Reagan scheduled to meet with panel

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - A commission investigating U.S. arms sales to Iran and National Security Council operations on Wednesday nailed down an appointment with President Reagan and won three more weeks to finish its work.

While the panel headed by former Sen. John Tower inter­viewed former President Jimmy Carter in Plains, Ga., White House spokesman Larry Speakes revealed that Reagan will meet with the commission next Monday.

Speakes said Reagan is ex­pected to review White House files with counsel Peter J. Wal­lison before the session with Tower and two other panel members, former Secretary of State Edmund S. Muskie and former national security ad­viser Brent Scowcroft.

Reagan is expected to an­swer panelists' questions about his recollections of how the pro­gram of clandestine arms sales program transpired, Speakes said.

The three-member board was named by the president on Dec. 1, and a week after Attorney General Meese III revealed that some documents from the arms sales had been diverted to Nicaraguan rebels. It was di­rected to report by Jan. 29 on the role of the National Secur­ity Council staff in carrying out sensitive diplomatic and intel­ligence missions such as the se­cret arms deals.

ND Credit Union robbed

By MARK PANKOWSKI

News Editor

South Bend police were con­tinuing their investigation into the incident Wed­nesday into Tuesday after­noon's armed robbery of the Notre Dame National Credit Union.

Police said a man armed with a small handgun entered the credit union, located at 3509 W. Sample St., at 4:55 p.m. Police brought the suspect, but did not find him.

The robber was described as a black man in his 20s, 5-feet-10 and weighing 150 pounds, police said.

He had a mustache and was wearing a black stocking cap, an Army jacket and blue jeans. Police said they have no suspects in the case.

Police, ND/SMC Security work to combat drunk driving

Editor's Note: These articles mark the second part of a three-part series examining the issues and incidents of drunk driving in the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's com­munities.

By MARY HEILMANN and CHRIS BEDNARSKI

Assistant News Editors

It is a typical Friday night at the South Bend police depart­ment's traffic desk. A call comes in.

There has been an accident, and an accident investigation car is requested.

When the police officer ar­rives at the scene of the acci­dent, he determines there is probable cause that the vehi­cle's driver may have been driving under the influence of alcohol.

After filling out a Probable Cause Affidavit, the policeman offers the driver a breathalyzer test, a procedure the state of Indiana requires. If the driver refuses, his opera­tor's license may be sus­pended for one year.

The driver agrees to the test, and he is driven to the county jail, where the test is adminis­tered.

The test is positive; the driver has a blood-alcohol level higher than 0.10 percent. He is booked, fingerprinted, photographed for a mugshot and placed in a jail cell. It is a scenario which has be­come familiar to the Notre Dame-Saint Mary's community over the past several months.

Three Notre Dame students were arrested in separate drunk-driving incidents last se­ason, all of which involved accident victims. In one case, the victim required extensive hospitalization for broken up­per and lower jaws; in the other two, the victim died the next day from a head injury he suf­fered.

"It think it's human nature that if drinking isn't allowed on campus, then naturally there will be people going off campus to local taverns to drink legal­ly, or illegally as the case may be," said Lieutenant Larry Blume of the South Bend Police Department's traffic depart­ment.

"It's a shame that it has to be that way, but if they're off campus, the fact is that in our society they will be using a car. And that might mean they will be driving under the influence of alcohol," Blume added.

It is a phenomena that Blume encounters daily in his position with South Bend's Alcohol Safety Awareness Program (ASAP), a federally-funded program under the auspices of the Governor's Task Force to Reduce Drunk Driving.

One of the program's objectives is to make students aware of the consequences of drinking and driving. And it seems to be working, according to Blume.

"Not only has it cut down on the number of victims involved in drunk driving accidents," Blume said, "but it is preventing people from drinking and driving."
In Brief

Theodore's will close at 2 a.m. Fridays and Saturdays instead of 3 a.m., said Vince Willis, club manager. Willis said the Office of Student Activities issued the order because of damage to the LaFortune Student Center, where the club is located. Theodore's itself has not been damaged recently, but club patrons have been blamed for the damage to LaFortune's first floor, he said.

Three Texas Tech students were arrested and charged with attempted capital murder of a police officer. The incident occurred when the officer tried to break up a fight between the women and men, who allegedly knocked the officer to the ground and began beating him. The Observer

A plan to give away condoms to University of Iowa students during a program of birth control has been halted by school officials, who said the students should buy their supplies on campus. Approximately 20 male and female freshmen, went on as scheduled. The Observer

The Fictional "Mr. Right" is nurturing and affectionate, they say, offering an equal share of household work and doesn't feel threatened by an educated woman, reports a survey of female freshmen at The University of Kentucky. The annual survey, used to gauge the importance of various characteristics when choosing a husband, polls female freshmen in an introductory family studies class. The Observer

Rock 'n roll pioneers were honored Wednesday night at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Aretha Franklin, the first woman voted in. Joining the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, including Areth

Of Interest

Tickets for the 1987 Keenan Revue will be distributed free of charge to Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students on Friday. Students can receive one ticket by presenting an ID with a maximum of two IDs allowed per person. Distribution for Notre Dame students will start at 1 p.m. inside Gate 3 of the ACC. No lines may form prior to noon. Saint Mary's students will get their opportunity at 4:30 p.m. inside O'Laughlin Auditorium with no lines forming before 3:30 p.m. The 11th annual Keenan Revue will open in the O'Laughlin Auditorium on Jan. 29th, with additional performances slated for Jan. 30, and Jan. 31. Each show will begin at 7:30 p.m. - The Observer

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Weather

Think blue skies...think sunny...think warm...now think South Bend. Today there is a 60 percent chance of light snow with a high of 20 to 25. Tenite expect much colder temperatures and a chance an equal share of housework and doesn't feel threatened by an educated woman, reports a survey of female freshmen at The University of Kentucky. The annual survey, used to gauge the importance of various characteristics when choosing a husband, polls female freshmen in an introductory family studies class. The Observer of snow, mainly late at night with some accumulation possible. Low near 5 and 10, dry, mostly cold today with a 60 percent chance of snow with an additional accumulation possible. High 5 to 10 above. - Associated Press

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Reverse culture shock experienced upon return to ND from abroad

After six hours on a cramped but not too uncomfortable train you find yourself at the end of the line, a stranger in a strange train station. A long search of the timetables confirms your worst fears as you realize there are no more trains out of here until 5:10 a.m. You camp out in the waiting room only to be thrown out on the street - they're closing the station for the night. You have no local money and no place to sleep. Thank God it's not snowing.

None of the hotels seem to be closed. Since you don't see any signs for America's Express or MasterCard, it doesn't really matter. The warmest place you can find is a bus platform, so it's off to sleep, only to be woken up by a multilingual drunk who asks (after two tries in French and Italian) "How's life?" You put your head in your hands and moan.

Welcome to culture shock, the subject of today's column. It's not that bad at first, but it tends to grow on you like some kind of fungus. The first week's not too bad - everything is new and exciting and different. But after a few days of no McDonald's, no newspapers, no English, you tend to get sick of it all.

People look a little ill when you try to tell them you got sick of traveling around Europe after a semester in London. You really do, even if there is enough money and enough time, you just don't enough patience. There are only so many different languages you can put up with, so many different train stations you can endure. But the worst is not over. Far worse is the culture shock of going, though, the "reverse shock" of coming back. At least when you leave America for a foreign country, you expect something a little different. You're supposed to be happy coming home.

And you are, kind of. But after thinking "Wow, these people on the planes are obnoxious," only to realize that they are fellow Americans, after wishing for the hundredth time for a pint of Guinness or some good brainwash or a decent new play in town, after going to your eleventh dorm party in a week and realizing that you are sick to death of them, perhaps you're not so glad to get back. It's different from the change all us students undergo when we leave home for school. Home is a place you can endure. But after thinking about it, Notre Dame and Saint Mary's become our homes. After reverse culture shock, you don't really have a home. The campus isn't quite the same anymore. Even the people have changed, you most of all. And you can't go back to London, or Angers, or Rome.

If you happen to have lived in California you might have some idea of what returning foreign study students go through. It's a lot like an earthquake, coming back. Something you thought was rock solid and unchanging, something that you lean on in a fundamental way, all of a sudden picks you up, bounces you around, and throws you down to the ground. Then it stops and goes back to what it was, almost. And of course your mind knows that things haven't changed all that much, and that you can still depend on the ground. But it's never quite the same.

So the next time you see someone wearing mostly black and wishing for a pint of Guinness, you'll know how badly he wants it. And you'll also know why he turns down your offer of Old Milwaukee.

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"We use some of the money to hire off-duty police officers to work the streets for DUI violations." Alcohol-awareness education constitutes another part of the program, Blume explained, saying two officers speak at the local high schools, an officer speaks at Notre Dame, and elementary-school children hear a police presentation which touches on the problems of driving under the influence of alcohol.
"We're great believers in the designated driver program. If someone wants to get bombed one night, then there should be someone designated not to drink and to drive them home," Blume said the South Bend Police Department and Notre Dame Security have cooperated in the past on efforts to eliminate the drunk driving problem, and maintained that "if anyone (from Security) calls and asks for a speaker or some films, we'd be happy to help." He noted, however, that Notre Dame Security is the campus' own police department and thus responsible for educating the Notre Dame community.
According to a Security officer, Notre Dame Security will continue to address this responsibility this semester through the alcohol-awareness program it began before Christmas break. He said next week Security officers, along with an officer from the Indiana State Police, will visit the Notre Dame campus to outline and discuss Indiana's drunk driving laws.
In addition to a slide presentation about alcohol and driving, the officers will demonstrate the effects of alcohol consumption on student volunteers, he said.
During the demonstration, two volunteers will be allowed to raise their blood alcohol content to near .10 percent, the level at which one is legally intoxicated in the state of Indiana.
According to Security, the officers will then administer field sobriety tests to the students. This will show the effects of drinking on one's capacity to drive, he said.
Following the demonstration, the officers will remain with the students until their alcohol level returns to normal, he said.
Notre Dame junior Michael Cogswell was struck and killed by a drunk driver on the Saint Mary's campus last semester. Saint Mary's Security Director Richard Chlebek said his organization will not implement any new educational policies at Saint Mary's.
As in the past, if the accident is relatively minor — resulting in little damage and no injuries — then Saint Mary's Security will report the incident only to the College's administration, Chlebek said.
If the accident is serious, however, or if Security suspects alcohol is involved, the accident will be reported to the Saint Joseph County Sheriff's Department, he added.
Although both Notre Dame and Saint Mary's have sponsored numerous alcohol-awareness programs, Chlebek said "if the accident is serious, however, or if Security suspects alcohol is involved, the accident will be reported to the Saint Joseph County Sheriff's Department, he added.
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death of Notre Dame junior Mike Cogswell, Steinke said the paperwork against the driver "initially came in as a misdemeanor DUI.
"When a death became involved, we felt a misdemeanor charge was inappropriate and immediately put a halt to the processing of that charge. We also had to create an industry to supply one of the materials in the new "ultra Pampers." He also talked about the thought and effort that went into designing new diaper features and new production equipment, as well as the way "ultra Pampers" were promoted.
Nicholas also attended a luncheon and spoke to a marketing class.
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A variety of groups to be at CSC Festival

By CARI MARTINEZ
News Staff

Approximately 30 to 35 different group agencies will be represented at the Social Concerns Festival tonight in the multipurpose room at the Center for Social Concerns, according to Justice and Peace Coordinator Dan Keusal.

"I encourage people, both those who haven't been exposed to social concerns to come out and meet some of the groups to find out what the center is all about and to ask yourself if there is any way you can become involved," said Keusal.

The Activities Night will be run like an open house, he said, both very informal, "We are not here to create a need, we're here to answer needs that are already there," said Keusal, who is chairing the event along with Kathy Royer, social welfare chair of the event.

The festival, scheduled for 6:30 to 9, is open to all students and community members. Keusal said, "The eligibility rule for participation in these programs is interest." He added, "Many students are willing to use their personal time to become involved and this is good -- an important and healthy sign of what education does for you.'"

The festival, he said, will feature both campus and South Bend groups, including the Neighborhood Study Help Program, the Council for the Mentally Retarded, Logan Center and others. The Center, according to Keusal, is making an extra special effort to concentrate on the various groups open to students. The main concern, he said, is to let people know they are welcome at anytime, not just tonight.

Keusal said the center has had previous successful activities nights and a good special effort to concentrate on the various groups open to students. The main concern, he said, is to let people know they are welcome at anytime, not just tonight.

"The experience of living in a community which wants to be Catholic (or universal) calls for a thinking which is carefully trained in the art of dialogue. . . . A holy community mandates an intellectual policy of conversation," Martin said.

"What distinguishes the intellectual life from other forms of life is how we (intellectually) practice the social art of conversation," he said.

Professor looks at Catholic, intellectual life

By KAREN WEBB
Copy Editor

"Faith and reason are not adversaries," Dr. Terence Martin said at a lecture Wednesday at Saint Mary's, addressing the question of the compatibility between the Catholic and the intellectual community.

The lecture, titled "The Catholic Experience and the Intellectual Life," was the first in a series offered by the Center for Spirituality.

According to Martin, intellectual life should reflect life in a community which seeks to be one, holy, catholic and apostolic. "Catholic intellectual life is characterized by commitments to integration or completeness, to practical transformation or change, to serious and fruitful dialogue, and to listening to the wisdom of the classes," he said.

"Catholic thinking affirms at least some continuity between the world as it actually is and the world as it ought to be," he said. This sacramental view of the world is the difference between the intellectual and the Catholic intellectual, Martin said.

"The experience of living in a community which wants to be Catholic (or universal) calls marks of the Catholic intellectual world, Martin said.

Martin also discussed the importance of classical works to the apostolic tradition of the Catholic church.

"The intellectual life lived in keeping with such an ideal involves a kind of thinking which is firmly rooted in the classics," Martin said. According to Martin, classic texts are still educators because they affect readers and their perceptions of the world.

Dr. Martin is an assistant professor of theology at Saint Mary's. 

The Law at Lee's Ribs

Thursday Night

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Mascot to return?

NOREEN O'CONNOR features writer

Unbeknownst to most fans of the Fighting Irish, the team mascot has not always been the trademark leprechaun. In the early days of Notre Dame's history, the mascot was the Irish terrier, and efforts by a Notre Dame supporter to reinstate this tradition have recently failed.

No one knows for sure why the old tradition faded in favor of the leprechaun, but how soon some forget that the original mascot of Notre Dame was the Irish terrier. Just ask any of the alumni from the 1930s through the 1960s, and they'll tell you about a spunky Irish terrier named Clashmore Mike. Of course, Clashmore Mike has been gone for quite some time, but his memory is present in the hearts of those former Notre Dame students who had the pleasure of seeing him out on the sidelines.

The first Irish terrier mascot, Brick Top Shaw Rhu, was presented to Knute Rockne in 1930 by Charles Otis of Cleveland. Sources have shown that the terrier was acquired some time before the Nov. 8, 1930, football game with the University of Pennsylvania. Perhaps this terrier brought with him the "luck of the Irish" because Notre Dame won that game 50 to 20.

Very little is known about the mascot from 1930-35. In the summer of 1935, however, history of the mascot resurfaces. Robert Cahill, a retired ticket manager in the athletic department along with Layden saw the potential of an Irish terrier as a mascot. A succession of Clashmore Mike's lived from 1935 through the '40s, '50s and '60s. They posed for pictures in Domes, football programs and newspapers; some even had their own columns in football programs of the 1930s. Several programs had the terrier on the front. Then in the late 1960s Clashmore Mike III faded away; nobody seems to know why.

All the Clashmore Mikes were highly educated dogs. "Canines with Notre Dame pedigrees," as South Bend Tribune sports columnist Bill Gleason has described them.

In her efforts, Andre has written to both Theodore H. Hesburgh and Fr. Edmund P. Joyce. She has more than 3500 signatures from 48 states, the District of Columbia, and eight countries as well as endorsements from such prominent people as ex-mayor of Chicago, Jane Byrne; actor Burgess Meredith; sports columnist Bill Gleason; ND full back '60, '61, '62, Mike Lind; and closer of the first Irish Terrier, Queenie Ols-Hanna, just to name a few.

"Coach Leahy saw to it that Mike was trained to run into the field, on the spot commanded to the game when we needed an extra time out. Of course we never used the "secret play.""

On opening day of fall practice Clashmore Mike, along with all of the football players, would suit up and pose for pictures.

One could never say that the Irish terrier isn't a spunky canine, after all, he has a way of leaving his mark on Notre Dame and the fans no matter where he went. Coach Terry Brennan were still around he would say that Clashmore Mike really did leave his mark on ND. According to Football Season Banner which was prepared by the publicity department to herald the new season.

Another mark of the Irish terrier is still present today and can be seen when one looks at the east wall of Alumni Hall. Etched within the structure of that wall is the side profile of the Irish terrier; just another example that the terrier was part of the University and that even though the dog has been gone for some time his memory will survive on that wall.

One person who is trying to revive the tradition of long ago is Marge Andre, an active member of the Irish Terrier Club of Chicago. She resides in Glenwood, Ill., and has devoted a lot of her time to researching and campaigning for the reinstatement of the Irish terrier as one of the mascots of Notre Dame. Andre feels that the time is right to bring back some Notre Dame enthusiasm. This could be achieved by bringing back the traditional mascot. After all, states Andre, there are many universities with proud academic and athletic traditions such as Yale with their bulldog, U.S.C. with their Trojan horse, L.S.U. with their tiger and Airforce with their falcon. These mascots take part in sporting and nonsporting events. One can see how important a mascot can be to the student body and the installation of spirit and pride that comes from a representative mascot. Andre uses the example of the Yale bulldog which is so popular that it leads the graduates to commencement. As Andre has stated, the mascot can't win football games, but the spirit which keeps the tradition of the school mascot is a necessary ingredient in any successful program.

Along with the endorsements which Andre has received, the new mascot would be donated by Ken Andre Jr., '56 and Ken Andre III, '67. From the following she has received more than just signatures. She has been promised a free supply of food for the life of the Irish terrier mascot from the Larns Company of Cleveland. Ohio mascot ex-penses for life from Westminster Kennel Club of New York City; and free lodging from La Costa Hotel and Spa in Carlsbad, California.

With all of her efforts behind the reinstatement of the Irish terrier as a mascot of Notre Dame, Andre does not feel that the terrier should replace the leprechaun but rather they should represent Notre Dame together. After all concludes Andre, Irish tradition and the Irish terrier are one and the same spirit. Only after a physical transformation or metamorphosis can humans identify the physical form of a leprechaun because in the corpse of each and every Irish terrier is the soul of a leprechaun. That marvelous and mischievous Irish fairy is resident in the body of an Irish terrier until such time as a little leprechaun becomes available. The reason for this is that there are more leprechaun spirits than there are little bodies to hold them. Andre says to look long and hard into the eyes of the Irish terrier and you'll see someone looking out at you. There is a twinkle and magic which is pure Irish. People watch dogs. Irish terriers are the only dogs who watch people.

Andre's efforts to reinstate the Irish terrier mascot have come to an end, however. In December the athletic department voted to keep the leprechaun as the sole mascot of Notre Dame athletics.
Reminder of Notre Dame discovered miles away

Over Christmas break, I found a home away from the home. I was working part-time at the Finger Lakes Times, where I had interned over the summer, when I learned about this place that Notre Dame had. It began innocently enough over lunch at the Pumpernickel restaurant in Geneva with two reporting from the Times, Carolyn Foster and Jean Jones.

Eric Bergamo

here's to future days

"We should have lunch over at the Cedar Inn," Carolyn told me, "there's all this Notre Dame memorabilia there." Sounds interesting, I thought. And so I said that lunch at the Cedar Inn would be the first one to arrive at the innocuous white clapboard building. For some reason, I had expected it to be classier than that.

I parked the car in the parking lot and went inside. In the entrance there was a large painting of the Notre Dame leprechaun. I felt that I had come to the right place as I waited for Carolyn and Jean to get there from the office. The decor inside was strictly that of the small-town tavern, bar, barstools, tables. But behind the bar and on the walls was what could be classified as neo-classical Notre Dame.

There was a sign with the words "Notre Dame Lane" in blue and gold. A sign for Notre Dame lovers. Drawings of Knute Rockne, George Gipp, The Four Horsemen, Frank Leahy, Ara Parseghian and Father Hesburgh hung from the wall along with various Notre Dame pennants. There were other Irish souvenirs on the shelves, even of those "Domer un" friends.

Near the back was a large green board with all the years that Notre Dame had been national champions painted in white. Hopefully, there would be another year to paint in underneath the "77" on that board in the near future. We were joined by a legerdemain by Tom Rickey, one of the copy editors and Doris Wolf, another reporter at the Times. From time to time I was called on to identify whose pictures were up on the wall. "Oh, that's a Stryke, he lead the Irish to the national championship in 1966 and 1972" or "That's Father Hesburgh, he's the president of Notre Dame." It all reminded me that even though I was some 600 miles away from the university I love, I never really left Notre Dame. There are always things around that will remind of the Golden Dome.

Even the shirts for the Cedar Inn had the Notre Dame fighting leprechaun on them. One more reminder of Notre Dame and its almost worldwide fame. I'll have to buy one of those the next time I'm home on break.

Eric M. Bergamo is a junior government major and a regular Viewpoint columnist.

Transfer urges student to find fulfilling place

Dear Editor:

I am writing this letter in response to a letter written by John Schloegel. In his letter, Schloegel expressed his obvious disillusionment with Notre Dame concluding that he may have made the wrong decision in deciding to attend this university. Although my opinion of this school is a great deal more positive than his, I think I know how he is feeling. I've been in shoes before, but I didn't do it - I transferred to Notre Dame.

When I graduated from high school, I had virtually no idea about how to go to college. I just perfunctorily looked at a few schools that sounded good and settled into the one that sounded best. Soon, my happiness caught up with me as I realized (much to my dismay) that I was not happy with my choice. After moping around for a semester or two I decided to do something to change my situation. I sat down, looked at my options, and decided to apply to some other schools. This time, though, I did some research and decided to apply to the schools I thought were best for me, instead of those that simply "sounded good." Well, here I am, and I couldn't be happier. I can honestly look back and say with conviction that I made the right decision. The changed my situation while I still could.

Mr. Schloegel, I'm really sorry that you are unhappy here at Notre Dame, but, by the same token, if you feel that you've done your best to fit in here, you're a fool if you hang from to the inside of car windows.

Matt Sitter

Students feeling loss must recall positives

Dear Editor: This letter is directed toward the friends of Mike Cogswell. I didn't know him but I understand what all of you are going through. My mate died my sophomore year. I hurt a lot, because I cared for him quite a lot. Why him and not me? He was such a great person. He always wore a smile and never had a bad word to say about anyone. From what I've heard this week, this sounds a lot like a description of Mike. You must look at those qualities and try to express them more in your own lives. You all had the opportunity to know Mike and see those qualities. I know you feel sad, because this brings back very sad memories for me, but see if you can see the good in all this. Look back and remember Mike smiling and making you smile and feel glad that you got a chance to know him.

Chris Guarnotta

President's actions go against people's will

Dear Editor: It is difficult to know whether Joe Murphy's editorial on January 15 about our president's actions is merely cynical, or rather myopic and completely without principle. The "key question" as he puts it, regarding current affairs in Washington is "whether the situation warranted the use of such powers as the president decided to use." Yet it is clear from his presentation that "warranted" simply means possible of success. What has become clear is a flagrant pattern of violation of the will of the American people as embodied in law. One need not pause to argue very long in asking whether such a pattern of activity, of which we have simply seen the outcroppings, can be warranted. At least a student of American institutions would not linger long on such questions. So the citation of Supreme Court cases is mere window dressing for a totally unprincipled pattern of activity.

David Burrell

Professor, Philosophy/Theology

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Garry Trudeau

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Quote of the day

"Ignorance of the law excuses no man; not that all men know the law, but because 'tis an excuse every man will plead, and no man can tell how to refute him."

John Seldon

"Law"
Students face reality of living off-campus

With room picks just around the corner, Saint Mary's students are begining to consider the option of living off-campus. I am aware of this fact because many of these students have knocked on my door, and asked me questions. Although there is an aura that encompasses Campus View Apartments, Notre Dame Apartment, and the many student houses in the area, off-campus life is not for everyone.

Eileen Scherer

For many students off-campus life is a learning experience quite apart from dorm living. Students acquire important life skills such as budgeting, home care and paying bills. Students also house would not shut off and in November the pilot went out in our gas heater; this was too loud. Mrs. Robert in a eye out for each other.'

Mr. Richard Chlebek, director of security and safety at Saint Mary's, explains the situation to students by describing the need to be on protection. He wants students to be safety-conscious. "For your own protection. Don't be too trusting. Don't hand over your keys to someone you don't know. You've made friends with one of our neighbors. You could be in danger of losing your friends if you lose your keys."

As Saint Mary's students search for a new home off-campus, students considering living in an apartment or a house should be aware of the positive and negative aspects before they move.

For your own protection, don't be too trusting. Don't live alone. Get acquainted with your neighbors and keep an eye out for each other.

Problems among roommates increase when they take on larger living spaces. The different cleanliness standards of roommates combined with the presence of their parents, shopping, cooking and cleaning present difficulties which are usually solved by compromise. One problem that we have in our house is lists. Cleaning lists, pay-lists, lists, food lists and lists to study, writing lists clutter our chalk board in the kitchen. However useful the lists are to us, they, along with us, is usually a nuisance.

According to Rissmeyer, many steps have been taken to improve off-campus conditions. Representation of the students has been increased to include two advisors and a representative to the Board of Governors. The off-campus advisors work with Student Activities to provide the camaraderie that exists in the residential halls. Christmas trees and cakes are given to the dorms by Student Activities, and are also ordered for the off-campus lounge.

The off-campus lounge has been updated to include a color television, a microwave and a coffee machine. New mailboxes with individual combinations also have been installed in the lobby area. The off-campus lounge serves as a meeting place. I often meet one of my roommates there for lunch or to watch a soap or catch a ride home.

Students can prepare themselves for the transition by considering the monitary aspect for an apartment or house. Rissmeyer suggests that students should be aware of the positive and negative aspects, and to keep an eye on their finances.

Mr. Richard Chlebek, director of security and safety at Saint Mary's, explains the situation to students by describing the need to be on protection. He wants students to be safety-conscious. "For your own protection. Don't be too trusting. Don't hand over your keys to someone you don't know. You've made friends with one of our neighbors. You could be in danger of losing your friends if you lose your keys."

As Saint Mary's students search for a new home off-campus, students considering living in an apartment or a house should be aware of the positive and negative aspects before they move.

for the first disturbing aspect of the Iran inquiry is the number of investigating bodies involved. A legion of congressional committees have taken it upon themselves to conduct hearings about the scandal. This includes the Senate Foreign Relations committee, the House Foreign Affairs committee, the House and Senate oversight committees on intelligence, and finally, House, Senate special select committees devoted to the investigation. The executive branch, on the other hand, has committed the Justice Department, the FBI, a special prosecutor, and an NRC review group. This myriad of bodies was created to insure a thorough investigation of the affair; instead they will lead to confusion and delay.

Instead of a systematic and coordinated look at what took place at the White House, the various groups will produce a number of different conclusions. They will be based upon similar interpretations of the same evidence and information not available to all of the bodies. Alternatively, a single joint congressional committee should be created to investigate the entire Iran affair. This committee would have access to the same information available to the regular intelligence and foreign affairs committees, and at the end of the investigation would submit a report of any violations to the special prosecutor. Similarly, the executive branch should limit itself to the special prosecutor and his staff who may use the facilities of the Justice Department if needed.

The Democrats' extreme politicization of the situation is a second detrimental aspect of the Iran investigation. While no one can blame the Democrats for taking advantage of the opportunity to attack the Republicans and their "teflon president," if they continue their irresponsible handling of the affair, the Democrats threaten to harm the inquiry. Instead of being concerned with uncovering the truth of the Iran affair, the Democrats seem determined to use the situation for bashing the Reagan administration. This behavior will only in dragging out the investigation through unproductive hearings, and damaging the public's trust in the government's ability to keep itself in check. The Democrats may also hurt their chances in 1988 as they expend their energies on the investigation in lieu of proposing new policies. A serious Democratic presidential candidate cannot hope to win only on the damage the Iran affair has done to the Republicans, but must prove to the country that he can produce an alternative to the Republican Party.

At the moment it is not possible to call for a speedy end to the Iran affair investigation in order to prevent damage to the "symbolism of the president," or to prevent the scandal from becoming an election issue. Nor should we in any way sacrifice justice for haste. Instead, I feel that the American people and government must quickly resolve this outrage. Time wasted by the inquiry is time which could be spent on a number of domestic and foreign policy issues such as arms control, the budget deficit, farm support, and international trade. A single investigating body in both the legislative and executive branches, along with some political restraint by the Democrats, will help prevent the investigation itself from becoming a scandal.

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Sports Briefs

Chris Zorich, a 6-2, 230-pound backfielder from Chicago, Ill., has verbally committed to attend Notre Dame next fall. Zorich, a product of Chicago's Vocational High School, is the No. 1 rated NFL Hail-of-Fame backfielder Dick Butkus, is expected to officially sign a letter-of-intent Feb. 11. -The Observer

The ND varsity women's tennis team is holding interviews for the position of women's tennis manager for the fall of 1987. Training for this paid position will begin this spring. Contact Michele Goldman or Mara Smith at 238-5418 or come by the ACC tennis office near Gate 5 in the afternoon. Deadline is Jan. 30. -The Observer

The ND rowing club will have an aerobic workout for all members tomorrow at 5:15 p.m. in gym 4 of the ACC (above Gate 3). -The Observer

The ND Kung Fu club will hold its first meeting of the semester Saturday at 6 p.m. Everyone is welcome and demonstrations will be given. For more information contact David at 380-36. -The Observer

The ND varsity field hockey team will have a meeting for anyone interested in playing field hockey Tuesday, Jan. 27 at 4:30 p.m. at the football auditorium. -The Observer

The ND women's soccer club will have a meeting to discuss the basics of the game for anyone interested in playing indoor soccer. Elections will also be held. For more information contact Kate at 380-36. -The Observer

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It I have to base it on last weekend, (but) Geoff Rossi is not fencing with any kind of confidence. If he would only realize that he is as good as anybody, he would give Kevin Stoutermire a run for his money. Rossi should be number one on the (sabre) team.

The weakest link on the Irish team this season appears to be the inexpert epee squad, which DeCicco hopes will turn around and enable a second straight run for the national championship for the Irish. Last week, the Irish were defeated by senior Tim Vaughan (2-0), posted a 6-3 mark.

"I'm hoping to see one or more of them to start fencing like they want to be number one," DeCicco said. "When you've got a group of epeeists and one of them is coming forth, I want them to shake up my bag of tricks. I have to stimulate them."

While the Irish look among sophomores Todd Griffee (2-1) and Ted Pay (3-1) for the next serious breakthrough, Dave Lennerl (0-1) and John R. Vaughan (0-1), the freshmen, have put forth a solid epee unit that could plague the Irish.

The Irish women fultlist will also be looking to advance an unblemished record, as they try to improve in this year's second-place finish in the NCAA tourney. Standing in the way for Notre Dame will be an unbeaten squad from Wisconsin (6-0) and Vermont (4-0). The Badgers knocked off Northwestern, Ohio State, Stanford and Minnesota.

According to Women's Head Coach Yves Auriol, the Irish have a "better team this year. "It's a solid team," Auriol said. "We're much more balanced this year and we should have a good season."

Junior Molly Gregory (4-0) leads the Irish, which are the defending NCAA champ in the women's foil. Sophomore Janice Hynes (4-1) has verbally committed to attend Notre Dame this fall. She will bring a weapon after finishing 12th in the NCAA tourney last season.

Adding depth are seniors Cindy Weeks (1-1) and Victoria Arthur (2-2). Freshmen Brenda Leiser (1-1) of Surprise, Ariz., are freshman Anna Bar­ red (2-0) and Kristin Kralicek (0-2).

After being ineligible for two meets last year, Kraleich joined the incoming Horizon to bol­ ster the Irish attack. "We didn't have Kristine Craul last year, and she is going to be able to help us," Auriol said. "It will be a plus," Auriol said Ann Pacifico, the team's best fultlist, will be a senior this year and will help lead the Irish.

The Irish travel tomorrow for Madison and their Saturday meet with Wisconsin. The team is hoping to stay at home for the Irish tourney, which they should be favored to come away with perfect records, as they are the defending NCAA champs. The Irish are in the hunt for an at-large bid to the NCAA tourney and will be looking for a good showing at the upcoming State meet in Iowa State. The meet is being held in Iowa City.

"We are looking for a good showing at the tourney," Auriol said. "We want to be number one in the Midwest."
Dillon topsples Alumni as IH basketball resumes schedule

By KEVIN McCORMACK
Sports Writer

While some Notre Dame students were concerned only about the hoops going on when the Irish play in the south dome of the ACC, they might be surprised to find several heated battles at various gyms all across the venue in the form of Interhall basketball.

And while the season is still young, the excellent games of Interhall basketball may be shaping up into a battle of titans for the ACC. They might be looking at a big future for the coaches.

"Bill Healy, John Livingston and myself will have to hold our own in the middle," said Dillon captain Frank Izzo. "We took advantage of our height and bulk in both of our first two games."

As for Dillon, the key to winning the last two games has been its ability to outmuscle its opponents.

"When the games are close, you can't make those kinds of mistakes," said Hanley. "We also have to be more aggressive in the future. We don't have a lot of big guys or football players, but we can't be intimidated."
Thompson has worked cut out with 1988 Olympic basketball

Seoul, South Korea, 1988, is just around the corner, and for the first time we have an Olympic basketball coach that’s over six-feet, four-inches tall: John Thompson, the towel-wringing, resident capital-G genius of Georgetown University.

For the few who are unfamiliar, he’s known as “Big Bad John” to his opponents in the Beast of the East -- a strong, patriotic, and in my mind at least, there’s no doubt that he is no stranger to the international bullring.

Coach Thompson was not, by any stretch of the imagination, a clear-cut choice to Dean McGuire, Hoopla Hoopla Hoopla Hoopla.

The above two numbers are very important. The top one represents the amount of money raised in last semester’s Wednesday Lunch Fast. The bottom one signifies the number of participants. Thank you now and in the future.

The only comment he’ll make about all the problems is that he would like to have three of the 12 U.S. Olympians will be sure to get a big leg up on evaluating the pros, because in the past the NBA has done more than its fair share to make our U.S. Olympic team the best that it can be -- both financially, and also by adjusting their rules.

As far as the college basketball players are concerned, I think what you’ll see is a reaching into and response from the private sector to supply a contingent of 10 to 15 tutors, who would go through training and the traveling with the Olympic squad that we send to Seoul.

As if that weren’t enough, let’s take a look at problem number 2, which concerns the athletes who are still in college. Right now, it looks like they’ll be missing at least three weeks of class -- which is a no-no unless you figure to take ‘em out for the whole semester. And, believe me, that’s a no-no to the poor college coach who has recruited the kid and has him on his team.

So what are the answers? Well, I really believe that David Stern, commissioner of the NBA, will do everything he can to help solve the problem with the pros, because in the past the NBA has done more than its fair share to make our U.S. Olympic team the best that it can be -- both financially, and also by adjusting their rules.

Did Coach John also complete investigations of international rules, and be also spend time last summer with Coach Lute Olsen of Arizona at the World Games in Madrid. Make no mistake, he is no stranger to the international scene for the last decade. Thompson has won in 1976. And, he also helped in selecting the material for Bobby Knight of Indiana in 1984.

Positives? “Big Bad John” is loaded. His style of play was created for the Olympics -- coast-to-coast pressure on D, and a giddy-up offense, which if it doesn’t immediately convert, is followed by patient patterns. Coach John also knows how to use a long bench, which is a definite asset because of the physical style of international play, and which means that at least 10 of the 12 U.S. Olympians will be sure to get their fair share of PT.

One other thing: Coach John also has a complete understanding of international rules, and he also spent time last summer with Coach Lute Olsen of Arizona at the World Games in Madrid. Make no mistake, he is no stranger to the international scene.

So, those are all the positives. All the items on the asset side of the ledger. Now, I think, it’s time we got on to the list of things on the liability side.

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John Elway and the Denver Broncos hope to avoid the tenacious New York Giants' pass rush by establishing a running game in Sunday's Super Bowl. The Giants, however, appear better suited to keeping the ball on the ground. See related story below.

Giants have edge in ground attack; Broncos also want to establish run

Associated Press

PASADENA, Calif. - The New York Giants are confident they can run the ball on the Denver Broncos. The Broncos hope they can run on the Giants.

In other words, if Sunday's Super Bowl turns into a ground game, the Giants have a big edge.

The Broncos, nine-point underdogs in the NFL championship game, have spent the week talking about having to establish a running game to keep the pressure off of the Giants' menacing front led by John Elway. As Coach Dan Reeves puts it: "If John is forced to throw 50 or 60 times, we're going to be in trouble." But the Broncos' running game has been based on their defense.

The Broncos were the ninth worst team in the NFL at running the ball; the Giants were the best at stopping the run. Joe Morris' 1,516 yards, second best in the NFL, was 362 yards better than the combined total of the Broncos' two best backs - Sammy Winder and Gerald Willis.

Moreover, the Giants were not enthralled with their rushing performance in the first meeting between the teams, a 19-16 New York win Nov. 22, although Morris gained 106 yards in 22 carries. And even at their most confident, the Broncos don't seem as confident about running as the Giants are.

"Joe Morris is a friend of mine and a great running back," Williille says. "I think I'm just as good as Joe, and Sammy thinks he's just as good, ... But Joe thinks he's better than anyone."

The Giants' offensive scheme is simple and no secret: run Morris until the Broncos show they can stop him and use the running to set up Phil Simms' passing.

The Broncos, meanwhile, use quickness and deception more than brute force to stop the run. Los Angeles Raiders Coach Tom Flores says they might use as many as 11 linemen in the 60-play game. They may shift two or three times before the ball is snapped.

"We're trying to simplify things from what we did in the last time," says New York center Bart Oates, who has a 30-pound weight advantage over Greg Kragen, the Broncos' 245-pound nose tackle.

"I think we reacted too much then to what they were doing. We may have spent too much time adjusting the last time in stead of concentrating on blocking our man."

"The movement can cause some blocking problems," says Ron Elrod, the Giants' offensive coordinator. "But you've just got to make sure you've got the right people blocking the right people on their side." Some of New York's power comes from fullback Maurice Carthon and tight end Mark Bavaro, each one of the best blockers at his position in the league. The Giants may also add a second tight end, Zeke Mowatt, as they did with considerable success during the season.

The 5-7 Morris, meanwhile, has the ability to hide behind the front, then use his quickness to cut out inside the defense. To counteract that, the Denver linebackers have been working out with a huge medicine ball to teach the linebackers to keep their hands and bodies low when they try to tackle Morris. And Denver's problems in running are compounded by injuries on the offensive line. With Paul Howard, the most experienced blocker, out with a knee injury and it will be replaced by second-year man Mark Cooper. Keith Bishop, their Pro Bowl guard, has also been hurt but will play.

The Broncos must deal with New York's linebackers not only league MVP Lawrence Taylor, but eight-time Pro Bowler Harry Carson and the Carl Banks, who plays the opposite outside spot from Taylor. Most teams put a second blocker on Taylor and sometimes even a third.

Like the Giants, the Broncos get a lot of blocking from their backfield. -Clarence Kay, who is on a par with Bavaro as a blocker if not a pass receiver. But while Kay did a good job on Banks in the first game, the Broncos ran for just 80 yards, 15 of them on eight scrambles by Elway.

Kay, with Joey Hackett or Orson Mobley on the other side, may be the key to handling Taylor because a double-team opens up lanes for other Giants defenders.

Unusual athelte Kraus adds strength in field

By PETE GEGEN Assistant Sports Editor

A coach once said that potential is just a fancy way of saying: "You ain't done nothin' yet." But one Notre Dame athlete has thrown the shot put on a 5-foot, 11-inch, 127-pound frame, just a fancy way of saying: "I'm just as good as Joe, and I'm just as good as the guy."

"I'm just as good as Joe, and I'm just as good as the guy."

Potential is one word for Kraus. Kraus is unusual; that is, if you adhere to traditional stereotypes of big men.

Consider, the man has never played football. Ever.

"I've had everyone and his brother try to get me to play football," says Kraus. "Hugga Couthard and sophomore Yehuda Kovacs. Everyone." He didn't fence last year, but this year, he's fencing well.

He's my best foilist right now."

Irish fencers looking to reach top

By MIKE CHMIEL Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's fencing team will attempt to improve upon a 1-0 record and extend its 54-game winning streak, while the Notre Dame women's fencing team will also hope to boost its 1-0 mark this weekend in a five-team meet at Wisconsin.

"I hope we can continue the winning ways," Irish head coach Mike Decena said. "I hope we can improve like I hope we can. Then I think that we're going to be good enough to continue with what we've been doing. But we have to improve in the epee, and we have to improve in the sabre. If we improve in the epee, I'm sure that they'll have a law against it."

Traveling to Madison, Wis., the Irish will be facing both Big Ten rivals Wisconsin and Minnesota, Chicago, and Providence. Last year in Chicago, the Irish went 3-0 against the Wisconsin Badgers while also matching a 2-0 win against the Chicago Maroons.

This season, Wisconsin, Illinois, and Ohio are the top teams in the Big Ten and in the Midwest. The Irish will also travel to Ohio State Feb. 7, while Illinois will visit Notre Dame Feb. 14.

"Wisconsin is going to be very, very tough," Decena said. "The others (at this weekend's meet) will have in individuals an equal shake if not a better one."

Already the Toledo, Ohio, native has taken fourth place in the shot in the 40-plus team Hoosier Dome Invitational. And he will have the opportunity to match his first collegiate victory when Mich. State visits the north side of the campus.

"The Midwest is one option for Kraus. Kraus is unusual; that is, if you adhere to traditional stereotypes of big men."

On Nov. 28, the Badgers host the Irish's opener against Stanford last year, and now the Irish have the edge in ground attack.

The one pleasant surprise, in fact, for Irish fans may be Kraus' fencing. He's got the same speed, the same ability to keep the ball on the ground.

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