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Sophomore tailback Tony Fisher's pass-catching ability adds a new dimension to the Irish attack.

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Service learning plays significant role at SMC

By NOREEN GILLESPIE
Saint Mary's Editor

When Chrissie Renner walked into the Logan Center, one of her first tasks was to assist a mentally disabled adult with personal hygiene tasks, such as going to the bathroom.

It wasn't the typical homework assignment.

"I had to face what I never had before," said Renner, a student in professor Beth Neumann's Christian Ethics class last semester. "I was suddenly in this whole experience of putting myself in someone else's shoes."

Neumann's class is just one of several at Saint Mary's participating in a campus-wide initiative called community-based learning, incorporating textbook learning with practical applications through service.

The initiative, part of the objectives president Marilou Eldred introduced two years ago at the start of her presidency, attempts to centralize the community-based learning effort, said Sister Linda Kors, director of Spes Unica Volunteer Resource Center.

"We've had a lot of individuals participate in community-based learning in their classes, but there has never been an effort to centralize it before," Kors said.

Centralizing service

The effort to centralize community-based learning is led by a steering committee comprised of Kors and professors Jan Pilarsky, Jeff Breese and Neumann, who for the past year has worked from a grant called "Embedding Service Learning in Teacher Education."

A survey of professors this summer showed not only an interest for community-based learning in a larger capacity, but a demand for it.

"What we are finding out is that a lot of professors have used it and want it [in their classes]," Kors said.

Neumann, who has been using the program in her class for the past five years, said she has noticed a difference in the quality of learning with the addition of the program.

"The connections that are made through community based learn-

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GETTING READY FOR GAME DAY



JOE STARK/The Observer

Rachelle Rountree, a football manager, joins in the weekly tradition of repairing, adjusting and painting the helmets. The Irish play Purdue Saturday at 2:30 p.m.

Web business joins business board

By ERIN PIROUTEK
News Writer

Dome Designs, a student-run Web design business, was approved last week as the newest member of the Student Business Board (SBB).

The board, which falls under the Financial Management Board of the Student Union, includes Irish Gardens, Adworks and ND Video. Membership guarantees office space and helps legitimize the group with potential clients.

Dome Designs began in the fall of 1997 as a project of the Notre Dame Council for International Business Development (NDCIBD) and received University approval in January 1998. With increased demand for its services, however, the previous arrangement between Dome Designs and the NDCIBD proved limiting.

"As we grew and started to get more projects, we knew we needed to expand," said Kevin Campbell, co-manager of Dome Designs. The NDCIBD and Dome Designs mutually agreed the Web design company would be more productive as a member of the SBB.

"Feasibly, more projects will open up because more people are comfortable with where we're

at," Campbell said. "The Student Business Board watches our books, and that makes people more comfortable."

Marketing strategy

The biggest advantage of SBB membership is visible, centrally-located office space on the second floor of the LaFortune Student Center, Campbell said. The NDCIBD could not provide Dome Designs with office space.

Bryan Wetta, co-manager of Dome Designs, said his group offers advantages for student, faculty and staff groups that need Web page designs and updates. These advantages include flexible hours and competitive prices.

"Ultimately we really feel like we're filling a niche on campus," Wetta said. "We're partially subsidized by the University. We're professional, but at student prices."

The group has options for all budgets, including free services for worthy causes such as Bengal Bouts, its first project. Other clients include the Class of 1998,

the University Committee on Cultural Diversity and the Laboratory for Social Research.

"They've been great," said Felicia LeClere, consultant for the Laboratory for Social Research. "Real prompt, real nice guys, very efficient."

LeClere said the laboratory chose Dome Designs for two reasons.

"First, I like to support student groups," said LeClere. "Second it was much less expensive than any off-campus group."

In addition to providing a necessary service to the campus, Campbell said Dome Designs experience proves valuable beyond Notre Dame.

"I don't necessarily expect to get involved in Web design, but it's been unbelievable experience in terms of management," he said. "It's good to learn the steps you have to go through to start a business ... hiring people, doing payroll. That's experience you don't get in the classroom."

Dome Designs will soon hire additional students with Web design skills Campbell said.

"As we grew and started to get more projects, we knew we needed to expand."

Kevin Campbell
co-manager, Dome Designs

Gift funds seminar on Catholic social teaching programs

By ERIN LaRUFFA
News Writer

Notre Dame will be able to host a three-day seminar to discuss, propose and develop programs for the study of Catholic social teaching, thanks to a recently acquired \$102,966 grant from The Wabash Center for Teaching and Learning in Theology and Religion.

The gift will fund the summer 2000 session, dubbed "Teaching Catholic Social Teaching: A Programmatic Response." Todd Whitmore, an associate theology professor and the director of the Program in Catholic Social Tradition, applied for the grant and will direct the project.

"I've received this grant to help facilitate the development of programs of Catholic social teaching at a dozen Catholic colleges and universities in the United States," Whitmore said.

The group will reconvene on campus in summer 2001 to evaluate the programs implemented at the respective schools. At that time, the group will write a report for various academic administrators and Catholic bishops.

Whitmore does not yet know what schools will participate, but he hopes to get a mixture of small col-



Whitmore

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INSIDE COLUMN

Out of the Woodwork

If the current presidential hopefuls leave you wanting someone a bit "alternative," you may soon have a choice.

All indications show that actor Warren Beatty is "cautiously" eyeing a potential run for the U.S. Presidency, which will soon be vacated by his moral equivalent, Bill Clinton. Beatty, known for changing women more often than his socks, is apparently frustrated with the current list of candidates and would run as a Democrat, citing potential challengers Gore and Bradley as not "liberal enough." Sure, and that Pat Buchanan character is a real pinko.

My objection to this latest possible candidate has nothing to do with the man's political views, nor does it concern his corny movies. What bothers me most is the fact that yet another Hollywood star has decided that we not only care with what he has to say, but that he has the right to tell us.

Not that I have always objected to all actors-turned-politicians. Ronald Reagan provided many conservatives with a role model and gave many liberals someone to blame for poverty, AIDS and that stain you can't quite remove from the carpet. Unfortunately, I can't decide whether the good things accomplished in the 1980s are worth having Grandpa from "The Munsters" run for Senator in New York against Hillary Clinton and Rudy Guiliani.

I also would like to point out that I am a staunch supporter of the First Amendment, even when it protects pornography, hate speech and Barbara Streisand. However, television and movie stars receive enough air time without reserving the right to inform me that they're concerned about the environment. Yeah, I'm concerned too, but not because some special interest group pays me to act concerned in cheesy television commercials.

Therefore, I respectfully request that our star-studded friends out in Los Angeles remember they are being paid for their looks and acting ability. It sounds shallow, but it serves a purpose: when most of these people speak, they reveal themselves as uninformed meatheads. Great, Woody Harrelson wants us to know he's on a crusade to legalize pot. At least potential potheads might think twice before they turn into Woody Harrelson, but watching him act already teaches us that lesson.

Hopefully, the recent political hopefuls from sports and entertainment won't start a trend that will leave us voting for the "Friends" cast in a few years, much less any one from the FOX network. They provide plenty of entertainment for people who usually don't pay attention to politics, thereby bringing new faces to the polls. If you think that's a positive result, consider whether you really want WWF fans voting.

Of course these candidacies are interesting to watch, but the end result probably won't be any better than the usual collection of clowns running in national elections, which is exactly why we pay attention to these people when they decide to run. Every year, we run to the polls with high hopes and excitement, only to be let down. It's sort of like having Madeleine Albright jump out of a cake at your bachelor party.

Warren would be well advised to stay out of politics and go back to Hollywood with his philandering, drugged up, dishonest colleagues. We have enough of those in Washington as it is.

Dustin Ferrell
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THIS WEEK IN NOTRE DAME/SAINT MARY'S HISTORY

Friday, September 12, 1975

Student Body president Ed Byrne seems sure that by the end of the year, a proposal for coed housing will be passed by Notre Dame. Also, Byrne predicts that Indiana will adopt an 18-year-old drinking age in the next year. "I'm optimistic," said Byrne.

"We'll have a coed dorm for the incoming freshman in 1976."

September 8, 1976

Renovation plans for the Huddle are delayed, once again, because of insufficient funds. Plans for a "21 and over" bar in the Huddle are also changed because the room probably will be used as an all-ages restaurant instead. The entire renovation project will cost \$300,000, of which the University only has \$60,000.

OUTSIDE THE DOME

Compiled from U-Wire reports

Berkeley students protest criminal charges

BERKELEY, Calif. University of California at Berkeley students held a rally in front of California Hall Tuesday, demanding that Chancellor Robert Berdahl drop charges against eight students who were involved in last semester's ethnic studies demonstrations.

Members of the Third World Liberation Front submitted a letter to Berdahl requesting the university and UC police drop charges against students who participated in the takeover of various campus buildings in April. The students said they want a response within the next two weeks.

Members of the Third World Liberation Front demanded that all Office of Student Conduct charges, letters of admonishment and criminal charges be dropped. Additionally, the group called for the reinstatement of Sara Kaplan, a current graduate student who was dismissed from her job at the Recreational Sports Facility.

In total, 51 students were arrested and charged by the Office of Student Conduct. Although 43 students were given letters of admonishment, 8 students were punished more severely, said Stacey Holguin, a manager in the Office of Student Activities and Services.

Some of the students are facing

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criminal charges that range from resisting arrest to assaulting, spitting and throwing bottles at officers, said UC police Capt. Bill Cooper.

Of the eight students who are still facing additional charges, two of them had prior arrests, Cooper said.

The others were arrested on more serious charges because their actions went beyond simple civil disobedience.

As a matter of due process, students must go through official procedures to determine whether the student conduct charges have validity, said UC Berkeley spokesperson Marie Felde.

The issues involving student conduct charges are obstruction and disruption of the teaching process, and physical and verbal abuse that threatened health and safety of others, Felde said.

North Carolina backpedals

DURHAM, N.C. In a letter delivered to interim Chancellor William McCoy's office Tuesday, labor advocates at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill lambasted the school's administration for perceived backpedaling on commitments made last year following a four-day sit-in. University officials, however, insisted that the school remains firmly committed to improving the working conditions in factories where UNC apparel is made. McCoy issued a brief response Wednesday that acknowledged receipt of the students' letter. He wrote that he forwarded the letter to the Licensing Labor Code Advisory Committee, so the group could "provide me with its advice on the issues." Todd Pugatch, a UNC-CH junior, said he appreciated the McCoy's prompt response, but said he still thinks UNC-CH may have backed off on demanding disclosure of factory addresses. "If McCoy had earlier demonstrated a firm commitment to a disclosure deadline ... this would not be an issue now," he said, adding that he looks forward to working with the chancellor. In late April, McCoy agreed to require full disclosure.

Kentucky State yearbook censored

LEXINGTON, Ky. A federal appeals court in Cincinnati Wednesday upheld the censorship and confiscation of Kentucky State University's 1993-94 yearbook, saying the yearbook was not a public forum for student expression. The decision has drawn criticism from media educators, media students, the Student Press Law Center and the plaintiffs, former KSU student editors Charles Kincaid and Capri Coffer and their media supervisor at the time, Laura Cullen. "We've had 30 years of significant college [First Amendment] protection, and they ignored the cases that set precedents," said Mike Hiestand, staff attorney for the Student Press Law Center. The majority on the three-judge panel for the case of Kincaid vs. Gibson cited an earlier decision, Hazelwood School District vs. Kuhlmeier, to justify their decision. "The court in Hazelwood noted ... that if the school did not intentionally create a public forum, then the publication remains a nonpublic forum, and school officials may impose any reasonable, non-viewpoint based restriction on student speech exhibited therein," Judge Alan Norris wrote.

LOCAL WEATHER

5 Day South Bend Forecast
AccuWeather® forecast for daytime conditions and high temperatures

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Sunday		71	53
Monday		68	52
Tuesday		67	48

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Atlanta	76	49	Los Angeles	79	60	Orchard Park	70	58
Boston	77	69	Medina	67	49	San Francisco	71	54
Buffalo	70	57	New Orleans	90	67	Seattle	69	50
Chicago	69	49	New York	78	71	Washington DC	83	68

Kroc donation funds student conference

♦ **Annual event will focus on public issues, policies**

By LIZ ZANONI
News Writer

A \$500,000 gift from University benefactor Joan Kroc will endow an annual student conference on public issues and policy making.

The conference, to be organized and run by students, will be accompanied by a series of briefing papers on public issues intended to shape public debate, governmental decisions and the effectiveness of foreign policy discussion in other universities and colleges, said Robert Johansen, graduate director of the Kroc Institute.

It will give students real-world experience in expressing ideas in a public arena.

"The conference will influence policy debates and encourage peace and justice value commitment more seriously," Johansen said.

By involving students directly in the policy making process, the conference organizers hope to send recommendations from students to government officials, Johansen explained.

The Kroc Institute for

International Peace seeks to instruct U.S. and international representatives to stop violence and war through the promotion of peace.

Undergraduate classes focus on the fundamentals of a peaceful and just world and include such topics as human rights, prosperous economies and the global ecosystem. In addition, the Kroc Institute offers an international graduate program culminating in a Master's degree in peace studies.

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Robert Johnsen
graduate director, Kroc Institute

The institute was established in 1985. Kroc's interest in ceasing the nuclear arms race and encouraging peace and respect for human

life coincided with University president emeritus Father Theodore Hesburgh's desire to make issues such as these present in student discussion. Their joint efforts have attracted students from all over the world to study peacemaking while trying to achieve cross-cultural recognition.

The annual student conference allow students the chance to collaborate ideas and push them into the policy making arena. The conference expects to spark additional interest in policy discussion among other Notre Dame students, ultimately contributing to what Johansen called "an expression of many student's voices."

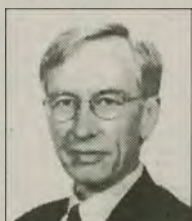
Grant endows new professorship

Observer Staff Report

Notre Dame received a grant from the Henry Luce Foundation to establish a new professorship in the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies that focuses on the "lived religion."

The grant of up to \$1 million creates the new Henry R. Luce Professorship in Religion, Conflict and Peacebuilding. This professorship will examine the manner in which religious scriptures, traditions and practices shape social, political and military behavior, Robert Johansen, acting director of the Kroc Institute, said.

"This grant will enable new



Johansen

study of perplexing questions," Johansen said. "For instance, 'What makes one Hindu as compassionate and nonviolent as Gandhi and another Hindu so intolerant and hostile toward other groups that he assassinates Gandhi for being too generous toward Muslims?'"

"What enables one Christian to appreciate that Jesus and early Christians refused to kill others, even when directly threatened by them, while another Christian justifies the use of weapons of indiscriminate mass destruction?" Johansen added.

University president Father Edward Malloy is thankful for the foundation's financial support of the Notre Dame's academic endeavors and expresses his gratitude for the generosity of the Henry Luce Foundation in the past.

"This generous grant is a strong endorsement of scholarly aspirations which are indispensable to our university's mission. We are both

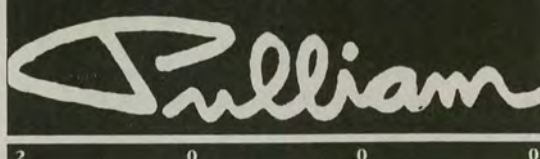
gratified by the Luce Foundation's confidence in us and grateful for its generous support," Malloy said.

Besides performing regular academic duties, the Luce Professor will begin a program of visiting fellows from various religious traditions to engage in peace studies at Notre Dame, Johansen said.

The Henry Luce Foundation, founded in 1936 by co-founder and editor in chief of Time Incorporated, sponsors programs which emphasize higher education, theology, Asia, American Art and women in science and engineering.

The Foundation's Luce Professorship program aims to promote creative and interdisciplinary thinking and learning. The program is open to all disciplines and departments at leading private, American colleges and universities with enrollments above 1,000 students and competitive liberal arts programs.

27th Annual



Pulliam Journalism Fellowships

Graduating college seniors are invited to apply for the 27th annual Pulliam Journalism Fellowships. We will grant 10-week summer internships to 20 journalism or liberal arts majors in the August 1999-June 2000 graduating classes.

Previous internship or part-time experience at a newspaper is desired, or other demonstration of writing and reporting ability. Those who go through the Fellowships often find new professional opportunities opening up at other newspapers during and after the program. Winners will receive a \$5,500 stipend and will work at either *The Indianapolis Star* or *The Arizona Republic*. Opportunities for online training are available, along with reporting experience at our major metropolitan daily newspapers.

Early-admissions application postmark deadline is Nov. 15, 1999. By Dec. 15, 1999, up to five early-admissions winners will be notified. All other entries must be postmarked by March 1, 2000, and will be considered with remaining early-admissions applicants. Successful applicants will be notified on or before April 1, 2000, and will be asked to respond immediately with a letter of intent, at which time one-third of the cash grant will be mailed to the Fellow.

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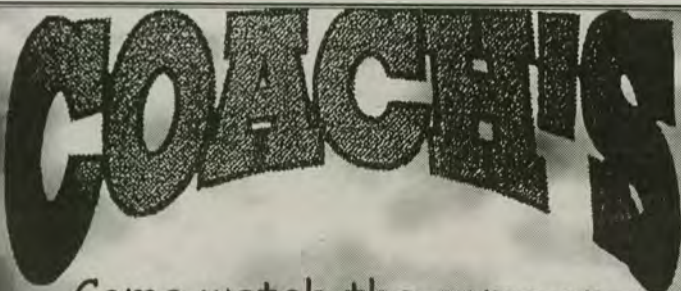


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Freshman Notre Dame Students

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ing are crucial," Neumann said. "What we examine in the class is the question, 'What does it mean to live the Christian life?'"

"When a student can observe someone who is less fortunate than they are, there is a larger impact," she explained.

For Renner, the interaction she had with her charges was critical. She said they fostered learning she wouldn't have found elsewhere, she said.

"At first, it was upsetting to see people in that condition," Renner said. "It is uncomfortable. But it makes you realize that it is your responsibility to take care of these people."

Smiling faces

But it was the reception she got from her charges that made Renner want to return, even after the initial shock of her first visit.

"None of them can talk," Renner explained. "But you could just tell they were so happy to see you when you walked in the building. Their eyes would just get so bright when I'd come in. It was such an experience to feel love for someone else, and shift the common focus from yourself."

Neumann, who has worked with community agencies St. Margaret's House, Logan Center, AIDS Ministries of Northern Indiana, Center for the Homeless, Holy Cross Care Services, Dismas House and Reins of Life, said the connections her students make in class impact the agencies as well.

"One of the goals of a lot of these agencies is awareness and education," Neumann said. "There is a benefit that goes both ways."

Many of the agencies have developed invaluable connections with Saint Mary's through the process, Kors said.

"Many of these agencies have said that they have focused on Saint Mary's as their primary

source for volunteers," she said. "Since we focus on two, three or five agencies, we are able to target places where students can be helpful."

However, while the experience has been primarily beneficial for the students involved, there is debate about whether community-based learning should be required.

Required learning

Neumann said scheduling and transportation have been two obstacles in working with the program.

"If it were to be required, the logistics of placing 430 incoming students with agencies would be a nightmare," Neumann said. "In addition, lots of students' schedules are so hectic that I don't feel it is my place to require them to complete service. And many students do not have transportation."

Many of the reasons a student may have a poor experience could be that they rushed to get their hours in or were exposed to awkward situations, Kors said.

Yet that does not make the experience invaluable, she emphasized.

"I've had students write me five years later and say that even though the experience upset them then, that when they look back, it has been the most important learning experience in their college careers," she said.

Renner, who currently participates in community service unrelated to the program, agrees it has been one of her most influential experiences.

"I can confidently say that this semester, I began understanding people differently," Renner wrote in her final paper for Neumann. "Every person I met, or friend I spoke to, I reminded myself that we are all fighting battles of our own."

"Everyone else's pain and frustrations are every bit as real as our own, and often times, far worse. By recognizing this truth and offering our support, we open our hearts and magnify our understanding of gratitude."

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leges and large universities.

Whitmore said he hopes the grant facilitates intellectual study and the practice of Catholic social teaching. In a prepared statement, University president Father Edward Malloy echoed those sentiments.

"We want to make Catholic social teaching integral to undergraduate studies at all Catholic institutions of higher learning, as it should be here at Notre Dame, and to do so in a consistent and formal way," Malloy said. "Beyond its immediate benefit to the participant schools, this project will create models for other religiously affiliated colleges and universities."

The Wabash Center is located at Wabash College in Crawfordsville, Ind. Its Web site explains that the center "seeks to strengthen and enhance education in North American theological schools, colleges and universities."

The grant compliments Notre Dame's concentration in Catholic Social Tradition created last year. The undergraduate program is designed to teach students about Catholic social traditions in areas such as theology, philosophy, economics and history.

Whitmore plans to serve as ongoing consultant for the CST concentration.

POLICE BLOTTER

Theft

Notre Dame Security/Police investigated numerous thefts from lockers in the basement locker room of the Rolfs Sports and Recreation Center at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Trespassing

Security apprehended a suspicious person at University Village. He was identified, issued a no-trespass letter and escorted off campus at 3:38 a.m. Wednesday.

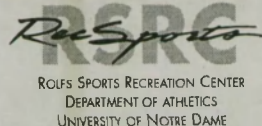
Security apprehended an individual signing students up for credit cards in the main quad at 12:24 p.m. Wednesday.

Security apprehended an individual signing students up for credit cards on the east side of Riley Hall of Art at 1:18 p.m. Wednesday.

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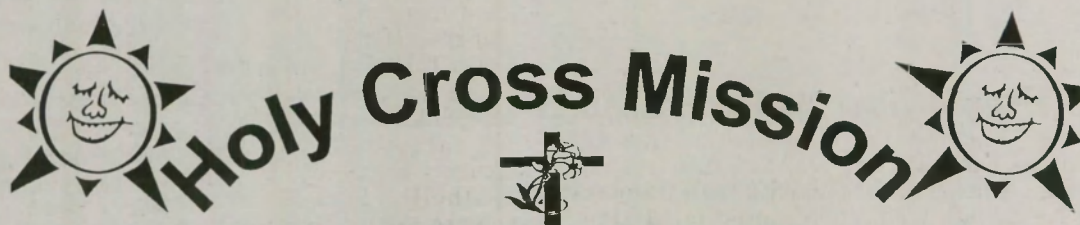


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Floor Hockey	Mondays	8:30-10:30
Indoor Soccer	Tuesdays	8:30-10:30
Volleyball	Wednesdays	7:00-10:00
Lacrosse	Thursdays	8:30-10:30
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Badminton	Saturdays	9:00-11:00

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WORLD NEWS BRIEFS

Baghdad police arrest car thieves

BAGHDAD, Iraq
Baghdad police have stopped car thieves so murderous a special squad was formed to hunt them down, cornering them in a shootout that left one gang member dead, the weekly al-Zawra newspaper reported Thursday. Wednesday's arrests culminated a week-long investigation by an elite police unit tracking the activities of the four-man gang that had terrorized car dealerships in downtown Baghdad, Police Chief Hameed Sab'a told the paper. Police identified the suspects as Ali Abbas, the gang leader who is also known as Rambo. Abbas's brother, Firas, known as "the Monster," was killed in the shootout, Sab'a said. Another Abbas brother, Hameed, was shot and injured last week in a failed attempt by police to apprehend the group.

Phones increase auto accidents in Jordan

AMMAN
Chatting and driving don't mix, say Jordanian traffic officials who link a rise in accidents to the increasing use of cellular phones. The director of the State Traffic Institute, Lieut. Colonel Jamil Ali, said Thursday those who use their phones while driving are less alert. He cited a survey that showed road accidents increased four- to five-fold among drivers using mobile phones. The Traffic Department said 612 people died and 17,177 others were injured in 43,343 road accidents in the kingdom last year. The death toll was 6 percent higher than that of 1997 and the number of accidents was 11 percent higher. A Public Security study showed that Jordan loses 16 persons in road accidents for every 10,000 vehicles, compared to one person in advanced nations.

Court sentences Israeli militiamen

BEIRUT, Lebanon
A military court has sentenced 16 former pro-Israeli militiamen to prison terms ranging from six months to one year for collaboration, judicial officials said Thursday. The sentences delivered late Wednesday raised to 133 the number of former South Lebanon Army militiamen convicted since the Israeli-backed force withdrew from the southern Lebanese town of Jezzine in June. In all, sentences have ranged from two years for some senior SLA officials down to six months. In the rulings Wednesday night, the court acquitted one defendant and dropped collaboration charges against eight others who were found to have joined the Israeli-backed militia under duress or due to financial need, the officials said, speaking on customary condition of anonymity.

INDONESIA



East Timorese hold a protest in the territory of Macau on Sept. 9, demanding peace in East Timor and intervention of U.N. peacekeeping forces. The protest was staged outside the Consulate General of Indonesia.

United Nations leaves East Timor

Associated Press

DILI
The United Nations evacuated its embattled compound in East Timor Friday, leaving but a skeleton crew to continue working to bring the territory to full nationhood. Anti-independence militias had trapped the workers for several days.

On Thursday, the Roman Catholic Church accused pro-Indonesian militiamen of targeting nuns and priests in predominantly Catholic East Timor, where voters have overwhelmingly chosen independence from mostly Muslim Indonesia.

"The world is talking and we're dying," nun Esmeralda de Araujo was

quoted as saying by the Vatican's newspaper L'Osservatore Romano. "It's hell here and I'd like to cry out to everybody to save us. But no one seems to want to hear."

Among those fleeing Friday was U.N. mission head Ian Martin, wearing a light blue flak jacket and riding on the back of one of the trucks heading for the airport. Some gunfire was heard in the distance.

Keeping the U.N. compound functioning is considered key to the world body's plans to give East Timor nation status after its people voted overwhelmingly on Aug. 30 for independence from Indonesia, which invaded in 1975. The vote triggered a backlash of loot-

ing, burning and killing by anti-independence militias. The Indonesian army had pledged to ensure security.

More than 200,000 East Timorese have been forced to leave their homeland, U.N. officials said. More than 50,000 were shipped to militia-run camps in West Timor, where refugees told of massacres and arson attacks by anti-independence militias either backed or led by Indonesian army units.

International outrage grew Thursday, with the Pentagon suspending official relations with the Indonesian military, and foreign ministers at an Asia-Pacific summit demanding that Indonesian leaders stop

the rampaging militias. While some countries advocated an international peacekeeping force, key nations shied away from committing troops absent an invitation from the Indonesian government. NATO said it wouldn't take part in such a force.

In Washington, Gen. Henry Shelton, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, told the Senate Armed Services Committee on Thursday that the crisis presents no threat to U.S. national interests that would justify sending American troops. Shortly after, President Clinton suspended relations with Indonesia's military and insisted its government allow in international peacekeepers.

VENEZUELA

Protesters rally against reforms

Associated Press

CARACAS

Several thousand people marched through downtown Caracas on Thursday to demand that Venezuela's powerful new Constitutional Assembly not take over local governments as part of its corruption-purging reforms.

Shouting "Liberty! Liberty!" the protesters said any move by the assembly to assume control of local and state governments would be illegal, and accused President Hugo Chavez of leading the South American country into authoritarian rule.

"The government of Chavez wants a dictatorship in our country," said Orlando Ovalles, 42, a security worker in the Caracas city government. The march was led by Caracas Mayor Antonio Ledezma of the opposition party Democratic Action.

Chavez, who as a lieutenant colonel led a failed 1992 coup attempt, has come under fire from critics who say he is trampling Venezuela's constitution. The Constitutional Assembly, a body created in July to write a new constitution, has virtually shut down Congress and this week started a purge of the notoriously corrupt

judicial system.

The assembly also is debating whether to declare an "executive emergency," which would give it the power to oversee local governments and even to remove governors and mayors.

Chavez, who was elected president in a landslide victory last December, says he is provoking criticism because he is attacking the interests of a corrupt oligarchy blamed for squandering the world's largest oil reserves outside the Middle East.

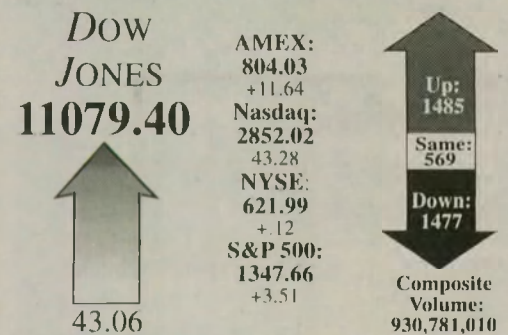
Assembly leaders told foreign correspondents on Thursday that they are launching a campaign to

counter what they said is the international media's sensationalistic depiction of Chavez as a dictator.

Four assembly members including former presidential candidate Claudio Fermin, one of only six Chavez opponents elected to the 131-person assembly, will travel to Washington and New York next week to meet with political and business leaders.

"There is no dictatorship here," Fermin told The Associated Press, though he blamed "political infantilism" by both anti- and pro-Chavez factions for producing "verbal shootouts."

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University alumnus, benefactor dies

Special to The Observer

Notre Dame alumnus, parent and benefactor John McAndrews died Sept. 2.

McAndrews graduated from Notre Dame in 1944 and received a master of science degree from the University three years later. He then joined E.I. DuPont de Nemours & Company as a chemical engineer at the Marshall Research Laboratory in Philadelphia.

He worked in a variety of supervisory positions within the company until 1966, when he became director of marketing for Remington Arms Company of Bridgeport, Conn., a DuPont subsidiary. He was elected president of Remington Arms in 1979 and held that position until 1986.

During his presidency at Remington, he simultaneously served DuPont as group vice president for finishes and fabricated products from 1982-86. He was appointed group vice president for automotive

products in 1986 and held that position until his retirement in 1989.

McAndrews and his brother, George, established the Patrick William and Ruth Louise McAndrews Memorial Engineering Scholarship at Notre Dame in 1977 in honor of their parents and established a law fellowship, also in honor of their parents, in 1986.

McAndrews and his wife, Margaret, established Notre Dame's John and Margaret McAndrews Chair in mathematics in 1993.

A member of the Sorin Society's Founder's Circle, McAndrews became a member of the advisory council for the University's College of Science in 1979 and served as its chairman during the 1983-84 academic year. He retired from the council last May.

McAndrews is survived by his wife and five children, of whom two, Mary Ellen and Lawrence, graduated from Notre Dame in 1975 and 1977, respectively.

Gezelter wins New Faculty award

◆ Professor joins 12 other winners in annual program

Special to The Observer

Daniel Gezelter, assistant professor of chemistry and biochemistry at Notre Dame, has received a \$40,000 New Faculty Award from the Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation.

One of only 13 award recipients selected from a field of 73 nominees in the annual program this year, Gezelter uses computer simulations to study the diffusion of small molecules in such environ-

ments as liquids, glassy materials and cell membranes.

The aim of his research is to learn more about the molecular mechanism of general anesthesia and to predict the physical properties of new materials.

Gezelter's work includes the development of computer programs for simulating complex chemical systems on large networks of inexpensive computers.

The Camille and Henry Dreyfus Foundation, Inc., was established in 1946 by chemist, inventor and businessman Camille Dreyfus as a memorial to his brother Henry. He directed that the foundation "advance the sci-

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The foundation's New Faculty Awards program was established in 1979 to provide funding for new faculty members at the start of their research and teaching careers.

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NYC continues battle against encephalitis outbreak

By DEEPTI HAJELA
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK

In New York City, where murder is down and the quality of life is up, there's suddenly a deadly new menace: mosquitoes.

Three people have died in the last few weeks in an outbreak of mosquito-borne encephalitis, an inflammation of the brain. Nine other people have been infected, and 60 other possible cases are being investigated.

Health officials in helicopters and on foot began spraying pesticide around the city last weekend to prevent the spread of the disease.

Mayor Rudolph Giuliani said Thursday that forested or



Giuliani

swampy areas in the entire city will be sprayed over the next several days and sporadically for the next several weeks, until the frost sets in, and again in the spring.

The spraying is aimed at stagnant pools of water where the bugs breed.

"The more dead mosquitoes, the better," Giuliani said.

Roger Nasci, an entomologist with the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, said it is "exceedingly rare" for the disease to hit a Northeastern city, and blamed the outbreak on "bad luck."

It was New York's first confirmed outbreak of the disease, a strain known as St. Louis encephalitis.

One of the confirmed cases was in the borough of Brooklyn. All of the rest have been in Queens.

The disease originates in birds, which pass it along to feeding mosquitos. Once encephalitis reaches humans via a mosquito bite, it cannot be transferred.

Although there have been relatively few confirmed cases, Nasci expressed concern that "a very large population" is at risk among New York City's 7.3 million people. Children, the elderly and anyone with immune system problems can die from the disease.

The CDC sent a team in earlier this week to help New York City combat the virus, and a city hot line has been flooded with more than 13,000 calls since word of the illness emerged.

But people relaxing in Flushing Meadow Park in Queens seemed unconcerned Thursday afternoon, even

*"The more dead
mosquitos, the better."*

Rudy Giuliani
mayor, New York

Facts about St. Louis encephalitis

- ◆ Primarily transmitted by mosquitos
- ◆ Between five and 15 percent of cases are fatal.
- ◆ Elderly people are at the highest risk for disease and death.
- ◆ Previous epidemics have occurred only in the Midwest and Southeast.
- ◆ Twelve infections have been confirmed in this outbreak. There were only nine cases confirmed in New York state between 1964 and 1997.
- ◆ The strain was first identified in St. Louis in 1933.
- ◆ St. Louis encephalitis is treatable.

Source: The Center for Disease Control

though the park was one of the first areas targeted as a possible mosquito breeding ground.

"If I was meant to die by a mosquito, I would have died already," said sunbather Anthony Ferro, 35.

Jim Guerin, 55, was catching some sun and enjoying a barbecue with his wife. Neither was wearing any bug spray.

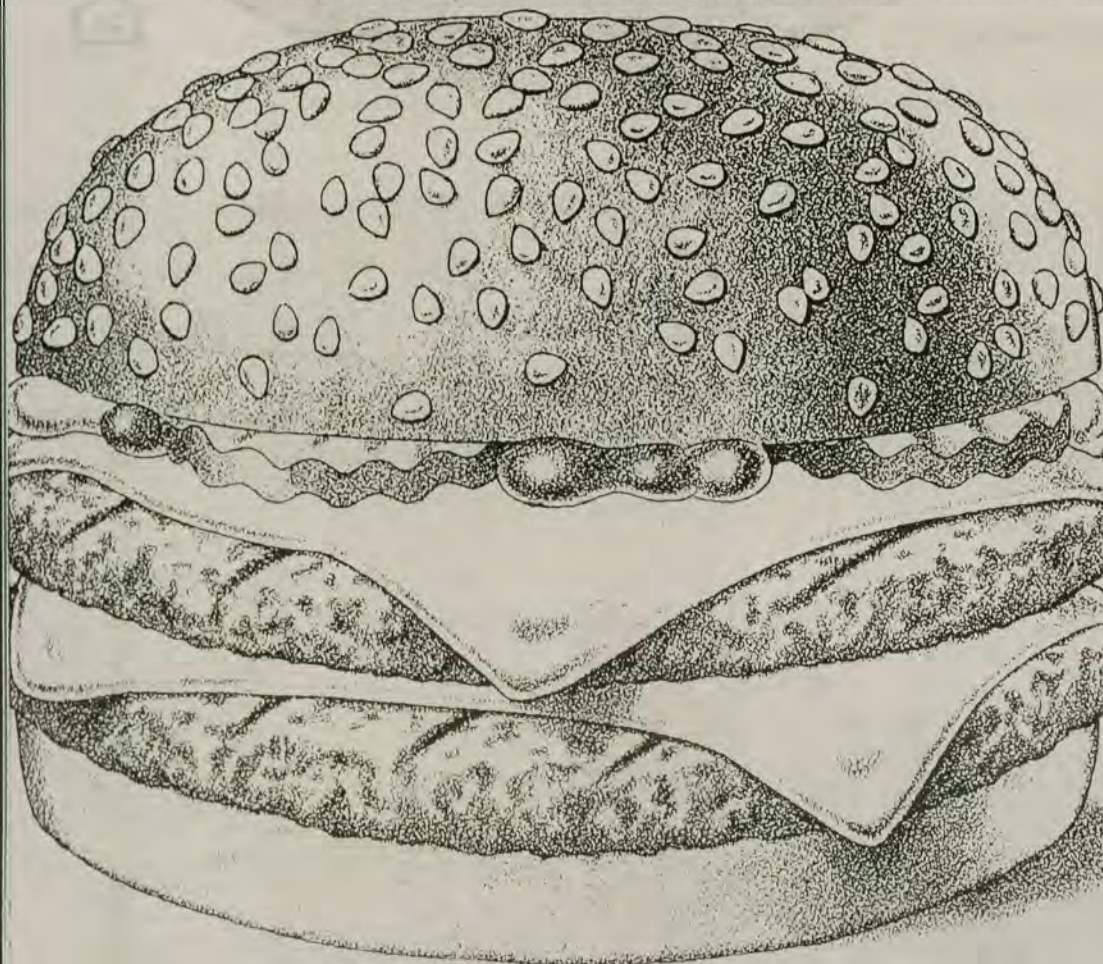
"There's not that many good days left in the summer,"

Guerin said. "It's a concern of ours, but [the illness] is not a priority."

St. Louis encephalitis, named for the city where the first cases were identified in 1933, is often treatable.

Doctors at Flushing Hospital reported the outbreak on Aug. 24 after identifying four patients with symptoms. The symptoms, which generally appear five to 15 days after a bite, include fever and headaches.

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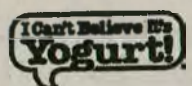
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CIA reports on Iranian and N. Korean missiles

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Over the next 15 years, North Korea and Iran are likely to develop missiles potentially capable of killing millions of Americans, the CIA said Thursday.

In an intelligence report with major implications for the Pentagon's efforts to develop defenses against ballistic missiles, the CIA said Iraq posed an additional — though somewhat more distant — threat. It said it was questionable whether Iraq could test a missile with enough range to reach the United States before 2015, although the likelihood depends heavily on how much foreign assistance Iraq gets.

The report characterized the prospect of North Korea acquiring a long-range missile by 2015 as "most likely." Iran's prospect was judged to be "probable" and Iraq was labeled a "possible" threat.

These emerging missile forces "potentially can kill tens of thousands, or even millions, of Americans," depending on their accuracy and whether they are armed with nuclear, chemical or biological warheads, it said.

The United States has no means of shooting down long-range ballistic missiles, although the Pentagon is spending billions of dollars to develop anti-missile missiles to shield the United States

against a limited attack.

Russia already has about 1,000 long-range missiles with about 4,500 nuclear warheads. China has about 20 missiles capable of reaching the United States.

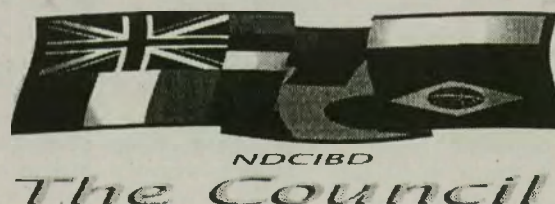
The CIA report said short-range ballistic missiles, such as Iran's Shahab-3 and North Korea's No Dong, pose an "immediate, serious and growing threat to U.S. forces, interests and allies" in the Middle East and Asia. Those missiles do not have the range to reach U.S. soil.

The report also said the countries developing ballistic missiles also are probably working on "countermeasures," or ways of enabling their missiles to overcome U.S. defenses.

Russia and China, which already have developed numerous countermeasures, probably are willing to sell these technologies, it said.

The report is a summary of a classified National Intelligence Estimate, the first the CIA has done on ballistic missile threats since 1995. In an October 1998 update of its assessment, the CIA told Congress that the United States was facing a growing threat from the spread of ballistic missiles.

The report released Thursday portrayed the threat from North Korea, Iran and Iraq as somewhat less immediate than did the bipartisan Rumsfeld Commission.



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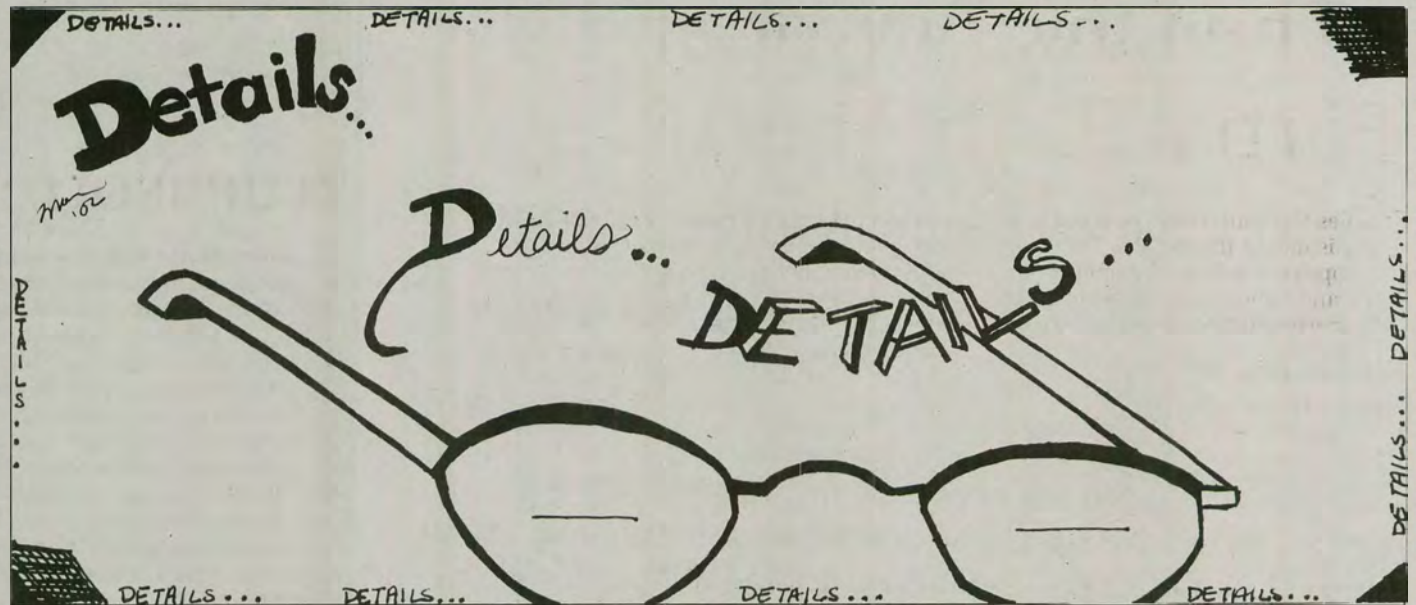
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Successful Careers Rely on Details

Life is usually peppered with sports metaphors when explanations need embellishment. Playing on a level playing field is an overused term. Yet, successful careers often hinge on the very intangibles that are characteristic of championship teams whose play prevents its opponents a level field. The secret for success in both the sports and business arenas is an attention to detail. Consequently, the more precisely focused on detail one is, the more successful one will be in attaining a goal.

Some sports analysts blame last Saturday's football loss to Michigan on the delay of game penalty called after Notre Dame's final touchdown. A Notre Dame player barely called attention to himself by quickly making a gesture to a television camera. The resulting 15-yard penalty, coupled with a late hit out of bounds penalty, virtually handed half a field's worth of yardage to Michigan and the eventual win over the Irish.

If only one reason could be attributed to the unsuccessful outcome of that game, it would be the lack of coaching the minute subtleties of team discipline and knowledge of the rules. It was once common practice at Notre Dame for players to perform like a championship caliber team throughout every game. Each player was taught the rules, but more importantly, taught to play so that the rules were second nature to his performance.

Initially, Rockne's shift and forward pass innovations were not moves that Irish players, nor the football community at large, would consider second nature. Yet Rockne emphasized and practiced these plays until they became as familiar to his players as walking or

breathing. The Rock won through his emphasis of detail to the point of near perfection.

No player ever exhibited non-classy behavior on the field. Players on both offense and defense were expected to jump in sync with other players to the snap of the ball. Every player was expected to score points. That was the definition of playing like a champion that day.

During the heyday of the Pittsburgh Steelers during the 1970s, Notre Dame players mirrored the Steelers success with two national championships. After scoring touchdowns, both teams, players simply dropped the ball or tossed it to a referee because they had accomplished what was expected of them ... scoring points. It was incumbent upon the coaching staff to instill a sense of professionalism and accomplishment in the team, to pay attention to every detail and nuance of the game. That attitude was so prevalent in the team philosophy that a player was not excited to the point of overt celebration after accomplishing what he knew he was capable of doing ... and doing quite often.

A decade ago, when top-ranked Notre Dame faced Miami, one relatively minor coaching detail prevented the Irish from a second consecutive national championship. In the third quarter with momentum in Notre Dame's favor, Miami had the ball and fumbled deep in their own territory. The Irish defensive lineman merely had to fall on the ball within the 20-yard line for a first and ten. Instead, he attempted to pick up the ball and run for a touchdown. He never got a handle on the ball, and Miami recovered for third and 26. The Hurricanes next play covered 27 yards for a first down. They proceeded to eat most of the clock in the third quarter while eventually scoring the touchdown that ultimately defeated Notre Dame.

Most fans remember Miami's 27-yard third down conversion during that game. Few recall that the rule that year prohibited the advancement of fumbles.

The Notre Dame coaching staff's failure to instill such an understanding of the details of the rules pertaining to defensive players cost the team the championship that year.

How many times has Joe Paterno focused on the slightest flaw of an opponent and ultimately won because he noticed the weakness? I attended a game at Three Rivers Stadium in Pittsburgh when Pitt was a formidable favorite over Penn State. Paterno's team won 7-6 because he noticed that the center would wiggle and then stay low after snapping the ball for extra points. A Penn State defensive player practiced hurdling over a bent-over center all week and successfully blocked the extra point during the game.

Outcome: A Penn State upset win.

The 1999 Notre Dame football team, if playing a near-perfect game, can beat any team in the country this year. While last week's game proved the Irish potential, last week's end zone antics may prevent the team from matching up against a Florida State or Penn State next New Year's Day. It is a lesson that Notre Dame coaches will most likely not repeat during their tenure under the Golden Dome. It is an event we should remember throughout our lives whenever we search for a sports metaphor to assist us with our careers.

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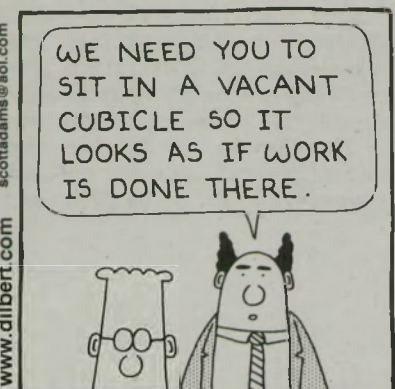
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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Those who do not know how to weep with their whole heart don't know how to laugh either."

Golda Meir

The Law, Prayer and Partial Birth Abortions

Sometimes the truth does come out in a lawsuit. This month the full U.S. 7th Circuit Court of Appeals will hear arguments on Wisconsin and Illinois laws forbidding partial birth abortion (PBA) except to save the mother's life. In

Planned Parenthood v. Doyle, Judge Richard Posner, writing for a 7th Circuit panel that held the Wisconsin law unconstitutional, described PBA: "After the cervix (the mouth of the uterus), has been dilated, [the physician draws the fetus out feet first. When only the fetus's head remains in the uterus, the physician inserts a scissors into the base of the fetus's brain, inserts a tube in the hole made by the scissors, and removes the contents of the skull by suction, causing the skull to collapse. The physician then completes the extraction of the now-dead fetus."



Charles Rice

*Right
or
Wrong?*

The PBA prohibitions would prevent few, if any, abortions. The abortionist could evade the prohibition against killing a "partially delivered child" by killing the baby while he is entirely in the womb. But the abortion industry has reacted fanatically against the prohibitions. And that is how the truth has come out in PBA cases.

In his dissent in *Doyle*, Judge Daniel Manion noted that the abortionists claim that the PBA prohibition "would limit a woman's right to abortion" because "they routinely perform the procedures" the PBA law forbids. To support this claim they "graphically described in detail how routine abortions are performed."

"It is difficult to see how anyone," concluded Judge Posner, "could suppose PBA more gruesome than the alternatives that Wisconsin has not attempted to prohibit. In a first-trimester abortion the physician uses surgical instruments or a suction pump to remove the fetus from the uterus. [A] second trimester abortion routinely involves the crushing of the fetus's cranium; and even in first-trimester abortion the fetus is sometimes removed piecemeal: 'if a fetus beyond 10 weeks of age is recognized, the fragments should be reassembled to see if the fetus is essentially complete' In third-trimester abortion, the doctor may kill the fetus by injecting a chemical into the fetus's heart or by drilling a hole in the fetus's cranium and removing the fetus's spinal fluid through the hole."

Posner's description was supported by evidence from abortionists. Dennis Christensen, M.D., said in his declaration in *Doyle*: "In 1997, I performed 2,350 abortions in Wisconsin 300 in the second trimester ... For abortions before fourteen weeks ... I ... use suction curettage [in which] the physician ... dilates the cervix and removes the embryo or fetus and the other products of conception, either whole or in parts, through the cervix into the vagina using a suction tube or syringe."

In some cases, a part of the fetus may be removed while another part remains in the uterus and may be 'living.' For abortions [after] fourteen weeks ... I use dilation and evacuation (D&E) when the fetus is too large to remove by suction curettage. Once the cervix is ... dilated, I evacuate the uterus using forceps, curettes and suction. Frequently the procedure results in the disjoining of the fetus. In ... a D&E ... I usually do not know at what point ... the fetus dies; however, at the beginning of the procedure, the fetus is alive in the sense of having living cells and a heartbeat. In the intact D&E (also known as 'dilation and extraction,' 'D&X' or 'intact D&X'), the physician dilates the cervix and then removes the fetus from the uterus through the vaginal canal intact.

The physician extracts the fetal body feet first, until the cervix is obstructed by the aftercoming head, which is too large to pass through the cervix. Then the physician creates a small opening at the base of the skull and evacuates the contents, allowing the calvarium [skull] to pass through the cervical opening."

The intact D&E, or D&X, is a partial birth abortion. Christensen said that suction and ordinary D&E abortions could also come within the terms of the PBA prohibitions: "In a suction curettage ... fetal parts are 'delivered' ... into the vaginal canal ... After a part is evacuated, other parts of the fetus often remain in the uterus; the fetus may still be 'living,' e.g., if there is a heartbeat, thus bringing this procedure within the scope of the Act ... Sometimes during the D&E ... a part of the fetus protrudes from, or is pulled through, the cervical before the fetus is fully removed. In some of these cases, the fetus may 'living' within the meaning of the Act ... when part of the fetus is within the uterus and part is outside."

Several abortionists made similar declarations in *Doyle*. As Frederik F. Broekhuizen, M.D., described a suction curettage: "At times I must make multiple passes through the uterus with suction before it is empty. Sometimes when part of the fetus is removed with the initial pass, the part remaining in the uterus still has a heartbeat."

When Dr. Christensen refers to "disjoining of the fetus," he means cutting or tearing the arms and legs off an unborn child. The abortion industry uses euphemisms to gain acceptance. The unborn child becomes a "fetus" or "the product of conception." The attack becomes "the termination of pregnancy" or simply "the procedure." If you favor such legalized killing, you are merely "pro-choice." We are supposed to overlook what that choice involves.

But now, in the PBA cases, the abortionists themselves show us that every abortion is, in moral but not in legal terms, the deliberate killing of an innocent human being. This is true of surgical abortions and also of the early abortions by pills and other means that are increasingly making surgical abortions obsolete.

The intentional killing of the innocent, by whatever method, should be prohibited in every case without exception. We ought to work toward that end, even though there is no realistic prospect now of effectively prohibiting any method of abortion at any stage of pregnancy. Abortion pills and other early abortifacients are making abortion a private matter beyond the effective reach of the law. What is ultimately needed is a reconversion of the American people to a respect for all human life as the gift of God.

In any event, it is not enough merely to oppose abortion. It is important to provide alternatives, with needed material as well as spiritual help, to women who contemplate abortion and to women who have had abortions. In *Evangelium Vitae*, No. 99, John Paul II offered "a special word to women who have had an abortion ... [D]o not give in to discouragement and do not lose hope ... You will come to understand that nothing is definitively lost and you will also be able to ask forgiveness from your child, who is now living in the Lord ... [Y]ou can be among the most eloquent defenders of everyone's right to life."

In the PBA cases, the abortionists have opened a window through which we can see what the culture of death is all about. Pray for abortionists, and for women who have had an abortion or who are considering it. And pray for our country.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Gift from alumnus shows true Notre Dame spirit

This past weekend was very disappointing for a lot of Irish fans. It was a well-fought game. However, there has already been plenty of commentary about that game. I want to point out a much greater aspect of this University.

My roommate and I made the trip to Michigan without tickets. We were standing outside of Michigan Stadium and looking to get two tickets, when a man in his 50s approached us and pulled out a couple. He asked us where we went to school and what year we were. After our answers of Notre Dame and juniors in Carroll Hall, he handed us the tickets. He told us to have fun and to do the same for someone one day when we were his age.

It was the best feeling in the world to walk into that stadium and sit in the ninth row while using those free tickets. We really want to thank that man. We hope that he is reading this. We promise to give another Domer the same feeling one day that he gave us. He showed us everything that is right with this university. He showed us the true Notre Dame spirit. Notre Dame is full of good people like this. We just wish that the rest of the world was more like this.

We once again want to thank that man if he is out there reading this. Thank you for your great generosity!

Patrick Broderick
Brandon Zick
Juniors
Carroll Hall
September 9, 1999



Quality of life important in abortion debate

Whether abortion helps or hurts any one person's life situation is a question I can no longer answer. Yes, it is true that the instant an abortion is performed one life is lost while another is wounded. And a good Catholic education will instill in a person that abortion is wrong. However, life is an expert at homogenizing the black and white to make gray.

The horror stories that Mario Suarez described can go both ways. One example would be the life of a 19-year old woman who finds her way in and out of therapy and mental hospitals because she was raped at the age of 11 by her father and bore his child. By 19, she has her hands full with three children from three different fathers. Obviously, the children are not the cause of her problems, but they do not help her situation. A feeling of being alone engulfs her to the point of such extreme anxiety that she cannot face her children in a stable emotional state. And what happens to her children? Raised in an environment with only one parent, who is herself still a child, do they have a chance for healthy, enjoyable lives?

Or what about a young man of 20 who is on the end of a decaying relationship with his girlfriend of two years? Both have only one year of college left, but the summer before their senior year is marked by an unexpected pregnancy. Should they try and mend their relationship for this child and in the interim give up a better future for themselves and later potential children? And what happens to this child who will be raised by parents who feel trapped and resentful because of their attempt to take responsibility for their actions? How does one measure the value of this child's life? Is an aborted child better than a child that will be raised in much less than ideal circumstances? Or should life always be placed first, even over poor conditions?

These are just two of several examples that hit close to home. And in other lives like theirs, people will suggest adoption or other alternatives as the ideal choice to abortion. But, in reality, these alternatives do not always work as planned, for whatever reason. And the question that seems so hard to answer is the one concerning the quality of life. In this ever-growing world, should life overcome simply because it is life? Or should the potential quality of life be taken into account when contemplating abortion? This is the view of the realist, and it will be labeled pessimistic, but reality produces a lot of children that do not, and sadly cannot, grow out of their bad habits. So maybe they are better off being nothing.

Michael Campbell
Junior
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September 9, 1999

Emmy calls Raymondson



By MIKE VANEGAS
Scene Editor

As the new television season is born into the lives of Americans across the nation, little by little, the specter of the 1998-99 season diminishes into their collective memory.

But, wait. The final adieu to the unspectacular but respectable sources of visual splendor of the past year is at last in the present. This Sunday, the 1999 Emmy Awards will reward the best of the crop, from the zaniest of the zany, to the sharpest of the sharp, to the profoundest of the profound. Above all, the Emmy telecast should invite a new era of television-watchers to the tube. For this is the last Emmy telecast of the millennium, and the strength of the top shows, coupled with the demise of several long-running series, surely makes this past year a dividing marker between '90s television and television of the new millennium.

Throughout the '90s, there has been a steady increase in the number of nomina-

tions the Academy of Television Arts and Sciences has doled out to cable stations and shows. Throughout the last several years, HBO's "The Larry Sanders Show" with Gary Shandling has been the most high-profile representative in the major categories.

With the series' last season being rewarded in the 1998 Emmy Awards, HBO seemed destined for exile in the Made for Television Movie category.

That was until two new HBO series debuted last season. "Sex and the City," the adult comedy starring Sarah Jessica Parker, has garnered two nominations this year. Though not a huge number, they come in two of the major categories: Outstanding Actress in a comedy for Parker and Outstanding Comedy Series.

HBO's other show, the mafia drama "The Sopranos," has hit the Emmys bigger than any other drama in recent Emmy history. With an astounding 16 nominations, "The Sopranos" leads both network and cable shows in number of nominations. The show also has won nominations in every major category for dramas, except Outstanding Supporting Actor.

Including its special programming and movies, HBO itself won 74 nominations, only 8 shy of NBC's 82.

Other than "The Sopranos," the two shows that look to make the biggest impact come Sunday belong to television's most prolific writer David Kelly. With 13 nods apiece, "The Practice" and "Ally McBeal" look to continue Kelly's dominance at the Emmys. Remember, Kelly's "Picket Fences" won several major awards throughout its early 1990s run, including two Outstanding Dramatic Series statuettes, and "The Practice" surprised critics everywhere when it won that same award last year.

Here's a look at the races in Emmy's biggest categories:

Outstanding Supporting Actress in a Comedy

This category is perhaps the tightest of the major awards, as it includes Kristen Johnson of "Third Rock from the Sun," Lisa Kudrow of "Friends," Lucy Liu of "Ally McBeal," Wendie Malick of "Just Shoot Me" and Doris Roberts of "Everybody Loves Raymond."

Johnson certainly contributes her share of over-the-top acting that makes "Third Rock" worth watching. She previously has won in this category, which puts her in a precarious situation this year.

Kudrow, the defending champion, is the only acting nominee from "Friends," which consists only of supporting actors. Her Phoebe Buffet role leaped into a depth unseen in "Friends," as she had her triplets, gave them up and dealt with it. If anyone can repeat as champion, Kudrow will be the one.

Lucy Liu, who plays the coldhearted Ling on "Ally McBeal," was a high point in a sometimes repetitive season. As one of the few minority actresses nominated, a win for Liu would certainly be some good PR for the Academy.

Wendie Malick, another first-time nominee, unfortunately does not have a strong show to support, as the other nominees do. Therefore her well done efforts on "Just Shoot Me" can't level up to the just-as-good efforts on better shows.

The final nominee, Doris Roberts, proves that age doesn't matter when it comes to comedy. Playing Marie Barone, mother of the man who everybody loves, Roberts' neurotic character excels at creating a pathetic desire to remain in her son's life forever.

Who should win: It's a toss-up
Who will win: Kudrow

Outstanding Supporting Actor in a comedy

The Academy probably had a tough time choosing five nominees for this category, as the choice candidate is a little more clear-cut. Nominees include Peter Boyle of "Everybody Loves Raymond," John Mahoney of "Frasier," Peter MacNichol of "Ally McBeal," David Hyde Pierce of "Frasier" and David Spade of "Just Shoot Me."

Peter Boyle serves the similar purpose in "Raymond" that Doris Roberts does. As an older actor, he adds a pathetic sense of senility to the cast.

MacNichol was probably nominated merely for the eccentric quality of his character, but he should not be recognized as support for the rest of the cast of "Ally."

Mahoney and Pierce, though very strong comedic actors, must suffer for the less-than-stellar "Frasier" season. David Spade, though the most recognizable member of the "Just Shoot Me" cast, perhaps is the fun-



The cast of "The Practice" hopes to make it two in a row this Sunday at the Emmy Awards. The David Kelley show is nominated for 13 awards.

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Ally and the really good friends

niest of the five nominees.

Who should win: Boyle
Who will win: Boyle

Outstanding Supporting Actress in a drama

The nominees include Lara Flynn Boyle of "The Practice," Kim Delaney of "NYPD Blue," Camryn Manheim of "The Practice," Nancy Marchand of "The Sopranos" and Holland Taylor of "The Practice."

With three nominees from "The Practice," this category certainly is screaming for a winner from another show. Marchand doesn't really have a chance, mainly because she does not star in a David Kelly show, and "The Sopranos" is an HBO show. Delaney has already won the award. This leaves the winner as one of the ladies from "The Practice."

Who should win: Manheim
Who will win: Manheim

Outstanding Supporting Actor in a drama

The nominees are Michael Badalucco of "The Practice," Benjamin Bratt of "Law and Order," Steve Harris of "The Practice," Steven Hill of "Law and Order" and Noah Wyle of "ER."

Badalucco and Harris find themselves in a no-win situation. With three of their female counterparts likely to fight for the crown, attention will be swayed from them, and they won't get enough votes.

Bratt was only nominated because it was his last season on "Law and Order," and his girlfriend, Julia Roberts, helped the show to some late-season ratings jumps.

Hill is a victim of the "who is he" syndrome, and also won't make too many people sweat over choosing him.

That leaves Wyle, who has come into his own as Dr. John Carter on "ER." He has come a long way since his freshman year as an intern, and his development as a doctor has come just as far as his development as an actor.

Who should win: Wyle
Who will win: Wyle

Outstanding Actress in a comedy

Also another strong category, the best actresses, according to the Academy, include Jenna Elfman of "Dharma and Greg," Calista Flockhart of "Ally McBeal," Patricia Heaton of "Everybody Loves Raymond," Helen Hunt of "Mad About You" and Sarah Jessica Parker of "Sex and the City."

Though it wouldn't be surprising if Parker won the Emmy (she is a respected film and theater actress), the fact that her performance is made better by the smart and fearless writing of "Sex" will detract from the personal emphasis of the award.

Hunt, who has lost the role of favorite — though she has won the award the past two years — could well be the dark horse in the category, especially knowing that her series has ended its run.

Elfman, like Johnson of "Third Rock," plays an over-the-top character, which probably helps her chances at the American Comedy Awards, but not here.

The real race is between Heaton and Flockhart, who both have bona fide hit shows, but differ in their roles. As star, Flockhart has proven it is not necessary to be the central character as long as those supporting characters are of high enough quality to create sufficient interplay.

Heaton, on the other hand, must play second fiddle to star/onscreen husband Ray. The way she is able to steal the scene, however, says much for her ability as lead actress.

Who should win: Heaton
Who will win: Flockhart

Outstanding Actor in a comedy

Another interesting battle, the best actor nominees include four of last year's nominees and one newcomer. They are Michael J. Fox of "Spin City," Kelsey Grammar of "Frasier," John Lithgow of "Third Rock from the Sun," Paul Reiser of "Mad About You" and Ray Romano of "Everybody Loves Raymond."

Despite the credibility of all the actors, the winner will most likely be decided based on the personal life of one Marty McFly. After revealing to the public that he has Parkinson's disease, Fox is surely the favorite to win the Best Actor statuette with an unfortunate sym-

pathy vote.

Who should win: Romano
Who will win: Fox

Outstanding Actress in a drama

Nominees include Gillian Anderson of "The X-Files," Lorraine Bracco of "The Sopranos," Edie Falco of "The Sopranos," Christine Lahti of "Chicago Hope" and Julianna Margulies of "ER."

Following the trend of the evening, the HBO show will not have any wins in the major categories. The two stars of television's two medical dramas, both respected actresses, unfortunately will have to bow to the famous Dr. Scully.

Anderson will gain her trophy once again, at the same time gaining respect for her show and costar David Duchovny, both whom were snubbed in their respective categories.

Who should win: Anderson
Who will win: Anderson

Outstanding Actor in a drama

This contest will be decided, perhaps, by who has the best butt (at least from female voters ... and maybe some male voters). The nominees include Dennis Franz of "NYPD Blue," James Gandolfini of "The Sopranos," Dylan McDermott of "The Practice," Jimmy Smits of "NYPD Blue" and Sam Waterston of "Law and Order."

Based on the entertainment media's popularity contest, the likely winner will be McDermott.

Smits and Franz are perennial contenders, but those other two guys don't have a shot at the gold.

Who should win: Duchovny
Who will win: McDermott

Outstanding Comedy

The five nominees are "Ally McBeal," "Everybody Loves Raymond," "Frasier," "Friends" and "Sex and the City."

Newcomers "Sex and the City" and "Everybody Loves Raymond" need some Emmy experience before they start taking home the big cheese, while "Frasier," which has won the past five awards in this category, will finally be let down this year.

This leaves a duel between the popular "Ally McBeal" and the even more popular "Friends." Considering the quality of the shows' seasons, "Friends" has the upper hand in this contest.

Who should win: "Friends"
Who will win: "Friends"

Outstanding Drama

The nominees are "ER," "Law and Order," "NYPD Blue," "The Practice" and "The Sopranos."

While the comedy category has been dominated by Frasier the past several years, the drama category has shared the wealth a little more.

But that most likely will change come Sunday, when David Kelley's "The Practice" will run into the show as the favorite and take the final award of the night.

Who should win: "The Sopranos"
Who will win: "The Practice"



Photo courtesy of Warner Brothers

After a comically brilliant sixth season, the cast of "Friends" looks to catch Emmy fever by winning its first Outstanding Comedy Series Emmy.



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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Catfish Hunter loses battle with Lou Gehrig's disease

Associated Press

Pitcher Jim "Catfish" Hunter, the model of control in a 15-year Hall of Fame career, died Thursday of Lou Gehrig's disease, which left him unable to grip a baseball at the end of his life. He was 53.

Hunter, baseball's first big money free agent, died at his home in Hertford, N.C., where he fell Aug. 8 and hit his head on some concrete steps. He was unconscious for several days in the hospital, but improved and was sent home to his Perquimans County farm on Saturday in fair condition, according to Rev. Keith Vaughan, a family spokesman.

Hertford was the same country town where Hunter grew up to become one of the game's most dominant pitchers.

As the centerpiece of pitching staffs, first with the Oakland Athletics and then with the New York Yankees, Hunter won 224 games, produced five straight 20-victory seasons, a perfect game and a Cy Young Award.

It was at home in Hertford, however, that he returned each winter to enjoy the hunting and fishing of the small North Carolina town and where friends and family always called him "Jim" or "Jimmy," but never "Catfish."

That was where Athletics owner Charles O. Finley found Hunter, one of the first building blocks in a dynasty team that won three straight World Series from 1972-74.

Finley pinned the nickname

"Catfish" on the pitcher, and Hunter went along with it. He loved a joke and when the owner decided his players should all have mustaches, Hunter was one of the first to grow one and collect the \$300 bonus.

Hunter came up with the A's in 1965 and punctuated the team's move from Kansas City to Oakland with a perfect game against the Minnesota Twins on May 8, 1968. At the time, it was just the seventh perfect game in modern baseball history.

"He was a big game pitcher, a consistent pitcher who always kept you in the ball game," said Sal Bando, the third baseman on that Oakland team. "He consistently pitched well in big games. He was a No. 1 starter, and you can't win without one."

Bando recalled Hunter as the ultimate team player, a guy who loved to sit around the clubhouse, spinning stories with a country drawl.

"He was very low key, a very warm person. He treated everybody the same. If you were an extra man or you were a star, it didn't matter. Just a down to earth guy."

Bando remembered how Hunter loved the outdoors and did not let baseball interfere. Typical was when the pitcher won 20 games for the first time in 1971.

"What I remember most about it is he had been up early in the morning (that day) fishing," he said. "He was a strong guy. He was up by 4 or 5 and went fishing. He got in about noon, showered, went to the ballpark, pitched ten innings

and drove in the winning run."

By 1974, when the Athletics won their third straight World Series, Hunter was ready to become a baseball trailblazer. Finley had failed to pay an annuity clause in his contract and the pitcher's grievance went to arbitration. He was declared a free agent, setting off a surreal scene in Hertford, where baseball executives trudged to recruit him for their teams.

Finally, he settled on the Yankees, agreeing to a landmark \$3.75 million five-year contract that was signed on New Year's Eve, 1974.

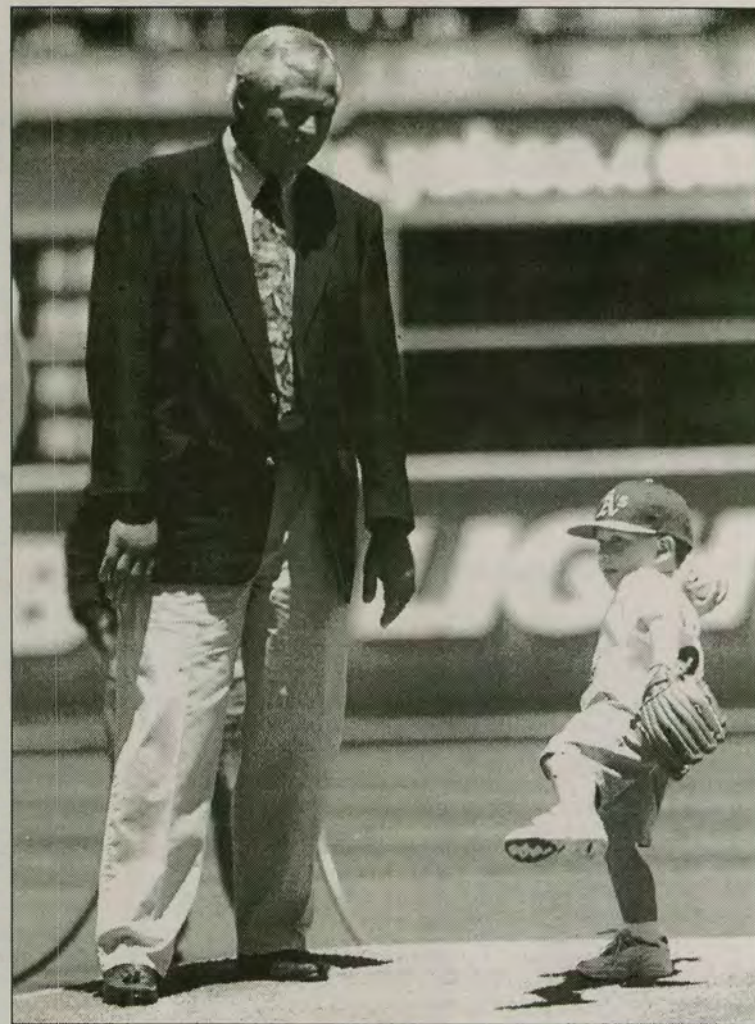
Yankees owner George Steinbrenner never regretted the deal.

"Catfish Hunter was the cornerstone of the Yankees' success over the last quarter century," Steinbrenner said in a statement Thursday. "We were not winning before Catfish arrived ... He exemplified class and dignity and he taught us how to win."

Hunter was the second Yankees Hall of Famer to die this year. Joe DiMaggio died March 8 at age 84.

In today's baseball economics, Hunter's contract was a small-change deal. But it made him the highest-paid player in baseball history at the time, and set the stage for full-scale free agency, which began after the 1976 season.

"I was probably the first player who broke it open for other players to be paid what they're worth," he said in 1987, shortly after he was elected to the Hall of Fame.



KRT Photo

Jim "Catfish" Hunter watches grandson Taylor throw out the first pitch during Jim "Catfish" Hunter Day just before the Dodgers-A's game on June 12, 1999.

The contract made him baseball's highest-paid player, and he became the Yankees' workhorse the following two years, completing 51 of 75

starts and leading the team to its first pennant in 12 seasons.

"Catfish was a very unique guy," said Lou Piniella, a teammate on those Yankees clubs.

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Football

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he became head coach at Notre Dame in 1913 that he had a stage large enough to popularize it.

By forcing the Cadets to defend against deep passes, the Irish were able to run the ball between the tackles because there were less defenders close to the line. Deep passes opened running lanes for Irish All-American fullback Ray Eichenlaub.

Instructing the nation

After the Irish proved the effectiveness of a balanced offensive attack, teams across the country began to adopt the new style of play.

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Teams across the nation heard of a revolutionary pass which the Irish implemented in the sec-

ond quarter against Army in 1913.

With Notre Dame trailing 13-7, Dorais broke to the outside on a quarterback keep for five yards.

Facing second down, Dorais dropped back to pass, lofting one to Joe Pliska for 30 yards.

Dorais again went to the air on the following play when he hit Rockne for another long gain of 35 yards. Rockne caught the next pass from Dorais for a 15-yard gain, and the Irish found themselves at the Cadet five yard line.

Eichenlaub finished the Irish

drive with a five yard touchdown run to give Notre Dame the lead 14-13.

Second-half control

While the Irish offense received much praise from the media, the Irish defense also played well, standing tall against a powerful Cadet rushing attack.

In the third quarter, with the ball inside the Notre Dame 1-yard line, Cadet halfback Paul Hodgson, who had earlier run for a touchdown, was tackled by Rockne for a loss. On second down, halfback Frank Milburn was slammed to the turf by the

Irish line.

With its ground game stalled, Army attempted to pass for a touchdown but Dorais intercepted the ball and killed the Cadet drive.

After that goal-line stand, Notre Dame's offense sprang to life and scored 21 points. The Irish offensive explosion left little doubt of which was the better that Saturday.

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NFL

Dawg Pound barking for return of Browns

Associated Press

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Before the Browns can fight

the Pittsburgh Steelers, they'll have to fight their emotions.

Cleveland coach Chris Palmer has talked all week of the danger of his team being sky-high for the game. With so much attention being given to the Browns' rebirth in the NFL, Palmer doesn't want his players to get so caught up in the emotion of the night that they forget their assignments.

"You just have to try and stay focused," Palmer said. "Everything we have done this season has been a first time. Eventually, we'll get to where we have a regular week."

The expansion Browns haven't had that luxury this week. Not only is their first game against the rival Steelers, but it will be on prime time national TV as the final game of the NFL's opening Sunday.

Langham, one of three Browns who played in the last game in the old Cleveland Stadium, said Cleveland's first two exhibition games gave him a sense of how electric the opener will be.

It will be impossible to remain

calm, he said.

"I know early on I'll be hyped," he said. "I'll be running around and jumping around."

But at some point you have to calm down. If you don't that's when trouble starts. You have to calm down sooner or later.

"You have to get that emotion out of you early and calm down. Because when you get too emo-

tionally involved in the game, you make too many mistakes. You want the game to come to you. If you let it, good things

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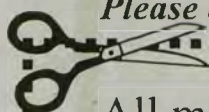


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Big Mac's 500th to be sold for big bucks

Associated Press

ST. LOUIS

Jim Shearer, the 28-year-old architect who caught Mark McGwire's 500th home run ball, has decided to sell it during an Oct. 30 auction in Las Vegas that also will include Mickey Mantle's 500th home run ball.

"We talked to a lot of people," Shearer said Thursday. "We talked a lot to my wife's family and my family. The more we talked about it, we started to feel better about selling it."

McGwire's ball, along with Mantle's, is the highlight of the auction, arranged by Michael Barnes, president of One-of-a-

Kind Auctions in Festus, Mo. Last season, Barnes helped Phil Ozersky, a 26-year-old researcher at Washington University, sell McGwire's 70th home run ball. Canadian comic book tycoon Todd McFarlane paid \$3,005,000 for it.

Before this season began, Barnes offered \$100,000 to whoever caught McGwire's 500th. The \$100,000, however, was just an advance on what the ball might bring at an auction. Eddie Murray's 500th home run ball sold for \$200,000, money that the seller put in a 20-year annuity that eventually will be worth about \$500,000.

U.S. OPEN

Williams sisters set for semis

Associated Press

NEW YORK

So far, so good.

Richard Williams, tennis father and coach, surveyed the U.S. Open draw before the tournament began and decided it wasn't that complicated. Forget the rest of the women's field, he said. His daughters, Venus and Serena, would make the final a Williams family affair.

That was 124 players ago.

The women's draw at the Open is down to the final four and the Williams sisters are still at it, one match away from making poppa's prophecy come true.

The next step on Friday will be the toughest of all. In semi-

final matches, Venus Williams faces top-seeded Martina Hingis and sister Serena meets defending champion Lindsay Davenport.

Davenport and Serena Williams completed the semi-final pairings with three-set victories Wednesday.

Davenport survived two match points and held off Mary Pierce 6-2, 3-6, 7-5. Then Williams defeated former champ Monica Seles 4-6, 6-3, 6-2.

A day earlier, Hingis beat Anke Huber 6-2, 6-0 and Venus Williams downed Barbara Schett 6-4, 6-3.

"I still have one more match," Serena Williams said. "My dad has been right about a lot of things. If I can do well in this match, I know it will be great."

Davenport and Hingis are entirely capable of upsetting the Williams plans. Both have won the U.S. Open and came into this tournament ranked 1-2 in the world.

Davenport has won 12 straight matches over the past two years at the Open and had not dropped a set until the quarterfinals against Pierce.

Hingis has been on a straight-set march through the tournament and reached the semifinals at the Open for the fourth straight year. She has one championship and one runner-up finish.

Hingis has a 7-3 record against Venus Williams, including victories in three of

their last four meetings.

Serena has beaten Davenport in two of their three meetings, both times on the same kind of hardcourts they're playing on at the Open.

That doesn't disturb Davenport, who will always have a warm spot in her heart for the National Tennis Center because she earned her first Grand Slam title there.

"I've had a good time trying to defend this title, whether it ends Friday, ends Saturday, whatever," she said.

For a while, it seemed Davenport might not reach the semifinals. Pierce had the defending champion in deep trouble but let her get away. A rain delay in the third set helped Davenport regroup after avoiding the two match points.

Serena has taken a tough path to the semis, dropping the first set in each of her last three matches but recovering each time to advance. Venus, too, hit a speed bump when she dropped the first set of her match against Mary Joe Fernandez before rallying.

If they win Friday, the Williams sisters would play each other for the fourth time. Venus has won the first three and Serena thinks she knows why.

"Venus is a more powerful player than I am," she said. "I use more of the court than Venus, although she's doing that a lot better now."

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NFL

Bengals ink receiver to one-year contract

Associated Press

CINCINNATI — Wide receiver Carl Pickens ended his workout Thursday and signed a one-year, \$3.5 million deal with the Cincinnati Bengals.

He could play Sunday in Cincinnati's season opener against the Tennessee Titans.

Pickens, the Bengals' career receiving leader, met for three hours with Bengals president Mike Brown. The deal was announced after the team finished practice and left the Spinney Field facility.

"We wish that this had been concluded earlier, but it's good that it's concluded so Carl can

spend his golden years with the Bengals instead of in retirement," said Brown, who attempted to set a lighthearted tone.

Pickens, 29, said he would sit out the season rather than return to the Bengals, who tagged him as their franchise player but were unable to get a trade offer that included a first-round draft pick.

Brown said the Bengals were trying to negotiate a long-term deal with Pickens, who will receive the average of the top five players at his position.

"Time changes everything," said Pickens, who played the prospect of losing about \$200,000 a week if he did not come to terms before Sunday.

US OPEN

Pioline reaches semifinals

Associated Press

NEW YORK

Cedric Pioline, twice a Grand Slam finalist but never a champion, continued his reign as king of the tiebreaker Thursday, reaching the semifinals of the U.S. Open with a 4-6, 7-6 (8-6), 7-6 (16-14), 7-6 (10-8) victory over Gustavo Kuerten.

In Saturday's semifinals, Pioline will face the winner of Thursday night's late match pitting seventh-seeded Todd Martin against Slava Dosedel. The other semifinal will send second-seeded Andre Agassi against No. 3 Yevgeny Kafelnikov.

Pioline broke Kuerten's serve once in the match, which lasted nearly 3 hours, but was able to force

three tiebreakers, a shootout in which Pioline has been perfect this tournament.

Except for the extra points at the end of each set, it was an evenly played match between the hard-serving Frenchman and the gallant, animated Brazilian, who has a Grand Slam tournament title in his resume, that coming in the French Open in 1997.

Six times Pioline has played a tiebreaker here and each time wound up with the two-point advantage.

"I'm trying to be aggressive," Pioline said. "If you stay back in a tiebreak, you give an opportunity to the other" player.

The tiebreakers highlighted what was one of the better matches in the final Grand Slam event of the year. Time and again, the two traded what appeared to be the winning shots, only to see the other come up with a better reply.

On one such exchange — the 19th point of the fourth-set tiebreaker — Kuerten hit what he thought was a winner deep into the corner. Pioline, sprinting across the baseline, responded with a

forehand down the line that whipped past the surprised Kuerten.

Pioline, who stumbled and fell while hitting the winner, rolled onto his back and pumped his arms in victory. Kuerten, equally impressed, dropped his racket, raised his arms in triumph for his opponent, then walked to Pioline's side of the net to congratulate the Frenchman. As his made his way back to his side of the court, Kuerten continued to applaud the shot.

"It was a great point," the fifth-seeded Kuerten said. "I think maybe the best point from the match. ... I couldn't believe it. It was great. I play well that point; he play better than me. So I congratulate him. It was an amazing shot."

Pioline continually came up with just enough winners — 79, to 61 for Kuerten — to grab a spot in the Open semifinals for the first time since 1993, when he lost to Pete Sampras. Pioline also fell to Sampras two years ago at Wimbledon.

This year, Sampras pulled out of the tournament with a bad back.

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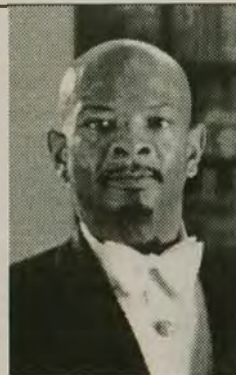
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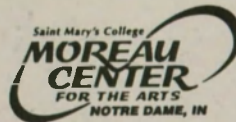
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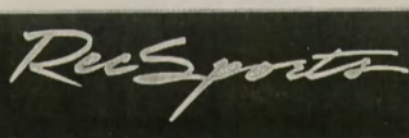
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Soccer

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Porter, Spencer Barton and Reagan Bender. All three have starting experience and will combine to form a tough offense. Porter, despite missing part of last season with a shoulder injury, was an asset on offense as the team's second leading scorer on the year.

With a large portion of its starting backfield returning this season, an experienced and talented Panther defense could pose the biggest threat to an Irish victory.

Notre Dame has yet to score more than one goal in each of its victories, and despite delivering 16 shots on goal against Western Michigan, the Irish were not able to finish any offensive plays.

The Panthers have compiled an overall 1-2-1 record and 0-1 mark in the Big East so far this season. They dropped their latest game to West Virginia Mountaineers 3-1. Despite the losses, the offense has been a dominating force in the box, putting an average of just more than 15 shots on goal in each contest.

The Irish are even in their series with the Panthers at 1-1-2. The last two meetings of the teams have resulted in overtime ties.

Irish

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Ashley Dryer suffered a sprained ankle just before halftime of Notre Dame's 3-2 overtime loss to North Carolina last Friday night. Dryer did not practice this week, and her status for Sunday will be a game-time decision.

Even with all the injuries, the Irish, who were ranked fourth by the NSCAA and third by Soccer Times on Sept. 6, should handle the Red Storm easily.

St. John's does not have a single player on the All-Big East preseason first team; the Irish have four — goalkeeper LaKeysia Beene and midfielders Jen Grubb, Jenny Streiffer and Anne Makinen.

With veterans like Beene, Grubb, Streiffer and Makinen on the team, Waldrum said he doesn't think he will have any trouble motivating the team for game against St. John's.

"This group so far has not struck me as a group that goes into the games lightly," he said. "I just haven't seen any indicators of a let down. I think everyone now, especially since it is so early in the season, is really excited to play."

"Maybe if this game were at the tail-end of the season it might be a different story. But

right now there is still a high motivation just to play somebody different," he said.

Offensive attack

In their last game against Duke, the Irish showcased a high powered offensive attack that scored four goals in the first half.

Waldrum said he wants to see that attacking-style offense continue against St. John's.

"I think we were very good in the first half against Duke," the first-year Irish head coach said. "We were able to get our midfielders forward and we were able to get in behind their defense a lot. Hopefully we'll be able to do that against St. John's too."

If the Irish offense scores a lot of goals early, Beene should leave the game early like she did against Duke.

While Beene is an All-American and candidate for the Herman award — given to the nation's best women's soccer player — backup goalies Elizabeth Wagner and Sani Post are inexperienced.

They both played in the second half against Duke, and Waldrum hopes to get them into the game against St. John's as well.

"We want to get some experience, and right now there are very close," Waldrum said. "In these first few games, we want to get them both some time."



Jen Grubb (6) captains the Notre Dame women's soccer team as it travels to take on Big East rival St. John's on Sunday.

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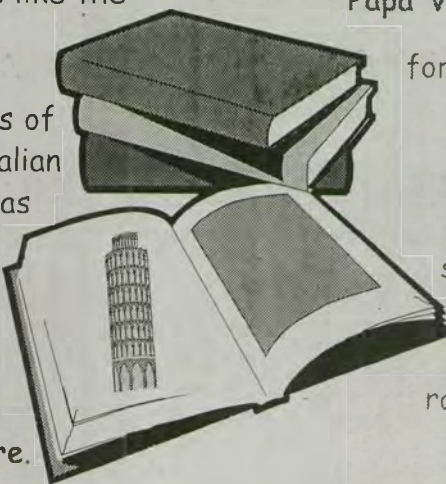
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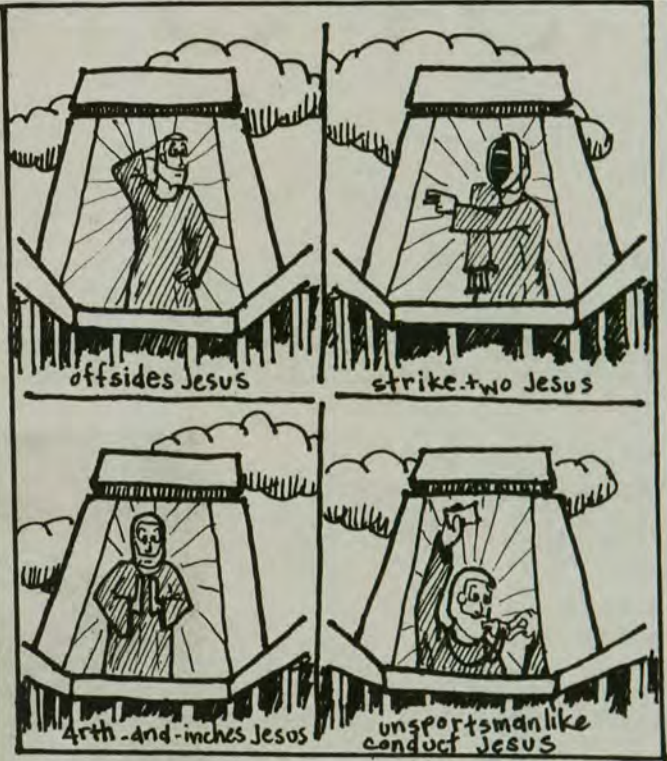
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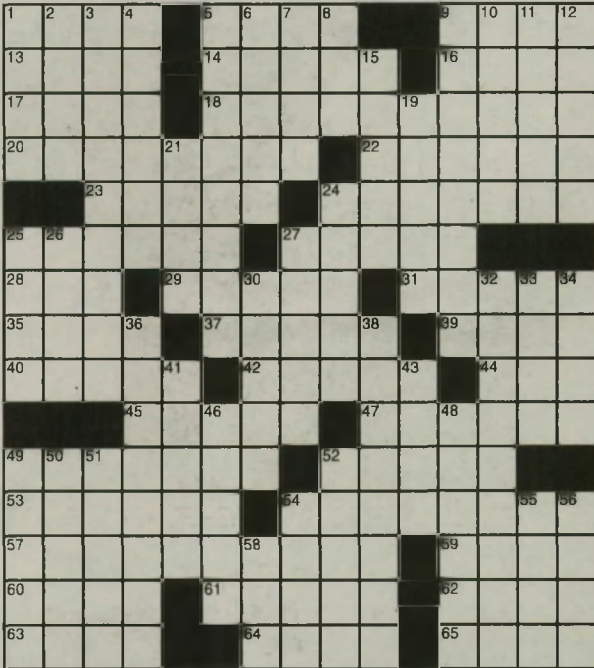
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1999

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Happy Birthday: It's time to take note of what you will need to move to a higher playing field. Wipe your slate clean and prepare to undertake new methods of doing things. You will stagnate if you refuse to update in every way possible this year. This is not the year to deny yourself when it comes to learning, expanding or developing. Your numbers: 4, 9, 15, 21, 34, 45

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Romantic connections can be made if you get out with friends or relatives. You can be sure that you will attract lovers with your outgoing, daredevil nature. ○○○○

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You will be able to help family members solve their problems. Don't overspend on luxury items or club fees. Get into projects that will give you a creative outlet. ○○○○○

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You'll have a temper tantrum if you let your emotional attitude be affected by criticism. Be careful not to force your opinions on others. Think before you say something you'll regret. ○○

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Put your time into things that will make your surroundings nicer. You will enjoy time spent with youngsters. Don't let your mate put you down. If you are happy with yourself, that's what counts. ○○○○

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Make plans to get together with friends or at least phone them to catch up on all the latest happenings in their lives. Talk about commitments with the one you love; it could lead to the stability

Birthday Baby: Recognize your talents, and you will go far. Deny yourself what you need to experience, and you will fall short of your life goals. Let your creative talents develop, and keep your mind open and receptive.

(Need advice? Check out Eugenia's Web sites at astroadvice.com, eugenialast.com, astromate.com.)

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you seek. ○○○

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Residential changes are necessary. Let go of the past and get ready to make the personal changes that are long overdue. Your creative talent should be developed through art-related courses. ○○○

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You need to break away. Time spent with friends or traveling will be far more to your liking. You mustn't let those you live with put you down because you have different interests. ○○○

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You can help others by offering them good advice concerning budgets and ways of reducing your overhead. Your knack for solving other people's problems will be appreciated. ○○○○

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You should be spending time trying to meet and mingle with individuals who can provide you with information and mental stimulation. Don't settle for anything less than what you want. ○○

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): You'll be drawn to your work. If it will put your mind at ease, by all means put in the time, but don't forget about the one who loves you. Neglect will come back to haunt you. ○○○○○

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You need to do things that will be interesting for people all ages. You can help youngsters if you take the time to listen to their problems. ○○○

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Don't expect your family to understand. Follow your heart and don't worry about what others think. Don't expect to get backing from others. You're on your own, and you can succeed by yourself. ○○○

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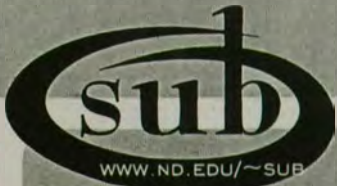
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MEN'S SOCCER

Irish hit the road to kick Panthers

◆ **Gerrick, Short,
Rafael Garcia earn
Big East honors**

By KERRY SMITH
Sports Writer

The Irish men's soccer team hopes to put another notch in the win column as it hits the road to take on the Pittsburgh Panthers Saturday.

Just days after losing a tough match to Western Michigan in overtime, the squad will look to get back on the winning track. Notre Dame opened its season with two wins before dropping to 2-1 on Tuesday.

Despite coming up short against Western Michigan, the team has registered some success in the past week.

Senior captain and goal keeper Gerick Short and freshman forward Rafael Garcia earned weekly Big East soccer honors for their performances in Notre Dame's two wins over Northwestern and Boston College.

The two were instrumental in both shut-out victories. Gerick shared goalkeeper of the week honors with Rutgers' Jon Conway, while Garcia was named rookie of the week.

"I'm happy about it," said Garcia of the honor. "But it's just a small step toward a big season for the team. It means nothing compared to what I want the team to do in the Big East and the rest of the season."

The team broke into the National Soccer Coaches Association of America ranks for the first time this week at the No. 16 spot. The Irish hope to move up in the polls by securing a win against the Panthers.

A Big East rival, Pittsburgh is coming off a disappointing 6-9-3 1998 campaign in which it managed to pull off only one Big East conference win. Plagued by several overtime losses last year, the Panthers will focus on creating more winning opportunities this season.

Pittsburgh lost its two leading scorers to graduation, but hopes to replace them with forwards Chad

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Senior forward Andrew Aris (left) and the Notre Dame men's soccer team travel to Pittsburgh Saturday. After a tough loss to Western Michigan, the team looks to improve.

JOHN DAILY/The Observer

WOMEN'S SOCCER

Astroturf challenges Notre Dame

By MIKE CONNOLLY
Associate Sports Editor

The biggest challenge facing the Notre Dame women's soccer team this weekend is not the St. John's Red Storm or the long road trip to New York.

It's the Astroturf on DaSilvia Memon Field.

"Playing on Astroturf is a whole different game," head coach Randy Waldrum said. "The game is going to be a lot faster. The quality of the turf there isn't very good, and there is a bit of a crown to the field."

"All of those things will come into play," he continued. "I am not a real big fan of playing soccer games on Astroturf. I don't think it is very conducive to our sport at all."

The Astroturf will pose bigger challenges than just a faster style of play. With Irish junior captain Kelly Lindsey still suffering from a sprained knee, Waldrum is concerned about letting her play on the Astroturf, which is less forgiving than natural grass and tends to aggravate injuries.

He said he would prefer to hold her out and let her rest for stronger future opponents.

Lindsey, however, is not the kind of player who likes missing games.

"She's the kind of player that wants to play," Waldrum said. "It might be that we get her some minutes to begin with and then get her off."

Injured reserve

Lindsey is not the only Irish player who is fighting through an injury. Ali Lovelace, a freshman midfielder from Dallas, Ga., has a quad pull and will not play against St. John's.

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Waldrum

FOOTBALL

Notre Dame brings new style football to East

By MIKE CONNOLLY
Associate Sports Editor

When most people consider Notre Dame football, they don't usually think of high flying aerial attacks that spread the defense and awe opposing coaches.

Modern Notre Dame football is running the ball straight ahead and grinding an opponent into the ground with powerful backs.

When Notre Dame defeated Army 35-13 on Nov. 1, 1913, however, head coach Jesse Harper showcased a deep passing attack and All-American quarterback Gus Dorais.

After the game, the press was full of praise for Harper's squad and his revolutionary style of play.

"Coach Harper undoubtedly has put together the best 11 which ever wore the Gold and

Blue," Lamber G. Sullivan wrote in the Nov. 2 edition of the Chicago Daily News. "The team is almost perfect in every detail of technical play."

Dorais orchestrated a passing attack that kept the Army defense on its heels and prevented the Cadets from crowding the line. Dorais finished the day 12-14 for 243 yards with two touchdown passes and only one interception.

'Inventing' the forward pass

It has been said that Dorais and then-Irish captain Knute Rockne, a left end, invented the forward pass for the game against Army. The pass, however, was not created in 1913; it had been around since 1906 when St. Louis University head coach Eddie Cochems began using it.

In fact, the forward pass previously had been utilized by Notre

Dame to defeat Michigan in 1909.

Dorais and Rockne didn't invent the forward pass. They instead showed how it could be used by a smaller team to counteract the size advantage of its opponent.

Harper created plans for forward pass use while head coach at Wabash, but it was not until

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AT A
GLANCE



at Purdue
Saturday, 2:30 p.m.



at St. John's
Sunday, 1 p.m.



Volleyball at Ohio Western
Today, 3:30 p.m.



at Pittsburgh
Saturday, 1 p.m.



Volleyball vs. Kentucky
Saturday, 2 p.m.



Cross Country at Valparaiso
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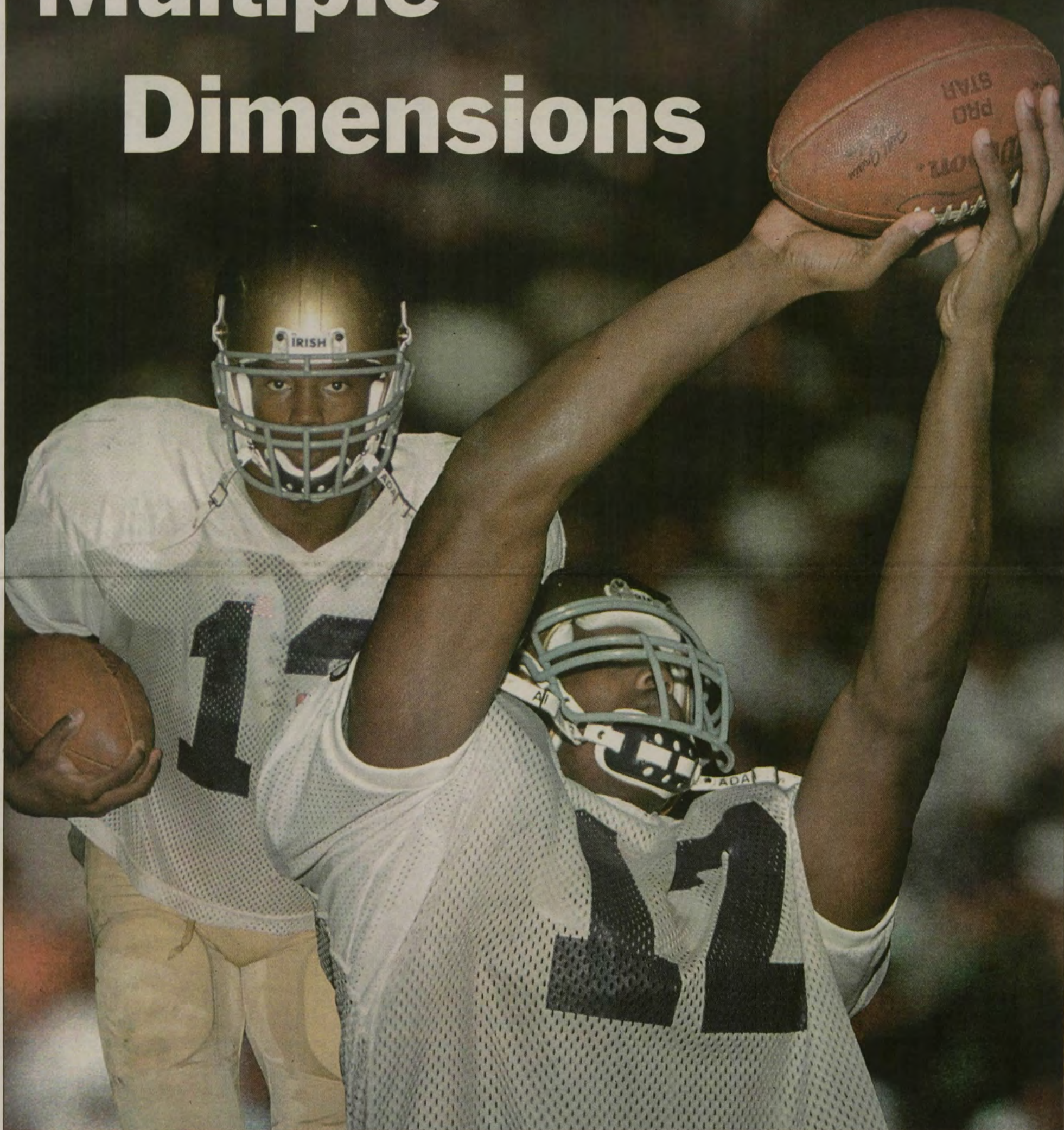


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In his first year as a starter, sophomore tailback Tony Fisher has showcased his receiving and running talents to become the featured back in the Irish offense. His talents give offensive coordinator Kevin Rogers one more weapon for his playbook. For more on Fisher, see page 3.

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Bob Davie
head coach

"There is not a football coach in the country that would relish going to West Lafayette"

"Our biggest problem right now is ourselves"



Kevin Rogers
offensive coordinator



Clifford Jefferson
cornerback

"I definitely think this team will bounce back."

"My goal is to get at least two interceptions this week."



Tony Fisher
tailback

Irish look to take steam out of Boilers

By BRIAN KESSLER
Sports Editor

Notre Dame invades West Lafayette, Ind., to take on Purdue, Saturday, with hopes of rebounding from last weekend's disappointing loss to Michigan.

"I think our players enjoy the challenge, but there is no question that we need to correct mistakes," head coach Bob Davie said. "We have got to eliminate the sloppiness."

"We cannot pitch the ball on the ground," he explained. "We have had seven turnovers. We are fortunate it isn't in double digits the way we have pitched the ball. We need to improve and I think we can do that."

The Boilermakers are unbeaten in their last seven games, and Purdue is expected to try to avenge last year's fourth-quarter loss to Notre Dame.

"I think everybody realizes that they have done a great job with that program," Davie said. "You look at what they have done, I think 11 and 1 at home since Joe Tiller has been the head coach, you just look — they have won seven straight games; won two Bowl games against two really good teams."

"They are an aggressive style team," Davie continued. "So we have got our work cut out for us. It will be a challenge going down there playing — once again playing away from home."

Davie and the coaching staff have spent the week focusing on the Irish, rather than the Boilermakers.

"As much as I respect Purdue and the challenge we have with going down there and playing, I am much more concerned, right now, much more interested, in our football team and the progress we make," Davie said. "That is the challenge we have."

The Irish, however, are concerned with stopping Heisman-hopeful, quarterback Drew Brees.

"Obviously you have to control the football, to try to keep them off the field with their offense," Davie said. "But they are such a quick strike offense that they are going to score points, so you can't just button it up and say you are going to just run the football in there."

"You are going to have to create some plays to score some points. Because even though you control the ball and take away from their time at possession, they are going to score some points because it is a quick strike offense," he said.

The Irish have put up big numbers on offense so far this season. Quarterback Jarious Jackson threw for 302 yards against Michigan and the Irish rushed for 363 yards in the season opener with Kansas.

"It's definitely going to be a hard game," Davie said. "They're going to look at the Michigan tape and the Kansas tape, and they pretty much



JOHN DAILY/The Observer

Quarterback Jarious Jackson suffered a sprained toe against Michigan last week. He is expected to start Saturday.

know what we're going to do on offense. It's no secret anymore, so we're going to have to play hard. It's not going to be a walk-over game."

Notre Dame hopes to keep

control of the Shillelagh Trophy, awarded to the winner of each Notre Dame-Purdue match-up. The Irish hold a 46-22-2 all-time record against the Boilermakers.

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Fisher adds new options to offense

♦ **Ohio's 1997 Mr. Football has found a home in Indiana and Notre Dame's backfield**

By MIKE CONNOLLY
Associate Sports Editor



Tony Fisher

position: *tailback*

year: *sophomore*

awards: *1997 USA Today Player of the Year in Ohio; voted Mr. Football in '97 in Ohio, rated 69th-best player in the country by the Chicago Sun-Times*
notables: *leads team in all purpose yards (237); had a 40-yard run and a 47-yard catch against Michigan in 1999; rushed for 111 yards and two touchdowns on 13 carries in his first collegiate start*

If Ohio State head coach John Cooper hates Notre Dame because of its TV agreement with NBC, sophomore tailback Tony Fisher could be the reason why.

Fisher, who was named Mr. Football in Ohio his senior year, said that seeing Notre Dame on TV every week played a big part in his decision to wear the blue and gold rather than the scarlet and gray.

"Notre Dame was like a dream for me since I was growing up," he said. "That was all you saw on TV was Notre Dame football. Coming to Notre Dame was an opportunity to make a dream into a reality."

Hailing from Euclid High School in Euclid, Ohio, it was assumed that the high school that produced former Buckeye stars Robert Smith and Pepe Pearson would also send Fisher to Ohio State.

Many people put pressure on Fisher to stay in state and play for the Buckeyes.

"There was a great deal of pressure considering that Robert Smith was the only two-time Mr. Football in Ohio," Fisher said. "Plus since he and Pepe both went there it was as if Ohio State offered me a scholarship when I was a sophomore. I felt a lot of pressure to go down there."

Fisher, however, wanted to make a name for himself and not follow in the footsteps of previous stars.

"Notre Dame gave me the opportunity to do something different," he said. "Most running backs and players from my high school went to Ohio State. Coming to Notre Dame gave me the chance to do something for myself."

Despite all the pressure from Ohio State fans and Euclid's tradition of sending its stars to Ohio State, Fisher chose Notre Dame in the end.

"I was scared that if I didn't go to Ohio State a lot of people would turn on me," Fisher said. "But coming down to crunch time, something in my mind told me to go to Notre Dame."

Against Michigan last Saturday, Fisher again found himself in "crunch time." In the fourth quarter, Fisher was on the field for every critical offen-

sive play. Fisher said he was honored to be on the field for those key plays.

"It was pretty much of a privilege," he said. "Luckily the coaches have confidence to keep me in the game when it was crunch time. So I think it was a big confidence booster for me."

Fisher has come a long way in the spring and the summer to reach the point where he is now. After getting only 18 carries and gaining 75 yards as a freshman waiting behind Autry Denson in the depth chart, Fisher entered this year as a co-starter with junior tailback Tony Driver.

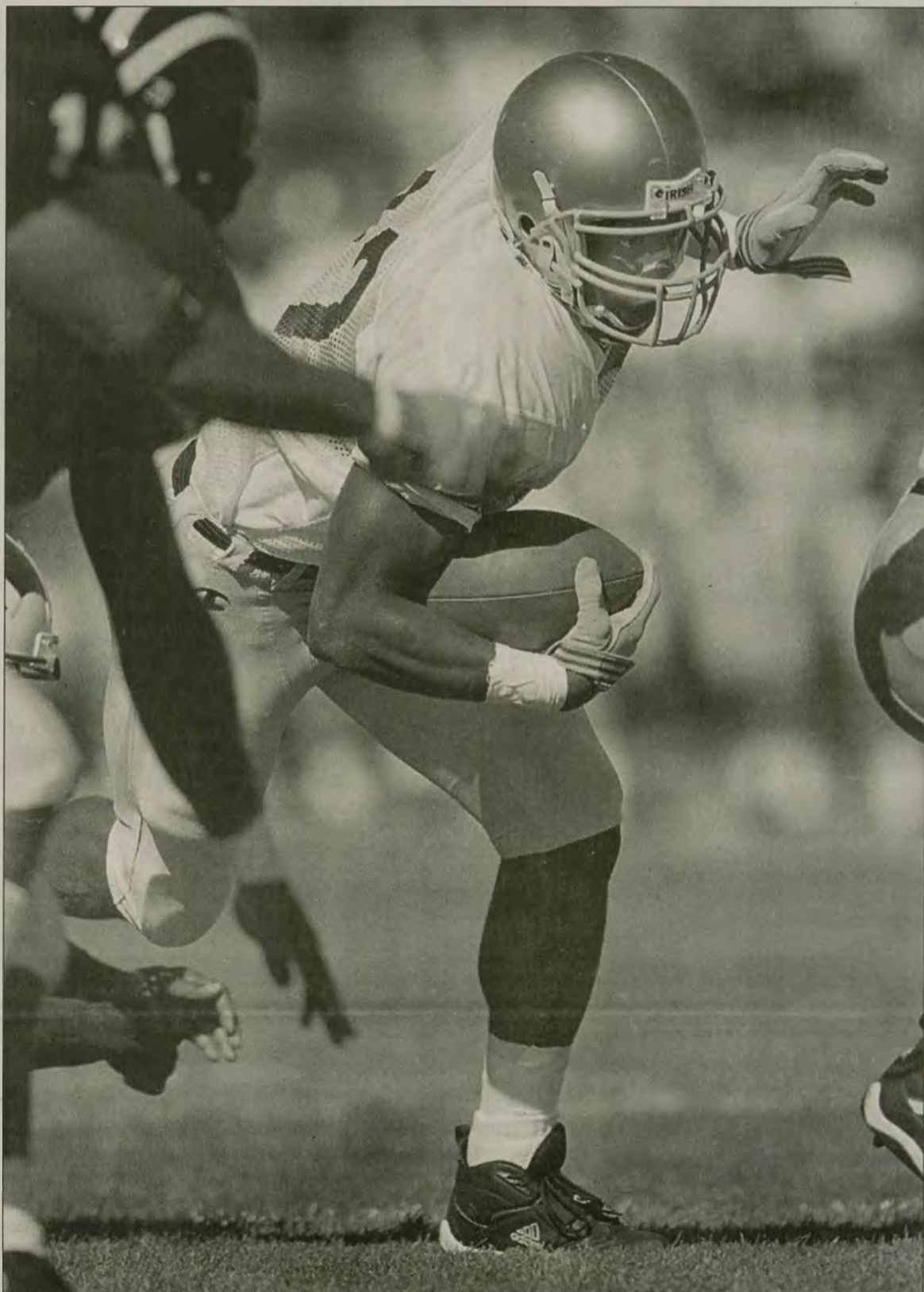
Playing behind Denson helped him become a better back, according

to Fisher.

"It helped me out a great deal," Fisher said. "I got the opportunity to watch Notre Dame's all-time leading rusher. When I would get into the game, Autry would tell me to just be relaxed. Now out here in practice and in the games, I am just trying to keep that same kind of focus."

That focus allowed him to slightly separate himself from Driver in the eyes of the coaches to become the more featured back in the Irish offense. Despite Fisher's emergence as a solid tailback, head coach Bob Davie said that the competition for playing time is far from over.

"Tony Fisher, right now, as far as the different dimensions he brings with pass receiving, protection — all the things we ask a tailback to do — is probably a little more solid than Tony



JEFF HSU/The Observer

Tony Fisher runs for daylight against the Michigan Wolverines last Saturday. Against Michigan, Fisher rushed for 75 yards and gained 51 yards as a receiver out of the backfield. Fisher's multiple talents allow the Irish to be more versatile without substituting.

Driver," Davie said. "But it is still close."

The competition with Driver has improved both backs' game, according to Fisher.

"I think it is making us both a better player," he said. "We know what we got to do since we are going out there everyday and competing in practice."

The competition for playing time was extremely close going into the Kansas game but Fisher was given the starting nod against the Jayhawks. He rotated every possession with Driver but distinguished himself with a 46 yard touchdown run in the fourth quarter to give the Irish a 41-13 lead. Fisher finished his

first start with 111 yards rushing and two touchdowns.

Fisher's runs came despite some poor blocking, according to Davie.

"He made some of those runs by himself"

Bob Davie
on Fisher's runs against Kansas

"[Fisher] made some of those runs by himself," Davie said after the Kansas game. "I don't think we blocked anyone on a

few of those runs."

Against the Wolverines, the Irish used Fisher to showcase a new offensive wrinkle. The tailback caught two passes for 51 yards, including a 47-yard catch that set up an Irish touchdown. Fisher said that he has always been a good receiver.

"I started off playing receiver

when I started playing football," he said. "And I guess coach Rogers noticed that I could catch so he put me in the offensive passing package."

Fisher's receiving threat makes the Irish offense more dangerous, according to Davie.

"One thing you have seen in college football right now is that you can give diversity by formation without substituting," he said. "Because if you substitute to get diversity, the defense substitutes and they can match up with nickel and dime players in the game. If you can be a two-back team and then line up in a one-back set, that causes problems for the defense because they have a linebacker matching up with a running back."

Fisher will look to add to his team-leading 237 yards of total offense this Saturday against Purdue in West Lafayette.

up close &
personal
WITH TONY FISHER

birthdate: *Oct. 12, 1979*
hometown: *Euclid, Ohio*
dimensions: *6-foot-1, 205 pounds*
favorite class at Notre Dame: *psychology*
word to describe him on the field: *emotional*

best moment at Notre Dame off the field: *meeting Holly Martin*
best moment on the Notre Dame field: *47-yard touchdown run against Kansas in 1999 Eddie Robinson Classic*

chose Notre Dame over: *Ohio State, Michigan State, West Virginia, Syracuse*
favorite stadium to play in other than Notre Dame stadium: *Ohio Stadium*

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Sept. 4	at Michigan	L 26-22
Sept. 11	at Purdue	
Sept. 18	MICHIGAN STATE	
Oct. 2	OKLAHOMA	
Oct. 9	ARIZONA STATE	
Oct. 16	USC	
Oct. 30	NAVY	
Nov. 6	at Tennessee	
Nov. 13	at Pittsburgh	
Nov. 20	BOSTON COLLEGE	
Nov. 27	at Stanford	



third season at Notre Dame

career record:

17-10

at Notre Dame:

17-10

against Purdue:

Davie
head coach

Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	YR
1	Deke Cooper	FS	6-2	220	SR
2	Carlos Pierre-Antoine	ILB	6-3	245	SO
3	Amaz Battle	QB	6-1	215	SO
4	Jamar Taylor	WR	6-0	200	FR
5	A'Jani Sanders	FS	5-10	197	SR
6	David Givens	SE	6-1	217	SO
7	Jarious Jackson	QB	6-1	228	SR
8	Eric Chappell	QB	6-4	226	SR
8	Anthony Brannan	OLB	5-10	215	SR
9	Raki Nelson	FL	5-11	180	SR
9	Dwayne Francis	DB	6-0	189	SO
10	Deveron Harper	CB	5-11	187	SR
11	Jay Johnson	SE	6-0	191	SR
12	Tony Fisher	RB	6-2	225	SO
13	Nick Setta	K / P	6-0	160	FR
14	James Caputo	P	6-1	193	SR
14	Dan Novakov	QB	6-3	210	FR
15	Clifford Jefferson	CB	5-9	182	SO
16	Glenn Earl	DB	6-1	185	FR
16	John Shingler	TE	6-2	252	SR
17	Joey Hildbold	P / K	5-11	175	FR
17	Jeremy Juarez	FB	5-11	250	JR
18	Joey Getherall	FL	5-7	176	JR
19	Jim Sanson	K	5-9	187	SR
20	Gerome Sapp	DB	6-0	210	FR
21	Javin Hunter	FL	6-0	185	SO
22	Julius Jones	RB	5-11	185	FR
23	Chris Yura	RB / DB	5-11	195	FR
24	Albery Force	DB	5-10	185	FR
25	Tony Driver	TB	6-1	217	JR
26	Lee Lafayette	CB	5-9	196	SR
27	Jason Beckstrom	DB	5-10	185	FR
28	Donald Dykes	SS	5-11	197	SO
28	Mike Grady	FS	5-11	200	SR
29	Justin Smith	FS	5-11	190	JR
30	Rocky Boiman	OLB	6-4	245	SO
32	Terrance Howard	TB	6-1	193	SO
33	Courtney Watson	RB	6-2	205	FR
34	Ronnie Nicks	ILB	6-0	240	SR
35	Dale Miller	K-P	5-11	190	SO
35	Tim O'Neill	TB	5-5	163	SO
36	Tom Lopienski	FB	6-1	259	SO
37	Ron Israel	SS	6-0	205	JR
39	Anthony Denman	ILB	6-2	230	JR
39	Chris Leck	SS	5-9	192	SR
40	Jason Murray	FB	6-1	260	JR
40	Brendan Farrell	ILB	5-9	232	SR
41	Joe Ferrer	OLB	6-2	235	SR
42	Shane Walton	CB	5-11	185	SO
44	Grant Irons	DE	6-5	272	JR
45	Joey Goodspeed	FB	6-0	250	SR
46	Andrew Dempsey	TE / DE	6-2	252	JR
47	Mike McNair	FB	6-0	242	SO
47	Johnathan Hebert	SE	5-11	199	SR
50	Cedric Hilliard	DL	6-3	295	FR
51	Tyree Harrison	ILB	6-2	235	SO
52	Jeff Faine	OL	6-3	310	FR
53	Lamont Bryant	DE	6-3	265	SR
54	B.J. Scott	C	6-3	285	SR
55	Jim Jones	OG	6-3	307	SR
56	Pat Ryan	LB	6-3	220	FR
56	John Crowther	LS	6-2	245	SO
57	Justin Thomas	LB	6-2	230	FR
57	Luigi Rao	LB	5-10	208	JR
58	Brendan O'Connor	OG	6-2	292	JR
60	Darrell Campbell	DL	6-4	245	SO
61	Mike Zelenka	FB	6-0	218	JR
62	Casey Robin	OT	6-7	311	JR
63	Brennan Curtin	OL	6-8	295	FR
63	Mike Tribe	ILB	5-10	220	JR
64	John Merandi	C	6-3	300	SR
65	Sean Milligan	OL	6-4	285	FR
66	JW Jordan	C	6-1	277	JR
67	Ryan Gillis	OL	6-3	315	FR
68	Matt Brennan	OT	6-6	305	SR
69	Mike Gandy	OG	6-4	292	SR
70	Jim Molinaro	DL	6-7	240	FR
71	Neil Ambron	OL	6-7	275	FR
72	Ryan Scarola	OL	6-5	303	SO
74	Rob Mowl	OG	6-5	295	SR
75	Kurt Vollers	OT	6-7	299	JR
76	John Teasdale	OT	6-6	306	JR
77	Brad Williams	DT	6-4	288	SR
78	Jordan Black	OT	6-6	313	SO
79	Sean Mahan	OT	6-4	285	SO
80	Gary Godsey	TE	6-7	255	FR
83	Patrick Reynolds	WR	5-11	184	SO
84	John Owens	TE	6-3	246	FR
85	Antwon Jones	DT	6-2	283	SR
85	Mark Rule	WR / QB	6-2	218	SR
86	Dan O'Leary	TE	6-4	260	SR
87	Jabari Holloway	TE	6-4	260	JR
88	Bobby Brown	FL	6-2	193	SR
89	Gerald Morgan	TE	6-4	261	SO
90	Lance Legree	DT	6-1	296	SR
91	N. VanHook-Drucker	DE	6-2	271	SR
94	Andy Wisne	DT	6-3	270	JR
95	Ryan Roberts	DE	6-2	260	SO
98	Anthony Weaver	DT	6-3	270	SO
98	Eric Glass	DT	6-4	252	SR
99	Jason Ching	DE	6-3	267	SR

IN POSITION: *the defensive secondary*



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Senior cornerback Deveron Harper chases down Drew Brees in last year's game against Purdue.

Secondary faces challenge

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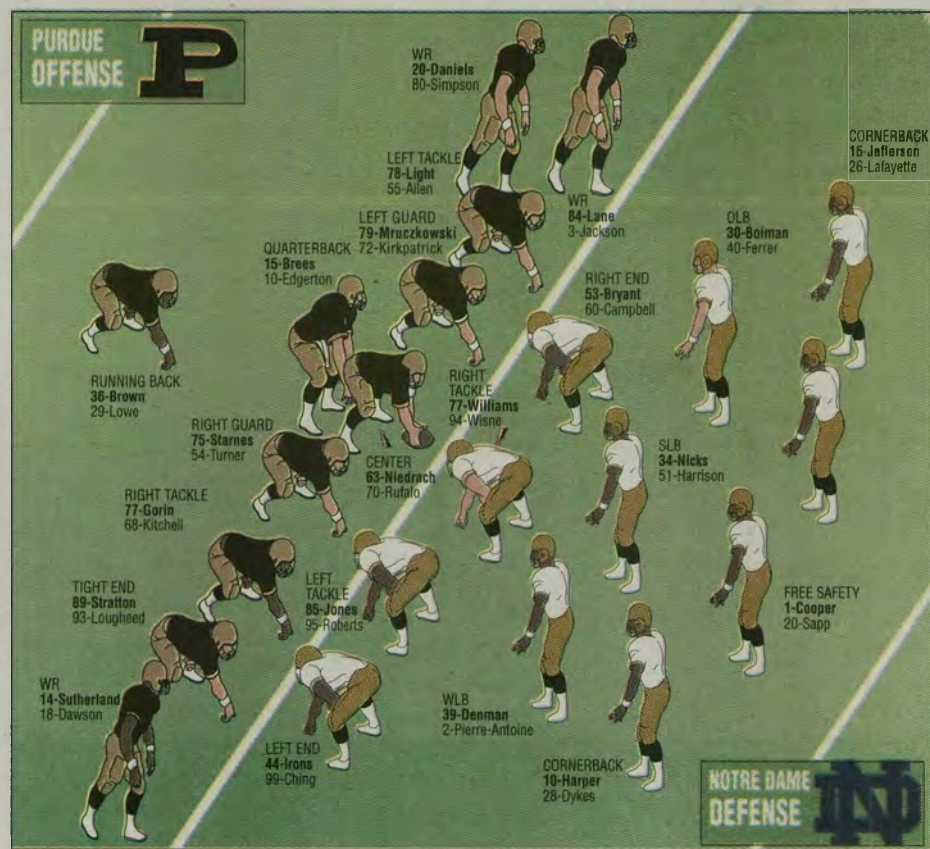
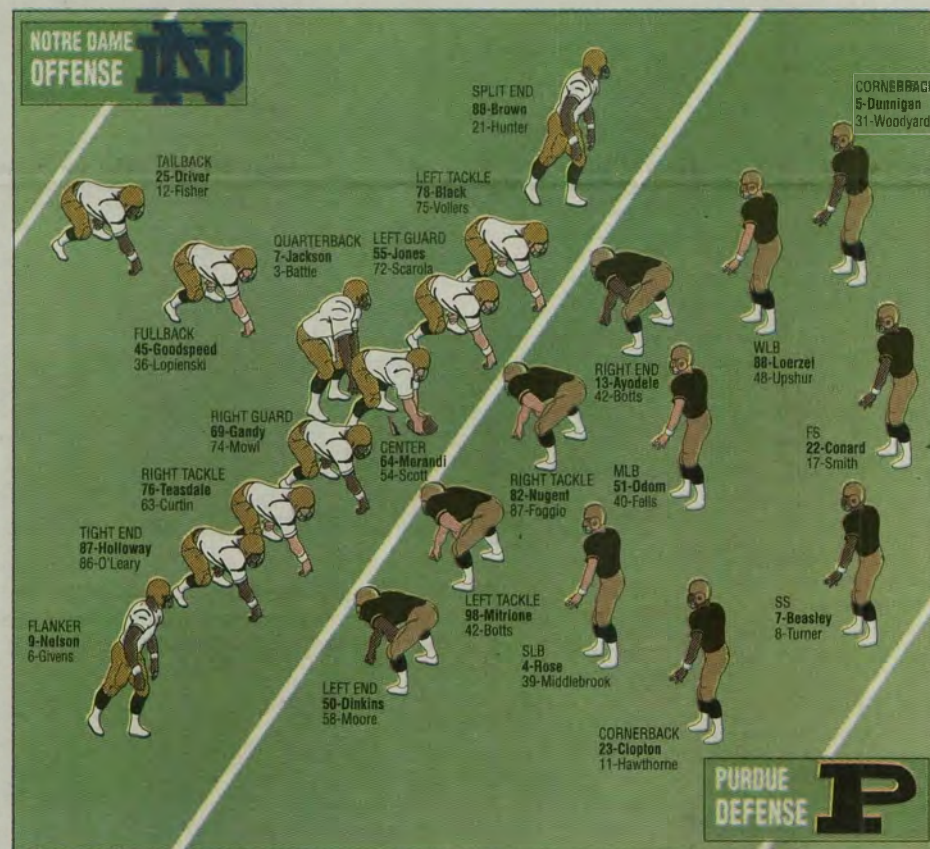
The Notre Dame secondary will have its hands full this weekend as it tries to hold Drew Brees and the Boilermakers passing attack at bay.

The Irish secondary features several

veterans, as well as a strong crop of freshman. Head coach Bob Davie will go with a secondary-by-committee game plan in order to give Brees different looks and to keep the secondary rested.

Freshman Albert Poree and Gerome Sapp are expected to see playing time.

DEPTH CHARTS



1999 BOILERMAKERS

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Oct. 16	MICHIGAN STATE	
Oct. 23	PENN STATE	
Oct. 30	at Minnesota	
Nov. 6	WISCONSIN	
Nov. 20	at Indiana	



third season at Purdue

career record:

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Dame: *I-I*

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5	James Dunnigan	CB	5-9	180	FR
6	Larry Shyne	WR	5-11	170	JR
6	Carl Buegler	DB	6-0	197	SO
7	Adrian Beasley	SS	6-0	200	SR
8	Ralph Turner	DB	6-1	207	FR
9	Robert Tolbert	WR	6-1	194	SR
10	David Edgerton	QB	6-2	213	JR
11	Michael Hawthorne	CB	6-3	196	SR
12	Mike Segard	QB	6-4	220	FR
13	Akin Ayodele	DE/LB	6-3	244	SO
14	Vinny Sutherland	WR	5-10	185	JR
15	Drew Brees	QB	6-1	220	JR
16	Ryan Breska	QB	6-3	195	FR
17	Ben Smith	SS	6-3	203	SO
18	Keith Dawson	WR	6-5	200	SO
18	Jon Getz	DB	6-2	189	SO
19	R'Kes Starling	CB	5-8	178	SO
20	Chris Daniels	WR	6-3	219	SR
21	Antoine Neal	DB	5-10	198	JR
22	Lamar Conrad	DB	5-10	199	SR
22	Brandon Robinson	RB	5-9	175	FR
23	Chris Clopton	DB	5-6	156	JR
24	Dondre Johnson	RB	6-0	215	SO
25	Donald Winston	WR	5-7	158	SR
26	Danny Rogers	P	5-10	204	SR
27	Daveon Walker	WR	5-10	165	FR
27	Jacob Rowe	LB	5-9	214	FR
28	Chris James	WE	5-10	170	FR
29	Montrell Lowe	RB	5-9	182	FR
30	Travis Dorsch	K	6-6	214	SO
31	Ashante Woodyard	CB	6-2	200	JR
31	Joe Williams	WR	6-2	206	FR
32	Alan Ganaway	DB	6-1	186	FR
33	Jared Curtis	DB	5-10	165	FR
34	J. Crabtree	RB	5-9	206	SR
35	Marcus Hill	DB	5-9	165	FR
35	Jascint Vukelich	FB	6-0	224	SO
36	Sedrick Brown	RB	6-1	234	SO
37	Bryan Jacquay	DB	5-7	171	JR
38	Brady Doe	WR	6-0	191	SO
39	Cornell Middlebrook	LB	6-2	229	FR
40	Willie Fells	LB	6-1	225	SR
41	Alex Tone	LB	5-10	211	SO
42	Brent Botts	DT	6-3	257	JR
44	Steve Ennis	RB	6-0	215	FR
45	Melvin Scurry	LB/DB	6-3	205	FR
46	Tom Vaughan	DB	6-0	187	JR
47	Landon Johnson	LB	6-3	195	FR
48	Tim Upshur	LB	6-1	210	SO
49	Mike Decker	LB	6-3	224	FR
50	Brian Dinkins	DE	6-1	262	JR
51	Joe Odom	LB	6-2	222	FR
52	Max Miller	DE	6-2	249	FR
53	Shaun Phillips	TE/DE	6-3	225	FR
54	Rob Turner	OL	6-4	286	FR
55	Ian Allen	OT	6-4	289	JR
55	Eric Reynolds	LB	6-3	202	SO
56	Chukky Okobi	OG	6-2	323	JR
57	Ray Lee	LB	6-1	239	SR
58	Warren Moore	DE	6-2	260	JR
59	John Duggan	DE	6-5	255	FR
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66	Brian Koppen	OG	6-7	322	SO
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68	Kelly Kitchel	OL	6-7	284	FR
70	Sean Rufolo	C	6-2	272	SO
72	Josh Kirkpatrick	C	6-1	268	SO
74	Jason Eisele	OL	6-4	250	FR
75	Aaron Starnes	OG	6-4	301	SR
76	Joe Webster	OL	6-6	329	FR
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78	Matt Light	OT	6-5	288	JR
79	Gene Mruczkowski	OL	6-3	296	FR
80	A.T. Simpson	SO	6-5	217	WR
81	Chris Randolph	TE	6-4	250	SO
82	David Nugent	DT	6-5	296	SR
83	Seth Morales	WR	6-0	170	SO
84	Randall Lane	WR	6-1	210	SR
85	Doyal Butler	TE	6-3	235	FR
86	Asa Slaughter	WR	6-0	223	FR
87	Rocco Foggio	DB	6-4	276	JR
88	Jason Lorzel	LB	6-3	220	SO
89	Tim Stratton	TE	6-4	241	SO
90	Derrick Williams	DT	6-4	292	JR
91	Nick Mangosing	TE	6-5	265	FR
92	Craig Terrill	DE	6-4	262	FR
93	Pete Loughheed	TE	6-5	255	FR
-94	Luke Burroughs	DE	6-4	223	FR
95	Jody Goutley	TE	6-3	257	JR
96	Daameon Grier	DT	6-2	315	FR
97	Jon Holloway	DT	6-4	295	JR
98	Matt Mitrone	DE	6-3	286	SO
99	Kurt Davies	DE	6-3	256	JR
99	Joseph Blake	TE	6-2	210	SO

EYE ON THE ENEMY

Boilermaker quarterback could burn Irish

By TIM CASEY
Sports Writer

He's the reigning Big Ten Co-offensive Player of the Year. Along the way, he set Big Ten marks for touchdowns, yards passing, total offense, completions and attempts in a single season. He has already equaled the number of touchdown passes that Notre Dame's all-time leader, Ron Powlus, achieved in four years. One more thing: he's started 14 games in his career.

No wonder Irish head coach Bob Davie and his staff are concerned with Drew Brees.

"When you look at Purdue, you always start with their offense first because they do a tremendous job," said Davie at Tuesday's press conference. "It starts with the quarterback. The thing about Drew Brees to me is his competitiveness and how mobile he is; how many plays he makes throwing the ball on the run. He has got a good presence."

"When he scrambles outside of the pocket, he is really dan-

gerous," said cornerback Clifford Jefferson. "He can scramble and find receivers wide open. That can really hurt us in a game if we let that happen."

From his first game as a starter a year ago, Brees has been on a tear. In last season's opener at USC, Brees threw the ball 52 times. Brees threw over 40 passes seven times last year, including an NCAA record 83 attempts against Wisconsin.

After leading Westlake High to a cumulative 28-0-1 record in his last two years, Brees was shunned by the major schools, including both Texas and Texas A&M. They feared an ACL injury he suffered as a junior may have an impact in college. Some coaches thought at 6-foot-1 that he was too small for major Division 1-A football. Brees chose Purdue over Kentucky, where Tim Couch served as his host.

"He was somewhat of a legendary high school quarterback in the state of Texas," said Davie. "As far as are situation here at Notre Dame I don't know if he was ever brought to

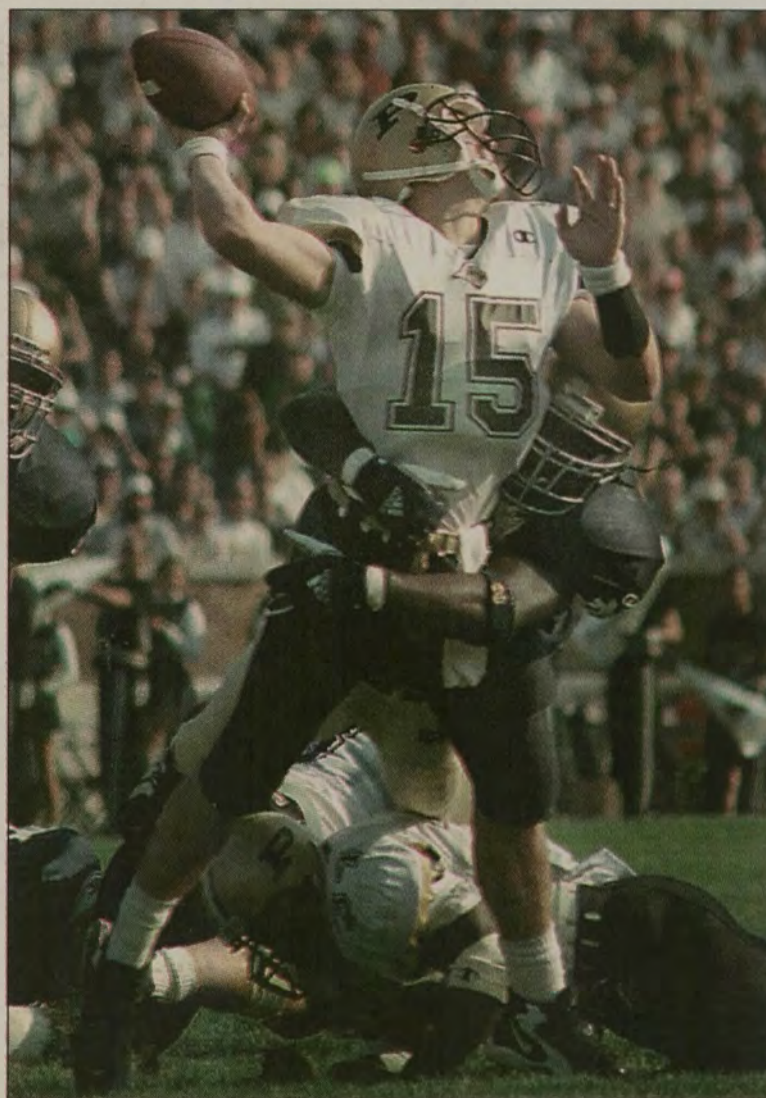
our attention directly or if we evaluated him. But we're not alone in schools that didn't recruit him but wished they did."

A preseason Heisman favorite, Brees helped his cause in last week's 47-13 opening season victory at Central Florida. The junior completed over 60 percent of his attempts for 273 yards and four touchdown strikes.

Michigan State coach Nick Saban played against Purdue and Brees last year. In a featured article in Sports Illustrated on Brees, Saban compares him to a famous Irish alum.

"Brees reminds me of Joe Montana," Saban told SI. "He makes you feel that, play after play, you're about to do something big against him, and then he does something big against you. It's incredibly frustrating for a coach or a team."

Purdue's passing attack will test the young Notre Dame secondary. Thus far this year, the Irish defensive backs have allowed 386 total yards through the air.



BRETT HOGAN/The Observer

In the 1998 meeting, the Irish pass rush rattled Drew Brees and forced him to throw two fourth-quarter interceptions that allowed the Irish to come from behind to win.

fast facts

ABOUT
PURDUE

- ◆ Location: West Lafayette, Ind.
- ◆ Enrollment: 36,878
- ◆ Colors: Old Gold and Black
- ◆ Nickname: Boilermakers
- ◆ Conference: Big Ten
- ◆ Fight Song: "Hail Purdue"

- ◆ Notre Dame and Purdue have met for 54 straight years — tied with USC for the Irish's second longest rivalry — behind only Navy.
- ◆ Irish have outscored Boilermakers 222-107 since 1992.

PURDUE LAST WEEK

Brees passes for 273 in win over Central Florida

By FRED GOODALL
Associated Press

ORLANDO, Fla.

Drew Brees and No. 22 Purdue gave Central Florida a taste of how tough life without Daunte Culpepper could be.

Brees threw for 273 yards and four touchdowns Saturday night as the Boilermakers matched their longest win-

ning streak in 20 years with a season-opening 47-13 rout.

The victory was the seventh straight for Purdue. The Boilermakers won six in a row each of the past two seasons, but hadn't won seven consecutive since 1979.

Brees took up where he left off in a record-breaking sophomore year with TD passes of 27 yards to Chris Daniels, 18 to Tim Stratton, 2 to Randall Lane and 22 to Vinny Sutherland.

"I felt really comfortable out there. There was no time when I felt pressure," Brees said. "Overall, you can play a lot better. But we did score 44 (actually 47) points."

Safety Adrian Beasley set up touchdowns with two of Purdue's four interceptions off Vic Penn, a junior college transfer making his debut as Culpepper's successor for Central Florida.

Mike Rose scored on a 25-yard interception return. The Boilermakers also got a TD pass from kicker Travis Dorsch, who threw to Chris Randolph after his 22-yard field goal attempt was blocked in the third quarter.

"We were just too inconsistent to move the football. We couldn't protect. We dropped a few passes, which I didn't think we would do," Central Florida coach Mike Kruczek said.

"I thought Victor played fairly well, considering the heat was on him. It's aggravating to play inconsistently the way we did. I'm not going to make excuses."

Central Florida increased its national profile the past four seasons with Culpepper, who was the 11th pick in this year's NFL draft.

Without him, it will be difficult to duplicate last year's 9-2 record.

Central Florida's September schedule is one of the toughest in the nation with all four opponents ranked in the Top 25. The Knights visit No. 4 Florida next week, then travel to No. 10 Georgia Tech and No. 12 Georgia.

Penn, 24-of-45 for 250 yards and one touchdown, began his college career with South Carolina in 1997 before spending last season at Garden City, Kan. Community College.

Purdue sacked him four times and also forced a fourth-quarter fumble by the

quarterback.

"I didn't think we played well offensively, but we played solid defensively after the opening drive," Purdue coach Joe Tiller said.

Brees threw for 3,753 yards and 36 touchdowns a year ago, setting school and Big Ten records for attempts, completions, yards and TDs.

The junior didn't have one of his more productive games in Purdue's 35-7 rout of Central Florida in 1998, but moved the ball almost at will in building a 23-6 halftime lead this time.

Daniels scored late in the first quarter, taking a pass over the middle and using a burst of speed to elude two defenders and a couple of nifty moves to get past two more would-be tacklers to get into the end zone.

Brees capped a 79-yard, second-quarter drive by finding Stratton alone on a play in which Central Florida had 12 men on the field. While the penalty was declined, the mistake was indicative of the kind of errors that hindered the over-matched Knights.

Central Florida marched 83 yards to open the game, taking the lead on Penn's 26-yard TD pass to Kenny Clark. Central Florida botched the extra point when Mike Hedge snapped the ball over the heads of the kicker and holder.

Seven minutes later, the Knights lined up to punt and Hedge snapped the ball through the end zone for a safety.

Purdue also blocked a punt, and Central Florida's Javier Beorlegui missed a 40-yard field goal after the Knights recovered a first-quarter fumble at the Boilermakers 39.

Brees, who's tied with Jim Everett for third on Purdue's career TD pass list with 43, completed 26 of 43 passes and was intercepted once.



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Jarious Jackson's ability to escape from opposing defenders could be hampered this Saturday by his toe injury. The Irish quarterback suffered turf toe against Michigan last Saturday.

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AROUND THE NATION

ACC showdown highlights weekend

♦ Joe Hamilton leads
Yellow Jackets into
Seminole country

By **BILL HART**
Associate Sports Editor

Georgia Tech will try to dethrone the top seat in the country this weekend when it heads to Tallahassee, Fla., to take on Florida State. History, however, is not on Tech's side: 40 straight teams have tried and failed to defeat the Florida State juggernaut at home, a streak that dates back to 1991.

This doesn't mean that the Ramblin' Wreck doesn't have a chance, though. With a highly successful air offensive in quarterback Joe Hamilton and receivers Dez White and Joe Burns, the Jackets might be able to exploit FSU's greatest weakness — giving up big plays in the passing game. This was illustrated best in last year's Fiesta Bowl, when Tennessee's Peerless Price caught passes of 76 and 79 yards en route to the national title.

Still, Florida State does have history on its side, and the manpower to back it up. Top-ranked Florida State was eventually able to wear out Louisiana Tech, 41-7, mostly due to three touchdowns caused by three Bulldog turnovers.

Wide receiver Peter Warrick tore up the field in his usual fashion, going for 121 yards and one touchdown on nine catches.

Perhaps the most daunting stat facing Georgia Tech this week is that out of the eight ranked ACC teams ever to play in Tallahassee, only one team stayed within a touchdown of the home team. In fact, only five of those teams were even able to score.



JOHN DAILY/The Observer

Joe Hamilton, shown here against the Irish in the Gator Bowl, leads his 10th-ranked Georgia Tech Yellow Jackets to Tallahassee to take on No. 1 Florida State.

No. 14 UCLA at No. 13 Ohio State

Two of the top programs in the Big Ten and Pac-10 collide in this all-star match up, which may have BCS implications by the end of the year.

UCLA started its season on a positive note last weekend, in a 38-7 romp of Boise State. With the position vacuum caused by the departure of quarterback Cade McNown, it was the duo of Drew Bennett and Cory Paus that provided the offensive spark for the Bruins, completing a total of 20-for-34 for 248 yards and three interceptions. This

weekend, however, it won't be injuries from last week that depletes the roster of the Pac-10 powerhouse. Suspensions have rocked the Bruins. Eleven players were suspended last week in a handicapped-parking scam, which means that 14 players will start for only the second time in their college careers.

As for Ohio State, a quick loss to No. 12 Miami (Fla.) in the Kickoff Classic marked the first time head coach John Cooper has lost his opener in his 12 seasons in Columbus. Most of the blame for the loss is

being centered around quarterback Steve Bellisari, whose two fumbles late in the game allowed the Hurricanes to regain their momentum. After a 11-1 season marred only by a loss to the Spartans of Michigan State, the Buckeyes looked completely flat against the Hurricanes, with only 220 total yards for the game. In order to get back on track, some major offensive retooling will be needed.

South Carolina at No. 12 Georgia

The workload doesn't get any easier for head coach Lou Holtz, as he takes his Gamecocks into Athens, Ga. It will be the second-straight road match-up against a ranked opponent for South Carolina, following a 10-0 loss to No. 24 North Carolina State in Holtz's coaching debut.

Despite the lack of offense, the Gamecocks played a much better game than most critics expected. The game was held at 3-0 until late in the fourth quarter, when a blocked punt at the 5-yard line was returned by the Wolfpack for a touchdown. Look for running back Derek Watson to attempt to lead the ground attack, after a 15-for-118 game last weekend.

While the Bulldogs' early schedule seems to have little in the way of demanding opponents, these early tuneups will prove key in establishing a running game.

Fortunately for the Bulldogs, they can finally count on Jasper Sanks, the nation's top running back recruit three years ago. After failing to qualify both academically and physically for the past two years, a toned-up and much more modest Sanks is in the lineup, and sportswriters are already drawing comparisons to another famous Bulldog athlete: Herschel Walker. With three road games against Tennessee, Florida and Georgia Tech looming on the horizon, it will take more than comparisons for Georgia to finish at the top of the SEC.

ESPN/USA Today poll

	team	record	points
1	Florida St.	1-0	1,433
2	Penn St.	2-0	1,406
3	Tennessee	1-0	1,385
4	Florida	1-0	1,223
5	Michigan	1-0	1,207
6	Nebraska	1-0	1,203
7	Texas A&M	1-0	1,109
8	Wisconsin	1-0	1,038
9	Miami, Fla.	2-0	1,002
10	Georgia Tech	1-0	962
11	Virginia Tech	1-0	830
12	Georgia	1-0	807
13	UCLA	1-0	672
14	Ohio St.	0-1	591
15	Arizona	1-1	491
16	Purdue	1-0	464
17	Arkansas	1-0	434
18	Kansas St.	0-0	412
19	Virginia	1-0	374
20	USC	1-0	333
21	NOTRE DAME	1-1	307
22	Alabama	1-0	305
23	Texas	1-1	250
24	NC State	2-0	175
25	Arizona St.	0-0	133

other teams receiving votes: Colorado St. 118, Marshall 94, Syracuse 75, Mississippi St. 36, Air Force 19, Miami, Oh 19, Colorado 18, So. Mississippi 16, West Virginia 15, Texas Tech 13

AP poll

	team	record	points
1	Florida St.	1-0	1,698
2	Penn St.	2-0	1,691
3	Tennessee	1-0	1,631
4	Florida	1-0	1,446
5	Nebraska	1-0	1,402
6	Michigan	1-0	1,394
7	Texas A&M	1-0	1,371
8	Miami, Fla.	2-0	1,258
9	Wisconsin	1-0	1,183
10	Georgia Tech	1-0	1,091
11	Virginia Tech	1-0	1,025
12	Georgia	1-0	974
13	Ohio St.	0-1	786
14	UCLA	1-0	719
15	Arkansas	1-0	626
16	NOTRE DAME	1-1	573
17	Kansas St.	0-0	526
18	USC	1-0	524
19	Arizona	1-1	517
20	Purdue	1-0	510
21	Alabama	1-0	434
22	Virginia	1-0	314
23	NC State	2-0	209
24	Colorado St.	1-0	176
25	Arizona St.	0-0	124

other teams receiving votes: Texas 104, Marshall 98, BYU 83, Mississippi St. 59, Michigan St. 43, Louisville 42, Syracuse 26, Colorado 25, Oklahoma St. 8, LSU 6

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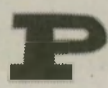


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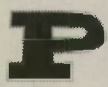
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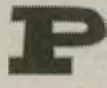
quarterbacks: Jackson has been inconsistent thus far. Brees is one of the nation's best.



running backs: Fisher has put together back-to-back solid games for the Irish, solidifying the running attack. Purdue's top two backs are red-shirt freshmen.



receivers: Vinny Sutherland, Chris Daniels and company are on the receiving end of the nation's most feared passing attack.



offensive line: Three starting linemen return from last year for Purdue. Only one returns for Notre Dame.



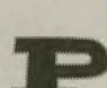
defensive line: The D-line is the strength of the Notre Dame defense. Both Purdue's DEs graduated last year.



linebackers: Boiman, Nicks, Denman and Harrison have been solid for the Irish.



secondary: Tom Brady looked like the second coming of Motana last week.



special teams: The loss of Getherall won't help. Purdue PK Travis Dorsch is the reigning Big 10 special teams player of the week.



coaching: It wasn't the coaching that undid the Irish last week. Kevin Rogers is very quickly making us forget Jim Colletto.



intangibles: Jarious and company went into the Big House last week and hung in the game despite three turnovers and 10 penalties.



Overall

The Irish rebounded from last year's first loss with eight straight wins.

Brees will be able to throw the ball against the ND secondary, but the Irish offense should be able to handle the Boilermaker defense. Nightmares from the last time the Irish went to West Lafayette will not return this year.

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Tony Driver returns one of two fourth-quarter interceptions against Purdue last year. His two picks led the Irish to a 31-30 come-from-behind victory over the Boilermakers.

Purdue presents realistic challenge

Times have changed.

For years, Notre Dame gave Purdue a swift beating on the football field. The Boilers took their lumps, often begging later to be allowed to return the favor on the basketball court.

While Notre Dame still won't play Purdue in basketball, things couldn't be more different on the football field. No more should the Irish count on meeting Purdue and walking away with an easy victory.

Two years ago, Purdue shocked everyone (especially Purdue students) when it dominated the Irish by putting up nearly 500 yards in offense during a 28-17 victory at Ross-Ade Stadium. In the short time since, beating the Irish has

almost become an expectation for fans and students at Purdue.

It's not cockiness. It's confidence. Something that the Boilers lacked before Coach Joe Tiller took over the program prior to the 1997 season.

After two nine-win seasons and two bowl victories against nationally ranked teams, Purdue is ready to contend with nearly anyone.

Ask any returning player at Purdue and chances are that last year's loss at Notre Dame is fresh on the memory. The Boilers led throughout, usually by double digits — until the fourth quarter. Leading in the last five minutes of the game, Purdue collapsed. Quarterback Drew Brees overthrew receiver Randall Lane and Tony Driver collected his first of two interceptions in the final minutes.

The rest is no secret: The Irish scored a game-winning field goal with less than a minute to play to defeat the Boilers 31-30.

Shortly after Purdue discarded Central Florida last Saturday at the Citrus Bowl, the talk

quickly turned to Notre Dame. When asked, Brees sheepishly acknowledged that he had thought about the game.

I would venture to say that Michael Jordan thought less about his role in Chicago's last three NBA Championships than Brees thought about his desire to rectify the end of last year's game.

While angering a quarterback with only 14 career starts is not as threatening as calling his Airness "Michelle," Notre Dame fans can expect to see a sharp and focused Brees. Key signs of this include footfalls flying with tremendous accuracy, few mental errors and a continuing trend of making something out of nothing when a play breaks down.

Once again, Saturday's meeting is a sellout. But, as the team has evolved in recent years, so have the fans. For the first time in years, Purdue's home crowd could be a factor.

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Irish should forget Michigan, focus on Boilermakers

Is anyone else aware that Purdue is the team next up on Notre Dame's slate and not Michigan?

With everyone still up in arms over the so-called controversies surrounding the Irish last weekend, you'd think that the loss to the Wolverines ended our season. We were tagged for excessive celebration and a late hit penalty. We lost yardage. Michigan capitalized. They scored. They won. End of story. Let's move on — remember, we still have ten more games to play this year.

True, I have forgotten to take into account that it's 1999. It's our year to win it all. It's just too bad that we forgot to let Michigan know that. Just in case the Boilermakers don't know about our destiny, there are a couple of things we might want to bring with us to Ross-Ade Stadium on Saturday — in the odd event that we have to work to beat them:

♦ A secondary that can give up less than 237 passing yards. Yes, Michigan's Tom Brady and Drew Henson are quarterbacks capable of throwing for far more yards, but their aerial arsenal is nothing compared to Drew Brees'. As a sophomore last season, Brees averaged around 30 completions a game. Michigan completed 20 against Notre Dame last weekend.

Clifford Jefferson is getting a feel for the backfield. Against Michigan, he made nine tackles and broke-up what would have been a key play to David Terrell, Michigan's best receiver.

But he and the rest of the backfield cannot afford to get burned when Brees is checking his receivers. Senior Deveron Harper will fill the other corner and will need to set the tone like he did against Kansas with his 22-yard interception touchdown return. He'll certainly have a lot of passes to pick from.

♦ An offense free of fundamental errors. Michigan brought a defense capable of doing far more damage to the Irish attack than occurred last week. In amassing 398 yards, Jarious Jackson and the offensive line must have done something right. But getting sacked four times, botching five pitchouts and throwing a fourth-quarter interception were not them.

Is Kevin Roger's option offense something new for the Irish? Of course, I'd like to think that's the reason for the sloppy play. But they can't expect to move the ball as well as they did against Michigan with the critical mistakes. Notre Dame got lucky at Michigan (you never would have guessed it), but as we all know, luck sometimes runs out.

♦ A little more composure in the game's closing minutes. The Irish had the Wolverines beat, the Big House crowd silenced, and the momentum in their favor. All they needed was to stop Michigan in their final drive. Was it possible? Yes, considering the Wolverines only scored one touchdown up to that point, despite being inside Notre Dame's 40 five times.

Who knows, maybe the Irish can win without correcting some of the errors that gave Michigan the win. That is, if the Boilermakers can figure out the significance of 1999 for Notre Dame.

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Junior tailback Tony Driver fights off a tackle in Notre Dame's victory over Kansas earlier this season. Driver was the hero of last year's Purdue game, as he intercepted two passes by Drew Brees and led the Irish to a 31-30 win.

Getting back on track



JEFF HSU/The Observer

Senior Joey Goodspeed rumbles through the Michigan defensive line. Goodspeed is battling Tom Lopienski for the starting job at fullback.

After a disappointing 26-22 loss to Michigan last Saturday, Notre Dame is anxious to get back on the field and return to its winning ways. The

Irish get their chance tomorrow when they square off with the Boilermakers at Ross-Ade Stadium. Purdue has won its last seven games and is looking to return the Shillelagh Trophy to West Lafayette. The Irish look to get back on track and to steal a victory on the road.

Notre Dame holds a 46-22-2 advantage in the all-time series.



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Defensive tackle Tony Weaver (98) celebrates with Lamont Bryant following a sack in the Michigan game.