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Health nut

Lyons Hall Junior Emily Comer stretches out under the Lyons Hall Arch before exercising. Jogging remains a popular activity during the last days of summer on campus.

Tuition costs rise for SMC

By KATIE CAPUTO
News Writer

Residential costs for Saint Mary's College students will increase by six percent this year due to a general increase in operating expenses, according to Dan Osberger, the vice-president for fiscal affairs.

"Our single biggest operating expense is compensation which includes salaries, wages, and employee benefit costs," said Osberger.

The college is also trying to improve the quality of food service, said Osberger, and the new meal plan, Carte Blanche, adds to student expenses.

Student residential costs are about the same as other private institutions across the country, according to Osberger.

"The college should expect a tuition and fee increase in the 94-95 school year," Osberger said.

While students were not pleased with the rise in tuition, they also said that they would not want to sacrifice the programs or activities involved.

"Every college across the nation is increasing their tuition and I don't feel that Saint Mary's is any different, but the amount we pay is high enough already," said Jennifer Collins a Holy Cross Hall senior.

Collins, who worked in the admissions department this summer, said that she knows that the

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Saint Mary's enacts smoking restrictions

By NICOLE MCGRATH
Saint Mary's News Editor



Following a national trend towards restricting smoking, Saint Mary's has put a new smoking policy into effect.

The Board of Governance proposed the idea to the student body last year through student surveys, according to Director of Resident Life, Sherri Crahen. The new policy is as follows:

- Smoking is permitted in student rooms, as agreed upon by roommates and the vending

areas of each residence hall.

- Smoking is prohibited in all other public areas in the residence halls, including but not limited to laundry rooms, bathrooms, elevators stairwells, hallways, and lounges.

- Smoking is prohibited in the Library, Science Hall, Haggar

College Center and administrative areas in LeMans Hall and Madeleva Hall (except in individual offices).

According to Board of Governance President Mary Beth Wilkinson, the results of last year's student surveys were overwhelmingly in favor of the proposal.

"Around 70 to 75 percent of the student body supported the proposed policy," said Wilkinson.

There isn't total support for the restrictions, though.

"I think it should still be al-

lowed in the Library basement and student center," said senior Rhonda Kokot. "Even though I respect the others who don't want it around, I think it's ridiculous."

Kokot added that smoking in the room is a difficult subject if different roommates do not smoke.

But for sophomore Elizabeth Luedtke, the policy is a welcome change on campus.

"I think it's a good policy. Most smokers I know usually go outside to smoke," she said.

Students achieve dining hall improvements

By THERESA ALEMAN
News Writer

Changes made in the Notre Dame North and South dining halls are the result of student suggestions, surveys and an advisory group of about 30 students, according to David Prentkowski, director of Notre Dame Food Services.

Representatives from every dorm and a commissioner from student government offered student input to dining hall efforts to improve food service.

Improvements in both dining halls offer a daily grill line which serve hamburgers and french fries and will soon offer chicken sandwiches. Dining halls offer orange juice at all meals, as well as fruit carts with six fruits, various frozen yogurt toppings, and new spice racks include ten spices for students who wish to season their own food.

North Dining Hall offers a

daily restaurant-style pasta bar and South Dining Hall has a new daily hot food bar.

Aside from the choices of foods, hours have been changed, as well. The deli will be open seven days a week, and operating hours have been extended.

A "grab and go" box lunch is now available to students who do not have time for lunch and can be picked up between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Changes were made in the different dining halls in order to maximize improvements using the facilities already in place, according to Prentkowski.

So far, student response to the changes has been very favorable, but students agree that more changes are desired.

"I like the changes. The fruit salad is great, but why do they put beans in the Italian pasta

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New name signifies multicultural rebirth

BY BERNADETTE
PAMPUCH
News Writer

By expanding their mission and changing their name, Saint Mary's Office of Multicultural Affairs is hoping to reach more students this year.

"We are sending the message that this office is more inclusive," said program director Maricela Ramirez about their recent name change from the Office of Minority, International, and Non-traditional Life (M.I.N.T.) to the Office of Multicultural Affairs.

Initiated with the hope of drawing students into activities mistakenly believed to be open only to minorities, the change also reflects the rethinking of the label "minority" itself.

In coming years, growing ethnic populations will rede-

fine the term and Saint Mary's has already taken the first step toward promoting understanding by initiating programs involving both students and faculty, according to Ramirez.

"This is the first time since the office was created in Saint Mary's (that) we have addressed the freshman class," said Ramirez referring to Sunday's orientation presentation.

Reaction was favorable at the faculty/student discourse later that day.

"We're glad that we did have the discussion and (were) very impressed with (that) discussion," she added.

In order to increase awareness among faculty, the office sponsored an open-invitation seminar on multiculturalism this summer. Over twenty people attended, a large num-

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Book Fair offers cheap alternative

By MICHAEL O'HARA
News Writer

Providing an alternative to the bookstore, sales at The Book Fair begin today at 3 p.m. in Stepan Center.

Originally a campaign promise of candidates Frank Flynn and Nikki Wellmann, the sale has materialized under their administration.

According to Heather Arnold, Intellectual Life executive coordinator, The Book Fair will provide "an alternative to the high prices of the bookstore."

Books were turned in last spring by interested sellers who set their own prices. Stored over the summer, nearly 6,000 books will be on sale today through Friday.

"There should be a larger selection and it should be more convenient for the students," Arnold said.

A wide range of subjects should be available from science to arts and letters, with a range of prices that should be "significantly lower" than the bookstore, she said.

The hours of the sale are from 3-9 p.m. today and Thursday, and 2-6 p.m. on Friday.

All books not sold should be picked up by the seller on Monday from 5-9 p.m. Those items not picked up will be donated to charity.

INSIDE COLUMN

Television is no place for censorship

Television watchdogs are going Fox hunting.

Fox, arguably the most liberal of the four networks, has been a trailblazer in progressive programming from Married with Children to In Living Color. Yet both, particularly In Living Color, have pushed the threshold of decency and challenged the network censors.

And Fox is not the only network being carefully scrutinized for its choice of programming. Every network on television is facing challenges from Washington and outcries from citizens who have taken it upon themselves to regulate and censor what we watch.

One of the leading attackers the networks have to face is Rev. Donald Wildmon, leader of the American Family Association. The often ultra-conservative Rev. Wildmon has taken it upon himself to cleanse the airways for every remote control-wielding viewer. His predatory and somewhat vicious tactics have included pressuring sponsors to withdraw advertising dollars to denouncing programs, sight-unseen. New to his list is the unpremiered NYPD Blue. He, as well as other critics have deemed this program too racy for primetime viewers.

What confuses me is this: Who empowered this man to tell me what I can or cannot watch? The Rev. Wildmon has his Constitutional right to voice his opinion on what he feels is right, as I have mine. But don't I also have the right to choose what I want to watch from a full array of selections, instead of from pre-selected group of pure and inoffensive programming?

If the networks and advertisers attempt to appease every group who finds some offensive line or scene in a program, no programs will be left. We may be left staring at a blank screen. As networks are forced to pull show after show off the air, we may be left with PBS and The Weather Channel.

At least for a short period of time.

PBS will be forced because of naked pygmies on Nova or because of Mister Rogers' alleged drug problem, while the Weather Channel would most likely fall victim to some viewer who found the apparently phallic shape of Florida overtly inappropriate or offensive.

Where does this put us?

One of the primary concerns of the watchdog groups is the effect too much sex and violence on television is having on today's children. The responsibility for this lies not with the networks, but with the parents and families. Every television set is equipped with a channel changer and a power button. If a parent finds some program that he or she deems inappropriate for his or her children, perhaps one or the other of these magical devices should be used. If a child watches too much violence or sex on television, the fault is with the parenting, not with the programming.

As Peggy Charren, president of Action for Children's Television, said, "I think that censorship is worse than any of the junk on TV today. Parents can turn off TV programs they deem objectionable, but they can't turn on what's missing."

Parents, take control of your remote controls, and I'll control mine. I want my MTV.

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WORLD AT A GLANCE

Iraq, U.N. begin high-level talks

United Nations
Iraqi experts and U.N. officials began high-level talks Tuesday which Iraq hopes will lead to lifting the 3-year-old embargo on its oil sales. Western diplomats foresaw no early lifting of the sanctions, saying Iraq had failed to satisfy Gulf War cease-fire terms and other U.N. resolutions. "There is very little inclination among members of the Security Council to declare Iraq a good citizen," said American U.N. Ambassador Madeleine Albright, council president in August. She declined to tell reporters what Iraq must do to escape the embargo. A news blackout was expected to be imposed on the first round of talks, scheduled to last until at least Sept. 9. A second round is planned later in Baghdad. The head of Iraq's 15-member delegation, Gen. Amer Mohammed Rashid, boss of Iraq's military-industrial commission, met with Rolf Ekeus, the Swedish disarmament expert who heads the U.N. Special Commission. On Monday, he told reporters he hoped the talks would lead to lifting the oil embargo, but declined to make predictions. The Special Commission was created under the Gulf War cease-fire to eliminate Iraq's weapons of mass destruction, monitor defense industries and ensure Iraq never acquires nuclear, chemical, biological or long-range ballistic weapons.

Algeria executes seven Islamic extremists

ALGIERS, Algeria
Seven Islamic extremists were executed at dawn Tuesday for a terrorist bombing at the Algiers airport a year ago that killed nine people and injured 123. The Justice Ministry made the announcement but gave no details. Executions in this North African country are normally by firing squad. Though three anti-terrorist courts established in February to cope with the Muslim fundamentalist insurgency have meted out 232 death penalties, the airport bombers were the first to be executed. The seven men were sentenced to death May 26. Three other death sentences in the bombing were commuted to life imprisonment. The fate of two other defendants who never appealed their death sentences was not known. Twenty-six others sentenced to death in absentia remain at large. The explosion that tore through Houari Boumediene Airport on Aug. 26, 1992, remains the single bloodiest act of violence in the 20-month-old insurgency by fundamentalist extremists. Those executed Tuesday included Hocine Abderrahim, said to be the mastermind behind the bombing, and former special secretary to Abassi Madani, jailed leader of the Salvation Front.

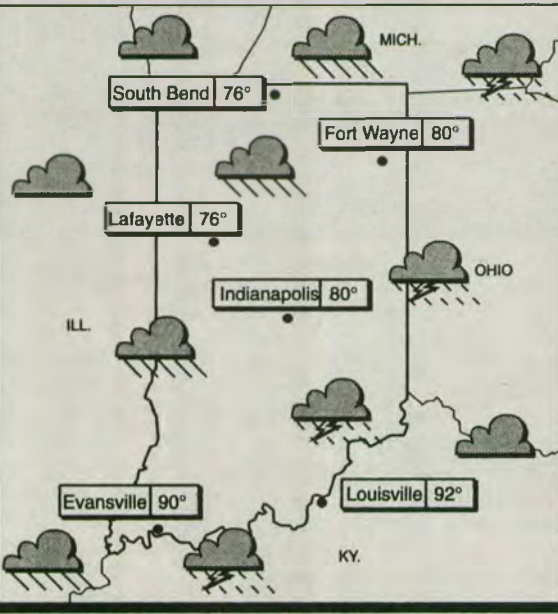
North expected to campaign for Senate

WASHINGTON
Oliver North, a pivotal figure in the Iran-Contra scandal, says he won't discuss the arms-for-hostages affair during his expected campaign for a Republican senatorial nomination next year. In an interview published in Wednesday's editions of The Washington Post, North said the public no longer cares about Iran-Contra. "I think most people accept the fact that this issue is behind us," the former White House national security aide told the newspaper. "It's certainly behind me," he said. "I have acknowledged the mistakes that I made. I don't know how anybody could just sit there, idle, doing nothing, with Americans being held in terrible conditions ... I think the purposes, the goals, the objectives were noble." While he has not declared his candidacy for the Senate from Virginia, North has endorsed a group seeking to draft him for the GOP nomination. If nominated next year, North would run for the seat now held by Democratic Sen. Charles Robb, who is expected to face a primary challenge from Virginia Gov. Douglas Wilder.

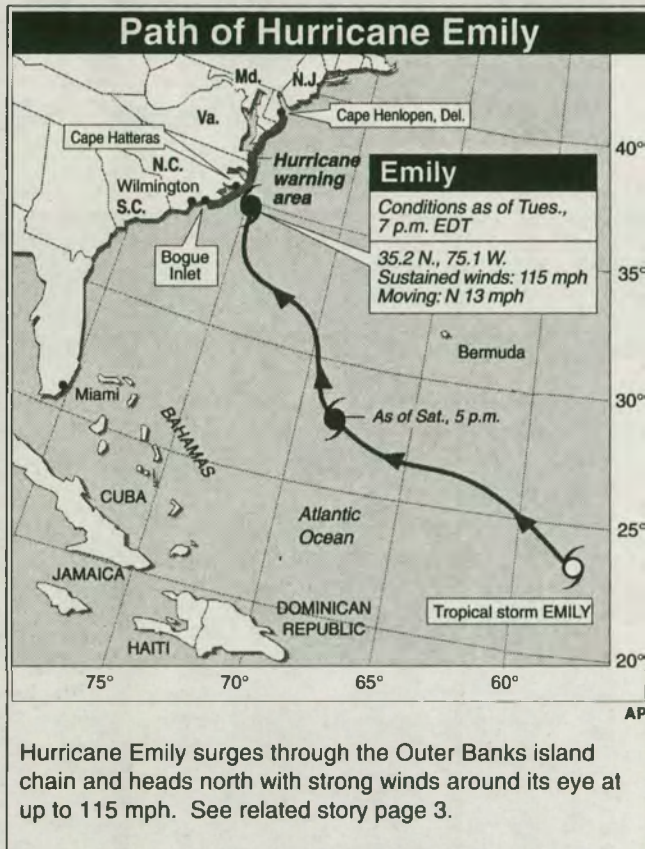


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Hurricane Emily surges through the Outer Banks island chain and heads north with strong winds around its eye at up to 115 mph. See related story page 3.

Man wanted in Indiana sentenced

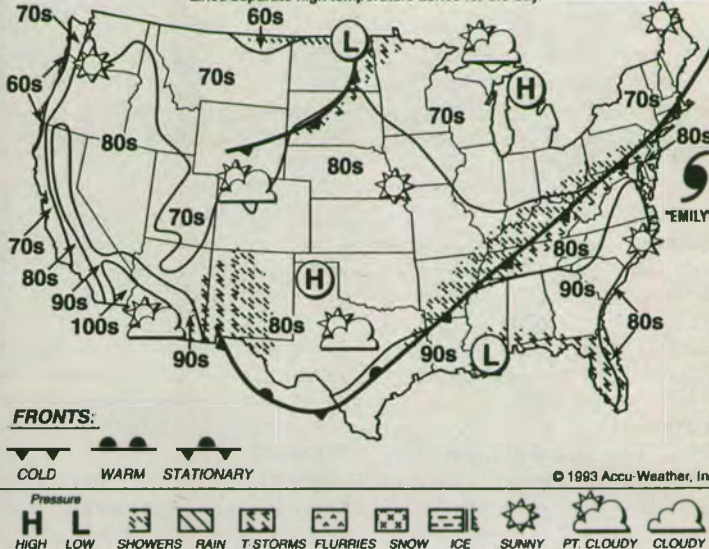
VICTORIA, British Columbia
A man who has been on the run from U.S. authorities for more than a decade received a 30-day jail sentence Tuesday. Craig David Rihl, wanted in Indiana on drug charges since 1981, pleaded guilty to possessing a forged Canadian passport and to impersonation. Crown counsel Michael Passport told provincial court Judge Michael Hubbard that on June 6, the U.S. Federal Bureau of Investigation told Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Ottawa about Rihl receiving mail in Eldorado, Ontario. The RCMP discovered that Rihl's mail was forwarded to an address in the Victoria suburb of Saanich. Rihl faces a deportation hearing.

Medical school applicants hit record high

CHICAGO
A record number of people applied to U.S. medical schools this year, defying warnings that medicine has lost its appeal and bearing witness to a tough job market for college graduates. There were 42,625 applicants, 60 percent more than five years ago, said Tuesday, the Association of American Medical Colleges said Tuesday. The recent increase in medical applicants doesn't jibe with the dissatisfaction many doctors express about medicine today and with the specter of government regulation under health care reform, said a report on medical education in Wednesday's Journal of the American Medical Association. The previous peak was 42,621 in 1974, said Dr. Robert Petersdorf, president of the Washington-based Association of American Medical Colleges. That "was due to what I like to call the Vietnam bulge, mainly white males who would rather apply to medical school than get shot at in Da Nang," Petersdorf said Tuesday by telephone. He said he doesn't know the reason for the recent increase. But, he said, it continues a trend that began after the 1987 stock market crash, when aspiring professionals began looking for a safer field than business.

NATIONAL Weather

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Boston	87	Los Angeles	82	65	Rome	86	73

Emily passes Outer Banks, heads North

By ESTES THOMPSON
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MANTEO, N.C.

Surging seas crashed onto the fragile Outer Banks island chain Tuesday as Hurricane Emily slowly brushed by with wind whistling around its eye at up to 115 mph.

"The house is shaking terribly from the wind and waves. Water is pouring in everywhere, from cracks in the doors and windows and from the roof," Irene Nolan said from her home in the tiny seaside village of Frisco, where she rode out the storm.

"If it weren't so fascinating to see what's happening, I'd be terrified," she said.

The center of the hurricane got as close as about 20 miles due east of Cape Hatteras late Tuesday afternoon, and the eye wall — the region of strongest wind around the calm eye — moved over Hatteras Island, said Bob Sheets, director of the

National Hurricane Center. No part of the eye had crossed land, however. The eye had grown to 45 miles wide Tuesday evening.

The National Weather Service office in Buxton recorded sustained wind of 58 mph with gusts to 98 mph. The Diamond Shoals light tower 14 miles southeast of Cape Hatteras had sustained wind of 94 mph with gusts to 106 mph before instruments there stopped transmitting data.

Farther north, hurricane warnings were in effect to Cape Henlopen, Del., while heavy surf caused minor flooding along the southern shore of New York's Long Island, where 20,000 people on Fire Island were ordered to evacuate.

But the brush with the Outer Banks could turn out to be Emily's closest encounter with land. Forecasters were expecting the hurricane to skirt the Mid-Atlantic Coast on Tuesday

night, then turn to the northeast sometime Wednesday and veer offshore, sparing the Northeast its worst fury.

Late Tuesday afternoon, however, Sheets said a computer model showed "it might hold it in closer to the coast a little longer than we anticipated."

The storm was passing the Outer Banks as a full moon tide rose toward a peak at about 8:15 p.m., and the weather service office at Cape Hatteras reported flooding over the thin barrier beaches from both the ocean and Pamlico Sound.

The storm surge was expected to be as high as 8 to 9 feet, and ocean swells were reaching 15 feet along the coast, the weather service said.

Tens of thousands of residents and tourists had fled the Outer Banks, the chain of narrow, low-lying sandy islets off the North Carolina coast. To the north, in Virginia, a swimmer was missing in heavy surf. The Virginia National Guard was on alert and residents of some low-lying areas were urged to consider leaving.

"The waves are incredible," said Finis Craft II, a clerk at Blackbeard's Lodge on

Ocracoke island. The owners left but he stayed behind, watching the storm from the safety of a third-floor suite.

At 7 p.m., the center of the hurricane was estimated to be about 30 miles east-northeast of Capt Hatteras, where the Outer Banks extended farthest to sea, or near 35.5 north latitude and 75.1 west longitude.

The storm, which had been moving generally toward the northwest earlier in the day, had curved toward the north. Its forward motion speeded up to nearly 13 mph, up from 9 mph earlier Tuesday.

Sheets estimated maximum sustained wind speed around the eye at 115 mph, extending outward nearly 35 miles, as the storm gathered energy from the warm Gulf Stream offshore. But the strongest winds were east of the eye, away from shore.

Military aircraft and ships had been moved out of the area. The Navy moved about 1,800 people from its Dam Neck Fleet Combat Training Center in Virginia Beach, Va., near the ocean after sand-bagging vulnerable areas and taping windows.

Life trustee Frank Mackle dead at 77

By SARAH DORAN
Associate News Editor

Frank Mackle, Jr., life trustee of the University, passed away this summer. He was 77 years old and lived in Key Biscayne, Fla.

Mackle was named to the Notre Dame Board of Trustees in 1964 and became a life trustee in 1987. He was also awarded an Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree in 1980.

After graduating from Vanderbilt University in 1938, Mackle joined the Mackle Company, serving as vice president from 1947 to 1971, and president from 1971 to 1976. In 1961, he founded The Deltona Corporation and became one of the nation's leading home builders and community developers. He has also been featured in "Who's Who in the World."

Mackle was also a member of the board of trustees for W.R. Grace & Company, Mutual of Omaha, and United of Omaha Insurance Company. He was active in civic, charitable and religious organizations and served as a member of the Greater Miami Chamber of Commerce, Sierra Club, and the National Conference of Christians and Jews. He was also an honored Knight of Saint Gregory.

Mackle is survived by his wife Virginia, daughter Nancy Radcliffe, and a son, Frank Mackle, Jr., a 1966 graduate of Notre Dame.

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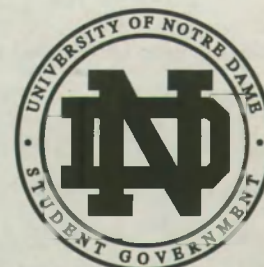
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Football mania

Notre Dame seniors Brett Bauer, Becky Cordes, Melissa McPike and Lisa Vierhile pass the time while camping out for football tickets in the hope of obtaining good seats.

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bar? You can't mix Italian and Mexican. It just ain't right," said Jennifer Cleary, a Howard Hall junior.

"The variety of the food is much better. I think the only problem with the dining hall is it's way too crowded. The pasta bar the whole time is real decent but I wish we could eat whenever we want . . . and have pancake nights too," said Mark Varlotta, a Stanford Hall sophomore.

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ber despite an attempt to keep group size at a minimum in order to promote discussion.

Aside from educating the faculty, Multicultural Affairs has had a busy summer preparing for its first multicultural week in late October. Subtitled as "Possibilities for a Cultural Connection," it will include activities spanning a variety of backgrounds.

The dining hall will offer various ethnic foods, the library will exhibit works reflecting the multicultural theme, and the library has agreed to display books on the study of multiculturalism. Fashion shows and music, a dance group from India and a jazz band from New York are also scheduled in hopes of educating students about the world around them.

"This experience will allow them to grow personally and intellectually, and that is what college is all about," Ramirez said.

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Tuition

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College is trying to increase enrollment to defray costs.

"I read that for a child born today it would cost \$300,000 for them to complete college, there has to be a limit," Collins said. She said that a priority for the College must be to work on keeping the cost of tuition down while maintaining the quality of a Saint Mary's education.

"My family has three kids in college (all private) and for us the increase is really a crunch on the family," said Tina Trzaska a Holy Cross Hall sophomore. "It's like they (the College) are not thinking about us and our families. They want more because they know we will pay more to go here."

Trzaska said that it is getting

tougher and tougher for her and her family to find the money for Saint Mary's tuition each semester.

"I can't say to my boss at work that I want a six percent increase this summer because my tuition is going up six percent this year," she said.

Those students who were not hit hard by the increase still said that a priority of the College should be to keep costs down and limit increases over the next few years.

"Granted the cost of living goes up, but I would like to see them (tuition and fees) stay the same during the next few years," said Monica Lizarraga, a Le Mans Hall sophomore whose tuition costs have remained stable because of an increase she received in grants and scholarships.

Jennifer Habrych contributed to this article.

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Singing the blues

Peter Wernau, a Cavanaugh Hall freshman, grooves to blues and jazz on his guitar yesterday afternoon on North Quad.

Experts: Expect only mild economic improvement

By DAVE SKIDMORE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON

The economy is sputtering along so far this year at a substantially weaker growth rate than in 1992, and the prospect, according to economists, is for only mild improvement.

The gross domestic product — the sum of all goods and services produced in the United States — advanced a lackluster 1.8 percent in the April-June period to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of \$5.1 trillion, the Commerce Department said Tuesday. That followed a barely perceptible 0.8 percent gain in the first quarter.

The increases were slightly better than what the department reported a month ago — 1.6 percent in the second quarter and 0.7 percent in the first. But they're still far below what analysts were looking for when the year began, and they cast doubt on the strength of the momentum going into the second half of the year.

"Our forecast for the second half is 2.7 percent. ... It's our forecast and I'll live and die by it but I'm beginning to feel a lot less comfortable," said economist Martin Regalia of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce. "It's becoming a hope as much as a forecast."

The Clinton administration, too, is scaling back its projections. Laura Tyson, the chairwoman of the White House Council of Economic Advisers, has said that the administration could reduce its 1993 growth forecast from 3.1 percent to as low as 2.1 percent when it releases its midyear economic review on Wednesday.

At a briefing Tuesday, she cited three factors to explain the economy's sluggishness: depressed commercial real estate, military spending cuts

and slowdowns in the economies of major U.S. trading partners.

"This recovery is about half the speed of previous recoveries," she said.

However, she said low interest rates, which act on the economy with a delay, should soon start to help stimulate activity, particularly in housing.

This year's languid growth offers a stark contrast to the relatively robust performance last year, when the economy expanded at a revised 5.7 percent rate in the fourth quarter, 3.4 percent in the third, 2.8 percent in the second and 3.5 percent in the first.

The 1992 revisions, along with other changes showing the 1990-91 recession was milder than thought, show that the economy, although still subpar, was better off during the presidency of George Bush than economists realized at the time.

"All I can say about these revisions is 'Poor George!'," said economist Maury N. Harris of PaineWebber Inc. "The fact of the matter is the economy wasn't doing all that horribly. ... I guess that's the way the cookie crumbles."

Economist Norman Robertson, an adjunct professor at Carnegie-Mellon University in Pittsburgh, said the revisions underscore the danger of fashioning government programs to aid the economy in the short run.

"It really makes the implementation of any kind of economic policy extremely hazardous in the sense that the numbers on which the policy are based are often wrong and subject to substantial revision,"

Clinton plans to 'reinvent' federal government with early retirement, buyouts, transfers, and retraining

By RON FOURNIER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON

President Clinton's plan to "reinvent government" will offer early retirement, buyouts, transfers and retraining to thousands of federal workers who would no longer be needed in a streamlined, high-tech operation, officials said Tuesday.

The National Performance Review, headed by Vice President Al Gore under orders from Clinton, is designed to reshape the federal bureaucracy by consolidating operations, making government agencies compete with private firms and treating taxpayers like customers.

The White House believes the

plan could reduce the 2.1 million-person non-postal federal work force by at least 100,000 before 1995, the goal Clinton set early this year. "It could exceed that number," said a senior White House official.

An administration official involved in drafting Gore's report said the number of federal employees affected may be closer to 200,000. It was also unclear how much money Gore expects to save with his plan, although early estimates projected \$10 billion in savings over five years.

The details will be released next Tuesday at a news conference with Gore, Clinton and the Cabinet. The president will go on the road for two days next week to promote the plan.

Clinton also will establish the

President's Management Council to implement the recommendations, according to an administration budget official familiar with the report. The official spoke on condition of anonymity.

The order will require each Cabinet secretary and agency head to name a chief operating officer, who then will sit on the council.

The latest draft of the report recommends opening the government printing operation to allow competition with the private sector, said the officials. The Government Printing Office, which gets almost all of the business now, is considered slower and more expensive than private operations.

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Israelis, Palestinians near agreement

By BARRY SCHWEID
AP Diplomatic Writer

WASHINGTON
Emotion-charged Mideast peace talks reopened Tuesday with confident Palestinian and Israeli predictions that a historic agreement to establish Palestinian self-rule would be concluded within days.

"That's a done deal," said a senior Israeli official. He told reporters the only remaining question was whether the accord would be signed by the heads of the Israeli and Palestinian delegations that opened an 11th round of talks here or other Israeli and PLO officials.

"It's an agreement that stands on its own two feet," the official said.

Moreover, Nabil Shaath, chief political adviser to PLO chairman Yasser Arafat, said "we hope to hear very soon — tomorrow or the day after" statements of "full mutual recognition" by Arafat and Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin.

Israeli sources confirmed Arafat and Rabin would move toward an accommodation but said the announcement may be several days off.

But the official said Israel "will not settle for anything that is less than 110 percent explicit" recognition of its nationhood and renunciation of terrorism by the Palestinian Liberation Organization.

The PLO has agreed, meanwhile, that 3,300 Jewish settlers would remain in Gaza with Israel responsible for their security.

The timetable for mutual recognition was one of the subjects under discussion in Europe, where Israeli and PLO negotiators on Tuesday continued the talks they had begun secretly earlier this year in Oslo.

Negotiators here awaited the results.

Norwegian officials, who have played a key role in forging the accord, said the new location was a secret and three other meetings had been held in three in another European

country, which they would not name.

A senior Israeli negotiator said after a 90-minute meeting with the Palestinians that Israel, whose government had already approved the agreement Monday, was now awaiting approval of the pact by the central committee of the PLO.

"Now it's up to the PLO to respond in kind and to approve the agreement so that we may soon formalize it and sign it here in Washington," said Eytan Ben-Tsur.

Secretary of State Warren Christopher, praising the accord that will put the PLO in charge of day-to-day life in Gaza and in the West Bank city of Jericho as "a conceptual breakthrough," said the United States was prepared to provide financial assistance.

But in the Arab world beyond, and in Israel, there was anxiety and some bitter opposition forming to the agreement.

Many Israelis worried about giving Arafat a foothold on the West Bank, some 20 miles from Jerusalem, while militant Arabs questioned the Palestinians settling for less than a state at this stage.

Haitian heads key role in democratic government

By DAVID BEARD
Associated Press Writer

SAN JUAN, Puerto Rico
Politics drove Louis Dejoie Jr. and his family from Haiti. Now politics is bringing him back as a key Cabinet member in a new government dedicated to democracy.

On Tuesday he dawdled over breakfast with his wife in his exile home, spent some extra time with his son, saw the doctor and said goodbye to his buddies in Puerto Rico's Rotary Club. On Wednesday morning, Haiti's new commerce and industry minister returns to his homeland to help rebuild his devastated nation.

"The last 23 months have been really the worst point in Haiti's history," Dejoie, 65, said from his San Juan home.

He calmly lists the estimates of the carnage following the army's overthrow of President Jean-Bertrand Aristide in September 1991: more than 1,500 Haitians killed from military repression, hundreds of thousands driven underground and an estimated 10,000

deaths from malnutrition and disease resulting from the worldwide economic sanctions that followed the coup.

Like Aristide's hand-picked new prime minister, Robert Malval, who returned to Haiti on Tuesday after assuming the post the previous day, Dejoie has known persecution in a manner difficult for an American politician to imagine. Retribution followed his father's challenge, in the scandal-tainted 1957 presidential election, of Francois "Papa Doc" Duvalier and the traditionally strong army.

Duvalier consolidated his power by waging a seven-year killing spree of thousands of real or imagined political opponents, including many supporters of Louis Dejoie Sr. and members of Haiti's mulatto minority.

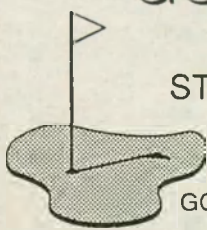
The Dejoie family sought asylum in the Mexican Embassy in Haiti and made its way to Puerto Rico. While the Duvalier family kleptocracy bankrupted Haiti, the younger Dejoie, an agronomist, built up a prosperous construction company in Puerto Rico.

His wife, Ghislaine, said personal success has never been enough for him.

"He has always wanted to do something more for his country," she said at breakfast. After the fall of the Duvalier family dictatorship, Dejoie revived his father's political party and finished a distant third to Aristide and to Marc Bazin in the 1990 presidential race.

After the coup, he got death threats. At a political meeting Jan. 25, 1992, armed plainclothes police burst in, killing one man and ordering Dejoie to lay face down on the floor. A policeman then stomped on his bald head.

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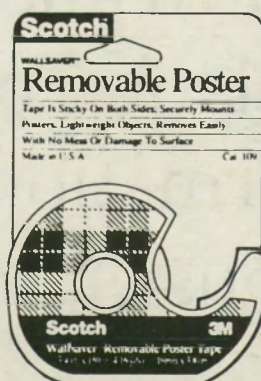
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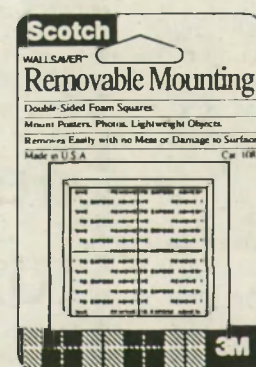
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Russian troops leave Lithuania

Associated Press

VILNIUS, Lithuania — Russia withdrew its last soldier from Lithuania on Tuesday, a pullout that the president said "was awaited and dreamed about" by his countrymen since 1940.

Lithuania is the first Baltic nation to eject all former Soviet troops, who numbered more than 34,000 here a year ago.

The last of about 2,400 paratroopers crossed out of Lithuania by train shortly after 8 p.m., President Algirdas Brazauskas announced to Parliament, as his words were carried by loudspeaker to an applauding crowd outside.

"This day was awaited and dreamed about by more than one Lithuanian generation since 1940," Brazauskas said.

Soldiers under Moscow command arrived in Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia shortly after Soviet dictator Josef Stalin absorbed the Baltic states in a secret deal with Nazi Germany in 1939.

"I'm enjoying this," said Semetas Jonas, 71, standing in the crowd of about 200 outside Parliament. He said he saw the Russian troops when they came to Vilnius — "a depressing sight."

A few Russian officers will remain in Lithuania to oversee removal of munitions from Russian bases.

"In two or three weeks, all their work will be completed," Defense Minister Audrius Butkevicius said Tuesday. "Today there is not a single Russian military unit on Lithuanian soil."

Russia's government was milking the pullout for its own political purposes. Its ambassador to Lithuania, Nikolai Abertasov, suggested that President Boris Yeltsin's hard-line opponents might not have been so kind.

"It shows the Russian Federation, led by its current leaders, is going the way of democracy," Abertasov said.

Russia still has about 15,000 soldiers in Latvia and 4,000 in Estonia. Both countries have welcomed Russia's pullout, and expressed hope for similar quick agreement with their governments.

Lithuanian nationalists long labeled the troops occupiers. In January 1991, Soviet troops carried out a bloody crackdown on independence-minded governments in Lithuania and Latvia.

Russia grudgingly agreed to the withdrawal after the Soviet collapse, but stopped the pullout on Aug. 18, citing Lithuania's sudden demand for \$146 billion in damages. The troops were scheduled to leave by the end of August.

Yeltsin resumed the pullout Monday after agreeing with Brazauskas to separate negotiations on compensation. Brazauskas will go to Moscow in September to discuss reparations and other issues.

The U.S. ambassador to Lithuania, Darryl Johnson, welcomed the pullout and said it now was up to Russia and Lithuania to capitalize on the goodwill.

Peace talks among Serbs and Bosnians near agreement

By CLARE NULLIS
Associated Press Writer

GENEVA

Bosnia's Muslim-led government and rebel Serbs agreed Tuesday on a new cease-fire as year-old negotiations to end the brutal war by splitting the country reached a decisive phase.

Serb President Slobodan Milosevic and Bosnian Serb leader Radovan Karadzic, meanwhile, said they expected Bosnian President Alija Izetbegovic to accept a separate plan to split Bosnia into three ethnic republics on Wednesday.

"The conference continues tomorrow (Wednesday) and we are expecting the Muslim side to sign the whole package," Karadzic said as he emerged from daylong talks.

However, Izetbegovic said no breakthrough has occurred in discussions on the boundaries of the republics.

"No progress so far," he

said. "Maybe tomorrow." Izetbegovic has been consistently downbeat in public comments about the peace talks.

He has slammed a peace plan proposed by international mediators as rewarding Serb and Croat aggression. But he fears the outgunned government forces and suffering Muslim civilians may not survive another winter.

Earlier, Bosnian Serb and government officials said the two sides agreed to a cessation of hostilities as part of a five-point plan. The three warring factions — Muslims, Serbs, Croats — have repeatedly agreed on cease-fires, and then broken them.

Karadzic aide Nikola Koljevic said other provisions included prisoner exchanges and a telephone hot line between government headquarters in Sarajevo and the Bosnian Serb base in nearby Pale, the first phone link since the war began nearly 17 months ago.

Major religious leaders declare global ethic

By DAVID BRIGGS
Associated Press Writer

CHICAGO

Leaders of the world's major faiths have declared a global ethic that laments environmental abuses, calls disarmament the newest commandment and condemns sexual discrimination.

The Declaration of a Global Ethic, a historic attempt to find values common to the world's religions, has been signed by 20 leaders of major faiths who are presidents of the 1993 Parliament of World's Religions.

Signers range from the Dalai Lama, leader of Tibetan Buddhism, to the Rev. Wesley Ariarajah, deputy general secretary of the World Council of Churches, which represents most major Protestant denominations.

The document, a copy of which was obtained by The Associated Press, goes before a larger assembly of more than

200 spiritual leaders for their consideration beginning Thursday. They will be asked to sign it, but no other changes may be made, parliament officials said.

A list of the major signers will be made available at a formal ceremony Saturday.

The statement affirms that a common set of core values are found in the teachings of religion, and expresses hope "that the ancient wisdom of our religions can point the way for the future."

But the religious leaders reserved their harshest criticism for the sins of their own faiths in a world where up to two-thirds of armed conflicts invoke the name of religion.

"Time and again we see leaders and members of religions incite aggression, fanaticism, hate and xenophobia — even inspire and legitimize violent and bloody conflicts. ... We are filled with disgust," the statement says.

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Another volunteer killed by new hepatitis B drug

By LAURAN NEERGAARD

Associated Press Writer

A fifth volunteer died Tuesday from an experimental drug touted as a miracle cure for hepatitis B, beyond medical rescue even as scientists unraveled the mystery of what went gravely wrong in a clinical trial.

Agonizingly, the first clue was in plain sight a year ago, but researchers at the National Institutes of Health didn't know enough about how the drug worked to recognize what it meant, the study's lead scientist says.

"Something terrible happened and we missed it," Dr. Jay Hoofnagle said in an emotional interview describing the horror of realizing the drug was killing people months after they stopped taking it.

"The dreadful thing (is) waiting to see what will happen," he said, his voice trembling, before learning of the most recent death. "I just hope we're over the worst."

The drug Fialuridine, or FIAU, had shown great promise for fighting the hepatitis B virus, which can cause deadly cirrhosis and liver cancer. When dogs passed toxicity tests

unharmed, the Food and Drug Administration approved FIAU for human trials.

Too late, scientists would discover that in humans, FIAU stealthily attacks the very building blocks of cells in livers, kidneys and nerves.

Five people treated with FIAU have died of liver and kidney failure, despite liver transplants for three of them. On Tuesday, a 37-year-old woman succumbed after two months in critical condition and two liver transplants at the University of Virginia Medical Center. One volunteer remains in serious condition there, and another is recovering from an Aug. 4 transplant at Emory University Hospital in Atlanta.

Additionally, Hoofnagle fears other antiviral drugs such as the AIDS drugs AZT and ddI, which are known to be toxic, may attack patients the way FIAU did. The first clue that FIAU was dangerous came in August 1992, when a man who had taken FIAU developed painful nerve damage. Paul Melstrom of Phoenix and 23 other volunteers participated in a 28-day NIH study of FIAU, from mid-April to mid-May. Almost four months later, Melstrom, 53, contracted se-

vere neuropathy in his feet and legs. Another patient had minor neuropathy.

"It was so obvious to me it was the FIAU," Melstrom said from Arizona. "There's nothing about my life that changed in 1992, but there was one hallmark event. That was the taking of the FIAU."

But the NIH couldn't prove FIAU was to blame. Many things cause neuropathy, including alcohol. Melstrom is a recovering alcoholic and once had a bout with mild neuropathy.

So the agency continued the trial this spring, giving the drug to 15 otherwise healthy hepatitis patients for up to 11 weeks. Hoofnagle did warn volunteers beforehand that neuropathy was a possible side effect and tested them for symptoms.

In early June, two volunteers developed neuropathy symptoms and immediately stopped taking FIAU. By mid-month, they were hospitalized with liver poisoning, unrelated to their hepatitis but similar to the late toxicity Melstrom had experienced.

Hoofnagle halted the trial. But the horror was just beginning.

One by one, from June 16

through August, seven people fell ill with damaged livers, kidneys and nerves as frustrated doctors and frightened fellow volunteers watched.

Now, with five of the seven dead, the remaining eight patients in the trial are being watched to determine if they escaped serious harm.

What happened? This is Hoofnagle's theory:

A virus cannot reproduce on its own, so it instead takes over a cell's DNA, the cellular blueprint that maps how each person's unique genes are continuously reproduced. The virus uses the DNA to furiously replicate itself.

In the trials, FIAU foiled the hepatitis B virus by forming a bogus link in a hepatitis-infected DNA chain, which stopped it from reproducing.

But FIAU didn't stop there. It also tricked sub-units of the body's cells called mitochondria, the all-important engines that energize the cells.

Mitochondria have their own DNA, which FIAU crippled just as it had done with hepatitis-infected DNA. This crippled DNA produced a second generation of flawed mitochondria, which killed the cells dependent on them for energy.

Victim says defendant attacked Denny

By LINDA DEUTSCH

AP Special Correspondent

LOS ANGELES

One of the black men accused of beating white trucker Reginald Denny had threatened to "hit and kill people" because of Rodney King, and later hit Denny with a brick, a witness testified Tuesday.

Gabriel Quintana also testified that defendant Damian Williams attacked him during the riots that broke out after four white policemen were acquitted of most charges in the beating of King, who is black.

Williams, 20, and Henry Keith Watson, 28, are being tried on charges of attempted murder, assault and robbery for attacks on Denny and seven others at the South Central Los Angeles intersection where the riots began on April 29, 1992.

Quintana was the first witness to identify Williams as one of the attackers. He said Williams threw a brick at Denny's head and then "he started to dance."

Quintana testified that he was working at a gas station near the intersection where trouble started and that he recognized Williams as someone who had come by before to ask for cigarettes or take gas without paying for it.

On the day of the riots, "He say, 'Today I'm going to hit and kill people,'" Quintana said.

"He just said something about Rodney King," Quintana said when asked why Williams wanted to attack people.

Asked to identify the defendant, he pointed to the counsel table and said, "He's here in the shirt and tie."

Quintana, 22, delivered most of his testimony through a Spanish interpreter, although he quoted the remark about hitting and killing people in both Spanish and in Williams' language, English.

After the riot started, Quintana said, he left his cashier's booth and locked himself in a gas station restroom. But he said Williams and others unscrewed the hinges to the restroom door, dragged him out, beat him and pushed his head through the glass cashier's window.

Williams' lawyer, Edi Faal, pointed out that Quintana never mentioned Williams' alleged threats to police.

"During that conversation with Officer (Martina) Villalobos on July 15, 1992, you made no reference to someone may get killed, did you?" asked Faal.

"No," the witness said.

Quintana also acknowledged that he did not mention Williams' purported remark when he filed a stolen property report on July 7, 1992, and that the first time he mentioned it was at a meeting with two prosecutors on May 13, 1993.

Asked why he waited so long, Quintana said, "I don't know."

Faal accused him of changing his testimony to help prosecutors prove the attempted murder charge.



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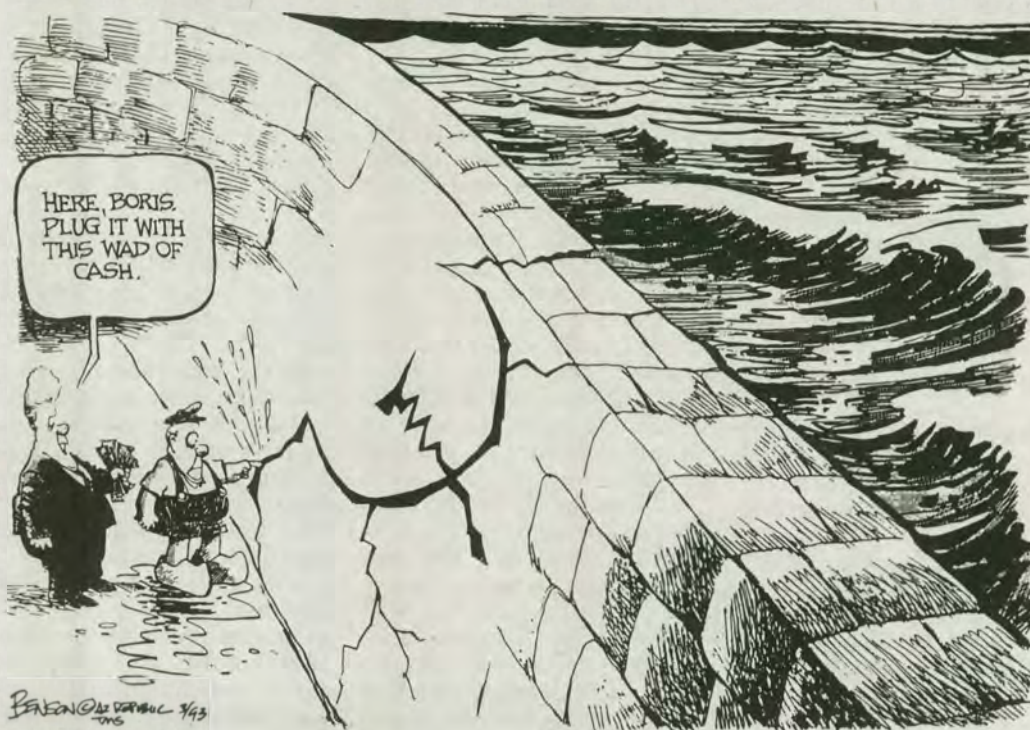
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JOHN WALTERS

WEST SIDE SAUNA

Whitey epitomizes school

Friend reminisces over time in South Bronx

"Never stage a musical on a Friday night in the South Bronx during a heatwave unless the auditorium has air conditioning and even then, it's not a very good idea."

That, ladies and gentlemen, is not the first law of American theater, but rather the words of wisdom passed on to me by my former Upper East Side roommate, Whitey. It's sound advice.

The last Friday of April, 1990, was a night Whitey had been anticipating for months. Since before the previous Thanksgiving, in fact. Whitey, who was in his second year teaching English at Cardinal Hayes High School in the Bronx (distinguished alumni include Jamal Mashburn and Martin Scorsese, but not George Carlin, who was expelled during his sophomore year, nor Regis Philbin, who was not), had also taken on the task of directing the school musical, *West Side Story*.

The undertaking posed some unique problems. First of all, Cardinal Hayes is an all-boys school, and if you're familiar with the plot, *West Side Story* requires a few females. Second, Hayes is 97% non-Caucasian. Nobody wanted to be in the Jets. Finally, and this proved to be the largest hurdle to clear, Whitey was 23 years old and had no experience directing plays.

Obstacles notwithstanding, there was the question of what Whitey, who resembles a somewhat less physically imposing Lou Holtz, was doing in the South Bronx in the first place. Here was an upper-middle

class kid from Indy who had gone to Notre Dame, gotten the grades and been accepted into medical school. Pass Go, collect \$200 and open up your practice. That's the way you do it. See ya at the Michigan game.

But somewhere along the way Whitey screwed up big time. He decided to defer from medical school just for a year and volunteer to teach at Hayes. Just for a year, you understand. But, as Robert Frost wrote, it's funny how way leads on to way, and so five years after graduating, Whitey is still in the Bronx.

As someone who has become a close friend of his in New York (although we were both class of '88 pre-meds who lived in Dillon, we did not share many Notre Dame moments), I have continually marveled at the concatenation of traumas that Whitey has borne while at Hayes, a series of which I have not seen outside of the Book of Exodus. And yet, because Whitey loves what he does so much, loves the students to whom all of his time is devoted, these students take on a hilarious tone. Alan Alda's character in the film *Hannah and Her Sisters* explains it thusly: "Tragedy plus time equals comedy."

To that, I add Whitey's Postulate: "If it has happened, it has happened to me."

For example, the *West Side Sauna* debacle. Whitey's cast rehearsed for five months, which included putting in eight-hour Saturdays every weekend. Who could have prepared them, though, for the opening nightmare 95-degree curvball that

God threw? In April?

I remember talking to him about it the next day:

"Was it really that bad, Whitey?"

"John, the heat caused the students in the audience to completely lose control. You would not believe..."

"What happened?"

"You know the final scene? Where Maria confronts Chino after he's killed Tony?"

"Yeah."

"Half of the audience was laughing."

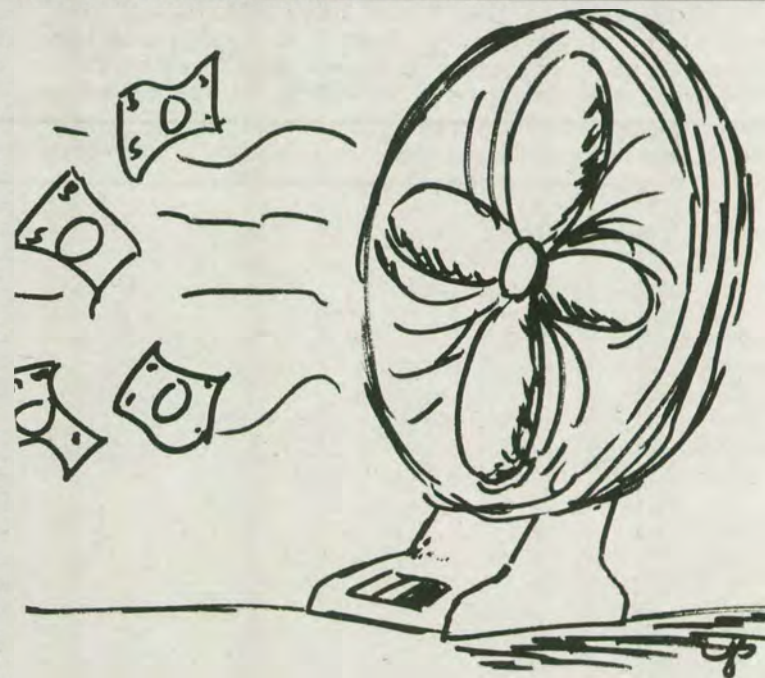
"Oh."

"The other half was encouraging Maria to shoot Chino."

"Uh oh."

As I recall, the *West Side Sauna* of '90 occurred before the Great Flat Tire of '93. Whitey, driving four of his students to visit Notre Dame, had to unload the trunk in the midst of a late-night blizzard on I-84 in order to find his spare, but after the No Dinero incident of '89, when, driving to Queens to collect props for the *West Side Story* show (why he didn't just go to the West Side for the materials I'll never understand) at the apex of rush hour, Whitey arrived at the Triborough bridge toll booth and realized that his pockets were bereft of coinage.

Yes, the *West Side Sauna* definitely took place before the Bun in the Oven scare of '91, when it was feared that a prominent female cast member might have to drop out of the show only a week before it opened (fortunately, it was a false alarm), but certainly after



the Picket Line scramble of '89, which saw my roommate getting on the subway at 6 a.m. so that he could arrive at school before some of his disgruntled colleagues, all of whom were more handsomely compensated than he (no offense, Whitey), had formed their picket line.

Whitey, you should know, and this is why everyone should like him so much, is no beatific being. He can lose his temper, loves to sleep and is not against having a beer or three. As a junior here he chose not to take the MCAT when most of us did because the test date coincided with his 21st birthday, the only one, as he remarked at the time, that he would ever have. I remember thinking that he had a warped sense of priorities, but I also remember that he threw a great party that night. I'm not sure that he remembers anything.

The students who visited Notre Dame with Whitey this past winter? One of them was accepted here. His family is fi-

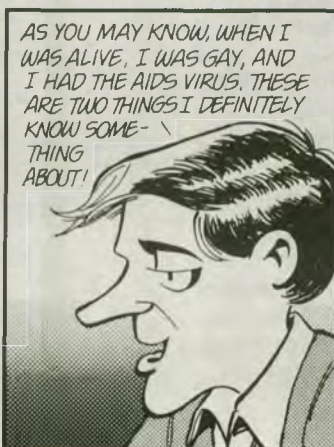
nancially strapped, though, and his parents were unable to accompany him for orientation weekend. Guess who volunteered to come in their place. On his own dime (he remembered to bring enough for the tolls this time).

Notre Dame has produced several legends. You probably have or will discover some of them; people such as the late Dr. Tom Dooley, the polymathic Fr. Ted Hesburgh, the one and only Knute. Legends are people that almost all of us will never be.

Whitey is not a legend. He is a decent guy who teaches English and stages plays at a nearly bankrupt high school in one of the worst neighborhoods in America. He is what Notre Dame purports to be all about, and the kind of role model to which Notre Dame students should aspire.

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DOONESBURY



GARRY TRUDEAU QUOTE OF THE DAY

I am not going to answer any questions about the book. It is not easy for me to do this, but I have to for our football team.

Lou Holtz

I-80, Big Gulps and Truckers

I wish it were a dream. Yet, the cackling Indiana crows remind me of the all too harsh reality that I am back in the devil's armpit known as Mishawaka. My lazy days making nacho trays at Golfand are but fond memories that tiptoe through the meadow of my mind. No longer will I be able to teach my cat, Mammal, to use the neighbor's Slip 'N Slide. Mom's cooking will be substituted with scrumptious California Eldorado Casserole. Humidity will soon turn into snow, and Circus Lunch, a beacon of light in my gloomy existence, will not be here for another five months (Feb. 8, to be exact).



Kris Kazlauskas
Accent Columnist

My yearly pilgrimage began at 8:51 P.M. on August 22nd, as I pulled out of the driveway of a 7-11 in San Jose, California. The truck was packed, my mother, Tonto, was riding shotgun, and I had my Super Big Gulp in hand. Cruisin' down the highway, we threw caution to the wind and let the Rick James 8-track blast the nasty funk.

We hit Reno at 1 A.M. and stopped to refuel at Sierra Sid's. Up until that day, I was a virgin slot-machine puller. I looked around, and saw only a trucker with big ol' Elvis chops and a monstrous lady with "Can't Touch This" on the front of her shirt. They didn't seem to notice me as I shelled out quarters with reckless abandon. My mother had been on the phone, but she fed my newfound addiction with five bucks in quarters. Two hours later, I had lost the money and found myself listening to this lady trucker tell me about the incredible handling of her brand new big rig (no joke). The whole experience left me vowing to take my children to Sierra Sid's for their "first time" too.

The following day brought stops for fuel and Big Gulps until we reached Rawlins, Wyoming. It was then that I experienced pure terror. I left the hotel to look for a Burger King in this trailer park, Oak Ridge Boys kind of town, and wound up getting lost! With tears streaming down my face, I passed Pepe's Mexican greasy spoon five times before I found the my way back. It was time to let Tonto take the reigns for a while.

Tonto made it somewhere near Grand Island, Nebraska before she practically fell asleep at the wheel. Resuming my role as Captain, I sped up alongside cars while my mother sprayed their windshields with a squirt bottle. I'll admit that a Super-Soaker is the best way to go, but even our crude methods of disturbing our fellow highway companions made the ride through cornfields and combines much faster. Thanks, mom.

A brief stay in Omaha allowed us to rest up for the final stage of our journey. We visited the Lithuanian side of the family, and then the Nebraskan side. Picking up a few more boxes full of stuff, we made our way for the booming metropolis of Michiana.

The trip was only half of the fun. The other half can be summed up with the word, "LOFT." The construction of Superloft took three days, but this is the end all, be all to the loft-building community. Free standing with three elevated beds, I am sending an open invitation for everyone to come to 421 Stanford to see this baby. Come on down, and grab yourself a couple of those cocktail weinies and some fruit punch 'cause this open house is on for the rest of the year.

At any rate, school is now in session, and I will have to pay the price for DARTing into Russian. Yet, even with the grueling schedule that I face as a pottery major, I can feel good knowing that I have a comfy bed where I can rest, and fond memories of a kicking summer.

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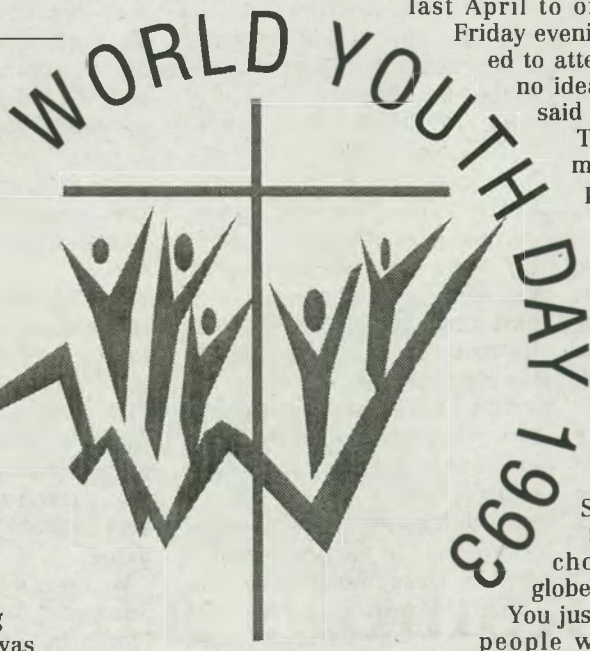
By ELIZABETH MARTIN
Accent Writer

The enthusiasm, organization and stamina for which Sister Betty Smoyer is renowned on the Saint Mary's campus, was well utilized at Mile High Stadium during the World Youth Day celebration on Aug. 16.

Under a light cloud covering with a slight breeze streaming through the immense audience, songs of contemplation and reverence filled the stadium.

The perpetual stream of "shhh's" brought the previously thundering stadium to a whisper in a successful attempt to call the masses to quiet.

Thursday night the young people were "as high as kites and doing conga lines," said Smoyer. Friday was a day of reverence and reflection and Smoyer was in charge of all the music for the evening.



Sister Diane Guy called Smoyer at Saint Mary's last April to organize this contemplative Friday evening for 60,000 people expected to attend World Youth Day. "I had no idea for what I was saying yes," said Smoyer.

The responsibility was enormous and the actual time to prepare for the event was minimal. But, Smoyer said, "I was doing what I love" and she was grateful because the Saint Mary's staff helped her out a lot.

Last Spring Smoyer began reviewing audio and video tapes of potential performers for the World Youth Day pre-animation session and a celebration of the Stations of the Cross.

Since the performers she chose were from all over the globe, rehearsal time was limited.

You just had to "let go and trust that people would come through," said Smoyer.

She sent each of the vocalists the music, and suggested they practice before they finally got together on Wednesday night for rehearsal.

"It was a kick—a thrill to finally get to pray and sing together," Smoyer said.

Though the audience never knew, the performance had a few pre-animation difficulties. The only scheduled time the group had to practice together in Mile High Stadium was set for Friday morning, but technical difficulties made this impossible.

With their only chance to practice on stage cancelled, Smoyer moved the musical troop to the Denver Broncos locker room, and they finally got on stage at 5:30 p.m. to rehearse for their 6 p.m. performance.

"It was an experience of union and unity which is overwhelming to experience and has re-energized me to do what I do at Saint Mary's," Smoyer said.

One of the most memorable experiences for Smoyer occurred at the end of the World Youth Day celebration and was not captured on television. The young people carried a 350 pound cross used for the Stations to the center of the stadium, gathered in a circle with clasped hands and raised them high while singing "Jesus Remember Me".

This powerful moment revealed to Smoyer that young people really do know how "to celebrate the fullness of life in its suffering and joy."

Organizing an event for 60,000 people has prepared Smoyer for the upcoming Sesquicentennial celebration at Saint Mary's. Music is her passion and young people bring her joy, she said.

"It's such a joy to work with young people and I enjoy sharing through the gift of music," Smoyer said.

Whoopi Goldberg may have been the star of the movie, but Smoyer is the "sister act" behind these scenes.



Photo courtesy of Betty Smoyer

Members of the choir practiced daily before their big concert for the Pope in Colorado.

Agassi loses in first round of Open; Edberg scrapes by

Associated Press

NEW YORK

All of Andre Agassi's boasts suddenly sounded empty.

He bragged about his new work ethic, his renewed confidence. He thought he'd strut into the U.S. Open without playing many matches and just stroll off with the trophy and the fat check.

Instead, he walked off a loser Tuesday in one round — just like Jennifer Capriati and Michael Stich. Two-time defending champion Stefan Edberg nearly did the same, while No. 1 Jim Courier and No. 2 Pete Sampras breezed ahead.

Sweden's Thomas Enqvist, ranked 61, beat Agassi at his own game in a 3 1/2-hour affair, outhitting him from the baseline and making his head spin with 20 aces in a 6-4, 6-4, 3-6, 6-7 (3-7), 6-2 victory.

"I didn't really feel sharp from the first point to the last point," said Agassi, the 16th seed. "And when you are down two sets, it takes a lot of energy out of you to get back into it."

Agassi should know because he never has come back from two sets down.

"In the fifth set," he acknowledged, "I made a lot of mental errors."

Agassi complained he had trouble with the swirling winds, trouble with his backhand. Mostly he had trouble with dou-

ble-faults — three in the final set — and with Enqvist's 125 mph serves.

"It's definitely a setback for me," Agassi said. "To what degree I don't know yet. Maybe I have to work a little harder."

He seemed as shocked by his upset as the crowd that had cheered so hard for him.

"If you win," he said, "you feel like you're on top of the world. If you lose, you feel like I am right now. It will get worse if this guy gets his butt kicked in the next rounds."

Before Enqvist experienced the biggest victory of his life, his compatriot, Edberg, nearly suffered one of his worst losses.

In the heat of the day, Edberg lay sprawled on the court, knocked down at the net by a blistering backhand to his head. He rose slowly, like a boxer at the count of nine.

And just as slowly, Edberg struggled back, exactly as he did a year ago to win his second straight Open.

No defending men's champion ever lost in the first round of the U.S. Open, much less a two-time defending champ like Edberg. Yet he barely avoided that dubious distinction, surviving 6-2, 0-6, 7-6 (9-7), 5-7, 6-3 in a 3 1/2-hour drama against 99th-ranked Olivier Delaitre.

Less fortunate was Capriati, the women's No. 7 seed, drummed out in the first round by Leila Meskhi, 1-6, 6-4, 6-4.

"I couldn't believe I could get totally off after the first set when I played great," said Capriati, who punched a forehand long to end an 18-shot rally on the final point. That was Capriati's 61st unforced error, more than double Meskhi's total.

Mary Joe Fernandez, the women's No. 6 seed, withdrew because of abdominal pain. She was replaced by Maria Jose Gaidano of Argentina, a "lucky loser" from the qualifying tournament, who promptly showed up to beat Andrea Vieira 6-2, 5-7, 6-0.

Bye-bye, too, went Stich, the men's No. 6, who succumbed to Henrik Holm 6-3, 7-6 (10-8), 3-6, 6-3.

Not all the top players had a tough time. Courier dispatched Marco Aurelio Gorriaz 6-1, 6-3, 6-3; Sampras beat Fabrice Santoro 6-3, 6-1, 6-2, and with Agassi's loss now has a seedless path to the quarters. He could then meet No. 7 Michael Chang, who beat Shelby Cannon 6-1, 7-5, 6-2.

Women's No. 2 Arantxa Sanchez Vicario downed Florencia Labat 6-4, 6-3; No. 5 Gabriela Sabatini defeated Patty Fendick 6-3, 6-1, and No. 8 Jana Novotna, the Wimbledon finalist, beat Angelica Gavaldon 6-2, 6-4.

Edberg's last loss at the Open came in the first round in 1990 against Alexander Volkov. Now



AP File Photo

Stephen Edberg, shown here in Frankfurt, was almost a first-round loser in U.S. Open action yesterday.

Edberg seemed as if he might go that way again, playing against a man who knew all about first-round losses. Delaitre fell a dozen times in the first round of ATP tournaments, and both times in his last two Opens, before switching to the easier Challengers circuit.

On this day, though, Delaitre played well enough to take advantage of a flat champion, mixing lobs and deep topspin groundstrokes, a crushing backhand and a decent, if not overwhelming, first serve. Compact and muscular at 5-

foot-8, Delaitre was a mid-dleweight pummeling a 6-2 tennis heavyweight.

Edberg's legs looked dead, his serve seemed labored, his volleys erratic. His chipping backhand betrayed him, his forehands had little pace. Linesmen called him for six foot-faults on first serves. He double-faulted 11 times. On changeovers, he had a ballboy hold a big blue umbrella over him to shield the sun.

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Seahawks looking to ND's Mirer to boost team



Notre Dame Sports Information
The Seahawks are hoping former Irish player Rick Mirer will lead them from the cellar.

Associated Press

KIRKLAND, Wash.
Can the Seattle Seahawks go from a franchise-worst 2-14 to 14-2?

That's highly unlikely. But they're also highly unlikely to go 2-14 again.

"My goal this year is just to help the Seahawks win," 1992 NFL Defensive Player of the Year Cortez Kennedy said. "I'm not worried about my sacks. I'm just going to go out there and play hard."

The 300-pound tackle and the other Seahawks defenders are looking for rookie quarterback Rick Mirer to give them something they didn't have enough of last season — points.

Mirer, the second player chosen in April's draft, helped the Seahawks win their final two exhibition games over the San Francisco 49ers and Houston by a combined score of 50-10. He guided the Seahawks to a 30-0 lead in the first half against the 49ers.

The Seahawks defenders are encouraged.

"Rick makes things happen on the field," Kennedy said. "He doesn't just stay in the pocket. He's a rookie who is only going to get better."

If Mirer can stay healthy behind an offensive line that couldn't protect Stan Gelbaugh,

Dan McGwire and Kelly Stouffer last season, the Seahawks could improve dramatically.

How dramatically? Maybe to 7-9 or even 8-8. Maybe enough to get an AFC wild-card berth. Or maybe the Seahawks will go 4-12 or 5-11. At least there will be some improvement.

With Kennedy, the Seahawks have one of the league's strongest defenses. With Mirer, they're hopeful of considerably bettering their 140-point total, the NFL's lowest, of last season.

"Last year is over," 1,000-yard rusher Chris Warren said. "It's over and done with. There's no need to talk about last year."

Warren would rather think about the future — and Seattle's last two exhibition games.

"I think we're much improved from last year," he said. "I think we're going to put points on the board."

Mirer isn't used to losing. But he's used to pressure-packed big games at Notre Dame. He may not be ready for the NFL yet but the Seahawks need him to be ready.

McGwire, the Seahawks 1991 first-round pick, was supposed to battle Mirer for the starting job during the exhibition season. But he will miss the

Seahawks' first two regular-season games with a chipped bone in his wrist that he injured against the 49ers.

The confident Mirer already has his teammates' confidence.

"Rick's inexperienced but he's a great talent," Warren said. "He's smart and he makes good decisions. He's going to help us."

Seahawks owner Ken Behring has been called cheap and his commitment to spending enough dollars on players has been questioned. But he's paying enormous money on Mirer and Kennedy.

Behring gave Kennedy a four-year, \$12.6 million contract extension as a reward for Kennedy's 1992 season. Behring also signed Mirer to a five-year, \$15.7 million contract, a contract that was disapproved by NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue. It will be decided in September by federal judge David Doty.

Coach-general manager Tom Flores was encouraged by his team's 2-2 exhibition record. In Seattle's 20-10 victory last Saturday in Houston, Dave McCloughan ran back a punt 75 yards for a touchdown.

"Our special teams are getting pretty good," Flores said. "We're getting there speed wise."

Cowboy's Smith still holding out for 1.5 million more than current offer

Associated Press

DALLAS
Emmitt Smith didn't pop out from behind a curtain this time at the coming home luncheon, leaving a stern coach Jimmy Johnson to proclaim the defending Super Bowl champion Dallas Cowboys can beat the Washington Redskins without him.

When Smith was a rookie, he ended his training camp hold-out by jumping on stage much to the surprise of the audience in a scenario crafted by owner Jerry Jones.

Smith, who wants \$1.5 million a year more than the Cowboys are offering him, was in Pensacola, Fla., instead of Dallas on Tuesday, leaving a somber Jones to say only: "I hope Emmitt is on the field, but you've got to put yourself in my

shoes."

Jones said the Cowboys have been negotiating by telephone all week with Smith's agent, Richard Howell, but nothing has changed. Jones said no new offer has been made.

The Cowboys are offering about \$2.5 million. Smith, who made a total of \$3 million his first three years in the league, is asking about \$4 million. That would make him the highest-paid running back in the NFL.

Johnson gave every indication the NFL's top rusher of last season won't be available for the season opener on Monday night against Washington.

"We believe we can win in RFK against Washington even if Emmitt is not part of the team," Johnson said. "We're a better team with him."

Rookie Derrick Lassic from

Alabama will start if Smith doesn't end his holdout.


Johnson said the Cowboys "were very fortunate" to have Lassic on the club.

"Lassic has made tremendous improvement, and I've been very pleased," Johnson said. "In the last two preseason games he has showed steady improvement."

Five veterans cut Monday were re-signed and returned to the team on Tuesday. They were fullback Tommie Agee, center Dale Hellasrae, special teams standout Bill Bates, linebacker Bobby Abrams, and defensive back Robert Williams.

The Cowboys were negotiating with third-team quarterback Hugh Millen, who was supposed to receive \$1 million but was cut after Jason Garrett had such a strong training camp.

Johnson got emotional at the luncheon, saying, "I just wish we could bottle the feelings we had after the Super Bowl. I would have liked to have saved it and just unscrewed the cap during tough times."



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Rocket works out with his new team

Associated Press

EL SEGUNDO, Calif. Raghil "Rocket" Ismail signed a two-year, \$3 million contract and then practiced with the Los Angeles Raiders for the first time Tuesday.

The workout was closed to the media, a rarity for the Raiders, to avert any distractions.

Afterward, coach Art Shell introduced the newest Raider at a press conference, saying: "I want to present to you the great Rocket Ismail."

Ismail, runnerup for the Heisman Trophy in 1990 at Notre Dame, has spent the last two years playing for the Toronto Argonauts of the Canadian Football League.

He signed a four-year \$18.2 million contract with Toronto before the 1991 NFL draft, and thus fell from potentially the first pick overall to the fourth round. The Raiders took a chance.

After being released from his contract by the Argonauts,

Ismail entered negotiations with the Raiders.

Tuesday, he entered the fold. "I was just going through the motions. I was following whoever looked like they were receivers," Ismail said after practice. "I was trying to look like I was fitting in without sticking out too much."

Ismail's chances of appearing in the NFL opener Sunday against the Minnesota Vikings — and his brother, Qadry — appear to hinge on his readiness to return kicks, rather than run pass routes.

"That's something easier to handle the first time out," Ismail said. "It might look easy to the average person, but there's a whole scheme and plan you have on the field. If I was to adjust to that, maybe I could (play Sunday)."

Ismail said he feels no pressure with the Raiders, certainly nothing like he felt in Toronto.

"It's weird, man, now that I'm on a team and I'm not the big name," he said. "It's a cool

feeling. I feel confident if I study and learn the schemes, I'll be able to be successful.

"But there are so many other people around on the same team. I don't have to worry about being 'the man.' I can look down the line and see seven or eight guys who are already there. There is no kind of pressure."

Shell said it was too early to tell whether Ismail would be activated for Sunday's game, but suggested that his punt and kickoff return abilities might gain him an immediate spot.

"He's a valuable person because of his ability to do those things," Shell said. "We don't know if we're going to do anything with him this week."

"If he can go out and make a contribution, then we'll do that."

Ismail, 23, will spend the next few days in a crash course learning the Raiders offense, as well as trying to convince the coaching staff to let him return kicks this weekend.



Rocket Ismail, shown here in his Notre Dame days, worked out with his new teammates yesterday.

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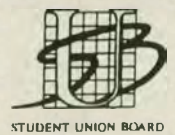
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Beauchamp stands behind Holtz

By DAVID KINNEY
Editor-in-Chief

Although University officials deny the allegations in "Under the Tarnished Dome," Father E. William Beauchamp, executive vice president, said yesterday that Notre Dame will not take legal action against the book's authors or publishing company.

"That's not the way Notre Dame does things," he said. "It probably wouldn't serve any purpose other than to add to the book's publicity."

The book, written by Doug Looney and Don Yaeger and published by Simon and Schuster, attacks Head Football Coach Lou Holtz for ignoring NCAA violations during his tenure at the University of

Minnesota and for questionable coaching methods during his eight-year career at Notre Dame.

Beauchamp said the University will continue to stand by Holtz. "He's always done what we've asked. We know for a fact that the allegations don't ring true."

"We always take these types of matters seriously," he said, "and if we thought there were violations, we would self-report to the NCAA as we always do."

Beauchamp said that any program is going to have some people who will say negative things about it, but "to base a book on that ... is a very differ-



William Beauchamp

ent matter."

The University has received many calls since the book was released Monday in South Bend, he said. "Once people who were quoted saw the book, we started getting calls saying this is outrageous." Some sources were surprised by the way they were quoted by the authors (see story, page 20).

He said Holtz does not intend to read the book or respond to the allegations it raises because he has responded in the past to many of the charges.

"It's just a book," Beauchamp added. "We don't plan to change the way we run our athletic program. We're certainly not going to jeopardize our integrity for something like a football game."

strong response from fans of the University and Holtz.

"I hope in the end they read it for what it is, which is 84 players talking about Notre Dame ... and raising serious questions about what's going on at Notre Dame," he said.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

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compliance of the rules," he added.

Yaeger, a Tallahassee, Fla., resident, also told AP that he grew up a Notre Dame fan, and expected the book to get a

Holtz on 'Tarnished Dome': No comment

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Editor

A tired looking Lou Holtz refused to answer questions regarding the book, "Under the Tarnished Dome" at his weekly teleconference yesterday.

Notre Dame's head coach calmly declined to comment on the book or any issue relating to the book each time a reporter attempted to solicit an answer.

Armen Keteyian from ABC's Nightline broke the tension in the room when, three questions into the press conference, he asked Holtz to respond to the book's allegations. Keteyian followed with more questions, but Holtz simply repeated his response.

"I am not going to discuss anything about the book," said Holtz. "This is not easy for me to do this, but I have to for our football team."

Reporters persisted on

attacking the issue from different angles, but Holtz held stern with his comments.

A frustrated reporter from Dallas commented to Holtz, "You have never stonewalled anything before, what's different about this one?" Writers from the Los Angeles Times and also ESPN phoned in to get comments from Holtz.

The presence of Keteyian was due to the upcoming interview with one of the authors, Douglas Looney, on "Nightline."

The national media is just getting word of the book's release which apparently was only on a limited basis in the South Bend area.

ESPN and regional papers such as the Chicago Tribune and Sun-Times and the South Bend Tribune did carry stories of the book's release, which came seven days before the scheduled Sept. 7 date given by publisher Simon & Schuster.

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strongest units in years, boasting eight returning starters.

It will be a challenge for the secondary to contain Gissendaner, who is a constant big play threat.

Greg Lane and Bobby Taylor will start at cornerback, with John Covington and Jeff Burris getting the nod at safety.

"We will also see Willie Clark, LeShane Saddler and possibly Tracy Graham," Holtz said.

Bryant Young anchors an experienced defensive line and talented sophomore Renaldo Wynn will make his first ever start at outside linebacker against the Wildcats.

Linebackers Anthony Peterson and Pete Bercich have also progressed steadily in preseason practice.

"The strength of our team obviously is our defense," Holtz explained. "I'm pleased with the progress we've made."

Offensively, Holtz is not quite so pleased.

Aaron Taylor and Todd Norman have made smooth adjustments from guard to tackle and Will Lyell and Dusty Zeigler will fill their spots at guard. At least for now.

"Guard is the position where we're going back and forth," said Holtz, who added that Mark Zataveski and Mike McGlinn could also see playing time.

Mike Miller has been impressive at wide receiver and will share time with Clint Johnson, Lake Dawson and Derrick Mayes. Adrian Jarrell will be sidelined for four to six weeks with a shoulder injury.

Tailback Lee Becton and fullback Ray Zellars will start in the backfield, although a typical Holtz backfield-by-committee could surface against the Wildcats. Dean Lytle and freshmen Randy Kinder and Marc Edwards and Robert Farmer have proven their ability in the preseason.

Notre Dame faces a lot of questions as it enters the 1993 season, but one thing is certain. It will be a very interesting season.

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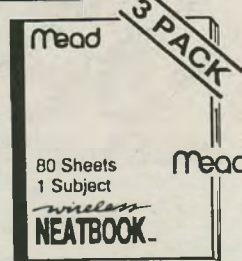
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Hoyings back to erase the past

Associated Press

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Bob Hoying is majoring in business, but he has taken a history lesson to heart.

A year ago, as a redshirt freshman, Hoying came in against Bowling Green when Kirk Herbstreit was injured. Three snaps later, he rolled right and flipped a pass up for grabs that led to the Falcons' only points in Ohio State's 17-6 victory.

He never entered a game when it mattered again.

Now Hoying will get his first start at quarterback when Ohio State opens at home against Rice on Saturday. The memory of that ill-advised pass hasn't faded away, at least for a lot of fans.

"Art Schlichter threw five interceptions his first game," Hoying said of the quarterback who set most of Ohio State's passing records.

"People always remember that first impression. I just have to remember that, sure, you're going to have a bad play, but that I'm capable of making a lot of good plays.

"Obviously, Art came back and had a great career here. I'm not going to let it get me down. ... I'm a lot better player than what people saw in the BG game. That was a freshman mistake and I'm not a freshman anymore."

The 6-foot-4, 223-pound Hoying was The Associated

Press' Mr. Football in Ohio in 1990 before spending a year as a redshirt. He won the job in the spring, beating out senior Bret Powers, and has solidified his position during preseason workouts.

"I'm just real anxious right now," he said. "It's been a couple years since I've really played, so I just can't wait to get out on the field."

He's not the only native of St. Henry, Ohio, looking forward to the season. His brother, Tom, is a freshman quarterback for the Buckeyes. And most of the 3,000 residents of St. Henry are keeping a close watch on their exploits.

"It's a big deal. There's going to be a lot of people up to watch us play. Ever since Jim Lachey came through St. Henry and went on to Ohio State, it's been a big deal back home. Everybody's been talking about it. The first thing anybody says to my parents back home is, 'Are the boys ready?'" Hoying said.

Hoying admits to some pregame jitters.

"Anybody who tells you they're not nervous before their first game is lying," Hoying said. "I feel pressure to perform right away, but I think anybody at quarterback would feel that. But I've got good talent around me. I'm not going to go out there and feel like I've got to do everything myself. That will allow me to relax a little bit."

Paterno picks Sacca as Penn State QB

Associated Press

STATE COLLEGE, Pa.

Things are beginning to fall in line for Penn State coach Joe Paterno, although not necessarily the way he would like them.

He has decided on a quarterback, John Sacca, and he said Tuesday he would play three tailbacks in the Big Ten opener against Minnesota, so that's not really a problem.

The Nittany Lions, however, are hurting at fullback, tight end and wide receiver. Injuries will force Paterno to use players in Saturday's game whether they're ready or not.

Asked Tuesday to discuss injuries, Paterno said: "Do you have a lot of time?"

"We've probably had the most devastating preseason practice we've ever had as far as the catastrophic injuries," Paterno said.

Tisen Thomas, the top returning receiver, is out for the season, as is tight end Ryan Grube. Brian O'Neal is doubtful at fullback for Saturday. Jon Witman probably will start.

"Is he far enough along to handle it? He'd better be," Paterno said. "I'm not crazy about going into a football game with a kid who has never carried the ball in a game, but that's the way it has to be."

But at least the Nittany Lions have a quarterback — three, in fact, who made it through the fall without injuries.

Sacca, who started last year after Kerry Collins broke his finger, will start Saturday against Minnesota. Paterno

conceded Tuesday that Sacca was No. 1 all along — provided Collins or Wally Richardson didn't beat him out.

Sacca was 4-2 as a starter last year and threw 100 passes before his first interception. He would have ranked third in the Big Ten in passing efficiency and was the team leader in total offense, with 1,179 yards.

"I went into the preseason with the idea that somebody had to beat John out," Paterno said. "I felt that John played well last year, maybe a little

better than Kerry."

"Now, if I had started the other way and said somebody had to beat Kerry Collins out, I'm not sure anybody would have beaten Kerry Collins out. All three kids are fine quarterbacks," Paterno said.

Sacca completed 52 percent of his passes last year, Collins 47 percent. Collins was 2-2 in games he started. Richardson, a true freshman last year, quarterbacked the Lions in a victory over Temple.



Penn State Sports Information

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Travis to take helm of SMC athletics

By JENNIFER GUSTAFSON
Saint Mary's Sports Editor

The athletes and athletic administrators at Saint Mary's are looking forward to the arrival of Jan Travis, who will replace JoAnn Nester as athletic director on Tuesday, September 7.

Travis, who is coming to Saint Mary's from Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, was chosen from a pool of over forty applicants. The decision was made by a panel consisting of Saint Mary's assistant athletic director Maureen Harty, basketball coach Marv Wood, volleyball coach Julie Schroeder-Biek and three student athletes.

The selection committee was established to choose someone who will be responsible for overseeing all seven varsity sports, along with club, intramural and recreational sports, and the physical education department.

According to Harty, Travis' experience at Coe College, also

a small Division III liberal arts school, was a key factor in the decision.

Harty also noted that "her philosophy on being a student before an athlete is consistent with that of Saint Mary's. She understands the role athletics plays in an academically rigorous environment."

At Coe College, Travis has served as assistant athletic director since 1989, as well as the head coach of the women's softball team and assistant professor of physical education. She received her master's degree in health and physical education from Northeast Missouri State University.

Senior tennis player Thayma Darby, who also served on the selection committee feels that Travis will be a positive influence on Saint Mary's athletics.

"She was very knowledgeable not just about athletics, but also Saint Mary's," she said. "Her enthusiasm towards our program will definitely benefit everyone."

Freshmen help strengthen Belles soccer

By BERNADETTE
PAMPUCH
Sports Writer

The 1993 soccer season at Saint Mary's got off to a hot start last week with a combination of over 90-degree weather and seven returning senior players.

Vying for one of the twenty positions is Anne Napierkowski, a freshman with five years of experience behind her and a foot injury that has forced her

to sit out some of the week's tryout.

"I just wish I could play," said Napierkowski, whose sideline seat for Monday's practice offered a glimpse of the coming season. "I've been observing the team, (and) they look really good."

Megan Dalsaso, a senior who has played for three years, agrees.

"Each year we get better and better, we have a really good group of freshmen this year."

Nine freshmen are hoping to

help the team rank among the top-ten in the Great Lakes Division III for the fourth consecutive year.

September 11 will see the start of the season with a tournament at DePaul University and the first chance to go head-on with chief competitor Dennison University.

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Purdue QB questionable

Associated Press

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Let 'em wonder.

Purdue coach Jim Colletto has promised to discipline quarterback Matt Pike, but he's not giving North Carolina State — or anyone else, for that matter — any indication what that penalty will be.

The Boilermakers open the season Saturday against the No. 24-ranked Wolfpack. Colletto isn't saying whether Pike will be in the lineup.

"We're dealing with that within the football team, and he's going to have to pay some penalty," Colletto said Tuesday, referring to Pike's arrest over the weekend for underage drinking.

Pike, 20, was taken into custody after police were called to a campus fraternity house early Sunday. He was released shortly afterward.

Colletto said he would announce the penalty "when we get to the proper time" later in the week.

"I wouldn't even comment if I was going to make a statement," Colletto said of Pike's status for the game.

Pike, mostly a backup the past two years, inherited the starting job this season after the graduation of Eric Hunter.

West Lafayette police chief Dennis Mitchell said police were called to the house to investigate an unspecified disturbance.

"The officers noted that he had been consuming an alcoholic beverage and identified him as being under 21 and took the appropriate action by citing him to the court," chief Dennis Mitchell told the Lafayette Journal and Courier. "That's standard procedure."

The Boilermakers (4-7 last year) open the season a week earlier than in the past, and Colletto said they have "put in a more concentrated effort" in practice.

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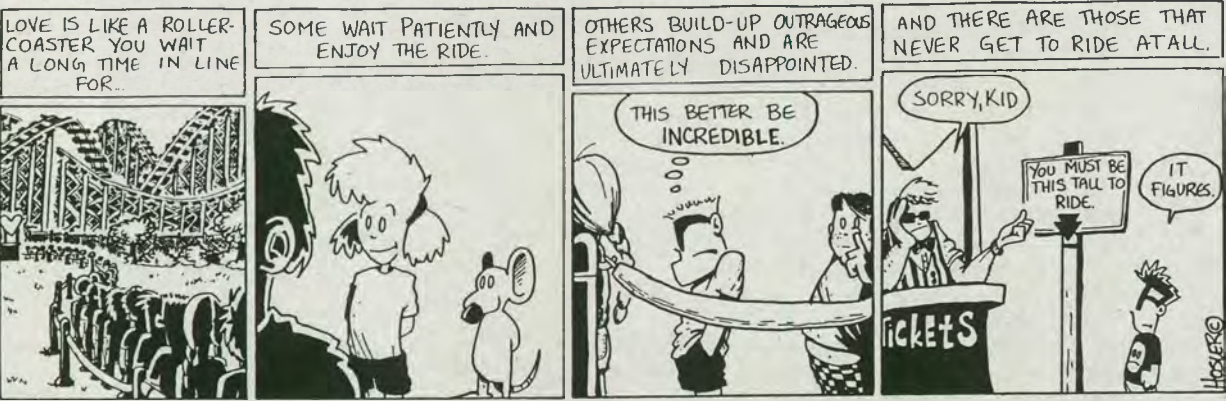
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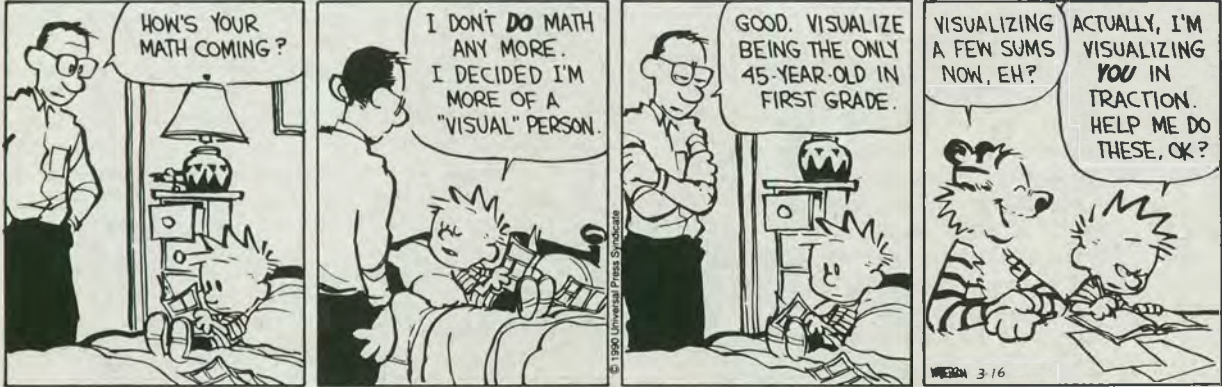
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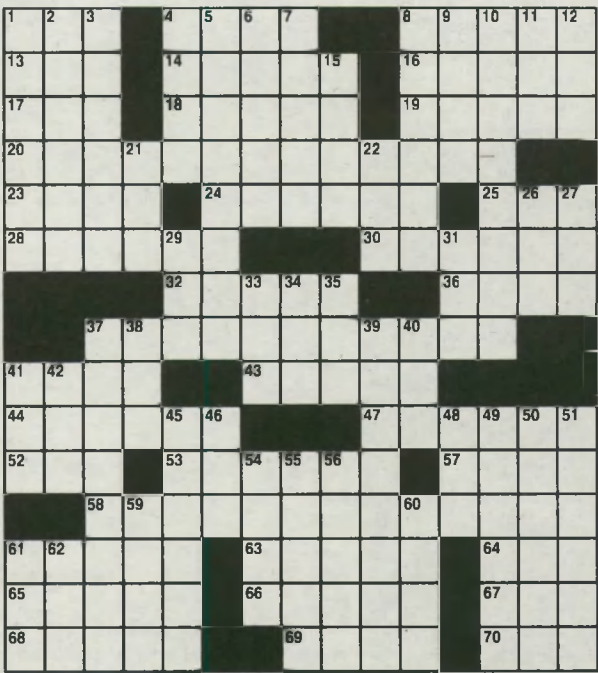
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- **Graduate Student Cookout** will be Thursday at Fischer Graduate Community Center from 5 to 7 p.m. The rain date is Friday at the same time and place.
- **Rhodes and Marshall Scholarships** meeting is tonight in room 101 of Notre Dame Law School at 7 p.m., during which Professor Walter Pratt will inform seniors of the application process and deadlines.
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Book sources claim misrepresentation

By DAVID KINNEY
Editor-in-Chief

At least three sources quoted in "Under the Tarnished Dome: How Notre Dame Betrayed Its Ideals for Football Glory" said today that authors Douglas Looney and Don Yaeger misrepresented their views, and former player John Askin said the authors reneged on promises to allow him final say on the use of his quotes.

In the book, released Monday in South Bend, the authors allege that Holtz lied about his knowledge of NCAA violations at the University of Minnesota and accuse him of abusing players and staff and ignoring steroid use while at Notre Dame. "Tarnished Dome" is slated for a Sept. 7 release nationally.

Askin, Gerry Faust, 1981-85 Notre Dame head coach, and Frank Broyles, athletic director at the University of Arkansas during Holtz's tenure, issued separate statements pledging their support of Holtz and decrying the author's presentation of their views.

"This is outright fraud," wrote Askin in a letter to Athletic Director Dick Rosenthal yesterday.

Askin, a Notre Dame offensive lineman from 1983-86, wrote that Yaeger approached

him about an incident that was to be reported in the book. Askin agreed to discuss the incident so he would have some control over what was published.

"I agreed based on the fact that Don Yaeger told me not once, not twice, but over six times that I could physically sit down with him and edit any of my quotes before the final transcript of the book was printed," he added.

"I feel betrayed because Don Yaeger ... misrepresented my quotes based on the sole fact that he did not honor his solemn promise to allow me to read and edit the final transcript," Askin wrote.

In the book's opening page, Askin labels Holtz a hypocrite. "Lou Holtz would never stand for people to treat him like he treats others," he adds.

Although the book's publisher, Simon & Schuster, ordered the authors to remain silent until the release, Yaeger spoke to the Associated Press Tuesday to refute Askin's charges.

Yaeger said he met with



Gerry Faust

Askin at the former player's home Sunday.

"We went over the book, and when we were finished he stood up and said, 'I want to tell you, I'm kind of proud of what I've said in this book,'" Yaeger said. "Somebody's got to him. ... Two days later he's calling something 'outright fraud'?"

Askin said Yaeger assured him that it was not a negative book, but none of his positive experiences about Notre Dame were included. "He published only negative quotes that were obtained in a controlled and manipulative manner and used out of context."

But Yaeger stressed that Askin's criticism was directed at Holtz, not Notre Dame. Askin could not be reached for comment at press time.

Faust, now head football coach at the University of Akron, also wrote that the authors misrepresented his views. "Lou Holtz is a great friend and coach and has done an outstanding job at Notre Dame," he said. "I support him unequivocally."

Broyles also defended Holtz and his treatment of his players. "He ran a great program with total integrity and with full

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Despite controversy Northwestern is Holtz's only concern

By JASON KELLY
Associate Sports Editor

First things first. Lou Holtz has not read the book, he doesn't plan to read the book and he will not answer any questions about the book.

That is not to say that the release of "Under the Tarnished Dome" hasn't taken its toll on Holtz. He appeared preoccupied Tuesday in his first weekly press conference of the 1993 season.

Holtz deflected questions about the book, instead turning his attention to Northwestern, the task at hand in Saturday's season-opener at Notre Dame Stadium.

Senior Kevin McDougal is the starting quarterback by default and junior Paul Failla will also see action against the Wildcats.

"Kevin McDougal will start and Failla will play," Holtz said. "You could see Failla in the game in the first half."

Freshman standout Ron

Powlus was expected to get the nod until he broke his right collarbone in Saturday's scrimmage, confusing an already muddled quarterback picture.

There is a possibility that Powlus could be back in uniform late this season.

"I think he will play in 1993," Holtz said. "I definitely plan on him playing during the course of the season."

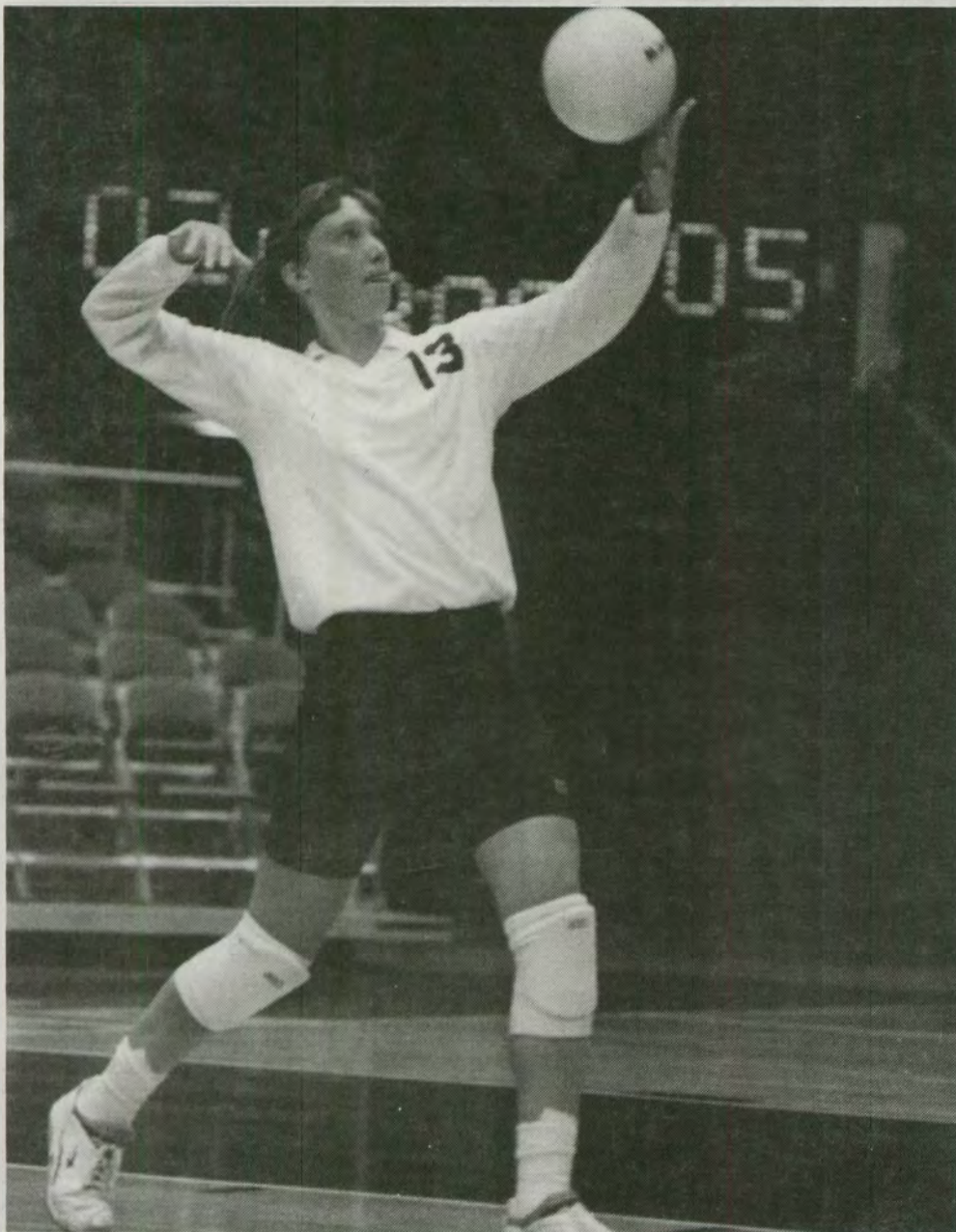
Northwestern limped to a 3-8 record in 1992 under first-year coach Gary Barnett, but they return some talented players, including dark horse Heisman Trophy candidate Lee Gissendaner.

Quarterback Len Williams also returns to lead the Wildcat offense.

"I can't disagree with Gary Barnett when he said Northwestern is as talented as any team in the nation at the skill positions," Holtz commented.

Defensively, Notre Dame counters with one of its

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Christy Peters will be one of the returning starters who will lead the Irish against Valparaiso tonight.

Irish volleyball opens season against Valparaiso

By JENNY MARTEN
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The 18th-ranked Notre Dame volleyball team gets its season underway tonight against Valparaiso and head coach Debbie Brown is confident that her team is ready after a solid preseason.

"I'm looking at how our preseason went and I feel really good about where we are right now in the season," said Brown. "I think the team has worked real hard and I think we've accomplished a lot and I think we're playing at a really high level for preseason."

"We'll be tested real early. I hope that we do well. If we don't do well then I hope it's not something that going to shake our confidence."

The Irish take a 10-2 advantage in the series into tonight's match including last year's 3-0 win over the Crusaders. Valparaiso features strong serving and a defense which will keep the ball coming back over the net. Leading the Irish will be three returning starters and eight letterwinner's from last year's 30-8 squad.

Brown sees Valparaiso as a good team to play in the season opener because the Crusaders will play tough, but the Irish should prevail.

"I think it's a really good opener for us. I think that it is real good to play some competition the first chance available," said Brown. "I think that Valpo is a team that will put some pressure on us, but one that we should be able to play some different lineups against

without being too nervous. Hopefully we're going to try some different lineups out and get some different people some experience."

Slated to start for Notre Dame are senior Janelle Karlan at setter, freshman Jenny Birkner opposite her, junior Christy Peters and junior Nicole Coates on the outside and seniors Julie Harris and Molly Stark in the middle.

Karlan, Peters and Stark are expected to provide leadership and stability on the court in the early games while Brown experiments with the lineup. The team has been trying different combinations in its six-on-six scrimmages in the preseason.

The freshmen on the team including Kristina Ervin, Jen Briggs, Laura Reckmeyer and Birkner will see playing time tonight in order to prepare for certain situations.

Also helping out will be Brett Hensel, Dyan Boulac and Shannon Tuttle.

The depth of the Irish team as well as its ball control will be valuable assets in the early part of the season. Brown says that because the team returns serves so well it is hard to get a kill against the Irish.

On the other hand, blocking and the side out offense are concerns for Brown. The side out offense is a big concern for the Irish coach because "if we side out well that means the other team can't score points on us."

This weekend, the Irish head to Kentucky for the Big Four Classic in which Notre Dame will face Indiana, Kentucky and Louisville.

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