Hall-of-Famer sponsors scholarship

By MATTHEW LOUGHRAN

A two-time All-American, 1947 Heisman Trophy winner and College Football Hall of Fame inductee, John "Johnny" Lujack won many honors in his time at Notre Dame. Now, he has decided to give back to the University that helped him accomplish so much.

Lujack has given the University $200,000 to establish a general scholarship to begin in the 1996-97 school year.

"Undergraduate financial aid is Notre Dame's top fund-raising priority, and we are deeply appreciative that Johnny has gone the "extra yard" with us on this new and generous scholarship," said University Executive Vice President Father William Branham.

Lujack, who had a disting­uished professional career, has offered financial assistance to certain religious groups and the faculty of the University.

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Appleby probes religion, violence

By STEPHANIE DOYLE

In order to understand the causes of religious violence, people must understand both the religious peacemaker and the milit­ant, according to Scott Appleby, Notre Dame associate profes­sor of history, who lectured yesterday on "Religious Violence and Peacemaking after the Cold War: Patterns and Possibilities" at the Hesburgh Center for International Studies.

Appleby, who has authored two books and numerous articles on the topic, stated that religion "has a dual role to play," serving both as a "bringer of peace and the sword."

Describing the relationship between religion and ethnicity in society, Appleby stated that religion reinforces ethnic identities in many places today. He said that the current wave of ethnic violence in the Middle East started before the Cold War began, not after it ended, as many believe.

Involvement in religious conflicts has changed because larger nations have a lot more to gain by interfering in disputes outside of an international organization, according to Appleby.

"Previous nationalism was widespread throughout the world in the problem of religion and ethnicity," Appleby said.

On the topic of religious violence, Appleby explained that historical evidence of the survival of certain religious groups and demon­ization of the enemy are some of the causes of religious vio­lence in society today. Certain groups will pinpoint one instance.

Southbound students bask in 'sun' of area salons

By LAURA SMITH

By Friday night, the campus of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's will be quiet. While some students may be going home and some may spend their break job-searching, many students at both schools and Notre Dame students are heading for the sunshine. And many of these south-bound students who are traveling to warm and exotic places are not wanting until they get to their destinations to catch some rays. Those frequenting the tanning salons of the South Bend area in search of a warm glow.

"This is definitely our busiest time of the year," said Carson, the owner of PowerTan on South Bend Avenue. "Not only are students going to Florida and other similar travel destinations, but many of our regular customers are staying in the area to enjoy the sunshine. There are many who have taken advantage of these specials. I went tanning for the first time last year before Spring Break, and I'm tanning again this year because it is relaxing and assures me I won't get burned in Florida," according to Ellen Duggan, a Saint Mary's junior who lives for Panama City Beach this Friday.

"As far as I was worried about skin cancer and wrinkles," Duggan said, "but since I don't go any
DeBartolo: The Ph.D.'s nightmare

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Each semester, without fail, students squashed themselves into the "front" doors of DeBartolo and attempted to figure out the seemingly random assignment of rooms numbers. Once in the classroom, they often found that they also had to participate in DeBartolo's Fiber Optic "Media-on-Call" system. Known affectionately to many as "Media-on-call," this usually requires that students sit there patiently (hopefully they will come with instructions "OK, what do I press?""). "All right, I pressed that and it says pause." "Oh wait, I just pressed something, I'm not sure if it's really lucky, they'll get a special visit from one of the "Media-on-Call" technicians who come to the save the day. Now, with 15 minutes of class time left, the class is ready to watch the 45 minute video over.

Over the past four years, this scenario has been repeated in one too many DeBartolo classrooms. It's not an isolated phenomenon. And all this confusion is just to get a video or CD to play. It just doesn't seem worth it.

Supposedly, at least four rooms in DeBartolo can connect with the satellite uplink at WNDU to receive a program. Professor fiddles with buttons and on-screen displays. Eventually, the professor will give up using some basic instructions for using videotapes and attempting to figure out the seemingly random system. The professor and studentsEmitter would explain all aspects of the "Media-on-Call" system. If they don't, it would not be unreasonable to wonder what they are going to do immediately. DeBartolo should require that all professors attend a mandatory training seminar that would explain all aspects of the technology available to them. Even satellite technology would be explained.

It's not a viable option, how about typing up basic instructions in the room for using videotapes and CDs? Media-on-Call could facilitate the instructions and make copies available in every classroom. That would eliminate "Now do what I press?" phonecalls and make life easier for all involved. Nothing is worse than being Trashed by "cutting-edge" technology.

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On Junior Tuesday, Dole seeks commanding lead in GOP race

Just a week ago, the GOP race was in chaos. Dole had won Iowa but was barrel-rolled by Buchanan via a New Hampshire win. New Hampshire, Forbes then won Delaware and Arizona, setting momentum from Buchanan and leaving Dole trailing. But Dole recovered to win South Carolina, and his overwhelming victory with 45 percent of the vote — re-established him as the main man to beat.

Polling there and in Arizona also suggested that Buchanan's New Hampshire victory — and the exposure it brought the controversial commentator — had triggered a block-Buchanan sentiment not only among the GOP establishment but also among primary voters.

Moreover, there was evidence as the GOP race moved into a crowded March that more Republicans were thinking ahead to November — a dynamic that helps Dole.

In Smyrna, Ga., Coca-Cola worker Martha Hughes said she liked Forbes and his flat tax the most but voted for Dole because "I think he's the only one who can beat Clinton."

Joy Toews, a Maryland accountant, voted for Dole and said, "He represents the best candidate for the Republican Party and he's a veteran."
Sherwin examines Pope's view of science, faith

By ERICA ESPINOLA and LISA BONK, News Writers

Were they two lovers or just good friends? Exactly how closely related are science and religion? These were two questions posed by Father Michael Sherwin in his lecture "Reconciling Old Lovers: John Paul II on Science and Faith" last night.

"Both science and religion must preserve their own autonomy, but in many instances the two regions dominate," Sherwin said. "The Pope states that science has a two-fold obligation: Scientists must engage the whole community in their findings, and they must recognize the transcendent truth about the universe, according to Sherwin. The Pope makes a controversial claim that scientists must realize that there is something more than detectable matter, and there is a transcendental element that the renowned Pope says he believes. He asserts that the scientific and religious community is not in internal conflict, according to Sherwin. Isolation is not an option," Sherwin said.

Science can correct the errors and superstition in religion, and religion can correct the idolatrous false absolutes in science, Sherwin said. The core view of Pope John Paul II is that "there is no freedom without the recognition of truth," Sherwin said.

The many questions that are being posed by students at universities across the country stem from the lack of theological foundation in science, according to Sherwin. "Why shouldn't I falsify my data? Why shouldn't I just take someone else's?" These students are asking professors today and many of these questions can be answered by those who can relate the fields of science and theology.

We need leaders today to guide us, according to Sherwin, who added that "we need a new St. Thomas to do this for us as in our day what he did in his day." When the floor was open for questions, there was a student asked if there is such a person in today's time who can guide us. Sherwin said Notre Dame Professor of Chemistry and Biochemistry Rudolph Bottei may be such a leader because Bottei is someone who strongly believes in relating religious to chemistry and chemistry to religion in his lectures. He is very successful at meshing the two, according to Sherwin.

SMC forum addresses women's leadership

By TRICIA MALOVEY, News Writer

Issues concerning women's leadership at Saint Mary's and questions regarding the lack of use of the Women's Center were addressed at a forum held in honor of Women's Month last night in the Saint Mary's Chapel. "The Women's Center is a place for everyone, especially for all of the student organizations, to hold meetings and get-togethers," said one faculty member of the Center, which is located in the basement of Le Mans Hall.

Another topic addressed was that of the Women's Studies Program and feminism. A suggestion was made to include a women's studies course as a requirement.

Also discussed was the atmosphere at Saint Mary's College and the fact that, while Saint Mary's College is an all women's college, not many students focus on the importance of it being all-female.

"Many times people come to Saint Mary's College, not because it is a women's college, but in spite of the fact that it is a women's college," stated another faculty member.

The talk was sponsored by the Women's Center, the Sisters of Notre Dame, the Women's Studies Program, the Center for Academic Innovation and the Fund for the Improvement of Post Secondary Education project.

Grant to explore COLT ideas

By ALLISON KOENIG

A grant to a group of Saint Mary's students, faculty, and administrators will initiate the actual experimentation of many of the ideas generated during the conference.

A COLT group consists of two students, one faculty member, one alumna and one administrator who is concerned with student development. Any student interested is encouraged to pick up an application from Student Activities.

Melissa Peters, one of the project's coordinators, stated, "People keep saying there's nothing going on on this campus. This is their opportunity to make Saint Mary's better." Five to six applications, each an exploratory idea, will be accepted by Student Activities. Between 10 and 12 thousand dollars have been allotted to the exploration of the COLT's ideas.

Necessary travel expenses will also be included for the benefit of each group, according to Peters.

The commitment to be a member of a Community Leadership Team, through the FIPE grant includes fulfilling a certain number of hours, drawing a conclusion for the project by the end of the 1996-1997 school year and visiting other women's colleges to gain ideas for improving the community.

In addition to the theme of better faculty, student, and administration collaboration, topics mentioned at the luncheon as possible topics for COLT group discussions were women's overall wellness, methods for supporting new freshmen, a reduction in the transfer rate and classes addressing multicultural issues.

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Council nominates co-chairs

By DEBORAH SCHULTZ
News Writer

Deborah Hellmuth, co-president of Pasquerilla East Hall, and Mike Tobin, co-president of Flanner Hall, were nominated for the positions of co-chairs of Hall Presidents' Council at the HPC meeting last night.

In other HPC news, representatives from Pasquerilla East, Lyons, Lewis, and Keenan Halls announced that they are sponsoring a multicultural week the week following Spring Break.

HPC will feature a student panel, a faculty panel discussing affirmative action at Notre Dame, movies, dinners and other cultural activities. "We have worked pretty hard on this and I think it will be very informative," said Isabella Marchi, co-president of Lyons Hall. "We encourage everyone to come. We really hope to have a good turn out."

Violence continued from page 1 of violence in the Bible or other religious scripture and use that as their justification for vio-

Appleby concluded by addressing the different rules religious peacemakers play - they can serve as advocates, intermediaries, observers and educators of peace. Religion has an advantage in peacemaking in that it is uniquely placed to be both the center of conflict and resolution, he said. Also, religious leaders could play a significant role in peacemaking, he said.

Third, the GSU also expressed a desire for increased graduate student representation in the AGA, with the main thrust of the argument being that graduate students ought to be included in decisions that affect the departments for which they are being trained.

Third, the GSU asked that the University develop a plan to improve the graduate programs.

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Wealth, power shape U.S.

By MIKE JACCARINO

In a lecture given before a predominantly professional and faculty audience at the College of Business Administration yesterday, Charles Perrow, a sociologist at Yale, spoke yesterday about the dynamics of wealth and power concentrations in the United States.

According to Perrow, the hands-off environment set the stage for the sweeping control exercised by corporations over the labor force during the industrial revolution.

"Suddenly seven-year-old kids were working 12 hour days, carrying 16 pound loads up the flights of stairs in the textile mills springing up across the East Coast," Perrow said.

"Farmers went from mill to mill, puddling their children, as Irish immigrants fleeing the potato famine worked for next to nothing."

"We've always had a tremendous labor supply because when we ran out we went over to Europe and brought [labor] here, offering great promises," Perrow said.

Many of the jobs and divisions present within society today originated with the practices employed by the corporate organizations of the industrial revolution, according to Perrow.

"As long as there's a reason you can pay women less, as long as workers are fighting over race, religion and ethnicity, they're divided and wages can be kept down," he said.

With such far-ranging control of labor and the enormous amounts of capital available through their control of industries, corporations began to consolidate and merge into powerful corporations eliminating competition, according to Perrow, who pointed to this trend as the origin of the concentration of power and wealth in large organizations.

The resulting corporations were able to manipulate government policy, beginning what Perrow said was a cycle of manipulation in the relationship between government and the corporate world in American politics.

"We have a government and economic system which sends the incentives up, not down. We have a Congress that's made up of mostly millionaire businessmen, and it's the men who write the laws," Perrow said.

"As corporations grow stronger, their control over government becomes easier for them to pass the legislation they want, making them stronger still, and then the process begins anew," Perrow said.

Perrow ended by offering an evaluation of the present as well as predictions for the future.

"The same thing that was happening at the turn of century by corporations is being done today but only in a more refined manner," Perrow said. "If changes are not enacted, this country is going to deteriorate economically in the face of other countries with a better way." Perrow said. "I'm afraid for my children who will feel the social unrest and problems that exist now will not change, and I'm not sure there's a solution."

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Among our recent graduates two very popular kinds of jobs have been as actuaries and as computer programmers or systems analysts. A few of the insurance companies hiring our graduates as actuaries are Allstate, Massachusetts Mutual, CIGNA, The Travelers, Prudential, Aetna Life and Casualty, and Metropolitan.

AF&T, Arthur Andersen, Deloitte, IBM, GE, Eastman Kodak, Morgan Stanley, NCR, General Motors, and Xerox are a few of the companies where our math graduates work as programmers or analysts.

THAT IS AN IMPRESSIVE LIST. BUT ARE THESE DESIRABLE JOBS?

The 1995 publication JOBS RATED BY MANAC rated job classifications using the criteria of income, outlook, physical demands, security, stress, and work environment.

The top six, out of 250 job classifications, were, in descending order: actuary, software engineer, computer systems analyst, accountant, paralegal assistant and mathematician. This means 6 out of the first 6 top jobs are in the mathematical sciences.

I LIKE MATHEMATICS, BUT I'M NOT SURE THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO DO FOR THE REST OF MY LIFE. WOULD AN UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE IN MATHEMATICS MAKE SENSE FOR ME?

It could very well. As I mentioned earlier, a degree in mathematics represents training in analytical thought and quantitative skills that are invaluable in many areas of human endeavor.

WHAT ABOUT NOTRE DAME MATH GRADUATES? WHAT OTHER AREAS HAVE THEY GONE INTO?

I'll name a few: medicine, music, dentistry, law, engineering, meteorology, business (MBA), applied physics, and theology. These students continued their studies at places like Northwestern, North Carolina, Stanford, Indiana, Illinois, Yale, Boston College, University of Pennsylvania, and Georgetown.

Do any Notre Dame Math Majors go on for higher degrees in the mathematical sciences? Certainly. Some of our best students continue in pure or applied mathematics, computer science, statistics, and other mathematical sciences.

They've gone to places like Harvard, Princeton, Chicago, Oxford, Berkeley, and Wisconsin. Many of them teach at colleges and universities across the country. Others work at places like Bell Laboratories or at government organizations like the National Security Agency.

WHAT ABOUT THE PROGRAMS OFFERED BY THE MATH DEPARTMENT?

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The department also offers an Honors Mathematics Major in the College of Science and one in the College of Arts and Letters.

Come to our Open House on Wednesday, March 27, from 7 to 8 PM in Room 226 of the Computing Center and Mathematics Building and find out more about our programs.

You may also call the Math Office at 631-7245 to arrange an appointment with our Associate Chairman Prof. Migliore or our Director of Undergraduate Studies Prof. Rosenthal.
I try to stay away from the subject of abortion, but today I'm going to have to add to the hundreds ofaboortion-related pieces you've probably read this year already. If you are patient and read a number of abortion-related quotes from the Bible about why abortion is wrong, because I don't think anyone can do so without fail to support abortion. What's more, I feel that they don't explain to me. They do. 

And while I still can't see myself as a feminist. I recognize that women still face some battles today, battles that men don't have to deal with. On the other hand, contrary to pro-abortion activists - usually consisting of people who label themselves "feminists" - I don't at all see the woman with an unwanted pregnancy as the "one with my Doc Martens, they usually change their minds."

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**EULER: THE EDITOR**

**VIEWPOINT**

Setting the Holocaust record straight

Dear Editor:

As a Notre Dame community
should be concerned about the
upcoming political correctness
that we should all emphasize the
evils of the Nazi regime
and honor its victims.

Our memory, however, should
not minimize the circles of guilt
and complicity. Regarding the
claim that the military played no
role in the killings, research
during the last ten years by a
group of German scholars in
the Federal Military archives
in Bonn has revealed that armed
forces played a major role in
the Nazi war machine.

Neither should we exaggerate
our description of who were the
targets of the Nazi aggression.
The Nazi specifically
sought out groups that were
physically disabled, homosexual,
Communist, anti-fascist or
resistant groups (among whom
were Christians, Social Democrats,
students, and aristocrats).

The Nazi regime committed
murder, torture, and genocide.

We are responsible for what
as a group knew about these
events and for how we feel about
it. Taking this into full
reflection, one could consider

Dmer Barton’s “Hitler’s Army,”
"The German Army and Nazi Policies in
Occupied Western Europe," and Christian Streit’s
"The German Army and the Policies of Genocide" in G.
Streit’s "The Politics of Genocide." One can still prof

On the issue of contemporary
policies, one could consult

- Hans Georg Betz’s article "The
Two Faces of Radical Right-wing
Politics in Europe" in Notre
Dame’s "Review of Politics",

- the January 8th "New Yorker"
issues of Ingo Hasselbach’s
article, "Anyway, Rasshass led
a neo-Nazi movement in East
Berlin in 1980s and 1990s, and had
tied to American neo-

Nazis.

But we must carefully consider the
lessons we draw from history,
and we must help to prevent
crime.

ANDREW C. GOULD

Assistant Professor of

History

The key to meatless Fridays:

Give up complaining

for Lent

Dear Editor:

Dear Editor:

May be my first annual reply to the annual com-
plaints from Lenten meatless Fridays. This year’s version of the complaint is artfully brought
on by Andrew Streit, Kristin Nannery, on Friday last in the
inside column.

She says that meatless meals are not a sacrifice if they are
not voluntary. Gosh, just like your mother used
to serve? Does the term "in loco parentis" mean anything to you?
In case you have not recognized the opportunity, your
"voluntary" sacrifice lies in eating these meals with-
out complaint.

God bless you.

MIKE SWADNER

Technician, Harris Center for Aerospace Research

Rationality not relevant in war

Dear Editor:

Professor Delaney of our noble philosophy department was
certainly right in saying that you can hardly put forth an argu-
ment near a philosopher without him up and poking hole in it.

Potter doesn’t seem to understand the context in which
Foran and I decided our positions. Although, I must admit
that our work in this country is of utmost importance. I have
done nothing really worthwhile besides provide the world with tequilas, Mexico and its government are the cause of
millions of deaths and billions of dollars getting in our country, and we should turn Mexico into
the world’s largest golf resort in the world because
Mexico has never done anything really right.

I have heard from Buchanan. I have heard from Pat Buchanan.
I won’t quote from him directly to spare myself from needing to
quote from him. He is an idiot. If he was a scared, insecure White male,
and he is not like him, then I probably would whimper
and whimper, too.

But surely there are some people out
there, don’t you think?

So, Potter, if you are so intent on finding "rational argu-
ments" for everything, don’t approach the topic of war. Is war
over rational? No!
You are right in your claim that Foran’s apparent pacifist
position “does not seem to enable one to give a moral justifica-
tion of the use of violence” in the string of conflicts in which
the U.S. has become involved. But isn’t that just the nasty side
of war? It’s so bloody hard to justify. If violence of any sort
was rational, I’d rationalize my way to hitting anyone on the
head with a rock anytime I didn’t like their opinions.

I doubt Foran was trying to base a moral argument against
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then try it again.

SHELVY HIGHSMITH

Senior
St. Edward’s Hall

Christiane Likely

Republicans whisper and whisper

I had the best hand I’ve had in a few weeks.
Seven spades, three diamonds, two clubs, and a
heart. I bit my nails, I clenched my fists, and my
partner and I went seven. We were only
down by twenty points and we could take the lead
for the first time since the opening deal.

From what I understand, the decline in the use of
smoking is due to the beginning stages of our game of spades,
and our opponents agreed not to talk
smoking and winning the hand, but then I smelled
inght that there was going to be
up to smoke blowing into the din-
ning room through the Center for Social Concerns from the
main hall’s cigarettes.

I felt the need to be an alterna-
tive exit, but I didn’t see the same
exit until I found that someone
shouted some expletives
and threw a smoke bomb in the building.

The Notre Dame Chapter of the National Association of
Students of Color is not alone. People were holding a Black History Month Closing
Day last fall, when two students got up from their
tables, kicked the smoke bomb out the door and
proceeded to chat after the bomb.

Unfortunately, they didn’t get a
deserved description.

I am not a paranoid person, but this
situation sounds pretty shady to me.
Many have said that this is just a situation where some
dirty words were shouted to someone
while the students finished
up their coffee.

Prime example: this past week a certain
syndicated columnist (Mike Royko) in a certain newspa-
per was called a dirty, lousy Irishman.

Pat Buchanan. One of Buchanan’s points on his plat-
form deal with immigrants coming in from Mexico
and for you to sweep around
anyone but our government is a cop-out.

Surely there are some people out
there, don’t you think?

So, Potter, if you are so intent on finding "rational argu-
ments" for everything, don’t approach the topic of war. Is war
over rational? No!
You are right in your claim that Foran’s apparent pacifist
position “does not seem to enable one to give a moral justifica-
tion of the use of violence” in the string of conflicts in which
the U.S. has become involved. But isn’t that just the nasty side
of war? It’s so bloody hard to justify. If violence of any sort
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**The Voice of Saint Mary's Women's Choir**

**By KRISTIN TRABUCCO**

**Italian, Spanish, German, French, English. What do these languages have in common? The Saint Mary's Women's Choir can sing in all of them.**

Over thirty-five Saint Mary's women comprise the elite group directed by Dr. Nancy Menk, Associate Professor of Music and Chair of the Music Department at Saint Mary's. The repertoire of the choir is diverse in many ways; just language. "We sing a really wide variety of music," says choir member Emily Bochy. Much of the focus of the choir is on twentieth-century music, because earlier composers did not write music for a woman's voice. This focus in no way limits the choir's selection of pieces, though. Although they do not sing pop music, they do perform some older pieces, as well as a few unusual twentieth-century songs.

For example, this year the choir is working on a piece entitled, "A Dog Walks." "We make the sounds with a hell like a dog running," laughs Bochy. Although they may do some humorous pieces, the choir is very serious regarding its performance.

"It's very challenging and difficult," remarks choir member Erin Shern. Mend has even brought in several composers to work directly with the choir. Last year, Libby Larson, a top women's composer, came to Saint Mary's. The choir performed her "Magnificat" with the South Bend Symphony Orchestra and with a group of women from the South Bend Chamber Singers.

The group's diversity does not end with its pieces. Although the majority of the group are music majors, many other disciplines are represented in the choir. In addition, students hail from seventeen states and are of all age levels. Auditions are held for membership to the year-long choir, and are open to Notre Dame women as well as those from Saint Mary's, although at present the choir is made up of only Saint Mary's students. The choir practices four days a week for one hour each day. Choir members do not mind the time commitment—praise the opportunity to meet other student-ones. By the end of the year, we've had a great way to meet people, especially in the classes." Bochy concurred. "Really is fun is our little family."

At the head of that family is Dr. Menk, director. She has been with the choir for over and each year finds new and interesting, challenging, pieces for the choir to perform. Choir members say Mend has a special affinity for extremely difficult songs, they feel she does a job and is a wonderful director.

In addition to their many hours of practice, the choir puts on several concerts throughout throughout the year and includes a tour of the him next year," said Mend. They turn back on the road. Their spring break will be Colorado before they turn back. They will be singing at the Saint Mary's Women's Choir Club.

A highlight of the trip was the choir's performance at Saint Louis' Central Falls High. Through only one choir member even got to play the sax. Even though it may not be touring this year, several appearances scheduled. They will perform several shows during a Spring festival in Michigan, as well as giving their Spring concert in May. The group also sings at area functions, and has already performed in a Chris. The Women's Choir does many away from our known songs in their shows. "Tweety use music is not the type of thing that usually says Shern. But the group brings professional singing to the South Bend community," Bochy characterizes the choir's pieces. "In different style than most people are used, gives us something a little different, a little tie out of the ordinary, and in the process of doing something new about music which music major would never be exposed to.
Choir

Wed, through Mon. Performance at 8 p.m. in East Gymnasium, where student and alumni choirs, including the Glee Club, will perform. "Thank God I'm a Country Girl:" a show about women's lives. "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow." Ticket information on page 8.

By MELANIE WATERS
Accent Editor

Joseph" mania covers South Bend; sold out shows begin tonight

What's black and white... and green, red, yellow, purple, blue, pink, and orange all over? It's "Joseph" and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, currently being performed by the Glee Club in the Morris Civic Auditorium tonight. Andrew Lloyd Webber's first performed work has come a long way since its 1996 premiere at Saint Louis University. Productions have been sold out throughout the country, covering South Bend. The show has removed the aids for picking from the水稻, with an excelsior spray. The national touring company opens auditions for members of Joseph's: children's choir about a month before the production begins. Here in South Bend, two local choirs have the honor of performing on stage as a part of the cast of the event. Clay United Methodist Church and Stanley Clark School students have been eagerly awaiting opening night after three grueling weeks of practice, practice, and more practice.

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Mets top draft pick shines; Gonzalez back to form

Jeff Kent and Kevin Robertson homered to lead New York Mets over the Orlando Marlins. Kent hit the Mets' first home run of the season in the first inning off John Burkett. Robertson connected in the eighth for his first career home run off Roberto Proctor. Jose Valentin and the Marlins, who had three hits — two doubles and a triple — and three RBIs. He hit .778 (7-for-9) in three spring games, drew two walks, homered and doubled home three of the Pirates, including a three-run Homer.

Rangers avoid 1
Juan Gonzalez, who is nursing an injured elbow behind him, homered and made a fine defensive play for Texas. Gonzalez hit his fourth home run of spring training, in the fourth inning, off loser Lance Johnson for the Rangers.

Moments earlier, Gonzalez made a perfect throw from right field to second base on Yeltz to snare the face of Pedro Martinez on his one-run single into the teeth of the Miami defense.

Texas added two runs in the second inning, on an RBI single by Dave Whitaker and a squeeze bunt by Rene Gonzalez. Gonzalez was 1-for-3 with a walk.

Kevin Gross had three shutout innings for the Yankees. He struck out five and walked two.

Barry Larkin and Hal Morris had run-scoring singles in the seventh inning as Darrell Craig and Dennis Goodwin singled to start the inning and stole second second against loser Greg Gohr. Goodwin scored on the single by Larkin as the Mariners won a run-scoring double by Chris Gomez and an RBI single by Travis Freyman.

Bartolo Colon took a 2-0 lead in the third against starter Pete Scherer before giving up a run-scoring double by Chris Gomez and a single by Shannan Davis.

Hector Carrasco pitched the ninth to collect his second consecutive save.

Blue Jays 4, Twins 3
Joe Carter had a homer among three hits, scored twice and drove in a run as Toronto won its third straight game.

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Fielder not content rebuilding

By HARRY ATKINS
Associated Press

LAKELAND, Fla.

Cecil Fielder has made it clear he doesn't want to be in Detroit while the Tigers try to rebuild. Yet that doesn't mean he will be disruptive.

If the first few days of spring training are any indication, Fielder could be a unifying force on the team.

A couple of months ago, Fielder generated headlines when he told a Florida newspaper he would rather be traded than languish on a rebuilding Detroit team. His words were not received kindly back home.

The Tigers would like to trade Fielder. But his hefty contract makes him unattractive to most other teams, who don't want to pay $7.2 million a year to a 243 hitter, even if he does hit 30 homers.

Fielder seems relaxed and calm. He's even lost a little weight. He wants to put the trade talk behind him.

"I said what I said. But I can't go out there and say that every day," Fielder says.

Fielder could make life miserable for Buddy Bell, the Tigers' new manager. Fielder could turn the clubhouse into a unhappy place if he has a bad attitude.

"If the Tigers can develop Clark into a dependable first baseman, they would use Fielder more as a designated hitter. Some players might object to that, but Fielder has been trying to help Clark along.

"We've got to get Tony out there and let him play," Fielder said.

"He's going to help us. All he needs is confidence.

Sounds like a young first baseman the Tigers once rescued from Japan. His name was Cecil Fielder.

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Olympic team not an option for Iron Man

By DAVID GINSBURG
Associated Press

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla.

By the time he finally realizes the much-decorated Cal Ripken will have accomplished just about everything a ballplayer could imagine.

One thing he won't have, however, is an Olympic gold medal, and the Baltimore Orioles and shortstop regrets never having had the chance to play on a baseball Dream Team.

"I would have liked the opportunity to play in an Olympic atmosphere," said Ripken, a two-time American League Most Valuable Player. "The tours in Japan I've been on with an All-Star team were exciting, and a lot of excitement would be created by a Dream Team.

Until 1992, the Olympic baseball team was comprised of mainly college players. Before that, the Dream Team was only a dream, because professionals were not allowed to play on it.

Growing up, you have a view of amateur athletes and the Olympics, and there was something really special about that, Ripken said. "But if you really start to dig into it and look at the Olympics, a question might be, is it really amateur or more professional, and should we showcase the best we have in the country.

The U.S. Olympic basketball committee in 1989 deemed that professionals should be allowed to participate in the sport, and that's how the Dream Team came about. The U.S. baseball team, however, is still made up of amateurs, in part because the Olympics are held in the midst of the major league season.

"It's been a tough row to hoe. I'm ready to take a stand, but as a player I'd want to participate in a Dream Team situation like that," Ripken said.

Ripken, the 1982 AL Rookie of the Year, who has played in a major-league record 2,133 consecutive games, will be 40 when the 2000 Olympics get under way in Sydney, Australia. If the eligibility rules change in the next four years, and if the major leagues can work out a schedule to allow the players to participate, perhaps Ripken can live his dream after all.

"I can't imagine still playing shortstop then," he said. "But I didn't think I'd be doing it this long, either."
Big East tries to shake NCAA jinx

By Jim O'Connell
Associated Press

New York

It hasn’t been easy being Big East tournament champion the last few years. Not because of how hard it is to win the title, rather because of the lack of NCAA tournament success that has followed. The first two teams to win the Big East’s automatic berth in the 1990s, Connecticut and Seton Hall, had to do it by escaping regional finals, falling to defending national champion UNLV. Since then, however, the preseason resume of the conference champion has been sparse.

In 1992, Syracuse lost to Massachusetts in overtime during the second round. Then came Seton Hall, a second-round loser to Western Kentucky as a No. 2 seed and Providence, a first-round loser to Alabama in 1994. Villanova lost in triple overtime to Old Dominion in the opening round last season as a No. 3 seed, the league’s fourth straight tournament champion to flop.

“I feel we had a tough week playing three games without Kerry,” Villanova coach Steve Lappas said. “Winning at Boston College was a great win. I’m looking forward to getting the team back and doing what we have to do in the Big East tournament.”

George Washington coach John Thompson said the recent failure of Big East tournament champions in the NCAA isn’t a trend to be feared by the coaches and players.

“You hear that argument from a lot of people, but I don’t think so necessarily,” Thompson said. “The emotional high is a lot but other champions have gone on and done well. You have to be consistent and focus. Young people are unpredictable so it’s difficult to say the tournament is the reason why you’re successful or not successful.”

Wednesday’s result could go a long way to ensuring Boston College (17-9) and Providence (16-10) receive what are expected to be the league’s fifth and sixth bids into the field of 64. The latest RPI Report, a computer rating based on statistical evaluation, has Boston College 41st and Providence 45th.

Usually, a rating in the 40s and 17 wins are good enough to get teams from a power league like the Big East an at-large bid.

“I always take a negative viewpoint,” Providence coach Pete Gillen said. “We deserve to be in because we’re playing in the toughest league in America. I don’t care about RPI, PRL, DII, whatever that chemist in Duluth or Bismarck says. He can get a beer as far as I’m concerned. We’ll go in assuming the worst and hope to win one or two games. But in my heart I feel we deserve the at-large bid.”

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- 7 p.m. BIG EAST 1st round - ESPN2
- 7:30 p.m. Illinois vs. Michigan St. - ESPN
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- 1 p.m. Conference USA Quarterfinal - Sports Channel
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- 2:30 p.m. Atlantic 10 Quarterfinal - ESPN2
- 5 p.m. North Atlantic Championship - ESPN2
- 7 p.m. BIG EAST Quarterfinal - ESPN2
- 7 p.m. Conference USA Quarterfinal - Sports Channel
- 7:30 p.m. ACC 1st round - ESPN
- 9:30 p.m. BIG EAST Quarterfinal - ESPN
- 9:30 p.m. Atlantic 10 Quarterfinal - ESPN2
- 9:30 p.m. Conference USA Quarterfinal - Sports Channel

**Women**

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Carried into the second half when they closed the gap to 38-37 on another clutch three-point basket from McMillen. The Irish kept the score close for the first few minutes of the half, but the Hawks gradually pulled away and built a double-digit lead. Connecticut's defensive pressure was too much for the Irish to handle in the final minutes of the game.

The Irish played the game with two injured starters. Sophomore guard Mollie Perrick was playing with a broken nose, and senior forward Carey Pool endured a broken pinky finger on her shooting hand.

**College Basketball**

Cremins leads Tech revival

By PAUL NEWBERRY
Associated Press

A few months ago, it seemed as if everyone was calling for Bobby Cremins' silver-haired head.

The game had passed him by, fans and media said. The most popular comment around Atlanta: "I wish he would have stayed at South Carolina when he had the chance."

"I used to let some of that criticism get inside of me," said Cremins, who accepted a job at his alma mater in 1993, only to return to Georgia Tech less than a week later. "But I no longer let it bother me."

Cremins hears nothing but kind words. He is constant.

Now, Cremins hears nothing but kind words. He is constant.

"I really appreciate the people who believed in me and believed in this program," said Cremins, whose team rebounded to go 20-10 overall and set a school record with a 14-game mark in the ACC.

Cremins finally seemed to acknowledge the score sheet in today's high-paced game. While the Yellow Jackets still rely on three key players - Stephon Marbury and Matt Harpring are All-ACC selections and Drew Barry is a second-timer — the improved depth is noticeable.

Reserves Gary Saunders and Juan Gaston are both averaging double-figure minutes and Bucky Hodge has been able to step in when needed.

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- Appointments will run from Monday, March 18 to Friday, March 29.
- Have a great Spring Break!
Big East
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conference tournament play.
This is one area that Syracuse can look to exploit.
"I expect them to full court press and try to get us rattled and in come apart at the seams," said MacLeod.
The Orange put the squeeze on Notre Dame in Saturday's game, turning the tide with a surprisingly aggressive press that succeeded in quickening the tempo of the game and forcing Notre Dame into turnovers.
Matchup problems are a further disadvantage for the Irish.
Especially troubling is Syracuse point guard Lazarus Sims, who at 6-3 proved a threat in the low-post against a smaller Irish backcourt.
"We have to get more help for Doug (Gottlieb) and Admore (White)," stated MacLeod.
"I'm like to get down in the middle and set screens, which leaves him free for offensive rebounds."

GARRITY HONORED: Notre Dame sophomore forward Pat Garrity became the first Irish player to garner conference accolades, being named to the All-Big East third team. The selections are made by league's coaches.

Garrity is also in contention for Academic All-America consideration. A member of the College of Sciences, Garrity was named to the Academic All-District team for the Midwest region, which qualifies him for national recognition.

Garrity leads the Irish with 17.3 points and 7.1 rebounds per game.

HOOVER'S LAST HURRAH: While the Big East tournament provides a valuable learning environment for a young Notre Dame squad that will return 11 scholarship players to the conference next season, it also serves as a backdrop for the close of senior captain Ryan Hoover's career.

Hoover is firmly entrenched in the Irish record book for career three-pointers made and attempted and free throw shooting percentage. His streak of 42 consecutive free throws made is also a school record.

A native of Boscoville, IL, Hoover has led the Irish in scoring 11 times this season, including his 24 point performance against Syracuse on Saturday.

"Ryan's handled the situation throughout his career," said MacLeod. "If you take his side of it, he's been the focal point of various types of defenses all year. Ryan loves Notre Dame basketball and he's had a very good career here."

SAND, SUN, AND...SOFTBALL? For most students traveling to tropical regions for spring break into the regular season.

Last year, the Belles finished up with a 20-16 record. After losing only 2 seniors to graduation last year, the Belles look forward to strong returners in order to improve their win-loss record.

One of these players is senior pitcher Marta Vogel. Vogel posted a 3.74 ERA and looks to improve upon an 11-8 record. Vogel was recognized as an Academic All-scholar for the 1994-1995 season. Also returning for the Belles are three-year starters Michelle Limb, a 1st-team All-Region center fielder, Laura Richter, a 3rd-team All-Region utility player, shortstop Shannon Heise, and Amy Mich at second base.

Killian spoke about the strength of these five seniors.

"All of these seniors have assumed leadership roles to effectively guide the team," she stated.

"They possess unique qualities that have contributed to the success of past seasons and we expect the same from them for this season."

The Belles also look to first-year players for strength.

Killian stated that the team has added a lot of speed with the new players, and Saint Mary's looks to improve upon an 11-8 record.

"I hope to improve on our Spring Break record last year of 5 wins and 3 losses," Killian stated that winning in Florida will give the team the momentum to carry through the season.

"We set goals earlier for the Spring trip. We are excited about our new players and pleased with how they are fitting in with the rest of the team," she said. "We hope to improve on our Spring Break record last year of 5 wins and 3 losses."

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**SPORTS**

**Men's Big East Tournament**

Ryan Hoover and the Irish have one last chance to get by the big boys in this week's Big East Tournament.

By TIM SEYMOUR

Today marks the last of Notre Dame's new experiences in its inaugural season in the Big East conference, yet a sense of the familiar is also present.

The 13th-seeded Irish (9-17, 4-14) participate in their first ever Big East Tournament when they play fourth-seeded Syracuse (22-7, 12-6) at 1:00 p.m. in an ESPN-televized game at Madison Square Garden. Both the court and the opponent are familiar to the Irish. Notre Dame owns a 1-1 record in the Garden this season, besting St. John's and losing to Manhattan in February games. The Orangemen were the most recent Irish opponent, struggling to a 71-67 victory over Notre Dame on Saturday.

Sophomore forward Pat Garrity became the first Notre Dame player to earn Big East honors as he was named the Conference's third team selection. Garrity, who leads the Irish in scoring, will have to produce if Notre Dame is to top Syracuse in today's match-up.

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**Women's Big East Tournament**

Strike three

UConn beats Irish again despite Morgan's record-breaking night

By TODD FITZPATRICK

In their first ever Big East tournament final, Notre Dame experienced a much too familiar occurrence. For the third time this season, Connecticut thwarted Notre Dame's hopes of an upset victory. Once again, Kara Wolters dominated the Irish defense to lead all scorers with 28 points.

Number two Connecticut held No. 22 Notre Dame to just one field goal in the final twelve minutes of play en route to its 71-54 victory. The Huskies earned its third straight conference championship before a sellout crowd on their home court in Storrs, Connecticut.

Despite the disappointing loss, the Irish (22-7) are headed to the NCAA tournament after finishing second in the competitive Big East conference. Connecticut earned an automatic NCAA tournament bid with their win. The first round match-ups will take place on March 15. Notre Dame might play its first round game at the Joyce Center.

It came as no surprise that juniors Katryna Gaither and Beth Morgan led all Irish scorers. Gaither finished with 14 points and Morgan poured in 12.

Morgan's dazzling dozen earned her a place in the Irish record books. She became the all-time leading scorer in Notre Dame women's basketball history with 1,594 points. Morgan surpassed the former mark of 1,590 by Karen Robinson (1989-91).

The last eleven minutes of the game were particularly rough for the Irish as they fell behind 29-15. The talented Husky trio of Wolters, Jennifer Rizzotti, and Nykesha Sales provided an array of offensive and defensive problems for the Irish.

The last nine minutes of the first half belonged to Notre Dame. The Irish mounted an impressive rally and narrowed the margin to four points when freshman Sheila McMillen nailed a three-pointer with less than one minute remaining.

Notre Dame's momentum continued into the second half as they went on a 7-0 run to grab the lead.

The Irish have nothing to lose, the Irish also lack any exposure to the increased hype surrounding the bigger teams, something the Irish are used to.

Notable: Notre Dame is the only team in the Big East that did not lose to Connecticut.

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**Softball**

vs. Syracuse at Big East Tournament, Wednesday, March 6, 1:00 p.m.

at South Florida Tournament, March 8-10

vs. Lewis Clark State in Seattle, March 8

vs. Long Beach State in Seattle, March 9

Women's Tennis

vs. Kansas State, March 9, 10:00 a.m.

vs. Drake, March 9, 4:00 p.m.

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**Women's Big East Tournament**

Connecticut center Kara Wolters continued her season-long domination of Notre Dame as she paced the Huskies with 28 points in their Big East Tournament final win over the Irish. Katryna Gaither scored 14.

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