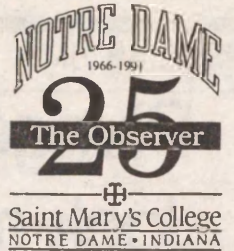




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Haitian president arrested by rebel soldiers

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — President Jean-Bertrand Aristide was arrested Monday afternoon by rebel soldiers at the National Palace, the foreign minister said.

"The president and his staff have been arrested and taken to the army headquarters," said the foreign minister, Jean-Robert Sabalat. He told The Associated Press the government was negotiating "to at least save the president's life."

The arrest of Aristide, who became Haiti's first freely elected president in February, capped a harrowing uprising that claimed at least 26 lives and began with mutinies Sunday night at a training camp and a police station in the

capital area.

Sabalat said a loyal captain was killed when the rebels, who claimed Aristide had interfered in internal army affairs, battled their way into the National Palace about 5:30 p.m. EDT.

The uprising occurred only four days after Aristide addressed the United Nations on his first trip to the United States since becoming president of this coup-prone Caribbean nation.

Aristide said Thursday that his address to the U.N. General Assembly the day before had marked the end of Haiti's dark past of dictatorship.

"Democracy has won out for good, the roots are growing stronger and stronger," he said in an interview.

Earlier in the day, the rebel soldiers had opened fire on Aristide's home, and several hours later attacked a military convoy that was taking him and the French ambassador to the National Palace. Neither Aristide nor the ambassador, Jean-Rafael Dufour, was injured in either episode, according to government sources.

Among those killed during when the unrest first flared Sunday night was Sylvio Claude, an evangelical preacher and two-time presidential candidate.

By nightfall Monday, a presidential adviser, overheard on a radio frequency used by the military, government and embassies, spoke of loyalist sol-

diers deserting and hostile units moving onto the grounds of the National Palace.

A government minister, speaking on condition of anonymity, said, "We're in serious trouble."

Only one of Haiti's 15 or so radio stations, Roman Catholic-run Radio Soleil, continued to broadcast news. Some shut down after being strafed by gunfire, and others switched to music-only formats.

State television broadcast test patterns.

The international airport was closed Monday afternoon.

Aristide, a 38-year-old Catholic priest in power since February, had been at home with aides and a bodyguard at

the time of the first attack, the government said.

Independent Radio Cacique said an armored personnel carrier was attacked when it went to Aristide's home to take him to the National Palace from his residence in La Plaine, six miles from Port-au-Prince.

The trouble began Sunday night with mutinies at an army training camp at Freres, just outside Port-au-Prince, and at an army-run police station in the downtown area of the capital.

Shortly before midnight Sunday, the head of Radio Nationale, Michel Favard, went on the air to say a government

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Study: American kids making up lost ground

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's school children have made up the ground they had lost in math, reading, writing and science achievement since the 1970s but are still far short of where they need to be, the Education Department said Monday.

Education Secretary Lamar Alexander said, "Children seem to be learning a lot because compared with what parents learned 20 years ago it is a lot. But the problem is, compared with what children are learning in Seoul and Tokyo and parts of Europe and all around this world, it is not good enough."

"Our performance falls short of the standards we need to meet to compete effectively in the global economy," added Colorado Gov. Roy Romer, former chairman of the National Education Goals Panel.

The Education Department and the goals panel released a series of reports that painted a bleak overall picture of academic achievement nationwide, though they did show recovery from declines between the 1970s and 1980s.

"It's good that we're on an upward trend, but I don't think this is the time to relax," said Diane Ravitch, assistant secretary of education for educational research and improvement. "The achievement trend lines are essentially flat over the past 20 years."

The new reports showed that white children still outperform black and Hispanic youths at all age levels and in all subjects though the gap in achievement levels decreased. Asian-American pupils and children from the Pacific Islands exceeded by large margins whites and all other minorities in mathematics, one report showed.

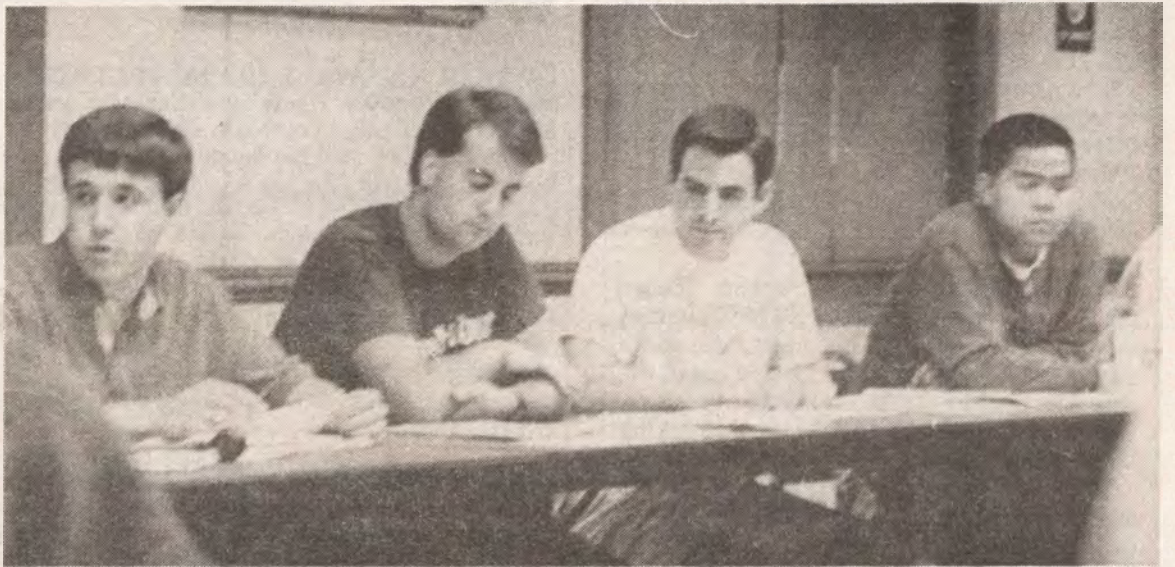
The department's report was accompanied by still another set of figures — a Nation's Report Card that compared for the first time what children actually know in math with what education leaders think they should know.

That report by the National Assessment of Educational Progress said just over 60 percent of children in grades four, eight and 12 can perform simple math problems using basic skills. However, less than 20 percent of those in the three grades can tackle solid grade-level work.

As for advanced math, the report said 1 percent or less of the fourth- and eighth-graders, and 2.6 percent of high school seniors can work at this level.

The math achievement-levels report is the most controversial of all the reports and has become the subject of an investigation by the U.S. General Accounting office.

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Members of the Student Senate discuss among other things the WVFI proposal to be upgraded to FM stereo during their meeting on Monday.

Senate votes to support WVFI quest for FM

By BECKY BARNES
News Writer

WVFI has received the support of the Student Senate in their bid to upgrade to FM stereo.

In response to station manager Kevin Flaherty's request for support at last week's Student Senate meeting, a resolution submitted by David Reinke, Jennifer Blanchet, Lynn Ramsey and Greg Butres was unanimously passed by the Senate Monday. The resolution

states, "We feel this is a positive step for the University and deserves the full support of the Administration."

In other senate business, a Student Senate Task Force on Campus Crime was initiated. Members of the group are Kristie Shafer, Dave Certo, Maureen Connelly, Dave Cathcart, Jim Gordon and Brian Murphy.

A proposal to allow the Senate to call meetings when necessary was also discussed. The present constitution calls

for weekly meetings, and the proposal submitted by David Reinke and Jennifer Switzer would allow the opportunity to cancel a meeting if there is insufficient business. Any five sitting members of the senate could call a meeting of the Senate if they felt it was warranted.

The budget requests submitted by the Student Union Board (SUB) concerning upcoming events were also approved by the Senate. Permission was granted for SUB money to be

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Student government forum to study off-campus crime

Editor's note: This is the second of a three-part series concerning issues student government is addressing during the 1991-92 school year.

By MEGAN JUNIUS
News Writer

Student Government is directing its efforts towards the increasing problem of off-campus crime by conducting an open forum with Notre Dame administration, Notre Dame Security and the mayor of South Bend, according to Laura Mollack, Student Government's Executive Coordinator of

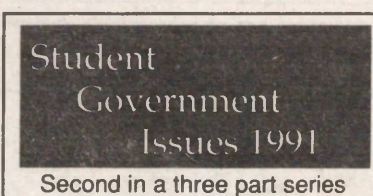
Student Life.

The forum, which will take place at 5:30 p.m. today in Cushing Auditorium, will feature William Kirk, Assistant Vice President of Student Affairs, Rex Rakow, Director of Notre Dame Security, and Joe Kernan, mayor of South Bend.

According to Mollack, the South Bend Police will not be present because the mayor is essentially responsible for the chief of police.

Going directly to officials this early in the school year will allow greater prevention of off-campus crime to take effect, Mollack said.

Over the summer, gangs be-



came more prominent in the South Bend area. This has led to an increase of crime, especially affecting students living on or near Notre Dame Avenue, where low income housing exists, Mollack said.

The forum will provide an opportunity for students to become informed and educated

about the problems concerning off-campus crime, Mollack said. By attending the meeting, she said, students will be able to ask questions and state complaints to both university administrators and the city of South Bend.

"Students have a right to be concerned about their safety. They need to be good neighbors as well," Rakow said, "Notre Dame Security wants the students to feel safe. However, off-campus students must realize they aren't in a restrictive environment. As in any metropolitan area, they must take extra precautions."

If the need comes about, an-

other forum may occur, Mollack said.

According to Mollack, off-campus Presidents Jim Gordon and Brian Murphy have influenced student government towards greater off-campus awareness and need for safety and crime related concerns.

"Off-campus students have showed concern about off-campus crime. Hopefully current off-campus students and those who plan on moving off-campus in the future will attend the forum," Murphy said. "If students take advantage of the opportunity, this forum will be the first step to off-campus crime solutions."

INSIDE COLUMN

Plungers get a look at other sides of life

This winter hiatus, as in many past, Saint Mary's and Notre Dame students will be afforded the opportunity to participate in the Urban Plunge. This is a 48 hour immersion into the life of the inner-city. It should make a very big impression on our typically upper-middle class student bodies.



John Rock
Asst. Photo Editor

The Urban Plunge is about seeing and meeting the very people we try to avoid whenever walking in the downtown of a big city. Students who go on the Plunge will come to see that the homeless and marginalized are not creatures to be avoided, but people who need to be loved and cared for.

The Urban Plunge allows us to see the homeless in a new light. Plungers come away with a humble respect for the homeless, an admiration of their strength, and sometimes a sense of pity that is all but unwarranted.

Some things most students come to understand is that the homeless are not in the situation they are in because of laziness or a lack of desire to work.

Most are unable to work because of mental or physical impairments or simply cannot afford a place to live. Although most homeless have somewhere to sleep at night, they have no place to live from day to day—something crucial to holding down a job.

Most of these people are trapped. Those that can work are unable to get jobs because of a lack of proper clothing and education. Any available jobs are often located out of the city, which makes them impossible to get to. With no job, there is no chance of breaking their cycle of poverty.

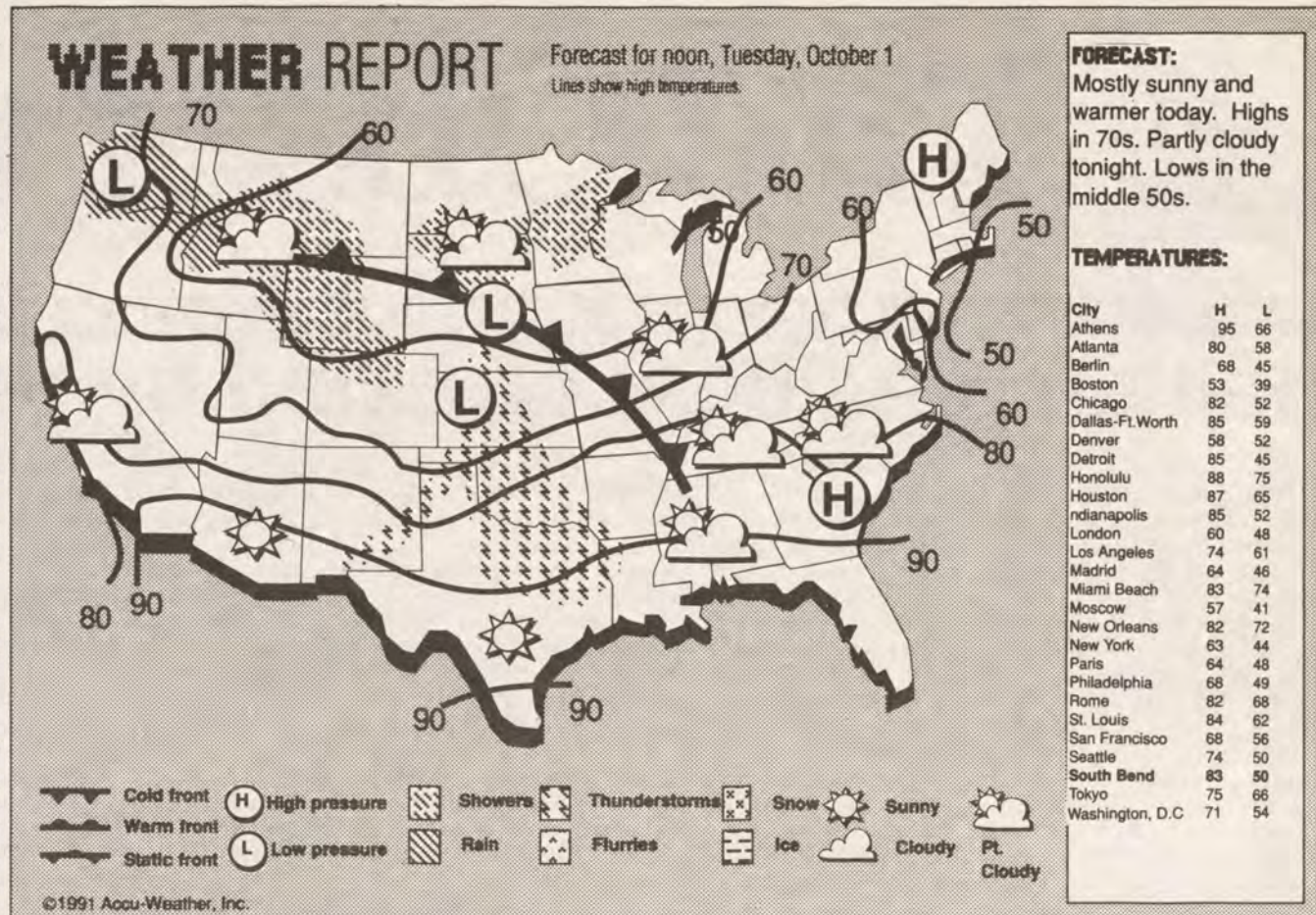
The Plunge will enable students to witness events uncommon in our world. They will see caring people giving their lives to help others. Plungers are bound to see drug deals, prostitutes, and other aspects of inner-city life. They may experience the fear walking "the streets" at night, which is a fear much greater than the fear of walking home from the 'brare at night.

But don't worry, it's only temporary and after two days all Plungers go home to reflect, safe again.

The challenge that the Plunge presents is this: "What can we do?" Though we are not necessarily called to spend our lives on the street, we need the basic awareness of what this problem called homelessness is. Only by educating ourselves can we understand their problems and seek to change things.

We live in such a closed community; a "Fisher Price Main Street" it's been called. Whatever interaction we may have with the outside, we can always come back to our safe haven.

We need to open our eyes and see the some of the problems facing our nation. As students and future alumni of one of the premier Christian universities, we must be responsive to the needs of others and seek to change things for the better.



TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD

Body of Nazi war criminal cremated

■**LYON, France**— The body of Nazi war criminal Klaus Barbie was cremated over the weekend, reliable sources said today. They said his daughter took the ashes to her home in Austria. Barbie's lawyer has said his client wanted to be buried in Bolivia beside his wife and son. But authorities in Bolivia, where Barbie lived for more than three decades after World War II, refused to allow his burial there. Barbie, known as the "Butcher of Lyon" for his brutality as Gestapo chief in Lyon during World War II, died Wednesday of leukemia at a prison hospital where he was serving a life sentence. He was 77.

NATIONAL

Judge finds Fibre Trim inadequate

■**WASHINGTON** — An administrative law judge ruled Monday that the distributor of a weight-loss product, Fibre Trim, failed to adequately substantiate that it was effective. Federal Trade Commission judge Lewis F. Parker said also that Schering-Plough, the Madison, N.J., pharmaceutical company that sold the product, did not adequately prove its claims that Fibre Trim provides the health benefits of a fiber-rich diet. The judge ordered the company to stop making the claims about the quality of fiber or other nutrients in Fibre Trim or any of its other products. He also said the company must have at least two independent and well-controlled clinical studies to support its weight-loss and weight-maintenance claims. Ron Asinari, a spokesman for Schering-Plough, said the company was deciding whether to appeal but in the meantime would comply with the ruling. Schering-Plough, one of the nation's leading manufacturers of over-the-counter drugs, does not make Fibre Trim. The company markets the product in the U.S. under an agreement with a Danish company, Farma Food.

Boy dies from pet pit bull attack

■**LOUISVILLE, Ky.**— A 6-year-old boy has died of head injuries he suffered when he was attacked by the family pit bull dog, which had been chained in his back yard. Steven Ray "Rocky" Oerther died about noon Sunday at Kosair Children's Hospital, said his aunt, Teresa Faith. The boy never regained consciousness after going into a coma during surgery after the Sept. 21 attack, she said. The dog bit Rocky on the face when he tried to give some water to the dog. Steven Oerther said he was shocked by the attack because the family had raised the dog and Rocky had slept with it when it was a puppy. A spokesman for the animal control agency said the dog would be humanely destroyed, and no retribution would be inflicted on the animal.

INDIANA

Seven ND students arrested

■**WEST LAFAYETTE, In** — Approximately seven Notre Dame students were arrested this weekend before and after the Notre Dame-Purdue football game, according to Officer Robin Poindexter of the Indiana State Excise Police. A total of 44 people were arrested this weekend as part of an effort by joint police patrols for Stop Underage Drinking and Sales (S.U.D.S.). Most of the thirty-one college students arrested were charged either with minor in possession of alcohol, a Class C misdemeanor, or public intoxication, a Class B misdemeanor. The students will be required to return to West LaFayette for hearing on Oct. 17, and could face fines of up to \$500 and jail-time of up to 60 days.

OF INTEREST

■**The Center for the Homeless**, located at 813 S. Michigan Street, will offer an orientation for volunteers today from 7 to 9 p.m. Public transportation will depart from the Main Circle at 6:40 p.m. For more information, call John Whelan at 282-8700.

■**A memorial mass** for Alexa Crofton of Saint Mary's

class of '94 will be held on Wednesday at 4 p.m. in Regina Chapel.

■**Any Saint Mary's students** interested in helping organize an alcohol/peer education group, come to McCandless piano room on Wednesday at 6 p.m. or call Michelle at 284-5479.

MARKET UPDATE



ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

■ **In 1903:** the Pittsburgh Pirates defeated the home team Boston Pilgrims 7-3, in the first World Series game. Boston went on to win the series, five games to three.

■ **In 1908:** Henry Ford introduced the Model T to the market, at a cost of \$825 per car. More than 15 million were sold before the Model T was discontinued.

■ **In 1962:** Johnny Carson succeeded Jack Paar as permanent host of NBC-TV's "Tonight" show.

■ **One year ago:** In a continuing shakeup of the Soviet leadership, Mikhail Gorbachev was confirmed as president, succeeding Andrei Gromyko.

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Take a break

Students take time out of their hectic schedule to pray. The Grotto is an ideal spot to escape from the hustle and bustle of campus life and just rest and relax.

Observer file photo

U.N. official says Iraq studied detonators

MANAMA, Bahrain (AP) — Iraqi nuclear documents flown out of Baghdad on Monday prove for the first time that Iraq was researching triggers for nuclear weapons, a U.N. official said.

U.N. officials also said the 44-member weapons team that was detained for five days last week in a Baghdad parking lot had spirited the contents of some of the documents out of Iraq before flying to Bahrain on Monday. They would not say how.

The leader of the team, David Kay, said the documents provided important details on various aspects of Iraq's secret nuclear weapons program, which Saddam Hussein's government has denied having.

"You cannot help but be impressed by the sophistication of it," Kay said.

In New York, meanwhile, officials at U.N. headquarters privately expressed embarrassment that the inspectors may have sent some information from the documents directly to U.S. officials in Washington on one occasion. The Iraqis have accused Kay, an American nuclear expert who works for the United Nations, of being a spy for the CIA.

U.N. inspectors are seeking out weapons of mass destruction and the means to produce them in Iraq. The Gulf War cease-fire calls for dismantling all of Iraq's long-range missiles and any chemical, nuclear or biological weapons.

David Kyd, chief spokesman for the U.N. International Atomic Energy Agency in Vienna, said evidence in the documents disproved Iraq's claims that it had no interest in producing nuclear arms.

"We found for the first time evidence, during the Monday search, of Iraqi interest in a detonation system for a nuclear device, which they had hitherto steadfastly denied," Kyd said. "They had said they were not interested in transforming their nuclear know-how into a weapons capability."

He said a triggering device is one of three key components for nuclear weapons. Sufficient amounts of enriched uranium and a delivery system are the others, he said.

"We have no evidence they were working on a delivery system. We don't even know they started working on a detonator. We only know they had design specs for a detonator," Kyd said.

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It is required that individuals be prepared through the workshop in order to be commissioned to serve as eucharistic ministers in the Notre Dame community.



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Presenters: Dr. James O'Rourke
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EC turns down political union treaty, agrees on E. Europe

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — The European Community on Monday rejected a Dutch draft of a treaty for an EC political union that Britain had claimed would strip individual nations of their sovereignty.

Also Monday, the 12 community foreign ministers agreed on a package of trade concessions for Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Poland, smoothing the way for them to become associate members of EC.

That agreement resolved a conflict between France and other EC nations over purchases of East European farm products. Much of the meat bought from the three countries will be immediately resold to the Soviet Union, whose economy has failed.

While the 12 nations in the bloc have moved progressively closer on economic issues, Monday's vote on a political union showed they still had far to go in that area. A proposal for union written up by the Netherlands was supported only by Belgium.

The 12 EC heads of state had hoped to adopt a political union treaty at a December summit in the Netherlands, but the vote indicated the signing would be pushed back to next year.

In addition to seeking to unify EC foreign and defense policies,

the Dutch plan would have strengthened the European Parliament to give it veto powers over EC laws.

Britain was the most ardent opponent of the Dutch text, which it claimed infringed on individual nations' sovereignty, particularly in its call for a "European Union with a federal goal."

Dutch Foreign Minister Hans van den Broek, the current head of the EC presidency, said he would hold further negotiations on a political pact. A less ambitious text was drafted by Luxembourg earlier in the year.

The Luxembourg text gave somewhat weaker powers to the 513-member European Parliament. It also suggested separate treaties making areas such as foreign policy subject to intergovernmental cooperation, rather than containing all provisions in a single union treaty.

"We are now in a better position to succeed than we would have been if the discussion had gone the other way," British Foreign Secretary Douglas Hurd said. "We have a lot of difficulties with that (Luxembourg) text, but ... there is no doubt it is the best text for us to negotiate on."

While the political union proposal failed, EC officials were

encouraged by the agreement on trade with former Eastern European nations. They said it should help revive stalled trade talks between the trade bloc and the three countries.

"We can now reopen the negotiations to have accords in October," said an senior EC official who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The agreement also ended a month of tension among France and its partners over proposals to increase EC imports of East European farm goods.

France had blocked an accord for fear increases in meat imports from the three nations would undercut EC farmers.

French Foreign Minister Roland Dumas accepted a compromise plan Monday to increase East European meat exports by 10 percent a year over the next five years without bringing large new quantities into West European markets.

Under the plan, the EC will buy the meat and send as much as possible directly to the Soviet Union, which faces drastic food shortages.

The ministers also agreed to French demands for monitoring of trade arrangements to ensure limits are respected.

"All our conditions have been fulfilled," Dumas told reporters.



The Observer/Tim Farish

Dance to a different drummer

A Native American performs a dance for onlooking students at the Multi-Cultural Fall Festival on campus.

Soviets will start talks on U.S. arms control proposals

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Foreign Ministry announced Monday it was sending a top diplomat to Washington to open negotiations on President Bush's arms control proposals, and said unilateral cuts had not been ruled out.

But President Mikhail Gorbachev said he was in no hurry to give specific answers to Bush's sweeping suggestions.

"The Soviet Union should not respond urgently to the U.S. initiative. Haste on such questions by the U.S.S.R. and its president would be an insufficiently thought-out step on such an important, major initiative," he said, according to the state news agency Tass.

In their most detailed response to date since Bush's proposals, senior officials told a Moscow news conference that Deputy Foreign Minister Alexei Obukhov, an arms control expert, will go to Washington in the first 10 days of October to open talks.

Obukhov will "consider in detail the entire complex of questions arising from the new proposals of the American administration, and also put forward some of our ideas in return," said First Deputy Foreign Minister Vladimir Petrovsky.

The Soviet Union would like to expand the proposals to include strict limits on nuclear testing, and eventually bring



Mikhail Gorbachev

other nuclear countries into the talks, Petrovsky said.

"We have accepted these proposals and we stand for the immediate start of dialogue on all these subjects," he said.

On Saturday, Gorbachev welcomed the proposals in general, saying: "Our assessment of these proposals is positive, is very positive."

Bush, speaking Monday in Florida, expressed satisfaction with the Soviet response.

"I'm very pleased with the reaction from all around the world. I was very pleased with the Soviet reaction and I fully expect that they will cooperate fully," he said.

Bush announced Friday that the United States would eliminate all its ground-launched, short-range nuclear weapons; withdraw all tactical nuclear arms from U.S. ships; take strategic bombers off alert; and

cancel the development of the mobile MX missile.

Although those U.S. steps are unilateral, Bush called on the Soviets "to go down this road with us" and "to match our actions" with unilateral cuts of their own.

He also called for the start of bilateral negotiations to eliminate all intercontinental missiles with multiple warheads.

"We do not exclude unilateral steps" by the Soviet side, Petrovsky said, speaking in English. "But you know certain unilateral steps need also some kind of qualifications and consultations."

He did not elaborate on the qualifications.

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source told him a coup was believed underway. Favard is a longtime Aristide aide.

Minutes later, six soldiers burst into the station, handcuffed Favard and took him away, sources at the radio station said.

An unidentified soldier, speaking on Radio Soleil, said the rebels had issued seven demands, including that the government disband 50 civilians reputedly being trained by the Swiss as an elite commando unit.

Some in the army fear the unit is being trained as an elite militia under Aristide's direct command.

The rebels also demanded the government confirm the appointment of nine officers assigned on an interim basis to the Army High Command.

The U.S. Embassy in a statement condemned the "outrageous attack against President Aristide by a mutinous sector of the army."

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Indianapolis high school student killed over girl

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The 17-year-old son of a high school dean was fatally stabbed Monday during an argument over a girl in the school cafeteria.

The attack occurred just two weeks after public school authorities began random weapons searches of students, a policy the Indiana Civil Liberties Union has criticized.

"This is an unfortunate and senseless loss of young life. It was exactly what we're trying to prevent," said Shirl Gilbert, superintendent of Indianapolis Public Schools.

Bertram Bowman, son of Arlington High School dean of boys Robert Bowman, was stabbed as students ate, police spokesman Andrew Stoner said.

"There was an argument over a girl that broke out at the back of the school cafeteria," Stoner said.

Bowman and a 15-year-old

friend exchanged words and wrestled on the floor before they were separated by a teacher. The younger student then pulled out a knife and stabbed Bowman in the neck, Stoner said.

The 15-year-old was arrested on a juvenile charge of murder, but authorities expect him to be charged as an adult, Stoner said. He was taken to a hospital for shortness of breath.

Four other students were treated at the scene following the stabbing.

A student who was seven months pregnant was thought to have gone into labor, but officials later said it was a false alarm. Three other students had asthma attacks, Stoner said.

Assistant Principal Wayne Wellington said crisis teams were at the scene to counsel students.



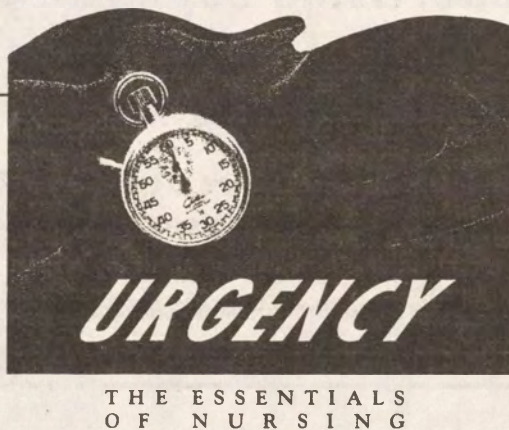
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Food for thought

Monica Tsethlikaei gets something to eat during an International Students Organization meeting.

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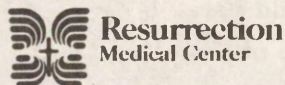


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Riot breaks out in R.I. prison

CRANSTON, R.I. (AP) — Several hundred inmates started a disturbance and set fires in the state prison's maximum-security unit Monday, officials said. Officers in riot gear entered the building.

There were no immediate reports of hostages or serious injuries. It wasn't clear who was in control of the building.

Prison officials wouldn't comment on the motive for the unrest, but an inmate's wife said prisoners were angered by recent changes at the prison.

Cranston deputy fire chief Carl Iacofano said some of the prisoners were armed with boards embedded with nails.

"I think you can classify it as a riot," Iacofano said.

Roughly 300 of the 440 inmates in the maximum-security unit at the Adult Correctional Institutions, the state's only

prison complex, started the disturbance in the exercise yard in mid-afternoon, said A.T. Wahl, assistant corrections director for policy.

Wahl said there were no reports of injuries to prison staff and one inmate suffered a minor injury.

State police and prison guards in riot gear entered the building about an hour and a half after fires broke out. More troopers and guards wearing gas masks and carrying shotguns and billyclubs congregated outside.

A cloud of white smoke was seen drifting over the wall in the back of the prison and witnesses reported a pungent smell in the area. It couldn't be confirmed whether tear gas had been fired.

Firefighters said five to six small fires apparently were set in the unit's industrial shop.

"The bottom line of the fire department is (prison officials) must secure the scene before we go in," Iacofano said.

Prison officials wouldn't give details on the disturbance nor comment on the motive. However, an inmate's wife standing outside the prison gates said tension had been building for the past week.

Michelle Snow said her husband, Alex, had told her prisoners were angry because administrators had taken away privileges and a particular deputy guard who the inmates respected was relieved last week.

"I think it's sad that it had to come to this," she said. "I'm very worried. My biggest fear is that they're going to start shooting."

Exxon Valdez oil spill case settled

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — The state and federal governments announced Monday a new \$1 billion deal with Exxon Corp. to settle government litigation over the nation's worst oil spill.

Under the agreement, which drew criticism from environmentalists and must be approved by a federal judge in Anchorage, Exxon and its shipping subsidiary agreed to plead guilty to four misdemeanors. Two federal felony pollution charges will be dropped.

The settlement, like the previous one, would be the largest of an environmental damage case in U.S. history.

It's slightly different from the agreement that was rejected by a federal judge and Alaska legislators last spring. Exxon will pay only \$25 million more than what it would have paid under that first deal.

Exxon agreed to a \$150 million criminal fine, with \$125 million of it forgiven "in recognition of the company's voluntary expenditures" on spill cleanup, the Justice

Department said. And it agreed to pay \$100 million in restitution — \$50 million to the state and \$50 million to the federal government.

As in the previous settlement, Exxon will pay an additional \$900 million during the next 11 years to settle the state and federal governments' civil damage claims.

The deal includes a clause that would allow the governments to seek an additional \$100 million if new spill damage is found. That could bring the total payments to more than \$1.1 billion.

The agreement would not affect private lawsuits seeking a total of \$59 billion from the oil giant.

"I think this is a good settlement," Gov. Walter Hickel said as he signed it. Rather than spend years in court over damage claims, he said, "Let's get it behind us."

Alaska Attorney General Charles Cole called the deal "substantially better" than the earlier one because the \$100 million in restitution will go di-

rectly to restore Prince William Sound.

The tanker Exxon Valdez spilled nearly 11 million gallons of crude oil in Prince William Sound after it ripped its hull open on a charted reef in March 1989. The oil killed thousands of birds and mammals and was devastating to the region's native villages, where most residents live off the land and sea.

Joseph Hazelwood, the ship's captain, was accused of drinking on shore before the tanker left Valdez. He was acquitted of state charges of operating the ship while intoxicated.

Hickel indicated he did not plan to refer the agreement to the Legislature — a move certain to raise objections.

Some legislators and environmentalists were quick to criticize the package.

"A lot of the key concerns of the House were not addressed," said state Rep. Dave Donley, a member of the House panel that reviewed the previous spill settlement. "The criminal fine is still woefully inadequate."

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Thousands march in South Africa

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Thousands of chanting blacks marched in cities around the country on Monday to denounce a new tax they say will hurt the poor.

In the largest protest, 10,000 people marched to the Cape Town city center near Parliament, and some pelted police with bottles. No serious injuries were reported, and police said about 75 demonstrators were briefly detained.

The protests followed the introduction Monday of a new 10-percent tax on virtually all goods and services except basic foodstuffs.

The government imposed the value added tax, or VAT, despite warnings from the African National Congress, trade unions and other opposition groups that it would spark a major confrontation.

The marchers in Cape Town carried signs reading: "Bread Not VAT" and "Down With This Killer VAT."

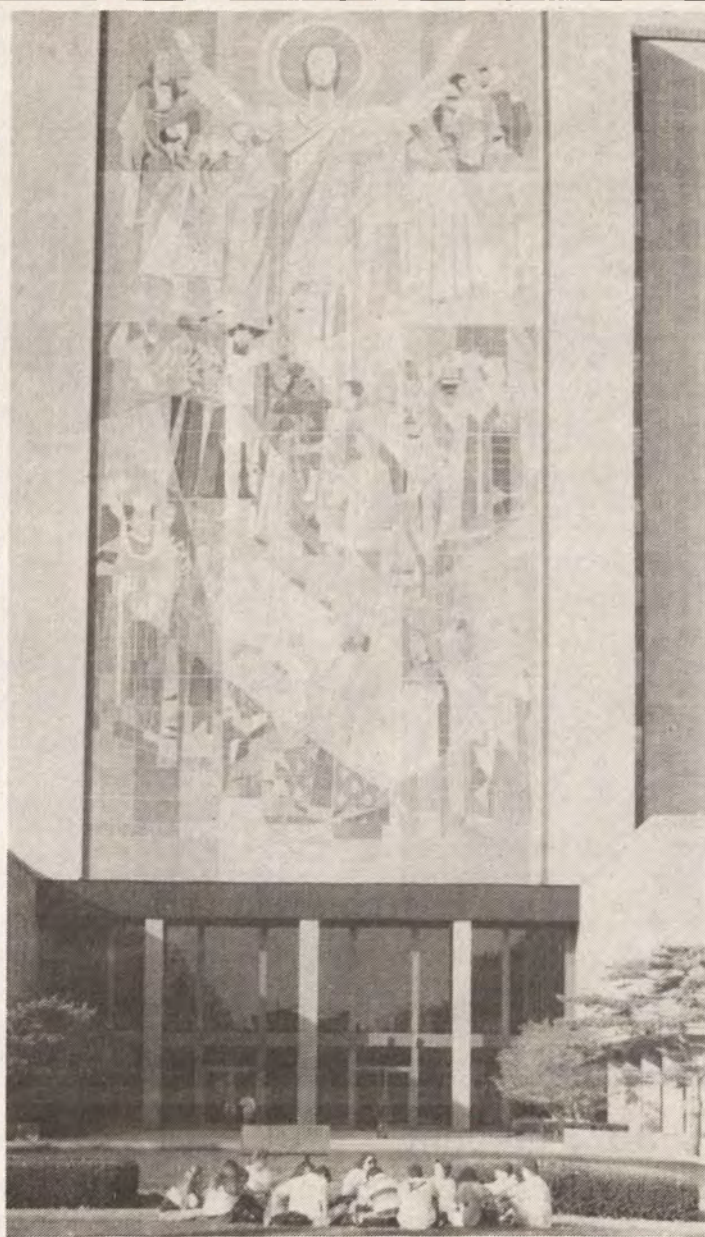
The government is trying to open constitutional negotiations with the ANC and other opposition groups. However, a standoff over the new tax could further delay those efforts by President F.W. de Klerk.

The new tax replaces a 13 percent general sales tax which had exempted many items, including some foods, medicine, utilities and services. Because VAT covers a wider range of goods and services, the government says it will collect the same amount of revenue despite the lower rate.

But opponents of VAT say millions of poor blacks will suffer because they will have to pay taxes on almost all foods as well as medicine and utilities.

The increased costs come as millions are struggling to make ends meet in a country reeling under a 2-year-old recession, 15 percent inflation and high unemployment.

About 5,000 people carrying placards and shouting slogans marched in downtown Johannesburg as scores of heavily armed police backed by armored vehicles stood watch.



Shine on us

Students having class in front of Hesburgh Library can't help but feel the awesome presence of Jesus, who is depicted larger than life in the mural that covers the front of the library entrance.

Observer file photo

Japanese reform bill rejected by parliament

TOKYO (AP) — Parliament scrapped a package of political reform laws on Monday, snubbing Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu but not necessarily hurting his re-election drive.

Kaifu's two-year term as party president and prime minister expires at the end of October. Several senior politicians are vying for the post, which is to be decided in a party election Oct 27.

Vowing to restore public trust in politics, Kaifu has made political reform his main domestic policy goal. He was chosen as prime minister two

years ago when other members of the governing Liberal Democratic Party were tainted by an influence-peddling scandal.

The reform package rejected Monday would have overhauled Japan's election system and tightened controls on political funds. A parliamentary committee blocked a vote on the package during the current legislative session, which ends Friday, and failed to place it on the agenda of the next session.

Kyodo News Service said Kaifu had threatened to dissolve Parliament's lower house.

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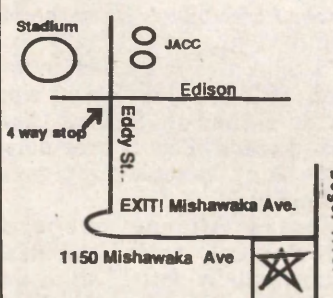


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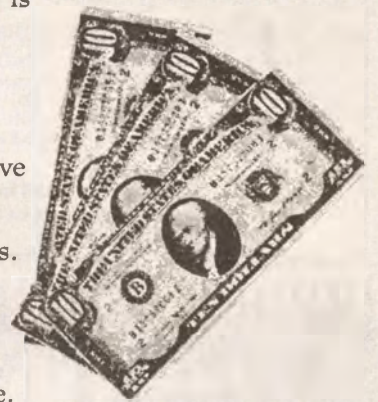


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Bob Kerrey announces his presidential candidacy

LINCOLN, Neb. (AP) — Nebraska Sen. Bob Kerrey, offering himself as a bold new leader for a country gone astray, entered the Democratic presidential race Monday with a call to change course after a decade of greed and cynicism.

"My generation is uniquely positioned to understand what must be done," the 48-year-old senator told thousands of cheering supporters who gathered in the shadow of the state Capitol where he served one term as governor.

"It is time for leadership in America committed to posterity rather than popularity and focused on the next generation instead of the next election."

The charismatic Vietnam War hero portrayed himself as the best man to shake the Democratic Party from its lethargy and make it once again "the party that reached out to those bent low and raised our

sights to the moon."

Kerrey said the hopes of his generation had been dashed in the 1980s by shortsighted leaders.

"I believe Americans know deep in their bones that something is terribly wrong and that business as usual — the prescription of the '80s — cannot work for our future," Kerrey said.

In a speech punctuated by applause and wild cheers from a crowd of nearly 3,000, Kerrey offered few specifics on what he would do if elected. But he said "1992 offers us a chance to break from a decade in which our leaders invited a season of cynicism."

His priorities include lowering the national debt to reduce the burden on future generations, improving education, reforming the health care system, fighting barriers to U.S. trade with other nations and promoting human

rights around the world.

Kerrey's 25-minute address targeted pessimism as much as President Bush.

"This campaign is grounded in the belief that we can and should trust again," said Kerrey, who was a registered Republican until 1978. "As such, it's not so much a fight against George Bush as a fight for what America can be."

Still, he offered a biting indictment of the Reagan and Bush years:

"They invoked morality but winked at greed. They criticized the public sector but then robbed it blind. They spoke of balanced budgets but never submitted one."

"They railed against taxes but then they raised taxes on the middle class. They called for civil rights but practiced racial politics. They wrapped their cause in motherhood but then worked to deny motherhood of

choice and meaningful opportunities."

Kerrey's two teen-age children and his ex-wife joined him on the flag-draped stage for his announcement. In keeping with his theme of a new generation in leadership, the rally featured rock music by Bruce Springsteen and John Cougar Mellencamp.

The first-term senator is the fourth candidate to enter the Democratic field. He joins former Massachusetts Sen. Paul Tsongas, Virginia Gov. L. Douglas Wilder and Iowa Sen. Tom Harkin. Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton is expected to join Thursday.

Former California Gov. Jerry Brown has said he's running but has not formally announced. Two-time presidential candidate Jesse Jackson and Oklahoma Rep. Dave McCurdy also are considering the race.

Kerrey kicks off his campaign

with a 12-day swing that includes stops in Colorado, Iowa, South Dakota and Illinois in the next four days and then a week in New Hampshire, site of the first Democratic presidential primary next February.

In his speech, Kerrey recalled his return to Nebraska from Vietnam, where as a Navy SEAL he lost half his right leg directing an operation against a Vietnamese camp.

"You helped a weakened and bitter and lonely and altogether unpleasant young man," he said. "Once more I come to you and ask: Will you help me now become the next president of the United States of America?"

A Democrat with a generally liberal record, Kerrey twice won statewide elections in conservative Nebraska, which voted overwhelmingly for Reagan and Bush.

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Gordon Ambach, executive director of the Council of Chief State School Officers, complained the levels lacked adequate documentation. Assessment Governing Board member Michael Glode and Executive Director Roy Truby noted the report was a trial assessment, and Truby said "When you set standards, any standards, it's judgment."

Alexander said, "There's undoubtedly some controversy about what is good enough but the gap is big enough" to show there is a problem.

Thirty-seven states, the District of Columbia, Guam and the Virgin Islands allowed the National Assessment to analyze their pupils' math achievement levels as part of the 1990 exam. Thirty-five of the states agreed to make the results public.

North Dakota led the states with the highest percentage of eighth-graders performing at the basic and proficient levels. About 85 percent of the eighth graders were able to tell whether to measure the length of a pencil using centimeters, meters or kilometers — considered a basic calculation. About 31 percent were able to find the average age when given the ages of five children — considered the proficient level.

With 2.3 percent, Virginia had the highest percentage of eighth-graders performing advanced math. An advanced eighth-grader should be able to calculate the probability that a person can draw a chip with an even number when nine chips are mixed in a sack.

The National Assessment is conducted by the private Educational Testing Service under a \$58.5 million contract with the Education Department's National Center for Education Statistics. About 137,000 students participated in the 1990 mathematics assessment.

The reports challenge the premise of the National Education Goals to return America to world-class levels by the year 2000.

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Witness: Noriega never gave details of drug flights

MIAMI (AP) — Drug traffickers never told Manuel Noriega when and where their cocaine flights were arriving in Panama even though they paid him to protect the shipments, the government's star witness said Monday.

Floyd Carlton, 42, a drug-pilot-turned informant who has testified to paying bribes to the ousted Panamanian leader, has provided the most damaging testimony in Noriega's drug and

racketeering trial.

Under cross-examination, defense attorney Frank Rubino asked why Carlton and the Medellin cartel allegedly paid millions of dollars to Noriega to protect their flights, then never told him what flights to protect.

"I have no explanation for that, sir," Carlton replied.

Carlton said Noriega never supplied troops or customs help for the flights. And on the first flight — supposedly a test of

Noriega's trustworthiness — cartel leader Pablo Escobar actually gave orders not to tell Noriega, Carlton said.

But he insisted Noriega "morally authorized" the flights.

Carlton contradicted Noriega's former aide Luis del Cid about details of the first \$100,000 payment Carlton allegedly sent to Noriega. While del Cid had testified he could feel the cash through an envelope, Carlton said the money

was in a hard cardboard box when he handed it to the aide for delivery to Noriega.

Carlton also acknowledged that his protection at Panama's Paitilla airport may not have come from Noriega in the early 1980s, but rather from Noriega's boss, Panama's leader at the time, Gen. Omar Torrijos. Carlton said he flew secret weapons flights to the Sandinistas in Nicaragua for Torrijos.

The defense also attacked Carlton's credibility through his plea bargain to nine drug and racketeering counts.

Carlton could have faced life without parole plus 145 years in prison. But under questioning by Rubino, he acknowledged that he spent only four years in prison, in exchange for his agreement to testify against Noriega, Colombian drug lord Carlos Lehder and others.



Tres bien crepes

The Observer/Tim Farish

Katie Smith, Chandra Dasgupth and Clarisa Aruayo from the SMC French Club cook up some crepes for the Multi-Cultural Fall Festival that is taking place at ND this week.

Study: 1 in 5 adults grew up with a problem drinker

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly one in five adult Americans lived with a problem drinker growing up, and twice as many have been exposed to alcoholism in their families, according to a government survey released Monday.

The data also showed that separated and divorced people were three times as likely as those with intact marriages to say their spouse was an alcoholic or problem drinker.

The survey found that 76 million Americans — about 43 percent of the U.S. adult population — had some contact with alcoholism in their family.

About 10.5 million Americans are alcoholics, but "it is clear from this study that the statistics on the number of alcoholics ... greatly underestimate the number of people affected by the disease of alcoholism," Health and Human Services Secretary Louis Sullivan said.

The survey was conducted by the National Center for Health

Statistics and the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism.

Researchers did not distinguish between an alcoholic and a problem drinker in their survey of nearly 44,000 adults in 1988. Since respondents interpreted these labels, patterns of alcohol consumption may vary among those identified as alcoholics, researchers said. The survey had a margin of error of about 2 percentage points.

Among the findings:

- Eighteen percent of Americans grew up living with an alcoholic or problem drinker.
- Nearly 10 percent of adults have been married to or had a marriage-like relationship with an alcoholic or problem drinker.
- Among those under 45 who were separated or divorced, two-thirds of the women and nearly half of the men have been exposed to alcoholism in the family at some time.



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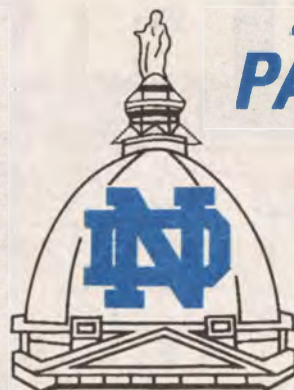
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Yugoslavian troops march into Croatia

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — The Serb-dominated Yugoslav army sent scores of tanks and armored vehicles toward secessionist Croatia on Monday and launched a major offensive to capture the besieged Croat stronghold of Vukovar.

Some of the federal armored reinforcements were reported taking up positions near Serbia's border with Croatia, while other units crossed into the secessionist republic and headed for Vukovar.

The city occupies a strategic point on the Danube River border with Serbia. Its capture would allow ethnic Serb insurgents, aided by the army, to control a large enclave in Slavonia, a region of eastern Croatia that has been the scene of much of the fighting since Croatia declared independence in June.

Also Monday, European Community nations meeting in Brussels postponed a decision on sending a multinational military force to quell the fighting in Croatia, which has killed more than 600 people in three months.

Fighting was reported at several other points in Croatia, further straining the shaky week-old cease-fire between the federal army and the break-away republic.

"The situation in Vukovar is critical," a Croatian Defense Ministry official said in Croatia's capital, Zagreb.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity, said the city was under fierce attack and that about 200 federal army vehicles were bringing in reinforcements. The city's defenders, who have been virtually surrounded for days, have inflicted heavy losses on federal troops.

AP photographer Srdjan Ilic, reporting from Odzaci, 15 miles southwest of Vukovar, said he saw Yugoslav air force planes flying toward Vukovar and heard explosions. Sources in the area told Ilic the planes bombed Croatian positions near the city.

Yugoslav federal Premier Ante Markovic appealed to the hard-line president of Serbia, Slobodan Milosevic, to stop a general mobilization of his republic's men of military age and avert all-out civil war. Markovic, a Croat who despite his position has little authority left, said such a move would promote civil war and "the aggression of one state on another."

Croats have accused Serbian leaders of instigating the fighting in Croatia in an attempt to expand Serbia's territory. Ethnic Serbs, who make up 12 percent of Croatia's 4.5 million people, say they rebelled to keep their areas from being part of an independent Croatia, which they accuse of persecution.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Was Gulf War truly a victory?

Dear Editor:

Over a year has passed since the U.S. massively deployed troops in the Persian Gulf. Over six months have passed since the last bomb was dropped on Baghdad. The troops are home, the parades are over, and the yellow ribbons have been put away. We won.

Or did we?

Now that the tickertape has settled, we can clear our heads and begin to evaluate what the Gulf War really was. It was the death of the Vietnam syndrome. It was a rebirth of American "patriotism." It was the establishment of a "New World Order." It was, quite simply, a victory.

Or was it?

What was gained from the war

in Iraq? Was it truly a "victory"? How can one call the slaughter of over 100,000 human beings a victory? Can somebody tell us where the democracy is in "free" Kuwait? How can anyone have an informed opinion if the facts themselves are hidden and unreported?

The World Peace Action Group has been actively seeking these answers for almost a year. If you have questions, or can provide the answers to the above inquiries, we invite you to the CSC coffeehouse every Wednesday evening at 7 p.m. Our purpose as an organization is to educate the community on current war and peace issues, with a special interest in the Persian Gulf.

So ask yourself, "did we win?" For those of you who feel that the question has been settled, New York writer Sam McPheeters has this piece of advice: "Roll up your war and smoke it. Feel the high of being number one. Suck down the smooth, menthol flavor of 100,000 sacks of human garbage. Taste the cool, refreshing flavor of severed arms and disemboweled children. Then get some rest, you deserve it! God bless America. God bless us...each and every one."

Jeff Jotz
Off-Campus
Christine Kempf
Knott Hall
Sept. 24, 1991



Tonight's forum will focus on off-campus crime

Dear Editor:

Today at 5:30 p.m. in Cushing Auditorium, Notre Dame Student Government is sponsoring an open forum on off-campus crime. South Bend Mayor Joe Kernan will be present as well as Bill Kick, Assistant Vice-President for Residence Life and Rex Rakow, Director of Security at Notre Dame.

Mayor Kernan will address the current crime situation in

South Bend and the role of the city police department in protecting Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students. Mr. Kirk and Mr. Rakow will offer insights as to how administrators and students can contribute to the resolution of this pressing problem.

Student Government encourages all Notre Dame/Saint Mary's students, faculty and staff as well as interested South

Bend residents to attend this forum and offer their views. Together we hope to work toward a solution.

Laura Mollach
Executive Coordinator for
Student Life
Karen Stohr
Student Government Chief of
Staff
Sept. 29, 1991

Notre Dame students display school pride, not arrogance

Dear Editor:

As a Notre Dame student, I became outraged upon reading Mr. Steve Hurst's comments (The Observer, Sept 25) about my school (as did most others here.)

Then, after thinking about it, my anger subsided because it became clear to me that his opinion was based on stereotypes and generalizations with no truthful foundation.

While he may hate Notre Dame because it is "very, very overrated," I'd like to point out that those that rank schools are independent analysts and authors. We have nothing to do with it, and so please take your complaints elsewhere.

He is correct, though, in stating that Notre Dame "does not produce geniuses" at a faster rate than Indiana University. That is because ND, like all other colleges, is not a factory for geniuses but rather an institution of learning.

The focus here is not on creating inhuman, mathematical machines, but on developing mature, intelligent, independent adults. And, in my opinion, we succeed. "I just think that the most competent person often gets denied simply because he or she doesn't have the inside track." I agree, Mr. Hurst; injustice and discrimination abound in today's world, but we are all responsible for that.

I believe, though, that you can do something about it. As John Cougar Mellencamp says in

The Viewpoint page depends on commentaries from its readers. Write down your thoughts and send them to Viewpoint, PO Box Q, Notre Dame, Indiana 46556.

"Minutes to Memories," "Suck it up and tough it out and do the best you can."

Now, before I go, I want to make it clear that I am not trying to rip on Mr. Hurst or Indiana University. My brother is a student there, and it is a widely respected university (and deservedly so) However, his statements about Notre Dame are dead wrong.

We aren't all rich; a lot of us busted our butts to get here, and we're doing the same to pay for it. Also, the student body is not "arrogant." Where I come from, we call it PRIDE, and those without pride in who they are or what they do are destined for mediocrity.

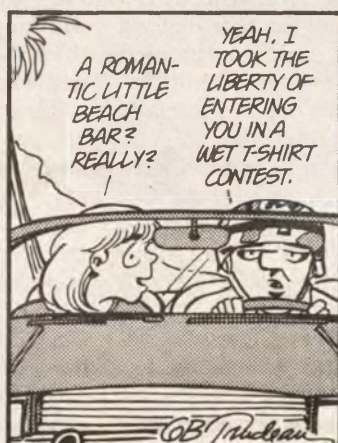
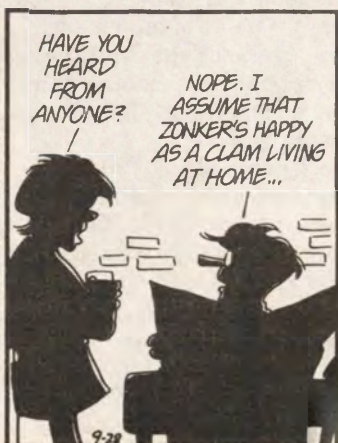
I'm only a freshman, Mr. Hardy, and have only been here for a month. Like Mr. Hurst, I knew about all the stereotypes that exist about Notre Dame. Speaking impartially, I can honestly assure him that they are 100 percent incorrect.

The people here, especially the upperclassmen, are very dedicated and more than willing to lend a helping hand. Believe me, they know plenty about hard work and sacrifice.

I somewhat understand his hostility, but I've quickly come to find out that there's more to Notre Dame than meets the eye. It is a special place; please, don't knock it 'til you try it.

Sean Mangan
Cavanaugh Hall
Sept. 29, 1991

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GARRY TRUDEAU

QUOTE OF THE DAY

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Tallulah Bankhead

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

'Missing link' adds unique perspective to the ND/SMC debate

Dear Editor:

I am not a "SMC'er," nor am I a "Domer," yet I have attended school in South Bend, as I will continue to do until the spring of 1993. No, I do not go to Saint Joseph's High School, Holy Cross Junior College, or IUSB. Still, everyone needs an identity. So, I like to think of myself as the "missing link."

For two years I lived, worked, played, and studied at Saint Mary's College - and I loved it.

I came to South Bend, Indiana when I was a junior in high school. I had never heard of this little, all-women's college. After a weekend at LeMans and Holy Cross, I fell in love—with the campus, with the traditional atmosphere, with the college. I was equally impressed with the women—confident, classy and independent.

As a senior in high school, I applied only to Saint Mary's with plans of pursuing a degree in elementary education. Accepted on early admission, I anxiously anticipated starting

my college career.

Freshman year came and went, and with it came the freshman "ups" and "downs" - all-nighters and road trips, the boyfriend and the breakup, roommates in THE QUINT, "Baby Bio," football, SYRs and formals. I was even put on probation for six empty beer cans (but don't tell mom!). Still, I survived.

Then I went to Rome. That's where the real education began. Travel abroad and an open mind go hand in hand - I don't know if I went with an open mind or learned "open-mindedness," but it happened. In Italy, the people live for people. It's a simple philosophy, but effective.

I think it would be safe to say that this beautiful culture touched and changed each and every one of us who were lucky enough to experience it.

It is impossible to convey all that I experienced in my European travels. Sufficed to say, it was the most rewarding

accomplishment of my twenty years. What did I learn? - In a word - PEOPLE. People are people are people.

In Italy, Germany, Greece, Austria, Switzerland and Czechoslovakia—people are people are people. Don't we all have a desire to love and be loved?

It did not matter that our Rome program was a mixture of Saint Mary's women, Notre Dame men and women, as well as people from other colleges and universities. In four short months, we became a family.

Perhaps with the limited luggage we were permitted to take, there was no room for unnecessary baggage, namely stereotypes. Maybe the people on the program were just special (which they are). Still, I don't think those 60 individuals were any different from those on the home campus. The difference is we gave each other a chance. Of course, we had to. Very few of us were fluent in Italian. We needed each other.

By the same token, the men and women of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's need each other. I do not mean to infer that Notre Dame needs Saint Mary's for its Education program or that Saint Mary's needs Notre Dame's social life. People need people—in friendship, in relationships, in work and in play.

Wouldn't it be a shame if you and I should never meet, never influence each other's lives, never give each other a chance simply because you are a "Domer" and I am a "SMC'er"?...or am I? Does it matter?

Actually, I am a Notre Dame student. When I returned from Rome, I changed majors. For my particular course of study, I felt that transferring would be a wise choice, though it was difficult to leave Saint Mary's. The competition and rivalry between the two schools left me feeling disloyal to my college.

I did not overcome these Benedict Arnold feelings until

my grandma came to visit. We toured both campuses. (As I said, I still cannot decide where I belong.) Then I came to a very simple conclusion. Saint Mary's is an outstanding college. Notre Dame is an outstanding university. Why the competition? They are not the same, never will be the same. Why do we pit the student body against the other?

The solution to the rivalry is not to be found in social outings, academic meetings, or extra-curricular events. The answer is (and must be) in each of us. Take the time. Keep an open mind.

I already have my Saint Mary's ring. If I ever pay off my present debts, I hope to purchase a Notre Dame ring.

Yes, I would wear them side by side...but then what would you make of me?

Heather Rakoczy
Off-campus
Sept. 26, 1991

IU student based editorial on erroneous, ignorant claims

Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to Steve Hurst's recent column, "Notre Dame arrogance not limited only to football," which appeared in both the Indiana Daily Student and Notre Dame's newspaper, The Observer (Wednesday, Sept. 25, 1991).

Mr. Hurst states that he felt better "just writing about the incredible detest I feel for this evil place and all those associated with it." How relieved I am that it took a simple letter to ease his pain, as he seems to have the intellect and groundless anger of a fanatical terrorist. Obviously Mr. Hurst knows little or nothing about the University of Notre Dame, and I hope to help him understand the error of his ways.

Mr. Hurst claims that the Notre Dame student body is "arrogant" and that it is time they "got off [their] high horse." He does not, apparently, comprehend the difference between arrogance and school pride.

Notre Dame students are proud of their school, its history, achievements, reputation and ability to compete nationally among finer schools. We have reason to be proud—ND has made great progress in recent decades and has become a fine research facility. Notre Dame students, faculty, and alumni have also made tremendous contributions on community, state and national levels.

Are these achievements at which we should hang our heads?

Mr. Hurst also claims that the reason students come to Notre Dame is because "if you graduate from Notre Dame, you can write your own ticket." This is a misconception which ranks with other groundless assumptions such as "all IU students take basket-weaving to bring up their GPAs."

Notre Dame students work very hard for their degrees. We also go through the same agonizing procedures to get into graduate/law school or to find a job after graduation as does every Joe College. I know, because I am a senior and dealing with this now.

I agree with Mr. Hurst that connections are important, but no ND alumnus is going to hire an ND student simply on the basis of their shared ties to the University.

I regret that Mr. Hurst believes this practice occurs; if this is what he believes is standard hiring procedure, he will have a shock when he joins the rest of us in the real world.

As far as Notre Dame admissions standards are concerned, Mr. Hurst is clueless. It takes high SAT scores and grades regardless of one's familial ties to the University. Granted, a few students may slip in under the requirements, but it is my belief that this phenomenon is not



unique to Notre Dame. Academic standards are high at ND for everyone from student athletes to alumni relatives.

I know, because my grandfather was a student at Notre Dame 1940-46, an assistant coach under Frank Leahy, and a member of the National Alumni Board of Directors, as well as a catalyst in the formation of organizations for student athletes and alumni alike.

When I filled out my Notre Dame application, I certainly do not recall seeing any question as to whether the applicant has had any relatives attending the University. I am proud to say I had no help from or influence as a result of my grandfather's achievements; I was accepted to Notre Dame on my own merit. I deeply resent Hurst's insinuations to the contrary, both on a personal level and on behalf of all Notre Dame students.

Indiana University is a very

fine school, having excellent programs with established reputations nationwide. Perhaps Mr. Hurst is not in one of them; otherwise I am sure he would be aware of this. I know there are many companies which would hire an IU engineering or business student above those from other colleges partially because of IU's reputation in these areas.

It is sad that, in his article, Mr. Hurst belittles the university he is trying so hard to tout—his own. While whining about the supposed unfair "benefits" Notre Dame students are privy to because of the reputation of Notre Dame and its alumni, he is only belittling the achievements, reputation and alumni of his own school. If I were an IU student, past or present, I would be insulted.

I believe that, as far as Notre Dame is concerned, people either love it or hate it. I have no problem with Mr. Hurst hating

my school; he is entitled to his emotions. I do, however, have a problem with his unfounded, unstudied, ignorant excuses for his hatred. A person of Mr. Hurst's mindset is no credit to his own school. He does nothing to foster relations between Indiana University and Notre Dame.

I am certain that other IU students have more presence of mind than to hate the students of another university because they did not enjoy a football game. I have a number of friends at IU, and I believe that they do not share his views.

Perhaps it is time Mr. Hurst, got off his own high horse. But he should climb down gingerly; judging from his tirade of groundless blither in his article it seems he has no horse under him to begin with.

Katie McBride
Walsh Hall
Sept. 26, 1991

Reputation and tradition make ND an easy target for jealous criticism

Dear Editor:

On Wednesday, Sept. 25, like most Notre Dame students I settled down in the South Dining Hall with my copy of the Observer, ready to take in the news. When I got to the Viewpoint section I was disappointed, but not surprised, that one more student from a different school decided to rip on us again.

This is what we're up against as students under the Dome. We, as students and even the players on our football team, are always criticized because of our history and the reputation everybody else would like to

have.

It doesn't matter if our university discovered the cure for cancer in Nieuwland, it's overlooked and the fact that we didn't find it earlier is pointed out. But, if, heaven forbid two of our football players actually attend a party and have a good time, well, then I suppose that's cause enough to plaster the media with every derogatory moral comment about the student body in general here in South Bend.

As to Mr. Steve Hurst's (IU student who wrote dumb article) comment about how everybody at ND needs two

wallets because we're all so rich, listen. Sure, some people here have money, some don't. I'm sure if you look at people in Bloomington you'll find more than a few who have fathers' with six figure incomes.

Personally, I'm paying for college out of my own pocket and have a lot of red numbers after my name at the credit union. That's right, the pocket that has all that money I'm supposed to have.

The fact that Mr. Hurst did acknowledge the fact that it does take a lot to wear the blue and gold does show a little class, small and probably

sarcastic as it was. I, for one, will not lower myself to his level and point out the admission criteria to be a Hoosier!

He says we all live on our high horses, well maybe he'd get some respect if he stopped making comments straight from the manure.

Sure I don't like all football announcers either (especially Musberger), but if one flippant comment on the air about the Indiana offense, or a loss to a higher ranked football team means that much to him that he has to pull out his crayolas and write some idiotic editorial against our school, there's

something wrong with him.

I think we all know that student would take back every comment he made, for a chance to go here. Or maybe the admissions board already turned him down? Jealousy? Nah.

I honestly hope that someday that IU student works at NBC, like maybe the guy who has to put up all the "Notre Dame Saturday" posters!

Bill Steinbach
Dillon Hall
Sept. 25, 1991

A cry for help

New social center
instituted at
Saint Mary's

By **MAGGIE HELLRUNG**
Accent Writer

One of the United Way's most familiar slogans is "We need more of you." The demand for volunteers in this society is enormous, and in this day and age, the cry for help from the homeless, the abused, the illiterate, and the uncared for people of our communities is impossible to ignore.

For those living on the Notre Dame campus, opportunities to act within the South Bend community are available at the Notre Dame Center for Social Concerns (CSC).

For Saint Mary's students, opportunities are available, but they are across the street at Notre Dame. But recently, through the work of Sharon Zint, a senior at Saint Mary's College, the thought of having a student operated volunteer office at Saint Mary's College will become a reality.

The volunteer office is called the Spes Unica (One Hope) Resource and Volunteer Center (SURV). The office is being assisted by Campus Ministry, the Justice Education Department, the M.I.N.T. Office (Minorities, International, Non-traditional Students Office), and several St. Joseph County community service organizations.

Their goal is for the faculty, staff, and students of Saint Mary's to work together to provide volunteer opportunities and services for all Saint Mary's students interested in making a difference in the South Bend community.

Zint realized how important a separate volunteer office would be for both Saint Mary's and the community through the enormous amount of

volunteer work she participated in throughout her college career. The summer before Zint's sophomore year in college for the Department of Commerce and State in her home town of Phoenix, Arizona.

There she dealt with low income families and the homeless.

Zint's sophomore year was spent abroad in Angers, France, where she spent much time volunteering for a shelter for battered women and working with retarded adults. That summer, Zint returned to the Department of Commerce and State in Phoenix.

The summer of Zint's senior year, she worked for the Department of Economic Development and Research in Phoenix, where she dealt with low and moderate income families and their service needs.

Zint also participated in an urban plunge that summer, and it was at that time that she realized the incredible need for help in the global community.

"It really opened my eyes to the need in our communities," said Zint.

At this time Zint also realized the need for a social center at Saint Mary's as well as at Notre Dame. "I had a pretty good idea there was nothing on Saint Mary's campus in the way of a volunteer organization," said Zint.

"To learn of volunteer opportunities, programs, or social seminars in the past, one had to go off campus to the Notre Dame Center for Social Concerns to find out about volunteer information."

Zint wrote a proposal with short and long term goals for a possible social center, and after a few meetings with Student Government and the

administration, was granted an office for social concerns in 250 Haggard College Center.

The SURV center is designed not only to bring social awareness of the problems South Bend faces, but the center also offers Saint Mary's women a chance to participate in volunteer opportunities with other Saint Mary's women on campus, in turn strengthening the unity of the SMC community.

A major difference between the Notre Dame and the Saint Mary's center is Saint Mary's forthcoming participation in a national campus-based program called "Into The Streets." "Into The Streets" is a brand new annual nation-wide program aimed at increasing community participation among college students involving community service and problem-solving. "Into the Streets" will be formally launched on November 1, 1991.

Through Zint's development of SURV, Saint Mary's service clubs will also work with the center, each taking on different community service tasks. Women For the Environment, World Hunger Coalition, Campus Ministry, Circle K, M.I.N.T. students, Social Action Club, Fun-n-Learn, the Women's Alliance, and Campus Alliance for Rape Elimination (C.A.R.E.) are service clubs included in the coalition to increase volunteerism.

They will be addressing several national issues including domestic violence, the environment, homelessness, hunger, illiteracy, and substance abuse.

One of the unique services Zint is introducing for the SMC service center,

is SURV's special focus on women and children. SURV will be working with the United Way and the YWCA to help women and children in need in the South Bend community.

SURV will also work hand in hand with the Sisters of Holy Cross, sending volunteers to all five nursing homes and to St. Joseph's Hospital.

"Working with the Sisters of Holy Cross brings us back to our roots," explains Zint. Assisting in this effort will be the Saint Mary's Women's Alliance, and the faculty from the Program of Women's Studies.

The SURV center will also work in conjunction with Notre Dame's CSC for informing students of fall and spring break seminars, as well as Christmas in April.

This summer, several SMC alumni will sponsor students for a summer service project similar to that at Notre Dame, where students can earn academic scholarships.

With many ideas in the works, Zint and her committee, made up of two faculty members, one administrator, one representative from campus ministry, and several students, have high hopes for SURV.

Already off to a running start and anticipating the opening of SURV (October 7, 1991), Zint hopes to convey the message to all students of the importance and availability of volunteering.

"I hope that we can touch the lives of as many Saint Mary's students as possible," says Zint, "I would like to raise social awareness here at Saint Mary's, and open opportunities for students to make a difference."



The Observer/Marguerite Schropp

Saint Mary's senior Sharon Zint is working to organize the Spes Unica Resource and Volunteer Center (SURV), a new social center at Saint Mary's.



The Observer/Kevin Weise

These past volunteers express a great interest in Christmas in April, which the SURV Center in conjunction with Notre Dame's CSC will promote next spring.

Psychic Power

Jon Lautrec dispels doubts about hypnotism



By KAREN ALBERS
Accent Writer

A funny thing is about to happen. Would you like to see your friend bellow like Tarzan, or try to fly like Supergirl? Maybe you wouldn't mind being convinced that the person sitting next to you is completely naked. It can all be done, through the power of hypnotism.

Skeptical? Jon Lautrec, "hypnotist extraordinaire," will be appearing at Saint Mary's this evening, and will be more than happy to prove to you the effects of hypnotism. Or, if you already believe in its powers, to get you involved in the show.

Hypnotism either makes people uneasy or causes them to refute its realities without being aware of its powers. Not many people truly understand what hypnotism is.

The classical definition of hypnotic sleep is a mind condition in which one's mental action and willpower are under the control of the person who has induced this state.

We often think of hypnotism as being used only for entertainment purposes, but lately people are using hypnotism to lose weight, quit smoking, and even cure mental illness.

Perhaps, however, the idea of being hypnotized makes people apprehensive because, in this state, the person is essentially at the mercy of the controller. Lautrec, however, is a seasoned performer, and makes sure the show is always in good taste.

Jon Lautrec first learned about hypnotism after getting "pretty banged up" in the Army.

He spent a year in an Army hospital, where hypnotism was being experimented. He only began practicing what he learned after getting out of the service.

He performed hypnotism to put himself through college, where he majored in physics and mathematics. Jon says that at first he was extremely skeptical about hypnotism, but now teaches others about healing through hypnosis and enhancing psychic

powers.

Much of Lautrec's success as a performer may come not only from his natural charisma and audience appeal, but from making the audience participate in the show.

Choosing six to 20 volunteers, he soon has them tap-dancing, bull-fighting, and playing in imaginary sandboxes—in short, things they would never do on their own.

Lautrec has performed at Saint Mary's before and his show has been applauded as both fascinating and entertaining.

What is Lautrec's favorite aspect about his career?

"The whole thing is fantastic," he says, adding that he once was an executive in an automotive corporation, but enjoys his present career much more.

Jon Lautrec's performance is sponsored by Club Tuesday, a division of Saint Mary's Student Activities Board that is aimed at providing a variety of entertainers in a club-like atmosphere for students.

Already, Club Tuesday has brought to campus a stand-up comedian, professional guitarist, and SMC's own Andrew Cutrofello, a philosophy professor who "put aside the books" to entertain the students with his guitar.

Along with the hypnotism show, Jon Lautrec is also offering a seminar entitled "Detecting The Lie," a helpful study designed to teach you how to perceive when others are lying to you—or to become a better liar yourself.

The seminar will take place in Haggard College Center, room 303, from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. tonight. The performance itself will be the same evening in Carroll Auditorium, Madaleva Hall, at 9:00 p.m. Admission is \$2.00.

So whether you're a hard-headed skeptic, a believer, or just want to take part in the fun, Jon Lautrec's performance promises to be a compelling one. Come to Saint Mary's and see the funny things that are about to happen.

'Fisher King's' length wastes good talent

By ELIZABETH HAYES
Film Critic

"The Fisher King" is yet another example of a movie that had everything right with it, but somehow went wrong.

This movie has a great plot, excellent actors, and convincing special effects. Even the direction, which is what kills many a good flick, was competent in most parts of this film.

So what was the problem? Why is it that this movie, with two major stars like Jeff Bridges and Robin Williams, leaves the audience only partly intrigued and vaguely interested?

Well there is a simple answer — it is too long. This movie runs well over two hours. Don't get me wrong — I usually like long movies. PBS specials with 15 four-hour episodes are okay by me. However, they are usually about some series of complicated events that take place among many people across many years.

Not so with "The Fisher King." This movie really only has three characters, that of Parry (Robin Williams), Jack (Jeff Bridges) and Anne (Mercedes Ruehl).

The fourth major character, Parry's beloved Lydia (Amanda Plummer) is too small and mousey to hold our interest long, even though much of the story revolves around her. This is disappointing, for her character would have been interesting to watch develop.

The three real characters are each fascinating in their own way, but their

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entire personae are revealed in the first half an hour of the film. This leaves them nowhere to go for the next two hours of the movie. This is what makes the movie drag.

It is not that the characters are not original or interesting, or what happens to them unique or exciting, but the fact that we are bored with them by the time we get to know them. There is a fundamental lack of surprise in this movie, for the characters act the way that you expect them to act.

This is not to be compared to movies whose characters do predictable things, but are still developing. Movies can be made interesting with relatively boring plotlines as long as the force of the characters powers the movie along.

"The Fisher King" lacks this, for we are no longer interested in what they are being or becoming. Even Parry's madness is stagnant and underdeveloped, until it mysteriously evaporates at the end of the film.

It is interesting how something that should be so changing and driving in a



Jack (Jeff Bridges) and Anne (Mercedes Ruehl) plot to bring Parry (Robin Williams) and Lydia (Amanda Plummer) together in the new release "The Fisher King."

character, such as the quality of insanity, makes Parry's character stale in this film.

This is not to say he isn't cute or funny. Throughout this film, the force of Williams', Bridges', and Ruehl's acting makes this movie alternately moving and funny. They play their roles admirably, and no one would deny that all three are excellent actors.

The story, that of a jaded radio announcer's (Bridges) eventual reform from jerk to sweetheart by the machinations of an insane homeless man (Williams), and the parallel recovery from madness in Williams aided

by Bridges, is actually very nicely put together.

This script, with its admirably realistic dialogue, is well-written. It was just badly produced and strung out far longer than needed.

So, once again, a movie with great potential is ruined. It truly is a pity, for such talent was wasted. Actually, it might be worth the price of a ticket just to see Ruehl's performance as Bridges' tacky Brooklyn girlfriend.

She is pricelessly funny and convincing as the "dumb broad." However, the movie as a whole is long, drawn out, and redundant.

Choquette

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Choquette, as captain, is regarded a strong leader to the team.

"When someone is down or unsure of themselves, she encourages them on," said junior teammate Marilyn Cragin. "She expresses great leadership qualities and therefore she's someone the team respects."

Although she has contributed her leadership qualities and athletic skills to the team, she is struggling for her starting position with freshman Kristy Peters.

"Kristy is a really good player," Choquette says of

Peters. "I'm definitely trying to get the spot back, but for now, even though I see a lot of playing time, my contribution will have to take on a different nature."

Choquette sees a positive

outlook for this year's team. "We have improved in hitting and blocking but we need to work on our passing and serving. As soon as we focus on those aspects, then fulfilling our goal of going to the (NCAA) tournament is possible."

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Always - Kirsten
P.S. I'm moving in this week!

Julie a.k.a Mayo Jr.
Thanks for putting up with my love
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Your roomie

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Love, Marten

P.S. Wow, is this an innuendo
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Top ten quotes from Jeff Sabella's
love journey:
10. Are anyone's BLs asleep yet?
9. Kelley, do you still have that Joe
button?
8. John, your breath smells like cow
dung.
7. Who was I with last night?
6. Life is just about broads and good
sex.
5. Go ahead, card me.
4. 911 is a joke in yo town.
3. Can I buy you another shot?
(Pant, pant)
2. I think they just threw drinks at
each other.
1. Get up f—ers, we're going to the
breakfast club!!

Top10 quotes from the camping
queen and 3 city slickers trip
10.What did you put in those drinks
dude?!!
9.Are you sure you can fit two
people in those showers?
8.Are they fighting or are they just
really active?
7.Two in a bunk makes for the
ultimate heater.
6.It's the position that makes you
fart!
5.I'm an enigma! (What???)
4.Would YOU rock the boat?
3.We're making a Hot concoction.
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East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	87	70	.554	—	5-5	Lost 1	44-35	43-35
Boston	83	73	.532	3 1/2	4-6	Won 1	42-33	41-40
Detroit	80	76	.513	6 1/2	5-5	Won 1	49-32	31-44
Milwaukee	77	78	.497	9	7-3	Lost 1	43-37	34-41
New York	67	89	.429	19 1/2	5-5	Won 1	35-40	32-49
Baltimore	66	90	.423	20 1/2	5-5	Lost 1	32-46	34-44
Cleveland	54	101	.348	32	5-5	Lost 1	29-49	25-52

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
x-Minnesota	93	63	.596	—	6-4	Won 1	50-28	43-35
Chicago	84	72	.538	9	4-6	Lost 2	44-34	40-38
Texas	82	74	.526	11	5-5	Lost 2	43-32	39-42
Oakland	82	75	.522	11 1/2	5-5	Lost 1	47-34	35-41
Kansas City	81	78	.516	12 1/2	6-4	Won 2	39-40	42-36
Seattle	79	77	.506	14	5-5	Won 2	43-35	36-42
California	78	79	.497	15 1/2	5-5	Won 1	37-41	41-38

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
x-Pittsburgh	95	62	.605	—	6-4	Won 2	49-30	46-32
St. Louis	82	75	.522	13	6-4	Won 1	50-32	32-43
New York	75	81	.481	19 1/2	5-5	Lost 1	40-42	35-39
Philadelphia	75	82	.478	20	5-5	Won 1	44-34	31-48
Chicago	73	82	.471	21	3-7	Lost 1	43-37	30-45
Montreal	70	86	.449	24 1/2	6-4	Lost 2	33-35	37-51

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Los Angeles	90	66	.577	—	7-3	Won 1	52-26	38-40
Atlanta	90	67	.573	1/2	6-4	Won 4	46-32	44-35
San Diego	80	76	.513	10	6-4	Lost 1	39-39	41-37
Cincinnati	74	83	.471	16 1/2	4-6	Lost 1	39-40	35-43
San Francisco	72	84	.462	18	4-6	Lost 1	40-35	32-49
Houston	62	94	.397	28	3-7	Lost 5	37-44	25-50

x-clinched division title

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Saturday's Games

Cleveland 5, New York 4
 Detroit 5, Baltimore 4, 10 innings
 Minnesota 5, Toronto 0
 Milwaukee 4, Boston 1
 Texas 6, Oakland 3, 10 innings
 Chicago 5, Seattle 2
 California 4, Kansas City 3

Sunday's Games

Cleveland 5, New York 2
 Baltimore 7, Detroit 4
 Toronto 2, Minnesota 1
 Seattle 2, Chicago 1
 Kansas City 8, California 4
 Milwaukee 5, Boston 4
 Oakland 19, Texas 5

Monday's Games

Late Game Not Included

Seattle 3, Texas 2, 11 innings, 1st game
 Seattle at Texas, 2nd game, (n)
 New York 3, Cleveland 0
 Detroit 8, Baltimore 3
 California 2, Toronto 1
 Minnesota 8, Chicago 3
 Boston 9, Milwaukee 8
 Kansas City 8, Oakland 4

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Saturday's Games

Philadelphia 6, New York 2
 St. Louis 3, Chicago 2
 Atlanta 5, Houston 4
 San Francisco 4, Los Angeles 1
 Montreal 3, Pittsburgh 2
 San Diego 4, Cincinnati 2

Sunday's Games

Pittsburgh 6, Montreal 3
 New York 4, Philadelphia 3
 Cincinnati 8, San Diego 1
 Chicago 5, St. Louis 3
 Atlanta 6, Houston 5, 13 innings
 Los Angeles 3, San Francisco 2

Monday's Games

Late Games Not Included

Atlanta 4, Cincinnati 0
 Pittsburgh 6, New York 5
 St. Louis 11, Montreal 1
 Philadelphia 6, Chicago 5
 Houston at San Francisco, (n)
 San Diego at Los Angeles, (n)

TRANSACTIONS

BASEBALL

National League

FLORIDA MARLINS—Named Frank Wren assistant general manager.

BASKETBALL

BASKETBALL HALL OF FAME—Named

Robin J. Deutsch public relations director.

National Basketball Association

ATLANTA HAWKS—Signed Stacey

Augmon, forward, to a 5-year contract.

Renounced the rights to Sidney Moncrief,

guard.

LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS—Named Mack

Calvin assistant coach.

LOS ANGELES LAKERS—Signed Irving

Thomas, Tony Farmer, Roy Fisher and Keith

Owens, forwards, and Tony Smith,

Demetrius Calip and Jason Matthews,

guards.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

GREEN BAY PACKERS—Traded Tim Harris,

linebacker, to the San Francisco 49ers for a

second-round draft pick in 1992 and either

a second- or third-round pick in 1993.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS—Waived Darrell

Fullington, safety.

HOCKEY

National Hockey League

BOSTON BRUINS—Sent John Blue,

goaltender, John Byce, forward, and Jim

Wiemer, defenseman, to Maine of the

American Hockey League.

NEW YORK RANGERS—Sent Brian

McReynolds, center; Steven King, right wing;

Joe Paterson, left wing; Jeff Bloemberg and

Peter Laviolette, defensemen, and Mark

LaForest, goaltender, to Binghamton of the

American Hockey League.

SAN JOSE SHARKS—Sent Mikhail

Kravets, Ed Courtenay and David Bruce,

forwards, and Artur Irbe, goaltender, to

Kansas City of the International Hockey

League.

VANCOUVER CANUCKS—Sent Alek

Stojanov, forward, to Guelph of the Ontario

Hockey League; Dave Capuano, Shawn

Antoski and Rob Murphy, forwards, to

Milwaukee of the International Hockey

League; and Adrien Plavsic, defenseman, to

the Canadian Olympic team.

COLLEGE

BOSTON U.—Named David Silk assistant

hockey coach.

COLUMBIA—Named Kelly Phayre women's

basketball coach.

MANHATTAN—Named Tom Nugent sports

information assistant and assistant

coordinator for compliance.

MOUNT ST. VINCENT—Named Lonnie Evans

assistant athletic director and men's

assistant basketball coach; Al Jacoutot

men's assistant basketball coach; and Bill

O'Neill women's assistant basketball coach.

UC IRVINE—Named Chris Gallego

assistant baseball coach.

NFL STANDINGS

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct.	FF	PA
Buffalo	5	0	0	1.000	162	115
Miami	2	3	0	.400	100	112
New England	2	3	0	.400	56	91
N.Y. Jets	2	3	0	.400	103	98
Indianapolis	0	5	0	.000	40	113

Central

	W	L	T	Pct.	FF	PA
Houston	3	1	0	.750	114	55
Cleveland	2	2	0	.500	58	52
Pittsburgh	2	2	0	.500	94	101
Cincinnati	0	4	0	.000	61	123

West

	W	L	T	Pct.	FF	PA
Denver	4	1	0	.800	114	65
Kansas City	3	2	0	.600	65	63
LA Raiders	3	2	0	.600	78	87
Seattle	2	3	0	.400	98	79
San Diego	0	5	0	.000	76	114

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct.	FF	PA
Washington	5	0	0	1.000	169	58
Dallas	3	2	0	.600	95	96
Philadelphia	3	2	0	.600	77	66
Phoenix	3	2	0	.600	83	85
N.Y. Giants	2	3	0	.400	75	84

Central

	W	L	T	Pct.	FF	PA
Chicago	4	1	0	.800	90	91
Detroit	4	1	0	.800	104	99
Minnesota	2	3	0	.400	49	82
Green Bay	1	4	0	.200	66	95
Tampa Bay	0	5	0	.000	59	100

West

	W	L	T	Pct.	FF	PA
New Orleans	5	0	0	1.000	121	47
Atlanta	2	3	0	.400	62	88
LA Rams	2	3	0	.400	73	109
San Francisco	2	3	0	.400	95	69

Sunday's Games

Buffalo 35, Chicago 20
 Detroit 31, Tampa Bay 3
 New Orleans 27, Atlanta 6
 Dallas 21, New York Giants 16
 Los Angeles Raiders 12, San Francisco 6
 Los Angeles Rams 23, Green Bay 21
 Seattle 31, Indianapolis 3
 Kansas City 14, San Diego 13
 New York Jets 41, Miami 23
 Phoenix 24, New England 10
 Denver 13, Minnesota 6

Monday's Game

Washington 23, Philadelphia 0

Sunday, Oct. 6

Dallas vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee, 1 p.m.
 Denver at Houston, 1 p.m.
 Miami at New England, 1 p.m.
 Minnesota at Detroit, 1 p.m.
 New York Jets at Cleveland, 1 p.m.
 Philadelphia at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m.
 Seattle at Cincinnati, 1 p.m.
 Washington at Chicago, 1 p.m.
 Phoenix at New York Giants, 4 p.m.
 San Diego at Los Angeles Raiders, 4 p.m.
 Pittsburgh at Indianapolis, 8 p.m.

Monday, Oct. 7

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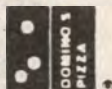
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Former Auburn players retract charges of illegal payment

AUBURN, Ala. (AP) — A former Auburn football player who reportedly said he received illegal payments during his college career now is backing away from his allegations.

Meanwhile, another ex-player who claims to have secretly recorded tapes backing up his claims of wrongdoing in the Auburn football program has hired a prominent Alabama attorney to represent him in any investigations.

Eric Ramsey and Alex Strong were quoted last week in The Montgomery Advertiser as saying Auburn coaches and alumni gave them money and other benefits in violation of NCAA rules.

Strong, a fullback from 1985-89, said in the story that payments to players were common

and that he got a "couple of thousand a year" through the school's longtime recruiting coordinator, Frank Young.

But Strong now insists that he had no knowledge of any such activity and said his comments were printed out of context. He also said he hopes to distance himself from Ramsey's allegations.

"I said things in a general way that came out looking like I said things about Auburn," Strong told the Birmingham Post-Herald in a story published Monday. "I'm not denying the quotes weren't accurate. Some of those things I said, but it was used out of context."

He was quoted in the Montgomery newspaper as saying: "They'll tell you when they give you something to keep

it quiet. Many of the guys knew it. It wasn't any secret."

Strong said he drove to Auburn early Sunday from his Macon, Ga., home to meet with coach Pat Dye and "straighten out" some of the things attributed to him in news reports.

"I was speaking about any college," Strong said. "I was speaking in general terms of rules being violated all over the country."

Strong said he had never received any illegal benefits or payments from Auburn coaches or alumni. He also denied he had been pressured by anyone connected with Auburn to make his latest comments.

"I'm coming back and telling my version of the story because this is how I really feel," he said. "I'm not trying to look like

a bed of roses, and I'm not trying to make Eric look bad. I'm not out to hurt anybody."

"Alex Strong deeply regrets that he got involved in this situation."

Ramsey has hired attorney Donald Watkins, whose clients include Birmingham Mayor Richard Arrington and other prominent public officials.

"We anticipate that there will be various investigations into the matters Mr. Ramsey made public and I will try to guide him through those matters and those investigations as best I can," Watkins said Monday.

Ramsey, a former defensive back, has said he received money and benefits in excess of what is allowed by NCAA rules, including an unsecured loan from Colonial Bank for nearly

\$11,400.

Dye is on Colonial's board of directors and the bank's chairman, Bobby Lowder, is a powerful member of the Auburn board of trustees.

Ramsey said his allegations are supported by secretly recorded tape conversations with Dye, Young, assistant coach Steve Dennis, former assistant coach Larry Blakeney and Auburn alumnus Bill Frost of Lilburn, Ga.

"Mr. Ramsey turned over the material in both written and tape form and I'm involved in the process of going through that now," Watkins said. "It will probably take about a week to go through his materials."

Watkins said he planned to eventually make the tapes public.



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Harris goes to Green Bay for two high draft picks

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (AP) — Tim Harris was traded Monday from Green Bay to the San Francisco 49ers, who gave the Packers two high draft picks for the holdout linebacker.

San Francisco coach George Seifert said the 49ers gave up their second-round pick in 1992 and either a second- or third-round pick in 1993, based on certain conditions that he declined to disclose.

The conditions reportedly revolve around Harris' playing time and a rare "good citizenship" clause that essentially require him to stay out of trouble.

The 49ers sought a two-week roster exemption for Harris, who hasn't played since last season. However, Seifert said Harris could be activated for the Oct. 13 game against the Atlanta Falcons. San Francisco is idle on Sunday.

Harris, 27, made \$630,000 last season, including bonuses. He reportedly is to receive \$725,000 for the rest of this season and \$825,000 in 1992.

That's slightly less than the Packers' final offer, but Harris was willing to accept it because he said he had become alienated with Green Bay's management.

"It was a matter of principal," he said. "It was a hard ordeal but I've finally got a job again. It's like I'm a newborn kid again."

"We reached a point where we felt we had to do something with Tim," Packers president Bob Harlan said from Green Bay.

"He wanted to leave Green Bay. And if you saw the offers on the table, the offer that we put on the table several weeks ago and what Tim actually took, you would think the offer was more than adequate that came out of Green Bay."

"We certainly didn't want to get rid of Tim. We wouldn't have pursued him as long as we did and kept the negotiations going as long as we did if we didn't feel we would get him in. This was obviously the best deal we could come up with."

Seifert said he envisioned Harris playing on passing downs to increase the 49ers' ability to pressure opposing quarterbacks. Harris, a five-

year veteran, has 54 1/2 career sacks and will be used opposite Charles Haley, who has 56 1/2 sacks in that same span.

Haley's effectiveness has been reduced because opposing teams have been able to double- and triple-team him.

"It gives us a kind of double-edged sword," Seifert said. "Hopefully, this has some effect. Obviously, that's how we're going into it, with that idea."

Harris, who dropped from 19 1/2 sacks in 1989 to 7 last season, said he's glad to be back in uniform and looks forward to a fresh start with the 49ers, who have told him to tone down his showboat image.

With the Packers, Harris was known for wearing pistol-shaped gloves and mocking opponents after a sack.

"When I was in Green Bay, I was told to play a certain way, to perform a certain way to enthruse a lot of people and get everybody fired up," Harris said. "I don't think that's necessary here. I left my guns in Green Bay, along with the hay silos and the cows. Don't get me wrong. I'm not knocking the people of Green Bay. It's just that that's behind me now."

UNLV's Augmon signed by Hawks

Veteran Moncrief doomed with defensive star's arrival

ATLANTA (AP) — The start of Stacey Augmon's NBA career has apparently signaled the end of Sidney Moncrief's.

Augmon, the defensive stand-out on UNLV's recent collegiate powerhouses, became the highest-drafted player this year to sign when he agreed to a 5-year deal with the Atlanta Hawks on Sunday.

The Hawks had to make room under the salary cap for the No.

9 overall selection last June and they renounced the rights to Moncrief, the guard they had coaxed out of retirement last season for his leadership.

Augmon's deal is worth a reported \$6.5 million to \$7 million.

He is expected to see time at both shooting guard and as a back-up to Dominique Wilkins at small forward.

Augmon had a .555 career

shooting percentage and played in two Final Fours with UNLV, winning the national championship in 1990. Some observers criticized his shooting ability under pressure.

"People who say shooting is my weakness are wrong," Augmon said. "But there are also other things I like to do on a basketball court. It's a team game."

SPORTSBRIEFS

■The Observer accepts sportsbriefs in writing every day until 5:00 p.m. Please submit your brief, your name, and the date the brief is to be run.

■Public skating is now open at the J.A.C.C. Admission for ND/SMC students is \$1. Schedules are available there. Free skate for students, faculty and staff is 12 to 1 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

■WVFI Sportstalk welcomes members of the women's volleyball team to the studio from 8-9 p.m. tonight. Call 239-6400 to talk to the players or just sports in general.

■Saint Mary's varsity tennis team will begin tryouts Sunday, October 6 from 4-6 p.m. at Angela Athletic facility.

■Irish Insanity will meet in the Dooley Room (1st floor LaFortune) tonight at 8:30 p.m. Members are strongly encouraged to attend. All are welcome.

■Ski team /club will hold its second meeting this Thursday, October 3 at 8:30 in 118 Nieuwland. A \$100 deposit will be taken from the first 90 people. Bring your checkbook. Questions, call Chris or Bob at 277-7089.

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Braves keep in the hunt for National League West crown

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Atlanta Braves reached a couple of milestones Monday night and stayed within reach of the prize they most want — first place in the NL West.

John Smoltz overcame control problems to pitch two-hit ball over eight innings and Sid Bream singled home a pair of runs in a four-run third inning for a 4-0 victory over Cincinnati. The Braves' fourth consecutive win moved them a half-game behind Los Angeles, which played at home against San Diego later Monday.

Pirates 6, Mets 5

PITTSBURGH — Jay Bell hit his first career grand slam in a six-run second inning that carried Pittsburgh past New York. It was the Mets' second game under interim manager Mike Cuddage, who took over when Bud Harrelson was fired.

Howard Johnson extended his NL home run lead with his 38th.

Cardinals 11, Expos 1

ST. LOUIS — Mark Clark pitched 5 1-3 innings of scoreless relief for his first major-league victory and Felix Jose drove in four runs as St. Louis clinched second place in the

East.

Geronimo Pena had three hits and scored three runs, and Pedro Guerrero added three hits and two RBIs for St. Louis. The second-place finish is the highest for St. Louis since 1987, when the Cardinals won the division.

Phillies 6, Cubs 5

PHILADELPHIA — Wally Backman's sacrifice fly capped a three-run ninth inning rally for Philadelphia.

Chicago took a 5-3 lead in the top of the ninth on Doug Dascenzo's sacrifice fly off Mitch Williams and Andre Dawson's RBI single. In the bottom of the inning, the Phillies came back off Paul Assenmacher (7-7) on RBI singles by Wes Chamberlain and Jim Lindeman before Backman's game-winning fly ball.

American League Red Sox 9, Brewers 8

MILWAUKEE — Boston wasted a 6-0 lead, then came back Monday night as Jack Clark's two-run homer and Tom Brunansky's RBI double sparked a seventh-inning rally and a 9-8 victory over the Milwaukee Brewers.

The Red Sox, who ended a four-game losing streak, closed within 3 1/2 games of AL East-leading Toronto, which lost to California 2-1.

Milwaukee went ahead 7-6 with four runs in the third and Greg Vaughn's three-run homer in the fifth. Clark struck back with a homer off rookie Mike Ignasiak (1-1) and Brunansky doubled in another run off Chuck Crim.

Dennis Lamp (6-3) let Milwaukee close within a run in the bottom of the inning, but Tony Fossas and Dan Petry held off the Brewers, with Petry getting his first career save.

Angels 2, Blue Jays 1

TORONTO — Dave Winfield hit a two-run double in the eighth, and Mark Langston and Bryan Harvey combined on a three-hitter.

Langston (18-8) struck out six and walked three in 7 1-3 innings and Harvey finished with perfect relief for his league-leading 45th save.

Jimmy Key (16-12) allowed six hits in 7 1-3 innings.

The crowd of 50,321 raised Toronto's total to 3,900,880, breaking the major league record the Blue Jays set last year (3,885,284).

Mariners 3, Rangers 2

ARLINGTON, Texas — Nolan Ryan reached the 5,500-strikeout mark in the doubleheader opener with six in six innings, and Ken Griffey Jr. became the youngest player to drive in 100 runs since Al Kaline did it for Detroit in 1956.

Seattle won its club-record 79th game as Jay Buhner homered in the 11th off Wayne Rosenthal (1-4). Mike Schooler (3-3) pitched two innings of hitless relief and Bill Swift pitched the 11th for his 16th save.

Tigers 8, Orioles 3

DETROIT — Pete Incaviglia, Mickey Tettleton and Lou Whitaker hit two-run homers as Detroit closed its home season with a six-hitter by Mark Leiter (9-6), the first complete game of his career.

The 11,824 fans gave a standing ovation in the seventh to Ernie Harwell, beginning his final three innings on the radio from Tiger Stadium. Harwell's career in Detroit is being ended after 32 years by the team and radio station WJR.

Yankees 3, Indians 0

CLEVELAND — Scott

Sanderson (16-10) became the Yankees' first 16-game winner since Rick Rhoden in 1987, but was forced from the game when Ed Taubensee's line drive dislocated a finger.

It was the 17th shutout of the season against the Indians and their major league-leading 101st loss.

Randy Velarde hit a two-run single in the sixth off Charles Nagy (10-14), who pitched a seven-hitter.

Twins 8, White Sox 3

CHICAGO — Randy Bush, Pedro Munoz and Paul Sorrento homered for the AL West champions, and Tom Edens (2-2) allowed one run and five hits in six innings.

Alex Fernandez (9-13) gave up four runs and four hits in four innings.

Royals 8, Athletics 4

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Mark Davis (6-2) allowed two hits in six shutout innings and Kurt Stillwell hit a three-run double in a six-run second.

Bob Welch (12-13) was pounded for six runs and six hits in two innings.

Campus Ministry



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Picking our "Shoulds"

When I was a student at Notre Dame, every girl I knew had long straight hair, and if she hadn't, she used a lot of chemicals and an ironing board to make it so. All the guys who hit the hardcourt wore Converse Jack Taylors on their feet and had headbands on their foreheads to keep the long hair out of their eyes.

These days beautiful girls "crimp" their hair to get lots of little corkscrew curls hanging down everywhere and guys have crewcuts on the top and Nike and Reeboks down on the bottom. Sometimes dresses are supposed to be long. Some years they are short. Sometimes pants are tight; some years they are baggy. Behold the dictates of fashion. See how most all of us do what we assume we're supposed to do.

These weekends it seems like every dorm on campus is having an SYR or a Formal and every guy is walking around with a long-stemmed red rose wrapped up in a thin green paper. Later this semester we are all supposed to build floats for a Homecoming Parade and applaud when they announce some people have been chosen King and Queen of the weekend. (I wonder what criteria will be used to pick that royal couple...)

Sometimes at Notre Dame my fear is that we are all not very free, and that we spend a lot of time and energy doing what we perceive we must fit in and follow the "shoulds" of our common life.

We are subservient to a very strong campus culture here. The dorms are supposed to have a certain kind of spirit. The weekends should have a certain amount of beer. The Spring Break should have a certain kind of escapade. Every dorm should have a certain kind of Sunday liturgy. So much is supposed to be the same.

Maybe one reason some of us hang so tightly together is that we are just a bit insecure, and so we resent or reject that which is foreign or unusual to us.

It is no secret that some minority cultures here at Notre Dame have had difficulty feeling at ease in this land of plaid pants and tailgaters. And when of late this discomfort has been spoken forcefully, for many in the student body the common response has been to say "let them adjust - stop complaining - get with the program."

Somehow that doesn't seem adequate. In a place with such a strong sense of "should," where everybody knows "how to do things," there seems to be even more need to be consciously open to new values, new insights, and new cultures and ways of life.

It is important for all of us to become freer and more peaceful in our own choices, by becoming more open to the gifts of others.

This week Notre Dame celebrates its annual Multi-Cultural Festival, with dances, speeches, food, and prayer on the Quads, at the Fieldhouse Mall, and in Stepan Center. Native Americans, African Americans, Filipino Americans and many other groups will present examples of their rich backgrounds. I think all of us "should" go out of our way to learn from this moment of obvious blessings and "should" join in celebrating the growing diversity of our campus culture.

Tom McDermott, C.S.C.

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Moeller ready for Iowa after annihilation by 'Noles

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — The dreams are put away now. Carefully wrapped and protected. Like a favorite Christmas ornament. They'll be hauled out again, maybe in about a year.

But for now, life moves on for Michigan coach Gary Moeller and his football team.

The Wolverines were picked by many to win the national championship this season. It would be their first since 1948. But those hopes were dashed on Saturday when No. 1 Florida State crushed the then-No. 3 Wolverines 51-31.

When this week's Associated Press poll came out, the Wolverines had dropped to No. 7. And they'll have to work hard just to hold that. Michigan visits No. 9 Iowa this week. It's always hard to win in Iowa City.

Moeller, at his weekly news conference Monday, was asked about the national champi-

onship. He knew he would be asked. But he still didn't have the answer quite worked out.

It was obviously still a painful subject.

"It hurts everybody to some extent, your players and everything," Moeller said. "But I can honestly say that I'm not ..."

And his voice trailed off. He paused.

You could almost hear the gears meshing in his mind. He wanted to say the right thing. But he also wanted to be honest. That's his nature.

"It's something that everybody wants to do," Moeller said. "It isn't something like I had in my pocket and it was taken away from me. Believe me. But the opportunity was there."

"And I still honestly believe that the most important thing to us is the conference championship and going to the Rose Bowl. And that's more important."



Gary Moeller

Moeller explained that because the defeat came so early in the season, he can afford to let his players dwell on it. They can't think of it as a national championship lost.

It was one game. It was lost. So the players must think of it only as one game lost, not a national championship lost.

"Because I know one thing

about national championships, and all those things don't mean anything until you get close to the end of the year," Moeller said. "And I know every game that you win becomes more important to take you in that direction. But those things change so rapidly towards the end."

"And I think, realistically, there's too much emphasis put on a national championship. I think it helps draw people to television sets and all those things. But, you know, there can only be one winner in that thing. And there's a lot of great kids that are out there playing football that are winners."

"And there's some kids that don't even get an opportunity, because of where they're at, to ever win a national championship. So sometimes we overestimate that. And I'm not just saying that because this is after a loss or anything. It's just the way I feel."

Moeller said his players are feeling rather sad about the defeat. Especially quarterback Elvis Grbac, who was ripped by a Detroit columnist who called him an "Achilles' heel" in Monday's editions.

"I don't think Elvis will be that down," Moeller said. "He made a couple throws I didn't like. But he made a lot of good decisions, too."

Grbac completed 19 of 32 passes for 212 yards and four touchdowns, but had three interceptions against Florida State.

"We're down mentally right now, but we're supposed to be down right now," Moeller said. "I think the key is to get over our bumps and bruises and not let it keep us down."

"But we're not going to be feeling sorry for ourselves. We're going to be ready when we get to Iowa on Saturday."

Unrestricted free agency looms on NFL horizon

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — NFL players scored another victory in their quest for unrestricted free agency when a federal judge ruled on Monday that most players covered by Plan B free agency from Feb. 1, 1989, to Nov. 6, 1989, can pursue antitrust damages against the league and its clubs.

"This is terrific news for the players, particularly those who were protected free agents in 1989," Dick Berthelsen, the National Football League Players Association's general counsel, said in a statement.

NFL players already could sue for damages for the 1990 and 1991 seasons. Green Bay's Don Majkowski filed a claim last year and Marcus Allen of the Los Angeles Raiders and Gil Byrd of San Diego filed claims this year.

Also Monday, U.S. District Judge David Doty denied an NFL motion to dismiss the players' claim that the league had abused its monopoly power in its dealings with them.

Doty wrote that there was sufficient evidence for a jury to decide whether NFL clubs "had a tacit agreement, understanding or conspiracy to refrain from bidding on players."

The rulings are the latest in a series of decisions by Doty stemming from the NFLPA's unsuccessful 24-day 1987 strike. The NFL and its players have been without a labor agreement since 1987, when their 1982 agreement ran out.

On Nov. 1, 1989, the 8th Circuit Court of Appeals granted an antitrust exemption to the NFL so long as the players were represented by a union. Five days later the NFLPA decertified.

NFL spokesman Greg Aiello said "There are aspects of Judge Doty's ruling that appear to be inconsistent with the Eighth Circuit's 1989 decision. Our attorneys are evaluating the case to determine our next step."

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possibility for a playoff birth. Dillon appeared to be out of the playoff picture after suffering their second straight loss last weekend, but now find themselves in third place, only one game behind first place Flanner.

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Minnesota's improvement stems from the maturation of Scott Erickson and Kevin Tapani into two future stars in the league, and the resurgence of Jack Morris. One of the few free agent signings which did not backfire (see Red Sox and Matt Young), Morris has come through with an 18-12, 3.50 ERA season as well as being a stabilizing force for youngsters Erickson and Tapani.

It was fashionable at the beginning of the season to pick the Cubs to win the NL East this season. The signing of George

Bell bolstered an already awesome offense, while free agent pickups Danny Jackson and Dave Smith were going to strengthen the Cub pitching staff.

Injuries, however, decimated Chicago, as Jackson, Rick Sutcliffe and Smith have been on and off the disabled list all season, and Mike Harkey has been out all season.

The Pirates have survived a down year from Doug Drabek (15-13, 3.13 ERA), last season's Cy Young winner, with strong performances by Zane Smith (16-10, 3.04) and Cy hopeful John Smiley (18-8, 3.25) and their bullpen by committee

(league-leading 47 saves) handled masterfully by manager Jim Leyland.

Finally, in the NL West, Cincinnati also fell victim to the injury bug. Ace Jose Rijo was out for a month, costing it dearly; Rijo is among the league leaders in wins, ERA, and strikeouts.

At the same time, Rob Dibble and Norm Charlton both drew suspensions from NL President Bill White, and subpar performances from Tom Browning (14-12, 4.23 ERA) and 1990 All-Star game starter Jack Armstrong (7-12, 5.16 ERA) have doomed the Reds to fourth.

And why are Los Angeles and Atlanta battling it out for the West title? The Dodgers lead the league in ERA (3.10), while the Braves are third (3.50). Enough said.

Sure, pitching isn't everything. California has three 15-game winners and the league's best closer and are still dead last in the AL West, and Detroit hung in the AL East race longer than anyone would have predicted with Cecil and Co. crushing over 200 homers.

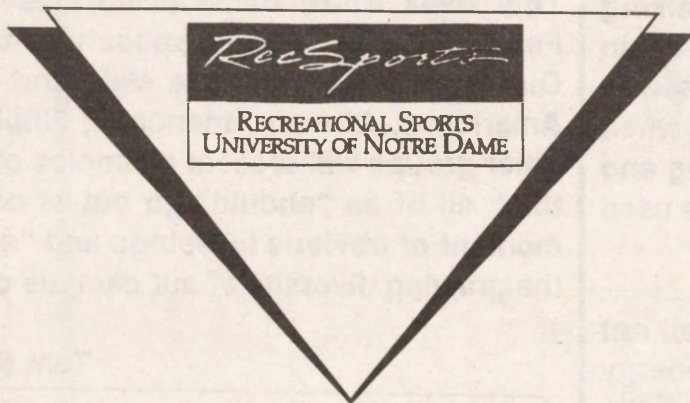
But as this year's four divisional winners would attest, good pitching in the end does beat good hitting.

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Gottfried fired over differences

Disagreements with Pitt hierarchy led to dismissal

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Former football coach Mike Gottfried was fired in 1989 because of his differences with university academicians, not for failing to cater to now-retired president Wesley Posvar, University of Pittsburgh officials said Monday.

Assistant athletic director Larry Eldridge responded to an article in College and Pro Football Newsweekly which said Gottfried was ousted for failing to appease Posvar or attend the president's social functions.

"Mike Gottfried's firing had a whole lot to do with significant philosophical differences over academic responsibility in the football program and nothing whatsoever to do with whether or not he attended postgame functions at the president's house, or other similarly frivolous charges," Eldridge



Mike Gottfried

said.

"The fact is, Mike himself was greatly distressed about the heightened academic scrutiny of the football program and feared that the direction the university's academic officials were moving in would not permit him to be competitive," he added.

On Dec. 15, 1989, the day before Gottfried was told to resign or be fired, Pitt passed

tougher academic guidelines requiring recruits to score 750 on the Scholastic Aptitude Test and achieve a 2.3 grade point average. The NCAA requires incoming freshmen to score at least 700 and achieve a 2.0.

Gottfried was uncomfortable that fall about the impending changes and privately talked to some Pitt officials about leaving the school, Eldridge said. Gottfried was a candidate for the Kentucky job after leaving Pitt, but the school instead hired Bill Curry.

Pitt officials said Posvar made the decision to fire Gottfried, a message that was conveyed to the coach by former athletic director Ed Bozik. Pitt waited four days before publicly confirming Gottfried would not return. He was replaced by Paul Hackett, who made his debut later that month in Pitt's Sun Bowl victory over Texas A&M.

San Francisco stumbles to 2-3 start; worst since 1982

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (AP) — Joe Montana, forced to be an armchair quarterback the past five weeks while resting a torn right elbow tendon, passed his first major test toward a comeback on Monday.

But there's still no definite word on when he'll be able to play again for the San Francisco 49ers (2-3), who without him have sputtered to their worst start since the strike-shortened 1982 season.

Montana, 35, threw 40 passes of about 15 yards to conditioning coach Jerry Attaway as coach George Seifert and team physician Dr. Michael Dillingham watched. The media was barred from the 10-minute workout.

"We've taken a major step, obviously," Seifert said later at a news conference. "I'm encouraged. I thought he looked fine. I don't think any one thing dictates that this (comeback) is a done deal. ... The key will be how he feels over a period of time."

The 49ers' offensive production has been spotty in the absence of Montana, a 10-year starter who has been on injured

reserve since the start of the season.

Though Steve Young leads the NFC in passing, the 49ers have scored just 95 points this year compared to 127 last season, when they raced to a 5-0 start.

The 49ers have 17 drives this season inside the opponents' 20-yard line but have finished only five for touchdowns.

"It's a little redundant but it's a fact: We've had too many errors," Seifert said. "We haven't been scoring when we've been in the red zone. It's been obvious to you as well as to us."

"It's difficult to say that it's any one thing. I don't think it's any one player. I don't think it's the offensive line. I don't think it's the quarterback, the wide receivers or the coaches. It's a combination of all those things."

The 49ers moved Monday to bolster the defense, acquiring pass rushing linebacker Tim Harris from Green Bay for a couple of draft choices.

Offensive problems remain for the 49ers, who have a bye before playing the Atlanta Falcons on Oct. 13.

In Sunday's 12-6 loss to the Los Angeles Raiders, the 49ers failed to score a touchdown for the first time since Oct. 1, 1989, when the Los Angeles Rams beat San Francisco 13-12.

Young threw two interceptions, doubling his season total, and nearly got Jerry Rice killed when the wide receiver leaped for an overthrown pass and was turned head over heels on a hit by Terry McDaniel.

The 49ers also were thwarted by a Raiders' goal-line stand and a couple of key penalties.

They had a chance to win when Young drove the team from its own 26 to the Raiders' 19. But he then had three incompletions sandwiched around a run as the 49ers lost the ball — and their final chance — on downs.

"Obviously, Steve's played better. We've all played better," Seifert said.

Montana, whose relations with Young have been strained, was diplomatic when asked about the offense's productivity.

"It's hard to second-guess," he said. "I can't point at any one thing that could make a difference at this point. I don't think I'm the savior at this point by any means. I don't think, if I come back, that we're going to win forever."

Montana hasn't played since an Aug. 3 exhibition against Chicago at Berlin. He last threw a football on Aug. 13 and briefly before an Aug. 19 exhibition, stopping both times because of pain.

"There was a little bit of tightness but no soreness at all," a relieved Montana said after Monday's test. "I was anxious to get it done, to test it for my own self because the last two times ... it went right back to where it was before. So hopefully the four or five weeks of rest will help it because the alternative is not something I want to get into."

If the rehabilitation program fails and the injury becomes aggravated, Montana faces season-ending surgery to repair the tendon.

Chances are such an operation would be successful, but there is no guarantee, Dillingham has said.

However, Montana said he foresees no problem and plans to steadily increase his throwing workouts over the coming days.

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White reunites Charlton with Cincinnati for Braves series

CINCINNATI (AP) — National League president Bill White put three days of Norm Charlton's suspension on hold Monday, reuniting Cincinnati's Nasty Boys for a three-game series against the Atlanta Braves.

Charlton began serving a one-week suspension Sunday for purposely throwing at Los Angeles' Mike Scioscia. But White decided Charlton should be activated against Atlanta, which started the series one game behind the Dodgers in the NL West.

That left the Reds with their three best relievers: Charlton, Randy Myers and Rob Dibble.

"With the close pennant race in the Western Division, it is

imperative that all teams play with their full complement of players in order to guarantee that the competition is fair and balanced," White said.

Braves manager Bobby Cox saw it as another reason for changing the major leagues' system of dealing with suspensions.

"It's not right," Cox said. "There has to be a system in baseball where this doesn't happen. Give them a 24-hour appeal and get on with it. This way, you can pick your spots."

Charlton was suspended after admitting he hit Scioscia with a pitch Sept. 9 for stealing signs, and threatening to hurt him again the next time he faced

him. White handed down the suspension one week later at the start of a two-game series in Los Angeles.

Charlton appealed, putting the suspension on hold. He dropped his appeal Sunday with one week left in the season so the penalty wouldn't carry over to next season.

The reliever was stunned when informed White had reinstated him for the Atlanta series.

"I don't really understand it," he said. "There's this thing called the integrity of the game that Pete Rose got kicked out for. They said Pete Rose might ruin the integrity of the game. Yet Bill White suspends me

against LA. I drop the appeal, and he makes me play (against Atlanta). I don't understand."

Charlton will go back on suspension once the Braves' series ends. Cincinnati closes its season with three games in San Diego. Charlton hopes he isn't forced to serve the remainder of

his suspension next season.

"My first responsibility is not to Los Angeles. My first responsibility is to the Reds," Charlton said. "When we got down to the last seven games, I made a decision (to serve the suspension). I didn't want to take it into next year."

Alvarez leads Badgers into Big Ten schedule

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — The preliminaries are over for the Wisconsin Badgers. They've won their first three games, but now it's time to face the big boys of the Big Ten.

"We're all smart enough to know that we're going to have to improve a great deal this week and going into the Big Ten season," Coach Barry Alvarez said Monday, looking forward to Saturday's league opener at Ohio State.

"We'll play one of the better football teams in the nation."

Wisconsin has beaten Western Illinois, Iowa State and Eastern Michigan for its first 3-0 start since 1985.

No. 14 Ohio State took last week off but is also 3-0 after victories over Arizona, Louisville and Washington State, a much tougher pre-league schedule than the Badgers faced.

Of special concern to Alvarez is the Buckeyes' running game, even though Wisconsin's defense has given up only 25 points all season. Ohio State's Butler By'not'e is averaging 109 yards rushing per game.

"I don't know if there is a better stable of backs anywhere in the country," said Alvarez. "I don't know where they are ranked but this is a team that can play with anybody and this will be quite a challenge for our young football team."

Also attending Alvarez's weekly Monday news conference was safety Scott Nelson, who sustained a neck injury in last week's 21-6 win over Eastern Michigan.

Nelson suffered a bruised spinal cord after colliding with Eastern Michigan's Eddie Nwagbaraocha. Nelson, who lay motionless on the field for 20 minutes before he was taken off in an ambulance, spent Saturday night in the hospital.

Nelson said Monday, however, his injury was not serious and that he might be available Saturday.

"Things are feeling a little bit better today, but I still can't move real quick," said Nelson. "I tried to work on a little range of motion but I don't have hardly any right now. But it's just a matter of time before things get back to normal."

Alvarez said cornerback Troy Vincent, the team's top return specialist, should be ready Saturday. Vincent suffered a hip pointer and missed most of the second half of the Eastern Michigan game.

SPORTS SHORTS

Former Auburn hoopster sentenced

SALONICA, Greece — Mike Jones, former Auburn basketball player, was convicted Monday of possessing hashish and sentenced to 13 months in prison. He was ordered expelled from Greece. Jones, 29, was not in court to hear the sentence and it was not clear whether he was still in Greece. Jones was allowed to buy off his sentence by paying \$2 per day in prison. He was arrested after police found one ounce of hashish in his home.

Dunbar, Smith Big Ten Players of Week

CHICAGO — Tailback Vaughn Dunbar of Indiana was named Big Ten Player of the Week for offense Monday. Dunbar, a senior from Fort Wayne, Ind., ran for three touchdowns and a career-high 265 yards Saturday in the Hoosiers' 27-27 tie at Missouri. Iowa defensive end LeRoy Smith, a senior from Sicklerville, N.J., was named the conference's defensive Player of the Week after he had five tackles, two quarterback sacks and a forced fumble he recovered for a TD in the Hawkeyes' 58-7 whipping of Northern Illinois.

Belles volleyball goes 2-1 in weekend tournament

By EILEEN MCGUIRE
Sports Writer

The Saint Mary's volleyball team (6-12) finished fifth out of nine teams in the Wheaton College tournament this weekend.

In Saint Mary's first game against Grace College, the Belles were down 10-2 in the first game before making a comeback and winning the match 15-13, 15-5. However, in the second and third matches the Belles came up short against Wheaton 8-15, 9-15, and against Illinois Wesleyan 7-15, 4-15.

"In those two games, we did not play well as a team," coach Shroeder-Biek said. "We were frustrated from Wheaton and did not pull together mentally and therefore, physically," she said.

Saint Mary's came back and defeated Greenville in their last match 15-5, 15-11.

Junior Michelle Martino served 13 in a row in the first game of the match against Greenville and came up with 33 points overall for the tournament. In the second game, it was obvious that Saint Mary's was in control.

"We worked together as a team in the second game and played to our potential," Shroeder-Biek said.

Senior captain Karen Lorton made the all-tournament team, contributing 28 kills, 16 blocks, 21 digs and 19 points.

"It was a good boost for our team captain and our leader to get the recognition she deserved," Shroeder-Biek said. "She's a good all around player."

The Belles will play Chicago State University tonight in Angela Athletic Facility at 7:00 p.m. Saint Mary's defeated Chicago State in three games last year and are looking for a repeat performance.

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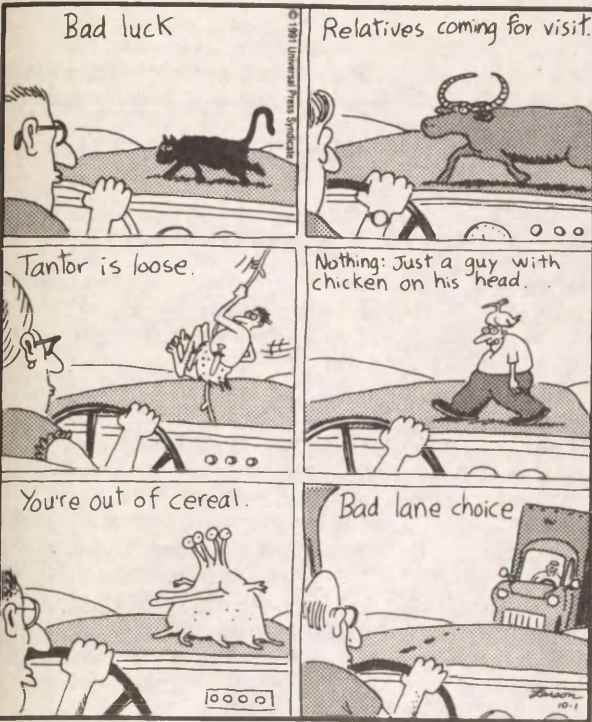
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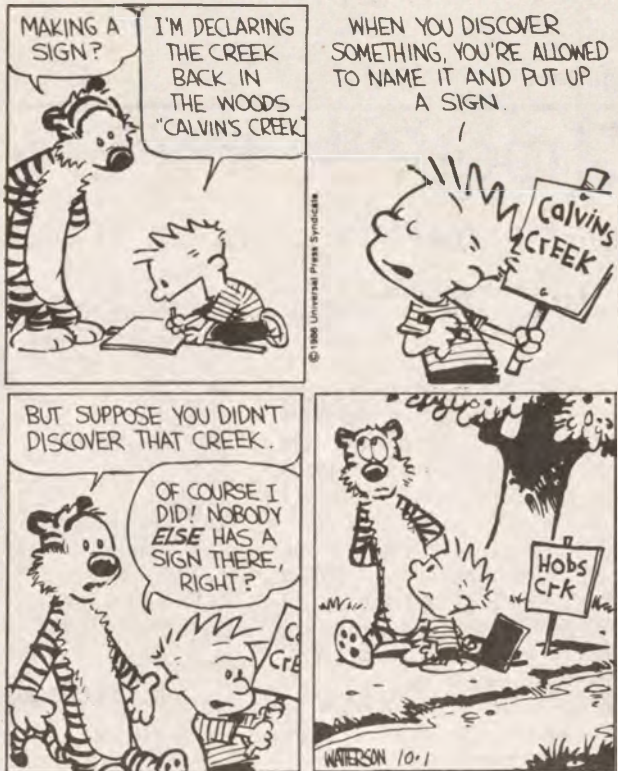
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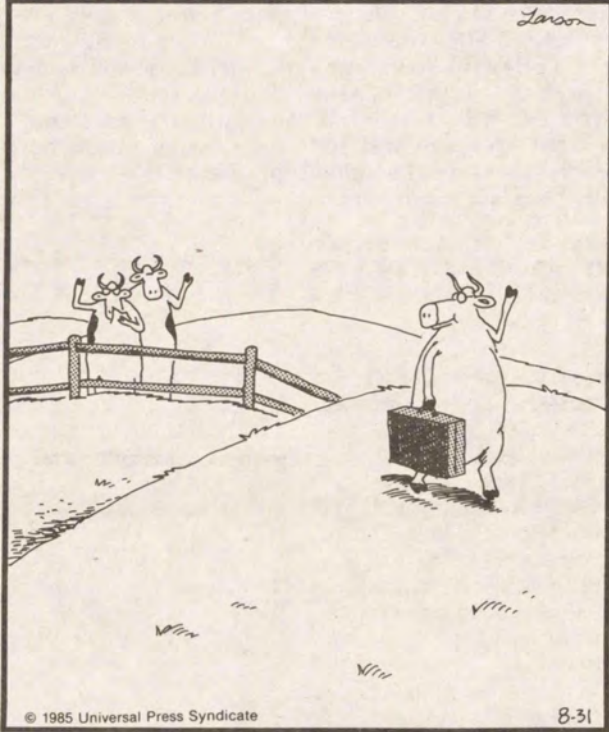


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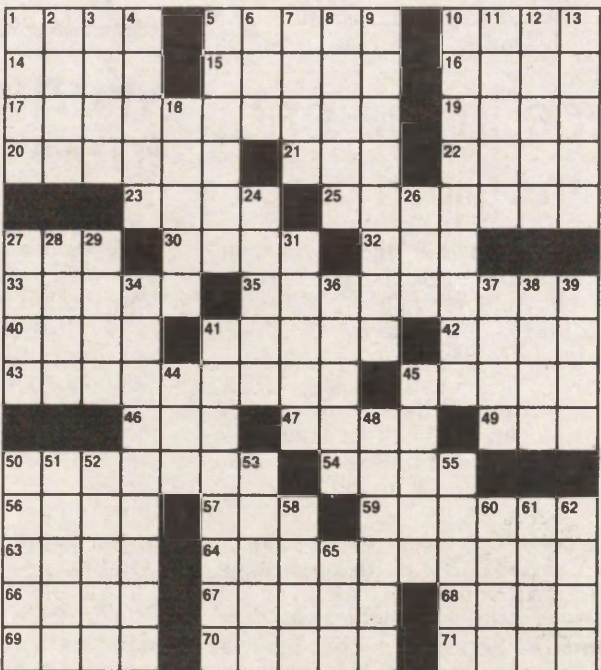
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CAMPUS

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- 4:30 p.m. Multi-Cultural Fall Festival, Entertainment. Hawaiian Club. Fieldhouse Mall.
- 6 p.m. Reception, for all business students interested in discovering career opportunities with the May Company Department Stores. Lower level, Center for Continuing Education.
- 7 p.m. Film, "The Letter." Annenberg Auditorium.
- 8 p.m. Reception, for all students interested in discovering career opportunities with General Mills. Alumni Room, Morris Inn.
- 8 p.m. Multi-Cultural Fall Festival, Cultural Cafe - Music From Around the World. Theodore's. Sponsored by Multi-Cultural Fall Festival.
- 9:15 p.m. Film, "Black Rain." Annenberg Auditorium.
- 10 p.m. Workshop for eucharistic ministers, Father Joseph Ross and Sister M.J. Griffin. Sacred Heart Church.

LECTURES

Tuesday

- 3 p.m. Graduate Seminar, "Simultaneous Separations in Inorganic Membrane Reactors," Yi Hua Ma, Worcester Polytechnic Institute. 356 Fitzpatrick Hall. Sponsored by ND chemical engineering department.
- 4 p.m. Life of the Mind Lecture, "Images in My Mind," JoAnn Widerquist. Carroll Auditorium. Sponsored by Saint Mary's College.
- 4:15 p.m. Lecture, "Becoming a University - Notre Dame," Robert Burns. Lounge, Hesburgh Library. Sponsored by ND history department.
- 4:30 p.m. Annual Faculty Address, University President Father Edward Malloy. Washington Hall.
- 7:30 p.m. Lecture, "Hustling: The Work of Underclass Minority Women," Eleanor Miller, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee. 105 Science Building.

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Choquette leads team with style

Senior uses experience to bring volleyball a 7-4 record

By EILEEN MCGUIRE
Sports Writer

As co-captain for the 1991 season, Chris Choquette has led the Irish to their best start in history with a 7-4 record. She is a strong player who possesses good technique and timing on blocks.

"She (Choquette) pushes herself and expects a lot out of herself," first-year Irish coach Debbie Brown said in an interview with the South Bend Tribune. "She's an excellent communicator which is important in volleyball. She keeps the team's spirits up."

Choquette, a senior English major, was encouraged by her older sister to play volleyball in high school. She eventually led her Tollgate high school volleyball team, located in Warwick, R.I., to their 75th straight victory and fourth consecutive state championship as captain her senior year.



Chris Choquette

"I didn't give much thought to playing volleyball in college until I was approached by coaches my senior year," Choquette said.

After being recruited by the Irish, as well as Penn State and Duke, Choquette chose to attend Notre Dame.

"After I came here I knew this was the school for me," Choquette said. "Notre Dame

had the perfect combination of academics and volleyball, and I thought I could contribute to this up and coming team."

As a freshman, the Irish qualified for the NCAA tournament, and as a result, finished 15th in the nation. Choquette saw playing time in the tournament against Illinois. In that game, she had two kills, three blocks and one dig. She has hopes for a repeat performance this year.

"We'll have to play hard for the rest of the season, but making it to the tournament is a realistic goal," she said.

As a sophomore, Choquette ranked third on the blocking average list, playing hard and competitively for the rest of the season. She went on to her junior year to play in 34 of Notre Dame's 36 matches. She was third in kills and digs with 269 and 183 respectively.

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Off-Campus IH football players ruled ineligible

BY GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Writer

Seven members of Off-Campus' interhall football team were ruled ineligible by the RecSports office late Sunday after not qualifying under the university-set guidelines.

"The rules say that all interhall athletes must be undergraduate students at Notre Dame," said Assistant Director of RecSports Rick O'Leary. "The Off-Campus team had two graduate students and four or five Holy Cross students."

The ineligible players were discovered before Off-Campus' 20-3 loss to Flanner last Sunday at Stepan Field. Seven players were not allowed to play, and the Crime were forced to play with only twelve players.

RecSports investigated the matter after a number of halls

contacted them to inquire about the eligibility of several members of the Off-Campus team.

"We had gotten calls from a couple of different halls," said O'Leary. "Using that info we discovered the graduate students and we also found four Holy Cross students."

Crime coach Steve Fortunato was unavailable for comment but had spoken to RecSports officials and according to O'Leary was being "very cooperative" with the RecSports office.

"Steve claims that this is all a misunderstanding," O'Leary said. "He thought these athletes were cleared to play."

Off-Campus will also have to forfeit their previous game, a 14-0 win over Dillon. That penalty knocks the Crime to the bottom of the Parseghian division and leaves only a slim

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Irish men travel to Detroit to begin four-game road trip



The Observer/Andrew McCloskey

Sophomore Michael Palmer receives a pass. Palmer and the Irish make a trip to the University of Detroit this afternoon to face the Titans.

By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

Notre Dame's men's soccer team will try to regroup from a disappointing 4-1 loss to Indiana as they visit Midwestern Collegiate Conference rival Detroit this afternoon.

Today's game is the first of four consecutive road games for the Irish, which will mark their first extensive road trip of the season. Notre Dame's fortunes on this trip will depend largely on how the freshmen respond to the challenge of playing on the road.

"Coach (Mike Berticelli) stressed that the beginning of the season is a learning process," commented junior Brendan Dillman, "but this (road trip) will also be a good learning experience for the

younger players because it's always difficult to play on the road and they'll have to learn to be ready to play every game."

As they showed in last week's 4-1 loss to Indiana, the freshmen have been ready to play, but they still have a long way to go before they can compete with some of the nation's best teams.

"(Against Indiana) Our younger guys played like relatively talented upperclassmen," commented Berticelli, "but every game we're going to get better."

They will have to show improvement this afternoon against the Titans. Despite coming off a 3-14-0 campaign in 1990, coach Louie Stankovich's Detroit team boasts 15 returning lettermen, including Dave Poniatowski,

who netted nine points in 1990, and Danny Babic, who collected four points last season.

After playing the likes of Saint Louis, Evansville and Indiana, however, this road trip represents quite a drop in the level of competition and the Irish hope to capitalize on their superior skills and improve their 2-3-1 record.

"Going into the second third of the season we're hoping to win our next six or seven games, which we're very capable of doing," Dillman noted.

After today's contest at Detroit, the Irish have a Friday night date at Xavier before travelling to Dayton on Sunday afternoon. The trip will culminate next Wednesday night in Valparaiso, before the Irish return home to face Butler on October 13th.

Pitching makes the difference in the end

Pennant races are won by teams with bullpen punch

Two down, two to go in the races for the divisional pennants in baseball.

Minnesota, the first team to ever go from last to first in a season, wrapped up its second AL West title in five seasons this past Sunday, while Pittsburgh rolled to its second straight NL East crown, a feat not accomplished since the late 1970's.

Five and a half long months ago, numerous sports writers issued predictions concerning the divisional races. In no particular order, they had Boston in the AL East, the two Chicago entries in the AL West and NL East respectively, and Cincinnati in the NL West. Yet it appears that all those writers may go oh-for-1991.

(Okay, technically, Boston is still in the hunt, but unless Toronto pulls another choke job of monumental proportions, the Jays will grab the flag).

Still, the question has to be asked how one could be so near (both the Red and White Sox will finish second) and yet so far (Cubs and Reds) in his predictions.

In one word, pitching. The divisional title contenders had it, the pretenders not.

In the AL East, both Boston and Detroit made strong runs at the Blue Jays in August and September, but both fell short because a team can live off its offense for only so long.



Rene Ferran
Out of Bounds

Both the Red Sox and the Tigers were, in essence, one-man staffs. Roger Clemens (18-8, 2.38 ERA) and Bill Gullickson (19-9, 3.90) are Cy Young candidates, but otherwise, their starting pitching staffs have a 4.27 and 4.67 ERA respectively.

Further, their bullpen collapsed down the stretch—the Boston pen has lost four leads this past week alone, to take the Sox from one strike from a first-place tie to the brink of elimination.

Meanwhile, Toronto has the best staff ERA in the American League (3.56), with no starter above 4.00 and two relievers with over 20 saves—only the third time in history this has happened, and the first by a contending club—plenty to survive in baseball's weakest division and with one of the AL's weakest offenses supporting it.

In the West, Oakland faded when Dave Stewart couldn't maintain his 20-win pace (he was the first AL pitcher since Jim Palmer to win 20 games four years in a row) and 1990 Cy Young Award winner Bob Welch went from 27-6 to 12-12.

For White Sox fans, their downfall came during a stretch in August when their normally brilliant pitching deserted them. Chicago fell from a half-game out to eight-and-a-half back in a 17-day stretch where they were swept by Cleveland and were no-hit by Bret Saberhagen. Overall, the team went 2-15 from August 12-28, and its starting pitchers' ERA: 6.34.

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Women's golf falls short

By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

After a record-breaking performance at Michigan State last week, women's golf coach Tom Hanlon expected another good showing at the Lady Northern Invitational in Champaign, Illinois.

Unfortunately, the team couldn't overcome the tough University of Illinois course. A three-round total of 996, 47 shots higher than last week's performance at Michigan State, could only earn the team 15th place in the 18 team field.

"After setting a record (at Michigan State) I had high expectations for this tournament," Hanlon commented. "We played against some very strong competition, but we really didn't do as well as I expected."

Minnesota won the overall title, finishing at 919, five strokes ahead of Illinois and Northern Illinois.

Allison Wojnas and Alicia Murray each finished the 54-hole event with 248 totals, followed by Chrissy Klein and Denise Paulin at 254. Freshmen Katie Cooper and Sara Ruzzo rounded out the Irish scoring at 266 and 274, respectively.

While Wojnas and Murray

each failed to reach their expectations, there was some encouragement in the play of Cooper and Ruzzo.

"The upperclassmen have to be more consistent," Hanlon said, "but I'm encouraged by the play of the freshmen."

Despite the disappointing performance in Champaign, Hanlon recognizes the improvement the Irish are making, but he realizes that there is a lot of ground to be made up before the team will be able to defeat Big Ten quality teams.

"We're making strides," he said, "but the strides aren't quite long enough."

This weekend's trip to DeKalb, Illinois for Northern Illinois University's Husky Classic will round out the team's fall slate.

Another tough field awaits the Irish, as Iowa State, Nebraska, Purdue and Texas El Paso join host Northern Illinois, but there Irish are capable of finishing among the leaders.

"There will be some strong competition," said Hanlon, "but there are at least nine teams (out of 15) that we can beat."

If the team can return to the level of play they reached at Michigan State, they should definitely be in the hunt at Northern Illinois.