Students aid ND Security after Hesburgh theft

Two Notre Dame students and a student from Andrews University helped Notre Dame Security Police apprehend a male thief Saturday after he stole a woman's wallet from the eighth floor of the Hesburgh Library, according to Philip Johnson, assistant director of security.

After seeing the CD player and wallet, the 17-year-old thief headed towards the elevator, but was confronted by the owner of the objects, a Notre Dame female student.

The thief sprayed mace in the female's face as she tried to stop him from entering the elevator. She then tried to call for help on the phone outside of the elevator, but the thief ripped the phone cord out of wall and escaped in the elevator, Johnson said.

"I tried to tackle the guy, but he hit me. I really wasn't hurt, because I tried to protect myself. He really got me in the ear," Borgen said.

"The guy then took off running east of campus, by the ROTC building," he continued, "and I chased him a little, while I was waiting for the police to show up.

Once Notre Dame Security arrived, Borgen got in the car and helped identify and apprehend the thief on Palm Street, east of campus.

"I was very grateful that the students could help us by pointing the thief out," Johnson said.

The female victim of the theft was taken to the scene by the Notre Dame fire department paramedics, and later at the University Health Center.

"We commend the many people who came to the aid of the victim and assisted in the apprehension of the suspect in this case," Johnson said.

Following his arrest, the victim was taken to the St. Joseph County Juvenile Facility.

The thief faces charges of robbery and assault, and the case was passed on to the St. Joseph County prosecutor for further action, according to Johnson.

SMC names Schmuhl as first executive-in-residence

In order to provide business students with a link between the classroom and current world affairs, the Saint Mary's Business Administration and Economics Department recently established its first Executive-in-Residence Program.

The program will bring a new business executive to the department staff to serve the students for one semester of each school year. The first executive-in-residence is William Schmuhl.

Schmuhl is a member of the Saint Mary's Board of Trustees and is also president and CEO of Heywood Williams, Inc., an Elkhart company that manufactures building products. A former business professor at Saint Mary's, Schmuhl has practiced accounting and law in addition to working in the business community.

This semester, Schmuhl has given a variety of presentations to students on business-related topics.

"I have talked about industrial marketing in the marketing classes, presented cases on ethical issues in the ethics class, given some presentations on economics as it applies to everyday life in the principles class and talked about business law issues and tax issues that my company has faced," Schmuhl said.

Meeting with faculty and students, attending classes and departmental functions and reviewing curriculum and course offerings are among other activities Schmuhl has facilitated this semester.

Although the curriculum review is not yet complete, Schmuhl says that the present curriculum "generally seems very up-to-date with the current business world."

"I've met with small groups of students informally," he said. "As it turns out, the students and I ended up talking a great deal about the curriculum, the present technological concerns of the college and about job opportunities."

Other topics of discussion have included resumes, interviewing and career planning.

Schmuhl also brought an accounting class to his company's plant last fall for a visit.

"By touring the factory, we were able to get a real look at the manufacturing process and relate that to the accounting manufacturing concepts that we are studying in class," said sophomore Marit Wartiaux, a business major who participated in the tour.
For almost six years I participated in an act that now, due to a disease that has never been defeated. This disease is a killer, yet I never bothered about it. Like most, I learned about it from a fellow who had to. For a long time, I imagined that oral cancer was just a threatening form of cancer among actors. If nothing else, I was sure there was treatment. When I went to see the doctor a few weeks ago with a bump on my lip, I knew nothing about oral cancer. The word "tumor" was first uttered in the examination room, my immediate reaction was, "If this is cancer, I can beat this."

There was no doubt in my mind. Radiation, chemo, surgery— somehow I would beat it. But if I was going to beat oral cancer, I had to learn about it. Even though the medical centers were involved in signing the petition, some of my own friends were busy with other things. I didn't want to hear about oral cancer. I didn't want to try, I just wanted to get the try from the columns on oral cancer.

Imagine how I felt, knowing that just a tobacco-related tumor removed, to learn that chemo and radiation cannot treat oral cancer. I don't understand why, but they simply cannot. In my mind, that left me with one option: surgery. Not likely, I asked if I could have option (b).

But there is no option b.

After some medical-profession babbly trying to calm me about something for which there is no cure, I decided I wanted a straight answer.

Because a plain-speaking city boy, I asked the question to which I wanted no answer:

"So what you're telling me is that you cut off pieces of my face until I die?"

Silence. Then nodding, and some more doctor-talk."

"Which form will be best?"

"No one can answer. But I understand that because of the proximity of the major nerve centers of the brain the numbers dictate that I would die very quickly."

I then got to spend a week waiting to see whether I would get the odds with me that I would live to be 30, whether I could have my face — my whole face — to 23 or 24.

I am in the middle of a long term much too much into delayed gratification (such as this education, etc.), that in order to be moderate and not too much about kids to not get the chance to raise some of my own.

This disease that goes through your head when you are 21 and starting graduate school is not a practical one for which you can blame no one but yourself."

It turns out that if I behave myself and do not chew one dip during a day, for a rest of my life — I may have the privilege of someday bouncing my children, nieces or nephews on my knee.

My tumor was benign. If you have a dip or a dip of pouch or a chew in your pocket and you choose to put some in today, you will contract cancer. It is only a matter of time. And when you do, surgeons will raise the question to which I replied, "I feel right now, "if you don't like the sound of that, put it in the examination room, my immediate reaction was, "If this is cancer, I can beat this."

According to an article in the April 15 issue of "The Hartford Courant," the university informed the medical schools that Nobay lied about his academic rank in high school, his scores on the Key and his medical school applications. Nobay contends that the university has an unwritten contract with its students that provide "accurate but positive recommendations" to professional schools.

Testimony began Monday and cross-examination began Tuesday, university spokesman Peter McDonough said, according to an Associated Press report.

**BRIGHAM YOUNG UNIVERSITY Students protest Busch's Olympic tie**

PROVO, Utah

BYU students presented a petition Friday protesting the Anheuser-Busch sponsorship of the Winter Olympics. A handful of BYU students presented the petition to the Salt Lake Organizing Committee in front of the SLDC headquarters, to protest the support given to Anheuser-Busch, which the company that produces Budweiser beer, hopes the petition will create an awareness and interest in the issue. Nicole Christensen, a sophomore International Law and Diplomacy major, said that the repertoire of Anheuser-Busch signs were collected in two weeks, Christensen said.

"This sponsorship undermines and degrades the very spirit of the Olympic games," Christensen said. The main goal of the petition is to raise awareness around the state and campus that Anheuser-Busch is the main sponsor of the Olympics. Christensen said. Students, faculty and community were all involved in signing the petition.

**CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY-SACRAMENTO**

Microsoft pulls out of technology deal

SACRAMENTO, Calif.

Two of the high tech-giants are no longer partners in the unprofitable, $365 million, microchip technology deal to upgrade the California State University system's technological infrastructure. Microsoft and Hughes will not be partners in the California Education Technology Initiative because financial arrangements could not be worked out, CSU Chancellor Charles Rele said Thursday. Rele said what many student and faculty groups had been predicting for months: that Microsoft corporation, under direction of the U.S. Department of Justice for alleged antitrust violations, would either pull or be kicked out. However, CSU spokesman Ken Swisher said, "Microsoft assorted CSU is still working with Microsoft on an "appropriate" relationship. We will continue to work together on other projects, and remain committed to providing the best technology and thinking," said Microsoft spokeswoman Joele Gmeinn.

**COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY**

Football player faces assault charges

FT. COLLINS, Colo.

Charges are still pending against one Colorado State University football player and one ex-player who were arrested early Wednesday morning in Denver after they allegedly yelled racial slurs and assaulted a cab driver. The two men, along with two other students, were arrested downtown Denver and hauled a cab about 2:30 a.m. to take them to the Radisson Hotel in Englewood, said Detective Virginia Lopez. After a series of alleged racial slurs, the cab driver Gerebese Lassie Zemariame, an Ethiopian immigrant, pulled over and asked the group to get off for his ride. Lopez said. The two men allegedly pulled the driver out of the car and began punching him. After hitting Zemariame, the two ran away and were caught by police officers who were taken into custody by Denver Police Department officials. Lopez said. Both have been released on $2,500 bond, said an official with the Denver County Jail. "They were all said drug users," Zemariame told reporters later.

**UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA**

Jury finds Blue Key defamed grad

GAINESVILLE, Fla.

In a move that dealt a heavy and expensive blow to UF's most prestigious leadership honorary, a jury found Thursday that student body president-elect John McGovern and UF's oldest leadership honorary which tours a list of impressive alumni including Gov. Lawton Chiles, Lt. Gov. Buddy MacKay and senators Bob Graham and Connie Mac will have to pay self-styled "political activist" Charles Grapski $250,000 in damages plus attorney fees. Blue Key plans to appeal the verdict, which comes one week before McGovern is scheduled to take office. "I can't describe how I feel right now," said an elated Grapski, who accused Blue Key members, he couldn't name them, of "lurking around Peter Vick's of desiring his criminal record to include sex

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Panel discusses role of women in sports marketing

By ERICA THESING
News Writer

In an effort to highlight the role of women in sports marketing, two women with experience in that field gave a presentation during the sports marketing symposium on Friday.

Addressing issues such as résumé building, networking and the changing roles of women in athletics, the panel emphasized the variety of opportunities open to women in sports marketing.

Simply having a degree from Notre Dame is a good start to any career, according to Theresa Kelly, a 1990 Notre Dame graduate who is now an assistant director for sports information at Wake Forest University.

"Your résumé will attract future employers just because you can put Notre Dame next to "education," she said. "You are at a school with a national reputation and that's a good thing. That's not a detriment to you at all. But you are going to need something to back it up."

According to Kelly, that something should come from a strong record of volunteer work with athletic charities and extracurricular activities during college. Kelly, who worked for four years in the sports department of The Observer, credits that experience to helping secure her current position. She emphasized the importance of good writing and design for promotional materials in her field.

"The whole world needs good writers," she said. "Sometimes that's the only way to get your message across." After college, Kelly feels that people need to be willing to start small, even if that means taking a job with a relatively unknown athletic program at the collegiate level.

"Many people who get their start at a small school love that atmosphere so much that they never leave. Sometimes you find the perfect fit at a place you've never heard of," she said.

"At the professional level, Kelly warned against becoming a "sports snob."

Kelly pointed out that as the field of sports marketing continues to develop, people entering the field need to realize that selling sports is really about selling entertainment. "Entertainment is exactly what college athletics is to Joe and Jane Ticketbuyer. If you are the one buying the ticket, it's entertainment you are looking for. There are hundreds of methods of entertainment out there and that's what you'll be competing with," she said.

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ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR SPORTS INFORMATION AT WAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY

Julie Shoemaker, currently vice president of Robinson/Maites, agreed with Kelly on this point and spoke of the fight for the entertainment dollar.

"Over the last couple of decades, sports has slowly been categorized in the entertainment industry. This has contributed to the explosion of opportunities in sports marketing, especially for women," Shoemaker said.

Shoemaker, who spent eight years as vice president of marketing for the NBA, also credits the increased popularity of women's athletics with the new opportunities in her field. She used the all women's sailing team America 3 as an example.

"They actually helped create a whole new audience for that sport. Their marketing program was a runaway success," Shoemaker said.

Shoemaker cited statistics about women participating in athletics, watching athletics and purchasing sports wear to demonstrate the dramatic shift away from male dominance of the athletic market in the last 20 years.

As she explained, this shift is evident in everything from new apparel lines made specifically for women to a program by the NFL called NFL 101, designed to help interested women become educated football spectators.

Notre Dame's Marketing Club was responsible for coordinating Friday's symposium.

Listening Session
with Professor
Nathan Hatch

The University Committee on Cultural Diversity will sponsor a listening session with Professor Nathan Hatch tomorrow night, Tuesday, April 21, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. in the Hesburgh Library Auditorium.

Professor Hatch will offer a 15-minute reflection on issues related to multicultural challenges and concerns at Notre Dame.

After Professor Hatch’s comments, those in attendance will be invited to share their comments and concerns with him.

Refreshments will be served.
Gigot Center to open next year

Special to The Observer

The University of Notre Dame announced last Thursday a $2 million gift from alumnus Gary Gigot, partner and senior vice president for worldwide products for the Charlottesville, Va.,-based software firm ViSiO Corp., to fund a new center for the study of entrepreneurship in the University's College of Business Administration.

The Gigot Center for Entrepreneurial Studies will be in place for the opening of the 1998-1999 academic year.

"It deeply appreciates the tremendous generosity and vision that Gary Gigot has shown in supporting the study of entrepreneurship in our College of Business Administration," said University president Father Edward Maloy, in announcing the gift.

"I am confident the Gigot Center for Entrepreneurial Studies will provide Notre Dame students with the expertise necessary to turn great ideas into even greater realities," he said.

Gigot, a 1972 graduate of Notre Dame with a bachelor's degree in marketing, added: "The entrepreneurial spirit is reflected in the support, impetus and leadership that Gary Gigot has demonstrated in making this new center possible. We in the college are deeply grateful.

"Gigot, a 1972 graduate of Notre Dame with a bachelor's degree in marketing, said: "My entire experience at Notre Dame helped me with the fundamentals of my entrepreneurial roots. Notre Dame is international in scope; it displays great vision; it has a strong, nurturing alumni network; it is powerfully academic, athletic, ethical and family-sym-

bol; and its leadership has shown great skill at changing Notre Dame for the future while retaining the core traditions of its past."

"Most importantly," Gigot said, "Notre Dame has a quiet tradition of accomplished graduates who have demonstrated entrepreneurial zeal in building family businesses, major corporations and new public companies. I am confident this new center will create a sense of the possible for a broader spectrum of Notre Dame undergraduate and graduate students for years to come."

The center is intended to provide Notre Dame students with skills that will enable them, as either individual or corporate entrepreneurs, to convert ideas into market possibilities. The curriculum will include two core courses, an elective and the development of business plans. The first core course will provide a general overview of the entrepreneurial process, including search methods for new venture ideas, analysis of the venture, venture evaluation, market and financial challenges and small business regulations. Students also will work in teams to develop a new product and market assessment report for a venture concept of their choice.

The second core course will address issues such as competitive strategy and marketing position, financial analysis, capital formation, ownership structures, producing and selling and organizational structure and systems for managing.

Students also will complete the development of the business plan for the concept initiated in the first course. As an alternative to the development of a business plan for a venture concept, students will be able to work through Notre Dame's Center for Social Concerns to provide assistance to start-up ventures by low-income or minority entrepreneurs or those in emerging economies.

Elective courses in entrepreneurial studies will focus on topics such as venture capital and private equity, marketing research for new products and markets, small business regulations, family business, technology applications and managing organizational change.

A key component of the Gigot center will be the establishment of a venture capital fund that will provide investment for selected start-up projects developed in the two core courses. Outside proposals also may receive consideration after review for quality and comprehensiveness.

After receiving his bachelor's degree from Notre Dame, Gigot earned a master's degree in advertising from Michigan State University in 1973. He started a 16-year career in advertising with Leo Burnett in Chicago, then formed a partnership in a regional agency in Madison, Wis., and later joined Ogilvy and Mather Worldwide, first in New York and later in Los Angeles.

Gigot joined Microsoft as director of U.S. marketing in 1990. He was promoted to vice president for marketing in 1991 and oversaw some of the software company's biggest product launches, including Windows 3.0 and Windows 5.1.

Gigot left Microsoft in 1994 to become a primary investor and vice president of marketing for ViSiO. Now, as senior vice president for worldwide products, he also serves on the firm's executive committee.

Gigot's gift is a part of Notre Dame's $767 million "Generations" fund-raising campaign, the largest in the history of Catholic higher education and the nation's third largest campaign not under way in American academ-
Pol Pot's death changes Khmer focus

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CHONG SA-NGAM, Thailand

The remnants of the Khmer Rouge guerrilla group are seeking a new role in Cambodian politics after Pol Pot's death, distancing themselves from their new and equally barbarous leader, Ta Mok.

They attempt to present themselves as less brutal and more conciliatory, as the United States and Thailand press to bring the bloodstained leaders to justice.

Also Sunday, a Thai Army general denied that Pol Pot, the Khmer Rouge leader who died last week, was poisoned. Pol Pot, 73, one of the century's bloodiest tyrants, was cremated Sunday. His captors said he died of a heart attack.

His death dashed hopes that he might be caught and put on trial for leading the genocidal regime that caused the deaths of as many as two million Cambodians between 1975 and 1979.

Pol Pot was deposed last year as leader of the last Khmer Rouge faction still fighting the government by Ta Mok, the one-legged general known as "The Butcher." But a mutiny against Ta Mok four weeks ago has led to mass defections.

In Bangkok, Thailand, the U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, Bill Richardson, said the United States and Thailand were cooperating to try to bring Ta Mok and lesser-known but equally bloodstained rebel leaders to justice.

"We're all going to make major efforts to find these individuals and bring them to justice," Richardson said after meeting Thai Foreign Minister Surin Pitsuwan.

Holdouts in the revolution group apparently believe that with Pol Pot dead, the international community will be more willing to accept other Khmer Rouge defectors if they adopt a different banner.

Defectors supported by the Cambodian army have pressed Ta Mok's dwindling band of die-hards against the Thai border. Masiy in the rank and file are looking for a way out, according to defectors and Cambodian and Thai officials. Thai military officers, speaking on condition of anonymity, said that some guerrillas want to merge with armed backers of Prince Norodom Ranariddh, who was deposed in a coup by his prime minister, Hun Sen, last year.

The Thais said that 200 Khmer Rouge guerrillas had joined Ranariddh's supporters a few days ago.

Ranariddh's forces and the guerrillas share a common enemy in Hun Sen. Support from the Khmer Rouge kept the pro-Ranariddh forces alive over the past several months in the face of massive government offensives.

The Thai officials said that Ta Mok's men want him to step down to facilitate a merger. But, they said, Ta Mok has been reluctant to give up control of the group and that his disgruntled men may forcibly remove him from power.

Pope invites Chinese bishops to synod

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Pope John Paul II has issued a surprise invitation to two bishops from the suppressed Catholic Church in China to attend a meeting of Asian prelates.

"I hope they can arrive soon among us and bear witness to the vitality of that community," the pope said Sunday in his home during a mass opening of the Asian bishops' synod.

The Catholic Church is banned in mainland China, which established a separate Patriarchate Catholic Church, and virtually all of the bishops loyal to the Vatican remain underground.

Vatican officials said no bishops from communist China had been expected to attend the synod, which begins its formal work Monday. It was unclear when the two bishops had been invited and whether they would be coming. Both are also recognized by the Patriarchate Church.

"It is truly to the Catholics of mainland China and their parishes that our thoughts are turning at this moment," John Paul said.

"I have called on other prelates beyond the bishops who work in the dioceses of Hong Kong to take part" in the synod, the pope said, referring to Matthias Duan Yizheng, bishop of Xianyang, and his deputy, Xu Zhixian.

The diocese covers the heavily populated Shaanxi region.

Xianyang, 90, was consecrated in 1949, before the church was forced underground in China. He suffers from diabetes and heart problems and was recently hospitalized, according to UCAN, an Asian Catholic news agency.

Chinese Bishop Hong Xianfang was in Rome and had been run the diocese.

The Mass in St. Peter's Basilica was marked by the colors and traditions of Asia. Indonesian dancing used intricate batik motions and an Indian woman in a sari were among those who performed before the pope. After the mass, John Paul turned to North Korea during the noon blessing from his window over St. Peter's Square.

"In this moment, my thoughts go, in particular, to the people of North Korea, suffering from hunger and want," he said. John Paul urged Catholic charities and other countries to come to the aid of North Koreans.

Drought and floods have ravaged crops in recent years, bringing widespread hunger to the communist country, already suffering from years of bad planning and management. The month long synod gathers bishops from across Asia, where less than three percent of the population is Catholic. Half of the 100 million Catholics in Asia live in the Philippines.

The appeal is part of the church's drive to increase the number of Catholics in the world's most populous regions.
Honoring champions for civil and human rights

The Reverend William M. Lewers, C.S.C. Memorial Human Rights Awards Celebration was held last night at the Notre Dame Law School.

Above: Juan Méndez, from San José, Costa Rica, speaks on civil and human rights.


Boylan: Independent bank system is key to reform

By SHANNON GRADY
News Writer

In an article titled "Preemptive Strike: Central Bank Reform in Chile’s Transition from Authoritarian Rule," Delia Boylan writes, "Scholars of democratization have long recognized the continuing policy making influence that previous authoritarian rulers can exert after the transition has occurred."

In a talk Boylan gave Thursday entitled, "Democratization and Institutional Change: 1993 Mexican Central Bank Reform," she explained her theory of how authoritarian rulers can exercise such power through the formation of an independent bank system.

She explained that a critical defect in many countries struggling to make the transition from authoritarian to democratic government is the fact that "new leaders are forced to work within institutions that former authoritarian rulers created."

"The costs of changing these policies are greater than playing by the rules," Boylan said.

As the old rulers leave, they create policies that entrench their own beliefs and hinder their successors. These policies can involve electoral rules that disproporportionately advantage certain partisan interests. Or in the example of a military regime, amnesty clauses may be introduced to keep former rulers from being tried for human rights abuses.

Boylan asserts that another way this can occur is through the formation of an autonomous central bank. She explained that in certain "credibility" literature, the formation of a central bank is considered a wise move.

This literature claims that governments create independent banks in order to "tie their own hands." In this way, they take control from the politicians who may try to influence the economic system to their advantage.

However, in governments that are making the transition from authoritarian to democratic governments, this autonomous central bank may be just another way for the outgoing regime to entrench its beliefs.

Boylan used the 1989 Chilean Central Bank reform as an example. Since 1980, there were moves in Chile toward an autonomous central bank.

However, the change did not come until three months before the old government was ousted.

She writes that, "the fact that the government chose to wait until 1989 suggests that its motive and timing were not strictly economic, but also political."

She also writes, "Whatever the form at hand, the basic point is that insulation is a central part of policies in any institutional context, and reflects the essence of strategy by ousting rulers in the transition from authoritarian rule."

Delia Boylan is from the Harris Graduate School of Public Policy Studies at the University of Chicago.
Evangelization combines faith with African culture

By DAVID FREDROSSO
Senior Staff Writer

The latest Christian evangelization of Africa has succeeded because of the effort to integrate the faith with African culture, according to Father Paul Mimbi.

Mimbi, who is the chaplain of Strathmore College in Kenya, spoke Thursday night in O'Shaughnessy Hall on Islam, Christianity and traditional African religion.

"The insertion of the (Christian) faith into the culture of a people has proven the most successful way of bringing Christianity to Africa, according to Mimbi.

He stressed the fact that Christianity is not a Western religion, since this same process of inculturation had to occur in Europe over a millennium ago.

"The faith came to Europe through the Hebraic culture," he said, adding that missionaries and St. Patrick successfully inculturated European culture at the very birth of Christianity, with the conversion of the Irish to the gospel.

"While such cultures as the Irish experienced some change, the process of inculturation does not change the faith. The faith is not of this world," Mimbi said.

Through inculturation, he continued, African cultures art "joined to Christianity after the manner of the Incarnation," in which God came together with man in Christ.

This process, he said, is occurring now in Africa. Africa, he said, has been evangelized three times by Christians. The first evangelization occurred in the Acts of the Apostles. The second came during the 15th century by the Portuguese, while the third began in the 18th century and has continued up to this day. The first two evangelizations largely failed, while the third seems to be succeeding.

"We have learned from the failure that we should not just discard the indigenous culture and start anew," Mimbi said.

In the first two evangelizations of Africa, he explained, the missionaries tried to make the Africans conform to Western culture when they became Christians.

For example, Mimbi said, in St. Augustine's region of North Africa, Christianity was original introduced as a Latin language religion. It flourished for about two centuries, but its shallow roots in the culture allowed for its complete destruction when the Arabic-speaking Muslims swept across North Africa.

Meanwhile, in East Africa, Christianity survived the very same Muslim onslaught. Mimbi attributed this to the fact that the Christian faith had been made a part of the people's culture and language.

"It is not a Western religion," he said, "and can therefore be in error. However, the cultures of even these tribes, Mimbi said, contain many elements which can and should be appreciated and integrated into Christianity, so that the faith is "locked up in a beautiful cultural heritage."

Some elements of traditional African religions, Mimbi said, such as polygamy, make Islam more attractive to some Africans. Many elements allow for a very easy transition to Christianity, such as belief in God, in addition to the family, belief in evil spirits, the dignity of the created environment and community values.

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Pranks in the Workplace

I could not stop staring at the globule of mucosal spittle so prominent on the executive's lower lip. He was dawdling on and on about how he was this great lawyer, capable of creating personal injury lawsuits out of the thin air, and how he thought he was doing all of this work for him.

As he passed his inflamed, chubbly, and lard-encrusted hand through his greasy, scanty locks, I thought of telling him that I was a temp, received horrible pay, no benefits, and no job security.

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David McMahon
**LETTER TO THE EDITOR**

*Wooed by Youth, won by Truth*

"You will make all kinds of mistakes but as long as you are generous, and true, and also fierce, you won't hurt the world or even seriously distress her. She was made to be wooed and won by youth." — Winton Churchill

Spring is here. All of that Midwestern gray has crumbled away and blue skies greet us. The path to the gym is all huffiness and beauty with tulips just blooming. It is good to be alive. It is good to be young.

We are here for four years to gather glooming shards, little bits of truth and wisdom and beauty and grace and bundle them up for the journey which is living. We are here to join the conversation of the great minds who are the glee seekers and dreamers and who get to find our place in the table. And we are here to be generous, be be

To the Administration (or what's left behind)

*Top Ten Reasons to Bring Back the Slap, and Other Fragments*

Norte Dame’s own Women’s Resource center is conveniently providing students with fliers from Planned Parenthood of Northern Indiana. The cover of these fliers reads: "Planned Parenthood. We’re more than you think." Now that’s what I call truth in advertising. As most of you probably know, Planned Parenthood is the largest abortion referral provider in the world, and has been largely responsible for political advocacy which has kept the abortion industry in business, despite the fact that a majority of American’s believe that abortion is a bad thing. So you see, Planned Parenthood is a fantastic euphemism: they exist for those who failed to plan *(Oh my god, I’m pregnant. How did this happen?),* and who have no desire for parenthood. It reminds me of a similar observation I once heard regarding the term *birth control*, which incidentally has nothing to do with birth, and is for those who do not exercise self-control.

So it is easy to see why Planned Parenthood included the caveat, "We’re more than you think" on their advertisement. They must be worried about what people may think they are up to. They should be. Did I mention that you can find these fliers, (and plenty of other good information on how to get an abortion) at the University of Notre Dame’s Women’s Resource Center? Maybe that’s why the University is raising tuition again next year — Planned Parenthood must have jacked up the price of these fliers. You may want to let your professors know where the extra money is going before they decide to shell it out again.

On a totally unrelated note, did you know that after a person used to be confirmed in the Church, the bishop administering the sacrament would slap the confirmed candidate on the face? Not enough to hurt, mind you, but as a symbolic reminder that you were now a soldier for the Church. A little slap would hurt, wouldn’t it? I thought. I noticed, though, that the Basilica did things differently at the Easter Vigil. After being confirmed the candidates were not given a mild slap, but a warm hug. Boy, things sure have changed.

Before his passion and death, Our Lord says the following to his disciples: "If the world hates you, know that it hated me before it hated you. If you were of the world, the world would love you as its own; but because you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you. Remember the word I said to you: A servant is not greater than his master. If they persecute me, they will persecute you." (John 15: 18-20) In light of these words, I say, bring back the slap. Sure, it’s not quite as warm and fuzzy as a hug, but it’s a great way to wake up call to the Church militant. Women’s Resource Center notes.

On another completely unrelated note, I have been huddled as of late in regards to a certain phenomenon on our campus. DART time is always interesting, and one can’t help noticing that there are certain classes which always fill up within the first hour or so of registration. One of these immensely popular classes is Father Michael Neuhaus Baxter’s theology course, entitled *"A Class to Die to Get Into,"* but rather, the fact that if it wasn’t for a gutsy maneuver made two years ago by our noble president, Father Malloy, Baxter, you wouldn’t be teaching here. Malloy went over the head of the theology department, and hired Father Baxter amidst criticism from the faculty senate and most members of the theology department itself. What I don’t understand is how students could find Baxter’s theology so much more appealing that the rest of the department.

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You have the rest of your life to live the same way as your parents, in a gated community and look down from your hill. You have the rest of your life to write off immigrants and welfare mothers and new ideas and the call to give up everything and follow God. You’re not gonna live any longer than your parents.*

So be generous, be fierce, be hungry and fearless and demand change. This world, this beautiful beat-up world, ours is to be wooed and won.

Mary Margaret Nussbaum

Don’t Squash the PSA

To the Administration (or what’s left after the bombs go off this morning):

We are here. We are still here. And we are not going away.

To make your lives easier we have provided you with an exhaustive list of ten reasons to do away with the Student Action with Farm Workers club status. Note, however, that our top-notch research committee has philosophically disproved any other possible reason. So be warned.

*Top Ten Reasons to Squash the PSA*

10. Because we believe that heterosexuality can be cured.

9. For daring to ask questions at a university.

8. Jealousy: We have sex at all (well ok, almost all) our meetings.

7. Prevent your out-and-the-!

6. Exercise your self-given right to discriminate on the grounds of sexual orientation.

5. We’re a front for the Church militant.

4. We’re a front for the University anti-planned parenthood campaign.

3. We’re here for three days after the bombs go off this morning): (Jealousy: We have sex at all (well ok, almost all) our meetings.)

2. We will protest ANYTHING, merely for the sake of achieving justice (but this is)

1. Student is the club colors. You don’t need a reason. Vale, health, and remember that one day you too will have to defend your actions before an insane large squirrel.

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As we approach the last few weeks of school, pressure and stress soar to intolerable levels. With this chaos we often neglect the special moments that occur everyday, whether this be a cool breeze or flowers blooming on the quad.

“City of Angels,” the new film by Brad Silberling, reminds us to take a step back and seek in what makes life so marvelous. This film is a reflection of the heart and leaves a memorable impression. “City of Angels” illustrates how the viewer can have a magical smile, a sunny day, and the taste of a ripe pear can really be true.

In analyzing “City of Angels” one cannot help but place this in the recent angel story genre. Whether we cite the CBS show “Touched by an Angel” or the film Michael (1996), an angel motif has clearly arisen. In fact, screenwriter Dana Stevens based this story on a Wiim Wenders masterpiece, Wings of Desire (1987). This adaption is not of the same caliber as the original, but Silberling still puts forth a delightful product. The film borrows a great deal from the original, but does so in a tasteful and respectable manner.

The portrayal of the angels in this film follows the previous work rather closely, but includes unique tactics nonetheless. Angels are beings wearing black trench coats that travel the earth and watch things go according to God’s plan. These angels watch humans solemnly from the many rooftops of Los Angeles, allowing for shots of sheer cinematic beauty.

The angels inhabit the city library, an interesting selection as angels can hear a person’s every thought. They choose the library so they can listen as people read the sweet prose of literary authors. But the job most often assigned to angels is accompanying the dead to the gates of Heaven. This role leads to an interesting question: Do humans in any healthy patient on the operating table. This scene thus leads to the fraternal interaction between humans and angels, the basis of the film.

The film stars Nicolas Cage as Seth, an angel observing the many fascinating qualities of humanity. With his partner Cassiel, played by Andre Braugher, Seth continually wonders what it is like to have emotions and senses like humans. When Seth discovers a spirit to Heaven, Seth always asks what they enjoyed most about being alive. He records each and every response, dreaming of what these experiences are actually like. This angel feels alone and unnoticed until he finds the young surgeon Dr. Maggie Rice, played by Meg Ryan. This surgeon loses a healthy patient and wonders what it is she did wrong. Seth knows it was the patient’s time and although Maggie battled to save her life, there was nothing she could do. Seth is the angel who watches as Maggie later copes with this loss, and attempts to ease her pain by appearing to her. The angels two speak about a person’s time on earth, but they also create a bond neither has ever had, love. Seth yearns to be with this woman, but being an angel leaves

By CHRISTIAN A. PIERCE

Scene Movie Critic

Unique arousal in ‘Love and Death’

By RYAN BLOCH

“Love and Death on Long Island” is a remake of “Death In Venice,” and a riff on “Lolita”—two novels where the reader need not subscribe to pedophilia or pedophilia to enjoy their libidinous content.

“Love and Death on Long Island” views like a “what if?” experience. What if a widower, an elderly, old-world writer, Englishman and esthete (John Hurt) wound up attending a B-movie? Would he understand it better than anyone ever did?

“Love and Death on Long Island” is a romantic comedy about the power of film to seduce and about obsession—the kind that the distribution of fanzine mania is based upon. John Hurt ("Midnight Express") plays Giles De'Sh- pronounced Death - who, locked out of his apartment one day, attends a showing of "Hot Pants College II."

This may be the first film that Giles has ever seen, as he is a horribly misplaced figure in the twentieth century (that doesn’t realize that one needs a television set to use a VCR). Immediately, he “discovers beauty where no one ever thought to look for it” in the figure of Ronnie Bostock (Jason Priestley), B-movie teen dream.

Attending the screening again, he is reduced to a crush-smitten child with the ironic twist of having the benefits of a classical education and a first-rate intellect.

A paralyzed soul who has no concept of popular culture, Giles finds himself besmirched in that long-standing American tradition of clipping photos of one’s favorite “mega dream boat” and putting them into a very private album.

He seeks out magazines with names like Sugar, and reads every scuzzy feature length that ever cast Bostock: "Skid Marks” and "Tex Mex."

The heartstrings of his infatuation bring him to Chesterton, Long Island, in search of his beloved Bostock. Here, British writer-director of his first feature, Richard Kwietniowski, affords some satiric comments on the commonalities of American culture—

A fluidly funny account of Bostock’s career is articulated by Giles as he tells the unassuming good-looker that he has real talent, that his "Tex Mex” could have been about "the plight of the exploited Gastarbeaters.” Surprisingly, Priestley (“Beverly Hills 90210”) brings real substance to an essentially empty role.

"Vanity Fair" called "Lolita" “the only convincing love story of our time.” In that same sense, the products of the romantic comedy plot of "Love and Death" are feasible. Films about unrequited romantic obsessions ("Basic Instinct") have become over-pathologized by pre-Freudian psych majors; romantic comedies (any Meg Ryan vehicle) have become so stock that they pad the market.

But "Love and Death” reinvokes the romantic comedy genre. Neither stars Meg Ryan nor does it conform to usual assumptions of what a film about obsession could be.

Rather, it tests the tolerance of mass market audiences without crossing over to self-defeating homoeroticism. "Love and Death On Long Island” is worth watching.

For once in his life, Seth tells him of a past experience much like the present love scenario. Messinger was once an angel himself, but he believes God gave angels one quality common to humans, free will. This former angel realized he could choose to fail to fall to earth to be with the woman he loved, but this is never an easy decision.

Seth would be giving up an eternal life of service to God and the miraculous abilities possessed by all angels. The emphasis here is on free will and what individual decisions actually play within our lives. I will not reveal any further elements of the plot because the film does end in an interesting fashion. I will tell you that this cast works as an excellent ensemble, a quality we infrequently see from multimillion dollar casts and actresses. Together they put forth a love story that warms the heart and left even this hardened viewer misty eyed.

This is a film about two things often yet appropriately idealized in our society, love and romance. "City of Angels" reminded us to enjoy even the most insignificant parts of our life. To take a look around and see everything right with the world rather than point out its numerous flaws. If you like violence and action buff you probably will not enjoy it, if you are romantic or in a relationship, enjoy this touching story of humanity and love.

'City of Angels': An urban love story

"City of Angels"

Director: Brad Silberling
Starring: Nicolas Cage, Meg Ryan, Andre Braugher and Dennis Franz

(Out of five shamsrocks)

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Weekend at the Box Office

Movie Title/(Gross Sales)

1. City of Angels ($13.2 million)
2. The Object of My Affection ($10 million)
3. Lost in Space ($7.7 million)
4. Titanic ($7.3 million)
5. Paulie ($5.5 million)
6. Species II ($3.9 million)
7. The Odd Couple II ($3.7 million)
8. Mercury Rising ($3.6 million)
9. The Players Club ($3.6 million)
10. Major League III: Back to the Minors ($2.1 million)

Source: NY Times AP online

Year-to-Date at the Box Office

Movie Title/(Gross Sales)

1. Titanic ($542.9 million)
2. As Good As It Gets ($139.6 million)
3. Good Will Hunting ($129.2 million)
4. Tomorrow Never Dies ($123.3 million)
5. Scream 2 ($96.3 million)
6. Flubber ($92.8 million)
7. The Wedding Singer ($74 million)
8. Mouse Hunt ($61.2 million)
9. Anastasia ($56.5 million)
10. The Jackal ($54.9 million)

Source: The Hollywood Reporter

Last Week's Video Rentals

Video Title

1. In & Out
2. The Devil's Advocate
3. The Full Monty
4. I Know What You Did Last Summer
5. The Edge
6. Mimic
7. The Peacemaker
8. The Game
9. Air Force One
10. G.I. Jane

Source: Billboard Online

By MIKE McMORROW
Scene Movie Critic

I love movies that begin simply and then get more complex and interesting as they proceed.

This may sound ridiculous at first—how can movies get more complex as they go on? But "Chinatown" is a special case because the film purposefully does not reveal key aspects of certain characters' personalities until later in the film, thereby giving each character more depth than was first assumed. No one is completely evil in "Chinatown," and no one is completely virtuous.

That's the essence of noir: the absence of heroes. And in "Chinatown," director Roman Polanski does not dissent from this tenet.

Jack Nicholson stars as Jake Gittes, an independent private eye who "helps people when they're in a rough situation." One woman whom he helps is named Evelyn Mulwray (Faye Dunaway), the wife of the water commissioner. She's suspicious her husband is cheating on her—this is Jake's specialty—and she wants a confirmation.

The plot begins with this connection, and leads to a possible conspiracy involving the water department and the building of a dam. People die, fraudulent names are used to buy land, more people die, and all of this for Mr. Gittes to figure out. Of course, he never meant to get this involved, but sometimes one just can't help it. The film is so intricately woven and beautifully thought out, though, that the viewer can't help but get completely involved.

But the beauty of the film is that it does not rely on the intricacies of the plot as its only method of keeping the viewer involved. Also incorporated is a great deal of humor, and startling emotional revelations. But it is on this last point that "Chinatown" gets its pummeling power. The more we learn about these characters' past relations with each other, and their own respective personal histories, the more the ending becomes a stunning and depressing thing.

Most people have heard the film's last five words—one of the most famous lines in movie history. But when the words "Come on Jake, it's Chinatown" leap from the screen, and the camera draws back to give us a more encompassing shot, we realize that the most important personal history in the film belongs to Jake himself—something which we didn't know or expect up until this last shot.

That is a tribute to another wonderfully starting thing about the film—Nicholson's performance. No one could bring the sarcasm, charisma and passion to Jake Gittes like he does. No one could have made such a vulnerable character look so tough. And no one could tell a racist joke so well.

The sets and art direction provide a wonderful mood for the film. Typical of film noir, there is a lot of emphasis on shadows, and a great deal of low-key lighting. It creates the perfect mood for the film—a perfect medium for revealing the intricacies of the characters' personalities and lives, and relations among each other. "Chinatown" is as close to a perfect movie as you can get—managing to be so funny and involving, so well-acted and well-drawn, and finally so charged with anger, fear, hatred, and despair. See the movie, and reflect on how hard those final five words hit you.
Saberhagen wins again for Red Sox; Tigers edge Yankees

Associated Press

BOSTON Bret Saberhagen continued hiscombine, striking out six in six shutout innings Sunday to lead the Boston Red Sox to a 4-0 win over the Cleveland Indians.

Saberhagen (3-0), who missed the entire 1996 season due to shoulder surgery and pitched just four innings Friday, struck out four and walked one, helping the Sox end a four-game losing streak.

The top four hitters in the Indians' order went 0 for 9, and was the Tigers' first hit was a two-out double, driven in by an error on first baseman Kevin Painter, leading off the ninth.

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We're and the Tigers' first loss was at home for the first time since June 18-29, 1995.

Gary Ford followed and Tom Gordon pitched the ninth for his fourth save in five chances, completing a seven-hitter. A leadoff double in the ninth by Andy Nunez had been in an 0-for-23 slump.

Barren Bragg had a career-high four hits for Boston, going 4-for-4.

Dan Balburt (2-2) allowed two runs and nine hits in seven innings. Cleveland, which stranded nine runners, last just the third time in 10 road games this year. The top four hitters in the order were 1-for-15.

Balburt gave up the fifth in the fifth after Nomar Garciaparra led off with a triple that got past Manny Ramirez in right. John Valentin walked, Mo Vaughn struck out and Jim Leyritz hit a sacrifice fly.

Brady doubled leading off the sixth and was thrown out at second by Al Lewis' groundout and scored on Mark Lemke's sacrifice fly.

Tigers 2, Red Sox 1

Damon Easley's sacrifice fly scored the go-ahead run in the eighth inning and Brian Moehler allowed two hits in eight innings as the Detroit Tigers snapped a seven-game losing streak with a 2-1 win over the New York Yankees.

The Tigers also ended New York's eight-game winning streak at the老虎公园 home at home against the Yankees in 13 games.

Tracy Kuhl hit his first home run since Sept. 14, in the seventh inning off Hideo Iwakuro, who was struck in the side by a line drive in the sixth.

Moehler (1-8) struck out seven and walked one. Todd Jones added the ninth for his second save.

Iwakuro was having his second start of the season after leaving after Clark's leadoff homer in the seventh. The right-hander allowed three hits in six innings with seven strikeouts.

With the score tied 1-1 in the Detroit eighth, Raul Casanova singled and Tony Clark walked. Hunter balked before a pitch from reliever Darrell Holmes (0-1) put runners at first and third with one out. Easley hit a fly to short center, and pinch-runner Brennan Boesch scored as Bernie Williams' throw was off line.

Clark, who struck out his first two at-bats, hit a 2-0 pitch off the facing of the right-field wall in his final at bat and ran in 65 at-bats this year. He hit .327 last season.

New York tied it 1-1 in the eighth, Chad Curtis and Scott Brosius pinch hit for runners at the corners with one out. Pinch- hitter Jim Presley flew one out that bounce a grounder to third, and Curtis scored when the Tigers couldn't throw the ball home.

Both starting were outstanding as command for either team through 4-1 innings came two from Irabu and six from Clark, who got up past first, however, as Irabu picked up four hits.

Kent Mercker pitched seven shutout innings, and was the Tigers' first clean hit, drew a two-out walk in the fifth. He moved to third on an error when Irabu balked and then threw away a pickoff attempt on second, and to second, and then threw away a pickoff attempt on second.

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while Kelly Nichols pitched the remainder of the game in a non-save situation. The Huskies, who eliminated the conference tournament. With themselves taken out of contention from a ninth straight conference tournament. With the sweep, they fall to 19-17-1 on the season and 5-7 in the Big East play.

"I would say beating them brought a lot of confidence to our team," senior Korrie Allen remarked about the series. "We dominated the whole series, and never allowed them to get ahead of us during either of the games."

On Sunday, Notre Dame closed out the homestand with a doubleheader against conference rival St. John's. After sweeping UConn, the Red Storm proved no match for the Irish, who swept them in the sweep, they fall to 19-17-1 on the season and 5-7 in the Big East.

"We took the lead early with a solo home run by Lemire in the top of the third with three consecutive singles to drive in one run.

The Irish lead the season, winning the 4-0 game over the team. The Episcopal leads the Division by two wins over Villanova. The Irish and the Wildcats will tangle in a division-deciding three-game series this weekend at Ivy Field. Despite holding the advantage, Allen still feels the series will be a hard-fought one.

"I think we've really come together more as a team," Allen said. "Right now, we're really just doing it with a group effort.

Irish split up and find success

By KATHLEEN O'BRIEN

Several members of the Notre Dame track and field team came home victorious from meets in Michigan and California.

Head track and field coach Joe Plottie split his squad for added potency this weekend, sending some athletes to Michigan State for a more laid-back meet and a chance to recuperate from a jam-packed schedule. Others went to California to face more intense competition in one of the final tune-ups before the Big East Championships.

The Fighting Irish who went to California competed in the Mt. Sac Relays, as well as meets at Pomona College and Long Beach State University Friday through Sunday.

At Long Beach State, junior Nadia Schmiedt was a close second in the 400 meter hurdles, with senior Berit Junker following in third. Schmiedt, who ran in the NCAA outdoor championships last season, was just one-hundredth of a second off her best time of the season in 59.95. Indoor track all-American Errol Williams again showed why he is ranked third in the nation, winning the 110 meter hurdles in 13.95.

In the Spartan Invitational in East Lansing, Mich., the women took first in three events and second in five, with the men also placing second in five events. Freshman Carrie Lempke had a good showing, winning the 400 meter run in 58.18 and coming in second in 23.88 in the 200 meter dash.

"I know my times are improving every week," said Lempke. "It was a good meet for us to kind of relax and get ready for the Big East meet in two weeks."

Also performing well on the women's side were distance runners Pati Bride, Erin Obeo, and Alphon Klemmer; who each took second place in the 800 meter run, the 1,500 meter run, and the 3,000 meter run, respectively. Winning the high jump was junior Kelli Saxon, who leaped 5 feet, 3 1/2 inches. Sarah Loposanski and Carrie Gielik captured the top two spots in the 400 meter hurdles.

Sophomore Chris Cochran ran 47.99 to place second in the 400 meter run, and his time of 22.06 in the 200 meter run earned him fourth place.

"I was happy that I got into the 47s," said Cochran. "That showed that I'm getting to where I want to be for the Big East meet, and coming back and doubling in the 200 meter dash and feeling good doing it made me feel better about doubling in those events."

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Irish push Hoosiers around the court

By M. SHANNON RYAN
Sports Information

Sometimes a team just has to be the bully.

Roughening up the weaker Hoosiers 7-0 yesterday, the No. 14 men's tennis team ended its regular season with a punch. The Irish played the brutish by knocking all of their singles matches and two of their doubles matches into the win column.

"I thought our guys showed a lot of good effort yesterday," coach Bob Bayliss said. "I definitely thought we were the better team." Indiana only threatened a fight in doubles, where the Hoosiers won at No. 1 over the Irish duo of Brian Patterson and Jakob Pietrowski, 9-7.

Patterson and Pietrowski continued to show fatigue by losing their sixth consecutive match. "We needed to have a better showing at No. 1," Bayliss said. "They lost a close match again. We might need to redefine their roles, and there is the possibility of switching combinations."

Doubles at No. 2 and 3 picked up the slack, left by the first duo. Danny Rothschild and Vijay Freeman pulled out a 9-7 win when Ryan Sachire and Matt Horsley continued impressive play with a 6-3, 6-2 victory.

The Irish were up to par in singles, not allowing one match to sneak by. Or in Brian Patterson's case, even one set.

The junior stepped down on the Hoosiers' No. 3 player with a 6-0, 6-0 perfect match. Patterson's quick victory — his sixth in a row — ipped his dual match record to 18-4 on the season.

"Patterson absolutely destroyed (Beau) Liggett," Bayliss said. "He's done a great job of credit for staying in the match the whole way and not letting up."

Patterson's seemingly effortless play set the tone for the rest of the Irish squad, which went on to reel in four more two-set victories. Sachire also helped bolster the Irish victory with his usual dominance. Ranked No. 3 in the nation, he overpowered Derek Pope at No. 1, 6-0, 6-2, with ease. The Irish sophomore bumped up his dual match record to 17-4 on the season and his overall singles record to 31-11.

"Ryan played the same way (as Patterson)," Bayliss said. "He played at a high enough level to keep his opponent from climbing in."

The rest of the singles did not allow Indiana much room for advancement either.

Rothschild, recovering from a foot injury, played a smart match at No. 4 for a 6-2, 6-2 crushing of George McGill. Pietrowski also held the Hoosiers back by utilizing his net play. The senior ran over Gabriel Mantilla with a 6-1, 6-2 win.

"Pietrowski was able to make the shots he needed," Bayliss said. "He didn't let the match get away from him. He was in charge from the get go."

Andy Warford also saw action again after sitting out recent games. With Matt Horsley taking a turn on the bench due to back problems, the junior let his presence be known by defeating Paul Jacobson 6-2, 7-5.

The match was so good for the Irish, in fact, that their worst match was also a win.

Eric Tison struggled in his middle set, but was able to get the win. This is how one match where we were really tested," Bayliss said. "Enio played great though. He let up in the second set but fought hard for the win. He just needs to develop a greater sense of urgency if he wants to win future matches."

The Irish have little time for development — they head to Miami, Fla., for the Big East championships Thursday through Sunday.

But with the regular season out of the way, the Irish now have the time to focus on who they want to push around next year.
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"We weren't executing properly in the first quarter, or picking up the ground balls," said Irish co-captain Jimmy Keenan. The All-American midfielder blasted a goal from outside the attack box in the fourth quarter for the Notre Dame's seventh and final goal on the day.

Aware that the team would need to pick up and control the ball more on offense to get on the board, a more aggressive team took to Monse Krause Field for the second quarter.

Kevin Higgins won the opening face-off of the second quarter which he kicked to the Irish attackers, where a UMass loose ball was pushed penalty allowed Notre Dame to set up a play. They made quick work of the Minutemen defense as freshman Tom Glatzel, in his second start at attack, got one past goalie John Kasselakis at 14:05 from a Dave Ulrich feed for his first collegiate goal.

The Irish controlled most of the first half of the second, working the ball in the attack zone for the quarter's first four minutes. They focused on controlling the ball more after the first quarter," said freshman midfielder Chris Young. "We came out playing more aggressively.

The Irish offense was able to rattle off another two shots on goal in the middle of the second, with help on a man-up play at 5:45 on a UMass holding call. Kasselakis stopped both shots and managed to clear the ball to set up a Minutemen attack.

Glatzel led the charge and hit an open Mike DelPercio for the only UMass goal of the second, giving them a 5-1 lead. DelPercio, a co-captain, notched a game-high three goals.

The scoring in the second ended with Revere LaNoue's charge and hit on the score of the contest at 2:59. "UMass is a big control team. To compete with them, we have to have good, long possessions, which we had gained after the first," said Dusseau.

The third began much like the second, with Glatzel scoring on a Ulrich setup, this time from the stick of Dave Ulrich's brother Todd. Two minutes later, Dave got a shot past Kasselakis for an unassisted goal to narrow the gap to one goal, at 5-4.

The tandem of Dusseau and LaNoue struck again, this time with 9:36 in the second, as the Irish tied the game with Dusseau's second of the game.

Ties were the closest the Irish got in the contest. Notre Dame goals to tie the game at five, six, and seven were all answered by UMass to take a one-goal lead.

DelPercio's second and third goals of the game gave UMass their sixth and seventh goals of the game, with Stedman Oakley's goal on a Dave Ulrich assist coming between the two.

Keenan's goal with 7:01 left in the game on a Burke Hayes' pass tied it at seven, but a Minuteman goal just six seconds later by midfielder Jeff Seals sealed the Massachusetts victory.

The Irish had one final chance to tie it with a half-minute left but were foiled when the UMass defense broke up a Kevin pass in the attack zone. "We were able to hang in couple of goals after the first," said Keenan. "Ground balls and midfield control were what we needed to work on in the game that gave us the goals, but unfortunately, we fell a bit short."

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Seeded teams falling as Bookstore gets upsetting

By BRIAN KESSLER
Assistant Sports Editor

Upset city, baby. For the first time in Bookstore XXVII, several seeded teams were given an early exit as the competition picked up as everyone entered the basketball courts around campus.

No. 28 seed AA is for Quitters bouded out in the round of 128 after topping Doc's Boys 46-44. The Wood cousins could be heard throughout campus, but the teams 21 points, rolling to a 21-8 victory.

A day later, AA is in for a treat as the competition picked up as everyone entered the basketball courts around campus. The Wood cousins could be heard throughout campus, but the teams 21 points, rolling to a 21-8 victory.

No. 12 B Diddy and the Farmer scored the victory behind some sensational plays by Tone Driver. Although trailing the Cleveland Streakers 10-9 midway through the contest, B Diddy and the Farmer pulled away and coasted to victory.

Mike Pittino, son of Boston Celtics head coach Rick Pittino, and his team Poop fell to No. 17 Consuming Fire 21-12.

No. 20 Show Me the Money scored the final four points of the game to seal the victory.

In Memory of McGinn, the 12 seed, rolled past Complete and Utter Domination to seal the victory.

Mickey's, the second seed, ran into some trouble against the No. 19 Festival. In the round of 64, they rolled to a 21-13 win over Finigan's.

Number five Malicious Fraternity defeated Two Moderately, Two Really, and One Crazy Drinkers 21-5.

"We would have won if we were sponsored by Nikes," said Chris Heid, while Matt Lord insisted that they got shafted by the refs.

No. 18 Krazy Krackers was also knocked out, while We're Gonna Shoot All Over You upset number 32 seed Serenity Now, 21-17.

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Philadelphia calls Rossman's name in third round

No other ND players taken in '98 draft

By JOE CAVATO
Associated Press editor

Usually on draft day, Chris Berman, John Kiper, and other NFL draft analysts can hardly get through a round without running NBC film of graduating Notre Dame football players.

But of the Irish hopefuls this year, Allen Rossman's name was the first and only one uttered.

The 1998 version of the NFL draft marked the worst showing by Notre Dame players since 1937, when no players were selected.

The Philadelphia Eagles used the 24th pick of the third round to select the speedster, but Melvin Dansby, Mike Dawson, Rick Kummer, and Ibon Powlus never got the call that Rossman received Saturday.

"It was kind of crazy all day," Dansby backend said about his phone line. "Friends, family, NFL teams, you name it. They were all calling to get my take on things," he said.

So what was his take on joining former Notre Dame coaches Bobby Taylor in the Eagles' defensive backfield?

"I'm just so excited. I'm flying out there Thursday," Rossman said. "Being from Dallas, I was never a big Eagles fan, but I am now."

Rossman set the NCAA record for returns-for-touchdowns with 12 (three kickoff, three punt, and three interception). That game-breaking speed made the Eagles overlook Rossman's height.

"Philadelphia is going to use me in the return game," he said. "I talked to all the coaches — so many I kind of lost track of who I was talking to at one point." Rossman was forced to play the dreaded waiting game as he was not sure of his draft status.

"I thought I might go in the third round, but I wasn't sure," he said. "I know after the season, I was supposedly a second-round pick. Then I clipped a bit. They found out I was 5-foot-7 and not 5-foot-9. But everyone knows I have speed.

Dansby, Doughty, Kazczinski and Powlus had to play the waiting game through yesterday as well, but none got the call.

Dansby's health and 5.4 time in the 40-yard dash, the second slowest among the top 50 defensive tackles, were the only things making scouts and coaches wary of drafting the 6-foot-3, 285-pounder. "The Beast" turned in a remarkable season becoming the first Irish lineman since Russ Brownes 20 years ago to tally more than 100 tackles in a season. But knee surgery in February 1997 limited the amount of time Dansby was able to spend on the practice field.

"I know I've got a bad track record with injuries, but I've played with pain," Dansby said. "I've had adversity, but I've faced it."

The fact that Dansby or his classmates were not selected does not mean that they will not don NFL uniforms next year. Since the NFL shortened the draft from 12 rounds to seven, more and more players are being picked up as undrafted free agents, which is where some of the seniors will likely get their chance to make a squad.

Usually Notre Dame players are not just hoping to make teams, or to just get drafted. This weekend probably explains the Notre Dame football team's woes of the 1997 fall weekends.

For the first time since 1981 and only the second time since 1963, no Irish player was picked in the first or second round. In the 1990-95 drafts, Notre Dame placed a total of 44 players in the first seven rounds.

Following the 1993 season when the Irish beat national champion Florida State and finished second, seven players were taken in the first three rounds. Perhaps the biggest story for Notre Dame players was the fact that quarterback Rick Yossom was skipped over.

The first three rounds saw six quarterbacks taken, including signal callers from Eastern Michigan and Middle Tennessee, Rossman was the one and only Irish player taken in the seven-round NFL draft held over the weekend in New York.

"This is not a knock on him, but when he had the collarbone injury [in 93] and came back it seemed like something was missing," Dansby said. "There wasn't something there, and he's never been able to get it back; he added."
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Irish roll over Panthers at Three Rivers Stadium

By ALLISON KRILLA

In route to its ninth straight victory, the Notre Dame baseball team used a balanced offensive attack and dominating pitching performances, sweeping a doubleheader against Big East rival Pittsburgh Saturday with 11-0 and 12-1 wins at Three Rivers Stadium.

Junior Alex Shilliday (8-2) and Brad Lidge (6-2) combined with sophomore Scott Cavey and Steve Szczepanski in an 16-inning, 25-strikeout effort. The quartet allowed only three baserunners, four hits and four walks, while facing only five batters over the minimum.

"Offensively I thought we played a great game," said Shilliday. "Pittsburgh may not be one of the strongest teams in the Big East, but we were really at the top of our game."

Shilliday tossed a seven-inning one-hitter in the opening game, throwing 79 pitches, to finish with a doubleheader carryover into the seventh and final inning, before yielding a bunt single down the first base line.

"I was extremely pleased with the way I pitched," said Shilliday. "I think it was the best I've thrown in a month. I had the best control of my fastball, and all my pitches seemed to be working. Everything seemed to go pretty well. I didn't fall behind on a lot of batters, so that kept my pitch count down."

A 1-4 hit attack by the Irish offense supported Shilliday's strong outing, as every Notre Dame starter reached base. Two consecutive five-run innings proved too much for the Panthers (8-21, 2-14), who managed only four hits in two games. All five runs in the Irish fifth were unearned, as J.J. Brock, Jeff Felker and Brant Ust rapped RBI singles and Jeff Wagner stroked a two-run double.

In the nightcap, Lidge threw 103 pitches, posting a career-best 1-2 strikeouts in seven innings before giving way to Steve Szczepanski, followed by Scott Cavey, who retired the side on strikes for a perfect ninth.

Four home runs highlighted the game, with Alec Porzel (4), Dan Leatherman (7), Allen Greene (7) and Jeff Wagner (12) going deep. Second baseman Todd Frye went 4-for-6, drawing two walks and laying down his seventh sacrifice bunt in the doubleheader.

"The team was really excited to play in a major league ballpark," said Frye of the offensive outburst. "We've been doing a lot of work with our hitting coach, Corey Mee, he's been doing a great job."

Wagner's homer tied 1st for the team lead, while extending his Irish career record to 39. He also had 19 career doubles in Big East games, placing Wagner behind Seton Hall's Mo Vaughan (126, 1987-89) and UConn's Jason Mores (105, 1995-97) on the conference list.

"We've got a great group of guys who love to play baseball," said Frye. "We've had a few high points in the season and a few low points. We're really looking to continue what we've been doing.""Notre Dame head to the Big East Championships this weekend in New York City in hopes of getting a bid to the College World Series."

"We want to take the momentum we have, into the upcoming games and maybe break into the nation's top 25."