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Koop to deliver

## lecture

By GWENDOLYN NORGLE News Writer
C．Everett Koop，M．D．，SC．D， former Surgeon General of the United States，will be dis cussing the future of health care in America tonight at his lecture＂U．S．Health Care． Where Do We Go From Here？＂ As Surgeon
 Presidents Reagan and Bush，Koop worked to health of the American American
 people as

## C．Everett

 Koop spokesperson on important health issues such as AIDS，smoking，nutri－ tion，and environmental hazThrough his media appear－ ances，public lectures，and over 200 articles and books， Koop has shared his knowledge on the practice of medicine， biomedical ethics and health policy．
A graduate of Dartmouth College and Cornell Medical College，Koop received a doctor of science in medicine degree from the University of Pennsyl－ vania．He served as a profes－ sor of pediatric surgery and a professor of pediatrics at the University＇s school of medicine． Koop was the chief surgeon at the Children＇s Hospital in Philadelphia for 33 years．

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## Deford lectures on history of sports

By MEGAN McGRATH News Writer

Admitting to some jitters as ＂just a sportswriter in the bosom of academia，＂Frank Deford delivered an informative Auditorium last night in which Auditorium last night in which future of sports in America and future or sports in America and the role journalists have and play in athletics．
Deford，who was slated to appear on the Notre Dame campus in February as a part of Student Union Board＇s Sophomore Literary Festival， talked about his experiences as a sportswriter and the issues and challenges facing sports today．
But first，Deford focused on Notre Dame and some of the controversies recently facing the Irish athletic program．
One of the first things Deford addressed was last year＇s book， ＂Under the Tarnished Dome＂ by his former Sports Illustrated colleague Douglas S．Looney and Don Yeager
＂It was certainly a damning， offensive book，＂Deford offered． ＂But let me say that Doug Looney is a good reporter and a Looney is a
good man．＂
good man．＂ ＂That being said，I think the most interesting thing about the reaction of the Notre Dame community was the innocence or naivete about what the book said，＂he said．
＂The university wasn＇t accused of anything bad，but perhaps even worse，that it was just like everyone else．＂
Later，in further defense of Looney，Deford admitted that the book had been written and researched with an unfavorable slant against to University．
＂From what I understood


Frank Deford discussed the past and future of sports in America and the role journalists play in athletics yesterday in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium．
Deford said in response to an polls． audience question，＂Yeager did much of the investigating and accumulated much of the mate－ rial，but was not a strong nough writer to carry the whole book．Doug Looney was brought in to write based on Yeager＇s research．＂
Deford said he didn＇t doubt the book hurt Notre Dame this year in the college football
＂You（Notre Dame）got jobbed this year，there＇s no juestio about 1993 it，Deford said of the 1993 championship poll，but quickly added：＂In times past Notre Dame has profited because they were Notre Dame． It is all a matter of what goes around comes around．＂
Deford also discussed the development of American ath－
letics throughout history，begin－ ning with the first intercolle－ giate events through the cur－ ent changes in today＇s sports． Deford outlined four periods in the growth of sports，with， according to Deford，the time of greatest excitement being the post－World War II years until the height of the Larry Bird－ Magic Johnson era in the NBA． ＂In those years something was happening all the time，＂ Deford says．＂Things were changing and progressing： there were new leagues，ama－ teurism was declining yet the Olympics were gaining in popu－ larity，Jackie Robinson broke the color barrier，women＇s sports were on the rise．．．it was a great time to be a writer，to really bring these new events home．＂

As far as sports are con－ cerned，according to Deford， the phase of development in which we are now living is a relatively quiet one as most sports are fairly well estab lished．

Deford does predict some changes for the future，among them basketball replacing soc－ cer as the world＇s most popular sport，college football adopting a national championship play－ off and an increased emphasis on women＇s sports．
Deford also admitted that since the 1970＇s，television has had a strong effect on changes in sports and the public＇s inter－ pretation of American athletics．

Television has really taken over athletics，＂Deford says． ＂The emphasis now is on rat－ ings，which is why women＇s sports are having such difficulty getting established．There is no popular team sport that women
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## Panel discusses race relations，barriers at ND

By ROSSANDRA D＇ALESSANDRO

## News Writer

According to some，race rela－ tions and Multicultural issues have never been topics of criti－ cal importance to the predomi－ nately white undergraduate population at Notre Dame．But the small forum gathered in the Grace Hall Pit yesterday
evening revealed students of all backgrounds who share a deep concern for improving minority life on campus．
Out of an undergraduate stu－ dent body of approximately 8,000 ，there are 500 Hispanics， 350 Asian－Americans，225－250 African Americans，and 40 Na tive Americans．Many feel that this lack of representation of non－majority students has led to a general apathy towards racial issues at Notre Dame．
Organized by Grace Hall＇s dorm commissioner，Bret Doo－ ley，the panel was composed of four students of different racial backgrounds．The panelists were sophomores Michelle Wong of Lewis Hall，Duwan Si－ mon and Todd Leahy of Grace Hall，and junior Manuel Zamar－ ripa of Grace Hall．During the hour－long discussion，the pan－ elists offered their personal opinions on four questions


Campus race relations and Multicultural issues were addressed by four student panelists last night in the Grace Hall Pit．

Fuentes by moderator Maria uentes，assistant director o Miticultural Student Affairs．
＂Racial issues have had a huge impact on my life at Notre Dame，＂said Wong，the only female Asian－American panelist present at yesterday＇s forum ＂Before coming here，I had
never been asked specifically by try are you from？＇
All agreed that minority dis crimination exists in Notre Dame＇s academic community
＂As a Mexican－American， am definitely not in the major－ ity here，＂Zamarippa said．＂I
am very aware of my skin color in class．I＇m super－sensitive－ not paranoid，but very aware－ of the way I may appear to my peers in classroom situations，＂ he said．

As a chemical engineering major，I always feel like people don＇t think I should be in the
classes I am，＂Simon ex－ plained．＂I don＇t know if it＇s because I＇m the only black per－ son in my chemical－engineering classes，but I＇m always being asked，＇Why are you here in this class？：or＇Why did you choose this major？＇I＇m intimi－ dated to talk to my professors sometimes because I don＇t know if they want to help me or want me to get out of their class，＂he said．

Both Simon and Zamarippa suggested that traditional social functions of the University，such as SYR＇s，are often seen as non－ inclusive to minorities．
＂I don＇t feel like there is any social function at Notre Dame for me．I＇m a dance－type， party－type person，but here I often spend my time on week－ ends with only one or two friends，＂explained Simon
The final issues addressed by the panel were the programs that presently exist to help break down racial barriers on campus，as well as new options for the future．
＂I think it＇s great that there are so many functions，such as those sponsored by HAO （Hispanic American Organiza－ tion），ISO（International Student Organization），AAA（Asian－

## Notre Dame has ethical standards, too

I'm upset. I get up every day, go to class, and study late into the night, all because I want to be able to claim that I graduated from Notre Dame. I'm involved in activities out side of the classroom and I work hard at them. I'm proud to say that I go to
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ing forward to the day ing forward to the day
when I can be a proud


John Bingham Photographer alumnus.
Even as a little kid, my perception of Notre Dame was that it was school with class. They were able to consistent ly field superior athletic teams and they did so with a minimum number of problems within their athletic program. I thought that all Notre Dame students were like the athletes that faithfully watched play every Saturday after noon.
They were good students who loved to com pete and represent Notre Dame. The con tributed to the university both on and off the athletic fields.
I'm sure that there is a large group within our student body that would jump at the chance to epresent Notre Dame to the outside world They've worked hard in class, gotten involved in other activities at school, and generally kept ou of trouble. Most of the students here how don't have the chance to get out of the South Bend area and project to the public an image of a Notre Dame student. This burden falls on the shoulders of our athletes.
Whether they like it or not, they represent all of us to the rest of the world and we as a student body must hold them to the standards that we wish them to project.
Athletes at Notre Dame must be willing to accept that burden or they should choose to attend a school where they do not place such a premium on the moral character of their athletes.
Unfortunately, when a situation like the one that has unfolded this past week arises, it runs the risk of damaging the integrity of our community
Our image as a university is something that we must all work to uphold. I want to applaud Coach Holtz for taking immediate action and showing in no uncertain terms that this behav ior will not be tolerated.
Playing football for Notre Dame is a privilege and not a right. Simply being a gifted athlete is not enough. We maintain high academic stan dards and also expect a high level of mora character from all members of our community. Regardless of a win-loss record, what have we as a community gained if the people who represent do not uphold the ideals and standards of our community?
Just as I could not play on the team because could not keep up with the physical demands other members of our community can not play because they can not keep up with the ethica demands placed on them.
It probably seems like I'm pronouncing them guilty before they've even had a trial, but they must bear the burden of keeping their reputamust bear
Coach Holtz doesn't have time to run around covering up for the mistakes of his players and we as a student body work too hard to have our image tainted by an event like this.
The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer

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## Rebels advance on Rwandan capital, army low on supplies

KIGALI, Rwanda
Machine-gun and artillery fire rocked this Central African capital today as rebels and government troops fought pitched baitles.
After a week of fighting, the army was After a week of fighting, the army
reported running low on ammunition reported running low on ammunition.
More than 100,000 desperate refugees
carrying their belongings on their backs streamed out of the city ahead of the ethnic warfare.
Foreigners already have nearly completed their exodus from this small Central African country
In one of the most dramatic evacuation maneuvers, a heavily armed column of Belgian troops rescued 18 foreigners this morning from the Ndere psychiatric hospital north of the airport.
As the convoy arrived, 500 Tutsi refugees camped in one of the compound's buildings rushed out with their hands up, pleading rushed 0
for help.
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But they were left behind, along with 200 mentally ill Rwandans living in the hospital. The Belgians only had room for 18 forBelgian Charite order and with Belgian Charite order, along with a ly disturbed Italian woman, two other Belgians and their
families. families
The hospital and adjacent convent had been besieged since Tuesday night by Hutu gangs armed with clubs,
Model, rocker to split after nine years


#### Abstract

Billy Joel and Christie Brinkley are separating after nine years of marriage, CNN reported Wednesday. The supermodel and her singer-songwriter husband sent a joint statement to Mitchell Fink, a People magazine columnist who contributes to CNN's "Show Biz Today" segment. Further details were no immediately availability. Calls from The



machetes and rifles
"It's hell," said Jef Debere, 67, one of the Charite brothers. "I came to Rwanda after retiring because I thought I could be useful. With the whites gone, the people at the hospital have no more protection Most of them will be killed.'
With as many as 20,000 mainly Tutsi troops of the rebel Rwanda Patriotic Front pouring in from the north to reinforce small groups already in the city members of the provisional government in Rwanda left for the countryside.
Army troops, mostly Hutus, and rebel soldiers engaged in mortar duels in the center of Kigali this afternoon and fired at each other over the international air port.

The army appeared to be low on ammunition, said Capt. Eric Millet, a French officer.
Belgian troops rushed to get the few remaining expatriates aboard C-130s headed for Nairobi, a $11 / 2$-hour flight. Earlier in the day, rebels and army troops fought street-to-street in the cen ter of the city. A government helicopter gunship fired rockets at rebel positions. At least one shel hit the parliament building, sending up a plume o smoke; others landed nearby, kicking up giant clouds of red dust.

## Three in Belfast charged with murder

BELFAST
Three men were charged Wednesday with murdering a Protestant woman who may have been mistaken for a
Roman Catholic at a rowdy drinking club. Two other Roman Catholic at a rowdy drinking club. Two other men and a woman were charged with Wright on April ting the murder of 31 -year-old Margaret Wrigh Protestan paramilitary bers who admitted shooting Wright. Charged with mur der were Christopher Sheals, 27, David Jess, 20, and Stephen Rules, 28. Rules also was charged with posses sion of a sawed-off shotgun and Jess was charged with belonging to the outlawed Red Hand Commandos, Protestant group. Rules told Belfast Crown Court ' didn't kill that poor girl. I only guarded the door becaus I was told to. I am sorry for the family and everything that has happened. "Charged with abetting the killing were Stephen Salters 21 Warren Neil Gibson 21 and Allison Elliott, 24, all from Belfast. The Ulster Volunteer Force said Tuesday it killed Ian Hamilton, 21, whose body was found in a Protestant area. In a statement, the group said Hamilton shot Wright after a crowd of people beat her up
‘Booze News’ details hijinks of officers

MOSCOW
Gunmen burst into the apartment of a reputed crime boss and killed the man and his wife in bed, the latest murders in a mob war that has broken out in the Russian capital. Criminal gangs have flourished in the chaos that followed the collapse of the Soviet Union in 1991, and gunbattles, car bombings and assassinations have become nearly routine as "mafiya" groups carve up their turf. Mobsters have elbowed their way into Russia's emerging business world, killing dozens of businessmen last year and extorting millions of dollars through protection rackets. With the stakes rising, organized crime groups increasingly are targeting each other. Avtandil Chicklaidze, a 38 -year-old ethnic Georgian, was killed at $7 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. Tuesday along with his wife by gunmen who fired 7 a.m. Tuesday along with his wife by gunmen who fired ed. Their child was shot in the arm but survived

Peppered with boasts of drinking binges, skirt chasin and irreverent ibes at the powers that be, the Drink Booze News looks like something a bunch of rebellious high school kids might have cooked up. But it isn t. It the quarterly newsletter of an aviators' social club tha claims a worldwide membership of officers in the U.S. Air Force - from fighter pilots to brigadier generals. The club is called the Command Barstool Association and according to a Booze News copy obtained by The Associated Press, has chapters in nearly two dozen Air Force Bases in the United States and at least six more overseas. The Command Barstool Association is believed to have been formed by some Air Force pilots at a bar in Japan shortly after the end of the Korean War as means of keeping in touch. The membership is estimated at about 1,000 at most.


NATIONAL Weather
The Accu-Weather ${ }^{\oplus}$ forecast for noon, Thursday, April 14.


## Lecture examines women's movement

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The women's movement should be viewed in a different light, according to Sue Tolleson-Rinehart, professor of political science at Texas Tech University.
She cited recent characterizations of feminists, including Rush Limbaugh's attacks on "feminazis" and Oliver North's criticism of feminists during his campaign for Senator of Virginia as examples of media ginia as examples of
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stereotyping of feminists.
In her lecture Wednesday ternoon, Tolleson-Rinehart focused on America's preoccupation with gender roles. She
claimed that, in politics, women tend to have roles within the private sector while men occupy a huge section of the public sector.
Tolleson-Rinehart attributes this phenomenon to the nurturing role women are expected to play in society. She claims that women are expected to be caregivers, not lawmakers. Tolleson-Rinehart referred to Texas Governor Ann Richards as a "symbolic woman". To be a successful female politician women must display different sides of themselves to different people, she said. She claimed that, unlike the male politician women cannot be too commanding because men find this
hreatening. However, women want women to appear in conRina take charge. TollesonRinehart claimed that this makes it very difficult for board
"Men expect all women to think alike," she said, "but do we expect all men to think alike? No."
Tolleson-Rinehart claims tha it is the stereotype of the nur it is the stereotype of the nurturing, listening, caring women that explains why we see many more men in chief political po sitions like governor, mayor and president.
"Diane Fienstein lost her race for governor in 1990, but won her California Senatorial seat in

-former Spori Illustrated edito -The National Sponits Daily editor-in-chief

Today $\quad$ 1:15 pm<br>Dooley Room (LaFortune)<br>"Discussion on Column Writing" student union board

1992. People think women make better legislators because it is a nurturing, cooperative, supporting position which re quires good listening skills. It's the fashion to think women are good legislators," she said.
She claimed that another factor that contributes to the difficult task of women running for high office is the image of what a president, governor or mayor a president, governor or mayor Rinehart referred to President Rinehart referred to President cinton, saying that he couldn't put if " does if he, ...didn't have all that muscle." However, she did point out that Senator Boxer of California is only 5 feet tall and Governor Richards of Texas stands at only 5 feet and 3 inches. Tolleson- Rinehart said that Boxer made up for this by "lurching at you with physical energy.
Tolleson-Rinehart does not see feminism as dead, as some claimed it was in the 1980s, but rather as a key issue that will continue to be talked about and played upon in the United States and elsewhere.
She wants to see women in the public as well as private sector of politics. She also commented that, "Women who want to talk the talk better be able to walk the walk."

Bombing

## suspect released

Associated Press
COPENHAGEN, Denmark One of three Egyptians suspected of links to the World Trade Center bombing was released by a Danish court.
The Danish High Court released the man Tuesday evening, saying there was not enough evidence to continue holding him, Danish Text-TV said.
The Aarhus City Court had decided last week to keep all three men in custody for four more weeks. Aarhus Deputy Police Chief Villy Sorensen said Wednesday he had not seen the ruling and did not know why the man had been released.
The three men were arrested Nov. 17 in connection with an arson fire.
Aarhus police called in the FBI after finding possible links to a group charged in the United States with last year's World Trade Center blast that killed six people and injured more than 1,000
The identities of the men have been kept secret, according to Danish custom.

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Koop currently serves as the McInerny Professor of Surgery at Dartmouth College and senior scholar of the Koop Institute of Health and Science. According to Bridget Conley, the ideas and issue commissioner and lecture chairperson of the Student Union Board, "We thought Dr. Koop would be a good voice to critique Clinton's health care plans." Noting that the anti-smoking issue made the recent covers of both Time magazine and U.S. Conley commented that "there is such a big outcry that smoking is a drug, that it is addic ing is a drug, that it is addictive, and that it should be regulated."
Koop's lecture is at 7 p.m. at Stepan Center and will be followed by a reception in the
Dooley Room of the LaFortune Dooley Room of

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Japanese near choice of new Prime Minister

By BRAVEN SMILLIE
Associaed Press
Japan's fractious ruling coalition, which nearly fell apart after the prime minister announced he was quitting, neared agreement today on a candidate to replace him: Foreign Minister Tsutomu Hata.

Parliament was expected to vote early next week on a successor for Prime Minister Morihiro Hosokawa, who threw last week by saying he would resign to take responsibility for an emerging financial scandal.

If the left-leaning and conservative factions in Hosokawa's coalition can stay together and preserve their majority, Hata probably will win the vote.

Although he belongs to the coalition's more conservative faction and was once a member of the opposition Liberal Democratic Party, Hata has championed the promised reforms that formed the coalition's main appeal to scandal-weary voters. Hata, 58, heads the Japan Renewal Party, and has been elected to the powerful lower house of Parliament nine times. He serves simultaneously as deputy prime minister.

## Panel

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American Association) , and MEC(Multicultural Executive Council), going on every single weekend," said Wong.
In addition, next year The Multicultural Executive Council will be sponsoring two to four all-day, open-invitation prejudice reduction workshops both semesters.
The forum ended with an exhortation to the entire student body from Simon.
"Just as piece of advice as a black male at the University," he said. "Never ask a black student on campus, 'What sport do you play?," or "Are you on full scholarship?," because those are the most de meaning things you could ever


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See You Saturday!

## Activist discusses history, goals of Greenpeace

## By ZOE MARIN

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The past and present ecological problems along with the many misconceptions about were the were the Greenpeace Greenpeace Christopher Child s addressed last night. The lecture was animat with a slide show as part of Earth Week.
Environmental issues con-
cerning energy waste and production, as well as protecting forests and animals are the primary concerns of the Greenpeace organization, according to Childs.
"A lot of people associate us with saving whales," Childs said, "We're not trying to protect one particular species. We're trying to protect an entire ecosystem."
tire ecosystem. was founded in 1971 by a small group in Vancouver, Alaska in protest to nuclear testing being conducted by the United States.
"They had an idea, a way to take a stand on an issue that they felt needed attention," Childs explained.

The small group never quite made it to their destination, but when they returned to Vancouver, they were well received.
"They thought a lot of people would laugh at them," said Childs, "Instead, so many people were encouraged and inspired by them."
The two main goals of the Greenpeace organization the Greenpeace orgazation are to encourage nonviolence and to Childs said that these bath childs said hat these basic fundamental goals were modeled after similar ideals from the Quaker society.
"Things change for the better when people with commitment make them change," said Childs.

## SOPHOMORES

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One way Greenpeace employs this ideal of nonviolence is by hanging various signs on anything from skyscrapers to Mount Rushmore and the Statue of Liberty.
"We like to climb and hang big signs for everyone to see Childs said.
In revolt to Dupont's use of CFCs, a dangerous chemical that not only eats away the ozone layer, but also increases the greenhouse effect, Greenpeace hung a large sign on a water tower that advertised the corporation.
The sign resembled a giant blue ribbon, awarding Dupont first place for polluting the earth.
Another popular tactic for nonviolence involves literally jumping in front of large whaling ships or holding on to the bow of a navy ship stocked with nuclear weapons.
"Our motto is 'Be in the way,'" said Childs.
One particular member of Greenpeace went as far as boarding a Japanese whaling ship and handcuffing herself to the harpoon gun in order to "be in the way."
Childs said that Japan and Sweden are the only two coun-
tries disobeying an international law which bans the whaling of great whales
Although some of the work is risky, some of it is also illegal. In the past, Greenpeace activists, including Childs, have been arrested for trespassing. One particular New York judge helped Childs and his friends avoid a jail sentence since he admired their work.

Alternative sources of energy are one main way Greenpeace feels the environmental problems can be tackled. Greenpeace's own ship, The Rainbow Warrior, was specially designed to utilize wind power.
"We like solar. We like it so much we got ourselves some," Childs said.

Greenpeace built a solar-powered studio in which various artists including U2, R.E.M., and the Jesus and Mary Chain recorded and donated tracks towards an album. This album, entitled "Alternative NRG," is currently on sale in record stores.
"The first lesson handled at Greenpeace is do your best, and even though at first it doesn't look like you're succeeding, wait and see what happens," said Childs.

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Doctor locates cancer suppressing gene

By RICHARD COLE Assaciated Press

The newly identified tumor suppressing gene, p16, appears even more significant that the previously identified p53 gene, which is believed to be a major factor in colon, breast, liver and other cancers, said Alexander Kamb of Utah-based Myriad Genetics Inc., who helped lead the p16 research.

P16 controls the production of an enzyme that inhibits cell growth in cancer genes, while p53 does not, he said.
Cancer researchers are increasingly turning their attention to suppressor genes, which brake uncontrolled cell divi sion. Damage to these suppres-
sor cell may be the chief cause of cancer, Kamb said.

A key gene that normally suppresses cancer has been identified by researchers, offering an important new focus for ing an important new locus for reported Wednesday.
Loss of the gene was detected in a broad range of cancers including 60 percent of breast cancer cases and 82 percent of one type of brain tumor. "It's very close to the action of cel division. When it's broken destroyed, mutated, cell divi sion is left out of control," said Dr. Mark Skolnik of the University of Utah Medical Center

This Weekend in Notre Dame Sports Let's Go Irish!
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Saturday, April 16
Didn't make it to the Masters?
NOTRE DAME WOMEN'S GOLF hosts the Irish Invitational Shotgun start at 8 a.m. - University Course Free Admission

Arafat apologizes for attacks

By BARRY SCHWEID Associated Press

PLO Chairman Yasser Araf has written to President Clinton regretting and rejecting terrorist attacks on civilians in Israel, the State Department said today.
The letter, sent from PLO headquarters in Tunisia, apparently was in response to U.S. demands for condemnation of the bombing of a bus in Afula Israelis.
It was not clear whether the
letter was sent after today's attack on a bus in Hadera. Six Is-
aelis were killed.
Obviously, we think that all parties should condemn violent acts against innocent people," Michael McCurry, the State Department spokesman, said in disclosing Arafat's letter to Clinton.

He said Arafat "regretted and strongly rejected such actions because they were directed against innocent civilians.
McCurry did not say whether he statement amounted to the condemnation the administra-
tion had sought from the PLO
leader. But he said the state-
ment was stronger than one

Afula attack
McCurry described both at tacks as acts of terrorism and condemned them, along with tacks on Palestinians. Al urgency for coming to closure now" on arrangements for Palestinian self-rule on the Palestinian self-rule on the said.
Israeli diplomats had urged the White House and the State the Whim to to and that Department to respond vigor ously to
President Clinton made no reference to the bombings in a speech to an editors' group spee

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## Clinton angrily defends his Whitewater stance

By TERENCE HUNT
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WASHINGTON
President Clinton testily defended his handling of Whitewater questions Wednesday, spurning what he said were suggestions that he stop being on this issue.
"All I can tell you, sir," Clinton told a questioner at a newspaper editors' conference, "is I have done my best to answer the questions asked of me.
'Maybe you have total and complete recollection of every question that might be asked of you at any moment of things that happened to you $12,13,14$ years ago," Clinton said icily. "Maybe you could give your tax records up for 17 years and at the moment answer any question.'

He pledged anew to cooperate with a special counsel investigating the Whitewater affair and to "do my best to give more information to the press."
The issue came up in a question and answer session after

## Press' angst now part of story

By MIKE FEINSILBER
Associated Press

## WASHINGTON <br> When he was mayor of New

 York, Ed Koch used to go around the city taking his political temperature. He d ask The press midoing?The press has been doing much the same about its coverage of Whitewater, a term oncompassing anything from Vincent Foster's apparent suicide to Hillary Clinton's margin calls from her broker. While Whitewater is getting intense attention these days, there's also been a spate of stories about whether all that attention is warranted
The New York Times took editorial-page notice Sunday of what it said was the press: questioning whether all the
his speech to the American Society of Newspaper Editors.
For months, the president has been buffeted by questions
coverage "could lead to the ritother presideney."
Stick with it Shick with il, was the limes advice: Experience suggests off a story, for whatever lays on - afficial prescure public dismay oncial pressure, public ismay, professional angst - it has been the wrong thing to do."
Lars-Erik Nelson, columnist for the New York newspaper Newsday, sees Whitewater as a witch hunt, pure and simple* and the angst as an inevitable result of the media's onhanced importance in Washington.

We're not fust ohservers, we're participants," he said. 'Once you get that kind of power you become subject to the scratiny of the press." A student-Eun datly newspa-
about a 15 -year-old investment by him and his wife in an Arkansas land development company and about its ties with


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per, published at this week's meeting of the American Socioty of Newspaper Editors, also ook nate of the coverage-of-the-coverage phenomenon.
"Whitewater: Hard facts vs. media fixation." said a frontage headline. "Is the press olaying it safe or overplaying The issue?"
The story comes to no concluston, but the public seems o have. A recent Times Mirror poll said 73 percent of these who voted for Clinton fell the oress was paying too much atCenllon; omly 40 percent of Gearge Bush voters thought so.
Eor journalism, the lesson of by Watergate 20 years ago is that the press mostly missed the story, leaving it to twa rung Washington Post metro eporters to uncover
a failed savings and loan
USA Today international edi or John Simpson recalled Clinton's recent acknowledgement that he had overstated his Whitewater losses by $\$ 20,000$. Simpson said his daughter commented that Clinton "sounds just like me when I'm trying to explain why I don't have my homework."
Launching his defense, Clinton suggested that press cover age of Whitewater was con fused and that the media were hostile. He quoted humorist Garrison Keillor as saying, "All I know about Whitewater is what I read in the papers, so I don't understand it.
More pointedly, Clinton told

Simpson, Maybe ... you think should have shut the whole federal government down and done nothing but study these things for the last two months."
Clinton said he had agreed to turn over all his records to a special counsel and let him investigate the matter so "I could go on and be president.
However, Clinton said, "The same people who asked for the special counsel so that these issues could be resolved in an appropriate and disciplined way and I could go back to work, have decided they were kidding. And they wanted to continue for us to deal with this.
"Well, I'm sorry, I'm doing the best I can while I do the job I was hired by the American people to do.'
Clinton's response drew strong applause. Simpson said the reply was wonderful.
Clinton was invited by another questioner to assess the news media's coverage of his administration and of the Whitewater affair, but he declined to do so
"If I could grad
If I could grade the press, I wouldn't," he said
In reply to another question, Clinton said he was considering what limits there should be on the use of American tax dollars for abortion overseas
'I think at a minimum that we should not fund abortions when the child is capable of living outside the mother's womb," Clinton said. "Secondly, we should not in any way, shape or form fund abortions if they are forced on citizens by the government against their will."

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## Homosexual literary themes prompt reflection

Dear Editor:

It is as a result of the interest that some of my colleagues showed in knowing about the course I introduced last semester: "Outspoken Readings: Questions of Homosexuality in Literature" that I felt encouraged to offer these remarks publicly. I thought that by doing so, these notes would give an idea about the contents of the course and its dynamics. They could also serve as possible guidelines for further studies about the representation of same sex desire in sexual-aesthetic literary discourse
The course was conceived as a way to approach, intellectually, the issue of homosexuality, and to call attention to hitherto neglected fields of study. I also wanted to raise consciousness and to create a space for dialogue where gay and lesbian students could relate to experiences they share, and to expose straight students to issues that are not often discussed in the classroom or outside I thought classroom or outside. I thought that, as a gay man, by making subte analytic use of my own knowledge, research, and experience, I could offer special insights into the subject. I also thought it was time to bring into discussion the much misunderstood topic of homosexuality, especially after the wave of homophobia that had swept the campus the previous semester, generated in part by members of an educated community that prides itself for its sophistication, tolerance and openmindedness. Since no one had taught at this university a course on gay and lesbian literature that addressed directly the issues I was intending to raise, I decided to come forth with this course. Had I been a

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historian I would have pro posed a course on the history of sexuality, but since my training is as a literary critic, I offered course on literature with a list of authors that included Plato and Sappho, Shakespeare and Whitman, Oscar Wilde and Andre Gide, Virginia Woolf, E M. Forster and Radclyfe Hall

‘Comanamo oun erotophobic and homophobic society with the guiltless, positive attitude
towards sex that characterized the ancient world was a revealing experience.

Cavafy, Proust and Genet. The original list was slightly more ambitious, but time was what determined how much we could read.
One of the initial apprehenOns I had was how to deal with a course that began with Sappho and ended with "Th Sappho and ended with The Kiss of the Spider Woman some twenty fire centurie ater? Soon discovered tha my apprehensions were unfounded, since the inclusion of these two seminal authors proved of paramount imporlance for several reasons. It helped us to see the difference between the modern attitude towards homosexuality tha heterosexual discourse has constructed, and the more "sympa hetic response to the open expression of homosexual desire in words and behaviour that characterized the ancient
world
Homosexuality "1).
Plato's "Symposium" was par ticularly valuable because of its presence within the homosexual literary canon. It is one of the few works where some of the authors we studied could see the love of men openly dis cussed. The "Symposium" moreover, played a formative role in the defense of homosexual love and in the plea for understanding that some of these authors set out some of Most important, given the conMost important, given the confrom this contrast how sexualifrom this contrast how sexuali ty is not a given, nor a product of free will, as it is traditionally thought, but rather a socia construct, something fluid that can be conducted according to the imperatives of a given soci ety in a given time. Projecting our modern sexual categories backward in time, contrastin our erotophobic and homopho bic society with the guiltless positive attitude towards sex that characterized the ancien world was a revealing experience for most of us in the course.
From Plato we moved on to Sappho's poetry. It was my intention when proposing the course to include lesbian litera ture as well, even though knew very little about the sub ject. I was determined to learn as much from the experience as the students taking the course Moreover, what I wanted avoid at all costs when propos ing a pioneer course like th one was to fall into the trap of reproducing discrimination between gays and lesbians especially when one of the main aims of the course was to avoid it. The choice was very popular It was difficult when listening to
these guilless songs about les bian love not to admire the candid passion and the powerful emotional response they generate in modern audiences some twenty five centuries later. After "the fair Sappho," as Socrates calls this source of erotic wisdom in "Phaedrus," we moved on to the analysis of Shakespeare's "Sonnets" and Whitman's "Calamus" poems. In his poetic "Institution of In his poetic "nstitution of which we Love of Comrades, whichtion to phe passion Whitman to Whitman expends on the male body and to the homosexual context that determines the psychological tension of the poems. Both these poets were particularly interesting for the grandeur of their artistic expression and for the supremacy of human love that they celebrate, regardless of genital details. The study of these two poets was also valuable because it helped us to see the length to which some of their commentators have gone to defend these consecrated idols of our culture from the stigma of sexual inversion and the otherness it implies.

These commentators do not realize that what needs explanation is their inherent homophobia, not the ability with which these poets could chart the full variety of human involvement, homosexual desire existing for most of the authors we studied as an integral part of Nature. The way in which some literary critics insist on leading the reader by the hand, protecting us from "evil" with ignorance while doing "good" with insincerity is truly admirable. They, like everybody else in our culture, have been subject to eons of homophobic

GARRY TRUDEAU QUOTE OF THE DAY
mevitably conditioned their perceptions. This conditioning ed us to talk about the conspiracy of reticence and the effect it has had in perpetuating the stereotypes about homosexuality that are so prevalent among us. And so we moved on across centuries, cultures and national borders, across gender and sexualities, finding confirmation of what some of us knew already and somers were finding out and "love con beauties $p$ out: hat love can beauties spy in mon eye" (John
With the twentieth century we "entered the broken world To trace the visionary company of Love," as Hart Crane had put it. It was introduced significantly by Oscar Wilde's pained sincerity in "De Profundis." It was particularly revealing to chose Wilde's meditation because of he unprecedented consequences that his trial would have on the formation of the homosexual identity in years to come. John Boswell has defined its effects concisely when he remarks that "It is unlikely the at any time in Western history have gay people been the victims of more widespread and vehement intolerance than during the first half of the twentieth century."

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Look in tomorrow's Viewpoint pages for the conclusion of Professor Jerez-Faran's reflections.


66 D ock journalism is people who can't write interviewing people who can't talk for people who can't read."

# Accent 

## Yankees shutout by White Sox at Comiskey

Associated Press

CHICAGO
Jason Bere scattered four hits in seven innings and Julio Franco homered Wednesday night as the Chicago White Sox beat the New York Yankees 5-0 and stretched their winning streak to four
Bere (1-0) struck out six and walked two. Paul Assenmacher pitched the eighth against his former team and Kirk McCaskill finished. The loss was the Yankees' fourth straight.
Jim Abbott (1-1) gave up four runs - three earned - and eight hits in $62-3$ innings. He walked four and struck out three.
White Sox manager Gene Lamont was ejected by umpire Tim Tschida in the fourth inning for arguing an out call from the dugout
New York advanced only one runner as far as third, but Wade Boggs fanned with Pat Kelly on third base in the fifth, ending the inning.
Consecutive doubles by Darrin Jackson and Joe Hall put Chicago ahead in the first. Ron Karkovice walked and both runners advanced when Abbott's pickoff try bounced off Hall's back into short centerfield for an error.
Ozzie Guillen's RBI single made it 2-0, and Lance Johnson's grounder forced Karkovice at home. Joey Cora followed with a grounder to shortstop Mike Gallego, who threw home. Guillen appeared to touch the plate with his hand as he slid across home, but catcher Natt Nokes then tagged
him out, leading to Lamont's ejection.
Franco hit his third home run of the year in the seventh following Frank Thomas’ single. Johnson added an RBI single in the eighth off Steve Howe.

## Royals 2, Red Sox 1

KANSAS CITY, Mo.
One night after a humiliating 22-11 loss to Boston, the Kansas City Royals regained some respect
Rookie Bob Hamelin, who has replaced George Brett as Kansas City's designated hitter, hit a two-run homer in the ninth inning Wednesday night to give the Royals a $2-1$ victory over the Red Sox.
"That's what you dream about, hitting a home run in the bottom of the ninth to win a game," Hamelin said. "There's no better deal than that. I think the fans were a little down on us after what happened to us last night, and maybe this will bring them back and show them that we have a good team."
Hamelin homered on a curveball from Jeff Russell ( $0-1$ ) after Dave Henderson reached on a throwing error by shortstop John Valentin.
'When I saw it out of my hand, I could see it sort of hover," Russell said of his gopher ball. "It had a loop in it, and the hitter picked it up. It didn't have the good trajectory."
Boston starter Aaron Sele, who took a no-hitter into the seventh inning in his last star
in Kansas City on Aug. 28, shut out the Royals for 7 1-3 in g.

Kansas City starter Tom Gor don was almost as good, limit ing the Red Sox to a run on three hits in 7 2-3 innings. Billy Brewer (1-0) pitched hitless re lief the rest of the way for the victory.
The pitcher's duel was a stark contrast to Tuesday's game when the teams combined for 30 hits.
Mike Greenwell doubled with one out in the fourth off Gordon and scored on a sacrifice fly by Andre Dawson.
Gordon had struck out Mo Vaughn swinging, but the ball got away from catcher Brent Mayne on what was ruled a wild pitch. Vaughn reached first safely and Greenwell went to third on the play. Notes: Rightfielder Felix Jose rejoined the Royals after rehabilitating his injured back in an extended spring training. Jose was expected to be activated Friday.

## Cardinals 4, Dodgers 2

ST. LOUIS
Ray Lankford homered and drove in four runs, and Rick Sutcliffe won his first NL start in three years as the St. Louis Cardinals beat the Los Angeles Dodgers 4-2 Wednesday night. Lankford moved back to lead off this season after starting last season as the cleanup batter and hitting in almost every spot without success. He wen 3-for-5 with the third four-RBI game of his career, helping send the Dodgers to their fifth
loss in six games.
Lankford homered off Ramon Martinez ( $0-2$ ) in the third, had a two-run single in the fourth and a run-scoring single in the sixth off Gary Wayne. He entered 3-for-21 against Martinez.
Sutcliffe ( $1-0$ ) overcame early problems to win his first start with St. Louis, his first start in the NL since Sept, 28, 1991
Sutcliffe went to full counts on the first three batters. In the second, the Dodgers opened with four straight hits, including RBI singles by Raul Mondesi and Jose Offerman.
Sutcliffe then retired 14 of the next 16 batters. The two hits in that span were doubles by Henry Rodriguez, who had three doubles on the night. Sutcliffe gave up eight hits in 6 1-3 innings with three strikeouts and a walk.
Mike Perez, the Cardinals fourth pitcher, got three outs for his third save.
Martinez threw 113 pitches in 5 2-3 innings and gave up four runs and five hits. He also walked six, matching his career high, although only one walk hurt him. Erik Pappas walked with one out in the fourth and scored on Lankford's hit.
Martinez is $4-1$ in five starts at Busch Stadium. In the first four he had an ERA of 0.26 , allowing one earned run in 34 innings.

## Braves 6, Giants 3

ATLANTA
On the night honoring the
20th anniversary of Hank

Aaron's 715th home run, Fred McGriff homered in the 12 th inning just to the left of the historic landing spot, leading the Atlanta Braves over the San Francisco Giants 6-3 Wednesday night.
Atlanta, which rallied in the ninth, was tied $3-3$ in the 12th when Jeff Blauser doubled off rookie Tony Menendez (0-1). Terry Pendleton walked and McGriff hit his second home run of the season.
Atlanta, which beat San Francisco to win the NL West on the final day of last season, is $8-1$, the Braves' best start since 1982. The Giants have lost three of four.
Mark Wohlers (2-0), Atlanta's fifth pitcher, got four outs for the victory on a night when the Braves honored Aaron in a pregame ceremony for No. 715, hit in Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium on April 8, 1974.
Atlanta, which blew a two-run lead in the ninth inning of a 7-5 loss to the Giants on Tuesday night, came back in the ninth when Mark Lemke doubled with two outs off Kevin Rogers and scored on a single by pinch-hitter Charlie O'Brien.
Willie McGee's RBI double in the top half had put the Giants ahead 3-2.
Royce Clayton, who entered 8 -for-15 against Steve Avery, put the Giants ahead in the third with his first homer this season. Dave Gallagher homered in the fifth to tie, but Matt Williams sacrifice fly gave the Giants a 2 1 lead in the seventh. Deion Sanders' sacrifice fly tied the score in the bottom half.

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## Students... vote now to decide the starting line-up for the second game of the April 18 doubleheader against Cleveland State.

 Don't miss your anly chance this season to make your vote count!Return ballot entries to the Observer - 3rd Floor Lafortune Center - Attn: Jenny Marten by 5:00 pm Friday, April 15. Then come to the game on Monday, April 18 at 5:00pm. If your entry correctly chooses the starters, you will be entered into a drawing for a Notre Dame Baseball jacket which will be given away in the first inning of the second game. You must be present at the game to win...and stay in your seats, because if the jacket is not claimed we'll draw another winner in the second, then the third.
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: At first base: Robbie Kent and Kevin Tommasini

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- At third base: Matt Haas and Mark Mapes
: At shortstop: Paul Failla and Javier Fuentes
- In left field: Rowan Richards and Robby Birk
: In center field: Scott Sollmann and Robby Birk
: In right field: Ryan Topham and Mike Amrhein
: and the designated hitters: George Restovich and Mark Mapes:


## Aaron honored on 20th anniversary of record <br> accolades included a letter from

By TOM SALADINO

Associated Press

ATLANTA salaries likely will pon-dollar of the current crop from breaking his car prers from breaking his career home run record, Hank Aaron says. Aaron was saluted in pregame ceremonies Wednesday night prior to the San Francisco Giants-Atlanta Braves game honoring the 20th anniversary of Aaron's 715th home run. The

## Softball

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some offensive muscle of their own Junior Sara Hayes leads the team with a .441 average which leads the MCC Senior which leads the MCC. Senior Stephanie Pinter has upped her average 53 points, to 317 , with a 9 -for- 14 performance this weekend in four games at Detroit.
"If we are able to continue hitting the way we did last weekend," Miller said of her Irish squad, who banged out 43 hits over the four games, "that will be a big factor if we are to win."

President Clinton.
Aaron's homer that broke Babe Ruth's record came on April 8, 1974 at Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium in the fourth inning against left-hander Al Downing of the Los Angeles Dodgers. Aaron wound up with 755 in his 23-year career. That record will be hard to break, he said during a news conference prior to the on-field ceremonies.
'I think the players of today -

## Hoops

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for the second consecutive year.
Joe Ross, who climaxed his basketball career by raising his scoring average 5.1 and his rebounding average to 6.0 , was also honored at the banquet.

## Watch for continuing

 Bookstore Basketball coveragein The Observer.
and l've said this so many times before - have more athletic ability than those of 20 years ago," said Aaron.
"But the way salaries are now, many are super rich if they play 10 years. The first 13 years of my carcer I didn't make $\$ 100,000$ (a season). I was still hungry.
'I really don't know how I'd do if I were playing today. The minute my season was over in 1957-58, I'd go to work. I need ed that other paycheck.'

He said the outstanding play- ers baseball has ever known," ers of today "can do most anything, but I can't predict what they'll do."
The week of April 8-15 was designated by Major League Baseball as Hank Aaron Week. Each club playing at home paid tribute to Aaron on April 8.
The Braves opened the season on the road and didn't return to Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium until Tuesday night.
"Hank Aaron distinguished himself as one of the best play-
said Clinton's letter in part. "I am delighted to commemorate this event. ... Best Wishes for a wonderful celebration, Bill Clinton," the letter concluded.

Major League Baseball presented Aaron with a Tiffany statue of himself and a lifesized baseball card. The Braves contributed a $\$ 10,000$ check to the Hank Aaron Rookie League, an Atlanta baseball league for youngsters.

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## WHERE ARE ALL THE PERFECT PEOPLE?

Are you looking for perfection? You may wish that you had the perfect grades, the perfect body, the perfect personality, the perfect job, and the perfect mate. Perhaps there is nothing more sought after and nothing less attained than perfection.

There is something healthy about the desire to improve, but our lives can be incredibly frustrating if we think that we, and people around us, must be perfect. Our standards can always be higher than our performance.

Perfection, as most people define it, is not all that it is cracked up to be.

It seems to me that "perfect people", if there were such people, would be very intimidating to an imperfect guy like me. Perfect people, if there were such people, would be nearly impossible for me to relate to.

Come to think of it, I do not think I could be friends with a person who is as perfect as I want to be. I do not think that I would want to live or work with perfect people.

The relentless search for what we define as perfection can be a real source of unhappiness. We can spend a vast amount of energy on trying to be beautiful and trying to be with the beautiful people. Deep down, maybe we know that our energy can be better spent.

Jean Vanier, founder of the International L'Arche Communities for the mentally handicapped, is an example of a person who is trying to giveup the relentless search for perfection which is the source of so much unhappiness in the world.

In August 1964, Vanier invited two mentally handicapped men to live with him in a small house he had purchased, about 15 miles north of Paris. Their home became the first L'Arche Community. "Obviously Raphael and Phillipe (his housemates) needed me," Vanier said, "and very quickly I saw that I needed them. They called forth something inside of me... Raphael and Phillipe were teaching me about personal relationships, mutual trust, and love. Very quickly, I found that I was changing under their guidance."

The L'Arche Communities are founded on the life of Jesus and the New Testament beatitudes. They include equal numbers of mentally handicapped people and "assistants" from a variety of religious backgrounds who live, work, play and pray together. Vanier insists that the experience of community benefits the assistants no less than their handicapped housemates.
"Beauty exists in every person. If we stop looking for perfection and if we accept the person who is in front of us, we can be aware of some incredible gifts," says Jean Vanier.

Jean Vanier will receive the third Notre Dame Award for international humanitarian service on Monday, April 18, here at the Stepan Center. There will be a prayer service at 7:00 p.m. Jean Vanier will speak at approximately $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. All are welcome!

Notre Dame can seem like a place that awards the most perfect, as the world defines perfect. The Notre Dame Award, which will be presented to Vanier, is one way for Notre Dame to say that perfection, as the world defines it, is not all that it is cracked up to be.

We can spend so much energy on trying to be perfect. We can spend a yast amount of energy on trying to be beautiful and trying to be with the so-called beautiful people. Deep down, maybe we know that our energy can be better spent.

## Bob Dowd, C.S.C.

Notre Dame Award for International Humanitarian Service presented to Jean Vanier, Stepan Center, Monday, April 18, 7:00 p.m. All are welcome!

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## Scripture Readings For This Coming Sunday

1st Reading<br>Acts 3:13-15,17-19<br>2ND Reading<br>Gospel<br>1 John 2:1-5<br>Luke 24:35-48

## Belles anxious for chance at bid to nationals

By TARA KRULL
Spors Writer
The Saint Mary's tennis team begins its quest for a bid to the nationals today when it departs for the Midwest Invitational in Madison, Wisconsin.

The Belles have been antici pating this weekend since the beginning of their season as this will be their only chance

## Saint Mary's

 TennisProposed Lineup
for a bid. In coach Katie Cromer's eyes, the team is ready for the challenge.
"We have been working on mentally focusing during practices," Cromer said. "This is our only shot for nationals. We need to just go out there and do it."

The top sixteen teams from the Midwest Region are invited to this invitational.

## Singles

\#1 Singles -- Mary Cosgrove, Sr. \#2 Singles -- Thayma Darby, Sr. \#3 Singles -- Andrea Ayres, Jr. \#4 Singles -- Kate Kozacik, Fr. \#5 Singles -- Jennifer Kelly, Fr.
Doubles \#6 Singles -- Maryse Pflum, Jr.
\#1 Doubles -- Cosgrove/Ayres
\#2 Doubles -- Darby/Robin Hryko, Jr.
\#3 Doubles -- Nancy Waibel, Jr./
Ashley McArdle, Fr

Teams are ranked into two brackets, 1-8 and 9-16. The Belles are in the latter bracket and face the possibility of playing Albion College and Hope College.
Saint Mary's suffered it second loss of the season to Hope last weekend and faces Albion later in its competitive schedule. Both the teams should pose a challenge for the team, Cromer noted.
"We aren't going to let our loss against Hope affect us, should we play them this weekend," she said. "It's also important for us to keep in mind that some of our toughest matches of the season are commatches of the season are coming up after this weekend, so we can't let up."
Other teams ranked in the same bracket with Saint Mary's are DePauw University, St. Benedict's College, and the Universities of Wisconsin at Eau Claire, Whitewater, and LaCrosse.
The Belles are scheduled to

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play their first match on Friday at 10:45 a.m.
If they win this match, they will play again later on Friday and once more on Saturday The team's opponents are selected by a two-draw format and the tournament is double elimination.
Nevertheless, the Belles have their work cut out for them Technically, the top two teams at the invitational's end receive national bids.
However, the chance for an at-large bid is still alive if the Belles make a strong enough showing within their own bracket.
"It is extremely importan that we represent Saint Mary's the best that we can, through both our playing and sportsmanship," Cromer said. "We receive great exposure at this invitational because there are so many coaches and committees there. Everybody sees you."
The players themselves have
a good feeling about this week end as well. Junior Nancy Waibel commented that the Belles' entire line-up is solid from No. 1 singles through No 3 doubles.
"This weekend is what we've worked for since the beginning of this season," Waibel said "We are all ready to win.
The Belles earned their invitation to Madison as a result of all their hard work and determination. Everything they've focused their energies on this season will be called upon this weekend when they have th weekertunity to show have the oppor they're made oryone what ing to senior
Cosgrove. Cosgrove
"I am hoping that this week end's matches will give our team the opportunity to prove the real talent that exists among our players," Cosgrove said. We have the skills to win, yet our ability to remain focused on our goals will be the key to our success."

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age (.471) on the team behind senior Matt Haas.
His speed has also been helpful in the outfield where he has been able to chase down
numerous hits to the gaps. either pinch running or doing Sollmann ranks second among other base running," said the outfielders with 41 putouts and Cincinnati, Ohio native. only three errors.

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The $1995-96$ Fulloright competition international meeting will be held today at 4:00 p.m. In the Notre Dame Room, 2nd Floor of the LaFartume Student Center. Dr. Peter Dilley, Associate Dean of Craduate School, will provide details regarding the applicalion process and Ifs on proparing an effective application Brochures and other naterials will also be provided. All graduate students whose work may require research abroad are excouraged to attend

## DJIVINR TALL



JASON KELIYS PIGK
Notre Dame
Entree: In the rainhow of delights offered the student body by University Food Services, the Baked Orange Roughy stands out as a particularly colorful choice. However, the pronunciation dobate-is it Rough-ec or Roo-ee?-lingers on.

Beverage: As I always say, when life hands you lemons, make lemonade. Unfortunately, at press time, the lemonade machine in North Dining Hall is broken, so you might have to settle with cranberry juice.

## Saint Mary's

Entree: Is I am without adequate Information on
the culinary offorings at Saint Mary's, I feel urable to make a comment on the ideal menu chaice at this lime.

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## Speedy Sollmann stealing spotlight

Freshman steps up to challenges

By JENNY MARTEN Senior Sports Writer

As a high school senior, he was named the top running back in Ohio after rushing for 2,000 all-purpose yards and leading his team to the Division I state championship game.
And in the fall of 1993, Scott Sollmann came to Notre Dame, but he didn't come to play football.
He came to play baseball for Pat Murphy.
Why baseball? Why Notre Dame?
"I guess baseball has always been my number one love. I have always been very successful at football, but it was time to choose one sport," explained the freshmen centerfielder.
"Eventually, I decided that the high school championship game was going to be my last. Notre Dame showed the most interest in baseball."
Sollmann's baseball talent is as considerable as his gridiron talent. The three-time Amateur Athletic Union (AAU) All-American has become a major contributor to the Irish baseball team with his speed


Freshman stand-out Scott Sollmann has capitalized on his speed and athletic ability to bat .361 this season with 12 walks and six bunt singles.
on the basepaths and with his Eddie Hartwell's graduation, scrappy play in centerfield. Sollmann has been a valuable The 5 -foot-8 lefty is the only reshman on Notre Dame's roster to have started all 21 games this season. Filling the hole in the outfield created by asset for Murphy.
"He is really coming into his He is really coming into his own. He has unbelievable speed," said Murphy. "(Scott)
getting on base helps every-

## one around him.

A watchful eye at the plate moved Sollmann from the las three spots in the batting order to the lead-off spot for the last two spring break games.

In his first week of college baseball, he drew five walks in 21 plate appearances while singling in his first collegiate game and tripling in the fifth game of the break. He also was successful on three-offour stolen base attempts.
Since then, Sollmann has settled into the number two spot in the lineup and flourished there. His current numbers are testimony to that. In addition to walking 12 times, he's hitting .361 with 15 runs scored and six runs batted in. A 10 -for-13 performance in the four-game series with Xavier boosted his average 112 points.
Although his claim on the two-spot seems secure, Sollmann doesn't really care where he is in the order
"It's easier batting seventh or eighth rather than first or second. It's the mentality people have. The seventh and eighth batters aren't supposed to get the hits while the first batters are supposed to be the better hitters," said Sollmann. "My game plan stays the same so matter where 1 hit. I'm not an RBI producer. I want to get hits and get on base
Sollmann's speed has been a valuable addition to the Irish offense this year. He leads the Irish with 13 stolen bases and six of his 22 hits have been bunt singles giving him the second best on-base percent-
see BASEBALL / page 14

## Softball ready for milestone



Freshman Joy Battersby will start for the Irish in head coach Liz Miller's attempt for her 600th victory.

## By MEGAN McGRATH

 Sports WriterThe song remains the same for the Notre Dame softball for the
"Blame it on the Rain."
Hopefully, nature will cooperate and allow the Irish to play a doubleheader today against Western Michigan in Kalamazoo.
The Irish were scheduled to host DePaul Monday at Ivy Field, but rain early in the day forced the game to be canceled, and Irish coach Liz Miller had to wait for another chance to get her 600 th career victory.
While this milestone places Miller among the elite of NCAA coaches, it is not the most pressing thing on her mind.
"To be perfectly honest, I didn't even know I was close to that number because I don't really keep track," Miller said really keep track, Mor said. the high-powered Western Michigan offense, led by South Bend native Stephanie Hender-
son. The junior is currently batting .500 , which is tied for sixth best in the NCAA
"We know they're going to have a strong offense," Miller have a strong offense, Miller
said. "Henderson went 10 -forsaid. Henderson went 10 for series. They can hit and they series. They can hit and they
run very well. Hopefully we run very well. Hopefully we will be able to get them to make some mistakes.
Hoping to stifle the Western Michigan bats will be pitchers Terri Kobata and Joy Battersby. Kobata, the MCC player-of the-week, is coming off a phenomenal weekend in which she threw a perfect game, a no-hitter, and won another game in a relief appearance. She is second in the NCAA with 11.0 strikeouts per game.
Freshman Battersby has a 104 record and a 1.94 ERA, but more intimidating for tomorrow's opponent is that the Irish have won the last eight games in which she has started The Irish have displayed
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Seniors honored at basketball awards banquet

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In an awards ceremony highlighted by the speech of former Notre Dame basketball captain and NBA All-Star Bill Laimbeer, three seniors were honored at Tuesday night's annual basketball banquet.
Monty Williams, who closed his athletic career as the No. 12 scorer in Irish basketball history with 1,371 points, claimed the National Monogram
 Club Most Valuable Carl Cozen Player Award.
His classmate Carl Cozen, who enters his final semester with a 3.114 grade point average as an accounting major, won the St. Joseph Valley Student-Athlete Award
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BOOKSTORE BASKETBALL
Five seeded teams are set to take the courts today as Bookstore Basketball XXIII advances. see page 11

## The decision's yours.

Help pick Notre Dame's starting line-up for the April 18 baseball game against Cleveland State by filling out the ballot on page 14 .

