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Thoughts on my apocalypse

My dad always used to drive down to Notre Dame and come home from my freshman year whenever the schedule allowed.

Just before the journey home commenced, my dad always had Hanford's "メッセージ up to the Hallelujah" part. With the need felt of relief resounded.

This was our little joke. It always brought a smile on my face.

I had just survived another break from my true home and couldn't have been happier with the world than during that drive to Chicago. As we hit the toll road, classical music never seemed as good.

Having been turn away from my family that previous summer, my natural inclination was still to return to my memory landscape. It was a landscape that included a basketball court, a family bed, and a home filled with much love — three pretty good reasons to leave campus, if not.

Somewhere during the next three years, those three reasons began to fuel my desire to be back in South Bend already. Maybe mine. Stepans courts, but the tournament played on their home court. Suddenly, the trip home became less exciting for all the same reasons that made it exciting when I was a freshman.

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Remember that night before spring break sophomore year... or that time on fall break when I didn't dance at all.

Those are memories that will now help me fall asleep at night. You have your images and I have mine. None is more important than the other. Each deserves a place in our own hearts.

What is troubling is that most of us can call Notre Dame our home for only four years. It is not that long ago when I cried about leaving home.

Cone May 18, I will most likely be shuddering tears about going home. This isn't the first time I've dealt with leaving home. Suddenly, the trip home became less exciting for all the same reasons that made it exciting when I was a freshman.

It seems that no one likes to see the idea any more because this stuff settles itself.

This too, however, new experiences would be impossible. And old friends would never become new ones. Take as much comfort in that thought as needs to be taken.

Now, as graduation approaches, I have my own. We will all give the ceremony, of course; nonetheless, I will be driving myself home. Maybe I'll ask him to make the journey with me.

It would seem kind of empty without him. No telling whether or not he'll be having Handel along. If he does, maybe it'll find its way into the cassette player. If not, oh well. My own Messiah will be in the passenger seat.

Either way, the only thought in my head will not be "Hallelujah," but "Amen."

The views expressed in the Inside Column are of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.
Students gather to support revision

Gallavan, co-chair of GLND/SMC, voiced his outrage: "The administration has finally done it... they've f---ed with the straight students. It is time to allow everyone to stand here openly without fear or regret. We have been subdued... it is time to be angry and demand our rights."

"The innate Catholicity of Notre Dame is frequently used to demonize gay and lesbian rights; however, ralliers adapted the argument and used Church doctrine to support the claim of amendment."

Matt Seboe, Morrissey Hall senator and College Democrat, quoted parts of the Catechism and questioned the inconsistency of discrimination and Christianity. "The Catholic Church explicitly prohibited discrimination against homosexuals, but du Lac does not," Seboe said. "What kind of Catholic family would allow the discrimination of its members? We cannot claim to be Catholics who are against being hated and discriminated."

Fred Kelly, editor of the conservative campus publication Right to Reason, was greeted with boos and hisses at both his request and subsequent attempt to address the audience. "The whole point of this rally is insignificant. This is nothing less than a group of students trying to gain the freedom to engage in an immoral way of life," he said.

Kelly went on to quote page 35 of du Lac, which contains a policy against discriminatory harassments. "Du Lac already has protection for your rights. There is no reason for this demonstration," he concluded.

In rebuttal, the College Democrats referred to page 4 of du Lac, which states that Notre Dame's "policy is not discriminatory on the basis of race, color, national and ethnic origin," but does not mention sexual orientation.

"Kelly is misinformed," said Gallavan. "Gay and lesbian students have no recourse."

In calling all members of GLND/SMC to come forward in support of the demonstration, Gallavan criticized the current University policy for inducing a strong sense of fear. "It is for us that this university exists," he asserted. "I want to especially thank those students who are afraid to come up here as members of the gay and lesbian community, and especially the straight students in the back who are afraid to show too much support for this cause."

"The fact that you are here means that something needs to be done," Gallavan continued.

Students were not the only ones to stand up against the administration. Many members also raised their voices in protest. Gender Studies professor Kathleen Biddick stressed the importance of free thought in a university setting. "When students bring up issues and demand answers they do not deserve to be met with silence," she said. "This isn't a dome, it's a bunker."

A portion of Biddick's speech focused on the way colleges are accredited by the Commission on Institutions of Higher Education evaluation team. In 1994, the commission released a report that made several recommendations on improving the relationship between students and administration. "The Office of Student Affairs does not seem to be regarded as a source of help and support for students," the report concluded. "Better communication between University administrators and students about the reasons for decisions would make students more aware that top administrators consider their views seriously."

Biddick stressed that the University runs the risk of losing its accreditation if the administration does not "clean up its act."

"The accreditors and faculty are concerned that students do not engage in discussion or participate in creative demonstration," she stated. "The administration stifles these activities; students deserve to have a voice. The lack of a non-discrimination clause affects the academic and social lives of you all."

John Blandford, former co-chair of GLND/SMC called for the audience to question the administration's imperviousness to the need for more student rights. "The administration has turned a deaf ear, and we are trying to make them hear, to realize what is really going on in this campus," he said. "Ignoring translates into ignorance, and doesn't make the problem go away. Sometimes that dome is lined with lead."

To some, the dome did prove impenetrable yesterday. Liz Scharff, clad in a shirt reading "Hey, Patty O," exclaimed, "It is time to make Patty finally hear us!" Her subsequent attempt to enter the Main Building was thwarted by security guards.

"They told me that I couldn't go into the building... They wouldn't let me pass without handing over my ID. They said it went against the terms of the rally," Scharff recalled. "But why, when we've been nothing but peaceful?"

But her attempt, and that of the entire rally, may have missed its true target. O'Hara was out of the office when the rally began at approximately 12:30 p.m.

Dennis Brown, associate director of Public Relations, commented that "today's rally demonstrated that all Notre Dame students have a wide range of rights."

But the hundreds of demonstrators assembled to assert the true voice -- that some fundamental rights are being ignored. "Notre Dame runs like a business," said Blandford, "and students get lost in the shuffle."
**Stadium**

continued from page 1 — their maximum capacity on home football weekends, however, which area citizens know from previous experience the amount of traffic generated by visiting fans. It remains to be seen which sectors of the South Bend economy will feel the strain of the expansion and which stand to benefit most dramatically.

A committee appointed by Father William Beauchamp, executive vice president of the University, examined various aspects of the project.

"We feel to all kinds of people because it will affect Notre Dame and South Bend significantly," said Beauchamp.

In addition to the determination of specific impact related to the construction of the stadium, the University also examined the distribution of the additional 21,000 tickets. The fact that alumni receive the majority of the new tickets (11,000) is one of the major factors affecting the impact of the expansion on South Bend.

With the doubling of the alumni tickets, though, there is a probable doubling of the number of people from out-of-town, increasing the number of people coming from farther away and staying for more than a day. The majority of that group would need hotel and restaurant facilities and would add to the traffic situation.

While this has positive implications for area businesses which stand to make greater numbers of sales, there are questionable implications for the already overtaxed hotels, restaurants and roadways. If the Michiana area was capable of accommodating an additional 16,000 people each football weekend, the economic impact would be significant. Taking the $383 that the Convention and Visitors Bureau state each "leisure tourist" spends per stay, an increase in 16,000 visitors would result in $5,408,000 per football weekend (in 1993 dollars). Six home games equates to over $32.5 million in revenue for the Michiana area.

Two factors lessen this financial intake, though an increase in people making day trips to the games; and a limit on the capacity of area hotels and motels to accommodate the increase. As facilities become full, the supply of hotel rooms currently has difficulty meeting the demand of football fans. It is certain that the additional influx of alumni will have difficulty finding local accommodations.

"I'm not sure how much the 20,000 people influence demand because all the games are generally sold out anyway," stated Ken Fullmore, president of the St. Joseph County Chamber of Commerce Association.

"With the available supply, I'm not sure there will be that much of a difference due to the expansion.

It is unlikely that more hotels will be built because the limited number of football weekends must be taken into account, according to Fullmore. "I wouldn't make an investment predicated on so few weekends of business as football weekends. It's a game of chance, junior parents weekend, orientation and a few others. I wouldn't build a business on that," he said. "Businesses have to ask where does the money come from after football season?"

Without an increase in the number of hotel rooms available, fans will find themselves having to stay farther and farther from South Bend, depending on the popularity of the football game.

While the hotel industry may not feel the effects as directly, the retail and service industries will see noticeable increases in revenue as a result of the expansion. The sheer number of additional people in the area on game weekends will result in economic gains for area businesses.

The Chamber of Commerce tracks tourist spending and does a study every few years of the spending trends in the area. Their 1993 study shows that St. Joseph County has the third highest tourist revenues in the state with expenditures totaling $239,674,913.

They also estimate that the average tourist spends 33 cents of every dollar on shopping while in the area, which translates to over $100 per visitor. With an additional 16,000 people staying for more than one day, area shores hope to see an additional $1.6 million in revenues per football weekend.

The University Park Mall expects to see a large part of county revenue from football fans. The mall already experiences an annual surge in sales on game weekends and Mall manager Sara Zappia explains, "Sales increase for us depending on an increase in the number of people in town."

As greater numbers arrive this fall, however, there will be increases in traffic and congestion. The Michiana Regional Airport already experiences full capacity flights on high demand game weekends, and Airport Director John Schalliol predicts that a significant number of the 21,000 additional people will directly affect the availability of seats on South Bend flights.

"I don't think the expansion will affect us on a day-to-day basis. Areas five or six weekends when you have games, I think, there will be a dramatic effect primarily because of the ticket flight will go to out-of-towners as I've been led to believe."

One of the difficulties which faces commercial airport is frequent fluctuations in demand such as during home football game weekends. Flight patterns are set for the year and are rarely if ever altered to bring in an additional flight on occasion.

"Very rarely would you add more flights because their planes are scheduled so tightly, it's hard," stated Schalliol. "They might put one of our planes on another route and bring in a larger plane on occasion."

The number of people who travel to South Bend is a key factor in increasing the number of people coming from after football weekend. Without an increase in the number of people coming from after football weekend, there will be that much of a strain on the infrastructure of South Bend.

Increased traffic will be a definite factor in the strain on the South Bend community as the result of the expansion. Twenty thousand people translates to 11,000 cars and maybe 3,000 on game days on local roads such as Angeh, Eddy, Joseph and South Bend Avenue," according to Karl Latrow, the South Bend Department of Public Works.

Latrow believes that there will be no additional strain on the infrastructure in the city, "with the exception of the south side of campus. Because of alcohol, however, further adding to the frustration of the traffic situation."

Cleveland Road will be undergoing construction until Dec. 5 and will be closed between Juniper and Ironwood Roads for that period of time, according to Rick Riekem, construction engineer for St. Joseph County.

The second major construction project is taking place on Route 23 and is already underway. It is a more extensive project with three distinct phases spanning a period of over a year and a half. According to Rick Fedder, sub-district manager, South Bend Department of Transportation.

The first two phases will take place this year, and the third phase will take place next year.

Regardless of the possibility of increased strain on the community's resources, optimism for the upcoming season abounds. People in directly related sectors of employment seem willing to adapt to whatever challenges the increased numbers of fans might present.

"Most importantly, we have to come up with a game plan and must be willing to expand on what we do," said Sports Information director John Heisler.

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**Dole to discuss what America 'can be'**

*By JAMIE HEISLER*  
*Managing Editor*

She vowed the Republican National Convention with her down-to-earth speech among the delegates. She was among those on the scene working to provide for the families left homeless after Hurricane Andrew in the Gulf States.

Throughout her career, Elizabeth Dole has demonstrated a dedication to the betterment of society and a love of service which currently manifies itself in her role as president of the American Red Cross. Stories of her experiences with the Red Cross will likely surface in her lecture tomorrow night titled, "An America We Can Be."

"I project she will speak on the Red Cross and possibly volunteerism in America. Topics about North Dakota might also come up if someone asks her," said Erin McCloskey, ideas and issues commissioner for the Student Union Board. Dole is currently in North Dakota assisting those who have been displaced by recent flooding. She will be traveling directly from North Dakota to speak at 8 p.m. at the Joyce Center. Dole’s speech will be followed by a question and answer session in which politics is also sure to be a focus. Dole was her husband's most staunch advocate in his bid for the presidency and has been rumored to be a potential candidate for president herself.

Having served as Secretary of Labor, Dole is familiar with political life and has extensive experience speaking in public. From her years dedicated to community service.

"Elizabeth never gets a word or pause or chuckle out of place," quotes Time Magazine.

"For her service to the American public, a Gallup poll named her among the "world's 10 most admired women." It was for her prominence in American society that she chose to bring Dole to campus.

"There was a general interest within the committee for a leading woman in America. She seemed on the up-and-up about politics, social concerns and a potential candidacy for president although that is undeclared," said McCloskey.

"Tickets are still on sale at the LaFortune Information Desk and will be available at Gate 10 of the Joyce Center tomorrow night. The cost is $3 for students and $5 for non-students. "We've sold a relative amount of tickets, but we hope to sell a lot more Saturday night," said McCloskey.
Floods cancel North Dakota classes

By CHRIS BJORKE
The Dakota Student

GRAND FORKS, N.D. The University of North Dakota campus wasn’t spared from Grand Forks’ worst flood in recorded history, but it did avoid much of the severe devastation wreaked on the city’s North Dakota’s third largest city.

Because of that, UND will occupy a vital position when the semester abruptly came to an end for UND’s students last Saturday, when President Kendall Baker called off classes for the rest of the week.

As students evacuated campus, in particular, is to give younger students a chance to come to Saint Mary’s and get a taste of what the school is all about,” said John Pauley, assistant professor of communications, drama and theatre and program director for the Paula Program, another summer camp program.

This 20-year-old summer program offers diverse instruction to gifted middle to high school students. Named for the matriarch of a fourth century family, the program’s name sake was responsible for educating young women.

Unlike the other youth camps planned for the summer, the Paula Program requires applicants to submit a personal letter, scholastic transcripts and references from teachers along with the application. It is divided into three parts: a week focused on mathematics, one including science, and one in the creative arts.

“The program,” explained Pauley, “stretches students to think, challenge them, and also have fun. It’s a real hands-on experience.”

Finally, the school offers the Elderhostel Program geared to those 55 and over, which focuses on history, culture and economics. It is part of a worldwide program of over 1,800 universities and museums in 45 countries.
Ladies, start your engines

By HANK HECKEL

Expert touts Argentine reforms

Serena Cheresky described the new election method instituted by the nation called the "ballotage," which is based on the French electoral system. This entails a first round of voting in which various parties put up candidates, followed by a second round into which the front-runners advance. Cheresky claimed that this change is beneficial, as it allows for a pluralism of diverse political voices that are not accurately represented by the Argentine system. According to Cheresky, the new election method has opened up a whole new realm of political possibilities, according to Isidoro Ares.

A Ladies, start your engines

Any Taylor's Big Wheel
Tested yesterday tested the intricate driving skills of these two competitors. Both activities include food and body noises on test, a scale-ender hunt, and a picnic sponsored by students from the government.

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Prosecutor's opening statement accuses McVeigh of malice

By MICHAEL FLEEMAN
Associated Press Writer

DENVER

Seething with rage against his own government, Timothy M. McVeigh blew up the Oklahoma City federal building in a twisted plot to spark a second American revolution, a prosecutor said in opening statements Thursday.

"McVeigh liked to consider himself a patriot," Assistant U.S. Attorney Joseph Hartzler said. "Our forefathers did not fight innocent women and children. They didn't plant bombs and run away wearing earplugs." 

Jurors listened grim-faced as Hartzler, who has multiple sclerosis, leaned forward in his wheelchair and spoke softly about the deadliest act of terrorism on U.S. soil.

"It was an act of terror intended to serve selfish political purposes," Hartzler said. "The truck was there to impose the will of Timothy McVeigh on the rest of America ... by murdering innocent men, women and children in hopes of seeing blood flowing in the streets of America."

As Jones solemnly read the names, bombing victim's relatives quietly cried in their seats.

Jones accused the government of trying to elevate McVeigh's political beliefs -- which Jones said many shared -- "to a motive for mass murder." And he lashed out at scientists who at the beleaguered FBI lab for practicing "forensic prostitution." "By slandering scientific work in favor of the prosecution," Hartzler contended that McVeigh's hatred of the federal government was fueled by what he saw as the government's slaughter of innocents at the Branch Davidian compound near Waco, Texas, two years to the day before the bombing.

"He told people the government deliberately murdered people," the prosecutor said, adding that McVeigh described Waco as the "government's declaration of war against people." McVeigh was arrested on traffic charges 90 minutes after the explosion, and when federal agents searched his car they found statements quoting "The Turner Diaries," a 1978 fictional account of an attack on a federal building that is similar to the Oklahoma City bombing.

McVeigh pleaded the bombing for money, the prosecutor said.

Astronomers discover new planet

By MATT CRENSON
Associated Press Writer

NEW YORK

Astronomers announced the discovery of a Jupiter-sized planet orbiting a nearby star on Thursday, boosting their confidence that there are many more planets to be found -- perhaps some that harbor life.

"It's a very nice discovery," said Alan Boss, an astronomer at Carnegie Institute of Washington, D.C. "Even a single discovery like this can make people stop and rethink everything that's happened so far." 

The new planet lies about 23 million miles from its star, or about a quarter the distance from the sun to Earth. The star itself is close by astronomical standards, about 50 light years from Earth.

Because the planet is closer to its star than Mercury is to the sun, its surface temperature is estimated at 400 to 500 degrees Fahrenheit. That's much too hot to support life, but there's a good chance that more livable planets could be orbiting Rho Coronae Borealis or a similar star.

"There could well be many smaller planets in these systems that we just can't see by present techniques," Noyes said.

Current technology can detect a planet of the size and at the distance of Jupiter or Saturn, but is not advanced enough to find Earth-like planets.
Medicare will go under without help

By ALICE ANN LOVE
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON

Medicare trustees said Thursday that the program providing health care to more than 35 million senior citizens is still headed toward bankruptcy in 2001, unless Congress makes the White House act immediately. Clinton administration officials and Republican lawmakers said they will agree on at least a $100 billion savings plan this year to hold off the financial collapse of Medicare until 2008. That would buy time to consider longer-range reforms such as increased competition among health care providers serving Medicare beneficiaries.

Serial rapist may be targeting colleges

By ROBYNN TYSVER
Associated Press Writer

It is a terrifying thought to me that college campuses would be the preying grounds for a serial rapist," said Heidi Hess, 30, who quit her job as a part-time journalist and business teacher after she was raped on March 5.

OMAHA, Neb.

Four women have been raped and two others sexually assaulted on college campuses in four Midwestern states, and police suspect the attacks are the work of the same person: a man who likes to spit on his victims, question them about their sex lives and ask them to pray for him.

The attacks took place in February and March, on campuses 10 minutes to six hours apart.

The rapes have led schools to step up security and have unnerved students and faculty members with the idea that a rapist is targeting women working alone in computer labs and music rooms.

Omaha police are investigating the other attacks in Nebraska and Iowa, Lincoln Police Chief Tom Casady said. Further genetic tests are under way.

The first attack occurred at Union College in Lincoln, Neb., on Feb. 6, when a man wearing a ski mask raped a woman who was playing the piano at night in the basement of an administration building.

Three days later, someone tried to rape a young woman in an art studio at Knox College in Galesburg, Ill. Another student walked in and scared off the assailant.
Two words cannot mean a lot

Political activism at Notre Dame took a big step yesterday afternoon — and it was in the right direction.

When hundreds gathered outside the Main Building to rally for sexual orientation in the University's non-discrimination clause, it marked the greatest display of student activism on this campus in several years. And what made it even more powerful was that virtually everyone encompassed all sectors of the campus community.

There was a Holy Cross priest, Father David Garrick, who asked in his opening prayer that everyone pray for equality.

There were professors, including Kathleen Biddick, who demanded that the Office of Student Affairs provide the demonstrator's call for revision.

There was a resident assistant, Molly O'Shaughnessy, who argued that simply adding two words — "sexual orientation" — to the non-discrimination clause would do much to change the atmosphere of fear that some homosexuals experience.

There were gay and lesbian students; who said more of their peers would have attended the rally if it weren't for the fear that they feel.

And there were straight students, who attended the rally because, well, discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation just isn't right.

It's that we're suggesting that the University aggressively promotes or even tolerates discrimination on the basis of orientation. But the University's silence has grown uncomfortably suspicious.

Why hasn't the University added those two simple words to the clause? Nothing in the Church's Catechism contradicts doing so, in fact, it fits in perfectly with the Church's call to love one another. And who is the University to deliberately shut off, for so long? Thirteen months have passed since Vice President for Student Affairs Patricia O'Hara agreed to raise the issue to the University officers, and the campus has not yet even received one update on their deliberations.

If the student activists provide the University with any answers, they must be prepared to insert two words into the right-line paragraph on page 4 of its Labor Sale: any computer keyboard will work.

The time is past due for the University to let us up on speed on this issue, yesterday's rally emphasized that. Although much of the rally's rhetoric was directed at O'Hara, the University's problem is with the University officers, and the campus has not yet even received a single update on their deliberations.

But her responsibilities to this issue remain.

As the vice president for Student Affairs, O'Hara must care about the concerns of the students: the size of yesterday's rally and the breadth of its demographics indicate that this is a student concern. Consequently, O'Hara should do everything in her power in persuasion to persuade the officers to revise the clause.

At yesterday's rally, Fred Kelly, the editor of the conservative campus paper Ruckus Assessor, took the stage briefly to point out that differences between good and bad discrimination exist. That's true, but Kelly incorrectly concluded that discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation was real.

Discriminating between two things implies that enough thought was put into an issue to make the right choice. The University officers have deliberated, it's time they made the right choices.

Ciroa loshed the hearts and lives of many

Joe Ciroa, a Yankee fan and third-year law student from Cheektowaga, N.Y., (the crab apple capital of the world, although he claimed never to have seen a crab apple) passed on Wednesday at the age of 25.

Joe suffered from a heart condition and a soft bone disease that limited his mobility to a wheelchair scooter. But Joe never allowed his condition to place limitations upon his life. Those who knew Joe only in passing admired him for what he had overcome. Those who knew him well admired him for his dignity. Joe never complained about anything but tax class, and frankly, in the Law School everybody complains about that class.

One never questioned whether Joe would be good at the law. He was a talented word-smith (largely attributable to his undergraduate education at Canisius where he was an English major) and a polished speaker. More than that, Joe was a gifted listener. You could go to Joe with a problem and be assured that you had his complete attention.

Joe was a huge sports fan. He subscribed to Sports Illustrated and was a regular viewer of SportingCenter. He rooted for his home teams, the New York Yankees, the Buffalo Sabres, and the Buffalo Bills. It was for that last team, the Bills, that he took the most grief. It was a cruel twist of fate that matched him with a roommate whose favorite team was the New York Giants.

Joe also followed Notre Dame athletics, I still recall seeing him at the ND football games about three sections over in the wheelchair seating. He was easy to spot. Sitting on his scooter completely covered up to protect himself from the cold, he was always visible by his bright red Buffalo Bills cap.

Joe followed the ND basketball teams and the hockey team. Perhaps his most satisfying moments as a sports fan came at the Bongi Bisks. Joe cheered wildly through three rounds as the first friend he ever made on this campus, Todd Carcelli, stepped into the ring and upset the defending champ.

But Joe's true passion was baseball. Joe claimed that he kept score for every game he had ever watched. (Although in the time I knew him and watched games with him, he never once broke out a score book. He would blare this break from tradition on us, saying, "It's too distracting when you are around.")

One year, after the Yankees won the World Series, he called me and asked me if I had any idea how he was doing. I had been a hammer and some nails over to his apartment. When I arrived, he asked me to hang up a copy of Sports Illustrated's World Series edition which he had framed.

Last year, a number of Joe's friends moved to London for a year of studies. While we were away, Joe went into the hospital after his heart rate went away. When we returned this year, Joe took every opportunity to remind us of our departure. "Remember last year," he would say, "when you left me and broke my heart?" Wednesday, when Joe left us, he broke a little piece of each of our hearts.

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Third Year Law Student

Jesus is dead. Joe Ciroa was. Joe was disabled. He had soft bone disease and as a result, he could hardly walk. Joe had a bad heart. Physically. Joe was a bad man. Yet he never walked, he never talked about how bad he had it, and he didn't feel sorry for himself. Joe did what so few of us can do. He lived his life with passion and with honesty. He loved his family and he loved his friends. Joe knew what was important and he embraced it. He was simply a good man. Joe Ciroa was a good, good man. Joe was my friend and he is my inspiration. Thank you for sharing you with me. I will never forget and I love you.

A friend.

THANK YOU FOR SHARING YOUR LIFE WITH ME

I KNOW IT'S NOT EASY TO SHOW YOUR SADNESS BUT I THINK YOU'RE STRONGER THAN YOU THINK AND I KNOW YOU'LL COME THROUGH THIS."
Discrimination can be a good thing

It wasn’t very long ago that a man could be discriminated against and know he had been complimented. A “discriminating person” was someone you’d like to know. Not anymore. The once esteemed faculty of discrimination has fallen into disfavor lately and is a real shame.

To discriminate is to draw a clear distinction. One discriminates between good and evil, right and wrong, true and false. A discriminating intellect is one which makes these differences clear for itself and for others.

The present understanding of the word “discrimination” is a bitter defeat for the English language. It frustrates reason, it causes a imminent to perspicuous arguments. It eliminates the word “discrimination” which is empty of reason, and it robs the very faculty which makes us human of its function.

The one which makes these practical differences and assigns them to their proper place.

Digressions, Distortions, and General Ramblings

I’ve come to the conclusion that instructors show students the right, the good and the true as distinguished from the false and the evil. If not, at least the methods of each team with funny names (see: That’s a Longtime, Big Twinkie), etc.

There is a more hatred in the rhetoric of those who are against discrimination than in the rhetoric of those who are for it. The anti-discrimination crowd that is rooted not in the dictates of reason and the moral law, but in fear, jealousy and insecurity.

Therefore let us resolve: Let there be no more debate on whether or not we should discriminate. Let us move straight on to how we should discriminate.

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A shopper’s worst nightmare: the overzealous salesperson

The other day, I did the unfath- omable, the inconceivable, the rarely achievable: I won the ultimate shopping challenge and emerged victo- rious: I walked into Sam’s Shoe Palace and bought a pair of shoes! — and only two kinds of people on campus: football players and musicians.

If some of us could discriminate between Catholic leaders with a gen- erous view and indigent and unfor¬
terted hate mongers plying their per¬cuniors trade, there might be a con¬versation.

If others could discriminate between people who are really in a minority and self-righteous zealots unwilling to even consider compromise, perhaps we could reach some stable middle-ground.

When discrimination was still counted a virtue, Matthew Apple might think it more moral to commit a moral absolom in one breath and to condemn disagreement with his view in the next. What is new view may be validly expressed except that he (or she) is a minority view? Who could be so ignorant?

In all of that, something is lost. Most of the discrimination is in favor of people who quietly play well, in good ya, Ma’am, these babies are hot- they have fought with that lovely new pair of Sam’s Shoe Palace.

As taken as I was by his sincere flat¬tened hate mongers plying their perni¬cious trade. We will all be the same and in the name of “diversity” no less. Then the name of our language and our reason and our thought will be beyond repair.

There is unjust discrimination in the world and plenty worth fighting right now on campus. Patrick in the moral judgments of the Church are somewhat subjective; the judges with which they disagree are suspect. What is never suspect is the existence of the good and useful things that have the nerve to con¬form to them.

The cries of discrimination have also echoed at Stepan courts during the past season. Discrimination against and for, food, songs, and the like by the students might discriminate for themselves are taught.

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Spencer and Goodspeed next to continue fullback tradition

Although a neck injury sidelined him this spring, Jamie Spencer will play a big role in 1997.

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In recent times, Notre Dame has enjoyed the luxury of big, strong, quick running backs. From Jerome Bettis to Ray Zellars to Marc Edwards, there has rarely been a shortage of talent at the fullback position, and 1997 should be no different.

Junior Jamie Spencer and sophomore Joey Goodspeed have already shown signs of greatness and if both are healthy in the fall, opposing defenses will have much more to worry about than just a new-fangled passing attack.

The current situation at fullback resembles that of the 1994 season, when the talented sophomore Edwards, found himself more to worry about than his injury and proves himself again, Goodspeed is the rightful starter.

"It's been great," Goodspeed said of the young sophomore. "He's getting better and better. He has been doing the things he's been asked to do and excelled in doing them. He's had a great spring. You just have to compliment him."

Goodspeed, who expressed his belief that he would be ready for tomorrow's spring game, credited Spencer with a great deal of his own personal development.

"Just watching Jamie," explained Goodspeed, "I learn from him. Last year, he helped me with the plays and having to deal with the pressure. He's a great athlete and a great role model to follow."

The friendly, yet competitive relationship between the young fullbacks has clearly benefited both players.

"We help each other," Spencer stated of the mental competition. "We are both competitors."

Goodspeed was in complete agreement with Spencer.

"Competition makes you perform better," noted Goodspeed, "I think it helps both us. It makes us work harder."

Goodspeed has the confidence and level-headedness to accept whatever role he may be given and to succeed in that role.

"I'd like to go in and start," said Goodspeed. "But I don't (necessarily) expect to start. I wouldn't mind sharing time with Spencer. I'd just like to see in decent amount of time and help out on special teams."

Both men understand that their job is to make the team better, regardless of who receives the title of starter.

"No matter who the starter is," asserted Spencer, "you can be sure he's going to be the best man for the job."

Right now, Spencer and Goodspeed are just happy to be playing for a team with a positive attitude. They agree that it makes all the difference in the world when everyday practices is not simply another source of pressure and stress.

"Last year we were like robots in practice," Goodspeed said of the offense. "This year, it's a different team."

"I'm looking forward to the season (and) playing under Coach Davie," Spencer said. "It's going to be fun. Like Coach Davie has said, we've got a style to us. I've been enjoying and looking forward to practice. It's been less grueling (than) in the past."

Goodspeed summed up the fullbacks' attitude, and for that matter the attitude of the entire team, best when he said, "We're just having fun playing football."

Joey Goodspeed has been impressive in spring drills.

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The Rosters for the Blue and Gold game will not include current depth charts for the Notre Dame offense.
ROSTER: Bobby Brown, Lamont Bryant, Bobbie Howard, Jarious Jackson, Mark Johnson, Leon Wallace.

STRENGTHS: Muddy Waters is the most athletic team in the tournament. With a combination of Brown, Howard, and Jackson, the team is polished to at least one fresh player every game. As previously, Brown controls the tempo of the game, while Brown and Jackson have a potent outside attack. Water's presence makes the basket is enough to intimidate any opponent. Howard is the team's nucleus.

WEAKNESSES: Control problems. The Water's tends to overthink at times. There is an emotional gap that can be a fire. Water's very not very motivated. Brown's great game could also be a curse — the fact that four of the team's players have budding football careers also. Possibly, they don't want to sacrifice for an opponent basketball tournament.

PROGNOSIS: Now that they have been challenged, no one should surprise Muddy Waters for the remainder of the tournament. If they can avoid getting wrapped up in the excitement of the ebb and flow, they will be extremely difficult to beat. However, Dan Geses will be a step up from their last opponent.

ROSTER: Mike Denvir, Bill Geze, Alex Geze, Chris Clevenger, Ryan Healy.

STRENGTHS: There is very little that this team cannot do. Clevenger and Denvir have shown that they can flat out dominate a game as well as Healy and the Gese brothers are concerned; there may be no three players in the tournament who can play an up-tempo game as comfortably as this trio. Offensively, they have simply outplayed their opponents to date, and their transition game is clearly one to be reckoned with.

WEAKNESSES: Difficult playing under the outstanding basketball talent of the Sweet 16. All of this, a squad that has yet to face a team with comparable size and skill. The team destroyed by Healy, who is the most mature of the two. The fact that Gimp's No. 17 is the best player, has probably a bit inflated due to its thrilling victory last week. The pressure of playing in the tournament has the potential to wear on the untested native of the Geses.

PROGNOSIS: Although Primetime seems to be every­body's upset favorite, Dan Geses could prove to be the most dark horse of the tournament. The thing that may stop the No. 6 seed is a quick start by Muddy Waters, as Geses has yet to face any legitimate adversity.

ROSTER: Stu Healy, Nick Jakobe, Too Keller, Mark Klaassen, Kevin Poppink.

STRENGTHS: Athletic and well-disciplined. Jakobe is very quick and can single-handedly give the opposition problems. Healy is a battlefied veteran, coming off a second team All-Bookstore performance last year and guiding the team like a gener­al. Malicious moves the ball nicely, and the athleticism of all five players will pre­vent any kind of collapse due to fatigue. Kevin Poppink is a rebounding machine, and Too Keller and Mark Klaassen provide the other components of this well-oiled machine. Amenityy can also prove to be a weapon. Corby's is the high pressure team with the big guns, but Malicious has quickly and further a solid run of the field. No talks or trash talking from these guys, as they are easily the best of the Elite Eight.

WEAKNESSES: Over-confidence of the Gimp to win the regional game. Tall, but not that tall. That could hurt, though, because even when a team has five tall guns, it might have problems containing one or two of exceptional height, as have many of the Elite Eight. Healy has been challenged. If Jakobe or Jakobe is completely shut off, it is unlikely the team will respond well because both are integral parts of the offense. On one hand, Malicious Prosecution's simple style of play has been able to set the tone for every game they have played this far, but on the other, Malicious could have trouble dealing with some of the bigger players and even bigger attitudes that often come with advancement in the Bookstore tournament.

PROGNOSIS: No glitz or glamour, just a group of excellent ballplayers who play fundamentally sound ball. Will match very well with Primetime, as both teams play very consistent and disciplined basketball. Experience of Healy will play a big part as Primetime is making its first appearance in the Elite Eight. This game could provide one of the closest matchups of the tournament, and ironically, will probably be one of the most entertaining. If they beat Primetime, there will be clear matchups problems against the holking frontcourts of Muddy Waters and Dan Geses. It is capable of playing a near perfect game, but whether or not it does is the obvious question.
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ROSTER: Peter Gansler, Matt Gorman, Brett Hartmann, Chris Salata, Matt Vankoski

STRENGTHS: The Yaks are a very physical team. Gorman and Vankoski can push around some of the biggest boys in the tournament. Gorman, at times, has proven himself to be the best player on the court for the Yaks. His rebounding ability is second to none, with plenty of second opportunities on offense. Vankoski, a former player on the Irish, is used to playing at an intense level of play. Gansler has both size and a solid inside game. His versatility could make him difficult to guard. The team has a strong inside presence that can frustrate opponents.

WEAKNESSES: The Yaks lack consistency up top, and the guards tend to force shots when a more patient approach would be appropriate. The team, as a whole, can be taken out of its game mentally. They do not have the big-game experience that some of the other Elite Eight teams, which could allow them to be rattled at a tight spot. Their size and physical strength are countershaunted by their lack of ball-handling and pure shooting. Against a team with comparable power in the paint, it does not appear that they will be able to maintain their advantage on the boards. Even the Yaks' physical style of play will have trouble handling the size and versatility of Corby's Tim Ridder and Bob Baxter.

PROGNOSIS: The Yaks have impressed everyone this far, and there is no doubt that they belong among the Elite Eight in the tournament. They could certainly give Corby's an early run, and if they happen to hang with ease, and it is doubtful that any of the Yaks will be able to prevent Corby's front three from having their way on the inside. Although they play with confidence, it is very possible that Corby's dominating style of play will be able to intimidate the Yaks. In the end, their inexperience is likely to catch up with them.

ROSTER: Benedict Bocchio, Darnell Smith, Jason Newcomer, Matt Campbell, Matt Busam

STRENGTHS: Experience and size are key attributes for the No. 4 seed. This team has been together since freshmen year. Matt Campbell displays the tenacity needed to win down the stretch. Bocchio is the most vocal of this bunch, running the point as good as anyone. Newcomer has been the iron man, not missing a game after an injury early in the tournament. Byrd is the key lead in scoring.

WEAKNESSES: Where's the Smith? Smith is the biggest player in the team at 6' 10" but after him, the team lacks depth. After Smith, Campbell is the next tallest. Against a team like Corby's or SFR Ill, they won't be able to muscle their way underneath. If they play in a close game, the team's tendency to begin early conversations with the referees, which is not the best way to win a game.

PROGNOSIS: Swoosh Ill is very athletic, experienced, and smart. Chris Dotson and Keith Kurowski of SFR II will give Swoosh matchup problems in the backcourt. Lack of height may end up haunting Swoosh Ill, but versatility and athleticism will keep them in any game.

ROSTER: Chris Dotson, Dan Frigo, Keith Kurowski, Steve STICKER, Brett Stuck

STRENGTHS: Well-balanced offensive attack. With Frigo and Starck inside (at 6-foot-8 and 6-foot-7 respectively), they are able to go up against the bigger teams while opening up the outside game. Kurowski and Dotson are two sharpshooters who have the ability to go coast-to-coast on any team. Stuck, prior to the Sweet 16, had been unmatched from the perimeter and has the potential to do so again with his range.

WEAKNESSES: Despite the strength of Frigo and Starck can be outmatched in the paint. If these two do not hit the courts, it could be a long day for SFR II. Kurowski has the tendency to lose awareness of his teammates and try to control the game on his own. Stuck was very cold from outside against Hoopshock in the semifinals. SFR II cannot afford a repeat performance in the quarterfinals.

PROGNOSIS: SFR is going up against an experienced Swoshi team that knows how to play in the pressure situation. If Stark can get back on track from the outside, scoring should not be a problem. Frigo and Stark must neutralize Darnell Smith and Matt Campbell in the middle.

ROSTER: Steve Craig, Mike Empy, Kevin Hughes, Kyle Hughes, Raam Jani

STRENGTHS: Primetime is clearly the crowd favorite. Although, on the surface, it might not appear to be much of a strength, it is in the mind of its players. And who is going to argue with a team that has come in and taken some of the best players in the history of the Bookstore tournament by surprise? Primetime has continued. It is compared to last year's runner-up Showtime, whose quick offense and relentless defense against Dos Kloskas (last year's champions) provided one of the best championship games in the tournament's 26-year history. Although, Primetime is young, it is talented, ambitious, and not easily intimidated. One of the team's best kept secrets is that after finishing in the top-32 last year, they picked up two players (freshmen Steve Craig and Kyle Hughes) who were better than the two it lost. Jani is one of the best outside shooters in the tournament and Empy runs the pick with ease. Craig and Kevin Hughes are able to stabilize the team's inside game and remain strong off the boards.

WEAKNESSES: One of the only, yet major problems for Primetime has been handling the zone defense. In the last two games, the team has jumped out to a quick lead, only to have its opponent switch to a zone defense, neutralizing its offensive potency. If the team is not able to achieve a quick lead and its opponent comes with the nine men right away, Primetime does not possess the most size in the Elite Eight, but its quickness on both ends of the court should make up for it.

PROGNOSIS: While Primetime feeds off its crowd support and fearless attitude, Malicious Prosecution needs neither a crowded nor intimidation to find success on the court. Both teams play a similar style of game, clean, quick basketball with little show or big plays. The major question will remain whether Primetime can ride its streak to the Final Four, or if Malicious Prosecution can justify its rise to the No. 2 seed. If these two teams can fulfill their seeding one of them is going to come the heavy favorite, Primetime has the chance to make a show of their own in Bookstore.

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Bookstore XXVI: Showcase of seniors

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Dan Fannon and Jeff Kloska first met freshman year in Carroll Hall, and quickly became aware of their potential as possible teamates in the Bookstore Basketball tournament. Fannon, along with fellow Carroll Hall residents Mike Kloska (Jeff’s older brother) and Bert Berry, teamed up with Flanner Hall resident Pete Coleman to form Dos Kloskas. In their first year, the team of three freshmen and two sophomores reached the Elite Eight of the tournament. Last spring, Dos Kloskas dominated the opposition, defeating Showtime in their only close game, 21-19.

Coleman and Mike Kloska graduated last year, and Berry received his degree in tenure at Notre Dame. As returning members from a strong performing team, there is added pressure on those team members to succeed.

“We feel challenged alot. We’ve been playing together for three years, and each year we’ve set our goals higher,” said Swoosh’s Rocchio. Fannon and Kloska also feel pressure, but like Rocchio, put the value of the tournament and the experience ahead of attaining personal goals.

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“His a great guy and a great player.”

Rocchio and Newcomer, regulars at the pick-up games in the Rock, have had the good fortune of playing with the same team and succeeding for a longer period of time than other teams. Swoosh has slowly progressed to become a legitimate title contender from an Elite Eight team last year.

Despite the potential matchup between Swoosh III and Corby’s in the semifinals and the unique distinction some of its team members have as being mainstays in campus basketball, there is no animosity between the two.

“We all practice together during the year and have a mutual respect for each other’s talents. We also know each other as friends, so that makes the tournament that much more fun,” said Fannon.
k for Irish spring finale

Ground attack looks to be set until game time. Here is a look at the Ground attack looks to be set until game time. Here is a look at the offense line, which allowed penetration and sacks too often. The defensive line saw new stars emerge as sophomore Shelton Jordan showed his experience, along with freshman Lance Leger. Out of nowhere, Leger has made the switch to nose guard. Most likely, this little known secret will get the nod for the starting lineup, come this fall.

"The Blue-Gold game means a lot to the players," Davie said. "They get a chance to play in front of fans and compete without coaches stopping every play. It's a break from the everyday grind."

Overall, the team remains a bit rough. This second scrimmage allows the coaching staff and team a chance to smooth out the rough spots. This year's have yet to give birth to new legend. There have been no echoes of Leahy, Hanratty, Theismann, nor Montana. Saturday's game could be the chance for Jackson or Legree to shine.

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Kory Minor

Minor's leadership will be critical this fall when the Irish try to adjust to life without Byron Cobbs, Kinnon Tatum, and Bert Berry. In an effort to make the transition a smooth one, Minor has spent time working with the younger players. "I've just tried to help some of the younger guys out and make them better football players," said Minor.

"Don't let me wrong, we're going to miss those guys (Cobbs, Tatum, and Berry), but we've got some talented guys here now. We're still going to be strong at linebacker."

In addition to his pure athletic ability and his desire to make those around him better, leadership seems to stem from Minor's personality. He constantly has a smile on his face, and his out-going, good natured demeanor has endeared him to his teammates.

"He's one of the greatest guys you'll ever meet," said Cobbs. "Everyone around him and knows he's there for us. I can't say enough about the kind of person Kory is."

"Kory is a one-in-a-million type guy," said Berry. "He is so much fun to be around and play with. He's the type of guy that makes you feel like a better person just from knowing him."

That's the mark of a true leader. And that's the essence of Kory Minor.

Depth Chart

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| ILB | Jimmy Friday \n|\nJoe Thomas |
| STRONG SAFETY | Benny Guilbeaux \n|\n\nA'Jani Sanders |
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Kory Minor

"Was named USA Today's defensive player of the year his senior year in high school.

"Nominated for the Butkus award prior to the 1996 season.

"Has started 21 out of 22 games since coming to Notre Dame.

"Has recorded 188 tackles and 14 sacks in two years.

"Has been a tremendous player for us, and he's just getting better," said head coach Bob Davie. "Kory is the type of player that can dominate a game by himself. He's just an exciting player to watch."

Last season, Minor was nominated for the Butkus award, given to the nation's top linebacker, and enters the 1997 season with a legitimate shot at taking home the hardware. In addition, he is considered a genuine All-American candidate.

"All that stuff is great and everything, but it's not what I am striving for," said Minor. "I want to help this team win a national championship. That's my number one goal, so everything else just falls way down the list."

Added Davie, "Kory has a chance to win all the awards and achieve all the honors. But that's not his nature. He puts the team first and himself second. I think that's what makes him such a leader on this team."
It's the end of the school year, what am I going to do with my summer?

Meet Dick, he is a sophomore PLS major stuck working in Fanta factory in Fargo, N.D. He gets paid $5 an hour to put the pop tops on the bottles, after inserting the ever-important fiz. He bottles over 3,000 Fantas per day, most of which are distributed locally in Fargo. A quality control manager watches him closely to make sure he is adhering to FDA carbonation standards. But when the manager sneaks off towards the nitrous tanks, that's when Dick's job gets interesting.

Dick, being a pensive, intelligent PLS student, has watched "Willy Wonka & The Chocolate Factory" one too many times. He decided to spice up his life and that of his consumers: time to color-coordinate the shade of the Fanta.

During the days, they frolic in the sun, but the nights are really when the Crazy Colorwheel, Marzetti's "Choo-choo orange goes to Des Moines, magenta is shipped to Brooklyn. Apple green travels to Boise as sunflower yellow makes its way to Kalamazoo. South Bend gets elephant grey.

With these Fanta meccas happy and provided for, Dick can sleep at night knowing that he's done his job well, brightened the lives of some very special people, and used his liberal arts degree to its fullest potential.

After winning employee of the month, Dick stands as a shining example of job pride, and doing the most with what you are given. When he returns to Notre Dame in the fall, and sees the many students trapped in the realm of the intellect, he will look back and remember the importance of the practical experience. Everyone should have a job like this at least once in his or her life; it makes sitting through CORE seem tolerable.

Walt, is that Pamela Anderson? Join Ben, Jerry and Sherri and the cast of Baywatch for some carefree fun in the sun. They've given up the books for suntan lotion. Ben and Sherri just came back from spending some QT in the ocean, while Jerry is recovering from his alcohol-induced slumber.

These three Arts and Letters majors are living off their daddy's dime in their plush condos in Hilton Head, S.C. During the days, they frolic in the sun, but the nights are really when they have their fun. They drive up and down the beaches in their Jeep Cherokees in search of the perfect banana daiquiri.

Poor Ben. Once, Ben entered a gnu surfing competition. However, he was cursed with the wrath of the magic Tiki doll that Sherri had uncovered from an ancient Indian burial ground earlier that day. Sherri screamed from the beach as she watched her hero nearly plunge into the jaws of a hungry shark. Luckily, David Hasselhoff and his crew of lifeguards where there to save this ill-fated lad from the grip of death. Following the rescue, Hasselhoff rescued Sherri from the suffocating hand of Ben.

Meanwhile, Jerry, donned in his less-than-modest Speedo, makes eyes at all of the other guests at Hilton Head with very little success. His glances are sometimes met with a sneer and occasionally a slap. Poor Jerry.

Of course, celebrities are ever present on the beach du jour. Once, Pee-Wee Herman sang to an appreciative audience about the virtues of the "Surfin' Bird." The Beach Boys, as well, have lent their support for the environmental causes of the Hilton Head beach.

Amoeste and Frankie dance the night away. Sometimes, it's so packed that it all seems like a horrendous, overcrowded bad movie. Or Penny Pitchers. But this is no movie. This is life.

It's great being a beach bum.

Clinging to the age-old adage, "it's not what you know, it's who you know," Michael and Katherine have decided to try to advance their careers with an internship. They're both spending their summers avoiding paper cuts and drinking purified water from conical paper cups. But they take consolation in the fact that a summer of slave labor... uh... filing and research will payoff in the form of a better resume.

Unfortunately, they must now bow to their cruel boss, Mr. McWills, who resembles Jabba the Hut more than a CEO. He pummels them with requests for commercially-aided televised games, and sends them on seemingly endless tasks for the perfect ham salad on a battered croissant. From Canada. But life is looking up for the two, since McWills' blood pressure is rising faster than the national debt. His doctor put an end to the fatty foods saturated with cholesterol.

Things are not all bad for Michael and Katherine. Their company gives them tickets to the hottest events in town. True they are in the nosebleed section, but how good of seats do you need when you are at the Monster Truck Rally. Besides, where else can you hit on the Daisy Duke-clad 14-year-olds? Bridget's? Applying for such a job is as easy as 1-2-3. To wheel and deal with the bigwigs, all you need is knowledge in one field of business. Golf. Once you learn how to control your club... you learn how to control your club... keep track of your balls, your on Easy Street, pal.

Life is good when you're working in the big city. There is a Starbucks on every corner. For the bargain price of $24.95, you can get yourself a latte and a bagel for lunch. No sack lunches for these young entrepreneurs. Image is everything. Lunchmeat was so '87.

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summer job stories

- I was an assistant manager of a dorm on campus and one night the fire alarm went off at about 2 a.m. I went around the dorm trying to wake people up and get them out of the dorm, and when I finally got all the campers and their coaches outside, we saw the hall manager walking towards us — it was his 21st birthday and he was totally trashed. — Matt Kutz, '99

- I was a mailman last summer and one day I had to deliver some mail to a local bar. When I walked in, there were five mailmen sitting at the bar. They all were just sitting around, and I was covering like three routes. — Tony Rosenmiller, '98

- The woman I was working with thought I was talking her. — Phil Donner, '00

- There was a person selling strawberries outside the bank I worked at. A woman came in and told the teller next to me that there was a transient outside. The manager asked what was wrong and the teller said, "There's a transvestite outside." — Kim Matthews '99
Irish recruits show their stuff

Observer Staff Report

This weekend, the Joyce Center will host the Coca-Cola All-American basketball game and the Coca-Cola/Reebok All-American Game. The games are scheduled for this Sunday at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m., respectively.

On display in the Coca-Cola Game will be future Domers Marty Ingelsby, Hans Rasmussen and Leviticus Williamson. Ingelsby, a guard out of Radnor, Pa., is one of the top players in the Philadelphia area and was named the Gatorade State Player of the Year. His accolades also include being named to the all-state team and first team all-city.

Rasmussen, of Portland, Ore., was an honorable mention preseason All-American but went out with a fractured ankle that he played on for the first half of his senior season. Despite his injury, Rasmussen led his team in points, rebounds and blocks per game.

Williamson, of Spring, Texas, earned first team all-state and all-region honors for the state of Texas. He grew into a line player his senior year, as he doubled his points per game and rebounds per game from his junior to senior seasons.

The first game will feature a matchup between future Big East and Big Ten players. The East squad is comprised solely of players who will battle in the Big East next season, and all but one of the players on the West squad will be in Big Ten country next year.

The second half of the doubleheader will feature two-sport stars who will be playing their "other" sport. Lorenzo Guess, Levron Williams and Antwaan Randle El are also slated to play football at their respective universities.

All three earned all-state honors for their work both on and off the gridiron and hardwood.

The Coca-Cola All American Game

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John MacLeod's recruits will be on display this weekend at the Joyce.
Dear Professor O'Hara:

As you know, the 1996-97 academic year marked the first year of the existence of the Standing Committee on Gay and Lesbian Student Needs. Because we serve as an advisory committee to you, you have asked that we submit to you a written report of our activities of this past year. This letter will serve as our report.

The following persons served as members of the Committee during the 1996-97 academic year:

- David Burrell, C.S.C.
- Susan Bruno, O.S.F.
- Sean Geary
- Mark Massoud (fall semester)
- Carol Jones (spring semester)
- Tony Silva
- Richard Warner, C.S.C.

The mission of the Standing Committee was articulated in your Open Letter in response to the Final Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on Gay and Lesbian Student Needs, dated April 2, 1996. You stated that "it should be the task of this committee to act as a resource to the Vice President in identifying the ongoing needs of gay and lesbian students, to continue the dialogue begun by the Ad Hoc Committee, and to assist in the implementation of campus-wide educational programming on gay and lesbian issues."

The Standing Committee has met nine times over the course of this academic year. We have hosted two campus-wide events designed to heighten awareness of gay and lesbian issues. The first was a panel discussion entitled "Homosexuality and the Family," moderated by Rev. David Burrell, C.S.C. The panel consisted of gay, lesbian and bisexual students. The students related their experiences of sharing their sexual orientations with family and friends. The father of a lesbian daughter also served on the panel and talked about his own journey of understanding. Many in the audience were themselves parents, siblings or friends of gay or lesbian persons. The dialogue which developed between panel members and the audience was very powerful, as people shared stories both of acceptance and affirmation, rejection and denial.

The second campus-wide event hosted by the Standing Committee was a lecture by Thomas Gumbleton, Auxiliary Bishop of Detroit, entitled "Homophobia: A Christian Perspective." Bishop Gumbleton has long been a voice for understanding and acceptance of gay and lesbian persons within the Catholic Church. His advocacy on behalf of gay and lesbian persons has deep personal significance to him, for he has a brother who is gay. Bishop Gumbleton called upon the Church to listen closely to the experiences of gay and lesbian Catholics and to treat them with love and respect as people striving to grow humanly and spiritually.

During Hall Staff Orientation in August, members of the Standing Committee led a workshop on gay and lesbian issues for the Resident Assistants. A similar workshop had been offered to the R.A.s at the beginning of the 1995-96 academic year, and it was one of the recommendations of the Ad Hoc Committee on Gay and Lesbian Student Needs that efforts to educate the R.A.s be continued. In the course of the R.A. workshop, Dr. Patrick Utz, director of the University Counseling Center, gave a presentation on homophobia. Representatives from Campus Ministry provided information about their efforts at pastoral outreach to gay and lesbian students. In addition, two students spoke about their experiences of being gay at Notre Dame and offered practical suggestions on how R.A.s can be welcoming and supportive of the gay and lesbian students in their residence halls.

In addition to the programs described above, the Standing Committee, in conjunction with Campus Ministry's Pastoral Initiative for Gay and Lesbian Students, has offered to be a resource to the residence hall rectors in the planning and presenting of in-hall workshops on gay and lesbian issues. Several gay and lesbian students have made themselves available as presenters or facilitators for these workshops. It is the hope of the Standing Committee that a greater number of residence halls will take advantage of this resource in the future.

The Standing Committee is in the process of creating a home page, which will allow students who are seeking more information about the work of the committee and about resources on this campus for gay and lesbian students to access this information more readily. Our home page will also feature information about upcoming events hosted by the Standing Committee.

Finally, the Standing Committee has begun work on a type of "Safe Zone" campaign, which we hope to launch early in the 1997-98 academic year. This will be a campaign designed to help gay and lesbian students feel more welcome on this campus. Interested students, staff and faculty who are familiar with campus resources available to gay and lesbian students will be invited to identify themselves as willing to talk about issues of sexual orientation. We hope to pilot this program with hall staffs during Hall Staff Orientation in August.

The Committee is in the process of identifying potential campus speakers for the fall semester. We will continue our efforts to offer as many fora as possible for discussion of gay and lesbian issues, both in campus-wide lectures and through programs in the residence halls.

We are encouraged by the progress made by the University within the last two years, but there is still much work to be done in terms of making Notre Dame a place which welcomes its gay and lesbian students. It is our hope that in some small way, the efforts of the Standing Committee have helped to improve the campus climate in this regard. We appreciate all of your support over the past year, and we look forward to continuing our efforts in the year ahead.

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Firth
Chair, Standing Committee on Gay and Lesbian Student Needs
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which is well above their season average of a home run every 30 at bats. This inning gave the Irish a lead that they would not relinquish during the rest of the game.

In the sixth, Wagner hit his 14th homerun of the year, and was immediately matched by an opposite field homerun by freshman Brian Ust. This was Ust’s ninth homerun of the year, and his fourth to opposite field. Ust made his first start at shortstop in this game, playing previously at second base.

“Early in the season, I moved Ust to second to take some defensive pressure off,” said coach Paul Mainieri. “I know I’d really need him offensively. But now, I don’t consider him a freshman. He can handle pressure and I want to make sure I have my best fielders on the left side of the field.”

The coaching staff was also very pleased by the performance of Lapinskas.

“Every time Lapinskas gets a chance, he wants to throw the ball well,” complimented pitching coach Brian O’Cainee.

Mainieri added, “He’s a competitor; he has a lot of pride and never gives up. He doesn’t have the strongest arm, but he threw some good change-ups.”

Notre Dame has a very challenging weekend ahead as they face Big East American division leader West Virginia in a doubleheader Saturday. Then, the Irish must battle Pittsburgh in a double header.

“It’s going to be a big challenge,” said Mainieri. “We have a lot of people banged up, a lot of injuries, and we really need to rally. Everybody has to do a little better.”

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Daws will be honored by state

By JOE CAVATO
Sports Editor

Despite the end of her collegiate soccer career in which she helped to bring the Notre Dame women's soccer program into the national spotlight, Cindy Daws continues to make noise.

Yesterday in Indianapolis, a resolution to honor the midfielder was approved by the Indiana Senate. State Senator Joe Zakas, a Republican from Granger, authorized this measure.

The resolution was approved by the Senate unanimously and it is being sponsored in the Indiana House of Representatives by B. Parker Baur, a Democrat from South Bend.

Daws is Notre Dame's all-time leading scorer and is being honored for her outstanding accomplishments in women's collegiate soccer.

Those accomplishments include leading the Irish to the national championship game the last three seasons, including the championship in 1996 in which she scored the winning goal in double overtime to defeat Portland. Over those three years, Daws was named to the All-American team.

Daws received numerous accolades, including the most prestigious awards distributed in the world of women's collegiate soccer.

In January, with former teammate Michelle McCarthy and head coach Chris Petrucchi in attendance, she was named the Outstanding Athletics Club Player of the Year. The award is considered the Heisman Trophy for soccer, as previous winners include Alexi Lalas and Mia Hamm.

Daws also earned the Hermann Trophy which is also considered one of the premiere awards for women's soccer players.

"It is very appropriate that Cindy Daws be recognized by the Indiana Senate for her remarkable accomplishment," said Zakas.

Thus, Daws' impressive resume has continued to grow even though her days on the college field are over.

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SPORTS BRIEFS

Climbing Wall Orientations are available at the climbing wall in the Rockne Memorial every Sunday at 1 p.m. and Wednesday at 6 p.m. Sign-up outside the wall.

Drop-In Volleyball — RecSports will be offering Drop-In Volleyball on Tuesday's from 7-10 p.m., Wednesday from 4-6 p.m., and Fridays from 7-10 p.m. in the Joyce Center. No established teams or advanced sign-ups necessary.

Special Olympics — Volunteers are needed to help Special Olympics participants. Practices are at Rolfs Aquatic Center on Mondays and Wednesdays from 4:30-5:30 p.m. For more info, call coach Dennis Stark at 1-5983.

RecSports will be hiring two full-time, one part-time, and numerous substitutes to lifeguard at the St. Joseph Lake Beach this summer. Please contact Greg at 1r'lllur1tlle C1reelk on Mondays and Wednesdays from 4-5:30

The Joyce Center to fill out an application.

RecSports is now accepting applications for student event supervisors and student room supervisors. Please pick up an application at the Office of RecSports on the first floor of the Joyce Center. For more information, call 631-6100.

Bar Roll Club — A weightlifting club is coming soon next year for novices or serious lifters. Learn more about the art of lifting and developing a bigger and stronger physique. Call Bihn at 4-4364 for sign-ups and more info.

RecSports World Wide Web — RecSports is now accepting applications for a web page. The Joyce Center office to complete an application. The position is for the 1997-1998 academic year.

SOFTBALL

The Notre Dame softball team will use two double-headers this weekend to prepare for post-season play.

Swingers look to tune-up

By ALLISON KRILLA
Sports Writer

As the weather finally begins to heat up, the Notre Dame softball team prepares to host Big East rival Rutgers in a four-game homestand this weekend.

The Irish plan to use these games as a tune-up for the conference championships, scheduled to begin next Saturday in Storrs, Conn. Maintaining focus throughout the entire game will be a point of emphasis for the Irish, as they face a mediocre Scarlet Knight team.

"When teams don’t have the record (of a top 25 team), it’s easy to have a nonchalant attitude, especially playing four games in a row," said third baseman Kara McMahon.

Playing two doubleheaders against Rutgers with intensity will pay off for the Irish, as they head into the post-season against ranked opponents, forming an NCAA record of a top 25 team.

Thus far, the Irish have been less than impressive in February and early March. Most of those losses came early in the season, during the national tournament Notre Dame played in February and early March.

Since then, the Irish have meshed as a team, combining offensive power with solid pitching to win 12 of their last 13 games. Freshmen Sarah Mathison, Tara King and Lisa Tully have emerged as impact players, and seniors Katie Martinez, Meghan Murray, Joy Battersby, Kara McMahon and Liz Perkins have shown the poise and leadership necessary to win the close games.

With the right combination of players in place, the Irish look to improve the mental aspects of their game, setting their sights on dethroning the 1996 Big East champion Connecticut Huskies and making their mark in the NCAA regional tournament.
Elite Eight excite crowd

By RUSSELL WILLIAMS
Senior Sports Writer

The sidelines were packed last night as hundreds of fans braved the chilly weather for last night’s sweet 16 games in Bookstore tournament action at Stepan courts.

All higher seeded teams advanced, except for Hollywood Schmegma, as some of the most exciting action took place.

No. 7 Primetime has been unofficially declared the team to watch based on their performance so far. Originally seeded number 27, the group of sophomores defeated Vanilla Goses’ Denvir, 21-9. The trio of Deke Cooper’s, Hyan Healy, and Mike Denvir along with brothers Bill and Alex Gese are slashers and big men on the court.

"We played great except for one spurt that they had when we let them score 11-7 lead at halftime. They played with a shoulder injury, but then we poured it on. But other than that, I think they played the kind of game needed to progress. Second-seeded Malicious Prosecution struggled early, jumping to a 11-7 lead at halftime over Vanilla Kernels. Vanilla Kernels closed the game to 13-11, but then Malicious Prosecution pulled away for a 21-12 win, capitalizing on the outstanding play of Stu Carretta and Neil Jakobe.

"We played great except for one spurt that they had when we let them score 11-7 lead at halftime. The forward tandem of Lamont Bryant and Leon Wallace continued to dominate the boards, and Jarius Jackson proved what a danger he can be at guard. Every game we get better as the level of competition gets better," said Baxter, who was a member of last year’s runner-up Showtime.

Guards Jeff Kloska and Kevin Carretta also showed their ability, as they combined for seven points. The game ended when Carretta displayed his deceptive quickness as he drove the length of the court for the layup.

"Show Me the Money wrote checks they couldn’t cash," said Fannon. "We show you the money and I’ll show you Corby’s. Once we play the level of competition equal to ours, we will be completely satisfied," said Fannon.

"If we don’t win tonight, I think we’ll lose the tournament," said Baxter, who wrote seven points. The game ended with the hot hand of Troy Gotsch, 21-15.

Second-seeded Malicious Prosecution pulled away after getting off to a slow start. Sayville/stealing off of guard Albert Jones and the hot hand of Troy O’Sullivan, but faltered late as Swoosh won the game, 21-15. Swoosh’s Darrell Smith and Matt Campbell provided late game boosts, outlasting the battered And 1 players.

And 1’s Anthony Watts played with a shoulder injury, and re-separated his shoulder late in the game. Swoosh may have matchup problems in its next game but proved to be one of the most poised and balanced teams in the tournament with the comeback win.

"We got down early, but then we went on the run in the second half. We’re starting to really gel at the right time," said Benedict Rocchio of Swoosh.

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STUDENT ACCOUNTS

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We will be moving to 636 Grace Hall.

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Track squad aims high as they look to finish season strong

Observer Staff Report

With the Big East Championships and the Purdue Invitational looming, Notre Dame's track and field squads are hoping to build on last weekend's solid outing at the Michigan State Spartan Invitational in East Lansing, Mich. and the Mt. SAC Relays in Walnut, Calif.

Sophomore pole vaulter Mike Brown rewrote the Irish record books as he recorded an Irish record with a vault of 17 feet, 3 inches. "Time and Distance Are No Longer Your Friends"

April 28 2:00 p.m. 102 DeBartolo

Information Technology and Networking by David Randall Beering Senior Staff Telecommunications Analyst Amoco Corporation

The competition landscape is changing rapidly, due in large part to dramatic advances in information technology. In particular, we are witnessing the consequences of what were previously disparate technology industries into one, seamless capability. These industries include computers, fiber optics, traditional telephone technology and services, and computer data networks. Also, the trends shaping the future of communications are being accelerated by the deregulation which is sweeping across many industries and geographic regions. Mr. Beering will discuss global industry trends which are driving enterprises to rely on information technology and agile telecommunication infrastructures - not just to do business, but as a means of survival. The context of this presentation will be ARIES, the "ATM Research and Industrial Enterprise Study," a joint technology development project - funded by the American Petroleum Institute - that involves more than 30 Petroleum, Telecommunications, Medical, and Government organizations. Mr. Beering is the ARIES Project Director.

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**ND prepares for Harvard**

**Matchup with Crimson could prove pivotal**

By ERIK KUSHTO
Sports Writer

Teams are defined by how they respond to adversity. Many teams will roll over and sulk after a disappointing loss. For a few, however, setbacks will bring a team together and ignite a fire of determination.

For the Notre Dame men’s lacrosse team, this weekend’s contest against the Harvard Crimson could be that defining moment.

The Irish lost a close match against Massachusetts. Despite being down 6-0 early in the second half, the Irish scored 5 consecutive goals, falling short with a score of 6-5.

“We were pretty disappointed,” explained senior captain Dave Cashin. “It took us a while to get going. I think we showed a lot of heart in coming back. We didn’t just roll over at 6-0. We felt like we let one get away.”

“We had them on their heels, but it seemed like they got off the hook.”

The Irish will have to play much better this weekend to defeat the 16th ranked Crimson. “Harvard is just as good as Massachusetts. They have a strong attack, but I think we match up well,” said Cashin.

Sunday’s home season finale will have special significance for the senior captain. “It is kind of a sad feeling. It is four years coming to an end. It is bittersweet, but at the same time I am excited for the NCAA tournament. As long as we can get three or four more wins it should be alright,” he said.

The game is scheduled for 2 p.m. Sunday Moose Krause Stadium.

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**Women's Liturgical Choir and Notre Dame Handbell Choir**

**Vespers Concert**

Basilica of the Sacred Heart
27 April 1997
8:00 PM (immediately following Easter Vespers)

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**Saturday 12 noon, Ivy Field**

**Notre Dame Softball vs. Rutgers (2)**

FREE Wrist Bands and Cracker Jacks to fans while supplies last!!

**Sunday 11:00AM, Ivy Field**

**Notre Dame Softball vs. Rutgers (2)**

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**Sunday 2:00PM, Krause Stadium**

**Irish vs. Harvard**

FREE Lacrosse Sticks to first 100 fans!
CROSSWORD

ACROSS
1 With 58-Across, 35-Across
5 Kind of cage
15 "Messiah," e.g.
16 Chicago Mrs.
17 Getting to the bottom of things?
18 Like a paremume
19 —— pooped to pick
20 The Force was with him
21 Problem-laden chores
22 Have lust
23 Stop making a scene?
24 Far from sharp
27 Good Citizens contest sponsor: Abbr.
28 They're filled with tracks
31 A raft, in dinner slang
32 Where Edna Ferber was born
35 See 1-Across
37 Lingua franca, for some
38 Hub
39 A . A .
40 Suggestion
41 My hobby
42 Barred commands
43 Cooped (up)
44 Duke's deputy in "Measure for Measure"
45 Twist in a drink
46 Bit of work
52 Writer aboard the Beagle
53 Jump past

DOWN
1 Between half and all
2 Snack since 1912
3 Kind of forces
4 Baseball All Star
5 You needn't press it
6 Firewood
7 Popular 30's dance
8 Kind of master
9 City in Genesis of the "Baltimore"
10 Stop working so hard
11 Roasting platform
12 Lawyer/ writer
13 Gardner
14 Chroma yellow and others
15 Charlotte —— 40 letters
20 Face last in the crowd
21 Fascia lost in the crowd
26 Leg up
27 Mole-colored
28 He went through Hell
29 Like Milos Forman
30 Like life in Italy, maybe
31 "Alas!"
32 "War" (Nick Stone book series)
33 The folks
34 Controversial event
35 "It's the end of the world as we know it (And we feel fine)"
36 Doc
37 Bickie's potrayer in "Taxi Driver"
38 Watch bearing
39 Girl who masks the Duchess
40 Skinfinit
41 "Carnaval"
42 Doctor
43 "I'll put it in the closet with mine."
44 Cooped (up)
45 Common request
46 "If you ———, I" (Brecht)
47 "Paradise"
48 "I'm going to make him love me again"
49 "Carmine"
50 "Certain horse"
51 "Television bag"
52 "It's for the money"

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

CANCER (June 22-July 22): You may hurt someone without knowing it.
SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Good news should come by phone or mail. You should be eager to improve your love life.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): This is not the best day to ask for money. You will lose by going after your financial goals.
PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): You can make professional gains if you play your cards right. Look for opportunities this week in the business field.

Be still. Today you must be careful not to make the wrong choice this year. Your workaholic side may not be able to carry you through.

Tuesday, April 25, 1997

MOTHER GOOSE

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DILBERT

CROSSWORD

16 Chicago Mrs.
18 Like a paramecium
22 Have trust
24 Far from sharp

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

YOUR HOROSCOPE

EUGENIA LAST

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY: Paul Revere, Elia Kazan, Ted Steinberg, Martha Raye.

DEAR EUGENIA: Last April, I purchased a business from a couple of conmen in a commonchurch. All the promises were grand, and it turned out alright. I understood that, with a little luck, we could make a lot of money. Unfortunately, the company is losing money. We are 80 years old and we want to retire. What should we do? C.R.

DEAR C.R.: It is never too late to change your situation. If you think that the companies that you bought were a fraud, you can file a lawsuit to get your money back. If you think that the companies that you bought were not a fraud, you can try to sell the company to someone else. If you are not sure what to do, you can consult a lawyer. If you are not sure what to do, you can consult a lawyer.

DEAR EUGENIA: I have been married for 20 years. My husband is 80 years old and he is very sick. He is not able to work and he is not able to pay the bills. I am not able to work and I am not able to pay the bills. We are very sad. What should we do? M.

DEAR M.: It is never too late to change your situation. If you think that your husband is not able to work, you can try to sell the company to someone else. If you think that your husband is able to work, you can try to sell the company to someone else. If you are not sure what to do, you can consult a lawyer.

DEAR EUGENIA: I have a 10-year-old daughter who is very sick. She has a heart problem and she is very weak. I am not able to take care of her. What should I do? L.

DEAR L.: It is never too late to change your situation. If you think that you are not able to take care of her, you can consult a lawyer. If you think that you are able to take care of her, you can consult a lawyer.

DEAR EUGENIA: I have been married for 30 years. My husband is 80 years old and he is very sick. He is not able to work and he is not able to pay the bills. I am not able to work and I am not able to pay the bills. We are very sad. What should we do? M.

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**SPRING FOOTBALL**

**Making more than a Minor impact**

By MIKE DAY

Senior, Wally Widelski.

Minor is that rare diamond — precious and rare. Simply put, a lot goes into being a leader. A true leader doesn’t seek attention and doesn’t crave the limelight. To shine splits, and his status for the weekend is still questionable.

Notre Dame was back in hot water in the fourth inning when a failed pick-off attempt at first advanced the runner to third base. By the time the damage was done, four runs were scored by the rockets, lead by Greg Canicella’s two-RBI triple. The Irish found an answer with freshman southpaw Mark Lapinskas. He finished the game for the Irish, recording seven strikeouts and two walks. This win was his first on the collegiate level, and bringing his record to 1-6.

The bats kept working for the Irish in the four run, fifth inning, capped off by Jeff Wagner’s homerun deep to center field, which scored two for the Irish. This homerun was the first in 31 innings for Notre Dame.

By KEVIN ROBINSON

Despite a high scoring, back and forth battle against the Toledo Rockets, Notre Dame was able to pull ahead late in the game and win with a final score of 15-9.

The Rockets came to Notre Dame with a record of 11-25. This win brings the Irish its 30th win of the season, with 15 losses.

The Irish pitching staff was greatly depleted for this game, as eight pitchers are injured. The latest injury came Wednesday night when a bad hop sent the ball into the eye of pitcher Darin Schmalz. The team is hoping that his swelling will go down and he’ll be ready for action this weekend.

The Irish finished the day with 15 hits, lead by Todd Frye and Mike Amrhein, each with three hits. The Rockets had 17 hits, lead by Ron Warga who finished the day 5-6. Greg Canicella added four hits of his own, including a triple.

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**BASEBALL**

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The Observer/Rob Finch

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