problem is that too many people are blaming others, and in doing so, relieving themselves of the responsibility. People assumed "some one else would take care it" and in the end, nobody did.

As a result, all of Notre Dame has suffered. There will be no fireside chats, no remembrance march, no showing of "Eyes On The Prize", no religious service in King's honor. There will be nothing. This is not what one would expect from a prestigious international university.

If I remember correctly, part of King's teachings included working as a team in order to get goals accomplished. The best thing anyone could have done was come together and plan events together, just as King would have liked.

Perhaps, had not I assumed also, I would have even planned something myself. Now I know. Now we all know.

Nevertheless, HAPPY BIRTHDAY DR. KING!

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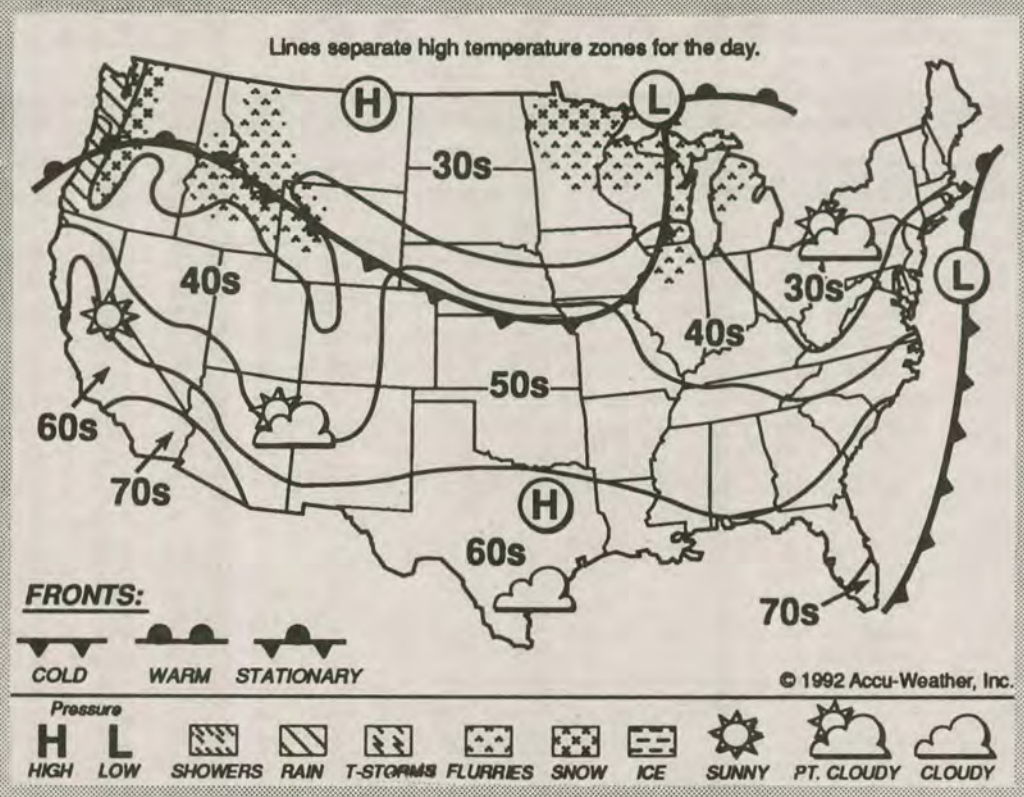
Forecast for noon, Monday, January 18



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Cloudy and cold today with a chance of flurries and highs in the mid 20s. Partly sunny Friday and high in the lower 30s.

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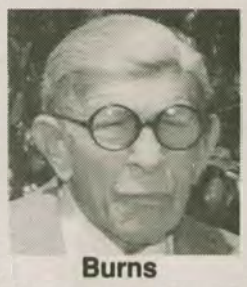
TODAY AT A GLANCE

NATIONAL

Burns Celebrates 97th Birthday

■**LAS VEGAS, Nev.** — George Burns, whose birthday is Wednesday, has promised to play the Palladium on his 100th birthday. If Saturday night's show before about 800 people was an indication, he'll have a warm reception. The crowd rose to its feet, cheering and applauding, as a puff of cigar smoke wafted from behind a stage curtain, followed by a grinning, bespectacled, cigar-puffing Burns. Burns said age hasn't kept him from singing, cracking jokes or dating younger women. "Why shouldn't I be a country singer?" he asked in a prelude to a song. "I'm older than most countries." As for dating, "I don't go out with women my age," he explained. "There are no women my age."



Burns

CAMPUS

Sacred Heart rings bells for Clinton

■**NOTRE DAME, Ind.**—The bells of Notre Dame's Basilica of the Sacred Heart, the oldest carillon in North America, rang at 6 p.m. EST Sunday as part of the national "Bells for Hope" observance that leads off inaugural activities for President-elect Bill Clinton. The President-elect, Vice President-elect Al Gore and their families initiated the bell ringing at Arlington National Cemetery, where they rang a replica of the Liberty Bell. Carillons at hundreds of churches, colleges and universities around the nation, as well as the bells of San Francisco's cable cars and an electronic bell aboard the space shuttle Endeavor, took part in the Sunday bell ringing.

Saint Mary's student receives award

■**NOTRE DAME, Ind.**— Saint Mary's senior Kim Didriksen was presented with the the Ernest and Young Accounting Award. This monetary award is given annually to an outstanding accounting major in the senior class of Saint Mary's. The same presentation is awarded at every college and university throughout the United States. After graduation Didriksen will enter the Ernest and Young Company as a staff auditor.

Law Advisory Council member dies

■**WASHINGTON, D.C.**—Francis Gregory Jr., a member of the Notre Dame Law School Advisory Council, died last week at the age of 51. Gregory, a 1966 graduate of the ND Law School, was a partner in the Washington law firm of Sutherland, Asbill and Brennan. He had been a member of the Council since 1983, and had retired last fall as chairman of the Council. Gregory was also a major contributor of the Law School library's endowment. David Link, dean of the Law School, will attend Gregory's funeral today at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Vienna, Va. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested contributions be made to the Notre Dame Law School library fund established by Gregory.

OF INTEREST

■**Martin Luther King Day celebrations**. Saint Mary's Collge is sponsoring a variety of events to invite the community to live the values for which Dr. King gave his life. An Interfaith Prayer Service Service will be held at 4:15 p.m., Litttle Theatre, Moreau Hall. Call 284-5391 for further information.

■**Summer employment at Camp Manito-**Wish YMCA, a preimer high adventure camp located in the Northwoods of Wisconsin, is recruiting for summer employment. Come meet staff recruiters and learn more about Manito-Wish today at Hagger College Center at Saint Mary's in room 303 from 7:30-9 p.m.

■**SuperSibs, a recreational Big sibling/little** group is looking for ND students with handicapped siblings to share some quality time with these 8-12 year old siblings of Logan clients. If you are interested please come to an informative meeting on Wednesday Jan. 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the CSC lounge. Any questions, call Molly at 233-4925.

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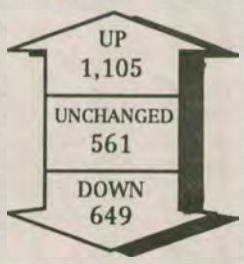

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■ **In 1912:** English explorer Robert Scott and his expedition reached the South Pole, only to discover that Roald Amundsen had beaten them there.

■ **In 1919:** The World War I peace Congress opened in Versailles, France.

■ **In 1956:** In Berlin, Parliament approved the creation of East German People's Army.

■ **In 1990:** Soviet reserve troops were sent to the republic of Azerbaijan, where ethnic riots had killed at least 66 people.

■ **In 1991:** Iraqi President Saddam Hussein launched a missile attack on Israel during the Persian Gulf War.

Dandelion gains girl inaugural invitation

By THERESA ALEMAN
News Writer

A bouquet of dandelions gained Ramal Taylor, an eight-year-old South Bend resident, an invitation to the presidential inaugural ceremonies as one of the president-elect's 60 "Faces of Hope."

Ramal, a third-grader at Stanley Clark elementary school, handed Hillary Clinton the dandelions last May when the future First Lady visited the Northeast Neighborhood Service Center of South Bend on the campaign trail.

Ramal, her mother Arlene, and her grandmother Marguerite received the invitation to the ceremonies on December 27. All expenses of the trip, including Bloomingdale's evening gowns for the three, will be paid by the Clinton inaugural committee.

The Taylor's will remain in Washington for six days.

"They sent us a list of activities six pages long," said Marguerite.

The three will spend their days, among other things, attending a parade, fireworks display, White House Tour and a Faces of Hope luncheon where they will meet president-elect Bill Clinton and vice-president-elect Al Gore.

"It's like a dream come true, only I never even dreamed something like this could happen," said Marguerite. "This is all Ramal can talk about for weeks. It's very exciting for all of us."

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Grant to fund ethics program

Special to The Observer

Notre Dame has received a grant of $250,000 from the W.M. Keck Foundation of Los Angeles to support a new program of clinical studies in legal ethics in the ND Law School.

The new program, conceived by Thomas Shaffer, Robert and Marion Short Professor of Law, will examine issues of legal ethics in the light of cases undertaken by the law school's Legal Aid Clinic. "In essence," Shaffer said, "we propose to combine the law school's academic commitment to ethics with its active program of clinical legal instruction."

The Law School's Legal Aid Clinic, co-directed by Eileen Doran and Barbara Gasperetti, both associate professional specialists in the law school, provides free legal services to poor people in Michiana. Each year, 40 law students serve in the clinic, which operates year-round both from its offices in the Law School and at the Center for the Homeless in South Bend. The clinic has around 200 open cases at any given time.

By serving in the clinic and taking the legal aid course associated with it, a law student can earn up to eight semester hours of credit.

The school plans to use the clinic as a "sort of textbook for instruction in legal ethics," and the centerpiece for a two-semester legal aid course which will be offered to law students beginning next fall, Shaffer said. "Law students, many of whom might not otherwise be involved with the clinic, will discuss presentations by clinic interns and supervising attorneys on the ethical ramifications of current cases."

"We are deeply grateful for this important grant," said University President Father Edward Malloy. "The Notre Dame Law School's distinctive commitment to the teaching of ethics will surely be enhanced by the unique and innovative program which the Keck Foundation has helped make possible."

The W.M. Keck Foundation, now one of the nation's largest charitable organizations, was established in 1954 by the late William Myron Keck, founder of the Superior Oil Company, to support accredited colleges and universities with particular emphasis on the sciences, engineering and medical research.

Coretta King calls march a 'wake-up call'

ATLANTA (AP) — Coretta Scott King wants Americans to join a national march on Washington this summer to shake the United States out of a decade of apathy during which she said racism was allowed to flourish.

"We're going back to Washington, not as an idle exercise in nostalgia, but to make a wake-up call to the slumbering conscience of our democracy," the slain civil rights leader's widow said Sunday in her annual "State of the Dream" speech. Monday is Martin Luther King Day.

"We go back to Washington because we still have that unhonored check that Martin Luther King Jr. talked about in his dream, the check that promises that all Americans would be guaranteed the inalienable rights of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," Mrs. King said.

The march would mark the 30th anniversary of her husband's "I have a dream" speech on Aug. 28, 1963. A 20th anniversary march drew 500,000 people.

Mrs. King called a 1993 march a "great lobby for needed social and economic reforms."

"The cancer of racism flourished during the last decade and a climate of hostility to civil rights was permitted to fester in America, including the Supreme Court and the Justice Department," Mrs. King said.

She also criticized the U.S. policy of forcibly repatriating Haitian refugees, an action many civil rights leaders have called racist.

She called the recent fighting in iraq inhumane, saying a stronger United Nations is needed. At home, she said better health care for children is needed.

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Iraq

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geted, he added. He described it as a "multi-billion dollar facility," that used high-tech computers to manufacture components used in the uranium enrichment process for nuclear weapons.

"Our intent here was to do serious damage to the facility. ... It is of high value to the Iraqi military," he said.

Queried about damage to the Al Rasheed hotel in Baghdad, the official said U.S. military planners "absolutely" had not targeted the hotel. Although the official said the damage appeared to have come from missiles in the Iraqi arsenal, he said he could not totally rule out that some damage may have been caused by U.S. weaponry.

An Iraqi army photographer outside the hotel showed reporters a piece of metal he said he found at the site. The fragment bore the markings of the U.S. company that makes the turbo-fan engine for the Tomahawk cruise missile.

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Century Center;

•a program on cultural diversity and racism will be presented Tuesday at 4:15 p.m. in room 231 West Madeleva.;

•finishing the series, a second talk on cultural diversity and racism will take place on Wednesday at 6 p.m. in room 231 East Madeleva.

The programs are open to all members of the campus community, free of charge, and are sponsored by the College's Campus Ministry and Office of Minority, International and Non-traditional Student Life.

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Oh what a feeling!

Dillon roommates senior Clarke Rogers and junior Robert Escalera have as much fun as they can before the stress of another semeter settles in their lives.

Somalia

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Food Program. "It's much cheaper if we can manage to move food by road on a regular basis. That means we're going to be able to gradually wind down the airlift operation."

Mohamed Farah Aidid, one of Somalia's most powerful warlords, predicted a 3-day-old cease-fire among the country's warring factions would hold.

"I believe it will be implemented correctly," he told reporters when he returned from Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, where the agreement was signed by 14 factions Friday.

Peace

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students involved in the demonstration, Habib and Khater are graduate students from the University's Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies. As students of peace, many of whom are international students as well, the group's show of condemnation of the aggression was their "duty," according to Habib.

Correction

The Observer incorrectly reported the dates of this semester's study days. They are April 29 and 30. The Observer regrets the error.

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Bush knew about documents

WASHINGTON (AP) — George Bush apparently knew in the early days of the Iran-Contra affair that a presidential document stored in John Poindexter's safe contained a secrecy provision that hid the Iran arms sales from Congress, according to Bush's tape-recorded diaries.

The Nov. 15, 1986 diary entry referring to national security adviser Poindexter came 11 days after word of the arms-for-hostages deals first became public in the United States.

At the time, the existence and whereabouts of a "finding," — a document signed by the president which authorized the Iran arms sales — was a fact known to only a few people inside the Reagan administration.

The Nov. 15 diary entry — among 45 pages of excerpts released Friday by the White House — is the first indication that Bush had this information about that aspect of the Iran initiative.

Bush's diary entry did not specify which of three presidential findings he was referring to. One was from Dec. 5, 1985 ratifying CIA involvement in a shipment of 18 Hawk missiles to Iran the previous month. Two others from January 1986 authorized future arms sales to Iran. All three contained provisions saying that the CIA director should refrain from reporting the operation to Congress.

"Saturday paper headline that (CIA Director William) Casey had been given a letter to try to avoid going to Congress," says the Nov. 15, 1986 diary entry.

"I know nothing of such a letter. It may well be the finding itself that was locked in Poindexter's safe," Bush added.

All three findings were kept in an envelope "in one of the safes in our outer office," Poindexter disclosed to Congress in May 1987.

Money crunch threatens minority enrollment gain

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rising tuition, state college budget cuts and financial aid uncertainties threaten to reverse recent gains in minority student enrollment, a consortium of universities and colleges warned Sunday.

The American Council on Education in its annual report urged Congress and the Clinton administration to come to the rescue, arguing minorities will most certainly be hit by the current money pinch.

"It is absolutely essential that the federal government renew its commitment to guaranteeing education opportunity for all qualified students regardless of their financial resources," the group's president, Robert Atwell, said. "Access by minorities to higher education is in peril."

The council's report said there was already evidence that budget crunches in California and New York had contributed to declines in minority enrollment.

Clinton has proposed creating a National Service Trust to allow students to borrow money for college education and repay the cost through public service or payroll deductions at tax time. The plan would replace a federal program that provided $13 billion in loans to 4.8 million students in 1991.

College administrators have urged the new administration to use Clinton's proposal to target poor minority students.

"My personal gut feeling is that the financial situation is by far the major reason for our students to leave school or not to come at all," said Howard University president Franklyn Jenifer, whose campus is predominantly black.

ACE, which has 1,500 member colleges and universities, said in its annual "Minorities in Higher Education" report that despite recent gains blacks and Hispanics are still far less likely than whites to attend college.

The group said more than a third of all whites ages 18 to 24 were enrolled in college in 1991, compared to about 24 percent for blacks and 18 percent for Hispanics.

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Clinton opens inaugural tour

WASHINGTON (AP) — Surrounding themselves with symbols of America's heritage, Bill Clinton and Al Gore on Sunday opened four days of star-studded pageantry and glitzy parties in the final countdown to their inauguration.

Arriving earlier than expected, the bus caravan carrying Clinton and Gore crossed the Potomac River to the Lincoln Memorial in mid-afternoon where a crowd of thousands of people were waiting for the president-elect and a late afternoon concert featuring a bell-wringing ceremony and fireworks.

The mood of celebration and anticipation in the nation's capital was tempered by another military showdown with Iraq. Clinton said he was in frequent contact with the White House. President Bush monitored the crisis from his mountaintop retreat at Camp David.

The incoming president began the day in central Virginia visiting Monticello, the historic home of Thomas Jefferson, father of the Democratic Party and author of the Declaration of Independence.

"I want to be faithful to Jefferson's idea that about once in a generation you have to shake things up and face your problems," said Clinton. "We owe it to Thomas Jefferson and George Washington and all our forebears to face the difficult, difficult problems of our time and to try to solve them."

Outgoing Defense Secretary Dick Cheney said Iraq was only "one of a long list of problems" facing Clinton and that the new president will be hampered by his slow pace of appointments, particularly at the Pentagon.

"It's very important to try to have some continuity," Cheney said on ABC. "Most of the key spots below the Cabinet level have not been filled."

Jefferson's home at Monticello was the starting point of a trademark bus trip to Washington by Clinton and Gore, passing through old hamlets in the Virginia countryside and Civil War battlegrounds. Thousands of well-wishers stood along the roadway during the 121-mile journey, waving flags and cheering the incoming administration.

Clinton and Gore were accompanied by their wives, Hillary Rodham Clinton and Tipper Gore.

Each vehicle in the 15-bus caravan carried an "An American Reunion" banner on its side proclaiming Clinton's inauguration theme.

There was a festive air in the capital, as well. Hotels were filling up with the first of hundreds of thousands of inaugural visitors, including hundreds of celebrities slated to perform at inaugural celebrations and balls.

Torch passes

Thirty-two years ago, on a frigid Washington morning, a young man told his nation that "the torch has been passed to a new generation of Americans, born in this century, tempered by war .. ."

The speaker was 43-year-old John F. Kennedy. His generation had known the Depression, had fought overseas, had been emboldened by postwar prosperity and embroiled in Cold War politics.

Turn the page. This week, a 46-year-old man will take the inaugural podium. And with him, a very different generation of Americans takes center stage — men and women born at midcentury, tempered by the fire at home over the Vietnam War, plagued by diminished expectations of a better life.

Once again, the torch is passed.

Poor not forgotten amid the inaugural glitz

WASHINGTON (AP) — If there's a certain awkwardness in the image of sequined gala-goers clutching cans of food for the homeless, well, Democrats will be Democrats.

The inaugural extravaganza can't help but highlight the gap between the comfortable celebrants and the downtrodden they espouse to champion. The capital is filled with Democrats clad in their finest, flitting from one lavish event to another, averting their eyes for the moment from the less fortunate.

Good intentions abound — a food drive sponsored by the Presidential Inaugural Committee, an unofficial inaugural ball for the homeless, another ball benefitting two local charities, and numerous events for the ordinary "hardworking Americans" President-elect Clinton pledged to remember in the White House.

But to many, the overriding impression of the week is big names, big bucks, big cars — and big ambivalence.

"This is supposed to be a new day and a new president, the people's president, and they're sweeping homeless people off the streets," said Carol Fennelly, who organized the homeless ball.

Still, she's resisting requests to lead protests. "This is not the time to be a spoiler. The man hasn't even gotten into office yet," she said. "And I do understand that people want to have a blowout. They are so glad to see the end of George Bush and Ronald Reagan and all that they symbolize."

Clinton supports Bush action against Iraq

WASHINGTON (AP) — President-elect Bill Clinton said Sunday the U.S. missile strike against Iraq was "appropriate and forceful." His press secretary said the incoming administration was "prepared to continue taking appropriate action until Iraq complies."

Clinton and his advisers took a tough line toward Iraq as the incoming president arrived in Washington for his inauguration on Wednesday.

Moments after Clinton's bus pulled up to the Lincoln Memorial for an inaugural festivity, his deputy national security adviser, Sandy Berger boarded the vehicle to brief the incoming president.

There was no sign of retreat from the military confrontations between the Bush administration and Iraq. "We're prepared to continue taking appropriate action until Iraq complies" with United Nations resolutions, said press secretary Dee Dee Myers.

Clinton's communications chief, George Stephanopoulos said Iraqi leader Saddam Hussein "doesn't realize that there is no daylight between President Bush and President Clinton on this."

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Civil war escalates in Bosnia

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The cross-border shelling marked the first time Yugoslavia has acknowledged intervening in the war since withdrawing its troops seven months ago from this former Yugoslav republic.

A U.N. convoy, meanwhile, reportedly reached a Muslim-held town in eastern Bosnia that had been cut off by Serb militants for months. The convoy was carrying tons of relief supplies to Zepa, where scores of people have reportedly died of cold, starvation and disease in recent weeks.

The convoy was to spend the night in Zepa before returning Sunday to Sarajevo, 40 miles to the west, said Alemka Lisinski, spokeswoman for U.N. refugee operations in Zagreb, Croatia.

There was no immediate word of what the relief workers found in the town.

Refugees face winter in northern Afghanistan

MAZAR-E-SHARIF, Afghanistan (AP) — In hundreds of flapping blue tents, thousands of barefoot refugee children huddled together for shelter from a bitter wind howling across the desolate plains of northern Afghanistan.

In the first week of January, sub-zero temperatures and an outbreak of measles killed 25 people in the frigid no man's land south of the wild Amu Darya River that separates Afghanistan and Tajikistan.

The dead, most of them children or elderly, were among nearly 60,000 Tajiks who fled their former Soviet republic last month to escape a civil war between the Communist old guard and Islamic fundamentalists.

Afghanistan, where they seek haven, is recovering from a civil war of its own that lasted 14 years and created more than five million refugees.

U.N. officials trying to cope with the sudden influx of Tajiks said hundreds died trying to cross the Amu Darya. The swift current swept away small children clinging to their mothers' backs.

"One woman lost two children like that, and then a third child died in the camp," said Terry Pitzner of Boston, Mass., who works for the U.N. refugee agency in the camp at Sakhi, 15 miles from Mazar-e-Sharif.

Refugees said soldiers fired at them as they fled their homeland by slipping through barbed wire and a huge marsh, then crossing the river in rickety boats or on flimsy rafts or tractor tires lashed together.

"As we fled, they shot at our backs, people just fell around me," said Mailon Bibi, who left her village 20 miles from the border with her eight children.

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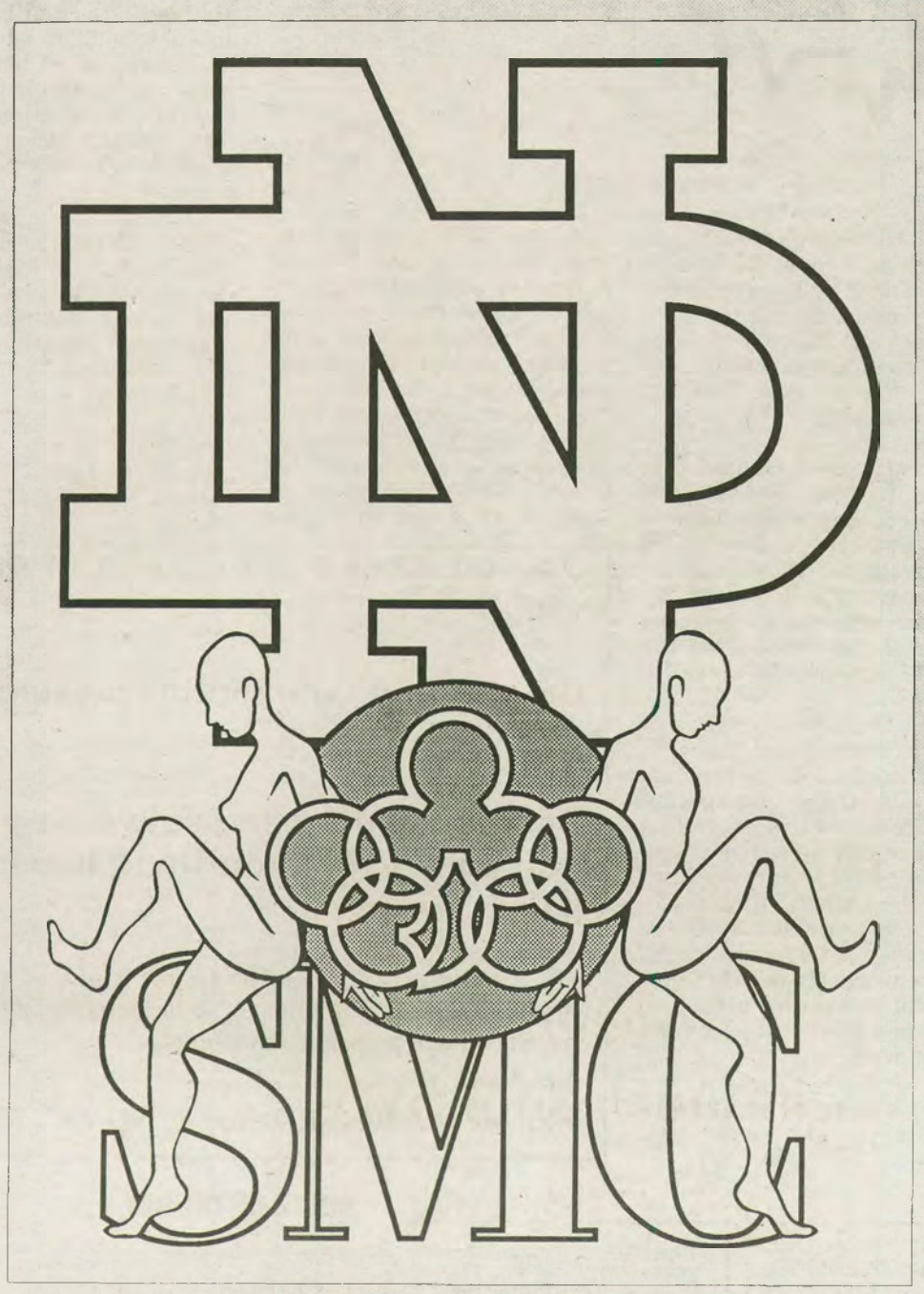

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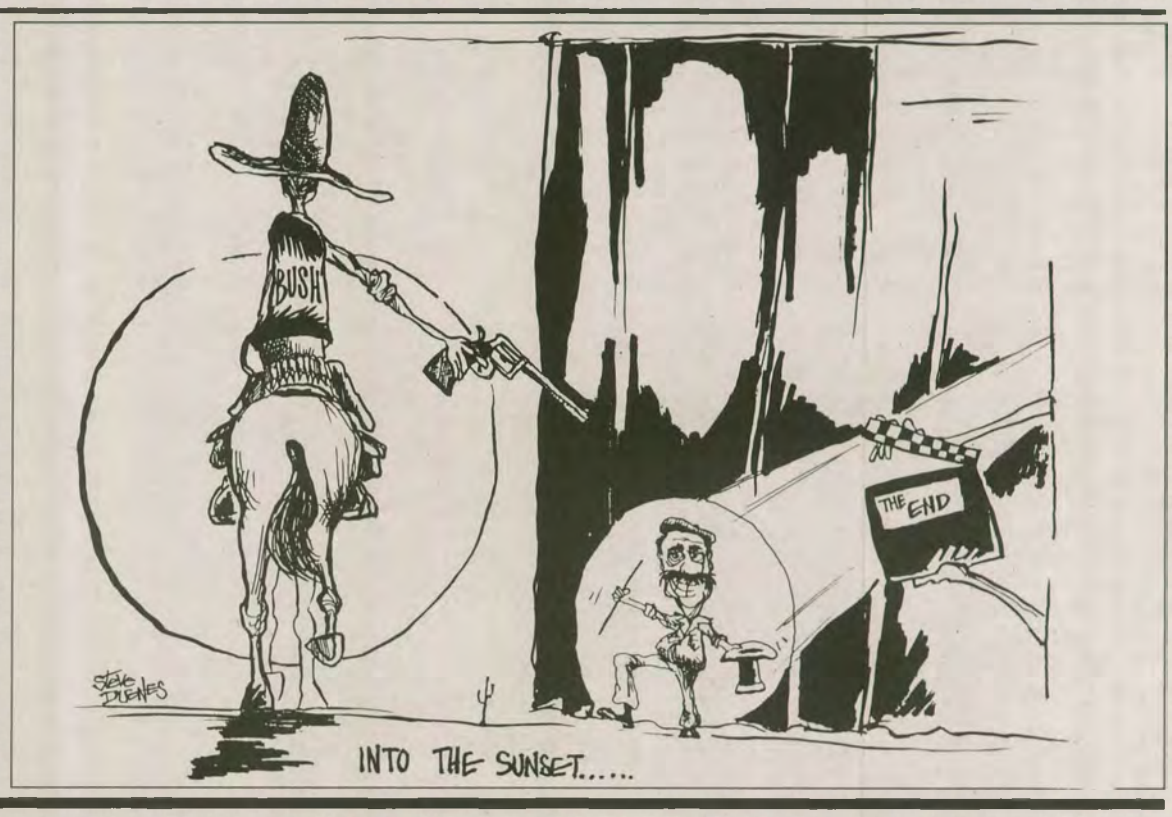

Adherence to Church teaching is not an option

Charles E. Rice
Right or Wrong?

Recent discussions of the homosexual issue indicate that many at Notre Dame believe that adherence to Church teaching on moral issues is a discretionary option. One reason for this misperception is the failure of this "Catholic" University to affirm to its own students the clear obligations of all Catholics toward the teachings of the Vicar of Christ.

The governing principle here is truth-in-labeling, with its corollary mandate of full disclosure. You rely on that principle every time you pay $2.98 a pound for what the label tells you is ground round instead of $1.29 for the lowly ground beef. If the seller pulled a "bait and switch" by labeling miscellaneous hamburger as if it were ground round, you could have a legal as well as a moral complaint.

Regrettably, the recent history of American Catholic universities exemplifies the "bait and switch" with more than hamburger at stake. Notre Dame attracts alumni donors and prospective students by affirmations of its "Catholic character."

Yet Notre Dame professes an orthodoxy of openness which is inconsistent with that character. As the first sentence of the Notre Dame President's Sesquicentennial Declaration put it, "Notre Dame's first commitment is to freedom of inquiry and expression." In practice this "first commitment" invites a process of endless inquiry without norms of content, which obscures the obligatory character of teachings of the Magisterium.

On the contrary, Ex Corde Ecclesiae, the Apostolic Constitution on Catholic Universities, affirms the importance of due freedom in the "search for truth." But it also enumerates as one of the "essential characteristics" of the Catholic university: "Fidelity to the Christian message as it comes to us through the church." And, "the institutional fidelity of the University to the Christian message includes a recognition of and adherence to the teaching authority of the church in matters of faith and morals."

Christ is God and the Pope is His Vicar, the visible head of His Church on earth. The Second Vatican Council's Dogmatic Constitution on Divine Revelation states that "The task of authentically interpreting the word of God, whether written or handed on, has been entrusted exclusively to the living teaching office of the Church, whose authority is exercised in the name of Jesus Christ." (No. 10)

That teaching office is possessed by the Pope and the bishops in union with him. (Vatican II, Dogmatic Constitution on the Church, No. 25). In his 1987 address to the bishops of the United States, Pope John Paul II noted that "there is a tendency on the part of some Catholics to be selective in their adherence to the Church's moral teachings.

It is sometimes claimed that dissent from the Magisterium is totally compatible with being a 'good Catholic' and poses no obstacle to the reception of the sacraments. This is a grave error that challenges the teaching office of the Bishops of the United States and elsewhere."

More than two decades of teaching Notre Dame alumni in law school lead me to conclude that Notre Dame undergraduates are shortchanged in that they are not afforded a predictable opportunity to learn what the Catholic Church actually teaches about itself and about the binding character of its moral teachings. What they do learn in this area is likely to be filtered through the lens of a hostile professor.

They can count on Campus Ministry to say some good things but rarely anything politically incorrect. And it is the maximum political incorrectness to assert that one agrees with the moral teaching of the Pope and that all Catholics are bound to give to that teaching a "religious submission of will and of mind." (Vatican II, Dogmatic Constitution on the Church, No. 25) In truth, as John Paul II stated to the American bishops, there is no moral right for a Catholic to dissent from the teaching of the Magisterium.

Notre Dame raises money on the strength of its Catholic pretensions. Yet Notre Dame's profession and practice implicitly legitimize and even exalt dissent from Church teaching. If its officials were held in this matter to the labeling and disclosure standards that govern lesser mortals, including sellers of hamburger, they would need a lawyer.

It would be a constructive move to retrieve Ex Corde Ecclesiae from the dead letter file and make it the focus of the continuing campus discussions of the "Catholic" character of Notre Dame.

Professor Rice is on the faculty of the Law School. His column appears every other Monday.

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Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. fought injustice with knowledge

Celebrating the Educated Educator: Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

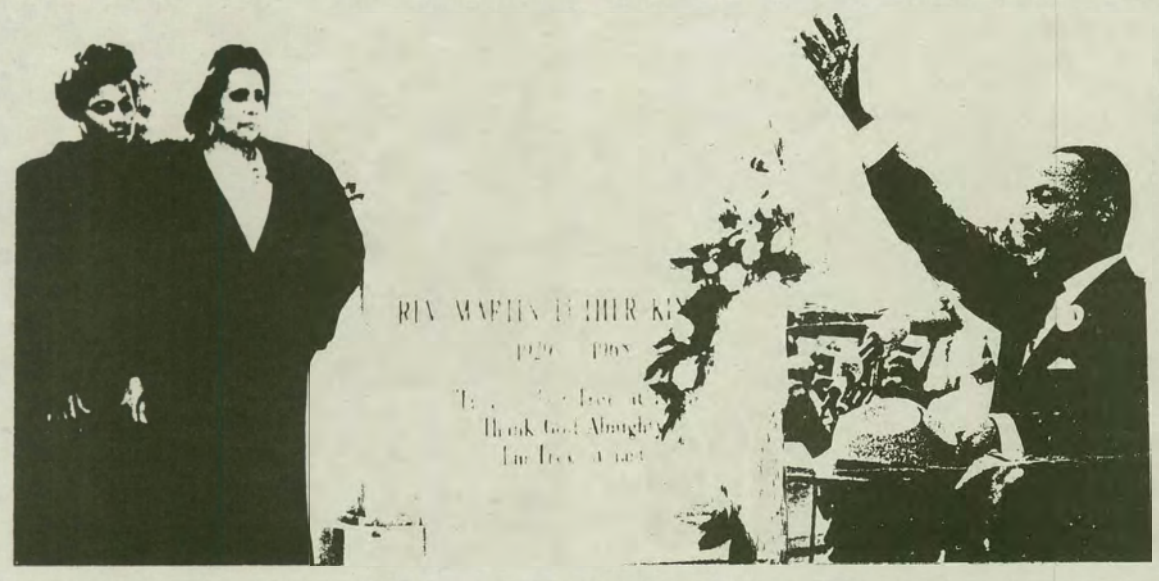
Dear Editor:

Activism; a term rooted in the word action, is defined in the dictionary as "the doctrine or policy of taking positive, direct action to achieve an end esp. a political or social end."

In keeping with the definition of activism, when one hears the name of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. often what immediately comes to mind are the things taught pertaining to his work as an activist in the civil rights movement and the preaching he did as a minister.

The amount of attention given to the status of Dr. King as an activist, overshadows his educational achievements and how he used his achievements to educate others in the larger society.

It is essential to note that Dr. King saw that it was important not only to have knowledge, but to use it along with actions to fight against injustice. It is also not right to act without knowledge to substantiate the thing in which one is trying to achieve.



Dr. King was a very well educated person. He graduated from high school at age fifteen. During the fall of that same year, he entered Morehouse College in Atlanta, Georgia where he received a bachelors degree in Sociology four years later.

During his senior year of college, he writes:

"My call to the ministry... came about in the summer of 1944 when I felt an inescapable urge to serve society. In short, I felt a sense of responsibility which I could not escape."

—February 1948

He wrote this as part of his personal statement when he applied to Crozer Theological Seminary. He knew that it would take more than an urge to "serve society". He wanted to utilize his gifts to the fullest capacity possible. That is why, he applied to the Seminary. He was accepted, hence, his deep seated need to serve others helped him to graduate at the top of his class with high honors from Crozer in 1950. From there he went on to Boston University where he later received his Ph.D.

Looking at the educational level obtained by someone like Dr. King. We begin to see to see him as an example of what we need to consider as we choose majors or pursue different job opportunities.

Are we planning to use our talents to the fullest extent possible? How are we planning to use our education? Is it to obtain our own ends or to assist others in some way (large or small)?

On February 8, 1993, Campus Ministry will be sponsoring a celebration of the memory of Dr. King as the educated educator that he was and continues to be today. I, along with Priscilla Wong and the rest of the Campus Ministry staff, invite you to attend. More details will be posted in the coming week.

Lena Jefferson
Assistant Director
Retreats and Special Projects
Jan. 13, 1993

'Pro-black' does not mean Anti-white

Dear Editor:

As I was sitting in the Dining Hall enjoying my dinner with several of my friends, I almost choked on my wonderful meal when I read an unbelievably ignorant article written by Robert E. Payne.

Mr. Payne (The Observer, Jan. 14) shows a great deal of ignorance in trying to tell me about racism.

And when I say he is ignorant I do not meant that he is stupid or idiotic, but he just doesn't know. Being an African American on this campus is one of the hardest things for me to do. Not a day goes by without being reminded that the majority of white people here don't like me simply because of my color.

First of all, by his examples, Mr. Payne knows nothing about being a victim of racism. It enrages me to hear white people who complain about prejudices toward them. They know nothing of how it is to be me or how much anguish African-American endure. Do not tell me about racism.

Second, African-Americans cannot, and I repeat, *cannot* be racist. We have no such power in this country to be racist. Anyone can be prejudiced, but we cannot be racist. So to Mr. Payne and others, it is not racist that I want to sit with my fellow African brothers and sisters. People tend to stick with who they know, and with people with common background and experiences. So then, you would also have to agree that white people sitting together is also racist.

It is hard to believe that for a couple of hours a day with my African-American friends, we are being racists. Yes, maybe we are secluding ourselves, but we are trying desperately to survive in an environment that is inherently harsh and not understanding to us.

He obviously displays this lack of understanding. In my eyes, as with most blacks on campus who might not say outright, we see the Notre Dame community as "us against them."

What is racism you ask? Racism is having to go through life with people who feel you are trash. Racism is having to sit with those of your African heritage to avoid racial slurs in the dining halls. Racism is being discriminated against because of how you look, dress, and talk. Racism is what we live with from day one.

It never fails to surprise me how white people get angry because of a little discomfort they feel when something beneficial to the African-American community happens. Well, Mr. Payne, that is what we go through twenty four hours a day. So I'm really sorry if you'll get stared at because you want to date an African American or when you try to be a running back.

But you know what else? I'm sorry that my brothers can't drive down the street without white officers pulling them over because "black guys always drive stolen cars." I'm sorry that a lot of you don't think next years black quarterback is any good. I'm sorry that we can't walk into stores without being followed around to see if we'll pay for everything we'll leave with.

I'm sorry that most people think I am at this school because of some quota. But what I am most sorry for is that we are still fighting to be free to be ourselves. To be able to celebrate ourselves without being accused of isolationism. To be able to get a job and do anything we want to do. To be able to feel comfortable and safe in our surroundings. So Mr. Payne, I will continue to sit with African friends at dining halls and I cheer for our black quarterback, and I will try my damnedest to stay close to my race, only because I want my people to survive and to have pride in ourselves.

And I will *also* chill out with my white roommate, and hang out with my fellow tuba players who are white, and get computer advice from my blonde-haired blue-eyed friend. Just because I am Pro-black, that doesn't mean we are Anti-white. I wish all of you could understand, but I doubt it.

And here is a hint for Mr. Robert E. Payne: Follow your own advice and try not to write about things you don't know about.

Cristiane J. Likely
Pasquerilla West Hall
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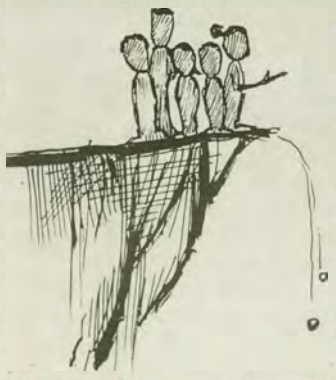
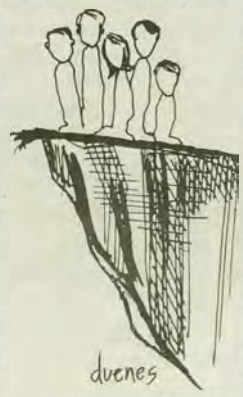
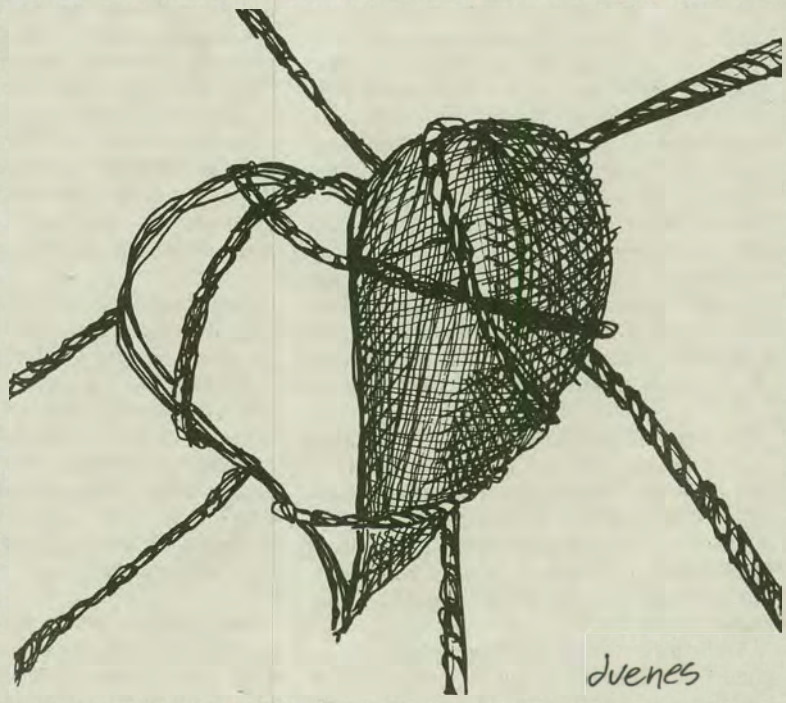






We must fight racism with education and love

Dear Editor:

Anger swelled in me when I read Robert E. Payne's letter (The Observer, Jan. 14) regarding the reaction of some minority groups on campus pertaining to racism at Notre Dame.

Then I realized Mr. Payne was not prejudiced or spiteful towards people of color but simply ignorant of the racism that is frequently perpetrated at this University.

Because I don't know what Mr. Payne has experienced in his lifetime, I can't say he has not felt the effects of racism first-hand.

But it is obvious he has not seen what I have: an Asian student trembling as she recounted the harassing phone call she received last December or the freshman Hispanic student who was stopped by security and had to prove his identity because of his attire.

Mr. Payne suggested in his letter that "Notre Dame is hardly a haven for racial discrimination and injustice" but, like many schools, it does have its racial problems.

For example, when a ticket that consisted of a female and a black male running for student body President and Vice President they received hate mail along with threatening phone calls.

Racism can be perpetrated by any race, certainly not just whites against minorities, I have seen people of every race commit some act of prejudice.

There is a poisonous racism here at Notre Dame. Until we talk to each other, learn about each other and realize that America's future comes in *all* colors, we're in trouble.

Until then, accept the fact that there is racism at ND and fight it with two very powerful weapons: education and love.

Alex Montoya
St. Edwards Hall
Jan. 15, 1992

Marked for life

A Saint Mary's student experiences the joy and pain of receiving a tattoo

By ANNA MARIE TABOR
Saint Mary's Editor

A tattoo is forever...and then some. There's a saying among body art specialists that tattoos last 30 days after you die. You have to be very sure you want something if it's going to last that long, and Saint Mary's student Kathy took seven years to make up her mind.

Kathy wanted a dragon. Not the vicious-looking kind like the neon one on the window of Michiana's Tattoo Emporium, but a friendly Puff the Magic Dragon. Because the Emporium didn't offer such a design, tattoo artist Billy Higgins (a.k.a. "Bad") helped her decide on a lioness nestled with her two cubs.

Bad named the price and set the appointment time. Kathy returned to Saint Mary's telling anyone who would listen that she was finally going to get a tattoo. After the popular initial reaction of disbelief, they asked what it was, how big it would be, and if it was going to be painful.

Although she had doubts, she committed herself to hours with ink and needles and confirmed, "I am *not* going to chicken out."

On the day of the appointment, Bad answered the door with his shirt untucked, hair uncombed, and jeans worn to the flesh. A he lead Kathy into the wide room past the counters of designs, he stretched and explained that he didn't even get home last night. The last customer left at about 6 a.m., so he crashed on one of the sofas until Kathy's arrival.

Bad told Kathy how his wife had called just a few minutes earlier to check up on him. He mused about how lucky he was to have a trusting wife since he worked "no less than 12 and up to 24 hours a day." Some women come in to get their private areas tattooed, but Bad insists he's a professional.

"When tattooing, I don't remember what clients look like. I only remember that little space where the tattoo is. That's how much I get into my work," he says gravely. He expressed disturbance over people who don't come back to show him how their tattoos are healing.

"I stay awake at night wondering what it looks like," he said "I want to make sure what I put on your body for the rest of your life is pretty. If it scabs over and there's one little flaw, I'll re-do it for free."

> 'I want to make sure what I put on your body for the rest of your life is pretty.'
>
> —Billy 'Bad' Higgins
> Tattoo Artist

Bad hails from a self-operation in an Arkansas apartment and used to decorate impossible numbers of people. He described the steady stream of people who came in clusters of 10 at all times."My neighbors must have thought I was the biggest drug dealer," he said.

He said he remembered once tattooing 9,700 bikers at a party and proudly related recent working record. "I started at 7:30 on Friday and finished at noon on Sunday. I only pissed twice—that was 38 hours of tattooing."

Bad came to the Michiana Tattoo Emporium because of their reputation for color—"one of the ten best in the country." He has been tattooing since 1977 and sports 16 to 20 himself, including a recent outline of a parrot that stretches across his forearm. The color comes later. Although he has created at least a million tattoos, he said he "stopped tattooing three years ago and started *body art*."

Bad began to warm up the sterilization machine behind the sofas. It was a silver appliance that resembles an engine heated up to an extremely high temperature. Bad asked his apprentice, Vick, to prepare the colors and needles at his station in the corner of the store. Kathy became nervous when Bad handed her a release of liability form, but she signed it without comment and read aloud the instructions he gave her for caring for the tattoo.

Kathy settled into the reclining dentist-like chair in front of a sign proclaiming "Tattoos by Bad". A stuffed parrot was perched on a stick to her right, and real peacock feathers were fanned out next to it. She was surrounded by tattoo posters—mostly of women with patterns on their backs. Bad also had a picture on his bulletin board of a man that he was working on who had invested several thousand dollars into 140 hours' worth of tattooing.

Three cigarettes and two hours after Kathy arrived, Bad was ready to begin. He scrubbed his hands, then his gloves. He explained that the heater holding the guns is heated to 259 degrees to disinfect germs in the air, resterilizing between colors.

He planed to "dry needle" Kathy first to test for her pain toleration—and see if she bled. "I like to see a little blood," he smiled. Blood is evidence that the color is going deep enough. Bad pricked her with a thin needle that left a broken trail of blood. It resembled a tiny spider vein. She flinched and her eyes watered. "Okay, I can handle it," after she decided that wasn't too bad and gained her confidence back. Bad was pleased.

The Observer/Sean Farnan

More students are receiving tattoos at parlors like The Michiana Tattoo Emporium pictured above. Some popular subjects include the lioness with cubs designed on Kathy's hip (above left) and a dolphin on another student's ankle. (left)

He pressed a wet carbon of the outline onto her hip and proceeded to blowdry it for 15 minutes. "Ten minutes into the tattoo your body starts numbing," Bad reassures her. "It's building its tolerance up."

Bad raised his gun which was saturated with black ink to begin the outline, and Kathy broke into a sweat. "Here we go, Oh God!" she said. "My father would disown me for this." Bad tucked a towel under her elastic waistband and the first lines are drawn. "Oh shit—this is gonna take forever...it hurts, it does hurt. This is gonna look good, isn't it?" she asked as her hands shook.

> 'Here we go, Oh God! My father would disown me for this.'
>
> —Kathy

Bad was squinting and moving slowly and deliberately, monitoring her physical responses to the pain. His forehead wrinkled between his eyes as he bent over the patch of skin, stretching it smooth and tracing the outline of the lioness with his buzzing wand.

Bad's eyes remain fixed on the work area, and seemed oblivious to the stereo, TV, and conversations around him. He explained to Kathy that her hip was bleeding slightly and the process would take at least a few hours.

Usually, only a couple lines are drawn at a time before the whole pattern is flooded with excess ink, drowning the map on her skin.

Bad held a paper towel in his free hand and constantly cleared away the surface ink as he drew. The continuous wiping accounted for some of the irritation for Kathy. Bad stretched the skin to a boney part of the hip to lend steadiness to the artist like putting paper on a clipboard.

Kathy said that it felt like the needles were working on her ribs, when they were really eight inches below them. The outline hurt "less than an Epilady" but more than plucking your eyebrows over extended periods of time, according to Kathy. The skin was getting red and Bad decided to take a break.

"You gotta start with your darkest color first and finish with the lightest," he said. "I'm coloring the black in now."

He dipped the buzzing instrument into a pool of black and hunched over to work again. The pure colors were contained in a plastic tray with little pools smaller than a quarter of yellow, orange, green, white, pink, purple, and black. The cubs' noses were taking shape and again black smeared all over the pattern.

After another break, he heated the sterilizer up again and promised Kathy that he would be done in an hour.

Bad switched needles to begin coloring, explaining that there are single, three, six, and 14 needle guns. He selected the six-needle gun and went to work on the orange fur on the two lions. "What do you think?" Bad asked about the change in needles. "Mmmmmm...I can't tell a whole lot of difference," Kathy said. "I would say it stings just a little bit more." To vary the shading of the orange, Bad injected patches of rust, yellow, white, and grey.

Bad warned Kathy that she would not see the white until several days later because of the red, irritated skin and asked her to come back for the details such as whiskers and more white. By now almost five hours had passed, Kathy was getting sore, and Bad noticed that she was starting to feel things.

"Now I'm going to give her a pink nose," Bad announced and zapped Kathy. Her left leg quivered violently when the final touches for the day were set permanently in her skin. As he finished, Bad recommended that she return before break so that he could complete the tattoo.

Reaching for the hand mirror Bad offered her, Kathy's mouth split into a wide smile. "Oh, this is so fantastic, I gotta look in the mirror."

Washington leads Notre Dame in rout of Loyola

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Writer

Senior guard Coquese Washington supplied the offense and Loyola forget the defense as the Notre Dame women's basketball team cruised to a 76-50 win Saturday night at the Joyce Center.

Washington scored 13 first-half points and followed with seven more in the opening three minutes of the second half. The senior captain was one of four players to score in double figures, aided by four of six shooting from three-point range.

The game was close for the opening five minutes as the teams remained tied at seven at the 4:30 mark. But the Irish outscored the Ramblers 29-9 to end the half with Washington scoring eight points in the final five minutes, putting Notre Dame up 36-16.

The Irish started slow to begin the second but Loyola was unable to take advantage of the opportunity, getting no closer than 15.

"We lost our concentration at times," commented Irish coach Muffet McGraw in reference to the start of the second half, "but we came back well and Coquese just had a great game."

The entire Irish squad shot well hitting over 60 percent from three-point range and 58 percent from the floor. The Ramblers paultry offense could only muster 35 percent shooting and hit only 4-12 from the charity stripe.

Forwards Kristin Knapp and Letita Bowen each scored 12 points and Sherri Orlosky aided ten for Notre Dame. Forward Staci Kundinger led Loyola with nine.

It was the second commanding with for the Irish over a Midwestern Collegiente Conference foe, a 25-point win over Detriot Mercy Thursday night being the other.

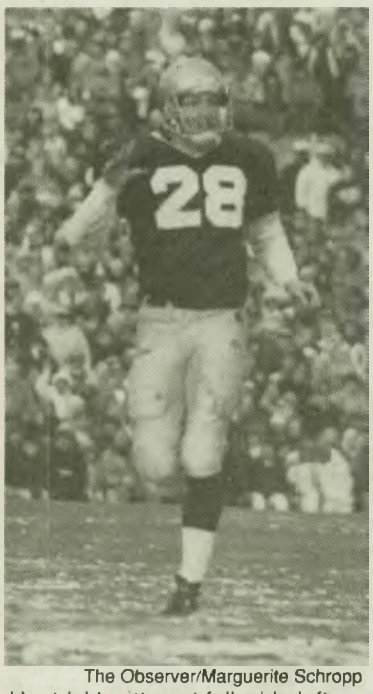
"I think some MCC teams lost respect for Notre Dame last year," said Washington. "Now we're getting that back."

Respect is exactly what the Irish have for their opponent Tuesday night, Penn State. The Nittany Lions currently reside in the nations top ten and finished 24-7 a year ago. Coach Rene Portland lost all five starters from last year, but has done an incredible coaching job preparing her

The ObserverJohn Bingham/
Coquese Washington scored 20 points Saturday.

Hentrich gets chance at miracle but can't connect in Hula Bowl

AP — Craig Hentrich was happy to get the chance, even if he didn't make the most of it.



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Hentrich's attempt fell wide left.

Hentrich was given the opportunity by East coach Lou Holtz to try a 65-yard field goal on the game's final play. The kick was long enough but wide left, and the West won 13-10 on Jason Elam's 28-yard field goal with 51 seconds left.

Hentrich, who played for Holtz at Notre Dame, begged the coach to let him try, arguing that he had the wind behind him.

"I didn't think he'd let me try," Hentrich said. "That's the first time he's let me get my way. I thought I hit it right. It started off down the middle and it started hooking."

Holtz said Hentrich had made his point.

"Craig felt that he could kick the ball 60 yards," he said. "There was a little wind behind him and not a lot of rush. All of those things entered into it."

Holtz didn't let Hentrich try a 52-yarder with 7:32 to play. Instead, Florida quarterback Shane Matthews threw incomplete on fourth and 6 and Holtz missed a chance to snap a 10-10 tie.

Holtz also set himself up for a second guess when he went for a first down on fourth-and-one at the East 29. Notre Dame quarterback Rick Mirer muffed the snap from Iowa center Mike Devlin, and Washington linebacker Dave Hoffman recovered for the West at the East 30.

The West ran the ball to the East 11, and Elam kicked the game-winner.

"What happened was we were going on 2 and the ball was snapped on 1," Holtz said. "If we don't snap the ball, they'd have jumped offside and we would have had a first down. It was unfortunate for us to lose that way."

For Elam, who played for Hawaii at Aloha Stadium, the field goal was a great way to cap off his career before the hometown fans. He also showed NFL scouts the ability to make the big kick under pressure, and versatility since he averaged 47.6 yards for five punts.

"I haven't had that many game-winners," Elam said. "That's something the scouts wanted to see. Hopefully, that'll leave a good taste in their mouths come draft time."

The game's MVPs had a Miami flavor.

Miami Hurricanes receiver Lamar Thomas was the game's offensive MVP after a game-high six catches for 64 yards. Miami (Ohio) safety Ron Carpenter was defensive MVP with a Hula Bowl record three interceptions.

The ObserverMarguerite Schropp/
Rick Mirer did nothing to diminish his high standing with NFL teams.

Hoops

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Michigan was Juwan Howard. The Wolverine center kept his team in the game in the first half, when the Irish forced Michigan into a battle of half-court offenses. Howard scored 14 points on six-of-eight shooting prior to the intermission.

"Howard had it going," MacLeod commented. "When one guy gets on a roll, you send people at him and that allows others to get going."

This is exactly what happened, as Chris Webber exploded for 15 in the second to lead the Wolverine run, after being held to a quiet seven first-half points.

After Michigan opened up their largest lead at 64-37 with seven minutes left, the Irish were able to get back in the game with a late 10-0 run, but it was not nearly enough.

In the first half, the scrappy Irish were able to hang tough by sagging on defense and giving the Wolverines the outside shot.

"They were telling us that here's a little fools' gold take it. Notre Dame said let's spread the floor, run some clock and get them anxious. That's what happened in the first half," Michigan coach Steve Fisher said.

Despite being forced out of its game, Michigan was able to open up a 17-12 lead 12 minutes into the game. However, the Irish battled back.

The Crisler Arena crowd sat in stunned silence, as Ryan Hoover sunk a three-pointer to give the Irish a 24-23 lead with 4:51 left in the half. But, Michigan went into the intermission with a 34-29 lead.

From there it was all Michigan.

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Irish hockey drops two over weekend

By DOMINIC AMOROSA
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame hockey team entered the weekend looking for an upset victory over Miami (OH) and a routine win against Kent State. Instead, the Irish received nothing but 2 disappointing losses. Friday night ended with an 8-2 blowout loss against Miami, while Kent beat the Irish 4-3 in overtime on Saturday night.

Miami came into Friday night's game ranked number five in the nation and number one in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association. The final score proved just how good the Redskins play.

Irish head coach Ric Schafer described the loss by saying, "Miami made us look bad, they embarrassed us at home and it's very hard to understand why we played so poorly."

The Irish came into the game with a three-game winning streak, but were completely outplayed by the Redskins. After a close opening period which finished with Miami ahead 1-0, the floodgates opened in the second. Four Miami goals within nine minutes ballooned the score to 5-0. Miami's Brian Savage scored his 20th and 21st goals of the season during the outburst. The only consolation the Irish could take was the fact that two of the goals were scored while Miami had a man advantage on the power play.

"We had a low activation level, which means we were lethargic," Schafer explained.

However, the Irish did try to mount a comeback. Senior Dan Marvin scored his second goal of the year with seven minutes left in the second period. Then, two minutes into the third, Irish senior Curtis Janicke scored his eleventh goal of the year to make it 5-2.

That was the closest the Irish would get as Miami finished the scoring with three late goals.

Schafer summed up the night by saying, "we'll forget this and come out tomorrow and do better." "The odds are in our favor to play well, it's the test of sports and we'll see what we're made of."

In Saturday night's game, Kent came in with a 4-10-1 record in the CCHA. The Irish, still seething from the previous night, came out with something to prove.

"We had to redeem ourselves and play our hearts out-which we did," Schafer said.

Both teams came out checking extremely hard as bodies flew all over the ice. Eventually, with just over four minutes left in the first, Irish senior Dave Bankoske fed freshman Jaime Ling in front of the net for the game's first goal. For Ling, Notre Dame's leading scorer, it was his ninth goal of the year.

However, Kent came back with two quick goals at the beginning of the second period. The score remained 2-1 until Irish freshman Brett Bruininks scored his fifth goal of the year on a rebound in front of the net. Bruininks, who was banging hard all night, finally received a reward for his efforts.

In the third period, with the score tied and the Irish holding a man advantage on the power play, Kent's Neal Purdon took advantage of some poor Irish passing and scored past Irish goalie Greg Louder.

At that point, with 14 and a half minutes left, Carl Picconatto entered the Irish goal because Schafer said, "Louder had complained of dizziness at the break and we needed a boost."

The boost came from Irish freshman Garry Gruber when he took the puck from behind his own net and scored unassisted.

Regulation play ended 3-3 and a five minute sudden death overtime began. Unfortunately for the Irish, it ended too quickly, as Kent's Steve McLean scored 38 seconds into the overtime.

"I'm pleased that our effort and spirit improved dramatically from the previous night," added Schafer.

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Notre Dame goalie Greg Louder defelcts a shot in this weekend's action

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Diver's absence leaves Irish wondering in loss to Purdue

By ALLISON MCCARTHY
Sports Writer

The men's swimming team finished its weekend with a victory over Northern Illinois Saturday afternoon, following a loss to twenty-first ranked Purdue Friday night.

Before the start of the weekend's competition, Sean Hyer, the only male diver for Notre Dame, suffered a head injury while practicing for the evening's events, making him unable to compete.

Hyer was released from the infirmary later Friday night and is expected to return to practice early this week, but his absence from the meet may have been the only factor that saved the Boilermakers from defeat.

"If you just add up the points, we lost by eighteen," stated Irish head coach Tim Welsh. "Twenty-six points were scored by Purdue in diving. Would we have won with Sean? Who knows, not absolutely. But for sure it would have been much closer. If we learned anything this weekend, it's that we should appreciate our divers."

Hyer, who has consistently scored in the high 200's to low 300's throughout this season, surely would have dominated Purdue's diving squad, whose highest score in either event was 255.225. Hyer's victory would have given Notre Dame a ten-point margin.

The Irish dominated the swimming events, winning six out of the eleven races. Senior sprinter Greg Cornick won the 100 freestyle with a time of 47.10.

Cornick and senior Colin Cooley joined co-captain John Godfrey and senior Ed Broderick to take first place in the 400 medley relay. Cooley also placed first in the 200 breast (2:10.52) and the 200 I.M., swimming a 1:57.80.

Notre Dame did not need the talents of Sean Hyer to secure a victory over Northern Illinois on Saturday. The Irish crushed the Huskies 140-87, capturing nine out of eleven first place finishes.

Cornick again placed first in the 100 free with a time of 47.34. Junior Pat Cady added another victory for the Irish with his win in the 200 breast in a time of 2:14.20.

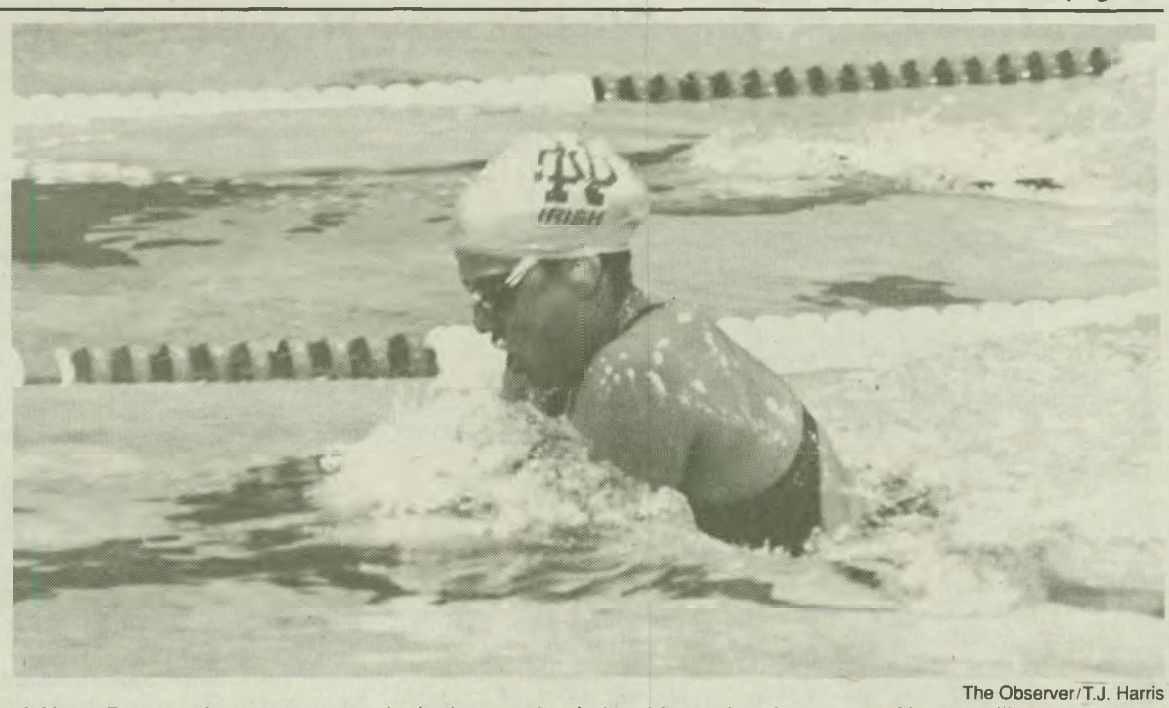
Freshman Dave Doherty won both the 200 free (1:45.52) and the 200 fly (1:59.45). He was also a member of the winning 400 medley relay team.

According to Welsh, sophomore Mike Keeley's 500 freestyle victory "was the best we've ever seen." Keeley finished with a 4:44.45.

Despite the loss to Purdue, the weekend was a successful one for the Irish.

"We raced very, very well," stated Welsh. "Timewise, we were faster than we had been at our fastest dual meet before the semester break, even following training trip where we have frequently been slower."

Notre Dame's next competitions are January 28 and 29 when they will swim in the Cleveland State Invitational in Cleveland and against St. Bonaventure's in Oleander, New York.



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A Notre Dame swimmer competes in the breastroke during this weekend's win over Northern Illinois.

Northern Illinois no match for Notre Dame

By HALEY SCOTT
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women's swim team defeated Northern Illinois University Saturday afternoon at Rolfs Aquatic Center, 173-70. The meet went as planned, the Irish swam well against the weaker Huskies, winning eleven of the thirteen events.

The Irish dominated the middle distance and distance freestyle events. Senior co-captian Susan Bohdan won the 1000 yard freestyle (10:46.79), followed by Junior Kristin Heath. Freshman Joy Michnowicz, and sophomores Angie Roby and Amy Bethem placed first, second, and third, respectively in the 500 yard freestyle. Roby also won the 200 yard freestyle (1:59.28) followed by freshman Kelly Walsh.

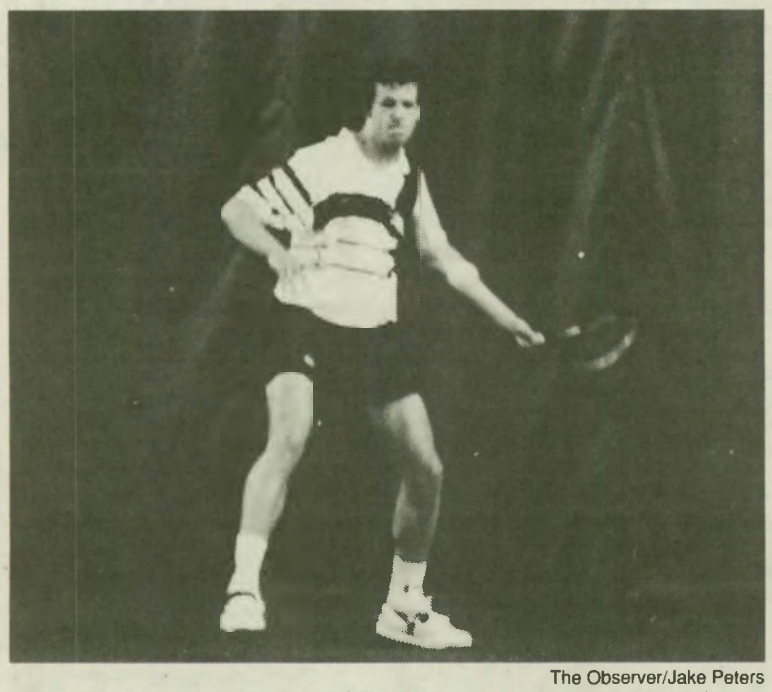
In the 50 and the 100 yard freestyle events, freshman Jesslyn Peterson and sophomore Lorrei Horenkamp put in excellent swims and challenged Northern Illinois' sprinters, but came up with only a second and third place finish.

As expected, the Irish excelled in the breastroke, butterfly, and backstroke events. Senior co-captain Tanya Williams won the 200 yard breastroke with a time of 2:28.94, followed by a second place performance by Bethem. Williams also won the 200 yard butterfly, with sophomore Jenni Dahl just behind with an impressive performance. In the 200 yard Backstroke, sophomore Cara Garvey took first place with a time of 2:11.63.

Kay Broderick, a senior from Wayne, Illinois, won the 200 yard Individual Medley with an unshaved best time of 2:12.84. Michnowicz, Dahl, and freshman Rachel Thurston finished out the top four by placing second, third, and fourth.

The diving events proved to be yet another strong area for the Irish. Lianne Gallagher, a freshman from Mamaroneck, New York, placed first in both the one-meter and three-meter diving events. Gallagher's score of 315.30 on the three-meter board is a school record.

Finishing out the events were the relays, both top finishes for Notre Dame. The 400 yard Medley Relay consisted of Garvey, Michnowicz, Williams, and Peterson. Colette LaForce, Lisa Mancuso, Walsh, and Bohdan made up the winning 400 yard freestyle relay.



The Observer/Jake Peters
Will Forsyth won at number one singles for the Irish against Ohio State.

Men's tennis opens season by topping OSU

Special to the Observer

The Notre Dame men's tennis team, ranked sixth in the latest Intercollegiate Tennis Association poll, opened it's dual meet season on Saturday with a 6-1 win over Ohio State.

"It was a great way to begin the season because we won some hard-fought and difficult matches," said Irish coach Bob Bayliss.

Seniors Will Forsyth, Chuck Coleman and Ron Rosas were all double-winners for the Irish on the day. Forsyth defeated Gabor Koves, 6-0, 6-3, at No. 1 singles and teamed with Coleman to win at No. 1 doubles over Kaves and Vito Mazza, 8-5. Coleman's singles victory came at the No. 2 spot with a 6-0, 6-1 win over Jason Katzer. Rosas won at No. 4 singles over John Brumbaugh 6-1, 6-1, and teamed with Jason Pun to win at No. 3 doubles.

"I was really pleased with how these three seniors all had decisive set wins," added Bayliss. "That's terrific for those guys to start off that strong."

Senior Mark Schmidt won at No. 3 singles over Doug Bloom 6-2, 7-6 (7-5), and senior Chris Wojtalik won at No. 5 singles, 3-6, 7-6, 6-1, over Eric Faro.

"Schmidt and Wojtalik both had to fight hard for their wins," stated Bayliss. "When Schmidt's match was tied 5-5 in the second set he played a 31-minute game. That was the longest I had ever seen. It was a tenacious match by both players."

The match featured a new format in collegiate tennis where the doubles matches are played first in a pro-set format and the team that wins two of three matches receives one point in the total match scoring.

"I think the new format is exciting," said the Notre Dame coach. "The doubles matches become a lot more important and full of tension."

Notre Dame returns to action on Saturday, Jan. 30 when it hosts eighth ranked North Carolina at 1:30.

"Getting the first match under our belt was very important," says Bayliss. "We have a very difficult schedule this season where we play a number of the nation's best teams. I was very encouraged by the first match, but I also saw some items we need to work on."

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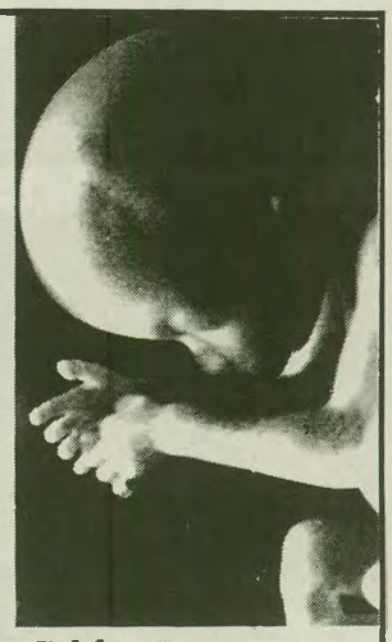

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Entries are being taken for campus racquetball doubles for men and women and co-rec volleyball, interhall team racquetball, and grad/faculty/staff volleyball. The entry deadline is January 20. Entries for campus indoor soccer for men and women, badminton doubles for men and women, and co-rec water volleyball and the interhall swim relays are due January 27.

Saint Mary's varsity softball practice starts January 18 at 6:15 p.m. in Angela. The practice is open to anyone who is interested in playing. Please bring physical forms.

The Equestrian Club will hold an organizational meeting on January 20 at 7:30 p.m. in room 222 of the Hesburgh Library. All new members are welcome. If you have any questions, call Megan at 634-2784.

The Badin Aerobathon will be held January 23 at Stepan Center from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.. Classes will begin every hour on the hour alternating between high impact and a combination of high and low impact aerobics. The fee is $3 for unlimited classes and all proceeds go to the Women's Care Center in South Bend.

The Crew Team/Club will hold a meeting for all men's varsity and novice rowers on January 18 at 7:30 p.m. in 123 Nieuland.

Women's novice crew will have a meeting at 4:45 January 18 by the weight room in the JACC. Be ready to practice.

The Notre Dame Martial Arts Institute will be having beginners practices starting January 21 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in 219 Rockne. No experience necessary. All are welcome. Advanced classes will begin January 15 at 6 p.m.. If you have questions, please call Laurie 634-4992.

Registration for SMC intramurals will take place Tues. Jan 19. Basketball and indoor soccer captains will meet at 5:30 pm. Tennis doubles and coed volleyball captains at 6 pm. Meetings will be held at Angela Athletic Facility. For info call 284-5549

Notre Dame Tae Kwon Do Club practice will be heldMon. and Thurs. at 7:30 in the JACC above Gate 4. Questions call Matt Zinno x1777.

Hoover shines despite lack of experience

By BRIAN KUBICKI
Sports Writer

Ryan Hoover was the smallest player on the court at the start of Saturday's basketball game at Michigan. But Notre Dame's freshman point guard took the ball into the paint and challenged the Wolverine's highly touted sophomores on their first play.

Chris Webber blocked that first shot, but Hoover had made a statement—he was not intimidated by the second ranked and trash talking Wolverine's."They talk a lot of trash, but it really didn't bother us," said senior captain Monty Williams. "What it did was get them more psyched up."

Hoover's poise and shooting kept Notre Dame in the game during the first half. His first and second three point shots put the Irish within two points of Michigan. The third gave them a 24-23 lead with 4:51 left in the first half. Hoover ended the half leading all Irish scorers with those nine points.

"We are a talented team," said Williams. "If they are going to double team me, other people are going to step up."

Hoover was the one to step up on Saturday. In the second half, he was called on to do even more. Williams went down clutching his left ankle and was out for the remaining nine minutes of the game.

With their leading scorer out, Hoover finished up his game-high 23-point performance. Seven of his 14 second half points came from the field, and seven more from the free-throw line, as Hoover missed only one of his eight attempts.

Hoover's performance was not perfect. Of the team's 27 turnovers, the freshman contributed more than any of his teammates, six.

Coach John Macleod credited Michigan's defense for some of the turnovers. But he still acknowledged his point guard has a ways to go. "(Hoover's) progressing. It was a learning situation today, and he will learn a lot from it."

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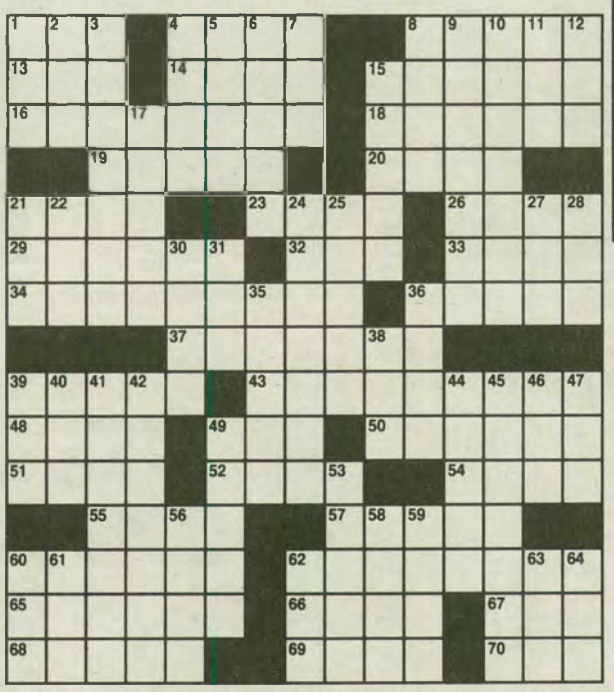

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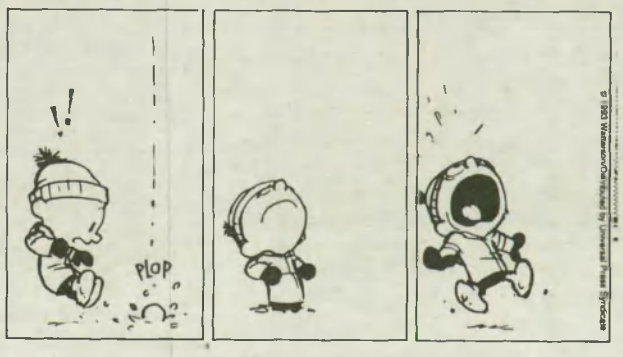

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BRIAN KUBICKI

Playing Around

Despite AFC label, Bills have talent to win in Pasadena

The NFC Championship Game has earned the reputation of being more important than the Super Bowl. This reputation is not unfounded since the NFC has dominated the NFL in recent years.

This year does not seem to be any different. The Buffalo Bills, this year's representative from the AFC, has endured a weaker season than its last two, they lost in the Super Bowl each of those seasons.

From the NFC, Dallas struts into Pasadena to face the Bills. Dallas contended for the best record in the NFL by sporting the league's best defense. Their offense is equally capable, armed with the league's rushing yardage leader, Emmitt Smith, and solid passer, Troy Aikman.

But for the Bills, the regular season is over. Since the first two quarters and four minutes of the playoffs, in which the Houston Oilers dominated Buffalo to run up a 35-3 lead, the Bills have played ten quarters of the best football they played all season.

Included in those ten quarters is the greatest comeback in NFL history behind back-up quarterback Frank Reich.

The odds the Bills face against Dallas are considerably less than the odds they faced in the second half of that game. The Bills proved they could handle those odds. The Bills will be able to handle Dallas as well.

Dallas has very little Super Bowl experience on their squad, the youngest in the NFL. Buffalo has been there twice and lost. Not only does that leave them with experience, but an emptiness as well. The Bills do not want to lose again.

Buffalo is not as incompetent against NFC teams as their fellow AFC members. This season they ran up a 4-0 record against NFC teams. Two of those wins were on the road at San Francisco and New Orleans, two of the best teams in the NFC this season.

The Bills can beat Dallas, especially the way they've been playing lately. To do so, they must be mentally prepared. Two seasons ago, the heavily favored Bills faced the New York Giants with too much confidence. Last season, against the Washington Redskins, they fought amongst themselves in the weeks preceding the Super Bowl and were humiliated by the 'Skins.

This season the Bills have remained calm in the face of their opponents taunts. As the Miami players talked up the game in the paper, Buffalo let their playing speak for itself in a 29-10 victory. They are two Super Bowl losses wiser and it showed.

What the Bills already know and the Cowboys will learn in Pasadena is that the better team on paper is not always the better team on the field.

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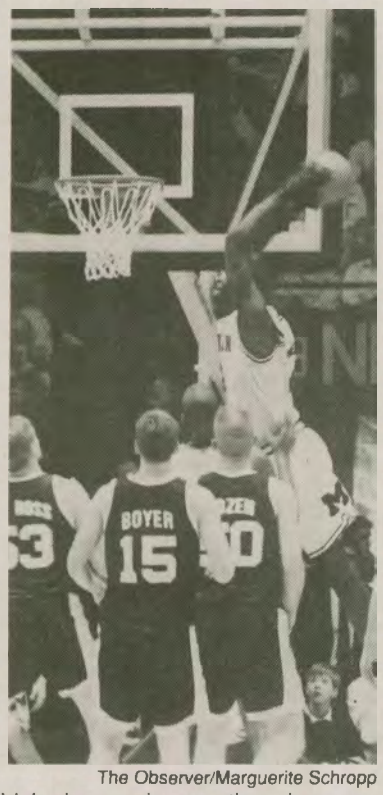
Michigan dunks Notre Dame 70-55

By MIKE SCRUDATO
Sports Editor

ANN ARBOR— For a while it looked like it could be an upset of David and Goliath proportions, but on Saturday afternoon David ran out of stones.

After playing second-ranked Michigan close for the first 24 minutes, the Notre Dame men's basketball fell victim to a 25-2 second half spurt and dropped a 70-55 decision.



The Observer/Marguerite Schropp
Irish players view another slam.

"In the second half we didn't do anything Coach MacLeod showed us during the week," said Monty Williams.

Williams, the Irish's leading scorer and rebounder, was forced to leave the game with a twisted left ankle on two separate occasions. Head basketball trainer Skip Meyer said yesterday that Williams status for tonights game at Butler is uncertain and will be determined near tip-off.

Notre Dame (7-6) wanted to work the ball on offense and force the Wolverines (13-2) to shoot from the perimeter. The Irish were able to do these things early, but after cutting the Michigan lead to 39-35 with 16:23 left they showed their inexperience.

"We tried to beat them in a minute," Malik Russell explained. "We quick shot the ball on offense and we played right into their hands."

MacLeod believed that some of his team's problems were caused by the Wolverine defense, which seemed to turn its intensity up a notch after the intermission.

"We had 27 turnovers, and some of that has to be attributed to Michigan's defense," the Irish coach said. "They began to trap (in the second half) and they forced us to throw the ball away."

The star of the game for

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The Observer/Marguerite Schropp
Chris Weber performs an acrobatic dunk during Michigan's win.

Dallas, Buffalo battle into Super Bowl

Bill's defense shines in 29-10 rout of Dolphins

AP - Through injuries and wild cards, through historic comebacks and hostile road games, the Buffalo Bills never flinched. They persevered, and now they're in their third straight Super Bowl.

The Bills won the right to try for their first NFL title with a convincing 29-10 victory over the Miami Dolphins in Sunday's AFC championship game.

"It's been a long road and a hard road," Bills coach Marv Levy said. "I've never been prouder in all the years I've coached than to be associated with the men on this team."

Thurman Thomas, the NFL's total offense leader the last four seasons, showed why with 96 yards rushing and 70 more on five receptions.

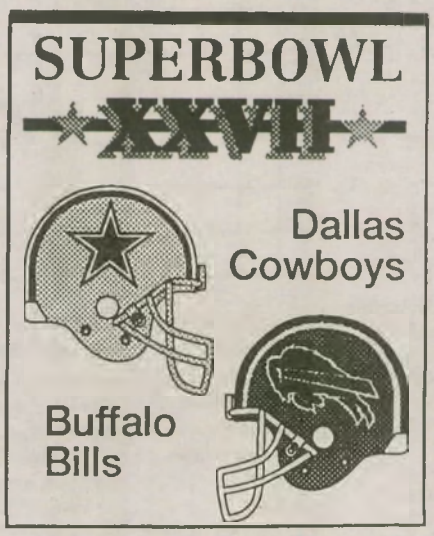
Quarterback Jim Kelly, back after missing 2 1/2 games with a knee injury, had a 17-yard TD pass to Thomas. He wasn't real sharp, but his performance blunted any criticism of coach Marv Levy for starting him over Frank Reich, who led the Bills to their first two postseason victories.

"I want to thank my teammates for hanging in there with me all week," Kelly said.

Ken Davis had a 2-yard TD run and placekicker Steve Christie tied a postseason-record with five field goals, from distances of 21, 33, 21, 31 and 38 yards.

Buffalo's defense — virtually impenetrable since the third quarter of the first playoff game — flustered Dan Marino all day. The Bills, who have allowed just 16 points since falling behind 35-3 in their playoff opener against Houston, had four sacks as defensive stars Bruce Smith, Darryl Talley and Cornelius Bennett were dominant.

The Dolphins, winners of the AFC East on the final day of the season as Buffalo lost, hurt themselves with five turnovers.



Winning teams make history

AP - Dallas and Buffalo earned a place in Pasadena and made a little history along the way.

It was the first time since 1966 that both visiting from the AFC/NFC Championship games earned trips to the Super Bowl.

Buffalo became only the fourth wild-card team to make the long trip to the big game. Only the 1980 Oakland Raiders won the NFL championship as a wild card.

The Bills equaled the feat of their opponent earning their third consecutive Super Bowl appearances. The Dolphins were the only other team to accomplish that feat (1971-73).

The Cowboys will be making their fifth trip to the Super Bowl, the last since 1977, a loss to Pittsburgh. It was a fitting site to do it. Dallas' slide from top to bottom began 11 years ago at Candlestick, when Dwight Clark made "The Catch" that put the 49ers in the first of the four Super Bowls.

Cowboys turn 49er mistakes into 30-20 win

AP — The Dallas Cowboys capped their rise from the NFL's depths at the same spot their downfall began.

The Cowboys qualified for their first Super Bowl in 14 years Sunday with a 30-20 victory over San Francisco. Troy Aikman and Emmitt Smith led two perfect second-half drives after the teams were tied 10-10 at halftime.

It was the more experienced 49ers who made the mistakes — two fumbles that led to all 10 Dallas points in the first half.

The first drive came after the second-half kickoff — 78 yards in 8 plays featuring a 38-yard pass from Aikman to Alvin Harper. The 6-foot-4 Harper beat 5-11 San Francisco cornerback Eric Davis on the play.

Daryl Johnston capped that one with a 3-yard run for a TD as the San Francisco defense broke offside, then stood around as Johnston bulled up the middle.

Mike Cofer's 42-yard field goal cut it to 17-10 but, typically for this day, it came after coach George Seifert elected to kick rather than go for it on fourth-and-2 from the 24.

Then came the second drive, 9 minutes of perfection in which the Cowboys converted four third downs in four attempts including the TD, a 16-yard toss from Aikman to Smith, who also scored on a 4-yard run in the second quarter.

The Niners cut it to 24-20 with a 5-yard pass from Steve Young to Jerry Rice with 4:22 left.

It came at the end of a 93-yard drive after the Niners had stopped the Cowboys on a fourth-and-one.

But Aikman, who completed 24 of 34 attempts for 322 yards, and Harper combined on a 70-yard completion on the first play after the kickoff. Three plays later, Aikman hit Kelvin Martin for the 6-yard TD that made it 30-20.