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Koop: Real reform requires teamwork

By EDWARD IMBUS New Writer

C. Everett Koop, elated that "at long last, health care is at the top of the domestic agenda," lectured on a wide variety of health care issues last night and how the entire health care system can be improved.

The former surgeon general, wearing his characteristic red bowtie, argued that America must follow the ethical imperative of health care reform, but warned that "real reform requires that the players must coordinate, like a football team. Unless the entire team acts in unison, the play is doomed to failure."

The Clinton health care reform proposal, although he disagrees with many of its provisions, may be the chance the US needs to foster the constructive debate needed for such real reform. The challenge to the administration, he said, is "not to shove (the bill) down our throats."

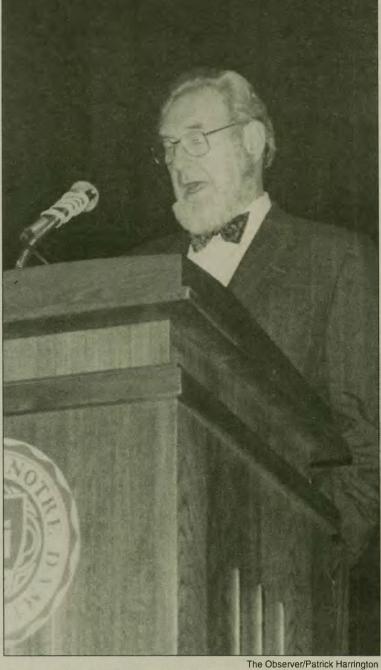
"What we face right now is a series of very hard choices. We must beware of government medicine, insensitive and astronomically expensive, and private medicine run amuck," which would lead to the same consequences, Koop said.

Those choices will concentrate on three fundamental demands: immediate access, technology, and reasonable cost. However, he lamented, it may not be possible to get all three.

Koop said that any proposal must go beyond incremental change and consensus, coverage and costs.

"It must match a sound vision of a healthy society," he said.

Reform faces major difficulties, though, before its adoption. Koop said that the fundamental tension in American values between altruism, exemplified "by US willingness to send a humanitarian force to the other end of the Earth" in



The Observer/Patrick Harrington spoke on the future of health

Former Surgeon General C. Everett Koop spoke on the future of health care yesterday at Stepan Center.

Somalia, and the individualism fostered by the US is the primary problem. US altruism for the poor may push society to overhaul the health care system to cover everyone, but all the individual groups want their

own interests addressed, and there the conflict begins, ac-

cording to Koop.
With Americans spending \$1
trillion dollars on health care
this year alone, however, "we
cannot lose this opportunity.

Even though there is much I don't agree with the Clinton proposal, it is much better than this non-system we have to-day," he said.

day," he said.
Those with health insurance are already indirectly help cover those with Medicare or without health insurance by high hospital costs "like the \$8 Tylenol."

To those who assert that no health care crisis exists, Koop simply said, "Tell that to the 250,000 who had to file for bankruptcy last year because of health costs, or the 100,000 who lose their health insurance each month."

Those shaping the new health care system must be aware of a basic problem arising with modern medicine. While mortality rates have decreased markedly, he said, morbidity has increased.

"There are some things medicine cannot cure. Sometimes we are simply prolonging agony," he said.

He quickly added, however, that care should not withheld automatically. As a personal example, he told of the day he "woke up a paraplegic. I was able to get the proper back surgery, though, and I was able to recover and become surgeon general."

While reform is in the works, major medical problems face the country, such as AIDS, teenage pregnancy, and smoking. As one of the most staunch opponents of tobacco products, Koop blasted the "sleaze of cigarette companies, who said today that they don't want kids to start smoking, and if they thought so, they would pull Joe Camel." He questioned their sincerity.

AIDS, he continued, is now a larger epidemic than polio was at the beginning of the century. He gave the grizzly statistics that now 1 in 250 people are infected with HIV, that the virus

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ND award to offer options

By SARAH DORAN News Editor

Beginning next fall, a Notre Dame student intending to go on to Medical school will have an alternative to the academics of first year study—an alternative that may prove to be more informative than anything a classroom has to offer.

The recently created Thomas Dooley Service Award, named for the ND graduate and humanitarian and sponsored by the ND Alumni Club of Saint Joseph's County, promises to provide a "unique, year-long health ministry experience" by sponsoring a post-graduate volunteer at the Saint Joseph Medical Outreach Center in South Bend.

"It will open [the volunteer's] eyes up to some of the problems of the poor," said Michael Danch, president of the Alumni Club. "Its great to see how a clinic like this operates."

Interested students must be able to obtain a year of deferment from medical school in order to commit to a year of service at the clinic. The Saint Joseph County Alumni Club will provide a stipend to cover living expenses for the year.

The Clinic, which has operated for seven years as a department of the Saint Joseph Medical Center, serves more than 4,000 active patients that are uninsured or unqualified for government care. All Clinic doctors serve on a volunteer basis.

The Clinic experience will include work as a medical

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Madeleva's life, efforts remembered in lecture

By MOLLY CONDON
News Writer

Described as "the most renowned nun in the world," Sister Madeleva Wolff was remembered last night in the Center for Spirituality's tenth annual Madeleva Lecture at the Moreau Little Theatre.

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Dr. Gail Mandell, chair of the Humanistic Studies program at Saint Mary's, spoke from her recently published book "Madeleva: One Woman's Life."

The book is a biography of one of Saint Mary's most influential members, Madeleva, president of the College for three decades until her death in 1964.

The book begins with her early childhood, living in a small town in Wisconsin, and later elaborates on her love of

education and poetry throughout her life.

She attended the University of Wisconsin and Saint Mary's College where she majored in English. In 1919 she received her Masters Degree in English from Notre Dame and she received her Doctorate from the University of California at Berkeley and Oxford University.

Mandell has researched Madeleva for the past seven years. She pointed out Madeleva's struggle to promote womens' education.

"Madeleva said that the greatest thing a women's college can do is to help her realize that she is a woman."

Her educational accomplishments also include establishing the first and only post graduate program in theology for women

This year, Saint Mary's is celebrating the fiftieth anniversary

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Poor graduates overlooked

By ZOE MARIN
News Writer

When dealing with the working poor, college graduates are often overlooked as contributing factors to the statistical numbers, said Sheldon Danziger, professor of social work and public policy at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor in a lecture yesterday.

"Twenty-one percent of male and 36 percent of female college graduates between the ages of 25-34 are earning less than the poverty level of \$15,000 a year," Danziger said.

This large group of college graduates is also the same group that employers choose from when better paying jobs do arise. As a result, many of the working poor or welfare dependents without college degrees are overlooked by these same employers and remain unemployed or at low-wage jobs.

"For the poor leaving welfare to find work, which I support,

they are going to find that they are not going to be able to find employers to hire them," Danziger said. "Although welfare reform is in the control of the government, the hiring of workers is under control of the employer."

Danziger stated that many of our economical problems in the last two decades result from expectations that were based on the post World War II economy

omy.

"After World War II, we saw a doubling of incomes all across the board," Danziger said. This phenomena also led to the basic American ideal that every successive generation would progressively do better economically than the previous.

From the end of the war up until 1969, most people had jobs that rose faster economically than inflation. They were able to afford houses and collect wealth for pensions as well as collect social security after retirement.

With the economy rapidly

growing, economists thought the war on poverty would end triumphantly. The new confidence also allowed them to predict that all poverty would disappear by the Bicentennial in 1976.

However, when economists of the 1960's assumed that the next two decades would share a similar growth in income, they found that nearly the opposite occurred. Instead of everyone economically rising together, an obvious separation of incomes developed.

"We went from an era of rising tides to an era of uneven tides," Danziger said.

In comparison to the post World War II economy, the 80's saw some small economical growth, but it was highly concentrated in a small portion of the population. Most Americans were slow to realize these changes, including the slow economic growth as well as the rising inequality of incomes.

"The 80's have been referred

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INSIDE COLUMN

The sweetest of all nectars: Love revisited

"Bad love lasts like a big, ugly lizard. around the house forever, never dies, and will never change itself into a butter-

Crawls Brian McDonough Photographer

—June Jordan

I can relate to Ms. Jordan's poem. In the past four years, I have dated many lizards. They were certainly not butterflies. And I have learned that reptile love was certainly not for

Undaunted, I ventured into the raw jungle of relationships, keenly anticipating butterfly love to float in my direction.

And yes, a butterfly did float my way, sending me afloat cloud-nine. Presently, I am savoring deliciously sweet love, perhaps the most scrumptious of them all— love that has

When I was sixteen, I dated Liz, an extraordinary girl. We lasted less than a month. (Not by my choosing, of course.) She wanted to be free, because she had fallen in love with someone

So I let her go.

Some friends chastised me for not pursuing her, "Girls like to be pursued. They want you to chase after them," they said.

But I was not swayed by my "expert" friends. I wanted her to be happy, and if she would be happier without me than with me, so be it. As long as she was happy, then I would be happy too. And I knew that a smile like hers should be revealed not concealed.

Other friends offered me the proverbial love saying: "If you love something, let it be free and if it does not return to you, then it was never meant to be. And if it does return, then you have not lost anything at all.'

Not much consolation for a suffering adolescent. Somehow that saying did not soothe my

wounds. Was the saying true?
Fortunately, time did heal my wounds. And four years later, a remarkable event occurred in my life.

Love returned to me.

It is sweeter than the nectar in the flowers of the garden of Eden. It is clean, bright, and refreshingly provincial.

Now I am not a bona fide expert on love. I am not a doctor, nor a teacher, nor a master, nor a philosopher of love.

I am a student of love.

I always was, and I always will be.

Unfortunately, academic education has not offered me much insight on love. There was no "AP Love" class in high school, much less "Introduction to Love 101" in college.

But life experience has provided me with an abundance of love education. I have experienced love both good and bad. And now I am experiencing love returned.

So if you ever have to set your love free, keep your face to the sunshine. For if love does not return to you, take heart. It was never meant

But if love does indeed return, then you will truly understand what I've said.

In addition, you will realize the wisdom of the

following proverb as well. "Don't be dismayed at good-byes. A farewell is necessary before you can meet again. And meeting again, after moments or lifetimes, is certain for those who are friends." -Richard

Thank you Liz, for meeting me again.

It is true, I have not lost anything at all.

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WORLD AT A GLANCE

Optimistic German central bank cuts key interest rates

FRANKFURT Encouraged by a falling inflation rate and signs of economic recovery, Germany's central bank cut key interest rates Thursday. The move was welcomed at home and abroad.

The Bundesbank trimmed the discount rate to 5 percent from 5.25 percent and the Lombard rate to 6.5 percent from 6.75 as of Friday. The discount rate is the rate charged on loans to commercial banks and the Lombard is the rate charged for emergency loans.

Both are bench-

marks for loan rates charged by commercial banks. In announcing the cuts, the Bundesbank said it was anticipating a further drop in the inflation rate and slower money supply growth.

Germany has been under world pressure to lower interest rates to help western European countries out of a prolonged economic recession.

Admiral claims Ukraine wants bases

The tensions over control of the Black Sea Fleet esca-

lated Thursday, with Russia putting three ships on full

combat alert and Ukraine accusing Russian officers of

acting like pirates. Adm. Igor Kasatonov, deputy

commander of the Russian navy, alleged that Ukraine planned to seize the Russian-controlled naval bases at

Izmail, Ochakov and Nikolayev and had even chosen new

commanders. "Our ships there have also been put on combat alert," Kasatonov, a former commander of the

Black Sea Fleet, said at a news conference in St.

Petersburg. Russia and Ukraine have jointly controlled the fleet of 440 ships since the collapse of the Soviet

Union in 1991. The uneasy arrangement flared into con-

frontation over the weekend, when a ship manned by Russians removed radar equipment from a base without

getting Ukrainian permission. Presidents Boris Yeltsin of

Russia and Leonid Kravchuk of Ukraine are expected to

discuss the conflict Friday at a Moscow meeting of the



In the United States, where the Federal Reserve has nudged interest rates higher this year. Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen welcomed the German

"I think this will further speed the economy of Ger-many," he told reporters at the White House, adding that he was "trying to encourage Japan to do the very same thing.'

The Clinton administration has been lobbying both Japan AP/Wm. J. Castello and Germany to do more to stimulate

domestic demand.

The federal association of the German industry, an umbrella group, welcomed the bank's decision as a positive signal for the slowly recovering economy.

Central banks that usually follow the Bundesbank's lead also cut their rates, including Swiss, Austrian, Dutch, Belgian and Danish counterparts.

Doonesbury used against Clinton

WASHINGTON

Inspired by a Doonesbury cartoon, * Republican Sen. Alfonse D'Amato attacked President Clinton on taxes Thursday and received a lecture on truth from the Senate majority leader. Doonesbury published strips Wednesday and Thursday lampooned Republican brainstorming about Whitewater, the Clintons' Arkansas



real estate venture that has spawned questions about their personal finances. In the strip, the fictional Republican congresswoman Lacey Davenport questions the political wisdom of seeking congressional hearings, which real-life Republicans are pushing the Democrats to hold. "If there's no real scandal at the center of Whitewater, this all could backfire," says Davenport in the cartoon. "We should ask ourselves honestly: Why are we doing this?" "Because it's pay back time, baby," says a voice identified in the strip as D'Amato. D'Amato has been aggressively seeking hearings on Whitewater.

Priest sentenced to eight years

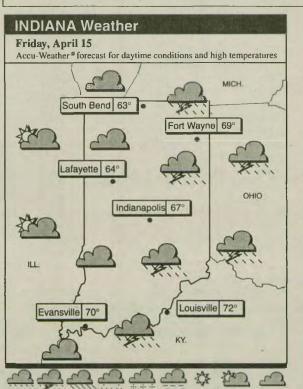
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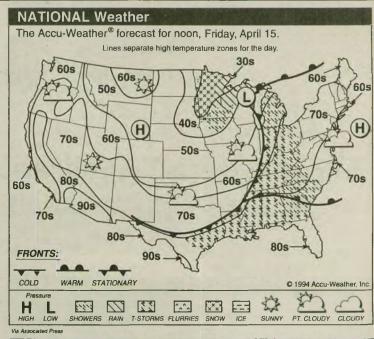
A Roman Catholic priest was sentenced to the maximum eight years in prison Thursday for taking at least 11 boys out of the state for sex. The Rev. Edward A. Pipala exhibited "willful and evil behavior over a long period of time," U.S. District Judge Charles Brieant said. Pipala, a former priest at St. John the Evangelist Church in Goshen and Sacred Heart Church in Monroe, pleaded guilty last July to one felony count of transporting minors across state lines for sex between 1983 and 1991. The boys ranged from ages 12 to 16. Pipala said he took them to New Jersey and Cape Cod. Pipala admitted that he organized a club called "the Hole" in which he supplied liquor and beer to boys, then engaged them in sex. He had the boys swear an oath of secrecy, authorities said. The priest apologized to God, his victims and parishioners. He also pleaded guilty in county court to sodomy and sexual abuse and will be sentenced Friday.

Wal-Mart chain steps on toes

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Wal-Mart, the huge U.S. retailing chain opening its first stores in Quebec, has stubbed its toe on French-Canadian sensibilities and aroused the ire of unions and business. Its biggest faux pas: putting out an advertising flier last month in English only. There's nothing like a linguistic snub to get the back up on a few million French-speaking Quebecois. The company, with billions in sales last year, bought 122 Woolco stores from Woolworth Canada in January in a first foray north of the border. The purchase price was undisclosed. Twenty of the Wal-Mart stores are to be opened in the province. Wal-Mart tried to recover quickly from the English-only stumble by issuing a statement in French from its headquarters in Arkansas. This week Wal-Mart stumbled again. On Monday, a labor leader accused Wal-Mart of "savage capitalism" for asking 750 managerial staff inherited from Woolco to work 12 hours more a week for no extra pay.





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Rehearsing for an original

Mandy Abdo, Anne Vogel, Amberley Herschberger and Bill Sheahan rehearse for the original play "Facing Julia." The play is written and directed by Saint Mary's senior Shannon Schwarz and will be performed April 28-30.

The University of Notre Dame Department of Music presents The Notre Dame Chorale Members of the Notre Dame Symphony Orchestra Alexander Blachly, Director Songs for Our Lady From the Middle Ages to the Twentieth Century performing works by Philippe de Vitry, Josquin Desprez, Orlande de Lassus, Philippe Rogier, Claudio Monteverdi, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, Igor Stravinsky, Samuel Barber

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Lyonga: African women unheard in society

By PATTI CARSON Assistant Saint Mary's Editor

The role of African women in history and in present society is often misunderstood, according to Dr. Nolova Lyonga, Fulbright Scholar of State University of New York.

Lyonga spoke about "African Women and Feminist Theories" last night in Stapleton Lounge.

"African women were not silent," she said. "Rather, they were incapable of being heard in a language they could not master.

Colonization resulted in a situation where girls were not often sent to school, she said. Lyonga explained that the cost of formal education enabled most parents to send only their sons to school, rather than their daughters.

Due to the fact that these African women could not write, they became "invisible" in literature. As a result, the African women were often misrepresented, she said.

For a long time, writers portrayed women as weak and powerless. African women were not described in terms of beauty, but they were depicted as struggling beings," she said.

"Actually, traditional African women occupied an important place in agriculture and business. Yet they are often seen solely in their roles as nurturers," according to Lyonga.

Traditional African women possessed a deep sense of community. Since they could not write, they expressed them-selves through their songs, said Lyonga. Often these songs contained words of frustration and bondage, she added.

Songs contained lyrics similar to this effect: If I had known what it was like to be a woman, I'd have changed into a bird in the forest. The discontentment was obvious, she said

'I admire traditional women for their sense of independence, both materially and psy-

chologically," Lyonga said.
"Male writers, the only ones educated enough to write at the time, had difficulty understanding women. Those same male writers, however, were the ones representing the women. All writers were borrowing from African women," she said.

Lyonga went on to explain the anthropologist's concept of a dual sex structure, the separation of the woman's society from the man's society.

She further explained this theory with her model of the social hierarchy. The figure she illustrated consisted of two concentric circles with a point at the center. The outermost circle represented the man's society. The innermost circle represented the society of women, while the point in the center was symbolic of the careful balance of social interaction between man and woman, according to Lyonga.

"This center point is the place at which all of society is held together. To get close to the center of the concentric circles is to conform, while moving away from the center is to perform non-conformist actions,' she said.

When men and women live only within their own circles, they cannot hear what is being 'sung" in the other circle. There is a separation, according to Lyonga.

The circle model exhibits both our cultural strengths and our weaknesses. We develop our own ideas within our circle and only when we move to the center do we conform," she restated.

Traditional African women developed their ideas, morals, and songs in their circle. "There is something to get out of the traditional situation that is useful to the modern sector," Lyonga stated. That traditional female spirit in cooperation with education brings us closer to the center of that circle, she



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of this Sacred School of Theology. In its 25 year existence it has awarded 70 doctorates and 335 masters to Saint Mary's graduates.

During her life, Madeleva associated with writing geniuses such as C.S. Lewis. She was again honored for her poetry along with Robert Frost and many others. She was also featured in Life Magazine.

'Madeleva: One Woman's Life" is available at the Saint Mary's Shaheen Bookstore, and Mandell will be holding a book signing on April 19 from 4-5 p.m. in the Haggar Parlor.

Mandell's lecture transcripts, published by Paulist Press, will be available in the Saint Mary's Shaheen bookstore.

Israel demands crack down on bombings

By GWEN ACKERMAN Associated Press

JERUSALEM

Israel demanded in unusually harsh language Thursday that Jordan crack down on the Islamic militant group Hamas, which killed 12 Israelis in bombings in the last week.

The statement by Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin came as the Hamas group, which has been increasingly active in Jordan recently, issued another warn-

ing of attacks to come.
"We are interested in the continuation of peace negotiations with Jordan, but Israel cannot tolerate the continuation of Amman as a paradise for Hamas activities," Rabin told reporters in Tel Aviv.

'We see this government responsible for whatever happens on its sovereign soil and would like to make it clear that this situation cannot continue," he

Although the statement stopped short of threatening direct action, it was unusually harsh considering the normally sanguine relationship between Amman and Jerusalem.

After both of the recent bombings, Hamas issued statements from Amman, Jordan, that were broadcast on Jordan television then picked up by satellite in Israel and shown on the prime time news broadcast.

Blankenstein, who has been involved with putting the award together. "I have learned so much from the responsibilities I have been given and the exposure I have gained."

The Saint Joseph County Alumni Club hopes to make the Tom Dooley Service award an annual project. The club also sponsors six summer service projects.

The Center for Social Conerns is currently accepting applications for the Tom Dooley Service Award. A recipient is expected to be chosen by May 1st.

Center for Spirituality celebrates history

By MOLLY CONDON News Writer

The Center for Spirituality at Saint Mary's College is celebrating their tenth anniversary this year. The center was established in 1984 by Keith Egan, Sr. Bettina Maria Ferraro and Sr. Rose Anne Schultz.

"The Center's main goal is to help Saint Mary's express the mission of the Sisters of the Holy Cross," Egan said.

The Center sponsors numerous events during the school year and summer. A few of these activities are the fall and spring noontime lectures and a summer program in spirituality involving more than 200 participants.

The Center also sponsors symposiums that "foster student contact with speakers who come on campus," Egan

Funding for these events come from endowments from the Sisters of the Holy Cross and anonymous donations.

Another activity that the Center for Spirituality sponsors is the Madeleva Lectures. These are annual lectures that are given by women as an opportunity to speak about Christian tradition.

Every lecture is published by Paulist Press publications. Originally this was done as a favor to Saint Mary's, but every lecture has become a best seller, according to Egan.

This year's lecture was held last night and featured Gail Mandell, Chair of the Humanistic Studies program at Saint Mary's

Currently, the Center for Spirituality is preparing a commemorative booklet celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the school of graduate theology. Started in 1944 by Sr. Madeleva, it was the only graduate program available to women in the world. The commemorative booklet will include the names and pictures of the graduates.

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and pharmacy assistant, case management work participating in the Clinic's outreach programs.

But the recipient of the award will not only receive a full orientation to the clinic's services-they will have the leeway to truly influence its opera-

"Once they get an overview, they can begin to develop some

is spreading mostly through women, and that 30 million

worldwide will be infected by

AIDS, however, is a strange epidemic because it is not "out in the open" like most health

care problems. This reluctance

comes from the normal trans-mission of HIV through prac-

tices many feel are immoral. Koop said that "the same

of their own projects," said Clinic administrator Cathy Decker Burrows, citing a stop smoking campaign that was developed by a former volunteer. "The interests will vary with the award winner, but we are leaving the door open to them as to how they want to impact the Clinic."

For graduate student and current Clinic volunteer Volker Blankenstein, the work been an eyeopening experience.

"Its not the typical environ-ment that the Notre Dame stu-

dent comes from," said

also taught that we must despise the sin but not the sin-Education and compassion are the quickest ways to controlling AIDS, he asserted.

He was far from willing to criticize Notre Dame policy regarding condom sales on cam-

"It is perfectly legitimate for a school of this sort to make its stand, and condoms are only as effective as the intelligence of those using them. Hopefully what (Notre Dame) believes in will rub off onto the rest of the

authorities that taught us that, Poor

Koop

the year 2000.

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to as the 'Quiet Depression," Danziger. said.

Because of the economical changes in the 70's and 80's, many women left the home to bring in additional wages, leaving the children at day care centers. These expensive costs for day care were, and still are, neglected by the government.

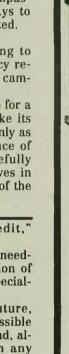
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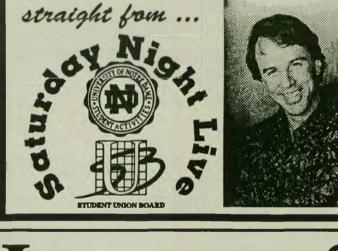
earned income tax credit," Danziger said.

What Danziger feels is needed instead, is an expansion of subsidies for day care, especially for the working poor.

As far as America's future, Danziger stated, "It's possible that things will turn around, al-though we haven't seen any proof of it yet.'

This lecture is the fifth of a six-part series discussing the working poor in America today. The final lecture will be held on Monday, April 18 at 4:15 p.m. in the Center for Social Con-





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Muslims surrender to troops in Niger village

Associated Press

NIAMEY, Niger Muslim hard-liners besieged by government troops in a western Niger village started surrendering on Thursday, the government said.

Authorities also arrested a fundamentalist preacher, Cheikh Amadou Sido, whose teachings encouraged attacks on women accused of immodest dress, Interior Minister Ousmane Oumarou said.

Seven policemen, one soldier and two Muslim fundamentalists have been killed in clashes since Monday around the village of Kolouka, 100 miles north of the capital, Niamey.

The unrest began when police went to Kolouka Monday to arrest six fundamentalist preachers. Villagers captured seven officers and beat them to death, state radio said.

On Tuesday, more policemen, supported by soldiers, entered the village but were driven back in a violent clash that killed a soldier and two fundamentalists.

Villagers armed with arrows

and machetes repulsed the outnumbered troops and then marched to the nearby town of Banibangou.

The soldiers laid siege to the town until Wednesday night, when sect members eluded their cordon and returned to Kolouka.

Soldiers surrounded Kolouka at dawn Thursday and threatened to attack unless the fundamentalists surrendered. About midday, two elderly men walked out of the village to tell the soldiers "the fundamentalists were ready to turn themselves in," Oumarou said.

Many then surrendered, he said, but between 100 and 200 hard-liners remained inside the village.

Militant Muslim fundamentalism is growing in Niger, a north-central African nation bordering Algeria.

Earlier this month, in the town of Maradi, 350 miles east of Niamey, fundamentalists looted homes they said belonged to prostitutes and attacked women they accused of being indecently dressed.



Outdoor entertainment

The Observer/Patrick Harrington

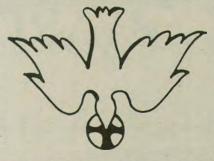
With temperatures in the seventies yesterday, the band "Road Runner" performed for students outside Lafortune Center. The outdoor concert was sponsored by Amnest International.

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NRA ads tacky, ineffective

By RONALD POWERS
Associated Press

WASHINGTON
Ads like the one in which the
National Rifle Association attacks Rep. Charles Schumer for
his stand on the crime bill are
"tacky" and ineffective, Attorney General Janet Reno said

Thursday.

The NRA, in a full-page advertisement published Tuesday in USA Today, labeled Schumer, a New York Democrat and a key architect of this year's crime bill, "the crimi-

nal's best friend in Congress."

The organization later acknowledged its language was "a little extreme."

According to the ad assembled by the NRA's so-called CrimeStrike program, Schumer wants to "rob the crime bill of \$8 billion" in prison building funds and "squander" it on rehabilitation and self-improvement programs.

Reno, at her weekly news briefing, told reporters she hadn't seen the ad, but knew about it.

"I just want to publicly say I

am just very proud to work with the congressman," Reno said. "I haven't met anyone who is a more dedicated crime fighter than Chuck Schumer."

"He understands full well that you can't send an 8-yearold who shoots somebody to jail, that you've got to develop prevention programs for them," Reno said.

Reno said she doesn't believe ads like the one produced by the NRA have any influence on how politicians vote.

"And I think ads like that are tacky," she added.

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Death penalty authorized

By CAROLYN SKORNECK Associated Press

WASHINGTON

The House responded to demands for tough anti-crime legislation in an election year by authorizing the death penalty Thursday for nearly 70 addi-

tional crimes. Working on a \$15 billion crime bill, the House rejected by a 314-111 vote an amendment that would have substituted life



Bill Clinton

without parole for the death penalty Among new crimes that could result in execution: drive-by shootings, a killing committed while stealing a car and activities of big-time drug dealers, even if they don't result in

At the White House, President Clinton focused on other parts of the bill as he addressed a ceremony honoring police offi-cers. The bill, he told the officers, would give them "the tools you need to do you jobs."

"This is not a partisan issue or a sectional issue or a racial issue or an income issue," Clinton said. "If anything should truly make us a United States of America, it should be the passionate desire to restore real freedom to our streets.'

Judiciary Committee Chairman Jack Brooks, D-Texas, led the battle against the amendment to replace the bill's death penalty provisions with life in prison without parole.

"Plain common sense tells us that the death penalty is the only way to send an unequivocal message that some conduct simply will not be borne solely by innocent victims of heinous crimes without the highest price to be paid," Brooks said. Rep. Michael Kopetski, D-

Ore., who proposed the amendment with the support of the congressional Black and Hispanic caucuses, said, "In my view, life without any hope of release constitutes death by incarceration, a stiff penalty by any standard."

The House also rejected an amendment to eliminate the death penalty for murders committed during carjackings, drive-by shootings and federal drug and gun crimes, and another to eliminate the death penalty for drug kingpins even when no death occurred.

The chamber approved 35 noncontroversial amendments by a vote of 395-25. They range from a five-year renewal of a popular grant program for state and local law enforcement to authorizing \$12 million annually for three years to establish Boys and Girls Clubs

in public housing.

Meanwhile, the Democrats postponed action until next week on a controversial liberalbacked provision that would set rules on death row inmates' rights to petitions to federal

Supporters say it would limit the number of appeals but would ensure that the merits of a case are heard. Opponents say it would mean endless appeals and would lengthen the process, not shorten in.

Another battle looming next week will be over the Racial Justice Act that would let defendants introduce racial statistics on death penalty imposition as evidence of discrimination to get capital sentences overturned.

Many of the House bill's capital crimes - such as assassination of the president — carried the death penalty before the Supreme Court overturned capital punishment in 1972 on procedural grounds.

However, a number of them are new, including carjacking deaths, drive-by killings, murders by federal prisoners and retaliatory killings of witnesses, victims and informants.

Many members of the Congressional Black Caucus oppose capital punishment, but several urged passage of the crime bill as a whole.

Troops sent to Haiti to jail military leaders

By DAVID BRISCOE

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

A House committee chairman called Thursday for a U.S. invasion of Haiti to arrest and jail

its military leaders. Rep. David Obey, Appropriations Committee chairman, said American troops should be sent in to get rid of "that useless, sick, poor excuse for a government' and to 'lock up the thugs."

He said "Haitians are being ground up like hamburger because the clowns who run that government don't know how to behave like adults."

Assistant Secretary of State Alexander Watson said he would immediately relay Obey's advice to Secretary of State Warren Christopher, who, he said, is working on another strategy for dealing with Haiti.

Obey, D-Wis., who said he has opposed unilateral U.S. intervention all his public life, said Haiti "really isn't a country any more, it's a condition." He gave the advice to Watson and other administration officials testifying at a hearing on U.S. aid to Latin America.

President Clinton has asked for \$15 million in fiscal 1995 for Haiti, on the assumption that military rulers who ousted President Jean-Bertrand Aristide in September 1991 will no longer be in power.

In the Haitian capital of Portau-Prince, an unofficial legal adviser to the military defied Obey's call for military intervention.

"U.S. foreign policy has failed all over the world, because of its ignorance of the reality of the countries involved. Congressman Obey's declaration is an example of that ignorance," said ultra-nationalist lawyer Mireille Durocher

Obey's call for an invasion 'reflects a will not to create a new democratic world order but a new imperialistic world disorder based on the subjection of black Third World nations," she said.

Obey said Aristide, who has been living in exile since his ouster, should not return to Haiti behind a U.S. invasion. Instead, he said, the ousted leader should call for a post-invasion election, which he surely would win. Aristide got 70 percent of the vote but served only a few months before his over-

A U.S. invasion, Obey said, should be followed by a multinational Latin American force that would stay for a decade or more to help secure public safety and restore democratic institutions.

'If we don't do something like this, we are going to be imprisoned by a situation in which our own national policy is imprisoned by someone else's behavior," Obey said.

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U.S. helicopter shot down by mistake in Iraq

By SUSANNE SCHAFER Associated Press

American fighter jets mistakenly shot down two U.S. Army helicopters over northern Iraq Thursday, killing all 26 people aboard. "Something went wrong," said the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and President Clinton promised to find out what.

Twenty-one of the dead were military officers from the United States, Britain, France, and Turkey supporting the U.N. humanitarian relief operation for the Kurdish minority in northern Iraq. Five Kurd passengers also were killed.

The helicopters were shot down by two F-15C fighters enforcing the "no-fly zone" over

Clinton expressed "terrible sorrow" and pledged a thorough investigation. He ordered U.S. flags on public buildings throughout the nation to be flown at half-staff through sunset Monday "as a mark of respect for those who died as a result of the tragic incident."

At the Pentagon, Defense Secretary William Perry said the fighter pilots mistook the UH-60 Black Hawk choppers

for Iraqi "Hind" helicopters.

Both jets apparently had the helicopters in sight during the daylight mission and both fired missiles, Perry said. An AWACs reconnaissance plane was overseeing the helicopters' flight.
"The pilots of the F-15s feel

they had positively identified the Hinds," said Lt. Gen. Richard Keller, chief of staff of the U.S. European Command in Stuttgart, Germany. Audio and camera tapes from the aircraft will be studied in the investigation, he said.

Asked what threat the helicopters might have posed that justified shooting them down, Keller replied, "I honestly don't

One F-15 fired a radar-seeking AMRAAM missile, the other a heat-seeking Sidewinder, the general said in a telephone briefing with reporters at the

Mistaken identity How the helicopters are the same

Pentagon. Gen. John Shalikashvili, the Joint Chiefs chairman, said the final order to shoot normally is given "on the scene" and not from military commanders at the jets' base in Incirlik,

"Clearly, something went wrong, and an investigation will have to determine exactly what did go wrong," said the four-star Army general, who spearheaded the relief effort for the Kurds in 1991.

U.S. warplanes and helicopters normally use electronic identification systems designed to tell friend from foe.

If proper procedures were followed, the helicopters' identification beacons should have been operating routinely, Shalikashvili said. He did not say whether the Pentagon knew if the beacons were on or if they emitted the proper coded messages.

A Kurdish spokesman said the helicopters were ferrying U.S., British, French and Turkish officers from the U.N. office in Zakho, near the Turkish border. The group planned to meet Kurdish leaders in Salahaddin, the central region of the Kurdish zone.

Clinton said those who died were a part of a "mission of mercy. They served with courage and professionalism, and they lost their lives while trying to save the lives of others. The important work they were doing must and will continue," he said.

There were no survivors," Keller said. The bodies were being taken to the base in Cause of crash unclear

By ROBERT BURNS Associated Press

WASHINGTON

The tragic downing of U.S. helicopters by American fighter jets raised a central question that Pentagon officials could not fully answer on Thursday: Why didn't simple communication prevent it?

The military, including the multinational task force that has operated in northern Iraq for three years, has strict and well-rehearsed procedures for avoiding fratricide, or "friendly fire," in the air and on the ground. So the Iraqi disaster is puzzling, even assuming the possibility of human error.

Here are some questions and answers to help explain what is known about the incident.

Q. Why did the F-15 jet pilots fire on the helicopters in the first place?

A. They thought the Army Black Hawk helicopters were lraqi attack helicopters known as "Hinds." Iraq is prohibited under a U.S. and allied en-forced "no fly" arrangement from using planes or helicopters north of the 36th parallel. Violators are subject to being shot down.

Q. What made the pilots think they were Iraqi choppers?

A. The most specific explanation offered so far, by Army Lt. Gen. Richard Keller, is that the pilots of the single-seat F-15s were flying in daylight, in good weather, and established what he called "visual identification" of the choppers. In other words, they could see the choppers but mistook them.

Q. Even so, shouldn't the pilots have been required to get approval from elsewhere in the chain of command before actually firing their missiles?

A. Keller, who is chief of staff at the U.S. European Command in Stuttgart, Germany - which is running the Kurdish relief operation in northern Iraq would not discuss the established rules for firing on targets in Iraq. Normally, however, the jet pilots would have been under the control of a U.S. Air Force AWACS early warning radar aircraft that was watching air traffic.

Q. Did the AWACs crew also think the Black Hawks were Iraqi choppers? And hadn't they let the F-15 pilots know that a pair of American helicopters were in the area?

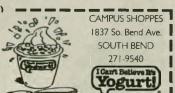
A. That and many other questions about the role of the AWACS will be central to the Air Force-led investigation that is due to begin on Friday. Keller said tapes of the AWACS' communications were being flown to Ramstein Air Base in Germany, headquarters for U.S. Air Forces Europe, for a close

Keller said the whole flight plan of the Black Hawks - including safety measures, landing zones and the rest - had been briefed the day before to everyone involved in the inci-

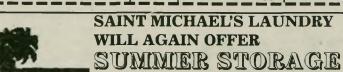
Q. Even if the pilots were sure the choppers they saw were Iraqi, wouldn't they use their radios to warn the choppers or try to communicate in some other way?

A. It's not clear whether the pilots did use, or try to use, their radios. It is possible that they tried, but that there was no effective communication because of mechanical trouble, or because they were on the wrong channels, or for some

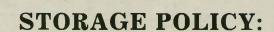
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Proposal may deny benefits

By JENNIFER DIXON Associated Press

WASHINGTON Thousands of ill or injured Americans could be denied disability benefits because Social Security's new proposal to speed up the application process also changes the definition of disability, Congress was told Thursday.

Thomas Sutton, supervising attorney with Community Legal Services in Philadelphia, told lawmakers that under the rubric of improving the way Social Security handles a mounting number of claims for benefits, the agency is seeking to scrap a decades-old standard used to decide who is disabled.

Sutton said the result of the proposal would be to deny benefits to large numbers of disabled Americans who would be eligible for aid under current

Matthew Diller, an associate professor at the Fordham University School of Law, also told the Ways and Means subcommittee on Social Security that the agency has proposed a

"major overhaul of the standards for receiving disability benefits.'

"Under the guise of administrative reform, the team proposes changes in the evaluation process that would change the outcomes of thousands of cases," Diller said.

Under the proposal, drafted by a team of Social Security Administration employees, a 25-year-old and a 55-year-old would be judged in the same way, Diller said. Disparities in age, education and work experience would be "rendered irrelevant.'

Despite the statutory requirement that SSA consider age, education and work experience in determining disability, the team gives short shrift to the importance of these factors," Diller said. "The 55year-old searching for a job would certainly be surprised to hear that the team believes he or she can be expected to adapt to new kinds of work to the same extent as individuals 30 years younger.'

In a news release, Rep. Andy Jacobs, D-Ind., chairman of the subcommittee, expressed concern that the proposal appears to change the regulatory definition of disability, which could make it more difficult for disabled taxpayers to qualify for benefits.

Social Security But spokesman Phil Gambino disagreed, saying no applicant, regardless of age, educational background or previous work experience, should be disadvantaged by the proposal. The agency is seeking public comment on its proposal to help it develop new regulations.

Since the mid-1980s, when Social Security cut its work force by 20 percent, the agency has seen a steady decline in the quality of its disability decisions and a significant increase in the amount of time it takes to make those flawed decisions, Jacobs

"The combination of inadequate staffing and an unprecedented high number of disability applications has required tax-paying citizens with disabilities to wait unconscionably long periods of time as their disability applications wind through the various layers of the process," his statement

Some ill or injured workers have been forced onto the welfare rolls, lost their homes or died before being approved for benefits.



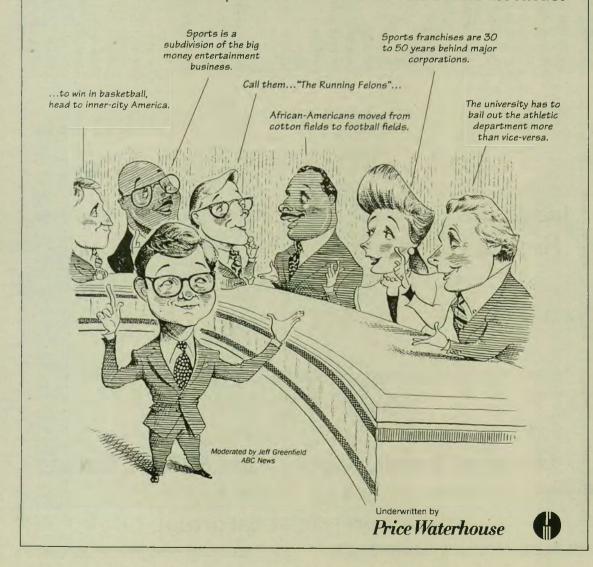
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Senate to vote on Kelso retirement

By JOHN DIAMOND Associated Press

WASHINGTON The Senate Armed Services Committee recommended Thursday that Adm. Frank Kelse II, the Navy's top officer, be allowed to retire as a full admiral despite damage done to his service by the Tailhook scandal.

In a 20-2 vote, the committee recommended to the full Senate that Kelso retire at four-star rank, as recommended by President Clinton. If the Senate accepts the recommendation, Kelso would retire with an annual pension of \$84,340. Rejection of the proposal would mean that Kelso would automatically retire at twostar rank, which would reduce his pension by \$16,873.

No date was set for a Senate

Most of the committee members accepted Kelso's statement that he did not witness any of the misconduct at the Las Vegas hotel where the 1991 Tailhook convention was held

"It would be totally out of character for him to deliberately deceive the investiga-ters," said Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., the committee chairman.

Nunn said that Kelso's decision to retire two months ahead of schedule amounted to a "psychological punish-

ment in its own right."

Voting against the four-star retirement were Sens. Robert Byrd, D-W.Va., and Kay Bailey Hutchison, R-Texas, the only woman on the committee.

"I think it was widely known in the Navy what kinds of things did happen at previous conventions," Hutchison said. "The investigation was inadequate and he must be held accountable.'

In an earlier committee hearing Thursday, the candidate to succeed Kelso said the problems bedeviling the Navy. such as the USS lowa explosion, Tallhook and academic cheating, "were actions of individuals."

Adm. Jeremy Boorda, nominated by Clinton to be chief of naval operations, also said any image problem the service has is the result of media reporting, not any institutional fail-

ings.

Boorda got only a few questions on Tailhook and other Navy difficulties in Thursday's confirmation hearing. But in written answers to committee questions, which were released at the start of the hearing, Boorda indicated that he believes the Navy's prob-lems may be less serious than has been portrayed.

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Video: Plutonium dilute safe to drink

By DAVID THURBER Associated Press

HIROSHIMA

A Japanese nuclear official, challenged by anti-nuclear groups to back up a claim that dilute plutonium is safe enough to drink, said Thursday he's willing to polish off a glass.

But the head of the government organization that prepared a promotional videotape containing the claim said no thanks.

"I wouldn't drink it if I knew what was in it," said Hiromasa Nakano, director of the government's Power Reactor and Nuclear Fuel Development Corp.

The fuel corporation made the cartoon video to try to persuade Japanese to accept the government's policy of relying on highly radioactive plutonium for future power generation.

The video features a perky, rosy-cheeked character named Mr. Pluto who shakes the hand of a child gulping a glass of plutonium mixed with soda. A narrator says that if plutonium were imbibed, it would pass harmlessly through the body.

Most scientists agree that even minute amounts of plutonium are highly dangerous if inhaled, but that ingestion through the mouth is much less hazardous.

"I myself will volunteer to demonstrate," said Yasutaka Moriguchi, director of the Science and Technology Agency's nuclear fuel division.

Moriguchi made the offer in response to criticism of the video by anti-nuclear activists at a meeting of Japan's nuclear power industry. The annual conference is being held for the first time in Hiroshima, the target of the world's first atomic bomb.

"No place is more appropriate than Hiroshima" to reevaluate nuclear power, said Hans Blix, director of the International Atomic Energy Agency.

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"We must make the point that nuclear energy ... is morally right," said Neville Chamberlain, chief executive of British Nuclear Fuels Plc.

Participants say nuclear power contributes less than fossil fuels to atmospheric pollution, acid rain and global warming.

About 100 of the 1,200 industry and government representatives attending the three-day conference are from abroad.

There is a broad consensus among Japanese nuclear power advocates that plutonium should be used for future power generation instead of the enriched uranium now used in most nuclear plants.

U.N. detained after air strike

By SAMIR KRILIC
Associated Press

SARAJEVO

Bosnian Serb troops challenged U.N.-controlled weapons depots and detained more U.N. soldiers Thursday in a war of wills following NATO air raids on Serb forces.

U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali warned of more air strikes if U.N. personnel were threatened, and President Clinton cautioned the Serbs that it would be a mistake to treat U.N. peacekeepers in Bosnia as enemy combatants.

Serbs detained 24 more peacekeepers Thursday, raising fears they might be trying to avert further air raids by holding U.N. people as virtual hostages. Serbs now are restricting the movements of 161 U.N. personnel.

Serb leaders also ordered all journalists for U.S. news organizations to get out of Bosnian Serb areas immediately. The order, which included two Yugoslav journalists for The Associated Press, reflected the Serbs' feeling that foreign news media are biased against them.

In hopes of defusing an explosive situation, international negotiators were meeting again with leaders of Bosnia's warring sides to try to achieve a truce. Angry over NATO strikes at Serb positions near the Muslim-held town of Gorazde on Sunday and Monday, Bosnian Serb leaders have threatened to shoot any more attacking NATO planes

negotiate with the U.N. commander in Bosnia, Lt. Gen. Sir Michael Rose, saying U.N. troops in Bosnia have relinquished their neutral role and taken sides with Bosnia's Muslim-led government.

"That is not what we are doing," Clinton said Thursday.

U.N. Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali said Thursday that more NATO air strikes on Bosnian Serbs could be called if needed to protect U.N. troops.

"We will not hesitate to ask air support in case the security of our United Nations forces ... is in danger," he said during a visit to Spain.

The Serbs, meanwhile, continued to confront the United Nations

In one potentially dangerous faceoff, a Serb tank crew demanded entry at one of seven U.N.-monitored sites where Serb artillery and other heavy weapons have been collected inside the 12.5-mile exclusion zone around Sarajevo.

The weapons were left behind when the Serbs moved most of their artillery away from Sarajevo under threat of NATO air raids in February.

The 30 French peacekeepers guarding the depot at Krivoglavci outside the capital refused and the tank left after a half hour, U.N. spokesman Maj. Rob Annink said.

Late Thursday, Annink reported that six unarmed U.N. military observers were taken from an observation point at Hresa, northeast of Sarajevo, to a Bosnian Serb barracks in

Mokro, near the Serb stronghold of Pale. "We are very concerned," he said.

In addition, 15 Canadian peacekeepers, three unarmed U.N. military observers and a translator were detained by Serb forces Thursday morning, near Sarajevo, Annink said.

The Canadians, who were guarding seven Serb mortars and two anti-aircraft guns at Cifluk, northwest of Sarajevo, were taken to nearby Ilijas but were considered in no danger.

U.N. helicopters were flying over the site to ensure the weapons were not removed, said another U.N. spokesman, Cmdr. Eric Chaperon.

But Serbs in Croatia took a "significant number of heavy weapons" from a U.N.-monitored depot, U.N. spokesman Matthew Nerzig said in Zagreb, Croatia's capital. He had no further details.

U.N. spokesman Joe Sills said in New York that Yasushi Akashi, head of the U.N. mission in former Yugoslavia, protested vigorously to the Bosnian Serbs over Thursday's incidents and stressed the United Nations is not taking sides.

Russian special envoy Vitaly Churkin said after meeting for the third time in two days with Serbian President Slobodan Milosevic that he had "good foundation" for an agreement on a Bosnia-wide cease-fire.

The chief negotiators on former Yugoslavia, Thorvald Stoltenberg and Lord Owen also met Milosevic, who is thought influential with Bosnian Serb leaders

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Rockets fall on Rwanda's escaping foreigners

By ANGUS SHAW Associated Press

KIGALI, Rwanda Rockets exploded at the capital's airport on Thursday, threatening attempts by foreigners to escape Rwanda's slide into gruesome anarchy.

Mortar shells rained down on streets already bathed in blood as government forces battled the rebel Rwandan Patriotic Front for control of the city. The rebels again rejected U.N. efforts to broker a cease-fire.

More than 20,000 people are estimated to have died since fighting broke out between the army and the rebel Rwandan Patriotic Front a week ago. The fighting and the mayhem in Kigali are deeply rooted in the decades-old feud between the majority Hutu and minority Tutsi ethnic groups.

The sickly smell of decaying flesh hung over the green hills of the city, its streets full of rotting corpses. Marauding gangs hacked thousands to death with machetes, knives and spears.

"More and more of the civilian population armed with machetes are ruling the streets and the army can't control them," said Phillippe Gaillard of the International Committee of the Red Cross.

Gaillard ordered the suspension of the ICRC emergency medical program after six wounded were dragged from a Red Cross truck and shot Thursday. He said the program would be halted until new appeals could be made to warring groups to respect the Red Cross flag. The ICRC has been picking up wounded and taking them to

Missionaries doubt purpose

By PAULINE JELINEK ssociated Press

NAIROBI

Doctors who went to Rwanda to cure instead saw their patients murdered in their hospital beds. Missionaries who went to teach Christian ways saw priests and young novice nuns executed.

And Steve Wallace, who went halfway around the world from California to help lift Rwandans out of poverty, was wondering Thursday what good anyone can do in a land of such vicious and longstanding ethnic hatred.

Wallace was among aid workers, missionaries and other foreigners in Rwanda horrified by the merciless killings between members of the majority Hutu tribe and minority Tutsis following last week's death of the president.

"I am asking myself what it is we think we are doing in that country," said Wallace, the director for the international charity agency CARE in Rwanda, a day after fleeing to

hospitals.

Red Cross workers have also been caught in the mayhem. The Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies said Thursday that at least 30 Red Cross workers have been slain in Rwanda the past week.

After a relatively quiet night, the fighting resumed at daybreak Thursday with sporadic but sometimes heavy shelling. Kenya's capital, Nairobi.

He had been in Rwanda for three years working on CARE's forestry, agricultural and water projects as well as population centrol.

'CARE and other international groups — are we having any impact?" asked Wallace of Monrovia, Calif. "Does it make any sense to be pouring money into these countries given the context of the whole society?"

The Hutus were subjugated for centuries by Tutsi over-lords, who slaughtered hundreds of thousands of Hutus to keep power. The Hutus killed hundreds of thousands of Tutsis trying to wrest it away, finally succeeding in 1959.

The hatred between the two ethnic groups colors just about everything in Rwanda. Waves of bloodletting have occurred numerous times over the years, erupting in brutality that is difficult for many outsiders to understand.

Wallace wondered what the long-term development prospects are for Rwanda and suggested aid should be limit-

Government artillery near the city's center shelled a nearby mist-shrouded valley. The rebels answered with mortar rounds that exploded down-

The airport, the lifeline for the thousands of foreigners who have fled in the past few days, was hit by at least six rockets. One exploded just 150 feet from an Italian military C- ed to emergency relief and rehabilitation.

He was not alone in his soul-

Eric Bertin, coordinator for **Doctors Without Borders of** France, also was dispirited when he and others from his group were evacuated Sunday from the Rwandan capital, Ki-

"We have decided it is no use to work here anymore." Bertin told reporters just before leaving the airport in

The medical workers had been holed up in their compound for the first two days of fighting last week, then finally were able to visit a hospital Saturday to help treat the wounded. On Sunday, they were told that at least 100 of the patients had been killed in their hospital beds, presumably by soldiers during the night, he said.

"They were lying in their tents dead," he said. "I think it is no use to cure someone who is going to be killed the next

130 that was taking off with a load of evacuees. There were no injuries.

Tens of thousands of Rwandans, meanwhile, were fleeing by foot. The International Rescue Committee humanitarian organization reported an eightmile-long column of people streaming out of Kigali.

About a third of the capital's 300,000 people are believed to

Amnesty International accused the U.N. and Western countries of not doing enough to protect Rwandans.

The London-based human rights watchdog issued a statement Thursday saying 'defenseless local people have been left behind to be slaughtered" and foreign embassies have denied asylum to people 'at imminent risk of being

The commander of the U.N. peacekeeping force in Kigali said his troops were powerless to intervene. Gen. Romeo Dallaire of Canada said the 2,300 mostly unarmed peacekeepers were short of equipment and had no mandate to enforce

In Brussels, Foreign Minister Willy Claes confirmed Brussels' intention to withdraw its more than 400-man peacekeeping team from Rwanda.

Claes told reporters that "in no case" would Belgian troops remain in Rwanda as part of the U.N. mission, which had been overseeing a fragile ceasefire that was part of a U.N.-brokered peace plan.

Ten Belgian peacekeepers were killed by Rwandan soldiers last week and machetewielding thugs have threatened to kill Westerners unless they could prove they weren't Bel-

Belgium governed Rwanda as a protectorate from 1916 until it won independence in 1962 and many Rwandans hold a special antipathy toward those they see as former colonial

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Factions reject peace efforts

Associated Press

MOGADISHU Twelve Somali factions rejected a United Nations' postponement of a peace conference and said they would meet Friday as planned.

The United Nations said Wednesday it was delaying the conference until April 26 be-

cause its acting special envoy, Lansana Kouyate, was out of the country and not available to meet with clan leaders.

U.N. officials said the decision was made after consulting with warlord Mohamed Farrah Aidid and his chief rival, Ali Mahdi

But Ali Mahdi, leader of a coalition of 12 clan factions, denied Thursday that he or any of the factions he represents had been consulted by the U.N.

Operation in Somalia.
"UNOSOM doesn't have the right to postpone," Ali Mahdi said. "It's the Somali factions

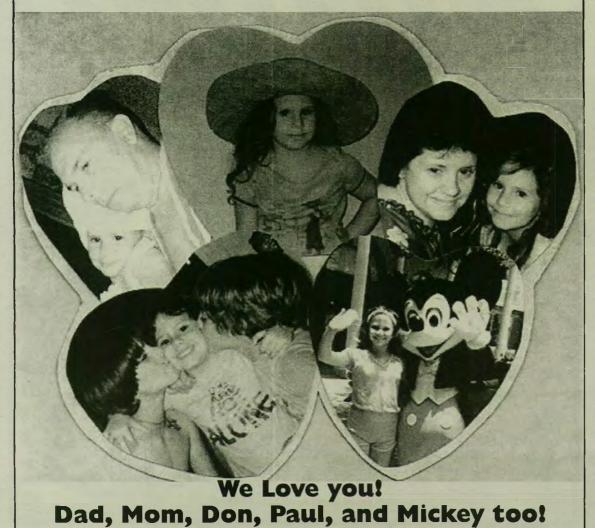
who can discuss that."

He said his supporters would meet Friday even if Aidid failed to attend. The conference was supposed to set the agenda for a May 15 meeting at which an interim government was to be formed.

Ali Mahdi also accused Aidid's Somali National Alliance, a coalition of three factions, of breaking a ceasefire accord by attacking the small southern port of Merca.

Sporadic fighting has been reported in Merca over the past two weeks and the United Nations has withdrawn its staff from the city.

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Lebanon suffers worst bombing in three years

Associated Press

SIDON, Lebanon A roadside bomb killed eight people in southern Lebanon on Thursday. An Israeli-allied militia retaliated by shelling Sidon, killing four and sending tens of thousands of residents scurrying for cover.

The shelling in the southern port of Sidon, Lebanon's thirdlargest city, was the worst in nearly three years. It came after the bomb ripped through a patrol of the Israeli-allied South Lebanon Army in an enclave Israel occupies.

The bomb killed five militiamen and three Lebanese policemen at a nearby checkpoint. Four militiamen were wounded, security sources said.

The militia blamed the attack on Hezbollah, or the Party of God, Iran's main ally in Lebanon. Hezbollah made no immediate claim of responsibil-

During the shelling, tens of thousands of Sidon's 300,000 inhabitants took cover in basements and underground shelters as shells rained down on their city and its teeming Palestinian refugee camp of Ein el-

Fire engines raced through the streets as fires raged in several parts of the city, residents said. Four residents were killed and 12 were wounded, security sources said.

"It's like hell suddenly breaking loose. Pedestrians dived for cover and panicky motorists crashed into each other," said Safi Rabih, a Sidon baker.

The Lebanese army said its artillery fired on the militia positions. The militia's radio station said rockets struck the town of Marjayoun, provincial capital of the Israeli-held en-

North Korean army on alert

Associated Press

SEOUL Kim Il Sung of North Korea, the world's longest-ruling communist dictator, turns 82 Friday as his nation suffers under a cloud of economic hardship and deepening international isolation.

Old friends like the Soviet Union are no longer around to lend stature to the birthday party. The economy, by North Korea's own admission, faces "grim trials."

Instead of the diplomatic recognition and financial aid North Korea would like to get from Washington, it faces the threat of economic sanctions over its refusal to come clean on its nuclear program.

Its response has been to turn up the bellicose rhetoric, put its 1.1-million-strong army on alert and order its people to prepare for war.

Thus President Kim's birthday, the closest thing to Christmas on atheist North Korea's calendar, is likely to be capital, from all over the counthe most subdued in memory, according to experts in South

"They certainly are in no mood to celebrate, even on Kim's birthday," said Lee Ho, head of analysis at South Korea's Unification Board.

Still, cities are being decorated with flowers and placards, and sports and arts festivals are being held, according to Naewoe Press, Seoul's official North Korea-watcher.

Hard information is difficult to obtain on daily life in North Korea. It is one of only five communist states left in the world, and by far the most reclusive and regimented. Kim Il Sung is a virtual deity, officially revered as "Great Leader," glorified in gigantic statues and buttons showing his fleshy face.

But some important birthday traditions appear to have been dropped this year.

One is a marathon in which runners converge on Pyongyang, the North Korean

try carrying greeting cards for Kim. Another is the mass student pilgrimages to various sites where Kim claims to have fought the Japanese as a guerrilla leader.

The only high-profile dignitary known to have visited Kim for this birthday is King Norodom Sihanouk of Cambodia - and the trip was short and discreet compared to ear-

China, North Korea's only major ally is not sending a delegation for the second year running. It gave no explanation, but insisted no rift was implied.

This year, state-controlled media are welcoming "hundreds" of artists and performers from 40 Third World countries. Last year about 3,000 from 60 countries came, the analysts said.

Also, they said, North Korean officials abroad did not appear to be buying large amounts of soap, towels and toothpaste to be given to Kim's 22 million people as birthday gifts, as they had done in the past.

Mandela, de Klerk work together in debate

By JOHN DANISZEWSKI Associated Press

JOHANNESBURG The turning point in South Africa's first presidential debate Thursday night will likely be remembered as "The Handclasp."

After pummeling the record of President F.W. de Klerk and his National Party for hour, ANC F.W. de Klerk leader Nelson more than an



Mandela suddenly shifted gears. He surprised his audience and his opponent by reaching out in a gesture of magnanimity and reconcilia-

"I am proud to hold your hand — for us to go forward to-

gether," Mandela told the obviously startled de Klerk during his closing remarks. "Let us work together to end division and suspicion."

"That was spontaneous. That's part of his whole style," ANC spokesman Carl Niehaus exulted afterwards.

With that gesture, Mandela demonstrated the underlying theme of the confrontation: that although the two contestants differ in philosophy, style and politics, they must work together to build a new nonracial South Africa after the historic April 26-28 election.

By taking the initiative, Mandela also seemed to demonstrate who was the senior part-

De Klerk earlier had addressed the issue of their cooperation, but less dynamically.

"On major issues such as nation building we are finding it possible to work together," he said. "Can I say, we won't have peace before we have real conciliation. ... We need forgiveness, we need reconciliation, we need to put our hands in each others' hands.'

The actual political importance of the televised debate was marginal. Some studies show up to 17 percent of the electorate is undecided. But there was little expectation the debate would sway a significant percentage of voters in a contest where most people are voting along racial lines, giving the ANC an expected win.

Political analysts gave the debaters mixed reviews.

Mandela was "more aggres-

sive than he needed to be" while de Klerk was "unexceptional," said Tom Lodge, political scientist from the University of Witswatersrand.

The fact that the debate broke new ground showed "that we haven't had much practice at this," he said of South Africa's first American-style political debate.

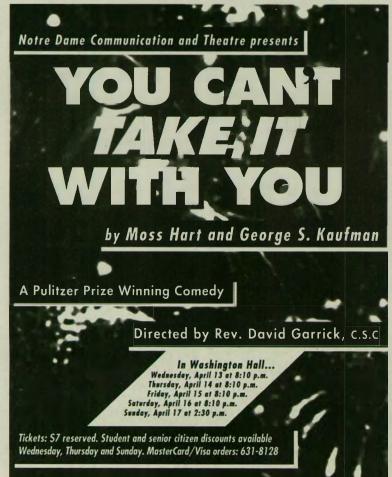
Mandela, expected to be staid and formal, instead was animated and went quickly on the offensive. He waved about a racist anti-ANC comic book that had been distributed by ruling party activists to mixed-race voters in the Cape Province. De Klerk had already disavowed the publication.

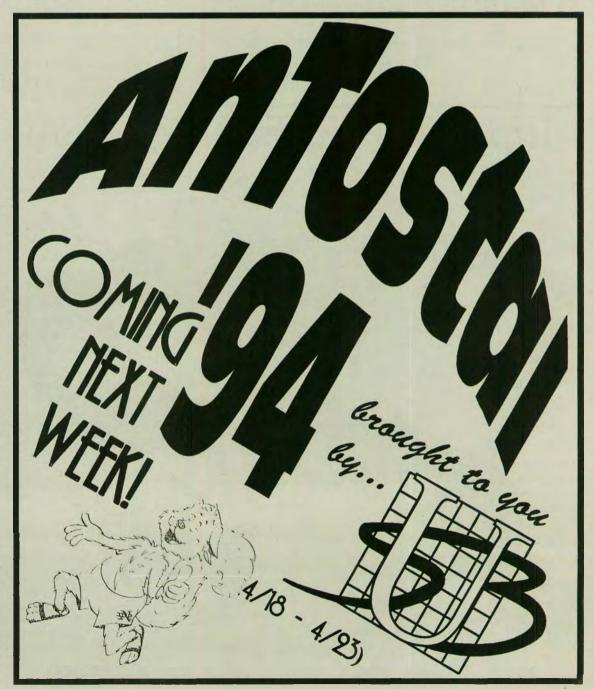
"There is no organization in this country as divisive as the new National Party," Mandela declared. "It is actually promoting racial hatred."

After de Klerk criticized the ANC's plan to spend billions of dollars on housing and social programs, Mandela chided him, saying de Klerk "is alarmed that we would have to devote so many of our resources to blacks.

De Klerk, opening the debate, stated that the apartheid era was history and it was now time to think about the future. Alluding to the ANC's overwhelming lead in the opinion polls, de Klerk said, "If any one party gets too much power, it will be a bad beginning.







BUSINESS

Tracks lures collegiate connoisseurs of musi

BUSINESS PROFILE

By DAVID CLAIRMONT

Assistant Business Editor

If music is the commodity worthy of respect, then Tracks is its guardian. Opened eight years ago as a regional record store, Tracks had the vision of being a "full service, full catalog" music store, and when the compact disk revolution flared up, Tracks was there to stoke

The business is still a regional franchise, currently operating seven stores with a target market of predominantly college students. In addition to the university community in South Bend, Tracks services areas around Purdue University and Indiana University, Bloomington. According to Jack Freeman, store manager in the South Bend branch, Tracks attributes 15 to 20 percent of total sales to the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's communities. Sales at all the stores are slightly higher during the school year over their summer season levels.

In order to service its target market, Freeman said, Tracks has implemented two fundamental strategies. "[We] hire people who care a lot about music . . . we're all collectors," while maintaining an inventory to satisfy the demand of like minded consumers. The catalog system, whereby everything currently in print is in stock, allows the shopper to find even those titles which are carried only on occasion by competing stores. In addition, sales titles are released weekly to give

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Freeman noted that the promotional strategies implemented by Tracks have "shifted over the years." One early idea was the "midnight release," which, although initially successful, eventually "washed out," according to Freeman. Such a strategy, implemented around the release of Pearl Jam's "Ten," has since been modified. The new release discount is now reserved for Tuesdays, whereby

With knowledgeable employees and full catalog service, Tracks promotes music appreciation in South Bend.

"major releases" sell for a "real low price . . . and at a more convenient time." Citing one recent example, Freeman noted that selling the new release by Pink Floyd for \$9.99 "didn't make a penny." Such a tactic, noted Freeman, does increase overall sales levels on occasion. but Tracks must take a "long range look to recoup [their] money.

The most difficult competition for Tracks comes from large discount stores such as Best Buy rather than from other competitors of comparable size. Freeman noted the ability of Best Buy to "drop 10 titles at below cost," which causes smaller stores such as Tracks to suffer a substantial loss in sales volume. "Music is the loss leader," said Freeman, referring to the larger retailers. The larger franchises can afford to take a loss on some low ticket items with the expectation that the mark-up on much higher priced items will compensate for the loss. Referring to the Tracks profit margin on the each item. Freeman said that it is "really hard to disentangle that," and even though certain new release items are sold right at cost, "the numbers were up

Tracks offers an extensive selection of used compact disks as well. "The used CD market is a real plus," said Freeman. The consumers benefit from the offering because it allows them to trade in old recordings and acquire new ones for little additional money. The store sees more repeat customers because of this process, allowing increased support of new merchandise.

Tracks finds shelf space for music produced by new bands. The procedure is to sell, on consignment, anything that campus bands have to offer. The object, said Freeman, is "just to help people." Local blues bands and bands from the off-campus circuit have found a home in the Tracks dis-

play.
Advertising is done "primarily on radio" with a focus on frequency of the spots. "You can buy a lot more impressing on the radio," than with other media, said Freeman. He noted that in towns with stronger music communities than that of South Bend, entertainment publications and local print work better. MTV ads have been attempted, but, according to Freeman, multiple, expensive spots must be purchased in order to avoid blending in with the rest of the mass advertising.

Although their larger competitors present a substantial challenge, Tracks is able to persevere, offering its customers genuinely interested service coupled with reasonably

Tax deadline arrives; 5 million file extensions

By DAVE SKIDMORE

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Midnight Friday is the deadline for federal income tax returns and the Internal Revenue Service advised those sweating out the last few hours to stay calm.

If you can't finish your return, file for an automatic extension. If you don't have the money to pay what you owe, request an installment plan.

As of a week before the deadline, the IRS had received 68 million returns. It expected another 35 million this week olus 5 million extension requests.

Many post offices are keeping late hours Friday to accommodate procrastinators, and some IRS offices are staying open for taxpayers who need to pick up forms at the last minute or ask

By calling the IRS' Tele-Tax number, 1-800-829-4477, taxpayers can listen to recorded information on 140 topics. You can check on the status of a refund with the same number but you need the first Social Security number listed on your return and the exact dollar amount of the refund.

In its public pronouncements. the IRS emphasizes the importance of timely filing, but private tax experts stress the ease of getting an automatic extension. Taxpayers can get a fourmonth breather - until Aug 15 — by filing Form 4868.

The penalty for not filing either a return or Form 4868 is steep — 5 percent a month of the amount owed. However, if you file for an extension you'll be charged only 7 percent interest on any past-due amount owed, so long as your tax payments and withholding add up to 90 percent or more of your annual tax liability.

However, most people don't owe taxes; they get refunds And through last week, the IRS had processed 48 million checks averaging \$1,025.

G-7 income growth expected to slow

By CARL HARTMAN

Associated Press

WASHINGTON People in United States and other big industrial countries will see their income grow more slowly between now and 2003 than in the 1970s and '80s, the World Bank predicts.

The new estimate, made public Thursday, lumps together the countries of the Group of Seven (G-7) leading industrialized nations: the United States, Japan, Germany, Britain, France, Italy and Canada. Between 1974 and 1980, it said, their income rose by more than 3 percent a year. For 1994 to 2003, however, the bank forecast an average overall annual rise of only 2.7 percent.

"This picture of comparative stability can be seen as favorable to long-run savings and investment globally," the report

Even at this modest rate, the growth is more than twice as fast as what these countries have had so far in the slowpaced 1990s — only 1.2 percent Slower growth in rich countries

The World Bank predicts that people in big industrial countries will see their income grow more slowly between now and 2003 than in the 1970s and 1980s.

Real GDP average annual percentage changes



a year. The report does not break these figures down for individual countries

The bank's predictions are actually forecasts of production. Average incomes are usually calculated by dividing the num-

ber of people into the dollar value of what they produce in a year.

The bank said the G-7 countries will move ahead because factories have plenty of capacity and governments have announced policies to take advantage of it, increasing jobs and holding down prices. It sees unemployment in Europe, which has been growing steadily, reaching a peak next year.

The bank predicts that east Asia will grow more than twice as fast as the G-7 countries in the next decade - at least 7.1 percent a year. That includes China and the "four tigers" — Taiwan, South Korea, Hong Kong and Singapore — but not Japan, which belongs to the G-

Chinese incomes are expected to grow even faster.

The bank found prospects for countries of the former Soviet Union and eastern Europe "the most uncertain of all." They have experienced sharp drops of income since the breakup of the Soviet Union and its alliance.

Market Roundup



BUSINESS BRIEFS

NEW YORK Stocks finished Thursday's session on a mixed note, as rising interest rates and another drop in technology issues cast a pall over the market.

The Dow Jones industrial average managed a slight gain, closing at 3,663.25, up 1.78.

But declining issues outnumbered advancing ones by about 4 to 3 on the New York Stock Exchange, and broad-market indexes were mixed.

WASHINGTON

Mortgage rates declined this week for the first time in two months as 30-year, fixed-rate mortgages averaged 8.26 percent, the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. said Thursday.

The 30-year rate was down from last week's 8.47 percent, the highest in nearly two years. This week's rate is still about 1 1/2 percentage points above the 25-year low of 6.74 percent last **NEW YORK**

The dollar closed mostly higher against major foreign currencies Thursday after Germany's central bank lowered key interest rates.

Gold prices rose. On the New York Commodity Exchange, gold for current delivery closed at \$378.60 a troy ounce, up 40 cents. Republic National Bank of New York quoted gold at \$378.60 as of 4 p.m., up 35

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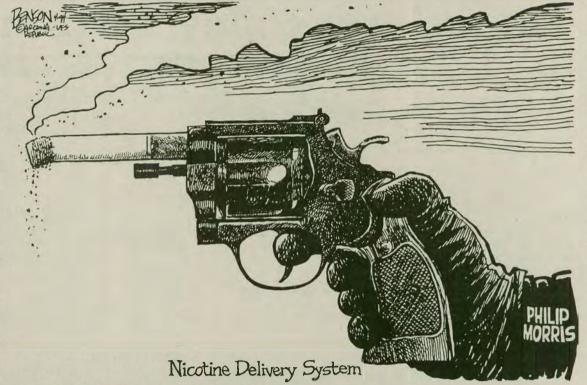
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BEYOND FREEDOM ROCK

North is not one to point the draft-dodging finger

In the course of sleaze-bagging his way towards the senate, Ollie North has raised revisionism to a new height: he accused an opponent of draft-dodging by attending college during the Vietnam War.

PETE PETERSON

I would ignore this if I didn't have the uncomfortable feeling that Rush Limbaugh has a pretty good grip on the Alex Keaton generation's view of history, and that they really don't understand what happened to us, a quarter-century ago.

I've never found Rush or Ollie humorous, because there are too many people out there who don't recognize them as just a politically-oriented version of Beavis and Butthead, and who don't know that a Dittohead is just a Skinhead hiding in a three-piece suit, and don't remember that Adolf Eichmann was just loyally serving his commander-in-chief.

Don't listen to Ollie: attending college during the sixties was not a form of draft-dodging. Certainly when a guy did flunk out of one school, he was quick to enroll in another. Parsons College made its reputation as a school that would accept any applicant, and, when the draft ended, Parsons went belly up, later emerging as Maharishi University.

Then, too, despite a countercultural emphasis on dropping out, the war made leaving school a more complicated decision than most guys were prepared to face. There is a lot to be said in favor of leaving school to find yourself, but not if it means finding yourself face down in a rice paddy.

Dropping out of college meant facing the draft, and, unless you had an iron-clad medical deferment, you really had to be burned out on school to think about leaving. At the same time, while I knew people who stayed in school because of the draft, I never knew anyone who went to school to avoid the draft. There's a big difference.

Let's look at some numbers put together by the Ford White House: there were about 53 million Americans who were of military age during that time. Of those, 26.3 million were exempted from the draft because they were women, though 250,000 chose to serve, and 6431 of those went to Vietnam, where 9 of them died.

Of the men, 10,935,000 went into the service and 15,980,000 did not. Of those who served, 80 percent enlisted and 20 percent were drafted. That doesn't tell the impact of the draft, however: many enlisted because they were about to be drafted and wanted better control of their destiny. They could join the Navy or Air Force and greatly reduce their chances of serving in combat, and, even in the Army or Marines, enlisting offered more of an opportunity to choose your assignment.

In fact, many young men enlisted to avoid serving in Vietnam. Charles Robb, whose Senate seat Ollie covets, was already in the service when he became engaged to President Johnson's daughter, Lynda Byrd. He then volunteered for Vietnam service. It was politically expedient for the First Son-in-law to take the hard

road, and, as Johnny Carson said, a Byrd in the hand was worth a year in the bush.

But LBJ only had two daughters: there were many young men who, by enlisting, avoided combat entirely. Of the 8,615,000 men who served during the war itself, only 1.6 million served in combat; another 550,000 were noncombatants in Vietnam, and three-quarters of those in the service avoided the war entirely.

Some 60 percent of men in the Vietnam Generation never joined the service. Of the 15,980,000 non-serving men, only 570,000—about 3.5 percent—were apparent draft evaders, fewer than half of those were ever legally charged with evasion, and 95 percent of those had their cases dropped.

Let's look at one more stat from those who did serve: of the 10,935,000 who served, 563,000—about five percent—were discharged under less-than-honorable circumstances, with 94 percent serving no prison time.

I don't know if you can equate the 3.5 percent of nonservers who evaded the draft with five percent of servers who were kicked out or imprisoned. Some of that 3.5 percent were very moral young men who chose to evade the draft rather than accept conscientious objector status, and some were just guys who chose not to register for the draft, refused to show up for their physicals or split for Canada. Then, too, some weasels found legal ways around being drafted, including J. Danforth Quayle and, while

they were draft dodgers, do not appear in the stats as draft offenders. By the same token, some people got kicked out of the service for refusing what they considered immoral duty, while others just screwed up. I knew one fellow who was offered the service as an alternative to a second term in prison. He already knew he didn't care for the Army either, so he split. This was not an act of conscience, it was an act of desertion. It was also an act of stupidity on the part of the judge, and not an uncommon one in that era.

I don't know why one person chose to serve while another chose not to serve. I do know this: I never faced the choice, and nobody who didn't have to can say what he would have chosen.

When I graduated from a small, rural high school in the fall of 1967, half my closest friends went directly into the Marine Corps and volunteered for Vietnam. I went to Notre Dame, and, by the time I left school, the draft was essentially over and I was married with a kid on the way.

Going to college was not a conscious choice. Even if you planned to go into the service, if you were college material, you went there first: that was the order of things. Even for those who needed money, ROTC scholarships were plentiful.

Now, some college students were considered disloyal, stupid, unpatriotic, cowardly, asinine, unsanitary, and illgroomed, by those who had made other choices in life. But

there were many college students in ROTC, and many others who planned to serve afterwards, at least, if they found no honorable way around it. The protesters were plentiful, but they were never a majority then, any more than rebels were a majority during the American Revolution. Life doesn't work that way.

I understand the bitterness with which some Vietnam vets think of college students who, safe behind their II-S deferments, marched and chanted against the war. I think they misunderstand what was happening on the campuses, but I understand their bitterness.

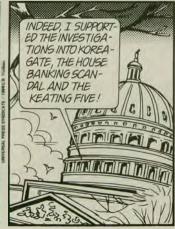
On the other hand, I would hate to see this continuing revisionism carried to the point where every guy who didn't serve is considered a draft evader. The II-S deferment was patently unfair, but so was exempting women from the draft. The law was written a certain way and that was the rulebook we were all handed. Some guys went in the service after high school, others went to college, and nobody ever questioned that part of it, until Ollie North came along.

But Ollie North benefited from a lot of changes. Back in the Vietnam Era, a Marine officer who admitted to subverting the Constitution of the United States would have joined that five percent who left the service under less than honorable circumstances.

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DOONESBURY









GARRY TRUDEAU QUOTE OF THE DAY

fincome tax returns are the most imaginative fiction being written today."

-Herman Wouk

GARY CARUSO

CAPITOL COMMENTS

Hey Joe Camel, why should we kill ourselves?

What do college students, gays, women, teenagers, and minorities have in common? They are the groups whose numbers are on the rise when studies are done about who is smoking in the United States. Some say that it is stress from our society or just immaturity that accounts for their increase in smoking. Others cite slick advertising campaigns like "Joe Camel" as reasons. Regardless of the causes, what are the consequences facing smokers in the future?

Health care legislation is on everybody's mind, at least inside the Washington beltway. Everyone expects Congress to raise the tax on cigarettes from fifty cents to over a dollar per pack to help finance health care. That is why several thousand people, smokers as well as those employed by the tobacco industry, rallied in front of the Capitol last month. They were here to protest what they considered unfair treatment by Congress.

However, statistics show that almost all of lung cancer is caused by smoking, that large percentages of those treated in

hospitals are there primarily because they smoke. Studies also show that if Americans would stop smoking altogether, health care costs could reduce by almost one-third. The numbers are too dramatic for smokers to have a fighting chance, regardless of how many attend rallies

To me, smoking cigarettes is rather disgusting, unless you happen to have fallen in love with someone who smokes. Then all of your brains, reasoning, and senses are cast to the polluted wind. I personally was surprised just how much I could tolerate when by life was dominated by my hormones! I guess that humans can be conditioned to just about anything like a laboratory rat.

What disturbs me most is the makeup of those groups whose numbers of smokers are growing. Teenagers are easily hooked by advertising and peer pressure. Once hooked, they can then carry the tobacco manufacturers to the bank for several decades because they are less likely to quit after entering their twenties. Smoking will become such a

large part of a teenager's life that the addiction to nicotine will not be worth the trouble of attempting to quit.

Pregnant women smokers run the risk of affecting their unborn children. Like drugs and alcohol, cigarettes can adversely affect the development of a child before as well as after birth. However, being the "breeder" for our species is not the only reason I regret the increase in women smokers. It seems to me that they are smoking more because they are still fighting the battle of equality in our society. The stress of having to continually prove yourself in the "good ole boy world" should not have to exist in today's society.

The same can be said for minorities. Targeted advertising for Afro-American communities gets outlandish. Inner City youth sometimes do not expect to live past twenty years old, so they certainly will not consider the health warnings. Some may feel like they do not fit in among other communities or may be discriminated against so blatantly that cigarettes become an escape or

security or status symbol.

Gays also fall in this category. Not only do they worry about being fired from their jobs, discriminated against in housing or health care, they worry about being beaten by some ridiculous homophobic moron who just "hates them." Their bar dating rituals add to the pressure to fit in or cope in a similar manner like it does for teenagers.

Finally! college students round out the list. Is it the pressure to compete for grades to either attain that perfect job or go on to some great graduate school? Is it the "coolness" factor carried over from high school teenage days? Maybe it is a security thing only the insecure can describe. Whatever! it eventually becomes a tragic situation.

The college population today—especially in the more academically challenging universities like Harvard, Yale, and our beloved ND—are truly the future leaders of our country. Corny as it may sound, our nation's success lies in your hands just as it did in Bill Clinton's and Al Gore's hands

thirty years ago. Think about that for a moment. It can be a sobering thought, and I hate to think about some of my collegeaged friends who may be disabled or dead just when their turn to lead falls on them twenty years from now.

M-TV is on as I write this article, and Beck's video "Loser" is playing. For anyone who is not an M-TV watcher, let me quote Beck's repeating refrain, "I'm a loser baby! so why don't you kill me?"

I do not think that anyone, whether in college or out, a minority or gay, a female or good ole boy, is a loser. I only hope that Beck's coffin sliding around on the ground never contains any of today's ND smokers because of cancer.

Maybe the FDA's attempt to regulate cigarettes as an addictive drug, along with a steep tax per pack, will counter the growing tide of young and new smokers. At least the ND Administration's ban on smoking is helping...of course until that nonsmoker falls in love with a smoker. Then the stairwells become a very popular place.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Gay literature course offers a brave new world

The following is the conclusion of yesterday's letter by Professor Jerez-Farran.

Of the participants in my course "OutSpoken Readings: Ouestions on Homosexuality in Literature", about half were men, slightly more than half women, one third were Afro-Americans and two thirds white Anglo-Saxons. Some were gay, some lesbian and others straight. It was the ideal mixture. I did not want to design a course especially with gay people in mind, mainly because one of its main purposes was to dispel prejudices and irrational fears about homosexuality, to foster understanding of its facts and concepts.

I had to do this with a heterosexual as well as a homosexual audience in mind, mainly because, as Altman has put it, "homosexuals or women or blacks do not exist in a vacuum, and the real impact of 'getting their s—- together' involves changing the consciousness of others as well as of themselves". Uppermost in my mind was the constructive effect this interaction between gays and non gays could have at a human level. Needless to say, some of our straight students will have to relate sooner or later to colleagues, friends and neighbors who are gay or lesbian.

They may find that their own sexual development holds some surprises for them. Some of them will be parents of proto-gay children, and the hardship parents go through upon discovering that their children are gay can not be explained easily. As Andre Gide said about homosexuality, "Condemn it all you like! Repress it, oppress it- you'll never suppress it."

Homosexuality has always been with us and will be with us for as long as human beings live on this planet. Giving some facts to generate analysis about this human reality so that people could reach their own conclusion might be of some help. I thought, especially when it could be done by directing them to reading some of the greatest authors in the western literary tradition, great not because they were gay or lesbian or that they expressed homoerotic desire in their work, but because of what they were as human beings and as artists and as thinkers: because of the human experience to be gained from them.

I did not need to emphasize the sense of pride derived from seeing that the literature we were reading was based on the human reality that some of us shared and the realization that "great art can stem from homosexual inspiration [and] that valid insight into human nature can derive from homosexual experience" (Rivers).

The audience was ideal. The first few weeks were slightly inhibiting for some people. A few weeks into the semester, however, the class dynamics started to change and the group become more relaxed and uninhibited. By mid semester, "the love that dared not speak its name" would not shut itself up.

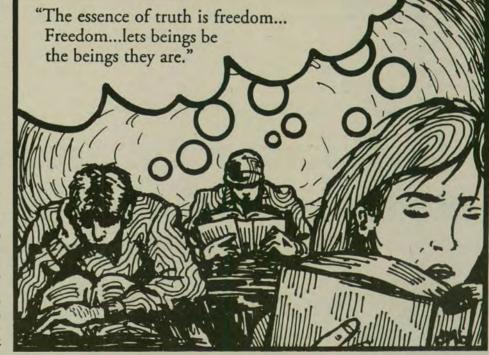
One of the interesting things to see was that, well into the semester the class had developed a sense of cohesiveness and congeniality that I had not experienced before in the classroom: blacks befriending whites, lesbians befriending gays, straights befriending gays and lesbians.

Another thing that struck me was the interest that most of the participants put into the subject, no doubt by people who, like myself, were determined to give the study of homosexuality the seriousness and dignity it deserves. It was a truly stimulating academic experience.

The main difference being that, at the end of the semester, when we emerged from the last classroom in the last floor of the building where we had been put, we could all say that a truly educational experience had taken place in that classroom, an experience from which all those involved emerged more enlightened and enriched personally, some felt more proud, others more liberated, others all three, but none felt indifferent to what we had read and discussed.

Giving this course was not an easy experience, though. It was difficult to be objective when dealing with the unnecessary emotional and psychological pain that homophobia causes on people. In this respect, the course was full of unexpected susceptibilities.

Nevertheless, I must say, there are few courses I am more devoutly interested in teaching than "Questions of Homosexuality in Literature," mainly because it has been one of the most rewarding experiences I have had in the classroom, and also because I see it as a



professional obligation I feel towards intellectual honesty and commitment to the humanities.

The unanimous support I received from my colleagues was no less gratifying. Some of them called me at home to congratulate me on what they considered to be an act of courage.

In conclusion, I must admit that what this University has done in permitting this intellectual dialogue to take place is truly remarkable. Such a dialogue is no big deal at other universities where new knowledge and critical vocabularies are also being generated at a break-neck speed: from Duke to the University of Chicago; from Berkeley and Stanford to Yale and Harvard.

Given our religious affiliations, however, I think Notre Dame deserves three loud cheers. One because it has demonstrated that its catholic commitments are not incompatible with critical thought. Two because it has shown respectful attention to the personal and intellectual needs of its student population, regardless of their backgrounds, ethnicity, race and sexual preference. And three because it has demonstrated that if a university is a place where people come to be educated, it should be unprejudiced and indiscriminate education what they receive, with truth and self knowledge as main priorities.

Three cheers is quite enough, I think. Having said this, I must add that I agreed entirely with President Malloy when he stated that one of the commitments of the university was to allow "freedom of enquiry and expression, " a freedom that should entail a rethinking of all our given assumptions and normative methods of thinking, namely because "The essence of truth is freedom... Freedom... lets beings be the beings they are" (Heidegger).

I would therefore like to thank all those involved in the approval of this course for the opportunity it gave me to strive for these ideals, however modest my progress may have been: to the colleagues who wrote letters of support, to the administrators who probably had to approve the course, and to the Institute for Scholarship in the Liberal Arts for the summer grant they offered me.

Last, but not least, I owe special thanks to those motivated students whose interest allowed this dialogue to happen. It was not an easy decision to make for some of them to walk into that classroom the first day of class last semester, I found out later, although others walked in more than gaily, happy to see that the kind of course they always wanted to take was finally offered. To them all my sincere thanks. It's a brave new world!

CARLOS JEREZ-FARRAN

Associate Professor
Department of Romance Languages

Friday, April 15, 1994

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ACCENT

Twopenny Hangover blends percussion instruments with complex ethnic rhythms

By JOHN CONNORTON Accent Writer

Take four musicians and add 120 rare and homemade percussion instruments and what

Twopenny Hangover, the LaFayette, Indiana folk-rock quartet, and visiting band at the Loft in the LaFortune Ballroom tonight.

wopenny Hangover will definitely please a student body as finicky in its musical tastes as a ten year old who refuses to eat anything but peanut butter sandwiches.'

John Connorton

Touring Midwestern colleges and bars on the strength of their second release End of the Century, Twopenny Hangover hopes to bring its unique blend of rich vocal harmonies, acoustic guitar interplay and ethnic rhythms to an eager

"We basically play ridiculously simple music," said Jeffrey All, Twopenny Hangover's lead singer and guitarist. "Jim singer and guitarist. "Jim bands like Henry Lee Summer [Schrum] and I are very averand the Vulgar Boatmen, and

age guitar players, playing 3-4 chords, but mixed in with some intricate bass and percussion we achieve a pretty complex

To achieve its diverse sound, Twopenny Hangover relies on the ingenuity of drummer Dennis Leas and his collection of butterfly shakers, conga drums, tambourines, wood blocks, bucket drums, and various other percussion instru-

Twopenny Hangover traces it musical influences to an eclectic group. All calls himself more of a modern American songwriters, strongly influenced by Neil Young, Bob Dylan, and John Prine while Schrum looks overseas to musicians like Richard Thompson.

Twopenny Hangover currently calls Southern Indiana its home, splitting time between LaFayette, home of Purdue University, and Indiana University in Bloomington, when not on the road.

The band has toured extensively throughout the Midwest, stretching as far up as Minnesota and as far down as Nashville, Tennessee. "We've played four times at the Bluebird Cafe in Nashville which is a pretty exclusive club, and we've had great reactions everytime," said All.

The band has opened for the a variety of artists including the BoDeans and lesser known



Twopenny Hangover harmonizes with percussion sounds complete with conga drums, butterfly shakers and tambourines. They will play at the Loft tonight at 7:30 pm.

performed live on the Danny Bonaduce Radio Show.

In addition to their own career, Twopenny Hangover can be credited with making possible one of today's most successful bands, Blind Melon. Guitarist Mike Kelsey encouraged fellow LaFayette native Shannon Hoon to join his garage band the Styff Kyttens,

thereby paving a high school cut-ups way to multi-platinum

All taught English at the

Hoon's high school and was Hoon's receivers coach. End of the Century is a solid

effort, easy to listen and a great reminder that summer is just around the corner.

Sounding a lot like tour veter-

ans Widespread Panic and Blues Traveler, Two Penny Hangover will definitely please a student body as finicky in its musical tastes as a ten year old who refuses to eat anything but peanut butter sandwiches.

Twopenny Hangover is playing a free show tonight at 7:30 p.m. at the Loft.

International Festival entertains and educates with display of cultural traditions

By JULIE SIMMONS

Accent Writer

The International Festival will open its doors to the South Bend-Michiana community tonight for an evening of song and dance celebrating a plethora of cultural traditions.

The show begins at 8 p.m. at the Century Center's Bendix Theatre downtown.

"The festival has become a ritual. When the first week in Feculary comes, people look for the festival," said Richard Altieri, ISO co-president

"Last year's off-campus show was successful," Altieri added. "I think the audience is really motivated to learn, and overall the show gives everyone a peak at how different traditions are around the world."

The festival began eleven years ago and gained instant popularity on campus until it eventually debuted in downtown South Bend, according to Ramzi Bualuan, Notre Dame's computer science and engineering instructor and festival producer.

"In the community, you shouldn't force someone to educate himself or herself ethnically by reading or listening to speeches, Bualuan said. "I believe one should educate through entertainment."

In addition to serving South Bend families, this year, Bualuan has agreed to donate

the proceeds from this weekend's festival to the Logan Center in South Bend.

"Logan Center has a big family and every weekend they are looking for places to go that are fun. I think giving to Logan Center definitely reflects the quality and general concern ISO has," he said.

February 5, of this year, ISO sponsored the eleventh annual, sold-out International Festival at Washington Hall.

That evening, about 150 proud and dedicated Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students, representing more than 30 countries, gathered together to educate and celebrate their respective heritage with the Notre Dame community.

Mexico, India, the Philippines, Lithuania, Sri Lanka, Japan, Chile, Ireland and Lebanon were among the assortment of cultures clad in authentic and colorful ethnic costumes and performing their traditional dances and songs.

The International Festival is just one of many campus-wide events sponsored by ISO. April 22, ISO will close the year with the annual "End of Year Picnic" which will be open to all stu-

"It's more of a social event and of course we'll be serving hamburgers and hot dogs. But for real authentic foods, I encourage students to come to the International Banquet which takes place first semester," Bualuan added.

"I think people first get involved in ISO because they think it's fun," Bualuan concluded. "Their main incentive is to meet people at these festivals and social events and share with others their culture, but in the process they end up learning a lot more about other people's culture. I think it's amazing while some of these students are from countries are politically at odds, you'll find that at the festival there is a genuine sense of peace and

Century Center's Bendix Theatre is located on St Joseph St., across from the Marriot Hotel in downtown South Bend. Admission is \$3 for students and \$5 for the public and tickets may be purchased from the Morris Civic auditorium box office (235-9190) or from the International Student Affairs office (631-5243).

"This year we had a full house and there were even people who didn't get to see the show because it sold-out," said Bualuan.

"Our show is not simply for students, but for the entire Michiana community. Absolutely everyone is welcome," he said.



Pedophile priests should examine their vocation

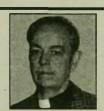
In Chicago, the pastor greeted a parishioner and his son as they were leaving the church after Sunday mass. As a way of showing the boy attention, the pastor asked: "Will Mikey soon be joining the altar boys?"

"Over my dead body," his father replied. "I don't want the priests even talking to him unless I'm around to hear them." This is the saddest story I've heard yet of clerics under suspicion as childabusers.

Pedophile priests would be pedophiles if they worked as truck drivers, and not as youth ministers. The tragedy is that the seminaries have been admitting them, apparently, for quite some time. It used not to be so. In the old days, when I was a lad, the great priestly sins were "Punch or Judy," or wine, women, and song. The parish would notice the sudden disappearance of the personable curate rumored to have trifled with the housekeeper's daughter. Was the decision made in the seminaries, after Vatican II, that the sexual orientation didn't matter, if a trustworthy lad was sincere when he vowed to be celibate? Was there truth to the rumors that said that lads in formation programs were giving up their vocations because the seminaries they attended were becoming "fag cities" for sexually confused candidates who had decided to use the Catholic priesthood as a hiding place?

It is irresponsible for me to acknowledge the rumors, since

Father Robert Griffin
Betters to a Bonely God



what has gone on in the seminaries? I would hate to be guilty of bashing gays, for whom I have respect and sympathy in whatever amount it is needed. It would be heartbreaking to think that immature lads, alternating between A/C and D/C, got to the seminary to come out of the closet, using it as a battleground for their campaign against an allegedly homophobe Church. Homophobia among Catholics becomes rabid when they hear of priests sodomizing the altar boys. But if the wells have been poisoned, where do we go from here?

We could start by taking a closer look at the priests in the heartland who are dying in their forties and fifties of overwork. As a Holy Cross priest, I can visit the graves up the hill from St. Mary's lake, and take courage from the lives of my confreres who wore themselves out in the service of the Lord. Many here were, perhaps, saints; I have no way of telling, nor can I tell you of the temptations against which they struggled in private. I can resolve that these good priests shall not have lived in vain. The grace from their struggle helps to redeem us all. Much should be

I haven't the slightest idea of what has gone on in the seminaries? I would hate to be guilty of bashing gays, for forgiven priests who fail and fall, because of the merits of these priests who have loved the Church so faithfully.

When I became a Catholic in 1944, Graham Greene was writing his great Catholic novels. Evelyn Waugh had written Brideshead Revisited, an English novel of the Eucharist, and later I read the French Catholics: Bernanos, Bloy, Mauriac, Peguy, Claudel. All of them dealt with sin, grace, the Mass and the sacramental life. This must sound like the lost language of cranes to a generation raised on the jargon of liberation theology. In those days, the Church was rightfully respected as the "refugium peccatorum": sinners, who felt unworthy of receiving Communion, wept at not being in a state of grace. Nowadays, in the wake of the sexual revolution, headliners, who were once weaned on the truths in the penny catechism, are shameless. Madonna, appearing on Letterman, was more offensive than Sinead O'Connor tearing up the picture of the

Does it sound smarmy to say that the Church waits for the exile's return, like the inn at the end of the world? A frontpage story in Monday's Observer reports on panelists in a campus ministry discussion who describe what it means "to be Church." Certainly the Church should be broad-minded enough to include the Notre Dame senior who gave up her Catholicism before coming out as a lesbian on campus, as well as the non-Catholic who felt excluded from the local celebrations of the Lord's Last Supper, when she was a freshman; and the former priest, excluded from the ministry, because he is now a married man. Is it fair of him to expect the Notre Dame community to treat him as a wounded healer, more sinned against than sinning? I'm sure that the lesbian is not waiting for some bishop to give her an imprimatur saying that gay is good for her. I hope that the non-Catholic is not waiting for her inter-faith rector to administer the Catholic Eucharist to her for the asking, as a form of cheap

But one doesn't become a member of the Church honoris causa because one condescends to feel "included," after redefining what the Church is all about. The Church, as far as I can see, is always and everywhere the refugium peccatorum, or the inn of the Good Samaritan to which the sexual outlaw, the heretic and the apostate come, asking for the balms in Gilead that can heal or help them. I put it this way, not to be over-bearing as a priest, but as a Catholic, I have my own sexuality to deal with. I

have my own heresies to abjure, and my own apostacies to atone for. Looking around, I see that every other Catholic is in more or less the same condition. That's why I hate to hear Christians talking down to the Church, as though there were another way home than the road of the Cross.

Notre Dame in its Catholicity is truly God's little acre. The mass is said beautifully all over campus, and grace is everywhere, as is proper in a sacramental universe. Administrators with a respect for Tradition envision the place as a think-tank for the Church in business to redeem the human condition. Monk has Dr. Rice of the Law School, trying, unnecessarily, to keep him honest, and Dr. Rice has the yahoos writing in The Observer, trying, boorishly but in vain, to keep him checkmated. What Monk and Dr. Rice do, they do for love. If Notre Dame is still Catholic in 2094, it will be because Monk has kept us on course through this dark decade at the end of the millenium, when the anti-Christ seems to be slouching towards Kalamazoo.

I think the undergraduates understand that Monk is their hero. Do they understand that even as Catholic fundamentalists, Dr. Rice and his wife Mary are giants among us. If priests worry whether the wells have been poisoned, it wouldn't hurt them to listen when Charlie and Mary tell us where to go from here

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Good-bye to Chicago Stadium

By RICK GANO
Assocuated press

CHICAGO

Bellowing, flag-waving, glass-banging Chicago Black-hawks fans came to celebrate the past on Thursday, saying goodbye to the stadium that has been their home for 65 years.

Banners displaying the retired numbers of Bobby Hull, Stan Mikita, Glenn Hall and Tony Esposito were lowered and presented to the Hall of Famers in a pre-game ceremony before the final regular-season NHL game at Chicago Stadium, which opened in 1929.

"The 15 years I spent here were great," said Hull, the first man to score more than 50 goals in a season. "All the memories are coming back today, from the vendors who's ask me how many goals I'd get before a game to the Robinsons (Gordon and John) guarding the door to the locker room. All the people. We tried to entertain the fans then. Hockey was a sport then."

Hull scored his 500th goal in 1970, nine years after the Blackhawks won their third and last Stanley Cup.

Before the ceremony, current Blackhawks star Jeremy Roenick tossed handfuls of pucks to fans who were already on their feet, buzzing at the opportunity to be part of history.

It wasn't the last game for the Hawks, who will have at least two playoff games here. But it was a night for celebrating and remembering.

The so-called "Madhouse on Madison" has hosted entertainers like Elvis and Sinatra, and boxers like Muhammad Ali, Joe Louis, Sugar Ray Robinson and the Rockys Graziano and Marciano.

Franklin Roosevelt twice accepted the Democratic presidential nomination in the stadium.

The Chicago Bulls, behind perhaps the greatest athlete to ever compete there, Michael Jordan, won their second of three straight NBA championships at the stadium. The Chicago Bears won the 1932 NFL championship in the stadium, beating the Portsmouth Spartans 9-0 on an enclosed 80-yard field.

But it was foremost a hockey building.

With 18,000 fans crammed in, an organ pumping out tunes and an ear-splitting foghorn sounding after each Blackhawks goal, the building was one of the loudest in sports.

The fans also began a stadium tradition of cheering during the national anthem until it reached a crescendo at the end.

Giants Stadium adds grass

By TOM CANAVAN
Associated Press

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J.
Now that Giants Stadium has
a temporary grass field for the
World Cup, state officials said
Thursday they will look into the
possibility of permanently
changing the field's artificial
surface to the real thing.

Any change in the field requires the approval of both the New York Giants and New York Jets. Each team plays eight regular-season games and two exhibitions in the stadium, which last season also had nine college football games.

Giants spokesman Pat Hanlon and Jets president Steve Gutman both said their teams would be willing to discuss a change to grass with the New Jersey Sports and Exposition Authority, which operates the facility.

"The Jets would be interested in a grass field as long as it could be guaranteed to maintain its integrity throughout the entire football season," Gutman said.

Hanlon added the Giants were particularly concerned about the consistency of a grass surface during bad weather in November and December.

Gov. Christie Todd Whitman initiated the talk of a surface change at a news conference Thursday that coincided with the installation of the grass field for the World Cup, which

runs from June 17-July 17.

Seven World Cup games will be played in Giants Stadium. Officials also announced Thursday that an exhibition game will be played between Greece and Colombia on June 5

"I'd love it," Whitman said when asked about a permanent change to grass. "But it's not my decision. The teams have something to say about that in their contracts and the sports authority would have to work on that to see if it made sense. I'm one of those purists who thinks that those games, especially in the winter, when it's muddy and wet and dirty, everybody is supposed to look like they've been playing football."

Michael Rowe, the executive vice president and general manager of Giants Stadium and the Meadowlands Arena, worries about a permanent grass field with two teams in the stadium, especially with rain and snow late in the season.

"Our big concern is the consistency of the field," he said. "But with the visual opportunity of having the grass in now and the experts here, we will take the opportunity to talk to the teams about the possibility of a permanent grass field."

If a permanent grass field were installed, it would not be the type being installed for the World Cup.

The temporary field is Bermuda grass oversown with rye. However, Bermuda grass, which thrives in the South, wouldn't survive in the Northeast year round. A permanent field also would have a soil base.

The temporary field is being installed in sod stripes 4-feet-wide and 62.5 feet long, with the sod being the sixth layer that covers the current artificial surface.

The bottom layer consists of 27 rolls of Geotextile, a synthetic material that allows water to drain through. About 3,500 sheets of plywood are put on top of that, followed by 79 rolls of more synthetic material. Then 10 inches of granite sand, roughly 500 truckloads, are placed on top.

John Hilson, the field superintendent for Clark Companies of Delhi, N.Y. which is overseeing the project, said the installation will probably be completed Saturday.

"Once the sod is laid, that's a big milestone," Hilson said. "But that's when our work really begins. Up to that point we're dealing with laying the sod and getting the materials in place. Now we're dealing with a living thing and it will determine our schedule."

Hilson said the grass growing now is the rye. The Bermuda, which is dormant, will start growing once the ground temperature reaches 65 degrees and does not fall below 50 at night.

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Who the heck is Ron McFadden?

Graham

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someone conspiring against me or not, but I know this wouldn't have happened if I wouldn't have had that argument with 'that girl.'

Miller believes he is a victim of circumstances. "That's what it boils down to," he said.

"I was just caught in the crossfire (of a fight between Graham and his friend). I didn't do anything wrong."

Both players have denied any role in the thefts, although neither has said how the equipment ended up in the apartment. Investigators have yet to say who they believe was responsible.

"I know I didn't do anything wrong as far as taking anything from a dormitory," Graham said. "I had no part of that."

"I don't know anything about it," Miller said of the stolen property. "I'm more embarrassed about this than anything. Having my name smeared for something I didn't do is a difficult thing.

According to an affidavit attached to the search warrant, the two girls first observed the

items at the apartment Jan. 30 and saw them again within the past to weeks. The women also provided to campus police during a criminal investigation in 1992 that apparently made them credible to authorities.

Graham and Miller reportedly went to the Notre Dame football office looking for coach Lou Holtz last Saturday to inform him of the situation. They were unable to find him, and that afternoon Holtz dismissed them from the team, at least temporarily.

On Tuesday, Holtz released a statement that said the two were not kicked off the team but just not practicing, pending a ruling by the University.

Miller has met with Athletic Director Dick Rosenthal but reportedly has not met with Holtz.

"He (Rosenthal) wanted the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth and that's what I gave him," Miller said.

Graham had hoped to meet with Holtz Thursday afternoon but if the meeting actually took place is unknown.

"I just hope all of this goes away," said Graham. "I can't wait for it to die down."

The South Bend Tribune and Associated Press contributed to this report.

Maple Leafs beat 'hawks in final game at Stadium

John Cullen and Wendel Clark scored two goals each Thursday night as the Toronto Maple Leafs beat Chicago 6-4 in the final regular-season NHL game in 65-year-old Chicago Stadium.

The Maple Leafs, finishing third in the Western Conference, will meet the Blackhawks again in the best-of-7 first round of the Stanley Cup playoffs. They split six regular-season games, with each winning twice on the other team's ice.

The Blackhawks marked the occasion by removing the retired jersies of Bobby Hull, Stan Mikita, Glenn Hall and Tony Esposito from overhead and giving them back to the former

Cullen scored on a rebound past Ed Belfour at 14:38 of the second period to break a 4-4 tie. Less than three minutes into the final period, he pushed in another rebound.

The Blackhawks will move across the street to the United Center next season.

Blues 3, Jets 1

At St. Louis, Brendan Shanahan finished the regular season with two more goals as St. Louis beat Winnipeg.

The Blues were 1-2-1 in their last four games but could-

n't blame Shanahan, who also had three goals in a loss at Dallas on Tuesday. Shanahan scored 12 goals in the last 10 games to finish with a careerhigh 52, one more than last season, and 102 points.

Brett Hull added his 57th for the Blues, who clinched fifth place in the Western Conference with 91 points and a 40-33-11 record. St. Louis will open the playoffs on the road against either Dallas or

Devils 4, Senators 1

At East Rutherford, N.J., Tom Chorske scored twice in a 33-second span in the second period as New Jersey capped its best regular season.

New Jersey set franchise records for victories (47) and points (106) in finishing with the NHL's second-best record overall under new coach Jacques Lemaire.

The Devils, seeded third in the Eastern Conference playoffs because they didn't win a division title, will play Buffalo in the opening round of the playoffs. The Sabres blew a chance at finishing with the fourth-best record in the conference when they lost a 3-2 decision to Washington.

That dropped Buffalo to sixth and set up the series with New Whalers 3, Bruins 2

At Boston, Jocelyn Lemieux scored twice as Hartford got its first victory at Boston Garden since Nov. 12, 1990. It also was the Whalers' only win this season in five games against the

Despite the loss, Boston got home ice in the first round of the playoffs because of Buffalo's 3-2 loss at home to Washington.

The Bruins will face the Montreal Canadiens in the first round of the playoffs. The series opens Saturday at Boston.

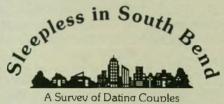
Capitals 3, Sabres 2

At Buffalo, Washington built a 3-0 lead in denying the Sabres home-ice advantage for the opening round of the play-

The Capitals' second shot on goal — just 42 seconds into the game - went in.

Steve Konowalchuk took a pass from Jason Allison at the blue line and went in all alone on Grant Fuhr to score on his glove side.

Three minutes later - on Washington's next shot -Kevin Hatcher blasted one past Fuhr's stick side to make it 2-0. At the 15:29 mark, John Slaney fed Dimitri Khristich at the side of the net to make it 3-0.



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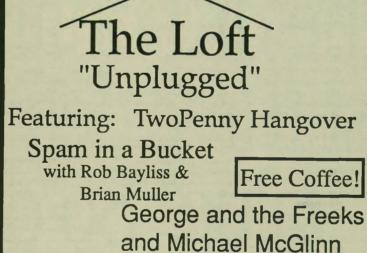


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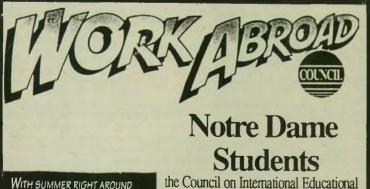




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back off, driving his right shoulder into Zwilling, knocking him to the ground where he landed on his left leg with an audible pop that silenced the large crowd gathered to watch this slugfest of a basketball

"It was an unfortunate incident," said junior Jim Ludwig, member of Bring a Mouthpiece. "However, when one plays a game, there are risks involved, and those risks include injury.

"It's ironic that the guy who was telling everyone to calm down was the one who suffered the worst," said Zwilling's teammate, junior Brian Mohler.

Peacemakers were the distinct minority in this bruising contest. Tempers flared from the opening, as the Bring a Mouthpiece squad, consisting of members of the club rugby

team, made it clear early that they saw little difference between basketball and the sport they were more familiar with.

"I'm sure they were out there to have a good time, or what was a good time for them, but you can't play rugby in a basketball game," said Mohler. "They made it clear that they wanted to stop us from scoring, and that they didn't care how they did it."

The physical nature of the game was bound to eclipse the limits of good sportsmanship at some point. Numerous words were exchanged by both sides, as The Regulators objected to the physical intimidation of Bring a Mouthpiece.

"We played the only style we know how," stated Ludwig. "It was physical on both sides."

However, cooler heads were unable to prevail, in part because of the active crowd surrounding the court.

Easily the largest crowd of afternoon, shouts and jeers accompanied every flagrant elbow and hard pick, encouraging the players to continue in the same vein.

"I don't think they were out to hurt anyone, but if you keep playing like they were, something's bound to happen," said Mohler. "The game kept getting progressively worse, especially with the crowd cheering them on."

It is unfortunate that the normal healthy competition of Bookstore had to be marred by such an incident.

However, the real tragedy lies in Zwilling, who will now have to endure the pain of his broken leg.

"Everyone can point fingers, but the important thing is that Dan still has a broken leg," said Mohler. "We would rather have lost 21-0 in order to avoid

Zwilling was released from St. Joseph's Hospital with a cast on his leg and spent the night in the infirmary.

The Regulators were granted the victory.

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fights, scoring 79 team points. Evansville's Adam King provided the spoiler to the clean sweep, defeating Notre Dame's Todd Wilson, presently a senior, in No. 1 singles play. This defeat marked the first time an Irish tennis player didn't succeed in capturing the No. 1 singles title since 1988.

Butler, the team runner-up at the last two championships, enters this weekend with a 12-

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vs Every Now and Then We Get a Little Stepan 2 @ 4:45 pm

4 record overall, 2-0 in MCC action. Evansville, not to be outdone, is also in a position to battle for the All-Conference spots this year, bringing an overall mark of 11-6 and a 2-0 MCC record to the courts this weekend.

First-round action at the

Courtney Tennis Center, or the Eck Pavilion pending rain, gets underway on Saturday, April 16 at 8:30.

Championship matches will begin Sunday, the 17th of April at 8:30, with the awards presentation to begin approximately at 1 p.m.

by pitch

GLENDALE, Calif. A 9-year-old boy died four hours after he was hit in his batting helmet by a pitch.

However, authorities said an autopsy was needed to determine the cause of death.

Timothy Richard Herman of La Crescenta was at bat in a baseball gamewhen he was struck in the head.

He continued playing, showing no ill effects, Los Angeles County sheriff's spokesman Gabe Ramirez said Thursday.

Once home, he complained of pain in his right leg. His mother massaged the leg and left the room for two minutes. When she returned, she found the boy on the floor unconscious and not breathing.

Ramirez said the boy was pronounced dead at Verdugo Hills Hospital about 11:45 p.m.

"He was full of energy on the playground, playing basketball. He loved sports." said Evelyn Johnson, his principal.

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Seeding is still just a guess

By TIMOTHY SEYMOUR Assistant Sports Editor

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These are the perks of getting one of the 32 seeds bestowed by the commissioners of Bookstore Basketball, supposedly signifying the 32 best teams in the tournament.

The process of seeding is a mystery to most.

How can anyone decide the best 32 teams in a field of 592, especially when most of the teams have never played together before?

The scientific qualifications of receiving a seed are scanty.

Theoretically, a team must have advanced to the Round of 32 in the previous year's tournament and return three players from that squad.

After these conditions are met, or in some cases waved, the less official methods are

"For the most part, we seed based on what the commissioners have heard about who's strong in any given year," explained senior commissioner John Neal, who had a large part in determining this year's rankings.

"We go by which teams we've seen play, for example those who frequent the Rock or did well in interhall.

It's also helps to know a commissioner.

Most seeds have similarities.

The top seeds usually return numerous players who were dominant in the previous year's tournament, sometimes advancing to the Final Four.

"Eric Jones (of No. 1 NBT) has been in the finals every year since I've been here," said Neal.

"That was a large factor in his team being seeded first."

Marquis players are also a common denominator among the elite 32.

The majority of the top squads contain varsity basketball or football players whose athleticism always plays a role.

"I think having athletes makes it harder on us," stated Jim Kordas of No. 12 White Shadow, which features football players Jeremy Nau and Mike McGlinn.

"Those who aren't athletes feel they have to prove themselves when they come up against us."

The rare teams without such stars feel that it works to their advantage

"Not having athletes makes us a dark horse," explained Kerry Plank of The Hood River Bandits, the No. 24 team.

"People don't know as much about us when they play us."

Once the top 32 are delineated, the order of their seeding does not seem to matter according to the teams involved.

"We made the Final Eight last year, so we were expecting a high seed," stated Conrad James of No. 4 Ebony Side of

"However, you have to play smart and up to your potential; after that the numbers don't

"The top ten teams are definitely solid," concurred Neal. "After that, it's a best guess; any of them could be prone to an upset."

The threat of an upset ranks as the biggest fear for any team given a seed. Two favored teams, No. 25 R.S.V.P. and No. 17 The Torch fell victim to teams that did not have a reputation but definitely had the skills, or in some cases, the

"When we saw a matchup against a seed, we didn't think we'd win," stated Chris Mackin, captain of We Like Women, a senior team that defeated The Torch 21-19 yesterday.

"They weren't on from the outside, and we played at the best of our abilities.'

Other seeded teams look to learn from the fates of R.S.V.P. and The Torch.

"Our biggest fear is a letdown, like last year when we lost in the first round," commented White Shadow's Kordas. "We can't look too far ahead."

"There's definitely pressure," agreed Plank of The Hood River Bandits.

With the random draw, you never know if you'll run up against a good freshman team."Ebony's James also noted the danger of relaxing in the early rounds.

"I think a lot of teams that aren't ranked are dangerous when they play us," he said. "They have nothing to lose."

The mystery surrounding freshmen teams is the major disrupting factor in the seeding process.

Last year, Bobby Taylor's Headbangers team reached the Final Four on the basis of his freshman leadership.

The same is true of Coming From Behind, which reached the Sweet 16 as an unseeded freshman team last year led by football players Renaldo Wynn and Thomas Knight. These two teams are seeded No. 2 and No. 3 this year.

After the first round, Sweeter Than Candy appears to be the unseeded team to be wary of, having already disposed of R.S.V.P.

Still, despite the odd upset, the seedings of the commissioners usually hold true to form through the Round of 16.

At this point, the commissioners meet to re-seed teams into a championship bracket based on their tournament performances.

Expect a majority of these to be Top 32 teams.

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Colley

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goals, so he is aware of his place in the Irish record book, yet he is equally aware of the fact that winning games is more important.

"If breaking records is what my team needs to win, then fine," said the 6'3", 215 lb. attackman. "That is not what motivates me, it's not impor-

He has both scored a lot of points, and has won a lot of games, 28 to be exact. In the process, he has been a main force in bringing Irish lacrosse to national prominence.

"You've got to have guys to build a program with," said Irish coach Kevin Corrigan. "Randy is definitely one of those players. We first saw him as a junior in high school and we were impressed. When he was a senior, he was an All-American, so he wasn't an unknown. But no one thought he would play like he has.'

Perhaps the main reason Colley has surpassed even the highest of expectations is his tremendous work ethic.

"In addition to being our best offensive player, he is also one of our hardest working players. He doesn't rest on his laurels."

It didn't take long for Colley to display this intense desire to improve. But it was by means no under good circumstances.

After an impressive showing in fall ball as a freshman, disaster struck. Colley suffered a career-threatening knee injury, thus ending his first year of play before it began.

"If there was anything positive to come from the injury, it was the motivation it gave me to improve," said the government major.

And improve he did.

"The injury was tough, but he spent a year working on his shot and getting bigger and stronger," said Corrigan. "He really made himself tough to handle."

The shot and strength he developed during that time is really what sets him apart on the

Usually, defensemen have the size and strength advantage. That is not the case when Colley is the assignment.

Combined with this strength is a tremendous shot.

"Randy's shot is basically like a cannon," said Irish goalie Ryan Jewell who has stepped in front of more Colley cannon balls in practice than he would have liked. "His placement is so good to. You think you have a good angle and then he goes and puts it by you. I'd hate to face him in a real game."

What makes the record even more impressive is the fact that it has taken Colley just two and a half seasons to reach it.

"He has done all this against the best competition we've ever faced. Further, people know he is our man and do all they can to stop him. He still manages to score, all the while setting a great example to our guys.

For the most part, Colley sets his example on the field, not only with his talent but with his mental toughness and desire.

"I really love this game and I think that shows on the field," noted Colley. "Playing with such great teammates makes it even better."

Colley and teammates still have goals to achieve this year.

'The two main goals we have are to crack the top ten (the Irish are 15th right now) and to advance past the first round of the tournament. If we continue to improve like we have been, we've got a good shot at it."

If these goals are to be reached, Colley will be the one to carry the Irish. He not a bad person to be relying on.

"I think that Randy should have been an All-American last year," assessed Corrigan. 'There is no doubt he will be one this year."

Another thing to keep in mind when considering Colley is the fact that he may have another year still to play with the Irish. As this is only his third year of varsity play, he has applied to the MBA program with designs on returning for a fifth year.

Right now, though, Colley is solely focused on the task at hand. Winning.

'This program has come a long way, I'm just hoping we can take it higher this year.'

With Colley's capabilities and commitment, the outlook is pretty bright.

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The Observer\Eric Ruethling

Randy Colley set to propell the Irish past Air Force Academy and to their sixth win.

Lacrosse ready to face Air Force

By TIM SHERMAN Sports Writer

The 15th ranked Notre Dame lacrosse team will be looking to extend their five game winning streak tomorrow when they travel to Colorado Springs, CO to face the Air Force Academy.

The Irish, who won their first conference game Tuesday at Butler, must defeat the Falcons to keep their NCAA tournament hopes in tact.

"They have won four of their last six and will present a good challenge," said Irish coach Corrigan. I really feel that they are a team on the come.

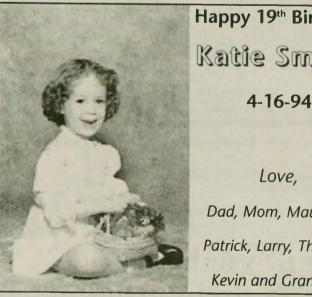
Corrigan also feels his squad is continuing to play better.

"We're definitely improving. We've shown flashes of brilliance. Now we have to put together an entire game."

their belts, the excuse of youthful inexperience is no longer viable."We have some guys, but at this point in the season,

With eight games under they're not as young anymore," noted Corrigan.

Air Force should get a chance to see how much the youngsters have developed first hand.



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Eckersley couldn't stop the bleeding

Once again, Oakland stopper Dennis Eckersley couldn't stop Minnesota.

Eckersley blew his second straight save opportunity against the Twins, failing to hold a three-run lead in the ninth inning Thursday as Minnesota rallied to beat the Athletics 5-4.

"I've been snakebit by this team," said Eckersley, who failed to hold an 8-4 lead last Friday in a game the A's went on to win 10-9 at the Metrodome.

"That's baseball. I couldn't stop the bleeding again, just like I did last week."

Trailing 4-1 Thursday, the Twins scored four runs off Eckersley in the ninth on an RBI single by Matt Walbeck, a run-scoring double by Alex Cole and a two-run single by Chuck Knoblauch.

Twins starter Kevin Tapani gave up four runs and nine hits in 6 1-3 innings. A's starter Steve Karsay allowed one run and five hits in eight innings.

Orioles 3, Tigers 1

At Detroit, Mike Mussina improved to 5-0 lifetime against the Tigers.

Mussina (3-0) gave up one run and four hits in 7 2-3 in-

nings. Alan Mills struck out Eric Davis with the bases loaded in the eighth, and Lee Smith pitched a perfect ninth for his fourth save.

Brady Anderson homered for the Orioles off Mike Moore (1-1), who gave up three runs and eight hits in eight innings.

Brewers 7, Rangers 2

At Arlington, John Jaha drove in four runs and Ricky Bones pitched a five-hitter for Milwaukee.

Bones (2-0) struck out three and walked one in his first complete game of the season. He retired 12 of the first 16 batters before Ivan Rodriguez led off the bottom of the fifth with a double.

Manuel Lee then broke up the shutout bid with a single to

Kevin Brown (0-3) gave up five runs in the first inning, including a three-run homer by Jaha. He allowed 13 hits and two walks in seven innings.

Angels 6, Blue Jays 4

At Anaheim, Mark Leiter won for the first time since the death of his infant son and Tim Salmon drove in four runs.

Damion Easley hit a solo homer in the seventh off Juan Guzman (1-1) to snap a 3-3 tie.

Maddux and Braves on roll

Atlanta and Colorado got great pitching. That's not news for the Braves; it is for the Rockies.

Greg Maddux pitched a three-hitter Thursday night as Atlanta beat San Francisco 6-1 for its ninth win in 10 games.

Maddux (3-0), the best pitcher on baseball's best staff, struck out nine and didn't walk a batter. He was so overpowering that the Braves' outfield recorded only one putout.

"That was an awesome performance," said Atlanta pitching coach Leo Mazzone.

David Nied, Bruce Ruffin and Darren Holmes combined on the first shutout in Colorado history, pitching the Rockies to a 5-0 victory over Philadelphia.

The Rockies' pitching staff entered the game with a 7.97 earned-run average, worst in the National League.

"We've been crucified in Denver for the way we've pitched," said Nied (2-0), who allowed only two hits in seven innings. "This is big. It's something that will hopefully get us on the right track.

Maddux has allowed only one earned run in 26 innings

of 0.35. He threw only 22 balls in 96 pitches against the Gi-

"It was fun," he said. "You have games that look easy when they hit the first or second pitch and everything is at somebody."

Rookie Javier Lopez was the Braves' offensive star, hitting two homers and driving in four

In Philadelphia, Ruffin pitched the eighth and Holmes the ninth to preserve the first shutout victory in 170 Colorado games. It was the first shutout loss for the Phillies at home since Montreal blanked them on Sept. 15, 1992.

Mets 10, Cubs 9

At New York, Jeff Kent homered twice and drove in five runs for the Mets, who recovered after blowing a fiverun lead.

Ryan Thompson added a two-run homer for New York, which led 8-3 before Chicago rallied to take a 9-8 lead in the eighth on a three-run homer by Sammy Sosa and a two-run shot by Steve Buechele.

In the bottom half of the in-

this season, giving him an ERA ning, Kent hit a two-run homer off Dan Plesac (1-1). Doug Linton (1-0) got two outs for the victory, and John Franco pitched the ninth for his first

Cardinals 9, Dodgers 8

At St. Louis, Ray Lankford had two hits and three RBIs, and Allen Watson stopped his seven-game losing streak.

Watson (1-0) allowed five runs and six hits in 7 1-3 innings, while striking out a career-high seven. The Dodgers, who trailed 9-2 in the eighth, lost for the sixth time in seven

Mike Perez allowed a run in the ninth and had to strike out Eric Karros and Mike Piazza with runners on first and second for his fourth save.

Pirates 4, Padres 2

At Pittsburgh, Dave Clark put Pittsburgh ahead 3-2 with a pinch-triple in seventh, and Andy Van Slyke preserved the lead with a highlight-film catch as the Pirates won their fourth

San Diego lost its fifth in a row and fell to 1-9.

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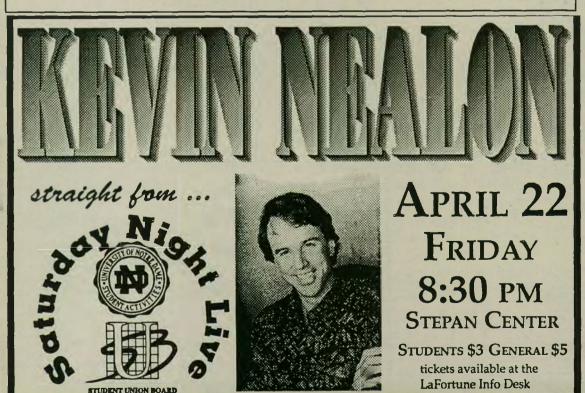
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Belles to compete in Little State Meet

Bv KELLY COOK Sports Writer

Saint Mary's track team will be challenged this Saturday at the Little State Meet in Indi-

The Belles will be up against their toughest competition yet. A numerous amount of teams have been invited to this meet.

"This is the biggest meet of the year so we're going into it with high expectations," explained freshman Paula Kivi-

Even though Saint Mary's is a division 3 school, many of the

competitors are division 2 and NAIA. Some of the 20 or 30 teams attending include Anderson, Butler and Huntington.

The Belles have been working hard to prepare themselves for such hard competition according to sprinter Melissa Roberts. "We've been practicing hard the past two weeks and we hope to have our best showing of the year this Saturday," said Roberts.

Unfortunately coach Larry Szczechowski couldn't make it to Thursday's practice due to unrelated injuries but the girls remain to have high hopes.

omen's Golf to host

Observer Staff Report

Coming off a second place finish at the Boilermaker Invitational last weekend in West Lafayette, the Notre Dame women's golf team looks to continue its success in the Irish Invitational.

It is the first tournament hosted at Notre Dame since 1991, which includes four Big Ten schools, Michigan, Purdue, Wisconsin and Michigan State.

"I told the girls if they wanted to host a tournament that we would have to share the work," said golf administrator Tom

their end."

From pin placement to awards, everything is set for tomorrow's 8 am shotgun start of round one.

"It's very difficult to get a course ready for tournament play," Hanlon said. "We've done a lot of work dealing with the rain we had this week. We'll be ready.

Saturday will consist of two rounds, while the final round will be played on Sunday. The forecast for the weekend predicts rain, but Hanlon says they will play as long as their is no

Hanlon. "So far they've held up lightning. Early morning frost may also prolong the start.

Irish golfers Crissy Klein and Alicia Murray are both coming off impressive finishes. Klein finished last weekend's tournament fourth while Murray tied for fifth.

This week's field includes Bowling Green, Cincinnati, Illinois State, University of Indianapolis, in addition to the Big Ten contingent. Wisconsin won the Indiana Invitational two weeks ago with a field that included seven of the nine teams participating in this weekend's tournament.

Carl Lewis earning By JENNIFER LEWIS Saint Mary's Sports Editor living in heels

Associated Press

LONDON Sprinter Carl Lewis is about

to appear in billboards across Europe in an unusual pose: wearing a pair of red stiletto

The photo, taken by American celebrity photographer Annie Liebowitz, is part of a new advertising campaign by the Italian tire company Pirelli.

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The picture shows a shavenheaded Lewis in a sprinter's crouch, wearing a black onepiece runners' outfit and red high heels.

Newspapers said the posters will be displayed in Britain and other European countries but not in the United States because the pose is considered too controversial.

'Leibowitz loves to shock,' said Robin Gibson, a curator at the National Portrait Gallery in London.

Belles to battle Manchester

The Saint Mary's softball team takes on Manchester this afternoon at 3:00 Manchester. The Belles are on a ten game winning streak and are going for a Saint Mary's record.

"Manchester is always a tough team," said Senior Laura Litcher "hopefully we will raise up to the challenge.'

According to freshman Gretchen Moore the team is getting stronger both offensively and defensively. The Belles have been practicing a lot on their fielding, because they have been hitting so well in the games and they want to make sure they are a balanced

"We have tried to pick up are intensity level in practice with hope it will increase the intensity in the actual game," said Litcher.

Sara Miller and Laura Richter are the two strong hitters to watch this afternoon. They both have been hitting extremely well in practice and have been hitting a individual season

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By DYLAN BARMMER Sports Writer

Next, please?

The streaking Notre Dame baseball team has been punishing its opponents lately, burying them amidst an avalanche of runs, hits, and strikeouts.

Having scored at least 11 runs in each of their last five games, the suddenly explosive

by Friday, April 15th.

State on April 18.

Irish now own a 14-7 overall record, and sit atop first place in the Midwestern Collegiate Conference with a 6-0 mark.

The Irish will look for their sixth and seventh straight victories when they take the field at Frank Eck Stadium for a doubleheader against Wisconsin-Milwaukee this afternoon, then will travel to Indianapolis to play two doubleheaders

Pat Murphy wants you to pick the lineup which will face Clevelar

Vote for your favorite player at each position and return to

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2nd game of the doubleheader on Monday, April 18.

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against Butler in the next two

The Wisconsin-Milwaukee Panthers come to South Bend with a lowly 8-16 mark, although they have played well lately, winning five of their last seven games.

The Panthers are led by sophomore first baseman Jak Kraus, who leads the team in nearly every offensive category. Kraus is batting a team-high .338, and also leads the team in power numbers (5 HR, 21 RBI). All five of Kraus's home runs have come in the last seven games, a span in which he has also driven in 15 runs.

Aside from Kraus's hot stick, the Panthers boast only two other .300 hitters. Bill Posteluk is hitting .333 with two home runs and six RBI, and Steve Klawitter is batting .302 with two home runs and 14 RBI, while striking out a team-high 14 times in only 63 at-bats.

The Panthers's pitching staff is fairly solid, with juniors Cory Bigler and Lance Tardiff leading the way. Bigler has allowed just one earned run in his last 15 2/3 innings, and leads the team with three wins. The junior starter has whiffed 25 in 32 innings, and his 3.66 ERA is good enough for second place on the team, behind Tardiff.

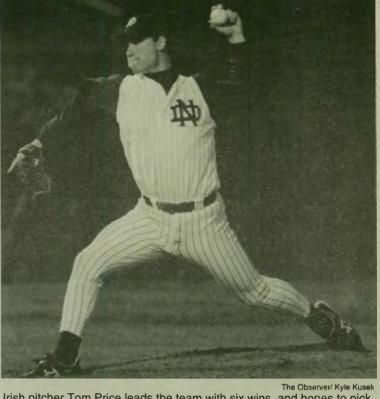
That could change against the Irish however, especially if the Notre Dame offense continues to produce as it has over the past week. In their last outing, the Irish shelled Illinois-Chicago for 14 runs, as two Irish hitters went deep.

Nine Irish players are currently hitting above .300, and the recent power surge has pushed the team batting average to a bloated .310 mark.

Sophomore first baseman Robbie Kent has been unstoppable lately, slashing hits to all areas of the field. Kent's hot bat has pushed his average to .387, and he is currently second on the team with 22 RBI.

Freshman speed demon Scott Sollmann continues to wreak havoc on opposing pitching as well. The fleet centerfielder has boosted his average to .381, and his 13 stolen bases leads the team.

One other hitter the Panthers might want to take note



Irish pitcher Tom Price leads the team with six wins, and hopes to pick up a couple more wins this weekend.

of is sophomore George Restovich. The part-time DH has shown huge power potential in his limited playing time, blasting a team-high four home runs in just 44 at-bats. Restovich owns a .318 batting average to complement his .682 slugging average, and has been hot in the last few games.

Notre Dame's pitching has been solid while, holding opponents to a .252 batting average while compiling a 3.20

Senior hurler Tom Price is definitely the ace of the Irish mound crew, leading the team in wins with six. After pitching brilliantly against Illinois-Chicago last Tuesday, the lefthander's ERA now stands at 2.98, and he has struck out 46 batters in 57 2/3 innings.

When the Irish open up their series with MCC rival Butler, it will be a homecoming of sorts for new Notre Dame assistant coach Doug Schreiber, who spent the past two seasons as an assistant at Butler.

While it is hard to believe the mild-mannered Schreiber harbors ill feelings towards Butler, the Irish will definitely not greet the Bulldogs with open arms, as they look to remain undefeated in MCC

home field advantage, and they come into the series at 13-16, with a 5-3 mark in the MCC.

Butler boasts a .276 team batting average, and four Bulldogs are currently hitting above .300. Tony Baldwin and Brian Cain share a .339 average, and Dan Bayha and Brian Zaun stand at .319 and .317, respectively.

Bret Smith has provided most of the power for the Bulldogs, hitting .281 with 3 home runs and 22 RBI.

The Bulldog pitching staff is shaky, with a team ERA of 5.29. Rod Velardi is 2-3 with a 3.27 ERA, and Steve May comes into the series at 5-3 with a 3.58 ERA. Brandon Leese is the team's power pitcher, boasting a 3-2 record with 26 strikeouts in 35 1/3 in-

As for the Irish, Price will likely get the nod in the Butler series, possibly even appearing in more than one game. The Irish senior ace took himself out of the game against Illinois-Chicago after throwing five powerful innings, saying he wanted to be able to help the team as much as possible down the stretch.

Then again, Murphy used to pitch in the minors, didn't he?

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Miller picks up 600th victory

by MEGAN McGRATH
Sports Writer

Any one who has followed the Notre Dame softball team could've predicted it.

All season long the Irish have won games in a dramatic fashion, and when the team captured coach Liz Miller's 600th career win in the first game of a double-header Thursday at Western Michigan, it was a tense finish.

Notre Dame was clinging to a

5-3 lead in the bottom of seventh inning. Western Michigan loaded the bases with two outs, and Stephanie Henderson, sporting the NCAA's sixth best batting average at an even .500 was at the plate.

Irish ace Terri Kobata entered the game to face Henderson, and sat the Bronco's biggest hitter down with a strikeout.

"Terri came in to a tough situation in game one," Miller said. "She threw well against their top batter. That was a big save."

Notre Dame had to struggle to earn the lead. Down 3-2 in the top of the fifth, the Irish were in danger of stranding Stephanie Pinter and Sara Hayes on first and second when freshman Meghan Murray stepped up and laced triple into the left-centerfield gap to bring home the game-winning run. Jenna Knudson later singled home Murray on a no balls, two strike count.

Joy Battersby picked up her win number 11 and Kobata earned her second save.

Notre Dame carried the momentum from their first win into the nightcap, where they cruised 3-0. Kobata went the distance for the Irish, allowing one hit and striking out ten.

Freshman Elizabeth Perkins went two-for-four with a double and the game-winning RBI to lead Notre Dame at the plate.

Earning wins number 600 and 601 was especially sweet for Miller, being a graduate of Western Michigan and the former coach at nearby Lake Michigan Community College. Three current Broncos were Miller's recruits at LMCC.

"I feel very fortunate to have had the opportunity to coach in two outstanding programs with many exceptional athletes."

Notre Dame now prepares for another double-doubleheader weekend.

Saturday the Irish travel to play at MCC rival Dayton, and then return to Ivy Field for a Sunday twin-bill against Ball State at 1 p.m.



The Observer/Jake Peters

Pitcher Terri Kobata pitched a one-hitter and saved a game as the Irish defeated Western Michigan in a doubleheader.

This Weekend in Notre Dame Sports Let's Go Irish!

FRIDAY - APRIL 15

You haven't been to the Eck yet?!

Notre Dame Baseball v. Wisc.-Milwaukee
5:00 pm - doubleheader

Frank Eck Stadium

SATURDAY - APRIL 16
Didn't make it to the Masters?
Notre Dame Women's Golf hosts
The Irish Invitational
Shotgun start at 8:00 am - University Course
FREE ADMISSION

SUNDAY - APRIL 17 Notre Dame Women's Softball vs. Ball State 1:00 pm Ivy Field FREE ADMISSION

Women's Golf continues at 8:30 am

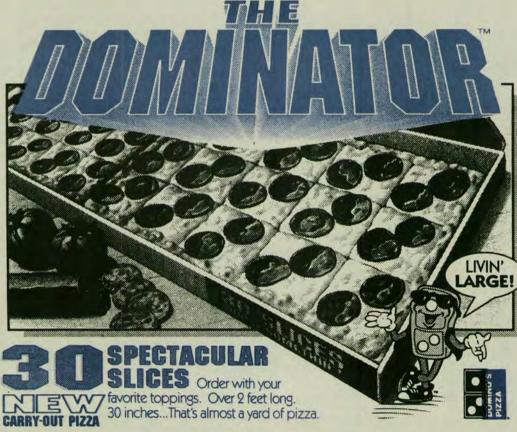


Photo courtesy of Notre Dame Sports Information Irish head coach Liz Miller celebrated her 600th victory with a pair of wins over Western Michigan.

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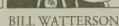
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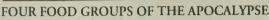








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GARY LARSON



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OF INTEREST

- "The Agony and the Ecstasy" will be featured at the Student Art Forum's Friday Night at the Cinema tonight at 7p.m. in the Snite Museum Conference room. This is the famed story of Michelangelo and the sistine ceiling, a historical drama based on Irving Stone's best
- The Office of Multicultural Student Affairs pre sents TAIFA workshop, "How to tell stories and the value of story telling." The workshop will be held in the Hesburgh Library Lounge April 15 from 7-9 p.m. Admission is free.
- Samoa Pago Pago, Anne Cusick from Samoa Pago Pago diocese will be in LaFortune basement (near Society Bank) April 16 from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. to interview students interested in teaching American Samoa.

DINING HALL

Notre Dame

Pasta Faziole **Baked Pollack Sesame** Meatless Baked Ziti Chicken Patty

Saint Mary's

Halibut Chicken Veal

JASON KELLY'S PICK

Notre Dame

The culinary wizards of N.D.F.S. traveled all the way to Brindisi, Italy to steal this ancient recipe of the Roman empire: Pasta Faziole.

How's this for a suggestion: add some meat to the Ziti, folks.

Chicken, Patty? No, just a little nervous.

How many Baked Pollacks does it take to change a light

Saint Mary's

Halibut, Chicken, Veal. Aren't those the three ingredients in Tender Vittles?

Editor's note: Jason Kelly sporadically provides dining hall guidance, sharing his culinary expertise with the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's community.

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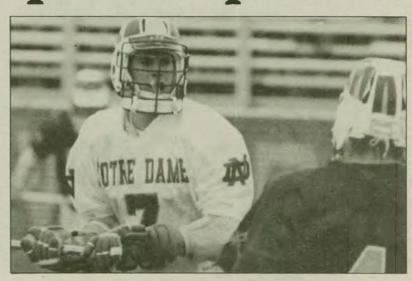


SPORTS

Notre Dame's Super Sniper



Senior tri-captain, attacker Randy Colley is just six points away from becoming Notre Dame's all-



Colley set to break scoring mark

By TIM SHERMAN Sports Writer

Size, strength, speed, superb sticks skills, smarts, and a shot like a sniper. Give a lacrosse player just a couple of those attributes and you get a pretty good player. Give a lacrosse player all those attributes and you get Randy Colley.

Colley, a senior tri-captain, is just six points away from becoming Notre Dame's all-time

leading point scorer. The Wilton, CN native boasts 180 career points (122 goals, 58 assists) including 38 points through this season's first eight games. The way Colley, and his team, have been playing lately, it is a good bet that Colley will break Mike Sullivan's record of 185 points tomorrow, when the Irish travel to Air Force.

He has already surpassed Joe Franklin's mark of 113 career

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Elegant violence?

time leading point scorer.

Bookstore game results in injury

By TIMOTHY SEYMOUR Assistant Sports Editor

Bookstore Basketball is supposed to

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be fun. It is most definitely supposed to be a game. It is neither one of these when a player is hurt.

Yesterday afternoon's contest between The Regulators and Bring a Mouthpiece proved that this wellused axiom still holds the truth. No one realizes this better than Dan Zwilling, a senior resident assistant in Stanford Hall who was hospitalized after suffering a broken leg at Stepan

Zwilling's Regulator squad was leading 12-2 when he controlled a loose ball on the baseline under his own basket. However, a member of the Bring a Mouthpiece squad did not

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Men's tennis going for six

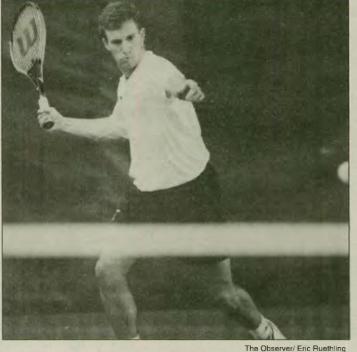
By PHIL LANGER

Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's tennis team enters the 1994 MCC Men's Tennis Championship as the five-time defending champion on a bright note after beating Michigan 4-3 Thursday afternoon at Ann Arbor. The Irish, ranked No. 15 in the latest poll, hold the record for the most consecutive titles capturing the last five championship trophies.

Thursday's match against Michigan proved to be a tremendous confidence boost going into the weekend's tournament. The Irish used the doubles matches, lately the squad's weakness, as its key to defeating the Wolverines. Seniors Andy Zurcher and Todd Wilson defeated Brakus-Costanzo, 8-5; sophomores Jason Pun and Mike Sprouse beat Pusztai-Burnett, 8-4; and freshman Ryan Simme and senior Allan Lopez defeated Prentice-Wyatt, 8-5.

Butler University, UDM,



Sophomore Mike Sprouse as contributed key singles and doubles

the University of Evansville, La Salle University and Xavier University, the participants at this years MCC, will need to overcome Notre Dame's late doubles dominance if they plan on coming

points to the Irish's success this season

away from South Bend with the hardware.

Last year, the Irish dominated the 1993 championship by winning eight of the nine championship

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Graham blames jealous girl

By GEORGE DOHRMANN Sports Editor

Slowly the story is coming to-

gether. Bits and pieces of the controversy surrounding Notre Dame football

Graham and



Mike Miller are coming to the surface with the latest piece centering on the accuser.

Graham hinted in an interview with The Observer on Tuesday that a female student disgruntled over their relationship wrongly implicated him in the theft of a television and videocassette recorder.

The junior defensive back elaborated on those statements in an interview Thursday, saying he argued with the girl last Thursday, and she then told c

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Women's Golf

Crissy Klein and the women's golf team will host the first golf tournament at Notre Dame since 1991 this Saturday at 8:00 am.

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of note...

The second round of Bookstore Basketball XXIII starts today at courts all across campus.