Pressure on Waldheim intensifies
Associated Press

VIENNA, Austria - The unexpectedly critical report on the World War II activities of President Kurt Waldheim has widened a deep split among Austrians, intensified calls for his resignation and divided the governing coalition.

On Wednesday, the Socialists who govern with Waldheim’s conservative supporters added their voice to the criticism of the president, but they stopped short of demanding he quit.

The conservative People’s Party, which backed Waldheim in the bitter 1986 presidential campaign, was the only political party to throw its weight fully behind the president.

Waldheim’s supporters had predicted the report by a panel of six historians would clear his name. Now the same conservative politicians and commentators reject it.

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GPA’s importance depends on goal

By REGIS COCCIA
Assistant News Editor

For most students, admission to Notre Dame required a high grade point average. But, for the job market, it’s all that important,” he said.

Roberto Waddick, assistant dean of the College of Arts and Letters. “Now, in the job market I don’t think it’s all that important,” he said.

Waddick said he thinks most companies look for involvement in activities that show something about the applicant’s character, such as the ability to be a good resident assistant and community service.

A Notre Dame senior’s recent job offer with the New York consulting firm of Arthur Andersen and Company shows that GPA is not a major, and certainly not the only, concern.

The senior, who asked not to be identified, said he was offered a job as a management information consultant despite a cumulative GPA of only 2.66. “My GPA has been steadily declining since freshman year,” the student, an electrical engineering major, said. “I had a 3.6 freshman year. The reason is I have a declining interest in electrical engineering. I’m more interested in the business end of engineering,” he said.

“Most of the people I’ve talked to are shocked,” the student said. “I have a friend in aerospace engineering. He has a 3.8 and he interviewed with Arthur Andersen but he didn’t get the job.”

The student said he feels his involvement in campus activities helped him get the job, even though he has no practical work experience. “I was very heavily involved in A’s and B’s at ND Part 2 of A three-part series

By DAN MURPHY
News Staff

“I like seeing their faces when they get a bigger refund,” said Michelle Matthews, a junior accounting major at Saint Mary’s.

Matthews is one of 65 students volunteering their time to prepare state and federal tax returns for low-income taxpayers from the South Bend-Mishawaka area.

Notre Dame’s Tax Assistance Program (TAP) is offering free help to taxpayers with annual incomes below $20,000 at ten locations throughout Michiana. The program, in its 17th year, started Saturday and will continue until the Internal Revenue Service’s April 15 filing deadline, said Ken Milani, faculty coordinator of the program.

The student tax preparers, junior and senior accounting majors, will prepare about 1,500 to 1,800 returns this year. They receive one credit hour for participating in the program, he said. “It’s a terrific use of the students’ talents and time,” said Milani. “It ties in well with Monk’s (Father Edward Malloy’s) view of how Notre Dame should interact with South Bend,” he added.

The TAP centers have been busy and the rush is expected to continue for two weeks, said Milani, because people are eager to receive their returns.

Tuesday morning was so busy at the Senior Citizen Center in Howard Park that Notre Dame senior Shannon Oakes had to turn people away. “At first when they came in it was overwhelming, and the first returns took us a long time,” said see TAX, page 6

ND sets policy for AIDS info

BY KENDRA MRRILL
Copy Editor

Administrative officials will not inform the University community if a student has AIDS, according to Notre Dame’s AIDS policy.

The policy’s public information section states that both the occurrence of AIDS or one of its lesser forms, as well as the victim’s identity will not be released by the University.

This policy is designed to protect the individual’s rights, said Carol Seager, director of University Health Services.

But Seager said this policy is followed for any highly contagious disease, not just AIDS. “There is nothing to be gained from it. What sensible gain could there be from publicizing (this information)?” said Seager.

“Our responsibility as an organization is to act in response

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Senate race minus one candidate

By JIM WINKLER
Staff Reporter

Saying, “My heart wasn’t into it,” Sean Hoffman explained why he withdrew from the race for the District 1 senate seat.

Hoffman, a Stanford resident, was the only current senator seeking re-election, before he withdrew Tuesday. He is presently the senator from District 2, but due to re­districting Hoffman and other Stanford residents will be in District 1.

“I had trouble deciding whether or not I wanted to run, and I only decided last week to run at all. Yesterday (Tuesday) I pulled out of the race,” Hoffman said. “I didn’t have the necessary enthusiasm.”

Hoffman’s withdrawal from the race leaves District 1 voters with two choices, Pat Kiernan from Holy Cross and Keenan Hall’s Billy Joel. Both Kiernan and Joel are seniors.

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I'm a little fed up with this fashion thing. How I long for the carefree days of childhood: Garanimals and OshKosh B'Gosh made it easy to match colors while plaid pants and big collars were considered cute.

I am, according to a friend, "a slave to fashion," and I want to be freed. Not a slave in the sense that I worry about putting together the perfect combinations of clothing, but a slave because I am trapped by my inability to understand the laws which govern the world of fashion.

I constantly inundate my roommates with questions like, "Does this match?" Or "Do these go together?" Or simply, "Does this look dumb?" And that's not just on SYR nights but everyday, although I know they must dread the moment I start to prepare for an SYR and pull out everything in my feeble wardrobe.

The most troublesome articles of clothing for me are socks, especially different colored socks.

No matter how many new pairs of socks I buy, there always come a few days each semester when the supply of whites run out and I am forced to commit the fashion faux pas of wearing colored socks with my white basketball sneakers. I try to defend myself by pointing to the chilly South Bend weather and claiming that it is only practical that I wear something on my feet to keep warm. But fashion should not take a back seat to comfort or reason, it seems.

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Professor starts AIDS fund

By LIZ REEVES
News Staff

A Saint Mary's College foreign language professor is attempting to raise funds to help pay the funeral and medical expenses of a young boy who recently died of AIDS.

Professor Nicholas Meyerhofer said he has collected a few hundred dollars so far, for the family of Richie Teders.

Teders, 13, died Jan. 9 after struggling for three years with the symptoms of AIDS. He was infected with the virus in 1982 after receiving AIDS infected blood in a Fort Wayne, Ind. hospital for injuries suffered in a serious car accident, Meyerhofer said.

Teders' family is now struggling to pay $3,000 worth of funeral and medical expenses and unanticipated medical expenses, the professor of German said.

Meyerhofer, who has never met Teders' family, said they do not even know about his fundraising efforts. "They don't need to know my name," he said. "They just need to know that there are a lot of folks in South Bend who care." Meyerhofer's donation will be sent to the family in an anonymous check, he said.

Meyerhofer said he learned of Teders' case through Richie's godfather, a member of Meyerhofer's church.

Richie's case, "shows that (AIDS) is not a one-sided issue," he said.

Contributions to the Richie Teders Fund can be sent directly to Meyerhofer at 151 Regina Hall or mailed to Bank One, 111 West Edison, Misha­waka, In. 46505.

Cold, flu season ‘catching’

By DEIDRE FINN
News Staff

The cold and flu season is well under way this year and Notre Dame's health officials are feeling the full effects of it.

"By definition, certain diseases hit at certain times," said Dr. James Moriarity of Notre Dame Health Services.

"There are no reported cases of influenza at Notre Dame this year and the infirmary have been complications from colds, such as bronchitis, sinus infections and strep throat, said Moriarity.

The majority of cases seen in the infirmary, "is a misconception of the flu," added Moriarity. "It is often thought to be a combination of vomiting, nausea, and diarrhea, but it is really a respiratory disease," said Moriarity.

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Notre Dame is symptomatic of the rest of the country. "There isn't anything unusual about the number of colds this year or on this campus," said Vagner.

"I believe that most of the students with colds aren't coming to the infirmary," said Moriarity. "Most of the students can treat themselves at home and don't require medical attention." Mortality speculated about the reasons why colds spread so fast on campus. "There is a greater opportunity to get infected because students live in such a closed environment with a lot of different people around, for example, classrooms, dormrooms," said Morarity.

Vagner added that the dry air created by heating systems add to the respiratory problems.

Vagner offered simple advice during this cold and flu season.

"The cold virus is spread by coughing and sneezing, therefore washing your hands frequently and using disposable tissues will help prevent the spread of the germ," said Vagner. "You cannot catch a cold from a cold or lack of sleep, these may lower your resistance."

If you do get a cold, liquids and bedrest will help you feel better, said Vagner.

"Not everyone responds to the same treatment," said Moriarity. "I'm for anything that makes you feel better, that includes remedies such as chicken soup."
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to medical information," Seager continued, "and every piece of information has proven over and over again that the public as a whole is not at risk. We have to act in accordance with the law." (*The University of AIDS policy has not been publicly released but is available by request from health services. We didn't feel it was important for publicity to be associated with the guidelines," said Seager.

But she added, "If anyone came and asked for the policy, yes, it would be released." Seager said she usually likes to talk about the policy with anyone who requested a copy of it to see if he or she has any questions or concerns. "(Releasing the policy) is more than just giving out a piece of paper," Seager said. "But the emphasis should be on education, not policy, said Seager. "That's the policy," she said. "The most important thing is education."

To help Notre Dame students become more aware of the facts about AIDS, health services is putting together a group of people who will begin to go from dorm to dorm to give AIDS presentations within the dorms, according to Seager. "We've tried every other possible avenue to communicate with people (about AIDS) and have not gotten a lot of attention and response," Seager said. "Students may feel more comfortable in the dorms more at home." Seager met with Hall Presidents' Council Tuesday to discuss the planned presentations, she said. "They (the hall presidents) suggested that we submit a list with dates so that they can pick a date for each of the dorms (on which the presentation will be given)," Seager said. "After this is done, 'we'll be off and running,'" said Seager.

Educating rectors and resident assistants, putting up informational posters, making available informational pamphlets, advertising in The Observer or Scholastic and giving out an AIDS hotline phone number are among the other AIDS educational efforts made by health services. "We need to make information available in a variety of ways," said Seager. "People respond differently to different media stimuli. What works for one may not work for another."
Shuttle bolt flaw could force delay

Associated Press

HUNTSVILLE, Ala. Engineers working on the redesigned space shuttle rocket motors said Wednesday they have discovered a bolt design error that could delay NASA's plans to resume flights Aug. 4. The engineers at Marshall Space Flight Center and at Morton Thiokol Inc. were trying to determine if the design of 72 bolts used to secure the booster exhaust nozzle should push back the date for the first post-Challenger launch.

"If we convince ourselves it is an acceptable condition, there is no schedule impact," said Royce Mitchell, a member of the Marshall redesign team. "If we took the worst case, we're talking weeks if we have to change the flight and make an accommodation." Mitchell said Royce Mitchell, a member of the Marshall redesign team. "If we took the worst case, we're talking weeks if we have to change the flight and make an accommodation.

The problem area is one of several on the booster, which was redesigned after the Challenger exploded in January 1986, killing all seven aboard. The redesign joint includes a second rubber O-ring seal and rubber washers for each bolt, Mitchell said. The bolt assembly is considered part of the joint's secondary seal, which would keep exhaust from escaping if the primary O-rings were breached.

"The bolts, originally threaded all the way to the bolt head, were redesigned to have a smooth, unthreaded area for the rubber washers to seal against. But the Thiokol design engineer failed to specify that to the bolt manufacturer," Mitchell said. "The groove of the thread kind of tunnels under that rubber and would allow gas to get under it," he said.

Profits forecast in U.S. industry poll

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - U.S. manufacturers are increasingly optimistic that the economy will rise sharply this year and by a wide margin expect profits and exports to be up over 1987 levels, an industry group said Wednesday.

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"Living art" is 'off the wall'

Associated Press

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Valentines Day: a time to reflect

Valentines Day is Sunday. The flowers and potted plants will be in full bloom and deliveries of the traditional tokens of affection will be everywhere. I read a front page story about the Observer eating disorders among women at Notre Dame. It was shocking to me to learn that one of five women on this campus suffer from anorexia, bulimia or a combination of both. It seems clear that the personality profile common to these disorders-perfectionism, over-achieving, drive, success-is shared by numerous Notre Dame students. Yet these factors alone cannot account for the number of people affected by these illnesses. Our society's image of women as sex objects has a significant influence on all women's self-images. For example, the Keenan Revue. We are very disturbed to read in this paper that the women as sex objects. For example, the Keenan Revue. We are very disturbed to read in this paper that the

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Tricks to tackling social tragedies

Next to "Kidsworld," my favorite television show as a kid was "ZOOM." My mom always found the cooking lessons amusing because nine out of ten times the dish of the day had peanut butter in it. Whether it was put on toast with raisins and bananas or swirled into ice cream and sandwiched between waffles, peanut butter was the star of the show.

In retrospect, I can say that all the viewers who picked up some kitchen hints from these segments are nutritionally set now that they find themselves in college without a wealth of marvelous dishes available to them. The "ZOOM" kids did not just encourage my creativity with food groups, but they also taught me a trick which has gotten me through many a seven-minute conversation lull. There is no real name for this deft move but I call it "ZOOM butterfly arms." If you do not know it now, let me try to describe it.

First, stand with your arms extended at your sides. Slowly bring your forearms together, crossing them with your right arm closest to your chest. When your arms cross at the elbows, keep your elbows together but uncross your forearms. When they are parallel and you appear to be praying, bring your left forearm over closest to your chest. Continue to uncross your arms all the way until you are back with your arms extended out at waist level. That is the basic butterfly technique. Be sure to keep your hands free of each other and then once you have the basics down, speed the whole process up a bit. The fun part comes when you can do it quickly, and no one can figure out how you do it.

Fine and dandy, you may say. Now what do I do with this sought-after skill? True, this is not a move you do while you boogie. This is a party move. A "hey, no one is talking or looking at each other" move. Like I said, it lifts the seven-minute lull.

Although there were no lulls to be found at an SYR this weekend, we started talking about things people do like the butterfly arms, and we put together a brief list of "Stupid Date-Party Tricks." Of course, we had to clarify if these were a) stupid tricks you do on a date, or b) tricks you have to do if your date (the person or the event, I guess) turns out to be stupid. Here are a few we came up with:

1. Making faces—for example, puffing your cheeks out so you look like a chipmunk, and then puffing your nostrils so you look like a chipmunk on the prowl.

2. Contorting your body in such a way as to display every possible double-jointed part of your anatomy—for example, bending only the top third of your fingers or thumbs backwards. Or, as one timber lass demonstrated Saturday, pulling your ankle up to your hip and then almost in front of your thighs.

3. Figuring out if you can curl your tongue or roll it on its side. If you can wiggle your ears or raise your eyebrows one at a time, or which way your hair curls.

4. Swapping scar stories: "When I was two, I slipped in the bathtub and that is where this quarter-inch scar on my eyebrow came from."

5. Balancing drinks (yours and those of others) on your head. You don't just stand still then, however. You balance while you boogie.

This is just a small selection of "Stupid Date-Party Tricks." Of course, the day after an event it is sometimes difficult to remember just what you did do to keep yourself and everyone else entertained, but maybe these ideas will come in handy sometime.

It can't hurt to have a few tricks up your sleeve because you don't want to be the cause of a comment like one I heard Saturday: "I have a stupid date, but to make matters worse, (he or she) can't do any tricks."

Mary Berger
Back in the High Life

Which sport beats the cold?

"I love hockey, I've always been a Gophers fan, and it's great that Notre Dame is competitive this year. Notre Dame hockey is awesome, and there's no sport like it when the fighting starts. Violence: It's the only place you can get it on campus."

Kelly Madden
Freshman

"Water polo is, by far, the best winter sport. We haven't lost a match yet. Actually, we only practice in the wintertime. We compete in the spring and fall. As far as spectator sports go, hockey was a riot the other night."

Bob Brutus
Sophomore

"Basketball is my favorite Notre Dame sport. I played the game, and I've always enjoyed it. Sports like hockey aren't popular in the south where I'm from. I was raised on basketball, I have season tickets."

Monica Murray
Senior

"I guess hockey is the most prominent right now. It's the most exciting of the sports. There's a lot of action, and the fact that they can do all of that on skates amazes me."

Susie Paulik
Junior

"I like hockey because tickets are free, and the team is doing really well this season. They've really turned around their sport. They've just regained varsity status, and they have really turned around their sport. It's a change from your basic football and basketball every year."

John Quinn
Junior

George Baak
Senior

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No. 1 Owls fly past city foe Villanova

Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA - Freshman Mark Murphy scored a season-high 31 points and Howard Evans had 17 points and a school-record 20 assists Wednesday night, carrying No. 1 Temple over and a school-record 98-86.

Murphy converted four foul shots in the final 1:50 to preserve the victory.

Villanova, which led 65-61 at halftime, got the first basket of the second half. But the Wildcats went on a 13-4 surge, taking a 53-47 lead with 3:52 remaining.

Villanova clung to the lead, and after a basket by Tom Greis, led 67-61 with 7:50 left. Villanova got within 71-69, but Temple, with Macon scoring three field goals, pulled ahead 82-76.

The Wildcats, who trailed by 11 points with 1:30 remaining in the first half, scored the final five points before intermission and hit eight successive shots at the start of the second half to conclude a 13-2 run that made it 43-33 with 16:24 remaining.

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By GEORGE TRAVERS

Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's tennis team puts its perfect record on the line at 3:30 p.m. Sunday at the Eck Tennis Pavilion against a struggling Eastern Michigan University team.

So far this season, the 40 Irish have outscored their opponents in two of three matches they have played this season.

"Right now I may play on Sunday, but if there is any doubt in my mind I'll sit this one out," said the junior. "Hopefully I can take my place at number one."

Bayliss hopes for a quiet match against Michigan, so his team can gear up for its toughest portion of the season. The Irish have five matches after the Hurons are against some of the top teams in the Midwest, including Northwestern, Iowa, Miami (Ohio), Purdue and Colorado.

Those matches will decide if the Irish are a fluke or for real.

NCAA tourney tickets on sale

Each of the eight teams assigned to the Midwest Regional will be assigned to play in South Bend. Both an afternoon and evening doubleheader (four games) will be played on Thursday, March 17. The four winners will then advance to another doubleheader on Saturday afternoon, March 19.

The teams assigned to Notre Dame will not be determined until the complete NCAA tournament bracket is announced on March 13. Exact tip-off times will be announced at that time. If Notre Dame receives a bid to the NCAA tournament, there is no guarantee the Irish will be assigned to play at the Joyce Athletic and Convocation Center since the NCAA tournament committee can assign each of the 64 teams to any region it chooses.

Tennis team sports 4-0 record

In addition, senior captain Dan Walsh was hobbled by a strained ankle, although he should play Sunday.

Kalbas played on Saturday to average a loss dating back to last year. He hopes his injury won't hold his team back.

"I'm really impressed with the team this far so far this year," said the first-year Irish coach. "The match against Toledo last Saturday was impressive. Brian Kalbas probably shouldn't have played but he did. He played because he's a competitor. That's the attitude our team has had all year."

That competitive edge has never been without costs. Top-seeded singles player Kalbas is doubtful for Sunday's match as a result of the groin pull he aggravated in the Toledo match.

The Observer

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Varsity
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Members of the field hockey team are understandably upset. The Jan. 18 team meeting was the first time they heard of the decision. Now the players, including nine freshmen, three of whom started, have to decide if field hockey is important enough to them to transfer from Notre Dame. Another group of athletes at Notre Dame went through the same experience in 1980. The hockey team was stripped of all 20 of its scholarships in a cost-cutting move by the athletic department, then the team was dropped to club status to allow the players to transfer without losing a year of eligibility.

The campus was in an uproar. Twelve articles on the decision appeared in The Observer in the month of February alone. Hockey was very popular (and for good reason), but it was cut off at the knees.

Field hockey, on the other hand, is not nearly as popular, and the uproar on campus has been correspondingly small.

Field hockey is a dying sport in the Midwest. Purdue’s dumping of its eight-scholarship program is testament to that fact.

And that trend is one of the factors the athletic department used in its decision. Notre Dame’s entry to the Midwest Collegiate Conference was another factor. According to Executive Vice President Father William Beauchamp, surveys show that softball and women’s soccer are both highly desirable sports among women at Notre Dame, as well as among the MCC schools. Only one other MCC school has a field hockey team. Women’s golf also registered high in the interest survey, and it has the administrative support needed to Beauchamp, “its expenses are minimal.”

Yes, money is the bottom line of these decisions which affect so many students and coaches at Notre Dame. With a former banker as athletic director, nothing less should be expected. Dick Rosenthal and the entire department all should be commended for making moves which, in the long run, will be very beneficial to Irish athletics.

But the bottom line isn’t good enough for what has transpired in the last few months. Consider the two stories cited at the top of this article. It would be easy to conclude that the decisions were made last semester and the athletic department hid them from the field hockey team.

That is not true. The final decision to drop field hockey was made in January, according to Beauchamp.

What is true is that the decisions were poorly handled. Tearing up a team’s practice field, reassuring the coach that there is nothing to worry about, and then coming back three months later to state the opposite was not the way to handle the decision.

The athletic department should have told Lindenfeld in October that they were considering dropping the program, while they were tearing up their practice field. In fact it would have been best to announce the decision last semester, to give the players more time to consider their options, although the people involved in the decision said it was announced as soon as possible.

Field hockey may not be as popular as ice hockey, but to the athletes involved, the sports are equally as challenging and rewarding. The field hockey decision, though ultimately a good one, was handled poorly. Period.

SMC falls to I.T.T. in final seconds

BY HEATHER ATKINSON
Sports Writer

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Detroit next for Irish women

By JEFF HEILERT
Sports Writer

Coming off a big win at Duke and facing a 2-18 Detroit squad, how can the Notre Dame women's basketball team avoid a big letdown? Four letters will answer the question - NCAA.

The Irish hope to improve their chances for a bid tonight when they host the Lady Titans at the Joyce ACC. Tip-off is set for 7:30.

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The rest of the season starts with a young Detroit squad, which is returning only one starter from a 21-4 team a year ago.

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"Kim is very quick," said McGraw. "She also rebounds great for a 5-7 guard. We'll have to play her tough; she had 40 points in a game earlier this season.

Detroit's tallest player is just 6'0 and the Irish look to dominate the inside play with 6'4 forward Heidi Bunek and 6'3 center Sandy Botham. Bunek is leading the Irish in both scoring and rebounding with 18.4 points and 8.5 rebounds a game. Botham follows closely at 15.4 points and 8.3 rebounds.

"They are not as strong inside as they are outside," said McGraw. "Our inside people should have big games. After seeing limited action against Duke (were both in foul trouble the whole game), they should be ready to go."

The Irish recently have been slowed by a rash of injuries. Starting forward Dondra Toney and reserve forward Anne Schwartz both suffered knee injuries and will miss the remainder of the season. Junior Lisa Kuhns' availability is in question after she also injured a knee in the loss to Tennessee on Feb. 3. A team that once relied on the press and the fast-break has been forced to change its game plan, according to McGraw.

"With only nine healthy players, we are not a running team anymore," McGraw said. "Especially with Dondra out, we lose so much quickness. We have no one to replace the quickness we lose on her side.

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Freshman swingman Sarah Liebacher looks to start her second game in place of Kuhns. She responded in her first start against Duke by going 6-of-7 from the floor and 7-of-8 from the line to tie for team high-point honors with the injured Kuhns. Kuhns' status against Duke was in doubt due to knee injuries and will miss the remainder of the season. Junior 6'2' guard Kim Chandler.

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Track team faces major test

By MIKE SULLIVAN

Sports Writer

Fresh off one of its toughest meets of the season, the Notre Dame track team leaves the comfortable confines of the Loftus Center this weekend to travel to Cedar Falls, Ia., where it will compete in the Central Collegiate Conference Meet.

The upcoming meet will give the Irish much competition, with the likes of DePaul, Loyola, Illinois State, Marquette, the Big Ten teams (excluding Ohio State and Indiana) and the Mid-American Conference teams all participating.

"This will be, if not the best meet of the season, as good as the ICAA Championships," said Irish coach Joe Piane.

Last weekend's initial home meet, while an overall success for everyone involved, resulted in injury to a few key Irish runners, including junior middle-distance runner David Warth. Because of his injury, Piane has slightly altered his pre-meet strategy.

"We're trying to put together a strong distance medley team to override the injuries," said Piane.

The medley, which consists of the 800, 400, 1200, and 1600 meter events, will be composed of sophomore Mike O'Connor and senior co-captain Dan Garrett.

Other events in which Piane is looking for good things include the mile relay, the long distance run (led by freshman Jeff Smith) the high jump (led by John Cole) and the distance events.

By CHRIS KILEY and JEFF TILTON

Officiating. It can make or break a team in close matches.

For the Notre Dame wrestlers, attempting to knock off the 13th-ranked Michigan Wolverines represented a heartbreaking turn of events. A fifteen-second scramble for control cost 142-pound Ron Wiesniewski five points and the match, and it just about ended the Irish hopes for an upset in their 24-16 loss Wednesday night.

"There is no way that was five points," said Irish coach Fran McCann. "Maybe it was five points in freestyle wrestling, but not in collegiate. It was just a funky call."

Other winners for Notre Dame included 118-pound sophomore Andy Radenbaugh, 134-pound junior co-captain Jerry Dursi and 177-pound junior Chris Geneen.

Notre Dame will face a top 20 team for the third time this week when the Irish host No. 16 Ohio State on Friday. In last year's meeting between the two teams, the Buckeyes trounced the Irish 36-6. McCann eagerly awaits this year's rematch.

"We match up better with Ohio State than we did with Michigan," said McCann. "They're a ranked team, and they are dynamic at 190 and heavyweight. I still think we can win six matches."

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one that we have a great need for,“ said Holtz said Wednesday that he hadn’t made any solid decisions on who would replace Fazio and Yonto.

“My first thought would be that current Outside Linebacker Coach) Barry Alvarez would be the guy that would probably be the defensive coordinator and inside linebacker coach. I think Barry knows the players, coaches, system and knows what we want to do. He’s an excellent teacher. That’s my first thought.

“My second is that we would revamp the defensive staff. We would move different people to a variety of different things,” Holtz indicated that he was not sure who would replace Yonto, but he said that he hoped to have the staff in place by next Wednesday.

Recruits continued from page 16

“The nucleus of this program in the future is going to come out of the parochial schools. Chicago, Ohio and western Pennsylvania. We have got to get back into every Catholic high school in the country. That’s not a suggestion. That’s an order.”

The Irish may be getting their 2nd recruit in Grayson Johnson of Fort Arthur, Tex. The defensive back had verbally committed to Notre Dame, but did not sign Wednesday.

Sports Briefs

Varsity and Novice crew teams will have a mandatory meeting tonight at 7:30 p.m. in room 127 Nieuwland to plan Spring Break trip. Bring a $10 deposit for the trip. -The Observer

The 5-10 and under league needs someone to organize next year’s league. If interested, call Jim Manning at 283-6195. -The Observer

Anyone interested in forming a women’s rugby team please call Lauren (3080), Sarah (4009) or Kathy (4607). No experience necessary. -The Observer

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Texas stars staying home

Associated Press

Texas A&M, the defending Southwest Conference champion, and Texas landed most of their state’s top football recruits Wednesday—the first day of the signing period.

Southern Methodist, an SWC member riding out the “death penalty” for NCAA violations, made some inroads by signing 10 high school seniors.

The NCAA banned SMU its so-called “death penalty” last Feb. 24, canceling the school’s 1987 football season and restricting the number of school with a pay-for-play scandal.

SMU also canceled its 1988 season.

Louisiana State, UCLA and Oklahoma also placed some top talent from Texas.

LSU landed one of the best players in Texas, linebacker Tyrone Malone of Fort Bend Willowridge. UCLA beat out A&M, Texas and Oklahoma for Spring High running back Kevin Williams, the state’s No. 1-ranked running back.

Oklahoma got a commitment from Irving MacArthur’s Reggie Finch, rated among the best running backs in Texas. The Sooners also received verbal commitments from linebacker Joe Bowen of North Mesquite, halfback Ike Lewis of Dallas Wilmer-Hutchins, linebacker-defensive end Troy Tippins of Snyder and linebacker-defensive end Joe Green of Alutine MacArthur.

Bowden is considered Texas’ No. 1 linebacker.

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12:30 p.m.: GALA (Graduate Association for Latin America)-Kellogg Graduate Student Workshop. "School Gardening in Chile," slide show and discussion by John Kennedy, Department of Economic, Room 311 Decto Hall.

4 p.m.: Resume Workshop, by Marilyn Bury, assistant director of Career and Placement Services, Hesburgh Library Lounge.

4.30 p.m.: Radiation Laboratory Seminar, "Time Resolved Diffuse Reflectance Studies on Opaque Solid Samples," by Dr. Douglas Weir, ND Radiation Laboratory, Conference Theatre of the Radiation Laboratory.

7 p.m.: Lecture, "On Alzheimer's Disease," by Mark Laker, Recreational Specialist, Indiana State Board of Health, Carroll Auditorium, Sponsors: SMC Nursing Department, Sisters of Holy Cross Management Services, REAL Services, and Indiana State Board of Health.

7:30 p.m.: Basketball, NDW vs. Detroit, JACC.

7:30 p.m.: Campus Perspectives talkshow, with ND's Student Body Presidential Candidates, WVFI-AM 8 p.m.: Galvin Life Sciences Auditorium.

8 p.m.: Program of Liberal Studies Public Lecture, "Newman's Ideal of Liberal Education," by Reverend Ian Ker, College of St. Thomas, Minnesota, Library Auditorium.

10-11 p.m.: Campus Perspectives talkshow, with ND's Student Body Presidential Candidates, WVFI-AM 8 p.m., host Lyncey Strand will take questions at 239-6400.

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River's less Irish end slump; Singleton spearheads triumph

By DENNIS CORRIGAN
Sports Editor

Notre Dame's 64-39 victory over Fordham last night was living proof that close only counts in horseshoes and hand grenades. The Rams came back from a 19-point deficit, but in the end it didn't matter. The Irish, without David Rivers, held on to snap their three-game losing streak.

"We played the game we wanted to play," said Fordham head coach Nick Macarchuck, who saw his club slip to 12-11. "We wanted a low scoring game, one in the 60's, but we had trouble scoring. We were making too many mistakes. Notre Dame is just too good in the last two minutes. They're going to score points.

"Rivers was a chance for our younger players to step in and get some experience. Freshman Tim Singleton filled in for the senior guard and responded with 12 assists, four steals, four rebounds and only five turnovers in 34 minutes.

"Of course," the New Orleans native laughed when asked if he had been nervous. "I talked to David before the game. He told me to relax and get into the flow of the game, then start using my offensive moves and penetrating. He told me to just take my time.

"I'm used to playing defense, defense, defense from high school. It was always defense first, offense second. If I concentrate on more defense then offensive game will come."

Defensively, the Irish, now 15-7, were led by Joe Frederick and Keith Robinson who tallied 14 each.

"We decided not to play David yesterday," said Irish head coach Digger Phelps, who added that Rivers might not practice Thursday. "We could have played him, but it was a good experience for the other guys. Singleton needed the experience tonight, and he played very well.

"We had a few breakdowns at the end, but that was just lack of experience. When we look at the tape tomorrow we can make adjustments. I knew we would come within, it was just a matter of by how much. It was good to get the guys the experience.

The Irish and Rams were even early, but an eight-minute scoring drought by Notre Dame left the Rams down 22-10 with 4:45 left. The Irish increased their lead to 30-19 by the half. The Rams were their own worst enemy, shooting just 8-19 from the floor.

The Irish opened the second half on a 9-2 run to go up lead to 40-21, but they couldn't come up with the KO. Notre Dame was up 56-41 with 3:22 left to play when Fordham's Marco Taylor began to connect from three-point range, and the Rams began to turn up the pressure on the young Irish. Turnovers and Taylor's shooting allowed Fordham to get the lead to 60-57 with 49 seconds left. But four free throws by Gary Vincent brought the Rams down 63-57.

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Football recruiting focuses on backs, receivers

By MARTY STRASEN
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They slowed down just long enough to sign national letters of intent.

But the 1988 Notre Dame football recruits will be off and running in the fall. Irish head coach Lou Holtz and his staff received commitments from one of the best, and certainly one of the quickest, incoming freshman classes in the nation.

"We've got awfully good speed at the skill positions," explained Holtz, who also recruited one of the top classes in the nation. "We've got an emphasis on the skill areas this year - running backs and wide receivers. We've got to have a lineman on our football team with less than two years of eligibility left..."

The 22 recruits, one short of Notre Dame's scholarship limit of 23 for this year, includes 11 Parade All-Americans and the magazine's Player of the Year, 67, 253-pound tight end Derek Brown of Merrill Island, Fla.

Five running backs among Parade's selections also signed to play for the Irish.

Junior Mark Green, Notre Dame's leading rusher last season, will be moved to flanker for the 1988 season. Holtz made that announcement at a press conference Wednesday afternoon.

Green, one of the team's tri-captains, lettered as a wide receiver his freshman year. They are excellent backs, winners and competitors, and we need a few in a lot of areas," Holtz said of the incoming running backs. "Somebody might end up in the defensive secondary, but he'll always have the opportunity to run the football.

The Irish also signed the third fastest man in the United States, 10.8, to play for the Irish.

Accompanying Holtz's announcement was his selection of Nosey Cerrato as one of the top recipients in the nation.

"He's a fine athlete, win­ning the running title," Holtz said. "He's just one of the best, Holtz said. "We are very fortunate to have a great recruiting class on paper. The question is how much better they're going to get from here on out."

The signings of top players from all over the country means few incoming freshmen from Ohio and western Penn­sylvania, usually hotbeds for Notre Dame recruiting.

Holtz said he would like to get more commitments from players from those areas, as well as Chicago, in the future. He added that he would like to do more recruiting among the Catholic high schools as well.

"When you recruit national­ally," he said, "it's only natural that you'll end up with some of the best players in the nation. But you're also got to have the guys who just love Notre Dame like I did growing up.

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Field hockey situation handled incorrectly

A ditch on the field hockey practice field sounded like a gong to Irish head coach Jill Lindenberg. After all, drainage improvements were needed on soggy Alumni Field. It also announced that he had two vacancies to fill on his coaching staff.

Defensive Coordinator Foge Fazio and Defensive Line Coach Joe Yonto have been brought on staff.

Fazio has taken a job as a special assistant and tight ends coach for the Irish. Fazio is expected to take on the role of defensive coordinator. Joe Yonto has been promoted to head coach.

"You don't take a job like this and get away with it," Holtz said. "You have to recruit and develop talent. That's what we've been doing this year.

"We're going to have some great players in our program and I'm excited about getting started."