Report recommends change in parietals

By MONICA YANT
Assistant News Editor

Noting that “the notion of parietals is ambiguous both in intent and method,” a Student Government report on sexuality recommends that the University either acknowledge that prevalent sexual relations are the goal of parietals, or modify visitation hours and disciplinary policy.

The 1989-90 Report to the Board of Trustees also included recommendations on sexual ethics, co-residentiality, sexual harassment and rape, contraceptives and AIDS, and homosexuality.

With regards to parietals, the

Student Government

Nations celebrate an uncommon May Day

VIENNA, Austria (AP) - Eastern Europe ignored violence elsewhere and quietly celebrated its freedom from decades of stagnation with a Communist ritual on May Day, substituting music, food and picnics for the proletarian parades of the past.

Turbulence marked May Day celebrations in South Korea, West Berlin, Mexico, Turkey and the Philippines, however.

And in Moscow, a brief burst of the popular rage that has swept hard-line Communists from power across Eastern Europe erupted in Red Square Tuesday, where the traditional parade was open to all for the first time in decades.

Announcing Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev and other top leaders with cries of "Glory!" demonstrators waved Lithuanian flags and banners bearing fierce anti-Kremlin slogans.

With their Socialist leaders already overthrown, thanks in part to Gorbachev's reforms, East Europeans rejoiced more peacefully, marking May Day as they wished.

In Leipzig, East Germany, however, leftist youths brawled with young neo-Nazis in the market square, the government news agency ADN reported.

West Berlin suffered an annual surge of May Day violence as bands of mostly leftist radicals hurled firebombs and rocks Tuesday night and police responded with tear gas and truncheons. More than 50 people were arrested, police said.

But the common traditions of Western and Eastern Europe also found symbolic expression in May Day celebrations in West Berlin as 60,000 Germans, including thousands of East Berliners, came through

New construction forces change of parking lots

A young Soviet couple, left, sporting the latest in Western fashion, and a couple in more rustic attire pose for photos before a giant mural of Marx, Engels, and Lenin in Red Square Monday. The mural was put on display in preparation for May Day celebrations.

By MICHAEL OWEN
News Writer

Parking facilities for both faculty and students will be changed due to new construction on campus, according to Phil Johnson, assistant director of Security.

"We will be compensating for the loss of space by providing it in another area," said Johnson.

Resident student parking will be limited in the D-2 and D-6 lots, which are scheduled to be expanded.

"Until we know exactly how much additional space is created in the D-2 and D-6 lots and until that lot is resurfaced, we won’t know which residence halls will be assigned there," Johnson said.

Johnson speculated that Alumni, Dillon, and Sorin halls will all be assigned to the D-2 lot.

The D-1 lot will become faculty parking due to the amount of space needed for construction equipment used for the new Bellarmine quad, which was once used for faculty parking, according to Johnson.

Off-campus student parking will be available next term in the areas south and southeast of the stadium. Graduate students will have the C-2 lot available at the intersection of Bulta and Juniper roads, according to Johnson.

“These decisions were made by a committee that met during the last seven months to review Notre Dame parking with student representatives,” said Johnson.

Jim Schlier, a senior who is a student representative to the committee said, "The University committee needs positive input from all members of the community to find viable options."

Schlier said the reason for the division of the lots is so that all of the traffic of people and cars will not be concentrated in one area.

Johnson said he was certain that Walsh, Badin, Howard, Lyons, and Carroll halls will all park in the D-2 lot. Depending on how space settles out, Fang- born, Morrissey, and Fisher halls will be fit into either the D-2 or D-6 lots.

"We realize that we are asking students to walk to the

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Ordination of women slowed by weak logic

The two most commonly cited arguments presented in defense of the Catholic Church regarding women in the priesthood are that of tradition and the importance of resemblance to Christ. While it is true that tradition holds an important place in Catholicism, I feel that excluding women on those grounds is wrong.

To say that tradition vindicates something is a weak argument. Similar arguments would then vindicate slavery, oppression of the poor, and imperialists. In addition, historical evidence shows that this is not how things have always been. At the time of Christ, the role closest to that of church priests was performed by both men and women. Priests as we know them were not exclusively male.

The second argument for maleness is that of resemblance. For a priest to perform his function he must physically resemble Christ. I believe that the Middle East where Jesus was born and the people there do not physically resemble Orientals. Just as the church has no problem ordaining non-Aryans or non-resemblers so should it be for women.

Perhaps one can argue that it is in the phallic that one resembles Christ. To this ridiculous position I offer a ridiculous counter. Imagine that a priest, Fr. Smith, is born and the people there do not have a phallus but something else that is required for their religious function. To this reasoning I offer a phallic counter. Perhaps Fr. Smith was similarly malformed in a car accident. Perhaps this accident occurred one week prior to Smith's ordination? Now a "non-resembler," can Smith still be ordained?

Perhaps one might argue that it is not the phallic but something else that is required to properly resemble Christ—possibly chromosomes? I doubt that the Church would refuse to ordain a man simply because he had Klinefelter Syndrome or such.

More than once I have heard our parish priest proclaim the Church's desperate need for more priests. Why then is the Church shutting out a most valuable source? I feel that the church's position is much like that of the whites in South Africa. My opinion is that the whites there know perfectly well that they are wrong, yet are unwilling to relinquish their valuable monopoly of power. The position of the male dominated Church is similar.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.
Spring painting

By L. PETER YOB
News Writer

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24-year-old artist Andy DeWeerd works on a painting of the tulips near the Administration Building. Andy works for Conrad Schmidt, the firm that is renovating the murals inside Sacred Heart Church.

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Student supports Lithuania, while prof. finds it a mistake

By L. PETER YOB
News Writer

The Lithuanian drive for in-
dependence from the Soviet
Union is either an expression of
19th century nationalism or a
reaffirmation of Lithuania’s
right to independence.

Dissections vary depending
on who is being asked to
explain the situation.

George Brinkley, a govern-
ment and international studies
professor, tends to disagree
with the path to independence
that the Lithuanians have
taken. Gallus Draugelis, a ju-
sior at ND, supports Lithua-
nian in its drive.

Brinkley explained that the
Soviet Constitution traditionally
has appeared very democratic,
guaranteeing a number of
rights, including the right for
a republic to secede. None of
these rights had any substance,
but "Mikhail Gorbachev has
taken steps to give substance
to these rights," Brinkley said.

According to Brinkley, the
Soviets have passed a law
allowing secession that will be
an amendment to the Soviet Con-
titution. Brinkley said that this
law would require a national
plebiscite that must be passed
by a 2/3 vote before secession
would be allowed.

It would also require a five-
year period before the seces-
sion of a republic becomes ef-
fec tive and would require that
minority rights in the republic
be protected, he said.

Brinkley stated that
"Lithuanians made a mad dash
at healing the changes." This
undercuts their legitimacy and is
a "foolish approach." The rush of Lithuania to get in before the rules could be adopted made this a confronta-
tional situation, he said.

Brinkley also stated that the
election of Vytautas Landsber-
gis as president of Lithuania
also made the situation with
Moscow more confrontational.
He referred to Landsbergis’
politics as "amateurish."

It was a mistake to elect him
over the leader of the Lithua-
nian Communist Party, he said,
but added that it would be a mistake if he were removed at
this point.

"The Lithuanian government
was already a free, democratic
government," said Brinkley.
"Gorbachev made this possi-
ble."

According to Brinkley, the pro-
blem was that "in an explo-
sive situation where you have
free elections there is a ten-
dency to go to an extreme."

Brinkley believes that "the Baltic states ought to be inde-
pendent, but independent in a
broader European Union with
participation from the Soviet
Union."

Brinkley fears that the Lithuanian drive for indepen-
dence, coupled with other prob-
lems faced by Gorbachev could
spell trouble for the continua-
tion of Perestroika and Glas-
nost in the Soviet Union as a
whole.

"Lithuanians will have to
moderate because of their eco-
nomic position and the realiza-
tion that politically, their own
stance is destroying the chance
for democracy, freedom and
human rights that Gorbachev is
giving them," Brinkley said.

Draugelis, as a second-gener-
ation Lithuanian, has a differ-
cent perspective. Although he
grew up in Rochester, N.Y.,
his first language is Lithuanian.

Draugelis believes that Gor-
bachev’s plan for secession was
almost impossible to carry out.

According to Draugelis, the
Lithuanian move is not so much
a secession as it is a reaffirma-
tion of independence. He said
that the Soviets have admitted
that the annexation of the
Baltic Republics (which include
Lithuania) was an illegal act,
based on a secret treaty be-
tween the Soviets and Nazi
Germany.

"On every moral ground and
track, the Lithuanians have
won the argument," he said.

"The Lithuanians have shown
that they will be friendly neigh-
bors," he said. "I don’t under-
stand why Gorbachev would
want to hold onto hostile occu-
pied territory instead of having
a friendly neighbor."

Draugelis believes that
Lithuania could create a viable
economy if it were independent
from the Soviet Union and it
would still trade with the Sovi-
e ts. In fact, an independent
Lithuania could support its own
currency, trade on the world
market, and become a "source
of hard currency for the Soviet
Union," he said.

An independent Lithuania
would have to negotiate with
the Soviets. Lithuanians would
have to allow Soviet bases to remain,
Draugelis said.

He does not believe that
Lithuania’s lack of natural re-
sources would cause them
problems after independence.
"If you replace the word Lithua-
nia with Japan, you have a simi-
lar situation," Draugelis said,
referring to Japan’s econo-
mic success and lack of natu-
ral resources.

"The U.S. should be positive
towards Lithuania, and not
enlighten to Gorbachev," he said.

Draugelis said that whether
one believes this decision is
correct or not, one must accept
the harsh realities that Lithua-
nians have made this decision.
Trustees Reports can bring major changes, Pasin says

By MONICA YANT
Assistant News Editor

Through Student Government Reports to the Board of Trustees, student concerns and suggestions are presented to a group that has the ability to make significant changes at the University.

Sometimes the reports, which are made three times each year, serve strictly in the informational sense, said Rob Pasin, student body president. But in other cases, they can bring about major changes to the ND community. Pasin cited the renovation of the LaFortune Student Center as the result of several Board of Trustees reports which repeatedly called for a student center on campus.

Pasin said the topics for the reports chosen by the student body president and vice-president, may come from responses to student government surveys, and are "always issues that are pertinent." The three reports to be presented at Thursday's meetings are on sexuality, faculty/student relations, and the role of women at the University.

At the Thursday meetings, a Board of Trustees committee in the area of the report will discuss the issue with the student government committee. The chair of that Board committee will then present its recommendations to the Trustees at the Friday meeting, according to Father Thomas Blantz, a member of the Trustees' Committee on Student Affairs.

But because the changes proposed in the reports are often "long term in their scope," the Board of Trustees does not necessarily act immediately upon every report or recommendation, Pasin said. He noted that sometimes parts of reports are implemented, while other times the information is held until a later date.

The time factor involved in implementing report recommendations is "one of the frustrating things," Pasin said. "The University is thinking of change in terms of five and ten years," he said, "and we're (student government) thinking next fall."

Touching German soil

Former U.S. hostage Frank Reed touches the ground with his hand when arriving at Rhum-Man Air Base in Frankfurt early Tuesday morning after being released from 43 months of captivity in Lebanon.

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edge of campus and students have expressed concerns about safety," said Johnson. To alleviate this, Johnson suggested the use of campus services such as Safewalk and Security to help students.

"Personal safety is of paramount importance," said Johnson.

Johnson said he realized the inconvenience the new parking will cause but hoped the parking's proximity to the new quad will be evident to those who are required to move.

With help from the Physical Plant department, the expansion and relocation of parking will start after Commencement and will be completed before the Fall Semester begins, according to Johnson.

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Israel concerned with U.S. policy, occupied lands and hostages

JERUSALEM (AP) — Officials expressed concern Tuesday over Israel's growing friction with the United States, which stems from disagreements over Middle East peace policy, Jewish settlements in the occupied lands and U.S. hostages in Lebanon.

Referring to the State Department's sharp criticism of Israel for rejecting U.S. proposals for a Palestinian-Israeli dialogue, Foreign Minister Moshe Arens said, "It has to worry me, and it has to worry all of us.

On Monday, the State Department accused right-wing Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir of missing an important opportunity for peace by refusing to agree to U.S. terms for talks with Palestinians in Cairo.

The Shamir government rejected the talks, saying they could lead to backdoor negotiations with the Palestine Liberation Organization.

Adding to the strain is Washington's pressure on Israel to stop building Jewish settlements in the occupied West Bank and Gaza Strip and to free Shiite Muslim prisoners to help win the release of U.S. hostages in Lebanon.

Israel has resisted both demands, and Shamir's caretaker government has even stepped up settlement construction in recent weeks.

The Haaretz daily reported Tuesday that Shamir agreed to push plans to create settlements approved by previous governments and listed 14 sites under consideration. The U.S. has repeatedly said that settlements are an obstacle to peace.

President Bush made an indirect appeal for a prisoner release, saying he "certainly had no objection" if Israel made such a move as a goodwill gesture.

But Shamir spokesman Avi Pazner said Israel had not received any request for a prisoner release and said the United States was "certainly not" pressuring Israel over the issue.

He stressed that Israel was seeking the release of three Israeli servicemen held by radical Shiite Muslims in Lebanon.

But Pazner and other officials gave no indication that Israel would free abducted Palestinian Shiite cleric Sheikh Abdul-Karim Obeid or about 300 Arabs, most Lebaneseriere, held by an Israeli-backed militia in south Lebanon to encourage the release of U.S. hostages.

Shamir is now trying to form a new government and will not negotiate without the center-left Labor Party. Labor collapsed the joint Labor-Likud government in March when Shamir refused to endorse Labor peace proposals.

Arias, a close Shamir ally, said Tuesday that Shamir would stick to a peace initiative advanced by the Likud-Labor coalition in May 1988.

"You will find that in the policy guidelines of the new government it will be written that we have to advance the peace program of May 1988. And it will be advanced," Araus said in an interview with Israeli television.

The government peace program calls for Palestinian elections and limited autonomy in the occupied territories.

May Day march

A box waves a flag as soldiers march during a May Day demonstration, organized by Moscow-supporting communists opposed to Lithuania's secession from the U.S.S.R., Tuesday in Vilnius.

Reed is 'angry' since other hostages are still captives

MALDEN, Mass. (AP) — Hostages Frank Reed said Tuesday he had been separated from Terry Anderson and Thomas Sutherland about a year ago, and was surprised to find out they had not been released, according to Reed's daughter.

"He said he had been with them, but that he hadn't seen Terry Anderson or Mr. Sutherland for about a year," said Marilyn Langston, 23. "He was disturbed that they weren't out. He thought for sure they would have been released."

Anderson, chief Middle East correspondent for The Associated Press, was abducted on a Beirut street in 1985. Sutherland, acting agriculture dean at American University of Beirut, was abducted later that year.

Reed's wife, Fahtima Reed, said her husband was "very, very angry" when he learned that Anderson and Sutherland were still hostages. Fahtima, known as "Fifi," and Reed's 9-year-old son, Tarek, were reunited Tuesday with Reed in West Germany.

In an interview from Wiesbaden with television station WDR of Bonn, Reed said of the reunion: "Nobody spoke a word, we just hugged each other. Then he started breaking up. He cried. He broke down and cried."

"We were there to cheer Frank. But Frank was cheering Tarek, trying to make him laugh, and we ended up laughing, the three of us."

Reed could not sit still and his concentration was erratic, she said.
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community members' religious and personal views. One issue of particular difficulty was contraceptive and AIDS.
Fifty percent of the ND student body are sexually active, according to the survey, and 47 percent of these students practice some form of birth control. In addition, 70 percent of the students surveyed reported that contraceptives should be available through University Health Center.

Because of these results, as well as outside research, the Committee recommends the following:

• That ND upgrade the quality of sexual education regarding AIDS.
• That ND recognize the use of condoms as a means of disease prevention, without necessarily condoning or promoting sexual activity.
• That during the summer, the University specify its procedure should a student contract the AIDS virus.

Shadd said that the recommendations on homosexuality were also reached after much debate, and that in many cases the Committee came to no consensus. Much of the data used for this section came from interviews with homosexual students, according to the report.

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ND starts its second Alumni Club in communist country

By CLAIRE ROBINSON
News Writer

The new Notre Dame Alumni Club of the Soviet Union is the
one of two known United States alumni clubs in a communist
country, according to Charles Lennon, executive director of
the Notre Dame Alumni Association. The Notre Dame Alumni
Club of China is the other.

Three of the four charter members of the new alumni
club did not receive degrees from Notre Dame. However,
according to John Gilligan, di­rector of the Institute for
International Peace Studies, "Each won a certificate from
the Institute for the successful completion of a course of
study at the graduate level in the International Peace
Scholars program."

Lennon and Gilligan agree that because of this status, they
qualify as members of a Notre
Dame Alumni Club as former
students who matriculated at
Notre Dame but did not obtain
a degree.

The goals of the new Alumni
Club are to keep the alumni in­
formed and to keep them to­
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new students, said Lennon. He
hopes that, in addition to the
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"I think it is a great idea," said Lennon. "We would love to
see other communist countries open up to the Alumni Clubs!"

John Attanasio, a professor
at the Notre Dame Law School,
and an expert in constitutional
law, is also in the Soviet Union
giving lectures in many univer­sities. According to David Link,
dean of the Law School, Attanasio is helping the people
of the province of Estonia to
re-draft their constitution.

The project "offers
Attanasio and the Notre
Dame Law School an opportu­
nity to have an impact on the
events in Russia," Link said.
Link expects a Russian profes­sor
will be joining the Notre
Dame faculty for next year.

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Workout with Arnold

President Bush joins Arnold Schwarzenegger on Lifecycle exercise bicycles on the White House lawn
Tuesday morning for "The Great American Workout," a display of various forms of physical fitness. The
program was sponsored by the President's Council on Physical Fitness and sports.

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Workout with Arnold

President Bush joins Arnold Schwarzenegger on Lifecycle exercise bicycles on the White House lawn
Tuesday morning for "The Great American Workout," a display of various forms of physical fitness. The
program was sponsored by the President's Council on Physical Fitness and sports.

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The goals of the new Alumni
Club are to keep the alumni in­
formed and to keep them to­
gether, in addition to recruiting
new students, said Lennon. He
hopes that, in addition to the
usual two graduate law stu­
dents who come to Notre
Dame, eventually five or six un­ndergraduates will be sent each
year.

"I think it is a great idea," said Lennon. "We would love to
see other communist countries open up to the Alumni Clubs!"

John Attanasio, a professor
at the Notre Dame Law School,
and an expert in constitutional
law, is also in the Soviet Union
giving lectures in many univer­sities. According to David Link,
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Lack of debate blockades the road to learning

By Rich Delevan

A university is more than a collection of people who chance pay for an education at the same place. A true university is also a community of ideas, where the best and the brightest bring their ideas to clash and mature, and in that process seek the truth. At Notre Dame, we’ve got values and character down to a science. Somewhere along the road, however, we have lost the vibrant clash of ideas that separates truly great institutions of higher learning.

One of the main reasons for this is the stress we place on unity. It is part of our Catholic character, but it is something that can become overdeveloped. Students at Notre Dame have similar backgrounds in religion and economic situations that tend to provide an environment without inherent conflict. The overall majority of students (myself included) are Catholic, middle class suburbanites. That helps us to get along well. We get along so well we’re afraid of anything that might cause argument.

There are several ways we can be unified while still preserving our diversity and individuality. The first is a comprehensive election reform. An election is usually the best time to debate the issues that will affect the students and campus for years to come. Instead, they are reduced to battles over the best posters and who will succeed in bringing the most flayers of frozen yogurt to the dining hall.

Current election rules further this situation. Spending limits are arbitrary. They are set at $75, and presidents only get $125. These limits set on campaigns force candidates to rely on posters, the printed equivalent of the 10-second TV sound byte, which forces candidates to come up with as many platitudes and empty promises as they can fit into 30 words or less. Debates exist only for the student body president/vice president elections, and about thirty people attended this year’s—about half of those were on staff.

Innovation, when it occurs, is stifled. What kind of signals does President government send in this year? “Table tents” are the worst. At the devils, as demonstrated by the grossly unethical treatment of Vinny Sanchez and Melissa Smith in this year’s campaign. Endorsements are taken as more what if one knows about them, and, in the case of Mark Bettenquez and Dialogue, can be rather damaging. In either case, those with the power only do to so stifled new ideas.

Something is dreadfully wrong with a set of election rules that spend as much time prohibiting sound trucks and airplane banners as it does explaining ballots. The system must be reformed to allow a free exchange of ideas on issues of merit.

First, take the best forums for debate which currently exist on campus—The Observer, Scholastic, Dialogue and WSND—and use them. Require them to provide space and air time for candidates, second, loosen the restrictions on endorsements by student organizations and publications. It is the right of U.S. citizens to express their support for candidates in any form they choose. Third, raise spending limits on campaigns, and provide matching funds to candidates. Most importantly, encourage some type of “Meet the Candidates” forum for all contests. Actually bearing a candidate explain his ideas is infinitely better than reading “improve male/female relations” above a urinal. If we let voters ask how and why directly, we can cut down on empty promises.

A real student Bill of Rights should also be implemented. Our current experience in trying to change the student/administrative relationship is lesson for the future. Only by changing the environment can real debate ever take place. The so-called, “Bill of Undergraduate and Administrative Relations,” was a good idea, but turned down in its own language. To be blunt, it had too many words that, combined with the apathetic Office of Student Affairs led to Walter Tyson and, was enough to send the document to that graveyard of good ideas, the “task force”.

If students and administrators are serious about changing their relationship, they might do the following:

Include a representative of Student Affairs as an active participant in the task force.

The revised bill should take a lesson from the U.S. Constitution. It should be an charter of the basic rights of students that the administration agrees not to violate. These should include freedom of expression, unencumbered press, the right to a trial by peers and freedom of association. All later reforms can take place only in this new context.

Serious discussion of these types of changes must begin if we are ever going to see a vibrant intellectual life develop at Notre Dame. What needs to be improved is the amount of internal debate on campus issues. These and other reforms can bring Notre Dame’s intellectual life to standards existing for athletics—excellence, and nothing less. If the passionate interest found in the Rockne Stadium, Center for Social Concerns and Simon Grenier could be extended to the Senate and the pages of this newspaper, we’d have a true standard of excellence—and a university of the first rank.

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Mellencamp tries his hand at a new art

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Singer John Mellencamp's art is popularized with characters from America's heartland. But those days, those characters are more likely to be found in oil paintings than on the radio. For Mellencamp, painting has provided a respite from the pressures of rock 'n' roll, and the recent collapse of his second marriage.

His second exhibit of oil paintings opened April 12 at the Churchman-Felzenfield Gallery of the Indianapolis Art League. Mellencamp first displayed his work last year at an exhibit with jazz artist Miles Davis in Los Angeles. The 29 portraits depict the singer-songwriter's family and friends. The facial expressions created by his mutated brush strokes are always sad, and they convey the same disillusioned found in his musical works about the nation's heartland and the farm crisis. "I think you can say much more in a painting than you can in a stupid song," he said in an interview with Rolling Stone magazine last year.

"Some days I start at seven o'clock in the morning, and I paint until five, eat dinner and come back and paint until midnight. I don't have to do anything. It's better than sex for me.

However, Mellencamp's work hardly fits the stereotype of a struggling artist. His albums have sold millions, he records in his own studio and he could afford to spend much of the last year in an art studio he had built next to his home in Bloomington.

He and his wife, Vicky, are in the middle of a divorce. They are the parents of Todd, Joe, A, and Justin, 4, who currently are living with their mother.

Mellencamp's manager, Harry Sandler, said the singer did not want to comment about his divorce or about his venture into the art world. "John wants to let the paintings stand on their own," Sandler said. "He just chooses not to speak at the time.

Mellencamp has not hinted that his music career is over, but it has certainly taken an extended vacation. His growing discussions with pop standards surfaced in his last album "Never wanted to be a pop singer, never wanted to write no pop songs," goes the bitter refrain of the hit single, "Pop Singer," which offers Mellencamp's cynical view of today's music scene.

He refused to tour in support of "Big Daddy," and his only stage appearance in recent months came at the Farm Aid IV concert in Indianapolis March 7. The rousing ovation he received and his energetic three-song performance were far removed from the solitude of a blank canvas.

Mellencamp organized the first Farm Aid back in 1984 with Willie Nelson as a benefit for struggling farmers. 
"I think people my age need to start taking their position in the community seriously, and start dealing with local problems within the system," he said in an interview with the Associated Press. "I don't mean standing in the back rows and throwing stuff, any coward can do that. We tried that in the '60s and it didn't work out too good. I mean to take affirmative action and to make positive moves to make changes in a country that needs to go through that right now.

But those who have worked with Mellencamp say he is serious about painting, and that it is not merely a hobby. Jan Royce traveled to Mellencamp's studio several times last summer to help him learn oil techniques.

"It's very bright, very eager to learn, very driven," said Royce, a portrait painter from Indianapolis. "He paints from the heart, just as his music is from the heart.

Royce said the immediacy of creating a painting appeals to Mellencamp's impatience. "He works very fast and tries to capture what he's feeling immediately," said Julia L. Muncy, exhibits curator at the art league.

By displaying his paintings to the public and critics, Muncy said Mellencamp wanted "some validation for himself. He wants the public to confirm, 'Am I going in the right direction?'"

At least some buyers think so. Three of his self-portraits, ranging in price from $2,000 to $6,000, were sold before the show opened, Muncy said.

Reaction to the show was enthusiastic among the 450 guests invited to a pre-opening party attended by Mellencamp. Muncy said, "They liked the work a lot. They might have been skeptical, but they are no longer," Muncy said. "I was expecting to look a little more folksy. I was surprised at the expertise of the paint handling.

In yet another paradox, Mellencamp chose to personally oversee all aspects of the Indianapolis showing.

Muncy said he helped set up the exhibit, fused over the titles of each painting and wired the frames himself in preparation for hanging.

"He'll depreciate his paintings. It's very strange because he's serious about painting but after a while he's not satisfied with the results.

"We were looking at some of these paintings and he told me, 'This is crummy, but you can hung it anyway.'"

Muncy said, gesturing toward the exhibit.

Later on, Mellencamp did insist on removing two paintings from the exhibit because he wasn't satisfied with them.

He may not want to discuss his paintings, but the prices on his works speak volumes.

His two least expensive works are a self-portrait of himself and another titled "Big J," showing his daughter, A, in a pink dress. Both sell for $2,000. Three paintings are priced at $5,000. They are among the largest works in the exhibit, measuring roughly 72 inches long by 48 inches wide.

His first wife, Priscilla, is the subject of "GI," which shows her wearing '50s-style glasses and a painted white feather in her hair. The painting sells for $12,000.

In "The Beach or the Bar," said to be Mellencamp's favorite, he portrays seven people gathered around an outdoor bar. At his showing last fall in Los Angeles, the painting carried a $25,000 price tag.

In Indianapolis, it's practically a steal at $12,000.

Muncy said he's seen "more people, more in L.A. He adjusted his prices down for the Midwestern market," stated Muncy.

Muncy said Mellencamp asked her if his prices were too high. "Given his name and what he's achieved in Los Angeles, I thought he'd asked, 'Am I right?'" Muncy said. "He just didn't say, 'Am I right?'"

"We don't mean," Muncy added. "But Mellencamp admires few artists who have been painting for less than two years can tag such elaborate prices on their works.

"Yes, they're paying for the name," she said, of potential Mellencamp collectors.

Midnight Oil's 'Blue Sky Mining'

JOHN LANE

Accent Writer

Blue Sky Mining is much like an extension of the explosion of A
dust, the band's brilliant 1987 release that broke into the American music scene. Midnight Oil continues to apply its intense and unique style to its songs, using guitar and drums. However, the band has deftly diversified its sound a bit, adding more keyboards and horns to its music. With their new sound, Midnight Oil has made an improvement over their previous work, while retaining their hard-edged roots.

The band's political concerns are genuine. One critic tabbed them as the probable number one band on the CIA's hypotetical militant hit list because of their dislike of American foreign policy. The band also writes about the Australian Aborigines and the demise of the environment.

Midnight Oil's greatest talent is their ability to apply these concerns to music without sounding like preachers, but more like rock musicians. They do this on pop songs "Blue Sky Mine," the album's first single, "Stars Of Warburton," and "Stuckers And Moors."

Blue Sky Mining offers a variety of songs. In addition to the first singles, there are at least 12 others in the repertoire, including songs such as "Kill The Pipeline, Point McLeay," and "A Year In The Country."

Magenta, the album's third single, is a rocking tune that could be a hit in the mainstream. Unlike the previous two singles, Magenta is the most accessible song on the album, with a catchy chorus and a strong rhythm section. The remaining songs on the album are more experimental, and include tracks that explore various genres such as punk rock, reggae, and electronic music.
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Crew team light eight earns championship

The Crew team capped off a successful season with a trip to the Midwest Rowing Championships in Madison, Wisconsin last weekend. The men's lightweight eight took first for the second year in a row with Dave Reeder (bow), Mike Allen, Mike Whitler, Eric Lasser, Keith Richards, Bob Gregory, John Wilson and Matt Noll (stroke) anchoring the boat. Jill Jacobs was the coxswain.

"It was pretty exciting," said Richards. "We pulled away early and held off a charge by Wichita St., but overall, it was surprisingly easy."

The men's heavyweight eight, who took home a bronze medal, were barely edged out by Northwestern for second. None of the women's teams placed.

"Overall it was a very satisfying season," said new president Richards.

The Men's volleyball team took another giant step toward making a run at beating them," commented Martin. "We were pretty happy with the results because it was our first time to the National's," said Captain Tom Martin. "We didn't play as well as we had been and we ran into some tough competition."

That competition included the University of California-Berkley and the University of Tennessee. Those two teams competed for the championship with Berkley winning it all.

"With a little luck and if we had played better we could have made a run at beating them," commented Martin. The Irish will definitely be back next year led by this year's co-MVPs, junior Martin and sophomore Dave Bose. Martin led the team in kills with a whopping 267 and 6 per match. Senior Mike Whitler was second with 220 while Bose put down 214. Pedro Nemalcoff will return next year to run the offense from his setter position. The junior had an amazing 960 assists and also contributed a 98% serving percentage.

"This tournament was good because now we've been there once and we know what it takes to win it," said Martin.

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By CHRISTINE PENOTE
Sports Writer

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Basketball recruit picks ND for '91

Observer Staff Report

A 6-6 high school junior from Illinois will attend Notre Dame on a basketball scholarship in the fall of 1991, his coach said Tuesday.

Aurora West coach Gordon Kerikman said Bill Taylor has given a verbal commitment to Notre Dame.

"From what I understand, he has given a verbal commitment to Notre Dame," Kerikman said. "Taylor will join Jason Williams, a junior guard from Lombard, Ill. who has also verbally committed to the Irish. Taylor averaged 18.5 and pulled down 9 rebounds per game as a junior while helping Aurora West to a 24-6 record. "In the past three years, he has been an inside player for us," Kerikman said. "But he's also very capable of going outside. He can handle the ball and is one of our better passers. He's a very good all-around player."

Taylor and Williams will be able to officially sign in November.

The 1990 freshman class will include 6-9 twins Jon and Joe Ross of Northfield High in Wabash, 6-3 guard-forward Carl Gonomic of Marian High in Chicago, and 6-2 guard Brooks Breyer of Lumen Christi High in Jackson, Mich.
Heisman winner Archie Griffin gives good advice

At first glance, former Ohio State tailback Archie Griffin looks like he should be carrying the water bottle in front of the football.

At five-feet, ten inches, Griffin doesn’t exactly tower over a crowd.

“When I walk into a room the first thing people say is, ‘I thought you were bigger than that,’” Griffin said after speaking to The Ohio State Alumni Club of Greater South Bend Tuesday evening. “But I had a high school coach who said it wasn’t the size of the dog in the fight, but the size of the fight in the dog.”

Griffin actually used that size in his advantage during a stellar Buckeye career in which he won two Heisman trophies and gained 5589 yards on 924 carries. During that same time, he led Ohio State to an incredible 40-6 record.

He won the Heismans in 1974 and 1975 and remains the only two-time winner of that coveted honor.

“It wasn’t so much that I won it two times, but that it was the Heisman Trophy,” Griffin said. “That stands for excellence and reflects the success we had as a team.”

Griffin’s career didn’t exactly begin with Heisman hopes. As a freshman in 1972, the first year freshmen could play on the varsity level, he fumbled in his first carry against Iowa.

But when he thought his career might be over before it started, coach Woody Hayes gave him another chance the following week against North Carolina. The result was a 239-yard rushing performance and a 29-14 Buckeye victory.

“That was my most memorable moment in all of football,” Griffin said. “I’m very thankful for that.”

That was a miracle that happened in my life. That was a springboard in my career.

Griffin springboarded in to two Heismans, a pro career with the Cincinnati Bengals and a current position as an assistant athletic director at Ohio State. He is also very active in community service, getting his OSU degree a quarter early so he could devote more time to that service.

While stressing the importance of a good education, Griffin continually draws comparisons between football and life.

“The thing I like most about athletics and the game of football is that you learn the important lesson of how to get up after you’ve been knocked down,” Griffin said. “The game of football is like real life. Things get tough, and we’re got to get up. We’ve got to strive and reach the things we set out to do.”

And Griffin has had a long reach, both on and off the football field.

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rrier education and better competition.

“In Argentina I had no idea how the system worked in America,” said Dolhare. “It’s like if you wanted to go to study in Argentina, would you know where to go college? I wound up at Austin Peay, but

after my sophomore year I was looking for a more talented place academically and in tennis.”

Since he has come to Notre Dame, he has enjoyed great success, finishing 27th this year and 25-12 last year. His brand of tennis has lent credibility to the tennis program.

Head Coach Bayliss likes the experience and demeanor of the international component of his tennis team.

“His credibilites, ability, and experience to this team,” said Bayliss. “He’s played all over the world. He’s got savvy.”

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King David. But this doesn’t bother Dolhare.

“I’ve been very confident in my position,” said Dolhare. “Dave deserves all the exposure he’s getting. He’s getting most of the attention, but it’s much easier to channel the exposure through Dave than any other player. He’s the most talented player on our team by far, and Dave is the one who catches people’s attention.”

But the gallant Dolhare will be quick to remind you that the one in the spotlight is not the whole show. When it comes to results, there is no tennis player more important than another, since every win counts the same.

Presently the 24-4 Irish, ranked 19th in the nation, are waiting for the NCAA tournament committee to decide whether Notre Dame will get a bid to the ultimate match, the NCAAs. Whether Dolhare plays any more collegiate tennis depends upon the degree of that committee, since the tennis team wound up its season against by beating Division III Kalamazoo 9-0 on Tuesday night.

On the future, Dolhare originally intended to go back to Argentina, but now he has changed his plans. But what are his plans?

“That’s a tough question. I wouldn’t be a tough question if I knew what I was doing. I’m definitely going to say in America, but after May 20 I really don’t know. I guess I’ll get a job.”

Well, he’s not that unique.

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Notre Dame boxers: those who ordered videotapes, your tapes will be at the Huddle from 7-9 p.m. on Wed., May 2 under the boxing picture.

Bengal Bout videotapes will be on sale today from 7-9 p.m. beneath the boxing picture in the Huddle. Price is $8.

Men's soccer final will be played today at 4:30 p.m. at Stepan Field. ISO will face Keenan Hall.

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in high school I wasn't used to striking out. I get too frustrated when I go 0-for-4 and I let it affect me. He (Murphy) said I'll have days like that, but that I'll have my good days too, I'm still not completely used to that."

Jacobs bears the dimensions of a classic power hitter. The 6-5, 240-pound designated hitter and occasional first baseman also moonlights as a tight end for Lou Holtz's football squad, a dual duty that he loves despite the tremendous time commitments.

"It (football) is tough because of all sports activities. It's hard to play two sports, but I like football."

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which compiled an 8-7 overall record.
Yet the Irish are actively planning to return last year's favor to the Spartans. Led on offense by Brian McHugh, Mike Sullivan, Mike Quigley, Dave Carey, Brian Mayglothling, Ed Lamb, Mike Sennett and a resurgent Brian Schirf, the Irish have the potential to keep the Spartan goalkeepers blood pressure rising all afternoon.

On defense, Notre Dame depends on goalies Tom Duane and Chris Parent to be the backbone of a stingy, hard-sticking defensive unit. The aging Irish defense is manned by Pete Gillin, Eamon McNamara, Jeff Salmon, and Dave Barnard.

Spartans have 24 lettermen back from last year's squad, including a 2-0 overall record.

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DePaul gives Irish hard time

By RICHARD MATHURIN
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame softball team (22-12) will not soon forget the DePaul Blue Demons (30-21). The Blue Demons are in the Irish what kryptonite is to Superman. After yesterday's action, the Irish still have not defeated them in two years, dropping the first game 5-1, while salvaging a 0-0 tie in the second game.

The first game began in an ominous way, with DePaul leadoff batter Jenny Letzynski smacking the second pitch of the game over the centerfield fence for a homerun off Irish starter Staci Alford.

The Irish tied the score in the bottom of the third. Shortstop Ruth Knak reached on an error, then was sacrificed to second by Laurie Sommierland. Rachel Crosson followed with a double to right, which the DePaul rightfielder lost in the sun. That would be all of the Irish offense for the rest of the day.

DePaul broke the game open in the fifth, scoring three runs. After a lead off single by Tina Kosey and a sacrifice, Letzynski reached on an error putting runners at first and third. DePaul then executed the double steal to perfection, breaking the first game tie. The Blue Demons then followed with an infeld hit and double to plate two more runs. They added an insurance run in the sixth on a successful suicide squeeze to make the final score 5-1.

Linn pitched fairly well in the defeat, allowing only 2 earned runs while striking out six, but her record dropped to 12-7. "It was tough all around, the defense was strong, but they hit it hard at people and forced mistakes. We hit it hard at them, but they didn't make any mistakes," said Linn.

The second game proved to be an old fashioned pitching duel between ND's freshman Staci Alford and the Blue Demons' Anne Cooley. Both pitchers held the opposing teams offense scoreless through 11 innings.

The game ended in a 0-0 tie and bad to be called as a result of darkness.

The Irish will have the chance for a run occurred in the DePaul ninth, when Irish centerfielder Staci Crosson threw a strike to catcher Amy Folsom to cut down pinch hitter Kar­

Balfour, who represented the go-ahead run. The Irish could only manage minor threats against Cooley.

Aldorf yielded 10 hits, while striking out nine, both Irish runners facing none. She did not feel it was her best pitching performance, "During the year, we improved on pitching, but we had a lot of rainouts. This was their inten­tion to pitch," said Murphy.

"That's a big change that each game comes to pass, with both teams leading the team with six home runs and 36 RBIs, but also leading the team with 33 strikeouts.

Both predictions by Murphy have come to pass, with each team showing they have the ability to beat the other. "We've been having a respectable 34-1 record thus far," said Murphy. "That's not much to be said because an NCAA tournament winner would receive a bid to the national tournament."