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World remembers, celebrates life of Mother Teresa



Mother Teresa, who died on Friday from a heart attack at the age of 87, received the Notre Dame Award for humanitarian service in 1993.

By RANJAN ROY
Associated Press Writer

CALCUTTA, India

Barefoot paupers, movie stars and government leaders wept and prayed beside Mother Teresa's body Sunday, paying their respects to a woman who embraced both the poor and the powerful.

The Nobel laureate and nun lay in state at one of Calcutta's oldest and largest Catholic churches, in a fashionable neighborhood that contrasted with the slums where she toiled during life.

"Mother Teresa, we will always love you," read a handwritten poster hanging from the neck of one grieving child.

Mother Teresa, who died of a heart attack Friday night, lay under a glass case on a platform draped in the white and blue colors of her Missionaries of Charity order, her hands folded across her chest.

Mourners, including barefoot paupers, government leaders, a former beauty queen and an

Indian musician, filed quickly through the church, stopping for just a few moments before the body.

The University of Notre Dame honored Mother Teresa in 1993 with its Notre Dame Award for humanitarian service, presented annually to persons "within

'Mother Teresa was one of the precious few human beings one hesitates to describe, because words truly cannot do justice to her.'

Father Edward Malloy



Father Ambrose, said Sunday.

Members of the Missionaries of Charity said Mother Teresa would be buried in the courtyard of the order's headquarters, on the edge of a Calcutta slum.

Prime Minister I.K. Gujral, who visited St. Thomas' Church

where Mother Teresa lay Sunday, said that just as India had Mohandas Gandhi to lead the fight against poverty, hunger

and injustice in the first half of the century, so it had Mother Teresa to carry on that fight in the latter half.

Gujral has called for a state funeral, meaning Mother Teresa will be given the full military honors normally reserved for heads of state. That also makes it likely that presidents and prime ministers from around the world will attend.

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McGlinn Hall impresses dedication attendees

Observer Staff Report

Two weeks after its first generation of residents moved in, McGlinn Hall was dedicated in a ceremony last Friday with McGlinn family members, their guests and hall residents in attendance.

"I'm so impressed and proud of everyone's participation," said Sister Kathy Haas, rector of McGlinn.

The celebration began with Mass in the Basilica of the Sacred Heart, with several Notre Dame graduates of the McGlinn family participating. Homilist Father Mark Poorman emphasized the responsibility of hall residents to develop new traditions and to celebrate the institution of another Notre Dame community dedicated to the service of God.

Following the Mass, guests proceeded to the hall, where University President Father Edward Malloy offered a blessing of the building and its present and future staff and residents.

The guests, including University officers and administrators, then toured the building with student guides.

"I'm really impressed with the way the women of McGlinn have fixed up their rooms. The [guests are] really intrigued. Many other dorms don't have quite as impressive a set-up," Malloy said.

After the tours, guests and residents posed for a group photo in front of the building. A reception on the hall's lawn followed, and residents were given the chance to

minge with the McGlinn family.

"They were the greatest people. They were really receptive, and it was cool to see how much they appreciated how much we appreciate them," McGlinn co-president Siobhan O'Brien said.

Benefactor Terry McGlinn spoke to many of the hall's residents, commenting on the great tradition of the University. He noted that he understands that traditions must be upheld but that change can be beneficial.

"I think it's wonderful... Everyone wants to see progress without change, but I think this is a great change," he said.

McGlinn, a University alumnus, established McGlinn Capital, a small investment management firm in 1969. Today it is a fully-owned subsidiary of CoreStates Financial Corporation, a \$48 billion bank holding company.

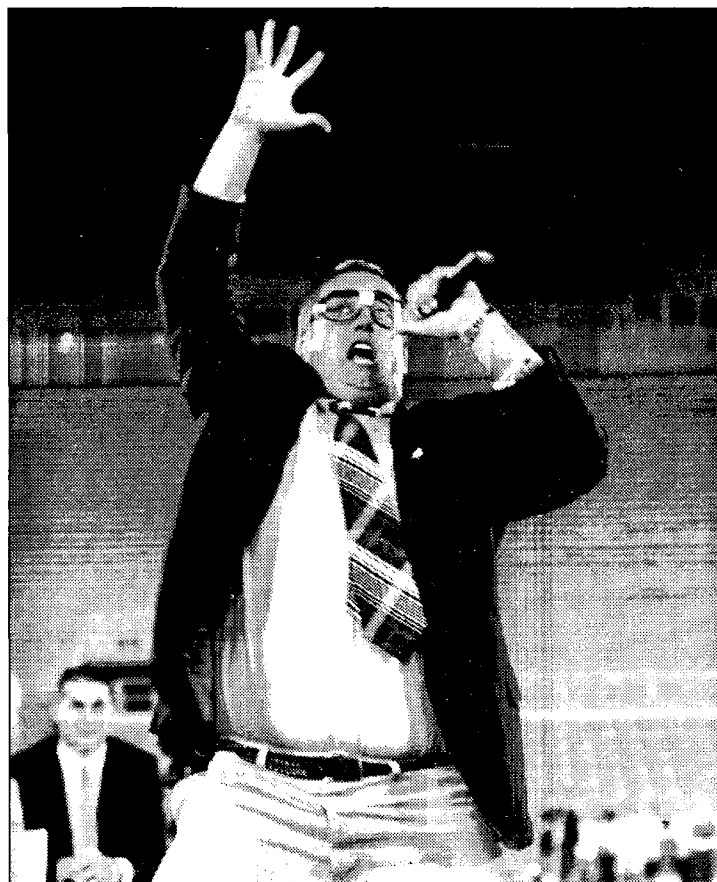
He was elected in 1994 to the Notre Dame Board of Trustees where he provides financial insight as vice president of the finance and endowment committee. Prior to that position, he served for 11 years on the Advisory Council for the College of Business Administration.

In addition to underwriting the construction of McGlinn Hall, the McGlinns were among the five principle benefactors of the University's two-year-old College of Business Administration complex.

Research for this story was compiled by Ann Marie Mattingly.

Michelle Krupa contributed to this report.

Fans join students for first pep rally in new stadium



This weekend, Notre Dame students and fans celebrated the first football game of the season. Nate Carr (left), a sophomore, amuses the crowd during Friday night's pep rally at Notre Dame Stadium with his impersonation of Saturday Night Live's Matt Foley. Carr was one of two Carroll Hall students to speak at the pep rally as part of head coach Bob Davie's program to revitalize student body involvement.

The Notre Dame Pom-Pon Squad (below) raises the crowd's spirits prior to the football team's arrival. A crowd of nearly 40,000, the largest in recent memory at a Notre Dame pep rally, attended.

The Observer/Kevin Dalum



■ WORLD AT A GLANCE

Israel arrests 100 Palestinians for last week's bombing



Brandon Williams
Assistant Viewpoint Editor

What exactly are the criticisms directed at this "Spirit of Inclusion"? There seems to be two somewhat divergent schools of thought on the matter. The first is the "that's what teams of lawyers are for" position that basically goes as follows: The University officers say that they didn't include sexual orientation into the non-discrimination clause because it could legally be interpreted as equivalent to the protection of homosexual activity, which is contrary to Church teaching. Subsequently, it is entirely possible that the University could not get a team of lawyers to design the non-discrimination clause in a way that would prevent this judicial interpretation. This is especially possible considering our current legal milieu.

What is more important, it seems to me tremendously presumptuous to assume that Notre Dame didn't consult a team of lawyers in their examination of this issue. If the legal impossibility that I have postulated is inaccurate, and during all those months of deliberation Notre Dame didn't pursue every legal avenue available to include sexual orientation in the clause (without potentially compromising their capacity to uphold all relevant Catholic teaching) then this "Spirit of Inclusion" is a product of hypocrisy from the start. Anyone who takes the "that's what teams of lawyers are for" position must be ready to accept this consequence. Personally, I am not ready to do so. It is my hope and belief that the officers are sincere in their convictions. I have no reason to believe otherwise.

The other position is essentially the contention that people don't want a Church that doesn't respond to the people. Thus, Notre Dame should give students what they want despite Catholic teaching. Yet, it is a basic premise of Catholicism that it represents an objective and eternal law, one that is above and beyond the sundry opinions of man. A Catholic university cannot exchange the tenets of its divine faith for the dictates of a temporal humanity as the basis of its decisions. Thus, it seems that people who simply do not agree with the Church's full teaching on this matter should take their case to the Vatican, not to Notre Dame, a university called to live by the creed of the former.

So where does this leave us? It is time for all of us, especially those who agree with what I have written, to start living out the “statement of inclusion.” It is time for us to start loving our neighbors — gay and straight. It is time to truly make Notre Dame the place of Christian love that this document envisions.

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

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JERUSALEM Israel has arrested 100 Palestinians in response to a deadly bombing last week and is demanding the extradition of the Palestinian Authority's police chief, authorities said Sunday. Those detained, believed to be Palestinian militants, were taken for interrogation by Israeli security forces, the army said. The West Bank sweep follows Thursday's triple suicide bombing that also killed four Israelis. Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat has denied that the bombers came from territory under his control. "Palestinians have not been involved in the attacks," he said. Recognizing the further escalation of tensions, leaders on both sides are hoping a visit to the region late Secretary of State Madeleine Albright will revitalize the moribund peace process. Israel wants



more West Bank land would be transferred to Palestinian authority until Arafat strikes at the infrastructure of the organizations.

Sinn Fein leader visits prisoners

With fireworks, prayer and Luciano Pavarotti, Moscow concluded three days of festivities Sunday commemorating its 850th anniversary. As on the previous two days, millions of people glutted the capital's streets for the oversized birthday bash, bringing the city to a gleeful standstill. Months of frantic preparation paid off, and most of the weekend's events went off without a hitch. The weekend's events — pageants and concerts in Red Square, a laser light show in the Lenin Hills, a parade down Tverskaya Street — all presented an image of a city that desperately wanted to shed the gray image of Soviet times and be seen as a modern, progressive world capital. In a speech at the closing ceremonies, Luzhkov declared Moscow's aim: to lead Russia to "achieve the greatness and the power that we have the right to declare to the whole world." Luzhkov has been mentioned as a possible presidential candidate to succeed Boris Yeltsin when the president's second term ends in 2000. For the closing ceremonies, nearly 45,000 people packed the new stadium to cheer a production that featured marching bands, ballet and large dollops of Russian music, both classical and popular, against a backdrop of acrobats, balloons and laser-generated images.



Pressure for profits forces OB to quit

LINCOLN PARK, Mich.

A woman crippled by heart disease now feels like running around the block after becoming the first person in this country to receive an experimental new laser heart surgery, The Detroit News reported Sunday. Instead of the trauma of major open-heart surgery, Denise Cameron underwent a procedure in which a laser was threaded into her heart through a blood vessel and used to drill tiny holes in the heart wall, the newspaper said. She was awake through much of the operation and was sent home to Lincoln Park the next day. "This seems like a miracle to me," Ms. Cameron, 41, said of the operation at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. The operation could benefit as many as 10,000 patients with conditions like Ms. Cameron's, Beaumont spokeswoman Colette Stimmel said. Ms. Cameron, who had undergone eight previous operations to open her heart blood vessels, was able to get the laser procedure through special compassionate approval by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration. Ms. Cameron's Aug. 14 surgery followed successful procedures in Argentina and Italy with the Eclipse laser.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. — An Irish republican leader visited three escapees from a Belfast prison awaiting extradition to England before attending a rally to build support for peace talks scheduled for this week. Martin McGuinness — chief negotiator for Sinn Fein, the political wing of the Irish Republican Army — visited the men, Saturday all self-proclaimed Irish nationalists who were among a group that escaped from Belfast's Maze prison in 1983. A federal judge in August agreed to extradite the three — Kevin Barry Artt, Pol Brennan and Terrance Kirby — to Britain, rejecting their arguments that they would be persecuted because they were Catholic and supported a united Ireland. Such persecution is grounds to deny extradition under a 1985 treaty between the United States and Britain. Artt and Brennan were convicted of murder, and Kirby of possessing explosives. "I find them in very good form," McGuinness said. "I find all three of them very supportive of (the peace talks)." The three were arrested in California in 1992-93, all living under assumed names. They were freed on bail in 1995. About 700 turned out for the fund raiser after McGuinness's visit to the federal detention center in Pleasanton, including state Sen. Tom Hayden and Mayor Willie Brown. Sinn Fein leader Gerry Adams met Wednesday with President Clinton's national security adviser, Sandy Berger. The group is scheduled to formally enter the negotiations Tuesday but two pro-British parties have already vowed to boycott the process.

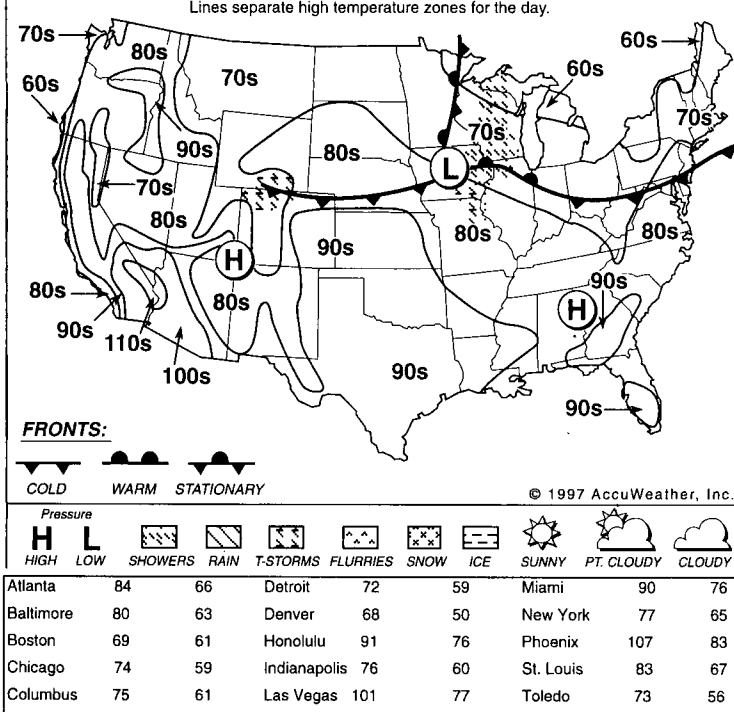
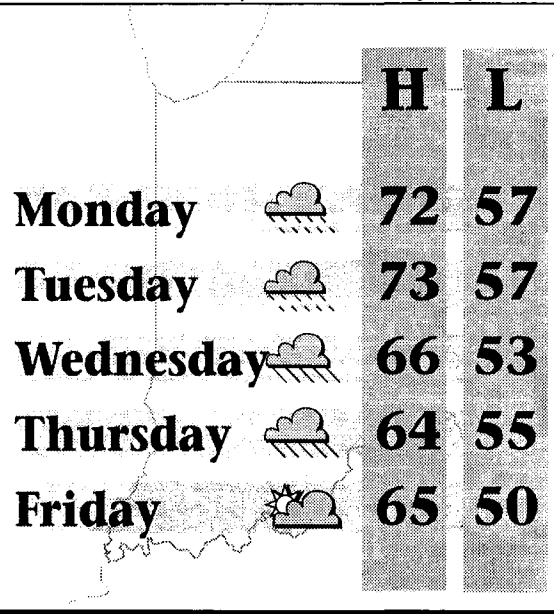
LAWRENCEBURG, Tenn. As the sole obstetrician in the only hospital in Tennessee's rural Lawrence County, Frank Chuck delivered nearly 100 babies and \$1 million in patient fees last year. That wasn't enough for Columbia/HCA Healthcare Corp., the nation's biggest for-profit hospital chain. Columbia Crockett Hospital in Lawrenceburg gave him a choice: a pay cut from \$240,000 to \$170,000 or the door. He chose the door, and starting this month women in labor will have to drive 45 minutes to another hospital so he can deliver their babies. "I had my other two at Lawrenceburg and I wanted to have this one there," said Trina Minatra. However, she is following Chuck to have him monitor her pregnancy-induced diabetes and deliver her baby, instead of a general practitioner at Crockett. "I didn't want to switch doctors." The profit pressure that left Lawrence County, which is 71 miles southwest of Nashville, without an obstetrician also helped make Columbia the target of federal investigators. And it began affecting patient care immediately after Columbia's 1994 takeover of Hospital Corp. of America, current and former hospital employees say.

■ NATIONAL WEATHER

The AccuWeather® forecast for noon, Monday, Sept. 8.

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Students seize White House opportunity

By SARAH J. HILTZ
News Writer

With the help of the White House Intern Program, four Notre Dame students were given the opportunity to spend their summers working for various branches of the U.S. government.

According to Carolina Arroyo, a staff member in the government department, applications for the program are available to any Notre Dame student. Among those students seeking academic credit, however, priority is given to government majors.

Emily Pfiffner, who will be studying in Innsbruck this semester, worked reviewing applications of other interns. Justin Sandberg, a senior, was given a clerical position in the office of Bob Nash, who is an assistant to President Clinton and director of presidential personnel. Sandberg, who heard about the program through the Princeton Review Internship Bible, stressed that there were many factors to consider, including finances, before accepting the internship.

"You have to consider the money, since you don't get paid

and D.C. is an expensive city," said Sandberg.

Senior Carrie Upp agrees that working a night job while in Washington was a difficult but necessary part of the internship.

Upp and Sandberg agreed that the application process was rather easy. Two letters of recommendation, one writing sample, and a one-page essay of why they wanted to be interns at the White House, along with

him an internship in the Schedule and Advance Office. He worked directly for the director of scheduling correspondence, who is "basically in charge of correspondence to President Clinton's constituency and organizing their scheduling requests," Jani explained.

Jani said his summer experience was "unbelievable" and a great opportunity for students to decide if they want to pursue a career in government. He emphasized the value of seeing the daily functions of the upper echelons of government, not as an untouchable, ancient institution, but as any other office where business is conducted and decisions are made.

"The White House is just a bunch of normal people. They make the same mistakes everyone else makes, and sometimes even more," Jani said with a laugh.

Normally, the White House conducts two sessions during the summer. All of this past year's Notre Dame interns worked during the first session, from May 14 to July 3. The deadline for applications to next summer's internship program is March 1. Applications can be found in the government office.

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Raam Jani

White House Intern Program Participant

"It wasn't much of a vacation, but it was what I had to do in order to go," Upp said.

Upp worked in the Women's Initiatives and Outreach Office as a message and scheduling coordinator for Clinton's staff and constituencies. A highlight of the job was sitting in on meetings, where she observed discussions about such issues as women's health, domestic violence and abortion. Overall, Upp found the work load of the program to be "very stressful, but worthwhile."

a background investigation and drug test conducted by the government which are required to apply. For junior Raam Jani, the application process was also easy, but he was worried that his age would work against him.

"As a sophomore, my resume was pretty much in shambles. The hardest part was getting it to look decent," Jani said.

Jani added that Career Placement Services was very helpful in improving the marketability of his resume, landing

Saint Mary's anticipates Selby visit

By MEGAN MCKEON
News Writer

Indiana Supreme Court Justice Myra Selby will visit Saint Mary's College this afternoon at 4 p.m.

The Cultural Commission of the Student Activities Board is sponsoring Justice Selby's appearance. Saint Mary's new president, Marilou Eldred and a representative from the mayor's office, among others, are expected to attend.

"I feel having speakers such as Justice Selby, the first female African-American in Indiana's Supreme Court exposes Saint Mary's women to the unlimited possibilities and achievements they can make in their own lives," said student activities board cultural chairwoman Tysus Jackson.

Selby will speak to students in the parlor of the Haggard College Center, with a reception immediately following.

Selby was appointed justice to the Indiana Supreme Court in January of 1995. Prior to her appointment, she was the Director of Health Care Policy for the State of Indiana from July to December 1993.

She practiced law for 13 years in the law firm of Seyfarth Fairweather & Geraldson and in the firm of Ice Miller Donadio & Ryan of Indianapolis.

Selby graduated from Kalamazoo College in 1977 with a Bachelor's degree. While at Kalamazoo College she was awarded the Kellogg academic scholarship.

Justice Selby is a 1980 graduate of the University of Michigan School of Law.

She has served on the Indianapolis Ballet Theatre Board of Directors, Indianapolis Museum of Art Board of Directors and Indiana University/Purdue University at Indianapolis Board of Advisors.

Justice Selby serves on the Board of Directors Executive Committee of the National Health Lawyers Association.

She has served as a member of the Indianapolis Bar Association Ethics Committee, the Indiana State Bar Association Commission on Women in the Legal Profession, Marion County Judicial Study Commission, National Bar Association. She serves as a Faculty Member of the Health Risk Management Certificate Program from MMI Companies.

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Halogen lamps threaten dormitory safety nationwide

By HEATHER MACKENZIE
Assistant News Editor

Princeton University students were greeted warmly this year when they returned to school; they were handed light bulbs and \$25 vouchers for new florescent lamps. The vouchers and bulbs will serve as compensation for the old lamps, since university officials told students last year that they would no longer be allowed to use halogen lamps in their dorm rooms because of safety concerns.

"This new plan adopts the solution recommended by a task force of undergraduates, graduates, and administrators," said Princeton vice-president

for Finance and Administration, Dick Spies. "Hopefully, the students will be more safe when lighting their rooms."

Halogen lamps have been the source of numerous dorm room fires at colleges across the country; even if properly used, these lighting devices produce a huge amount of concentrated heat.

The new 39-watt florescent bulbs that Princeton students will be using will, according to the task force's research, produce about the same amount of light as halogen bulbs. Although the florescent lamps, ranging from about \$25 to \$30, are more expensive than the \$15 halogen version, the energy

needed to light a florescent lamp is lower than a halogen.

"The energy savings will be

'Hopefully, the students will be more safe when lighting their rooms.'

*Dick Spies
Princeton University*

considerable," Spies said, also noting that Princeton would save about \$30 per lamp per

year.

Although Notre Dame has also had problems with halogen lamp fires in the past, the University currently has no plans to ban halogen use. Last year, the Risk Assessment Committee began "looking into the problem," according to Kevin Cannon, director of student residences, but a decision about the lamps has yet to be made.

Bob Zerr, head of the committee, recommended that students not use the lamps, even though no formal ban on the use is in place.

But there is a way that Notre Dame students can make their lamps more safe: some halogen

lamp companies offer a guard device to place over the halogen bulb so that nothing can be placed directly on the bulb.

Megan Fry, a McGlinn Hall resident, has one of these devices.

"They were offering the devices as part of the promotion to buy the lamp," Fry said. She also phoned the lamp company and discovered that the guards are available free of charge to anyone who requests them.

"We want these lamps to be safe for the public," said Jennifer Murray, a customer representative from the U-Lamp Company. "We will do whatever we can to ensure the safety of our customers."

Lou lives on...



Student reaction to the Bob Davie cheer was mixed. Many could not break with the tradition of cheering for former football head coach Lou Holtz during the band's playing of the 1812 Overture. *The Observer/Kevin Dalum*

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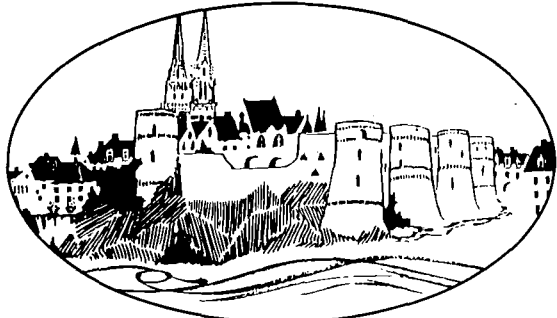
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Israel's Lebanon policy faces attack from left and right

By NICOLAS TATRO
Associated Press Writer

JERUSALEM
A chain of disasters in Lebanon has shaken Israeli confidence and prompted a national debate Sunday on whether Israel should withdraw its troops or change its tactics.

Leading politicians from the left and right — including some members of Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's govern-

ment — have called for a reassessment. The criticism also comes from figures with solid military credentials, signaling a break in the consensus that has kept Israel in Lebanon despite steady losses.

No less a hawk than Ariel Sharon,



Netanyahu

a Cabinet minister and architect of Israel's 1982 Lebanon invasion, said Israel should revise its strategy or set up a timetable for leaving south Lebanon.

Talk shows have been dominated by discussion of what Israel should do in the wake of its latest tragedy — the deaths Friday of a dozen Navy commandos out on a raid deep in Lebanon.

Opposition politician Yossi Beilin, a key architect of the Palestinian-Israeli peace accords, announced the formation of a movement to urge immediate, unilateral withdrawal from Lebanon.

"It will be harder to fight against us when we are in Israel than in a foreign land," said Beilin, who said 1,200 Israelis

had died in Lebanon since 1982 in combat and in accidents.

Several Cabinet ministers called for a special meeting on Lebanon, and Foreign Minister David Levy urged "a fundamental assessment."

Netanyahu promised a thorough review of Israel's methods of operation in Lebanon, but said Israeli forces would remain in the narrow border strip they occupy, backed by 2,500 Lebanese militiamen.

"We all want to leave Lebanon under the appropriate conditions, but the rash statements about a hasty departure from Lebanon under pressure only encourage Hezbollah," Netanyahu told Cabinet ministers Sunday.

The key question facing Israeli

policymakers is whether the Iran-backed Hezbollah militia fighting to expel Israel from Lebanon would stage cross-border raids on northern Israel once Israeli troops left the buffer zone.

David Bar-Illan, a senior adviser to Netanyahu, said Israeli commanders could not guarantee the safety of border settlements if Israel withdrew. "No military authority will say this is safe for Israel," he told The Associated Press.

Critics argue it was a mistake for Israel to link withdrawal from Lebanon to a peace agreement with Syria, making Israeli soldiers hostages to a Syrian decision. They contend Syria wants Israel to remain in south Lebanon because it saps Israeli strength and justifies the presence of 40,000 Syrian troops in the rest of the country.

Sharon, who masterminded the 1982 invasion of Lebanon that cost 650 Israeli lives, told the Haaretz newspaper that Israel had two choices: change its mode of operation to use more air attacks, or "redeploy according to a timetable of our own, regardless of peace negotiations with Syria."

Gideon Ezra, a lawmaker from the ruling Likud Party and a former deputy director of the Shin Bet security service, proposed earlier this year that Israel reinforce its border with minefields and high fences and then withdraw.

But Yigal Carmon, a former anti-terrorism adviser who was part of Israel's negotiating team with Syria, said withdrawal might lead to an increase in bloodshed because Israel might retaliate more strongly if its northern settlements were attacked.

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The frail, 4-foot-11-inch nun was born in Albania but had become an Indian citizen. She had suffered heart problems and other ailments for years and gave up leadership of her order in March.

Mother Teresa, who said she saw God in every suffering human being, began her charity work with just a few helpers in this eastern Indian city five decades ago.

Her order now has more than 4,000 nuns and runs 517 orphanages, homes for the poor, AIDS hospices and other charity centers around the world.

One man who broke down in tears after seeing Mother Teresa's body said the Catholic nun's compassion transcended religious boundaries.

"She worked for the people and never thought about whether we were Muslim or Hindu," said Mohinulisam, 38, who uses only one name.

He said he saw Mother Teresa every day when she visited a home for the aged near his leather shop in Calcutta.

Mother Teresa died at the headquarters of her Missionaries of Charity, where she lived in a simple room. Her body lay in the order's small, dimly lit chapel, surrounded by flowers and praying nuns.

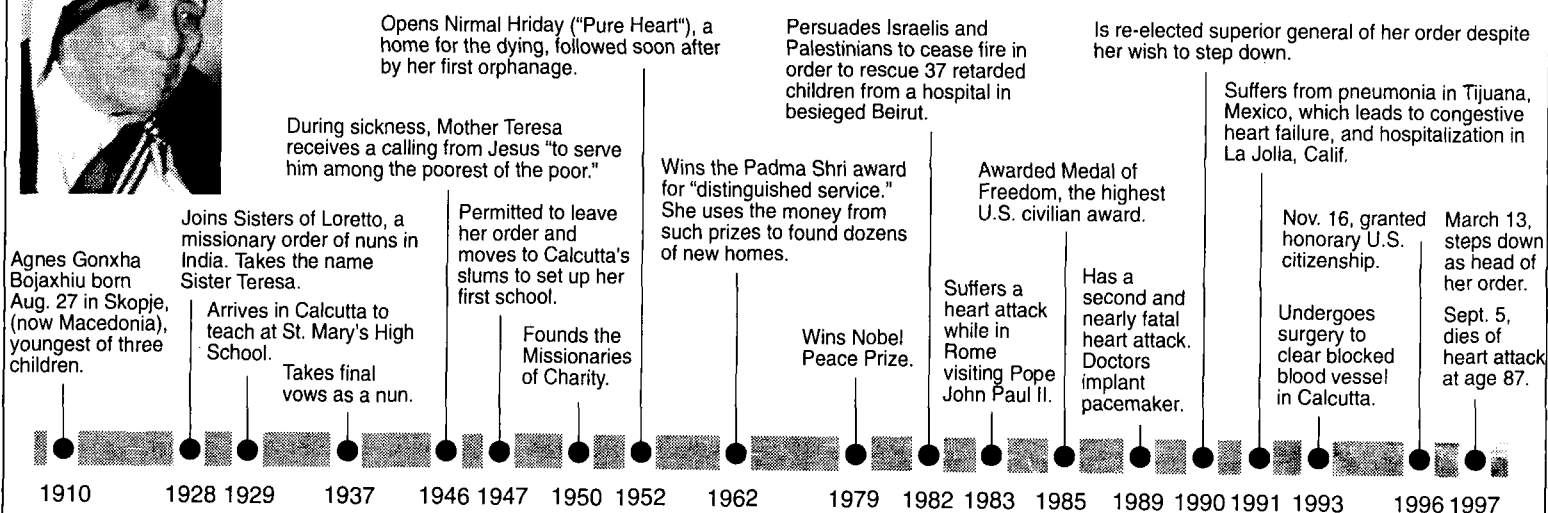
But the chapel was too small to accommodate crowds, so the public viewing was delayed.

Her body was moved early Sunday in a white ambulance, escorted by a police officer on motorcycle, as bells pealed in St. Thomas' Church and anguished wails rose from mourners.

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Feds arrest robbery suspect in Flint

Associated Press

PENDLETON, Ind.

An Indianapolis man wanted for armed robbery and other federal charges has been arrested in Flint, Mich., under bizarre circumstances, an FBI spokesman said Sunday.

Gregory Charles Jones, 32, was arrested Saturday night after Flint police, responding to a 911 call, found him bound with duct tape in

a house, said FBI spokesman Douglas Garrison. Once free, Jones offered police an alibi.

"He said he was abducted on Tuesday night by three black males who bound him and left him there. That's where he says he's been these last few days — during the time we've been looking for him," Garrison said, adding, "We don't believe it."

Authorities say that Jones and his cousin, Jerry Jones, 33, last

Wednesday hijacked a service truck, kidnapped the driver and robbed a Chesterton, Ind., bank of about \$100,000. Police say the cousins then kidnapped a Pendleton man and forced him to drive them to Indianapolis before releasing him unharmed.

The two men have been charged in U.S. District Court with armed bank robbery and commission of a felony while armed. Gregory Jones is expected to be extradited to Indiana, where he faces state charges, within two days.

Jerry Jones and an unidentified third suspect remain at large.

Marion County authorities said Saturday they are investigating whether a .32-caliber handgun found in an apartment that Gregory Jones and Jerry Jones shared may be tied to the slaying of two men during a toy store robbery this spring.

"There are some consistencies worth following up," said Marion County Deputy Prosecutor John Commons.

The gun also may have been used in the robbery and slaying of Ronald Conner, 59, who was fatally shot at the Lawrence Gold Shop in Indianapolis on Aug. 13, police said.

Investigators say Jerry Jones is a former employee of Toy Works, the Indianapolis store where two workers were shot to death in a May 30 robbery.

Jerry Jones also is a former neighbor of Sheila Lott, 29, who has been charged with conspiracy to commit robbery in connection with the Toy Works case, said Detective Sgt. Jan Kistler.

Lott, another former Toy Works employee, told detectives that she had given information about the store's business workings to at least one other person before the fatal robbery, police said.

Other royals strive for Diana's balance

By DOUG MELLGREN
Associated Press Writer

OSLO, Norway

People today want their royals less aloof and more human, like Princess Diana. But how human?

Swedes see their future queen kick up her heels at trendy bars with other 20-year-olds. Norway's crown prince hangs out at rock concerts. A Dutch prince works as an airline pilot.

"We are supposed to live a little lie and believe that they are something special," Danish sociologist Johannes Andersen says. "That lie is wearing thinner and thinner."

Britain's grief over Diana's death forced the British royal family to shed some aloofness. They joined the masses in mourning to show their human side — a side that Diana would display openly.

Many in Japan expected Crown Princess Masako — a 33-year-old often called "Japan's Diana" — to bring a human face to that nation's tradition-bound royal family.

Born a commoner, she was a rising star in her country's Foreign Ministry before she married Crown Prince Naruhito four years ago. Now, she is believed to be under pressure to produce an heir to the throne.



Princess Diana

"At times, I experience hardship in trying to find the proper point of balance between traditional things and my own personality," Masako once admitted.

With a few exceptions, such as the royal houses of Thailand, Jordan and Saudi Arabia, modern monarchies have no real power. They are symbols — some say anachronisms.

Denmark's popular Crown Prince Frederik, a 28-year-old bachelor, has said that young nobles also must adapt to the fact that they are no longer considered divine.

Andersen, a political scientist at Denmark's Aalborg University, said Frederik doesn't understand that a royal must maintain distance: "He simply lives life like anyone else. And in that way, Frederik can contribute to the end of monarchy without even knowing it."

Yet in places like egalitarian Norway, Sweden and Denmark, royals win vast public support by being down to earth. During a fuel crisis in the early 1970s, then-King Olav V insisted on saving gas by taking public transport. That helped secure his popular title as "The People's King."

Scandinavian media generally respect privacy, allowing young royals to bar-hop, attend rock concerts and drive their own cars without excess attention. Norway's Crown Prince Haakon, 24, went to public school and is now a college student in California.

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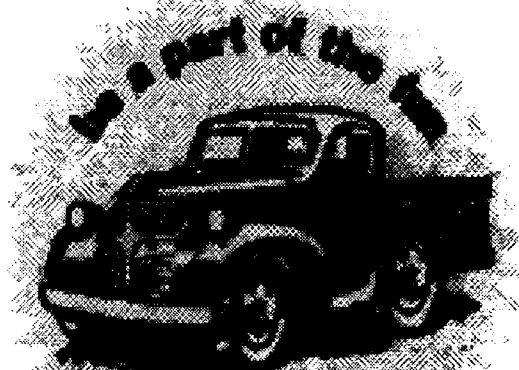
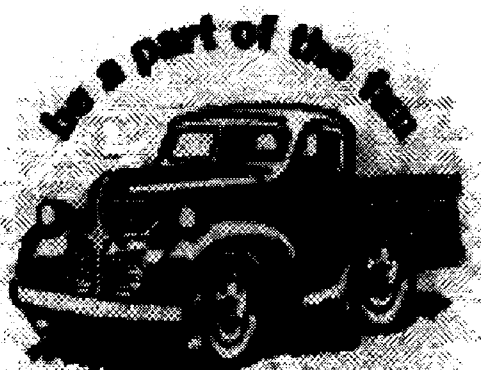
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SENTIMENTAL RATIONALITY

Are the Media all About Black and White?

Many of you will remember last May when Fuzzy Zoeller, a slightly inebriated professional golfer, made a racial slur Tiger Woods in front of the entire Masters media crew. Immediately the American media showcased this incident, propelling black/white race relations into the spotlight once again. It seems we hardly had time to forget

difference." That is, reporters accentuate the differences between groups instead of their similarities, thereby driving the wedge deeper between whites and blacks. Instead of focusing on the elimination of racial stereotypes in general, reporters highlight the tension between the two particular groups. Instead of fostering constructive dialogue about this issue, the media actually encourage the taking of sides.

I suppose all we can hope for from the media is consistency. If they really think that stereotypical generalizations are harmful, then they should expose them whenever they occur. If a professional athlete makes slanderous remarks against the Polish or the French, they should be reported as extensively as remarks about Mexicans or African-Americans. If the media truly cared about reporting the facts and eliminating ignorance, they would speak out against all forms of stereotypes. But as it is, they focus primarily on tension between blacks and whites.

Then again, maybe I don't understand the function of the media properly. Perhaps my opinion is too idealistic, and they don't always care about reporting the facts and eliminating ignorance. In the spirit of American bottom-line pragmatism, maybe the media just give us what we want to hear. After all, the consumers pay the media's bills.

So, who is at fault? Who would want racial tension to increase? I could blame capitalism, but that would be far too trendy. And this one can't be the government's fault. Is there anyone left to blame? Wait ... could it be? Could it be our fault that the media are fixated on a certain form of racial tension?

My friends, I think it is partly our fault. America is addicted to the issue of white/black relations, and the media merely manifest that addiction. As was evidenced in the Rodney King trial, the O.J. Simpson trial and the Fuzzy Zoeller/Tiger Woods incident, we are sickeningly interested in the dichotomy



between these two racial groups. Now, I'm not saying that the L.A.P.D. was innocent, O.J. was guilty, or Fuzzy Zoeller shouldn't have been reprimanded. All I'm saying is that we thrive on controversy between these two groups, the media acknowledge that, and they report on it constantly.

In America, we watch the news as if it were an action movie or John Grisham's latest nail-biting suspense novel. In the same way that sex sells in magazines, books, and movies, racial issues sell in the news media. When we follow the latest case, our mentality is not of lamentation or concern but of "what's going to happen next?" Some hedonistic part of us wants to be entertained by the tragic and very real events in the news. And since the media depend on our monetary support, they feed our craving. They provide whatever commentary will make the news more action-packed and controversial.

Even on our sacrosanct campus, students are strangely intrigued by any appearance of tension between whites and blacks. One example comes from the Bookstore Basketball tournament

last April. Concerning one of the games, a friend said, "It just wasn't as fun this year — not as exciting, you know. There wasn't any racial tension like last year to fire up the crowd." Are you joking me? While racial tension may indeed fire up the crowd, it should fire them up to protest, not support, dividing lines of ethnicity.

A simple conclusion emerges from all this banter about the media: America is oddly intrigued by racial tension, particularly between whites and blacks. The media want to satisfy our appetite and thus report disproportionately on such "racial" issues. The only solution to our sickening disease is an awareness of attitude — to strive for consistency and love instead of entertainment and divisiveness.

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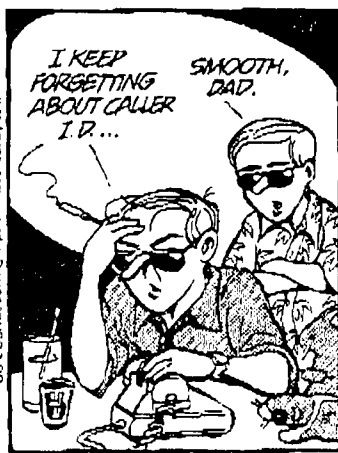
about the Rodney King trial, the O.J. Simpson trial or the president's cabinet appointees. And along came another "racial" issue to steal the spotlight, subordinating the rest of the world's events. What will be the next story to fill the racism slot on the nightly news?

Don't get me wrong, I'm not implying that issues of race are unimportant. In truth, I think they are so important that we should examine how we deal with them. The only time racism surfaces in public dialogue is in response to an incident deemed "racial" between blacks and whites. For the most part, race relations involving other ethnicities are ignored. I acknowledge that these two groups hold a unique position in America's cultural melting pot, but that doesn't necessitate their disproportionate portrayal on TV and in the newspaper. For each popularized instance of white/black racial tension, how many anti-Semitic or anti-homosexual occurrences go unreported?

Furthermore, the media don't help to abate racial tension through their style of reporting. In actuality, the media proliferate antagonism through a "politics of

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"The fruit of silence is prayer. The fruit of prayer is faith. The fruit of faith is love. The fruit of love is service. The fruit of service is peace."

—Mother Teresa

■ FROM THE LEFT

Solidarity in the Heartland

From the murky depths of Oakland, California, I write to you all. As certain as an American-made automobile rusting in a South Bend-style winter, my column will be intrepidly delivered into your greased up Dining Hall paws every other Monday from here to eternity. Ah, Oakland! While not the same as gray-skied South Bend with its long-haired mullet patrols desperately seeking the Friday eve's melee, it too has its charms, from its downtown trash-strewn streets

David McMahon

to the more insidious Jack London Square — a commercial eyesore that prostitutes the great Oakland writer's name like so many wasted matches on a winter fire.

I work on 35th Street as a social worker of sorts and live thirty blocks north in a working class Oakland neighborhood on the border of Berkeley. It is quite different than your standard South Bend digs in many ways that I will touch upon in later columns. But here, from the infernal beginnings of my left-leaning, anti-Charles Rice dogma column, I want to say welcome to South Bend to you all. What's that? South Bend is a separate entity from Notre Dame? Imagine that, an actual Midwestern city! Ah yes, dear reader, the "river city" has a charm and history uniquely its own, and I want to divulge to you some of the slow-churning culture on the banks of the famed Indian Sagwa river (St. Joseph river to the layman). I also hope to show you a slice of life as a union shop steward and social worker on the banks of the East Bay.

I hope this column will be read after that peculiar phase of Notre Dame life:

the slushy, almost fog-ridden density that most call "dorm parties," the goal of which is to swill cheap warm brew and sweat profusely to the strains of some soulless band. Many freshman and others will probably have graduated to the insanely packed bars of downtown South Bend and the police-free Jay's Lounge just over the border of Michigan, where a note signed by mom will guarantee entry. From that Neanrathal-like, blood-alcohol elevated state, where students perform all kinds of buffoonish pranks on the hapless townsfolk, is born the "town-gown" rivalry.

Even though the scads of bushy tailed Notre Dame do-gooders deigning to condescend to the poor neighborhoods during "Christmas in April" would feign believe it, there lies in South Bend a hidden antagonism towards these legions of alcohol swollen, white hat wearing ninies. I too was that ill-informed ninny whose geographic knowledge was limited by the JACC and the extremes of the lakes, with the occasional forage to CJ's, Macri's, or that horrid square eyesore known as "Bridget's."

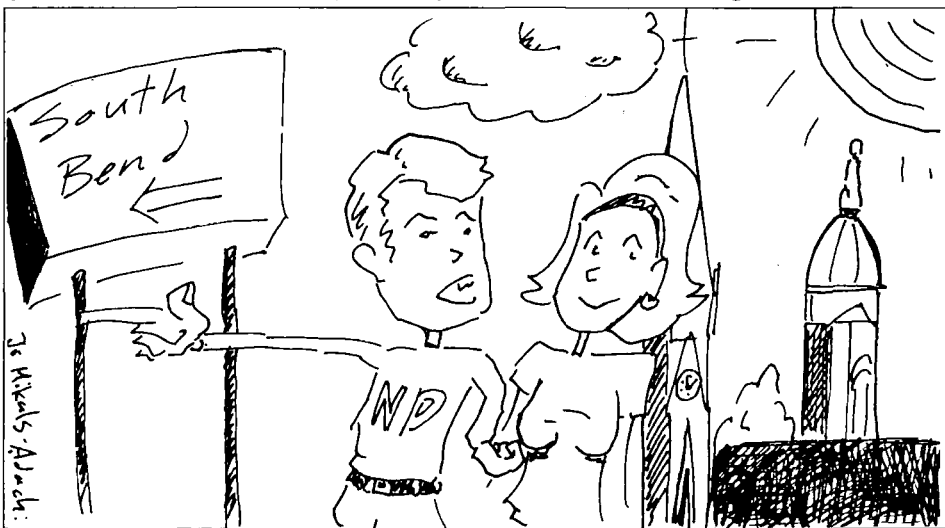
Dear reader, there is a life beyond the barbed wire fences of the Notre Dame golf course, although Patty O'Hara would discourage you from attaining this gem of secular forbidden fruit! Abundant, spacious apartments! Good, cheap food! Hoosier corn, character, and charm! History, old movie palaces, and architecture with drainage! In South Bend, men and women actually live together in sin. This much I know, or have heard. Gays, lesbians and bisexuals are free to meet! Children exist, and so do the elderly! You can use a spyglass on your professor's town house! You can save your parents' half of what they pay for room and board and learn a little about living in a community! You can avoid such malicious slander-rags as the hideously ignorant capitalist/Catholic Right Reason. Amen!

I learned all this the painful way — suspension from Notre Dame, dorm violations too numerous to count, extremely low grades, and disciplinary proba-

tion. In fact, through secret channels, I learned that the R.A.'s of Morrissey Hall unanimously approved of me as the worst freshman of the year. I believe now, with all of my heart, that moving into the South Bend community is the real key to the Notre Dame experience — the antithesis of the Disneyland model offered by the designers and enforces of the medieval document, du lac. I found that once I moved off campus, the discordant cacophony of phony

Joyce's "greasy orb."

So far starters for those exploring the South Bend area here is a list of things to do, see, volunteer at, or find — Green Party headquarters (and join up!), Cafe International, Toyo Sushi, the State Movie theatre, Dismas House, The Center for the Homeless, Sunny Italy, the Indiana Dunes, the ten commandments tablét, the Lincolnway migrant worker's mural, the Morris Civic auditorium, the drive-through movie theater



moralist voices became a distant din — the Rush Limbaugh crowd remained trapped in their pseudo-intellectual cloud of foul nimbus; the sweaty, red hands of patriarchal hierarchy could not reach into my South Bend-law protected hamlet, and I could work with others to organize a resistance to the blatant discriminatory practices of the University. I learned to appreciate the University community from a different perspective: professors became neighbors and mentors rather than merely lectures on high, the Center for Social Concerns became a vital resource, and students became more than "Domers," they were/are fellow activists, creative artists and writers, and ran the gamut from a grad physics student with a smashed glasses' frame to a behemoth player of football who could crush my head like James

south on 31, the summer only, white water rafting extravaganza known as East Race, the studios of WVFI, the birthplace of famed Beat/anarchist poet Kenneth Rexroth, Coveleski Stadium. And for the 21 and over crowd — Cheers, the biker bar, and the secret toll-free highway that takes you to Chicago. All of these places are the cream of South Bend life. Enjoy, good luck, and stay tuned for my next column which will focus on campus oddities and treasures.

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■ LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Grad Student Apathy?

This past Saturday, I witnessed the most appalling scene at a football game in my two years as an ND student. No, it wasn't anything on the field, but rather in the student — or shall I say graduate student — section. Seated amongst sophomores and juniors, this section was the most apathetic group of students I've seen since my high school football team went 1-11. They rarely chanted along with the 7,000 undergrads, many sat down during NBC timeouts, no more than a dozen wore "The Shirt," and more than a few assumed they could show up five minutes before kick-off and have the ushers move 200 undergrads to their original seats. Even worse, I actually saw two students with books STUDYING during the 1812 Overture. I assume most agree with me that homicide is justifiable if this incident is ever seen again.

Also, after witnessing the majority of these students leaving before our alma mater was played, I truly believe many grad students want nothing to do with the "ND Family." I understand they may be more loyal to some other school or concerned only with completing a degree, but an empty 1,000 seats really disrupts the unity the rest of the student body enjoys during these six home games. Therefore, I challenge each grad student who even slightly cares about the spirit of Notre Dame: do a little more tailgating, get a little bit rowdier, and try to have a little fun. If not, SIT with the other 70,000 fans and let the sophomores and freshmen move over, the latter group on one condition — that they stop cheering during the alma mater.



Steve D'Avria
Sophomore
Keenan Hall

Incident at Coach's Spurs
Evaluation of Gender Relations

As the new school-year begins, I am keeping my eyes open for any indications of how the traditionally shaky and unstable gender relations on this campus will shape up in 1997-98. While at Coach's last Thursday, I saw a spectacle that dropped my jaw and extinguished my expectations for improved relations between the men and women of the student body. What I witnessed was an all-female drinking contest between women representing North Quad and their South Quad rivals. The most appalling and offensive aspect was that these women had decided to refer to their contest as "Bitchtostal '97." I was also disappointed by the North Quad team's decision to choose the degrading motto "our legs are always in the air." As ugly as this slogan was, I was even more shocked and disgusted by the South Quad's extremely skimpy shirts which prominently displayed the Confederate flag, a symbol of slavery and racism.

Considering the current movement to create a university that is more accepting and tolerant, I could not believe that a group of intelligent, attractive young women would band together under the guise of "Bitchtostal '97." How can the women of this university be taken seriously

in their demands for equal treatment and respect when groups like this, whether in jest or not, are running around in revealing outfits glorifying their ability to drink large amounts of alcohol? I understand that this was merely a group of friends having a good time, but they should have considered the ramifications their behavior could have. No wonder men and women at Notre Dame have trouble relating to each other when there are so many mixed messages flying around. Do the females here want to be admired for their intellectual, athletic and leadership abilities or for the way they look in shin-tight shirts and their talent at holding their liquor? These women could have found a better way to celebrate female friendship than by referring to themselves by a derogatory name, flashing their skin, getting drunk and therefore perpetuating stereotypes that a lot of women have worked to tear down.

Brittney Nystrom
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Notre Dame Georgia Tech 17-13

Key Stat

In the first half, the Irish rushed 17 times, passed 21. However, in the second, the offense rushed 32 times, passed 8 times.

Player of the Game

Melvin "The Beast" Dansby
The senior led the team with 12 tackles and two sacks despite being bothered by a sore knee.

Quote of the Game

"It's kind of like a new car. When you go out and drive it for the first time, it doesn't handle like it's going to handle later for you."
-Davie on the first game



Davie's Dynamic Duo

In Bob Davie's first game as head coach, new receivers Bobby Brown and Joey Getherall stepped to the forefront.

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Small step forward

Davie's debut hardly a gem but Irish happy with perfect record

By MIKE DAY
Sports Editor

Things didn't quite go according to plan, but they'll take it.

Indeed, Notre Dame launched its new era of football on Saturday with things going differently than expected. The Irish struggled all day long against a pesky Georgia Tech team and needed a late fourth-quarter touchdown to escape with an uninspiring 17-13 victory.

"It definitely wasn't a thing of beauty, but we're happy to come away with a win," said Irish head coach Bob Davie. "Any time you can go into a game with a new coaching staff and manage to win, you've got to be pretty happy."

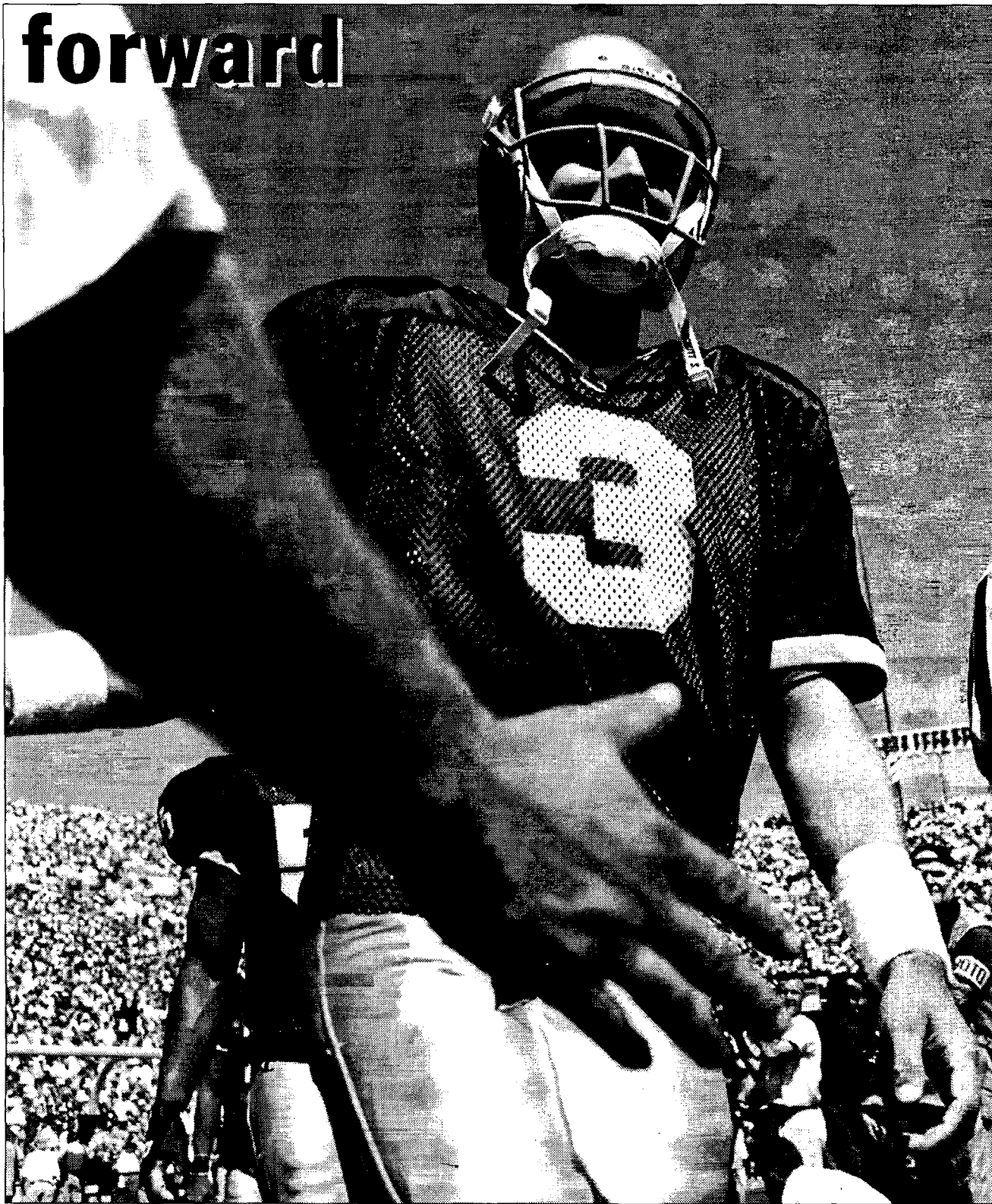
The Yellow Jackets, determined to spoil Davie's debut and the unveiling of the recently renovated Notre Dame Stadium, clung to a 13-10 lead with just under eight minutes to play.

That was when Notre Dame quarterback Ron Powlus and tailback Autry Denson took it upon themselves to make sure that the new coach would end the day with his first victory.

In a day beginning on the Irish 30-yard line, Denson carried the ball five times and caught a Powlus pass before rambling in from one yard out for the game-deciding touchdown. The junior tailback finished the day with just 71 yards on 24 carries but scored Notre Dame's only two touchdowns of the day.

"We struggled today; there's no doubt about that," said Denson. "But when we needed to win the game, we came up big. That's something that good teams do, and fortunately, we were able to do it today."

Denson's first score came with 7:56 remaining in the first quarter following an eight-play, 67-yard drive. On second and goal from the three, the Irish tailback dashed to the corner of the end zone to



Saturday's opening day victory over Georgia Tech certainly had its ups and downs. The Irish, led by Ron Powlus, struggled to control the line of scrimmage for the first three quarters but rallied in the fourth quarter with the game-winning drive.

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Fullback Joey Goodspeed and the Irish rushing attack found little daylight on Saturday, averaging just 3.67 yards per carry against the Yellow Jackets.

IRISH INSIGHT

Highly touted offensive line turns in puzzling performance

What exactly is the strength of this Notre Dame football team?

Apparently it depends on who you ask and when you ask them.

According to most analysts before the game, it was the mammoth offensive line. On paper, they appear to be one of the most imposing front lines in the nation. The group of five, despite center Rick Kaczinski's relative lack of size (6-foot-4, 258 pounds), averages 6-foot-6, 297 pounds and includes three seasoned fifth-year seniors along with a legitimate all-American candidate in junior Mike

Rosenthal.

So why is it that Notre Dame's potential all-America tailback Autry Denson was only able to manage 71 yards on 24 carries, including just 18 yards on 10 carries in the first half?

Why, after a first and goal on the Tech four, was the Irish offense forced to leave the field after five failed attempts to punch it in using their strength up front?

By the time the fourth quarter rolled around, the line had finally worn down the Yellow Jacket defense, and the men in the trenches began to get enough of a push for the running game to take off. But a similar effort will most likely not be enough against some of the more talented defensive teams on the Irish schedule.



Brian Rienthaler
Assistant Sports Editor

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Getherall, Brown help add life to Irish passing attack

By BETSY BAKER
Associate Sports Editor

Although Notre Dame football has been known in recent years for its ground attack, the return of quarterback Ron Powlus for a fifth year and the emergence of a six-man deep receiving corps has raised questions about a possible shift in the Irish offense.

Some of those questions were answered on Saturday in Notre Dame's 13-10 victory over Georgia Tech. One question was answered with an explanation point when true freshman Joey Getherall not only started

the game, but also caught the first pass 10 seconds into the game for a 10-yard gain.

Throughout pre-season camp, players and coaches alike raved about the 5-foot-7, 168-pound Getherall. Touted as being faster than speedy defensive back Allen Rossum, Getherall immediately worked his way into the Irish line-up, marked as third behind Malcolm Johnson and Bobby Brown on the depth chart. The hype about Getherall panned out on Saturday when he caught five passes for 47 yards, second only to Brown.

"He's a unique player," Davie

said of Getherall. "The kid amazes me."

Although we didn't actually plan that [the first catch of the game], but I'm not surprised that it happened that way. He's going to be a heck of a football player here at Notre Dame."

After the game, Getherall thanked the coaches for the opportunity to play but remained focus in his intent for his position on the Notre Dame football team.

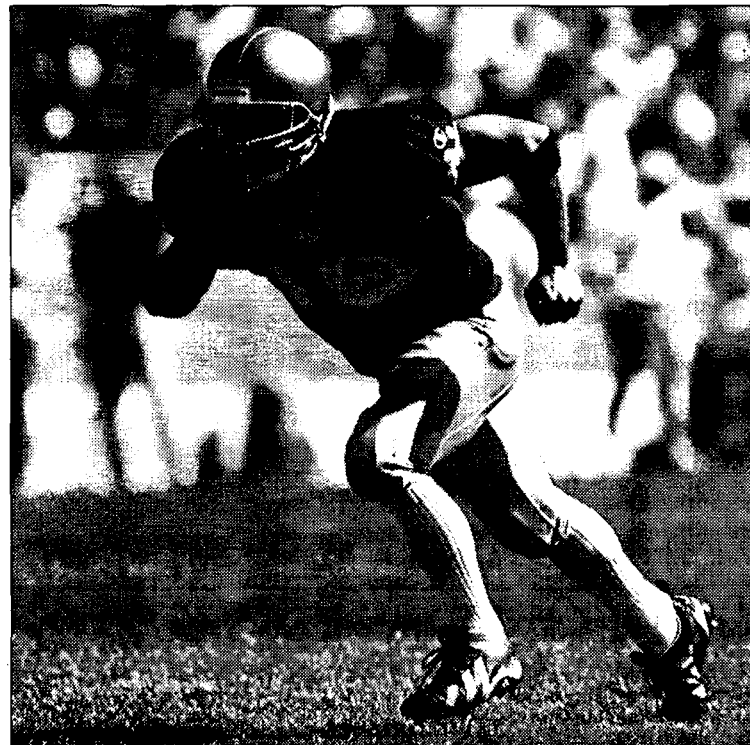
"When they said we were going to start off in a three-receiver set this week, I was really excited because I had a chance to start," Getherall said. "But when I first came here, I came to battle and I wanted to come in and play right away. I didn't want to sit out and red shirt this year, so I was ready to play."

Unfortunately for the Irish, they will have to wait for Getherall's continued contribution because he sustained a knee injury late in the game Saturday that is expected to keep him out for a couple of weeks.

Although neither Getherall nor the coaches can pinpoint the exact play of the injury, they did say they thought it was just a sprain, and do not expect it to keep Getherall out too long.

"It happened probably around the middle of third quarter, but I played through it the rest of the game," Getherall said. "It's just a sprain. I'll probably be back next week."

However, Irish offensive coordinator Jim Colletto expressed a more cautious approach with the injury.



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Joey Getherall impressed fans and coaches with five receptions in the first half. The 5-foot-7 receiver became the first freshman to start for the Blue and Gold since 1983.

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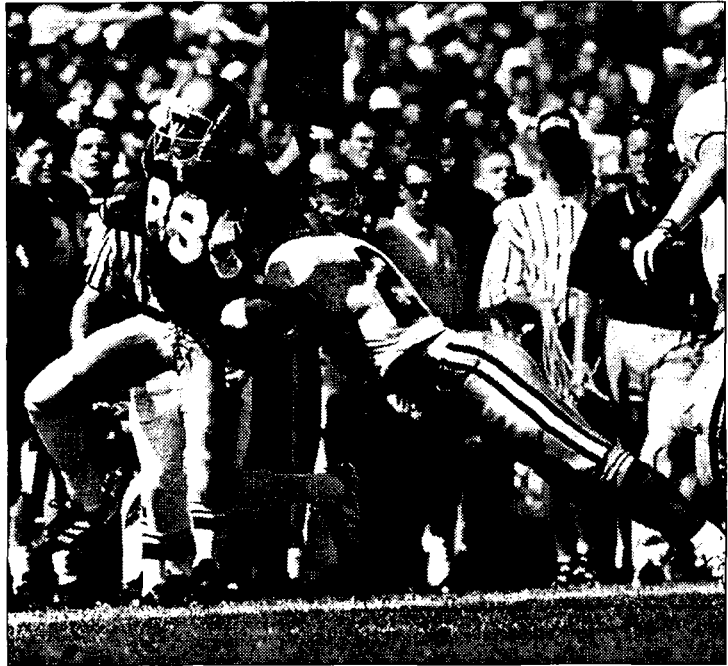
"With Getherall getting hurt, we're concerned about our speed at the wide-out," Colletto said. "He'll be out two or three weeks probably."

In addition to Getherall, Brown answered another question for the Irish with his game-leading seven receptions for 64 yards. Brown had continually developed himself as a stand-out throughout both spring practice and pre-season camp, but it remained to be seen whether he could handle the game-day pressure. With the exception of one dropped pass early in the third quarter, Brown looked exceptional, including a short-yardage catch

that he ran for 16 yards to set up Notre Dame's first touchdown of the game.

"We probably should have thrown deep earlier in the game, but when you get near the end of the game and throw deep incomplete, it's a wasted down, and we couldn't do that then," Colletto said.

Despite the injury to Getherall, the Irish can still look to Allen Rossum, who played just one down on Saturday, Brown, and Johnson who had three catches for 29 yards, in addition to sophomore Raki Nelson and junior Shannon Stephens, who did not play on Saturday but are expected to play this season, to continue to maximize the aerial attack.



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In Saturday's win, senior Bobby Brown better than tripled his career total in receptions, emerging as one of ND's finest receivers.

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give the Irish a 7-0 advantage.

After the quick start, the Notre Dame offense closed up shop, advancing into Georgia Tech territory just one time in the second half. The Yellow Jacket defense limited the Irish to just 171 yards in the second half.

"We had some problems in the second half, but in the first game, that kind of thing happens sometimes," said Powlus, who finished 18-of-29 for 217 yards. "We know that we can do better and we will."

While the offense floundered, it was the Notre Dame defense that kept them in the game, especially following two Powlus interceptions late in the game. The second turnover set the Yellow Jackets up at the 34-yardline, but they were unable to move any further and were forced to settle for a Dave Frakes field goal attempt.

Frakes' second miss of the day with 7:35 to go in the game enabled the Irish to set up for what would ultimately be the game-winning drive. However, it would not have been possible without the play of the defense.

"We knew the offense wasn't clicking the way it normally does, so we had to do something big," said senior defensive end Melvin Dansby, who led the Irish with two sacks and 12 tackles. "We ended up making some big plays and forcing field goals instead of allowing them to get in the end zone."

Dansby and pre-season all-American linebacker Kory Minor, who added 10 tackles on the day, gave Yellow Jacket quarterback Joe Hamilton all kinds of problems, forcing him to throw off balance and before he was ready.

"Their defense, particularly Minor and Dansby, did a great job all day long," said Georgia Tech coach George O'Leary. "We just made too many mistakes and failed to take advantage of the opportunities we had."

For Davie and the Irish, it was a foundation to build on.

"It wasn't at all the way we drew it up, but that happens," said Davie. "No matter how it looks, you're always happy to go home with a win under your belt."

"We're just glad that Coach Davie was able to get his first win," added Powlus. "It meant a lot to the team for him to win his first game as a head coach."

Pretty or not, the new era of Notre Dame football has officially begun.

■ GRADING THE IRISH

Quarterback: B-

Powlus looked sharp early and spread the ball around. But with the game on the line and the team in need of a play, two of his passes found Georgia Tech's Rogers and Bostic in a two minute span, and he needed his defense to bail him out.

Running backs: B

Denson and Goodspeed didn't do much in the first half, but they were being hit in their own backfield. Denson, like he always does, got the job done in crunch time.

Wide receivers: A-

Powlus looks like he will have some new targets this year as Brown and Getherall were spectacular in the first half, combining for 11 receptions. Johnson also chipped in with three catches. Brown dropped a couple, including a key ball in the fourth quarter which could have sparked the offense.

Offensive Line: C+

Tech's front seven dominated things in the first three quarters and stuffed the massive line on five consecutive attempts from inside the five. But the game was won in the trenches on the winning drive, and Powlus did have good protection.

Defensive Line: B+

After being pushed around by a bigger Yellow Jacket offensive line, the rotation stepped up and prevented a Georgia Tech first down in the fourth quarter. The Beast (Melvin Dansby) was

untamable as he lead the crew with two sacks and 12 tackles.

Linebackers: B

Minor and Bryant came up with some big plays, including down the stretch which is really all that matters. They each had a sack, and Jimmy Friday was all around the ball with 10 tackles.

Secondary: B+

Guilbeaux's pick was perhaps the biggest single play of the game, and Rossum added a pick and helped keep Middleton shut-down. The only blemish of the defensive backfield was the play of Highway 14, which is always the fastest route to the end zone.

Special Teams: B-

The bad snap and hold almost proved costly. When the Irish were pinned deep in their own territory Smith came up with 64 yarder. Tech's coverage kept Rossum and the return game contained. It's a good thing their kicker is worse than Notre Dame's.

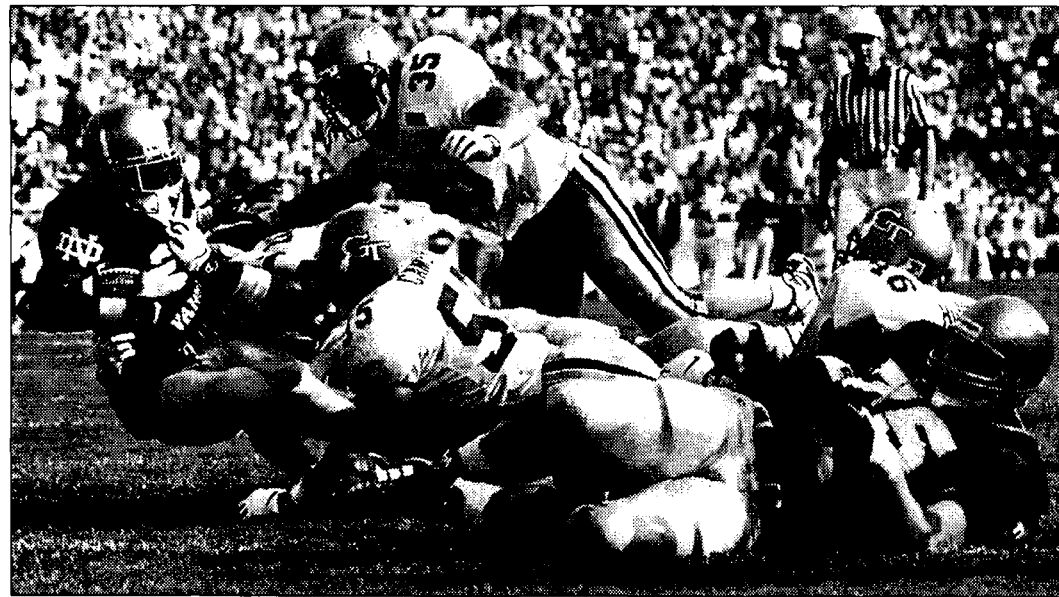
Coaching: B

Davie's debut was a win, and his 1-0 record is the best it can be at this point. Mattison's defense was up to the task in the fourth quarter, but the offense was predictable at times.

Overall: 3.00

It was a lot more exciting than anyone was expecting, or hoping for it to be. The team looked lathargic at times but they all showed up at the most crucial time.

-Joe Cavato



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Junior tailback Autry Denson's touchdown run from one yard out proved to be the difference in the game as the Yellow Jackets were unable to muster an offensive threat in the final minutes.

Crunch time unleashes 'The Beast' despite injury

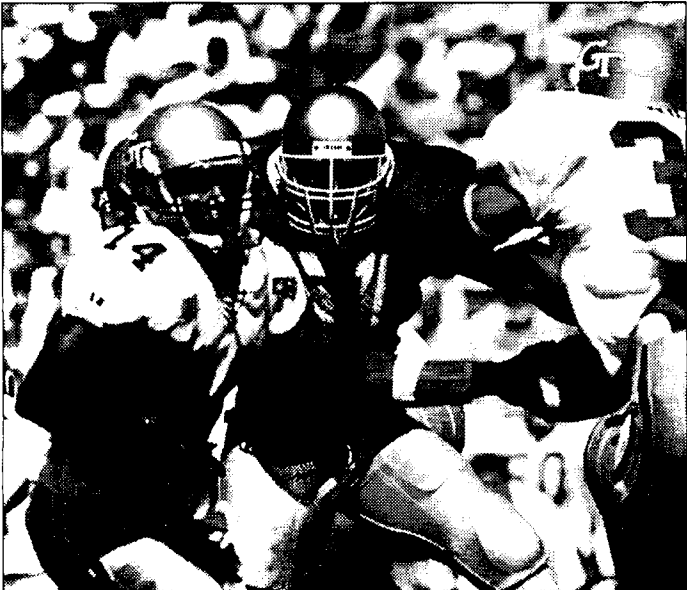
Dansby leads defense to stop Jackets' threat

By JOE CAVATO
Assistant Sports Editor

With the graduation of most of last season's key defensive performers, one of this year's questions was who would be the prime time player for the defensive unit.

Although Irish fans probably were not expecting to see those first dramatic fourth quarter defensive stands against Georgia Tech, the question appears to be answered.

Fifth-year senior Melvin Dansby did



Melvin Dansby, and the Irish defense stepped up to the challenge and did not allow a Tech first down in the fourth quarter.

his best Renaldo Wynn impersonation and sparked the Notre Dame defense with 12 tackles including two timely sacks, helping put Bob Davie in position to win his first game as a head coach.

The Irish showed a "bend but don't break defense" in the first three quarters that allowed Georgia Tech to move the ball, but they held together when they needed to and allowed just one touchdown.

The defense that came out in the fourth quarter was dominant as Kory Minor, Lamont Bryant, and Dansby began to make plays to dash Tech's hopes of an upset and give the Irish offense several chances to take the game.

Dansby was part of a defensive end rotation with Kurt Belisle, Jason Ching, and Brad Williams, and the time he spent on the bench proved to be valuable as he was in top form throughout the game and was a little too much for the Jackets' offensive line to handle.

Tech's signal caller Joe Hamilton was familiarized with Dansby in the first half when Dansby recorded his first sack of the day and applied pressure on the sophomore.

"Melvin is an intense player," Ron Powlus said. "I'm very impressed with how well he can play."

Defensive coordinator Greg Mattison's rotation on the defensive front proved to be pivotal in crunch time. On Georgia Tech's second play after Autry Denson's

touchdown giving the Irish the lead with less than two minutes left in the contest, "The Beast" was unleashed and he dropped Hamilton for a 13-yard loss and put the Yellow Jackets in a hole up against their own goal line.

"That was a big play," Davie said. "We had a hard time all day at getting them off of rhythm and that sack got them out of rhythm."

"He did it. He cranked it up," Powlus said. "He got the defense going, and it was nice to see Melvin do that."

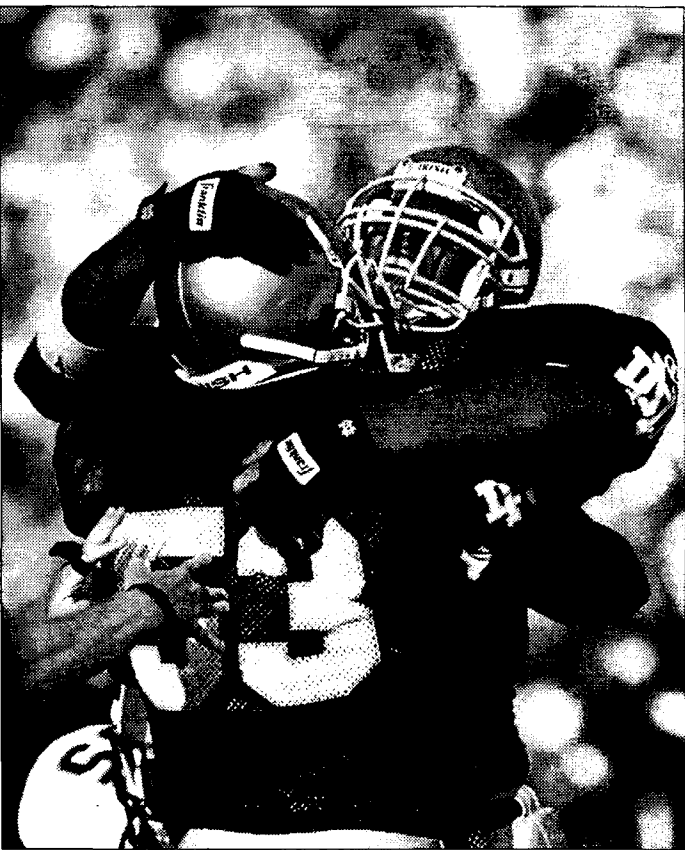
"There was a couple of plays where I thought they were going to break through, and Melvin really came through for us," said senior cornerback Allen Rossum.

Dansby missed all of spring practice, and the condition of his knee was a concern and one of the main reasons for the rotation.

"I think that happened because of the rotation," Mattison said. "The rotation is to have those guys ready when you need them in the fourth quarter and in the 12th game. Melvin had some gas in that engine."

Engine No. 51 made an impact whenever he was in the contest making him arguably Notre Dame's most consistent player for all four quarters as he led the team in tackles.

"We needed somebody to step up,"



Despite missing spring practice and needing rest in the first half, Melvin Dansby was a force for the defensive front.

Dansby said. "Fortunately I was able to do it."

Dansby also gives credit to the rest of the defense which allowed him to be rested.

"It had a lot to do with the amount of rest I had in the first half," Dansby said. "Brad Williams did a great job alternating with me."

Last spring, Dansby was given the title of tri-captain, and this weekend he certainly proved he was one, joining the rest of the defense in giving the Irish their first win of the season and a 1-0 record.

STATISTICALLY SPEAKING

	1	2	3	4	F
Georgia Tech	0	10	0	3	13
Notre Dame	7	3	0	7	17

	Notre Dame	Georgia Tech
First Downs	22	17
Rushed-yards	154	177
Passing yards	217	118
Sacks-yards	4-24	0-0
Passes	18-29-2	10-21-2
Punts	3-40.0	3-48.0
Fumbles-lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-yards	7-44	5-30
Time of Possess.	30:55	29:05

Individual Statistics

RUSHING

Notre Dame-Denson 24-71, Goodspeed 12-57, Powlus 5-32, Barry 1-0
Georgia Tech-Rogers 21-97, Hamilton 15-45, Wiley 8-35

PASSING

Notre Dame-Powlus 18-29-2-217
Georgia Tech-Hamilton 10-21-2-118

RECEIVING

Notre Dame- Brown 7-64, Getherall 5-47, Johnson 3-29, Denson 2-58, O'Leary 1-19
Georgia Tech- Rogers 4-39, Middleton 3-49, Steagall 1-14, Myers 1-9, Gubba 1-7

Attendance: 80,225

SCORING SUMMARY

1st Quarter

Notre Dame- Denson 3 yard run (Sanson kick)

2nd Quarter

Georgia Tech- Hamilton 11 yard run (Frakes kick)
Georgia Tech- Frakes 33 yard field goal
Notre Dame- Sanson 28 yard field goal

3rd Quarter

no scoring

4th Quarter

Georgia Tech- Frakes 32 yard field goal
Notre Dame- Denson 1 yard run (Sanson kick)

Insight

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If you had asked the statisticians following the first half, they would have told you that fifth-year quarterback Ron Powlus and his receiving corps were what made Notre Dame tick.

Why, then, did the architect of the over-hyped new passing attack call just eight passing plays in the second half?

And why, if the quarterback was such an asset, did he telegraph two of those eight passing attempts so badly that Georgia Tech linebackers and defensive backs began to feel like intended receivers?

When it came down to it, Powlus' numbers were solid, and he seemed to have great control of the new-fangled offensive schemes, but what will happen when the Irish defense has a bad day against a tougher opponent? Will he and his receivers be able to bail them out?

After the game, if you had asked Yellow Jacket quarterback Joe Hamilton, he may have said that the Notre Dame defensive backfield and pass rush unit were what Irish fans should be most proud of.

So why, in the first half, was a mediocre opposing offensive line and backfield able to run the ball down Notre Dame's collective throat?

And why, after being chased out of the pocket beyond the Irish 10, was Hamilton allowed to wiggle his way across the line of scrimmage and undress one of Notre Dame's starting cornerbacks on the way to the end zone?

The kicking game looked shabby, the return squads were unimpressive, the play-calling, at times, fell into an all-too-familiar pattern, and once again, a heavy underdog came into Notre Dame Stadium and appeared to be better than anyone thought they were.

However, no matter what other criticisms you could possibly attribute to Notre Dame's performance against Georgia Tech on Saturday, head coach Bob Davie refused to allow his team to give in to the adversity. No matter how many player

AP TOP 25 AP			
TEAM	RECORD	POINTS	PREVIOUS
1. Penn St. (22)	1-0	1620	1
2. Florida (15)	2-0	1590	2
3. Washington (14)	1-0	1580	4
4. Tennessee (6)	2-0	1518	3
5. Florida St. (4)	1-0	1442	5
6. Nebraska (4)	1-0	1433	6
7. N. Carolina (2)	1-0	1342	7
8. Colorado (3)	1-0	1331	8
9. Ohio State	1-0	1144	9
10. LSU	1-0	1127	10
11. Texas	1-0	1054	12
12. Notre Dame	1-0	911	11
13. Miami	1-0	904	13
14. Michigan	0-0	838	14
15. Alabama	1-0	812	15
16. Auburn	1-0	688	16
17. Stanford	1-0	587	17
18. Iowa	1-0	527	20
19. Clemson	1-0	402	18
20. Kansas St.	1-0	377	21
21. Michigan St.	1-0	305	25
22. Virginia Tech	1-0	213	NR
23. Southern Cal	0-1	182	23
24. Arizona St.	1-0	150	NR
25. Colorado St.	1-1	127	24

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mistakes you could point out from Saturday, there were at least as many strong efforts that followed those mistakes and prevented them from spelling doom. No matter what angle you take, the Irish will travel to West Lafayette next weekend with a record of 1-0.

When you look at the 1997 Fighting Irish football team, it does not appear that they have one single strength.

But then again, that may be exactly what their true strength really is.

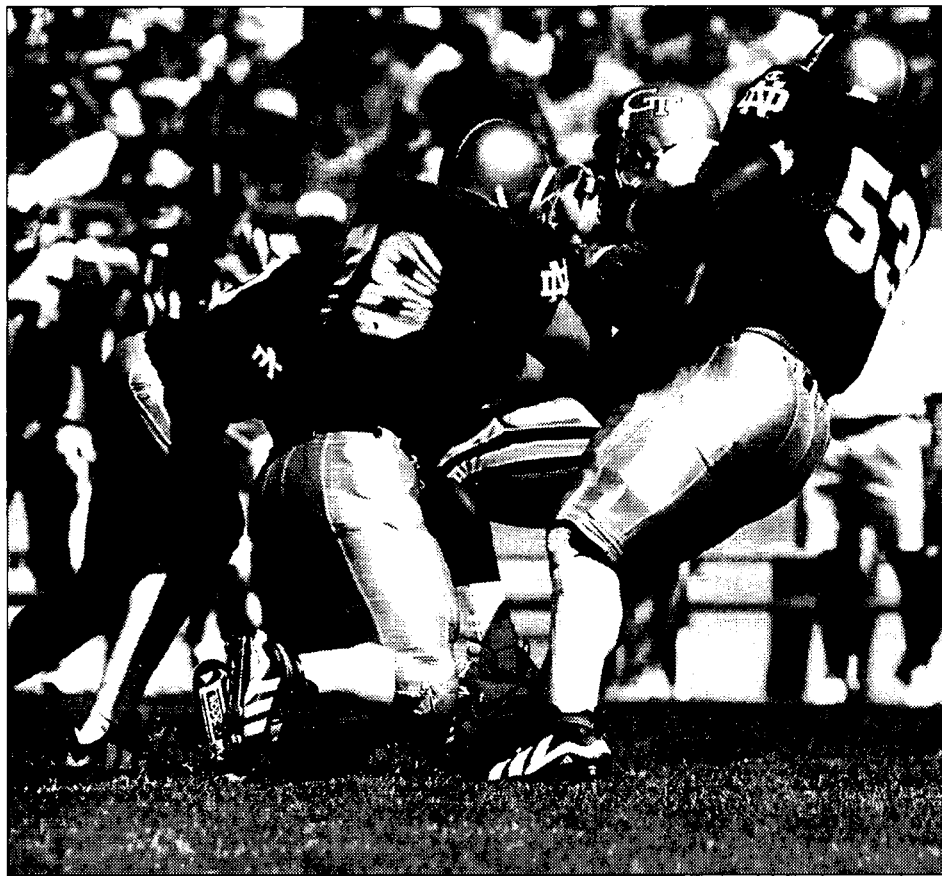
Salvaging a Victory

Defensive end Melvin Dansby (right) chased Georgia Tech quarterback Joe Hamilton all day, recording two sacks and 12 tackles.

Below, linebacker Lamont Bryant (53) and the Irish defense join together to make a tackle against the Yellow Jackets.

Junior tailback Autry Denson (bottom) carries the ball with Georgia Tech linebacker Justin Robertson in close pursuit. Despite being limited to 71 yards on 24 carries, Denson sparked the Irish to victory with a pair of touchdown runs.

Photos by Brandon Candura and Katie Kroener



Notre Dame 17 Georgia Tech 13

Notre Dame Stadium,
Saturday, September 6, 1997

■ GAME NOTES

Irish endure opening day thriller, break new ground

ANOTHER OPENING THRILLER

Eight of the last 14 openers for the Irish have been nailbiters as they have been decided by eight points or less. Notre Dame has come out on the winning side on four of those contests with wins over Michigan in 1988 and '90, Vanderbilt last year and Saturday's win over Georgia Tech. Those losses came at the hands of Purdue in 1984, at Michigan in '85 and '86 and to Northwestern two years ago.

GETHERALL MAKES HISTORY

Joey Getherall is the first true freshmen to start a game for Notre Dame since inside linebacker Mike Kovalesski started against Purdue in 1983. Getherall responded to implication that his performance on Saturday ranks him with some of the all-time Irish greats by saying, "We'll see what happens, but as of right now, I'm just another old player."

POWLUS PASSES MIRER

Ron Powlus moved past Rick Mirer (1989-92) into second on the Notre Dame career pass completions list. Powlus entered the day with 376 career completions and tied Mirer's career mark with a 10-yard completion to Joey Getherall on the Irish opening drive. He moved past Mirer on a 22-yard completion to Bobby Brown on the second drive of the game. Powlus finished the game at 394 career completions, second only to Steve Beuerlein (473, 1983-86).

DENSON KEEPS CLIMBING

Autry Denson continued his assault on the history books. On his way from 16th to a tie for 12th on Notre Dame's career rushing yards list the junior passed Jerome Bettis and Tony Rice. Denson also passed one of the Four Horsemen, Don Miller. Currently he is tied with Marchy Schwarz with 1,945, placing him 32 yards behind Mark Green.

THE VIDEO STORE

Post 'Legends' Letdown

THE DEVIL'S OWN

Director Alan J. Pakula
Starring Harrison Ford and Brad Pitt



(two out of five stars)

By SARA BRANDON
and MARTY HARRIS
Accent Movie Critics

'Arse.' That one word sums up the movie "The Devil's Own." This newly released video displays Brad Pitt as the strangely attractive IRA gunman; in other words, he kills people but his incredible body and gorgeous face more than compensate for his

by mutual respect but torn apart by differing philosophies. Sounds deep but don't be fooled.

Overall we found the movie lacking in the plot department. After dragging on for more than two hours the movie ends up right where we knew it would. There are no surprises, but the end is a touching parody of masculinity which brought a tear to our eyes.

However, we should not ignore the high points. First, the vivid flashbacks Frankie (Brad) had as he played pool in a New York City pub. Second, Brad in handcuffs...need we say more? Third, Harrison's dramatic expression of bewilderment/moral outrage at discovering Brad's true identity. Finally, stirring dialogue



The unwitting Tom O'Meara (Harrison Ford, left) welcomes the violent fugitive Rory Devaney (Brad Pitt) into his home in "The Devil's Own."

photo courtesy Columbia Pictures

lack of morals. From the moment we hear Brad's Irish accent we know this movie is quality. Brad's humble beginnings as a terrorist trace back to the traumatic childhood experience he suffered in the motherland (Ireland) when he was but a wee lad. Choice words, like lad, coming from the ever so luscious lips of Brad, and sporadic jig music convince us that he is, indeed, really Irish. Hence, he did wonders with the word "Aye." For example, "Do you like it here Brad?" "Aye." "Will you father my children?" "Aye." You get the point.

Back to a quick summary of the enriching plot:

Brad, while still a wee lad, witnessed his father's demise at the hands of the British. Brad comes to America. Brad stays with a police officer, played by Harrison Ford, all the while devising a scheme to transport weapons to Ireland. His schemes go awry. Harrison wises up. The end finds both characters bound

from every female in the movie, including a five-year-old, alluding to Brad's magnetism.

Our pick for the most unbelievable plot twist is not that Brad could sail a dinghy, loaded down with missiles to Ireland, but that he sits at a bar for more than a minute alone...yeah, right.

We would recommend "The Devil's Own" to Brad lovers only. The screenplay is too weak for this caliber of actors not to mention those viewers who are after a thought provoking flick.

Here are our ratings for this one:

1. Fashion: Female lead needs to take off the baggy, peasant girl, eighties sweater. Show Brad some body.

2. Hair: Though Brad's stylist is still high on bleach, one wants to run fingers through his damaged, golden locks.

3. Movie: Two stars out of a possible five. Good try though Brad.

TOP TEN

AT THE BOX OFFICE

1. Fire Down Below
2. G.I. Jane
3. Money Talks
4. Hoodlum
5. Air Force One
6. Conspiracy Theory
7. Excess Baggage
8. Cop Land
9. Mimic
10. Men in Black

Source: Associated Press

SOAP OPERA UPDATES

General Hospital

By GENEVIEVE MORRILL
General Hospital Correspondent

Well, not only did the Tin Man not take care of those residents of the Port that drive us nuts, it seemed like they were all we saw this week. Okay the little children have all gone back to school, when are Lucky and crew going to hit the books? Lizzie overhears Lucky say the Cassadines killed Steve, and she breaks land speed records to get home and tell Sarah. When Audrey backs it up as a legitimate rumor (whatever that means), Sarah is devastated and runs into Lucky's scrawny and deceptively friendly arms.

Poor Nik is totally confused (he probably went home to check his teeth for food) and wants to work it out, but she refuses. He puts two and two together and comes up with the Spencers. Audrey reads Lizzie the riot act and so does Lucky until he realizes that her actions may have gotten him a shot at the object of his hormone-induced lust. Then Lucky transforms into Lizzie's best friend, and he defends her to Ruby. Talk about twisted; break your sister's heart and send her into the arms of the boy you like so that he will be nice to you: paging Jerry Springer!

Stefan discovers that his sister and Katharine both grew up in places named Serenity. Alexis plays him like a fiddle, agreeing, reassuring, and questioning him until she has him convinced that Kathy's mother's deathbed confession of her parentage was a ploy to protect her from Helena. Since Katharine's DNA proof is not conclusive, Stefan is convinced and when she kisses him, he is essentially kissing his sister, YUK!

Ned offers Alexis a month in Bali, but she offers him a month at the Cassadine retreat with her fulfilling his every whim. Both refuse, Ned to take care of ELQ and Alexis to save her family from a predator. Both promise to try again.

Keesha, the mother of all meddlers, plots and schemes with A.J. to discover what really happened the night he blacked out. They track down Mick and discover that A.J. was never at the bar and is still sober. Oblivious to her world crumbling, Carly plans her wedding and tries on gowns. Bobbie catches her and offers a few choice remarks. Carly responded by saying, "This baby will be kept and loved." When Carly gets home, A.J. was waiting for her.

Jax invites V into his home/office to work! Argh, she is a vampire who sucks away your charisma and brains and now you've invited her over the threshold? Brenda discovers her there and looks a little perturbed. Brenda's day gets worse when Jax refuses her invitation to the wedding. How insensitive was that? Someone hit her, she stabbed him in the heart and now she wants him to pull the knife out himself. They exchange "I love you" and she leaves. Later Ned bails too; are these omens or will Tony and Carly, town home-wrecker, have more guests than Brenda and Sonny, town pariah?

Feicia returned home to find that Mac survived without her; he even seems to be thriving. She can't stand it, or the fact that he seems interested in Dara, more specifically Dara's low-cut top.

Jason sits at Sonny's feet and learns what it will take to make him the WASP Godfather. Mike and Sonny, after four years of sparring, dissolve into tears as the "I love you" flow. Sonny makes Jason promise to look out for Mike, Luke, and Robin.

The Tin Man tapes Mike's voice and uses it to get Sonny alone. Then he kills Joseph and severely beats the crap out of Sonny. The Tin Man plans to kill Sonny, the bride, the moron, and the old man. Hey, if you really want to hurt Sonny, kill Keesha Ward. They struggle for the gun and a shot rings out!

Days of Our Lives

By NAOMI FREEMAN, KRISTINE HOWARD, and NICOLE PAULINA
Days of Our Lives Correspondents

Welcome back to school, DAYS fans! It's been an eventful summer, and the excitement continued last week with one of the best non-weddings Salem has ever seen! But first, the boring stuff...

Bo finally found Billie in Rome, only to discover that Max got her hooked on drugs again. Bo has agreed to stay and help her kick the habit. Did anyone else notice that Billie's "druggie" makeup looked a lot like Marlena's during her satanic possession?

Jack is still in jail; Abby is still annoying; and Jen is still clueless.

The Vivian and Ivan story line has been one humiliation after another. They're broke and working odd jobs (including dressing up as Frankenstein and his bride). Vivian's new plan centers on exploiting a bum named Jonesy who's really an eccentric millionaire.

Stefano offered John a deal: a cure for Roman in exchange for his freedom. John and Lexie planned to break him out of jail, but honest Abe stopped them. After an incredibly boring few days, Abe gave in. However, he still has reservations about letting "that monster" out of jail and into Lexie's life. Stefano isn't too worried, though, because he knows he has another heir in Salem: Susan's little Elvis.

And FINALLY, the event we've all been waiting for, THE WEDDING. Sami, sporting an incredibly BAD hairdo (did she take ALL the gel in Salem?) and a dress that left NOTHING to the imagination, finally got to walk down the aisle. Unfortunately, her psychic twin brother Eric managed to convince Roman to delay the ceremony by taking a nose dive at the altar. Meanwhile, Mike finally figured out what we've known all along: LUCAS IS WILL'S FATHER. Carrie rushed to St. Luke's just in time to stop the wedding and exposed ALL of Sami's secrets (and knocked the witch out with one punch!) After pulling himself and his 35 brain cells together, Austin re-proposed to Carrie. She accepted, and they planned to tie the knot that afternoon since their original license had one day left until it expired — WHATEVER! In a dramatic and heart-breaking twist, Carrie and Austin have asked Mike to be the best man. Mike accepted, much to the dismay of his psychotic, meddling mother. This week we anxiously look forward to the long-awaited wedding between Carrie and Austin.

Coming soon: Our Days of Our Lives website!

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Williams falls short in first Open final

By HAL BOCK
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NEW YORK

There was hope for Venus Williams at the start Sunday. She hit some big shots and made some smart choices as she served to Martina Hingis in the first game of the U.S. Open championship.

A forehand kissed the line. Then a backhand down the line landed in a corner. She won three of the first four points, building a 40-15 lead against the No. 1 player in the world. It seemed that the amazing run Williams had been on for the last two weeks was going to continue.

And then, just like that, it came apart with four unforced errors that cost her the game. When you're playing against No. 1, you don't want to be broken in the first game.

"It was the turning point of the match," Williams said.

Hingis took command, leaving Williams looking like someone playing for a scholastic title instead of a Grand Slam title. When it was over, Williams had lost 6-0, 6-4.

And afterward, Williams, who has been cool throughout

this adventure, admitted that Sunday was different. "I think it's natural to be nervous in a situation like that."

It showed.

There were 17 unforced errors in the first set and 21 more in the second, far too many to give her any chance against a player of Hingis' stature. She knew it, too.

"I wasn't surprised," Williams said. "One of my only weaknesses is I will start hitting unforced errors. That's something I've cut down a lot on in this tournament. I really improved on that. I'm just going to have to keep working hard. Maybe in the future, six months from now, that will be something that will pass."

After the first set, a 22-minute blowout, Williams tried to gather herself. "I just had to put my game together, maybe slow it down, do something a little different," she said. "I was just trying to think what I could do to get into the match, what I could change."

Against Hingis, there weren't many options.

"I've just got to play a little better, a little more consistently. I've got to cut down on the unforced errors."

Rafter wins four set battle

By STEVE WILSTEIN
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NEW YORK

In flourishes that harkened back to the great champions in Australia's proud tennis heritage, Patrick Rafter overcame the fastest server in history to win the U.S. Open on Sunday and secure his first Grand Slam title.

Rafter stared at his racket to see if it had cracked when Greg Rusedski unleashed a record 143 mph serve in the fourth set, then bore down to finish off a 6-3, 6-2, 4-6, 7-5 victory.

In a scene reminiscent of Australian Pat Cash, Rafter climbed up to embrace his family, friends and coach Tony Roche.

"I can't believe it. I'm in a fantasy land," Rafter said.

The first Australian champion of the U.S. Open since John Newcombe in 1973, Rafter played in the tradition of his famous mentors with a serve-and-volley style and an athletic flair that never wavered even under pressure.

Rusedski, trying to become the first British winner since Fred Perry in 1936, provided plenty of that pressure with his booming serves and gutsy

shots in a third-set comeback. But Rafter kept attacking the net, leaping for almost impossible volleys and making them.

Perhaps only tennis aficionados knew who Rafter and Rusedski were. Certainly the women's finalists, teen-agers Martina Hingis and Venus Williams, had greater popularity around the world. But Hingis' 6-0, 6-4 victory over Williams had none of the drama, and little of the grand play, of the Rafter-Rusedski match.

Rafter wore his long hair in a Samurai bun and he played with a warrior's fervor. His link to players like Newcombe and Rod Laver, Roche and Ken Rosewall, could be seen in his graceful style on court, his muscular legs, and his love of the game.

Roche tutors him and Newcombe calls up at times with advice. For more than two decades, Australia's best players have been banding together to help produce another champion. Cash came along as a surprise a decade ago, and now so has Rafter.

Rafter lost in the first round at the U.S. Open a year ago. Rusedski hadn't won a match at the Open in his three previous years here.

"The difference was I missed a few easy volleys, a few balls by an inch," Rusedski said. "Pat was just the better player on the day. I think I'll learn, like I did from being in the quarters at Wimbledon. Learn to push it up a notch."

Rafter's path to the title was littered with top players, including former champion Andre Agassi and No. 2-seed Michael Chang. But Rafter lost only two sets in the tournament, one against Agassi and one against Rusedski.

Rafter's rise this year — he reached five finals before this one without winning any — has been nothing short of remarkable. He had won only one title in his career, Manchester in 1994. He finished the past two years ranked No. 68 and No. 62 while battling injuries.

Now, Rafter will be ranked No. 3 behind Pete Sampras and Chang. He is the first Australian in the top 10 since Cash reached No. 10 in 1988.

"It's amazing," Rafter said, referring to his ranking. "Nothing can substitute for that. This is what I've been aiming and dreaming for my whole life. Hopefully, I can make those next two spots."

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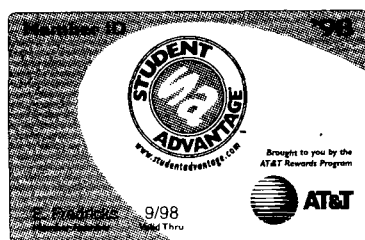
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■ NFL

Elway leads Broncos to a second-half comeback

By JIM COUR
Associated Press Writer

SEATTLE
It's going to take a lot more of Paul Allen's dollars for the Seattle Seahawks to catch up with John Elway.

Elway passed for two touchdowns to Ed McCaffrey on Sunday, leading Denver to a 35-14 victory over the Seahawks in a game the Broncos trailed 14-13 at halftime.

Elway, 37, had his 252nd and 253rd career touchdown passes to help get the Broncos off to a 2-0 start, while the Seahawks, now with the richest owner in the NFL in the billionaire Allen,



Elway

dropped to 0-2 for the third season in a row under coach Dennis Erickson. The Seahawks lost their opener 41-3 to the New York Jets, also at Seattle.

The Broncos beat Seattle for the third straight time, for the eighth time in 10 games and won for the fifth time in six games in the Kingdome.

Seattle started Warren Moon, the oldest player in the league at 40, in place of the injured John Friesz, and Moon responded with his 255th career touchdown pass, a 12-yarder to Carlester Crumpler late in the first half.

But in the biggest play of the game, Moon was intercepted by Broncos cornerback Darrien Gordon, who returned it 32 yards for a touchdown on the final play of the fourth quarter to give Denver a 28-14 lead.

The Broncos added an insurance touchdown on a 1-yard

run by Terrell Davis in the fourth quarter. Denver's defense stopped Seattle on downs at its 38 and 44 in the final period.

In a battle of future Pro Football Hall of Fame quarterbacks, Elway was 18 of 26 for 197 yards and two touchdowns, while Moon was 20 of 33 for 222 yards and one score, with one interception. Davis, last season's AFC rushing champion, had 107 yards on 21 carries.

After trailing at the half, Denver retook the lead — 21-14 — with 59 seconds left in the third quarter when Elway

and McCaffrey teamed for their second touchdown of the game, a 21-yarder in which McCaffrey beat rookie cornerback Shawn Springs. Elway passed to Shannon Sharpe for a 2-point conversion.

Gordon stepped in front of Mike Pritchard and ran back the interception of Moon's pass for a touchdown that showed the Seahawks that Elway has an outstanding defense this season, too.

The Seahawks led 14-13 at halftime after scoring two touchdowns in a 16-second span at the end of the second quarter. First, Moon completed

his 12-yard pass to a falling Crumpler in the end zone for Seattle's first touchdown of the season with 1:11 left.

Then, the Seahawks' defense converted a fumble by Elway into a touchdown with 55 seconds remaining for a 14-10 lead. Michael Sinclair beat Jamie Brown and stripped the ball from Elway on first down from the Broncos' 35. Chad Brown, Seattle's \$24 million free-agent pickup from Pittsburgh, picked up the ball at the 26 and ran it into the end zone for his first career touchdown.

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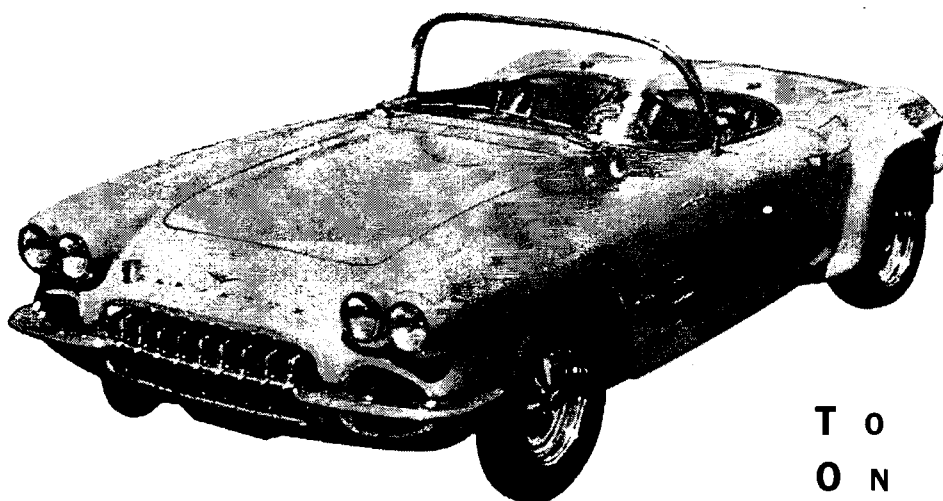
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NFL

Eagles upset Packers' hopes for unbeaten season

By JOHN F. BONFATTI

Associated Press Writer

PHILADELPHIA

So much for the Green Bay Packers' talk of an undefeated season.

Rookie Ryan Longwell missed what would have been the game-winning field goal with 11 seconds left, and Ty Detmer threw for the game's only touchdown with



Favre

1:56 left as the Philadelphia Eagles upset the defending Super Bowl champions 10-9 Sunday.

Longwell, who hadn't missed a field goal attempt in either the exhibition or regular season, was wide right from 28 yards out, touching off a celebration at Veterans Stadium.

The Packers (1-1) lost for the first time in 10 games, including their playoff run to the championship last year. The Eagles were eaten 31-17 by the New York Giants in their opener.

Detmer's 2-yard touchdown pass to Freddie Solomon

capped an 80-yard, 19-play drive that took up 9:22. It ended when, on fourth down, Detmer found an open Solomon in the back of the end zone.

The Packers had a chance to win after Solomon's touchdown when Bill Schroeder returned the ensuing kickoff to their 47.

After Brett Favre, who finished 19-of-42 for 279 yards, led the Packers to the Eagles 10, Longwell, who converted kicks from 22, 18 and 27 earlier in the game, missed the short field goal.

Detmer finished 19-of-32 for 193 yards and a touchdown.

The Eagles' defense deserves

most of the credit for the win, as it held the Packers, who led the NFL with 456 points last year, to under double digits for only the third time in the last four seasons.

Longwell, a free agent who got his chance when third-round draft choice Brett Conway was injured in training camp, hadn't missed a field goal or extra point attempt in either the exhibition or regular season.

He was 6-for-6 in field goal attempts and 10-for-10 on extra point tries before the season, and was 6-for-6 with three PATs in the regular season.

The Eagles got a 32-yard field goal from Chris Boniol and 125 yards on eight catches by Irving Fryar.

Longwell's 27-yard field goal, his third of the game, extended the Packers' lead to 9-3 with 5:48 left in the third quarter.

A hurried Favre attempted a sidearm pass on Green Bay's first drive of the third quarter, but Rhett Hall intercepted, returning the ball 39 yards to the 13. But the Packers limited the Eagles to 1 yard on three plays, and Boniol hit a 32-yard field goal to cut Green Bay's lead to 6-3.

Favre moved the Packers 60 yards in the second quarter's final two minutes. But they failed to get the touchdown in three plays from inside the 4, and Longwell's second field goal of the quarter, an 18-yarder, made it 6-0 at the break.

The Packers got the game's first score after a 95-yard drive stalled just outside the Philadelphia goal line midway through the second quarter. Longwell's 22-yard field goal made it 3-0.

Boniol had a chance to tie the game with a 49-yard field goal attempt with 1:50 left in the half, but he was wide left. The miss snapped a string of 28 straight successful field goal attempts by Boniol.

Green Bay's offense slept through the first quarter, registering only 20 yards as Favre went 0-for-6. Antonio Freeman dropped two passes, including one where there was no one between him and the end zone, and then dropped another possible touchdown pass early in the second quarter.

The Eagles drove to the Green Bay 1 in the first quarter, but Detmer fumbled a snap and Reggie White recovered for the Packers.

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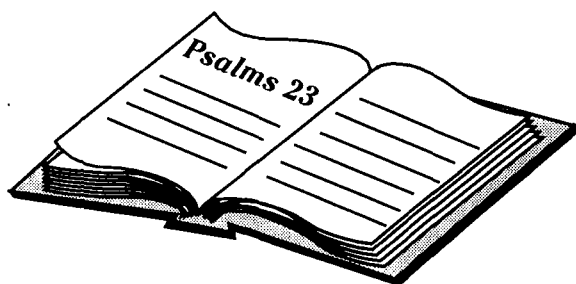
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career, playing for the injured Ryan Cox. Then, ten minutes into the second half, he scored for the first time in his collegiate career to give the Irish a 3-0 lead. The goal came from just inside the penalty box following feeds from senior Bill Savarino and sophomore Matt McNew, who were both credited with assists.

"I really can't describe the feeling that I had after the goal," McKnight said. "It was amazing. I can relax a little now that I have the first one under my belt and focus on the things that I can do to help the team."

The game marked the return of seniors Savarino and co-cap-

tain Ryan Turner, two of the leading scorers from last year. Both sat out the first two games of the season for team policy violations. Savarino recorded an assist, and Turner played a very well up front, creating several scoring opportunities for the Irish.

"As a team, we did a great job of creating scoring chances," Aris said. "We took advantage of a few of those opportunities and came out with the win."

After a fast start by the Friars, Notre Dame controlled play for much of the game. Notre Dame outshot the Providence 16-7, and had a 7-1 advantage in corner kicks. Irish goalkeeper Greg Velho had five saves in the game, recording his second shutout of the season and the 15th of his career.

"As a defense, we wanted to come out strong and set the tone for the game early on," co-captain Matt Johnson said. "Last year, the defense was very strong and we had yet to re-establish ourselves this year so this game was important in getting back on track for the rest of the year."

It was the first game for Notre Dame since losing to highly-ranked Indiana last week.

"We just tried to build on the positives of the Indiana game and focus on our Big East games," McKnight said. This win was very important because it gives us some momentum for the rest of the season."

The Irish return to action Wednesday when they travel to Valparaiso.

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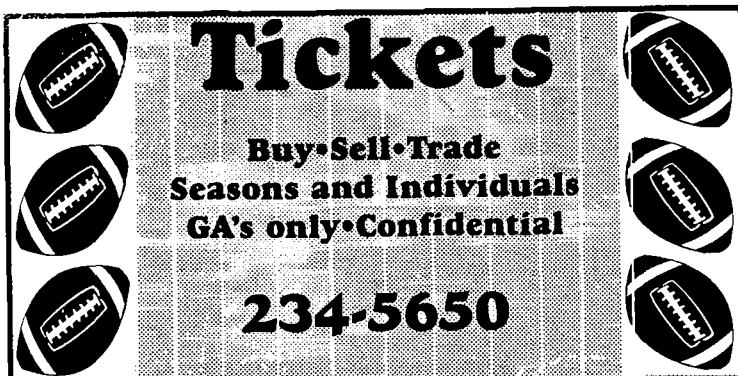
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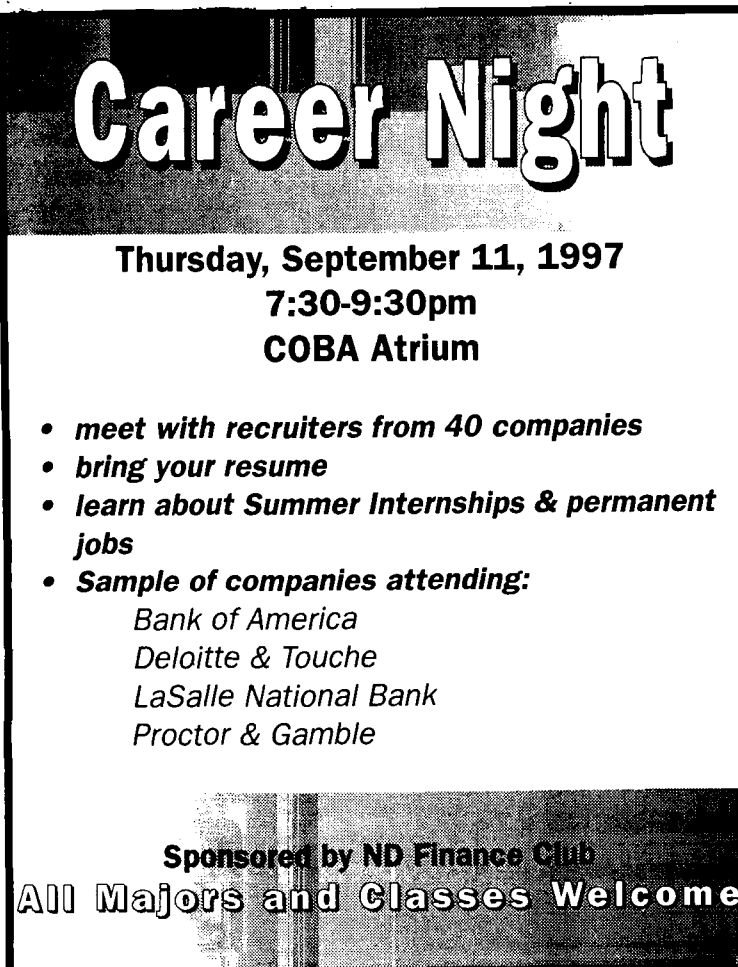
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■ MLB

Indians sweep White Sox with a 5-2 home victory

By KEN BERGER
Associated Press Writer

CLEVELAND
Matt Williams extended his career-high hitting streak to 23 games, and Cleveland held Albert Belle hitless in his second homecoming series as the Indians swept the Chicago White Sox with a 5-2 victory Sunday night.

Jim Thome and Tony Fernandez homered as the Indians won all three games from the third-place White Sox. Chicago lost its fifth straight and faded to eight games behind the Indians in the AL Central.

Belle, the former Indians outfielder who signed with rival Chicago last fall,

was 0-for-3 with a walk. He was 0-for-11 in the series.

Second-place Milwaukee lost to Boston and fell to 5 1/2 games back, which tied Cleveland's biggest lead this season.

Fernandez replaced Bip Roberts at second base in the sixth after Roberts and Robin Ventura collided in the basepath — a force play that was very similar to Belle's collision with Milwaukee's Fernando Vina last season. Fernandez lined his ninth homer down the right-field line off reliever Tony Castillo in the seventh, giving the Indians a 4-2 lead.

Thome tied it at 2 in the fourth with his 37th homer. Manny Ramirez drove

in the go-ahead run with a single in the fifth.

Williams, acquired to replace Belle as Cleveland's premier power hitter, made it 5-2 with an RBI single in the eighth off Matt Karchner.

Rookie Jaret Wright (6-3) allowed two runs and seven hits in 6 1-3 innings, walking three and striking out two. Doug Drabek (10-10) allowed three runs and four hits, leaving after Marquis Grissom singled to lead off the seventh.

Before colliding with Roberts, Ventura gave Chicago a 2-1 lead with his fourth homer, one of a dozen or so balls to land in the second deck in right field at Jacobs Field.

With boos and derisive chants filling

the ballpark where Belle once reigned, the slugger grounded out three times against Wright and walked in the eighth against Mike Jackson.

He is now 7-for-33 with two homers and 10 RBIs against his former team.

Jose Mesa got three outs for his 12th save.

The first two games featured a much more subdued atmosphere than in June, when Belle was jeered relentlessly and peppered with garbage and fake money.

It picked up a little Sunday night as Cleveland swept the White Sox in Cleveland for the first time since 1993.

One sign said, "Forget Albert. How 'bout those Indians?" The teams play a four-game series in Chicago.

Attention Sophomores!

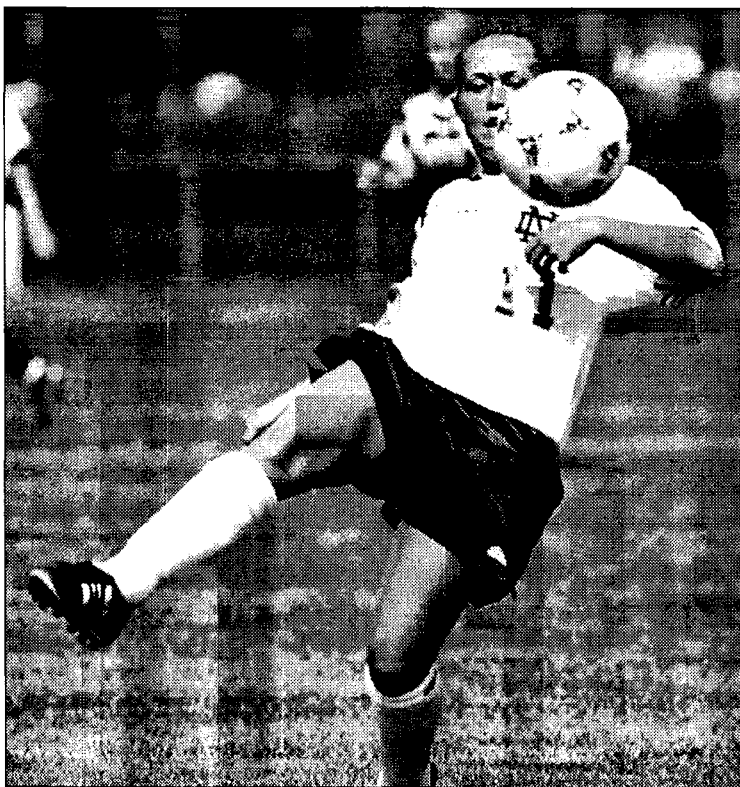
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Jenny Heft and the Irish will take on Big East rival Pittsburgh Friday.

Victory

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Shannon Boxx and Monica Gonzalez at 10:43 opened the scoring, before Washington's Jana Wilson netted the first goal surrendered by the Irish defense this season, ending a 210-minute scoreless streak.

Holly Manthei headed a cross from Streiffer past Washington goalie Gretchen Mensinger at 42:56, giving Notre Dame the lead for good.

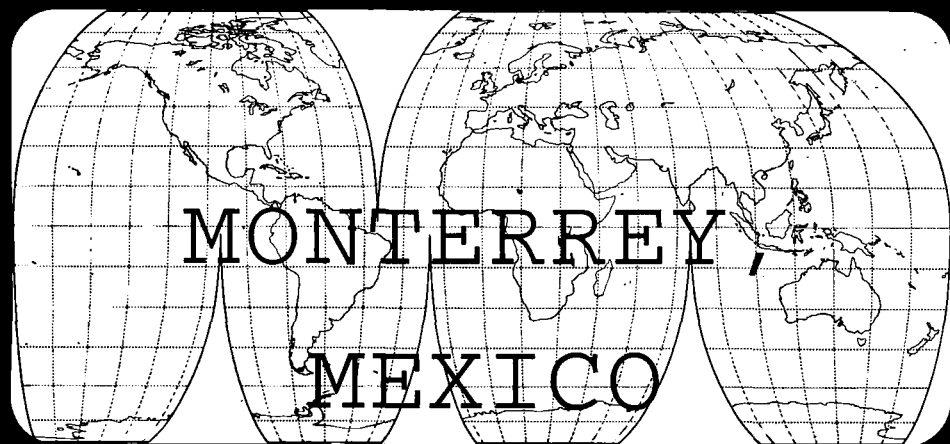
Manthei also added an assist on Jen Heft's goal to cap off the scoring.

Notre Dame goalkeeper LaKeysia Beene recorded two saves, while the Irish outshot the Huskies, 28-11.

Next weekend, Notre Dame takes on Big East rivals Pittsburgh and West Virginia before returning home for the Adidas/Lady Footlocker Classic and a date with top-ranked North Carolina.

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■ SAINT MARY'S VOLLEYBALL

Belles finish third at Hanover

By ANGELA OLSEN
Saint Mary's Sports Editor

The Saint Mary's volleyball team wrapped up a busy weekend with a third-place finish at the Hanover College Tournament. The Belles were returning tournament champions.

On Friday night, the Belles faced off against Alma College, winning 16-14, 14-16, 15-10, 15-8. The Belles were led by freshman setter Ashley Uebelhor, who finished the night with 52 assists and senior Betsy Connolly with 16 kills. A strong performance was given by sophomore outside hitter Agnes Bill, who had 13 kills and 20 digs.

On Saturday morning, Saint Mary's came out strong and beat Earlham 14-16, 15-10, 16-14, 15-5. After losing the first set, the Belles regrouped. "We got smarter," head coach Jenny Joyce said.

Freshman setter Megan Jardina had 48 assists and four aces to lead the Belles. Bill and sophomore Jayne Ozbolt led in kills with 15 and 13, respectively.

Ten minutes after the win

against Earlham, the Belles were back on the court against tournament host Hanover. The Belles lost 15-11, 6-15, 17-15, 10-15, 12-15.

"It was a heartbreaker of a match," said Joyce. "Hanover played better volleyball."

Jardina finished with a team high 50 assists and 19 digs. Connolly led the Belles with 10 blocks and 12 kills, while senior Meg Kelly had 18 kills.

After the loss to Hanover, the Belles played against Rose-Hulman for third place. With a combination of aggressive serving and a good solid defense, the Belles beat Rose-Hulman 15-19, 5-15, 15-4, 15-11. "We wanted it more than they did," said Joyce.

The Belles served 13 team aces with five coming from sophomore Mary Rodovich.

"She was our spark-plug," said Joyce. "She never lost her energy." Senior leadership came from Kelly, who led the team with 11 kills and 15 digs.

"The girls played good, hard volleyball," Joyce said.

Hanover won the tournament by beating Ohio Wesleyan in the final.

Volleyball

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The Irish started play on Saturday with a matinee victory over Utah, 15-1, 15-8, 17-15. Lee continued to lead the team scoring 14 kills on .333 hitting. After blanking Gonzaga in the final game yesterday, the Irish continued their torrid pace against the Utes, with a team hitting percentage of .667 in game one.

The win against the Utes set up a championship match against the sixth-ranked Washington State Cougars. Despite a strong effort and a lengthened comeback in the third set, the Irish lost a battle, 15-9, 15-8, 16-14.

Washington State held a 14-8 lead in the third game before the Irish rallied to tie it, fighting off nine match points before losing. Notre Dame continued to struggle on their service game, with a .54 ace-to-error ratio so far this season.

"I think the biggest factor is that we weren't diversifying enough offensively," Irish coach Debbie Brown commented. "We needed to be more unpredictable, not concentrating with one single hitter. We'll try to improve that as time goes on."

"Overall, I thought that we played better than we did last weekend at the Shamrock," Treadwell said. "We worked throughout the week on getting the sets evenly distributed, so the other team wouldn't be able to concentrate on one single hitter. In the last game of the WSU match, we rallied back and almost won it, but we just missed the mark."

"Overall, I feel like we played better and made some progress," Brown commented. "There were a lot of things we did right and some things that we need to improve on."

The team placed three players on the all-tournament team, Lee, Treadwell, and Leffers. "I think Lindsay (Treadwell) and I

were more effective this weekend because we were able to block out more of our opponents," Leffers commented. "Overall, I think that we improved some over the Wisconsin match."

The Irish, currently 4-2, return to the Joyce Center tonight to face No. 2 Florida. The Gators, who advanced to the NCAA semifinals last year and have a record of 6-0, look to be one of the toughest opponents the team will face this season. "They're a very solid team," Brown remarked, "very good offensively and in blocking. They have a very strong

middle blocker in Nina Foster, who is probably the best player on their team. In many ways, they are similar to what we faced with Washington State on Saturday. This match should probably be the best home game of the season."

Leffers, who went to Berkeley High School in Tampa and played for the Tampa Juniors, is especially ready for tonight's match. "This match holds huge significance for me," Leffers said, "I played with two of the Gator players, and Florida was one of the colleges that I was considering two years ago."

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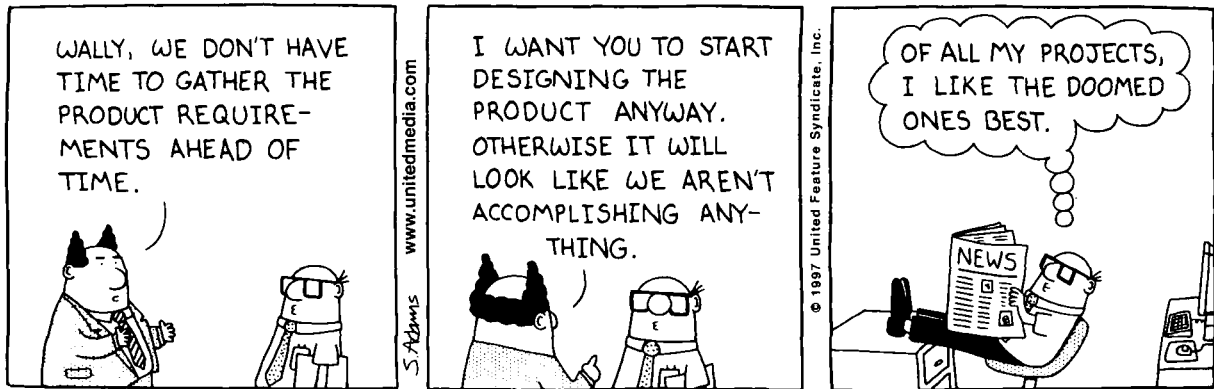
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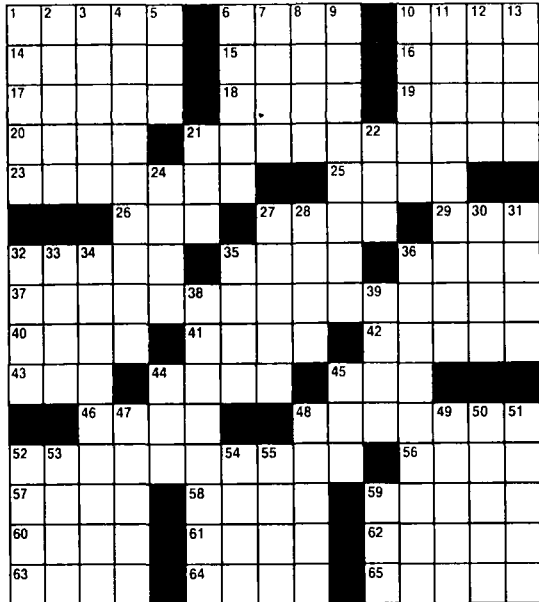
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- ACROSS**
- 1 "If I — the World" (pop hit)
 - 6 Boutique
 - 10 Kind of carpet
 - 14 Glue
 - 15 Carbonated canful
 - 16 Scarlett's plantation
 - 17 Run to the altar
 - 18 Brother of Cain
 - 19 N. M. neighbor
 - 20 Accounting principle, for short
 - 21 Comic strip witch
 - 23 — Steamer (early auto)
 - 25 Land west of Britain
 - 26 Brain wave reading: Abbr.
 - 27 Track records?
 - 29 Sine — non
 - 32 Journalist Alexander
 - 35 Isn't on the street?
 - 36 Phoenix fivesome
 - 37 Defeat decisively
 - 40 "Ball!" callers
 - 41 Scolds ceaselessly
 - 42 Birchbark boat
 - 43 Toothpaste type
 - 44 Days of long ago
 - 45 Inclined (to)
 - 46 Feldman role in "Young Frankenstein"
 - 48 Mill in 1848 news
 - 52 Seal tightly, as a coffee can
 - 56 Cleveland's lake

- DOWN**
- 1 Movie units
 - 2 Illuminated from below
 - 3 Bath sponge: Var.
 - 4 The numbers in (x² + y²)
 - 5 Hair coloring
 - 6 Hair-raising
 - 7 Traveling tramp
 - 8 Bogus butter
 - 9 Tree with fan-shaped leaves
 - 10 Flight of steps
 - 11 Clown
 - 12 Dry, as a desert
 - 13 Disputed Mideast strip
 - 21 Entreat
 - 22 Towel inscription
 - 24 One of Jacob's wives
 - 27 Unwelcome water on a ship
 - 57 Memorable periods
 - 58 Tiny bit
 - 59 Area of corporate investment, briefly
 - 60 1996 Broadway hit
 - 61 Walked (on)
 - 62 Popular watch brand
 - 63 Plumb loco
 - 64 Slangy assents
 - 65 German industrial city



Puzzle by Patrick Jordan

- 28 Seth's son
- 30 Next-to-last word of the golden rule
- 31 Tennis's Arthur
- 32 Self-satisfied
- 33 "Fourth base"
- 34 Résumé submitter
- 35 From a distance
- 36 Specialized police units
- 38 Outrageousness
- 39 Sales slip: Abbr.
- 44 Last word of the golden rule
- 45 Northern diving bird
- 47 Bursts of wind
- 48 Gazillions
- 49 Sea eagles
- 50 Chain of hills
- 51 Alternative to a convertible
- 52 Sink or swim, e.g.
- 53 Vicinity
- 54 Skin opening
- 55 On the peak of
- 59 — v. Wade (landmark decision)

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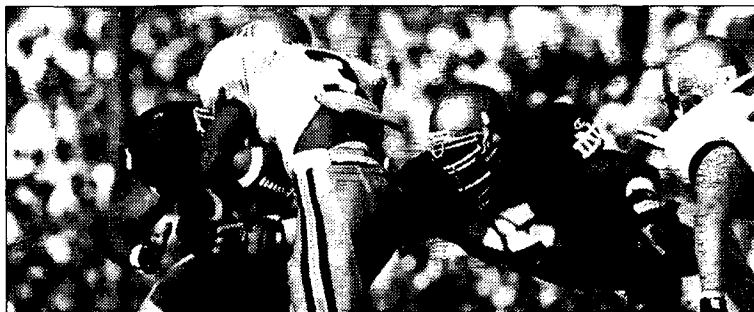
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Monday, September 8, 1997

WOMEN'S SOCCER

Irish continue unbeaten streak

*Gerardo's
header leads
team to win*

By ALLISON KRILLA
Sports Writer

In a battle of the unbeaten, second-ranked Notre Dame ousted third-ranked Portland 1-0 yesterday, ending the Pilots' 25-game home field unbeaten streak.

Junior forward Monica Gerardo volleyed a header from six yards out past Portland goalie Angela Harrison, seven minutes into the second half for the game's only tally.

Sophomore Jenny Streiffer ran the ball up the left side-



Streiffer

line before lofting a cross to the middle setting up Gerardo's goal, severing Portland's (2-1-0) 42-game regular season unbeaten streak.

The assist gave Streiffer her second in two games, and Sobrero, also credited with the assist, her fifth in four games, equalling her total for the entire 1996 season.

The Irish outshot Portland 22-3, and goalkeeper LaKeysia Beene made two saves, recording her third shut out of the year.

Portland has lost only four of its last 54 games, all to Notre Dame (4-0-0), who has beaten the Pilots in the last three NCAA Final Fours, including the 1995 national championship game.

In Notre Dame's first road game on Friday, the Irish defeated Washington (0-2) by a 3-1 margin at Husky Soccer Field.

Streiffer's goal from

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Junior Monica Gerardo's second-half goal boosted the Irish over the Portland Pilots, 1-0.

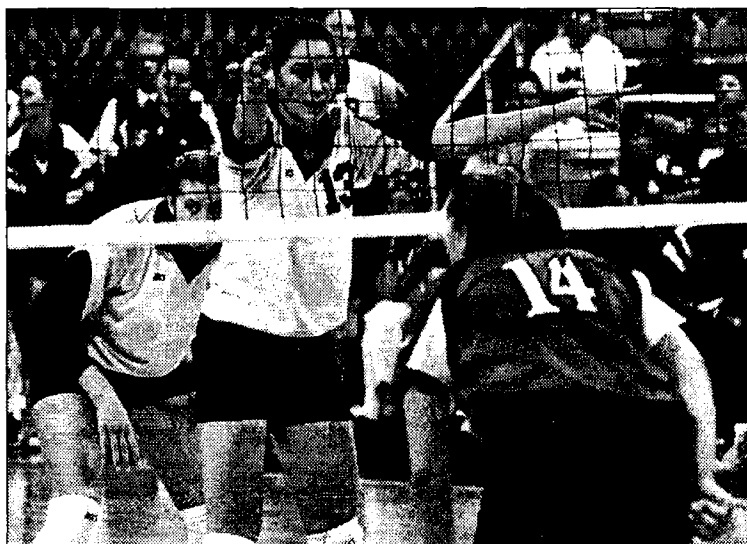
VOLLEYBALL

Netters take second in tourney

By BILL HART
Sports Writer

Playing away from home is never easy, especially at such an early stage of the season. For one player, however, a weekend homecoming made it easier. Notre Dame's volleyball team, ranked 20th in the nation, took second place this weekend in the "Spikeoff Spokane."

The Irish opened play on Friday with a three game win over Gonzaga, 15-10, 15-7, 15-0. Senior hitter and Spokane native Jaimie Lee led the Irish in her first starting role of the season, with a team-high 18 kills. Notre Dame was also helped by its starting middle blockers, who scored 24 kills between them. Sophomore Mary Leffers totaled ten kills in 16 attempts, while junior Lindsay Treadwell took in 14 kills in 20 tries.



The Observer/Frank Daily

Junior Lindsay Treadwell had 14 kills in Friday's win over Gonzaga.

Due to the shortness of the match, senior hitter Angie Harris could not set a record for consecutive matches with more than twenty kills. Harris

did tie the record set by Lee during the 1995 Purdue Premier.

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MEN'S SOCCER

Woods helps spark win over Providence

By TOM STUDEBAKER
Sports Writer

Freshman Reggie McKnight scored a goal and contributed two assists and sophomore Alan Woods added a goal and an assist to lead the Notre Dame men's soccer team to its first win of the season.

Notre Dame beat Providence College 3-0 Sunday afternoon at Alumni field. With the win, the 18th-ranked Irish improved their record to 1-1-1 for the year, and 1-0-1 against Big

East opponents. Providence fell to 0-2 both overall and in the Big East.

Woods, a defender, put the Irish up 1-0. The goal was the first for the Irish this season, and the first for Woods in his collegiate career. McKnight had an assist on the play, setting Woods up with a pass from just outside the penalty box. Senior Scott Wells also had an assist on the goal.

Late in the first half, sophomore Andrew Aris scored the second goal for Notre Dame on assists from both McKnight and Woods.

It was a game of firsts for McKnight. He started for the first time in his collegiate



Woods

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