Kuwaiti cabinet resigns as national rebuilding begins

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Kuwait's Cabinet resigned Tuesday in a move intended to bring in new officials as the nation rebuilds from nearly seven months of Iraqi occupation, the emirate's U.N. ambassador said.

Ambassador Mohammad Alabdulahsan said the prime minister submitted the resignations, which were immediately accepted by the emir, Sheikh Jaber al-Ahmad al-Sabah.

Alabdulahsan said the new Cabinet should be named in about a month.

"This is the first step in putting the house in order," he said.

He declined to speculate if the Cabinet reshuffling was in response to demands by some Kuwaitis for greater democracy. The ruling family abolished Parliament in 1986.

"When you have martial law, you need to change the government to cope with critical situation that is now facing Kuwait," said Alabdulahsan.

Kuwaiti officials have declared martial law to restore security in the wake of the Iraqi retreat from allied forces late last month.

Many Kuwaitis have criticized the government for how it has handled the start of the postwar reconstruction. Kuwait's once oil-rich economy now suffers from widespread shortages.

Estimates on the cost of rebuilding Kuwait have ranged from $100 billion to $500 billion.

Earlier this week, Kuwait's crown prince and prime minister, Saad Abdullah al-Sabah, under intense questioning from visiting U.S. congressmen about his government's commitment to democracy.

The prince put security first as a government priority, then reconstruction, and later political change. He said Kuwait is not a dictatorship and that Parliament will be restored, but he set no timetable for political reform.

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Kurdish rebels are driving the last Iraqi loyalist soldiers from oil-rich Kirkuk, and anti-gov­ernment rustling has spread to Iraq's largest northern city, rebels officials said Tuesday.

In the south, where Shiite rebels also battled to topple the regime of President Saddam Hussein, both rebels and gov­ernment spokesman claimed their side held the Shiite holy cities of Najaf and Karbala.

Both sides also made appeals that seemed at odds with their past claims — the rebels' assertions of battlefield victories and the Baghdad regime's declarations that foreign agents were carrying out the revolt which began days after allied forces recaptured Kuwait.

Using the state-controlled press, the Iraqi government urged citizens to remain loyal and pledged to carry out demo­cratic reforms promised by Saddam in a weekend speech. "Close ranks behind the lead­ership to overcome the dilemma," said an editorial in the government-run Al-Thawra newspaper.

Saad Medhi Saleh, speaker of the National Assembly, was quoted in another daily, Al-­Iraq, as saying that "before too long a new constitution and a multiparty political system would be in place.

From Damascus, Jalal Tala­bani, a leader of the Iraqi Kur­dish Front, sought foreign in­ervention to support the Kur­dish revolt, claiming Iraqi troops were using napalm and phosphorus bombs to crush the rebellion.

"In a vile and desperate at­tempt to stamp out the growing popular uprising against his tyranny, Saddam Hussein per­sists with the ruthless bom­bardment of civilians," he said, describing its an "a calamity being inflicted on the Iraqi peo­ple.

Talabani's charges about na­palm echoed comments of sev­eral other Kurdish and Shiite rebel leaders in recent days, but White House press secretary Marlin Fitzwater said in Washington there was no proof napalm was being used by Iraqi forces.

The New York Health Organiza­tion reported that more than 30,000 Iraqi refugees have crossed into southern Iran to escape fighting. Many wounded and back from shots were transferred to the Iraqi city of Abu Nabir, and others to northern Iran, said Therese Gastaut, a spokeswoman for the agency in Geneva.

She said many of the people who fled the violence ended up in a region of Iran still recovering from devastation suffered during the 1980-88 war with Iraq.

In other Gulf War-related de­velopment, the United Nations announced it will re­open its banks on Sunday and issue new currency to replace $2 billion of gold and currency looted by the Iraqis.

"A prosecutor said Kuwait will seek to hang most of the 600 Iraqi, Palestinian and other prisoners now being held for alleged war crimes.

The U.N. school has a split that has developed between Iranian Shiites and Iranians, a problem for the Iranians to take control of the school and the differences center on theological issues between the two.

The forum was sponsored by the Center for Social Concerns.

Uprisings in Iraq continue amid anti-Saddam rioting

By JOSEPH ADAMS

Eight young men from Chicago's Cabrini Green housing pro­ject spoke at Notre Dame last night concerning their experiences as gang members.

The gang members were accompanied by three brothers whose order, the Brothers and Sisters of Love, serves in the housing projects of Chicago. Brother Bill Tones, a Notre Dame graduate, said the brothers "try to represent Jesus and his love for people.

The members ranged in age from 19 to 24. Brother Tones said, "A good number of them came from homes with times and even five times." He brought them pictures of young people who have been murdered in the projects in which they grew up.

Brother Tones knew many of the victims personally and told how some of them were killed. One young girl was killed as she jumped rope outside her home while a young man was shot as he tried to break up a fight. Brother Tones said, "We go through a lot of grief and pain."

The gang members said they had been members of their gang, the Disciples, from a young age. They said that they were influenced by older mem­bers whom they encountered every day.

One member said, "While you're young, you see older guys doing it, and they have power. It's all about power, who got the most money. If you got money, you got power, and you're the man."

However, they insisted that no one forced them to join a gang. A member said, "If we wanted to, we could get out. We're not doing it unwillingly, but because we want to."

Another member said, "If you don't want no trouble, you don't get no trouble."

This visit to Notre Dame is the third for the Disciples. Brother Tones said that the gang members' previous trips had made a deep impression and several of them have since acquired jobs. During their visits they have met with Lou Hozier and Digger Phelps and attended closed practices.

Brother Tones said, "I have seen a real change (in the gang members) since coming to Notre Dame. The gang members were quick to condemn the police. They claimed that abuses of power such as recently publicized beating in Los Ange­les by the department's "res identification with their order. They also accused police of involvement with a Ku­waiti "gang," which was the police "source of much of the drug trade.""

When asked about the influ­ence of rap music, the gang mem­bers said that it did in­fluence their actions and is the "cleanest form of hip-hop" and corrupted gang members. The gang members claimed that if police "got off on territory controlled by a rival gang they refused to answer questions." They also accused police of involvement with a "marijuana "gang."

The young men said that most of them have jobs and have not seen a real change (in the gang members) since coming to Notre Dame. They said that police "do work and don't involved with violence." They said gang violence is mainly a problem with youth, but "you grow out of it." The Gang members were quick to condemn the police. They claimed that abuses of power such as recently publicized beating in Los Ange­les by the department's "res identification with their order. They also accused police of involvement with a "marijuana "gang," which was the police "source of much of the drug trade.""
Notre Dame needs co-ed housing

Notre Dame will be celebrating its 20th anniversary as a co-ed institution next year. During the past 20 years many changes have occurred in the relationship between men and women on this campus, but despite these changes Notre Dame has remained a backwooded university in its approach to co-education.

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Experts to discuss Soviet reforms at ND

By L. PETER YOB
News Writer

Last Sunday, in what may stand out as a turning point in the history of the Soviet Union, citizens of that country's republics voted on the question of remaining united.

On Thursday, three experts on Soviet Federalism will be at Notre Dame to discuss the impact of this referendum. The experts will take part in a symposium on federalism in the Soviet Union to be held at the ND Law School.

Igor Grazin, a member of the Supreme Soviet of the U.S.S.R. and a visiting law professor at Notre Dame, will discuss his views on the future of Soviet federalism. Grazin is from Estonia, one of the three Baltic Republics seeking independence from the Soviet Union.

He will be joined by Walter White, a member of Quartes & Brady, a Milwaukee law firm. White is a member of the American Bar Association section of International Law and Practice. White is an expert on Soviet federalism who, in the past, has traveled to the Soviet Union to observe elections.

Also attending the symposium is Leon Lipson, the Henry R. Luce professor at Yale. Lipson is expected to deliver a paper at the symposium for publication in Notre Dame's Journal of Legislation.

Uncertainty concerning the impact of the Soviet vote remains, primarily because many Soviet Republics seeking to secede from the Union boycotted the vote.

The symposium will be moderated by Professor John Atanasio of the Notre Dame Law School. Atanasio was away from Notre Dame as a visiting law professor in Moscow last year.

The symposium will be held in the law school courtroom from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. on Thursday, with a break from noon until 1 p.m. for lunch.

Those interested are welcome to attend all or part of the symposium.

Irish Accent seeks dorm donations at HPC meeting

By STEVEN KRAUSS
News Writer

Doug Heberle of Irish Accent made a plea at the Hall Presidents' Council meeting last night for monetary donations from individual dorms which would assist the Accent's production of a comedy skit titled "The Boys Next Door."

The show will take place April 5th, 6th, 12th, and 13th in North Dining Hall. Tickets are $10 each and available in advance at the Accent's Information Desk. Proceeds of the show will benefit the Logan Center.

Also on the agenda, Brigid Klosterman spoke briefly about Senior Month 1991. This annual booklet is accepting ads from any and all dorms that wish to publicly recognize their graduating seniors.

Finally, Ted Stumpf and Ed Heiden from HPC announced that the U.S.S.R. is expected to deliver a paper at the Hall Presidents' Council meeting April 20th. This year the event will occur on the far side of Saint Patrick's Day, taking advantage of Holy Cross Hall's recent demolition.

Dorms may enter as many vessels as they wish, but the entry fee for each ship is twenty dollars. The Regatta, now a traditional test of seamanship among all the dorms, is also selling T-shirts this week in both dining halls.
Twenty-one police officers involved. The spokesman, Lt. Fred Nixon, was reacting to a statement earlier Tuesday by lawyer Steven Lerman that 25 officers were at the scene of the March 3 beating of King's client, Rodney King.

Lerman also said King wants to sue for $56 million — $1 million for each blow inflicted. He told a news conference his investigators had enhanced the amateur videotape of the beating and said he now believes as many as 25 officers were involved.

"This is going to get a lot bigger and a lot badder before it's over," said Nixon. Nixon said the new department figure fits with Lerman's number of 25 because Lerman was including other agencies' officers.

"In identifying additional officers at the scene we have not identified any additional officers," he said. "But because of moral witness and what happened to him," Lerman said. Lerman showed reporters still photos taken from the videotape and said they clearly showed a California Highway Patrol officer standing near the beating and putting away his nightstick.

He also said King believed two LAPD sergeants, not one, were at the scene.

Sgt. Mike Brey, public affairs officer for the CHP's Southern Affairs Division, was out of his office and did not immediately return a telephone call seeking comment.

"The investigation continues and we intend to follow the case until we're satisfied that we've followed all avenues," said Mike Botula, a spokesman for the district attorney's office.

He declined to comment further on Lerman's statements, citing secrecy rules on evidence presented to the county grand jury.

He said he soon will file suits against the city in Superior Court and in federal court, alleging civil rights violations.

Lerman told reporters he had notified the state attorney general's office that he intended to file a claim against the Highway Patrol as well. He also said he intended to find out what role was played by two Los Angeles Unified School District police officers who were at the scene.

School district spokeswoman Diana Muna Tones said the district was conducting its own investigation into their role. Both have since been transferred to desk assignments. She said the officers were patrolling schools in the area the night King was pulled over.

Asked whether King thinks Gates should resign, Lerman said King was ambivalent. "He said, 'There's more trouble out there than Chief Gates.' But he thought it was important for Gates stepped down," Lerman said.

Gates "displayed a stunning lack of leadership," according to a resolution adopted by the Los Angeles County Federation's Council of Delegates, said executive secretary-treasurer William Robertson.

This is going to get a lot bigger and a lot badder before it's over," said Nixon. He declined to say what changes the figure of 25 officers means, other than to say that the investigation was continuing and that new facts come out as they go along.

California's Assembly speaker, the Los Angeles Times and the county's largest union joined the call for the city police chief's ouster because of the beating of King, who was unarmed.

In a confidential, the Los Angeles Times called for Chief Daryl Gates to quit "not because of legal problems — that's a separate issue, but because of moral wisdom.

But Gates was steadfast in his refusal to resign, Nixon said. "His decision is to remain here and restore the luster that is unchallenged," he said.

The anti-Gates chorus was strengthened by the release Monday of computer messages exchanged by officers involved in beating the motorist during a traffic stop in the Lake View Terrace section March 3. A neighborhood resident taped the attack.

Critics said the transcript of the computer messages disproved Gates' contention that the beating was "an aberration," in one exchange, a message from a patrol car said, "I haven't beaten anyone this bad in a long time."

At least three officers pummeled the 25-year-old King of Alhambra following a car chase that originally involved the California Highway Patrol. King, who was unarmed, was struck with police batons, kicked and shocked with an electric stun gun.

King suffered a broken right eye socket and 11 broken bones.

Lerman said he believed as many as 50 people may have been involved because patrol cars allegedly came and went during the beating. Lerman said a helicopter hovered overhead.

"They almost beat his mind out," King said. "Knowing now members somewhat better

The University of Notre Dame Libraries have received two collections, one of sea charts and the other of maps of Ireland, donated by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGrath of Juno Beach, Fla.

The Thomas C. and Helen G. McGrath Collection of Sea Charts of Ireland has been named in honor of Mr. McGrath's parents.

The sacrifices of the parents of Mr. McGrath enabled him to form the University of Notre Dame Law School and served in Congress as representative of a New Jersey district.

Most of the eleven sea charts in the McGrath collection date from the 17th century. One, printed by I. Wagenhaer, is the earliest printed map depicting Ireland alone. It may be a page from Wagenhaer's sea atlas, which was published in 1593.

The David Butler Collection of Maps of Ireland has been named in honor of Mrs. McGrath's father, who was born in Navan, County Meath, Ireland in 1893 and died five years ago in Philadelphia, Pa.

According to the McGraths, the maps and charts were purchased over a period of 25 years from dealers in Sweden, Germany, England, Ireland and the United States.

The 69 maps of the Butler Collection were created in the 16th, 17th, and 18th centuries. The oldest map in the collection, made in 1567 by Benedetto Bordone, is believed to be the earliest printed map depicting Ireland alone.

According to Notre Dame librarian Laura Fudere, "These early printed maps were far more richly illustrated than the geographical and road maps familiar to us today. Most of them have been hand-colored and have engraved pictures of coats of armor, ocean animals, tall ships, and other objects."

One map, by Mercator-Hondius, features an inset with six costumed figures, including a gentleman and woman, a civil man and woman, and a "wilde" man and woman. Robert Burns, professor of history at Notre Dame, says the illustration is a superb portrayal of 16th century Irish dress which he intends to send his students to view.
Students, administrators discuss curriculum and cultural diversity

By KATE MANUEL
Assistant News Editor

Expressing student concerns to professors and gaining faculty support is crucial in changing curriculum to reflect cultural diversity, said participants in Tuesday's meeting between administrators and the students who prepared the Board of Trustees report on cultural diversity.

"Curriculum reform is something that faculty tend to go slow on," said one participant. Notre Dame has already taken steps toward reforming the Arts and Letters curriculum so that it reflects cultural diversity, said administrators.

There is a proposal that all Arts and Letters students be required to take a course on race, gender and/or class. This course would not be added to existing requirements; rather, a student could complete it while completing a history, English, or other requirement.

Supplementary additions to the Lore course curriculum, to better reflect cultural diversity, are also in the process of being implemented.

Notre Dame has created exchange programs with Xavier University that would allow ND students to study at Xavier and vice versa, as well as open ND foreign study programs to Xavier students. Notre Dame would also benefit through access to Xavier's strong programs in Afro-American history and literature.

Many Arts and Letters departments have made efforts to recruit minority faculty by targeting candidates and making competitive offers, advertising vacancies, and checking "network" contacts at other universities. Departments are also working to keep the faculty they have.

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Until last year, the Indians believed they were retaining those rights when they ceded the northern third of Wisconsin to the federal government.

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Panelists debate quality of Gulf War press coverage

By ANNMARIE ZELL
News Writer

In a panel discussion sponsored by the Society of Professional Journalists, the panelists disagreed about the quality of news reporting of the Gulf War.

Jack Powers, former editor-in-chief of the Chicago Tribune and adjunct associate professor American studies, described the news coverage as "superficial and banal."

He said, "They reached levels of triviality and superficiality I'd never hope to meet." However, Powers did acknowledge that the reporters were working under "tough hurdles" of military restrictions.

Powers commented that, "the war seemed staged to keep news reporters off the street."

He cited newspaper articles reporting on which broadcasting network was rated first, and articles on reporters as examples of poor coverage.

The mayor of South Bend, Joseph Kernan, a POW during the Vietnam War, was content to cast aside the news coverage of Desert Storm. Kernan confessed, "I became a CNN fan. I was riveted by the news coverage."

He also said, "I never felt like I needed more than I got."

Kernan attributed the control of information as a role of the Pentagon, an arm of the administrative branch of government, acting out its role of public relations, "putting the best face on the administration." Kernan said, "Thank God, we didn't have to find out what would have happened if public opinion eroded."

Lt. C. Douglass Hemphill, professor of military science, was also pleased with the news coverage. He said, "There are things that couldn't be broadcasted, printed, or more people would have been killed."

Hemphill felt that the briefers answered what they could. He said, "I don't know what could have been done differently."

Questions were asked, some were turned aside, because they had to be turned aside, others were answered." However, he conceded that the less experienced military briefers were a little conservative.

Hemphill said, "I was glad when I heard they closed Dover airport (where many of the war casualties are brought) to the press. I don't know what good would have been served by showing a stream, if there were a stream, of remains."

Charles Lawson, who has two sons in Kuwait and is a member of Just Kuwaiting, a community group of concerned citizens, said, "Yes, they held some things (information) back, but my sons were being shot at and Scared at. I wouldn't have wanted it any other way. I think everyone did an outstanding job."

Michael Garvey, assistant director of public relations and information, said, "I was appalled; the press did an abysmal job."

Garvey continued, "the press failed in its responsibility to the American public."

He said, "the entire democracy works less well when the press is regulated to a cheerleading outfit."

He added, "The job of the press is not to wave the flag, it is to present the facts."

Garvey faults the press more than the military. He said, "the journalists became supine in the face of restrictions."

He felt that the press as an institution "rolled over and said tell us what to write and we'll write it."

Garvey also criticized the strict press restrictions. He illustrated his point using the example of an article by a Detroit reporter describing soldiers returning from their first mission as "giddy."

The censors changed the adjective to "proud."

The reporter and the censors compromised on "pumped-up."

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Business students compete in Ontario

Special to The Observer

Four Notre Dame seniors in the College of Business Administration will represent the University of Notre Dame in a case competition to be held March 20-22 at the University of Western Ontario.

Kathleen Basinski, Laura Kirchofer, Jennifer Becker, and John Sabyt won a college-wide undergraduate case competition earlier this semester by defeating four other campus teams.

The Notre Dame team will compete against other teams from the University of Virginia, the University of Minnesota, Luigi Bocconi University in Milan, Italy, and Keio University in Tokyo, Japan.

The University of Western Ontario, located in London, Ontario, is one of Canada's premier public universities and is widely known for its Honors Business Administration program.

Case competition is a traditional form of expression for students of business, permitting individuals with differing skills and backgrounds to work together as a team.

Given a narrative description of a business or firm experiencing difficulty, the team will analyze and define the nature of the problem, suggest solutions, and brief their recommendations to an impartial panel of judges.

Case competitors are judged on their analytical abilities, the quality and soundness of their recommendations, and their ability to write and speak during team presentations.

Kirchofer, who organized the team, is an accounting major from Randolph, N.J.; Basinski is a marketing major from Vienna, Va.; Becker is a management major from Buffalo, N.Y.; and Sabyt, from Seattle, Wash., is a finance major.

Frank Montalbano, a management major from Lorraine, Wis., will travel with the team as the alternate member. Also accompanying the team will be the team coaches James O'Rourke, associate professor of management, and Clayton Smith and Gary Kern, assistant professors of management.

The University of Notre Dame has competed in case tournaments at both the undergraduate and graduate level for many years. Last year a team of Notre Dame seniors competed with an international field of business school teams at the University of Virginia's McIntire School of Commerce in Charlottesville, Va.

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — An 80-year-old rancher living at the gateway to one of Utah's most spectacular canyons has been accused of growing marijuana and now stands to lose his coveted land.

Bowman has been offered up to $500,000 for the property, and developers and environmentalists alike have coveted the land, said his lawyer, Marcus Taylor.

"It's a landgrab. It's a money-hungry grab by Garfield County," Taylor said. "If Garfield County is successful, the ranch is liquidated and the proceeds used by local law enforcement for drug control."

"For people to say that Garfield County is trying to grab this guy's land is totally crazy," said county Attorney Wallace Lee. "Utah state law and federal law allow criminal justice agencies to forfeit property, real and personal."

"I feel for Mr. Bowman, but we're trying to be tough," he said. "It's a strong measure, no doubt about it. But I think we need something strong to combat the problem."

The state Tax Commission is also demanding $30,000 under a state law that requires tax-tackers to affix a tax stamp to their contraband.

Bowman, who said he has raised plants for 30 years, indicated he wasn't growing the marijuana.

"I've always loved plants. I feel like I could grow anything. Where this stuff was found, it's not possible," he said. "There's hardly any sun. I would have too much respect for myself." 

Bowman remains on the ranch, living in a guest cottage that complements the main house he designed to look like an old Mormon barn. 

A retired designer and builder, as well as a sculptor and painter, Bowman moved to the area with his wife in 1977 after the couple raised three daughters in Carmel, Calif. His wife died seven years ago.

Bowman says the land is the retreat he sought for 40 years. It is "probably as close to heaven as I'll ever get," he said.

80-year-old rancher faces marijuana accusations

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Noriega conspirators convicted

MOMI (AP) — Jurors convicted two co-defendants of Manuel Noriega of plotting with the deposed Panamanian leader to trade M-16 automatic rifles for cocaine on Tuesday.

Brian Davidson and William Saldarriaga were convicted of conspiracy to import cocaine and distribution with intent to import. They became the first Noriega co-defendants to be convicted in the case.

The two face up to 40 years in prison each. U.S. District Judge William Hoeveler set sentencing for May 14.

Lead prosecutor Mike Sullivan refused to comment on the verdict, but his boss, U.S. Attorney Dexter Lehtinen, was upbeat.

"This verdict shows the public a jury will convict with the kind of evidence we have in the so-called Noriega case," Lehtinen said, referring to testimony from informants within the illegal trade who were given reduced sentences in return for their cooperation.

Davidson's attorney, Richard Sharpstein, put his arm around his client after the hearing the verdict, which he later blamed on the government's zeal to prosecute Noriega.

"The government threw a morsel of frightening information at the jury, the Medellin cartel, the Noriega connection, the unexplained deaths," Sharpstein said. "It was very difficult for the jurors to keep their eye on the ball."

Sharpstein said the death of star prosecution witness Ramon Navarro during the trial undoubtedly frightened jurors and hurt the defense more than the prosecution. He said Navarro would have completely contradicted other government witnesses.

Steven Kreisberg, attorney for Saldarriaga, said his client faced steep odds.

"They had a load of evidence," he said. "Noriega had some an insidious effect in that they subpoenaed documents and made deals with people they never would have talked to otherwise."

Noriega will be tried in June on the same counts, as well as broader racketeering charges. Several other co-defendants have reached plea agreements.

The case against Davidson, 29, a Miami real estate salesman, and Saldarriaga, 46, a Colombian importer, revolved around the ill-fated voyage of the luxury yacht Krill in March 1986.

A Colombian police seized the Krill as it prepared to leave an offshore island to trade M-16 automatic rifles for cocaine in hidden compartments. Two of the men who allegedly helped organize the deal were murdered in Medellin, Colombia, days before the yacht was raided.

The government's star witness, Amel Paredes, testified that the conspirators had plotted the Krill's voyage with Noriega in a series of meetings in Panama City. Noriega addressed the group by speaker phone.

The deal involved trading 1,000 automatic rifles for cocaine, possibly to the M-19 Colombian guerrilla group which controlled the Medellin drug cartel, according to the government.

Noriega supplied the weapons, Saldarriaga was to handle the loading of the cocaine in Colombia, and Davidson was to sell some of the drugs when the Krill reached Miami, authorities said. Noriega was to get a share of the profits, Paredes testified.

When the trial began, the government's key witness was expected to be Ramon Navarro, a confessed drug trafficker who brokered the Krill deal. But he was killed in a car crash the night of opening statements, before he could testify. Navarro's death is still listed as an open homicide case, but police have said there is no evidence of foul play.

The defense attacked Paredes' credibility, noting that he had been convicted of drug dealing and sentenced to up to 10 years for cooperating. Instead of the 95 he was facing under the indictment. Davidson has been free on bond since surrendering shortly after the indictment was handed up in February 1988.

Saldarriaga remains at the Metropolitan Correctional Center in New York, where his charge of cocaine smuggling is pending. All the men face life sentences if convicted.

Four co-defendants have pleaded guilty in the case. Eight defendants are still at large.

$1 million in grants aid research, other programs

Special to the Observer

The University of Notre Dame received $1,184,312 in grants during February for the support of research and various programs. Research funds totaled $1,034,597, including:

• $417,183 from International Business Machines for research by David Cohn, professor of electrical engineering, on the evaluation of the arcade distributed environment for distributed and multiprocessor computing.

• $329,000 from the National Science Foundation for elementary particle physics by William Shropshire and Neal Canon, professors of physics, and others.

• $114,096 from Utah State University for research by John Bumpus, associate faculty fellow in chemistry and biochemistry, on the enzymology of fungal and mammalian peroxidases.

• $59,755 from the Indiana University School of Medicine for research by Robert Kinsley, adjunct assistant professor of biological sciences, on corneal innervation and wound healing.

• $47,613 from the U.S. Air Force for preliminary design research of high flight vehicle structures by Stephen Batiel, associate professor of aerospace and mechanical engineering.

• $35,000 from Upjohn Co. for unrestricted research by Jacob Samuskovitz, Jacob adjunct professor of chemistry and biochemistry, and Thomas Fellner, Grace-Rupley professor of chemistry and biochemistry.

• $5,768 from Oregon State University for subcontracted National Science Foundation research by Gary Lamberti, assistant professor of biological sciences.

• $17,642 from the National Institutes of Health for research by Subhash Chandra Basu, professor of chemistry and biochemistry, on glycolipid metabolism in normal and pathological tissues.

• $6,000 from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration Lewis Research Center for research by William Berry, professor of electrical engineering, on the material development of electrical contacts. Awards for facilities and equipment totaled $14,600 from the National Science Foundation for the acquisition of an electronic particle size analyzer to be used by John Hoffman, assistant professor of earth sciences.

Awards for instructional programs totaled $54,074, including:

• $49,074 from the National Science Foundation for a science and engineering program for talented high school seniors, administered by Mario Borelli, associate professor of mathematics and director of special instructional projects and activities.

• $5,000 from Lilly Endowment Inc. for a summer stipend for Thomas Jamienski, professor of English, for work on a project on comedy, "A Look behind Its Mask."

Awards for service programs totaled $80,661 including:

• $25,135 from the Indiana State Board of Health for the arbovirus surveillance laboratory service provides by Paul Grimm, assistant professor of biological sciences.

• $25,526 from private benefactors for various programs of the Institutes for Pastoral and Social Ministry.

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Arnett returns to U.S. amid accusations; CNN reporter defends work as impartial

WASHINGTON (AP) — Peter Arnett came home to a hero's welcome Tuesday at the National Press Club and defended his reporting from Baghdad as vital to the American public.

"I have no apologies," the Cable News Network correspondent told a crowd of hundreds of journalists. He had been called an Iraqi sympathizer by Sen. Alan Simpson, R-Wyo., and many other Americans also had questioned why he had stayed behind to report from the capital of a nation with whom the United States was at war. Arnett, the only U.S. journalist to report from Iraq for the duration of the war, said he was "amused, frankly" by Simpson's comments. But he added, "I guess we weren't doing." He said the only change he made in his reports was to delete the word "civilian" in reference to the facility and to simply call it a shelter.

Iraqi censorship was a "fairly tough" obstacle, said Arnett. But the American public learned substantial information from his reports, despite the constraints, he said.

Though he wasn't scared for his life, it did give him pause when a U.S. cruise missile blew up an auditorium only 200 yards away. He added that the near-misses seemed to scare the ever-present Iraqi censors. "They didn't have the future of journalistic freedom in their minds," Arnett quipped.

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Language only expresses, not forms, what we think

Stephanie Snyder
Guest Columnist

I am writing in response to Eric Weger’s article (“The Observer, March 6) which explored the emergence and installation of gender-inclusive language. I wish to argue with some of the article’s statements, drawn from certain women faculty members.

According to Eileen Kolman, Dean of the Freshman Year of Studies, “Language not only expresses what we think, but forms what we think.” I strongly disagree with the latter part of this statement (as it is). I contend that language is the vehicle utilized to express ideas—and as we are aware, those ideas are the vehicles utilized to express human emotions. Language defines us and, therefore, calls the same colour in a peacock’s tail gold.”

In any case, contrary to what Kolman suggests, we, a thinking society, have formed logical thinking. Finally, we are merely vehicles utilized to express ideas, not literally defining them. I am, however, of the opinion that words, not only characteristically complex, often vary in meaning, from person to person, and from place to place.

I agree with Kolman, that I strongly disagree with the latter part of this statement (as it is), it contained any validity whatsoever, according to the notion of Kolman I should not be disagreeing. In any case, contrary to what Kolman suggests, we, a thinking society, have formed logical thinking. Finally, we are merely vehicles utilized to express ideas, not literally defining them. I am, however, of the opinion that words, not only characteristically complex, often vary in meaning, from person to person, and from place to place.

In my opinion, Kolman, along with Allen Weaver (professor of theology) and a Sister Kathleen Cannon (head of the Faculty and Student Committee on the Status of Women), have been doing just this. They are actually—and literally—separating the sexes in their noble attempt to “include” women into general language, with such words as “humanity” instead of “mankind.”

Lastly, as I reflect upon my writing thus far, I am amazed that I took the time to comment upon such an issue as gender-inclusive language. In less than two months I will be graduating into the world of “awareness” in which Kolman, Weaver and Cannon already reside.

When I take my final leave of Notre Dame and its “golden” dome, however, I cannot say that I will seriously deliberate over my “sexed” or “respectful and inclusive language” when faced with more imminent problems of homelessness, broken families, AIDS and federal deficits which have been left for my generation to mend.

Sagency is a senior liberal arts major.

Dear Editor:

I am writing in regards to the Women’s History Month multiple choice quiz (The Observer, March 7).

In amongst questions about Maya Angelou, Rosa Parks, Sally Ride, Mother Theresa and Jane Austen, there was another which read: “Margaret Sanger was the advocate of (a) birth control (b) no-fault divorce laws (c) women’s property rights (d) ERA.” The answer is, of course, (a) Margaret Sanger is famous for being the foundress of Planned Parenthood.

Ms. Sanger had been very much on my mind that week, ever since I had stopped to look at the exhibit on Women’s History in the library concourse. The second display has in it an official Women’s History Month poster which spotlights eight influential women, among them Margaret Sanger.

Now I have absolutely no problems with people being asked about women’s history—would that there were much more of that going on—but I do question the celebratory nature of the context of Ms. Sanger’s mention. I think her story could stand some filling out just so we all know who it is we’re honouring. As The Observer, Accent staffers wrote: “You might even be surprised at how much you didn’t know.”

Margaret Sanger did not merely champion the cause of birth control, she linked it to eugenics: “More children from the fit, less from the unfit. that is the chief issue of birth control.” The “unfit,” according to Sanger, included the “feeble-minded, idiots, morons, insane, syphilitic, epileptic, criminal, prostitutes… illiterate, paupers, unemployed, dope fiends.” I urge everyone to take a look sometime at her horrific essay entitled “A Plan For Rhe Cures of America” (Review 16, (4), April 1932: 107-108).

This is by no means an arachnic lesson. History is repeating itself. I should further dispute the notion that the ‘authorless’ essay “Man as Machine” was created by Margaret Sanger.

Dear Editor:

I would like to take this opportunity to express my appreciation for the director, cast, crews and staff who were offended. Doubtlessly, I hope that those who advocate the use of birth control would be leathal to point to her as their champion of old.

Mary Lee Freeman
Walsh hall
March 11, 1991

In order to continue this fine tradition next year, we’re probably going to move to a bigger location, like Stepahan center or G. Laughlin auditorioium, and definitely continue the trend of improving the number and quality of the films presented. Most importantly, however, we’re going to work on the production value of the night itself. This year’s featured a constant barrage of demeaning sexist jokes, and I’d like to apologize to those of us who were offended. Doubtlessly, we could have raised much more money for charity (we had an audience of over 1300 people) if we hadn’t upset so many people.

Despite this, the evening was definitely a huge success and should prove to be even better next year. Once again, I thank you (and St. Hedwig’s thank you) for your support.

Jay Barry
Chairman, Morrissey Film Festival
March 11, 1991

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Thursday, March 20, 1991
**War and violence emerged as Gulf War's only victors**

Wednesday, March 20, 1991

Jack Daly

Guest Columnist

To 90 percent of them would be dependents. Dependent to what? Certainly not a Palestinian homeland, as the efforts to set up a homeland are no closer to becoming reality than ever before.

The Israeli's suffered the Scud attacks on its innocent people. This nation should be condemned for not allowing people to be brought to violence as hundreds of casualties occurred when Saddam vented his frustration on the nation of bystanders. Some would argue that the Israelis are winning this war because the greatest adversary in the region has been eliminated, and the country is receiving over $600 million a month from the United States.

I tend to remember that before August there was great anxiety in the Arab world, from Syria, but I guess he is a good guy now and can be trusted, except for like Saddam or Fidel Castro before August 2. As for the monetary compensation, I do not see how the suffering of those affected by Scud attacks can be paid off by these funds which they will probably never see. The Israeli government has this nasty habit of buying more weapons than is really necessary, and after a war, the spending goes up.

The Saudis incurred damage to cities through looting and Scud attacks, and the nation is now living off a great financial set back for this rich nation, but the young Saudi life can not be replaced or assigned a monitory value. The oil companies, who showed great fear publicly when the invasion occurred, laughed all the way to the bank with our money during the occupation of Kuwait. They are portrayed as being frightened for their existence, so I guess I became a bit skeptical when I read that most oil companies enjoyed the largest quarterly profits in years.

Now that the war is over there are more reserves open, but the over-inflated prices for our oil were willing to pay at the pump during the war, must come down now because there is no excuse to maintain the outrageous fees (in the eyes of the American consumers), so even the oil companies lose.

The environment suffered some of the worst catastrophes war has ever brought her. Not only was she bombe for the oil for which she is being raped, but also Kuwaiti waters have been poisoned by oil. The thick black smoke of burning oil filled the skies, this was an extremely harsh to our good earth. Scud attacks were also war was especially

The United States covered its eyes in red, white and blue flags and yellow ribbon for quite some time, spending almost one billion dollars a day on the war at times. While this occurred, the recession worsened and homeless on the streets. The United States faced during the cold nights of January and February because we spend too much on social welfare and not enough on defense. War is always a great financial set back for the United States.

Now some economists are saying that due to the trends on Wall Street the recession will soon be behind us. Well, I come from the Midwest, the Northeast, and I will wait to see if Wall Street's statements transpose into jobs on Main Street, because oddly enough, the events of the war on Main Street often times do not go hand in hand.

I mentioned the homeless and our government expenditures because it bewilders me how our men and women can leave Capitol Hill for lunch, walk down the Mall, step over some homeless people and still live with themselves as they cut away Social Welfare programs, because we can only blow up the world 50 times over rather than 100 times.

It further amazes me how we rush to the aid of the Kuwaitis when we have homeless and starving persons, as well as many other social problems, in this country. If this wasn't bad enough, American soldiers sent to the Gulf were subject to the laws of the region, without having the choice of whether or not to put their hands on their fellow man.

Peace was one of the reasons that the Arab nations gave of the use of violence. It seems a bit oxymoronic to fight (violently) for peace. I guess it is like copulating for chastity. Peace can never be victorious through violence.

So I am led to the conclusion that the main enemy of the world is the United States. And as long as this world expends power and resources to the cause of making war unnecessary, then the cause of this war will live on. If you love your country, if you want the world to be a better place, then I urge you to keep your eyes open.

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**Notre Dame must eliminate its religious barriers**

Are religious discrimination and cultural diversity compatible?

In recent weeks, I have read numerous articles expressing the dissatisfaction of minority students at Notre Dame with the commitment to cultural diversity. However, I have yet to read an article that focuses on the compatibility of cultural diversity with the religiously-affiliated institutions such as the University of Notre Dame. I sincerely believe this is an issue that our administration and students are/Image 0x0 to 826x1222.3 are most afraid of confronting.

However, with the current swell of minority outcry against the existing cultural situation on campus, I feel it is time that the issue is addressed.

It is an accepted fact that our university's religious origins dictate a single mandate on the basis of religion. On page 3 of the press release, the official Notre Dame policy states that "The University of Notre Dame administration believes (to the extent possible) that the Catholic Church, or even the State of Connecticut, has the right to define the character and nature of the University." This morning's article in the News & World Report highlights the ambiguity of this issue. The Executive Director of the University's Office of Institutional Planning and Development, Dr. William Comstock, states, "There are certain things that are compatible. Notre Dame will not become a hub of cultural diversity and the Catholic image. Where does Notre Dame draw the line?"

This is an artificial solution to the problem. The University, or anyone else, must put aside the argument that it is possible to lead a "true liberal education as befitting the Catholic character." There are a number of reasons why this is not possible.

Firstly, there is the problem of the censored press. As far as the monetary benefits, there is no reason to object to my admissions of the challenge to the Catholic character. For example, will a black Protestant student who is studying at the University claim to give its students a truly liberal education as befitting the "idea (of) the University's commitment to its Catholic character?"

I argue that the University is not a "true liberal education as befitting the Catholic character." There is a definite give and take here. With a large percentage of undergraduate students at 13.1 percent of undergraduate students, from Main Street institutions decided to give up the deeply rooted Catholic background. If Harvard and Yale had clung to their Puritan roots, the certainly would not have achieved the status they hold as great universities. They have chosen educational institutions in the United States.

Imagine the uproar if these institutions decided to give up the deeply rooted Catholic background. The University of Notre Dame has been described as a "great university," and its character tomorrow, and return to their Puritan roots! The point is, it shall never happen because these institutions have realized that it is in the best interests of a university to provide a secularized environment where free thought and pure opinions can be truly explored, exchanged, and challenged.

In conclusion, we see Notre Dame as facing an unavoidable dilemma. As its minority voices grow stronger on this campus, the University will have to choose between cultural diversity and its "Catholic character." For the two cannot be politically and mathematically incompatible. Notre Dame will have to choose between religious and a great university. It is no accident that internationally recognized institutions such as Harvard and Yale are in the position they are today.

These universities are renowned not just for their achievements in research, but for the diversity of education made available by students and faculty from all national and ethnic origin. If Harvard and Yale had clung to their Puritan roots, they certainly would not have achieved the status they hold as great universities. They have chosen educational institutions in the United States.

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Demme attempts a thriller in 'Silence of the Lambs'

By JASON WINSLADE
Accent Writer

The premise of Jonathan Demme's latest film is quite simple; it takes one cold-blooded psychotic to catch another one.

However, the evolution of the narrative is not as easy to follow, partly due to the breakneck pace established from the first shot and continued until the end. Jodie Foster is the FBI agent-in-training assigned to interview psychiatrist/psychotic cannibal Anthony Hopkins, in one of his most disturbing roles yet.

Eventually Foster learns that she has been given this particular assignment in order to gather information about the latest serial killer crazy, known as Buffalo Bill, who kills his victims and then skins them.

The film is always interesting, tense, and suspenseful, through the use of tightly shot dialogue sequences, fast-paced editing, and frequent use of unnerving tight close-ups. All the performances are first-rate, particularly Hopkins', whose smile would make anyone shiver, and the two lead characters are three-dimensional.

However, the film is plagued with many problems. Demme, director of features such as "Stop Making Sense" and "Something Wild," sets up a seemingly disconnected system of symbols that leaves one wondering what point he is trying to make.

From the nature of the murders and frequent scenes depicting the results of mutilation, Hopkins' cannibalism, the death's head moth which is the killer's calling card, to themes of transsexuality, presented in a bizarre scene that is best described as early John Waters meets David Lynch, Demme's symbolism is confusing, and at times, overwhelming.

Another problem is in the presentation of the psychology of Jodie Foster's character. A few dreamy flashback sequences, the telling of her past in exchange for information from Hopkins, including a story which gives the film its title, are all presented to round out Foster's character. But again, it is unclear what connection, if any, these past references have to the narrative at hand.

Foster is frequently shown as the recipient of teering glances from both criminals and colleagues, and is frequently put in the position of defending her authority in situations where she is the odd woman out.

Perhaps Demme would like to show the audience the pressures and frustrations of a woman recruit in a predominantly male institution. Or perhaps Demme would like his film to present a woman's point of view in a mostly anti-female world of crime and law enforcement.

Despite these problems, "The Silence of the Lambs" is an enjoyable thriller that frequently repulse, and at the same time, plays with the audience's morbid curiosity about mutilation and murder. Tension is high throughout the film, and thrill seekers will not go away untailed.

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Magic of 'Starlight Express' rolls through town

By JENNIFER GUERIN
Accent Writer

On March 22, 23 and 24, South Bend will be given the opportunity to experience one of the most spectacular musical productions in history. The Broadway Theatre League's "Starlight Express" will stop at the Joyce Athletic Convocation Center in the sixteenth month of a two-year North American tour to dazzle and delight its audience.

A work of complex technical and musical craftsmanship, the show was acclaimed by Time Magazine as "one of the most astonishing spectacles in the annals of the stage." Inspired by composer Andrew Lloyd Webber's lifetime fascination with trains, "Starlight Express" brings Broadway to life by putting Broadway on the move—literally. Not only does the musical travel from city to city, it also travels on trailer wheels: the show itself is performed on roller skates.

Despite its intricate staging, modern setting and futuristic array of costumes and characters, "Starlight Express" poignantly conveys a timeless story. The characters are engaged in a struggle to determine the greatest locomotive of them all.

Trevor Nunn, the original director of the show, calls the story an expression of "the oldest fight in the world—Good versus Evil—in which a little fellow is bullied by two bigger fellows." Eventually, faith pulls the protagonist through and proves himself bigger than his enemies.

With Webber's score and Arlene Phillips' choreography, a talented 37-member cast (including some of the original Broadway company) is transformed into an array of locomotive and railroad cars. However, the "Cinderella story" gives a potentially bizarre plot a sensitive appeal which attracts viewers of all ages. "This is a musical with heart that is stylistically very modern."

Weighing approximately 50 tons, the show's set is the biggest in theater history. It requires an unprecedented ten tractor trailers to move from city to city. "It is amazing that 'Starlight Express' can be built to tour. The new technology makes it possible. It is one thing to build a set in a theatre and play for a few years, but it is another matter entirely to play week-long engagements constantly assembling and dismantling the set. "Starlight Express" is an enormous two-hour long special effect that audiences are going to love."

Tony and Grammy Award-winning composer Andrew Lloyd Webber deserves credit for the scores to such hits as "Jesus Christ Superstar," "Evita," " Cats" and "Phantom of the Opera." The results of his musical imagination culminate in "Starlight Express," which has captivated four million theater-goers from New York to Japan to Australia.

Phillips' choreography has appeared in movies like "Annie" and "Monty Python's The Meaning of Life," and in the music videos of stars like Donna Summer, George Michael, Aretha Franklin, Kiss and Whitney Houston.

Phillips describes the show as "a typical family Broadway musical, except for the fact it's on skates." Such a conclusion is doubtful, however. "Starlight Express" shows signs of being anything but typical. With an imaginative cast and superior direction from Webber, Phillips and Technical Supervisor Jeremiah Harris, this skating delight is sure to bring excitement, class and a refreshing twist to the musical theater with which most of society is familiar.

All aboard! Don't miss out on the ride of a lifetime with "Starlight Express."
Charlotte, N.C. (AP) — Patrick Ewing came early, fouled and scored 25 of his 41 points in the second half as New York Knicks won for the 10th time in 12 games, withstanding a late surge by Orlando for 97-97 Tuesday night.

Ewing, who had three fouls in the first half, totally dominated the inside second half. He scored 12 points in the third quarter and 13 in the fourth.

The Hawks used a 7-0 run in the final 1:49 of the first period to take a lead they never lost.

Rockets 99, Timberwolves 85

The Houston Rockets, getting 25 points and eight blocks from Hakeem Olajuwon, tied a franchise record with their ninth consecutive victory.

The Rockets matched the record of the 1976-77 team, which went 9-0 to begin March of that season. Olajuwon scored Houston's first seven points — he had 13 in the first period — and Rockets never trailed.

The Timberwolves stayed in the game on the strength of 19 first-half points by Tony Campbell, who finished with 32, three of his season high. Sam Mitchell added 26 points and 13 rebounds for Minnesota. Ollie and 11 of 15 shots and had 14 rebounds.

Rockets added 20 points for Houston.

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Says Razor 'hurt and helpless'

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Boxing has another controversy to go with the "Long-Count" fight between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney in the 1920s and the "No Mas" match of the 1980s between Roberto Duran and Sugar Ray Leonard.

Call this one the "No Count" or the "What Fought?"

In the seventh round Monday night, Mike Tyson hit Donovan "Razor" Ruddock with six punches to the head that sent Ruddock reeling backward.

Ruddock didn't go down, but just before he reached the ropes, referee Richard Steele, his back to Ruddock, signaled the fight was over at 2:22 of the round.

"I said, 'What?' and then the ring was full and I realized there was nothing I could do then," Ruddock said.

Tyson had his 40th victory in 41 fights and was a big step closer to a shot at regaining his world heavyweight title.

Ruddock had his second defeat in 28 bouts and strong hints of a rematch.

The man in the middle — and in the spotlight — was Steele, who was escorted from the ring by security guards and later said he wasn't even sure how long the fight was scheduled for.

Steele had been criticized by Ruddock's camp before the fight for working too many recent bouts. He said in an interview with radio station WNIN in New York that he thought Monday's fight was scheduled for 10 rounds. It was set as a 12-rounder.

As bedlam broke out following his decision, Steele saw Deroy Ruddock, Razor's brother and manager, headed toward him, his eyes blazing with anger.

"I put a headlock on him and told him to calm down," Steele recalled Tuesday at a news conference.

Then other people were on Steele.

"I had a hand around my throat, then I was on the floor," Steele said. "I was kicked in the chest and leg.

"I did an honest job to the best of my ability. At the time I stopped the fight, Razor Ruddock was hurt and helpless against the ropes.

"What makes me happy is that the young man standing over there is OK," Steele said, pointing to Ruddock.

Ruddock still was not happy.

"He turned his back on me when he signaled the fight was over," Ruddock said. "When did you ever see a referee turn his back on a fighter when he was hurt?"

"When you go into the ring, you know you're going to get hit. Wasn't he (Tyson) in trouble? Wasn't he wobbling in the sixth round?"

Tyson was dazed late in that round from several left hooks and right hands. It appeared the tide might be turning.

Until that point, Tyson was controlling the action. He knocked Ruddock down in the second and third rounds.

 Videotape showed that the second-round knockdown was not legitimate. Ruddock was hit on the shoulder as he was turning and fell.

There was no question about the third-round knockdown, the result of a left hook and a short right to the head. Ruddock got up at seven and the bell rang a few seconds later.

Tyson, who skipped the Tuesday news conference, said after the fight that he felt a rematch was in order. But Ruddock wondered if Tyson would want to fight him again.

Because of the controversy and power punching of each man, the rematch has to be attractive to promoter Don King, who is seeking financial backers for King Vision's pay-per-view television company, which made its debut with Monday night's card.

King said Tuesday, however, that Tyson's next fight would be June 8 against Renaldo Snipes, not nearly as attractive as a Tyson-Ruddock rematch.

Tyson's victory put him in position to challenge the winner of Evans-Holfield's June 31 WBO/WBA bantamweight title fight.

Tyson insists he would fight Foreman but not Holyfield because Holyfield bypassed him for his first defense.

Holyfield is promoted by Dan Davis, who has ties to TVKO, the Time-Warner Communications pay-per-view boxing operation.

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hook and crook," it said.

The commission found that academic and financial problems "are so deep-rooted and long-standing they must be understood to be systemic. They can no longer be swept under the rug or kept under control by tinkering around the edges. Because these problems are so widespread, nothing short of a new structure holds much promise for restoring intercollegiate athletics to their proper place in the university."

A university president, it said, "cannot be a figurehead whose leadership applies elsewhere in the university but not in the athletics department. The Knight Foundation, which put up some $2 million for the commission and the study, is one of the nation's largest foundations. It is wholly separate independent of Knight-Ridder, Inc., but supports worthy causes and organizations in communities where Knight-Ridder has newspapers. The foundation also makes selected national grants in journalism, higher education and the field of arts and culture.

We think we can hope for a new day when we can say that young people are not being shortchanged by being introduced into a system that they perceive, from their own skin, as namby-pamby, namby-pamby, higher education," Hesburgh said.
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...this contest, as the sophomore pitched a 1-3 innings of perfect baseball. Leahy's effort was named only in the seventh inning, as he allowed three runs. His six innings of perfection, however, were enough to earn him the win, raising his season record to 2-0. Tony Livorsi took over for Leahy in the eighth to earn the save with 1 1/3 innings of hitless pitching.

After the four-game Southern swing, the Irish traveled north—toward Seattle's Kingdome—for the College Baseball Classic. The Irish opened the tournament Friday with a 9-6 victory over Air Force behind strong offensive performances from Greg Layson, Adam Maisano, and Matt Hass. Alan Walanski earned the win for the Irish, giving up seven hits in 6 2/3 innings.

Later that day, Notre Dame's Chris Michalak pitched a one-hit shutout to lead the Irish over Northwestern, 7-0. Michalak retired the first 17 Wildcat batters as the Irish jumped out to a 5-0 lead through six innings. Michalak was backed up by the active bats of his fellow Irish, as Frank Jacobs blasted a solo home run, his fourth of the season, Maisano went 2-4, and Craig Counsell added three hits to lead the Irish.

Notre Dame faced Washington in the semifinal game. Irish coach Pat Murphy earned his 200th career win with the team's 9-7 defeat of the Huskies.

Notre Dame was down, 5-0, when the team erupted in the fifth and sixth innings for eight runs. After a four-run fifth, Maisano's three-run homer in the sixth put the Irish up 9-5, and Layson's solo shot in the eighth sealed the game for the Irish, who fought off a two-run seventh-inning push by the Huskies. Livorsi got the win, evening his season record at 1-1, while Washington's Todd Carson, who was hitless for five runs in 1 1/3 innings, was the loser.

Notre Dame, behind Leahy, faced Washington again in the final, and escaped with a 4-2 victory to take the College Baseball Classic crown.

Leahy was again command- ing, holding the Huskies scoreless until the eighth inning. Allowing only four hits through seven innings, the right-hander raised his season record to 3-0. Four Irish players were named to the all-tournament team. Pitcher Michalak, first baseman Jacobs, second base- man Layson, and designated hitter Maisano were all part of the 10-player squad.

Notre Dame next faces Virginia in a three-game series beginning Friday in Charlottesville, Va. The first home game of the 1991 season will take place April 10 at Coveleski Stadium when the Irish take on the Purdue Boilermakers.

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Teams gambling on Bo despite injury

(AP) - Imagine Bo Jackson for $1. Not the baseball card. The real thing.

At that price, is he a bargain or a bust? A day after the Kansas City Royals suddenly released him because of a bad hip, teams scrambled to see if he's worth the gamble.

The New York Yankees, in love with Jackson for nearly a decade, got the first shot Tuesday when he went on the waiver wire at 2 p.m. EST.

"We're looking into it, trying to get the facts on it," Yankees executive vice president Leonard Kleinman said Tuesday. "When we get them, we'll look into it."

But, it may not matter. Jackson can turn down any team that claims him and instead become a free agent. If that happens, look for the Los Angeles Dodgers to be right there waiting to sign him.

Jackson said the Dodgers and Yankees would be among the teams he'd like to play for. But, for a lot of reasons, Los Angeles likely would be his No. 1 choice, with everyone else a distant second.

"Bo is extremely talented," Dodgers general manager Fred Claire said. "We would have interest, like we would in any player that was available."

The Dodgers spent millions in the off-season for free-agent outfielders Darryl Strawberry and Brett Butler. They also have Kal Daniels in the outfield, but the prospect of adding the two-sport star would be a natural for the team, the city, the player and his family.

Jackson's agent, Richard Woods, said some teams called Tuesday to ask about Jackson, whose hip injury in an NFL playoff game threw his future into doubt. Woods did not identify which teams called, but said the Yankees were not among them.

"I expect he will be claimed by someone, but I wouldn't be surprised if he isn't," Woods said. "A team will have to make a $2.375 million gamble that they're right. But we think it's worth it."

Jackson, meanwhile, will wait and see.

"Whoever decides to pick me up, if I am picked up, I will play for," Jackson said. "If not, I'll try out for somebody and I'll make the team."

No one, though, really knows Bo. Even if he is claimed, he and Woods are the ones that hold the bargaining position, not the team.

Jackson, 28, hit a career high .272 and led the Royals in bases in four full years, and center field at Yankee Stadium. He hit 27 home runs and stole 81 bases in four full years, and was MVP of the 1989 All-Star game.

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He was 5 feet 10 inches and 190 pounds; he was not a physical specimen. But he was a force to be reckoned with, a player who could run with the best of them and could throw with the best of them.

His strength was his arm. He had a strong arm, and he could throw the ball with accuracy and velocity. He was a great pitcher, and he was a great hitter.

We were fortunate to have him on our team.

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change," said coach Pat Murphy.

Tookie Johnson of the Tigers broke up the perfect game in the seventh with a single to left. The Tigers ended up scoring three runs in the inning before Leahy got two ground outs to end it.

"I was expecting it, I just didn't know when it was coming," said Leahy referring to Johnson's hit. "I haven't thrown a no-hitter since Little-League, let alone a perfect game."

Leahy's next performance was just as masterful, in front of a hometown crowd in Seattle. Leahy, from Yakima, Washington, pitched seven scoreless innings, leading the Irish to the College Baseball Classic Championship.

"He's learned to become a pitcher, not just a thrower," explained Murphy. "He's had a lot of pressure on him, and he's learning to settle into his own expectations, not everyone else's."

Leahy will get another shot this weekend, as the 11th-ranked Irish meet Virginia for a three-game series. The expectations are high for the Irish, especially after their near miss last season.
Women's golf team goes south, takes fifth at tourney

By RICHARD MATHEW
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women's golf team left free-flying South Bend and flew to Tampa, Fla. to compete in the Snowbird Invitational hosted by Florida Southern College. The Irish finished in 13th place with a two-round score of 669.

"Overall I was quite pleased. I expected the team to do well together and they did. The conditions were such that we had the good fortune to play on some courses in quite good condition. Which is all we can ask to get us on Tampa, Palms, which is a beautiful, Senior PGA tour event," said Irish coach Tom Hanlon.

The tournament was won by Iowa State, which finished with a total of 648. Northern Illinois and Kansas State were one and three shots back respectively. The Irish have the disad­vantage because both Iowa State and Northern Illinois have never played in a tournament in Orlando earlier in the month.

Sophomore Kathy Phares posted the best score for the Irish shooting rounds of 85 and 80. Those two scores were good enough to place her 31st overall in the individual competition.

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Jim Daves, associate sports information director at Notre Dame, said the rumors were off-base.

"To the best of my knowledge, we haven't contacted anybody. Digger Phelps is our head coach," Daves said. "We have no plans for a press conference for anything."

Men's golf has rocky start

Last place finish not unexpected

By RICHARD MATHEW
Sports Writer

Usually when a team finishes last both the players and the coach are very disappointed. This was not the case in the 11th Annual Budget-UFC Golf Classic in Orlando, Fla., where they finished last, but then had a team total of a 518 in a field finished in 18 teams.

As Irish coach George Thomas put it, "All our girls are petting against all sun-belt schools. I figured we'd finish last and we did." The tournament was won by pottery and the Irish finished in a field with a total score of 880. The team continued its strong season through Monday respectively.

While the Irish get a breather and parting gifts.

"Some of these teams hit the ball like a Texas or a San Diego State," said Louderback. "All of them are solid, and the matches should be good, but I think we should come out on top. Tracy is back and she's playing much better. You can see that Christy coming through. It's hard to lose with her all the time, and Melissa is just playing well. We're healthier now."

"I definitely think it was a successful year. We have more depth and talent," said Brennan.

"At one time, Notre Dame was one of several dream jobs to me. But I've got a great situation now." Gillen said he knows nothing about rumors that Phelps will either move up to assistant director at Notre Dame or athletic director at Florida State. Phelps has said he will not resign, and Gillen said Notre Dame would have little basis for firing Phelps, even with a 12-20 record this season. "I'd be pretty tough to fire a guy with the success Digger has had," Gillen said. "I hope it doesn't happen."

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Digger denies Globe report

By BECKY WOOD
Sports Writer

Notre Dame divers Sean Hyer and Jenny Kipp competed in the NCAA Zone meet at Ohio State University March 15-16.

Diving powerhouses Ohio State, Minnesota and Michigan led a highly competitive field in which divers vied for the top spots in both 1-meter and 3-meter diving events. Only the three highest point winners advanced to the NCAA championships.

"It's one of the hardest dances in the country, especially with the Big Ten schools," said Irish diving coach Tracy Brennan.

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"That's why I go to it," said Hanlon. "I wasn't expecting anyone to win; I would take it, which is not a fait accompli."

Gillen was an assistant coach to Phelps at Notre Dame five years before getting the Xavier job in 1985. Since then, he has taken the Musketeers to the NCAA tournament six consecutive years.

Each spring, Gillen's name is linked to a head coaching job at some big-time program. Each spring, Gillen says he's content to stay at the 6,500 student Jesuit school, where he is under contract through the 1994-95 season.

"It would be tough for me to leave here," Gillen said. "I don't know if I would leave here. I'd have to look at it, talk to my family. "Notre Dame is a special place, but so is Xavier. It just doesn't get the fanfare."

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tively. Harris again played singles against Louisiana and Texas and finished 1-0. Faustmann, Tholen, and Terri Vitale also posted straight-set wins for the Irish as singles. Barton-Faustmann, Barton-Tholen, and Eniko Bende-Kristy Doren doubles victories also.

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Harris, who did not lose a match over break, beat Carla Costa, the 23rd-ranked player in the country, by a 7-5, 6-4 score at second singles. Harris remained at 44th in the latest singles poll. Tholen defeated Joanna Plautz 6-4, 6-1 at the number-four singles slot.

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Loudback expects the team to drop in the next rankings. "We're still in the top 25 of the time they do not lose this weekend. The Irish will have another long weekend, hosting Ohio State, Michigan, Ohio State, and
**CROSSWORD**

**ACROSS**
1. Amino and (6)
2. Eager (8)
3. Emulate (6)
4. Donated (4)
5. Abode (21)
6. Baby's need (6)
7. Chest feature (23)
8. Slotroom "window" (12)

**DOWN**
1. Fabulist (5, 5)
2. Statement of belief (8)
3. "... bombs bursting in air!" (4)
4. PBS "Mystery" author (7)
5. Draft org. (7)
6. Handsome man (7)
7. Price of "Mystery" (7)
8. Bus. abbr. (3)
9. "Mr. "Goes to Town" (5)
10. Blemish (9)
11. Not taped (8)
12. Belgian river (8)
13. "Mystery" (4)
14. Author (7)
15. Scorching (8)
16. Legal thing (6)
17. Cel (6)
18. "44 Mystery" author (7)

**SPELUNKER**

"Ya know, its moments like this that make me acutely aware of my own mortality.

**JAY HOSLER**

Good manners, mom.

**CALVIN AND HOBBIES**

Aren't you used to POKING UP AND DROPPING IT?

**BILL WATSON**

I like to get up early and I don't rush.

AND WITH THE EXTRA TIME, I CAN REWRITE MY ASSIGNMENTS AND BE BETTER PREPARED FOR CLASS.

I'm bracing myself for when the other shoe drops.

DON'T GET UP TIL I FINISH MY BOOKS.

Do we have any prunes?

**MENU**

Notre Dame
Barbeque Ribs
London Broil
Noodles Romanoff

Saint Mary's
Turkey Cutlet
Bread/Vegetable Stir Fry
Cheese Ravioli
Deli Bar

**LECTURES**


4:15 p.m. Lecture, "The Archaeology of Gender," Margaret Conkey, archaeologist, University of California-Berkeley. Room 131, Declo Faculty Hall. Sponsored by gender studies program.


7:30 p.m. Anthropology Lecture Series, "Gender in the Archaeological Past," Margaret Conkey, archaeologist, University of California-Berkeley. Auditorium, Galvin Life Science Museum. Sponsored by anthropology department, gender studies program, Year of Women Committee and Office of the Provost.


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Irish fencers return to familiar site of NCAA finals

By RICH KURZ
Associate Sports Editor

The moment is here. Even since last year's NCAA champi-
onships, when they came up with just a few touches short of winning the title, the Irish fenc-
ing team has been looking forward to another shot at the crown.

Starting today at State College, Penn., Notre Dame will get that chance. The buildup has included eight months of practice, including one special week of practice over spring break. The top members of the squad remained at school for the two-a-day practices.

"What impressed me most was that last week of practice," said Irish coach Mike DeGrosso. "All the things we did together just a few touches short of ing team has been looking for since last year's NCAA champion. Two-a-day practices was that last week of practice," said Associate coach Yves Auriol, adding, "Columbia and Yale look like they will be good competition." The meet begins today with the first day of fencing for both the men's and women's full squads. Senior captain Phil Leary is going after his final shot at a NCAA title, and he is hoping to improve on his 16th-place finish at the NCAA's last season. Sophomore Noel Young finished third in the nation last year and will attempt to repeat that All-American performance. The third member of the men's foil squad is Jeff Pripper, who finished 16th at last year's championships.

Jubba Bashin

21st-ranked women's tennis goes on road

By RICH SZABO
Sports Writer

A little bit of all this makes me believe that many institutions would love to put the "banking" of the NCAA's, garnering All-America honors. He and brothers Chris and Ed Barger will also be representing Notre Dame in sabre.

Epee was the strongest weapon for the Irish last year at the NCAA meet, with their Jubba Bashin capturing first place and the Irish's Calender finishing third. Both will be looking for similar performances this year, and freshman Greg Wozniak and

Irish baseball beats 3rd-ranked LSU; improves to 12-5

Leahy gets MCC honor

By ANTHONY KING
Sports Writer

"It's just another meet," said Nosowiski. "If I do that every day, I'll get want to fence relaxed, and fence my best." Sophomore James Taliferro ended his freshman fencing career by taking third place at the NCAA's, garnering All-American honors. He and brothers Chris and Ed Barger will also be representing Notre Dame in sabre.

Freshman Christy Faustmann captured the first-door match and the wind was up. I guess we were a little shaky. I lost a really close match. A few points here and there and it could have changed."

The Irish got back on track with a 7-2 win against Yale, with both Barton and Kim Pacella dropping matches at first and sixth singles, respectively.