Petition calls for outdoor graduation

By DAN MURPHY

Staff Reporter

Junior Jim Winkler has started a petition to move graduation ceremonies into the football stadium next May.

Big families mean big problems for seniors when it comes to graduation commencement ceremonies, according to Winkler. "I think it’s absolutely ridiculous to have to have a lottery among your own family for four graduation (commencement ceremony) tickets," said Winkler.

Commencement ceremonies have been held inside the air conditioned Joyce Athletic and Convocation Center since 1968, limiting the number of available tickets. Each graduating senior received four tickets to distribute to family members, often a difficult task.

Winkler gave the petitions to hall presidents to circulate in each dorm. He plans on submitting the petitions to the administration early next week.

"The petition is to show that it’s not just my plan to upgrade American competitiveness would fail to produce the two family members, often a difficult task.

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WASHINGTON - The House passed a sweeping trade bill Thursday, delivering a sharp blow to President Reagan as supporters of the holy disputed measure piled up enough votes to override his threatened veto.

"We’re not in the past," House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, declared as he fought to return the bill to a House-Senate conference committee and drop a plant-closings provision that Reagan said he could not approve.

"We can regain our competitiveness... We can be No. 1 again.

The final tally, 312-107, contradicted numerous forecasts that the bill’s sponsors would fail to produce the two-thirds vote needed to override a veto.

But many lawmakers, even if they had voted for the bill, appeared to have no taste in an election year for going on record against a measure billed as a plan to upgrade American competitiveness.

The bill was a House-Senate compromise on two competing measures that passed both chambers last year. The measure now goes to the Senate, where Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va., planned to begin debate Friday.

The House passed the measure after defeating, 253-167, a move by Minority Leader Robert H. Michel, R-Ill., to throw the bill back to the conference committee and drop the plant-closings provision.

Reagan, on the road in Massachusetts, said he would veto the bill if it came to him with the plant-closings provision intact. He also sent a letter to Michel, saying, "I want a trade bill."

Controversy over the plant-closings provision overshadowed central features of the bill, which would streamline the way the United States imposes import curbs to aid U.S. industries and retaliate against international trade violations.

Scores of other provisions range from repeal of the windfall profits tax on oil companies to billions of dollars in new agricultural subsidies.

Mobs, confusion at checkmarking will be corrected, says Weaver

By MATT GALLAGHER

Disorganized mobs rushing, pushing and shoving to get their checkmarked classes in O'Shaughnessy Hall should be a thing of the past, said Ellen Weaver, assistant chairman of the department of theology.

The process of checkmarking Wednesday night was typified by confusion among the students in line for theology and English courses.

Weaver said the problems arose because the students were unaware of where the lines should form. She said the students in line for theology courses formed from both ends of the hall, and thus there were two lines meeting head-to-head at the office door, pandemonium ensued.

Weaver, who was present Wednesday evening in the theology office, said the problem has been overstated. She said there was much confusion, but little violence.

During checkmarking in April 1987, two students were injured as they were pushed through the glass doors of Stepan Center.

Weaver said that the checkmarking was moved to O'Shaughnessy in the fall of 1980 to prevent the confusion which marred the process at Stepan.

Weaver stated the process went smoothly in November 1987. However, the disorganization was so great Wednesday night that "at a point, we thought the students might faint, they were so stifled," said Weaver.

Joseph Buttitig, chairman of the department of English, said, "We had a good system worked out. The problem was with people skipping lines."

The "5:30 rule," preventing students from forming lines prior to 5:30 p.m., was not enforced on Wednesday because the departments failed to remind the Security office to enforce it, said Weaver.

She said that last fall Security was asked to patrol O'Shaughnessy to prevent lines prior to 5:30 p.m., but apparently no one asked them to do the same this week.

"No one thought to remind (Security); we assumed that..."
ND racial problems must be addressed

Almost one year ago today, a racial confrontation marred the championship game of the Bookstore Basketball Tournament. No matter what provoked the incident, I, among many spectators, sensed a very dangerous situation—something that one would not expect to see at Notre Dame.

This ugly incident inspired a letter from University President Father Edward Malloy that called for the end of "comments or actions that display racial or ethnic insensitivity." Certainly, the fact that racially motivated incidents happen on this campus cannot be overlooked. Whether competition on the court or ignorance off the court breeds the ugliness, it is time that the University's administrators, faculty and students challenge themselves to examine their own attitudes concerning racial insensitivity.

One of the problems at this University currently being looked at is the obvious lack of minority students, faculty and administrative staff. Only 3 percent of the students and only a handful of faculty and administrators are black. This is not because the numbers are not anywhere close to national averages but rather in a general attitude that minorities should not have to deal with. This ignorance must come to an end immediately.

The administration is apparently serious in attempts to end much of the racial ignorance. Its recommendations to increase minority enrollment reflects Father Malloy's commitment to establishing goals in terms of minorities. Also, the University has named a senior administrator to encourage and implement the directives of the University. All of these steps are encouraging and should be looked at optimistically.

One of the most positive steps that the University has taken, however, was the Minority Visit Weekend held last weekend. The purpose of the weekend was to bring in prospective minority candidates and acquaint them to the University setting.

This is one type of action that needs to continue if the University truly wants to end racial ignorance in the community. For students here in the community, it was a time to share their experiences with high school students and help them adapt to university life. Possibly more important, however, was that the community here saw that the program for increasing minority enrollment is not a reality at this point.

One hundred and ten minority students came to Notre Dame. Eighty percent of these high school students will enroll here next year, according to estimates. This number is eight times the amount of students who attended a similar weekend visitation four years ago.

Students were able to meet and discuss admissions and financial aid possibilities and were given tours of the entire campus. Some were addressed by the deans of the various colleges, and Father Malloy addressed the candidates. Students were also introduced to various student organizations at a student forum. After discussing the weekend with the high school students and actually taking part in one of the activities, it seems that everyone benefited from the weekend. The entire weekend left everyone with a feeling that things are beginning to change for the minorities here.

This change, nonetheless, is far from complete. When these minorities enter the University, they will face many of the same problems that exist now. Integration is still a goal and not a reality at this point.

It is our challenge now to act. The programs have been set, and progress has been witnessed in minority admissions. But this work will go for naught, unless attitudes change. Last weekend was an indication that attitudes are changing. Hopefully, this weekend, with the bookstore championship, will indicate that the change is not just one weekend affair.

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Reagan fears that Senate may not ratify treaty before summit

Associated Press

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. - President Reagan said Thursday he is "very concerned" the Senate may not ratify the pending U.S.-Soviet arms control treaty before he goes to Moscow for summit talks with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev.

In a question-and-answer session after a speech to the World Affairs Council of Western Massachusetts, Reagan was asked by a law student what the effect on the talks would be if the Senate had not yet ratified the treaty.

"I think it would be very upsetting and would put a strain on the summit if the Senate has not ratified the treaty by the time we go there," the president said.

"We hope and pray that they will, but their scheduling of it he said.

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"We don't want a fast treaty," he said. "We want a good one."

On another issue, the president was asked about a trade bill being considered on Capitol Hill. Reagan said that if it reaches his desk in its present form, he will veto it.

He also said he would immediately ask Congress to enact a new bill that did not contain provisions to which the administration objects, including a requirement for companies to give workers notice of plant closings.

In his speech to the group, which was billed as a scene-setter for the upcoming summit, Reagan proclaimed a "period of realistic engagement" between the United States and the Soviet Union.

"Even while freedom is on the march, Soviet-American relations have taken a dramatic turn into a period of realistic engagement," Reagan said.

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Israel celebrates 40th b-day

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JERUSALEM - Israel celebrated its fortieth birthday Thursday, but in the violence-ridden occupied territories, it was called Firebomb Day, proclaimed by the PLO. Military jets roared over Jerusalem, and Israel honored Independence war veterans, who fought free Arabs in 1948.

Soldiers were on alert in the West Bank and Gaza Strip, which Israel has occupied since the 1967 war, but Palestinians managed to throw a firebomb at a military patrol in Bethlehem.

Journalists were barred from much of the West Bank and Gaza, and the 1.5 million Palestinians who live there are prohibited from entering Israel for the rest of this week. Curfews in 23 towns and refugee camps affected about 400,000 Arabs.

Palestinians were on general strike in much of the occupied lands, following the the instructions of a Palestine Liberation Organization leaflet.

Violence has swept the territories since Dec. 8, and at least 169 Palestinians have been killed. An Israeli soldier and civilian also have been slain.

New details emerged Thursday about the assassination of Khalil Wazir, the PLO military commander also known as Abu Jihad (Father of the Holy War).

Israeli sources said an Israeli commando team carried out the operation under the direct command of Lt. Gen. Ariel Sharon, following the the instructions of a Palestine Liberation Organization leaflet.

Yummy yummy fish heads

Junior Fred Scott stresses the culinary delights of raw fish while speaking with the audience.

The Observer / Jim Brake

Three injured in gas explosion

Associated Press

MISHAWAKA, Ind. - An apartment resident and two firefighters were injured, but none seriously, in a fire that followed an explosion at a Westside apartment complex.

Fire officials said.

Residents of the Jamestown Apartments complex north of Town & Country Shopping Center reported smelling natural gas before the explosion, but no cause was determined immediately, investigators said.

Dawn Speicher, 28, told authorities she was lying on a bed in an upstairs bedroom when the ceiling began fall on her.

She was able to get out of the apartment and was treated at St. Joseph's Medical Center in South Bend for burns on her forearms and hands, officials said.

Firefighters Paul Floridio and Michael Portolese were slightly injured when sections of ceiling collapsed on them.

"I felt the burning on my neck and told the man in back of me to stick the hose down my back," said Portolese.

Residents told police that a contractor had been working on natural gas lines at the apartment complex the past few days, and that they had smelled gas during that period.

City fire inspector Joe Bathje said it would be several days before a cause could be determined.

Firefighters said five units sustained damage. No damage estimate was immediately available.

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Shultz meets with Shevardnadze

Associated Press

MOSCOW Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze and U.S. Secretary of State George P. Shultz discussed human rights and regional conflicts Thursday but reached no breakthroughs despite a "constructive atmosphere," and Redman said the ministers have made it their practice to get down to serious work on the issues that divide them.

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Smoking ban on short flights starts Saturday

Associated Press
WASHINGTON - Aboard thousands of airline flights, the smoking lamp is about to be extinguished.

The federal ban on cigarette smoking on domestic flights of two hours or less about 80 percent of the total - takes effect at 12:01 a.m. Saturday. Beforehand, some avid smokers are reconsidering train travel while others search for ways to keep their tobacco urges under control, at least for a few hours.

Agostino elected new McCandless president

Observer Staff Report

The winners of the McCandless Hall elections were announced Thursday by Michelle Agostino, elections commissioner for Saint Mary's student government.

The ticket of Mary English garnered 52 percent of the vote, and Kathleen Dowd as secretary, said Agostino, 33 percent of next year's hall residents voted in the election, the last hall election of the year, said Agostino.

Schmidt said, "We think that McCandless has the potential to be a unified and active dorm on campus.

She added that she plans to do this through "personal interaction with the residents."

The Transportation Department and the Federal Aviation Administration have come under some criticism, however, for not pushing the airlines hard enough to publicize details of the new restrictions and avoid passenger confusion.

"The airlines do not have a uniform policy to inform the public" about the new rules, said Susan Blanchi-Sand, president of the 21,000-member Association of Flight Attendants. She said at least one airline inserted details about the new requirements into flight crew manuals only this week, and four airlines are continuing to book seats in smoking sections of no-smoking flights.

An estimated 13,000 domestic flights a day will be affected. International flights are not affected, and the length of a flight will be determined by the time shown in the airlines' official schedule.

Even if a flight is delayed in the air or on the ground and goes beyond two hours, smoking will be prohibited if the schedule has the flight listed as lasting two hours or less, FAA officials said.

The new law has defined a flight as being any single segment between two cities. Thus, for example, a traveler flying from Washington, D.C., to Los Angeles with a stop in St. Louis would not be able to smoke on the first leg of the flight but would be allowed to do so on the second, longer leg.

Mad Mace

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Meese met at White House over scandal

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WASHINGTON - Embattled Attorney General Edwin Meese III was summoned to a private meeting with President Reagan at the White House on Wednesday shortly after Reagan met with two top Justice Department officials who resigned in dissatisfaction with Meese's continued tenure, a March meeting between Meese and former Assistant Attorney General William Weld, who headed the department's criminal division, met at the White House with Reagan and Vice President George Bush and perhaps some White House staff members. The details of that conversation could not be learned. Weld and Burns have not discussed publicly their reasons for turning in their resignations March 26.

Sources close to them have said they felt Meese's continued tenure in the department while he was under investigation by an independent counsel was hampering department operations. One knowledgeable source said Weld told Meese on the day he resigned he would seek an indictment of Meese if he were the special prosecutor.

The source said after the March meeting between Meese and Weld, Meese was summoned to the White House and met privately with Reagan and possibly Bush. The source was unable to provide any details of that conversation.

Meese has been under investigation for nearly a year by independent counsel James McKay, who is looking into conflicts of interest or other federal laws.

The companies have $600,000 in fines totaling $1.2 million for failing to restrict access of obscene messages to children and nonconsenting adults. McKay is also known to be looking into Mrs. Meese's $40,000-a-year job with the Multiple Sclerosis Society.

Meese has denied any wrongdoing and said he didn't have anything to do with the lease.
Checkmark system favors cutthroats

Dear Editor:

Here we go again, another checkmark system editorial. Let's review the system: stand in line, get checkmark card, find out you are number 29, it is not a simple enough, doesn't it?

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Graduate Students excluded

Dear Editor:

Amidst all the excitement surrounding the release of the Presidential Task Force reports, a few facts must be borne in mind:

First, it is not the case that the reports have been circulated to "all students." Only 4480 copies were printed, and that's not even close to 26,000.

Second, no means of distributing reports to graduate students were exercised. When I asked for a copy at the

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My first mistake was assuming that lining up on the third floor of O'Shaunessy was people of honor. Instead they turned out to be cutthroats. I thought that they would follow the rules of fair play, but that would be against everything the Notre Dame student stands for; wouldn't it? When the doors opened, the people who were at the back of the line, which had snaked all the way toward the front of the line, rushed to the front and filled the spaces in the course I wanted. I waited a minute, got it. It is the scripture adage "The first shall be last and the last shall be first," right? I know it is supposed to be Notre Dame somehow.

Whatever happened to "Good things come to those who wait?" It was replaced with "Nice guys finish last!" Sounds wonderful. It is time we all get a CHECKMARK to register for those classes? At least I can have a fair shot at getting into the course I want. My student would lose to the students who would cut the phone lines down.

There was a security officer at O'Shaunessy last night, but he left 30 seconds before the doors opened because "I don't want to get hurt. How about handing out numbers like at the deli?" What about doing each of the four departments in different buildings so the lines don't curl around themselves and let the last be first? The only ad that will have checkmarks in O'Shaunessy is that there are no windows to push people through. Different days for each of the four departments would help, too.

I don't know what the solution is, but I hope someone finds one soon, for the freshman's sake. By the way, Professor Soens, I really would like to take your class, so if you can fit me in, please call, I'm in the book.

Doug Weglas
Dillon Hall
April 21, 1988

Graduate Students excluded

Dear Editor:

Amidst all the excitement surrounding the release of the Presidential Task Force reports, a few facts must be borne in mind:

First, it is not the case that the reports have been circulated to "all students." Only 4480 copies were printed, and that's not even close to 26,000.

Second, no means of distributing reports to graduate students were exercised. When I asked for a copy at the...
Progressive Quartet promises variety

CAROLYN GARDNER
accent writer

You may have seen their posters around campus – the Kronos Quartet. Their group photo looks like a takeoff on the “Just Say No” campaign, or maybe they’re some sort of avant-garde garage band. In reality, Kronos is a foursome of serious musicians who perform exclusively 20th century music ranging from rock and jazz to contemporary classical music.

The Kronos Quartet will appear at O’Laughlin Auditorium tonight at 8 to conclude the Saint Mary’s College 1987-88 Performing Arts Series.

The group was founded in 1973 by first violinist David Harrington. Other members include second violinist John Sherba, violist Hank Dutt, and cellist Jeanne Smart. Both Dutt and Jeanrenaud are former Hoosiers, having studied and played in musical groups at Indiana University-Bloomington. Since their first performances in 1977, the unconventional quartet has garnered critical acclaim for its interpretation of Jimi Hendrix’s “Purple Haze.”

Tonight’s performance promises to be an interesting blend of serious and playful music. There will be arrangements of music by Bela Bartok. Finally, there’s no guarantee on this one, but the quartet is famous for its improvisation.

But even if your taste runs contrary to such new music, Kronos may still have something for you. Jazz enthusiasts can expect to hear arrangements of music by Thelonious Monk, Bill Evans, and Ornette Coleman, and the program will also include 20th century classical music by Bela Bartok. Finally, although there’s no guarantee on this one, the quartet is famous for its interpretation of Jimi Hendrix’s “Purple Haze.”

The Quartet has premiered music while retaining the classical tradition. Harrington is pleased with the current musical scene, maintaining that “this is the most exciting time for the string quartet. Every composer is interested in writing for the string quartet today… It’s the most personal medium, the most difficult, the clearest, the most concise.”

Accordingly, Friday night’s program will feature music by Philip Glass, a “new wave tango” by Astor Piazzolla, and the title song from Kronos’ latest album, “White Man Sleeps,” by Kevin Volans.

Between the Buns: brew and

BAR BEAT

JIM WINKLER
accent writer

The Cubs are on one T.V., the NHL playoffs on another. Turn your head and you see the latest in dog sled racing on ESPN. Look back to your table and a basket of Golden Dome Rings (“An Irish Fan’s Favorite”) appears. With one spin of the head, you’ve taken in the sights and sounds of one of the best known secrets in the Greater Michiana region: Between the Buns, “a sports and spirits, soup and sandwiches” establishment, located at 11503 Lincoln Way West in Osceola.

Between the Buns is the type of place a sports fan loves. They have eight different beer brands, although only Old Style is on tap. The food is good and is aimed at the burger and fries crowd; and the atmosphere and wall decorations keep the sports fan in tune with the current sporting news and memorabilia of glorious moments in the past. The menu alone at Between the Buns makes the trip worth the whole. All of the entrees are written in the sports motif, “Leading Off and Playing Appetizers” tells of “Nacho Hector Ca ‘Nachos,” a spicy bean and beef nacho basket that goes for $2.95.

Another special of note is the Chicken Strippers ($5.25), strips of chicken breast deep fried and served with a choice of B.B.Q., sweet and sour, or mustard sauce. A note of warning: the B.B.Q. sauce is very spicy and the sweet and sour may be a better choice.

The restaurant’s name obviously indicates that hamburgers are the specialty. The best choice on the menu is the Tinkers to Evers to Cheeseburger, a cheddar cheese burger that comes in a basket with cheese fries and pickles for only $3.25.

Another specialty of note is the Chili Rodriguez Burger, topped with homemade chili, raw onion, and cheddar cheese for $3.95. The burgers are all served with cheese fries and are served on a choice of white, rye, sesame, or onion buns. It is good to tell the waitress you want the burger cooked well-done, because “raw” means “raw” in the kitchen.

Although primarily a restaurant, Between the Buns also has quality drinking capacities, including a nice weather outdoor
Tri of plays explores social topics

ROD SIMMONS  accent writer

Student directors will be setting the stage for three plays this weekend as part of the Lab Theater Series for the Notre Dame Department of Communication and Theater.

"Gangsters," written by Malishka Mapponya and directed by Notre Dame senior Bill Wilson, will be presented tonight and tomorrow evening at 8 in the lab theater. Admission is free for all three plays.

Wilson and Borgman are both directing as part of their final project for COTH 444 Directing: Practice. Although not enrolled in COTH 444, Shea is currently a teaching assistant in COTH 221 Acting Process. Shea appears in "Talking With..." a series of monologues with nine women: two actresses, a housewife who lives in Oz, a rodeo rider, a baton twirler, a daughter grieving over her mother's death, a woman in labor, an old lady who loves McDonald's, and a tattooed woman.

"There's a thread that runs through them all and ties them together," said Shea. "These people represent us. The theater is a mirror that reflects reality and these characters on the stage are a microcosm."

Borgman is directing "Bent," a drama which depicts the persecution of homosexuals in Nazi Germany. The story revolves around Max (Kevin Kennedy), who is forced to assist in the killing of his lover Rudy (El Coats). In Dachau, Max meets Horst (Matt Nash) another homosexual who teaches Max to stop hiding behind the yellow Star of David worn by Jews and accept the pink triangle worn by gay prisoners.

"The play shows homosexuals as real people, as opposed to the common stereotype," said Borgman. "They are people with emotions and relationships and problems just like anyone else. They just share a different sexual preference."

"Gangsters" is another socially conscious play, with a very timely topic. "Gangsters" was inspired by the death of Steve Biko, a black South African activist and leader of the Black Consciousness Movement, in 1977. The main character of the play is Rasechaba (El Coats), a poet who describes the plight of blacks under apartheid in South Africa.

"South Africa is a very important cause for me," said Wilson, "I believe that I chose the play because I wanted people to see what kinds of things go on in South Africa and I felt that this particular play was a useful tool for this desire."

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patio, a full bar, drink specials, and classic, big drinks with take home glasses. Each month Buns prints a calendar with specials on it. For April, the main specials are Wednesday Night Life night, where all Miller Lite and Bud Light cans are $1.75 and chicken stripers sell for $2.50, and Saturdays with $2.50 Long Island Ice Teas. Also, Between the Buns has special parties for afternoon Cubs games on WNU.

Although Between the Buns is a spectacular establishment, it is a bit of the beaten path for Notre Dame's students. Osceola is a hole in the wall town just past Mishawaka.

To get to Between the Buns, fill the car with gas and head south on 51 into the city. Turn left on Monroe and take that for 10 miles. Monroe will change names and become Lincoln Way West. In the middle of nowhere on the left hand side, Between the Buns appears.
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Walsh winds down career as Irish host home finale

By FRANK PASTOR
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's tennis team travels to Michigan this weekend to take on Kalamazoo Saturday at 1 p.m. and return home Sunday to face Wisconsin 11 a.m.

The Irish (17-10) hope to keep the momentum going after defeating both Indiana State and Ohio University last weekend.

Kalamazoo, last season's NCAA Division III national champion, looks to provide a stiff test for the Irish. However, first-year coach Bob Bayliss is confident that his team is capable of meeting this challenge.

"The Irish will be tough to beat," says Bayliss. "I expect more of the same this year."

In his fourth year at Notre Dame, Walsh has left his mark on the university tennis program. He is currently the all-time seeded singles player for the Irish and has beaten Paul Daggs at the number-three doubles position. In addition, he was a preseason nominee for academic All-American. Bayliss credits Walsh with helping his own transition into the Irish program.

"Dan is an easy guy to get along with," Bayliss said. "Coming in as a new coach, I was unsure about how things would go, particularly with the seniors. But Dan is a good representative of Notre Dame, and he is a great competitor."

"He's been one of our biggest winners. When he's on, he's pretty tough to beat. He'll hit winners from anywhere on the court. He doesn't seem to get rattled, he looks forward to the big matches."

For his part, Walsh admits that it was difficult at first to adjust to the different style of a new coach. However, through his role as captain, Walsh has done a great deal in the way of strengthening the gap between players and coach.

"I'm the go-between for the players and coach," says Walsh. "If they (the players) have a problem or a question and they don't want to take it to coach directly, they tell me. Then, I usually bring it up at a team meeting."

Despite all of his achievements, Walsh is able to keep his success in its proper perspective. Complacency has never been a problem for the 6-foot junior.

"There are a lot of players in our program, but it's easy to lose the capability of playing that don't play," Walsh said. "That just keeps pushing you. They've gotten stronger since I've been here, and that's been a big change.

Just having so many people who can play pushes you to be better or you're not going to play."

This perpetual drive to improve himself has given Walsh an edge over many of his opponents which is not immediately apparent.

"As a player, I think I've become mentally tougher," Walsh said. "Now, I can win a lot of matches just on experience, even if the other guy's a little bit better talent-wise."

Women

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"We anticipate cuts, pass well, and look for everybody to get on the court," said Rochelle Holder, a player on the winning team.

The game was close until the end when Give Me took off. It was their first game of the season.

The Educators beat Hoover Hysteria 21-6 without the help of their varsity player, LaVetta Willis. High scorer Francine Kelley had the hustle to keep the team going.

We Won Inter-Hall won easily over Boxer Club 21-7, while Stubbe Shooters lost to Yurtes and Turtles 21-11.


The second weekend begins today at 4 p.m. at Stepan Courts.
Orioles lose 15th straight
Associated Press

MILWAUKEE - Baltimore continued to struggle on baseball's skid row Thursday night as the Milwaukee Brewers scored six runs in the third and four runs in the fourth. The Orioles were sandwiched that onslaught when the hitters have caught pitchers' pitches," said Murphy. "Late in the year, when the hitters have caught up with the pitchers, you need to work on your location. We're not that talented in pitching, and we have to be smart pitchers. Right now we're throwing right across the plate."

Notre Dame had its share of chances. The Irish had its first two batters reach base on walks in both the first and second innings, but they failed to come away with any runs. Notre Dame left one game total of 11 runners on base.

Brian Piotrowski, in relief of losing starter Mike Maddox (6-3), allowed just two unearned runs in 4 2/3 innings of work, but the Irish hitters could not mount any kind of comeback.

IUPUI scored two runs in the eighth, and Notre Dame scored three in the bottom of the eighth to close the scoring at 10-5.

They (IUPUI) beat Indiana State last night," Murphy said after the Irish loss. "A lot of people don't know who they are, but they're a pretty good team."

Having lost five of their last eight games, the Irish now await perhaps their toughest two games of the season. Michigan State holds a 24-10 record (9-5 in the Big Ten), and the Spartans only recently exited the Top 20.

Notre Dame has lost 18 consecutive games against Big Ten opposition, and Michigan State swept a doubleheader from the Irish last year at Jake Kline Field. The Spartans won two of the three games from Miami (Fla.) early this season, and they also sport a 6-2 record against Purdue and Northwestern this year. Both the Boilers and Wildcats have defeated Notre Dame this year.

"We'll have to bring out our best effort of the year to beat Michigan State," Murphy said. "They're an established program, and we've hit a down note right now."

EXTRA BASES - Pat Pesavento's stolen base in the first inning set a new Notre Dame single-season mark. The senior shortstop has stolen 21 bases in 26 attempts... Dan Pel­tier missed Tuesday's loss to Western Michigan with a case of the flu. It signified the first game and first inning the soph­omore had missed since he began his Notre Dame playing career... Craig Pavlina is 5-10-10 in pinch-hitting attempts this season with one walk and five runs batted in. Michigan State holds a 61-28 lead in its all-time series with Notre Dame.

Pat Pesavento and the Irish baseball team lost to IUPUI 10-5 Thursday. Notre Dame travels to Michigan State Saturday and hosts Illinois-Chicago Sunday at Jake Kline Field.

Milwaukee has now beaten the Orioles in 20 of the team's last 23 meetings.

Red Sox 12, Tigers 3
Ellis Burks had four hits and four RBIs, Spike Owen hit a two-run homer, and rookie Steve Ellsworth scattered six hits over seven innings as the Boston Red Sox beat the Detroit Tigers 12-3 Thursday.

Burks, who drove in three runs with a bases-loaded triple, also scored four times. Owen and Rick Cerone had three hits apiece in support of Ellsworth, who walked one and didn't strike out a batter before giving up a leadoff homer to Matt Nokes in the seventh inning. It was Nokes' fourth.

Johnny Ray drove in six runs and scored six as the Orioles broke the major league record with their 14th straight season-opening loss with a 7-1 victory.

Bill Schroeder's two-run homer in the fifth gave the Orioles a major league-record 15th straight loss of the season.

Bill Schroeder, who last winter converted six of the Orioles' added another loss to their improbable beginning.

The Orioles broke the major league record with their 14th straight loss and continued the streak as their starting pitching failed once again. The Orioles have allowed 13 losses to start a season was set by the 1964 Washington Senators and 1929 Detroit Tigers.

Baltimore starters Mark Thurmond, Mike Bodick and McGregor lasted a combined nine innings in the three games and gave up 18 hits and 18 runs to the Brewers, who have won five straight after ending a seven-game losing streak.

Red Molitor singled to right to begin the third, moved to second as Robin Yount reached on an infield hit and scored on Glenn Braggs' broken-bat singler-to-center.

Rob Deer doubled in Yount, and Greg Brock gave the Brewers a 4-1 lead with a ground ball double down the first base line, scoring Braggs and Deer.

After Joey Meyer grounded out, Schroeder sent his first hit of the season over the fence in left and reliever Os­wald was replaced by McGregor, 0-3, McGregor, who gave up six hits and six runs, has not won a game since May 16, 1987.

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Top-notch talent missing in NFL draft

Associated Press

NEW YORK - Leigh Steinberg, who represents some of the NFL's top players, is taking it easy this year, although he still has two players who will probably be picked in the top 15 in Sunday's draft.

"I consider Brian Boitano my prime first-rounder," he says.

If you listen to some scouts, Boitano, a Steinberg client who is headed for a professional ice skating career, might be a better NFL prospect than some of the football players out there. In fact, there's rarely been so much moaning and groaning as there has been about this year's NFL draft, which will take place Sunday beginning at noon, EDT.

Some player personnel people consider it the worst draft of the decade and perhaps the worst ever. Some claim there are no more than 12 to 15 actual first rounders available and one team gives only 112 players "make it" grades, less than half the 350 rookies who normally make NFL teams in a normal year. Perhaps.

Linebacker Aundray Bruce of Auburn, who has already signed with the Atlanta Falcons, isn't considered as good a prospect as the top picks of the last three drafts Bruce Smith, Bo Jackson and Vinny Testaverde.

And even the top seven or eight players are considered flawed in some form or fashion.

For example, there are worries about Henryynos Winfield's hallmark - straight line from the tee to the green - and his tendency toward "malfunctioning" at the critical moment.

Victor S灵 was picked to go to Boston, Montreal coach Bob Gainey said of Wednesday night's victory at Atlanta, a 116-98 triumph that lifted the Bolts within a three-way tie with the Knicks and the Washington Bullets for the final two Eastern Conference playoff positions.

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Pacers control destiny

ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAopolis - The Indiana Pacers' season is down to two crucial games, and their chances of making the NBA playoffs for the second year in a row likely won't be decided until Saturday night in the final game against the New York Knicks.

If the Pacers win, they're in; if they lose, they're out. It's that simple.

"It doesn't guarantee anything, but it helps our sit-ua­tion," Coach Donnie Walsh said of Wednesday night's victory at Atlanta, a 116-98 triumph that lifted the Bolts within a three-way tie with the Knicks and the Washington Bullets for the final two Eastern Confer-ence playoff positions.

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Cubs beat Expos with hot hitting

Associated Press

CHICAGO - Vance Law extended his hitting streak to 14 games with a two-run homer, and Andre Dawson hit a home run and a sacrifice fly Thursday, leading Greg Maddux and the Chicago Cubs to a 6-2 victory over the Montreal Expos.

That ended the Cubs' four-game losing streak and the Expos' five-game winning streak. Law's homer, his second of the season, capped a three-run sixth and came off Steve Bryant, 0-1. Maddux, 3-1, gave up four hits in seven innings by four double plays. He walked three and struck out four.

Reds 7, Giants 6

Jeff Treadway tripled home Nick Esassy with none out in the 12th inning Thursday, giving the Cincinnati Reds a 7-6 victory over the San Francisco Giants.

Esassy, who homered in the third, opened the 11th inning with a single off Joe Price, 0-1.

Treadway, the next batter, lined a ball that caromed off the right field wall as Esassy scored easily. The Reds have played six extra-inning games out of 16, winning three.

Astros 8, Braves 6

Bob Knepper and Ernie Camacho combined on a six-hitter and Denny Walling had three hits and drove in two runs Thursday night at the Houston Astros beat the Atlanta Braves 8-0.

The Braves, shut out by Houston's Mike Scott on Wednesday night, have scored in 19 innings. Atlanta has shut out four times this season.

Knepper, 2-0, gave up five hits in six innings. He struck out three and walked two.

Camacho finished for his first save.

Alan Ashby hit a two-run double as Walling followed with an RBI single for a 3-0 lead in the fourth inning against Kevin Cofman, 0-2.

In a big move earlier this week, freshman Ricky Walters switched from tailback to flanker. Junior Mark Green, moved to flanker at the beginning of spring workouts, took over duties at the tailback spot he played last fall. Saturday's annual Blue-Gold Game signals the end of spring workouts and MartyStrassen details the game beginning on the back page.

Spring

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Receivers - Freshman Ricky Walters will be tested at flanker for a position at which he has no college experience. Walters will be backed up by Pat Ellers, a converted strong safety who has been a consistent receiver this spring.

At split end is 6-2 freshman Brian Hall, who has looked promising with the No. 1 offense. Freshman Frank Jacobs, a 6-5, 234-pounder who will see plenty of time in the fall, starts at tight end for the Gold.

Aaron Robb has the flanker chores for the Blue team. Robb has worked with the second team for most of the spring, and he has a shot to win a starting spot at the position.

At split end for the Blue is another promising freshman, Pierre Martin, who turned in the best catch of the spring two weeks ago when he was knocked into an aerial somersault by P.J. Dillard.

At fullback for the Blue is senior Darrell McLoone, who has made some big plays this spring, starting at fullback and split end.

Fellow freshman Brian Shannon, who sat out the fall season with a leg injury, backs up Marshall. Steve Roddy (6-2, 227) is the starter for the Blue, with Michael Crounse (6-2, 266) waiting in the wings.

A pair of sophomores start at defensive tackle for the Blue. Bryan Fleming (6-3, 243) and Jeff Alm (6-4, 248) have been pleasant surprises this spring, and will be given an occasional breather tomorrow by Bob Dahl and Mike Callan. At noseguard is George Williams (6-4, 285), who played in seven games last season and will be an important factor on the Irish defense in 1988.

Linebackers - Perhaps the most reliable position for the Irish is inside linebacker, where both 6-5 junior Wes Pritchett and sophomore Mike Stonebreaker will play for the Blue team. Pritchett and Stonebreaker are two of the top three inside backers entering the fall, and will be helped out by Greg Hudson.

Junior Ned Bolcar led the Irish in tackles with 106 last season, and lines up with freshman Daren Grimm at inside linebacker for the Gold team. They will be replaced by Joe Farrell and Scott Bullo.

The Blue team boasts returning senior Darrell "Flash" Gordon and freshman Scott Kowalkowski at the outside linebacker positions.

The Gold squad with go with a returning senior who also has been with the first team (along with Gordon) in Frank Stams at one defensive end. Freshman Andres Jones, who has shown great quickness and some solid hitting this spring, will start at outside linebacker along with Stams for the Gold. They will be backed up by sophomore Kevin McShane.

Secondary - The Blue squad has three possible Irish starters in the defensive backfield. Junior Coryn Soutoah, a steady field general, calls the defensive signals at free safety. At the corners are D'Juan Francisco and Stan Smagala, both of whom have spent time with the No. 1 defense this April. Starting at strong safety for the Blue is freshman Greg Davis. Rounding out the Blue secondary are cornerbacks Jerry Bodine and safeties Doug DiOrio and Rich Earley.

Junior strong safety George Streeter anchors the Gold defensive backfield, with converted split end Pat Terrell gets the starting nod at free safety. The cornerbacks will be speedy freshman Todd Light and junior Bob Satterfield. Reserves include safeties Marc Dobbins and David Jandrue, and corners Dan McDonnell, Mike McLoone and Rick Purcell.

Special Teams - All spots are up for grabs in the punting and placekicking departments, and Holtz will certainly be keeping his eye on how the kickers perform tomorrow in a game situation.

Jim Sexton and Pete Hartweg will punt for the Blue, while Sean Connor will handle the punting chores for the Gold.

Reggie Ho and David Needlep tee the ball up for the Blue squad, while Billy Hackett will try the field goals for the Gold team.

Don't drink and drive
Friday
1:15 p.m.: IAPL special sessions. Gadamer's Aesthetics, Room 206 CCE; Adorno's Aesthetics, Room 100-104 CCE; Politics, Culture and Writing in Latin America, Room 112-114 CCE; The Aesthetics of the Holocaust, Room 202 CCE; Language, Politics, Philosophy, CCE Auditorium.
3 p.m.: SMC Softball vs. ND, SMC Softball Diamond.
4 p.m.: College Fellow's event, "Whistle In The Dark." Bus departs from main circle.
4 p.m.: Physics colloquium, "Positron Emission Tomography: Window into the Human Mind," by Dr. Richard Richwa, University of Michigan, Room 118 Nieuwland.
4:30 p.m.: Biological sciences seminar, "Calcium Regulation During Contractile Relaxation in Smooth Muscle," by Dr. Kauhish D. Meisheri, Upjohn Company, Room 283 Galvin Life Sciences.
4:30 p.m.: IAPL plenary session, "The Role of Redemptive Criticism in Legal Interpretation," by Drucilla Cornell, University of Pennsylvania. Respondent: Herman Rapaport, University of Iowa, CCE Auditorium.
7:15 & 9:30 p.m.: ND Communication and Theatre Spring Film Series, "Aliens," Annenberg Auditorium.
8 p.m.: SMC Performing Arts Series, The Kronos Quartet, O'Laughlin Auditorium.
Saturday
1:30 p.m.: Blue-Gold game.
Sunday
11 a.m.: Tennis vs. Wisconsin, Courtney Courts.
3 p.m.: SMC department of music student recital, Kelli Finn, soprano, Little Theatre.
3:30 p.m.: Department of music concert, ND Brass Quintet and Brass Ensemble, Washington Hall.
4 p.m.: Career and Placement Services presents "Small Business and Entrepreneurial Opportunities Workshop." Mr. Dell Lucas and Ms. Marilyn Bury, Foster Room, LaFortune.
4:30 p.m.: Irish Guard meeting, Band Room, Washington Hall.
7:30 p.m.: Graham Chapman Performance, O'Laughlin Auditorium. Tickets: $5 students, $10 others.
8 p.m.: "On The Verge," by Eric Overmeyer, Haggar College Center Parlor.

The Daily Crossword

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But I'm sorry... I just can't... see him as the free spirit... please overlook me, please...

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Sports

Blue-Gold signals end to spring of changes

By MARTY STRASEN
Sports Editor

Time is running out for making more of those position changes that grab the players' attention. Graves much of the attention in this year's spring position football season.

SPRING FOOTBALL

But that has not stopped Irish head coach Lou Holtz from making two important last-minute moves before Saturday's 98th annual Blue-Gold game (1:30 p.m. EST/CDT),

Women's tourney shrinks to eight

By JANE SHEA
Saint Mary's Sports Editor

Fast action continued Thursday on Saint Mary's as Women's Bookstore Basketball narrowed down to eight teams.

Sparky's Franchise blew by Supreme Court 21-5 with the leadership of previous Notre Dame varsity basketball players Kathy Bromeland and Ellen Mouch.

The strong defense and consistent shooting on the part of Sparky's Franchise gave them the advantage over Supreme Court. The winners got off to a fast start and kept control throughout the game.

Kulka Fran and Ollie, who had not played a game in the tournament because every team had forfeited to them, beat Just Can't Get Enough 21-16.

The score was close throughout the game but Kulka Fran and Ollie managed to pull it off with their quickness and rebounding skill. Three members of the team made it to the final eight last year.

Shots at the Bar shot by Penhouse Playmates II 21-4. All members of the winning team attend Notre Dame Law School and played in the women's league at the school this year.

Good passing and fast breaks added to Shots ability to work as a team.

Get Me Your Address beat Almond Joy 21-11. Sandy Bot- ham, a co-MVP of Notre Dame's varsity basketball team, led the team in points and rebounds.

And this year's Bookstore winner is...

You'll forgive me if I'm a bit uneasy about putting this column in print. It was just a year ago that I went a combined 2-for-7 trying to pick Bookstore Basketball from the Elite Eight down to its completion.

Well, I can't help but think that this year will be a little better. O'Gara beat me out last year (picking a

to the wire, it'll simply be a matter of which gets neutralized more effectively: the outside shooting of Martin and Bill Sullivan (eight points last game) or the power game of Voce and Matt Dingens. I'm going with Martin's all-out intensity to carry a team that might not be as talented, but does what it has to do.

There are three things my Dad told me before I left for Notre Dame.

1. Never spend more than you can afford.
2. Never be afraid to try new things.
3. Never give up.

These are the things I've held onto through the years, and they've served me well. They've helped me through the ups and downs of life.

And this year, I'm feeling confident that I can make a strong pick. So, without further ado, let me present to you...

Brian O'Gara
Bookstore Basketball XVII

Last year in this same space I said some, well, stupid things. Like Party at Chips When We Rep. After all, who could've predicted that Joe's Place would become such a popular spot? But there's no turning back now.

So, let's get down to business. This year's Bookstore Basketball winner is... O'Gara!

Why O'Gara?

First, he's proven his worth in previous years. He's always had a knack for picking winners, and this year is no exception.

Second, he has a keen sense of strategy. O'Gara knows how to read the court and make the most of every situation.

Finally, he has a solid track record. In previous years, he's consistently picked the correct team, which gives him a great advantage this year.

So, without further ado, here's my pick for this year's Bookstore Basketball winner: Brian O'Gara.