Montana, renowned architect, dies

By LAURA SELLINGER
News Writer

Francesco "Frank" Montana, former professor and chair of the School of Architecture, died Friday, Feb. 16, at his home in Largo, Fla. He was 89 years old.

Montana designed many buildings on the Notre Dame campus. His works include McKenna Hall in 1965, the University Club in 1968, the original Hanmees Bookstore in 1955, the Center for South Connexions and the University Village in 1962.

Montana, who was born in Naro, Italy, earned degrees of architecture from New York University and the Ecole des Beaux Arts in 1933 and 1939, respectively.

Montana's colleagues remembered him well.

"He was a very warm and talented Italian gentleman who never lost his Sicilian charm," said Father Theodore Hesburgh, University president emeritus. "His passion for beauty showed not only in his architecture, but also in his paintings."

"Frank was a genuine and honest man who lived architecture as a vocation. He took his talents and used them according to the will of God. He truly did architecture for the good of the people," said Father Richard Bullene, assistant professor of architecture.

Montana also served on Notre Dame's architecture faculty from 1939-47 and acted as the architecture chair from 1950-72.

"Frank was the most important figure in this program in the past 50 years. He was very devoted to his work and is the embodiment of the best of Notre Dame," said Carroll William Westfall, the current chair of Notre Dame's School of Architecture.

Montana worked diligently to establish the school's renowned Rome Studies Program in 1969 and directed it from 1972-75 and from 1980-86, when he retired.

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Observer takes top honors at ACP national convention

By ANNE MARIE MATTINGLY
New Editor

The Observer took home its first ever Newspaper of the Year award Sunday from the Associated Collegiate Press (ACP).

"This was the result of many long hours in the office, four of our staff and is proof that The Observer is continuing it's long legacy of excellence," said Noreen Gillespie, managing editor of The Observer.

Editor in Chief Mike Connolly echoed Gillespie's praise of The Observer's staff.

"It's nice for the entire staff to be recognized for all the hard work that so many people put into the paper," he said.

The ACP is a division of the National Scholastic Press Association and is the oldest and largest organization for college student media in the United States. Founded in 1921, the ACP today has nearly 800 members, including close to 600 student newspapers.

The Newspaper of the Year award is presented to the school newspaper that best represents the mission of the college, university or community newspaper.

By HILARY BURN
News Writer

Our expectations for the potential of genetic research should not be too high," said Dr. Neil Holtzman, a professor at Johns Hopkins, in a lecture Friday at the Notre Dame Indiana Ethics Consortium at Notre Dame.

"Genetics will advance knowledge, but its effect on health or reducing the burden of common complex diseases will not be terribly great," Holtzman said.

Even after last week's highly publicized announcement that scientists have figured out the human genome sequence, they are still in the process of deciphering it. Researchers estimate that there are approximately 30,000 genes, but, in terms of function, only a couple thousand have been identified, according to Holtzman.

As this genetic research has progressed, "revolutionary claims have been made by both the media and the scientific community about the ultimate impact of genetics on clinical medicine," he said.

Authorities in the field predict that despite its implications, genetics research will advance human genome research. Last week, scientists announced that they had determined the complete human genome sequence. The implications of that discovery were the subject of discussion at a weekend conference at Notre Dame.
IM Fiasco

I'm all about honesty lately, so I'd like to share one of the strangest moments of my college career. One Saturday night last semester I attended a party at Campus View. After mingling a while, I noticed a cute boy and asked a friend to introduce me. He obliged, names were exchanged, and I ended up talking and dancing with the new boy for a while. By the end of the night, I had developed a small crush on him.

Saturday night ended. Sunday came and went. Monday morning classes passed as usual. I came home and had a little time to waste before heading to lunch. I listened to WUSF and thought back to Saturday night. And the party. Buddy was on Instant Messenger.

Tuesday

Monday<br>
- Presentation and discussion: Sexism, the myth of the "strong black woman," and the increase in single motherhood in the African-American community.<br> - Lecture: "Juggling a Family and Medicine," Room 124 Center for Social Concerns, 7 p.m.<br> - Film: "Son of American"<br><br>Wednesday<br>
- Lecture: "Getting Ahead while having a Life," Susan O'Hner, American Studies professor to speak in the student government-sponsored "Last Lecture" series, McGill 24-hour lounge, 7 p.m.<br><br>Thursday<br>
- Lecture: Judy Molnar, Rosie O'Donnell's personal trainer and founder of Rosie's "Club Club," will speak on "Developing a Healthy Lifestyle with the Quick Fix." Room 155 DeBartolo, 7 p.m.

Georgetown University

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WASHINGTON<br>

The chairman of the Georgetown University chapter of College Republicans has accused a high-ranking official in the party's national college committee of sexual harassment and misuse of party funds. Jennifer Gorski and two other female employees of the Republican National Committee (RNC), the College Republican National Committee, one of whom is a recent Georgetown graduate, submitted their complaints to affidavits to the RNC earlier this year. According to the women's spokesman, Jason Zanetti, the RNC decided on the allegations themselves, but it was unavailable at publication. In her affidavit, Gorski said that the CRNC official engaged in unprofessional behavior by regularly making unwanted sexual advances and sexual comments to her and other female employees. "On two or three separate occasions...[the official] stated to me that 'I can't hire a good-looking girl because I can't keep my hands off her,'" Gorski said.

University of Florida

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SMC Trustees gather for campus meeting

◆ Board holds two days of meetings with students

By KATIE MILLER
News Writer

The Saint Mary's Board of Trustees held meetings on campus last Thursday and Friday. The Board met with students on many different levels: formal committee meetings, open forums and a scheduled luncheon. The Board met with Committees of Finance, College Relations, and Student Life on Thursday, according to Student Trustee Molly Kahn, who also sits on the board of student life.

'The board of student life had a really good meeting,' Kahn said. 'We updated the trustees about topics such as athletics and the counseling and career development office. The trustees became more aware of how things are run.'
The Committee on Mission explored areas of diversity and looked at specific documents, said Kahn.

On Thursday, the trustees were assigned to a volunteer student for lunch at Noble Family Dining Hall. 'We had some really great conversations,' Kahn said.

Students met with the trustees in an open forum on Thursday night in Annunciation's lounge to participate in an informal conversation with the trustees. A number attended.

'We had about six trustees and 20 students,' Kahn said. 'The trustees are always interested in what students have to say; it was a great opportunity.'

A prominent topic during Friday's meetings was the Master Plan, said Kahn. The focus of their talk was an update on the overall progress of furthering the Master Plan.

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More than 20 years ago, Leigh Cohn's wife told him she was bulimic. At the time, there wasn't even a word for the disorder.

Since then, the couple has worked to increase awareness of the condition and other eating disorders, and Sunday he came to Notre Dame to discuss body image issues.

Cohn's talk was an update on the media's role in shaping society's perceptions of how people should look. He showed slides of Renaissance and Impressionist paintings which presented images of 'beautiful' men and women in the past, contrasting these more natural, heavier individuals with the models in ads, such as Calvin Klein's, and on television today.

'People are getting rich off of selling people the idea that they should be different from what they are,' Cohn said.

He pointed out that the trend toward extremely low weight began in the mid-60s with the supermodel Twiggy. He also emphasized that women are not the only targets of advertising: men, too, now deal with body image issues.

'Eighty percent of women want to lose weight,' Cohn said. 'And 80 percent of men want to change their weight.'

However, half of those want to lose weight, while the other half wants to gain weight as muscle.'

He questioned why the media does not display images of normal, healthy people, stating that these everyday individuals are often happier and healthier than anorexic or bulimic models. He showed Barbies and action figures as examples of how unrealistic media ideals are; he pointed out the contrast between Star Wars action figures and the actual bodies of Luke Skywalker and Han Solo in the movie as an example.

Throughout his talk, Cohn emphasized how dieting and attempts to change one's appearance are often unsuccessful, since the main factor in body type is genetics. He included slides of his own friends and family, highlighting the similarity in body types of family members from different generations.

Cohn spoke of diet-induced obesity, which occurs when a person stops dieting and the metabolism continues to function under starvation conditions, burning slower, storing fat, and causing the person to gain back the lost weight and more. Yet Cohn explained how society still is obsessed with dieting, spending over $50 million dollars annually on diet products.

'More women would rather be thinner than happily married,' Cohn said. 'And not only women have the problem. Every airport bookstore I've been to has had men's health magazines displayed.'

Cohn went further to explain that the characteristics and phases of eating disorders barely differ, whether suffered by men or women.

'Eating disorders progress in very much the same way,' he said. 'The obsessions, eating rituals and concern with appearance are all the same.'

People must focus on more than their lives than weight in order to find happiness, Cohn said. Instead, individuals should incorporate love, spirituality, prayer, solitude, relaxation, enjoyment of nature and countless other factors into their routines in order to truly enjoy life.

'Thinness does not equal happiness, a full life or full relationships,' he said. Cohn invited the audience to sign up for group or individual discussions with him Monday.

Cohn has written and edited several books, and he is the editor-in-chief of a magazine dedicated to eating disorders. The talk was the first in a series of lectures for Body Image Awareness Week at Notre Dame and Saint Mary's.
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promised that mapping the human genome would lead to new strategies to prevent common diseases.

Such promises eventually led to the optimism expressed in a story in The New York Times, "Genetic Code of Human Life is Cracked by Scientists." The article said the achievements "represent a pin­

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knowledge," and "in understanding that holds the key to the script of the human organism.

Holtzman said that these claims are unrealistic.

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eases that are caused by mutations in one gene, according to Holtzman. Unfortunately, though, simple diseases are much more rare than complex dis­

eases, such as cancer. These dis­

ese depend on environmental factors and complicated interac­

tions between several genes.

"It is not impossible, but highly unlikely that we’ll be able to identify all of the genes involved in complex diseases," Holtzman said. "If we were able to do this, then maybe it would lead to genetics revolutionizing medi­

cine. But it did not happen, at least in our lifetime."

Even if scientists were able to determine which genes were related to which diseases, the chance that somebody with cer­

tain genes would get a particular dis­

ease is not much greater than the chance that somebody with­

out these genes will. Scientists have discovered two genes, the BRCA1 and BRCA2 genes, that seem to be highly correlated with whether or not a person will develop breast cancer. These genes are exceptions, however, because it is highly unlikely that we will find such a direct correlation for many other diseases, said Holtzman.

In the case of breast cancer, having a mutated BRCA1 gene does not mean that the person will get the dis­

tease. For example, multidrug resistance genes that reduce sensitivity to leukemia treat­

ment have already been discov­

ered.

"Genetics has a lot to con­

tribute to how our cells and organs function. We should recog­

nize this without making claims that it will revolutionize medi­

cine," Holtzman said. "Recently we’ve spent more on the genetic research side and neglected other factors, but we need to think more globally. Social smoking intervention policies, for example, have had a greater effect on decreasing the occurrence of lung cancer than any genetic discoveries to date.

"Our overall positive goal is to improve people’s health," he said. "To accomplish this we might spend more money better by reducing smoking as a public health issue, improving the environment and providing equal health care to everyone than we would by investing heavily in genetics."

Holtzman is a professor of preventive medicine and epidemiology at Johns Hopkins University. His article "Genetics Revolutionize Medicine?" was published in the December 2000 issue of The New England Journal of Medicine last July.

Indian Daily Student, the collegiate paper of Indiana University, while the University of California-Berkeley’s Daily Californian earned third place. The Observer won third place honors from the ACP in 1997 and 1999 and has won Division I Newspaper of the Year accolades from the Indiana Collegiate Press Association every year since 1996.

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**World News Briefs**

Kuwait commemorates end of war: As allied war jets flew overhead, Kuwaitis raised their flag and performed a traditional victory dance Sunday to mark the 10th anniversary of the end of the Gulf War and freedom from Iraqi occupation. Security was tight as Gulf War heroes— including former President George Bush and former British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher—watched men in robes perform the arda, the Gulf's traditional dance depicting the "joy of victory," with swords and rifles.

Sudan detains Muslim leaders: Tension has risen in war-torn Sudan as the government's detention of the country's foremost Islamic leaders, five days after his opposition party signed a tenacious alliance with the main Christian-led rebel group.

**National News Briefs**

Mich. memorial honors slain girl: In a room decorated with stuffed animals and construction paper drawings, family and friends gathered Saturday to remember a 6-year-old Flint, Mich., girl shot one year ago in her first-grade classroom. Wearing pink ribbons in memory of Kayla Rolland, many of the 100 people who attended the gathering said their grief had not eased. "It's been a very hard year for all of us," the parents of the boy said. "It's never going to go away," said Veronica McQueen, Kayla's mother. "I miss her more and more every day."

Steel plant explosion kills one: A steam turbine at a Dearborn, Mich., steel plant ruptured Saturday, killing one man and injuring another, authorities said. The turbine at the Dearborn Fire Battalion station was empty so he left it and began traveling along Indiana 51 after apparently being left alone on an empty school bus. The virus can be airborne, on plants or carried by humans on boots and clothing. The outbreak has raised questions about modern farming methods, and whether mass production, transport and slaughter have made animals more vulnerable to disease. Officials have not announced the number of confirmed infections, only places where the disease has been detected. It is presumed that wherever the disease is found, it will spread. So all animals at risk — to date, more than 2,000 — are being slaughtered.

**Indiana News Briefs**

Motorist finds wandering boy: A 5-year-old boy was found Friday morning wandering along Indiana 51 after apparently being left alone on an empty school bus. Authorities said the death toll had risen to five.

**Briefs**

**Mississippi storm system kills 10**

Associated Press

A powerful storm system killed at least 10 people, injured dozens more and destroyed hundreds of homes in Mississippi, authorities said Sunday.

The dead, whose names were not released, included men, women and children, said Pontotoc County Sheriff Leo Mask.

Ricky Jagers, Pontotoc County's emergency management director, said the death toll had risen to 10 from an earlier estimate of seven.

Emergency officials said they believe two tornadoes ripped through a densely populated part of this north Mississippi community Saturday night, blowing houses off their foundations. The National Weather Service could not immediately confirm that tornadoes had struck the area.

Former Pontotoc County Supervisor Keith Herring said the area "looks like an atomic bomb hit it."

The storm system that began churning its way across the Mississippi Delta and central portions of the state Saturday night left behind numerous downed power lines and damaged buildings.

About 10 to 12 houses in the Benoit area suffered wind damage and a few homes in LeFlore County were hit hard by the storm.

Alan Gerard, a National Weather Service spokesman in Jackson, said there were reports that two subdivisions southeast of Greenwood were damaged.

The Bolivar County Courthouse also suffered damage when marble-sized hail broke four windows, authorities said.

"We've got cars run off the road in ditches," a spokeswoman for the Sheriff's Department said. "We had 80 miles per hour winds."
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Frank for establishing the program," Bullene said. "He got the University to invest in the buildings and the faculty without the help of any other European institutions. It lies in the heart of Rome and is admired by many schools."

Bullene attended the Rome Studies Program during his years at Notre Dame and had the opportunity to learn from Montana.

"Frank saw architecture as an art and not a purely technological matter. For him, architecture was a personal matter," he said. "Buildings do things for people and he loved influencing other people's lives through his works of art."

Perhaps Montana's most notable accomplishment was the designing of the buildings and gardens of Notre Dame's Institute for Ecumenical Studies. Located on the Tantor hilltop on the road from Bethlehem to Jerusalem, the building of the Institute was an amazing accomplishment, Bullene said.

"The greatest thing Frank did was design the Institute for Ecumenical Studies. We needed a spectacular building to house scholars and their wives as well as Benedictine monks, and the staff that worked there," Hesburgh said. "They needed a library, a chapel, nearly 50 bedrooms, dining facilities, offices and beautiful grounds. In the face of all this, Frank built a gem of a building which, after 35 years, is still functioning beautifully."

In his private practice, Montana also designed several buildings at Wayne State University. Later, he planned the terminal at the South Bend Regional Airport. An anonymous contributor recently endowed a chair of architecture at Notre Dame in Montana's name. Westfall currently holds the position.

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Westfall said. "Many alumni tell stories of how he guided them - he was loved by all his students."

Montana is survived by his wife, Angela, and sons, Robert and James. Memorial contributions may be made to the Frank Montana Scholarship Fund at the Notre Dame School of Architecture.

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Joan Morgan TONIGHT! 7:00 PM Carroll Auditorium, SMC

Journalist and senior editor for Essence Magazine, Joan Morgan is a feminist writer who writes about race and gender. She is the author of "When Chickenheads Come Home to Roost--My Life as a Hip-Hop Feminist." She will plunge into heated issues such as sexism in hip-hop and the crippling myth of the "endangered black man" and its equally destructive counterpart, the myth of the "strong black woman."

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Mendozas ranked 24th largest philanthropists of 2000

From Thomas and Kathy Mendoza has been ranked the 24th largest in the nation last year, according to the annual Slate survey compiled by the online magazine Slate and the Chronicle of Philanthropy.

Bill and Melinda Gates, with a donation of $5 billion to their foundation, topped the survey, which ranks the 60 leading donors in America. The survey began in 1996 at the suggestion of entrepreneur Ted Turner, who hoped the publication of a prestigious list of donors would provide an incentive to giving.

The Mendoza’s gift, announced in March, 2000, is the largest single donation in Notre Dame history and is in support of the University’s business college, which was named in the couple’s honor. The Mendozas were among seven philanthropists in the Slate 60 who contributed directly to college or university business schools.

Thomas Mendoza, a 1973 Notre Dame graduate, is president of Network Appliance (NetApp), a Sunnyvale, Calif, company that is the leading provider of network attached data access and management solutions. Kathy Mendoza, a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, is president of worldwide strategic alliances for NetApp.

Founded in 1921, the Mendoza College of Business is ranked by Forbes magazine among the top 20 in giving MBA students the best return on their investment, and Business Week ranked the business ethics curriculum the best in American higher education.

The couple’s second largest with some 1,800 undergraduates, 780 advanced degree students (MBA, master of accountancy and master of science in administration) and 130 faculty.

Announcing the Year 2001 Annual Awards of the Albert Ravarino Italian Studies Travel Scholarship

Thanks to a generous gift from the Albert Ravarino family, the Italian Studies Program is pleased to announce the year 2001 annual competition for travel in support of summer research and foreign study in Italy. Grants will be made in amounts not to exceed $3,000, and will not normally cover all expenses. Notre Dame graduate and undergraduate students who are planning to pursue research or a formal program of summer study in Italy are invited to apply. Students must have completed at least one year of Italian language. The course work will normally be in Italian; will involve the study of Italian language, literature, and culture; and must be applicable to a student’s degree program at the University of Notre Dame.

Recommended programs for foreign study include, but are not limited to: Loyola University in Rome, Boston University in Padua, UCLA in Pisa, Miami University in Urbino, Columbia University in Scandiano. Interested students are encouraged to consult the materials on Italian foreign study in the Department of Romance Languages, 343 O’Shaughnessy Hall.

Students are invited to submit a letter which should include:
1) an explanation of how the proposed research or foreign study will enhance their degree program at Notre Dame
2) a personal statement indicating their background, interests, and long-term goals
3) a description of the research project or the program they intend to follow
4) a budget indicating the costs involved
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Mazarr: Find a human side to organizations

By KIMBERLY SPRINGER
News Writer

"Most organizations aren’t human, what are you going to do about it?" asked Michael Mazarr, president of an international security think tank in Washington, in his discussion of sociology and psychology of people in the electronic workplace on Friday.

"Human beings," said Michael Mazarr, president of the Henry R. Stimson Center, said that the high performance management technique is the answer to this challenge.

"It is a style that is aimed at creating an organization in which employees consider themselves owners of the organization," he said.

He also noted we are in a transitional era of management in the business world.

"We are of a generation that is being managed in this transition," Mazarr said.

Due to the turbulence of this transition, the business community needs a unique generation of leaders who have the opportunity to have "a bigger impact that any other generation."

While some strategies work and others do not, Mazarr said dozens of studies show the high performance management technique makes organizations more effective and profitable in the long term.

In addition, he stated the need to motivate employees to encourage active participation, and a desire to remain at the company for a long period of time.

"Organizations need to be structured in a certain way to meet fundamental needs of human beings," Mazarr said, noting that people don’t like to be doers. Successful management requires human answers to a non-human organization, he said. Furthermore, for those companies that are now adopting the enlightened technique after years of a different strategy, it will take time for the employees to change and trust the new structure, but when the people are living it, that’s when people will start to see the change.

Mazarr also said there is "no denying the fact that a strong clear vision is important for high performance technique companies and there is definitively a role for such visionary and directive leaders."

Prior to becoming president of the Henry R. Stimson Center, Mazarr was the senior vice president of the Electronics Industries Alliance where he established strategic firms alliances and developed an electronics industry outreach program for emerging and small companies and their management techniques.

This lecture is part of the Mendoza College of Business' Executive and Society Lecture Series.

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California outages foreshadow Western summer energy crunch

Associated Press

"It's a scary thought, but the electricity is tied together like a bunch of high-tension rubber bands." — Kellan Fluckiger, chief operating officer for California's Independent System Operator.

Predicting a power problem in the West

Analysts, regulators and power-supply officials are warning of a possible power shortage across the West this summer, with the Northwest more vulnerable than others. California is considered the most likely western state to face blackouts this summer. The state gets about 25 percent of its power from its own hydroelectric dams, which could generate less power this summer because of lower runoff. The Sierra snowpack stands at 70 percent of normal. Here is the outlook for the summer for other selected states.

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"But the Independent System Operator continues to expect the state to have enough power to meet its needs.

Still, the state's goals will be tough to meet by summer, said Judah Rose, managing director of ICF Consulting, a Washington, D.C., firm specializing in energy issues.

"I have never seen any instance in the world that has been able to solve that kind of problem in a couple of months," he said.

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Anna Barbour

Get A Life

“Life is like a box of chocolates.” Well, maybe not after those pants you can poke the bottom of the chocolates and see what is in the center and you cannot normally do that with life. I usually look for raspberry or coconut centers myself, but I have a technique so that unless you check, you cannot tell if a piece has been tampered with. You cannot sip life with like I do with chocolate; you can’t get something for nothing in the game of life; you rarely, as they say, have your cake and eat it too — in life, you pay the piper and reap what you sow.

Well, speaking of Lent, Lent is upon us once again. Lent and life, they both start with “L.” It works; bear with me. Who is not excited about Lent? Let me tell you who is not excited. You are not excited. And why are you not excited about the season of the liturgical year that marks the passing of the catechumen to rebirth in the life of Christ, the special season that was intended to initiate baptismal candidates, purifying them for the joyous Easter period? You are not excited because you watch too much television.

Oh, the theory that has television at the vast of Lenten instruction (and other compounded evils) is certainly a wild-type hypothesis at this point. People can be disenchanted about Lent for a variety of reasons. One reason being the modern superpower’s complete lack of understanding for what it means to go without stuff. When a family owns an SUV for each parent and an F-150 truck for one of its two children, Lent is not going to be very exciting for it. When a group of friends goes to say, Beckers and assumes it need not throw away its trash (perhaps because it assumes people who are not receiving tips enjoy cleaning up after stupid students), the magic of Lent must be lost on this group. And you have got to love those people who live in New Orleans or some place that knows how to do Carnaval right. At that mystical, magical time and you’re supposed to lose your inhibitions, you’re supposed to become like the Hyde of Jekyll and Hyde.

Why in the name of the holiest of holies would any God-fearing religion allow such unseemliness to occur? Well, first off, it’s not every religion that does Carnaval like Catholicism, at least in my unbiased Catholic perspective that is. And the Church has repeatedly attempted to curb the excesses of the season before Lent, but like any Yin, there has to be a Yang. Hence, if you are going to celebrate Carnaval to its fullest (O’Neill Family Hall), then it is only fair to observe and celebrate Lently do so, too.

Mardi Gras is a fun time especially if you live in New Orleans or some place that knows how to do Carnaval right. It is quite painful to give up food for 24 hours and if truly dedicated, give up something everyday that is a bad habit (but not too bad because then it gets painful); we do this between a most rough; we do this between a most painful? While it is quite possible to give up eating mainly cows, pork and chicken on Friday and if truly dedicated, give up eating something everyday that is a bad habit (but not too bad because then it gets painful) is quite painful to give up food for 24 hours. When it is quite difficult to go without, how often can you say you experience real joy with food especially if you complain about the dining hall? But it is possible to be free of something like the necessity of food, imagine it. My god, you won’t have tasted a dining hall burger or scroopins in your life as one eaten right after Lent is over.

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Knights explain the donated statue


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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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State recognizes all affected by abortion

I was first upset and then saddened by Jocelyn Szczepaniak-Gilles' letter to The Observer on Feb. 22. It betrayed a misunderstanding of the all-too-common today, especially at Notre Dame. The feeling that for a person or institution to take a position is necessarily to condemn all others or to betray a sense of "free thinking" and intellectual honesty. This reasoning would disallow Notre Dame, a Catholic school, from taking a moral stand on anything. It would seem to condemn the school for standing on every other pertinent social issue, such as sweatshops. Yet this is not the heart of the issue.

A statue that remembers the victims of abortion is not a condemnation of women. Neither is it insensitive and "deliberate manipulation." Instead, it is a symbol, perhaps equating both Notre Dame and the Knights of Columbus that calls out for them to bear witness to what is taking place.

I believe that both pro-lifers and pro-choicers can agree that abortion is not a social good; this is reflected in the statement by pro-choice groups that want abortion to be "safe, legal, and rare." I know many times, I have been criticized by pro-choice friends for characterizing their position as "pro-abortion." They may be right. In both of these instances, I think it is clear that many people feel that there is something wrong taking place in abortion. It may sometimes be justifiable, it may sometimes be considered necessary and it even may be a constitutional right guaranteed to women. The fact remains that no one promotes abortion, they simply disapprove of its legality in a civilized nation.

This statute and the shared awareness of pro-choicers and pro-lifers should be the beginning of a new common ground. The statute recognizes that the Knights of Columbus represented is not a judgment, but a memorial. I agree with the previous letter that women do not take abortion lightly and that it is a serious and difficult choice. I feel for this reason that I feel the statue is appropriate in remembering "the victims of abortion" — both the unborn who have died and hopefully the women who felt forced by society and circumstances to make that choice.

Bill Furey

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"Think I give a damn about a Grammy?"

It was an awfully strange sight last Wednesday night at the Grammy Awards. Gottfried, who was holding the hand of music legend Elton John, was also holding a statue offering an extended middle finger to the crowd giving him a standing ovation.

The Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAAD) was extremely critical of Elton John, who is openly gay, for sharing the stage with Eminem, whose last album was extremely controversial for including hate-filled lyrics. GLAAD has called out for his political correctness. With Eminem raps about raping his mother (who sued him for defamation after Eminem said he "does more dope than I do") and murdering his wife (who has now sued him as well). For good measure, he also comments that shock sells. And the more people shock, the more you will sell. The Marshall Mathers LP has sold 20 million copies, the unedited ones.

But, truly sociopathic lyrics aside, Eminem is simply following a trend set by Marilyn Manson, Limp Bizkit, Rap, and others. Eminem's rants are the next logical evolution, especially given the fact that he wanted to be taken seriously as a white rapper and not automatically lumped in with fascists like Vanilla Ice. What better way to get noticed than controversy?

Elfin's first album, Infinite, has the standard rap obsession with sex, drugs, and other extremely psychotic stuff. He himself recognizes the secret to his success: "Will Smith didn't gotta cuss in his raps to sell records ... Well, I do, so f--k him and f--k you too." So, in the end, what should we make of Eminem? The moniker Emek and cottonmouth fantasies under a further alter ego called Slim Shady? In "Stan," the song he performed at the Grammys, Eminem takes us into the mind of a crazed fan and gives voice to those sensations civilized people never see. But is Stan the insane one or is it Eminem? Can we ever know the difference? Perhaps that's the scariest thing.

The real Mike Marchand is a senior English major who lost one of his heroes when Kurt Cobain committed suicide.
Abroad students enjoy their afternoon in Spain taking in the culture. Spain has to offer, a culture that is far too foreign to most Americans.

America, the culturally ignorant

I was riding on the late bus back to my house one evening in Toledo, Spain and the bus driver struck up a conversation with me and asked me where I was from.

"America," I said, eager to practice my developing Spanish skills with a native.

Oh, he knew about America, he told me, with subtle pride.

He knew the latest news about the elections (this was November, and the endless election headacbe had only just begun). He really liked American music. He wasn't sure if he preferred New York or Los Angeles, but he was leaning toward New York.

"I'm from Chicago," I said.

He knew Chicago — Michael Jordan and the famous lake.

One day, he confided, he hoped to move to America. He didn't want to hurt my feelings, but he didn't think he would move to Chicago. He wanted to be near a ocean. Imagine working in New York City! His eyes gleamed with the imagined glamour of his new American life.

"Do you speak English?" I asked.

Well, only a little. But he could learn, he assured me. English was the most important language to know, but it was difficult. So many confusing rules! Spanish was much easier.

We were close pals by now. I knew of his dreams and aspirations and I hadn't laughed at him; he chose to ignore my prominent American accent. We had accepted each other and the conversation was flowing smoothly. And then, as we bounced along the old streets, he ruined it all.

He turned to me with earnest eyes.

"What is it that you do?" he asked. "Do Americans know about Spain?"

I hesitated. He had made his offer, showed me what he knew, and now he waited for me to return the favor. I had to look away from his expectant face.

"Nada," I said. I stared out the window. It was true. Most Americans don't really know much about his country.

"Well, don't they want to come here and visit?" Surely they must know what a beautiful place Spain is.

I didn't have the language skills to translate my emotions. I didn't know how to tell him that for many Americans, Europe meant Fafis and London and Rome — and Spain wasn't usually the first stop on that proverbial backpacking trip.

Of course, some Americans travel to Spain. But few could boast a knowledge of Spain as extensive as this humble bus driver's was about my country. To know that much requires an effort that most of us aren't willing to put forth.

To some Americans, the word "Spanish" conjures up the stereotypical images of flamenco, siestas and bullfights — and those are the ones who at least have an idea. And then there are the ones who think Spanish food consists of spicy tacos, or who struggle to name even two major Spanish cities. It's not their fault; they've just citizens of the bubble that is the United States of America. Spain is far from the sole victim of our mostly oblivious nation — we know very little about a lot of countries — but living there for a semester helped me to see the reality of the situation from a Spaniard's perspective. And talking with that bus driver forced the truth on me in a way that no anti-American rant ever could.

That's exactly what strikes at the heart of the difference between an American and a Spaniard. An American can live a full and happy life and not give Spain a second thought. It's there if he wants to visit but he doesn't need to worry about it. A Spaniard doesn't have that luxury; he is acutely aware of American culture, whether he likes it or not. Our president's decisions can impact this Spaniard. If Britney Spears releases a new CD, his daughter is going to want a copy. And there's a McDonald's in every town.

"Don't they know what Spain has to offer?"

"The lucky ones know," I thought. "Aloud, I said, "Most of them don't, but hopefully they'll learn more someday." Even as I said them, I realized how awkward and useless my words sounded. The truth will set you free, people say. Maybe for some of us. But when I realized such an unsettling truth about my country, I wondered if that saying is accurate. I felt less free than ever when I realized how self-centered my American views had rendered me. If anything, I felt like a captive. I saw the expression on that bus driver's face when I told him that the majority of Americans gave little thought or concern to his homeland, and my stomach turned with the resulting empty air as I attempted to make amends for my country. The remainder of our conversation was strained, and I left the bus quickly.

I don't think I wanted to know that truth about the place where I lived, and I knew I would never look at America with quite the same rosy optimism.

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or on the wall, am I the fattest of them all?

Events for Body Image Awareness Week address eating, acceptance and more.

genetically or physically, we just can't do that.

Who develops an eating disorder?

One stereotype is that intelligent and successful people, such as the average Notre Dame student, would not engage in this type of destructive behavior. "It has nothing to do with being smart. In fact, we see a lot of highly intelligent people with these disorders," Donley replies.

"Getting help is the key issue here. It's very rare that someone comes to the Counseling Center on their own," says "Look, I've got a problem. More often it is an RA, coach, friend or family member," Donley adds.

The hardest thing about helping those with eating disorders is knowing when to actively seek outside assistance and when to limit one's involvement. A person may engage in high-risk behaviors for long periods of time and may even have a serious eating disorder but not be ready to accept help.

"The most important step in recovery, according to psychologists, is the person's acknowledgement that he or she has a problem. Donley agrees, pointing out that "forcing someone to get help hardly ever works."

Donley recommends confronting the person in a caring way about the perceived problem, a technique called intervention. Generally, the response is either denial or anger. At that point, most experts recommend backing away.

"An intervention is a social awakening because so often people with eating disorders think that what they're doing is a secret," Donley adds. By bringing the issue to the surface, you plant the seeds of doubt that, when combined with falling under physical and mental pressures, will eventually lead to an acknowledgment of the situation and acceptance of help.

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"We run the risk of running [eating disorders] underground if we engage in the witch-hunt or throw diagnoses on people." The most important thing a person with an eating disorder needs is a friend. Someone who can help them help him or herself.

The first thing a person should do if he or she is concerned about a student's eating habits is consult the Counseling Center, located on the third floor of the Health Services building behind the Dome. Often times, counselors will advise and even role-play a confrontation with concerned parties, namely friends and relatives. The Counseling Center has found this to be a very effective approach; it is much more personal than a confrontation with a strange authority.

"Awareness is the first step," says Donley. Once you let somebody know that you are aware of his or her problem, he or she must constantly justify the "mental gymnastics" that accompany eating disorders. After the initial confrontation, it is up to the person with the eating disorder to actively seek help.

This week is National Body Image Awareness Week. The University Counseling Center is co-sponsoring a series of events including: a Body Image Awareness Fair in LaFortune Student Center on Monday, Feb. 20 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. a presentation on talking to friends about eating disorders in the Montgomery Theater, Feb. 28 starting at 5:30 p.m. and a talk by Judy Molnar, Ronnie O'Donnell's fitness guru and founder of the "Club Club," in 155 DeBardeleben Hall on March 1 at 7 p.m. For a full schedule of events and information of individual and group counseling visit the Counseling Center's Web site at www.nd.edu/ucc.

The Counseling Center is, of course, always open to students who wish to discuss these issues with health professionals. To schedule an appointment call 631-7336. Students in crisis are always welcome as walk-ins and are urged to call the counseling center after-hours in emergencies.

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**Things to do this week**

**Monday**
- SUB movie "Citizen Kane"

**Tuesday**
- SUB "Fat Tuesday," 5 p.m. Sorin Room LaFortune
- University Symphony Orchestra presents its Winter Concert, 8 p.m. in Washington Hall

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- HAI! Humor Artists present "An Evening with HAI!" 7:30 p.m. in Hesburgh Library Auditorium
- Free Admission
- SUB movie "Shanghai Triad"

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- Not-So-Royal-Shakespeare-Company presents Romeo and Juliet 2 p.m. in Hesburgh Peace Center Auditorium, tickets at LaFortune
- Karen Buranskas' cello concert, 2 p.m. in Annenberg Auditorium
CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — Tar Heels coach Matt Doherty said he was disappointed with a 31-29 second-half run that turned a 31-29 deficit into a 51-37 lead and that the Tar Heels had no answers.

"I yelled, 'Good shot,'" said Doherty, who had scored 28 points. "I thought we had a 79-72 lead and Arkansas held the Wildcats scoreless for nearly three minutes down the stretch for an 82-78 victory.

Saul Smith scored the Wildcats' second half with eight points early in the second half. The Wildcats took away their legs and stopped suddenly for a 6-foot 6 and a half-footer and a 6-2, 6-0 edge.

"They were tougher," said Smith. "They got to us every time we made a shot.

"We were quicker today; they jumped higher today and they shot the ball better today," Tar Heels coach Matt Doherty said of the Cavaliers, who improved to 13-1 at home with victories against Duke and Maryland.

"When we play, we can play with anybody in the country," said Gillen. "We just want to try to be as close to what we did today as many times as we can.

"That's what the great teams do." Virginia jumped the Tar Heels in the first half with a 22-6 run that turned a 3-29 deficit into a 12-39 lead and had another shootout crowd, some of whom had camped outside the gym for eight days for tickets, simply delirious.

The second half proved more of the same as a 10-4 burst pushed the Virginia lead to 75-66 with 10:58 left and seemed to end the suspense.

"What we wanted to do in the second half was keep that lead, pressure them and make them try to come to us." Virginia's Roger Mason said.

Virginia held on despite a scoring drought that lasted 5:47, allowing North Carolina to get within 7-6, 66-65, and 7-55, 65-59. But that basket, a layup by Joseph Forte, proved the last of the night for his team.

"You've got to bring it every night, and I was a little disappointed that the most disappointing thing did,'" Doherty said. "It hurts to admit that."

Razorbacks 79, Wildcats 72

Leading No. 13 Kentucky by four points, the Razorbacks twice worked the shot clock before Brandon Dean missed both. Arkansas shot poorly the rest of the way and had its eight-game winning streak stopped.

Richardson said making Kentucky play defense for 30 seconds or so at a time took the spring out of the Wildcats' offense.

"You could see guys reaching for their shorts and that's a telltale sign," he said. "We ran them and ran them in the second half," said Arkansas' Charles Tate. "We took away their legs."

Tayshaun Prince opened the second half with a baby hook that put Kentucky ahead 49-41. The Wildcats, the best-shooting team in the SEC, made only 12-40 of the rest of the half.

"If we would have been shooting well, we would have won the game," said Kentucky coach Tubby Smith. "Kelvin Rogers, who had 17 points in the first half, missed all six of his shots in the second half and still led the Wildcats in scoring.

"He was the topic of our conversation at halftime," Richardson said. "We tried to get to him and double him up, and make him get rid of the ball."

Arkansas shot almost 47 percent in the second half against the most effective defense in the SEC. The Razorbacks' production included 10-21 from 3-point land, including at least one by a half-dozen players.

"We can't seem to get our guys up on people and get the pressure on," Smith said. "I think that was one of our problems in the second half."

Arkansas led 76-72 with 4:02 to play and it stayed that way until Pargo's 3. Kentucky followed each of Dean's misses with two of its own.

Teddy Gipson gave Arkansas its first lead in more than 17 minutes when he started from the corner, drove hard into the lane and stopped suddenly for a 6-6 jumper and a 6-6 edge.

Joe Johnson led Arkansas with 18 points and Pargo had 16.

Prince's two free throws narrowed the lead to 71-68, but Dean drove into the lane and flipped a pass outside to Gipson who beat the shot clock with a 3.

No. 2 North Carolina falls prey to Virginia

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By KATIE HUGHES
Sports Writer

After four years of Bengal Bouts experience, co-president Josh "The Redemon" Thompson knows that regardless of who is favored before a fight begins, anything can happen when the punches start being thrown.

"Once you get in the ring," Thompson said, "everyone has a chance to be a champion."

Thompson will face John "The Cavemen Cavern" Joyce, who won in the first round on Thursday.

"I'm confident, if that's possible with Josh's experience," Caver said. "I look forward to being the underdog. I have nothing to lose. I'm gonna try to be so aggressive, to be more conservative, to save myself for the third round."

Joyce and Thompson find inspiration in Rocky IV. Thompson watches all four Rocky movies before each fight.

"I think Rocky IV is appropriate for me now," Caver said. "He was facing the hardest opponent.

Also fighting in the 185-pound weight class will be Eric "Superfreak" Duba and Andrew "The Irish Hammer" Dempsey.

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Heavyweight

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Dempsey will face Andrew McGuire in the quarterfinals.

"Football and boxing are a lot different," said Dempsey. "In football, a play only lasts five seconds, but in boxing, you're going for two minutes at a stretch. There's more of a science to boxing, it's more of a conditioned effort. The training is a lot different, there's more of a science to boxing, it's more of a conditioned effort.

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**BENGAL BOUTS**

**Boxers move one step closer to winning championships**

**130-lb. fighters enter competition in quarterfinals**

By BRIAN BURKE

Sports Writer

Those who show up for the start of the Bengal Bout quarterfinal matches Monday night will get an opportunity to see some of the smallest of the fighters as the 130-pound weight class begins competition.

The first bout of the night matches Tom Steinbach against Brian "The Boxer Rebellion" Kenney.

"Brian is trying to rest tonight for the fight, and he doesn't want to get wipped up in the media, so I'll be finding any questions from the press," said Kenney's "press secretary" Daniel Hibey. "Brian's an underrider, I'd say, because he hasn't fought anybody. There's some tough guys in his weight class. He really believes in 125 (pounds), but they didn't have enough fighters.

The other 130-pound pairing features Derrick "Blackout" Bravo against Coleman Lechner. Bravo comes from his first fighting experience, but he was impressed with the short guys they didn't have enough fighters," said Bravo. Lechner will look to negate the reach advantage of the taller Lechner by either staying away or finding the openings when they may not be as big a factor.

**135 lbs.**

At 135 pounds, last year's champion and now a captain, Matt "The Don" Fumagalli begins his title defense when he takes on John Thompson.

Hollowell comes into the fight having defeated Charles Cullen. Although he is the defending champion, he is only his second bout ever, Fumagalli sees his opponent's prior fight as something that will help him in the quarterfinals.

"This is going to be my first fight of the year. Tony has a fight under his belt," Fumagalli said. "It's a tough opponent, he's aggressive and he's a lot, so I have to counter that."

Fumagalli comes in with a definite edge in experience, but sees expectations as something extra to deal with this around town.

"Nothing's really changed from last year," Fumagalli said. "It's still a lot more pressure. A lot more expected of the captain."

The next card of the night pits and Ryan Duffy against Guillermo Tijerina. Duffy enters his first fight under the ring name of "The Don". Duffy is coming off a loss by decision against Monte Oita. Tijerina hopes to continue the momentum gained from a unanimous decision victory over Eric Oita. Tijerina wants to keep the fight tactical and avoid too many wild exchanges.

"I just want to keep it calm in the ring. This fight was for a good cause, so I'm not going out there with a lot of stress." Tijerina remarked. "I feel pretty well (against Oita), for the most part kept the fight tuned down. I'm going to keep that pace against Ryan." Fumagalli said.

"I was able to get the win, because I'm taller, so I want to use my reach and keep my jab strong," said Melby.

"I'm looking to establish my stance early," said Keppel. "I want to be aggressive but still pressure my opponent and not get run over."

Czerniawski was one of the more impressive fighters who competed on Thursday night, soundly defeating Paul "Crouching Tiger, Hidden Dragon" Stinson in a unanimous decision. Czerniawski stayed aggressive the entire fight, relentlessly pounding his opponent and causing the fight to be stopped due to Stinson's bleeding.

**160 lbs.**

Chris Pettit will be facing the class of Thursday's preliminaries fighters, namely Mike "The Millenia Man" Melby. Pettit did not compete on Thursday, but Melby did, crushin Michael "Peaches" Kwiat. Melby never stopped attacking, and while Kwiat countered Melby for the first round, the next two rounds were all Melby. The taller Melby has more sparring experience, but Melby said the exchanges were "pretty even -- nobody really got the upper hand."

As far as preparation for his next fight, Melby hopes to use size to his advantage.

"I'm taller, so I want to use my reach and keep my jab strong," Melby said.

Dennis Abdelleouf will fight Vince "The Italian Meatball" DeGennaro, giving DeGennaro a challenge. Abdelleouf, who did not fight Thursday, is an experienced and talented fighter. DeGennaro best Andrew "The Atomic" Baum last week, a fight where DeGennaro gradually took control in the second and third rounds.

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**Closely decided bouts are expected at middleweight**

By JEFF BALTRUZAK

Sports Writer

150 lbs.

If their last fights are any indication, tonight's fight between Tucker "The Wicked Bad Bostonian" McGree and Luke "Desperado" Busam should be a close one. Both boxers secured narrow split decisions in the preliminaries, with McGree defeating Patrick "The Klasse" Kolesiak and Busam dispatching Brian "The Irish Stallion" Long.

Julian "Bel Biv" Devoe will have his hands full with Chris Mattusza. Mattusza received a bye to advance to the quarterfinals, while Devoe narrowly defeated Ted Volz in a split decision. Volz hammered Devoe with an effective jab in their fight, and the fight was stopped twice to control Devoe's bleeding.

155 lbs.

One standout fighter on Thursday was Jason McMahon, who was awarded a bye to the quarterfinals.

Keppl had no problem with Shawn "The Full Monty" Montesantl last week, securing a standing eight-count on his opponent in the first round, and then continuing his thrilling of Montesantl for the next two rounds on his way to a unanimous decision.

Keppl's strategy against Pierce is similar to his previous fight.

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"I'm a little apprehensive, but I'm feeling better, said Alex Pendarvis. "I can't let up on intensity, I need to control the fight. He'll come at me, but I can't brawl with him. That's not my style."

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BASEBALL

Tamayo leads Irish to victory at Alamo Invitational

Special to the Observer

Senior righthander Danny Tamayo tossed six shutout innings while the Notre Dame offense overcame the absence of injured leading hitter Brian Stavisky, as the 11th-ranked Irish closed out play Sunday at the Alamo Invitational with a 7-4 win over Sam Houston State, at V.J. Keefe Stadium.

Notre Dame (5-1) pushed across three unearned runs on the fourth inning versus righthanded starter Joe Fowler, who just five days earlier had posted an impressive 2-1 win over perennial power Texas A&M. Fowler (2-2) gave up four hits and two walks over the first four innings while striking out four Irish batters.

Tamayo's efficient 94-pitch outing included a career-best 10 strikeouts over six innings, with just three hits and one walk allowed. He faced just 20 batters, thanks to a pair of double plays in the second and fourth innings.

Stavisky — who batted .650 with six walks during the first five games — did not play due to a hamstring injury suffered late in Saturday's game versus Texas-Pan American, and remains out indefinitely.

Notre Dame plated three runs in the fourth and three in the seventh before seeing SHSU (4-9) stage a minor rally in the final two innings.

Junior centerfielder Steve Stanley (4-for-5) led a 12-hit Irish attack and was one of five Notre Dame players named to the all-tournament team. The other all-tournament players included Tamayo, senior righthander Aaron Heilman, sophomore leftfielder Kris Billmaier (5-for-11 in the three games, with six RBIs) and freshman first baseman Joe Thaman (5-for-12). Stanley batted 7-for-12 in the tournament.

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Jason Harrison then misplayed Steve Sollmann's grounder, allowing another unearned run to score.

The Bearcats also elected to save their No. 2 starter for the Irish but Nathan Boyd had a rocky seventh inning, allowing three runs on four hits and a pair of sacrifice flies from senior shortstop Alex Purzel and Billmaier. Sollmann and junior designated hitter Ken Meyer opened the rally with singles to center field before Stanley logged out a bunt single to the right side.

O'Toole then sandwiched an RBI single to left field around the pair of sacrifice flies, pushing the lead to 6-0.

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Conn-quering Huskies is next task for league champs

By KATHLEEN O’BRIEN Assistant Sports Editor

Tonight’s road matchup with Connecticut has lost some of the luster it had a year ago, when the Huskies reigned as the defending national champions, especially since the Irish have already escaped with first place in the Big East Division.

The Notre Dame-UConn face-off remains a marquis game, though, as ESPN has it marked off for a primetime slot on Big Monday. Unlike last year, when the lower-ranked Irish stunned the Huskies by knocking them off twice in one season, this time it’s the unranked Huskies who are trying to play their way into the N C A A Tournament while the No. 13 Irish [19-6, 11-3 Big East] are seeking to play their way out of the bubble a year ago. A certain position for this Irish team is near the bottom of the Eastern Conference of the Big East. The Irish have reason to worry, since the Pirates are the only team to hand them a pair of losses this season.

For guarding matchups, Husky center Souleymane Villanova will have his hands full in guarding Irish All-American Troy Murphy. Forwards Edmund Saunders and Butler, freshman forward Caron Butler, freshman guard Taliek Brown and junior college transfer Johnnie Selvie.

Murphy, at 18-9 and 7-7 in the Big East, are on the bubble of the NCAA Tournament, a possibility that hadn’t been considered when he said going to the tournament was a given.

The atmosphere in Hartford should be much like the one the Irish faced at Kentucky’s Rupp Arena. The UConn fans, used to supporting highly successful teams, know their basketball, and get into their team’s game.

The Huskies are an impressive 14-1 on their home court, the lone loss coming to Seton Hall.

Irish small forward David Graves (above) scored 19 in Notre Dame’s victory over Virginia Tech Saturday. When Graves plays well, the Irish usually follow suit, so he will be key against Connecticut.

Irish coach Mike Brey said.

"They’re a lot like Seton Hall," Brey said.

"They’re very young and they’re very talented," Graves said. "They’re a team that’s been playing for their lives up there on Monday," Irish coach Mike Brey said.

The Huskies, at 18-9 and 7-7 in the Big East, are on the bubble of the NCAA Tournament, a familiar position for this Irish team that wound up on the outside of the bubble a year ago. A 60-53 win over Miami (Fla.) on Saturday helped UConn’s chances, but beating Notre Dame at home was a must. The result would improve the Huskies to 7-1 in the Big East. A win over the No. 13 Irish [19-6, 11-3 Big East] on Monday would only improve the Huskies’ chances.

The Notre Dame-UConn face-off is one of the best up and coming bands in Chicago

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have her on the floor." Ivey finished the day with 10 points, nine rebounds and three steals. She rebounded from a first half in which she committed two fouls while hitting only one of nine field goal attempts.

The Irish shot only 37 percent from the field in the opening half and trailed by as many as four points before scoring nine of the final 14 points of the half.

McGraw blamed her team's sluggish start on emotions before the game. "I think I set the tone for the first half," McGraw said. "I could not control my emotions before the game and it overflowed into some of the players."

Ruth Riley led the Irish with 21 points on 7-of-10 shooting from the floor. Riley also hit seven free throws in her 38 minutes of play. Riley was also surprised by the Irish defense was able to adjust her style of play as the game progressed.

"I think as she got a little further away from the bas­ket, we had a little more pressure when she shot the ball," McGraw said. "In the second half, we were a little closer to her and made her shoot contested jumpers."

Hoyas' coach Fat Knapp has seen his team fall 107-45 to Connecticut, yet was not satisfied with simply putting out a solid effort against one of the nation's elite teams.

"It's very disappointing today," Knapp said. "I think our team did a lot of good things, we probably played Riley as good as we can play her. We had some good shots in those last ten minutes — we had to have a tough offense to beat Notre Dame today."

HOCKEY
Irish victory raises playoff hopes

By JEFF BALTRUZAK
Sports Writer

Three weeks ago, Notre Dame's playoff hopes were just that — hopes. Desperate ones.

Two consecutive losses at Ohio State had officially put the Irish against the wall, and the squad could not seem to find its scoring touch.

That was then. Now, following a 3-1 win over Alabama State on Saturday and a 4-4 tie on Friday night in Fairbanks, the Irish suddenly control their own playoff destiny and playoff hopes have turned into playoff considerations.

Notre Dame is 3-0-2 in its last five, and they have jumped ahead of Bowling Green in the race for the tenth and final playoff spot, with 18 points to the Falcons' 17. The win and tie this weekend improved Notre Dame's record to 9-21-7 overall, and 6-14-6 in league play.

"It was a big game," said Dame's record to 9-21-7 over­all, and 6-14-6 in league play.

Rotating goalies all season, Coach Dave Poulin with Tony Zasowski in Friday's game against the Nanooks. The Irish jumped ahead on the Nanooks, only to watch their lead melt away.

Fittingly enough, the Dan Carlson scored first for the Irish when he guided a Connor Dunlap shot into the net on the power play for a 1-0 lead. The senior left winger is Notre Dame's top scorer and has been the most consistent offensive threat on the season but especially in the playoff drive.

Less than four minutes passed between Conor Kenf's assist when Brett Lebda assisted him the period. The next 15 minutes of the third period and the entire five minute overtime went without a score as Kimento was solid for the Irish, making 30 saves in a reliever role.

Kimento got the start on Saturday in place of Zasowski, and played solidly. He allowed just one goal in the second peri­od, saving 29 shots."

"When they scored, it just made me mad," Kimento said. "I couldn't dwell on the goal."

The start of the game looked like the previous night's contest, with Dan Carlson scoring first again in the opening period when Brett Lebda assisted him on the power play. Lebda got into the scoring col­umn himself when the Irish defensemen took a rebound and slammed it back past McKay. Carlson put the Irish up 3-1 when he scored his second of the night on an assist from Ryan Doderer after the Nanooks had pulled McKay looking for the equalizer.

The Irish face off against Western Michigan this week­end.

Freshman Aaron Gill lines up for a shot. Notre Dame moved within reach of playoffs with a victory this weekend.
Relay team breaks record during Belles’ third place finish

By KATIE MCVoy
Assistant Sports Editor

The Saint Mary’s track team, which will be dissolved next year, refuses to go quietly into the night. The Belles are going out to run and they are running away with new records.

During Saturday’s meet at Huntington College, all 10 women who competed placed, with the Saint Mary’s eight-lap relay team winning and breaking a school record in three minutes, 45 seconds.

“I think the fact that we did really well this meet shows that it’s sad we won’t have a team anymore,” team captain Erica Burket said, “but we’re still going to go out there and compete.”

Burket was part of the winning relay team along with freshmen Courtney Fillmore and Lauren Stoeger and junior Laura Graf. The eight-lap relay in indoor competition is shorter than the 4x400-meter relay that is run in outdoor track, and the women owe their win, in part, to practic­ing the right distance during the week.

“We had run that same distance interval during the week,” Burket said, “so we knew the distance and worked well on it. We knew how fast we had to go.”

“Everyone just put their mind to [winning],” team captain Kara Bergman added.

The previous eight-lap relay record was a 1994 time of 3:50. In addition to the first place eight-lap relay finish, five Saint Mary’s women went home with a top-three finish. The Belles finished second, only five points behind second place Goshen.

“I’m so happy for the whole entire team,” Bergman said. Marian College placed fourth in the meet, 24 points behind the Belles’ 36.

Saint Mary’s cleaned up in the 55-meter races. The Belles went one-two in the 55-meter hurdles and grabbed fourth place in the 55-meter dash.

Burket crossed the finish line of the 55-meter hurdles first, with a time of 2:22 seconds, and Stoeger was right behind her in 9.77.

In long distance events, Graf won the 800-meter run with a time of 2:18, breaking the indoor track record set earlier this sea­son.

Freshmen Nicole Garcia took home a third place finish in the 1600-meter crossing the line in 6:09.

The Belles also placed eight women in field events, five in jumping events.

Freshman Becky Shrepkowski won out in the triple jump, with a jump of 32 feet, 4 inches, also placing fourth in the long jump in 15-6 1/4. Her long jump was only 1/4 inch short of Burkett’s school record.

Junior Akmaral Omarova also placed fifth in the triple jump with a leap of 27-1/4.

Freshman Kemi Adebamowo took a fourth place finish in the shot put with a throw of 24-1, Bergman and Stoeger tied for fifth place with throws of 24-1. Pole-vaulter Jaclyn Thompson attended the meet, but could not participate due to an ankle injury.

This meet was the last indoor meet for the Belles before they start outdoor competition in April with a trip to 27-1/4.

“The team believes that this performance will be a springboard to a good outdoor season. I think everybody feels really good, considering [the team’s dis­solution],” Bergman said. “Everybody is really excited for outdoor and really looking forward to it.”

When MIAA competition starts, Saint Mary’s will be running in small meets similar to Saturday’s contest.

“I definitely think this meet is a good indicator of how our sea­son is going to go,” Bergman said. “It was a smaller meet and smaller teams, and that is how the MIAA is.”

The team’s first outdoor meet is at the Wabash Invitational on Mar. 17.

Irish rank fourth in Sporting News survey

Special to the Observer

The University of Notre Dame athletic program ranks forth in the nation among 115 NCAA Division I-A schools. The Irish claimed Division I-A men’s basketball and Division I-A football. The ranking is according to a second annual survey by The Sporting News in which schools were graded according to standards ranging from on-field to ade­

The survey was based on the 2000 football and 1999-2000 basketball seasons.

Notre Dame received one A, two B+s and a B for a 3.42 grade-point average. The Irish finished behind Stanford (3.5), Michigan State (3.5) and North Carolina (3.5).

Schools were rated based on grades in four areas:

- “Do We Play Fair?” [Notre Dame received a B this year, a B last year] — number of teams sponsored, their success rates, graduation rate for all sports (for those who entered from 1990 through 1995) and Title IV compliance.
- “Do We Graduate?” [Notre Dame received an A this year] — graduation rates for classes entering from 1990-93 based on the most recent statistics pub­lished by the NCAA in its 2000 Division I Graduation-Rates Report.
- “Do We Rock?” — fan sup­port, attendance, merchandise sold, size of athletic budget, number of teams and points awarded in Sears Directors’ Cup competition.
- “Do We Win?” [Notre Dame received a B this year, a B last year] — wins, regular-season conference championships, con­ference tournament champi­onships, rank in The Sporting News polls and performances in NCAA tournament and bowl games.

The latest survey is in the Feb. 7 issue of The Sporting News.

“BUBBLE BOY” HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Coming to the club this Wednesday night is our annual “Bubble Boy” hockey tournament.

Teams of two will match up against each other and play three 40 second periods. Winners advance to the finals and might even get a chance to play in the “city-wide” tournament in downtown South Bend. Of course, the winners of this Wednesday night’s tourney will also get prizes (t-shirts) and all participants get retro pint glasses from our sponsor. “Moaning Lisas” will also be playing this Wednesday night (no cover with club membership). Must be 21 or older with valid ID.
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CANCER (June 21-July 22): Expect to have sudden changes regarding your relationships. Emotional moves will be to your benefit in the long term. Larger quarters or more people on your domestic scene loom.

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Tuesday, February 26, 2001
Rout of Hokies wraps up first ever division title

By KATHLEEN O'BRIEN
Associate Sports Editor

Notre Dame didn’t take any chances with wrapping up its first-ever conference title, cementing the Big East West Division champs Saturday by flattening Virginia Tech 85-61 in Blacksburg, Virginia.

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McGraw says goodbye to five seniors

Muffet McGraw grew up before Studio 54, Mandy Moore, and the invention of the Internet. So don’t expect McGraw to recall every detail of her storied career as a player and coach, especially those that do not even exist.

"I don’t think they had Senior Day back then," McGraw said on Saturday. "They didn’t even have videotapes then."

"Back then" was 1977, McGraw’s senior season at St. Joseph’s University in Pennsylvania. That was also the first year Notre Dame had a women’s basketball team.

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Ivey excels despite foul trouble

By NOAH AMSTADTER
Sports Editor

Niele Ivey went from tears to tears on Senior Day, but in the end all she could hear were the cheers.

Following an emotional pre-game ceremony in the Joyce Center on Saturday, the No. 2 Irish (25-1, 14-1 Big East) struggled to build a lead over conference foe Georgetown (15-12, 6-9) before finally pulling away in the game’s final 10 minutes to win 65-53.

Ivey re-entered the game with 12 minutes, 47 seconds remaining, carrying four fouls into the crucial final minutes of the game. In the next three minutes, Ivey drained a 3-pointer, found Ruth Riley under the basket and hit a free-throw. By the time the clock read 9:34, the four-point deficit turned into a four-point Irish lead.

"Niele did a great job of playing with four fouls," Irish coach Muffet McGraw said after the game. "It was a big decision whether or not to put her in the game. She’s the floor general. We’ve got to earned with good ball rotation. We made the extra pass and got some open looks," Brey said. "Our veterans really set the tone early with great unselfishness and really got the job done."

Murphy led the Irish into a 45-28 halftime lead with 14 points. He put on a shooting workshop, getting points on free throws, a 3-pointer, a slam dunk from Ryan Humphrey, a fadeaway jumper and a layup.

But the junior All-American

Seniors say goodbye to Joyce center with victory

Ivey goes up for a shot during Saturday's victory over Georgetown. The Notre Dame

DUFFY-MARIE ARNOLD/The Observer
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