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'Key' change causes frustration among students

ATM headaches caused by \$20 bill-only policy

By MICHELLE KRUPA Associate News Editor

"Ya mean you're not allowed to take less than \$20 out of the ATM machine at a time?" asks a student standing in front of a KeyBank ATM in LaFortune's basement.

"Nope, not in our machines," responds teller Jan Miller.

This short conversation, according to Miller, now occurs regularly.

This is because since January, KeyBank ATM machines have only dispensed cash in increments with

"From the bank's perspective, it's the most common denominator of a bill that's requested. It allows us to store more money and allows the maximum number of transactions in the most convenient way,' said Ken Baierl, public relations manager for KeyBank

But the convenience is not always apparent, since between five and 10 students stand in line daily at KeyBank to get change for the \$20 bills they receive from the

'The kids just get right back in line here after waiting in line for

the ATMs to get change from us,"

Students find that getting in line for a KeyBank teller is the only option they have, since many LaFortune businesses will simply send them back to the bank if they are paying with large bills, like

"They will come in and buy a 10-cent lollipop to break a \$20 bill," said Rose Horak, owner of the Country Harvester.

"It's a major inconvenience to the business and the students," she added,"because if they have big bills, we just send them back to the

"It's hard for me because I have

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Students can only withdraw their money from Key ATMs in increments of \$20, causing some inconveniences.

Boys: Jews, **Catholics** must bond

By ERICA THESING News Writer

Prejudices in the early Church may inhibit Jewish-Christian relationships today, according to Mary Boys,

Boys, who opened the Notre Dame Holocaust Program last night, feels that a major stumbling block for the Jewish-Christian relationship is the wording of the Testament.

"One of our own problems is that we have text that does not talk favorably about Jews because of the era it was written in," she said. "One of the things that seems to me is so important ... is that we have to understand what the tradition is in our religious

Boys' goal is to promote a deep faith in Jesus among Christians, while at the same time emphasizing a respect for other religions.

"I believe this is a new phenomenon. I believe it raises the question of whether religious pluralism is God's will," she said.

Christianity originated within the Jewish tradition, Boys emphasized the connections between the two faiths.

"All the way through history we were connected in some way, some ways subtly and, in some ways, more directly,'

Due to this connection, Boys feels it is vital to foster a healthy relationship between these two faith traditions. Her own interest stems from years of work alongside and friendship with people of a Jewish background.

"I don't think we're going to go anywhere unless we have people willing to dialogue,' Boys said. "Sometimes it's easy to think that the other's faith life is inadequate when you don't know them. What happens when you meet a faithful person who isn't

Keeping Watch



Members of Notre Dame's ROTC programs stood guard Monday over the Clarke Memorial Fountain, which was specially decorated for POW/MIA observance day.

Peace Corps gets steady stream of recruits from ND

By SARAH HANSEN News Writer

Since its inception in 1961, more than 150,000 Americans have joined the Peace Corps, and 641 of those volunteers have been Notre Dame

In a recent letter to University President Father Edward Malloy, Peace Corps director Mark Gearan announced that Notre Dame ranks 39th among all colleges and universities producing Peace Corps volunteers.

Throughout its history, the Peace Corps can trace much of its success to the energy and idealism of American college students," Gearan wrote in his letter. "These colleges and universities are to be commended for producing students committed to making a difference, with a thirst for adventure, and with the desire to experience a new culture in an ever-changing

The Peace Corps is an independent government agency responsible for serving 87 countries worldwide. A typical volunteer enters a two-year overseas service term, during which he works to fight hunger, bring clean water to communities, teach children, start new small businesses and stop the spread of AIDS.

The majority of volunteers have earned an

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Roommate problems? Now there's help

By P. COLLEEN NUGENT Associate Saint Mary's News Editor

The Saint Mary's Residence Life and Housing staff has created a new and effective way of promoting a positive living environment within the cam-

Katherine Rosswurm, the coordinator of Residence Life and Housing, has high hopes for this program, and the students who choose to take advantage of what it has to

"Roommate Communication" is the newly implemented program developed to encourage better relations between roommates.

The residence hall room where students live is their home away from home. Time spent with their hall community has proven to be an important factor in one's development through college. Time spent with their fellow stu-



dents allows them to grow and create bonds of friendships that will last a lifetime, said Rosswurm.

This program, when used effectively, can be extremely beneficial to students and their own growth," Rosswurm said. Through programs such as this, an open and honest atmosphere will be created throughout the entire commu-

"Co-peer mediators will be used, and there would be a way to communicate and bring students together," she said.

It is hoped that this program will encourage these women to be more willing to share their concerns with housing. Saint Mary's students in the past years have been allowed to move rooms when problems arise.

However, signatures from hall advisors and Student Housing have always been necessary to make the moving

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Katherine Rosswurm

process final.

Still, with this program, students will be required to meet and discuss their problems and concerns with two comediators before any changes of rooms will occur.

Mediators will be chosen only after they attend the training meetings in October. Monthly meetings will be held thereafter, where mediators can discuss their progress and express any concerns

Activities such as role playing and ice-breakers will be used to familiarize students during the training sessions.

"Being a peer-mediator is not an easy job," stated Rosswurm. "It requires much patience and dedication towards others feelings. Confidentiality, honesty, and willingness to communicate with one's roommate are factors that all help to make this program effective.

When students are willing to let their guards down, and begin communicating with their roommates, mediators

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■ INSIDE COLUMN

Bringing the problem to the front

Amid the flurry of comments surrounding
Monday's letter to the editor from Notre Dame
sophomores Catherine
Syner and Stacey Fuller,
we at The Observer have
been inundated with letters — from both Saint
Mary's and Notre Dame
students — deploring
the two women's statement.



Brad Prendergast

We've also gotten some phone calls asking us why we ran the letter in the first place.

To us here in the newsroom, the answer is pretty clear: The Viewpoint pages are reserved for members of the campus community to say almost anything they want to say. So, we make it a point to run letters on almost any topic, no matter how much we personally may disagree with the content. As our masthead on the Viewpoint page states, "The free expression of varying opinions is encouraged." And Monday's letter was definitely a varying opinion.

But to our readership, the reason we decided to publish the letter may not be so clear. Certainly the letter offended 2,000 people at Saint Mary's and many more at Notre Dame. The letter touched off a heated rally Monday night at Holy Cross Hall, and precipitated a slew of angry opinion pieces from both sides of U.S. 33.

There are plenty of times when an op-ed submission appears to go too far for us to publish it. When that happens, we editors sit down and debate the worthiness of printing the letter. On the one hand, we prefer not to censor, but on the other hand, there are boundaries that should not be exceeded. We operate by the rule of thumb that if a questionable letter is not written in good taste and does nothing to further intellectual discussion, then it ought not to run. An example in this category — and something that we've actually received in the past — would a piece that doubts the Holocaust ever happened.

With the letter in question, there was no doubt that what Syner and Fuller said was in poor taste. But publishing the letter had some redeeming value: It brought to the surface the type of comments that are made in the dorm rooms, in the dining halls and in the hallways of the Notre Dame campus.

The comments don't come from just one campus, of course. Each side is guilty of viewing the other in a limited fashion that is less than fair.

For the most part, the originators of these comments say them in jest. Unfortunately, they exacerbate tensions between the students on both campuses that simply don't need to be there. But the fact is, that uneasiness does exist. Syner and Fuller's letter serves as the wake-up call to that fact.

These tensions are grounded in stereotypes that are themselves groundless. And the stereotypes will continue to exist as long as they remain only an undercurrent and are never brought to the forefront. That's why printing the Syner and Fuller letter is so important. Syner and Fuller have a right to say what they want to say, but public opinion also has a right to show them where they've gone wrong.

In publishing this letter, we are not aiming only to stir things up. We are hoping that the ensuing discussion will make those stereotypes look as stupid as they really are.

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■ WORLD AT A GLANCE

Bomb explodes in Northern Ireland police station

BELFAST, Northern Ireland Gerry Adams led his IRA-allied delegation back into peace talks today, hours before a bomb blew up outside a police station outside the capital.

The Ulster Unionists, the main pro-British Protestant party, which withdrew from the talks Monday, stayed away again, considering British and Irish proposals to get them back to the table.

With news of the bombing at a police station in Markethill, 35 miles southwest of Belfast, Ulster Unionist leader David Trimble headed for the scene. No injuries were reported in the blast, which followed an anonymous warning that did not contain the Irish Republican Army's usual code-word.

Hours later a caller to the Irish broad-



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casting service RTE said the IRA was not responsible for the blast. The caller used a recognized IRA code-word.

Before the blast, Adams, leader of the Sinn Fein party, had called on Trimble to have the "courage of his convictions" and join negotiations.

He also accused the unionists of trying to renegotiate the talks process from the outside.

"The reality is that they are afraid of the negotiations, they are afraid of real negotiations because they are afraid of change," Adams said.

After a day of British-Irish shuttle diplomacy among the pro-British parties Monday, there had been hope-that three of Northern Ireland's five Protestant parties would end their boycott and rejoin the process.

Clapton plays for island benefit

Eric Clapton, Elton John, Sting and other rock stars drew a capacity crowd to Royal Albert Hall for a benefit concert to help the people of the stricken volcanic island of Montserrat. "This concert is just a gesture to show the people of Montserrat that somebody is thinking of them," Sir Paul McCartney, the former Beatle, told the audience of

4,500 Monday night. Sir Paul, Elton John, Eric Clapton, Mark Knopfler, Sting and Phil Collins all performed solo sets before joining forces to sing the Beatles' anthem "Hey Jude" at the end of the Music for Montserrat concert. Although a final figure for the proceeds were not immediately available, record producer Sir George Martin, who organized the concert, said he hopes to have raised up to \$1.6 million. Earlier Monday, David Brandt, the chief minister of the British colony, discussed a new package of measures to aid the island with Prime Minister Tony Blair and Foreign Secretary Robin Cook. "Both the Prime Minister and myself have assured Mr. Brandt that the Labor Government in Britain remains fully committed to the future viability of the island of Montserrat," Cook told reporters at Downing

LAPD increases firepower with M-16s

LOS ANGELES

The Police Department has acquired 600 military surplus M-16 rifles to increase firepower against heavily armed suspects such as the two armor-clad bank robbers who fired their assault rifles with impunity at police as officers' bullets bounced off them in a televised shootout in February. Officers had to rush to a nearby gun store for more firepower in the middle of the gun battle. Both suspects were killed, and eight police officers and three bystanders were wounded. "Never, ever again do I want to see officers of the Los Angeles Police Department outgunned," Gov. Pete Wilson at a news conference Tuesday at the Police Academy, where gunfire from a shooting range crackled in the distance. The acquisition was announced shortly before another televised bank robbery unfolded in Los Angeles. A Great Western Bank heist in Van Nuys was thwarted by two retired lawmen working security who killed one wouldbe robber, wounded a second and scared off three others. The manhunt was broadcast live on local television. The M-16s were obtained from the Defense Department with the help of state authorities.

Typo causes \$617,597 error

CLEVELAND

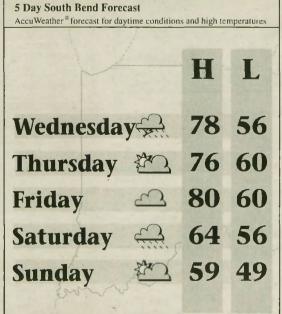
A city employee inadvertently punched in a 4 instead of a 1, and \$617,597 wound up in the account of an anticrime group. What happened next, prosecutors say, was itself a crime: Members of the organization converted the money into checks for four of them and spent a chunk of it, even though they say they didn't know where the money came from. Now, two leaders of the organization devoted to fighting black-on-black crime have been charged with grand theft. And the mayor, facing a primary on Sept. 30, has suspended seven city employees, including his finance director. Art McKoy, founder of Black on Black Crime Inc., and chairman Abdul Rahim Ali Hasan could get up to five years in jail if convicted. The men insist that their bank told them the deposit was legitimate, and that they thought it might have come from a grant they had applied for or from an anonymous benefactor. They won't say how they spent the money — nor will prosecutors — but in the past week, the men have returned \$146,600 - and a 1991 Mercedes. Mayor Michael R. White said the men "knew exactly what they were doing." "We have clear legal documentation that they were advised, before one dollar of this money was spent, that this money was wiretransferred to their account by the city of Cleveland," he

Soybeans jump to six-month high

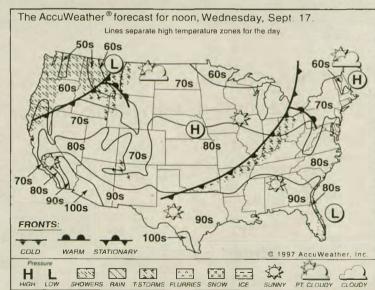
CHICAGO

Soybean futures prices rose to six-month highs Tuesday on the Chicago Board of Trade, with rain in the South and forecasts for frost in the Upper Midwest threatening a record harvest needed to replenish virtually non-existent inventories. On other markets, precious metals futures prices plunged after the government reported that inflation is being held at bay. Copper futures fell to 10-month lows as production outpaced world demand. Soybeans available for immediate use have become virtually impossible to find as inventories fall to the lowest level in 20 years and as foreign and domestic demand continues to exceed expectations, said analyst Dale Gustafson at Smith Barney Inc. With widespread harvesting set to begin in just a few weeks, expectations were that processing would come to a halt while producers await new supplies and falling prices. But the National Oilseed Processors Association, in a report on August usage, revealed an unexpectedly sharp drop in soybean oil inventories and found that implied usage hit a record level. "The latest crush report showed there's a lot of concern about where new supplies are going to come from," Gustafson said.

South Bend Weather



■ NATIONAL WEATHER



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DeCrane establishes scholarship

News Writer

Outstanding students in Notre Dame's College of Arts and Letters will now have the chance to benefit from the Joan Hoffman DeCrane Scholarship Fund for Excellence, established by Mrs. DeCrane's husband, Alfred.

This is a generous, timely, and crucially important commitment," said University President, Father Edward Malloy. "As a Notre Dame alumnus, parent, friend, benefactor, advisor, and trustee, Al DeCrane keenly appreciates our determination to ensure that a Notre Dame education will never be denied to a worthy student because of financial

Jeff Pethick, Notre Dame's scholarship coordinator, commented that the DeCrane fund's purpose is to "make a difference in an exceptional student's ability to attend Notre Dame,' aiding one who, without a scholarship, may not financially be able to consider the school as an option for college

The DeCrane scholarship is open to undergraduates in the College of Arts and Letters. The recipient is subject to an annual review which will evaluate his or her academic progress. This review must be passed in order for the scholarship to extend undergraduate period.

The DeCranes have been actively involved in several University councils and alumni programs. DeCrane is also a contributor to Notre Dame's \$767 million "Generations"

DeCrane graduated from Notre Dame in 1953. After serving in the Marine Corps studying law at University, Georgetown DeCrane joined Texaco Inc. in 1959. In 1996, he retired from his position as Texaco's chairman and chief executive.

A scholarship recipient has already been selected for this academic year.



By COLLEEN McCARTHY News Writer

For the sixth year in a row. Ellen Gootblatt spoke using humor and brutal truth at Saint Mary's College last night about relationships with the opposite sex, friends, and family in a lecture entitled. "Meeting, Dating, Relating, and Mating."

Gootblatt, who speaks at over 100 colleges per year, has also had her own ABC radio program as well as serving as an advice columnist. In her lecture, Gootblatt emphasized the importance of positive relation-ships and understanding the differences between the sexes.

Although there was only one male present at the lecture, she stressed the fact that her talk contains no male bashing.

"You can't fall in love with the opposite sex unless you like the opposite sex," Gootblatt said.

The lone male at the lecture, Barry Bergman, a junior at Notre Dame, said that Gootblatt provided insight into the oppo-

"It helped me to see how women communicate and how they view relationships," Bergman said.

Among the topics that Gootblatt touched on were jealousy, arguing, commitment. and how to know that a person is the right one for you. As for finding the right person, Gootblatt said that the relation-ship should be one that is comfortable and a person with whom one feels like family. Gootblatt also emphasized the

importance of honesty and truth in relationships.
Additionally, Gootblatt

offered some premises for good relationships. Some of these pointers included that one should be happy in a relationship, that one should make themselves fabulous before reaching out to another person, and determining if the relationship enhances a person or if it diminishes a person

Students attending the lecture were impressed with Gootblatt and her insights.

"I thought that what she had to say were things that I could relate to my life. A lot of what she said was very true and things that I will be able to use later in life," said Robyn Chmielewski, a sophomore at Saint Mary's.

There were also students present who had seen Gootblatt on one of her previous visits and came back to hear her

again.
"I came to see Gootblatt freshman year, and a lot of what she said was so true. Much of what she said are things that have happened to me in past years," added Amy Egan, a senior at Saint Mary's.

In her final remarks, Gootblatt pointed out that people make the wrong choices concerning relationships because they are too hungry for companionship. "People can't settle for mediocrity, reiterated Gootblatt. "People have the power to stay in a relationship or to leave a relationship and they shouldn't give that power away.



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undergraduate degree. The Corps is touted as being highly selective, accepting volunteers based on their skills and mind-

The Corps' aim is to provide as many Americans as possible an opportunity to serve.

The University of California at Berkeley, with 2,960 students having joined the Peace Corps, ranks first among all colleges and universities in sending volunteers, followed by the University of Wisconsin with 2,237 volunteers and the University of Washington with

Harvard University, one of only two private universities in the top 20, ranks fourth with 1,966 volunteers

The University of Michigan, site of President John F. Kennedy's first speech announcing the Peace Corps and calling for volunteers, rounds out the top five, having had 1,821 of its graduates join the Corps.

This year, 25 Notre Dame alumni are currently serving in the Peace Corps, beating out fourth-ranked Harvard, which has 18 alumni presently active.

Peace Corps spokeswoman Jennifer Ostermeier is pleased with Notre Dame's contribution to the service. "Notre Dame is one of the top 10 volunteer producing schools in the Midwest," she explained.

The Peace Corps will hold an information session on Tuesday, Oct. 7 at 6:30 p.m. at the Center for Social Concerns.

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to have an excess of change around at all times," Horak said.

Employees at Irish Gardens Florist find themselves leaving the store for one person to manage during the day while another employee goes to KeyBank for small change, according to Christiaan Mamczak

We need to get change for the twenties that people bring in and it gets extremely backed up. If we go to the other businesses, they can't help us because they need it too," Mamczak said. "It's not that we're short of cash but short of small bills.

He continued that customers get irritated with the back-up and that one worker needs to leave the store two

to five times daily to get change

Students also feel the effects of only being able to get large bills from the machines.

"The fact is that a lot of times I don't need \$20, and if I don't, it just means that I have the cash on me and I'll spend it," sophomore Heather Jeno said.

Baierl noted that the bank understands the inconvenience and attributes it to "the environment where the bank is located," where most businesses conduct transactions in small amounts.

'Under the circumstances, it's something the bank is going to look at to see if we can put smaller bills in the machines," Baierl said

'I can't imagine there's any technical reasons we couldn't. It's definitely something we'll look into," he con-

■ SECURITY BEAT

FRIDAY, SEPT. 12

1 p.m. A Knott Hall resident reported the theft of his bike from a Knott Hall bike rack. His bike was locked with a U-lock at the time

1:19 p.m. A University Village resident reported the theft of his bike from the hallway of his apartment. The bike was not secured

2:28 p.m. A Dillon Hall resident reported the theft of his CD player from his bookbag in Cushing Hall. The bookbag was left unat-

SATURDAY, SEPT. 13

5:14 a.m. A Dillon Hall resident was cited by Security for minor consuming alcohol

10:35 a.m. Security responded to a two-car accident on Juniper Road. There were no injuries reported.

2:36 p.m. A Lyons Hall resident was transported to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of an illness

9:54 p.m. A Keenan Hall resident reported the theft of his bookbag from North Dining Hall. The bookbag was unattended at the time of the theft.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 14

1:30 a.m. A Keough Hall resident was transported to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of a sports injury

11:42 a.m. A Welsh Hall resident was transported to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of an illness

4:27 p.m. Security transported a Knott Hall resident to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of a sports injury

9:25 p.m. A Pangborn Hall resident reported the theft of her bike from a bike rack outside of Parigborn Hall. Her bike was locked at the time of the theft.

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become the outside characters who assist them with their

These students help to create an atmosphere of honesty and trust. Communication in every situation is necessary, but the general topic of being honest and open towards others has become a necessity of

"These beliefs will help students grow and develop their abilities to express themselves, which is an important part of being an adult," Rosswurm said.

One needs to know how to

express one's ideas, she went on, because confusion, frustration, and lack of communication result when people fail to express their ideas and concerns to each other.

Students attending this peermediation program should be made aware that there is a strict confidence policy that is taken very seriously.

No situation will be reported to a judicial board or the authorities.

Students, she said; need to realize that because of their willingness to be honest and efforts to work out their situation, honesty and respect will be given to all.

No legal action, however, will be taken, nor will anyone be forced to go through the

mediation program.

The ultimate goal of this program is to improve the levels of communication between the students

"As students sign up for this program, the mediators will be paired depending on their times of availability," stated Rosswurm

Pairing of mediators will not be done in terms of classes. Rather it will be set up by the times of student availabil-

Rosswurm was certified as a mediator this summer, and feels that this program can be extremely beneficial to the students. "This program, when used, can be extremely beneficial to students and their own growth.'

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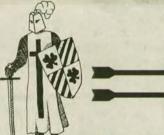


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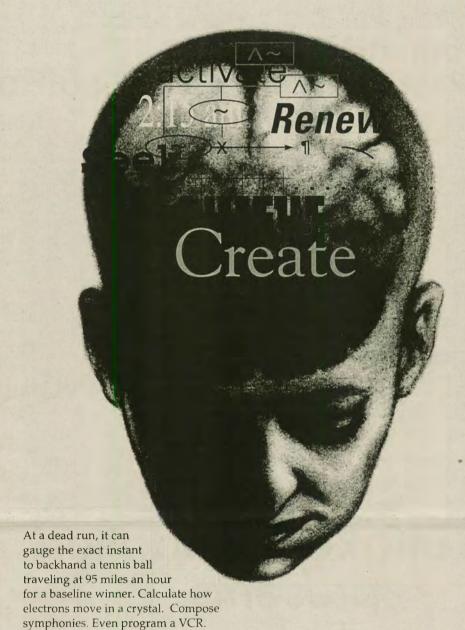
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ISRAEL

Settlers stay despite Netanyahu's appeals

By DANNA HARMAN Associated Press Writer

JERUSALEM

Jewish extremists showed no sign of heeding Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's appeal to leave an Arab neighborhood of Jerusalem, instead moving in furniture Tuesday and installing security lights.

Fearing Palestinian anger could lead to riots, Netanyahu postponed a trip to Eastern Europe to search for a way out of the impasse.

"We are trying to reach a solution, and we still haven't examined all the different aspects," Netanyahu said.

Israel's attorney general toured the settler compound Tuesday and was to meet with Netanyahu before ruling on whether the settlers can be evicted on grounds their presence endangers national security.

Their controversial move into the Mount of Olives neighborhood comes at a time when Israel and the Palestinians were taking tentative steps toward better relations, at the urging of Secretary of State Madeleine Albright, who visited the region last week.

Israeli Police Commissioner Asaf Hefetz warned the new Jewish settlement would trigger Palestinian riots in the city.

The 11 settlers leased the two buildings in east Jerusalem's Ras al-Amud neighborhood from Irving Moskowitz, a Miami bingo millionaire who also owns 3.5 acres of land in the area. They moved in Sunday, under the cover darkness.

In meetings with Moskowitz's representatives Tuesday, Netanyahu's aides tried to work out a deal under which the settlers would leave voluntarily.

However, there were no signs the settlers intended to leave. Instead, trucks delivered bed frames to the compound and settlers installed floodlights on the rooftops for security.

"When the situation quiets down in a day or so, I intend to move my whole family here," said Yossi Haikin. "Our plan is to lead a normal, comfortable life here."

Moskowitz visited overnight,

affixing a mezuza — a little box with biblical passages — to a doorpost at the compound. "The people of Israel build their nation," he wrote in the settlers' guest book.

The settlers move has put Netanyahu in an embarrassing situation.

If he orders them evacuated, he will lose the support of right-wing groups that make up the bulk of his constituency and risk the stability of his government.

Michael Kleiner, a leading lawmaker in Netanyahu's ruling coalition, said Tuesday he and fellow legislators would topple the government should the settlers be forced out. Kleiner's hardline "Eretz Israel Front" group commands the support of 18 lawmakers in the 66-seat coalition.

However, if Netanyahu allows the settlers to stay he risks triggering Palestinian riots. He also could alienate Albright, who urged him to avoid unilateral actions that would anger the Palestinians.

During a tour of the compound Tuesday, Attorney General Eliyakim Rubinstein watched from a rooftop as a group of 15 settler supporters studied the Bible below. Outside the building, Israeli peace activists staged a protest vigil in two small tents.

Israeli media reports said Tuesday that Netanyahu and his ministers were warned of the settlers' plans during a Cabinet meeting on Sept. 5.

However, Netanyahu, preoccupied with a suicide bombing by Islamic militants a day earlier, brushed aside the information, the Maariv daily said.

Netanyahu has insisted he only learned about the takeover after the settlers were already in Ras al-Amud.

The Palestinians have demanded that Netanyahu immediately evict the settlers, and warned of riots should they remain.

"We are standing at a crossroads we have not seen since 1967," said chief Palestinian peace negotiator Saeb Erekat, referring to the Middle East war in which Israel captured the West Bank, Gaza Strip and east Jerusalem.



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Christian?"

Turning to the issue of religious diversity, Boys discussed the increasingly changing face of the world, while emphasizing the need to overcome the boundaries of different faith traditions.

"The religious diversity has now come to our neighborhood," she said. "At a certain level when we approach God in prayer, our differences dissolve. It is to say that maybe in the way we regard the other we have put so much emphasis on the differences that we've overlooked the God behind it

During a 20-minute question and answer session following her lecture, Boys addressed topics raised by the audience such as conversion, evangelizing and papal infallibility. She expressed support for the current pope and his efforts to improve relations between Jews and Christians.

"It has been very important that this pope has made some strong comments regarding Jews and Judaism," she said.

The scholar-in-residence lecture series continues Sept. 29 with speaker Nancy Harrowitz of Boston University.

U.S. delays land mine treaty

By JIM HEINTZ
Associated Press Writer

OSLO, Norway

In a last-minute move to force changes in a proposed treaty banning land mines, the United States won a 24-hour postponement Tuesday in talks on drafting the pact.

The Clinton administration is seeking several exceptions to a proposed ban on anti-personnel mines, which would be total and immediate. The U.S. delegation had been expected to present a compromise proposal when the more than 100-nation meeting resumed Tuesday after a weekend break.

But Eric Newsom, head of the U.S. delegation to the talks, requested the one-day postponement, saying the United States needed more time to talk to other governments about changes that "would enable the United States to endorse this treaty."

No one objected to the request and the meeting closed. Newsom refused to comment to reporters after the session. The move was an unusual delay in a process that has moved with remarkable speed. The talks leading to the treaty negotiations began 11 months ago in Canada and involved only a few small and midsize countries.

Since then, scores of countries have joined what has become known as the "Ottawa Process." The United States signed on reluctantly last month and generally has been seen as odd man out — but an influential one.

The United States initially wanted the Korean Peninsula to be excluded from a ban, because it regards mines as a critical in keeping Stalinist North Korea from invading South Korea.

American satellite whizzes past Mir space station

By ANNA DOLGOV Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW

This time, the scare didn't come from Mir's own aging equipment or a crew member's error.

A U.S. satellite zipped by the space station, coming within 500 yards of Mir and forcing its three occupants into an escape capsule because they feared a collision, Russian officials said Tuesday.

In a reversal of roles, American space officials played down the Monday night incident and said the defunct satellite was twice that distance from Mir. "It wasn't anything major....This happens every month,"

said John Lawrence, a spokesman for the U.S. space

Vera Medvedkova, spokeswoman at Russia's Mission Control, said it was the Mir's closest brush with an unrelated spacecraft in its 11 years in orbit. If two airplanes pass at 1,000 yards in U.S. airspace, it is considered a near-miss.

Near-collision or not, the incident provided a reminder of the hazards of space traffic — and the deadly potential of a crash of objects crisscrossing at a sharp angle at 17,500 mph.

"At orbital speed, even a grain of sand carries the impact of a .38-caliber bullet," said James Oberg, an American space engineer who tracks the Russian program closely.

Though Russian officials spoke matter-of-factly about it Tuesday, the rare decision to send the Russian-American crew into the Soyuz capsule as a precaution showed how serious they considered the risk.

"They did the prudent thing," said Oberg, who called satellite's pass-by "closer than usual."

"Had it hit the structure, you're talking about a catastrophic failure (of Mir func-

tions). The shock wave would have hit anything else in there," he said by telephone from

The Mir already has been dented by one cosmic collision—a June 25 docking exercise in which a cargo craft bashed into the Spektr module.

Still living with the effects of that crash, the crew had barely finished fixing the Mir's cranky main computer Monday night when they were warned that an object was approaching the station.

It was a 370-pound research satellite traveling on a perpendicular orbit — inoperative since shortly after its 1994 launch by the Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, an arm of the U.S. Defense Department. At the Mir's altitude, objects in orbit typically burn up within a year or two

The U.S. Space Command in Colorado Springs, Colo., had informed NASA of the close approach about 30 hours beforehand, and NASA in turn informed the Russians.

The Russian-American crew spent 30 minutes in the Soyuz until the danger passed, Medvedkova said.

Oberg said the incident illustrated a difference between the U.S. and Russian space programs. The Russians don't maneuver Mir out of the way of approaching objects — especially since distance estimates are inexact. U.S. officials already have decided that the international space station, a much bigger orbiting target, will use thrusters to try to dodge them.

Either way, space officials must be alert to the risks of some 6,000 to 8,000 tracked objects orbiting Earth — anything bigger than the size of a pack of cigarettes. These objects are mostly fragments from payloads and rocket bodies.

The June collision was the

worst ever in space, and by far the most serious of a string of accidents plaguing the Mir all year. The aged space station's hapless performance in recent months has raised concerns in the United States about the safety of American astronauts taking part in the collaboration.

But NASA officials on Tuesday defended their decision to send an American replacement astronaut to Mir this month and said it would be unprecedented to call off or change the upcoming mission based on political pressure.

"I'd be surprised at something like that," said Frank Culbertson, manager of NASA's shuttle-Mir program.

The House Science Committee is holding a hearing Thursday to discuss the mission.

During a briefing at the Johnson Space Center in Houston, Culbertson stressed that the Mir is safe for those aboard

"Everything You Always Wanted to Ask an Ex-Gay (but Never Had the Chance)"

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The Strake Foundation presents Anthony Falzarano and Jaime González

Mr. Falzarano and Mr. González both direct Transformation Ex-Gay Christian Ministries, a Catholic-Protestant organization that is part of Exodus International, the largest organization in the world of gays and lesbians who have left behind their homosexual practices and feelings. They also direct a new national organization called Parents and Friends of Ex-Gays (P-FOX).



Anthony Falzarano spent 9 years as an active homosexual before he had a religious reconversion and decided that he had "no choice but to follow the Lord in sexual purity and leave the gay life behind." After 2 years of "very tough" Christian psychological counselling, Mr. Falzarano successfully left behind his homosexual dispositions. He has been happily married for almost

14 years and has two children. He has ministered to over 500 former homosexuals and is the East Coast and European media spokesperson for Exodus International. He is used as an expert source of information by CBS, ABC, The BBC, The Washington Post and USA Radio Network. He has testified before the Maryland General

Assembly regarding homosexual issues, and he filed an affidavit in the case *Romer v. Evans*, which went to the Supreme Court.

JAIME GONZÁLEZ also spent 9 years as an active homosexual, 7 of which he spent in a long-term relationship. Believing that it was consistent to be gay and Christian, Mr. González attended the P-FOX National Converence at his father's request. After the conference, González had become convinced that hom

father's request. After the conference, Gonzalez had become convinced that homosexuality and Christianity are not compatible, and came to accept traditional Catholic teaching on homosexuality. He has dedicated his life to ministering to former homosexuals.

The speakers will briefly share their histories as homosexuals and their spiritual journeys away from that way of life, and will then answer questions from the audience. They hope that their stories will contribute in a positive way to the campus debate about homosexuality.

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■ NAMIBIA

Searchers find crash debris

By TOM COHEN Associated Press Writer

WINDHOEK, Namibia Searchers found debris Tuesday from a U.S. cargo plane in the same cold, sharkinfested waters where they found remnants of a German aircraft, confirming the two military planes crashed off Namibia's Skeleton Coast.

The prospects of finding survivors from Saturday's crash were "getting slimmer," said Lt. Col. Eddie Brown of South Africa, who is overseeing the search effort.

He said nothing has been heard since faint distress signals were detected Sunday and early Monday. The water, at 59 degrees, "is cold, and I believe there are also sharks in the area," he added.

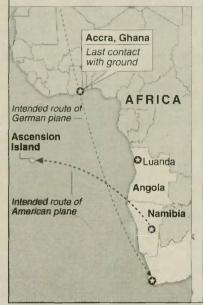
The two planes were carrying 33 people when they vanished Saturday while traveling in opposite directions. The German Tupolev 154 was heading from Germany to South Africa, while the American C-141 was flying from Namibia, a coastal country northwest of South Africa, to Ascension Island, off the coast in the south Atlantic.

Only one body — that of an unidentified woman — has been found and taken to an unspecified hospital for examination. Three women were among the 24 people aboard the German plane; all nine aboard the American plane were men.

Low clouds and fog hampered visibility Tuesday for the 230 searchers scouring the ocean aboard 10 planes from

Military crash

No survivors were found at the Ute where U.S. and German military planes are believed to have collided and plummeted into the ocean



Tupolev TU-154

Wingspan

Length

Height

123 feet, 2 1/2 inches (37.55 m) 157 feet, 1 3/4 inches 37 feet, 4 3/4 inches (11.40 m)

C-141 Starlifter



Wingspan

168 feet, 4 inches Length

Height

39 feet, 3 inches

Germany, the United States, France, South Africa and Namibia.

Two American C-130 planes carrying 80 people arrived early Tuesday from a Royal Air Force base in the United Kingdom to help with the search.

Both planes are equipped with special night-operation equip-

A German investigative team was awaiting better weather to fly by helicopter to the crash scene, 115 miles west of Cape Fria on the Namibian coast. The area is called the Skeleton Coast because its treacherous waters have claimed many ships.

The team was to examine debris being collected by two Namibian fishing research vessels, said South African Air Force Lt. Col. Laverne Machine.

Debris found Monday, including airplane seats and a few papers, came from the German plane, while wreckage from the American plane, including a wing flap, a compartment door and other debris, was found Tuesday.

The South African Air Force received a report Tuesday from a ship saying it saw a flash and fire Saturday, which officials believe was burning debris on the water, Brown said.

■ CHINA

Dissident may receive parole for poor health

By CHARLES HUTZLER Associated Press Writer

BELJING

In a move apparently aimed at smoothing relations before a key summit in Washington next month, China's justice minister suggested Tuesday that leading dissident Wei Jingsheng may be paroled on health grounds.

Justice Minister Xiao Yang said the release of Wei, who is China's most prominent democracy campaigner and has spent almost all of the last 18 years in custody, is possible if his health is found to be as bad as his family

claims.
"If Wei Jingsheng can meet the requirements for medical parole, then like other prisoners, he will have the opportunity for medical parole," Xiao told reporters during the Communist Party congress, held every five years to draft policies and assign top party

Xiao's comments add to speculation that China may release a leading dissident before President Jiang Zemin travels to Washington next month to meet with President Clinton, who has repeatedly called for improved human rights in communist-run China.

Despite the flexibility on Wei, Xiao said there would be no similar consideration for Wang Dan, a leader of the Tiananmen Square demonstrations in 1989 who was jailed last year for subver-

Xiao said Wang has received medical treatment he is entitled to and is in 'basically fine' health despite his family's claim that he has serious medical prob-

Other than Wei's possible release, there was little else in Xiao's remarks - or from policy changes expected at the congress - that might improve the atmosphere of the Clinton-Jiang summit.

Xiao flatly rejected Western-style government, saying China was building a 'socialist democracy' meaning tight party control of all branches of government.

We must adhere to and improve our fundamental political system and can never copy the model of the Western political system," Xiao said.

Democracy and human rights campaigners complained the meeting has been accompanied by increased police surveillance and harassment. Dissidents were told to stay home, and one who did not said he was chased by police.

They wouldn't dare run me down. The point is to get me to go home," said Jin Cheng. "I don't feel safe."

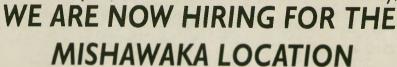


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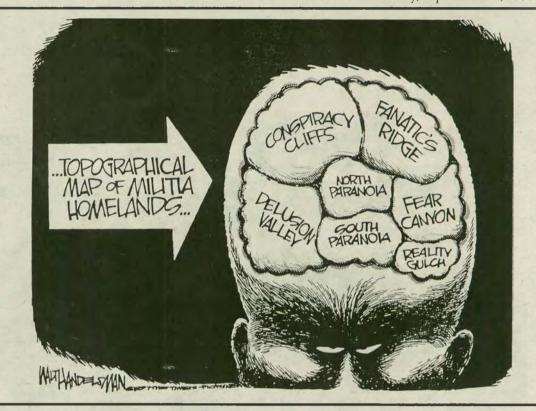
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AWAKENINGS

Is a New Political Era Dawning?

At his 1932 nominating convention in Chicago, Franklin Roosevelt reinterpreted the Declaration of Independence, forever changing the face of American politics and catapulting modern Liberalism to a primal position. In what has become known to many as a second bill of rights, FDR declared that people not only had a right to life but to be employed and live well; people have a right to property but not boundless property when others lack even a roof over their head; people have a right to liberty and the pursuit of happiness but a duty not to trample over others in that pursuit. FDR's acceptance speech ushered in a revised conception of rights, from the natural and individual to the bestowed and cooperative.

> J.P. Cooney

FDR's 1932 election is referred to as a critical one in American politics because it ended 36 years of Republican dominance in both the legislative and executive branches in favor of the Democratic Party and the Welfare State. Historically, these elections have taken place approximately every 30 years, including Jefferson in 1800, Jackson in 1828, Lincoln in 1860, McKinley in 1896, and FDR in 1932. Since FDR, however, there has been no critical or realigning election.

The 1960 election of JFK, and the subsequent 1964 election of LBJ, solidified the Democrats' stranglehold on the political system. They had controlled Congress for 28 prior years with the exception of 1947-48, and held the White House for 20 years before the election of Eisenhower in 1952. Johnson's Great Society, though largely unfunded and poorly implemented, expanded the scope of the Welfare

State and seemed to signal a resurgence of liberal governance. However, due in large part to the Vietnam War, the Democrats were swept out of the White House in 1968.

Political scientists at the time thought that 1968 would eventually prove a realigning election, where the hearts of the American people would sway towards the Republican Party. While the 1968 election effectively ended the Liberal movement and made the word synonymous with defeat in national politics, no real resurgence of the Right occurred. Instead the era of divided government was introduced. Since 1968, the executive and legislative branches have been in the control of opposing parties every year except 1977-80 (largely due to Watergate) and 1993-94.

The 1994 Republican Revolution seemed as if it would be America's next realignment — and the Republicans certainly did have a chance to finish the job in 1996. But a resuscitated economy, savvy political maneuvering by President Clinton in the 1995 budget battle, and a mediocre 1996 presidential candidate prevented such a result. Thus, the era of divided government has continued, and no political party has stepped to the forefront of our political system.

Bill Clinton, despised by his liberal critics for his centrist to sometimes rightleaning course of leadership, actually saved the Democratic Party from what seemed certain demise after the 1994 congressional elections. His political sophistication since then has cornered the Republican Party and put them perpetually on the defensive. Clinton, consciously or not, has crept open the door for another Liberal — excuse me, I meant to say "progressive" — movement.

An article in last week's edition of The Economist suggests that the American political and economic climate is ripe for such a movement. The cornerstone of this possible reemergence, the article asserts, is the potential for a clashing of economic classes. In the past five years, corporate profits have risen more than 50 percent, while real wages have remained

largely static. Income distribution remains more skewed than in any comparable nation — the top fifth of America's earners maintain nearly half the share of aggregate income, while the lowest fifth maintains less than 5 percent. Moreover, by a margin of nearly two to one, the American public declared that they would support organized labor over management in a dispute — these numbers are the reverse of 15 years ago during the Reagan Revolution.

The significance of these factors is magnified by Democratic presidential hopefuls Al Gore and Dick Gephardt's courting of organized labor in the past months. Both have relentlessly pursued union support three full years before the presidential election and before the highly critical 1998 congressional elections. No doubt the race for party nominations always begins the day after the previous election ends, but never in recent memory has one been so plainly visible. The reason for this is because it seems that the one who gains the Democratic nomination may have the opportunity to reshape the political landscape for a lasting period of time.

But labor's resurgence and growing class disparities are not enough to suggest that political realignment is on the horizon. Class disparities have been widening in America for more than two decades, and organized labor's momentum is spurred by a victory in the UPS strike that is largely a public facade — a fact which may soon become apparent.

The true clue that we are perhaps on the verge of a new wave of American politics is the growing public disgust with what Bill Weld referred to as "Washington Rules." Americans are disenchanted with Washington's impenetrable walls, and they are fatigued by the indistinguishable rhetoric between the two parties. The fact is that there is little difference between the Republican and Democratic parties today. Would America's current state-of-affairs be that much different had we elected Bush

rather than Clinton in '92? Probably not. The American people lie in wait for an attractive and appealing political movement which they can grab hold of. The answer lies in a new Left — and I do not mean Clinton's "New Democrats." New Deal Liberalism currently is dead; the Right had its chance in 1994, but political bumbling and insensitive social policy destroyed their chance; Clintonism, the politics of the center, is nothing short of politics as usual and too boring for Americans to embrace for a sustained period. So the only alternative is Progressivism.

The problem is that Progressivism still lacks a definition and guiding principle it is yet to be developed. In general, however, it incorporates social activism and global vision (i.e. principles of free trade and markets). It is a roll-up your sleeves ideology which will relentlessly pursue difficult issues like campaign finance and income distribution, while being attentive to the fact that the federal government is often wasteful and unfocused. Progressives will pursue an activist course, seeking to refine government and use it to address effectively the social conflicts we face. This is the type of left-leaning ideology which the American people are starving

Thanks to Clinton, the Democratic Party staid off a right-wing alternative to America's current social and political dilemmas. But now they must seize this opportunity the way the Republicans failed to in 1995-96. The ball is in their court to shape the next political era — the state of labor, the American political mindset, and the probable tightening of the economy in the coming years lie in their favor. The only question is whether or not someone, namely Gore, Gephardt, or maybe even a dark horse, will step up and get the job done.

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■ Doonesbury

GARRY TRUDEAU





IT SHOULDN'T BE MORE THAN A





QUOTE OF THE DAY

You have not converted a man because you have silenced him."

—John Viscount Morley

GOD 'N LIFE

Celibacy Right Choice for Those who Follow God

Searching for God. It's something we all do, consciously or unconsciously. It's also the title of a book by British Cardinal George Basil Hume — a collection of talks he gave the monks of Ampleforth Abbey during his years at their abbot. Even for those who are not "monastically inclined," it is worth a good read.

Cardinal Hume wrote at one point (or

Julie

Ferraro

spoke - depending on how you look at it) on the celibacy expected of not just priests and professed monks, but of

non-married persons. He makes it so

clear that, while it may seem celibate

they still fulfillment in God. His exact

"At the heart of celibacy there is

always pain. It has to be so, because

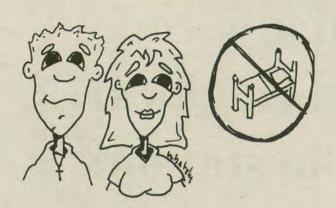
individuals live an "unfulfilled" life,

the pain is not to be grudged; the celibate forgoes the fulfillment of sexual desires precisely because he recognizes that his sexuality is a good thing. He renounces it because he knows that his Master did, and the Church from earliest times has instinctively known that other values can be gained as a result of that renunciation. God loves a cheerful giver.

George Basil Hume Searching for God, p. 52

These ideals can be applied to the ongoing homosexual debate in which our campus is involved. Personally acquainted with a number of homosexuals through my involvement in local theatre, I have the utmost admiration for their talents, and their willingness to face those in society who may see them as "perverts," "sinful" or worse, simply because of their orientation. It is not the orientation that is sinful or wrong, necessarily. It is how this orientation is incorporated into their lifestyle

There are single, heterosexual men and women — on this campus and elsewhere - who never have and never will have sexual relations with anyone, because they hold fast to the belief that this union is an integral part of marriage and procreation. Yet, these peo-



ple continue to use their God-given gifts and lead relatively happy lives. The same is possible for homosexual men and women, and it all begins by nurturing a faith in God that gives us strength in our weakness, and fills our empti-

Whether or not the non-discrimination clause includes sexual orientation, whether or not GLND/SMC is recognized as a student organization, God calls people to love and respect each other as created images of the divine. There is no room for debate on this point. We are also called to abide by God's law. We cannot pick and choose which rules to follow based upon personal preference. God has given is all unconditionally, without reservations. As we search and find Him day by day in every event of our lives, we should give our all with the same unselfish love.

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the celibate lacks something vital. But LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Unity Begins Under the Dome

Although the outrage on this campus and the campus of Saint Mary's must be intense and the letters of response numerous, I feel that I am drawn to respond to the letter from Catherine Syner and Stacey Fuller that appeared on Sept. 15. I am a senior at Notre Dame and a former Saint Mary's student. Not only did I attend Saint Mary's before transferring here, but I have an older sister who graduated in May and a sister who is currently a freshman there, so my ties to the school are great. I have never in

• The entire Notre Dame and I Saint Mary's community worked together to raise money and to rebuild the campus.

my time at Notre Dame been ashamed to admit that I am a woman of Notre Dame, until now, The narrow minded and juvenile bashing by these young women of Notre Dame gives a bad reputation to each and every Notre Dame student, regardless of gender. I could give many examples of ways in which Notre Dame students take advantage of the many things that Saint Mary's has to offer which are similar to those things that Saint Mary's students take advantage of on the Notre Dame campus, but I will not.

prompt me to respond is an anec dote I heard for the first time in a homily given by Father Malloy not too long ago. He related a narrative of the history of the University of

Notre Dame and the founding of both Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College by the brothers and sisters of the Congregation of Holy Cross. He mentioned that in April 1879 there was a fire that destroyed the campus of Notre Dame just 36 years after its creation by Father Sorin. Many of the campus buildings as they are known today were rebuilt immediately after this fire, including the administration building and the Golden Dome. The entire Notre Dame and Saint Mary's community worked together to raise money and to rebuild the campus. To me this exemplifies a strong sense of community and a bond that has existed since the early days of both Notre Dame and Saint Mary's

When two women from Notre Dame charge that women from Saint Mary's should be grateful to even be allowed in their stadium I would ask them to shield their eyes from the beauty of Our Lady, Notre Dame at her perch atop the Golden Dome because it was the sisters and women from Saint Mary's that donated the money for the construction of this blessed and famous monument after the fire in 1879.

If these women from Notre Dame do not want women from Saint Mary's to enjoy what the University of Notre Dame has to offer, then they, as women of Notre Dame should have no right to enjoy the many things that Saint Mary's has to offer, including the glory of the Golden

> Courtney Flemming senior, Howard Hall September 15, 1997

Reevaluating the **Notre Dame Family**

I am writing in response to Catherine Syner and Stacey Fuller's Sept. 15 letter.

Frankly, I found the two young ladies' argument to be extremely disheartening. I think the problem has to do with an unhealthy overcompetitiveness. Here at Notre Dame, there is a high level of competitiveness, be it in the classroom, in the dorm, or on the athletic playing field. This can be very beneficial in helping us all to achieve our best.

But it is frequently taken too far. I remember as a freshman, arriving on this campus, hearing derogatory comments about Saint Mary's students as being less intelligent than their Notre Dame counterparts. Not only that, but I remember hearing of this dissension within the boundaries of our own campus. I can recall conversations about specific people who seemed less "intelligent" than the the "majority," and how these people were rudely assumed to be the children of faculty members or alumni. Whether or not there is preferential treatment is not the issue, the fact that we judge others because of these stereotypes and

In our school's fight song, we proclaim that Notre Dame will "win over all." That sentiment might be a great way to fire up the gold and blue before they take the field on Saturday afternoon. But if students are taking the attitude that because they got into Notre Dame they are somehow better or more important than the students of Saint Mary's, or the man who cleans the toilets in the bathroom, for that matter, then they are sadly, sadly mistaken.

We are all lucky to be where we are today. There are millions of people our age who were born into starvation or civil war. They may not have homes or families, and it is a miracle that they are even alive.

Yet, we have people here, who have been afforded luxuries that others can only dream of, complaining like babies that they deserve more than the blessings that they have already been given — that the gym they work out in, or the football team they watch should be reserved only for them.

This is supposed to be a religious school. I don't care what church you call your own. All of us are created by God, and all of us are equal. We are all brothers and sisters. To read Syner and Fuller's comments makes me wonder if they know what it means to be a member of a family. They "are tired of hearing about the 'Notre Dame community.'" Perhaps they wish to

relinquish their membership? Even if they would choose not to be a member of the Notre Dame community, they cannot choose to no longer be a member of the community known as humanity. I pray that God can free us from such nearsightedness, and that we may live in love and in peace, remembering the words of His heavenly son: You shall love your neighbor as you love yourself.'



Timothy Kearney Senior, Off Campus September 15, 1997 ACCENT ASKS...

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Valerie Quandt Senior, Off-Campus

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Amanda Gentine Sophomore, Cavanaugh





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Nate Hudak Sophomore, Zahm

"The Bear — because Hudak likes it."

> Chris Hendricksen Sophomore, Zahm





"88.9 WSND — because my roommate Colleen reads the news for it."

Erin Kiernicki Freshman, Farley

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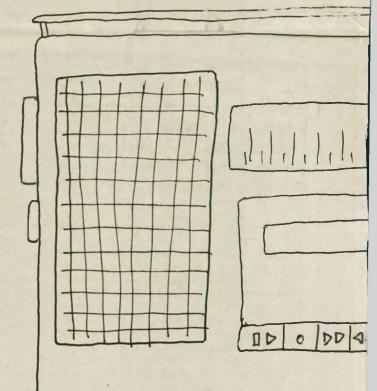
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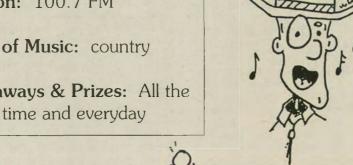
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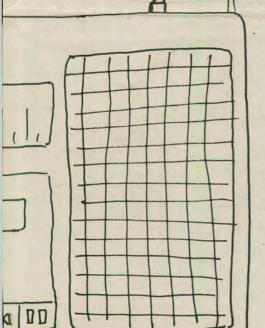
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Station: 960 AM

Type of Music: only news, talk and sports

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ACCENT SPEAKS

Commercial radio may be "Not for you"

By EMMETT MALLOY Accent Music Editor

Tou're sitting in the middle of heavy traffic, completely disgusted with the slowness and boredom of everything around you. Your only escape lies with music, yet unfortunately you forgot to bring any albums with you on this uneventful ride. You reach for the radio and begin surfing through the stations. No Doubt, commercial, some Hanson song, a retro 70s song, deejay spiel, No Doubt again, commercial. Absolutely nothing. We indirectly pay these radio stations to play the music we enjoy, yet all we get are the one-hit wonders and dinosaur rock.

In my car, the only pre-set stations I listen to are local college and high school radio. Even though sometimes the reception isn't all that good, college and high school radio is really the only medium to find out about new acts. I live outside Chicago, and the radio scene there is dominated by Q101. Q101 is accredited with discovering such "great" bands as Bush and No Doubt, and the power they exercise in the Chicagoland area is tremendous. If a band can't make it on Q101, then they definitely can kiss goodbye to their chances of playing much

in Chicago and maybe even the country.

If you're asking why Chicago people listen to them when there are plenty of other stations, it is because it's virtually impossible to avoid them. A majority of rock and alternative concerts are sponsored by Q101, and Q101 even throws its own festival, the Q101 Jamboree. In 1994, Eddie Vedder was so disgusted with Q101's exploitation of Pearl Jam that he wrote "Not For You," a statement against radio giants who abuse the music industry in order to make money. During Pearl Jam's last two visits to Chicago, Vedder has made it a habit to express his hatred towards Q101 and then plays the

opening chords to the song. Enough bashing. The point of this editorial is that I wish more people would listen to college and high school radio. When I listen to these huge commercial radio stations, I feel as if the music they play is what I must buy. It's almost like buying books for school; you really have no interest in purchasing the books, but it's required. These radio stations pressure you into buying the albums they play because if the CD's number one on the Billboard charts, then you're missing out on something good. This is false advertising; some of the best musical acts have never even made it to the Top 200 at

On the other hand, college and high school radio simply want to spread the word on different bands. Instead of forcing this group's song on you, they put the songs out there, and you decide which one you like. Also, because they're not under as much pressure from record labels as commercial giants, they play whatever they like. They're the only source on the newest, undiscovered talent in the music industry, and the music directors don't pick songs from bands only because their lead singer looks like Kurt Cobain (hmmm...Silverchair comes to mind). College and high school radio avoid the superficiality and deceptive propaganda used by radio giants and record companies. The music programs at the college and high school level are designed for and by

Another great feature about college and high school radio is that they're not devoted to one musical genre. One listen can have you finding yourself enjoying the Foo Fighters, then Puff Daddy, and afterwards the Beatles. The change in musical format prevents oversaturation and eventual boredom. It's great for anyone with an interest in the entire musical spectrum.

MTV already has gone down the tube (they might as well start a television show starring the Hanson brothers considering they show a Hanson video around the hour), and I believe radio giants like Q101 will soon be following in their tracks. Huge radio stations have increasingly switched to talk/music formats, with much more ingenuity and work being put into the talk shows. Just look at the sudden explosion of Howard Stern wannabes and Love Line clones filling the airwaves.

I'm just tired of a bunch of old men deciding what music we listen to and which groups will find success in the business. Music's last hope lies with college and high school radio. So instead of listening to some album you've heard a hundred times, tune in to WVFI and WSND. There's no better way to get the inside scoop than from your fellow classmates.

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Cooper's dilemma delightful Ditka embarrassed

By RUSTY MILLER Associated Press Writer

COLUMBUS, Ohio Michael Wiley has rushed for more yards, scored more touchdowns and excited more fans than Pepe Pearson so far this

for ninth-ranked Ohio State.

But that doesn't mean the sophomore will start anytime soon ahead of Pearson and particu-



larly not Saturday when the Buckeyes play Arizona.

Wiley is averaging 9.6 yards per carry and has scored three touchdowns, including a 100yard kickoff return last week.

This guy's a rocket. This guy can hit the home run," head coach Gary Cooper said of Wiley at his weekly news conference Tuesday.

As reporters pointed out that Pearson has yet to score and has rushed for 39 fewer yards than Wiley despite nine more carries, Cooper jumped to the senior tailback's defense.

You guys are getting down on Pepe more than we are. I can tell that right now by the tone of your questions," Cooper chided. "Maybe Wiley has had more opportunities, maybe

we've put him in more openfield situations.

Cooper said Pearson is superior in many other aspects that don't grab headlines.

'Pepe's a good running back. He gained 1,500 yards last year and averaged over 5 yards a carry," Cooper said. "So we know what Pepe can do over the course of the season. Leadership, chemistry and knowing who to block, carrying out your fakes - all the little things we take into consideration that you could probably care less about - all of that enters into our decision.

Arizona (1-1) is limiting opposing runners to 1.8 yards per carry and 57 yards a game,

eighth best in the nation.
"I think we have a speed advantage over anybody we play," he said. "At least at certain positions.'

Cooper said it was necessary to stamp out the mistakes that have held Ohio State back in two easy victories — and could cost them in the future.

'We need to have a real good week of practice to correct the number of mistakes we're making, mental mistakes on both sides of the ball," he said. "The offensive line's got to know who to block and make sure that we don't turn people loose on our quarterback.

"That's the thing I fear this

Arizona's hyperactive and ultra-aggressive defense is central to all of Cooper's fears.

For the first time in more than a year, he has three quality quarterbacks in the mix -Stanley Jackson, Joe Germaine and Mark Garcia. Garcia missed all of last year after a knee injury

Cooper doesn't want to lose one now because of a lineman's mistake.

'We've got to make sure we know how to protect our quarterback and give ourselves time to move the ball down the field," Cooper said.

Another concern is the fumbleitis that has plagued the Buckeyes. They fumbled three times in the opening 24-10 victory over Wyoming, then lost four fumbles in the first half against Bowling Green.

What makes Cooper even more nervous is that Arizona is known for forcing fumbles.

"I worry about us not securing the football when we're in the open field more than I do anything else," he said.

'And Arizona defensively will do probably a better job of punching the ball out from behind than anybody else we play. You can see on tapes where their defensive player will take his fist and he's really not trying to make the tackle, he's trying to punch the ball

after loss to Niners

By MARY FOSTER Associated Press Writer

NEW ORLEANS A couple of months ago, Mike Ditka was assuring New Orleans Saints fans they wouldn't be embarrassed by this year's team.

Now he's being haunted by those words after the Saints' third straight loss, a 33-7 whipping by the San Francisco 49ers that was fueled by eight turnovers.

'This is embarrassing and I apologize for the way we're playing," Ditka said.

The Saints sold Ditka heavily as the antidote to four straight non-winning seasons, capped by a 3-13 record last year. His tough-guy image and Super Bowl victory were supposed turn around the NFL's worst franchise

Catch phrases like "This year, we're made of iron,' were used to market tickets, and "Find a way - Make a way," was the team motto.

Now fans, who with corporate help provided a rare sellout of the first home game, appear to be opting for cynicism over optimism. Late Tuesday, there were almost 10,500 tickets left for Sunday's game against Detroit.

"We've gotten our hopes up so often we take it harder when they're terrible now, said Ken King, 57, of New Orleans. "We're going to save our money until they start to look like what we expected and they sure don't look that way

And it's not just the fans who are feeling let down after the big buildup.

'Our expectations were that we were going to have a good start and a really good season," rookie quarterback Danny Wuerffel said. "I don't think anyone expected this."

Linebacker Winfred Tubbs, in his fourth year with the Saints, had a different perspec-

'You get tired of hearing how you did a good job and the team didn't," Tubbs said. "We need to win some games. We need that bad."

The worst part is the turnovers - a league-leading 19 in three games.

Now on a pace to finish with 98 turnovers, the Saints have already set an NFL record for most giveaways in the first three games. They're more than halfway to last year's total of 37 and look like a sure thing to shatter the old Saints record of 47 set in 1981

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■ COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Boilermakers prepare for BSU

Associated Press Writer

Which Purdue football team will show up this week for Ball State?

The time for celebrating Saturday's victory against Notre Dame is over for the Purdue, coach Joe Tiller said Tuesday. He wants them to remember Toledo this week as they prepare for Saturday's visit by Ball State.

Purdue knocked the then 12th-ranked Irish out of the national ratings with Saturday's 28-17 triumph. It came one week after Tiller's reign as head coach began with a 36-22 loss to Toledo of the Mid-American Conference.

All you need to do is point out what happened to us the week before at Toledo," Tiller

The Purdue coach, speaking at his weekly news conference, said, "Any time you have an emotional win as a football team ... you're concerned about how your team will perform the

'I do not subscribe to this line of thinking that if you play emotional one week, you can't get up and play well the next week. ... In my opinion, that's a bunch of hogwash.

The victory over the Irish was the first by Purdue in their annual series since 1985

'Certainly it was a big win for us," said Tiller, who took over a program that hasn't had a winning season since 1984. "We may have the ability to win some big football games, but certainly we have the ability to perform less than desir-

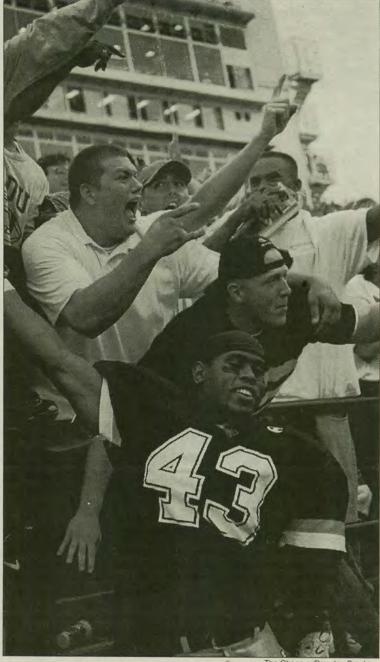
"Reality kind of hits you between the eyes," Tiller said. "In Ball State, we're going to face a Mid-American team, and so far we 0-1 against Mid-American teams. I think very quickly we can remind our football team that not a Saturday (victory) does a season make and that we need to focus up.'

The Cardinals are playing a Big Ten team for the second consecutive week, having fallen to Indiana 33-6 on Saturday.

well and know a lot of their players. We know they're in a situation where they've got to be excited about what's going on," said Ball State coach Bill Lynch. "Toledo really outplayed them. ... At this point in our season, we're nothing like Toledo but in terms of being from the MAC they're going to have some respect for us.

A more effective Billy Dicken at quarterback was one reason for the turnaround between the Toledo and Notre Dame games. He passed for a career-high 352 yards against the Irish, completing 26 of 38 attempts. Against Toledo, Dicken connected on 13 of 35 attempts for 207 yards.

"We tried to alter the game plan a little bit for him," Tiller said of Dicken. "In the first game ... we probably gave him too much latitude regarding audibles and throwing the ball up the field. ... Saturday, we kind of cut it down a little bit and also inserted a few throws that we thought were easier for



After last week's upset victory over the Irish, running back Kendall Mathews and Purdue will host Ball State on Saturday.



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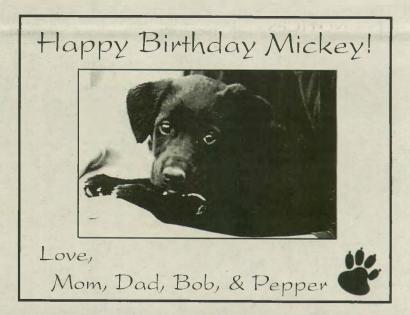
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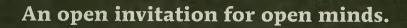
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Paterno sees room for growth

By MICHAEL RAPHAEL
Associated Press Writer

STATE COLLEGE, Pa.
It's not easy being No. 1.
Just ask Penn State coach Joe
Paterno, who says teams sometimes spend months preparing

for one game
— against
his Nittany
Lions.

study us,"
Paterno said
Tuesday. "It
isn't as if we
go in and



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we're a football team that people have not looked at all summer — early games particularly. We have people who have scrutinized everything we've done, come up with a lot of times different schemes than we've seen."

Not that all that planning has

exactly paid off. The first two games of the season Penn State outscored Pittsburgh and Temple a combined 86-24.

Nonetheless, Paterno is still worried.

"I have some concerns. I will always have some concerns. I'm sure of that we'll never be perfect," Paterno said Tuesday.

"I have some concerns that Temple was able to run the ball fairly well against us. Offensively we are still not precise enough with our ... offensive line. And last Saturday our backs did not have a good day blocking. They made some mistakes

"We're really not as far along as I would like us to be," Paterno said.

It almost sounded like the top-ranked Nittany Lions were winless, not undefeated as they prepare for their first road game of the season.

But then Paterno was never one to cheerlead. In the 52-10 victory over Temple, for example, Paterno saw some good things — the blocking of fullback Aaron Harris, the passing of Mike McQueary, the defensive play of the secondary.

The bad, however, took center stage. Paterno returned again and again to miscues by the offensive line and the effect they had on the running game. He also suggested that beating Temple was more mental than physical, an ominous statement with the bigger, stronger Big Ten teams just a few weeks away.

away.
"We fooled Temple a great deal, we really didn't run over them," he said. "So I just don't know where we are."

Part of the problem could be the loss of fullback Jason Sload, a good blocker who often led the way for Curtis Enis last year. Sload has not played a down this season, hampered by a nagging knee injury. When he may return is still a question mark

Harris has done well, but at a price.

"He's carrying the ball and also blocking, which means he gets hit on every play," Paterno said. "You carry the ball, you get hit. If the other guy carries the ball, you're blocking, so there's a contact on every play and that starts to take a toll on you.

"When we would play with Sload we weren't hiding the secret that he wasn't going to carry the ball a lot. He was more in there to block and did an excellent job with that." ■ Major League Baseball

Griffey continues to take aim at Maris

By JIM COUR
Associated Press Writer

SEATTLE Joe Carter knows a thing or two about home runs, having hit 377 of them. And the Toronto outfielder likes Ken

Griffey Jr.'s chances of catching Roger Maris even though his season is down to 11 games.

''When □
you get him

g o i n g , there's nothing he can't do,'' Carter said. "And he's been dealing with pressure his whole life. It's part of his upbringing because he's been around major league players his whole life."

With two homers against the Blue Jays on Monday night, Griffey grabbed the home run lead at 52 to pull within nine of Maris.

"I just stopped swinging at bad pitches," he said.

Griffey's seventh multihomer game of the season led the Seattle Mariners to a 7-3 victory to reduce their magic number to seven in their bid for their second AL West title in three seasons.

After going eight games without a homer, Griffey hit two off right-hander Woody Williams into the Kingdome's right-field second deck — a two-run shot

of 404 feet in the first inning and a solo homer of 397 feet in the fifth.

The Mariners, who had Tuesday off, open their final road trip of the season Wednesday night at Texas. Seven of their final 11 are against Oakland, which has the worst pieching staff in baseball.

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Griffey's not a one-man team, leaving opponents with the prospect of facing Edgar Martinez, Jay Buhner and Paul Sorrento if they choose to pitch around him.

"They've got such a good-hitting ballclub that people can't just think about shutting down Griffey and that's what makes him so dangerous," Carter said.

"He's the No. 1 part of that offense, but they can survive without him."

After hitting a dozen homers in August, Griffey hit eight homers in the first 15 days of September.

Since 1961, when Maris hit 61 homers and Mickey Mantle 54 for the New York Yankees, four players have hit 52. Griffey joined Willie Mays (1965), George Foster (1977) and Mark McGwire (1996). McGwire hit his 51st for St. Louis on Sunday.

Griffey became the sixth major leaguer to hit 100 or more home runs over two consecutive seasons, matching a feat accomplished by McGwire. Griffey hit 49 homers last seasons.



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■ MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Pettitte sparks Yanks to win

NEW YORK

Andy Pettitte struck out a career-high 12 and the New York Yankees cut their magic number for clinching a playoff spot to five, beating Boston 2-0 Tuesday in the first game of a twi-night doubleheader.

The Yankees won their third in a row and increased their edge to 8 1/2 games over Anaheim for the wild-card spot. The Angels played Minnesota

Pettitte (18-7) allowed only five hits in eight innings and walked none. He surpassed his strikeout high of 11 set on Aug. 4, 1996, against Kansas City, and improved to 5-0 in his last eight starts.

Mariano Rivera pitched a perfect ninth for his 42nd save.

Aaron Sele shut out the Yankees, who welcomed Cecil Fielder back to the lineup after a two-month absence, on five hits for six innings. John Wasdin (4-6) relieved to begin the seventh, and Paul O'Neill hit an RBI single that began a two-run inning.

Pettitte gave up just four singles until Nomar Garciaparra tripled with one out in the eighth. But Pettitte protected his 2-0 lead, retiring John Valentin on a popup and striking out Mo Vaughn on three pitches.

Pettitte did a slight twirl on the mound after fanning Vaughn for the second time in the game. Vaughn singled off the left-hander in his first two at-bats.

After struggling against Sele's off-speed stuff, Tim Raines opened the seventh with a single off Wasdin. Wade Boggs popped up a bunt attempt, but the ball landed fair and stopped rolling on the third-base line.

O'Neill followed with a drive off the base of the right-field wall, scoring one run. Bernie Williams drove in another run with an RBI force play.

Fielder, who fractured his right thumb on a head-first slide on July 15, went 1-for-4 and struck out twice. The designated hitter, with 299 career home runs, lost about 25 pounds during his recupera-

Rangers 4, Royals 2

ARLINGTON, Texas Johnny Oates wants Rusty Greer at the plate with the game on line. The Texas manager got just what he wanted Tuesday night.

Greer homered twice, including a tiebreaking two-run shot in the eighth inning, to give the Rangers a 4-2 victory over the Kansas City Royals.

"He's the right guy to have at the plate in those situations in the eighth or ninth inning, Oates said of Greer, who has 12 game-winning hits in the Rangers' final at-bat in the last three seasons

Greer, who hit a solo homer in the fourth, has hit two home runs in four games this season, and five in his career. He has delivered game-winning hits in the Rangers' final at-bat in five games this season.

'I'm just doing my job, whether it's a home run or a single," Greer said. "I think it's important to win as many games as we can these last 10 days.'

Ivan Rodriguez reached on shortstop Jay Bell's fielding error leading off the eighth against Gregg Olson (3-3), and Greer followed with his 25th

homer. With slugger Juan Gonzalez up next, Olson had to pitch to Greer.

"Having Juan hitting behind you with what he can do can only help me," Greer said. "I need to try and get on base for

Greer is 51-for-140 lifetime against Kansas City with five homers and 18 RBIs.

'He should kill us when you throw a pitch like that," Royals manager Tony Muser said. 'One bad pitch was the difference in the game. Greer is just a good hitter.

Matt Whiteside (4-1) allowed two hits and no runs in two innings to pick up the victory. John Wetteland pitched the ninth for his 30th save.

Rangers starter Roger Pavlik turned in his second strong start since missing four months following elbow surgery. Pavlik allowed five hits over five shutout innings, giving him 13 straight shutout innings.

Kansas City's Kevin Appier also had an effective start, giving up two runs and six hits over seven innings before leaving with the score tied at 2. Appier struck out six and walked two.

Appier continues to get little run support. He has allowed three or fewer runs in eight of his last 11 starts, but he has only three wins over that span.

'He hasn't gotten any run support and they haven't played any defense behind him," Muser said. "He's pitched better than his record

Texas took a 1-0 lead in the first when Tom Goodwin walked, moved to second on Ivan Rodriguez's walk, and scored on Gonzalez's single. Gonzalez was 3-for-4.

Indians 4, Orioles 2, 1st game Orioles 7, Indians 2, 2nd game

BALTIMORE Jimmy Key did his part, and for a change the Baltimore Orioles backed him up.

Key won at Camden Yards for the first time since May 7, allowing two unearned runs in 7 2-3 innings as the Orioles beat the Cleveland Indians 7-2 Tuesday to gain a split of a daynight doubleheader.

In the opener, Charles Nagy

pitched five-hit ball into the seventh inning and Matt Williams drove in two runs to lead the Indians to a 4-2 victo-

ry.
"I pitched some real good games here and lost. That's the way it goes sometimes," Key said. "Tonight we scored a lot of runs early, which helps you

Brady Anderson and Rafael Palmeiro homered for the Orioles, who led 7-0 after five innings and coasted. The victory reduced their magic number to clinch the AL East title to

Roberto Alomar had three hits and three RBIs for Baltimore, which had lost five of seven and also split a daynight doubleheader with Cleveland on Monday.

Both teams seemed happy to get a split in the two-day marathon.

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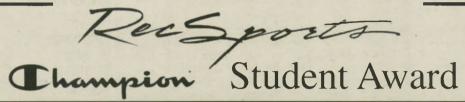
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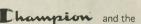
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■ MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Braves slam slumping Giants

By TOM SALADINO
Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA
Eddie Perez's grand slam in
the sixth inning broke a tie and
the Atlanta Braves tied a
major-league record with 11
slams this season Tuesday in a
6-4 win over the San Francisco
Giants.

The Braves tied the mark for grand slams in a season set by Seattle and Baltimore last year. Atlanta, seeking an unprecedented sixth consecutive division title, led second-place Florida by 5 1/2 games in the NL East entering Tuesday's game.

The Giants, who began the day trailing first-place Los Angeles in the NL West by one game, lost their season-high fourth straight. The Dodgers played at St. Louis Tuesday night.

Perez, in a 3-for-33 slump, singled in the fourth before leading the Braves to a two-game sweep with his first career grand slam.

With the score tied 2-2 in the sixth, Chipper Jones singled and took third when second baseman Jeff Kent let Fred McGriff's potential double-play grounder go through his legs for a two-base error.

After Andruw Jones struck out for the third straight time, Alvarez walked Danny Bautista intentionally, loading the bases for Perez. Perez hit a 2-2 fastball from Wilson Alvarez (3-3) to left-center for his sixth homer

Alvarez allowed seven hits and six runs — five earned in six innings. The left-hander walked two and struck out 10.

Rookie Kevin Millwood (4-3) earned the victory for the Braves. The right-hander gave up three hits in six innings.

The Braves took a 2-0 lead in

the fourth on a two-run single by Fred McGriff. McGriff's twoout, two-run homer off Rod Beck capped a four-run rally in the ninth Monday night that gave the Braves a 5-4 win.

The Giants tied it in the sixth. Bill Mueller singled and Barry Bonds walked. Mueller tried to take third on Millwood's wild pitch and scored when catcher Perez's throw to third bouced into the Giants' dugout. Bonds took third on the play and scored on J.T. Snow's sacrifice fly.

Astros 15, Padres 3

HOUSTON

Sean Berry hit a three-run double when Houston blew the game open early and Jeff Bagwell hit his 40th homer as the Houston Astros beat San Diego 15-3 Tuesday, eliminating the defending champion Padres from the NL West race.

The Astros entered play Tuesday leading second-place Pittsburgh by 3 1/2 games in the NL Central. The Pirates hosted Montreal Tuesday night.

The Padres, last year's NL West champs, fell to 71-80, 12 1/2 games behind NL Westleading Los Angeles with 11 games left.

Bagwell's two-run homer came in the fourth inning and broke his single-season season club record of 39 homers in 1994. It came in a six-run inning for the Astros, who led 13-1 after four innings.

Houston had 16 hits — eight for extra bases — in setting a season-high for runs.

The Astros gave Ramon Garcia (7-8) a comfortable 7-0 lead against Sterling Hitchcock (10-10) after the first two innings, highlighted by Luis Gonzalez's two-run double in the first and Berry's three-run double in the second. Gonzalez

also had an RBI double in the fourth.

Steve Finley doubled in the third inning and scored on Ken Caminiti's sacrifice fly off Garcia, who allowed six hits and struck out eight in six innings.

Hitchcock was tagged for seven runs — six earned — and five hits in 1 1-3 innings.

Phillies 3, Mets 2

PHILADELPHIA

Curt Schilling passed the 300strikeout mark and took a perfect game into the eighth inning Tuesday night before settling for a three-hitter as the Philadelphia Phillies beat the New York Mets 3-1.

Pinch-hitter Luis Lopez broke up Schilling's bid for perfection with a one-out, line-drive single to center in the eighth. Schilling (16-10) had retired 22 straight before Lopez's hit.

In the fourth inning, Schilling recorded his 300th strikeout this season by fanning Edgardo Alfonzo. Schilling is the 13th pitcher to reach the 300-plateau and the first in the NL since Houston's Mike Scott in 1986.

One out after Lopez's single, Carlos Baerga hit an RBI double on a ball center fielder Midre Cummings nearly grabbed with a diving catch. Cummings had the ball in his glove, but lost it as he hit the ground.

Brian McRae hit his 10th homer with one out in the ninth to make it 3-2. Phillies first baseman Rico Brogna made a diving stop of John Olerud's liner to end the game.

Schilling finished with nine strikeouts, bringing his season total to 305, and didn't allow a walk

The right-hander recorded his seventh complete game this

season and the 34th of his career. Schilling is unbeaten in his last 10 starts and hasn't lost a decision since July 26.

The Mets didn't get a three-ball count until the seventh inning. Alfonzo ran the count to 3-2 before flying to center.

The Phillies scored three runs in the second off Rick Reed.

Rico Brogna dropped a oneout double down the left-field line, and Mike Lieberthal followed with his team-leading 20th homer.

Cummings' RBI single in the fifth scored Kevin Stocker and made it 3-0.

With the strikeout of Alfonzo, Schilling became only the 13th

pitcher to notch 300 strikeouts since 1900 and the first in the majors since Randy Johnson struck out 308 in 1993.

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The crowd at Veterans Stadium rose after the count on Alfonzo went to 1-2, and gave Schilling a standing ovation when Alfonzo swung and missed at strike three. Schilling is the first right-hander to strike out 300 since Scott struck out 306 in 1986.

The major-league leader in strikeouts this season, Schilling has a chance to break Steve Carlton's team record of 310, set in 1972, and J.R. Richard's NL record for strikeouts by a right-hander (313, in 1979).



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Football

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experienced offense to South Bend on Saturday, present the Irish with an urgency on the defensive side of the ball to make vast improvements.

Beyond an issue of time, the major hindrance in accomplishing this is injury. The Irish added defensive end Jason Ching and offensive tackle Chris Clevenger to the disabled list that includes linebackers Bobbie Howard and Joe Thomas, all lost to knee injuries, leaving the defensive front short on experience and full of uncertainty.

"On defense, it's obvious that we need to keep developing, or start to develop the inside linebackers," Davie said. "We really don't have a player there that's played much football. Looking back at Purdue, some of the problems we had in alignments — getting the strong call, getting people lined up — are due to the inexperience we have at inside linebacker."

Davie is looking to junior Jimmy Friday and sophomore Ronnie Nicks, in addition to true freshman Grant Irons and sophomore walk-on Anthony Brannan, to fill the role.

Adding to the stress put on the inexperienced linebackers is the Spartans' line-up of three tailbacks that have combined for nearly 600 yards on the ground in the last two games. Sophomore Sedrick Irvin, senior Marc Renaud, and sophomore Leroy McFadden combine speed, size, and experience, while a mamouth offensive line — averaging 6-foot-5,

299-pounds — creates holes for them.

"I think on defense we've got to settle down," Davie said. "We've got to keep it simple. Because to attack, to attack on defense, we've got to anticipate and stay one step ahead. It's not just reacting, it's anticipating what's going to come."

On the offensive side of the ball, the Irish are looking to move the ball the way they have in the last two weeks, putting up impressive numbers both in the air and on the ground, but get it in the end zone. The offense has been unable to score in clutch situations. Without Clevenger, the offensive line will have to step up in order to create room for running back Autry Denson to continue his ground domination

A key factor offensively for the Irish against the Spartan

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The Observer/Brandon Candura

Senior defensive end Corey Bennett (95) will start on Saturday after missing last week's game with a sore knee.

defense is limiting the number of turnovers. The Spartan defense is the top-ranked defense nationally in forced

turnovers, and the Irish have committed costly turnovers in both games

Another area in which Notre Dame hopes to improve on offense is using more of a variety of players, hopefully creating a downfield threat. Davie said at the press conference that he hopes to use more of his young talent, such as running back Tony Driver, tight end Jabari Holloway, and wide receiver Darcy Levy, in addition to senior Allen Rossum as a potential big-play man.

"The thing I would like us to see is us throw the football down the field more," Davie said. "Part of it is, in all honesty, that we've been so close in football games. We've never been able to have any kind of a comfort level where we feel like we can waste a play."

Overall, Davie hopes that this week's game against the Spartans will bring an enthusiasm that seems to have been lacking in the last two games.

"I've always been under the impression that you need to set the tempo yourself," Davie said. "You don't wait to find out how the games going to decide if you're going to play in an enthusiastic manner.

"We need to be enthusiastic first, and then will come success."

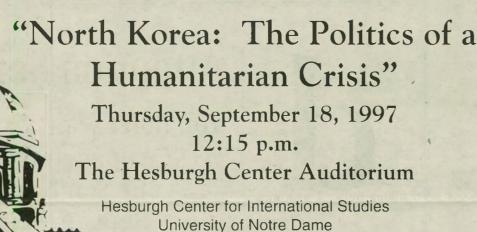
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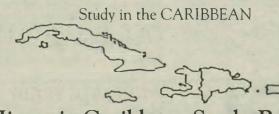
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overtime, as the Irish allowed only one additional shot in the sudden death period. The Irish attack was able to put some pressure on the Wildcats with three attempts on goal. Notre Dame came up short and the game ended in a 2-2 tie

Notre Dame returns to action when it faces Big East opponent West Virginia at Mountaineer Field on Saturday. It will be the third conference game for the Irish, who are undefeated in the Big East with a record of 1-0-1

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

No vote on realignment

By RONALD BLUM Associated Press Writer

ATLANTA After a meeting of the sport's ruling executive council Tuesday night, it appeared owners would be unable to come to a vote on realignment this week.

Unable to issue a 1998 schedule because they can't figure out where to put the two expansion teams, owners had many different proposals under consideration as they began their quarterly session with a five-hour meeting of the sport's ruling executive council.

And when the council recessed after midnight, even more ideas were presented for consideration

'Everyday my fax is busy, clubs sending different plans, acting commissioner Bud Selig

A council member, speaking on the condition he not be iden-tified, said it was "highly unlikely" a plan could be for-mulated that would win approval in the next two days.

Going into the meeting, realignment committee chairman John Harrington said his goal was "to eliminate some alternatives." But several committee members said the number of plans had grown Tuesday, not shrunk

We need to air everything out because what we're doing is going to be done for a long

CORRECTION

Tuesday's Accent section featured a report on club sports at Notre Dame. However, it failed to mention men's volleyball.

time," Selig said.

The executive council will meet again with the realignment committee Wednesday, then brief teams during separate league meetings. Both leagues meet jointly Thursday.

Owners arriving at the meetings weaved their way through celebrities such as heavyweight champion Evander Holyfield, who was attending the opening of Atlanta's All-Star Cafe, which is just down the block from the hotel baseball is

Some teams remain in favor of the radical realignment plan that would have 15 teams switch leagues next season, basically turning the American League into an East Coast circuit and the National League into a West Coast circuit.

Seven NL teams have threatened to vote against it, including four with veto power. Still, other teams think they can persuade those clubs to change their minds

'I'm sure people will say things in the heat of the moment, but, hopefully, rationality will take over,' Texas Rangers president Tom Schieffer





Junior Ben Bocklage scored an apparent goal that would have given the Irish a 3-2 lead, but it was called back moments later because of an offsides penalty

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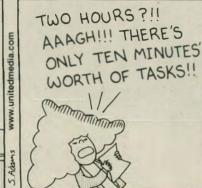




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YOUR HOROSCOPE

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY: Clint Eastwood, Brooke Shields, Don Ameche, Sharon Gless

DEAR EUGENIA: I am confused and dating four different men at the same time. I need to make a decision regarding them. I cannot decide which direction to go, as I care very much about them aff. I guess I want to know who is the best match, or which one can make much be harpiest. which one can make me the happiest and settle down with. My life has been in upheaval for the last three years with career, romance and family. I was born April 22, 1957, at 9:15 a.m. My prospective partners were born Aug. 9, 1966; Dec. 24, 1966; July 31, 1956; and Oct. 21, 1966.

Four-Timer

DEAR FOUR-TIMER: It appears to me that you aren't all that picky

when it comes to your partners.
Your chart indicates that you match up adequately to all of them. No one stood out as being better for you. There is an element of dishonsouth There is an element of disnon-esty in all four comparisons. There-fore, I'm assuming that it is you who are not being up front and straight. Physically, Dec. 24, 1966, matches up the best, but you are also likely to pass sexual disease back and forth.

pass sexual disease back and forth. Mentally, they are all about the same, but possibly July 31, 1956, and Oct. 21, 1966, have a slight edge.
Emotionally Aug. 9, 1966, and July 31, 1956, have a slight edge. You will be in a high cycle where love is concerned at the beginning of next year. You may as well play until that time, when you may meet someone who is better for you.

ARIES (March 21-April 20): Avoid deception at an emotional level. Involvement in groups of interest will

EUGENIA LAST

TAURUS (April 21-May 21): Late in the day, travel will be favorable and small gatherings with friends will

ovide mental stimulation. GEMINI (May 22-June 21): Take a look at your personal papers. Make decisions regarding your direction. Terminate dead-end projects that are

taking up valuable time CANCER (June 22-July 22): Take time to be with family. You can get in-volved in group activities that will involve those close to your heart.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 23): Opportuni-ties to show your worth will enhance your reputation and bring possible advancement. Your high energy must be directed into productive goa VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 22): Get

the whole family into participating in outdoor activities. Your high energy must be directed wisely.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23): Try to direct your energy into physical labor.

direct your energy into physical labor rather than serious discussions that SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22): Trav-

el for pleasure, visit friends or rela-tives that you don't get to see that often. Talk to your lover about your SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21): You can help older family members with their personal papers. Be conser-

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 20): Pleasure trips will be satisfying. New romantic encounters can develop

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 18): You can catch up on domestic chores, ren-ovate or redecorate your living space

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Do not get involved in dubious get-rich-quick schemes. You may find that omeone is being untruthful

Born Today: Your drive will lead you to the winners circle this year. Don't lose sight of your goals and don't stop to see what everyone else is doing. Added discipline will allow you to finish what you start and leave your competitors light years behind you.

OF INTEREST

Auditions for ND Opera Workshops Spring Production are being heard today, Sept 17th, from 4 to 6 p.m. in Washington Hall. Roles are open for soloists and chorus. Please bring one aria or song (from memory) and music for the pianist. An accompanist will be provided. Please call 1-6201 for more information.

MENU

Notre Dame

South

Broccoli Cheese Soup **Baked Meatloaf** Chicken Acapulco Chili Crispitoes

Florida Lemon Cake

North

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Saint Mary's

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SPORTS

■ MEN'S SOCCER

Irish left kissing their sister in tie with Wildcats

Notre Dame fails to hold early lead at Northwestern

By TOM STUDEBAKER

Sports Writers

The Notre Dame men's soccer team was forced to play overtime for the second straight game and the third time this season as the Irish tied the Northwestern Wildcats 2-2 on the road. The

tie gives Notre Dame season record of 2-2-2.

Senior co-captain Turner put

the Irish on the scoreboard first, giving them a 1-0 lead just over three minutes into the game. Turner received the pass from fellow senior Bill Savarino and was able to beat Northwestern goalie Matt Keeler from 20 yards out. The goal was Turner's third of the season.

Ten minutes later, the Wildcats responded when junior Dave Mooradian tied the score at 1-1. Mooradian's goal came off of a pass from

able to maneuver the ball within five yards of the net. The goal was Mooradian's fourth of the season.

Northwestern senior Andy McDermott gave the Wildcats the lead at the 22-minute mark when he was able to finish a Patrick Eggen cross. The Wildcats' lead did not

Savarino tied the game for the Irish just 14 seconds later, scoring from just outside the penalty box. Turner and senior Joe Gallo were credited with assists on the

Late in the first half, it appeared that Irish junior Ben Bocklage had given the Irish a 3-2 lead. However, his header with less than seven minutes left in the half was called back on an offsides

The second half was dominated by defense. The Irish surrendered only one shot attempt to the Wildcats but could only muster two them-

The defensive attitude for Notre Dame continued into

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Senior Joe Gallo and Notre Dame jumped out to a 1-0 lead but were forced to settle for a 2-2 tie Tuesday afternoon at Northwestern. For the Irish, it was the second tie in their last three games.

Back injury sidelines Clevenger Belles register

By BETSY BAKER

Associate Sports Editor

Regardless of the opponent, this week's game will be one of the major challenges for the Notre Dame football team this season. Coming off a devastating 28-17 loss to Purdue last week, the Irish have been forced to step back and re-evaluate the team plan as a whole.

However, when you throw an explosive Michigan State into that equation, the complexity of the situation magnifies itself, leaving the Irish on display under a nationwide microscope, searching for proof of resilience.

Notre Dame head coach Bob Davie knows the challenge that lies ahead of his team, and he also knows that the worst thing for the Irish to do right now is panic.

"Everyone asks if we're going to panic, or how the football team's going to react,' Davie said at his weekly press conference yesterday. "I think the great thing about football is you only have to wait a week to get a chance to play again. But obviously it's going to be a big challenge because Michigan State is a heck of a football team, and we'll need every second of that week to put ourselves in a position to be compet-

The major area of concern for the Irish lies in the failure by the defense in the past two weeks to establish a rhythm in which the Irish can gain control of the tempo of the game. That, compiled with the fact that the Spartans will bring an explosive,



Senior tackle Chris Clevenger will likely miss three games after injuring his back last week against Purdue.

■ SMC VOLLEYBALL

first win of year

Saint Mary's rebounds from opening loss

By MOLLY McVOY Sports Writer

The Saint Mary's volleyball team regrouped after last week's loss, defeating the University of Chicago 15-9,

15-3, 15-5last night in the squad's first home game of the

The team was led by 6 - f o o t sophomore

Connolly Rodovich, 5-foot-11 sophomore Jayne Ozbolt, 6-foot senior Meg Kelly, 5-foot-4 freshman Megan Jardina, and 5-foot-8 Agnes Bill.

Meg Kelly got the Belles off and running, scoring the game's first point with an ace. Mary Roderich added eight kills to secure game one for

However, Chicago battled back and matched Saint Mary's point for point at the start of the first game, but the Belles were the opposition down and went on to cruise to

After struggling with their serve in the start of game two, the Belles went on to dominate the second and third games. Saint Mary's was once again led by the strong serving of Ozbolt in the second game. Overall, Bill and Betsy Connolly led the way in kills, while Jardina served well and led the squad in assists. Jardina also had a block at the end of the second game that secured Saint Mary's vic-

"We had great defense and were reading their killers really well," said head coach Jennie Joyce. "We had control of the net on offense and defense, and we served aggressively.

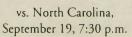
Saint Mary's hopes to continue to the streak when they face DePauw and Albion College in upcoming games.

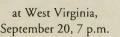




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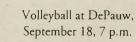
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Soccer at Franklin College, Today, 4 p.m.



Purdue prepares for Ball State

■ Griffey continues to eye Maris