ND graduates 2,300 students

By PAUL PEARSON
Associate News Editor

More than 2,300 Notre Dame students will receive degrees at the University's Sesquicentennial commencement ceremonies at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Joyce Athletic and Convocation Center (JACC).

President George Bush will address the graduates at the University's 147th Commencement. Bush and eight others, including Chinese President Patricio Aylwin, will receive honorary degrees from the University.

Due to an increased amount of media expected for Bush's address, the doors of the JACC will open at noon Sunday, one half-hour earlier than usual, and all those attending the ceremony will be required to go through a metal detector, according to Dennis Moore, director of Public Relations and Information.

University officials urge those attending the ceremony to arrive early, since the increased security means that entering the JACC "will take a little longer than usual," Moore said. Graduates and faculty should enter the JACC through Gate 3, while family and guests should enter through Gate 10.

Degrees will be conferred to 1,816 undergraduate and 485 master's degree students in the College of Business; 217 master's degree students in the Graduate School; and 982 doctoral graduates.

Lacy worked as a staff attorney with the Texas Legislative Council from 1969 to 1972. Lacy's 12-year term with the Supreme Court began February 1, 1989.

Saint Mary's will also award an honorary degree to University President Father Edward Malloy of Notre Dame, in recognition of his personal accomplishments and in commemoration of the University's 150th anniversary. The College will present its President's Medal for community service and contributions to the life of the College to Maureen Welch of Mechanicville, Pa.

Other events on the commencement weekend schedule include the annual pinning ceremony for nursing graduates, marking their entry into the nursing profession today at 1 p.m. in the LeMans Chapel.

The baccalaureate mass will also be celebrated today at 4 p.m. in Angela Athletic Facility. Bishop John D'Arcy of the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend will preside at the mass, and Malloy will give the homily.

In the event of inclement weather, the commencement ceremony will be held in Angela Athletic Facility.

Moynihan's award sparks opposition

By DAVID KINNEY
News Editor

Several American bishops have expressed opposition to the University's choice of U.S. Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D-N.Y.) as recipient of the 1992 Lanctot Medal because of the senator's pro-choice voting record on the issue of abortion.

Among the opponents of the decision are John Cardinal O'Connor of the Archdiocese of New York, Bishop John D'Arcy of the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend and 14 bishops in Pennsylvania.

Joseph Zwilling, a spokesman for O'Connor, confirmed that the cardinal had written University President Father Edward Malloy to express his disapproval of the choice of Moynihan for the medal, which is the oldest and most prestigious honor given to Catholics in the United States.

He said O'Connor's letter was considered personal correspondence and would not discuss its contents "as a matter of policy."

The Catholic bishops of Pennsylvania released a letter sent to Malloy yesterday expressing their disagreement, and D'Arcy issued a public statement expressing his opposition to the decision in the May 17 edition of Today's Catholic.

"While we recognize Senator Moynihan's positive contributions in certain public policy areas, we cannot overlook his consistently pro-abortion voting record," the Pennsylvania bishops' letter read.

"We believe that his voting record is directly contradictory to the ideals of the church and the consistent teachings of the Church on the sanctity of all human life," they said.

D'Arcy said he would not attend the commencement exercises because Moynihan's "stated position on the question of human life in the womb is totally unacceptable to me."

D'Arcy, who has attended Notre Dame's commencement exercises every year since his appointment as bishop, said his "presence could be interpreted as an approval of (Moynihan's) position relative to the issue of pre-born life."

He is still scheduled to preside at tomorrow's Baccalaureate Mass.

Although the New York Times News Service reported May 8 that Bernard Cardinal Law of Boston sent a letter of opposition to Malloy, John Walsh, a spokesman for Law, said the cardinal has made no public statement about Moynihan's selection and that he considers all correspondence private.

The Times reported that an individual who had seen a copy of the letter said it referred to "the strength and consistency" of the senator's record of defending a woman's right to an abortion and to a National Conference of Catholic Bishops resolution declaring that "no
It seems strange that Sunday I will go through a similar ceremony and receive the same diploma that my father did over 25 years ago. Going through graduation on this weekend will be another moment in my life that I have been fortunate enough to share with my father.

Shortly after I arrived at Notre Dame, I received a letter from my dad and he told me how proud he was that I was here. He told me he missed me, but was happy that we would always share a love for this place.

As the story goes, after the "mixer" my father and I went in a convertible and "broke parietals" with a co-ed group, and dad went by train and common, it's still hard for me to imagine my father's room here is about the times when the bus used to bring women in from various colleges in the area.

I wonder what my dad was like when he was my age. And sometimes wonder: "Was my dad's room here?" And I wonder what my dad was like when he was my age.

When I would visit with Notre Dame with my father at a party, I sometimes wonder: "Was my dad like this?" Usually I shake my head and pray he was.

Sometimes I'm in Farley, Morrissey or Panhellenic and think about my dad lived—often thought to myself: "What was my dad's room like here?" And how did he survive with lights out at 10 p.m.?

My favorite story my dad tells about his years here is about the times when the University housed women in various colleges in the area. As the story goes, after the "mixer" my father and his pals followed the young ladies to the bus and proceeded to shake the bus. I guess the thought of making it through the cold winter without companionship was a bit too much for these guys to handle. Well, I can't recall seeing such a scene in my four years here, I have witnessed some bizarre mating rituals in my day.

My dad has told our family over and over again about his times hanging out at Rocco's. He laughed when he found out that me and my friends go to Rocco's for the same reason he did in 1969:

- "to make up the lost time through the cold winters without companionship was a bit too much for these guys to handle."
- "I also love hearing about the road trips my dad would take with his friends too. He's told me about the time he travelled to Michigan State. Once again, his mission—to meet women. Well, twenty-five years later, I'm driven to Michigan State. I went in a convertible and "broke parietals" with a co-ed group, and dad went by train and probably attended another mixer."

Even though we have many experiences in common, it's still hard for me to imagine my dad as a twenty-year-old. Thinking of him in situations that I'm in now helps me to realize that he's not just my father, but a person—a person with whom I have a lot in common.

I'm very thankful that my father is in the family, someone with whom I can talk football and show off the latest merchandise from the bookstore. I especially cherish the past four years with my dad, and I look forward to a football game with a very special fellow alum.

Sharing ND with my father and friend
Valedictorian McGrath leaves ND with perfect 4.0

By SANDY WIEGAND
Assistant News Editor

1992 Valedictorian Sarah McGrath will leave the University of Notre Dame with an unblemished 4.0 cumulative grade point average.

McGrath, an English and philosophy major from Pittsburg, Kansas, where she finished at the head of her high school class, said she never worked specifically toward being Notre Dame's valedictorian.

"I never really aimed that high or thought in those terms," she said. "But it's actually been real enjoyable."

McGrath said she plans to "address concerns that deal with both Notre Dame and the nation" in her commencement speech Sunday. Her activities during her years at Notre Dame, as a volunteer for the World Hunger Coalition and Sex Offense Services, seem to reflect this multi-level interest.

"I really enjoyed," she said.

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Sarah McGrath
The valedictorian said she is seeking employment in social work for the summer, but plans to enter graduate school in a year to pursue a doctorate in English. She hopes to become a university English professor.

McGrath will marry Tim Bauman, a second-year Notre Dame law school student, this summer, she said.

The other highest ranking graduates are, in the College of Arts and Letters; Joseph Suphy, an English and philosophy major, and Margaret Rose Boyce, an English and French major.

In the College of Business Administration, highest rankings were earned by Thomas Hester, an accounting major; Frank Agostino, an accounting major; and Ronald Severino, a preprofessional studies and Italian major.

Women's Alliance as part of the first women's studies internship at Saint Mary's.

Lynch also served as a co-chair of the Saint Mary's Campus Alliance for Rape Elimination (C.A.R.E.).

Working closely with professors was very important to Lynch during her Saint Mary's career. She helped Professor Ted Billy and Professor Laura Tomasula, a chemical engineering major; and David Bixby, an accounting major.

"The whole collection of faculty have been absolutely monumental," in terms of supporting her endeavors, Lynch said. She refers to Vacca as her mentor. "She has been one of the most significant influences on my life, intellectually as well as otherwise," Lynch says of Vacca. "She's a very close friend."

In her valedictory speech, Lynch plans to address women's education.

After graduation, Lynch will move to Los Angeles, where she plans to work.

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CSC to recognize seniors in volunteer send-off

By SANDY WIEGAND
Assistant News Editor

The Observer Friday, May 15, 1992

Notre Dame and Saint Mary's seniors who plan to pursue post-graduate service will be recognized by the Center for Social Concerns (CSC) tomorrow at the third annual Senior Volunteer Recognition Ceremony.

Volunteers and their parents, friends and rectors are invited to the ceremony, which begins at 19:30 a.m. in Washington Hall, according to Mary Ann Roemer, coordinator of senior and alumni programs at the CSC. A reception at Theodore's will follow the send-off.

University President Father Edward Malloy will speak briefly of the value of service, Roemer said, and M.J. Murray Varchon, a 1982 Saint Mary's graduate, will tell of her experiences as a volunteer with the Holy Cross Associates Program.

Father Don McNeil, CSC director, will offer a blessing. A 10-minute slide show focusing on volunteer activities at Notre Dame will be shown, Roemer said, since student involvement in projects like the Urban Plunge and Christmas in April often sparks interest in "more intense" service.

Urban Plunge exposes volunteers to city life, and Christmas in April involves repairing houses for needy owners.

The send-off, Roemer said, is "nice for parents, who sometimes think their kids are the only ones who do this kind of thing."

About 115 seniors have registered for the send-off, Roemer said, and walk-ins are welcome. About 150 seniors per year opt for post-graduate service, she said.

The Holy Cross Associates Program is consistently popular with Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students, and has attracted almost 40 seniors this year, Roemer said. The Peace Corps, Jesuit Volunteer Corps and Teach for America programs are also popular.

Some students choose post-graduate service because they are considering attending graduate school to pursue service as a career, Roemer said, but want to have real experience before they commit. This year, a poor job market is an additional incentive for service, Roemer commented.

Senior Daniel Lahee will teach English in Africa next year, he said, explaining that after his years at Notre Dame, paid for by his parents, "I felt I'd like to give something back for once, and kind of stand on my own for once."

Jody Bellis, an art major, said there is a "good chance" that she will pursue a career in service. For the next two years, Bellis will teach four or five subjects in Samoa, probably at the secondary level. "I have always wanted to do volunteer work after I graduated," Bellis said. "I wanted to go somewhere very different from where I'm from. Samoa just kind of fell into my lap."

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Bishops to meet at ND amid rumors of boycotts

By DAVID KINNEY
News Editor

American Catholic bishops will hold their semi-annual meeting this June at Notre Dame amid the possibility that some bishops might not attend the meeting in opposition of the University's decision to award U.S. Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan the 1992 Laetare Medal.

The bishops were invited to hold the meeting at Notre Dame in recognition of the University's sesquicentennial celebration, according to Bill Ryan of the office for media relations of the Catholic Bishop's Conference.

At the meeting, to be held June 18-21, about 250 of the nation's 300 bishops will consider a pastoral letter titled "Called in Recognition of the Office for Media Relations of the University's Sesquicentennial Celebration," according to Ryan. The bishops will also discuss a plan to gather at Notre Dame in June, said that although O'Connor is opposed to Moynihan's selection, "the meeting is still on the cardinal's schedule.

"The Archdiocese of New York is not involved in any boycott," he added.

John Walsh, a spokesman for Bernard Cardinal Law of Boston, also said that he had heard of no plans of a boycott of the meeting.

But a letter sent to University President Edward Malloy by the Catholic bishops of Pennsylvania left open the possibility that the decision to honor Moynihan could force them to boycott the meeting.

"We wish to clarify that should we decide to attend the long-planned meeting of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, our presence should in no way be interpreted as an approval of this ill-considered award," the letter read.

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Bishops issue letter of opposition

Editor's note: The following is the text of a letter sent to University President Father Edward Malloy by the Catholic Bishops of Pennsylvania and released to the public yesterday.

We the Catholic Bishops of Pennsylvania, meeting on May 13, 1992, wish to express our deep distress with the University of Notre Dame's decision to award the Laetare Medal to Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan. We are profoundly troubled because this medal is intended for a Catholic whose genius has ennobled the arts and sciences, illustrated the ideals of the church and enriched the heritage of humanity.

While we recognize Senator Moynihan's positive contributions in certain public policy areas, we cannot overlook his consistently pro-abortion voting record. We believe that this voting record is directly contradictory to the ideals of the church and the consistent teachings of the Church on the sanctity of all human life.

As Catholic bishops, together with the Holy Father, we have consistently taught that it is not possible to be personally opposed to abortion but in favor of public policies that permit abortion. In 1989, the Bishops of the United States clearly articulated this position in our Resolution on Abortion when we said "No Catholic can responsibly take a 'pro-choice' stand when the 'choice' in question involves the taking of innocent human life."

As we the bishops of Pennsylvania pointed out in our 1990 statement of public policy and abortion, "Advocates of this position would never apply such logic to any other serious moral matter including racial segregation, child labor, ethnic and religious bigotry or sexual harassment.

Finally, as the Catholic bishops of the United States plan to gather at Notre Dame in June, we wish to clarify that should we decide to attend the long-planned meeting of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, our presence should in no way be interpreted as an approval of this ill-considered award.

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Daly will not attend ceremonies

By PAUL PEARSON
Associate News Editor

Cahal Cardinal Daly, archbishop of Armagh and primate of Ireland, will not be attending Notre Dame's Commencement ceremonies as scheduled Sunday.

Daly's office telephoned the University last week and said that he would not be attending, according to Dennis Moore, director of Public Relations and Information.

No specific reason was given to the University for Daly's cancellation. The cardinal's office said "that he just wasn't able to leave Ireland at this time," Moore said.

One of Daly's bishops, Esmond Casey of Galway, resigned from his position May 7 for "personal reasons," and left Ireland for the United States, saying that he would be doing missionary work, according to a report in the South Bend Tribune.

Casey admitted Monday that he had long since left a Connecticut woman and that he fathered her 17-year-old son, the Tribune said.

Daly, considered the leading intellectual in the Catholic Church in Ireland for more than 20 years, has frequently called for an end to violence in Northern Ireland. He was scheduled to receive an honorary doctor of laws degree from the University.

Despite his cancellation, Daly "regretted very much missing the commencement ceremony," Moore said.

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Alumni response to Moynihan selection mixed

By MONICA YANT
Editor-in-Chief

Disapproval of Notre Dame's decision to award the Laetare Medal to Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D-N.Y.) has led some alumni on the east coast to voice their concern to University President Father Edward Malloy.

Notre Dame has been under fire from bishops in New York, Boston and Pennsylvania who believe Moynihan's pro-choice views on abortion are inconsistent with Catholicism. Some have argued that this inconsistency makes Moynihan undeserving of the oldest and most prestigious honor to American Catholics.

Bishops in Pennsylvania sent Malloy a letter at their Spring meeting Thursday expressing concern that the senator's "voting record is directly contradictory to the 'ideals of the Church' and the consistent teachings on the Church on the sanctity of all human life." Last week, John Cardinal O'Connor of the Archdiocese of New York expressed similar discontent to Malloy.

Bishop John D'Arcy of the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend announced Thursday that he would not attend Sunday's commencement in opposition to the award.

Hal Spencer, president of the Long Island club, said he has received "dozens and dozens" of calls from dismayed alumni. "There's absolutely nobody for it," he said of the Long Island alumni. "The common discussion is that everybody was just against it."

The reaction to Moynihan's selection as the recipient was "the most opposition" to a Notre Dame decision that Spencer has ever seen among alumni.

Spencer said he wrote a letter to Malloy expressing concern that Moynihan "is not a very good Catholic" and unworthy of the award. That Moynihan is "theoretically" Catholic does not necessarily mean he is a Catholic at heart, according to Spencer.

He said he received a form letter response—not from Malloy—"trying to placate everybody."

But among the majority of club presidents in New York, Boston and Pennsylvania, the reaction was far less harsh. Bob Griswold, president of the Staten Island club, said the decision has not gone unnoticed among New York alumni. "There are a number of members who aren't too pleased," he said.

Griswold said he knew of several alumni who wrote letters to Malloy.

Even so, Griswold said he supported the University's decision on the basis of Moynihan's service to indigent groups. "The good things that he's done haven't really come to the front here," he said.

John Rudser, president of the Greater Boston club, said he's found the majority of the over 2,000 Boston alumni "puzzled" and "surprised" by the Newman's decision. "His lifelong service surpasses the abortion issue," Rudser said.

Other alumni club presidents expressed mild concern about the announcement.

*William Staniecki, president of the New York City club, said he has heard little response to see ALUMNI! page 14

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Catholic can responsibly take a 'pro-choice' stand when the 'choice' in question involves abortion.

The same source added that Law wrote Malloy saying that the Church would be ill-served by the selection of Moynihan.

"Moynihan's career uniquely combines intellectual and political acumen," said Malloy upon the announcement of the decision. "His passion for scholarship has made him sensitive to the realities of state, sensitive to the cry of the poor and commendably supportive of higher education."

The Times reported that in replies to O'Connor and Law, Malloy said that the award is not equivalent to an endorsement of abortion by Notre Dame and that the University's position is consistent with that of the Church.

Moynihan's Press Secretary Brian Connolly said that senator had "no reaction" to the opposition, adding that "Moynihan will be honored to receive the Laetare Medal."

The University has received many letters from alumni and the general public expressing disapproval of the choice, particularly from New York and the east coast. Moore said there has been no consideration of withdrawing the award.

"Moynihan's position is pro-choice, not pro-abortion," said Sister Kathleen Cannon, associate provost at Notre Dame. In a political situation, a person must take into account that this is a pluralistic society, she added.

Since civil law can only express what society will allow it to express, McBrien said that popular opinion must be changed before the law can be altered. "There are many people who are pro-choice—with regret—but anti-abortion on moral grounds," he said.

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Institute to foster Catholic identity in higher education

By DAVID KINNEY
News Editor

In an effort to foster the unique identity of religiously-founded universities in the United States, a Catholic higher educational institute called Collegium has been created, according to Provost Timothy O'Meara.

Collegium, the new name for the institute, is designed to bring together faculty and future faculty who are interested in exploring how their faith influences their academic work and what it means to be a Catholic intellectual in our culture.

The institute is funded by a grant from The Lilly Endowment, Inc., and sponsored by Fairfield University in Connecticut in conjunction with St. John's University of Collegeville, Minn., and Loyola Marymount University in Los Angeles. Approximately 50 Catholic universities and colleges in the United States are expected to participate.

O'Meara and Sister Alice Gallin, a member of Notre Dame's board of trustees, have been named members of the founding board for the institute.

Since many faculty members at Notre Dame believe that the identity of an institution must be a shared responsibility for maintaining the Catholic identity of an institution, he said.

Whether or not a university or college with a unique Catholic identity, according to Thomas Landy, the founder and director of Collegium, is to encourage the possibility of an intellectual life that serves Catholicism.

"The hope is that young faculty will come back charged," he added.

The program will enable participants to understand the meaning and mission of a university or college with a unique Catholic identity, according to Provost O'Meara, the founder and director of Collegium.

It will consist of lectures, small group discussions, major presentations and liturgies, O'Meara said. Distinguished faculty who have been actively engaged in religiously-founded institutions will serve as mentors to talk about their experiences and encourage participants to carry on the faith tradition in their intellectual life.

The program will enable participants to see the broader mission of an intellectual life and to place the studies in the context of Catholicism.
Protesters say Bush address may be politicized

By MONICA YANT
Editor-in-Chief

Marcie Poorman disagreed with the selection of President George Bush as Notre Dame's commencement speaker for several reasons.

But more than his policies or Republicanism, that Bush is campaigning for re-election told Poorman the commencement address would be unfairly politicized. "Any political candidate would not have been appropriate."

She found that a few others shared her view: almost 400 faculty and students signed a petition appearing in today's Observer and a massive distribution of white armbands before commencement may result in a peaceful protest up to 800-strong.

The protesters are concentrating specifically on Bush's presence at commencement. Poorman said the group has not discussed support or opposition to the awarding of the Laetare Medal to Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D-N.Y.) amid charges from two high-ranking bishops that his views on abortion are inconsistent with Catholicism.

Poorman said she believes Bush will use the commencement speech as a means to garner political support from the "captive audience" of over 2,300 students and their families.

"We wanted to protest ... but we didn't want to do anything to disrupt commencement," Poorman said. "We wanted to make a public statement that the University does not support Bush."

Poorman and six other senators have worked since Easter on their strategy. A letter to The Observer April 27 outlined their protest.

"This is our commencement and not a political forum; as such inviting any political candidate is inappropriate," the letter read. "Some of us may vote for George Bush, while others may not. However, all of us believe that the University's invitation is in reality a de facto endorsement."

Organizers Shannon Ledesma, Jennifer Evans, Christine Kempf, Kristi Niehel, Catherine Sheehy, Moira McGee and Poorman circulated petitions among undergraduate and graduate students, and interested faculty. The petitions were also available for signing during a demonstration at Fieldhouse Mall April 23 and at Jerry Brown's campaign visit to Notre Dame April 28.

Hoping to earn enough money to pay for a full-page ad in The Observer, the organizers asked those signing to donate $1. The group was short of funds until donations at a Gender Studies graduate banquet Wednesday netted the final $75.

Concerned students and faculty have been encouraged to wear armbands during Sunday's commencement. Poorman said armbands will be distributed in every residence hall this weekend, which could encourage up to 750 participants.

The 30 armbands she placed in Hesby Faculty Hall last Friday morning were gone by that afternoon, according to Poorman.

Although Poorman has sensed greater support from faculty than students, she said the disparity is "not overwhelming."

Poorman said the organizers do not anticipate any confrontations with the administration or Secret Service at commencement. The armbands are actually pieces of torn sheets which Poorman stressed "are very harmless."

She added that those protesting by wearing the armbands are committed to vocalizing their discontent peacefully and will not disrupt the commencement.

Ladrech wins Fulbright Grant
Special to The Observer

Robert Ladrech, assistant professor of political science at Saint Mary's College, has been awarded a Fulbright Grant to conduct research on the European community in Brussels, Belgium.

Ladrech teaches European and international politics at Saint Mary's, and has been a member of the faculty since 1987. His Fulbright research, which will take place over the next year, will focus on political party and institutional change resulting from European community integration.

Ladrech is one of approximately 1,800 U.S. grantees who will travel abroad for the 1992 academic year under the Fulbright program. The program, established in 1946 under Congressional legislation introduced by former Senator J. William Fulbright of Arkansas, is intended to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and those of other countries.

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New York Times columnist named Welch professor

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Author and New York Times columnist Andrew Malcolm has been named W. Harold Welch professor at Notre Dame for 1992-93, according to Provost Timothy O'Meara.

As Welch professor, Malcolm will teach two classes each semester, beginning in the fall with "Canada and The United States: Best Friends, Like It or Not" and "Writing and Ethics." Malcolm will draw on 25 years of experience as New York Times foreign correspondent, editor, national affairs correspondent and twice-weekly columnist. He has reported for the Times from the United Nations, San Francisco, Vietnam and Thailand and has been the newspaper's bureau chief in Tokyo, Toronto and Chicago.

Malcolm is the author of eight books, including "The Canadians," a best-selling profile of Canada and its political, economic and cultural relationship with the United States.

The son of Canadian parents, Malcolm is also the author of the textbook, "The Land and People of Canada." His other books include "Final Harvest: An American Tragedy," "This Far and No More," "Someday," "U.S. 1: America's Original Main Street," and the forthcoming "Raiders: Fathers, Sons, and Football."

A 1962 graduate of Culver Military Academy in Indiana, he holds bachelor's and master's degrees in journalism from Northwestern University.

W. Harold Welch, an executive of the New York Telephone Co., graduated from Notre Dame in 1924. Martha Welch, who holds bachelor's and master's degrees from Columbia University, served for several years as an executive of the New York City public school system.

Previous Welch professors at Notre Dame include Max Lerner, Garry Wills, James O'Gara, Michael Novak, Barry Lopez and Wilbur Zolinsky.

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Students win Hispanic awards

Special to The Observer

The Notre Dame department of Romance languages and literature recently announced the winners of two student awards for promotion of Hispanic culture.

Laura I. Brown, a senior from Del Rio, Texas, will receive the Carlos Aballi Award, and Elizabeth Peterson, a senior from Pelon, Conn., is the winner of the William Richardson Award, according to Isabel Jakab, chair of the Romance languages and literature department.

Candidates for both awards were nominated by ND faculty members who currently teach Spanish at the University, and both winners were chosen by a committee of faculty members, Jakab said.

Brown has been active in ND's Hispanic American Organization and the League of United Latin-American Citizens (LULAC). She has also taught religion at St. Stephen's parish in South Bend.

The Carlos Aballi Award, named for a former director of ND's Language Laboratory, is given to a graduating Hispanic student who has taken Spanish at Notre Dame, has been active in promoting Hispanic cultural awareness at ND and has helped the Hispanic community at ND and/or in South Bend, Jakab said.

Peterson has tutored English to Spanish-speaking second-graders at Madison Elementary School. She also spent a semester in Notre Dame's Mexican City program.

The William Richardson Award, given in memory of a professor who taught Spanish at Notre Dame for 21 years, is awarded to a graduating African-American student who has shown an unusually strong interest in Hispanic culture through participation in campus and/or community projects or activities, Jakab said.

Brown and Peterson will receive the awards at a presentation today in Washington Hall.
Dear Chris, 

Congratulations to our "double domer."

B.A., '89
J.D., '92

We are proud of you and your accomplishments. Thanks for being our son.

Love, Mom and Dad
Fun at the ranch

Notre Dame senior Jennie Tranel pets a horse at Michigan's Diamond D Ranch during Zombie Stomp Sunday.

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the decision, "It haven't had any calls."

"Dr. Kevin Kearney, president of the Worcester County club, said he heard more concern about Moynihan from relatives in Indiana than in Massachusetts. "John Quinn, president of the Erie, Pa. club, said he has heard little response from alumni and some concern from bishops in the area.

"Jack Frischkorn, president of the Pittsburgh club, said a recent club meeting yielded little discussion about the decision. Kevin McKernan, a 1974 alumni on the board of directors of the Staten Island club and the legal representative for the Ancient Order of Hibernians (AOH), said he and the Catholic organization oppose Moynihan for reasons other than his voting record on abortion. Moynihan failed to support the historically Irish Catholic group during its recent court battle with the Irish Lesbian Gay Organization over rights to march in the AOH-sponsored St. Patrick's Day parade in New York, according to McKernan.

"whose genius has emblazoned the arts and sciences, illustrated the ideals of the church and enriched the heritage of humanity."

Moynihan is the first serving U.S. senator to receive the honor. Others who have received the medal since its establishment in 1883 include Civil War General William Rosencrans, Ambassador Claire Booth Luce and Catholic Worker Founder Dorothy Day. Moynihan will receive the medal at the University's 147th commencement exercises Sunday.
Diamond named counsel

Special to The Observer

Audrey Diamond, codirector of Notre Dame's London Law Centre, has been appointed Queen's Counsel, Honoris Causa, by Queen Elizabeth II of England.

Until last year, solicitors—British lawyers who handle lower court cases—had been excluded from QC appointments, which were reserved only for barristers. Diamond is only the second solicitor and academic to receive the Queen's Counsel, Honoris Causa, by Queen Elizabeth.

Diamond's affiliation with Notre Dame began in 1982 as an adjunct professor at the London Law Centre. He was appointed to his present position in 1987 after 10 years as director of London University's Institute of Advanced Legal Studies.

He has served on a number of British government advisory bodies and has represented the United Kingdom at European economic community and other international meetings.

Diamond said, "It is a genuine pleasure that my government has thought to recognize me with this honor."
Dear Editor:

As General Archivist for the Sisters of the Holy Cross, I am happy to read articles dealing with the tradition of education at Saint Mary's College. However, because inaccuracies often appear in print, and are then repeated as if they were true, I would like to correct four specific recurring errors at the close of this academic year.

- First of all, Father Moreau did not accompany the first group of Sisters to America in 1843. He made only one visit to North America and that was 1857 - two years after the Sisters had moved down from Bertrand.
- The Sisters did not go immediately to Bertrand. They lived and served at Notre Dame. Only after three American girls asked to join them and there was no room at Notre Dame for a novitiate, did Father Sorin look around for property and find it in the town of Bertrand. In July of 1844 the three girls and their mistress of Novices moved to Bertrand. That fall they might have begun to teach a few girls in the dying town.
- I do not see how the Academy in Bertrand could have been a "fulfillment of Moreau's dream for the Sisters to devote themselves to teaching in America." Teaching the Indians at Pokagon's third village, now Silver Creek, might have been part of his missionary dream - but not the school in Bertrand.
- The name Saint Mary's of the Immaculate Conception became the name of this property in April of 1855, when some small buildings might have been erected on this property - bought from Mr. Rush. It was given then because the dogma of the Immaculate Conception had been proclaimed by Pope Pius IX on December 8, of 1854 - just four months before the dedication, which was four months before the move here.

Sister M. Campion Kuhn
General Archivist
April 24, 1992
Graduate proposes change in academic structure

The letter is addressed to all audiences interested in the quality of undergraduate education at Notre Dame.

This year has witnessed a great deal of activity on the subject of the quality of undergraduate education at Notre Dame. Among other things, the suggestions I have heard on how to improve this vital dimension of our education have yet to notice any serious attention. It is this level of undergraduate education at Notre Dame which has bothered me for quite a while. I thought that in this letter, I would like to continue this discussion.

Castedly, I am concerned that by allowing the existence of an independent College of Arts and Letters and an independent College of Science, the University has failed to give many students pursuing interests or careers in mathematics or science.

The fact that our University is capable of being a prominent center of excellence in both of these fields is the real problem of deciding whether or not they can afford to pursue a second major or a second degree. Probably, many undecided students, particularly the undecided freshmen and sophomores, who do not have the emphasis on math and science which they were subjected to before college, are attracted by the novelty of liberal arts disciplines which they were never offered in high school.

Secondly, the mere existence of a College of Arts and Science is an unhealthy and dissonant mentality among students who have not yet wholeheartedly committed to one college or the other. That is, many students, particularly the undecided freshmen and sophomores, may be lured into the mental trap that thinking of it as either/or will enable them to major in one college or another, when in fact, it is not possible to pursue a second major or a second degree. Some of these students who have still not wholeheartedly committed to one college or the other, even though they may have interests in the majors of both colleges.

This "either/or" mentality is a concern not only among freshmen and sophomores who have not yet wholeheartedly committed to one college or another, but among all Notre Dame students, because the faculty of the institution has an unhealthy attitude that science and the liberal arts are mutually exclusive majors. This mutual exclusiveness has little relation or effect on either major.

The College of Arts and Letters encourages the attitude that students with a science and a liberal arts major, the physical requirements of each college may discourage students with a second major or a second degree from a separate college. The only marginal interest in mathematics and science, and the emphasis on math and science which they were subjected to before college, are attracted by the novelty of liberal arts disciplines which they were never offered in high school.

One of Notre Dame's proud assets is the quality and caliber of undergraduate students it regularly attracts from all parts of the nation. A large percentage of these students graduate in the top one percent of their high school graduating class, or at least in the top ten percent.

With such a capable and talented pool of students, the University should do all it can to prevent the skills in math and science which are cultivated in K-through-12 from being wasted, and to prevent people from taking classes in math and science in general education courses, which is often attached to the College of Arts and Letters and the College of Science.

One of Notre Dame's most attractive features is the quality and caliber of its undergraduate students. The University should do all it can to attract even more to the educational opportunities that Notre Dame has to offer.

Grace Chen
Guest Columnist

O'Hara extends prayers to Class of 1992

Dear Editor:

We would like to take this opportunity to extend our prayers and best wishes to the members of the Class of 1992.

Commencement is a time of many mixed emotions. Pride in your achievements, excitement and apprehension about new beginnings, happiness and sadness come together as you prepare to leave. For those of you who are graduating seniors, I hope that we have achieved our goal of providing you with an education that will kindle the mind with the life of the heart. May your paths be blessed with the grace of God and service to His people match your dedication to your family and friends.

For those of you leaving with graduate and professional degrees, I hope that you will carry with you the best of our tradition as you relate to your discipline.

If you bring to your careers a strong set of ethical convictions and a commitment to justice, you will represent Notre Dame and Notre Dame proud.

The University administration should be a note of gratitude to all of you. You not only take from here; you also give. You graduate. The recommendations to your colleagues, to the alumni, to the students of the University of Notre Dame, of which we are proud, to the students who will be admitted in the years to come.

The revision to a single College of Arts and Science would mean a greater emphasis on undergraduate education, and most importantly, it would help to foster an attitude which does not lead the students to develop their potentials in all disciplines of knowledge.

Grace Chen

ND should be ashamed of inviting Bush to speak

Dear Editor:

The commencement speaker selected for the Class of 1992 is George W. Bush, son of a President who has (by following in his father's footsteps) increased the distance between the rich and the poor. In the past, Notre Dame has increased our national debt, and has put us in one of the worst recessions in decades. And he has lied to the American people. What are these acceptable criteria for speaking to the graduates?

The count way of the nation's youth, has been put in serious jeopardy by an administration that has less than nothing to improve education in our country. The negative impact of George W. Bush on the economy and federal non-funding of education show the level of interest Mr. Bush has in the education of our youth.

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I fear that the selection of Mr. Bush was driven by a need to have the biggest possible celebrity to bring to the graduates, and to show our graduate alumni, not by the desire to present a morally decent and reasonable individual. The University administration should be ashamed.

Barry Baumbaugh
Professor of Political Science
April 28, 1992

Michael Cunningham
John Geresa
Blair O'Connor
Class of 1992
April 28, 1992
"Two roads diverged in a wood And I— I took the road less traveled by, and that has made all the difference."

—Robert Frost

Going to law school? Working for Arthur Anderson? Don't know?

Although many graduating seniors have chosen some of the more common paths to follow as they leave Notre Dame, a few have decided on a less-traveled route.

"Every year, about 10 percent of the graduating class of Notre Dame choose to enter into service work," said Mary Ann Roemer, Coordinator of Senior/Alumni programs at the Center for Social Concerns (CSC).

The CSC has been successful with many of their programs, including a service program called Holy Cross Associates.

Holy Cross Associates, a post-graduate program, began in 1978 as a way to integrate young adults into service for the poor while developing a deeper sense of themselves.

"Holy Cross Associates seemed to be a program that integrated not only social work, but the importance of community living, the importance of prayer life, and the importance of living a simple life style," explained Jeff Hammes, a finance major from Bend, Oregon.

I chose the domestic program because I can relate much more," said Hammes. "When I am older and become some sort of leader in the community, it's important to know the problems in your own backyard. Nobody who thinks we don't have these problems can just look at last week's race riots.

Holy Cross Associates is not limited to domestic service, however. They are also involved in an extensive service program in Chile. Bridget Spann, a graduate of French and the Program of Liberal Studies, will be spending the next two years submerged in the Latin American country.

"I'm not yet sure what I'll be doing. Possibly ministry in parishes and schools. There's also orphanages, human rights, and pregnant teens. I guess I'll be a 'jack of all trades,'" she said.

"As to why I chose the Chile program, that's difficult to answer," she continued. "Just thinking about my four years of education, it would be a great opportunity to be immersed in another culture. Everyone contributes to another person's experience.

But what would call students to leave their family and the comforts they are used to, especially when they have just completed four years of work towards entering into the "real world?"

"I always knew I wanted to be involved in some sort of service work," said Hammes. "I initially got involved in service work at my high school and was involved in an Appalachian service project after my senior year. Notre Dame just continued everything. It does a great job of catering to that side of people with a great service program."

Hammes anticipates a possible problem readjusting once he returns from his year of service. "I know there exists an overall greediness and an especially huge problem of morality in the financial field," he said. "But this should strengthen me and allow growth so that I'm not subject to the financial pressures. I believe you can still be in business and make money in a very Christian way within the bounds of morality."

There exist other obstacles that the associates must overcome. Many students' families are hardly exuberant over their children's decision. "Parents like to hear about what happens after the period of service is complete," said Roemer.

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Pursuing other avenues

ND seniors dedicate their services with Holy Cross Associates

By JULIE WILKENS
Assistant Accent Editor

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Tom Elmer, Lisa Bernstein and Rod Foley discuss their plans to volunteer with Holy Cross Associates.
 Memories from a senior's perspective

By JOHN O'BRIEN

Friday, May 15, 1992

AUG. 28, 1992—Today I am the smartest kid in high school meaning that I could handle an Electrical Engineering course, Med double major, I was wrong, so American Studies here I come.

May 5, 1989—Sorry it's been so long, but I've been busy. Not only have I been working and partying taking up my time, but I've fallen in love. Bambina is also a freshman and she's in Breen-Phillips. The only problem is that she doesn't know my name, or that I am...or the fact that I'm in love with her.

Aug. 28, 1989—Sophomore year is here and Otto isn't. He's decided to drop out of school and follow the Dead. Instead, some guy named Pat Sullivan moved in. Every single one of his male ancestors from as far back as 1942 had gone to Notre Dame. All of his female ancestors went to either Saint Mary's or Notre Dame. I wonder why he couldn't find a roommate.

Sept. 10, 1989—I found out, Today. Pat celebrated his 5,000,000th playing of the Victory March. Even my clothing, paper and furniture that he owns has a big interlocking ND on it. In his closet are 10 blue sport coats, 10 pairs of khaki pants and 100 red, blue, green and yellow little green shamrockos. I think I'm going to hurt.

Oct. 18, 1989—Pat just spent $7,000 at the Hammes Notre Dame Bookstore (on the campus). He had lost all of his clothing when St. Michael's Laundry burned down the other day (apparently, true blue Doners do not do their own laundry—at least the male ones). So he went on a spending spree. I think I am going to kill him.

Sept. 17, 1990—My first friend, Bob, turned 21 last night. In the tradition of our section, we took him out and poured so many intoxicating poisons into his body that he got sick in the Commons and then passed out on the corner of Corby St. and Notre Dame Ave. We left him there. Heck, how dangerous could that be? It's only just off-campus.

Feb. 5, 1991—I got into the Linebacker for the first time last night. At first, the cop didn't believe I was a 36-year-old exchange student from Belize, but I was able to sneak in when some guy dancing with a beer on his head ran into the cop.

Jan. 20, 1991—I moved into my first apartment. Life off-campus will certainly teach me how to live independently, gain responsibility and learn the true value of money—at least that"s what my parents think. Personally I'm hoping for lots of keg beer and plenty of habes to shack up with. Then again, considering my luck with women, I'll probably just concentrate on the beer.

Feb. 1, 1992—I'm going to party. I only have one more semester to act immaturley, so I'm going to spend the next three months running naked across South Quad singing Lionel Ritchie ballads. Party time, dude.

March 16, 1992—My parents called today. They said if I have to go to Student Affairs one more time that they'll make me go into counseling. I guess stealing that nun's outfit and screaming obscene Ice-T raps during Vespers was what crossed that line for them. Still, tomorrow is St. Paddy's Day. Mar. 17, 1992—Entry unreadable.

May 18, 1992—Well, it's all over. Too bad I have to spend my last day at ND in the St. Joseph County Jail. It all started when I snuck a camphage bottle into the SCS.

I was just about ready to fire that baby up when two Secret Service dudes tackled me and dragged me away. My parents are kinda mad, but I just hope the police don't find all of those Jodi Foster pictures hanging up in my apartment.

I am the Mother of God. ni Houllian, she enshrined herself in the hearts of the Irish, and helped to bring the holy island honors her more than any other church. She is the patron of all the churches which show her enshrined as a queen. I am the Mother of God. I am the Mother of God. I am the Mother of God. I am the Mother of God. I am the Mother of God.
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Midwestern Collegiate Conference Final Regular Season Standings

BASEBALL
MCC GAMES ALL GAMES
W-L W-L
Notre Dame 15-1 36-12
Evansville 10-5 24-25
Dayton 8-8 22-26
Butler 6-10 18-29
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Detroit Mercy 3-12 12-25

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Midwestern Collegiate Conference All-Conference Baseball Teams
Notre Dame First Team
1st Team
Reggie Finney
Kris Lokey
Wade King
Jarrett Smith

MCC Newcomer-of-the-Year
Fr. Sara Hayes, outfield, Notre Dame

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Sept. 5—@ Northwestern (Soldier Field)
Sept. 12—Michigan
Sept. 19—@ Michigan State
Sept. 26—Purdue
Oct. 10—@ Pittsburgh
Oct. 24—BYU
Oct. 31—@ Navy
Nov. 7—Boston College
Nov. 14—Penn State
Nov. 28—@ USC
Dunleavy leaves Lakers searching for a new coach

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Help Wanted: New coach for Los Angeles Lakers dynasty which produced five NBA championships in the 1980s. Immediate company outlook bleak but job is steppingstone showcase for lucrative work elsewhere.

When Mike Dunleavy surprisingly left the Lakers to become coach of the Milwaukee Bucks on Tuesday, he went to a reported eight-year contract. His predecessor Pat Riley, who coached the Lakers in four of those titles, found his own five-year deal to rebuild the New York Knicks.

Both Dunleavy and Riley came to prominence with the Lakers from relative obscurity: Dunleavy as an assistant coach with Milwaukee and Riley from the Lakers broadcast booth.

But, however, came aboard at the Forum with star-studded casts of proven winners. Riley had Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and Magic Johnson. Dunleavy had Johnson and perennial All-Star forwards James Worthy and Sam Perkins.

The next coach will have Worthy, Perkins and center Vlade Divac returning from injury-plagued years. And it's a foregone conclusion that Johnson will ever be back with the Lakers, even as coach, following his stunning retirement announcement last fall after he contracted the AIDS virus.

Lakers general manager Jerry West was asked Tuesday what else could happen to the team after their 1991-92 season of crisis and tragedy.

"There would be only one thing left, and you're talking to it," West said with a light grin concerning his own job outlook. "But that's not going to happen. I don't think."

Only three days before Dunleavy's announcement, West had said he had talked with team owner Jerry Buss about offering Dunleavy a contract for two more years — based on his miracle work in 1991-92 with a cast of wounded and unsusng players.

The Lakers of 1991-92 somehow won more games than they lost, and made a fight of it in the best-of-5 first round of the playoffs, before succumbing to NBA powerhouse Portland in four games.

West was not available for comment on the coaching search Wednesday. But he indicated he is likely to go the same route again — picking a coach without proven NBA head-coaching success.

"I just feel comfortable with people I think are wide-eyed and enthusiastic," West said. That formula worked with Dunleavy, Riley and their predecessor, Paul Westhead. West elevated Westbrook from Lakers assistant coach to immediately lead the team in the 1979-80 tilt in Johnson's rookie year.

West said Tuesday he has a list of three or so possibilities, but would not name anyone on that list.

They may include eight-year assistant coach Randy Pfund, given a $100,000 raise a year ago to keep him from joining Riley in New York. But Pfund was in Sacramento on Monday to talk about the Kings' vacancy.

The biggest names on the available list are Johnson and Chuck Daly, the U.S. Olympic team coach who ended his own dynastic run with the Detroit Pistons this year.

West said he would talk with both, who was the Lakers' coach on the floor for over a decade, but he admitted at a news conference Tuesday that it was unlikely Johnson would consider the job.

Experienced NBA coaches available include Mike Fratello, Doug Collins and Del Harris, who stepped down and out of the Milwaukee picture this year.

LeCrone leaves Atlantic Coast Conference to become head of the MCC

Special to the Observer

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. — Johnathan B. LeCrone, assistant commissioner of the Atlantic Coast Conference for the past two years, has been selected as Commissioner of the Midwestern Collegiate Conference.

LeCrone also becomes the fifth commissioner in conference history, replacing Daniel H. (Fuzzy) Debierdes, who resigned in February to become Executive Director of the Indiana Sports Corporation.

LeCrone, 38, will officially begin at the MCC on June 1. He will direct the nine-member conference that includes Butler University, University of Dayton, University of Detroit Mercy, Duquesne University, University of Evansville, LaSalle University, Loyola University of Chicago, University of Notre Dame and Xavier University.

Duquesne and LaSalle officially join July 1. Headquartered in Indianapolis, the MCC will be beginning its 14th year.

"Jon's enthusiasm and determination, combined with his background as a student-athlete and an athletic administrator, will be a tremendous asset to the MCC, its growth and continued success," said Notre Dame athletic director Dick Rosenthal.

"Jon comes to us from a first-class conference and I'm confident he'll bring along the same ideas and spirit which have helped the ACC to prosper.

Since 1988, LeCrone has been responsible for administration of ACC projects in television, marketing and public relations, including coordinating the ACC's national TV package, televising conference championship events and developing new revenue-producing projects.

During his first five years at the ACC, his primary duties included the implementation of conference championship events and interpretation and enforcement of ACC and NCAA rules.

Prior to joining the ACC, LeCrone spent four years as assistant athletics director at Wake Forest University. He also spent a year in the Chicago Bears front office, which he co-founded as an organization as the business manager for the Class AAA team in Wichita, Kansas.
inside and jamming us up the whole game."

But with the Musketeers leading 2-1 in the eighth, Notre Dame dialed Cuervo's number. After Craig Counsell led-off with a single, Cuervo snared Eric Danapilis' sacrifice attempt and threw to second to nab Counsell. It looked like previous innings, when a failed bunt or stolen base spelled a rally killer.

But then senior Joe Binkiewicz stepped up and dialed long distance, launching one over Covelski Stadium's 360' sign in right field.

"I made an adjustment and backed off the plate," said Binkiewicz, who is starting to heat up late in the season and now has 10 round-trippers.

Binkiewicz is part of Murphy's trifecta, along with fellow senior tri-captains Counsell and Cory Mee. "Those three guys are just amazing. They don't have the most talent in the world, but they're mentally tough.

"They just go out and play hard and set the tone for the game. If it's not Bink, it's Counsell. If it's not Counsell, it's Cory Mee. They learn from their mistakes, come back and make it right."

"We believe it can be done," stated Binkiewicz, whose team has come back in their last six MCC tournament wins dating back to last year's championship season.

Michalak, the crafty southpaw who leads the conference in ERA for the second straight season, completed the game to raise his record to 9-3. His sinker-ball induced key groundballs as he scattered five hits.

Next on Notre Dame's hit list was Dayton (9-11 in regular-season MCC games). The Irish jumped out to a first-inning lead on an RBI single by Binkiewicz.

They added another in the third with a Mee sacrifice fly and exploded for five runs on three hits and three walks, as both Mee and Danapilis collected two-RBI singles.

Notre Dame capped its scoring barrage in the seventh as three more crossed the plate. Titans' right fielder Jason Guvala dropped a fly ball and Edwin Hartwell came through with a run-scoring single.

Sophomore Tom Price (6-1) collected his fifth straight victory, surrendering only a solo homer by Kevin Harpring in the sixth. Price went the distance, scattering seven hits.

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Cavs take advantage of Boston's front line woes

RICHFIELD, Ohio (AP) — Even one of the best front lines in basketball history can have an off game, and they did Wednesday night.

Boston's storied front line of Larry Bird, Kevin McHale and Robert Parish combined for two points in the second half as the Celtics lost to the Cleveland Cavaliers 114-98, putting the Cavs ahead 3-2 in their Eastern Conference semifinal series.

The series moves to Boston for Game 6 tonight. A seventh game, if needed, would be played in Richfield on Sunday.

The Cavaliers are trying to make it to the conference finals for only the second time in franchise history. Boston, winner of 16 NBA titles, has eliminated Cleveland from the playoffs twice before.

"I don't know if it's anything we did that threw them off," said Brad Daugherty, who led Cleveland with 28 points. "We played our game, played a good, hard, physical game. Whether it threw them off, I don't know. Those guys usually get big numbers. Everybody has off nights."

Craig Ehlo bounced back from an 0-for-9 performance in Game 4 by making his first eight shots in the game. Outscored by Boston counterpart Reggie Lewis 42-1 in the previous game, Ehlo finished with 20 points, a career-high 13 assists and six rebounds. Lewis scored 27.

"I only went 0 for 9 on Sunday so they'd leave me alone tonight," Ehlo joked. "Sometimes you have to sacrifice yourself.

"It always feels good to hit your first shot, especially when it's a 3-pointer. My second shot felt good, and after that I was fine."

Cleveland took an 18-point lead by outscoring the Celtics 34-23 in the third quarter, finishing the period with a 16-4 run capped by Mark Price's three long jumpers. Daugherty scored 12 points in the quarter.

The decisive run began with three consecutive mistakes by Bird, playing for only the second time since April 3 because of a bad back.

Boston missed a chance to cut the deficit to four when Bird threw the ball away with 4:35 left in the third quarter, and he then missed badly on a 20-foot shot and fouled Daugherty.

The Celtics got no closer than 12 in the fourth quarter.

"We knew what we had to do to beat Cleveland," Bird said. "We knew we had to play good defense, because they're a great shooting team, and we didn't do it."

The Cavaliers dominated the frontcourt after Parish picked up two fouls within 18 seconds late in the first quarter. Parish was not much of a factor after that, scoring four points and grabbing eight rebounds.

McHale also struggled, scoring two points on 1-for-9 shooting. Bird had 13 points and five rebounds in 20 minutes, and Kevin Gamble scored 18 for Boston.

Larry Nance and John Williams each scored 18 for Cleveland.

If what happened on your inside happened on your outside, would you still smoke?
Maffia questions King’s financial actions

NEW YORK (AP) — In an affidavit filed Thursday with the New Jersey State Board of Control, Don King’s former comptroller charged that the boxing promoter repeatedly ordered Mike Tyson to pay sanctioning fees beyond those required by the WBC, WBA and IBF.

Joseph A. Maffia’s affidavit charges that King ordered sanctioning fees of $350,000 per fight for Tyson's bouts with Frank Bruno, Carl “The Truth” Williams and Buster Douglas. In each case, Maffia said, the legitimate sanctioning fees were less than that — $285,500 for the Bruno fight, $236,500 for Williams and $319,000 for Douglas. "This resulted in an overpayment of approximately $309,000 by Mr. Tyson," the affidavit said.

Maffia also said King charged Tyson for the cost of maintaining a corporate apartment in Manhattan, a house in Las Vegas and an apartment in Los Angeles. Among the items billed to Tyson were $3,595 in monthly rent for the New York apartment, $5,295 for the cost of a new telephone system in the Las Vegas home and telephone, electricity, cable television and maid service for all three properties. Other Maffia affidavits, filed in connection with pending litigation between Tyson and his former manager, Bill Cayton, detailed questionable deductions made from Tyson’s purses and reported consultant fees of $50,000 per fight paid to King’s sons and $100,000 per fight paid to King’s wife, as well as a $52,000 per year salary paid to King’s daughter to serve as president of the Mike Tyson fan club.

Earlier this week, King released a hand-written letter from Tyson, who is serving six years for rape in Indiana. In it, the former champion said all charges were approved by him. The letter was headlined “Don King is innocent,” and said in part, “I approved every expense. Don King never stole from me.”

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Age doesn’t keep Johncock from Speedway

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — Every year the struggle gets tougher, but Gordon Johncock keep coming back to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway.

The two-time Indy 500 winner, old enough to know better at 55, is working hard this week trying to find enough speed to make the field for the 24th time.

Eight other former winners are among the 27 drivers already qualified for the field, and two more, Tom Sneva and Johnny Rutherford, are on the speedway grounds hoping for another chance on the 2 1/2-mile track on May 24.

"You just like to come back and run," Johncock said Wednesday. "Hopefully, you can just get comfortable and run with no headaches and problems. Then it’s fun."

But it certainly hasn’t been fun for the Hastings, Mich., driver this month. Going into Wednesday’s practice, his fast lap has been just over 214 mph, well short of what last year’s sixth-place finisher expects it will take to make the 33-car field.

Coming here with a 1991 Lola-Buick, Johncock fully expected to have an easier time making the field than in recent years. He’s made only three of the last seven races, often after finding last-minute rides in obsolete equipment.

"This time, we had a good car and a good engine and plenty of time to get ready," Johncock said. "At least I thought we did. Things just didn’t work out right."

One of the problems is that we bought this car from Pat Patrick and it was made for the Alfa engine. The team had to convert it for the Buick and they had to convert some of the Alfa parts and change the tunnel. "Then, when we went out on the track, we had problems with a bad oil leak, a nut that was thrown into the turbocharger and blew it up, then the car just had no power. From the apex out, I was in a constant four-wheel drift. When I came in, my tires had hotter temperatures than cars that had been going 220.

But Johncock remains hopeful he can find the needed speed before the final two rounds of qualifications on Saturday and Sunday.

"As a driver, you can always gain 2-3 miles an hour by sticking your neck out, but that’s something you want to do in practice," Johncock said. "I wouldn’t want to accept anything under 220. All these guys at 218 and 219 have good backup cars. If they get bumped, they just go out and do it again. I don’t have a backup."

"We’re going to keep running out there until we get it right. We’re too far off right now. We might be able to go out there and qualify at 218 or 219 right now, but I sure wouldn’t be comfortable."

Other former champions already in the field include four-time winners Rick Mears, A.J. Foyt and Al Unser, as well as Mario Andretti, Arie Luyendyk, Danny Sullivan, Emerson Fittipaldi and Bobby Rahal, all with one victory.
Top-seeded Americans advance in Italian Open action

HOME (AP) — Top-seeded Jim Courier and No. 2 Pete Sampras reached the quarterfinals of the Italian Open with victories yesterday.

Courier overpowered Spaniard 6-3, 6-2, while Sampras overcame a second-set lapse and beat Goran Prpic of Croatia 6-2, 6-7 (7-5), 6-3.

Courier, the world's top-ranked player, overpowered Bruguera from the baseline with relentless ground strokes. With a speeded-up red clay surface on center court, Courier also won several points with a serve-and-volley attack.

"I thought it would be much more difficult than it turned out to be," Courier said. "But I'm not complaining.

"Anytime I play, anywhere in the world, I feel like I am one of the players who can win the title. Home is no different."

Sampras was as dominant as Courier in the first set of his match. But he lost five straight games in the second set — double faulting five straight times at one stretch.

"I was playing really well and then I lost my rhythm and my concentration on my serve," Sampras said.

Sampras led 3-0 in the tiebreaker but committed several serve errors, allowing Prpic to come back and send the match into the third set.

The turning point came in the sixth game when Sampras hit a forehand passing shot to break serve for a 4-2 lead. He served out the match three games later, punching a forehand volley on the third match point.

Sampras said the clay surface on center court, which has been speeded up by Italian organizers, was playing faster every day.

"It's good for my serve and volley game, although I was having trouble controlling my ground strokes," he said. "I hope I'll play on center again tomorrow.

Also reaching the quarterfinals were unseeded Christian Miniussi of Argentina and No. 8 Peter Korda of Czechoslovakia. Miniussi beat Marc Rosset of Switzerland 6-3, 5-7, 7-5. Korda, down one set and 6-5 in the second, came from behind to beat Alberto Mancini of Argentina — the 1989 champion and last year's losing finalist —3-6, 7-6 (7-4), 6-3.

The changes this year at the Italian Open, with its courts hardened and balls made faster to accommodate the power game, played into Sampras' strengths as a big server and hitter.

"There's not much clay on the court and the ball bounces up very high. All that really helps my game," he said Wednesday. "This gives hard court players a chance."

Michael Chang, a former winner of the French Open, a Grand Slam event also played on clay, has been skeptical of the trend toward power tennis.

At 5-foot-8, Chang has no pretensions about playing the power game.

But as a thinking man's tennis player, he is changing his game to stay competitive.

You have to be able to mix up a lot ... come in, be aggressive, make the other person honest," Chang explained.

Sampras defeated Horst Skoff of Austria, a good clay court player, 6-3, 6-4 in a second-round match Wednesday, while Courier downed Francisco Clavet of Spain 6-2, 6-3 and Chang, seeded fifth, stopped Italy's Renzo Furian 6-1, 3-6, 6-3.

Ninth-seeded Ivan Lendl, who won the Italian Open in 1988, was the only seed to be ousted on Wednesday, falling to Switzerland's Marc Rosset 6-4, 2-6, 7-6 (7-3).

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Alzano dies after long struggle with brain cancer

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Lyle Alzano, once among the most feared players in professional football, died Thursday of brain cancer, a disease he blamed on his prolonged use of bodybuilding steroids.

The two-time all-pro defensive lineman died peacefully in his sleep at home. His wife, Kathy, was at his side. He was 43.

The disease reduced a mountaineous athlete known for his bone-jarring violence on the field to a whispering shell of a man.

Alzano had come to Portland in March for an innovative "blood-brain barrier" chemotherapy treatment pioneered at Oregon Health Sciences University. He was able to receive the therapy only once before he came down with pneumonia, a common side effect.

"He was as determined and as brave as any of our patients are," said Raymond Hogan, clinical coordinator of the treatment program. "His idea was to throw the book at the tumor. He wanted us to go in with both guns blazing. I never knew him to believe that he wasn't going to beat it."

Alzano, who was born in Brooklyn, N.Y., was the first player from Yankton College in South Dakota ever to be drafted. He was chosen in the fourth round by Denver in 1971 and played for the Broncos for eight years.

He played three years for the Cleveland Browns and four for the Los Angeles Raiders before retiring in 1985 and beginning an acting career. He failed in a comeback attempt with the Raiders in 1990.

"He had a great career and did everything with gusto, whether it was football, acting or whatever," said Craig Morton, quarterback of Denver's 1977 team known for its "Orange Crush" defense. "But I think he would have wanted to be remembered for most was his fight against steroid use by youngsters. Hopefully, they will use this as a lesson."

Alzano said he began using steroids in 1969 and spent $20,000 to $30,000 a year on the drug. He also said he used a human growth hormone during his comeback attempt, which he believes helped destroy his immune system. Even after he stopped playing football, he kept taking the drugs.

"I had my mind set and I did what I wanted to do," Alzano said of his steroid use. "So many people tried to talk me out of what I was doing and I wouldn't listen."

After he was diagnosed with a rare form of brain lymphoma in April 1991, he began making appearances on television talk shows to urge youngsters to stay away from the drug.

The Lyle Alzano National Steroid Education Program, part of the nonprofit Athletes and Entertainers for Kids organization, was established to educate young people about the damaging and life-threatening effects of anabolic steroids and human growth hormones.

But there was never any proof that steroids caused Alzano's illness.

"As a scientist, one cannot really say it is clear there are anabolic steroids led to the lymphoma," said Dr. Thomas DeLoughery, a blood cancer specialist at Oregon Health Sciences University. "I think it's unfortunately open to speculation."

Dr. Gary Wadler, a steroid expert at Cornell University Medical Center-North Shore University Hospital in Manhasset, N.Y., was more emphatic:

"We were unable to really substantiate any cause and effect relationship beyond mere speculation and Lyle Alzano's own contention that this somehow was related," he said. "The evidence that lymphoma in general and lymphoma of the brain specifically is related to abuse is really unfounded at the present time."

DeLoughery said he hoped Alzano's death would spur the close examination of others who used steroids over a long period of time.

Steroid use has been linked to prostate and liver cancer, he said. In the treatment in Portland, a sugary solution is used to clear a pathway to the brain and the chemotherapy is delivered directly to the tumor.

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Lyle Alzano

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Seniors handle golf pressure
By JIM VOGL
Assistant Sports Editor

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At Burke Memorial Golf Course on Tuesday, the team of Matt Heslin, Bill Boehner, Marc Flusche and Jeff Goeser responded to pressure by hitting three bogies in the final three holes to win the Senior Golf Tourney.

“When we started out the back nine,” explained Boehner, “we knew another team had already finished at 62 (through 18 holes). We knew we would have to bogie six of the back nine.”

Three other teams fell one shot short of victory: Gary Jungels, Gregg Cooper, Jon Pettitti, and Mike Brown; Mike Crisanti, Mike Dehring, Brian Shortal and Tom Clare; and Ed Seall, Adam Dopps, Loren Crosbie and Mark Kiskorna.

Boehner led the victorious team to a 33 on the front-nine with some powerful tee-offs. Heslin stepped it up on the back nine with several booming tee-shots of his own, while Goeser finished them off with steady putting throughout.

“Matt Heslin really took charge at the end,” said Boehner. “He got a great drive at 18 that landed about 25 yards short of the green.”

In the clutch, Mark Flusche came through with tough birdie shots at 15 and 18.

Local car dealer Jordan-Ford sponsored the much-frequented beverage tent, and gave out $25 prizes for two contests.

Heslin heated up and won the “longest drive” award, while Jim Klaur got the “closest to the pin” award.

The Senior Month Fund also donated $.50 per participant to charity.

“All in all, the tournament was a great success,” said commissioner Terry Wilken.

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Detroit Mercy ends Irish bid for third straight MCC title

By JIM VOGL
Assistant Sports Editor

Three-peat? Not!
The Notre Dame softball team's chances of winning their third straight Midwest Collegiate Conference softball crown were thwarted by an old nemesis—Detroit Mercy's Lady Titans.

Last season, Detroit took three of four from Notre Dame regular season action. But the Irish got revenge in the National Invitational Classic in Macomb, Ill., May 21-23.

"This is what we've worked for, the recognition that comes from playing this type of people," said Boulac, referring to Western Illinois, Coastal Carolina, East Carolina, Southeast Louisiana, Princeton and regional rivals Bowling Green and DePaul.

"It will be difficult in a way because the first set of games will be played during graduation, so we'll be without the seniors," said Boulac. The seniors—catcher Amy Folsom and shortstop Ruth Kmak, have been the team's foundations since turning varsity four years ago. Since then, the Irish have gone 133-103 including two conference crowns.

"Hopefully we'll play well enough that we can play well enough without them to keep on playing," said Boulac.
Lacrosse falls to Johns Hopkins in NCAA tourney

By JOHN ROCK
Managing Editor

Notre Dame lost to Johns Hopkins University in the first round of the NCAA Division I Men's Lacrosse Championship held last Sunday at Hopkins' Homewood Field, failing to the fifth-seeded Blue Jays, 15-7.

Notre Dame went into the game seeded 12th, after nudging out Michigan State for the automatic Midwestern bid. Though the Irish have made the NCAA play-offs, winning just one out of three games, the national program's first bid has only been the second time the Irish have been seeded in the NCAA tournament. This was the first time the Irish were in the tournament in its illustrious history.

"They are a very good shooting team," said Irish head coach Kevin Corrigan before the game.

"We've got to keep the ball out of their hands and get good play from our goalies, like we've had all year," he said.

The Irish didn't control the ball very well at the outset, though. Hopkins' Adam Wright, who ended up with four goals for the day, set Hopkins on track with an early score, coming at 1:59 in the first period.

Scores by Jeff Wills and Terry Riordan made the tally 3-0 at the end of the first quarter.

Hopkins gunned eleven shots in the first period to Notre Dame's four and out-shot the Irish 22-17 in the first half. Hopkins goalie Scott Giardina made 14 saves off of those 17 shots, blanking Notre Dame in the first half, while the Blue Jay attackmen added another four goals to up the score to 7-0.

Notre Dame got back on track and was first to strike in the third period. After a Hopkins penalty, the Irish were on man-up offense and Brian Mayglothing got the Irish on the board at 1:37 into the third. Hopkins' Brian Lucacz and Wills retaliated and elevated the Irish to within seven, but a third, after Ed Lamb and two quick points by Wills each hit three or more.

Hopkins hit the final goal with 1:48 left to play, ending the scoring at 15-7.

"It would have been a different game if we went into halftime 7-4," said Corrigan afterwards.

"We're disappointed that we lost. We came here to win, but I'm proud of our performance. We hung in there," he said.

Hopkins head coach, Tony Seaman commented on the play of his goalkeeper. "Giardina proved it. I don't think there is a better keeper in the country."

Giardina made 21 saves in three-and-a half quarters and only allowed five scores.

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Mayglothing got the Irish on the board at 1:37 into the third. Hopkins' Brian Lucacz and Wills retaliated and elevated the score to 9-1 with ten minutes left in the period.

Randy Colley then scored the first of a 3-2 Irish run to end the third quarter. He added another goal at 10:33 into the third, after Ed Lamb and two Hopkins players. The score going into the fourth was 11-4.

The Irish continued to try and come back. A Tom Carroll goal early in the fourth brought the Irish to within seven, but a point from Wills and two quick goals by Brian Piccola at 5:24 and 5:02 into the fourth put the game all but out of the reach of the Irish.

Bon Snyder rounded out the Irish scoring after Colley. Hopkins' Wright, Riordan and Wills each hit three or more.

Hopkins head coach, Tony Seaman said, "I'm proud of our performance. We hung in there," he said.

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Talented recruits join Irish hockey team

Special to the Observer

The Notre Dame hockey team braced itself for the long, cold winter season ahead, singing one of the most talented recruiting classes in recent school history.

The Irish will be entering the ultra-competitive Central Collegiate Hockey Association. Last season, they got a tough initiation by dropping all 16 scheduled games against CCHA members, including the likes of Michigan, Western Michigan, Michigan State, and Saint Mary's.

Schafer's freshmen will include left-wings Chris Bales and Jamie Morshead, left-defenseman Davide DalGrande, and center Jamie Ling, all from the "great white north."

Other new names to look for in the rink for Notre Dame include left-defensemen Matt Bleek and Jeremy Cee, right-defenseman Garry Gruber and right-forward Jay Matuszak. Gruber chose to forego playing for his high school team and compete in the United States Hockey League.

"The Canadian players have the seasoning and experience we're looking for, and the American recruits come from winning backgrounds," noted Schafer.

"We're making a greater commitment to hockey, and our recruits will help us develop the attitude necessary to play well in the CCHA next year. As a group, they will play a major role in this adjustment."

Tenth-ranked Irish tennis preparing for NCAA battle

By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

This week will mark the end of an era for the Notre Dame men's tennis team. Senior all-American David DiLucia, the only Irish player ever to boast the number one ranking in the Volvo Tennis/College Rankings, will lead the Irish into their second straight NCAA tournament appearance beginning today against Mississippi State in Athens, Georgia.

DiLucia has been the fuel that has carried the Notre Dame tennis program into national prominence over the last four years, and his final NCAA tournament appearance will offer him one last chance to lift the crown for a national crown. Notre Dame's only tennis title came in 1959, when the Irish shared the crown with UCLA.

This year, however, DiLucia won't have to carry the burden alone. The entire team has proven that they can compete with the nation's best, winning 20 of 23 matches this season to finish ranked 10th.

First-round opponent Mississippi State has been equally impressive this season. Ranked seventh heading into today's action, the Bulldogs look to tenth-ranked singles player Daniel Courcol as their main threat. Courcol also combines with Laurent Miquelard to form the nation's 20th-ranked doubles team.

Today's match appears to be a toss up, with both teams making their second consecutive NCAA appearances. Last year the Irish knocked off Illinois 5-2 in the first round before eventual national champion USC handed them a 6-0 defeat.

The Bulldogs were also first round winners in 1991, defeating New Mexico 5-3, but they were knocked out in the second round at the hands of UCLA.

Last season, in the only previous meeting between two teams, Notre Dame defeated Mississippi State 6-2 as the strength of four wins in singles competition.

In individual competition, three Irish players will be looking to strike NCAA gold. DiLucia and junior Andy Zurcher will compete in singles action, while DiLucia will team up with junior Chuck Coleman in the doubles competition.

This is DiLucia's fourth straight appearance in the singles competition and the second time he's competed in doubles action.

Zurcher is making his first appearance in singles, but he competed with Will Forsyth in last year's doubles competition. Forsyth is also making his second trip to the NCAAs, after he and DiLucia fell in first-round doubles action in 1991.

From top to bottom the Irish have all the tools necessary for a strong run at the NCAA title. Whether it's as a team or individually, it could be a history making week for the Notre Dame men's tennis team.
Auriol to coach U.S. Olympic fencing team

SPECIAL TO THE OBSERVER

COLORADO SPRINGS, Co.—The United States Fencing Association has nominated its coaching staff and armorer for the 1992 U.S. Olympic Fencing Team.

The three coaches are: three-time Olympic coach Yves Auriol (South Bend, Ind.), Penn State assistant coach Wes Glon (State College, Pa.), and Columbia University head coach Dr. Aladar Kogler (New York, N.Y.). Three-time Olympic Team armorer Don DeChaine (Carmel, Calif.) was selected as the team’s armorer.

Nominations have been submitted for approval by the United States Olympic Committee’s Games Preparation and Services Committee.

Yves (pronounced Eve) Auriol, a native of France, is in his seventh year as head coach at the University of Notre Dame. He was a coach for the 1980, 84 and 88 U.S. Olympic Fencing Teams. He coached the U.S. teams at the Pan Am Games (1987, ’91), World University Games (1977, ’79) and World Championships (1986, ’90, ’91). He has led the Fighting Irish women to two NCAA Championships.

Among Auriol’s pupils have been three-time Olympian (1980, ’84, ’88) and seven-time national men’s foil champion Michael Marsa (South Bend, Ind.), now his assistant at Notre Dame.

Two of his former fencers are at the top of the U.S. rankings in their respective events and are expected to be selected.

Robert Marsa (Portland, Ore.) is a two-time Olympian (1984, ’88) and two-time Pan Am Games team member (1987, ’91) who is ranked number one in the men’s epee event.

Molly Sullivan (Malden, Mass.) is a 1988 Olympian and two-time member of the gold medal Pan Am Games women’s foil team (1987, ’91) who is ranked first in women’s foil.

Both Marsa and Sullivan have had significant World Cup results this season, with Marsa’s 15th place in London in March and Sullivan’s 24th in Germany in April.

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By JIM VOGL
Assistant Sports Editor

A few members of the Notre Dame track team will keep busy this weekend and well into the summer.

This weekend, a dozen participants will represent the Irish in the Illinois Twilight at Champaign, Ill. The meet will be a last-chance opportunity for fellows to qualify for the IC4A’s and for those already qualified, a chance to hone their skills to a razor’s edge,” said Irish head coach Joe Pane.

The IC4A’s will be held in Boston on May 24-25, followed by the NCAA Championships in Austin, Tex., June 3-6.

During this time, a core of three seniors hope to culminate their collegiate careers with memorable achievements.

One of them, Shawn Schneider, was recently named the squad’s most improved athlete. The Philadelphia native posted consistent numbers throughout the entire ’92 season as he raised his racing to a new level.

His best efforts included a 4:08.0 in the mile recorded at the Alex Wilson Invitational, a time good for eighth best on Notre Dame’s all-time list. Schneider also ran 2:33.14 in the 1,000 indoors, while his best outdoor effort was 3:54.06.

Schneider’s efforts, however, were not without their cost. He lost time with a good showing in Champaign.

Accomplished distance-relay runner Brian Fendall will also be graduating. The Dublin, Ireland, native qualified for the NCAA’s his freshman year and his chances on returning rest on this weekend’s race. He may run in Ireland’s college system following his collegiate career.

Legitimate NCAA hopefuls for the Irish are a pair of distance-runners: Mike sophomore McWilliams and junior John Goyle.

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3. The majority of alumni wear plaid pants. (FALSE. It only seems that way.)
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University says no to expansion
Colloquy 2000 plan has priorities
By JIM VOGL
Assistant Sports Editor

As the demand for Notre Dame football tickets continues to grow, the supply-99,075-remains the same.

The University announced that it will not expand its football stadium at the present time. The deferral of action on expansion followed a Board of Trustees report on May 1 which detailed the most extensive study ever conducted on the 62-year-old stadium.

Although the study determined renovations and repairs would definitely be needed, it pronounced the structure sound, according to the South Bend Tribune's May 7th article.

Further consideration on expansion will not begin until at least a year from now, according to ticket manager Bubba Cunningham.

"I've had correspondents from Moose Krause to season ticket holders talking about future expansion since 1969," said Cunningham. "They've offered 10-15 different thoughts and I'm not sure about what we could do."

Among the proposals were upper-decks on either side of the stadium, u-shaped decks and the construction of a new stadium north of campus.

Some have even concocted proposals for a new domed stadium or a re-location of the golf course to accommodate a football field and parking for fans.

But Cunningham reassured, "These rumors were all talk and speculation, not from anyone in authority at all."

"Stadium expansion will be discussed as a part of the Colloquy for the year 2000," said Cunningham, "which is a University self-study evaluation of where we are today and where we will be going into the next century."

Currently, Notre Dame receives ticket applications from some 33,000 alumni. Their names go into a weighted lottery for 16,000 tickets for the individual games. The potential alumni pool continues to grow about 2,100 each year.

Baseball seeks MCC title, NCAA bid
By JIM VOGL
Assistant Sports Editor

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Wednesday's game pitted Musketeers' Benzie Cuervo against Irish ace Chris Michalak in a rematch of the April 25th game, in which Cuervo shut out Notre Dame batters on just four hits.

"He's as good a pitcher as we've seen," said Irish coach Pat Murphy of Cuervo, who was 3-8 with a hefty 5.91 ERA on the season but who seems to have Notre Dame's number. "He was locating his fastball well, pitching us