SMC Board appoints new co-ex commissioner

by Cassandra Moore

A new Co-Exchange Committee was appointed at the St. Mary's Board of Governance meeting last Thursday. Mary Mullaney, a sophomore, will hold this position until April. She is replacing Mary Ann Fuchs who is studying abroad this semester. Fuchs, in a letter of recommendation, highly praised Mullaney saying she is "competent, reliable, enthusiastic and will do a good job."

Amy Hartzell Sports Commissioner, asked for the Board's reaction to the formation of an athletic association at St. Mary's. It would consist of representatives from each varsity sport, each hall, the intramural program chairman and the sports commissioner. Hartzell said the purpose would be to provide "feedback and more support for the athletic department in both intramural and varsity sports. I would also give supporting service, such as timekeepers for the varsity sports."

The Board of Governance felt the association was a very good idea. Hartzell was encouraged to pursue it further.

by Mike Ridenour and David Bonhe

Some 6,000 students and dignitaries, with nationwide coverage by ABC-TV's Wide World of Sports, honored the Notre Dame football team Sunday afternoon with a National Championship Rally at the Athletic and Convocation Center.

The two-hour rally came one month after Notre Dame was named National Champions following their 38-10 victory over Texas in the Cotton Bowl Jan. 2. The win catapulted the Irish from fifth to first place in the four major polls. At the rally, Indiana Governor Otis Bowen officially proclaimed February 5, 1978 as "Notre Dame Day". Bowen also stated that "one of the fringe benefits of my job is being able to participate in an event such as this." Fr. Edmund Joyce, executive vice president, jokingly cited Bowen as Notre Dame's "hidden weapon" against Texas. Joyce wrote a strong letter urging the governor to attend the Cotton Bowl game after hearing that Bowen had never seen Notre Dame lose. "I was more confident for that game because of his presence," Joyce stated.

Joyce thanked the sponsors of the ceremony: South Bend Mishawaka Area Chamber of Commerce, St. Joe Valley Notre Dame Club, Quarterback Club, and the Notre Dame Student-Government. Joyce added that he was "providor of this particular National Championship team than any of the others because of the way they didn't let adversity affect them. I was impressed with the character of this team after they lost to Mississippi because they didn't make any excuses."

Peter Nemeth, Mayor of South Bend, presented a plaque to Head Coach Dan Devine on behalf of the South Bend community. Devine, in his speech, expressed appreciation for everyone's support and added that "Notre Dame is the most beautiful place in the world."

Devine praised the National Championship team, saying, "I've never seen a team improve so much each week. Give me six days with this team, and we'll play anyone in the United States and beat them; this means Tom Landry also. The 1977 Notre Dame football team is by far the best football team I've ever been associated with and could be one of the greatest teams ever to play football."

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As this photo shows, Notre Dame fans come in all sizes and ages. [photo by Leo Hansen]
Large numbers of Costa Ricans voted in the recent elections. Labor and business leaders clashed anew as the country sought to resolve economic problems.

In the U.S., increasing cloudiness is expected tomorrow, with highs near 20. A heavy snow warning was issued for this morning with additional amounts possible. Coal shortage becomes critical.

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The Observer has a new feature! The "Coalition-in a dead heat." We're extremely close to having raised the equal pay standard.

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Students named pages

Six area high school students participating in the Upward Bound Program of Notre Dame have been selected to serve as pages in the current meeting of the Indiana General Assembly. Another student, Kenneth Donaldson, a junior at Washington High School, South Bend, has been selected to attend the Presidential Classroom for Young Americans beginning February 11 in Washington, D.C. The students serving this week in Indianapolis are Jeanette Bauer, Oliver, St. Joseph High School; Paul Belmarzzo, Washington, Ann Stanseld, Lafayette Reid Unity, and Joann Mosley and Minerva Washke, LaRonde. Originated 12 years ago as part of the West Virginia Program, the Upward Bound Program is designed to stimulate a student's interest and to provide him with academic and support services. The students spend part of their summer vacation in the Notre Dame campus attending classes and participating in a university setting.

Volunteers

Tutors needed for elementary, junior high or high school students on a one-to-one basis. Teacher assistants and activity leaders needed for normal children and children with learning disabilities. 

Anyone interested in any aspect of the Observer is invited to drop by the office for Open House, Tuesday night from 9 - midnight.
President ·

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Jimmy Carter wound up a week of talks with Anwar Sadat's concerns, but reaffirming the U.S. role as that of "a friend of both sides" in the stalled Egyptian-Israeli peace talks.

Carter and Sadat returned to the White House from Camp David, Md., at 4:38 p.m. as dusk settled on Washington. Initially, the two leaders were scheduled to return at 3:30 p.m. But Rex Granum, White House deputy press secretary, said they decided to delay their departure because "of a desire to have additional time to talk." After escorting the Egyptian leader back to the South Lawn, Carter announced that there was complete agreement between himself and Sadat about a mutual determination to work toward a peace settlement in the Middle East.

He placed a friendly hand on Sadat's shoulders, then guided his shoulders, then guided his.
Federal judges inhibited; outdated system inefficient

WASHINGTON [AP]-The typical federal judge has poorer research facilities available to him than a beginning law student-a predicament that can cause delays, errors, retrials and additional expense, an unreleased government study shows.

The study, conducted for the Federal Judicial Center, concludes that if the information deficiency could be cleared up there probably would be no need for many of the 100 or more new federal judgeships about to be created by Congress to relieve overworked courts. The center is an administrative arm of the federal court system.

"If they were operating efficiently, there might be no necessity for any new judges, and certainly not on the appellate level," Raymond Taylor, author of the report, said in an interview.

Taylor's study, a copy of which was obtained by The Associated Press, was submitted to the center last September but was not considered by the center's board until Friday. There was no indication whether the center would forward the report to its parent Judicial Conference of the United States or whether its recommendations would be sent to Congress.

Taylor, a Raleigh, N.C., lawyer and former librarian at the North Carolina Supreme Court, said that because of the research problem, many judges are "...like the doctor doing everything from temperature to insurance forms with no time for the patient."

Without speedy access to the information they need, he said, judges are forced to delay trials until the data is found, or to "shoot from the hip," which can cause errors, reversals, time-consuming retrials and added costs.

"It's going to take $75,000 to $85,000 to set up the simplest library for each one of those new judges," she said. "Add to that a secretary, a couple of law clerks, and if he's a trial judge, he'll require an assignment clerk, a probation officer.

"You don't just create 125 new judgeships. You're creating 500 or 700 or perhaps more new jobs to help a person to continue to operate in an archaic, inefficient, wasteful manner."

The essential problem, Taylor's study suggests, is that law research is still done today essentially the way it was in Abraham Lincoln's time-by the judge or his clerk looking up cases and statutes in bound volumes, which very likely won't be readily available.

For a law school to be accredited by the American Association of Law Schools, it is expected to have at least 60,000 volumes. Yet, the collections of the U.S. appellate courts range from 20,803 to 40,549, the report says.

Below the Supreme Court, which has its own library, the federal courts have 2.8 million lawbooks in their collections, which is the largest inventory in a single system anywhere. However, the study shows, there is wholesale duplication and uneven distribution.

At the heart of Taylor's recommendations is a call for a central law facility which any federal judge could contact by a toll-free long distance telephone line or through a small, even portable, computer terminal.

If this is Monday, can the weekend be far away? [photo by Bill Reistock]
WASHINGTON (AP)—A new survey shows that 31 U.S. senators are either opposed to the Panama Canal treaty or not sure about it, only three votes shy of the 34 needed to block ratification. A questionnaire sent to all senators by the Associated Press also shows that 41 favor the pact and eight are leaning toward rejection. Twenty-nine indicated they are opposed to the treaty, while seven others said they were leaning against it.

That means the fate of the pact—a major Carter administration foreign policy objective—is in the balance. Among them are some of the Senate's most influential and senior members. Most of them are Democrats, some of whom chair key subcommittees and often decide the fate of legislation.


A two-thirds majority of the Senate—67 members, all are needed for ratification. Most treaty foes are believed to have declared themselves already, and Senate observers suggest that most uncommitted members are potential backers of the treaty who are not willing to promise Carter their votes without getting something in return.

Sen. Russell Long, D-La., the Senate Finance Committee chairman who has fought the administration on energy tax legislation, told the AP he was "leaning against" the treaty. The pact would gradually turn the international waterway over to Panama until that country is given full control in the year 2000.

The treaty debate is expected to begin after the Lincoln Day recess, Feb. 13-20, and last from two to five weeks. Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W. Va., said Saturday the pact faces an uphill fight but, "I believe it's winnable."

Bird and Senate Minority Leader Howard Baker are asking senators to support two "essential and fundamental" amendments to enhance passage of the treaty.

The changes would guarantee a U.S. right of priority access to the canal and the right to defend the waterway militarily after the turn of the century.

The AP questionnaire asked senators to say whether they would support the treaty with or without the amendments, whether they opposed any treaty or particularly the one before the Senate, and whether they were undecided or simply not ready to declare themselves.

Only 14 senators said they could support the pact without the guarantees of priority passage and defense rights. Seven said they would not support any new treaty with Panama, and 15 said they thought there should be a treaty but not the one at issue. Most objections to the pact appeared based on fear that even with the amendments, security guarantees are inadequate.

The only senator who did not respond to the questionnaire was Sen. Charles Mathias, R-Md. He is regarded as a pro-treaty, but was listed by the AP as undecided. Financial issues are generating new problems for ratification.

At least three senators and perhaps more, according to Senate sources asking not to be identified, are expressing misgivings after hearings by the Senate Armed Services Committee. In those hearings Canal Zone Gov. Harold Parnell and U.S. Comptroller Gen. Elmer B. Staton defended that the treaty, despite administration claims to the contrary, would cost U.S. taxpayers millions of dollars.

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ATHENS® Greece (AP)—Female leaders will go before parliament this week to fight a Greek Orthodox Church order that would make the country's 1,500-year-old tradition forbidding women from serving on local church councils.

The Center Party Women's Group has denounced the order as an example of "the worst and most outdated mentalit y" since women are tapped only for menial jobs and not administrative posts.

The issue arose last week when Bishop Eleftherios ruled that in his diocese there would be one woman on the five-member council of each church. He said this was logical since 75 percent of those who attend worship services in Greece are women. He added that women's opinions would generally improve the handling of church affairs.

The bishop's colleagues reacted by pressuring Archbishop Scheraphon to convene a meeting of the Holy Synod, the church supreme ruling body. The archbishop, appointed in 1973 by the ruling, issued a circular after the meeting that prohibited women from serving as council members.

He said otherwise, "holy tradition would be seriously disrupted."

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A friend of mine was once giving a lecture to a group of college students. He was eager to discuss what he thought were the critical issues of our time. He believed that the students were more concerned with their own lives than with the larger questions of human existence. He was beginning to believe that it was a call to personal conversion.

And that calls for something beyond "talking about God," as helpful as that might be. A student asked a question about the celebration after Mass one Sunday night and said: "I'm glad to listen to your comments, Father, but what does Jesus have to say to me tonight; what word would He want to speak to my particular situation, if He had the chance?"

It's an occurrence like that which prompts me to suggest that it's not simply a question of talking about God, but of allowing Him to do the communicating. For example, it's not just a matter of someone telling you that God loves you; God is quite capable of saying it Himself.

I think that's what Lent is meant to be about...our efforts to allow God Himself to reach us--to forgive us, heal us, touch us with His love, strengthen us, feed us, lead us with His Spirit. All of us (students, administrators, faculty, staff) would do well to remind ourselves of this fact.

This is the most important season of the year--a time to especially involve ourselves in our journey toward fuller life, a more complete transformation into the rich person each of us is destined to be.

There will be many opportunities for all of us these next few weeks. Many will attempt more frequent participation in Eucharist. There will be daily morning prayer in Sacred Heart Church, and a special Lenten Prayer Service (with confessions) available afterward in Sacred Heart on the 7th of March, at 10 p.m. And residence halls will have specially-announced activities, as well.

I urge you to consider taking advantage of the new rich of penance this Lent. Fr. McNulty, of Campus Ministry, who was a professional writer for United Press (sorry I blew your cover, Tom) before entering the seminary, has prepared a special short booklet just for Notre Dame students on the topic of confession at Notre Dame, 1978, and it will be distributed to all students in a week or so. It is truly excellent! I'll help you appreciate the sacrament like never before. Allow its words to lead you to plan to celebrate the new rite of penance some time this Lent.

Most importantly, Lent gives us a time to concentrate on our efforts in love for one another. A good time to become involved in Volunteer Services; an excellent occasion to practice charity to offset those "tiny murders" of the past (in residence halls and administrative halls).

"Share your bread with the hungry, shelter the oppressed and the homeless. Clothe the naked when you see them, and do not turn your back on your own."

These words from Isaiah should be our theme--this Lent. How can we bear words like these and continue to speak about "saving souls" as the main concern of religion.

How dare we go through the motions of repeating our sins and ignore our social sins? If we make religion a matter of individual salvation, or prayers and piety only, we make it a mockery.

Lent is given to each of us as God's special gift...that we might learn more about Him, and, what is more significant, be actually encountered by Him in grace-filled ways. He would enter our lives with His converting Spirit, that we might become a new person; and that, in turn, our "religion" (being bound to God in covenant) would lead us to "remove oppression from our midst."

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Sorina Sanchez, poetess and scholar, opened the BCAF last Friday with a lecture on "The Liberation Movement and its Non-relevancy to Black Women."

Sanchez: problems of racism neglected

by mary palumbo

"America is moving in a very peculiar way," according to Sonia Sanchez, the morning speaker of this year's Black Cultural Arts Festival. This peculiar way is, apparently, backwards.

Sanchez maintains that the activism of the 60's and 70's did not eliminate the problems of racism, which are neglected in America's current reactionary period. She cited examples of our time from the media, specifically the absence of black characters in Star Wars, and Root's non-treatment of blacks in America's Cultural Arts Festival. This peculiar way of ignoring the problems of racism is, apparently, backwards.

Sanchez spoke to approximately 130 people in the library auditorium Friday evening. As the lecture continued, Sanchez's voice became quite strained, due to a cold. Her annoyance with her own attitude of pessimism, which found expression in her lecture, was quite visible. She declared that the series should have concentrated more specifically on the blacks in Africa and their heritage, as that subject is a definite prerequisite to discussing the role of blacks in America.

"Why is it that the only serious blacks seen on TV are pimps?" Sanchez asked, continuing, "Why do the laugh the minute they see a black face on TV--because they expect to see something funny?" With this statement, Sanchez was referring to her own sons. According to Sanchez, black actors are still primarily cast in the comic role and, in general, the media denies the seriousness of black men and women.

...and the rest of the program...

Another weekend event was the Theatre 'N Action Players production of Cher Chez La Femme. At left are several characters from the series of comical and dramatic scenes. The production also included dance presentations.

The Black Cultural Arts Festival is scheduled to conclude tomorrow. On Friday, speakers slated to appear come from varied career fields. Roy Innes, director of the Congress of Racial Equality, is scheduled to speak Tuesday in John Science Junior Hall. The other speakers will include John Sember, owner and publisher of the Chicago Defender, who will speak Wednesday evening. Noted theologians, Fr. Conwell, Fr. Conwell, and Bishop McNeil, will discuss black theology Thursday evening. On Friday night, the president of Mutual Black Radio Network, Tom Gatewood, will speak.

A Disco Fashion Show is planned for Saturday night in the ACC.

[All photos by Leo Hansen]
Augustana offers summer program

Augustana College in Rock Island, Illinois, will be sponsoring their 14th Summer School Program in Spain this summer. The five week program is open to all students in the U.S. and Canada enabling them to study and travel in Spain. The students live and attend classes on the campus of the University of Málaga with classes being held five days a week. Courses offered range from Elementary Spanish to Literature and Culture and students may earn nine quarter college credits.

As part of the program, once or twice a week, groups of students will visit places such as Segovia, Toledo, Palacio Real, Sevilla, Granada, and Terremolinos Beach. Plans for the 1978 session of the program are already in progress and due to limited enrollment, all interested students should as soon as possible write Dr. Arthav Doreste, Augustana College, Rock Island, Illinois 61201.

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WASHINGTON (AP) - Americans don’t think very highly of the business community, the news media and the federal bureaucracy, but many feel the need for government protection, a survey sponsored by U.S. News & World Report showed.

All 25 areas of the public sector identified in the magazine poll, including professionals, labor and education, scored less than 50 percent when respondents were asked about their ability and integrity. While most persons surveyed opposed excessive government regulation of business and tinkering with the profit motive, 68 percent said government regulation is needed to guarantee safe working conditions.

The survey, released yesterday, also shows that 38 percent of the respondents believe government regulation is the best way to insure safe products. Fifty-four percent say the government should ban the sale of products causing harm to animals, and 48 percent want a federal consumer protection agency.

The study was conducted by Marketing Concepts, a Washington firm, which compiled 5,900 returns from a scientifically selected sample drawn from a computer list of 65 million households. Forty-four percent of those questioned said business was doing a good job of “developing new product,” and 38 percent credited businesses with “providing products and services that meet needs.”

From there, the rating changed, with business scoring only 11 percent approval for its handling of shortages and inability to provide value for money spent.

The business community got the approval of only nine percent of the respondents for its pollution controls, eight percent for conserving natural resources, and seven percent for honesty in advertising.

Responding to questions about individual businesses, 52 percent of the respondents approved of the performance of the airlines industry, while 39 percent like the performance of banks, 37 percent approval of savings and loan association services, and 36 percent said they were pleased with their telephone companies.

On the ability to get things done, big business finished lastplace, with a 25 percent approval rate.

And on “honesty, dependability and integrity,” the business rating falls.

Respondents had more faith in the ability of five other institutions to get things done. Although none had outstanding ratings, the top five were science and technology, with a 36 percent score; the broadcast news media, 25 percent; the print news media, 29 percent; the Supreme Court, 25 percent.

On the integrity question, science and technology again placed first with 41 percent, followed by the Supreme Court with 33 percent, organized religion with 30 percent, the medical profession with 29 percent, and small business with 27 percent.

Labor leaders registered only a five percent rating on honesty, barely eclipsing the 12 percent rating on the federal bureaucracy on this count.

Marston affair continues

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Carter administration is facing criticism over the appointment of federal prosecutors, typified by the Carter affair, which began when Jimmy Carter took the oath of office.

In the hectic days after the November 1976 election, but before the new administration took power on January 1977, Carter’s campaign promise to take politics out of the selection of U.S. attorneys was challenged.

A year later, the issue of patronage appointments has emboldened the administration in an embarrassing controversy surrounding the ouster of a Washington firm, which compiled a list of 65 million households.

Sheila, James O. Eastland, D-Miss., has assailed the administration for replacing him, and has won a host of congressional allies along the way.

Eastland, 73, the long-time chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, which confirms presidential nominees for federal judgeships and prosecutors posts, met with Carter at the Georgia governor’s mansion in Atlanta at a time when the president-elect was putting together his Cabinet.

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Haldeman guesses on ‘Deep Throat’s’ identity

NEW YORK (AP) - Former Nixon aide H.R. Haldeman says in his forthcoming book he believes Fred Fielding, former deputy counsel to Richard Nixon, was the Watergate scandal’s mysterious “Deep Throat.” New York Magazine says.

In a brief entry in its “New York intelligence” section, the magazine said in this week’s issue that it learned details in the yet to be published biography “Ends of Power” from Haldeman family sources.

The magazine said the book will name the 38-year old Fielding, who worked under White House counsel John Dean, as the source used by the Washington Post reporting team of Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein to break the Watergate scandal that led Nixon’s resignation.

Fielding, now a Washington lawyer, denied he was Deep Throat in a statement telephoned to The Associated Press.

“I have not had the opportunity to read Mr. Haldeman’s book. But I can state that at least any part of his novel that names me as Deep Throat is sheer fantasy and nonsense,” he said. “I emphatically deny the story and the accusation.”

Haldeman and Dean were not available for comment.

The magazine said that as for the 18 and one-half minute erasure on one of the White House tape recordings which figured in the Watergate scandal, the book will say it was Nixon himself and not his secretary, Rosemary Woods, who was responsible. Woods had said she accidentally made the erasure while transcribing the tape.

“Nixon intended to go through all the tapes, erasing incriminating conversations wherever he found them, but soon realized the task would take years,” the magazine said, without further attribution.

Haldeman was sentenced on Feb. 21, 1975, to two and one-half to eight years for conspiracy, obstruction of justice and perjury charges related to the Watergate investigation. In October last year, Judge John Sirica reduced his sentence to one to four years.

He is presently in charge of the Lompoc Prison sewer facility - an administrative job - and will be eligible for parole April 27 after serving one and one-half years at the California facility.

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Outside pressure needed in Africa

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) - American U.N. Ambassador Andrew Young says change in South Africa must be inspired by outside pressures because of the "absence of moral leadership" within the country.

In an interview with a Johannesburg newspaper, the black diplomat said United States policy should be "non-cooperation" with the white-minority government.

Young also said he does not fear the Cuban presence in Africa, saying the Cubas' "lack of racism" may be a stronger influence than their Marxist ideologies.

He said the recent crisis in racially divided South Africa stemmed not from U.S. pressure, but from the death of black consciousness leader Steve Biko, and Prime Minister John Vorster's massive security clampdown in October.

Young was replying to a series of questions cabled by the liberal, Rand Daily Mail. His responses, sent through the U.S. embassy, were to be published in the newspaper Monday.

Accusing South African police of responsibility for the death of Biko, in detention last September, Vorster said: "After all it was Steve Biko's death and the massive，并ing that produced the recent crisis, and nothing that vice president Walter Mondale or I said could have had any impact on the conduct of a South African jailer, nor could we have influenced the response of the South African government, which essentially supported the jailer's right to destroy the life of Steven Biko."

Biko died from brain damage Sept. 12. In a controversial verdict, an inquest magistrate absolved security police of blame.

Last May, after face-to-face talks with Vorster, Mondale urged "full participation" in South African affairs by the new disenfranchised 19 million black majority, outnumbering their white rulers by nearly five to one.

Questioned by reporters, Mondale acknowledged this could mean one-man-one-vote. South African officials regularly point to this as proof that the Carter administration seeks not concessions, but "giving it to the black rulers by nearly five to one."
Irish dunk Davidson for 16th victory, 100-76

by Gregor Solomon
Sports Writer

Two factors in the Irish 100-76 romp over Davidson made the game worth seeing. John Gerdy, who is a show in himself, and "the dunk," practiced Saturday by a team guard. Though Gerdy's act was the purer of the two, it was the "dunk" that drew the applause and -- even, perhaps, won the game for the Irish.

For the Irish, it was the sixteenth notch in the belt of Irish Coach Digger Phelps, who is gunning for twenty victories and an NCAA bid. At this pace, both seem assured.

For Davidson, it was their 31st consecutive road loss, dropping their record to 8-14, and another frustrating day for Wildcat Coach Nick Babson.

"Some of our people were a little intimidated coming in here," admitted Kochan, "but heck, so was I.

One player who definitely was not intimidated, or hid well if he was, was Davidson's John Gerdy, the nation's sixth leading scorer. Gerdy's performance (14 for 20 from the floor, and total of 33 points) may have been the finest displayed at the ACC so far this year, and the Irish fans, shouting "shoo, shoe," each time he touched the ball, were not disappointed. Shoot he did...and 70% of the time.

"That's not at all uncommon," commented Babson in the post-game theorists' plea, "it happens many times. I can't feel any extra pressure this year because I'm one of the top scorers. I just go out and try to do my best, and play my hardest."

While Gerdy was playing hard, however, the Irish were busy playing man ball, and doing well in the process. They took an early 8-2 lead in a flurty that saw Irish Brannin hit from twenty and seventeen feet, and Dave Batton score four points, one on a dunk and one from the perimeter, straight away.

It was obvious on Bennett's first dunk that there were many more to come. There were -- eight more, to be exact.

The Wildcats came back early in the first half, when Gerdy hit the first of his thirty jumpshots, forward Rich DiBenedetto scored twice and freshman standout Chris Dodds scored seven feet to tie the game at ten.

The Irish took a lead at the 15:30 mark, when Kelly Trippucks, boxing out well beneath the basket, tapped on a lap. Bruce Flowers then went to work, taking a great pass from Brannin and converting it, before hitting two free throws. The two free throws alone to add the lead the Irish never lost.

Need Bill Hanzlik, stationed at the top of the key, was brought in to try and defend against Gerdy's attack. Hanzlik held Gerdy to six points through the last half of the first stanza, and added to his performance a steal and a slam dunk.

"He didn't stop John (Gerdy)," commented Coach Kochan, speaking of Bill Hanzlik's play in the first half, "nobody's been able to stop him. We didn't change anything as a result of Hanzlik's efforts.

The remainder of the first half turned into a routine with Notre Dame coming out on top 45-37. However, Davidson's half-time free throw percentage of 66.6 kept them in the game. Twenty of those Wildcat points came from the hands of Gerdy.

While in the first half that we failed to meet the defensive challenge of stopping John Gerdy," commented Babson after the game, "the fact that he scored twenty points in the first half is a compliment to him. He's a fine ball player.

In the second half, the Irish played the zone, substituted liberally and finally took a large lead in with a display of what Bill Russell would call "high very good shots."

The first came midway through the second stanza, with Davidson up by twenty at the Irish up by sixteen.

Two minutes later, it was Jack- son feeding Wooldridge for another dunk. This one made the score 83-64.

With three minutes remaining came the crowd's height, this time a pass from Williams. Davidson called time out ... and the crowd rose to its feet.

Meanwhile, Dave Batton, who ended up with sixteen points, was hitting from the perimeter and beyond. Irish reserve forward Randy Haefner checked in to please the crowd, and though he failed to score, he drew his share of screamers and applause from the confident crowd. In fact, the entire Irish squad played with confidence and energy. Coach Stan Wilson, Gilbert Salinas and Tim Healy who were ill with flu.

"The flu that's going around campus hit us hard," related Phelps. "That's why we played so many different people today. We're just not physically up to par."

The Irish still managed to get six players into double figures in scoring. Dave Batton led with sixteen, while Rich Brannin pocketed fifteen to follow in with Laineberth fourteen, Flower notched twelve, Wooldridge eleven, and Trippucks ten for the Irish. Bruce Flowers dominated the perimeter and shoot rebounds, high for both teams.

Following Gerdy's 33 points, Rich DiBenedetto had sixteen points and center Pat Hickard had four for the Wildcats.

"Notre Dame is an excellent team," Coach Kochan complimented, "but they're definite contenders for the national championship. They're the best rebounding team in the country. That's why they score so much second effort."

Bill Hanzlik excites the crowd with this slam-dunk in Notre Dame's 100-76 defeat of Davidson on Saturday. (Photo by Ken McAlpine)

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Irish capture wrestling title

by Brian Baglane

Bob Golic is one to waste time. The junior from Cleveland, Ohio, easily disposed of his three opponents to date as Notre Dame wrestling team captured the National Catholic Invitational Championship in the all-day tour-

Irish, Belles to clash tonight

The Notre Dame women’s basketball team and the St. Mary’s Belles Square off 7:30 p.m. tonight on the main floor of the Notre Dame Fieldhouse. The Irish team comes into the game with a five and one record, while St. Mary’s carries a three and two record.

Dahlring named

Debbie Dahlring, a St. Mary’s junior, has been named Women’s Sports Editor for The Observer, Dahlring, from Albuquerque, New Mexico, will be responsible for coverage of both Notre Dame and St. Mary’s women’s sports events.

Jarecki, 62-2 for the crown. Before that he top scored St. John’s 14-4 and Jim Reiser of St. John’s.

"My win in the final was the hardest of the three and it felt good to beat Jarecki because I had lost to his brother. At least I was able to beat the younger of the two," noted the 150-pounder.

Mike Padden and Bob Dreger round out the list of Irish champions. Padden beat Vitas Kluasauskas of John Carroll 11-1 for the 177 pound title. On his way to the final he beat Tom Glimmer of St. Joseph’s, Jim Mooney of St. John Fisher and Fred Brownsey of Drexler.

Dreger defeated Marquette’s Michael Farkas of John Carroll 10-6.

"You have to give Dreger and Padden a lot of credit. It was a hard fought championship and they performed very well in a different situation," noted Sepeta.

"We cannot forget, however, the way the team as a whole performed. We placed in either the consolation rounds or the finals nine out of ten times and if we hadn’t done that it might have been a different story,"

John Torres (134), Chris Favo (142), and Joe Kurelta (190) all captured fourth place for Notre Dame. John Carroll has not won the tournament so it feels very good to round out the list of Irish champions.

George Josephson of St. Mary’s finished as third place champion while Sandy Spero of St. John Fisher took the 134 pound division. Dan Herman captured the lone championship for Marquette with his 190 pound title.

The Irish will be away at John Carroll this Saturday after hosting Western Michigan on Wednesday. Notre Dame has never beaten Blue Streaks in dual matches but McKillen thinks the timing is just right.

"You can’t beat John Carroll in the tournament without having beaten them in a dual match. This chance is here to win.

For the Notre Dame wrestling, this is definitely the year.

Head Coach Ray Sepeta (right) was named National Catholic Coach of the Year for the third straight year after yesterday’s first place finish.

Take 6th place

by Chip Scanlon

Sports Writer

Ann Arbor—Capitalizing on their best team effort of the year the Notre Dame hockey team revenged their loss to the Michigan Wolverines at the Yost Ice Arena, 7-4-5-1.

The two wins gave the Irish sole possession of second place in the WCHA and moved them within one point of first place with two games in hand on everyone but North Dakota. Still, they have a lot to do to clinch the WCHA.

The Irish raised their record to 9-1-2 in the WCHA; a win, 4 losses and 1 tie stretch since the young Irish lost eight straight.

"It was probably our best team effort of the year," commented co-captain Dick Howe. "No one player stood out and everyone did their job the best they could. It paid off with a sweep of a very talented Michigan club."

Friday night’s contest Notre Dame jumped out to a 2-0 lead in the first 4:50 of the game as Michigan’s Ben Kawa and Bill Wheeler went to the penalty box, giving the Irish a 5-on-3 advantage. Don Jackson scored his first goal of the week and added in two games with a shot from the point, giving the Notre Dame power play its sixth point of the season. Then just 107 later Kevin Drain scored his first career goal as the Irish continued their success and whatever hope the Wolverines entertained about breaking their own losing streak rapidly dissipated.

In the second period co-captain Terry Fairholm added a third goal and then Tom Michalek, a Detroit hero returning home to play before a large cheering section, put the Irish ahead, 4-1 at the 6:31 mark.

Steve Schneider and Terry Fairholm added two more goals and the Irish blitzkrieg had a 6-3 lead after two periods.

Kip Mauser gave the Wolverines a lift and cut the lead to 6-4 but Greg Meldrick, a slashing defense man, sealed the victory. Len Moher made 24 saves through the first two periods and finished with a game total of 33 in a busy outing.

Saturday, Michigan Coach Dan Faber tried to juggle his lineup after his team’s 10th loss in eleven outings, but Steve Schneider solved the situation and gave Rick Palmer when he stuffed a shot behind him to capture the win.

Don Jackson scored a point in the 13 minute 3rd mark of the second period as John Peterson was beaten by Gordie Hampson on a breakaway after John Peterson capped the game with a shot from the point and Don Jackson scored a point in the 3rd mark and Jason Scott scored another point — the finishing touch on a rink long rush for the senior blueliner. The goal was Jackson’s fourth in three games and capped a four goal outburst for the Irish that Michigan never answered.

The weekend included several other highlights for the Irish, one of them the strong play of the new defensive pairings Smits has put together. Pairing a senior with each of the freshmen defensemen. Smith has utilized three sets of blueliners that have clicked. Jackson and Don Lucia, David Brown and Jeff Brookswhite, and Byers and Cameron have performed well for the Irish as the freshmen gain important game experience at the side of the senior blueliners.

Brian Burke also played well filling in for injured Don Fairholm. Burke notched his first assist of the season and moved the puck well. He and Kevin Nagurski did study and made the best of their chances after missing the first half of the season.

Notre Dame now prepares to battle the Michigan Tech Huskies this weekend at the Athletic and Convocation Center. The Irish split an earlier series with the Huskies at Houghton, 4-2, 1-7. The Irish will be trying to overtake Michigan for fifth place in the WCHA, needing to gain two points to move ahead.