SMC embarks on search for new president

By MAUREEN HURLEY
Saint Mary's News Editor

Less than a week after the announcement of Saint Mary's College President William Hickey's resignation, the College's search for its tenth president is well underway.

In what she described as "one of the defining moments of this institution," Mary Lou Gorno, Chair of the Board of Trustees, spoke with a group of students last night about the presidential search process.

Gorno not only explained the process, but elicited feedback on what characteristics students hope to see in their next college president.

Gorno, a 1972 Saint Mary's graduate, was elected chair of the Board of Trustees Saturday. She joined the board in 1987, was named vice-chair in 1991 and served as the chair of the 1994 sesquicentennial campaign.

While the board does have its own timetable and plan that Gorno described as "a systematic decision-making process," she stressed the importance of the college community's input in defining the leadership statement and profile for the next college president.

"We, as a college community, will be actively involved in defining the presidential selection criteria for our next..." see SEARCH/ page 6

Irish activist Hume accepts ND Award

By BRAD PRENDERGAST
News Editor

Calling for a recommittment to peace from both the Unionist and Nationalist sides in the armed conflict in Northern Ireland, Irish social justice advocate John Hume accepted the Notre Dame Award during a ceremony on campus last night.

Hume, the leader of Northern Ireland's mainly Roman Catholic Social Democratic Labor party and member of the European Parliament, has been instrumental in organizing the talks to be held in June between both sides of the conflict. He also helped establish the cease-fire that, until IRA bombings in London resumed in February, had lasted for almost 18 months.

"No one has more fortuitously stood up to violence and in support of human rights than (Hume)," said University President Father Edward Malloy in his introductory remarks last night. "Throughout [his] career, he has been a partisan of reconciliation and an artisan of peace."

Along with the Notre Dame Award, Hume was also presented with a resolution unanimously passed by Student Senate on April 17, honoring him for his life work for peace and congratulating him on receiving the award.

"The essence of unity is the acceptance of diversity."

John Hume

"We felt that it was appropriate to honor a man internationally known for peace," Seth Miller, student body president, said, "and to let him know of our appreciation."

The most distinguishing note on Hume's political resume was his controversial decision to open talks with Sinn Fein leader Gerry Adams two years ago. Originally denounced by... see HUME/ page 8

The Lightning Crashes

By BILL CONNOLLY
Assistant News Editor

Grace Hall has been a fixture on campus since its 1969 opening. This spring however, is Grace's final call as a dorm, and both students and administrators are reminiscing over the unique times the dorm has seen.

Father Terence Linton, rector of Grace Hall, hasn't led Grace for very long. Yet, its spirited and unique atmosphere has made his tenure a pleasant one. "The students are extremely involved in hall life," said Linton. "This [unify] could be seen as odd, since Grace is such a large dorm where it might be hard to promote..." see GRACE/ page 4

The Dome before....

The scaffoldings that partially obscured the Dome finally came down this week. Though the changes are subtle, the windows and the facade are cleaner.

...The Dome after

Honesty is crucial to fostering sexual diversity on the Saint Mary's campus, according to Margaret Bender of the College's anthropology department. A visiting anthropologist who has recently researched Native American cultures, Bender received her doctoral degree from the University of Chicago. She will be teaching a course on the cross cultural study of sex, gender and sexuality at the University of Oklahoma next year.

In her lecture last night titled "Sexual Diversity: Anthropological and Personal Reflections," Bender stressed the need for openness and acceptance of diversified sexual relations.

"Differences within our own culture are not a bad thing, rather, something to be valued," she said.

During the lecture, Bender cited Saturday Night Live's 'Pat' character as a representation violating the normal identifiable gender standards in society.

Bender continued by discussing how in Native American culture, the Berdosh were a unique and spiritual people who embodied many of the... see BENDER/ page 6
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Local society honors SMC nursing students

Nine Saint Mary’s students were among the 35 new members inducted into the local chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing in ceremonies held at Goshen College, Goshen, Ind., on April 19.

Sigma Theta Tau International is an organization of nurse leaders, scholars, and researchers with offices at the Virginia Henderson International Nursing Library located in Indianapolis. Founded at Indiana University in 1922, Sigma Theta Tau has 356 chapters at more than 400 colleges and universities in the United States, Canada, Taiwan, South Korea, and Australia. Worldwide membership is totals nearly 220,000. Membership in the society is awarded to bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral nursing candidates who demonstrate high scholastic achievement and also to graduates of nursing programs who have made outstanding contributions to nursing. Sigma Theta Tau encourages and actively supports further professional development and promotes nursing scholarship, leadership, creativity, and commitment among its members.

The keynote address at the April 19 meeting was presented by Miriam Martin, director of nursing and professor of nursing at Goshen College.

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Latino formal open to public

By BERNADETTE PAMPUCCHI

While it is the second time that the formal has been held, this year is the first that it will take place on Saint Mary’s campus.

As demand for tickets for the formal grew, the event was relocated from Notre Dame to the Saint Mary’s dining hall in order to accommodate the 225 students, faculty and friends who purchased advance tickets.

The Latino Formal is distinct from most dances on campus because it involves a catered dinner and has a distinctly formal flair, encouraging men to wear tuxedos or bow ties and women to dress accordingly. Music for the night ranges from techno to salsa to merengue, bang and house.

The Latino Formal is not limited to members of IAAO or FUERZA, and has opened its arms to the campus population; the dinner and dance are open to everyone on campus.

“[I] would let everyone know that when they come they can feel welcome and be part of the famillia,” said Moises Olivarres, who is organizing a slide show for the event.

“I think it will be cool because I’ve never been there before and it’s something different, and that way we can include the Saint Mary’s community as well,” said Karina Cordova, a Notre Dame volunteer on the dance’s organization committee.

Tickets for the dinner have been sold out, but anyone without a ticket can still come to the dance. Taking place in the Saint Mary’s Dining Hall (located between LeMans and McCandless Halls) this Saturday night, doors open at 7:30 p.m. for dinner and 10 p.m. for dancing.
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dorm unity.”
Indeed, with about 500 men living in Grace, the hall has had the potential to make waves around campus. In addition to upholding the altruistic spirit of Notre Dame with events benefitting the entire community, the men of Grace have won countless interhall championships for their dorm through the years.

Some of the dorm’s most inspiring moments have occurred in their interhall contests with football rival Flanner. However, off the field, most from Grace say the perceived animosity they have for Flanner is resultant of people from other dorms mistakenly creating a disagreement where none actually existed.

The attitude of Grace’s residents has remained upbeat despite this being the dorm’s final year. “There has been no diminishment in involvement in our dorm,” Linton said.

Freshman Sergio De Hoyos echoed Linton’s sentiments. “The upperclassmen could have just given up on Grace. That would have set a bad tone for the entire year, as we (freshmen) would’ve followed their footsteps instead, they remained upbeat, and encouraged us to enjoy this great dorm while it lasts.”

Like De Hoyos, freshman Tadajweski said you won’t find a school such as Grace, a Notre Dame unique lifestyle which few others experience. “You meet a lot more people in such a large dorm, and you get the chance to live in an apartment-like complex, making you better prepared for real life.”

Senior Ed Tadajweski, a resident assistant in Grace, also sees the dorm as one of the best halls on campus. “More than anything, the small sections of 27 men made for closer friendships. At the same time, the events Grace sponsored fostered unity throughout the entire dorm. You also get a lot of privacy since most floors were away from the rec center and from street level.”

Senior Eric Hillegas, another R.A., saw section unity as the key to Grace’s legacy. “Friendships in our sections seem to be very tight-knit compared to other dorms. Section members come out and cheer other section members during interhall games or varsity games.

“One guy even is writing a fictional story about our section. He puts it over the urinal every day.”

The sign was also lit in 1988, the last season Notre Dame won the Spring dance (the Grace-land Dance) and Grace Week provided the highlights for every year. “Section parties are a lot more private than in other dorms, allowing some space when you’re partying.”

Grace residents over the years have prided themselves with their ability to party. Along with Flanner, the dorm has been known for holding the best parties on campus. The relatively large and numerous rooms may have contributed to this reputation.

Some of the best Grace parties occurred while the famed “# 1” sign atop the building was lit. In 1988, the last season that Notre Dame won the national football championship.

“When I was a sophomore, some of the R.A.’s got students together, and we joined forces to put up the sign while Notre Dame led in the polls,” said Tadajweski.

All the local papers featured a photo of the sign, and students were inspired when they saw it lying on top of the tower. “It was great, because we unified the entire campus amidst the celebration,” said Tadajweski.

The sign was also illuminated when the women’s soccer team won the national championship last year. The sign did not light up when the fencing team won a championship, but, according to Tadajweski, that was the administration’s decision.

All these great memories may not be over. Grace Hall may have some surprises left for its residents, perhaps even for the entire campus. “We want to end this off on a good note,” said Linton.

The dorm was named after John Peter Grace, a Notre Dame alumnus. Ironically, Grace died last year just as the news broke that Grace would no longer function as a residence hall.

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Students ‘play’ with the market

By ERICA ESPINOLA
News Writer

When people ‘play’ the stock market, for the most part it’s no game, but business students involved in a just-completed stock portfolio management contest were given the chance to win money without losing their shirts.

The competition, sponsored by the Council on International Business Development, began six months ago and challenged students with the agreeable task of accumulating as much money as possible.

Those competing started out with $2 million dollars on October 2 and could buy anything on the three exchanges, Nasdaq, NYSE, and AMEX. Competitors were to buy and sell on the stock exchange at their discretion in an effort to make the most money.

The exercise’s concluding awards ceremony was held last Thursday in the Jordan Auditorium of COBA along with a preceding dinner in the Atrium. 155 people entered the event. The winners were: first place, Robert Messman; second place, Derek Gustafson; third place, Michael Stelmacki; fourth place, Arunas Gustafson; fifth place, John Blood; sixth place, Jim Feldman; seventh place, Pablo Berckholtz; eight place, Jeremy Joyce; ninth place, Sherry and Kenny Fischer; and tenth place, James Dougherty.

The first place winner received a prize of $2,000, second place received $900, and places 3-10 each received $100 dollars. Competitors could enter individually or as a team.

The student representative of the Council on International Business Development, Tim Maxwell, was pleased with the outcome of this year’s Challenge but says they plan on minor corrections for next year.

Improvements will include more prizes awarded throughout the year and the offering of different brackets for varying levels such including non-business majors and MBA students.

The software employed to monitor competitors the portfolio was donated by Vestek, a software company the University uses to keep track of its own investments.

The Council on International Business Development is currently looking for staff to organize and operate next year’s Challenge. Those interested can obtain information at nd.pmc.109@nd.edu.

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qualities of what can be labeled in today's society as 'homosexual'.

This led her to observe how gay/lesbian relations affect Saint Mary's, and how honesty is key to fostering such diver­ sity. Bender felt there was a sense of isolation on the cam­ pus which did not support homosexual behavior. She also reported sensing uneasiness from the students with regards to discus­ sing their sexual orientation.

After stressing the impor­ tance of faculty involvement for students to identify with, Ben­ der mentioned that Saint Mary's did not provide this neces­ sary attribute. Feeding with Saint Mary's for change, Bender said, "I ask the College to change not in spite of tradi­ tion, but because of commit­ ment to this tradition."

Those attending the lecture responded favorably to Bender. "I appreciate the honesty and hope that everyone can be as open as she was," said Saint Mary's senior Amy Johnson. "It was a wonderful experi­ ence, not only as an educational device but an emotional device for the college," offered Student Body President-elect, Jeni Tipton.

"Bender was very articulate and her comments emphasized the need for both faculty and students to be open about sexuality and to embrace gay and lesbian people all around us," said Junior Carol Jones.

The lecture invited Saint Mary's to take upon the challenges of the time and open up the pathways of communication with regard to sexual diversity.

The lecture was sponsored by People in Support (PINS). Other supporters included the Saint Mary's Board of Governance, Student Activities Board, Women's Studies, and Student Government. Departmental support was pro­ vided by the Anthropology, Sociology, Social Work, Justice Studies, College of Arts and Sciences, English Department, the Women's Center, and Multicultural Affairs.

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India increases power with nuclear capability

By ALEX ORR
News Writer

After enduring a decade long nuclear standoff in South Asia, India appears to be on the verge of moving towards regional nuclear dominance and global autonomy, according to Amitabh Mattoo. In his lecture titled "Nuclear Rumbles in South Asia: New Directions in India's Nuclear Policy," Mattoo addressed the current issues concerning the Asian nation's nuclear capabilities.

Mattoo stated that increasingly, in India nuclear capability is being viewed as the "single most important currency for power" and as "an important bargaining chip" for the country of 685 million. Despite weathering international pressures calling for correspondence, Mattoo labeled India's refusal to sign the Comprehensive Test Ban Treaty as an attempt to "use the nuclear option to correct the asymmetry of international relations.

He predicts that India could follow in the footsteps of North Korea; gaining influence and international political clout by testing nuclear weapons and refusing to adhere to the CTBT. "For India the threat of tests is a way of expressing disapproval at the United States for having not kept its part of the bargain to provide access to American advanced technologies in return for Indian compliance in signing previous nonproliferation treaties," Mattoo explained. "It is important for India to challenge the United States and to not give up the nuclear option for nothing."

However, challenging U.S. power could have dire consequences, he noted. Under the Glenn Amendment, India stands to be severely economically wounded for any testing of nuclear weapons. American aid of defense equipment, direct financial aid, international credit and loans, technical assistance, and credit from U.S. banks all stand to be lost. But international give-and-take must be weighed against factors closer to home: Nuclear tests expand India's sphere of military influence. "There is a wide view that South Asia is now the most likely theater for nuclear war," said Mattoo.

Amitabh Mattoo discussed India's changing nuclear policy. Mattoo. "A growing awareness of China's potential as a threat, and a nuclear nexus between China and Pakistan necessitate the kind of power-demonstrating strategic move that a nuclear test would provide."

The push toward nuclear testing also comes from pressures within. Mattoo cited "the self-generating momentum of science and technology" coupled with a "strong scientific establishment in India that operates autonomously, with little political interference, results in a strong drive for a nuclear demonstration for purely scientific reasons."

Additionally, ranking Indian generals have stated that if the military were to receive untested nuclear weapons, "a great deal of resentment within the armed forces" would be generated toward the government, Mattoo reported.

A traditional image of Indians as a non-violent people also weighs heavy on the minds of political decision makers. "Within political leadership there is this fascination of maintaining a moral high ground, in the 'Ghandi/Nehru tradition,'" Mattoo said, explaining that many Indians worry that this vision of pacificity could be jeopardized by the nation's detonation of a nuclear device.

According to Mattoo, India has essentially three options: "They can sign the CTBT and not test, sign and test until the treaty takes effect, or not sign and test."

Their best choice, he said, would be to refrain from testing, but to keep their option open and refuse to sign the CTBT unless a commitment to global disarmament can be made.

India performed its only nuclear test in 1974.
Possible wage hike faces mixed reviews

By PATRICIA LAMIELLE
Associated Press

The debate about raising the minimum wage is under way as a McDonald's on the West Bank Expressway in Marrero, La., says raising the minimum wage cafeteria job at a high school, the hourly increase proposed in Congress would be welcome, whether it's the Democratic 90 cents over two years or the $1 over 15 months proposed by a breakaway group of House Republicans.

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members on both sides, the talks nevertheless led to the cease-fire declared by the IRA on August 31, 1994, and subsequent cease-fires by loyalist paramilitary groups.

Hume's decision to talk with Adams was an idea out of his life-long belief in non-vio­

lence. "Peaceful victories are not solutions," he said. "The challenge to both sides of the quarrel is to reframe their past attitudes toward each other.

As a child born into an impoverished family in Derry, Northern Ireland, Hume grew up in an atmosphere where manipulation by the ruling Protestant class bred resentment among his fellow Catholics. But the stern guidance of his father kept him from joining the ranks of the extremists and blaming only the Protestant Unionists for the Troubles.

"The Unionists' mind-set is largely to protect their difference in identity. I have no problem with that — my quarrel is with their mind-set but with their methods," Hume said. "The problem cannot be solved without them. They must come to the table and work things out.

"I hope they will come forth with the good aspects of the Protestant tradition," he added.

The major fault in the Unionists' thinking, Hume said, is the ignorance of the diverse backgrounds between Protestants and Catholics. He pointed out to the largely Irish-American audience that the American political foundation is the ideal path to follow. "I often feel that it is a mistake that America allows itself to be seen as an economic and political power, and not as a moral power," he said.

"The most fundamental mes­

sage of your Constitution is written on your cheapest coin — 'E pluribus unum,'" Hume continued. "The essence of unity is the acceptance of diversity. That is the philoso­

phy that Ireland is screaming out for today, and I say to the Protestant tradition, 'Bring out that philosophy.'

But the Catholic Nationalists are not without their political failures, either, said Hume. "The Nationalists forget that it is people who have rights, not territory," he said. "The only wealth this world has is human beings. Whether Protestant or Catholic, they can only be brought together by ag­

reement and not by coercion or force.

The differences existing be­tween people, however, are not obstacles that must be over­

come. Rather, they should be utilized and used.

"All conflict is seeing differ­

ences as a threat," he said. "The answer to differences is not to fight about them, but to respect them.

"Differences are an accident of birth," he continued. "We must allow people to have the basic right to existance, bread on their table, and a roof over their head."

The healing process will only really begin when economic freedom is available to all people in Northern Ireland, Hume said. "If we do this, we will be able to build institutions which not only respect our differences, but allow us to pursue our eco­

nomic interests," he said. "By spending our own money, not our blood, we will begin the heal­

ing process that will lead to a new generation, not one generation or two, based on respect for diversity and built by agree­

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U.S., Russia cooperate in missile defense test

By JOHN DIAMOND
Associated Press

WASHINGTON

The United States and Russia will test missile defense procedures in a joint exercise in June, a senior defense official said Thursday. Congress, meanwhile, is considering adding $2.2 billion to the missile defense budget.

The tests will involve the use of simulators against third-party attackers, according to Ashton Carter, assistant secretary of defense for international security policy. No missiles will be fired.

Speaking to defense reporters at a breakfast meeting, Carter said the exercise June 3-7 will take place under the auspices of the U.S. Space Command and be held at the Joint National Test Facility at Falcon Air Force Base, Colorado Springs, Colo.

"The idea is to test theater missile defenses that protect forces in the field against short- and medium-range threats. Teams of about 15 members from each country will participate, with the United States represented by Patriot PAC-3 experts and the Russians by teams who use the SA-12 antimissile system.

"Congress in the next week is expected to put its mark on President Clinton's defense budget, with special emphasis on missile defense, an area that Republicans say the president has neglected.

"Carter said the United States and Russia are close to reaching a 'bilateralization agreement' designed to draw a clear boundary between theater and national defense systems.

"Washing bill wins approval

By DAVE SKIDMORE
Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Moving to culminate more than a year of bruising partisan strife over the size and scope of federal government, the House on Thursday approved the final spending bill of 1996—seven months late.

"With a strong majority of both parties, it voted 399-25 to move the $160 billion measure for the nine months left in the fiscal year to the Senate, which was expected to waste little time in sending it to President Clinton.

"The White House said Clinton would sign it as soon as it reached his desk, averting a lapse in spending authority at midnight.

"Today we are showing we can work together to cut the budget and honor our values," the president said.

"When the leadership in Congress insists on going it alone, we get gridlock, stalemate, vetoes, government shutdowns."

Enactment of the bill would mark the end of the long 1996 fiscal maneuvering to claim credit and assign blame for the outcome as well as the opening shot of the battle over next year's budget.

"It's time to move ahead with fiscal year 1997," said Rep. David Dreier, R-California, expressing a near universal sentiment of lawmakers of both parties.

"The bill covers nine Cabinet-level departments and dozens of agencies. The savings it represents over $1995 spending—about $20 billion, according to Congressional Budget Office—represents a Republican win.

"In a situation where we have a liberal president trying to get more spending and trying to get more bureaucracy, it was a remarkable achievement," said House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga.

"Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kansas—Clinton's all-but-certain opponent in the fall election—said, "It demonstrates what a Republican Congress can do and we are very proud of it."

"But Democrats claimed victory in the reordering of spending priorities over the original House-passed spending bills, which were vetoed by Clinton. They won roughly $5 billion more for education, environmental protection, job training and other domestic priorities such as Clinton's campaigns-on-the-street and national service programs. Much of that was offset by reductions in funds set aside to cope with the budget deficit. Meanwhile, as he has over the past two days, Clinton appeared to Congress to resume work on a plan to balance the budget in seven years.

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How Catholic does Notre Dame want to be?

Defining 'Catholic' is not easy for Church or congregation. Retired Notre Dame Debate Coach Lenny Sommer won ten national championships in forensics, persuasion and debate competition. He described his secret of success as "hard work, a belief in Notre Dame, and an occasional hopelessly dry martini."

Lenny's belief in Catholicism and Notre Dame sometimes included doubting some administrative dogma for achieving an end. Any good academian questions authority in an effort to understand. Lenny was no exception. He once rhetorically asked me, "How Catholic is Catholic enough?" If you ask the Church to describe where Heaven is or how Catholics teach God's law, they are of utmost moral importance, and follow the Church's teachings.

While American Catholicism is not a democracy, it certainly is not an absolute either. Otherwise, all American Catholic universities would treat Gays and Lesbians with a uniform policy. It seems that Notre Dame prides itself on being part of the fundamental, conservative wing of the Church. Its overwhelming Catholic student body distinguishes it from other Catholic universities like Liberty University distinguishes itself within the Fallwell faction of the American Christian movement. In that sense, Notre Dame is more Catholic. Sending the letters to the editor in The Observer sheds light on just how fundamentally conservative many ND students are. This year, a student letter complaining about The Observer's inclusion of an immoral Calvin Klein calendar ad must have been read with great interest by many outside the University. Since the calendar was not included with subscriptions received through the mail, those of us who did not receive the ad could only imagine the pornographic splendor that must have oozed on those pages.

Eventually this writer tracked down a copy. Much to my disappointment, pictures of two young couples hugging (male without shirt) are hardly offensive or immoral. The protesting student obviously had a problem with the Latino and African-American who were embracing. Such racism is no justification for moral indignation, and is certainly not a proper Catholic position.

Nebraska Bishop Fabian Bruskewitz is the perfect example of how the Church has no uniformity on most matters. This Bishop, in an effort to "disparate ambigiously and overcome any confusion in the minds of Catholics" in his Lincoln diocese, is excommunicating Catholics who belong to organizations that in his opinion are "perilous to the faith, totally incompatible with Church doctrine."

Leading the list of organizations are the likes of Planned Parenthood, Catholics for a Free Choice, and Masonic organizations such as DeMolay and Eastern Star and Job's Daughters. Founded in the 1920's, Job's Daughters is a group for girls 11 to 20, related to Masons, that teaches self-reliance, leadership and self-confidence. The bishop's effort to quell ambiguity seems to have had the reverse effect in Lincoln.

Lifelong Catholics who served as alter boys, rectors, parish council members and church volunteers have been ordered to stop receiving communion on April 15th. If they persist, on May 15th they will be excommunicated. No discussion, no excuses. Most intend to ignore the bishop. While the American Catholic Bishops' Conference has remained silent, many behind-the-door conversations are buzzing. Some have even publicly opposed the action. Father James Coriden, a nationally recognized canon lawyer based here in Washington, writes:

A law so contrary to the spirit and letter of canon law, so sweepingly broad, so unsupported by evidence of necessity, so intemperate and harsh, and so contemptuous of the precious value of ecclesial communion, is invalid on its face, or at best a doubtful law. Doubtful laws are...
Remembering an uncle and the songs he played

Carol Breen Phillips

My great-uncle Robert, who owned a grocery store during his working years, was a very important figure in my family. He won second place in a National Enquirer contest for accurately predicting the electoral votes of the 1952 presidential election, coming within four miles of the actual numbers. He was a prolific author, having written several books on various topics, including a novel set during the Civil War titled "Confederate Rose," which was published posthumously.

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Looking back on spring rites

By DAN CICHALSKI

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in San Antonio (while Michiana is cloudy and windy), and AnTostal fever has hit the Notre Dame campus.

While enjoying the various festivities that take place from the Siepmann Courts to Moose Krause Stadium, participants and spectators may wonder about AnTostals of the past. Or not. But those who do might ponder such queries as: When did it begin? Where did the heck did "AnTostal" come from anyway? Have they always had trouble bringing a band to campus?

The term "AnTostal" is of Gaelic origin, meaning "muster," "patrol," or "array."

The festival began at Notre Dame twenty-eight years ago, in 1968, but dates back even further to an entirely different continent. In 1953, some people in Ireland felt the country was in a funk, suffering from an overall dismal attitude, a sagging economy, and a weakening sense of patriotism.

To "wake up the echoes," some pretty clever Irish people came up with the AnTostal celebration to reenergize that sense of Irish pride and patriotism that was waning. It was begun as a celebration of culture and community in Ireland and was transferred to the Notre Dame campus fifteen years later, 1996.

AnTostal Chairperson Kerry Van Voris explained, "We need to reawaken the Notre Dame Irish spirit as the school year comes to a close and as the students begin to feel lethargic and apathetic. In our celebration of AnTostal, we at Notre Dame would like to stress the unity that this university is regarded for. Essentially, we are providing the students with one last hurrah before the stress of finals hits, and actually participate. Although it has developed into a monster of its own, the Bookstore Basketball tournament remains the most popular and recognizable event marking the culmination of the year. And, though many of the top teams are graced with the presence of various Division I scholarship athletes, the tournament provides an opportunity for many of the less-athletically gifted members of the Notre Dame community to bask in the spotlight and garner the praise and attention normally seen around here only on home football Saturdays.

Looking back even further into AnTostal's past, another once-popular theme frequently arises: mudsoccer. As the famous MudFest (aided by rain over the weekend) turned nearly all happenings into mud events, there were popular activities that have since gone the way of the dinosaurs because of, well, probably administrative regulation and political incorrectness. Take, for example, the "Jocks vs. Girls" basketball game. Probably wouldn't fly today. By the way, the women won and the guys were forced to wear boxing gloves.

Miss America-type pageants were held back then too. This was the standard Mr. Campus competition and the less-than-flattering "Ugly Man on Campus" distinction that was determined by random student votes.

The Kegtoss, a shot-put-like contest is pretty self-explanatory, as are the likely reasons this favorite AnTostal event was axed.

Random acts of pseudo-violence also highlighted celebrations of the past. The AnTostal Assassins would situate themselves in unsuspecting locations—from trees to dorm windows—and punkmen passerby with pies. In an activity entitled "Vigilantes," friends could send a pal to jail for a measly quarter. The prisoner would then have to bribe the guard with fifty cents or allow himself to be bombarded with pies in order to gain his freedom. So that's how those wild and crazy Domers used to have fun around here in the good but not-so-old days. What better way to end the year, bring the campus back together for one last bash, and remind all just how much fun the past eight months have been than to do it with an Irish tradition based on pride and community?

Junior Renee Daffron elaborated, "We, the AnTostal 1996 committee, acknowledge our responsibility to revive what was once a famous Notre Dame tradition of campus unity, student participation, and school spirit celebrated at the spring festival, AnTostal. Tradition plays a key role in the makeup of the University of Notre Dame from Knute Rockne to the Grotto to the Golden Dome. We feel AnTostal is also an inherent part of that world-famous tradition."

The zany and frivolous week, Van Voris added, "allows the students to release their tensions and anxieties via intense competition and unusual activities in a lively atmosphere before heading back to the reality of facing preparation for final examinations."

And what better way to release those tensions than on another, whether it be on the basketball court or Fieldhouse Mall?"
Although it sounds more like a bad 70’s song the saying “We are family” aptly describes this year’s Bookstore Basketball tournament. Tradition and tradition pervade the tournament, but it is most evident in the brother-to-brother connections that have made Bookstore XXV so interesting and exciting.

Three sets of brothers made it to this year’s Sweet Sixteen, with two surviving into the Elite Eight, although not all were active participants in the tournament—so to speak.

Senior twin brothers Brian and Keith Ziliowski had played Bookstore together for three years, but this year brought change. Due to an unfortunate incident involving a referee in intramural basketball, Keith has not been allowed to partake in Bookstore XXV. However, his influence has been seen and felt in the play of their team CCE.

Keith has warmed up with the team and...
Fab Frosh
By TIM MCCOY

It is a well-known fact that the Class of '99 football players are expected to make a large impact on their team in the upcoming year. Something not as well-known is the fact that these freshmen have on the Bookstore Basketball tournament.

As the round of eight takes place today at Stepans courts, three notable faces will be helping Stepan courts, three notable faces will be helping Swoosh II, Mike Rosenthal of Model, Inc. all have contributed greatly to their teams in their runs at the Bookstore XXV championship.

Guilbeaux, a possible starter at one of the safety positions in the fall, has displayed the prowess and team member has great versatility. Their passing ability has carried them through the tournament.

Although Guilbeaux and Rosenthal have enjoyed the opportunity of playing with a good team in their first years, neither had the chance that Lamont Bryant has. Without him, number-one ranked Models, Inc. would not be the dominant force that they are. "He's a real force on the boards and can defend smaller, quicker guys," asserted Models star Conrad James.

And who said freshman are good for nothing?

Pass the Beernuts VI: Last Call Rosters
Kevin Carretta, Mike Rosenthal (off), Benny Rutiglian, Joe Kilgore, Dan McConnell (right)

Strengths: Beernuts possess intimidating size, with Guilbeaux roaming the middle. As, each team member has great versatility. Their passing ability has carried them through the tournament.

Weaknesses: Because of the injury to T.R. Kane, the Beernuts were forced to turn to their chemistry picking up Dan Rutiglian midway through the tournament.

Models, Inc.

Models, Inc. Roster: Tracy Graham, Laffoon Moore, Conrad James, Lamont Bryant, Benny Rutiglian (off), Renaldo Wynn

Strengths: Models is the most athletic team on the court, and the most active on the boards. Wynn is too strong to be moved off the block, and can hit the three-point shot. James' shot-blocking makes up for defensive lapses by the team.

Weaknesses: Ball-handling, especially on the break. Moore also has a tendency to force his shot. Models' confidence on the brakes. Could be a liability in a close game when every possession counts.

Swoosh Roster: Jeff Lebowsky, Matt Rosenthal, Benny Guilbeaux

Strengths: Swoosh has great speed and "shashing ability." Scores before the other team even notices. They're a very physical and athletic team.

Weaknesses: Have a tendency to rush the shot and their inside game is inconsistent. They can also be easily phased because of their lack of mental toughness.

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The Kloskas are both perimeter shooters. When the game is on the line, their team seems to be able to take over and hit the big shots. The bookcourt has the strength to match up with the big teams, and Berry hasn't had to be a factor... yet.

Weaknesses: Kloskas has exhibited a hesitancy to run even when the opportunities are present. The team seem willing to settle for outside shots, and no one knows if Berry is 100% healthy.

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The origins of the legend is easy to determine. It all started exactly a year and a half ago, when Showtime's Travis Brown grabbed a rebound in a Sweet 16 game.

The game was a 200 or so Showtime faithful rose to their feet in anticipation. Brown brought the ball over the timeline, and after numerous passes teammate Jason Hanley nailed the game-winning jumper, sealing one of the tournament's biggest upsets over Don Ross and No. 5 Sudden Death.

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Fundamentals show the way

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Basketball
Just like old times

By Tim Sherman

For the most part, the graduation of several Notre Dame basketball players has been a cause of celebration for Irish fans. But there have been exceptions, notably, Lamarr Justice and Ryan Hoovers. The addition of one more. Now that Hoover and Justice have played their last game as varsity basketball players, they are facing the same tasks that the concept of Bookstore Basketball.

And in a whole new ballgame, so speak. No longer is the sleek Justice going to head up to head with the likes of Tony Delk or Tyus Edney, nor is the dead-eye Hoover trying to get a free look against a suffocating Georgetown extended zone.

Neither, the two are just trying to make whatever contributions they take for their respective teams, CCE and CJ's Wooden Shoes, to advance in the silver anniversary of Bookstore Basketball.

So far, the two talented guards have successfully merged their great skills with the team concept that Bookstore mandates.

"Hoover has definitely carried us at times," CJ's Richard Probst noted. "But our games have been decided more by 1 or 2 other guys on the court. Ryan knows his role and he does it very well. That's exactly what we expected." Plain and simple, the role is that of scorer. It is task Hoover should continue to do as he is one of the most versatile shooters in the tournament.

"We are very patient and methodical, and always seem to worry about adjusting to the tournament. We're defensive and reliable back-up. It won't be the first time the two teams meet. Last year, four of the members of CJ's (sans Hoover) dropped a tough 21-18 decision to a very similar CCE squad. "We missed 4 or 5 free throws last year and could've easily beaten them," Probst said. "We can definitely play with them."

Now, with Hoover in the fold, the match-up becomes all that more intriguing for the fans who will pack the Stepan Courts tomorrow.

Bookstore law

By TIM MCCONN

Bookstore Basketball is a long-standing student tradition here at Notre Dame. It is run by students, refereed by students, and, most importantly, played by students.

Not all students, however, are of the traditional under-graduate breed. A great many of them come from one of the many Notre Dame graduate programs, in particular the law school.

Although a variety of teams have been fielded by law students over the years, one squad traditionally stands above the rest. To many Bookstore observers, Malicious Prosecution, and no other squad, represents the law school in this tournament.

Since then, except for their finals appearance in 1993, Malicious has fallen upon hard times. In fact, the last two years they have not gotten past the round of thirty-two. Because of these recent difficulties, team members like uptight, Mark Malloy, and Gary Hall decided to find players that would help them return the Malicious name to prominence.

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Top 25 names from the past 25 years

1972-1975
Pontius Pilate And The Nalidrivers

1977
Jimmy Hoffa And The Cement Factory

1977
We Got Our Asses Kicked Last Year 21-3,
But We Have 2 New Players This Year

1978
Yeah, We Got Our Asses Kicked Two Years
Ago 21-0, But Pushed Around Last Year,
21-10, But Our 9 FT Center Graduated
And Our Best Shooter Died

1979
5 Freshmen Who Realized We Won't Go
Anywhere So We Decided To Get A Little
Recognition By Having One Of The Longest
Names

1980
95% Of The Men At ND Can Play Basketball,
The Other 1% Plays On The Team

1982
John Belushi And 4 Grants

1983
The Chicago Cubs Of Bookstore

1984
ROTC - Really Only Tolkien Combs

1985
4 Hoosiers And 3 Guys From Real Places

1985
4 Guys Who Still Wonder Why Barney

1986 We're Not Going To Make It
1987 Fast At ND
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1989 Girl Who Swears He Saw It On Cable
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Trip-Hop invades Notre Dame with De La Soul

by TOM BECHERT

I t's a fair bet that most of you have never even heard of De La Soul. Affiliated with A Tribe Called Quest, The Jungle Brothers, and Black Sheep in a loose coalition referred to as the Native Tongues, only Tribe has seen anything close to commercial success. To get any media exposure in the rap industry today seems to require that the artist make themselves out to be something along the lines of society's worst nightmare: glorifying such things as violence, mistreatment of women, and drug dealing.

You won't find any of this in the music of De La Soul. On the contrary you'll find one of the most innovative groups in the industry as well as one of the groups that are more critical of the industry itself. Above their sample-heavy tracks, you'll hear criticism of everything from industry executives and rappers themselves, to the values of society. But don't get the wrong idea, De La Soul is far more than a political band; they are one of the most eclectic rap acts around; their music ranges from tracks like Ego Trippin', a scathing parody of the West Coast gangster rap, to I Be Blowfish, a jazz-influenced freestyle featuring Wocc Parker, to the carefree Me, Myself and I.

Despite the sizable amount of sampling done by the band, they still manage to avoid aligning themselves with any of the current fads in hip-hop. You won't find any F-thunk loops or Bikk-seeque party tracks in De La Soul's repertoire. In their psychedelic style of rap, which for years has been in a category of its own is now credited as being the father of the trip-hop movement that is beginning to make waves in the underground. Far more than just the average hip-hop group, De La Soul represents some of the best, most innovative music around. If you've never heard De La Soul, you've never heard anything like De La Soul.

The Student Union Board sponsors the De La Soul show tonight at 8 p.m. at Student Center for a measly six dollars. Campus favorite Reverend Funk opens for this innovative band. It promises to be a trippy experience.
**NBA**

Hawks, Smith roll over Miller-less Pacers

By STEVE HERMAN
Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS

Reggie Miller missed a playoff game for the first time in his nine-year NBA career — and the Pacers missed him.

Steve Smith scored 27 points, matching his playoff career-high, as the Atlanta Hawks beat Indiana 92-80 in the opening game of their Eastern Conference series Thursday night.

"I think they missed him a lot," Smith said of the Pacers' leading scorer, one of the NBA's premier outside shooters. Indiana didn't have a go-to scorer in the fourth quarter and was held to 12 points in the period.

Miller, who fractured his right eye socket late in the regular season, watched in frustration from the bench. Ricky Pierce and Travis Best replaced Miller, scoring 17 points on 5-of-15 shooting with no 3-pointers.

The Hawks were 11-for 23 on 3-pointers while the Pacers were just 3-of-11, helping to offset a 10-point advantage for Indiana from the free throw line.

Atlanta had lost its previous 19 games in Market Square Arena.

"They beat us to a lot of loose balls. They got a lot of offensive rebounds. The beginning of the fourth quarter, we just self-destructed and they took it to us. We took some horrible shots and passed up some good shots," Indiana coach Larry Brown said.

Craig Ehlo scored all 12 of his points on 3-pointers in the second quarter when the Hawks turned an eight-point deficit into a nine-point lead.

Christian Laettner added 14 points for Atlanta, while Indiana was led by Rik Smits with 19 points and Derrick McKey with 15.

Game 2 of the best-of-5 series is Saturday night at Market Square Arena.

"I was open a lot in that second quarter," Ehlo said. "We watched a lot of film, and we knew they liked to double down and leave someone open on the outside. I happened to be that guy. I hit the shots and felt more confident with each one." Indiana rallied in the third period and tied the score entering the fourth, but without Miller in the lineup, the Pacers had no consistent outside shooter and the Hawks steadily pulled away. Indiana went just 4-of-17 from the field in the final period.

"We didn't rebound the ball aggressively, and when you don't score and they're coming down fast, you're in trouble," Pacers coach Larry Brown said.

Baskets by Laettner and Alon Anderson early in the fourth quarter put Atlanta ahead for good, and the final score was the biggest margin of the game.

"We have to play a lot better defense and rotate the ball better," said Pierce, who started in place of Miller and scored 13 points. "We just let it slip away. Now we have to win the next one and go down there and win one," he said. Notes: Miller, wearing sunglasses, was in street clothes on the bench, his first public appearance since his April 13 injury.

"I just came to watch the game. It's so good to be out of the house finally," Miller said.

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Patriots, Patriots look for answers
By MICHAEL TICHY
Associated Press

BOSTON When it came to drafting Christian Peter, what did the New England Patriots know and when did they know it?

The spurned defensive lineman from Nebraska says he told the Patriots everything that happens to him from Nebraska; other arrests for battery, assaulting a former Miss America; other arrests for theft and is awaiting sentencing.

"I was (at drafting scouting combine), I had interviews and discussions with every single incident I was involved in," Peter said. "That's why I find it hard to believe what they said."

The NFL conducts background checks on about 300 scouts, those confluent reports are sent to all 32 teams, each of which conducts its own supplemental checks.

"The background checks we're talking about have noth­ing to do with football," NFL spokesperson Greg Aiello said. "It's a thorough background check that's common in many companies, especially with highly compensated employees."

The Patriots said the NFL re­port mentioned Peter's incident in a bar, but nothing else. So the team, with Kraft's approval, drafted him.

After the draft, team officials were handed a Sports Illustrated article that men­tioned Peter's 18-month proba­tion. Team officials hadn't read the March 18 article, which called Peter "a problem man­child prone to creating
tendency out of anybody."

No matter what, Harris intends to have a clear-cut starter before the opener. But head coach John Cooper said the No. 1 guy will still have to look over his shoulder.

"Whoever plays quarterback for us, I think it'll be a game-to-game situation. I mean, if Jackson starts the first game, he's got to produce. He knows that, if he doesn't, somebody else may play," Cooper said. Jackson has been seen as a novelty, a guy in a passing at­tack who preferred to tuck the ball under his arm and take it off field. But he has taken strides to change that image.

"I do need to prove that to the people in this building — my teammates and coaches — that I'm capable of staying in the pocket and throwing the ball downfield," he said. Cooper is noncommittal on whether Jackson is, even now, the front-runner.

"He's improving daily," he said. "He's still got a long way to go, but he's getting better."
Coming Soon to a Pillow Near You...

In 1993, Notre Dame funded a 5.3 million dollar project to connect the residence halls to the campus network. The original plan was to provide a network connection per room. In April 1996, the University increased the budget by 34%. Now Notre Dame students will have a network connection per pillow.

The office of Information technologies (OIT) has been working overtime to integrate 27 undergraduate residence halls, and Fischer and O’Hara-Grace graduate residences into the campus network. In addition to a network connection, the University will provide free network drivers and software for the Web, e-mail, file transfer, Usenet news and terminal emulation.

The OIT will bring the halls online as they are completed rather than wait a year until all of the halls are networked. In August of 1996, 13 halls will be activated and the rest will be brought online gradually. All halls will be finished by November 1997. The schedule was set by a number of factors, including physically wiring the residence halls and coordinating the schedule with other construction projects on campus.

Just think, before long, you won’t have to see that short frustrating message “Busy…” because waiting for a modem connection will soon be a thing of the past.

Get the real story. Shortly after students get home in May, they will receive the Byteline, a publication of the OIT. Faculty and staff will receive the Byteline at their campus addresses. Look for it to find out more about ResNet, including what computers are recommended to run on the network, the activation schedule, examples of how the network is used in Notre Dame courses, and support plans to help students get online.
Angels' streak ends at seven, Mets hammer Cardinals

Associated Press

Mo Vaughn homered twice and Tim Wakefield won for the first time this season as the Boston Red Sox defeated the Texas Rangers 8-3.

Troy O'Leary homered for the third consecutive game for Boston, which won two straight for just the second time this year. The Rangers had posted their best record in baseball before their current four-game losing streak.

Vaughn hit a three-run homer in the sixth to make it 7-2 and then added a solo shot in the eighth — his 10th consecutive time reaching base safely. But the biggest relief for the struggling Red Sox was the second straight strong outing by Wakefield (1-3), who hadn't pitched well consistently since last August.

The knuckleballer, who started the 1994 season 14-1, scattered seven hits in six innings for his first victory in nine starts. He allowed three runs, struck out six and walked two to lead off the sixth before he was pulled.

Dean Palmer, who had three hits, and Juan Gonzalez hit solo homers.

Kevin Gross (3-2) took a two-hit shutout into the fifth inning, getting good fielding to escape the jams that resulted from five early walks. But he allowed Vaughn for the third time with two out in the fifth, then gave up a single to Reggie Jefferson and a double to Mike Stanley that scored Jeff Pentel.

O'Leary followed with a three-run homer to give Boston a 4-2 lead.

In the sixth, Gross walked Alex Cole and John Valentin with one out and was forced to pitch to Vaughn, who had walked five consecutive times. He hit a 1-2 pitch into a wind that carried it into the bullpen beyond right field. Gross gave up seven runs in all, allowing eight hits and eight walks in 5 1/3 innings.

Brewers 6, Angels 5

Turner Ward tripled home the winning run in the ninth inning Thursday, and the Milwaukee Brewers stopped the California Angels' seven-game winning streak, 6-5.

The Brewers, who have a pair of home runs for only the second time in team history, bounced back after California made it 5-3 all with a run in the ninth.

Tim Unroe singled with one out off Mike James (4-2). Ward, who entered as a defensive replacement in the eighth, snapped a 1-50 slump with his triple to right-center.

Mike Fettters (1-0) got the victory despite allowing the tying run in the top of the ninth on singles by Jack Howell, pinch-hitter J.T. Snow and Randy Velarde.

Jeff Cirillo and Pat Listach led off the first with home runs, the first time the New York Mets have had an RBI single and Darrell Porter connected.

Cirillo homered on Mark Langston's first pitch, and Listach followed with a drive over the left-field wall for his first homer since Sept. 6, 1993, a span of 451 at-bats.

Cirillo's sacrifice fly in the sixth gave the Brewers a 5-4 lead.

California erased a 4-0 deficit with four runs in the seventh. Brewers starter Angel Miranda, who allowed two hits in six scoreless innings, walked Chili Davis to open the seventh and then gave up a single to Tim Wallach.

Mark Kiefer relieved and retired the first two batters, then allowed consecutive RBI singles to Don Slautra and Gary DiMare, cutting the lead to 6-4.

Kiefer walked Velarde to load the bases, and pinch-hitter Jim Edmonds greeted reliever Graeme Lloyd with a two-run single that tied it.

Mets 9, Cardinals 3

Brent Mayne, Lance Johnson and Butch Huskey homered in an eight-run seventh inning as the New York Mets rallied to beat the St. Louis Cardinals 9-3 Thursday.

The first eight batters reached base in the seventh, and there were eight hits in the inning. Mayne tied the game with a two-run homer off rookie Alan Benes (3-1), Johnson broke it with a three-run homer over the fence for his sixth home run.

It was the first home run of the season for each of the three players, and the Mets set a season high for runs in an inning. They have 15 home runs in the last 12 games.

Jose Vizcaino also set a team record with nine hits in nine at-bats the last three games. He went 3-3 in the first, doubled in the third, singled in the sixth and tripled and scored in the seventh.

The streak ended when he struck out on a full count against Jeff Parrett to end the eighth.

Vizcaino has raised his average to .333 the last three games. Two Mets, Jerry Grote in 1970 and Keith Hernandez in 1985, had eight hits in a row.

Benes cruised into the seventh with a three-batter before falling apart. Kent led off the seventh with a hit and Mayne followed with his first home run since June 2, 1995, and only the ninth in his six major league seasons.

Rey Ordonez singled and Benes threw the ball away on pitcher Mark Clark's sacrifice before Johnson hit his first home run. Vizcaino doubled to chase Benes and Bernard Gilkey hit a sacrifice fly. But the only baserunners against him the next five innings were Vizcaino. Clark (1-2), like Benes a product of the Cardinals' farm system, threw his first complete game of the season, allowing three runs on seven hits. He struck out four and walked three.

John Mabry tied the score on an RBI triple in the fourth and the Cardinals took a 3-1 lead in the fifth on two-out hits by Brian Jordan and Ray Lankford.

Expos 8, Reds 4

Shane Andrews hit his second grand slam and drove in a career-high five runs Thursday, leading the Montreal Expos to their seventh straight win, 8-4 over the Cincinnati Reds.

Moses Alou homered for his 500th career hit as the Expos sent Cincinnati to its fifth consecutive loss.

Pedro Martinez (2-1) allowed six hits in eight innings, and struck out eight. He faced one batter over the minimum through six innings and retired 14 straight before Hal Morris hit a one-out single in the seventh.

Andrews, who hit a grand slam April 16 against Philadelphia, hit his third career slam off reliever Tim Pugh in the seventh to help Montreal finish 8-2 on its homestand.

Henry Rodriguez, who had homered in his previous four games to tie an Expos club record, went 1-for-4 with a double.

Leading 4-2 in the seventh, Mike Lansing doubled, David Segui reached on a grounder and Rondell White walked. Andrews followed with a shot to left-center for his fourth home run.

Leading 3-0 in the fifth, Alou hit the first pitch from John Smiley (1-2) over the left-field fence for his sixth home run.

Smiley, who walked three and struck out six, was charged with the loss on six hits in five innings as the Reds finished 2-8 on a 10-game road trip.

Eric Anthony hit a solo homer in the Cincinnati ninth.

Segui's RBI single opened the scoring in the first.
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An epic battle was supposed to take place this spring. In one corner, there was the passer—a tall, rangy Californian, who after finishing the last two and half games in 1995, was considered the front-runner to win the starting job.

On the other side of the coin, there was the runner—the much ballyhooed freshman who possesses the running skills not seen in South Bend since the glory days of Tony Rice.

Indeed, the passer, Tom Krug, and the runner, Jarious Jackson, were expected to put up a long, bitter struggle for the backup quarterback position.

However, the battle was over before it started. Given the opportunity to work out with the first team, Jackson has taken full advantage, leaving the incumbent Krug somewhere behind in his dust.

"I've tried to become more comfortable with the offense and show the coaches what I can do," said Jackson. "I feel I've had a pretty good year, but I know I can play better with more experience. I'm up to the coaches to decide how much I play next season.

When Jackson arrived at Notre Dame last August, he was a skinny 18 year-old kid just trying to make the adjustment to college life. Now, eight months later, he is bigger, stronger, and is, believe it or not, a better passer.

In last Saturday's Blue-Gold game, Jackson completed 13 of 17 passes for 145 yards to go along with 12 carries for 59 yards.

"When Jarious came here, he was either two bouncy or overthrowing the ball on just about every pass," said offensive coordinator Dave Roberts. "He's had a good year, on his day in the sun.

At starting quarterback.

"He doesn't have a lot of experience, but he is, believe it or not, a better passer," said Roberts.

"This year, Tom and Jarious are going to be a lot like most college teams. You have a lot of experience, but you need to work. And in the passing game, the tackles, the tight ends, and the backfield all have to be better. We're trying to improve in all phases of the game.

"There is no question that Jarious has the skills to play quarterback. He's a great athlete, and possesses the arm that is needed to play quarterback. But the question is, does he have the mental toughness to handle the pressure that goes with the quarterback position?"
‘Catching up with the hot Irish

Lisanti and Wagner have been vital to team success

By DYLAN BARMMER
Assistant Sports Editor

Wagner have meant so much to the 33-12 Notre Dame baseball team this season, that it is hard to pinpoint any specific area in which they have both contributed. You could start with their offensive contributions, and talk about how Lisanti, a fifth year senior who batted back from a season-ending back injury last year, has done wonders in the cleanup spot during his way into the cleanup spot. The results have been highly satisfactory.

"When we recruited Jeff, we thought he would be coming in here as our number one catcher," said Mainieri. "I explained the change of scenario to him after Bobby told me he wanted to return. Letting him know that I would understand if he changed his mind about coming here. Jeff told me he still wanted to be a part of our program, though, which really impressed me at the time."

Not having to put in constant labor behind the plate, while difficult for Wagner, has certainly allowed him to concentrate more on his offense, and the results have been highly satisfactory. Mainieri saw early on in the season just how dangerous the freshman could be in the Irish lineup, and tinkered with various hitting spots to maximize his results. Wagner, who does see occasional time at catcher, has been awed by Wagner's power and skill from the plate, while their stretch run towards the Big East Conference tournament.

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Fifth year senior, Bob Lisanti, has made boundless contributions to the Irish this season.

"I really enjoy being on the field with Jeff," said Wagner. "I have to endure sitting on the bench as the designated hitter for a large part of the season. I love catching. I'd catch every game if I was able to.

"I'm just has such awesome power," commented Mainieri. "Wagner is quick to credit Wagner for his growth behind the plate.

"Lisanti, no slouch at the plate himself this season, also has been awed by Wagner's power. He's a true threat at the plate.

"Jeff has contributed probably as much as any freshman in the history of this program," said Lisanti. "He's got the whole package, and it will be exciting to watch him develop over the next few years. He also has the potential to be an unbelievable catcher.

"Wagner is quick to credit Lisanti for his growth behind the plate so far this season, calling the veteran backstop "a great catcher."

"Bob's got the leadership and mental toughness you need to succeed back there," said Wagner. "He's really knowledgeable about the game. I've learned a great amount from him.

Lisanti, who called the pitches from the dugout for fill-in George Restovich during much of last season, credits his year off with adding greatly to his knowledge of his position.

"I think you just learn as you watch others from a different perspective," said Lisanti. "It was almost like being a coach. Last year's experience has really helped me control my emotions out on the field."

The Irish can only hope that both players will continue to contribute the way they have so far this year, adding them in their stretch run towards the Big East Conference tournament.

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**Sports Briefs**

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**IN-LINE SKATING CLINIC** - RecSports will be sponsoring an In-Line Skating Clinic on Thursday, April 25, from 5-6:30. The clinic will be held in the parking lot south of the Joyce Center. All equipment will be provided. Register and pay $6 fee in advance at RecSports.
Irish look to knock out Spartans

Reid, teammates look to jump back into top ten

By TODD FITZPATRICK
Sports Writer

The Irish lacrosse team will attempt to end its two-game skid when they play tonight under the lights at Moose Krause Stadium. Their opponent is Great Western Lacrosse League member, Michigan State.

The 7-3 Spartans enter tonight’s 7:00 game unranked, but they have received several votes in some of the major polls.

Eleventh-ranked Notre Dame hopes to reverse its misfortunes at home after posting an 0-3 record thus far.

“We got too wrapped up with being ranked in the Top Ten. We just needed to regain our focus,” said junior midfielder Tony Reid.

Notre Dame’s success will depend on the continued tough play by their defense. They rank second nationally in scoring defense while allowing just 7.4 goals per game. They have allowed more than ten goals in a game only three times this season.

On the offensive side, the Irish hope to improve on their disappointing five-goal performance last weekend against Massachusetts. The leading goal scorers throughout the season have remained virtually unchanged. The top offensive threats to put it in the back of the net are freshman Chris Dusseau, sophomore Jimmy Keenan, junior Will DeRiso, and Reid.

Brian Gilfillan has also stepped up lately to give Notre Dame some scoring punch. He has been the leading scorer for the Irish in each of the past two games. Against North Carolina, he scored one goal and added three assists. In the Massachusetts contest, Gilfillan scored twice for the Irish to raise his season total to ten goals.

Tonight’s night game will be Notre Dame’s first of the season. Although the Irish do not foresee any difficulty under these different conditions, they have made some minor adjustments in preparation for the contest.

“We practiced last night under the lights, and it didn’t affect us at all,” commented Reid. “If anything, it will affect them more because they will have to get used to playing under the lights, and playing on our field, too.”

Michigan State’s most recent game was a 14-13 loss to the Butler Bulldogs. The Irish manhandled Butler earlier in the season by an 11-3 score.
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Battle for ... No. 1?
By Mike Day

It is a position of prestige with perhaps no equal in college football. Yet, interestingly enough, the role of quarterback at Notre Dame has recently been one relatively free of controversy.

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Softball vs. Seton Hall, April 27, noon

Baseball vs. West Virginia, April 27, noon

Lacrosse vs. Michigan State, April 26, 7 p.m.

Track and Field at Drake and Hillsdale Relays, April 26 and 27

Blue & Gold Game Saturday, April 27, 1:30 p.m.

SMC Sports Tennis at Kalamazoo, April 23, 3 p.m.

Softball coach Liz Miller is still courting career win number 700. Last weekend, she was stood up at win number 699 and yesterday, rain postponed her date with destiny.

Notre Dame's scheduled game with the Northwestern Wildcats was rained out, giving the Irish a few more days off before this weekend's match up with Big East foe, Seton Hall. The Hall will be the Irish's last tune-up before the Big East tournament. The weather also may not be kind this weekend, as cloudy skies are projected throughout the weekend.

The Pirates are basically locked out of post season com-

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Staci Allard and her teammates look to tune up their high powered offense for the Big East tournament this weekend against the 'Hall.