Louisianians move back, assess harm

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — As Louisianians made their way back into battered coastal neighborhoods Thursday, officials expressed relief that destruction was worse than feared and appealed for medical help at still-crowded shelters.

"We've been spared a major, major disaster," Gov. Edwin Edwards said during a helicopter tour.

Storm Andrew, still drenching Dixie as it weakened to a tropical depression, was blamed for one final affront: a gas rig apparently damaged by the hurricane caught fire. No pollution was reported and the fire was expected to burn itself out, authorities said.

Officials throughout southern Louisiana began compiling damage estimates, but said no numbers would be available at least until Friday. Still, estimates likely will be measured in millions of dollars, rather than the billions of more densely populated Florida.

"All my things! All my things, my furniture," Linda Henson wept in Bayou Vista, west of Morgan City. Under cloudless skies and steamy heat, a steady stream of cars, slowed by sightseers, reeled through the scene of a natural disaster.

U.S. establishes no-fly zones; Iraq vows to resist

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Iraq vowed Thursday to resist the U.S.-led allies as they clamped a "no-fly zone" on southern Iraq to protect Shiites, who feared the Shiites, who feared Sunni Muslims fighting against Saddam Hussein's army.

Beginning Thursday, Iraqi planes and helicopters were prohibited from flying below the 32nd parallel. The government said the aerial umbrella was an aggressive act intended to partition Iraq along sectarian and ethnic lines.

One official suggested Baghdad might respond by halting its compliance with U.N. resolutions that ended the Persian Gulf War, which called for protecting Iraq's 17 million people to resist "aggressive, illegal and unjust." Protesters have raged against the ban "aggressive, illegal and unjust." Demonstrators were bused to the affluent Mansour district, where they gathered outside the international fair building. One banner read in English: "We will fight back with or without the no-fly zone.

The Tehran-based Supreme Assembly for the Islamic Revolution, a coalition of Shiite Muslim opposition factions, claimed Iraqis had already begun a military campaign in the south, where about 10 million people live.

It said in a statement from Iran that troops were rounding up dozens of anti-government supporters. The claim, which the Iraqi government denied, could not be immediately verified.

Saint Mary's infirmary hours cut; now are in line with other colleges’

By AMY GREENWOOD
Saint Mary's News Editor

The Saint Mary's Health Center will reduce its hours beginning this week.

No longer will the 24-hour service, the Health Center will now be open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Saturday. According to Gloria Chelminiak, director of Health Services, Saint Mary's reduced the hours so that students can attend orientations and come to the center to see the undergrads as the greatest force at Notre Dame. President Heriberto Lopez has solicited the donation of 4,600 gallons of water from the Abou Puro company of Plymouth, Michigan said a big rig that will be used to transport water to Florida from the General Painting Company, said Farmer.

Our Notre Dame students are joining the relief effort to help the quarter of a million people left homeless by the severe destruction of Hurricane Andrew which swept through southern Florida early last Monday.

The Cuban American Union of Student Advocates (CAUSA), which is made up of mostly Cuban Americans from the Miami area, and Tyler Farmer, the students' president from distinct one, have arranged the effort to provide water, clothing, and financial aid for the Hurricane victims.

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Farmer and Alberola will drive the big rig and donations to the Miami area late this evening. The donations will be taken to the Archdiocese of Miami and distributed to the needy from there.

CAUSA aiding storm victims

By SARAH DORAN
News Writer

Note: This story has been updated with information from the Saint Mary's students and faculty.

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Making life meaningful at Notre Dame

"Everything meaningful in life is distinguished by a certain transcendence of human existence—beyond the limits of 'self-care'—toward other people, toward society, toward the world ... Only by looking outward, by caring for things that, in terms of pure survival, you needn't bother with at all ... and by throwing yourself over and over again into the tumult of the world, with the intention of making your voice count—only thus will you really become a person."

More than likely, when Vaclav Havel made this statement, he was not speaking with Notre Dame students in mind. Yet, in as much as this statement can be applied to all of humanity, it seems most relevant to Notre Dame students.

Not only do the majority of us come from stable, middle class backgrounds with financial security and an inherent selfishness that was probably inherited or learned from our ancestors who toiled entire lifetimes just to scratch out an existence (and subsequently became protective of their newly acquired stability), but we also have the privilege of no longer concerning ourselves with mere survival—that has been provided for us. As a result, we struggle to make our lives meaningful.

For the Notre Dame student, beer drinking, party going and most of all, agonizing through classes that must be endured if one wants to become protective of their newly acquired security and an inherent selfishness that was grown in human existence. What, after all, is life if not to make our lives meaningful by caring for the illiterate adult, the social conditions in Somalia and the hole in the ozone?

Each of these cases is exactly that which Havel is referring when he says we should care "for things that, in terms of pure survival, you needn't bother with at all." While standing up for the looked-over student, the exploited worker or the exploited land, we can throw ourselves "over and over again into the tumult of the world."

Once in a while we need to let go of our goals, giving up all of the preconceptions we might have of life as we know it. We must give up what we hold to be true in order to actually test life, stretching it to its furthest reaches and then letting go to see what happens.

And, in the end, if we ceaselessly toss our selves into the tumult, transcending human existence, we will make our voices heard much more loudly than at any party, or on any board of directors. And most importantly, "only thus will you really become a person."

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TODAY AT A GLANCE

Indianapolis

Doctor accused in patient's death

INDIANAPOLIS — A Michigan City doctor accused of professional and criminal misconduct gave a dose of morphine to a heart attack victim only after he had died, the doctor's attorney argued Thursday. That dosage didn't kill the man, but only stopped involuntary respiration that had begun after he had been declared dead, the attorney for Dr. Marilyn Dargis told the Indiana Medical Licensing Board. Attorney Robert Hammerle of Indianapolis also said Dargis falsely denies allegations by a paramedic and nurses that Dargis stuffed cotton gauze into a breathing tube inserted into 66-year-old Albert J. O'Neill of Long Beach in the emergency room of St. Anthony Hospital in Michigan City on Nov. 14, 1990.

Gonzalez wins Engineering Award

NOTRE DAME—Jose Gonzalez, retired chief engineer and administrator of the Laredo-Webb County Health Department in Texas, has received a 1992 honor award from Notre Dame's College of Engineering. Gonzalez, a 1950 ND graduate, was selected for "his distinguished achievements in engineering, public health and service," said Anthony Michel, dean of the college. Active on behalf of the migrant farmworkers in the Southwest, Gonzalez obtained the first migrant worker health care grant in the nation and the first Blue Cross/Blue Shield program for migrants. In 1962 he was responsible for a three-day program which prevented a polio outbreak by inoculating 93 percent of Laredo-Webb County's population and 10,000 residents of Nuevo Laredo, Texas.

CASTELLINO TO CHAIR NIH STUDY SECTION

NOTRE DAME—Frances Castellino, dean of the Notre Dame College of Science and Kleidorek-Pradzo Professor of Biochemistry, has been appointed chairman of the hematology study section in the division of research grants of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) Department of Health and Human Services. Castellino has conducted extensive research on the mechanism by which the human body forms and dissolves blood clots. His research major support from the NIH, which in 1974 gave him a research career development award. Castellino has also won a prestigious Dreyfus Teacher Scholar Grant to further his investigations into the basic enzyme chemistry of blood.

OF INTEREST

Any off-campus students interested in playing football, the first practice will be Monday at 5 p.m. at Sukan Field. Any questions call Keith at 273-2514.

Activities night is Tuesday from 7-10 p.m., at Gate 3 of the J.A.C.C. All clubs registered for Activities night must sign in by 6:30 p.m. or risk losing your spot. For questions call Jennifer Blanchet at 283-4975 or 283-2086.

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ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1910: Russia declared Montenegro an independent kingdom under Nicholas II.

1941: FDR created a seven member Supply Priorities and Allocations Board to speed arms to Allies.


1982: In Spain, Greenpeace boats blocked the dumping of atomic waste.

Five years ago: Jerry Whitworth was sentenced to 365 years in jail for his part in a Soviet spy network.
U.N. adds more troops in Bosnia

LONDON (AP) — The United Nations announced Thursday it was sending more troops to safeguard aid convoys in Bosnia, and European defense officials stepped up pressure on Serbia with calls for a blockade to enforce sanctions.

In response, a Serb leader attending a conference on the Bosnian crisis said he was prepared to open all prison camps and surrender one-fifth of the territory captured to his forces. British Prime Minister John Major said all warring parties had agreed to attend further talks at a permanent conference beginning next week in Geneva, Switzerland. He said he was heartened by the Serbs' willingness to yield territory.

"We have agreed the essential steps needed to wind down the conflict," Major told reporters as the two-day conference ended. "All of them are fraught with pitfalls. All of them require the involvement and pressure of the international community."

Muslim leaders have agreed to return to negotiations with the Serbs, a Slovenian official said. The Muslim-led government of President Alija Izetbegovic had for months refused any contact with the Serbs.

The warring parties agreed to a declaration that calls for an expanded role for U.N. forces in Bosnia and commits them to disarm violence and respect human rights.

But the statement will not be enforced by military intervention, other than an added number of troops safeguarding aid convoys.

Marrack Goulding, the U.N. undersecretary for peace missions, said Wednesday he wanted to see the U.N. force in Bosnia grow from 1,600 to 3,000. The reinforcement must be approved by the U.N. Security Council.

European mediation efforts have produced a growing record of broken promises during Bosnia's 5 1/2-month war, in which more than 8,000 people have died and 1.2 million have been forced from their homes.

On Thursday, despite a relative lull in fighting, shells that landed in a Sarajevo bread line killed three people and wounded 29.

"The parties in the conflict still have to demonstrate their determination to follow through with the actions that obviously will speak louder than any words coming out of here," said Barbara McDougall, Canada's secretary of state for external affairs.

The reinforcement must be made, he said, while "the Serbs back down from their threats of force, and the Muslims must come to terms with the Serbs and their possible need to be reconciled with the Croats and Bosnian Serbs who live alongside them in Sarajevo."

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Andrew may be costliest natural disaster recorded

MIAMI (AP) — Hurricane Andrew caused $6 billion worth of damage in Florida. It caused $20 billion worth of damage — depending on who’s talking. It may be weeks before anyone really knows, but it appears that Andrew will be recorded as the most expensive natural disaster in U.S. history. And the damage in Louisiana hasn’t even been added in yet.

Kate Hale, director of Dade County emergency operations, estimated the storm caused $13 billion to $20 billion in damages. The estimate was based on several factors. The overall value of insured property in the county has been estimated at $250 billion, and 10 percent of that destroyed is a "conservative figure," considering that almost "half of the county" was ravaged by Andrew, Hale said.

Federal emergency officials earlier estimated the disaster caused $6 billion to $10 billion in damage, although they, like Hale, stressed that their estimate was preliminary.

The most expensive natural disaster before Andrew was Hurricane Hugo in 1989. It caused an estimated $5.9 billion damage in South Carolina, plus another $1 billion damage in North Carolina, for a U.S. total of $6.9 billion. The earthquake in San Francisco, also in 1989, was estimated to have caused $5.9 billion in damage.

The Hurricane Andrew figure also was based on reports from building inspectors, sewer inspectors, Florida Power & Light workers, rescue crews and police officers, said Jackie Mendoza, a spokeswoman for emergency operations.

The figure accounts for $63,000 homes destroyed, as well as countless commercial buildings and much of Homestead Air Force Base, she said.

Although estimates from the Federal Emergency Management Agency had been lower than those by local officials, Grant Peterson, associate director of the agency, said Thursday that he would not dispute estimates from Dade County officials.

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Valpo professor advises students to ‘embrace diversity’ after unrest

VALPARAISO, Ind. (AP) — Fall classes have begun at Valparaiso University, where racial incidents marred the spring, with president Alan Harre telling students to “embrace diversity.”

Harre told students at an orientation the campus will become home to more minority and international students.

“It is my expectation that the long-term consequences of being able to live, study, work and play together will produce not only acceptance but belief, there will also be created a growing appreciation for people who are different,” he said Wednesday.

“a U.S. official said same across quite well,” said Stacy Adams, a graduate education student who is black.

“My feeling about what happened last year is that it’s all in the past,” he said. “It’s up to the students now to make sure that it stays in the past.”

The spring semester ended sourly with black and white students at the Lutheran college calling on students and administrators to recognize a problem of racism on campus.

On April 3, white and black students brawled at a fraternity party, according to a police report. Three days later, a student set off a roll of burning toilet paper and a cartoon bearing racial epithets outside the dormitory room of a black resident assistant.

The following week, about 500 students gathered in protest at the campus chapel and marched on the administration building.

Police later arrested Karl Spalleto, 19, a student from Palatine, Ill. A criminal arson was pending against Spalleto, who claimed the incident was intended as a prank, investigation said.

The resident assistant, LeTari Thompson, said things are different this semester.

“I really do believe there is a sincere change of attitude from what happened last spring,” he said. “I do have a very positive attitude going into this year.”

The changes include:

— two presidential committees studying race relations on campus to create a “multi-ethnic, multi-cultural” climate on campus.

— hiring a second admissions counselor to recruit minority students.

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Indiana rich gained income, poor lost it in 80s, a study shows

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The wealthiest Hoosiers saw their wallets expand even more in the 1980s, while Indiana’s middle- and poorer classes had shrinking incomes, a study released Thursday showed.

The Center on Public Policy Priorities said cash income for the wealthiest 20 percent of the state’s families grew by $5,779, or 7.7 percent, between 1979 and the late 1980s. But for the middle 20 percent of Hoosiers declined $3,877 per family, or about 10 percent, between 1980 and 1989.

Nationwide, incomes for the wealthiest people grew $7,200 per family. The middle class saw an increase of $140 and the poorest lost $210, the study showed.

All figures are expressed in 1992 dollars and are adjusted for inflation.

“Despite state, middle- and lower-income families treated water or lost ground over the course of the 1980s, while upper-income families secured large income gains,” said Isaac Shapiro, co-author of the report with Scott Barancik titled “Where Have All the Dollars Gone?”

The non-partisan think tank, which does research on the poor and middle classes, examined U.S. Census Bureau pre-tax income data for the years 1979 and 1987-89.

Indiana was joined by 13 other states — including Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan and Ohio — that saw a growing disparity between the rich and the middle and poorer classes lose income.

The center’s researchers split families into five equal groups and analyzed the differences in how much the average family income grew in each group and how much of the total income each group received.

Their analysis showed the gap between the richest and poorest 20 percent of families grew in 43 states while the gap between the richest 20 percent and the middle 20 percent grew in 33 states.

The center attributed some of the disparity to cuts in unemployment and welfare benefits, changes in the tax code that hurt the non-wealthy hard and weaker federal labor policies.

“These figures underestimate the growth in income disparities, especially between the top and the middle class,” the center said because the data do not include capital gains income, or about 90 percent of which goes to families in the top fifth.

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U.S. will fly food to Somalian hungry

MOMBASA, Kenya (AP) — The United States will begin flying food directly to Somalia on Friday to feed hundreds of thousands of starving Somalis, President Bush said.

Marine Brig. Gen. Frank Libutti, in charge of the U.S. military operation, said the first of six C-130s will take off before dawn Friday for Belet Huen, 670 miles northeast of Mombasa.

Libutti brought a 34-member delegation to Mombasa on Aug. 17. Since flights began last Friday, eight C-130 Hercules and four C-141 Starifters have delivered about 925 tons to Somali refugees and drought-stricken Kenyans in northern Kenya.

But the operation in Somalia, where 1.5 million people out of a population of about 6.5 million are said to be in immediate danger of starvation, has become the focus of the airlift, ordered by President Bush.

Alumni Association gets a ‘gold medal’

Special to The Observer

The Notre Dame Alumni Association has been awarded the Grand Gold Medal for excellence in alumni programming by the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE).

The Grand Gold Medal is the highest honor given to university alumni organizations in CASE’s annual recognition program.

ND’s Alumni Association is a “model program that reflects solid alumni programming,” said Douglas Dibbert, chairman of the Commission on Alumni Administration, which judged the 1992 competition.

“There are many outstanding alumni programs around the country that are deserving of recognition, and we are pleased that Notre Dame has been awarded the Grand Gold,” said Charles Lennon, assistant vice president of University relations and executive director of the Alumni Association.

The 1992 award marks the fifth consecutive year ND’s Alumni Association has been recognized by CASE. It earned gold medals in 1988 and 1990, and bronze medals in 1989 and 1991.

Lennon credits the gold medal to the Association’s outstanding professional staffs, board of directors and 200 local alumni club officers, but “it is the loyalty and active participation of our 88,000 alumni that really makes our organization outstanding,” he said.

Lennon will accept the Grand Gold medal July 13 at CASE’s annual Assembly in Atlanta.
Clinton in Texas: George Bush is a 'roadblock to progress'

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Bill Clintonbusied across central Texas Thursday pledging to revivethe economy and assure health care for all Americans.

He derided President Bush in his adopted home state as a roadblock to progress, interested only in "his wealthy friends." Joining Democratic nominee Clinton for their fourth campaign bus caravan was running mate Al Gore, who like Clinton said a change at the White House would bring jobs and other help to struggling families.

"You could hold the outcome of this race in your hands," Gore told an afternoon rally in Austin. Along for the ride and rallies were numerous prominent state Democrats, many of whom have shied away from liberal Democratic nominees in the past but were eager to embrace this year's double-Southern ticket.

"You feel a sense of enthusiasm that I haven't seen in a presidential campaign," said Gov. Ann Richards. "It's really fun."

Thirty-two electoral votes are at stake in Texas, third-most

Bush: Clinton plays on fear of foreigners

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Bush has signed a 15-year extension of the Voting Rights Act extending assistance in the voting booth for non-English-speaking citizens.

The original 1965 act required help if 5 percent of a locality's citizens spoke a foreign language and did not know enough English to participate in the political process.

Now, help will be mandated if a jurisdiction has 10,000 or more citizens who speak the same foreign language and are limited in their English proficiency. Another section requires voting assistance where more than 5 percent of the population are American Indians or Alaska Natives living on a reservation and speaking their own language.

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Bush narrowly won both states in 1988, with a 52 percent margin in Missouri and 55 percent in Ohio. His goal was to win back swing voters who supported him four years ago but appear now to have drifted to Clinton.

At a downtown rally in Cincinnati's Fountain Square, Bush linked Clinton to the rich while ignoring working-class families who need jobs, health care, family leave and other help in tough times.

And the Arkansas governor said Bush was keeping America from giving basic health care to all and time off from work to parents with newborn or sick children.

"This administration's sole obsession is keeping taxes low on the wealthiest Americans," Clinton told a rowdy sendoff rally along San Antonio's riverfront before heading to rallies in Austin and Waco, with several roadside stops in between.

Clinton also talked tough on crime as he picked up the endorsement of a statewide Texas law enforcement organization. He emphasized his support for capital punishment and his plan to add 100,000 police officers nationwide.

"You ought to have someone who gives you more than hot air and rhetoric," he told the Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas.

Clinton focused on the economy as he appealed to Hispanic and blue-collar workers in San Antonio, students and professionals in Austin, and a mix of Texans gathered along the road in New Braunfels and San Marcos.

He said Bush had steadfastly defended his economic program at home while "singing a different tune .... He said to the American people, Is there a roadblock to progress?'"

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"We have seen some very positive signs coming from the Rabin government," said Hanin Ashrawi, spokeswoman for the Palestinian delegation. "We have not seen any translation of these words into action."

She harshly criticized Israeli positions in the new set of talks. But she did not suggest an impasse had been reached or that the talks should be ended.

The Israeli delegation, meanwhile, is waiting for a formal response from the Palestinians on its self-rule proposal. "We have patience," said Eyadym bin Shaban, the chief Israeli negotiator.

The Palestinians have not decided among themselves whether to accept a trial period of limited self-rule or to hold out for statehood, an Israeli diplomat said.

Both sides have now put on the table competing proposals for Palestinian self-government in the territories occupied by Israel since the 1967 Arab-Israeli conflict. But Ashrawi said the proposals are "incompatible" because the Israeli offer does not give Palestinians sufficient authority or control over their own affairs.

"We don't want them to close the door to future Palestinian statehood by keeping us under continued Israeli occupation and control," she said.

She contended the Israeli proposal is "tantamount to annulling without saying so" and is "merely a means of perpetuating the Israeli occupation." She said that the Palestinian delegation remains ''seriously concerned'' about the "real and immediate possibility'' of renewed Israeli military and civilian administration and is silent on such basic issues as "land, water and the legal status of the Palestinian self-government body."

There are serious legal and political questions," she said. "But this does not mean that we are not going to negotiate on that the talks are at an impasse.

"We hope the talks will have been very pleasant and polite," she said. "If you judge negotiations by tone, we should have succeeded by now."

Iran cited for human rights violations

GENEVA (AP) - A U.N. human rights panel on Thursday condemned Iran for its "flagrant human rights abuses, including torture, disappearances and unfair detention." It denounced an increase in "summary executions, torture and other cruel, inhuman and degrading violations of human rights ... as aspects of the official treatment of the Iranian people." The panel denounced an increase in "voluntary disappearances, lack of judicial trial and freedom of religion and belief." It also appealed for action to improve the supply of food and medicines to civilians in Iran, but did not condemn Baghdad for "indiscriminate and multitudes." It said the 26-member panel, part of the U.N. Human Rights Commission failed to criticize China's human rights record, despite reports by rights groups describing harsh treatment of dissidentists.

The panel, in a resolution adopted by 18-3 votes, noted Iran's worst threats to Iran. There were two abstentions.

The body said it was "deeply concerned" at the continued violations of human rights, not only in the "flagrant violations of generally accepted human rights standards," namely summary and arbitrary executions, torture and other cruel, inhuman or degrading punishment, arbitrary arrest and detention, enforced or voluntary disappearances, lack of due process of law and unfair trial and freedom of religion and expression."

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in addition, a student can still receive medical attention. Chelmniak said: "Health services will provide the students with a list of alternative health care facilities, such as the South Bend Clinic, where they can receive medical attention.

"For those students without access to transportation, Security will transport the student," Chelmniak said. Security has also added on additional responsibilities in transportation to students to medical facilities. "Security provided transportation to Health Services in the past, so transporting students off-campus will not take much more time than before," said Richard Chlebek, director of Security. Chelmniak said she thinks the changes in Health Services are positive.

"Now that the center is not open 24 hours a day," she said, "we will have an opportunity to provide more education on wellness and illness prevention the students can take more responsibility for their own health." This new arrangement will help Janet Jenkins kill herself in June 1990 and was present when Marjorie Wantz and Sherry Miller ended their lives in October 1991.

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CA court: tapes may be element in murder trial

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) - Tape-recorded notes of psychiatric sessions in which two brothers allegedly admitted murdering their wealthy parents can be used by prosecutors, the state Supreme Court ruled Thursday.

The state's highest court ruled today that potentially crucial evidence in the case of David and Lyle Menendez of Beverly Hills could be used because the two tapes describe psychiatric sessions at which threats were made.

Both brothers could be sentenced to death if convicted of the August 1989 shotgun murders of their parents, entertainer James Menendez, 45, and his wife, Kitty, 42.

Prosecutors say Lyle, then 21, and Erik, 18, were after a $14 million inheritance. They have been in jail for more than two years.

Today's unanimous ruling barred disclosure of tapes from two other psychiatric sessions. But by permitting disclosure of the first two sessions, the court allowed potentially crucial prosecution evidence in the trial.

The disputed evidence came from four sessions between the brothers and psychologist Jerome Oziel. According to excerpts quoted last year by an appeals court, the brothers told Oziel in the first two sessions that they had killed their parents, and threatened to kill the therapist, his family and associates if he told anyone.

Oziel then warned his wife "if he were in danger" and told them about the conversations. The girlfriend called police.

The tapes were made by Oziel after the sessions as a way of keeping notes on the sessions.

Prosecutors also sought Oziel's taped notes of a third session and his actual tape recording of a fourth session. The high court overturned a lower court ruling allowing release of those tapes, saying there were no threats in those sessions that Oziel had to disclose to others.

Suicide machine inventor loses bids for license

SOUTHFIELD, Mich. (AP) - Suicide machine inventor Dr. Jack Keuorkian lost a bid to regain his medical license Thursday, when a state panel said it was upholding an earlier order against reinstatement.

"It is self-evident that suicide is the antithesis of healing," board representative Dr. John Taggart wrote in an opinion dated Aug. 21 and released Thursday in Lansing.

The Board of Medicine temporarily suspended Keuorkian's license on Nov. 20, 1991. The action came after Keuorkian helped Janet Atkins kill herself in June 1990 and was present when Marjorie Wantz and Sherry Miller ended their lives in October 1991.

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LOS ANGELES (AP) — The memory of the Los Angeles riots will make a jury anywhere in the United States afraid to acquit the four policemen charged in the beating of Rodney King, one of the officer's lawyers suggested Thursday.

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Asked whether the country could do better with a president who can work with a Democratic Congress, Mrs. Bush spoke of the economic conditions under former President Carter.

"We had a Democratic president with the Democratic Congress, and we had interest rates at 21 percent, and double-digit inflation and double-digit unemployment, and that didn't work," she said. "(Democrats) want to raise taxes and raise spending. That is just going to spiral us up into all these awful things again."

Mrs. Bush spent three days in California, an electoral gold mine with 54 electoral votes — nearly one-fifth of those needed to capture the White House.

Her trip was an effort by the Bush-Quayle campaign to use Mrs. Bush's high popularity to turn around the president's standing in California. A poll taken before last week's Republican national convention found him trailing Clinton by 34 percentage points.

Instead of speaking about her usual favorite subjects, including literacy, Mrs. Bush included sharp partisan attacks in her remarks. Her favorite targets have been congressional Democrats and the press.

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"Gregorian chants sung by Deeleite," I said, by way of greeting my friend Ellen.

"Hey, how was your summer?" Ellen asked.

I tried valiantly to mask my disappointment. I'd already tried this Gregorian chant by Deeleite business on two other colleagues who just flashed me a withering smile. "Aren't you going to ask me what in the world I'm talking about, Ellen?"

"No, I've learned better," she politely replied. "But OK, it's the beginning of the semester, so I'll bite. Is that the album on your wish list?"

"Totally not," I cheerfully reported. "I'm trying to figure out what would be the stupidest thing to try to market. How do you like this one: Maoist power politics?"

"You've got a better one," Ellen said incredulously. "Ellen was not only humoring me, she actually wanted to play this game. I made a mental note to look into the laws about patenting stupid games. Maybe I could farm it out to Parker Brothers.

"OK, what's your better one?" I said in a challenging tone, reminding myself that I had high school classmates with chicken fat up my sleeve.

"The Republican party's Presidential ticket."

I hadn't explained the rules of the game clearly enough. "Ellen, you're saying that the 1992 Republican ticket is the stupidest thing anyone could think of marketing?"

"You bet. And I'm talking even if Quayle weren't on it. Did you see that ludicrous spectacle the Republicans put on in Hous­ton last week?"

"Uh, I think I was busy that night."

"Well you didn't miss much of substance. But you did miss some of what I took to be the stupidest political oratory of all time."

"Damn, I thought. Being something of a connoisseur of the stupid, I hate to miss out on specimens. Like when I forget to watch Gerald. Maybe I'd better do some catching up."

"So what made the Republican convention so stupid?" I asked.

"For starters, there was Patrick Buchanan. Of course, what he had to say was so evil, so full of hatred, bigotry, and deceit that you couldn't even enjoy the stupidity factor. I just hope that the vast majority of Americans realize how evil were the things that man said."

"That sounds worse than the merely stupid," I offered.

"It was," Ellen agreed. "But with Bush and Quayle, you could kind of sit back and savor some quality stupidity, since their line about what's wrong with this country was just in­credibly stupid.

"They might have been stupid, Ellen," I said by way of clarifying the rules of the game, "but the question is whether it's stupid for the Republicans to market their stupidity or not. I mean, pet rocks may have been stupid, but they obviously weren't a stupid thing to market."

Ellen looked depressed. "You're right. That's the part I'm trying to block out. And it's really scary when you consider the awful things that could come from another victory by these rightwingers. Just the thought of four more years of Lynne Cheney is enough to make me think seriously about defecting to Canada."

"Not wanting Ellen to feel sad, I tried to cheer her up by out­stupiding the Republican ticket. "Vulcan bungee-jumping gear!" I said hopefully.

Ellen smiled. "Sorry, the Republican party is still stupider. I mean, how can anyone take this seriously? Look at the pathetic­ally lame argument Bush is using on the campaign trail about why he should be re­elected."

"You mean how he's trying to blame Congress alone for things like high unemployment?"

"Sure, and how if only the rich could be given another tax break, everything would be la­de-da. Stuff like that. Four years ago, Americans were still buying that cynical product. Now it just sounds like a pitch for retro-junk bonds on the Ed­dies line."

"Woah! Now that's a classic stupid, Ellen," I said admiringly. "'Hmmm. That'll be tough to beat."

Ellen gave me a "Buck up, kid" punch on the arm. "I'll tell you something, though," she said. "I hope I'm right."

"You mean about how stupid the Republican line is?"

"No, I'm sure of that. But I hope we're not underestimating the intelligence level of the electorate this year. Especially since you never know what dirty tricks lie ahead. Come Oc­tober, you can be sure that Geo­George Bush is going to be itching to get this country involved in a war somewhere. God knows there are enough opportunities out there."

Depressed at the thought, I asked in a hopeful tone. "Surely that would be the stupidest thing of all, wouldn't it? I mean, wouldn't it be obvious to all Americans that Bush was bombing somebody just to help­him get re-elected?"

Ellen shrugged. "Hope so. But you never know. Hey, look at the time. I'll catch you later, OK?"

"Yeah, I'll see you, Ellen," I said.

"I don't think I want to play this stupid game again.

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Beach party provides final taste of summer

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S un-worshippers will be elated to know that this year, coming to South Bend does not mean forsaking the traditional comforts of summer. Campus organizations will be praying for sunshine to grace Stepan field this weekend for the beach party being sponsored by Student Activities, SUB, WVFI radio and the student government. Six tons of sand will be dumped on Stepan for the event, which will run from 1 o’clock to 5 o’clock on Saturday.

The party is intended to welcome Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s students officially and give them a final taste of summer before gloomy Indiana weather and more serious academic commitments become unavoidable.

“‘This is designed to be your last fling on the beach... before being caught under the ‘permacloud’...’” said Adele Lanan, assistant director of Student Activities.

Lanan, who said SUB had sponsored similar beach parties in the past, hopes this weekend’s scaled-down version will renew interest in the event and keep spirits high on campus. She insisted that students should be encouraged to take advantage of the simulated beach scene by wearing bathing suits and bringing towels and suntan lotion.

Transporting the ocean proved slightly more difficult than shipping in the sand, but to compensate for the lack of waves and keep students refreshed, SUB will provide a one-ton sundae on the scene.

As a break from sunbathing, a casual volleyball tournament will run throughout the day. Avid players may pre-register teams of six outside the WVFI office on the second floor of LaFortune throughout the afternoon on Friday.

Less intense sports fans should not abandon hope, however, because all players will be welcomed on Saturday. Prizes for the volleyball matches will be awarded.

Dan Langrill, an ND senior and this year’s WVFI station manager, is eager to broadcast live from the welcome back beach party for more than one reason.

“First and foremost,” said Langrill, “we want people to have fun.” The party also provides a rare but excellent opportunity for campus organizations like SUB and WVFI to work together. Langrill commented that the student-run radio station could profit from the exposure, making students more aware of the variety of music WVFI plays.

The station will be roaming the campus throughout the day, broadcasting from dorm rooms and encouraging all students to head for “the beach.”

Carrot Top will perform at Washington Hall at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday nights.

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By MARY SCOTT
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Imagine hanging your clothes on a line or the most popular place to hang house keys. Just a few examples of the most amazing inventions designed by Carrot Top.

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Top campus bands to appear at Rockfest

By LAURIE SESSA
Assistant Account Editor

Among the myriad of activities going on around campus these first few weeks, Live at Stonenhenge: Rockfest! is another event to keep students busy.

As part of Welcome Weekend '92, Rockfest! will take place from 4 p.m.-12 a.m. today at Fieldhouse Mall. In case of bad weather, the rain location is Stepan Center.

Welcome Weekend '92 is being jointly sponsored by Student Activities, Student Union Board, WVFI, and the Classes of 1993, 1994, and 1995. Representatives from all groups met in the spring to generate ideas, and most of the legwork was done this summer by Gayle Spencer, Assistant Director of Student Activities, and Matt Bomberger, Director of Programming for the Student Union Board, according to Spencer.

The concept of Welcome Weekend '92 developed from previous freshmen week activities that members of Student Activities wanted to extend to all students. According to Spencer, the first weekend of the semester was chosen because it takes a while for the class governments to get organized, and Student Activities wanted to relieve them by having something already planned.

Several campus bands including The Pork Choppers, XYZ Affair, Access Denied, Katharsis, Victoria's Real Secret, and Dysfunktion are scheduled to appear at today's extravaganza. In addition to the bands, students can get free snowcones and spin art from 4 p.m.-7 p.m. and free soda and popcorn from 7 p.m.-12 a.m.

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To a doomer dying young: Patrick, we hardly knew ye

Patrick Deviny, 50, former Glee Clubber and Stanford resident, died this summer after years of recurring bouts with cancer.

Jim McKay from "Wide World of Sports" recently explained how he felt with Patrick, whom the terrorists attacked the Olympic Village in Munich in 1972, killing eleven young Israelis. McKay phoned his wife back home in the States, asking her to dictate the words of Houseman's poem. "To an Athlete Dying Young." One stanza particularly moved him, said McKay, and he was able to recite it from memory. "Now you will not swell the rush of lads that wore their honours out/Runners whom renown outran/And the name died with the hands?"

I hope it played well in Munich, but it's not what I want to say about Patrick. The sadness we feel when we hear of people dying young could be wasted, if we sidestepped our chance to look God in the eye.

Armchair theologians on a wavelength with grief have told me that their religious faith has been wiped out by the cosmic events surrounding the death of young children, or the death of young parents of children. I said: "He's there in the hour of trail. Eye witnesses of the laudatory要不然 layers liquidating the victims of the gas chamber slipped betimes away; for the truth is: He responded to suffering and battering and killing of the athletes dying young, and so He sent His Son to be our hero, and a contender Who, by His show of guts, could turn His life into a moveable feast for all. In Him, grace was beginning in the gas chamber, proving His noblesse oblige, before the letting go. The tribute to Hamlin's father can be extended to a host of great-hearted souls, leaving us the memory of their graciousness as a legacy. Part of the heartbreak of the Pat Devaneys, going home, is their great sweetness in the face of adversity. How beautifully they are, in their valiations forbidding mourning."
Former Irish kicker makes cut

SAN DIEGO (AP) — New San Diego Chargers coach Bobby Ross made the right call on his kicker. Now he's got to pick a quarterback.

John Carney kicked three field goals, including a game-winning 50-yarder on the final play of the game, allowing the Chargers to beat the Los Angeles Rams 32-31 Thursday night.

Carney, who kicked a team-record 34-yarder last season, had field goals of 27 and 38 yards in the second quarter as San Diego built a 13-3 lead.

Ross must decide between Humphries and Bob Gagliano as his starting quarterback.

Humphries was acquired from the Washington Redskins on Aug. 13, five days after starter John Friesz suffered a season-ending knee injury in the exhibition opener. Humphries relieved Gagliano for the second straight week and threw a 23-yard touchdown pass to Ronnie Harmon with 1:44 left in the third quarter.

Darren Carrington recovered Todd Kleinhenz's fumble on the ensuing kickoff, and Humphries threw a 4-yard scoring pass to Walter Stanley.

Humphries completed 11 of 16 passes for 118 yards. Gagliano, making his third start, was 6 for 8 for 90 yards in his three drives.

Gagliano moved the Chargers 80 yards in nine plays on the opening drive, including passes of 21 yards to Ronnie Harmon and 28 and 14 to Anthony Miller on successive plays. Rod Bernatine capped it with a 1-yard TD run.

Carney kicked his 27-yarder on the third drive, and Humphries came on late in the second quarter and led the Chargers on a 72-yard drive capped by Carney's 38-yard field goal for a 13-3 lead.

Backup quarterback Mike Pagel led the Rams to two quick scores for a 13-3 tie.

The Rams closed to 13-10 on a 41-yard pass from Pagel to Kinchen as time expired in the first half. Pagel was 4 for 4 for 75 yards on the drive.

The Rams took the second-half kickoff and Pagel moved them 66 yards, with free agent Steve Domingos kicking a 31-yard field goal.

Pagel completed 13 of 22 passes for 174 yards. He also threw a 12-yard scoring pass to Kinchen with 41 seconds left in the game.

Rams starter Jim Everett was 4 for 5 for 102 yards. The Chargers were forced to punt on their only possession of the game.

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Kirby Puckett and the rest of the Twins have been brought to their knees over the past month.

NAPERVILLE, Ill. (AP) - Financial considerations lost out to quality of play, so the LPGA Challenge will start a day late after torrential rain this week left its venue a soppy mess.

"It's better to let the course drain and play a 54-hole tournament," the event's director, Ron Koehler, said Thursday after announcing that the day's final two rounds were canceled.

"Obviously, it hurts financially, but it's better for it to happen now than on Saturday," he said. "Thursday's tickets will be honored Friday.""There was no way for the competitors to have an equal chance Tuesday. Koehler explained. He said it would not have been fair to have some of the competitors play nine holes under adverse conditions Thursday with others testing off at 5 p.m.

"We will take five to six hours of little rain for the course to drain," Koehler said. "The tees and the greens are fine, but there is too much standing water in the landing areas." Also, there is so much casual water that players would have been forced to move their balls 25 to 30 yards, and that would change their shots drastically.

The same starting pairings will be used Friday, but they will be changed for Saturday's round. The cut to the top 70 and ties will be made after Saturday's round, and the final round will be Sunday.

The tournament is the first of six events at the White Eagle Golf Club that opened three years ago. The club was designed by Arnold Palmer.

Koehler said the problem with Tuesday's weather was when there was more than an inch of rain Tuesday night. That forced the pro-am to be cut to nine holes Wednesday.

Another quarter of an inch of rain Wednesday night and early Thursday forced the cancellation.

Dottie Mochrie, on a roll and leading the money winner on the tour, will be among the favorites.

Mochrie has won three tournaments this year, including the Korsholm Classic, a major, and has been second three times. All that has earned her more than $600,000 (this season and previous years) for earnings of $1.58 million, 16th on the all-time list.

"I have no money goals," Mochrie said Wednesday while preparing for the tournament that carries a top prize of $67,500. "My goals are scoring average, birdies per round and Player of the Year points."

Mochrie's name. Manager Tom Knoblauch said.

"If we're not getting the itty, bitty breaks we were two months ago, and you shake your head. Big breaks haven't dropped the Twins from a three-game lead in the AL West on July 27, 1991, behind Oakland. Neither have bad bounces, bad umpiring, bad karma or bad gacume." The Twins, defending World Series champions, are simply playing bad baseball.

Starting with the night of July 27, when Oakland beat them 9-1, through Wednesday, when they struggled to beat Detroit 1-0, the Twins have lost 19 of 29 games. Oakland swept them, So did Chicago. So did Cleveland.

They lost two at home to Texas, two at home to Detroit and blow two in the ninth inning at Seattle.

Everyone wants to know what's wrong with the Twins. "I have no answers," Knoblauch said. "You could stab me till I bleed to death and I'd have no idea. No clue. No answer. Everybody's trying hard. Everybody's playing hard. It's just not happening."

Said Brian Harper: "I don't know. We're trying. We just can't get anything to go right."

A month ago the Twins were 60-38 and seemingly without weaknesses. They were hitting .283, had outscored their opponents 493-372 and had a .437 ERA.

They had only 57 errors in 98 games. Their fundamentals — baserunning, hitting behind runners and throwing to the right bases — were almost flawless.

The MVP award was ready to be engraved with Kirby Puckett's name. Manager Tom Kelly was being hailed as Everybody's Genius.

In short, the Twins looked unbeatable.


In the 29 games since July 27, they have been outscored 145-110 and outpitched 26-17. Their ERA is 4.73 — including 5-90 for relievers, who have blown three saves in seven chances.

They have committed 19 errors. The heart of the order is crippling the offense. Kent Hrbek is batting .172. Chili Davis hasn't hit and has knocked in only five runs.

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Reds gaining steam in hunt for NL West title

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Reds have caught their second wind at the right time.

"The season started as a marathon, then it became a distance race. Now we're getting close to the sprint," manager Lou Pinella said.

They've closed in on the Atlanta Braves as they get close to the stretch run.

Cincinnati has won four straight to reduce the Braves' NL West lead from seven games to 3 1/2.

The Reds have managed to turn a runaway back into a race with some of their best baseball in weeks. But there's one big question: can they keep it up?" Can they keep it up?"

To use Pinella's analogy, everyone's wondering whether they have a kick left. "We're the ones doing the chasing," Pinella said. "We've got to continue to play good baseball. We're not going to win every night, but we've got to get hot and stay hot." It won't be easy. Their starting rotation is in disarray, the lineup still lacks a run producer, and there's little depth due to injury.

And it's not going to get much better the rest of the way. "We're so hot up right now," reliever Bob Dibble said.

"But I don't think guys are going to let that stop them. Right now my pitching is a reflection of the them — they're not giving up, so I'm not giving up."

The Reds are going to need some help. With three hitters, more sensational relief pitching and a lot of luck to overcome the Braves.

The starting rotation — the focus of their off-season overhaul — is a mess. Tom Browning is out for the season with a knee injury, Jose Rijo's elbow is undependable, Tim Belcher has been generally ineffective since the All-Star break, and Greg Swindell's bad back has forced him to miss starts twice.

For now, the Reds are forced to depend upon Tom Bolton, Chris Hammond and Steve Foster to keep the momentum going. Wonder Pinella is restricting his enthusiasm for the race.

"By the end of next week, we'll have a pretty good idea," he said.

The starting lineup also has its holes. Third baseman Sabo is still hobbled by a bad ankle, first baseman Hal Morris isn't all the way back from a hamstring injury, and second baseman Paul O'Neill has a wrist injury that diminishes his power.

But the bullpen's been terrible, and the lineup has enough healthy bodies to produce runs. The offense's main problem so far has been clutch hitting.

"Money is a by-product of all that," Knoblauch said. "I am more golf-oriented than money-oriented." The course will play to 6,274 yards with a par of 36-36-72.

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Blue Jays acquire Cone from Mets for season ending run

TORONTO (AP) — The first-place Toronto Blue Jays are trying something that worked for them last year.

That's when they acquired pitcher Tom Candiotti for the 1991 pennant run. The Blue Jays hope Dave Cone will help them win the American League East title and even more this year.

Neither the Baltimore Orioles nor the Milwaukee Brewers were giving up their pennant drives after learning Toronto had acquired Cone, one of baseball's premier pitchers, from the New York Mets on Thursday.

"I could see them on making a trade," Orioles general manager Roland Hemond said from his Baltimore office. "It's a good move on their part. David Cone is a good pitcher."

The 29-year-old Cone, a free agent at the end of the season, leads the National League in strikeouts with 214. He's 13-7 with a 2.88 ERA.

"I'm somewhat disappointed simply because we're trying to catch those guys," said Pat Bando, senior vice-president of baseball operations for the Brewers.

"I totally understand. I'd have done the same thing if I was in (Toronto GM) Pat Gillick's position."

The Blue Jays, two games up on Baltimore and 4 1/2 in front of Milwaukee heading into Thursday's game with the Brewers, made the trade because their starters have been struggling, said Bando. "Only time will tell. Things don't always work out like you expect."

"We've held our own. Our being in the race all year clearly forced them to make that trade."

Toronto has made a habit of trading for pitchers late in the season, with varying degrees of success. In 1987, the Jays were dueling Detroit for the East. Toronto got knuckleballer nib Niekro from Cleveland, but he didn't work out. Then they got Mike Flanagan from the Orioles.

But Detroit acquired Doyle Alexander from Atlanta and he went 11-1 as the Tigers overtook Cleveland, helping Detroit win in the final week. In return, the Tigers sent John Smoltz, then a minor-league prospect, to the Braves.

"Doyle Alexander helped Detroit win in '87," said Bando. "But John Smoltz helped Atlanta last year and they'll probably win their division again this year."

In 1989, Toronto got lefty Bud Black from Cleveland. The Jays won the East last year and they'll probably win their division again this year.

Feggins, who missed last season because of the injury, Robinson said.

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Texas A&M coach R.C. Slocum has his teams sights set on a national title.

Palmer was scheduled to go to court Monday, but his attorney asked for an expedited hearing, which moved his case up to Wednesday.

The ninth-ranked Crimson Tide opens the season Sept. 5 against Vanderbilt. Palmer's attorney, Roger Smitherman of Birmingham, said Palmer can now begin "focusing on the classroom and his football.

"I'm glad the situation is like any first-time offender but more than twice the legal limit," said quarterback Steve Stenstrom, sacked five times and intercepted twice in the game. "We need to be more sound in our execution."

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next Tuesday to determine the fate of Vincent. Although it is unlikely the owners will vote to remove Vincent, the incident has further tarnished baseball's image.

Most of us can't remember when baseball wasn't a slave to financial concerns. It has been and always will be a business, but the only event of true importance happens between the lines, and the owners are blurring the view with selfish concerns.

Fay Vincent has said—and if given the chance—will continue to do what is best for the game of baseball.

But the owners may hand him his walking papers.

Where do I apply?
Beck shoots bogey-free round

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Chip Beck withdrew from a tournament to practice for the World Series of Golf. And it paid off. "I wanted to be prepared," he explained. "I wanted to learn the course and the greens. I'm glad I spent the two extra days here."

The two additional practice sessions helped produce a bogey-free, 5-under-par 65 that gave him a two-stroke lead Thursday in the weather-interrupted first round of this $1.4 million event.

Included in those 65 strokes were 11 one-putts, including par-savers on four of the last five holes at the Firestone Country Club.

Obviously benefiting from those added practice sessions, as well as an early tee time that got him off before the greens spiked up, Beck used only 11 puts on the back nine.

"I wanted to have a little better shot at it here," said Beck, who secured his place in the elite field with a victory in New Orleans earlier this year. "Half my game is preparation," said Beck, who last year became only the second man in PGA Tour history to record a 59. "It's important for me to be prepared. It's different for every individual, but for me it's preparation that's what it takes for me."

Today, however, it may take some help from the weatherman. The forecast calls for 90 percent chance of rain, possibly heavy, and thunderstorms from the remnants of Hurricane Andrew.

The international field got a little preview of the possible problems with a one-hour, 35-minute thunderstorm delay late Thursday afternoon.

Masters champion Fred Couples, playing in the final twosome with U.S. Open titleholder Tom Kite, was among those held up and wrapped up his 67 only moments before darkness fell.

Despite his second-place standing in a tournament that offers $252,000 to the winner, Couples said he was still well short of the form that produced three victories early this year. "This is just one round. I'm far from getting it back," Couples said. "I have a lot of work ahead of me."

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Leader Chip Beck looks to maintain his two stroke lead going into today's second round.

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ATLANTA (AP) — The Atlanta Falcons expressed little hope Thursday night of having Pro Bowl cornerback Deion Sanders on the field when the team opens the regular season on Sept. 6.

"The probability of him being here in the next few days is not high," Jim Hay, the Falcons chief financial officer, said after negotiating with Sanders' agent, Eugene Parker, for the second day.

Parker also met with Atlanta Braves general manager John Schuerholz earlier in the day and was meeting with him again Thursday night shortly before the start of the Montreal-Atlanta baseball game.

"We've probably had a short recess for a little while until someone else comes out with a better idea," Hay said.

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Hoosiers to test Irish in exhibition

BY JASON KELLY

SPORTS WRITER

It has all the ingredients to be one of the best college soccer games of the season. Except for one.

Neither team really cares who wins.

When the 20th-ranked Notre Dame's soccer team travels to Indianapolis tomorrow for an exhibition game against number five Indiana, in the Golden Boot Classic, both teams will be more concerned with themselves than with their opponent.

It's different than a regular season game, and the coach Mike Bertiellli, "I could care less about scouting Indiana and I'm sure they feel the same way." "What Bertiecelli does care about is filling some holes in his lineup before the regular season gets underway next weekend.

The starting unit has already undergone a major face lift during the preseason. Senior forward Kevin Pendergast and junior midfielder Mike Palmer are both being considered for a shift to defense. Sophomore Tim Oates and freshmen Bill Lanza, both expected to be major offensive contributors, are nursing injuries allowing other players to see preseason action.

"We won't be the same team against Indiana that we will be later in the season," explained. "But the game will give us a chance to look at some other players and see how they can contribute." Although the teams are not losing sleep over the importance of tomorrow's game, the Classic will provide a taste of the regular season.

"There will be thousands of people at the game, so there will be undercurrents of a regular season game," Bertiecelli added. "We need to downplay that and remember that it's just a practice game."

There's no better way for an improving soccer team to practice than to battle one of the nation's best teams.

Regardless of all the hype, however, Bertiecelli will not allow his team to lose its focus. "This is nothing more than an opportunity to practice and try out some different combinations," he explained, "but quickly added, "when we play them in the regular season it will be a different story." For now, it's just practice.

Hurricanes return to practice after frightening delay

VERO BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Football never sounded better.

Shoulder pads collided, young men grunted, coaches screamed, and the nation's top-ranked team began to recover from wounds inflicted by a devastating hurricane.

"We've got our backs to the wall," Erickson said. "Whether we rally or whether we don't, we'll find out in the next seven or eight days."

Players expressed confidence that they'll be ready for Iowa. It's just a matter of concentrating on football again, they said, and the veterans will show the younger players how to do it.

We have great senior leadership," junior defensive end Rudy Medearis said. "If I was going into combat, I'd want to bring a couple of those guys in there with me."

Kevin Williams said Andrew's devastation will serve as motivation, without power and food, "We'll be playing for them."