**Arms negotiators from U.S., USSR agree to more talks**

Associated Press

**GENEVA -** After American and Soviet arms control negotiators met in a special session Monday, the Soviets presented Mikhail Gorbachev's new proposal to eliminate medium-range missiles in Europe.

Searching for a breakthrough in the negotiations, the two sides agreed to keep the talks indefinitely.

U.S. officials in Washington said the American side would respond by presenting a draft treaty to remove intermediate-range missiles now aimed at Soviet and European targets.

Soviet officials said Gorbachev made this offer on Saturday in an attempt to break the Geneva deadlock. The proposal dropped a Soviet demand that the United States restrict its "Star Wars" program before an arms control package could be agreed on.

European governments generally reacted favorably to the Soviet initiative but cautioned that they would want to examine it closely before moving toward banning Soviet SS-20 missiles and U.S.-made Pershing 2 and cruise missiles that are now being deployed.

"We shall need to look carefully at the print," said British Foreign Secretary Sir Geoffrey Howe.

The missile that would be scrapped under an agreement include 316 U.S.-made cruise and Pershing 2 missiles already deployed in Western Europe. In all, 572 are to be deployed.

On the Soviet side, Western officials estimate that 441 medium-range SS-20s have been deployed in the Soviet Union.

Gen. Sergei Akhromeyev, Soviet chief of staff, said on Monday that 243 of the SS-20 missiles were aimed at Europe.

The Soviet proposal would eliminate medium-range missiles based in Europe over the next five years, with the Soviet Union keeping 100 missiles on its Asian territory and the United States maintaining 100 on its territory.

In Washington, the White House welcomed the Soviet move. But American officials said any agreement must allow that the Americans would protect their forces in Europe. Also, they would insist on verification to guard against cheating.

U.S. officials in Geneva said they were optimisitic about the prospects for an agreement after meeting with both the U.S. and Soviet delegations.

But he said the negotiations will be "tedious, and we all know it," and that a separate agreement be concluded "without delay."
Administration avoids 'Iran gate' by revoking Scholastic suspension

I had already outlined a very sarcastic article about the suspension of Scholastic magazine last Thursday when suddenly a great misfortune had to occur: the Office of Student Activities rescinded the suspension and retreated from its original position. Today was supposed to have been D-Day. I would have pointed out that not only had the administration violated its own rule book, but while the Office of Student Activities was suspending Scholastic magazine for printing a blurry picture of what looked like one person leaning over another (if one squinted), it was showing such wholesome, values-oriented flicks like "9 1/2 Weeks" in the Engineering Auditorium. But what did the administration do? At the last moment it blinked, and poor me was left with no story.

Or so I thought last Thursday. Yet after some reflection I realized there is a very important story here.

Right now the administration looks rather foolish, now that it has in effect admitted that it was wrong all along, even if it hadn't exactly said so. Still there are worse things than looking foolish once in a while. One of those things is believing in the validity of the administration too much, for it leads to boring, schmaltzy writing. Also there is much to be gained by pretending to be infallible and denying any regret for the action at the outset, thereby making an embarrassing issue into a disastrous one. People quickly pick up two and two together: if the President is acting totally phlegmatic while the Office of Student Activities was looking scraggly around the armpits, it managed to make its Irangate just that little bit more stirring. I believe that 240 million people are so obtuse that they would stick to their VCRs and forget the entire scandal, just as the Teflon President has a telion brain. Yet he heeded conventional wisdom. Looking good comes first, as it does with actors, corporations, and job applicants. It's like that antiperspirant commercial with the coach who lost the superbowl saying "Whatever you do, never let them see you sweat."

Yet although last Thursday the Office of Student Activities may have looked a bit wet under the armpits, it managed to make its Iran gate last only four days. Maybe when the next Republican President is elected sometime after the year 3000, he will have enough intelligence to realize that antiperspirant commercials can sometimes be wrong.
The Observer general board members chosen for 1987-88 publishing year

Observer Staff Report

The Observer has announced the selection of 14 students to complete its general board for 1987-88.

Melinda Chapleau, a sophomore in the College of Arts and Letters, has been chosen as an advertising manager. Chapleau is from Granger, Ind., and is currently serving as an advertising sales representative.

Chris Bednarski, a junior from Marcellus, N.Y., has been selected as a news editor. Bednarski, a government/ALPA major, is now an assistant news editor.

Jim Riley, a junior majoring in business administration, also has been chosen as a news editor. Riley is from Sagamore Hills, Ohio, and is currently an assistant news editor.

Marilyn Benchik, a sophomore majoring in English literature and minoring in secondary education, has been selected as Saint Mary's editor. Benchik is from South Bend and is currently Saint Mary's assistant editor.

Michael Whitton, a sophomore from Oceanside, Calif., has been named advertising design manager. Whitton, an accounting major, is now serving on the advertising sales and layout staff.

Tracy Schindele, a junior accounting major, has been named controller. Schindele, whose hometown is Tempe, Ariz., previously had served as a design editor.

Michael Naughton, a Program of Liberal Studies major, has been named Accent editor. Naughton, a junior from Santa Clara, Calif., is now an Accent copy editor.

Laura Stanton, a freshman from St. Louis, has been named graphic arts manager. Stanton is now serving as a staff artist.

James Carroll, a junior from Washington, D.C., will continue his duties as photography manager. Carroll, a Program of Liberal studies major, is entering his second year as photography manager.

Dennis Corrigan, a junior American Studies major, will resume his duties as sports editor. Corrigan, whose parents reside in Kaiserslautern, West Germany, is entering his second year as sports editor.

Shawn Sexton, a management information systems major, will continue his duties as systems manager. Sexton is now a junior from Beachwood, Ohio.

Chris Murphy, a sophomore majoring in American Studies, will resume his duties as Viewpoint editor. Murphy, whose hometown is Manchester, Mo., began his duties as Viewpoint editor earlier this semester.

Mark McLaughlin, a junior from Middletown, N.J., has been named project manager. McLaughlin, an aerospace engineering major, is now serving as co-production manager.

Melissa Warnke, a junior accounting major, will resume her duties as production manager. Warnke, whose hometown is Westlake, Ohio, has served as co-production manager since January.

The general board was selected by incoming editor-in-chief, Kevin Becker, in consultation with the new managing editor, Mark Pankowski, and the new business manager, Brian Murray.

The new general board will assume its duties March 24.
Erroneous broadcast says Rockford hit by tornado

Associated Press

CHICAGO - A national Weather Service bulletin that erroneously said the city of Rockford had been demolished by a tornado was sent to hundreds of Midwest radio and television stations Monday and read on the air by some announcers. One broadcaster whose station used the bulletin said "that's very upsetting to find out you may have panicked thousands of people needlessly."

The bulletin, sent on the weather service's wire at 4:35 a.m., said:

"At 4:35 a.m. CST a tornado hit the Rockford, Ill., weather office. This storm was moving southeast at 50 mph. This is a dangerous tornado, you should go to a basement shelter if available...Abandon cars and mobile homes."

Five minutes later, a disclaimer was sent explaining that the bulletin was transmitted by mistake, said meteorologist Steve Kahn at the service's Chicago office.

The bulletin was part of a test being conducted to let the bulletin get out. Kahn said a weather service worker in Rockford who saw the bulletin called the service's Chicago office and said "I'm a survivor" and laughed.

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"I've asked Bob to continue serving under a new director," Baker said Reagan would give his address at 5 p.m. EST Wednesday. He said he had gone over portions of it with the president and thought it would "have a profound effect."

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We Americans like to think that we have one of the fairest electoral systems in the world. When we go into the polling booths on election day we are confident that our voice is being heard and that the will of the people will be translated into a true representative result. We look askance at nations such as the Soviet Union, where no choice is offered the electorate and where the Communist Party's preselected candidate is set to succeed. Yet, we look at the whopping ninety-nine percent plus majorities secured by such candidates, we rightly question the value of popular participation where there is no real competition to begin with.

David Kozis

guest column

But what about our own electoral system? The choice between two candidates is considerably preferable to no choice at all. Yet it must be admitted that even our electoral system effectively operates so as to limit our choices on election day. Most of us have had the experience of going into the polling booth, reading the names of the Democratic and Republican candidates for a certain office, and then realizing that we were no one better to vote for. Of course, there are usually other parties on the ballot, for example, the Socialist Worker, Prohibition, Libertarian, Citizen's for a Better Life, etc., so forth. But experience realizes that these other parties have no chance to win. Even when an Independent presidential candidate, such as John Anderson in 1980, succeeds in getting enough public attention, sympathetic people are afraid to waste their votes. What is this? Is it simply a matter of Americans being loyal to the two major parties? Apparently not. Recent studies have consistently shown a decline in party loyalty over the last generation. Whereas previous generations had been willing to identify themselves with one of the two major parties, today's voters are more willing to call themselves independents. Yet despite the rise of independents, nearly all national offices are still monopolized by Republicans and Democrats. This suggests that something else may be at work.

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Some might object to the institution of PR on the grounds that it would lead to the end of our two-party system. But that is not necessarily the case. If there were a majority for PR, it would be less likely to lead to instability, as in present-day Italy or France. In France (1996-81), both of which are or were characterized by multiple parties and political fragmentation, the result is that party leaders would find it to their advantage to build a broad coalition of supporters. This system does not necessarily lead to instability or fragmentation, as is evident in such nations as Norway, Sweden, and the Netherlands, whose political system is multi-party yet highly stable.

Moreover, the decline of the Democratic and Republican parties and the rise of other parties might actually lead to greater stability, since district and potential minorities would be more fairly represented and thus more readily heard within the legislature. Consider our present system minorities are represented only if they happen to reside in a district where they are in the majority. But most minorities in our country, particularly ideological and religious minorities (e.g., minorities of conviction, as opposed to minorities of interest), are scattered across the country and can claim majority status in no single region. If they wish to be heard, and if either of our two major parties adequately represents their position, then they must resort to extra-parliamentary means. Adoption of PR, possibly in combination with our current district system, would not only serve to prevent future instability, but would ensure more representation of all of these minorities and communities in this country who wish their voices to be heard.

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Edward Meese, the former White House Counsel, was appointed by President Reagan to head the CIA during his first term in office. Meese had been a vocal critic of CIA operations during the Vietnam War and had publicly supported the idea that the agency should be abolished. However, he ultimately decided to support the agency's continued existence and played a key role in shaping its policies during his time in office. Meese's appointment was controversial at the time, with some questioning his loyalty and qualifications for the position.
names like "Ipso Facto," based reggae band, will return to the South Bend area with a show tonight at Theodore's. And the best part is, the show's free.

Sponsored by Notre Dame by the Musical Entertainment Committee, Ipso Facto has paid their dues touring the country warming up for such groups as The Kinks, "The Clash," Third World and UB40. Along the way they have captured numerous awards and high acclaim for their musical prowess and innovative style. The band's goal is to bring reggae music to new heights where it can be enjoyed by a wide variety of musical tastes. Ipso Facto's attempt to create a unique sound for itself among bands of the reggae mold comes to life in the band's musicians. Band founders and siblings Wain, Juju and Julitta McFarlane provide it with an on-stage energy that catapults even the most passive foot tapper into the heat of the action. They and the rest of the band members draw the audience into the performance with the overwhelming rhythm of its bass and percussion.

Last year the band scored big in the Minneapolis area with their song "So Cocaine," which was premiered in a public service campaign by a local music store chain. Tonight Notre Dame and Saint Mary's will have the chance to welcome what one critic called "one of the best reggae bands in the world" at 8 p.m. at Theodore's.

Ipso Facto performs tonight at Theodore's

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KIM YURATOYAC

ow, domers who have made a habit of complaining about the dreaded Notre Dame-South Bend social scene, have yet another non-alcoholic social activity. The Annenberg Film Series shows films on Monday, Tuesday, and Friday in the Annenberg Auditorium of the Snite, and on Wednesday and Thursday in the O'Shaughnessy Loft.

The Friday series seems to be the most popular among the students. Woody Allen classics like "Annie Hall" and "Hannah and Her Sisters" and avant-garde films like "Home Of The Brave," and horror flicks like "Dawn Of The Dead" are just a few of the films offered this semester.

Professor Pam Falkenberg, of the Notre Dame Department of Communication and Theatre, says that the Communication and Theatre faculty chooses the weeknight films in conjunction with the courses they are teaching. And the other films are chosen according to what the faculty thinks the Notre Dame community would like to see.

"Notre Dame is an intelligent audience," Falkenberg adds. "But it's hard to generate a crowd for avant-garde films, anything that's too different doesn't get a big audience." Professor James Peterson says that students may overlook the series because it doesn't have the big names and famous titles of alot of commercial films. "Students have to keep an open mind that alot of the films we're going to see aren't going to have 'boy meets girl' storyline's or patriotic themes like 'Top Gun,' but they will experiment with different film techniques."

Both Peterson and Falkenberg encourage students to take film classes to improve their knowledge and understanding of film. "Taking a course in film is a way for students to appreciate any film and to increase their range of taste in films," Falkenberg adds. "There used to be an active film culture here in the 1960's. They had discussion groups after movies. I wouldn't mind seeing something like that happen again," she said.

According to Falkenberg, the weeknight attendance varies from a few for certain documentaries and foreign films, to full houses for films like "Woodstock." The Wednesday and Thursday films, largely documentaries, and less popular films, are free and shown in the O'Shaughnessy Loft. The more popular films, which are expected to generate a larger audience, are shown in the 790 seat Annenberg Auditorium for $1.50.

"A Sunday in the Country" was recently shown at the Annenberg auditorium.

Falkenberg says "We try to show a range of films this year. It's kind of hip to show movies like "Repo Man" and "Home Of The Brave." We're less bound by commercial restraints. We choose films by looking at what has done well in other cities."

Both Falkenberg and Peterson admit that although the series is popular among the faculty and students, its budget generally does not break even. "Most Universities get budgets that alot of the films we're using for classes are for commercial fllms.

The films are subsidized by the College Of Arts and Letters, The Department of Communication and Theatre and The Snite Museum. The rental fees for films, according to Falkenberg, varies from $45-$50 for older movies, to up to $700 for new movies. Most commercial theatres, she adds, make most of their money from concessions, which they don't have in the Annenberg series. "The series is a service to the community," says Peterson.

Upcoming movies recommended by Professor Falkenberg are: "Home Of The Brave," about the multi-media performances of avant-garde rock star, Laurie Anderson, "Purple Rose Of Cairo," a Woody Allen film, and "Sans Soleil," an unusual film about the oriental culture. Professor Peterson says, "We just don't have any bad films." His favorite upcoming films are "Hearts and Minds," about the Vietnam war, "Sans Soleil," and anything odd like "Repo Man."

The film series is becoming more and more popular among the Notre Dame/ Saint Mary's community. As students become more aware of the variety of films offered, the Friday night films may become incorporated into the Friday social scene.

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The independent student newspaper serving Notre Dame and Saint Mary's is accepting applications for the following positions:

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• Features Copy Editors

Questions should be directed to Mike Naughton at The Observer office (239-5313). Resumes and personal statements due Friday, March 6.
Minor league owners score with inexpensive franchise owners.

Everybody knows that major league baseball players make big salaries. In fact, 20 of the 26 teams are running at a loss these days, mainly because of these high labor costs. With their salaries averaging over $400,000 and their use of the hero's image, players in the majors can count on people remembering what their pictures look like.

But what happens in the minor leagues? This is where you find the teams that make money. They only pay salaries that the better players can make. "One day we're going to wake up and say, 'Hey you're making money and we're losing it!" "

The Triple A Louisville Redbirds are a prime example. By 1983, they had broken the minor league attendance record with a gate surpassing one million, an attendance figure higher than that of some major league teams that year.

**Alex VonderHaar**

**Business Bits**

As for profitability, the team A. Kay Smith paid off in 1961. He was able to sell three years ago for $5,000. These are the minor leagues?

Even in tiny South Bend, Ind., franchises are making a fast buck. A lawyer and an Illinois couple paid $20,000 two years ago to set up a club for the Single A Midwest League. They never got around to doing it. Last year, they sold their rights to some New Yorkers for a cool half a million.

Joseph Buzas also believes in the system. This 68-year-old paid $8 bits for the bankrupt Reading Phillies in 1978 only to bail out eight years later for $1 million. He didn't bother calculating his annualized return.

"The majors are subsidizing us tremendously. You have to be real stupid if you can't make money in this environment."

Fans notice a big difference with the lower-salaried players. If they aren't picky about watching players with experience, a family of five can enjoy a night of hot dogs, soda, and baseball for less than $30. In the majors, the same clan would have trouble just getting bleacher tickets for that amount of money.

This heaven, however, may not last forever. Already the farm clubs are required to provide financial statements to their partners in the majors, and the majors may insist on a cut in the future. Surprisingly, this would lead to the minor leagues helping out the salaries for major league players.
**Sports Briefs**

The ND men's basketball team is ranked 26th in this week's AP Top 25. UNLV remains 1-while DePaul fell to fifth. - Associated Press

ABC television announced today that the network will telecast Notre Dame's season opener Sept. 12 at Michigan. Special to the Observer

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**SPORTS BOOKMARKS**

Bookmarks XVI late registration will be held Thursday at the SAB office (floor floor). From 5 to 6 p.m. Any team that has not registered should do so then. There is a $5 fee per team. For more information contact Steve Wene at 409. The Observer
Saint Mary’s basketball ends 12-8

By GLORIA ELEUTERI
Sports Writer

The Saint Mary’s basketball team, 18-4 concluded it’s season last Thursday night with a 73-59 loss to IUPUI in the NAIA district semifinal action.

The Belles, however, kept things close throughout the first half because the girls worked hard at both ends of the court and everything worked well,” said Head Coach Marvin Wood. “But IUPUI capitalized on a couple of field goals and a foul shot to go up at the half 38-31.”

IUPUI was ahead of seven Saint Mary’s turnovers that burst into a 46-37 lead. It was an uphill fight for the Belles the rest of the game.

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The Belles finished with a 12-8 record. Wood attributes his confidence in each other while that team unity helped them to play well.

“We get along great both on and off the court, and that made a difference,” said Duke. “It allowed us to get to know each other a lot better and begin to anticipate the styles of play on the court.”

“They cleaned as well gave us confidence in each other while we played,” agreed freshman Gallagher. “It made the freshman get us to the different style of play at this level.”

Although the Radke sisters were often in the spotlight this season, there was never any one player who the Belles depended on. “We could always count on the forwards and center to come through if the backcourt was being pressured and vice versa,” said Julie Radke. “That gave us the confidence of not having to rely on any particular people. It was also the same way with the substitutes.”

Unprecedented three fencers to the NCAA’s this year. Besides Hynes, defending national champion Molly Sullivan will go to the championships again, along with freshman Anne Barreda. Sullivan placed third in the Great Lakes and second in the Midwest Regionals.

“IUPUI bought the show this past weekend. Hynes turned through the competition Saturday, posting a 17-1 record to get the automatic bid to the nationals. Sullivan and Barreda finished a close second and third on Saturday in the Midwest Regionals.

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and then switching places in the NCAA Midwest Regional the next day. West Michigan’s Todd Gard fee and fellow epeeist Tim Vaughan will also be going to the NCAA’s. Vaughan places third in the Great Lakes on Saturday with a 12-8 record, but finished first in the Midwest Regionals. Griffe took second place in both competitions.

The women are sending an unprecedented three fencers to the NCAA’s this year. Besides Hynes, defending national champion Molly Sullivan will go to the championships again, along with freshman Anne Barreda. Sullivan placed third in the Great Lakes and second in the Midwest Regionals.

Hynes, however, stole the show this past weekend. Hynes turned through the competition Saturday, posting a 17-1 record to get the automatic bid to the nationals. Sullivan and Barreda finished a close second and third on Sunday in the Midwest Regionals.

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Stanford and Sorin to fight it out for the Interhall basketball crown

By CHRIS PAULISON
Sports Writer

The men's A League Interhall basketball championship will be on the line tonight when Stanford and Sorin clash at 6 at Veterans Field.

Stanford, 7-0 in regular season play, has continued its winning streak by scoring through the playoffs without losing a game. After receiving a bye in the first round, Stanford defeated Holy Cross and Morrissey, only to fall to tonight's final. Because the Studivs are undefeated and Sorin suffered an early playoff loss in this double-elimination tournament, the Screaming Ters have to beat two teams to receive the crown.

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Men's tennis splits pair over weekend

By KELLY TOWNSEND
Sports Writer

In men's tennis action this past weekend, Notre Dame came out with an even record losing to Ohio State and defeating Ohio University. These two matches also keep this season's record even at 3-3.

The action against Ohio State was characterized by close matches and valiant efforts by the Irish. At the number-one singles spot, Tim Carr started with a strong 6-4 win in the first set, but was edged 6-7 in the second and dropped the last set 4-6. Dan Walsh also took his match into three sets, emerging with a 7-6, 3-6, 6-1 win against his Buckeye opponent.

The doubles teams paired better with wins recorded by Tim Carr and Dave Reiter and Mike Wallace and Sean O'Brien, who recorded a 6-1, 6-2 blowout. Despite the strong Irish win, the Buckeyes were overpowered by the Buckeyes, losing the match 6-2.

"We thought we had a chance against them," said Head Coach Tim Fallon. "But I think you're too strong for us.

Against Ohio University, Notre Dame evened out their record this weekend with wins by Brian Kalbas (6-1, 6-2), Dave Reiter (6-2, 6-3) and Dan Walsh, who held off his opponent with two sets of 7-5.

In doubles, the Irish won by forfeit in the number-two match and lost the number-three match, 8-6. The first doubles match was cancelled due to a lack of time and the Irish ended up with a 6-3 win over Ohio University.

Fallon saw several encouraging signs in the match against Ohio University. "Kalbas' win shows that he is on the way to recovering," said Fallon. "I think they're strong this weekend when they challenge long-time foes Wisconsin and follow up with hard-hitting Gustavus Adolphus.

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4:30 p.m.: Biological Sciences Seminar: "The Functions of Complement in Human Diseases," by Dr.Tom Lint, Rush Medical School, Chicago, 283 Galvin Life Sciences Center
7:30 p.m.: Tuesday Night Film Series: "Hearts and Minds," 1974, color, 112 minutes, directed by Peter Davis, ND.; and James Bellis, ND. Galvin Life Sciences Auditorium
8:00 p.m.: Department of Music Concert, Notre Dame Chorale and Chamber Orchestra featuring J.S. Bach's Magnificat, Sacred Heart Church

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Irish notch 20th victory, ranking as they dump Brooklyn College

By BOB KEMPER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men’s basketball team abandoned its heart-stopping brand of play Monday evening and coasted to a 76-57 victory over outmanned Brooklyn College.

It was the seventh consecutive win for the Irish and insured them of their fourth 20-win season in as many years.

After Mark Stevenson made a lay up off an offensive rebound to put the Irish up 4-2 at 19:36 of the first half, the Irish never relinquished the lead. Senior co-captain Scott Hodge helped the Irish take control early as he drilled four jumpers in the first ten minutes of the game. Notre Dame entered the locker room at the half with a 38-20 lead.

After the intermission, the Irish jumped to a comfortable 16-point lead. Gary Voce connected on a rebound goal and converted the three-point play after Stevenson scored on a rebound goal and Rivers popped from 17 feet to finish off the 7-0 run. The defense complemented the offense as the Irish blocked seven shots on the night, a result of which resulted in fast breaks.

“Winning these games this season is an incredible feat for several reasons,” said Phelps. “First of all, the graduation of Tim Kempton, Jim Dolan, Joe Price, and Kevin Stoutermire left us pretty bare. Secondly, David (Rivers) was involved in the tragic auto accident. Then we found out Keith Robinson was going to be ineligible for the season. When Western Kentucky beat us in the first game of the season, they showed us we were a long way from being a good basketball team.

“After losing to Western Kentucky, I anticipated that we would only end up with about 16-18 wins. The fact that we are now ranked shows what we have gone through. After beating North Carolina, Duke, and DePaul, people believe in us. I think this is primarily responsible for the success of our season. I didn’t know how to die when I should have died.

“The Irish had their biggest lead of the night, 72-51, with 2:40 left in the contest when the ball came off the bench. Chris Nanni and Steve Nickerson fired up the previously subdued crowd as both players registered the game’s first 30-point game. Nickerson converted the front end of a one and one, while Nickerson got credit for a field goal as the final buzzer on a goaltending call.

“Notre Dame is in the upper echelon of major college Division I basketball,” said Brooklyn head coach Mark Reiner, “and that is what we are competing for. Notre Dame is playing as well as anyone in the country right now. We schedule games like this to help our program move in the right direction.”

“Although Notre Dame only had about a ten to fifteen point lead for most of the game, they have a quiet, conservative way of winning. We were banking on a letdown, especially after their sluggish schedule of late.”

Donald Royal led the Notre Dame scoring parade with 20 points to go with 10 rebounds. Mark Stevenson added 12 points, and David Rivers and Scott Higgs chipped in eleven.

Junior Frank Gregov squashed Royal’s scoring reaction by pouring in 20 points for the Kingsmen.

Fencers earn berth in NCAA finals

By TERRY LYNCH
Sports Writer

Yehuda Kovacs and Janice Hynes both took first place in the foil at the Great Lakes Fencing Championship as the men’s and women’s teams both claimed first place Saturday in Dearborn, Mich.

The men claimed the first-place trophy for the fourth year in a row by outscoring rival Wayne State University 171-128. Kovacs’ win marked the third year in a row that Notre Dame boasted of an individual foil winner. Kovacs won the title last year, and teammate Charles Higgins-Coulthard claimed it in 1986.

“I was happy with the win, but I wasn’t happy with the way I performed at the tournament,” said Kovacs, who claimed a 16-1 record this weekend. He and Charles Higgins-Coulthard will represent the Irish foilists in the NCAA Championships in two weeks at the ACC.

Head Coach Mike DeCicco did not travel with the teams this weekend after suffering a slight concussion last Wednesday while giving sabreman Kevin Stoutermire a lesson.

But even on autopilot, DeCicco’s unfeathered Irish were so used to winning that his absence made little difference. Finishing other fencers besides Kovacs qualified for the NCAA’s this weekend, and Higgins-Coulthard gained an automatic berth in the NCAA’s by attaining a position of second place in the University Games.

Kevin Stoutermire and Geoff Rossi will represent the saber team after finishing third and second respectively in the Great Lakes Championships, see page, page 9.

Illnesses slow women’s track club

A lack of members prevented the Women’s Track Club from participating in 10 of 13 events in last weekend’s Notre Dame Invitational and caused the Irish to finish fourth in the four-team meet.

There was the half-mile with a time of 2:20.06, Julia Merkler placed third in the mile in 5:20.43, Darlene Martin finished third in the shot put with 16-10 and Kathy Tammaro placed fourth in the shot put at 24-11.

“We had a difficult time because many of our people were sick. Strep throat ran rampant through our team, but those people who we did put in did extremely well,” said Head Coach Dan Ryan. “Theresa Rice ran against some tough competition, with DePaul, and Kathy Tammaro ran against DePaul, and DePaul, and we came out ahead, 2-1, in the end.”

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ND takes 2nd in Alabama tournney

By PETE SKIKO
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame hockey team ended its regular season by taking second place in the first annual Alabama-Huntsville Invitational this weekend.

By splitting a pair of games over the weekend, the Irish finished the season with an overall record of 9-18-1 and are ranked 14th in the ECAC.

After the intermission, the Irish jumped to a comfortable 16-point lead. Gary Voce connected on a rebound goal and converted the three-point play after Stevenson scored on a rebound goal and Rivers popped from 17 feet to finish off the 7-0 run. The defense complemented the offense as the Irish blocked seven shots on the night, a result of which resulted in fast breaks.

“The players that have been consistent all year are playing especially well,” said McNeill, “and continually that kind of leadership will inspire some of the younger players.”

McNeill shares his coach’s feeling that the team appeared to come closer together despite the loss to Huntsville.

“Yeah, it was a tough loss,” said McNeill, “but we’re under out of South Bend, and it was a great opportunity for the four upperclassmen to go along with Kevin and Kathy Tammaro placed fourth in the shot put at 24-11.

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