Council puts off discrimination vote

Dean Woo alleges hiring discrimination occurred on basis of homosexuality

By TIM LOGAN
Assistant News Editor

After more than a year of heated debate and campus rallies, the future of the University’s legal non-discrimination clause rested in the hands of Academic Council members Thursday night.

But at their much-anticipated meeting, council members decided to postpone a vote on the proposed amendment to add sexual orientation to the clause until their Nov. 17 meeting. The Council cited a lack of definitive information on the issues of law and religion surrounding the amendment.

"As a voting member, I'd like to be as informed as possible," said Charles Kulp, professor of biological sciences, after the meeting. "I think it's a wise decision."

University president Father Edward Malloy proposed at the start of discussion that the vote be put off until next month's meeting, according to several members of the Academic Council, reserving last night's session for focused debate on the issue.

"It's a good decision," said Lewis Hall senator Sophie Fortin when informed of the decision. Fortin co-wrote the Student Senate resolution which called on the Council to approve the change.

"The strongest argument is definitely going to come out from [the research and debate]," Fortin said. "The more you know, the more it is going to come out that [approval] is the best decision."

But four members of the council separately confirmed a turn of events at the meeting that could bring the clause debate closer-to-home. Carolyn Woo, dean of the College of Business Administration, disclosed that a prospective faculty member was not offered employment after revealing to being a practicing homosexual in an hiring interview, according the four sources.

While the fall details of the incident were not relayed, Woo went on to say that the candidate was by far the most qualified applicant for the job, and that sexual practices played a substantial role in the decision not to hire that individual, the sources said.

The meeting was closed to the public; Woo was not available for questions in the night, and University officials, including provost Nathan Hatch, declined to speak on the matter.

"There is not going to be any comment on discussions that take place among Academic Council members," said Dennis Brown, associate director of Public Relations.

But Woo's alleged disclosure adds to the complexity of debate on the merits and problems associated with adding sexual orientation to the legal clause.

A major point of contention at the meeting, sources said, was the fact that the Catholic Church - and homosexual orientation - which is not opposed by Catholic teachings - and homosexual acts, which are. But the courts might not

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God and science meet on good terms at ND

By MOLLY NIKOLAS
News Writer

Although academic achievement is stressed in all disciplines, Notre Dame is first and foremost a Catholic institution, praised for its adherence to tradition and values. Spiritual life is vibrant and crucial to the Notre Dame experience as academics, athletics and the social experience.

But because of its religious background, many people overlook the growing number of students at Notre Dame that are pursuing degrees in the sciences. Last fall, 899 sophomores, juniors and seniors enrolled in the College of Science with another 725 in the College of Engineering.

While members of the science faculty hope the University will become more widely known as a leading scientific institution, Notre Dame is often overlooked as such because of its type of faculty, according to physics department chair Bruce Bunker.

"Many of the professors at Notre Dame focus more on teaching undergraduates than working on the types of research projects that would win the school national recognition in science," Bunker said. "Undergraduate
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As I walk down the cement paths here at Notre Dame, I feel like I'm surrounded by strangers. It is as if something magical silences all conversation that can possibly happen between humans. Those forces impel people to avoid looking into each other's eyes or with their heads hang- ing down — we get only brusque answers or silence to say, "Hi," or "What's Up," to someone who may be pass- ing. We then get to our destination and find our seat in class, or walk to our room in the dorm, never realizing what a great opportu- nity we just missed. What's going on? Well let me ask you this. Have you ever been in the Law Building? What? You don't know where it is? I'll give you a hint: try South Quad. How about this: Have you ever been in Carroll? You're working so hard by now. Are you going to do your share. Then we lose part of what makes this place so great. We don't do our share. Then we lose part of what makes this place so great. What's Up. I am no hermit, and I have many friends. I might even go so far as to find out his or her name, too. Heck, you might even make a new friend. So, tell your life that was easier than you thought.

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Knife-wielding student threatens financial aid employees

BLACKSBURG, Va.

Richard A. Ross, 29, of Abingdon, Va., was taken into custody outside of Bullis Coffee house after he expressed what Eric Famisan, a Bullis employee, who served Norton, described to the Associated Press as a 3-inch Swiss Army knife the sus- spect held behind his back. Norton then attempted to create a scene when he was asked to pay the $2.99 for his beverage. Norton then tried to pay with a $100 and got upset when Famisan said the store would be unable to make change. Norton finally paid for the drink, but not before he said to Famisan, "I'm an American. I can choose to spend my money any way I want." Famisan said Norton then pulled the knife from his pocket and slashed the weapon at his side.

Norton was arrested by the Blacksburg police on accounts of drunk in public, obstruction, larceny and assault charges when he spit in a police officer's face. Norton was held on a $7,000 bond at the Montgomery County Jail.

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Massachusetts Institute of Technology Authorities pin arson blame on tutor

CAMBRIDGE, Mass.

The Graduate Resident Tutor for the Fourth floor of East Campus West was arraigned Oct. 5 in a case in connection with a fire at the dormitory late Friday night. The fire burned carpeting and a bulletin board of photos- tographs outside the room of the CRT. Dimitri Kouountougiannis received first and second-degree burns to his hands and face.

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University of Texas Students donate meals to homeless

AUSTIN, Texas

After two days of soliciting meal donations for its new Feed Austin program, the University Residence Hall Association has obtained about 1,200 meals to date out in areas shelters and soup kitchens where officials from the Division of Housing and Food Services said Wednesday they hope to get about 300 more meals by the end of the semester. While students' first chance to give away their extra meals ended Tuesday, another donation period will occur later this semester. The residence hall association proposed the program last year because many students had large quantities of paid-for but unused meals left on their dining cards, said Corey Utschger, the assis- tance's president. "At the end of the year they end up with little or no money left on their dining cards," Utschger said. "We need a way to donate those extra meals to the hungry." Since the program is currently on a pilot basis, students were only allowed to donate two meals each.
**Assailant attacks student at ATM**

By DEREK BETCHER
American News Editor

Yesterday evening a Notre Dame graduate student was attacked while making an ATM withdrawal from the Notre Dame Federal Credit Union, according to the assistant director of University security Chuck Hurley. The assailant fled after a skirmish with the student, who was not harmed and did not experience any theft of money or property.

At approximately 8:20 p.m. the student began a transaction at the drive-through ATM of the Douglas Road location of the Notre Dame Federal Credit Union. The suspect then moved towards the student and approached between the rear of the automobile and the credit union facility brandishing a piece of wood, Hurley reported. The assailant allegedly placed the piece of wood at the student's throat, and a struggle ensued. The student twisted the suspect's arm, and he responded by reaching inside the automobile and switching off the vehicle's ignition. The attacker then fled the scene. No theft was reported.

After responding to the incident, Notre Dame security was unable to locate the suspect, who reportedly fled on foot into the field northwest of the credit union building. St. Joseph County Police were called for assistance and responded with a K-9 unit, but did not locate the suspect. The suspect was described as a 20-year-old white male with medium-length blonde hair, a goatee and a mustache.

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**Senators reopen Clause discussion**

By ERICA THERING
News Writer

The Student Senate voted unanimously last night to form an ad hoc committee to research the implications of the proposed non-discrimination clause.

This vote came after senators expressed concern that last week's resolution requesting that the Academic Council approve the new clause was rushed and improperly researched.

The new committee will further research the clause and report to the senate on the possibility of passing a new resolution. If the committee decides that a new resolution is necessary, the resolution could be supported or amended last week's resolution.

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programs will always remain the University's top priority.
At schools like the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Harvard University and Stanford, professors hammer equations at their students just like at Notre Dame, but some say it is rare that any of these students will take the time to observe what they're learning, and attempt to apply it to other areas of academia.

At Notre Dame on the other hand, undergraduate science majors must study religion, despite the claim that the two subjects cannot coexist.

Some at the University believe that they were meant for intellectual marriage. "They just sort of belong in dialogue together, science and religion. They are two different ways of looking at the world, yet at Notre Dame, people seem to feel more comfortable engaging in that dialogue because of its strong value system and Catholic identity," said Father Mark Poorman, director of the Masters of Divinity program.

He explained that the University provides a synthesis of the two ideals of religion and science. At Notre Dame, students can pursue religious meanings and scientific knowledge simultaneously and hold both areas, and holding nothing back in the pursuit of knowledge, according to Poorman.

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interpret it the same way, and Notre Dame could be held legally accountable for what the law calls discrimination against homosexuals and the University calls adherence to Catholic doctrine.

Before the next meeting, members will investigate the ways in which other Catholic universities have adopted similar clauses. In addition, they will research the nature and effectiveness of lawsuits which have been filed against schools which include sexual orientation clauses in their non-discrimination clauses.

The problems inherent in this distinction were magnified when the topic of unmarried faculty living in relationships was brought up. Some members noted the distinction between heterosexual pre-marital sex and homosexual relationships, sources said.

"There seems to be a double standard there that we wouldn't want to have in the University," said junior Daniel Mullin, one of four student representatives on the Academic Council.

The issue, placed on the Council's agenda by the Executive Committee with a neutral recommendation, will go to the Board of Trustees for final approval if it is passed by the Council and Malloy.

The Board of Trustees, which was on campus last weekend, will not convene again until February. The amount of time available before the next Trustees' meeting was another factor allowing for the extension of debate, according to members who said that the body did not want to rush to a decision.

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ated its members from pursuing new forms of thought, and scientists like Copernicus and Galileo were persecuted for publicizing the conclusions of their research.

Only recently did the Catholic Church reverse its position on Galileo's work, and with the decision, a load has been lifted from the scientific community, according to physics department chair Bruce Bunker.

Father Ernan McMullin, professor emeritus of philosophy at the Vatican's Galileo committee, pointed out that there is often the misconception that science and religion are always in conflict.

"It is rare that the two do conflict, but in some cases, when people do not understand the domains of the two different disciplines, tensions can arise," McMullin said.

During his time, Galileo tried to identify the fundamental differences between science and religion.

The scriptures tell us how to get to heaven, but not how the heavens go," the scientist wrote. McMullin suggested that science and religion can create tension for several reasons. He offered that people need to understand that religion and science are separate disciplines with different perceptions on how the world works. He explained that people should be aware of the answers they are looking for from each field, and the questions that should be directed toward each.

If science and religion are used in different domains, conflicts will not arise, McMullin said. People can decide which questions they want to answer through religion and which they want answered through science.

He pointed out that the most recent religious conflict concerns creation and evolution. Darwin's theory of natural selection was scrutinized by many religious fundamentalists for its implication that the teachings of the Bible are false. McMullin noted that the controversy over evolution and creation is a crisis unique to America.

"Because of its strong fundamentalist population, the notion that evolution and creationism are two opposing ideals was created. In Europe, this controversy does not really exist," McMullin explained.

McMullin added that although some scientists can be very dogmatic in their views on religion — mainly affirming that God does not exist because of lack of proof — but that most are not in such a state of utter disbelief.

"Most scientists that look for all their answers through science disagree regard religion as a means of explanation to universal questions," he said.

He concluded that misconceptions about science and religion play in our individual lives usually lead to the notion that science and religion are at some sort of impasse, when in truth, they do not intersect at all.

"Science and religion offer conflict in the minds of those who don't understand how the disciplines tell us about the world we live in," McMullin said.

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Two Bucharest cemeteries have recently stopped selling plots after running out of space. Maliciu said. Five other graveyards have also filled up in recent years. The Romanian Orthodox Church, to which 90 percent of Romanians belong, opposes cremation, compounding the space problem. In addition, the population in the capital has grown to 3 million, about 1 million more than at the end of communism in 1989.

Startled tiger kills trainer

NEWBURY

A rare, white Bengal tiger being walked on a leash killed a trainer Thursday after it was startled by construction workers. Charles Edward Lizza III was running calm the 250-pound tiger when she tripped and fell and the animal bit him on the neck, said Aashish County sheriff’s Sgt. Jim Truax. Lizza, 34, died at a hospital. Ron Guny, who co-owns Ron and Joy Holiday’s Cat Founders, was walking the tiger from a night stand to a day kennel when it was startled. The tigress had raised the tiger since it was six days old. The Gainesville Sun reported. It is up to the owners to decide what becomes of the tiger, Truax said.

Scientists identify cancer gene

WASHINGTON

A gene that appears to control the growth of tumors has been found by Texas researchers studying genetic patterns in lung and colon cancer. Researchers at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center in Dallas, report in the journal Science that a gene called P532B1 helps to regulate the growth of cells and that a mutation of the gene can help promote lung and colon cancer. Dr. Glen Evans and Dr. Steven Wang, co-authors of the study, said that P532B1 makes a protein that helps to regulate phosphate metabolism. When the gene is flawed, they said, phosphate builds up and cell growth becomes uncontrolled, resulting in a tumor. The researchers said that a mutation of P532B1 can be inherited and people with this gene have an increased risk of developing cancer of the lung or colon.

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BELGRADE

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Crash damages bridge

Special to The Observer

In the early morning hours of Oct. 7 there was a serious traffic crash at the intersection of US 933, Michigan Street and Northshore Drive, involving a passenger vehicle and semi tractor. As a result of this crash, the bridge over the St. Joseph River was heavily damaged and diesel fuel spilled into the river and riverbank.

Beginning Friday, Oct. 9 at 8:30 a.m. US 933, Michigan Street will be narrowed to two lanes of traffic. One lane northbound and one lane southbound at Northshore Drive to allow construction crews room for emergency repairs and clean-up crews to remove contami­nated soil on the river bank.

The South Bend Police Department is expecting a large traffic back-up on this high-volume traffic roadway in both north and south directions. They ask all motorists to allow extra travel time or take an alternative route during this repair period.

\[\text{Correction}\]

An advertisement in Thursday's Observer misspelled the name of the campaign for LaAlliance. The Observer regrets the error.

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By MAGGY TINUCCI

The 1995 assassination of Prime Minister Rabin brought to light the differences between the Arab state and the State of Israel marking a critical change in regard to fundamentalism in Jewish society, according to Gideon Aran.

In a lecture Thursday, Aran - an expert on religion in the Middle East - said coming peace agreement between Israel and Palestine must be viewed in terms of that change.

"Extremism is a solidarity-producing movement," said Aran, professor of sociology and anthropology at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

The tragic assassination of Rabin, an extreme measure, exemplifies Israeli's present conditions which pit Jews against each other, thereby shattering the picture of the nation as a united front, he said.

Now, according to Aran, Israel is viewed on equal footing with its neighbors for the first time.

"The Arab peoples gained an empathy towards Israel because of her weakness," he said.

Aran displayed an Egyptian political cartoon which he said perfectly portrayed the internal conflicts in Israel - the physical manifestations of both Jewish extremism and Islamic extremism, in pursuit of an angel of peace. The physical affinity of the two zealots showed the similarities in their movements.

"It shows the suspicion and hostility on one hand and the solidarity on the other," said Aran.

He noted that an understanding of fundamentalism serves as the background for the current state of Israel. Defined as the contemporary religious revivial with violent political implications, fundamentalism is in fact a "political religion."

"In this context, political involvement is divine and a messianic medium," Aran said.

The more political something is, the higher its religious value becomes.

Two modern forms of fundamentalism are spawned from a mutual influence. The first is the "prototypical fundamentalism in where secular modernity is categorically rejected," said Aran. Blatantly anti-Zionist, followers of this philosophy avidly reject nationalism. They are the ultra-orthodox who consider themselves "God-fearing."

The second fundamentalist group is becoming more prevalent.

"This is a political religion and adopts nationalism after it has changed national values into becoming religious ones. They accept nationalism and become its check," Aran said.

This second group is represented by the Jewish extremist movement which captured the West Bank and the Gaza Strip during the Six Days War in 1967 and remains the primary group that retains control with its neighbors.

"Its nationalism is perceived as the perfected vision of Judaism," said Aran.

Regardless of their differences, both groups have a genuine interest in each other because both view their land as a holy entity, said Aran.

It is in light of this historical background that the peace agreements currently undergoing negotiations are "not strate­gically disastrous, but seen as religious heresy," said Aran.

He went on to explain the "heresy" as three-fold: Primarily, by agreeing to a peace treaty with the Palestinians, the Israelis are forced to give up all they have invested in their land over the past 20 years.

Secondly, as the main body of the Zionist movement, Palestinians have created a significant political and social position in which they are the "paragon to all Israeli people."

The Israelis also have invest­ed so much religiously, an agreement would signify the "withdrawal from the messianic promise," according to Aran.

Overall, peace with the Palestinians would only lead to internal conflict within Israel itself, Aran said.

His suggestion for the peace­makers is a retention of funda­mentalism, but a move from the second, more nationalistic philo­sophy to the first, more relig­ious orthodoxy principle.

"The people will be emanci­pated from violence with the Arabs only to engage in conflict with other Jews," said Aran. "In essence, there is a shift from one extreme to another."

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NDGLS Group Advisors: Fr. Tom Gaughan, C.S.C

Sr. Mary Louise Gude, C.S.C.

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SMC opens new volunteer effort

By NOREEN GILLESPIE

Saint Mary's students and faculty will dig their hands into the roots of downtown South Bend Saturday at the first annual Saint Mary's in the City.

Corps of college volunteers will help reconstruct St. Margaret's House, a home for women and children. The house is currently expanding its facility to accommodate more people.

"We wanted to connect specifically with a community organization in town," said Sister Linda Kors, director of the Spes Unica Resource and Volunteer Center (SURV).

Kors designed the project after receiving suggestions that Saint Mary's needed to become a tradition," Kors said. "It's the first year, and we have no idea how it is going to go.

Saturday's event comes after months of planning that involved selecting the community agency and holding meetings with the executive director of St. Margaret's House.

"We're hoping this will become a tradition," Sister Linda Kors, SURV director

"I want to volunteer but don't always have the time to make it happen on a weekly or monthly basis."

Volunteers will be painting, cleaning, refurbishing, renovating and performing an assortment of useful odd jobs on the second story of the house.

"We're also looking for anyone who can help," said Kors. "If you're willing to get into a little paint, we'd love to have you. It should be a fun experience."

Volunteers can carpool from the Lamin Circle with cars leaving every hour from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. St. Margaret's House is located at 117 North Lafayette.

Students interested in the program can contact the SURV office at 294-5368.

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Pianist will play Bach, lecture

By RUTH SNELL

Hoping to illuminate the relationship of the mind to the heart with music and words, internationally recognized pianist Lorin Hollander will perform and lecture at 8 p.m. tonight in O'Laughlin Auditorium at Saint Mary's College.

Hollander's 40-year music career began with his Carnegie Hall debut at age 11. He now gives at least as many lecture/performance recitals as recitals, and many are at universities.

He called his lectures "explorations of cross-disciplinary creativity.

"I strive to bring as much gentleness, kindness, justice, charity and justice into human reality as possible," Hollander said.

Tonight's lecture, titled "Music, the Creative Process, and the Path of Enlightenment," seeks to combine music with the spirit and the heart with human life.

"I explore the difficulties we all have giving up our most authentic self-expression," said Hollander.

He will be playing three Bach preludes. Including "Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring," a virtually unknown Brahms arrangement of Bach's "Chaconne," originally written for an unaccompanied violin, for the left-hand alone. Hollander plans to also perform some French compositions and "works that touch exploring certain emotion: absolute love, tenderness, gentleness."

"Playing in the South Bend area for almost 30 years, Hollander met College president Muriel Elford last year during his performance with the South Bend Symphony.

"We explored questions about spirituality and music and the role of the arts in human society in general, and in spiritual life in particular," he said. "So many of our dearly held beliefs were shared."

Hollander attributed tonight's performance which was planned in less than two days, to his love for music.

"It was her vision and commitment that paved the way," he said.

In his lecture/performances, Hollander said he delves into insecurity and how people are worried about the way they are perceived and accepted — especially in educational situations.

"When we are criticized, we decide never again will I share so openly," he said, adding that people's hyped-up audience intimidates them.

"We are much more extraordinary than the concepts we have of ourselves," Hollander said.

On the occasion of National Coming Out Day, October 11, 1998, we, the Standing Committee on Gay and Lesbian Student Needs, join Notre Dame's gay and lesbian students in gratitude for the love and support they have received from family and friends.

As a Committee, we recommit ourselves to providing educational opportunities for the entire Notre Dame community. We will continue the network initiative begun last year. Network prepares and educates individuals on campus who are willing to offer a confidential and respectful place of dialogue and encouragement regarding gay and lesbian issues. The next cycle of preparation sessions for those who would like to become part of the network initiative will take place in November. Other educational initiatives will include speakers and opportunity for discussion on issues related to sexual orientation.

We urge all members of our community to redouble our efforts to make our campus a safe and welcoming place free from harassment of any kind.

The Standing Committee on Gay and Lesbian Student Needs

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Econ prof explores challenges of poetry

By MEGHAN DONAHUE
News Writer

The big thing unseen is faith. Jerry McElroy, an economics professor at Saint Mary's College, spoke about the difficulties of writing poetry yesterday evening. Unlike writing a term paper, which requires simply research and meaning, feeling is a mandatory element in poetry, he said.

While exploring many different definitions of poetry, McElroy shared his own theory. "Poetry is intense human emotion screaming for meaning in compressed elegant words," he said.

A poem begins with an epiphany, an experience unlike any other that invokes an emotional response. "If you're lucky you can recall the staying power and wonderment in a moment," McElroy said.

The poet mentioned how frustrating it is to think about what he wants to write only to lose half of the words along the way. "We're surprised by a train rushing through the valley throwing rocks from the path," he said. "In the end, those tossed aside stones are the path to reclaim the mystical experience we were trying to write about."

McElroy related to Pablo Picasso's personal experience with one powerful quote: "I do not paint what I'm looking for, I paint what I find." Likewise, "Poets write because they know they're going somewhere new," he said.

With the help of freshman Mandy Schomas, McElroy recited and explained his poetry and how God inspired his journey.

Noting the influence of his wife, McElroy said, "When my wife signs her name on a painting, the journey's under way and softly signed."

"You must go beyond the bounds of daily equilibrium," said McElroy.

People feel at home when they witness Mother Earth changing, growing, leaving a fresh imprint of innocence, stunned by God. "We of faith will fall in with luck and know transcendence. God is selfless. God gives all in secret, therefore you can only bump into God on accident," he said.

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WASHINGTON
U.S. may attack bin Laden again

Further U.S. missile attacks against the Afghanistan operations of Islamic extremist Osama bin Laden are possible, the Clinton administration suggested Thursday. "We will take those actions we believe are necessary," a top State Department official told Congress.

Karl F. Inderfurth, assistant secretary of state for south Asian affairs, called on leaders of Afghanistan's Taliban religious army for help.

"They consider that Mr. Osama bin Laden is a guest..., We believe that this man is not a guest, that he is a murderer and a terrorist," Inderfurth said.

Inderfurth also expressed concern over recent border clashes between Taliban forces and Iran, but said he doubted the recent massing of Iranian troops along its northeastern border signaled an impending invasion of Afghanistan.

"Our view is that the purpose of these exercises has been to intimidate, not to necessarily presage an Iranian attack inside Afghanistan," he told the Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee on near eastern and south Asian affairs.

Still, Inderfurth said, "This is not a war we want to see." He said it would further destabilize an already unstable region.

Inderfurth was asked if the administration was contemplating any additional military actions in Afghanistan as a follow-up to the Aug. 20 cruise missile strike against a purported terrorist training camp there. Other missiles destroyed the Al Shifa pharma.
"I'M NOT AN ACTIVIST, I JUST PLAY ONE ON T.V.

Educate Yourself ... Then Someone Will Listen

Brandon Williams

Student Senate - Part I

I am not here to criticize all of Notre Dame. The saddest part about it is that these same student leaders and student activists purport to being doing just the opposite. They are supposed to be working to serve the Notre Dame community - especially the students.

Student Senate - Part II

They've got the attention of all the students, the non-discrimination clause. What better place to do the homework that the student body president. I know how much work goes into that. What I have a real problem with this resolution. First sign: "Want to be on TV. Come to the rally. That's a great reason to go to the rally. Who says the PSA cares about the issues?" Second sign (in the dining hall): "Not homophobic? Sign here!" What did the PSA want people to sign? A petition in support of the addition to the non-discrimination clause. Of course, most people in the PSA and most who were at the rally also have no concept of the potential concerns for Notre Dame legally and in terms of religious liberty (not all freedoms are so precious). And I'm not even going to go into that. What I have a real problem with is how they publicized the rally.

This is the real issue for the student senate, not that "abortion" thing. But at least the Student Senate is open to debate, right? Wrong. They didn't even let pro-life ND voice their opinion at the meeting. Pro-life ND would have done a better job of representing my views at Senate than most of the Senators. Too bad they weren't allowed to. Not to mention, from what I hear, during the small amount of time that pro-life ND was allowed to speak they were chastised for their comments. Progressive Student Alliance - Part II

As everyone (and I mean EVERYONE) on campus knows - the PSA had a rally earlier this week for (again) adding sexual orientation to the non-discrimination clause. Of course, most people in the PSA and those ramifications are wholly positive. They will succeed. They will make a difference.

Final Thought

Heather Cocks

You're not that big guy. You're not that Big Guy. You're not that you.

Brandon Williams (a.k.a. "That Big Guy Brandon") is a Senior living in Zahn Hall. The views expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.
Jeff Langan

Let's practice. First, the Constitution of the United Nations of America. The Spellchecker and Grammar Check that built to The Readability Statistics don't paint a pretty picture. To begin, the preamble is A LONG SENTENCE. That drags the Flesh Reading Ease Level way up. What were Our Founding Fathers 'saying'? Next, they use the verb 'shall' when they should use 'should'. And there's too many passive sentences, 18 percent. Unacceptable-plus. And by the way, Pickney should have been named Picky or Pickery.

And now, for the 59 word Auto Summary:

THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES

"To borrow money on the credit of the United States. The executive power shall be vested in a president of the United States of America. The right of citizens of the United States shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex."

In other words, the government is here to take our money, give it to the president, but we're to blame because we have the right to vote. This must be some cruel Microsoft conspiracy.

Second, let's look at the Declaration of Independence. No big grammatical errors here, but TJ uses way too many pretentious vocabularies, 'hath,' and 'thereunto.' Only the English talk like that. He also uses way too many abstract nouns, 'institutions,' and 'disolutions.' The Declaration has this much going for it. It has a 38.7 percent Flesh Reading Ease Level. It boasts the Constitution by 18.4 percent, for those who care.

And now the Auto Summary from you know where.

"We, therefore, the Representatives of the United States of America in General Congress, Assembled, appealing to the Supreme Judge of the world for the redress of our grievances, do, in the Name, and by Authority of the good People of these Colonies, solemnly publish and declare, That these United Colonies are, and of Right ought to be Free and Independent States." Not bad. No playing around with fancy and under¬-rated terms like Liberty and Equality. Just the plain facts. We should be independent states.

Finally, let's turn our attention to the Gettysberg Address. It's 30 percent Passive Sentences. Attention freshmen, don't write like that or you'll never make it out of creative writing. In spite of all the passive sentences, it gets the best marks for Flesh Reading Ease Level As. And it's the only document a tenth grader could write.

And now for the summary.

"Now we are engaged in a great civil war testing whether that nation or any nation so conceived and so dedicated, can long endure. The brave men living and dead, who struggled here, have consecrated it. Far above our poor power to add or detract. Auto Summary is, we've won the war; people have died, and there's nothing I can do about it." And now for the final lead, this article beats the Gettysberg address by 1.4 percent, and a sixth point ninth (6.9) grader could read it as is. Many suggest that the title of any work about Tripp should be called "Dissolutions." That's the only万人 mouth concoction with the Constitution under the Declaration. And finally, the fifty word summary as we spin off into the cyberspace set.

Let's practice.

Jeff Langan is a graduate student in government. His column appears every other Friday. The views expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.
This Saturday will mark the first meeting between the Sun Devils of Arizona State and the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame. To honor the occasion, *Scene* examined some aspects of ASU's storied tradition.

- From 1955-1957, former Irish football coach Dan Devine served as head coach of the Sun Devils.
- Even with the aide of the great Dan Devine, the Sun Devils have failed to win a national championship in football. But they have won 15 national championships in men's archery, 21 in women's archery and 20 in mixed archery. The Sun Devils also excel in badminton, having won 13 men's titles, 17 women's titles and 10 mixed titles.
- Sun Devil Stadium, home of ASU football, has hosted a national championship game — Nebraska versus Florida in 1996 — and hosted the NFL's showcase, the Super Bowl.
- Arizona State University is the fourth-largest public university in the United States. Originally founded in 1885, the school has three campuses — ASU Main, ASU East and ASU West.
- The ASU marching band was the 10th university band to receive the Sudler Trophy — an award voted on by all NCAA schools with marching bands — and the first Pac-10 band to receive this prestigious award.

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And It's Onward to Victory!
Looking for something to do this weekend besides watch football?

There’s Secret Love at Saint Mary’s

"Secret Love," as part of the "Landscape Connection" program at Saint Mary’s, looks to include students from many departments. Musicians, singers, dancers and painters are some of the groups represented in the production.

SMC play makes connections to classroom material

"Secret Love," John Dryden’s 17th century restoration romance about love’s intrigues and the tension between the sexes, will be performed in the Moreau Center Little Theatre on Saint Mary’s campus from Oct. 8-11th. Tonight’s and tomorrow’s shows will begin at 8 p.m. The Sunday performance will be at 2:30 p.m.

Katie Sullivan, a member of the theatre faculty at Saint Mary’s, will direct the production, assisted by Tom Bonnell, associate professor of English, as dramaturg. One objective of the show is to involve students from various departments.

Consequently, the show will include a small pit orchestra, singing, dancing and painterly touches to the sets. Additional off-stage elements will be incorporated into the evening’s entertainment to evoke the social atmosphere of the Restoration playhouse. For instance, several “orange-girls” will work the audience selling refreshments.

The play is a tale of two women, told in interviewing plots. An astute, politically savvy queen anchors the heroic plot, which traces her struggle to maintain her power base as she represses an incorrect passion.

The second woman steering the comic plot is a witty attendant to the queen who aims to cure an amorous courtier of his rakish ways and get him to focus on their mutual infatuation and commit himself to a new style of marriage.

"Secret Love" is set in Sicily, where Mount Etna dominates both landscape and imagination, troubling inhabitants with earthquakes and eruptions but also, paradoxically, supplying the region with immensely fertile soil.

This production is part of a college-wide project titled “Landscape Connections,” which integrates the landscape theme throughout college courses and programs, providing simulating connections among classes, students and events. The landscape theme was inspired by the local regional museum consortium’s project, “The Nature of Landscape.”

Ticket costs are $8.50 for adults, $7.50 for senior citizens, $6 for members of the Saint Mary’s/Notre Dame community and $5 for students. Tickets are on sale at Saint Mary’s box office, located in O’Laughlin Auditorium, open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. For further information call 284-4626.

ALSO SHOWING

"Cat on a Hot Tin Roof" will be performed this weekend in Washington Hall. There will be Friday and Saturday shows at 7:30 p.m. Sunday shows will be at 2:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.


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Ken Milani, professor of accountancy at the University of Notre Dame and contributor to the United Way.

"In our income tax classes and financial accounting classes, we occasionally discuss the subject of charitable contributions, but we rarely do so in terms of return on investment. Nevertheless, the returns my family and I have received from our 'investments' in the United Way over the years have been nothing short of miraculous. Fourteen years ago my son, Adam, then a senior at St. Joseph's High School in South Bend, sustained a terrible injury during a hockey game. As a result of the damage done to his neck and spine, Adam became a quadriplegic.

"The community responded to our family's tragedy with prayers, cards, meals and money. Crucial support from United Way agencies enabled us to remodel our home to accommodate the new limitations on Adam's mobility, to obtain and equip a van for him to drive, and to provide him with a variety of special therapies.

"Support from the community and from United Way agencies made it possible for Adam to focus on his studies while my family and I focused on Adam's care. He finished high school with his class, and four years later was graduated from Notre Dame as a member of the Phi Beta Kappa society. After graduation, he obtained a law degree from Duke University and returned to South Bend to practice law for four years. Now, after two years at the University of Illinois, Adam is a professor of legal writing at Mercer University in Macon, Georgia.

"I can't guarantee that if you give to the United Way your 'investment' will bring you the blessings that our family received during a time of ordeal. But I can assure you, from experience, that United Way helps miracles happen."
Major League Baseball

Yankees seek to recover vs. Indians

Associated Press

CLEVELAND
Chuck Knoblauch nearly needed a police escort to escape New York. When he arrived in Cleveland, it was the middle of the night but the Yankees' third baseman already was the toast of the town.

Knoblauch's homebrewed decision to argue with umpires while the Cleveland Indians scored the go-ahead run in the 12th inning cost New York Game 2 in the AL championship series.

By the time he reached his hotel room after the flight to Ohio, Knoblauch had run the play over in his mind hundreds of times. And after finally seeing it on TV for the first time, he understood his failure.

"I screwed up," he said Thursday. An off day before Friday's third game provided the Indians and Yankees a chance to recover from Wednesday's thrilling 4-1 victory for Cleveland, which tied the series 1-1.

Knoblauch, boosed loudly by the Yankee Stadium crowd in his final at-bat in Game 2 and ripped in the New York papers with his headlines such as "Blauch Head" and "Chuck Brainlauch," couldn't stay away.

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In Game 3, the Yankees will face Bartolo Colon, who limited them to three hits in eight innings in Cleveland's 4-1 win June 21. Colon was scarred but effective in his first postseason start last week in Game 4 against Boston. But after calming down, the hard-throwing right-hander tossed the Red Sox six hitless innings before losing 3-2-3 innings as the Indians advanced to their third championship series in four years.

Cleveland manager Mike Hargrove said he hadn't seen Colon's jitters during his first postseason outing and wouldn't mind seeing the same shaky pitcher he saw last week.

"If he was scarred in Boston, I hope he's scared to death tomorrow night," Hargrove said.

The Indians don't seem to be scared of anything right now. They act as if they've been here before and they have the bizarre way in which they tied the scores on Wednesday has them thinking this could be another October to remember.

They're hoping that play could give us a kick," Jim Thome said. "It only takes one little thing to give you something momentum."

While tabloids back East screamed for Knoblauch's head, in Cleveland they were much kinder. The front page of the Plain Dealer read: "A gift from New York!"

"I hope they give us tomorrow's game too," Hargrove said.

NBA

NBA players, owners hold talks

NEW YORK

Negotiators for the NBA players and owners talked for about five hours today in their first formal session in about two months.

The meeting at a Manhattan hotel was only the second formal bargaining session since the lockout began almost 3 1/2 months ago, and there was little hope of saving the start of the season.

At stake was how the players and owners will divide almost $2 billion in annual revenues, and the issue is almost certain to cause the league to call off games because of a work stoppage just a few years ago.

The owners are seeking a system with cost certainty, looking to gradually roll back the amount of revenue devoted to player salaries from 57 percent to 48 percent.

The players have offered some concessions, but are unwilling to accept a "hard" salary cap or give up the "Larry Bird exception" that allows teams to exceed the salary cap to retain their own free agents.

The entire exhibition schedule has already been canceled.

"We feel that the NBA is making a lot of money. Everybody, for the most part, is doing financially OK," union president Pat Ewing said.

"So we don't see why they had to lock us out. If you asked David Stern, I don't think he would say that the league as a whole is doing bad."

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NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

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COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Hokies beat engangered Eagles 17-0 in Boston

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BOSTON

Virginia Tech's stingy defense overcame a sloppy offense and a game-long downpour as the 17th-ranked and unbeaten Hokies broke a tie for the Big East lead with Boston College, besting the Eagles 17-0 Thursday night.

The Hokies committed six turnovers, five by fill-in quarterback Nick Sorensen, but took advantage of repeated mistakes by the Eagles in three interceptions, a fumble and two blocked punts.

Pierson Pluleau scored on an 85-yard interception return in the first quarter, Lamont Pegues ran in from the 2-yard line after a blocked punt in the third, and Shayne Graham followed a fumble recovery with a 29-yard field goal with 8:38 left in the game.

Virginia Tech improved to 5-0 for the first time since 1967, while Boston College slipped to 3-2 with its second straight loss as both struggled since Sept. 15, 1972, when it won 10-0.

The Hokies have given up just four touchdowns all season, started at 2:30 p.m.

The Eagles, which entered the game with a steady rain.

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SKIING

Elder creates skiing team for Granada

Associate Press

VIENNA, Austria—Jamaica has its beehled team. Benedetta now has its one-woman skiing team.

Ellie Elder has decided to compete for Granada after leaving the Austrian team in a dispute with the country's skiing federation. "I want to become No. 1 again," said Elder, Olympic silver medalist in 1994 in Lillehammer.

Elder also won the World Cup slalom title in the 1995-96 season and was a bronze medalist in the 1993 World Championships at Morosko, Japan.

I WANT TO BECOME NO. 1 AGAIN

Elder Edgar Olympic Silver

She missed last winter's World Cup season and the Nagano Olympics because of back injuries. Berliner told reporters Thursday and doctors said the operation last Saturday to get rid of a 2 1/2-inch cancerous tumor that nearly obstructed his intestine.

Doctors are optimistic that he will make a complete recovery and return to full activities, including playing major league baseball next season. Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center said in a statement.

Strawberry probably will be sent home Sunday. Doctors said they anticipated he will undergo one round of chemotherapy.

"I'm feeling strong every day," Strawberry told Rick Gorenne, the Yankees' director of media relations in a phone call to the team clubhouse during workouts at Jacobs Field in Cleveland.

"I'm confident this will be a successful process," Strawberry went on to say. "When you are in a situation like this you put yourself in your doctors' hands. I share their confidence."

A microscopic examination of tissue removed from Strawberry showed no indications the tumor had spread. The margins of the colon were cancer-free, as was his liver.

Doctors said 35 of 36 lymph nodes removed from Strawberry during the three-hour surgery were cancer-free, but one lymph node contained evidence of the tumor.
Brown leads Padres over Braves

Associated Press

ATLANTA

Maybe the Atlanta Braves should just sign Kevin Brown this winter. That way, they wouldn’t have to worry about him beating them each fall.

The lifelong Georgia resident picked up exactly where he left off last decade, pitching another gem at Turner Field to give the San Diego Padres a 3-0 win Thursday night and a 2-0 lead in the NL championship series.

Brown, who won twice at Atlanta in the 1997 NLCS while with Florida, shut down the Braves on only three singles, allowing just one walk and striking out 11 and keeping his ERA this postseason to 0.35 in three starts.

“They were timely,” he said.

“That’s one of the reasons I really enjoy the National League play. You don’t always swing the bat good, but once in a blue moon, you put a catch to contribute.”

The Padres traded three prospects to Florida in the off-season to get Brown, and his postseason performances against Houston and now Atlanta have been well worth it. Brown is eligible for free agency after this season and perhaps the Braves, despite their great rotation, would be better off getting the right-handener and keeping him out of the way.

“I know when we got him that he would make a big difference, but I didn’t know he would make this kind of impact,” Padres manager Bruce Bochy said.

“When Kevin is on, he’s as tough as any pitcher in the game. Right now, he’s locked in.”

San Diego won without fifth­­homer man Greg Vaughn, out of the starting lineup for the third time in the series, and also without starting pitcher Eric Show.

Game 1 star Ruben Tejada took his place, but Brown was all the Padres needed on this night.

A crowd of 43,083, about 8,000 short of a sellout, spent the last couple of innings booing Brown’s fortuitous first-inning hit, which led to a first-inning run.

“We hit two balls good all night,” Braves manager Bobby Cox said. “Against us, that is the best I’ve seen him.”

Atlanta is appearing in its seventh straight NLCS, but never has faced an 0-2 deficit. In fact, no team has ever lost the first two games at home and come back to win a league championship series since the best-of-7 format began in 1985.

Game 3 will be Saturday at San Diego, with Greg Maddux pitching for the Braves against Sterling Hitchcock. The Padres are hoping for a big weekend at home to reach the World Series for only the time, the first since 1984.

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game winners, and has a total
of 29 points on the team.
Right behind him in the
records and alongside him on
the field is Ryan Cox, the
senior forward has given the
Irish attack a second threat in
his amassing of a team-leading
six assists.
The duo has been involved
in nine of the 18 Irish goals
this year.
Goalkeeper Greg Velho and
the rest of the Irish backfield
will have its work cut out for
them this weekend, especially
in tonight's game against the
Broncos. Ranked 18th in the
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Association of America, Santa
Clara has had good luck thus
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They will face No. 22 Notre
Dame with a 2-1-0 record
against ranked opponents.
Fresh off a victory against
No. 12 Maryland, head coach
Mitch Murray will count on
Sophomore forward Ari
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The game was scoreless until
the middle of the second half
when the ball was downed in
McGlinn's end zone, giving
Lewis its two points.

P.E. defeats Lewis in championship rematch
By SARA ELBERTS
Sports Writer

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ND Insight

by TED FOX
News Writer

Wake up the echoes. We hear this everywhere we go on campus, everywhere there are alumni, everywhere there are Notre Dame football fans. The echoes of Notre Dame football, you ask? They are legends that have inhabited the stadium and the locker room, that have walked through the tunnel onto the field and walked back towards the open arms of Touchdown Jesus.

They are the ghostly horrors of yesteryear who brought home more Heisman Trophies and national titles than anyone else in the country.

They are the names you hear sprinkled throughout football history: the Four Horsemen, Rockne, Morehouse, Rudyl, Rockett, Bertelli, Browey, Holtz, Leahy. Just to name a few.

The echoes of the past live in the confines of the Notre Dame stadium.

It’s important to draw a distinction here. There is Notre Dame Stadium, the huge concrete structure that now dominates the city. And then there is the Notre Dame Stadium that is the brick mainstay living on the inside of the new shell. This, my friends, is where Irish echoes live.

This is where the legends came to play, where the players of today strain to hear the advice from the past in the hopes of becoming the legends of tomorrow.

And if you go down there at the right time of day, you might just hear them whisper to you. Of course, you can’t get right up to the brick walls anymore because of the huge wrought-iron fences. The brown brick lurks in the shadows, no longer boasting to the world, “We are ND.” But it still talks.

The locker room door, which shows the privileged way into the depths of the Stadium, the heart of Notre Dame football, is now itself imprisoned by the same wrought-iron bars that captured the brick. But it still signals the entrance to football paradise.

Windows that saw the hopes and dreams of an entire football-loving population rise and fall after every game on the field now open up to an artificial ceiling and immense gray pillars. But they’re still there. Opposite the stadium.

Touchdown Jesus still signals each Irish score, although the concrete giant blocks our view from receiving his applause. But he is still exclaiming, “It’s good!” as has been the case for years. These are the reasons why athletes come from all around to play, to wear the gold helmet, and why they play like a champion not just today, but everyday.

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Men’s Cross Country Harriers to compete at Bob Stevens Invitational

By ALAN WASIELIEWSKI
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men’s cross country team will soon find out just how good it is.

The Irish are ranked 11th and are due to run this weekend at the Bob Timmons Invitational in Lawrence, Kan. The team is coming off a second place finish in the adidas/Notre Dame Invitational, held last weekend on the Notre Dame Golf Course.

Beviges will be a factor for the Irish, since No. 4 North Carolina State was the team that edged the Irish, and the Wolfpack will be in attendance at Lawrence.

This is the most significant meet of the year so far. It is a pre-national meet run on the same course as the 1998 NCAA Cross Country Championships, which are just weeks away.

Even though the Irish were beaten last week, they should be confident at this meet.

Instead of the short 6K course run at the adidas/Notre Dame Invitational, the course in Kansas is 10K. As evident by the strong finishes of the Irish runners at the previous 6K races, they will have plenty left in the tank at the end of this race.

“We have been training for 10K all year. Our finishing mile is our strength,” said sophomore Ryan Shay, who has been one of the top two finishers in all three meets this year.

Said head coach Joe Piane of last week’s meet, “NC State was tough, but we were moving up at the end. We expect a better finish with a longer race.”

NC State is just one of many powerful teams that will run at the Bob Timmons. Top-ranked Stanford and No. 3 Colorado are also in the field.

Freshman Luke Watson is also excited about the competition he will face for the first time.

“Even second place last week was sub-par for us,” said Watson. “Our finish will tell the tale this weekend.”

A strong trio of seniors lead the Irish, Antonio Arce, Ryan Maxwell and Tim Englishard. All finished in the top 35 at the last meet and should improve on that on the longer course at Lawrence.

“This is the time to step up and face the challenge,” Piane stated. “The competition will be the best of the year and we will find out just how good we are.”

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Hitters look to even up record

By KATHLEEN O'BRIEN
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame volleyball team will be the road this weekend for three East Coast match-ups against Connecticut, Fairfield, and St. John's.

Tonight's mat will be at Connecticut, the third Big East for the Irish this season. "They have a very experienced team," said Notre Dame head coach Debbie Brown. "Most, if not all of their starters are back from last year. I think we match up well against them. They're a very good ball control team and they dig a lot." They're kind of like Illinois State, so it should be a very competitive match," she said.

Connecticut is under the leadership of first-year head coach Kelli Myers. Myers is assisted by former Notre Dame star Christy Peters, a third-team all-American in 1993-94, who still holds a number of Irish records.

The team has all six starters back from last season. Two seniors pose the main threats to the Irish. Middle hitter Annette Ryan and opposite Leonelle Koster, each of whom has more than 270 kills this season.

Koster also is key for the Huskies on defense, with over 300 digs this season. Middle blocker Chance Harris leads Connecticut with 74 blocks this year.

Notre Dame has never lost a game to the Huskies and seeks to extend its perfect record in Big East matches since joining the conference.

Tomorrow, the Irish will travel to Fairfield, Conn., to take on the Fairfield Stags for the first time in Notre Dame history.

The Stags are 17-2 so far this season under fifth-year head coach Todd Kress, with their only loss coming against Texas El Paso. All six starters return from last year's NCAA qualifying team.

Five of Fairfield's players have over 100 kills in 1998, including Corinne Carlson, who is hitting over .300 and averaging more than three digs per game. Junior setter Liz Bower is averaging nearly 12 assists per game for the Stags.

"They seem to be a pretty strong up and coming program," said Brown.

The Irish will go up against the St. John's Red Storm Sunday in a Big East match. St. John's is 11-10 in 1998, with an 0-2 start in the conference. Notre Dame has never lost a game to the Red Storm.

In four years under head coach Joanne Persico-Smith, the Red Storm is 69-57. "Notre Dame is very solid," said Persico-Smith. "We know that offensively, they're very powerful and have never lost a match in the Big East. We also know that they're very well-coached, so they pose quite a challenge for us.

This year, the team is led by 6'2" junior middle blocker Jodi Thomas, senior setter Connie Chae and senior outside hitter Kristine Knebel.

"I think they're a little bit more prone to error than Connecticut," said Brown. "It'll be key for us to stop Thomas. Player to player, we match up well. We should be able to control the tone if we don't let mental fatigue be a factor, since it will be our third match of the weekend."

Several of Notre Dame's players are near the top of the Big East in statistics this season. Junior middle blocker Mary Leffers, who has started just two matches since returning from off-season surgery, leads the league in blocks and percentage (.462) and blocking at two blocks per game. Freshman Kristy Kreher is second in hitting and sophomore setter is fourth in assists.

Overall, the Irish are first in the Big East in team hitting percentage and fourth in team assists.

Senior captain Lindsay Treadwell has increased her career hitting percentage to .310, and remains first in the Irish record books. Boylan moved into fourth place for career assists against Illinois State, and is second in career assist average at 11.91.

This weekend's matches continue a seven-match road trip for the Irish.
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SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): You need to spend a little time doing something that will enable you to help those less fortunate. Take a friend or family member out to dinner, and use your generosity to make someone’s day.

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You can sink the Titanic, but the Observer will never stop reporting.
**Women's Soccer**

By BRIAN KESSLER

The Notre Dame women's soccer team takes its 10-1 record east this weekend, heading into the first two games of a six-game road trip. The second-ranked Irish will battle Boston College on Friday before heading to Rhode Island to take on Providence on Sunday.

"I think this is going to be a good week for us because we're coming off a good week," co-captain Jen Grubb said. "It will give us a good idea of where we're at and whether or not we've turned the corner yet. It's important because it's a good week for us because we're at Alumni Field, the Irish dropped a tough one — a 5-1 loss at top-ranked North Carolina."

The Irish have proved they are unstoppable at home, boasting a school-record 46-game unbeaten streak.

"I think we've proved it on the road," head coach Randy Waldrum said. "We've got to prove itself on the road."

In their last game away from Alumni Field, the Irish dropped a tough one — a 5-1 loss at top-ranked North Carolina. Since then, however, the Irish have recorded six straight shutouts, including a 5-0 win over Butler and an 8-0 thrashing of Georgetown last weekend.

Sophomore Mentsis Eriksson broke through for four goals in those two games. "Obviously being out for the summer hurt her, but she's, getting back into it and did a great job for us last weekend," Grubb said.

With Eriksson two scores on Sunday, she now stands just two goals shy of tying Cindy Daws' school record of 61 career goals.

"She's been one of the better players for us this season," Grubb said. "For her sake I hope she reaches it."

Sophomore sensation Anne Makinen also had two goals on Sunday against Georgetown; however the Irish will be without her services for the second time this season, as she will be trying to help her native Finland qualify for the World Cup.

"We always miss her when she's away," Grubb said. "She's a great player and she's a great person."

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**Men's Soccer**

Men's team faces California foes

Reggie McKnight dribbles the ball past a defender in a recent game. The men's soccer team heads out west this weekend to take on Santa Clara and Saint Mary's.

By ANTHONY BIANCO

None of the Irish expected to enter into the records books with a statistic that they will not be able to break anytime soon.

Then again, they have done just that every time they stepped on a field in recent games.

The Irish have headed into the overtime period to determine a winner in each of the past six games. They have only taken advantage of the sudden-death format twice, while taking one loss and finishing three other games in a deadlock.

The Irish are hoping that a clash out West will allow them to shatter that streak, giving them a set of wins rather than a pair of ties. The Irish will play two of the West Coast Conference's members in the teams of Santa Clara and Saint Mary's tonight and Sunday, respectively.

The Irish began their non-conference stretch last Tuesday at home against IUPUI. A storm kept the first half to a slow start, and it wasn't till the overtime period that a goal was scored.

Freshman forward Shane Walton netted the game winner. Walton leads the team with six goals.

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**Hockey**

Icemen begin CCHA conference play at home

By TED BASSANI

Fresh off a 2-1 victory over Wisconsin last Saturday night in Madison, the Irish hockey team opens its home schedule this weekend with games versus Lake Superior State and Western Michigan. This weekend also marks the opening of the CCHA schedule for the Irish.

The win last weekend versus Wisconsin was certainly a confidence-builder for the team, but according to freshman defenseman Sam Cornelius, the Irish are still starting from scratch.

"For us, Wisconsin was a good tune-up, but this is the beginning of our season," said Cornelius.

By most accounts, the Irish are in the tough conference in college hockey from top to bottom, including the likes of defending national champions Michigan and the top-10 ranked teams of Michigan State and Ohio State.

The one word which best sums up CCHA hockey is physical.

"There are no easy opponents in this conference, every game is crucial," said head coach Dave Poulin. "Every game can decide whether or not your team makes the playoffs, whether or not your team finishes in the top four for home ice in the playoffs. The intensity is felt game to game as well as shift to shift."

Cornelius will get his first taste of CCHA play this weekend, but the games may be a little different than those he saw at Edina High School in Minnesota last year.

"CCHA games are faster and more physical than the games I'm used to," said Cornelius. "Games are played with much more intensity at this level."

Coming off a big road win is nothing new to the Irish. Last year the team scored big wins at Wisconsin, Michigan State and Ohio State in addition to a playoff win in Ann Arbor.

A common storyline last season, however, was the team's lack of a home ice advantage, going 6-8-4 last season at the Joyce Center, a storyline which the team is looking to change this season.

"Certainly, one of our goals this year is to be a better home team than we were last year," said captain Brian Urick. "I'm just tough to put a finger on exactly why the Irish played so well on the road while playing like an average team at home last season."

It was not a matter of the team lacking confidence or seeing HOCKEY / page 19

**Soccer**

Ladies travel to New England, look to continue success

The Notre Dame Women's Soccer team travels east this weekend to play Boston College, Rhode Island and Providence. The team hopes to improve upon its 10-1 record this season.
The Bus Is Back

The latest in a storied line of Irish fullbacks. Jamie Spencer is ready to live up to the legends of Bettis and Edwards. At the mid-point of this season, Spencer looks to pave the way for the Irish running game.
At last, the hero, having completed 20 of 30 passes for 242 yards and giving one of the best performances of his collegiate career. Instead, he slinked away in the shadows of Tony Rice.

The Irish quarterback turned in a stunning performance in the air, completing eight of 16 passes for a career-high 195 yards. He made a spectacular 57-yard reception to Rocket Ismail for 21 yards in the second quarter. Rice had four receptions for 96 yards. Miami's defensive star of the game, besides Walsh, was wide receiver Andre Brown. He scored the first and last touchdowns for Miami. Brown made an eight-yard reception for Miami's first points. It was his last catch for which he will be remembered—an 11-yard, awe-inspiring grab to boost Miami to within one point of Notre Dame.

The story, of one the biggest games in college football history lies with the number of turnovers. This is where the fifth-ranked Hurricanes had the upper hand over the top-ranked Hurricanes. Seven turnovers by Miami did not stop their offense unit, it merely slowed them. It was the play of free safety Pat Terrell that killed Miami. Terrell raved the Hurricane offense, especially on two specific plays. He snagged one of Walsh's passes and returned it 60 yards for a touchdown. The single play which dashed all hopes of a win and Miami's 36-game regular season winning streak, came from Terrell. His outstretched arms batted down Walsh's last ditch effort at a win. The two-point conversion was no good.

Some say that call by Miami head coach Jimmy Johnson was a gamble. One thing is for sure—the man-to-man coverage by Terrell on the Hurricanes' Leonard Conley left no hope of victory for Johnson and Co. With 45 seconds remaining in the game, all Notre Dame had left to do was run out the clock to secure another win in its dream season. "This was a win by the Notre Dame spirit," Holtz said. "This was a win by the spirit of a group of guys who refused to fold. It was a great game of two great teams who just competed as hard as anything I've ever seen."

This game signaled not only a win, but the end of an era, the end of Hurricane domination. No longer would Notre Dame have to live under the humiliation of a 58-7 loss in 1985. As the remaining seconds ticked away, Notre Dame fans stormed the field celebrating what the final numbers read: Irish 31, Miami 30.
Snyder said the group as a whole, as opposed to specific players, have recently risen to the occasion. "They all have improved," he said. "I think the play of Eric Fields — I mean, if he just keeps coming. He's not a veteran player right now, but if he keeps coming, he is going to be really a fine football player at this level. Erik Flowers (is better). You know, Albrecht Battle really had a fine football game against USC. So I think our front is getting better, which helps everybody.

"Our defense is maturing and growing. In terms of rushing the passer, we're getting more hurries and more sacks each week, so that's an improvement." Snyder also said he was satisfied with his team's fussy, upbeat attitude in practices leading up to the USC game and the game itself pointing to that as another reason for his team's improvement. "In terms of the aggressiveness of our team, I'm really pleased with how we took the field and how hard we played," he added. "The team was really focused. We have really developed, over the last three weeks, heart and courage and toughness. That I'm very pleased with.

"I heard somebody say (something) once about driving a race car, and coaching a football team is like that. What you want to do is keep the throttle down, out of the way of the floorboard, and try to negotiate every turn as you go through the next. Sometimes you can hit the wall.

"But I think over the course of a long period of time, we're going to win a lot of games — just by aggressive play, (playing) as smart as you can and as aggressive as you can be — further down the road." Snyder also reiterated that the season is not lost, and the team has not gotten down on itself. "They know they have the ability to be good," he said. "We're not a team right now. But we're very close. And they know that. So from that standpoint, I think there's an appreciation for how good we could be if we do it right."

Quarterback Ryan Kealy, knocked mildly unconscious on the third play of the game on Saturday by USC linebacker Chris Claiborne, will most likely start for ASU against Notre Dame, Snyder said.

Kealy, who briefly blacked out as a result of the hit, did not return to the game. He was replaced by Chad Elliott, who had his ups and downs in his first significant chunk of college playing time.

Elliott threw a costly fourth quarter interception and at times looked out of sync with the rest of the offense, but he also connected with Kenny Mitchell on a touchdown pass, and displayed gritty determination after coming into a difficult situation. "You could tell he hasn't played, or we couldn't have the tape based on some of the decisions and the communication," Snyder said. "But he proved to have the talent we thought he would have. He loves to throw the football."

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**Quarterbacks - Even**

Jackson had a career day last week against Stanford, showing glimpses of Tony Rice, but has been erratic throwing the ball at times. Kealy was first team freshman All-American last year and is averaging 230 passing yards a game this year but his team's mediocre year has taken a toll on him emotionally.

**Linebackers - ND**

Minor showed flashes of his old form last week, while Irons and Howard have been solid all year. Underized linebacker Adam Archuleta is ASU's leading tackler on an inexperienced unit.

**Running Backs - ND**

Dense and Redmond are two of the top backs in the nation. Redmond is capable of a score every time he touches the ball, while Dense is more of a workhorse. Spencer has been a great game last week and should be given more carries as the season progresses.

**Secondary - ASU**

NO must be ready for a 'Fright Night' come Saturday. Mitchell 'Fright Night' Friedman, the 6-0, 207-pound free safety who is one of the biggest hitters in the nation. CB Courtney Jackson is an all-Pac 10 performer. Driver, Cooper and company held Stanford to 5.7 yards per attempt last week.

**Receivers - ASU**

An experienced Lenzie Jackson leads a deep receiving corps which has had different players with at least two receptions in the first four games. Other key receivers include Kenny Mitchell and Tariq McDonald. Johnson has been the best of the NO bunch, accounting for over 40 percent of the catches so far, and Brown must become more involved in the offense.

**Special Teams - ASU**

Redmond is the nation's best kickoff returner, while freshman Stephen Baker handles both the kickoff and punting responsibilities, with his 48.2 punting average ranking second in the nation. The Irish kicking game has declined as of late, including a 16-yard punt by Smith and the Cardinal had good field position all day.

**Defensive Line - ND**

No's 0-100-200 yards rushing last week was impressive, but consistency has been a problem. ASU's offense has not been very strong, allowing 214 rushing yards to BYU and junior college All-Americans Junior Ioane and Erik Flowers have not panned out.

**Overall -ND**

Last week's win brought back glimpses of '98, hopefully this week won't bring back glimpses of Michigan State. NO's offense finally clicked last week, and showed that they can run the ball as well as any team. If Jackson continues to hit his open receivers, this could be the start of a magical run.
Back ing the option with a little muscle

By ANTHONY BLANCO
Assistant Sports Editor

Notre Dame’s return to good-old option football has left a trail of defeated defenses that are still baffled by the Irish game plan. The rush attack, spearheaded by Jarious Jackson and Autry Denson, has crushed opponents with an average of 222 yards on the ground a game.

But leading the way for every good rushing attack is a steamroller. For the Irish, that steam has boiled down to fullback Jamie Spencer, the team’s other backfield threat. Like the resurrection of the option, Spencer’s senior year has been much like a second coming — the coming of a playmaker.

Spencer’s top-shelf hits have prevented defenses from setting up play finishing tackles. Time and time again, his plowing has left the back door open for Jackson and Denson to put their finishing touches on one of their plays.

"I think as long as I am consistent and remain stable in that position and make sure that its not something they have to worry about getting done, then they can just do their thing and everything will come naturally," said Spencer on the results of the rushing game so far this year.

And naturally is how it has developed. Despite moving the season with a new quarterback and a new offensive backfield, the Irish have played like pros since they went to the ground assault. They have blasted opposing defenses on the run and rush and Spencer has provided the bang.

"Jarius’s a good threat," Jackson said. "He’s great on blocking and I wouldn’t exchange him for anyone. He sticks on blocks and when he runs you get holes. He definitely opens them up.

The holes have been like Swiss cheese for the backfield, allowing the guys he blocks for to have career seasons. Jackson has already established himself as one of Notre Dame’s premier option signalcallers and last weekend he became the first quarterback since David Baltimore in 1944 to gain 100-plus yards rushing and passing in the same game.

Of course, Denson keeps building toward Irish immortality as he continues to chip away at Vargas Ferguson’s all-time career rush list.

But it hasn’t been just Jarious and Autry racking up the yards this year. Spencer has made his share of spotlight appearances in 1998. After struggling in the first three games, splitting carries on one of their plays.

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Besides paying the way for Jackson (7) and Denson, Spencer (33) showed he is a nothing threat, racking up 80 yards on 10 carries, but also gave future opponents a new fear. The Irish option, initially a double threat, has quickly grown to include another poison — Jamie Spencer.

"He’s worked himself in the position to play the best football of his career," commented head coach Bob Davie. "With him running with the football, that adds another option to our offense. With him being productive, anytime you’ve got the fullback in there that makes them defend one more thing."

Last Saturday, for the first time since the 1995 Air Force game when Randy Kinder, Denson, and Marc Edwards accomplished the feat, three Irish players rushed for at least 80 yards.

Ironically enough, Spencer’s best game has landed him right next to Edwards in the record book. Spencer registered his first significant playing time two years ago when an injured Edwards was forced to sit out of the game. Edwards, a senior captain, taught Spencer the ins and outs of playing the fullback position at Notre Dame.

"He taught me what was expected of the fullback position," Spencer said. "With him being one of the greatest, I picked up on a lot of things he did and the way that he worked. He gave me a lot of insight on what to do and what is expected of me."

After stepping up to fill in for Edwards, his 5.8-yard average as a sophomore virtually guaranteed him a starting spot his junior year. But the offseason wasn’t as kind to him as the season was. Missing the greater part of the 1997 preseason with a knee and ankle injury, Spencer spent most of last season fighting just to get playing time.

"The problem with the injuries," explained Spencer, "was that it was a bad luck thing. Rather than fighting and trying to make things work this season like I did last year, I’ve focused more on playing hard and being consistent. That has helped me stay consistent and healthy so far this year."

This season gave him the opportunity to rise to the front as he battled with Goodspeed for the starting spot earlier this season. Spencer never asked for the call and has provided a ring of his own.

"Competition always brings out the best," Spencer said. "Me and Joe have been competing a long time for this position and we knew someone had to step up and play. I asked myself, ‘Why not me, why couldn’t it be me to raise up and take it to that position.’"

The Irish know that Spencer’s position entails all things offense, from blocking to running to catching balls out of the backfield. And that’s exactly how the triple threat will keep the opposition guessing.

"He’s a good blocker, but at the same time, every now and then we’ll give him the rock up the middle when the defense least expects it," Jackson said.

That’s fine with him, as long as he’s on the field fighting for the Irish. In his eyes he’s just another blocker and he couldn’t be happier out of the spotlight.

"In doing my job, with everything everyone else does and everyone else sees, I’m just another man in the backfield. I run the right way and make the right blocks, and let Jarious and Autry do the running," he said.

Spencer may consider himself to be just another blocker, but Irish fullbacks with Spencer’s kind of talent always seem to find a piece of the spotlight in the end.
The Sun Devils have one of the most dangerous offensive weapons in the league in tailback J.R. Redmond. He has the luxury of running behind one of the best blocking fullbacks in the nation, Jeff Paulk. Howard and Friday will have to fight Paulk and wrap up Redmond somehow before he causes damage. Redmond sometimes does get a catch of a fumble. Turnovers will be a huge factor in this game and the line backers need to start making some more plays. Minor looked better last week and should be even better this week. This game is a pivotal point for the Irish and Minor should thrive in a game of this magnitude.

If he can make some plays it'll be contagious and young Grant Irons or even Anthony Deman could make a mark. Ronnie Nicks got into the Stanford game and is one of the heaviest hitters for the Irish. He could provide a lift in the Arizona desert.
Senior leadership crucial to Irish success

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Haven’t we been here before?

It takes an attention span slightly longer than a three-year-old to remember what happened the last time Notre Dame hit the road after an impressive victory.

There is no need for fans to recollect what happened in East Lansing, but the team sure better. Arizona State is unranked and is 2-3, but it has loads of speed and talent, and there is no doubt that the Irish will get the Sun Devils’ best game of the season. The hosts are even favored by three and a half points.

This was supposed to be the Arizona State team that made a run at the national title. But the Devils find themselves in a living hell having already lost three games including one to the Cougars of BYU.

Now Notre Dame brings in the spotlight of national television to Sun Devil Stadium and the hosts will fight their best fight to defend their turf.

The 73,000 fans will be raucous. The weather will be hot and the Irish will need a special effort. Look to the 21 seniors to provide that effort.

Now is their time. A win puts the Irish into the top 20 with a 4-1 record and only two real challenges remaining on the slate, Louisiana State at home and Southern Cal on the road.

The Class of 1999 was supposed to bring the national championship, but fate hasn’t had that magic in the cards. Since they stopped on campus in the fall of 1995, Notre Dame is a modest 27-13. The seniors had to deal with a coaching change midway through. It was called upon prematurely to carry the burden with subpar classes ahead of them.

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The question remains: can the momentum be maintained?

This is a big game because it’s our next game and our next game is always a big game,” Minor said. We’re capable of playing great football when we want to.”

Let’s hope Minor and his classmates can help the Irish avoid a case of deja vu.
**Bulldogs ready to challenge Volunteers**

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After last weekend's 28-27 upset victory over LSU, No. 7 Georgia is back between the hedges to take on SEC foe Tennessee.

The fifth-ranked Volunteers were victorious over Auburn, but the 72-59 win came at a great expense. Sophomore tailback Jamal Lewis tore the lateral collateral ligament in his right knee and underwent season-ending surgery earlier this week.

"He is through for the year, although there's a chance he could be back for a bowl game, but that's unlikely," Volunteers coach Phillip Fulmer said.

The loss of Lewis means that Tennessee quarterback Tee Martin will have to pick up the slack.

Since he has completed only 44.3 percent of his passes (35-of-79) for 590 yards and seven touchdowns, he has two interceptions, but has rushed for 120 yards and a score on 29 carries.

Sophomores Travis Stephens and Travis Henry will take over for Lewis at the tailback spot.

The loss of Lewis throws Tennessee's advantage right out the window.

In addition, the Bulldogs are out to avenge last year's embarrassing 38-13 loss.

A year ago, Georgia coach Jim Donnan stormed off the field claiming there was no penalty called on the Volunteers for the apparent pass interference.

"I don't know if they were trying to run the game up," Georgia linebacker Dustin Donnan said.

"But we were disappointed in how we played, because we could have played better. We just let too many things get to us, like the crowd noise. We got behind too soon and let it get away from ourselves. I just hope it's going to be a whole lot better this year."

Georgia has lost seven straight to Tennessee, with their last win over the Volunteers coach Donnan stormed off the field claiming there was no penalty called on the Volunteers for the apparent pass interference.

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Georgia has only won three straight with the loss of Lewis, but their overall record has improved to 6-0.

"But we need to give the team a little spark on defense," coach Bob Toledo said.

"No. 6 Florida and No. 12 LSU headline this weekend's second big game in the SEC Conference."

"The third-ranked UCLA Bruins will have their hands full this weekend when they battle No. 11 Arizona. UCLA has not won in Tucson since 1988, but it has won a school-record 13 straight games."

"The Bruins will also have to fill the void left by Tailback Jermaine Lewis, the Bruins' leading rusher and one of the nation's top scorers who was suspended from the team's game against Mississippi State due to his involvement in fight over the weekend."

"He's been in a fight; there's a police report," coach Bob Toledo said. "When it gets to that point, there's a suspension. Supposedly, it wasn't his fault."

"So far this season, Lewis had gained 270 yards on 53 carries, nearly half of the Bruins' rushing yards in their three games. Lewis also leads the team with eight touchdowns. Keith Brown will make the start in his place."

"Cade McNown is off to a quick start for the Bruins. He has completed 51-of-81 passes for 859 yards and five touchdowns."

"Arizona corner back Chris McAllister is one of the nation's best at his position and will look to shutdown McNown's targets."

"The Wildcats will be riding an emotional high after last week's last minute victory. George Jenkins somersaulted into the end zone with four seconds left to give the Wildcats a 31-29 victory over Washington."

"Keith Smith and Jenkins will continue to split duty at quarterback. They have combined for 1,263 pass yards and nine touchdowns.

"The PAC-10 title could be up for grabs in this showdown."

**Bulldog tailback Robert Arnaud will look to lead his squad to an upset of Tennessee.**

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**The Gators will be looking to avange last year's 28-21 loss to the Tigers at Death Valley. That loss ended Florida's 25-game win streak in the conference. This year, LSU hopes to break another run — Florida's school record 24-game home win streak.**

"Gator coach Steve Spurrier had been rotating quarterbacks Jesse Palmer and Doug Johnson, but has decided to go with one for this weekend's showdown in Gainesville."

"(They) have played almost identically, but we need to give one of them the opportunity to lead the offense," Spurrier said. "We hope one quarterback will give us the little spark on offense."

"That quarterback will be Palmer who has completed 60 percent of his passes and thrown for six touchdowns."

"Last weekend, Florida snuck out a 16-10 win over Alabama. The Gators need a win to stay in the hunt for the SEC East title. The Gators lost to Tennessee earlier this year."
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