Mardi Gras '73
getting closer

by Tom McNally
Staff Reporter

Preparations for the opening of Mardi Gras '73 have entered the final stages and according to Promotions Chairman Len Kovac all progress is satisfactory with the exception of raffle ticket sales.

Kovac stated that early ticket sales were “disappointingly low” and showed a general “lack of concern” on the part of the students. Kovac hopes that the students will cooperate with the charity effort and sell more tickets before the February 10 deadline.

The annual Mardi Gras ‘Kick Off Party’ is scheduled for 8:30 next Friday night in the Indiana National Guard Armory in South Bend. Tickets are $5.00 per couple and are now on sale at the Student Union ticket office. They will be sold at the dining halls next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday during the dinner hours.

As in the past the transportation will be provided from the Notre Dame circle to the Armory via St. Mary’s. Buses will begin leaving at 8 p.m. and will run to the Armory until 10:15. The return buses will run from 11:30 p.m. until 1:00 a.m.

The theme of this year Mardi Gras is “Under Sea World of Atlantis.” Some 600 persons reported to St. Mary’s last Monday for the first of twelve work nights and since that time the work has been progressing on schedule toward the February 2 opening.

(Staff photo by Jim Hunt)

Riehle upholds ‘no OC women’ ruling for 73-74

by Tom Drape
Observer reporter

Director of Planning Fr. James Riehle reaffirmed yesterday that the University’s original ruling prohibiting female undergraduates from living off-campus will remain in effect for the 1973-74 school year.

Riehle stated that in Notre Dame’s change to coedication the University officers wanted the women “on campus, as such.” The purpose of the original ruling also involved the need for on-campus orientation for Notre Dame’s first classes of women.

Only natives of South Bend are exempted from the O.C. ban.

“The university, as an institution, is not giving the option for women to move off-campus next year,” Riehle said.

Asked if the decision is reversible, Riehle said that any appeal would have to be “extraordinary” and considered specifically. He cited a recent survey in Indiana Hall placing the number of students interested in moving off-campus at nine.

Ruty Duffy, a member of the Women’s Caucus Steering Committee, is acting on her own initiative to seek out the reasons against women living off-campus next year.

Duffy feels that concern over the “viability” of women on campus is “complete tokenism.”

She plans to bring the matter before the Caucus this Sunday, after meeting with Riehle today.

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Special peace services planned for weekend

by Greg Rynkowski
Staff Reporter

The signing of the Vietnamese cease-fire agreement will be commemorated in services on campus Saturday night and Sunday.

The chief observance to be held Sunday at the Athletic and Convocation Center will include a program with peace as its theme and a Mass celebrated by Fr. Henrigh.

A special prayer service in Sacred Heart Church will commence at the noon hour on the cease-fire being signed, 1:30 p.m., Sunday.

In speaking of Sunday’s events, Provost Fr. James Burtchaell observed. “This is not a celebration because the Vietnam war had no victory.”

Sunday’s program scheduled to start at 3 p.m. will consist of an hour of readings, talks, and music. Fr. Henrigh will preside over the Mass of the Most Sacred Heart.

Saturday’s service will be provided from the Notre Dame campus.

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The planners of Sunday’s events have requested the halls to cancel their usual Sunday liturgies in favor of the community observance. Sacred Heart Church will maintain its regular Mass schedule.

A simple meal will be served in the ACC after the Mass. The North and South dining halls will be closed for the evening meal. Those students who are anticipating the service in the Mass will be served in the ACC Fieldhouse.

Drummers will travel through the campus to announce the events about 2:30. Students are invited to follow them and march into the ACC.

The events are similar to those proposed by the University Academic Council. The idea of suspending classes, which had met with opposition in the council, was enacted. Frs. Hesburgh and Burtchaell had met with opposition in the council, which had met with opposition in the council.

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Paris-Cambodia will stop offensive military operations by Sunday—a day after a cease-fire is to take effect in Vietnam, high diplomatic sources in Paris said Thursday. The sources said the halt would be called on the strength of an "understanding" between Henry Kissinger and Le Duc Pho that the cease-fire would be extended to Cambodia and Laos.

Washington-The State department expects North Vietnam to release American prisoners of war only on the occasion of the Christmas holidays, according to sources in Washington. The American officials, it was added, have not yet received any assurance of the exchange of prisoners, but it is hoped the move will take place, and that a number of the American POWs will return home before Christmas.

Washington-The end of the Vietnam War will have no significance around campus, according to the president of the University of Iowa.

New York-An old ally may be Mayor John V. Lindsay's next political foe. The New York City Democratic Committee, which recently met to decide its candidates for the June 21 primary election, has endorsed for the New York City mayoralty a candidate who is now a member of the Lindsay administration.

Student Center plans to sponsor pool tournament

The Student Center Pool Hall will sponsor its fifth annual "Notre Dame Open" tournament beginning February 5th.

The tournament is open to all Notre Dame students, and no entry fee is charged.

Two trillions will be awarded to the top two finishers in this single-elimination contest.

The pool will be open from 11:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m. each day until February 2nd.

The registration will end February 2nd.

The tournament will have a single-elimination format with the following pool hall entries:

1. A 14-15 continuous 'straight' pocket ball, and the like, which pollute the environment around Holy Cross.
**Head karate instructor awards official black belt to Hessburgh**

by Jim Rosini
Staff Reporter

An honorary black belt in karate was awarded to University President Father Theodore Hessburgh yesterday, by Mr. Dong Sik Kim, master instructor of the Tae Kwon Do Club on campus.

Receiving an honorary black belt in Korea is comparable to receiving an honorary doctorate in this country. Kim, a fifth degree black belt and a member of the United Tae Kwon Do Federation, offered the black belt to Hessburgh for his outstanding work in civil rights movements, stating, “I have a deep respect for this man who has been an inspiration to me.”

The award consisted of a plaque from the United Tae Kwon Do Club (Staff photo by Jim Hunt).

Federation, a Federation pin, a watch, and a black belt.

Posing for photographers with Kim, Hessburgh joked, “I expect that if I have any attackers now you’ll come up and defend me.”

Tae Kwan Do, meaning “the way of the hand and the foot,” is the official karate used by the Korean Army. Being primarily a learning nation, Koreans adopted karate as a method of self defense using their soil-heaved weapons, their hands as weapons.

Kim has been a fifth degree black belt for ten years. He is presently employed by the YMCA of South Bend as a karate instructor. In the future he hopes to start another club on the St. Mary’s campus similar to the club at Notre Dame.

18 drinking age proposed

by Tim Truesdell
Staff Reporter

The proposed Indiana Age of Majority bill, among other revisions would lower the drinking age from 21 to 18.

The specific includes are under debate in the state legislature and currently there are 32 interrelated bills up for consideration. As a result of the ambiguity among bills, the general Assembly is expected to discuss in detail the upcoming sessions.

It is technically impossible to vote on each of the bills. There is a strong possibility that certain provisions will be set aside. If the Assembly does not see the need to evaluate each of the 32 bills, there is a strong possibility that certain provisions will be attached as “riders” or supplements to upcoming bills. The immediate controversy is centered around the drinking question.

Several Notre Dame students have been working in meetings with state legislators and recently

Kazoo sale set for hockey series

by Joseph Abel
Managing Editor

The acquisition of 300 kazoos to be sold before Friday night’s hockey game against Michigan announced by University President Chris Singleton yesterday.

The kazoo, which will sell for 25 cents each in front of gate 3 of the Athletic and Convocation Center Friday night, were located by the Car Nevale School of Music in Chicago early yesterday afternoon. Singleton will journey to Chicago to pick up the special shipment.

This offer of kazoos for sale is part of a campus-wide effort to stimulate enthusiasm for the Notre Dame hockey team during what has been termed as its toughest series this weekend. The project was begun two days ago by Singleton and Student Union Associate Director Dave Barth after a request by hockey coach.

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have arranged to meet in Indiana for further discussion. The area Chamber of Commerce is also being consulted.

According to Mike Hess and Dennis Elsien of Student Government, lowering the drinking age would result in increased revenue for the campus. "If the 18- to 21-year-old drinking privilege goes through, students may be able to convert the "Rathskeller" into a bar-lounge arrangement," Hess said.

As students anxiously await the outcome of congressional efforts to secure passage of the bill a lot will depend upon student participation. Hess suggested that those persons who are interested may contact the Ombudsman Office in the LaFortune Center for a list of county legislators who may answer any questions concerning the bill. Secondly, he noted it would be beneficial if students would write the area lawmakers or circulate a petition in support of the measure.

Choral group to make first European tour

by Mary Conney
Staff Reporter

For the first time in its history, the St. Mary’s-Notre Dame Choral group is going on tour in Europe. The intense date for the tour is set for April 23-May 26. The European tour is one of several new projects initiated this year by the music department.

"The idea of going is to involve the students in a tour situation, to be a part of the experience. It is hoped that, if successful, the choir can tour somewhere every spring," explained Dr. James Washington, D.C., managing director of the music department at St. Mary’s and conductor of the chorus.

Normally the choir has approximately 76 members, but because of financial considerations and lack of room on 48 will go. Among the 48 will be the sixteen members of the Collegium Musicum, a division of the choral group.

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Supriya Brant
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Chorus plans summer trip

by Mary Egan

In a letter dated January 1, Notre Dame's Student Government and Student Union disclosed their financial windfall. The first semester and announced the declaration of a dividend to all students.

During the first semester the two organizations spent a total of $19,000 and now have $32,000 set aside a budget of $20,000 yet to spend. According to Mike Marget, Student Government Treasurer, "We're quite sure we'll be able to finish out the year in the black." If so, Marget noted, this will be the first time in recent student government history that the organizations did not carry a debt into the succeeding year. To debt was as high as $7,000 in 1969.

Stating the reason for this statement, Marget said, "We are releasing this statement because we believe in the spirit of full financial disclosure." Although the statement was unusual, Marget stated that an independent audit team is preparing the customary annual audit.

The dividend, amounting to 2 cents, or "roughly 15 percent of the Student Activity Fee per student," will be distributed to the Student Government offices during the week of January 29-February 2.

According to the letter accompanying the statement, signed "Anonymous," "Student Government has had some bad years and some good years, 1972 was one of them."

The letter disclosed a proposed economizing move to be implemented by the administrative board in a valved shortening of the month of February by one day in each of the next three years.

Students must claim their dividends between the hours of 8 1/2 and 11 and 1/2, according to the following schedule:

Students with laundry numbers—

1000-1999, Monday, Jan. 31
2000-2999, Tuesday, Jan. 30
3000-3999, Wednesday, Jan. 29
4000-4999, Thursday, Feb. 1

All others—"while the pennies last" on Friday, Feb. 2.

Pat Faeli, student government Secretary and color co-ordinator, stated, "The students will have their choice of yellow, pink or blue dividend cards."

Meeting of the Notre Dame Women's Caucus, Sat. Jan.
26 7:30 pm. Mem. Library CH 441
New members welcome
Lack of funds axes control access plans

by Jim Terry

Insufficient funds have effectively ended any attempts to control access to the Memorial Library in the near future. Controlled access, which would deny persons not associated with Notre Dame use of the library, would be "too costly," according to Mr. David E. Sparks, Director of Libraries.

The proposal was rejected by both library officials and administration members almost unanimously. The controlled access proposal was viewed as a possible solution to the noise levels in the college library, rip-off rates, vandalism, and other prevalent uses of the library.

"Our first proposal was that everyone entering the library be required to show their identification," which would be a considerably expensive operation," said Sparks.

"But we just can't do it. We need the money for books. We have no instrumentation of access at the door and we won't have one. We will have more monitors though.

"As a private library, we have a responsibility to our clientele, the Notre Dame-St. Mary's community. But we also have the problem of being a good neighbor," he commented.

In South Bend, Bethel College Western Michigan University, Andrews University, Goshen College, Trine College, and Valparaiso are all our neighbors. We are in the middle of this set of institutions and we have the strongest bibliographical structure. Because of this, we have several responsibilities to our neighbors.

Sparks noted that widespread outside use of Notre Dame's library could have adverse effects on the operations of other similar libraries, as well.

For instance, a small institution like Bethel, which is struggling to attain its level of operation, can have its student body drained away by our library, and never have an idea what its library needs are. This can be dangerous for them, for it can affect accreditation," he explained.

"This is a big building, with a lot of room. U.S.B. and Andrews students probably will continue to come here, but they can't borrow books here without a note from our own librarian. This is not a negative thing at all, but more of an information-gathering device." Sparks said.

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HPC chairman Ward resigning from post

by Mary Jonas

Staff Reporter

Hall Presidents' Council Chairman Butch Ward is resigning his post, effective February 13. "I'm stepping down because my term of office runs out in Alumni, and I just feel that it's only right that if I'm not president of Alumni, I won't step down as president of the HPC," Ward explained.

Ward will resign a new chairman on February 13, who will assume office one week later. Until February 13, Ward said that he will remain in the HPC. "I'm not sure if we will have the effectiveness of the HPC, he commented. "I think it's a very effective body, so far as bringing together the presidents of the halls and allowing them to share ideas so that they can make their jobs more effective in the halls. But I think it has the potential of being a much more effective body wide.

Ward believes that both the Hall Presidents' Council and Student Government are "both potentially so strong that neither one can lead." A re-structuring of the entire student government, he feels, is the only solution to alleviate the conflict.

"I think that student government, as we know it, is obsolete and that the type of representative government the student body needs will be central in its hall governments, brought together in the Hall Presidents' Council," he noted.

Many people, Ward explained, feel that if the HPC became the only representative body on campus, they would lose their jobs in the halls. However, he contends that the major issue raised at Notre Dame over the past few years-particularly, drinking co-education, and co-education dorms - should not be removed from them to an outside governing body.

"If you centralized your power and your efforts," he said, "you have a much better chance of accomplishing your goals."

When questioned about his accomplishments, as HPC chairman, Ward listed the re-structuring of student government hall life, and food sales within the halls, as a few of the topics discussed by the HPC this year. "Also, I like to think that we set up a little different trend as far as the way the Hall Life Fund was given down...directing it toward a program in the halls rather than towards the Student Activities Fund," he added.

In addition, the Council investigated the need for co-ed dorms. "We have our student body drained away by our library, and never have an idea what its library needs are. This can be dangerous for them, for it can affect accreditation," he explained.

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Friday, January 24, 1973

...the observer

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INTERVIEWS FOR WEEK OF FEBRUARY 5

Interviews are for seniors and graduate students. Sign-up schedules are on the bulletin board. Interview times must be selected and signed for in person. Hours are 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day except Friday. The Placement Manual gives additional information regarding interviews and procedures.

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Peace Observance

An end to the longest, most divisive war in American history is here. A time of peace—perhaps even an “era of peace”—is here. Reunion of families once wrenched apart by fate is imminent. Most important of all, for the first time since the mid-1960’s, Americans are searching, possibly in vain, possibly out of desperation, but most certainly from some heartfelt need, for a meaning contained somewhere in this end that has finally arrived.

It is not easy to define the mood of either the campus or the nation on the eve of the Vietnam cease-fire. As Professor Matthew T. Flinders noted in the Academic Council meeting Tuesday, one does not feel like running out into the streets and kissing the first girl one sees, as perhaps was the case in 1945. Neither, on the other hand, does one feel like painting one’s face white and carrying crosses to the ROTC building.

Each of us may feel relieved, and most of us certainly feel that it is about time, but we probably also feel that relief and resentment are insufficient because the war that was punctuated by so many pangs but ended with only a solitary whimper.

The Notre Dame-Saint Mary’s Community

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The Editorial Board

Bite the Bullet

It’s officially unofficial now—women will not be allowed to move into female dorms until next year. Last year the argument advanced for this differential treatment made at least 325 beds, while this year the argument against is that it was economically more feasible. But would you believe it? This year’s female students don’t go very far and if they were not highly visible, it would be difficult to keep saying “Notre Dame is coeducational.”

Actually, the economics of residential facilities was the controlling factor in the decision. Last year the overwhelming majority of incoming females were freshmen and sophomores. Consequently two residential buildings were opened and accommodated the female students who wanted on-campus rooms. If some of these students had been granted permission to live off campus the predicted increase in enrollment necessary to fill all of Baslin and Walsh’s beds would have been more than the university was prepared to accept.

This is not an attempt to defend the first decision but it does show that the public explanation has some familiar reasoning behind it. The careful predictions necessary to insure that every bed will be filled when one is only halfway to being filled. Even if the university can’t be forgiven for the past decision, the inequities can at least be overlooked.

The decision to continue the rule cannot be dealt with so quickly. The critical reason for the continuation of the rule is still economic. Next year Notre Dame will have approximately 800 female students and about 800 beds to fill in female dorms. However, at least 325 of these students will be upperclassmen. It is not fair to require them to live on campus when their male counterparts are not. In fact, it is utterly indefensible.

The university cannot be forgiven for poor planning in terms of the female dorms. Everyone knows that there were plenty of people around ready and willing to help prevent a problem like this. The university cannot be forgiven for being unable to prepare for a problem that is inevitable in terms of the female dorms. Everyone also knows that the university cannot continue to discriminate on the basis of sex and certainly cannot require everyone to live on campus.

That leaves one alternative. Permit females to live off campus under the same conditions as males. Then, expand the female enrollment to fill the four female dorms. The university cannot argue that this will increase enrollment too much because that is nobody’s fault but their own. Notre Dame cannot be permitted to discriminate on the basis of sex; therefore it was economically convenient to do so. The problem is not new. It could have been anticipated and it wasn’t this time to bite the bullet.

John Abewd
It is, of course, seldom that for any of my friends will advocate such a defeatist course of action as “smiling.” It just doesn’t seem to “fit,” either with us or with life around the Dome, as neatly as, for example, a permanently unhappy cynical grimace.

And it must be admitted, even by our own resident Libilitis, that Notre Dame is not a place conducive to a smiling. The weather is frequently among the students, the security system, the academic counseling system, the student government, the student body, etc., blah, blah, blah. However, that’s redundant to what we won’t.

Let us note, rather, that it is our duty in life, if we have any duties whatever, to cooperate, to help, to be constructive, to learn, to grow, to achieve.

On this, the day on which the Supreme Court has reaffirmed the right of a woman to have an abortion, we are reminded of the warning by Dr. Messbarger, that if the unborn is a person, then the choice to diminish the life of another person is the same as that of murder.

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A university, while seen by many as a unified identity, is a combination of diverse images. The flavor of a university is to be gained from the celebration of those different images.
By a former SMC president

An evaluation of ND-SMC overseas

by Mary James
Observer Reporter

Sister M. Alma, Director of Saint Mary's Overseas Program, cited an evaluation of the program and an investigation into the possibility of new programs as the purpose of her recently completed, semester-long review of SMC's study abroad program.

Topics of primary importance, she said, include: the academic area, living situations, financial arrangements, and travel opportunity. Concerning the sites being considered for new abroad programs, she stated, "the sites I stopped at were all extremely interesting and well worth considering." In search of an English-speaking program, she continued, she made a "quick tour investigation of Dublin.

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The only reason I looked into this program, she said, was in case the enrollment of Notre Dame women students be so large that the Notre Dame Angers program might not be able to accommodate the Saint Mary's program. At this time, I'm not sure if there are enough students in the Angers program. Just in case we might not be permitted into the Angers program, I want to have an alternative ready.

Strasbourg, she continued, is a small cultural city which could accommodate both the French and German programs. In addition to these programs being considered, Sr. Alma has compiled a file for students with information from hundreds of other programs in Europe, Africa, and South American countries. Students, she said, may step in on their own if they wish to receive information.

Concerning student opinion and course offerings, she said, "I'm very pleased with the Rome Program and, as far as I can tell, the students are exceptionally enthusiastic about it this year. They filled out the panel of regular faculty evaluation forms and it was almost a unanimous, positive statement. They were particularly pleased with the location of their classes, which, she said, "gives them an opportunity to have many of their courses taught right on the places where the event studied has occurred."

Courses taught primarily include sophomore courses, and in particular, she added, courses which lend themselves to that specific location. At the present time, Sr. Alma stated, "I foresee no change for next year, though I can't say definitely because we haven't yet set up the curriculum for September."

Presently, Italian language, Italian literature, and Italian social problems are being taught in the native language. Another course, she continued, might possibly be added which will be taught in Italian. She stated, however, that the type of course offered will depend upon the proficiency of the instructor in the language.

Regarding a co-exchange program for students in the SMC Rome study, Sr. Alma said, "some students have taken courses in what is known as the Gregorian University there, in sociology, and psychology. And others have taken courses at the Loyola University in Rome Program." This policy, she added, will continue next year, but warned that students must still be enrolled in 12 semester hours from the St. Mary's program, in order to be considered full-time students.

Full credit is granted to SMC students who participate in this co-exchange program. This year, however, that "I can't speak for the University of Notre Dame.

Concerning the housing situation, she stated the hotel, currently used by the students in the program, was contracted for five years. So, for the next year and the year after, we'll have to live in hotels.

After that time, students will continue to live in hotels or "pensions", which, she explained, are similar to a boarding house, "where you wouldn't have first-class hotel conditions, you might not have private baths or running water in the rooms, but you would have good food and central heating."

Consideration of the "pensions" stems from the rising hotel costs, coupled with the devaluation of the dollar in Italy.

"The question of living with families in Italy," Sister commented, "is entirely different from the situation in France. According to the Italian culture, the family is a very close knit unit, and they seldom invite outsiders into meals, much less to come into their family home and live as a member of the family."

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Current overseas program looks good to Sr. Alma

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A second reason for the students' living in hotels, she noted, is that the Italian people are still quite conservative, and have decided conduct that they expect from their young people.

"I think the American students would find this very difficult, or almost impossible, for example, to be in the like at night, and things like that," Sr. Alma stated.

Thirdly, she noted that most Italian families reside in small apartments, and would not have the room to house a student.

The possibility of a Junior Year abroad program, said Sister, is not being considered.

"The reason for having a sophomore year abroad is that the students themselves and the faculty have requested this because it does not break into the major. This gives the student the opportunity to study in Europe without breaking into the major sequence of courses," she explained.

Sister noted no major differences between the academic calendar followed by students abroad and the one used here on the main campus.

Students interested in attending the Home program next sep-

Alumni visit St. Mary's

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Gary representative, Mrs. Betty Hayes made point of "the emo-
tional involvement in knowing what really is going on by sleeping, eating and living with the students. We want them to love St. Mary's as we did on our own terms."

Mrs. Margaret OnNeil, Sacramento, "It's better than the magazine." A survival for survival..." said Mrs. Patricia Mihmecz.

Mrs. Gail Donovan, a professional woman herself, cited Martina Homer, the new president of Alumni, "she said that we need women of confidence that don't force success and that is what this place should be doing."

With library's utilization of community government, the in-
fluence of alumnae is greatly increased. But to participate they must be aware of the SMC of today.

According to Henry, "the efforts of a "Saint Mary's College Report", monthly "Community Newsletter", promoting of the "Courier"...and more alumnae "live-in" this will be more efficiently accomplished, he hopes.

Lewis Hall student jumped

A Notre Dame student residing in Lewis Hall was attacked last night in the vicinity of her dorm. Her assailants were described as "two young boys."

Notre Dame Security did not release a statement on the incident but it was learned by the Observer that the victim was safe in her dorm room at 11:00 p.m. after fortifying her place and her shoe bag to the youths.

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Notre Dame was spoon-fed a basketball last night in Chicago Stadium.

Illinois’ standouts forward Nick Weatherspoon and center Don Silnik were the focus of Notre Dame’s efforts to pace Illinois to a victory last night in Chicago Stadium.

The Illini were easily the better team throughout the contest, outscoring the Irish in every quarter.

Silnik, who is the second leading scorer in the nation at 25.1 points a game, continued his dominating play with 21 points, while Weatherspoon, who is the nation’s third leading scorer at 25.4 points per game, added 27 points to the Illini’s total.

Notre Dame was led by guard Jim Donaldson, who scored 17 points, but his efforts were insufficient to overcome the Illini’s dominance.

The Illini’s victory was their third in a row and has put them in a tie at the top of the A.C.C. standings with North Carolina State.

Illinois head coach Ray Meyer said after the game, “We were too easy to guard. We didn’t make enough shots and we turned the ball over too many times.”

The Illini were able to control the game from the start, dominating the Irish in both the first and second half.

The Illini led 43-25 at halftime and extended their lead to 68-36 after three quarters.

Notre Dame never got closer than 14 points in the second half.

The Illini’s defense was solid throughout, holding the Irish to just 41 percent shooting.

Notre Dame’s offense was inconsistent, with only two players scoring in double figures.

Donaldson and center Pat Lefever combined for 20 of Notre Dame’s 40 points, but they were unable to carry the team.

The Illini’s victory was a welcome return to form for a team that had struggled in recent weeks.

The Illini are now 15-2 overall and 4-0 in the A.C.C., while Notre Dame is 12-5 overall and 2-2 in the conference.

The Illini will look to continue their winning streak as they travel to Duke on Saturday.

The Irish will try to bounce back as they host Penn State on Sunday.

The Irish Eye

A Feast For Sports Gluttons

The campus literary has their Literary Festival, music buffets have their music festivals, and the basketball team has its annual Feast for Sports Gluttons.

This annual event is a chance for students to indulge in a variety of food and drink options, as well as watch live sports games and listen to music.

The event typically features a range of food options, from pizza and pasta to hot dogs and hamburgers, as well as drinks and snacks.

The festival is a chance for students to relax and enjoy the game, while also supporting their favorite teams.

The Feast for Sports Gluttons is usually held in the fall, around the time of the annual football game.

This year’s event is scheduled for Friday, October 27, and will be held in the student center.

The event is open to all students and is a chance to enjoy some good food and good sports.

The Irish Eye

The Gryphons All-Tournament Team

The Daily Cardinal’s annual tournament, which was held over the Thanksgiving holiday, has named its All-Tournament Team.

The team is composed of the best players from the tournament, regardless of their team's performance.

The team includes guards Mike Anderson and Jeff Brinks, forwards Patrick Kavanagh and Dan Hurley, and center Ken Calvert.

The team is a testament to the talent that is present in the conference and is sure to be a source of pride for the fans of the participating teams.