By HELENA PAYNE  
News Editor

Three new crime incidents have prompted Notre Dame Security/Police to stress the importance of safety in numbers, but students maintain that the campus remains secure.

In the first incident, NDSP Assistant Director Phil Johnson said a student told NDSP that three passersby assaulted him early Saturday at 12:34 a.m. between the Joyce Center and Notre Dame Stadium.

The student was en route to the residence hall from the Alumni-Senior Club when he apparently had exchanged words with the three suspects, described as two black males, one 5-foot-10 and one 6-foot-4. The man and one of the black men were described as between the ages of 19 and 20.

Johnson said the suspects fled the scene immediately after the attack.

"The security officers tried to locate the suspects but did not find them," Johnson said. He said there was no information connecting this case to the two reports of attempted robbery by the Rockne Memorial Building and between South Dining Hall and Fisher Hall. Those cases are still under investigation.

Senior Philip Wittliff, the student involved in the Rockne incident, called the incident "a fluke."

"It's not that big of a deal," Wittliff said, describing how one suspect ran behind him and put him in a choke hold as he was walking to his car parked in the D6 lot after studying with accounting students in Dillon Hall.

"I could barely breathe, and at first, I was really calm because I thought it was one of my buddies," Wittliff said.

Once he realized that the suspects wanted money, the off-campus senior said he heeded his demands and called security from his former dorm, Fisher Hall.

One Fisher resident, senior Nick Salazar said he might be slightly more cautious, but he still feels safe.

"I don't think that there's been that drastic of a change in my attitude toward campus crime," Salazar said.

Stolen Sorin Property

However, NDSP did find the three non-student youths who stole a laptop computer and an XBox video game system from an unlocked room in Sorin Hall.

"Two of the students were lodged at the juvenile facility and one was released in the custody of his parents," Johnson said.

Johnson said the students probably took advantage of the fact that many students left their dorm rooms to watch the Michigan State football game elsewhere.

"The most common crime on campus is the theft of unattended property from unlocked areas," Johnson said.

Sophomore Jackie Burke said she always felt safe and does not hesitate to leave her possessions unattended in the dining hall or Coleman-Morse Center.

"Before I came, my grand­mother always said never to walk alone, but I thought, 'It's a small campus. There's always people around,'" she said.

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NDSP responds to 3 crimes

Students say they still feel secure on campus despite recent incidents

Notre Dame Security Police Officer Tim Reiter helps a gentleman with directions. Police officers recently responded to a report of stolen property and two cases of assault.

Executive Cabinet

Students debate 10-year plan proposal

By MATT BRAMANTI  
News Writer

Student government's Executive Cabinet met Monday to discuss the strategic planning initiative that began last week.

The 10-year plan, entitled "Notre Dame 2010: A Quest for Leadership," will integrate issues of academics, student life, finances, research and other matters. It is expected to be presented to the University's Board of Trustees in May.

Members proposed various ways to create plans and eventually decided that member organizations would create their own individualized documents.

Students Body President Libby Bishop was optimistic that long-
Rematch time

It's the perfect time of year. The tempera-ture has finally fallen far enough that I can trade in shorts and T-shirts for jeans and my favorite oversized sweat-shirt. Pretty soon the leaves will be changing colors and the game being held in to Saint Mary's will be beautiful.

But what's best about this time of your life is the tem-perature or the leaves changing colors or even the thought of hot football.

And this coming weekend promises to be another classic.

I have a very important meeting on Saturday. That meeting involves me, coach, a case of beer and a room full of Steelers and Browns fans. Cleveland and Pittsburgh are real football towns. They're both industrial cities with smoke stacks that still look like they're polluting. They're full of blue collar families who aren't so impressed with themselves that they've turned in the old family car for a PT Cruiser. But most importantly, they know their football and they love their teams.

The results have already started. I walked into the office Tuesday to shouts of "Hey McVoy, are you ready for the Browns to lose on Sunday?"

To which I responded, "Check out the records. Who has two wins and who has two losses?"

Sure, I remember that the Browns lost in sudden-death overtime last year to the Steelers. It still stings a little. But here's why.

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Freshmen to choose leaders today

By SARAH NESTOR
Saint Mary's Editor

Six tickets are in the running for the freshmen president and vice president slots. The winner will be chosen today.

Elections coordinator Alison Joseph called the turnout a "great response from the class of 2006."

The six presidential tickets have a variety of plans for improving class unity and planning class activities.

Megan Conway and Crystal Schauf are focusing on social activities such as an ice cream social, dances and a day trip to Chicago.

Anna Bauer and Liz Goers hope to plan class activities, but first will plan hand out a survey to have input of exactly the class wants.

Clare Hoyt and Kristen Vokaty hope to plan weekend activities, a 1980s theme dance and open to taking suggestions from classmates.

Becky Winston and Kathleen McMorrow would like to plan a freshman slumber party, a class tailgate before a Notre Dame football game and plan to sell hats and pants with the class motto "Fresh."

Mayureen Zimmer and Jenny Betti hope to organize class Masses, dances and study breaks to unify the class.

Leona Hackett and Janet Brace want to plan a lot of theme events, such as dances and service projects but plan to base decisions on student feedback.

With six tickets campaigning, a run-off election appears inevitable. One ticket needs to receive at least 50 percent of the vote to avoid a runoff, though it is unlikely a ticket will receive more than 50 percent of the vote. If necessary, the run-off election will be held on Thursday in the dining hall during serving hours.

In addition to the women running for president and vice president, there are also eight tickets running to fill the 13 at-large spots on Freshmen Class Board.

Board candidates include Lauren Condon, Elizabeth Kulinski, Colleen Bruen, Chelsea Rahn, Amy Oliva, Jackie Wright, Danielle Lerner and Amy Martin.

The elected president and vice president will fill the remaining board positions.

"Usually the elected president and vice president have an interviewing process to fill the remaining board positions," said Joseph.

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Burke added that she also typically associated campus crime with non-students, especially visitors on foot-
ball week-
ends.
He said the quick response by the student who report-
ed suspi-
cious youths was helpful, and he said students should be quick to call NDSP in sim-
ilar circum-
stances.
"This (theft) would have been a huge cost, not only in the cost of the computer, but even in the data," Johnson said.
NDSP referred the case to juvenile justice authorities for burglary or the posses-
sion of stolen property.
Assault
In a separate investiga-
tion, a 21-year-old South Bend resident arrived at the Security Building Friday at 7:30 a.m. requesting a ride home after he was pushed off his bike by an unidentified.
"(The bike) was just flat out a part of the flagpole," Johnson said.
"He couldn't point out the location of the alleged assault, but he believed it happened on South Quad near the flagpole."
By JOE TROMBELLO
News Writer
The auditorium in the 104 Bond Hall was not large enough to contain those facul-
ty and students of the School of Architec-
Kunstler, an advocate of the New Urbanism movement in architecture, is the author of eight books, including "The Geography of Nowhere," "Home from Nowhere," and "The City Is Dead."
Called "New Urbanism's Avenging Angel" by a South Bend Tribune article pub-
lished Sunday, Kunstler mixed humor with harsh criticisms of the architectural problems plaguing American suburbs.
"We have created thousands of places that are not worth caring about and pretty soon we will have an entire country that is not worth defending," Kunstler said.
A former writer for Rolling Stone Magazine, Kunstler has no formal training in architec-
ture or fields relating to design. Nevertheless, he has lectured at such universities as Harvard, Yale, Columbia and Dartmouth, and opened up the 2002-2003 Bond Hall lecture series "From Classicism to the Avant-Garde: Contemporary Directions in Architecture."
"The real problem with America is that it's all equally miserable, equally low quality, and equally demoralizing and degrading," he said. "Public space in America — what a warm and welcome place — if you're an androind.
Using a variety of slides that compared current American suburbs to their historical counterparts, Kunstler illus-
trated our inability to effec-
tively define space in order to create meaningful and memo-
rable places and buildings. Instead, Kunstler showed how architects have created unimposing wastelands with lit-
tle concept of the underlying civic purpose.
"Everywhere in America has become the Special Olympics of architecture," Kunstler said. "We have got to do a bet-
ter job than this ... we need better places to go to than these brutal, horrible, despot-
ic buildings.
Kunstler went on to describe the demoralizing effect that the American suburbs' poor use of space has on its resi-
dents, particularly teenagers. He argued that such environ-
ments produce a tremendous amount of anxiety and depres-
sion.
"We send kids to schools that look like a maximum-security prison," he said. "Kids get a very special mes-
sage from a place like this, that it is pointless, that it is purposeless, that there is no future here."
Kunstler said the problem lies in schools that train archi-
tects to think that they must produce something original, something that has never been seen before, that they dis-
pense with all previous notions of the function and aesthetic quality of architec-
ture. Also, kunstler cited the irony of how advancements in architectural technology and tools have led to worse archi-
tecture.
The better our tools get, the worse our buildings get ... Much of the architecture of the 20th century is so distress-
ing," Kunstler said.
Kunstler proposed a solution to the problem of suburbia and its architecture. He said America must be downsized, or what he calls "right-sized," to have buildings that are smaller and closer together.
This downsizing should not be restricted to architecture, but should be applied to other facets of American life, from shopping to agriculture to school, Kunstler said.
"We are now entering an era when we have to get serious of doing something about the flxse that human habitat has become in America ... we are going to have to rediscover what the body of cultural "civic design" is, learn it and apply it," he said.
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Author discusses urban sprawl

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WEST BANK

Mideast tensions rise in response to Israeli action

Associated Press

RAMALLAH

A defiant Yasser Arafat dug in at his besieged compound Monday, rejecting Israel's demand to hand over the names of those believed inside. The Bush administration criticized Israel for the standoff and called for a pollister.

In Gaza, Israeli tanks fought Palestinian gunmen, and hospital officials said three Palestinians were killed and 20 injured.

As Israeli troops settled in around the compound, criticism of the third blockade in 10 months intensified in Israel and around the world. Prime Minister Ariel Sharon is boosting Arafat's popularity, instead of sidelining him, the government's detractors said.

At the U.N. Security Council in New York, the United States proposed a resolution calling for an end to the siege along with punitive measures against Israel's plots of Palestinian suicide bombings.

In Washington, statements issued by White House and State Department officials said Sharon's siege has "accelerated" U.S. efforts to improve security and reform the Palestinian leadership.

On the West Bank, an Israeli man was killed and three of his children, ages 9, 12 and 14, were wounded in a Palestinian shooting attack in the West Bank city of Hebron. The 9-year-old was in serious condition, hospital officials said.

Meanwhile, in the Gaza Strip, 20 Israeli tanks and two helicopters traded fire with Palestinian gunmen on the eastern edge of Gaza city near the Jewish settlement of Nahal Oz, according to witnesses and Palestinian security officials.

Three Palestinians were wounded and 20 others injured, two of them critically, hospital officials said.

The army confirmed that a military operation was under way in Gaza and said the barrage had been ended, but declined to comment further.

Sharon said earlier Monday that Israel would mount a military operation against Hamas in Gaza "as soon as we have the necessary troops together.

The assault on Arafat's office has made even more volatile. With Arafat and 200 aides and security guards by the troopers confined to a building, Palestinians claim is in danger of collapse, Israeli cannot guarantee the Palestinian leader's safety. Harm to Arafat, even affection, could ignite the region.

Palestinian leader Yasser Arafat sits with other leaders Monday at his besieged compound in the West Bank. Arafat refused to submit to demands by the Israeli government to give a list of those in the compound.

Arafat's isolation has already triggered mass street protests, some orchestrated and some spontaneous, in a replay of the scenes that marked the beginning of fighting two years ago. On Monday, Palestinians rallying around Arafat observed a commercial strike and burned tires and pelted soldiers with rocks — events rarely seen in recent months.

About 10,000 rallied in Gaza, many of them schoolchildren bused in for the demonstration. Early Tuesday, more than 1,000 Palestinians returned to the streets of Ramallah to support Arafat.

For the first time since Israeli tanks crashed into the compound on Thursday — retaliating for a Palestinian suicide bombing in Tel Aviv.

Gore speaks against Bush's stance on Iraq war

Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO

Al Gore harshly criticized President Bush's push for war against Iraq, saying it has hurt the United States' standing and could dangerously undermine the rule of law around the world.

"After Sept. 11, I'm not saying everyone should support a resolution that fails to recognize that this conflict has two sides, that fails to condemn acts of terror and the groups that perpetrate them."

In his first major speech on the Iraq situation, the once and possibly future Democratic presidential candidate accused Bush of abandoning the goal of a world where nations follow laws. "That concept would be displaced by a world of nations that have no law but the discretion of the president of the United States," he said.

"If other nations assert the same right, then the rule of law will quickly be replaced by the reign of fear," and any nation that perceives itself threatened would feel justified in starting wars, he said.

Gore also told an enthusiastic Commonwealth Club crowd he would decide in December whether to challenge Bush again for the presidency in 2004.

Republicans quickly pounced on the speech as evidence of Gore's weakness. It seemed to be a speech more appropriate for a political hack than a presidential candidate by someone who clearly failed to recognize leadership," said Jim Dyke, a Republican National Committee spokesman.

Gore always has supported overthrowing Iraqi President Saddam Hussein and was one of the few Senate Democrats who voted in favor of the Gulf War resolution after Iraq attacked Kuwait. He said he felt betrayed by the first President Bush's "hasty withdrawal from the battlefield."

But like other leading Democrats, Gore has expressed reservations in recent months about military action against Iraq, suggesting the diplomatic costs would be extremely high.

His speech Monday was much more critical, warning of ominous and untold consequences, ranging from a short-term power vacuum that could increase the danger of chemical and biological attacks, to the creation of legions of enemies angry and fearful about U.S. domination.

VATICAN COULD APPROVE U.S. ABUSE POLICY

The Vatican is leaning toward giving the go-ahead to the U.S. Bishops' plan to combat sexual abuse among priests, accepting the proposal as an experimental basis, a senior Vatican official said Monday.

Such a move by the Holy See would give Roman Catholic leaders in the United States time to enact the controversial reform policy without making permanent changes in church law.

World News Briefs

U.S. drafts Mideast resolution for UN: Calling a Palestinian draft resolution "one-sided," the United States conformed Monday with its own proposal to condemn Palestinian suicide bombings and call on Israel to cease military actions around Yasser Arafat's compound.

U.S. Ambassador John Negroponte said he wouldn't support a resolution that "fails to recognize that this conflict has two sides, that fails to condemn acts of terror and the groups that perpetrate them."

Miss Universe fired for first time:

For the first time in its 52-year history, the Miss Universe Organization has fired the woman wearing its crown. Oxana Fedorova, a 24-year-old Russian law student, was ousted four months after she won the pageant, the organization said. Spokeswoman Mary Hilliard McMillan said the organization would not comment on the reason until Tuesday, when the first runner-up, Miss Panama Justine Faude, 22, is expected to be crowned.

Gore's new family leave law:

Gov. Gray Davis signed a law Monday that makes California the first state to offer workers paid family leave:

The law — financed by an employee payroll tax — allows workers to take six weeks off to care for a newborn, a newly adopted child or ill family member. Employees will be eligible to receive 55 percent of their wages during their absence, up to a maximum of $72 a week.

INDIANA NEWS BRIEFS

Mishawaka mother to plead guilty: The woman caught on video beating her 4-year-old daughter in a Mishawaka, Ind., department store parking lot will probably plead guilty and seek mercy from the court, her lawyer said Monday.

Madeleine Toogood, 25, was arraigned on a felony charge of battery to a child, and a magistrate entered a plea of guilty on her behalf. Her attorney, Steven Rosen, called the plea a formality and later said there was no point in trying to challenge the surveillance video in court.

"We will probably enter a guilty plea and throw ourselves on the mercy of the court," he said after the arraignment.

He added: "If a jury has to sit in judgment of this lady, the jury is going to come back with a guilty verdict ... I'm confronted with a videotape that shows Attila the Hun, no question about it."

Earlier Monday, a Probate Court judge ordered that Toogood's daughter, Martha, remain in foster care. He also gave child-protection officials two weeks to recommend who should care for the girl. 
Study day
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Student Body President Kim Jensen informed the members of BOG that the presentation will include a survey completed by the student body on the reading day recommendation as well as other statistics that support the implementation of study days set aside at the end of each semester's academic calendar.

"We're very hopeful about this proposal," said Jensen after the meeting. "It's very extensive and thorough."

In other BOG news:
• Resident Hall Association President Jillian Kamasaki announced the formation of a new policy that will increase each dorms committee activity.
• The policy will require every committee to hold at least one activity each month. If the committees do not comply with this provision, 20 percent of their budgets will be withheld.
• RHA will also begin a "Hall of the Month" contest in which each residence hall will compete to receive a banner that will hang outside the hall, along with some possible other prizes.
• BOG Athletic liaison Molly Burns, requested support from the Saint Mary's community for this Saturday's MIAA cross country meet.

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term plans will provide clarity for the government, but said a few issues still needed to be analyzed. The first of the individualized plans will come to light on Oct. 14 when junior class president Meghan O'Donnell will present her organization's strategic plan.

In other Cabinet news:
• The Executive Cabinet welcomed its new secretary, first-year student Emily Chin. The resident of Welsh Family Hall replaces Erik Smith, who resigned last week.
• The new Student Activities master calendar, "Everything Under the Dome," has a new home. It will be displayed in what is currently the building directory in LaFortune Student Center, opposite the elevator.
• We're excited about the visibility this will bring," Bishop said. The Sophomore Class Council appealed to the Club Coordination Council for $1,500 to help defray the cost of this weekend's Spiritual Blast event. The concert, to be held Thursday night in Stepan Center, will feature the Christian music of singer Bebo Norman. The appeal passed with unanimous consent.

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DOWN TIME

A Notre Dame student enjoys the warm early-fall weather while eating lunch outside South Dining Hall between classes Monday.
Adelphia executives indicted

Court charges executives with building 'facade'

New York
Adelphia Communications Corp. founder John J. Rigas, two of his sons and other former executives were indicted Monday on charges that they built "a towering facade of false success" based on a $2.5 billion loan.

The indictment, handed up in U.S. District Court in Manhattan, seeks a staggering $2.53 billion in forfeitures for the alleged large-scale accounting fraud and corporate looting.

U.S. Attorney James Comey called the alleged looting "one of the most elaborate and extensive corporate frauds in United States history."

The 24-count indictment names Rigas, 77; his sons, Timothy, 46, and Michael, 48; James R. Brown, 40, former vice president of finance; and Michael C. Mulcahey, 45, former director of internal reporting.

The defendants "exploited Adelphia's Byzantine corporate and financial structure to create a towering facade of false success, even as Adelphia was collapsing under the weight of its staggering debt," Comey said.

"The corporate and personal reputation I have worked to build over the last 50 years has been irreparably damaged," Rigas said. "My family and I have always acted with integrity and honesty and are committed to restoring our credibility and that of Adelphia."

Lawyers for all five former executives have denied that their clients have committed any wrongdoing.

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Money to pay margin calls, or demands for cash payments on loans for which they had put up Adelphia stock as collateral.

Prosecutors also said that Adelphia employees regularly worked for other companies owned by Rigas family members, and that the companies' bills were regularly paid out of Adelphia bank accounts.

The family's companies included the Buffalo Sabres pro hockey team, a furniture and interior design company, a car dealership and a number of partnerships.

Rigas, who was the company's chief executive officer and president, and his sons have also been named as defendants in more than 40 civil lawsuits, including one the company filed the day of their arrests.

Stocks plunge after bad forecasts

The Nasdaq composite index slid to a six-year low Monday and the rest of Wall Street fell equally hard amid a worsening outlook for the U.S. economy and profit warnings from corporations.

The Dow Jones industrial average fell 196.51, or 1.8 percent, to 10,501.48, its lowest close since May 5. The Nasdaq fell 36.16, or 1.4 percent, to 2,573.85, its lowest since Feb. 26, 2001.

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Thursday, September 26

7:30-9:00 p.m. "From Shadows and Images to the Truth" (Auditorium) Ralph McInerney

Friday, September 27

9:00-10:15 a.m. Colloquium Sessions
Session 1: Teaching Ethics to Undergraduates: A Panel Discussion (Auditorium) Katrina Soeh, Robert Misier, Patrick Paul Kain, Ruth Greenhut

Session 2: Moral Responsibility and Justice (Room 202) "Attributing Meaning to Life after Experiences of Violence: Reconstructing Immanence and the Crisis of Moral Sense" (Auditorium)

Session 5: Healthcare Reform (ETS Room) "The Gospel Message: Health Care with Justice and Love (Room 122-114) "Health Insurance for the Poor" (Auditorium)

Session 4: Roads to Conversion and Reform (Room 200) "Poverty as a Paradigm for Peace" (Auditorium)
"Can We Save Our American Culture?" (Auditorium)

Session 3: Resources in the History of the Church (Room 105-114) "The Continuing Relevance of the Reform Proposals of Nicholas of Cusa in the Council of Basel (1433)" (Auditorium)
"The Ethical Consumption of Labor: The New Economy" (Auditorium)

Session 6: Virtues of Parenthood (Rooms 112-114) "Cultivating the Virtue of Responsibility" (Auditorium)
"Did we not know that I must be in my father’s house?" (Auditorium)
"Practising Parity through a Revaluing of Classical Biblical Father-Son Narratives" (Auditorium)

Session 7: Working for Life at the End of Life (Room 208) "Boomers: Paediatric and Jihad: The Just War Tradition and its Contemporary Implications" (Auditorium)

Tuesday, September 24

9:00-10:15 a.m. Colloquium Sessions
Session 1: Perspectives on Abortion (Auditorium) "Advancing the Culture of Life: Women and Abortion" (Auditorium)
"A Defense of Life: A Call to Respect Human Dignity in America" (Auditorium)
"The Promise of Human Life in the Face of Potential Genetic Atrocities" (Auditorium)

Saturday, September 28

7:30-9:00 p.m. "Abolitionism: A Christian Response to War" (Auditorium) Stanley Husted; Edna McDonough; Michael Foster, C.S.C.

Session 6: Distinctively Catholic Headache (Room 202) "Reemphasing the Distinctive Religious Mission of the Catholic Hospitals: Protecting the ‘Health Care Right of Conscience’ through Federal Legislation" (Auditorium)
"Renewal within Healthcare Organizations" (Auditorium)

Session 7: Ends, Laws, and Principles (Rooms 112-114) "Moral Faith and Transparent Ends" (Auditorium)
"Moral Particularism and Moral Reform" (Auditorium)
"Reconstructing the Culture of Marital Obligation" (Auditorium)

Session 8: Reforming Scientific Research (Room 100) "Human Catholic Moral Philosophy and the Ethics of Human Research" (Auditorium)
"Reform Communities for Teachers as a Strategy for Promoting Charity" (Auditorium)

10:45 a.m. - 12:00 Invited Papers
Session 1: "New Urbanism and Catholic Evangelism" (Auditorium) Philip Bess

Session 2: From Ostracized Idea to Vocational Commitment: Christian Scholarship in the Theologies (Rooms 210-214) Michael Sogofert, Ken Stephenson, Lowell Busmity, Mike Straw, George Marsden

3:30-4:45 p.m. Colloquium Sessions
Session 1: Authority and Emissaries (Room 200) "The Hero, Athlete and Worker of the Culture of Life" (Auditorium)
"Faith, Reason, and Authority: The Cultural Crisis in Room 105-121" (Auditorium)
"Culture, Meritocracy, and the Culture of Life" (Auditorium)

Session 2: Political Liberalism and the Public-Private Distinction (Room 208) "Responding to the Culture of Death: Reflections on Agenda for Reform" (Auditorium)
"Passive and Negative Freedoms: Rethinking Central Concepts of Rights" (Auditorium)
"An American Liberalism for Life: The Political Thought of the Founders and the Social Thought of Pope John Paul II" (Auditorium)

Session 3: Philosophy and Education (Rooms 210-214) "The Rule of a Parental Curriculum in Catholic Public Schools" (Auditorium)
"Mexican and Catholic Education" (Auditorium)
"Vocation and Virtue: The Pedagogy and Practice of Virtue in Thomas Aquinas" (Auditorium)

Session 4: Abortion: Toward Legal Reform (ETS Room) "Defending Fetal Rights: Protecting the Unborn from ‘Third-Party Fanaticism’" (Auditorium)
"The Need for a Federalism Amendment on Abortion" (Auditorium)
"Practical Strategies for Humanizing the Unborn" (Auditorium)

Session 5: Making (American) Catholicism More Urban: A Panel Discussion (Auditorium) Vincent Rougeau, Nicole Guitton, Eric N. Kufflin

Session 6: Interpretation and Communication: A Panel Discussion (Room 106) Kathleen Glennon Roberts; Jane Hadden Frit, Eric Grabowski; John Prebelski

Session 7: Human Dignity and Responsibility (Rooms 112-115) "Educating Lawyers for the Culture of Life" (Auditorium)
"Why Stewardship May Not Be the Best Model for Environmental Ethics" (Auditorium)
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5:00 p.m. Mass (Refectory of the Sacred Heart)
Anxiety grows over serial rapist in Ohio

By JORDAN GENTILE & LISA EVERMAN
The Ohio State Lantern

COLUMBUS, Ohio

The serial rapist stalking the Ohio State University campus area claimed his fifth and sixth victims over the weekend of Sept. 14 and 15, compelling university officials to intensify efforts alerting local residents to the threat.

As autumn quarter begins and the campus fills with students — many of whom are unaware of the sexual assaults that have gripped the area over the summer — that task may become increasingly difficult.

"After students move in there will be a greater concentration of targets in an already ripe environment," said Sgt. Pat Foley of the Sexual Abuse Unit of the Columbus Division of Police. "Everyone needs to be aware of the neighborhood's environment and keep an eye on each other for safety."

The fifth assault was a rape and the sixth is being called an assault with sexual overtones. As with all of the previous attacks, both occurred between 5 a.m. and 10 a.m. in an off-campus area bounded by North High Street to the west, North Fourth Street to the east, Patterson Avenue to the north and 10th Avenue to the south.

Five of the six victims are confirmed as Ohio State students.

The attacks have been attributed by Columbus police to a black male in his 20s or 30s, of average height and weight, with either short hair or a shaved head.

In each case, the perpetrator gained access to his victims by entering their homes through an unlocked door or window. On at least one occasion, he entered while his target was on a short errand, another time he barged into a residence after persuading a woman to open the door. He has threatened each victim with a knife.

In addition to an increased Columbus police presence, the off-campus area in which the rapist operates is now being watched by Community Crime Patrol, a group founded and co-sponsored by OSU police, according to a university press release.

While the area is out of the jurisdiction of University Police, OSU Police Chief Ron Michalec said he has not been left out of the loop.

"We have great confidence in the Columbus police and we are doing everything we can to cooperate in their investigation, specifically in terms of the public awareness campaign," he said.

That campaign, initiated this summer in response to the string of assaults, has been stepped up in response to the two recent attacks. At a press conference Wednesday, representatives from the university and Undergraduate Student Government announced new initiatives designed to educate and protect incoming students.

"It's the university's no. one priority, as far as I'm concerned, to make sure that students, as they come in literally from all over the world, are alerted to the threat," said William Hall, vice president for Student Affairs.

Posters and fliers bearing warnings and safety tips are being distributed on and off campus. Door-to-door visits by OSU police have been initiated, and a web page has been created providing a list of resources related to personal safety, including free self-defense and rape prevention classes.

Tonight, resident advisers will hold mandatory floor meetings during which safety issues are to be discussed at length.

As part of its safety awareness week, USG will hand out "screamers" — devices that emit loud signals designed to draw attention "when it's the [one's] moment," said Sgt. Foley.

Northsteppe Realty did not attend Wednesday's meeting, but Northsteppe property manager Rick Graff said communication between OSU and the land owners has always been important, and that's how this guy is going to be caught," said Graff.

"We're just beginning to, in light of recent events," said Willie Young, coordinator for Off-Campus Student Services.

"Students are very leery of spending the money," Graff said. "Everybody thinks it's going to happen to someone else.

Still, some off-campus residents are taking the university's warnings to heart. Meghna Batra, an engineering student who arrived from India two weeks ago, learned of the serial rapist for the first time when an OSU police officer visited her apartment as part of the neighborhood patrol.

Since then, she has changed her habits. "Now, I keep windows closed and doors locked," she said. "And I pay more attention to my surroundings."

Michalec said he is counting on such vigilance to help restore the security of the campus area.

"It would be nice to think that the police are going to be able to do it exclusively," Michalec said. "When we talk about who's going to catch this person, it's going to be a student who sees something unusual, who makes the telephone call to the police department, and that's how this guy is going to be caught."
**Center for Social Concerns Happenings**

Please make sure to look for the CSC's insert in today's Observer listing many of the ways to be involved in the local community.

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**Vehicle Training**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR STUDENTS WHO MAY WANT: AT ANY TIME IN THE FUTURE - TO USE VEHICLES FOR SERVICE IN THE COMMUNITY**

If you think that there is even a possibility that you, at some time in the future, may want to use a University Vehicle to do service in the community, we suggest that you attend the FINAL TRAINING SESSION presented by the Transportation Services Department. It will be held on Sunday, September 29, DeBartalo, Room 102 at 6:45 p.m.

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**Study Abroad in Uganda**

**Study Abroad Opportunity for Spring 2003** in Uganda, East Africa offered through the School for International Training:

- Focus: "Development Studies & Issues Challenging Developing Nations"
- Come learn more!
- Tuesday, Sept. 24
- 5:00 pm
- 129 Hayes - Healy

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**El Paso/Ciudad Juarez Borders Issues Seminar**

This one-credit (THEO 371) seminar over winter break, January 2-8, examines immigration and related issues that surface between the United States and Mexico border. Participants will have the opportunity to stay at different shelter homes on both sides of the border, meet with refugees, help with daily chores at the homes, visit maquilas and border patrol posts, and discuss policy issues.

- *Information Session* October 8, 5-30-6pm, Coffee House (CSC)
- *Applications are available at the CSC and are due October 14*
- *For more information, contact Melody Gonzalez at 4-1715 or gonzalez.76@nd.edu*
- *January 3-9, 2003*
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**Holy Cross Mission in Education Seminar**

Immerse yourself in the educational mission of Notre Dame’s Holy Cross priests to a largely Hispanic population in Arizona’s Valley of the Sun. You’ll participate in the creative programming of St. John Vianney grade school and experience Phoenix’s well-known Andre House of Hospitality. Local families love to host you, and you’ll explore some of the region’s natural beauty. Ideal for students considering ACE!

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**Current Volunteer Opportunities**

**Individuals:**
A person who is a sibling of twins, triplets or quadruplets is needed to mentor to a girl who is the sister to quadruplets. Contact Marissa Runkle at 289-4831.

**Special Needs:**
A woman with physical and learning disabilities needs help typing and editing her books. She would like to meet 2 times a week in the afternoons. Contact Carol at 256-9319 before 7pm.

**Agencies:**
- **Learn Fun** is an extended learning program for kids k-6 at Jefferson Elementary School. They are looking for tutors M-F from 2:40-3:30 or 4:30-5:30. Contact Tonieka Jones at 283-8700 from 11-6 or at (574) 514-8713.
- **Holy Cross Grade School** is looking for tutors for kids in grades 6-8 for their after school Math Help Program. It runs on Wednesdays from 3-4. Contact Colleen O’Brien at school: 234-3422 or home: 287-3006.
- **Believers After School Program** is looking for tutors/mentors for teenagers ages 12-18 one day a week, T/W/Th 3:30-6:30. Contact Tera Barnes or Jackie Davis at 233-3353.
- **Greater Holy Temple** is looking for tutors for children grades 1-12 on Tuesdays, 7-8. It is located at 710 Napolean. Contact Jean Cane at 631-5858 or home: 243-9435.
- **St. Joe Regional Medical Center** is looking for people to read to small children. You need only read for an hour a time, and you choose M-F between 9-12 and 1-4. Contact Denise Kapsa at 237-7242 or kapsad@sjrmc.com.

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**International Summer Service Learning Program**

Sites in 13 developing countries around the world

- **Application due date November 1st**
- It’s never too early to explore and consider the possibilities...
- **ISSLP Information Night**
  - Tuesday, Sept. 24
  - 6:30-7:30 pm
  - CSC

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**Spiritual Blast**

Get information on Religious and Service Organizations on campus

- **Thursday, September 26th, 7pm-12 midnight**
- **Stepan Center**
- **Free Food**
  - Featuring entertainment by Bebo Norman, a contemporary Christian artist

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**Exercise in Pennsylvania**

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White House criticizes Israeli action

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Breaking its silence, the Bush administration criticized Israel for laying siege to Yasser Arafat in his West Bank headquarters and called for a pullout.

Statements issued Monday by White House and State Department spokesmen said Israel had "aggravated" U.S. efforts to improve security and reform the Palestinian leadership.

At the United Nations Security Council in New York, the United States called for an end to the siege along with punishment of the plotters of Palestinian suicide bombings. Their renewed attacks last week prompted Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon to move against Arafat.

Israel has demanded that Arafat turn over terror suspects in his compound. Arafat has refused.

Privately, administration officials said the Israeli assault in Ramallah was puzzling after some progress had been made on both security and reform.

The pressure Israel put on Arafat may have been on both security and reform.

Bush's "deep cooperation and reform of the Palestinian hierarchy," State Department spokesman Richard Boucher said in Washington.

"We've urged Israel to consider carefully the consequences of its recent actions and their effect on the goals of Palestinian security cooperation and reform of Palestinian institutions," Boucher said.

Through the first two days of the siege the Bush administration said virtually nothing about Israel's actions.

On Sunday, the third day of the encircling of Arafat's battered compound in Ramallah, White House spokeswoman Jeanne Mamo said, "Israel's actions in and around the (Arafat compound) are not helpful in reducing terrorist violence or promoting Palestinian reforms.

Mamo also said, "We urge Israel to continue considering the consequences of its own "peaceful progress" toward reaching goals Bush has set: Palestinian elections next year, Arafat's removal as leader and creation of a Palestinian state within three years to exist peacefully with Israel.

At the same time, Mamo said Palestinian hopes for an independent state are greatly harmed by suicide attacks.

Let me just say that we're working fairly intensively with both sides and other international parties to try to calm the situation, to help resolve it," Boucher said.

Earlier, Bush admonished Sharon, who met separately with White House spokesman Ari Fleischer, who said the president considered the siege detrimental to peacemaking and reform.

American officials have conveyed the president's views to Sharon. Fleischer said in an apparent reference to Powell and Daniel Kurtzer, the U.S. ambassador to Israel.

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Supporters of the California legislation say the law will attract scientists who someday may be able to cure chronic diseases through the research. Proponents include actor Christopher Reeve, who has been a stem cell research activist since an accident left him paralyzed from the neck down. He believes stem cell research could help treat paralysis.

"Since stem cells were first isolated in 1998, the political debate has had a chilling affect on our scientists," Reeve said Sunday. "It is painful to contemplate what advances could have been made" if that research wasn't stifled.

Stem cells, which are found in human embryos, umbilical cords and placentas, can divide and become any kind of cell in the body. Opponents contend the research is tantamount to murder because it starts with the destruction of a human embryo.

On board Air Force One as President Bush flew to New Jersey on Monday, White House press secretary Ari Fleischer initially chatted up the California law to states' rights.

"The president has always said states have authority within their states," Fleischer said.

Later, Fleischer amended his remarks.

"The president thinks that all policies — state or federal — need to promote a culture that respects life, and in this case he does differ from what California and the governor there have done," he said.

State Sen. Deborah Ortiz wrote the bill that states that California will explicitly allow embryonic stem cell research, and allows for both the destruction and donation of embryos.

The bill requires fertility clinics that do in-vitro fertilization procedures to offer women that they have the option to donate discarded embryos to research. It requires written consent and bans the sale of embryos.

Ortiz and supporters of her bill said the research could be valuable in curing or alleviating chronic and degenerative conditions, such as Parkinson's disease, Alzheimer's and spinal cord injuries.

The law will attract "the best and the brightest" researchers to California and halt the migration of stem cell researchers to other countries where it is permitted, said Larry Goldstein, a professor at University of California, San Diego.

Since the federal government won't pay for stem cell research, researchers in California will have to be vigilant about keeping studies separate, said Susanne Huttner, associate vice president for research for the University of California.

Movie producer and director Jerry Zucker joined Davis and Ryn in announcing the law, saying he learned about stem cell research after discovering that his sick daughter had diabetes.

"After learning the daily routine, we began to ask what was being done to cure diabetes," he said. "Everyone told us that embryonic stem cell research is her best hope for a cure."

Zucker said he immediately decided to fight the biggest obstacle in finding a cure for our daughter is our own government.

Congress hasn't acted on any stem cell research bills, or a bill to ban human cloning, and Ortiz said there was still a question over whether California's law would be preempted by federal law.

Measures pending in Congress range from allowing research to criminalizing it and prosecuting those who engaged in research derived from stem cell research.

Ortiz has signed another bill which makes permanent a temporary ban on human cloning for reproductive purposes, said his spokesman Mary Mamo. That ban was set to expire at the end of the year.
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VIEWPOINT

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Dear Editor,

I am a lifelong resident of the Northeast Neighborhood, was born five blocks from campus, then grew up and moved two blocks from campus. Through the years, I’ve seen thousands of Notre Dame students in our neighborhood not only partying with the residents and among themselves, but lending a helping hand to the senior citizens in the neighborhood. I have seen the “bubble” people, (as called), come to the neighborhood and call our young black kids “niggers.” I’ve seen students, both boys and girls, so drunk at that original toby’s bar that they would pull their pants down and urinate all over the place. I could go on and on about the bubble children. In order to get respect, one must give respect. We as a community for years have tried to establish a relationship with the University, but because the bubble children think they’re better than others, they have missed the opportunity to enjoy the wonderful things the city of South Bend has to offer. True, we may not be as popular as other cities, but there’s a lot of love here. For years, those living north of Angela knew nothing about the people or the sites south of them. There are good students and bad students; there are good residents and bad residents. Only when we stop fighting one another and start knowing one another will we feel safe to venture out. When I see a group of students drinking and loud in my community, as a black lady, I feel just as uncomfortable as they do when they see a group of young black kids. Stop trying to belittle us because of a robbery. It happens to us all at some point. Just maybe, if you get to know your neighbors and stop judging us, your stay outside of the bubble would be pleasant. Just maybe, it’s time for fresh air inside the bubble.

La Ella Webster
South Bend

ND Today/Observisor Poll Question

Do you support a preemptive U.S. strike on Iraq?

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

“What has happened to the dreams of the United Nations’ founders? What has happened to the spirit which created the United Nations? The Great Vorms got in the way of the dreams of the people.”

Ronald Reagan
former U.S. President

Young woman brings new perspective

The water in the “cooler,” in which we had put our “soda,” leaked out onto our carpet over the course of Thursday and Friday nights. By Sunday, there was something unwanted growing in our apartment. Our orange-smelled — and not like roses. After hours of work, my roommate and I managed to eliminate the problem. The room now smells like Lysol.

As I worked to suck up the water, I became keenly aware that I have grown into an off-camp senior. Freshmen don’t have to worry about odors emanating from their living room. They don’t even have a living room.

Sometimes I wish I were a freshman again. I remember the first time I stepped into a college as so uncomplicated. I didn’t have a major. It didn’t matter. I went to class blissfully unaware of anything going on outside of campus. Even “the bubble” seemed like a big place to me. Three years ago as a resident of McGlinn Hall, I couldn’t even navigate my way to the Stephan Center. My only lament was the sub-par performance of the football team.

But then, I wouldn’t even make a good freshman anymore. Freshmen or at least those in my Introduction to Theology class, do all of the reading, take good notes and attend the professor’s office hours. As one of a handful of seniors in the class, I realized that I was the only one that had lost my notebook for the course. Last Thursday, I looked around the classroom to discover that none of my classmates would have to piece together my notes for the test this week. I can’t remember when I started being so dependent. Of course, my senior friends and I have had more pressing issues on our mind than our theology requirements. We have to figure out what we plan to do with our lives — or at least next year.

For my roommates and me, last week served as an introduction to everything this year will and will not be. We learned it will be busy. We discovered it will be tiring. We realized it will not be easy. From Saturday until Thursday, two of my roommates hurried to complete resumes, research companies and prepare for (or borrow) interview suits for the career fair.

Two more of my roommates spent the time studying for the Foreign Service Exam. I dedicated the seven days to an application that might — and I emphasize “might” — help me do what I want to do in Europe next year.

By Saturday all had come to the conclusion that only two options remained for the weekend: drinking and sleeping. I couldn’t even stay awake during the second half of the Michigan State game. I alone arose from the slumber when my friends began to blast the fight song and dance an Irish jig at the end of the game.

Involuntary and ill-timed naps aside, my roommates and I also discovered that what most happens this year will be out of our control. During the first part of the Foreign Service Exam, a test for employment in the State Department, my friends had to fill out questions on their work and leadership experience. After they finished, they asked the woman next to them where she works. She answered, “The Kroc Institute.” My roommate and I looked with the realization that we are entering a realm in which leadership experience as a form of work or simply a hobby team does not look very impressive.

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Most recently, the United States has become the global scapegoat concerning the impending war with Iraq. And when I say impending, I mean it. It has been approximately 12 years since the Gulf War ended, and Iraq still refuses to conform to the terms of the cease fire. Millions have died because of the U.N.'s misgivings and continued imposition of sanctions. Iraq is trying to develop weapons of mass destruction. Time is wearing thin.

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And then came the sanctions. People conveniently forget that the sanctions currently levied against Iraq are the result of a U.N. resolution, not the will of the United States. They forget that these sanctions are in effect because Iraq has refused to comply with the humanitarian and military resolutions agreed to after they decidedly lost the Gulf War. They forget that these sanctions are a non-violent attempt to force Iraqi compliance. Unfortunately, the sanctions have not had the desired effect.

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It has come to the last resort. Sadistic Hussein has no interest in fulfilling his promises to the rest of the world, and there is no evidence to the contrary. Even an eleventh hour acceptance of weapons inspectors is only an attempt to superficially appease the U.N. It is past time to force the issue.

We have a responsibility to the Iraqi people and to ourselves. We must see the people of Iraq treated with dignity. We must see them free from the cease fire, for which Americans fought with dying, are met. Sometimes doing what is right is popular. Most of the time it isn't.

Andrew Henrick
graduate student
Sept. 23

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**Letters to the Editor**

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ALBUM REVIEW

Flaming Lips bring album to medium boil

By C. SPENCER BEGGS
Scene Editor

In a world filled with synth-pop clones like Britney Spears, Britney Aguilera and Britney Timberlake, real music aficionados might wonder what ever happened to artists that put on a real show like Pink Floyd and The Who (besides overdosing or turning 50). Following their critically acclaimed 1999 magnum opus The Soft Bulletin, The Flaming Lips have triumphantly returned with Yoshimi Battles the Pink Robots, to the irritation of pop clone factories everywhere.

As always, The Flaming Lips pick rather offbeat topics for their albums. For example, the title track is a tribute to anime film. Lead singer Wayne Coyne describes the battle "Those evil-natured robots they're programmed to destroy us so she's gotta be strong to fight them so she's taking lots of vitamins because she knows it'd be tragic if those evil robots win."

Initially, the listener may look for some deeper meaning in the lyrics. Are the robots symbolic of the U.S. government or maybe societal pressures? But the lyrics resist interpretation. In the end, many may be left with only the whimsical story The Lips wanted to tell. The rest of the album follows suit; the lyrics aren't exactly poetry here. Other songs are less impenetrable, but are still fairly straightforward. But despite the initially off-putting lyrics, Yoshimi Battles the Pink Robots is a very well produced album. Like their modern rock counterpart, Radiohead, The Flaming Lips have created an album that is a musical work of art. The band uses a lot of layers of instrumentation to produce a unique techno-symphonic sound. Coyne's hypnotic voice backed up by The Lips' signature sound creates a trance-like mood to the album especially apparent in songs like "In the Morning of the Magicians" and "Are You a Hypnotist?" The Lips have expanded their repertoire of sounds for their electric symphony on each album. But on Yoshimi Battles the Pink Robots, they may have reached the limits of their style at certain places. For example, "Yoshimi Battles the Pink Robots part 2" is a glaringly ugly two minute and 57 second attempt at emulating a techno style that simply sounds, well, bad. Besides this oversight, the rest of the album might not push the limits like fans might wish.

Like previous Lips albums, the production quality on this album is phenomenal. It takes a bit of work to really get into the sound. To fully appreciate the fullness of the Lips' sound, listeners might want to get a pair of headphones and jack into the sound rather than play it over lower quality speakers. This is definitely not a background music album by any means.

Yoshimi Battles the Pink Robots doesn't set the standard like The Soft Bulletin did three years ago, but it's certainly worth a listen, or a number of listens as the case may be.

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ALBUM REVIEW

Drums and Tuba blow

By JULIE BENDER
Assistant Scene Editor

Recently unleashed in stores is the instrumental band Drums and Tuba's second major-label release, Mostly Ape. The album, like the band's previous efforts, is a confounding and eclectic mix of rock, marching band, and electronically derived sounds.

A wonderful display of the band members' ability to play off each other's jams, the album shows excellent instrumentation and the band member's knowledge of their instruments. The music builds triumphantly but never quite reaches a climactic peak. The result is a sometimes troubling groove of sound, which is hard to interpret. For the listener, this album provides only questions and no answers. The genre of music is very hard to classify. Brian Wolff, the musician on tuba and trumpet is quoted as saying, "Characterizing [our music] is not one of my forte. When people ask I tell them that we are an instrumental trio who are rock 'n' roll and a little punk. Everything is rock 'n' roll."

The band, formed in 1997, originally consisted of Tony Novero on drums and Wolff on tuba and trumpet. Neil McKeeby joined later and added his guitar to the mix of instruments. The band was picked up by Ani DiFranco's self-made record label, Righteous Babe Records, based in Buffalo, N.Y. DiFranco, herself a punky folk-singer, has promoted Drums and Tuba by slating them as her opening band on various tours throughout the past year.

Drums and Tuba themselves have spent a large part of the last year on the road, playing more than 200 dates. Recorded intermittently while on tour, Mostly Ape is solely an instrumental album. It is good for drumming, studying or other activities that require background music but is too much to just sit down and listen to on its own. The driving rock and roll sound and extra long riffs grow tiresome for an entire album's worth of songs.

Drums and Tuba offer music fans total instrument emersion with their unique blend of rock, jazz and electronica on their latest album, Mostly Ape.

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Drums and Tuba Righteous Babe Records

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The deep jam grooves, however, serve another purpose. They allow the band members to explore their individual talents without the complications of lyrics. Wolff defends the instrumental form saying, "An instrumental album forces you to work hard to create a song. With vocals there is more of a structure, so we really wanted to have more of a direction so that the songs weren't quite as meandering."

The album's resulting sound is spacey '70s rock with an edge. The band's musical talent is unmistakable, their creativity ammuminting, but this album just never comes together. It is worth a listen if only to hear the talent of the musicians with their individual instruments.

It is not, however, an album that is designed to please. It will give Drums and Tuba status as a credible band in the music business.
RJD2 has created a monster

By DANIEL MCSWAIN
Scene Music Critic

"From what evil mixture was I compounded? From what grave did I come?" These lines from the opening track of "Deadringer" foreshadow the amalgam of work that is to come. A Frankensteined album, "Deadringer" draws on everything from James Brown to DJ Shadow, all the while forging ahead to ground all its own. RJD2 brings his own inimitable style of beat driven hip hop, soul, jazz and outright funk to the scene.

The opening horns of "The Horror", the album's first track, are the starting gun for this aural free for all. A gurgling bass beat creates a scaffold for a whirling reminiscent of late 80's arcade games. A drum beat scatters through the oscillating and grainy synthetic sound, giving the madness a spoonful of method. In an album dominated by almost only instrumental tracks, RJD2 samples sporadically throughout the album, each time to achieve an exact image that plays consummately off of the music. Here, a Karloff-esque voice rings out, "time to understand the monster." The monster in question is RJD2's own creation, a veritable Chimes of sounds and styles that would intimidate even the most skilled DJ. "Smoke Mirrors" moves away from the soupy synthetic noise and adopts a very traditional basis for song writing. The track contains a definite melody, sounding less like electronic chaos and more like traditional hip hop. RJD2 turns synthetic cacophony into equal parts bedlam and majesty. Like Moby, RJD2 samples from black spiritual and blues songs. A sorrowful trumpet rambles around in an artificial soundscape of rumbling bass. The bridge, a song writing technique usually reserved to the singer/songwriter genre, sounds like a xylophone being played in a bathtub. Through the looking glass of RJD2's production, a normal sound comes out being reflected in a fun-house mirror: distorted and contorting but also intriguing.

"Let The Good Times Roll Pt. 2" comes next, showing the other, more frenetic side of this multifaceted work. Once again, like Moby influence is evident. But there is a side of RJD2, a slightly disjointive and edgy one that separates him from the industry-friendly Moby, as well as the Moby-friendly industry. This anemic maverick is full of sublimely beautiful cuts and beats. But its not without its psychodelia. The horns sound like Maceo Parker and Miles Davis on ecstasy. There are glimpses of musical Armageddon thrown in where, in the middle of a standard beat, a drum fill will be double timed, transforming the calculus of the beat into a free-formed disaster.

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Maybe the most enjoyable parts of this whole album are the breakdowns in some of the tracks. "Pt. 2", "More Dead" and "Take The Picture Off" feature cuts that throw gasoline on the fire. Beats like these could tear the roof off the joint and burn the sucker down, leaving the listener to sit and contemplate the destructive beauty of this infernal machine, dripping liquid fire.

Deadringer

RJD2

Def Jux Records

When the album appears over, wait a few minutes. There the most sublimely beautiful of all of the tracks occurs, tucked away in the forgotten moments before the album turns itself off. This ethereal but beat-orientated piece reeks of despair, loneliness and loss. It is the most unexpected of ends to this album. It is perfect.

It may sound out of place, but this is a terribly passionate and romantic album. Not in the traditional gushy. "We're the couple who walks around with our hands in each others' pockets" sort of way either. Passion drips from every track. An incurable obsession with music combined with a producer's slightly OCD approach to music-making turns this work into a staggering work of openly love-struck genius. It is impossible to distinguish what kind of creature, be it animal, mineral or artificially intelligent uber-machine, "Deadringer" is. It is punishing, endearing, gentle and unapologetic. It will redefine hip-hop, rap, and sampling. It is a phenomonal work, and the music world should eagerly anticipate the next opus from this burgeoning genius at large.
The Orioles have lost 26 of 30. Baltimore has been hit by first-place streaking skids of 10 and eight games during its monthlong slide.

Gibson's second home run, off Boston closer Uerlin Urubina in the bottom of the ninth, denied Red Sox starter Tim Wakefield his fifth straight victory.

Wakefield allowed two runs, four hits and three walks in eight innings. It was the first in six starts that the righthander gave up more than one run.

Urubina, who was 0-for-8 in save opportunities, suffered his first blown save since Aug. 29.

Hillenbrand's 18th homer, a fifth-inning solo shot off rookie Johnathan Johnnson, put the Sox up 3-2. The lead stood up until Gibson hit his 28th homer in the ninth.

Devil Rays 3, Yankees 2
Every time someone tried to ask Orlando Hernandez about the」と残りです。
Brabb's job in jeopardy after missed kick

By JEFF PHILLIPS
Michigan Daily

ANN ARBOR, Mich. — Another game, another poor kicking performance by Michigan. In the Wolverines' 10-7 victory over Utah on Saturday, kicker Philip Brabbs went 1-for-3, missing a 37-yard field goal and missing two fourth quarter attempts, one from 27 yards out and the other from 42 yards.
The Wolverines are now 3-of-11 on field goal attempts this season.

"I'm very concerned," Michigan coach Lloyd Carr said. "I don't know what else to do. We've been excellent in practice, but we have not been able to take that to the games."
Brabbs is responsible for six of those eight field goal misses.

"It is kind of tough. I had a lot of confidence going into the game and after hitting on the first one, I felt really, really confident," Brabbs said. "I just have to focus on coming straight through the ball."
Carr told the media last Monday that punter Adam Finley may get a chance to kick in an emergency situation. After Saturday, that situation may be now.

"Adam has only worked the past couple weeks and that may be a possibility — we've got to do something," Carr said.

While Brabbs was unsuccessful kicking the ball, he nearly scored a touchdown on a fake field goal.

After gaining the snap, Navarre handed the ball off to Brabbs, who ran the ball seven yards for a first down on the 2-yard line.

"I wish I would've had more practice running the ball. I almost had it. It was a blur," Brabbs said.

Michigan fans were not pleased with Brabbs' and quarterback John Navarre's performances on Saturday and Carr was not pleased with the fans' reaction.

Fans booed the Wolverines twice: Once after an errant Navarre pass on third down and again after Brabbs missed a chip-shot, 27-yard field goal.

While players said they don't pay attention to the boos, Carr was well aware.

"I don't think they're booing John Navarre, I think they're booing me, and if they're booing a college athlete, then shame on them," Carr said. "Shame on them. I've got a theory about that, but I won't go into it at this time."

Navarre's performance against Utah comes on the heels of Michigan's 25-time win over Notre Dame, in which many Wolverines' fans believed that Navarre was at fault.

"I read (and) I hear people say John Navarre cost us the Notre Dame game — let me tell you something, anybody who says that, they don't know a damn thing about football," Carr said. "They don't know a damn thing about the game."

Against Utah, Navarre was 19-of-36 for 186 yards and one touchdown. He was sacked twice, but ran 18 yards for a first down on second-and-15 in the second quarter.

Injuries and Absences: In the first half, defensive lineman Steve Orr was helped off the field after injuring what appeared to be his right knee in Michigan's effort to get the ball back with time winding down. Orr did not return to the game.

Carr did not discuss the extent of Orr's injury, but indicated that Orr "wouldn't return quickly."

"I would think he's going to be out a little while," Carr said. "We're going to have to see." Defensive linemen Alain Kashama and Pierre Woods are expected to see more time while Orr is out.

Cornerback Markus Curry also did not play, but Carr said that his absence was not caused by health or disciplinary problems. Cornerback Zia Combs played the majority of the time opposite Martin Jackson, with Jeremy LeSueur and Brandon Williams also seeing the field.

"Markus' brother, Julius, did not know why Markus did not play, but thought it might be a performance issue.

Trojans passing falls short as Wildcats pass them by

By JASON W. DAVID
Daily Trojan

MANHATTAN, Kan. — It was too little, too late and on the last play it was simply too high. The passing game that was crucial to the USC Trojans in their first two wins this season was shut down by the Wildcats for the first three quarters Saturday.

This time, in the score too large to make up by the time Carson Palmer and his receivers started connecting in the fourth quarter.

"It took us too long to get going," Palmer said.

Palmer's 18-of-47 pass attempts in the game for 186 yards — a significant dropoff from the 70 percent completion rate he had going into the contest. Through the first three quarters, he was 10-for-29 for only 54 yards.

The Wildcats played tight coverage, denying Palmer his primary targets on most of the passing plays. Although Palmer did an excellent job of finding second and third receivers in the first two games, his offensive line could not buy him enough time against the tireless Wildcat defensive line and Palmer was frequently flushed out of the pocket.

"It was hard to get a good jump off the ball," said tight end Alex Holmes, referring to the boisterous cheering that pulsed throughout the intimate stadium.

Even when he found open receivers, purple jerseys usually surrounded them.

"They did a good job of covering every down," Palmer said. "They would leave one man open, but he would be short of the first down.

More frustrating were the plays that didn't happen. Close to 10 of Palmer's passes were dropped.

"I'm really disappointed in that," coach Pete Carroll said. "It was a big factor for us offensive-ly because we had to make some plays throwing the ball down the field and it was there for us and we just didn't handle the ball well.

Palmer attributed the problems with the passing game to the strong wind that persisted throughout the game.

"It's tough to throw deep balls when the wind is in your face or behind your back," he said. "It was a factor with the dropped balls because the ball moved so much in the air."

On the Trojans' first possession of the fourth quarter, they reached Wildcat territory in two plays. Then they displayed a pathetic inefficiency that characterized the type of game they were having. Palmer dropped back and launched a pass down the sideline, leading a spinning Kareem Kelly, but it was too long. The next play he sought Keary Colbert on the other side, but overthrew him.

On third down, Palmer took a three-step drop and found Kelly on a quick out, but Kelly's foot landed out of bounds. On a crucial fourth and 10, Palmer led Malaeaua Mackenzie on a fade with a perfectly thrown ball in between two defenders, but the ball squirmed out from his grasp when his body met the ground after he dove for the ball.

Kelly said the game was a learning experience.

"We were good secondary, but at the same time it was nothing that we couldn't handle," Colbert said. "We didn't come out and execute our offense."

On their last series of the game, the Trojans marched 47 yards down the field on three passes. They gave the ball to Mackenzie in hopes that he could break it open. However, when Curtis McCullough did on the last series when he took a handoff down the sideline for a 25-yard touchdown run, but Mackenzie was stuffed and it was evident that USC would have to rely on the pass.

What followed was an incom­pletion to Kelly and then a sack by Tank Rease when Palmer scurried around in the pocket, desperately looking for an open man. That brought up fourth and 15 and the Trojans huddled despite a quickly diminishing clock.

When they emerged, Palmer took the snap and threw to his right side without hesita­tion. Colbert, however, was still running his route, trying to find space in double coverage as the ball sailed over his head and sealed the Kansas State victory.

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**MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL**

Umps sue league over information

Associated Press  

NEW YORK  

Baseball umpires angry with the computer system used to make their calls behind the plate filed unfair labor practice charges against owners Monday with the National Labor Relations Board. In a 21-page letter sent to the NLRB's regional office in New York, the Unions accused management of violating the labor law by refusing to provide information about the computer system, which umpires claim is inaccurate.

"The office of the commissioner has shielded the Questec system from inspection," union lawyer Joel Smith wrote to Celeste Mattina, the NLRB's New York regional director.

"This charge is about a refusal to provide information, about the commissioner's strained efforts to insulate the umpire information system from independent scrutiny, and about the threats uttered by the office of the commissioner in that effort." Smith claimed management had "stallled" and "stymied," and said the commissioner's office illegally obstructed the UWA's right to information, failed to supply information, illegally limited access of union lawyers to meet with umpires at ballparks and refused to discuss Questec with union lawyers. He also said the commissioner's office illegally threatened and discriminated against the union and its officers.

Management spokesman Pat Courtney said none of the labor lawyers in the commissioner's office were available for comment. In the past, management lawyer Rob Maehl said his side would discuss the system with umpires only after the season because the union had agreed before the season to allow the system to be used as a "training tool."

During a summer of escalating anger among umpires over the Questec system, the union has filed a grievance against management, and owners have sued.

The next step is for the NLRB office to decide whether to issue a complaint. If it does, the master would go before an administrative law judge.

Teen to be tried as juvenile

CHICAGO  

The teenager who attacked Kansas City Royals coach Tom Gamboa on the field was ordered Monday to stand trial in juvenile court.

A date will be set Tuesday for a trial on a felony charge of aggravated battery. The 15-year-old boy, who was not identified, ran onto the field at Comiskey Park with his father at the Royals-White Sox game Thursday and attacked Gamboa.

The teen's attorney, Assistant Public Defender Christopher Swanson, asked the judge to allow the teen to go home with his mother, but the judge ordered him held in a juvenile facility at least until after Tuesday's hearing. During Monday's hearing, the boy, wearing blue jeans and a black and blue T-shirt, stood quietly, his mother, grandmother and other relatives stood nearby.

Assistant State's Attorney Catherine Gregorovic outlined how the teenager and his father, William Ligue Jr., ran onto the field during the game and "attacked somebody in front of thousands of people."

During the ninth inning last Thursday night, Gamboa, 54, was coaching first, facing the field, when two shirtless men rushed him from behind. They knocked him to the ground, where they continued to punch and kick him. On Saturday, the teenager's father was held on $200,000 bail. Ligue, 34, faces the same felony charge as his son.

During that hearing, Assistant State's Attorney Colleen Daly described the attack as premeditated and that Ligue had even telephoned his sister, telling her to turn the game on her television because he was going to be there. Daly said the father told police he ran onto the field because he was angry that the White Sox were losing.
Marriucci downplays jab

Associated Press

SANTA CLARA, Calif. — Everything is back to normal in San Francisco. Terrell Owens is no longer a problem, Steve Mariucci is answering more questions about football — and the 49ers are winning in spite of it all.

According to Owens, his team lacks a "killer instinct," as evidenced by Mariucci's decision to run out the clock instead of trying to score deep in the final two minutes of San Francisco's 20-10 victory over the Redskins on Sunday.

On Monday, Mariucci downplayed his All-Pro receiver's latest tidy yelled jet. The much-publicized detente in this rocky relationship didn't even last to the bye week — though Mariucci, even the public peacemaker, insisted this was only a hiccup caused by Owens' admirable competitive nature.

"There's no relapse. There's no killer instinct," Mariucci said. "We have no killer instinct, period." Owens said Sunday, "I think I wasn't the only one who felt like that. For whatever reason, we did what we had to do." Owens said.

Mariucci said he knew several players wanted to get a blowout victory in the same way Washington blazed San Francisco in an exhibition game seven weeks earlier — but it was clear he couldn't believe he was answering questions about the wisdom of protecting a victory for an injury-plagued team by running out the clock.

"We wanted to bury the Redskins. [Owens] felt the same way I did," Mariucci said. "A lot of guys wanted to just pound counting, keep going after it and score some more points. I did too, but given all the information that I had and knowing that the game was over, I just had to make that call."

"I have an ego too, and really do ... but the other side of my brain said, 'Get out of this game with no more injuries.' Let's get out of here. We have the win, and that's it."

Meeting a week ago, Garcia thought that ending the game with a relentless eight-minute drive right up to the final whistle was even more satisfying than another score. San Francisco improved to 2-1 while fighting through a stomach virus that infected a third of the team.

Most of Owens' complaints about Mariucci traditionally have been sparked by a lack of production from Owens, who has meager numbers this season. Facing constant double-teams and zones designed in harass him, Owens has just 11 catches for 112 yards and one touchdown, though he scored on a 38-yard run against Washington.

Owens' relatively small role on Sunday was affected by the health of fellow pro Bowler Garcia, who played just one series in the second half while battling the virus. Owens had just two catches for 33 yards.

"I don't think we lacked killer instinct," Garcia said. "I know T.O. speaks from a position of being very intense, of wanting to be a difference maker. In some ways, I think that if more people had his mentality of wanting to win so badly, better things would happen for this offense."

The minor controversy detracted attention from San Francisco's dominant 252-yard rushing game and a defense that held Washington's Redskins' "Fun 'n Gun" offense, holding it to 41 yards and no points in the second half.

The younger Fusco compiled a 29-game points streak during the 1984-85 season, finishing with 81 points in just 32 contests for the second most prolific total in school history.

Coached Minnesota from 1985-95, averaging nearly 20 wins per season and capturing four regular-season and three WCHA tournament championships.

He guided the Golden Gophers to six appearances in the NCAA Frozen Four and compiled a 389-178-40 record.

A former All-American and team captain at Minnesota, Wolfe was resigned as coach in 1999 to accept a post as assistant athletic director.

Riley played freshman hockey at the University of Illinois before transferring to Dartmouth, where he spent two seasons from 1947-49. As a senior, he set a single-season goal-scoring record that still stands.

Riley played for the U.S. at the 1948 Olympics, won All-America honors the following year and took Dartmouth to back-to-back NCAA championship games. The Big Green have not been back since.

Riley died in 1976 at the age of 52.

Induction ceremonies will be held December 4 in St. Paul, Minn., where former Detroit Red Wings coach Scotty Bowman will be presented with the Wayne Gretzky International Award. The honor is given annually to someone who has made a major contribution to the growth and advancement of American hockey.
Couch boosts confidence
Associated Press

Tim Couch strutted into Cleveland's noisy huddle, wiped the blood from his lower lip, snapped his chin strap and grabbed control.

"It was a little bit of a John Wayne thing," Browns coach Butch Davis said Monday. "Without the horse.

Out of timeouts and needing a tying touchdown, Couch - the quarterback some said shouldn't even be playing - then quieted his teammates before silencing a hostile crowd.

"Everybody was talking on that last drive, saying what we should do," wide receiver Andre Davis recalled. "He said, 'Shut up. This is what we're going to run.'

Couch shut up more than just his teammates Sunday.

He rallied the Browns (2-1) to a 31-28 overtime win against the Tennessee Titans with the best game of his four-year NFL career. Couch passed for 326 yards and three touchdowns - two in the final 2:35 of regulation - and squashed controversy in Cleveland.

"Couch came back and played excellent," wide receiver Kevin Johnson understated.

Davis insisted last week that backup Kelly Holcomb's solid performance in the first two weeks, Couch was the Browns' unquestioned starter and leader.

There's no doubt now.

"Maybe," Couch said following his spectacular season debut. "I proved a point."

Couch, who sat out the first two weeks after tearing scar tissue near his elbow, wasn't the only player to stage a comeback on a day of redemption for the Browns.

There was also third-year wide receiver Dennis Northcutt, who before Sunday was better known for dropped passes and a flashy wardrobe than game-breaking plays.

Northcutt returned a punt 74 yards for a TD to bring the Browns within 21-14 late in the third quarter. But he gave the seven points from his first TD as a pro right back by muffing a punt inside the 10 to help the Titans take a 28-14 lead.

Northcutt atoned for his mistake by recovering an onside kick to set up the Browns' final touchdown, his 8-yard reception with 12 seconds left during which he slipped away from a Tennessee defender with a jaw-dropping spin move.

Three out of four ain't bad," Northcutt joked about his success percentage.

Phil Dawson also bounced back.

He missed a 52-yard field goal in the second quarter, snapping his streak of 21 straight. But Dawson perfectly executed the onside kick with Northcutt before making the game-winning field goal in overtime.

"Part of my job is to handle missed kicks," Dawson said. "I had to be ready. I just did my part."

Cleveland's rushing defense finally did its part, too, rebounding from two dismal outings. The Browns held Eddie George to 59 yards and limited Tennessee's offense to 187.

And with their second win, the Browns distanced themselves from the Week 1 loss to Kansas City that slipped away when linebacker Dwayne Rudd threw his helmet in the closing seconds.

"It still boils down to playing the entire 60 minutes, and guys believing you get a chance to win," Davis said.

Couch's comeback, however, was Cleveland's best.

Playing behind a line missing two starters, Couch was rusty in the first half. He helped put the Browns behind 21-7 with a poorly thrown pass that was picked off and returned for a TD.

Couch was battered all day, getting sacked three times and flattened another 10.

He was bloodied and bruised, but refused to be beaten. Instead, he took his team to an improbable win - one he and the Browns may someday view as a defining victory.

Jury misconduct leads to new trial
Associated Press

Citing jury misconduct, a Los Angeles Superior Court Judge on Monday ordered a new trial in the Oakland Raiders' $1.2 billion conspiracy lawsuit against the National Football League.

In a 9-3 vote last year, a Superior Court jury rejected the Raiders' claims that the NFL sabotaged the team's plans to build a new stadium in the Los Angeles area and that the team still owned the NFL rights to the Los Angeles market.

The Raiders moved back to Oakland from Los Angeles in 1995 - 13 years after they moved south.

The misconduct allegation was raised after five jurors in last year's six-week trial said they overheard one member of the panel say he hated the Raiders and team owner Al Davis and would never vote in their favor. Raiders attorney Larry Feldman said.

The ruling calling for a new trial was made by Los Angeles Superior Court Judge Richard C. Hubbell, who heard the first trial.

"The Raiders are elated with the court's decision and look forward to having an opportunity to try their case to a fair and impartial jury," Feldman said. "The Raiders have always believed that they would be playing football games at a state-of-the-art stadium at Hollywood Park today if it were not for the NFL's interference with their negotiations."

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  - 72-89
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- **last 10 GB**
  - 6-4
  - 7-3
  - 8-2
  - 2-8
  - 6-4

**American League Central**

- **team**
  - Minnesota
  - Chicago
  - Cleveland
  - Kansas City
  - Detroit

- **record**
  - 79-57
  - 75-77
  - 72-92
  - 69-96
  - 54-101

- **last 10 GB**
  - 3-5
  - 6-2
  - 6-3
  - 6-6
  - 4-6

**American League West**

- **team**
  - Oakland
  - Seattle
  - Texas
  - Los Angeles
  - Arizona

- **record**
  - 99-57
  - 96-65
  - 70-65
  - 85-71
  - 92-64

- **last 10 GB**
  - 5-5
  - 5-3
  - 4-9
  - 9-2
  - 8-6

**National League East**

- **team**
  - Atlanta
  - Montreal
  - Philadelphia
  - Florida
  - New York

- **record**
  - 67-67
  - 77-67
  - 78-70
  - 72-86
  - 74-71

- **last 10 GB**
  - 5-5
  - 11-11
  - 7-2
  - 9-3
  - 5-5

**National League Central**

- **team**
  - St. Louis
  - Houston
  - Chicago
  - Cincinnati
  - Milwaukee

- **record**
  - 62-44
  - 82-64
  - 94-62
  - 75-81
  - 54-102

- **last 10 GB**
  - 0-2
  - 6-2
  - 6-3
  - 3-7
  - 3-7

**National League West**

- **team**
  - San Francisco
  - Los Angeles
  - Colorado
  - Arizona
  - San Diego

- **record**
  - 86-59
  - 80-56
  - 72-44
  - 92-64
  - 60-41

- **last 10 GB**
  - 7-3
  - 6-5
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**NFL**

**Becnch Roll Past Rams, St. Louis Drops to 0-3**

Associated Press

Tampa's Simeon Rice runs back an interception in front of St. Louis quarterback Kurt Warner. The Bucs' defense led them to a 26-14 victory over the Rams and Warner was picked off four times.

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**IN BRIEF**

**Earthquake shakes Belfry**

A three-year wait for the Ryder Cup finally returned with a real jolt - an earthquake that shook central England early Monday morning and roused European captain Sam Torrance from his sleep.

"We didn't know what it was, whether it was something explosive," Torrance said.

It was the worst earthquake in Britain in 10 years, measuring a magnitude of 4.8. Police in Birmingham said there were no reports of injury or damage.

Most of the U.S. team was still in Ireland when the earthquake shook the area shortly before 1 a.m., although captain Curtis Strange said some of the players' wives had already arrived in the Birmingham area.

"I understand it shook pretty good, didn't it?" he said to Torrance. "We worry about the fans. We ought to worry about earthquakes." Torrance, who described himself as a heavy sleeper, was awakened by the quake, and said Jesper Parnevik ran out on the balcony.

Parnevik was in New York on Sept. 11, 2001, wrapping up a photo shoot when two hijacked planes toppled the twin towers.

The Ryder Cup, scheduled for late September, was postponed one year because of the terrorist attacks.

**Judge orders new trial**

Citing jury misconduct, a Los Angeles Superior Court judge on Monday ordered a new trial in the Oakland Raiders' $1.2 billion conspiracy lawsuit against the National Football League.

In a 9-3 vote last year, a Superior Court jury rejected the Raiders' claims that the NFL sabotaged the team's plans to build a new stadium in the Los Angeles area and that the team still owned the NFL rights to the Los Angeles market.

The Raiders moved back to Oakland from Los Angeles in 1995 - 13 years after they moved south.

The misconduct allegation was raised after five jurors in last year's six-week trial said they overheard one member of the panel say he hated the jurors, team owner Al Davis and would never vote in their favor.

Raiders attorney Larry Feldman said.

The ruling calling for a new trial was made by Los Angeles Superior Court Judge Richard C. Hubbell, who heard the first trial.

"The Raiders are elated with the court's decision and look forward to having an opportunity to try their case to a fair and impartial jury," Feldman said. "The Raiders have always believed that they would be playing football games at a state-of-the-art stadium at Hollywood Park today if it were not for the NFL's interference with their negotiations."

Feldman said a new trial date would be set Dec. 3.

Feldman said the complaint was significant because the jury favored the NFL by a 9-3 vote.

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**Around the Dial**

**Eye on Irish Opponents**

Saturday, Sept. 29, 2001

With the planned opening of the grandstand at the Michigan Stadium in Ann Arbor, Michigan, the University of Michigan will host the University of Notre Dame in a game that will be televised on ABC. The game will feature a football match between two teams with a combined record of 17-3-3 in the series. The Wolverines are favored by 14 points and are 5-1 against the Fighting Irish.

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**Major League Baseball**

Red Sox at White Sox 7 p.m., FOXCH

Major League Baseball

**Tuesday, September 24, 2002**

**Compiled from the Observer Wire Services**

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Tennis
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They lost their first match, but went on to win their next three and the consolation title. Overall, they had a 3-1 tournament record.

Nelson was originally paired with Jennifer Smith, but a minute change, because of an illness, brought Nelson and Donohue together.

"We were really happy with our performance," Nelson said. "We weren't supposed to play together, we hadn't even played together before.

In singles, Notre Dame had five wins in the consolation bracket on Sunday. Freshman Kristinna Slaugst rejected Reiko Funlini of Louisiana State 7-5, 6-1. Lauren Young topped Marina Chiarelli of LSU 6-1, 6-4. Sophomore Sarah Jane Lipes lost to Mimmi Thorsness from DePaul 6-3, 6-0. Sophomore Amy Mann defeated Jordan Luba of High Point 6-2, 6-1. Junior Lauren Connelly defeated Emily Neighbors 6-1, 6-4. Boland was Notre Dame's first NCAA champion since Jen Renola in 1993.

The versatile Boland started in goal twice this season and both games at left back, showing her versatility in the back. Boland made six saves and stopped a thru-ball from Maggie Manning and arched a header goal midway through the second half.

Nelson was originally paired with Gudrun Gunnarsdottir to start in the nets for the Rutgers game with 9:17 left in regulation. Warner's leftside cross on the diving header for the second and final overtime, after totaling six saves, helped the Irish win the second overtime, 1-0, on the second weekend of conference play.

In the opening win over Providence, Nelson was just honored after the outing wins over Providence (3-0) and Virginia Tech (5-0).

The versatile Boland started as the first freshman pair of nationally-televised Tournament qualifiers, as the Irish ended Rutgers and Virginia Tech's season. It was so honored after the opening wins over Providence (3-0) and Virginia Tech (5-0).

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By LISA REIJULA and JUSTIN SCHUVER

Sue Watts

MENS INTERHALL FOOTBALL

Bingle picks and throws Siegfried to win over Fisher

Fisher's passing game was ineffective in the second half, as the Siegfried defense came out relentless. Nate Raschke and Bingle each had an interception. Vincent Sirico also had a big day for the Ramblers (1-0), with several key tackles late in the game that brought cheers from the sideline.

"We just weren't prepared," Chappe11 said of his team. "We need work on our pass coverage and defense, and we also have a lot of inexpertise in linemen."

Fisher (0-1) proved they could keep up with Siegfried for stretches, having limited success with Chappe11 and the running game. However, the Green Wave are not satisfied with their performance as a team or individually.

"I don't consider myself playing well unless I score," Chappe11 said after the game. "We'll get it done for next week, though."

Sorin 6, Knott 3

The game had a chance for two field goals. Only one team made both.

That was the difference as Notre Dame defeated Knott 6-3 in Blue League interhall action Sunday.

The Rambles (0-1) got it on the score board first with an opening drive that spanned 52 yards over eight plays, including a 37-yard pass from Juggs quarterback Ben Gilfillan to wide receiver Jonathan Smith.

From Fowde11ridge connected on the 27-yard field goal to give Knott the 3-0 lead.

The Rambles (0-1) answered on their first drive, marching 52 yards over seven plays. Kicker Mitch Knappke kicked a 20-yard field goal from Juggs quarterback Ben Gilfillan.

"We were more effective on the 27-yard field goal. The first in a day of questionable calls occurred near the end of the second half, when an Offense defensive back intercepted Gilfillan, but the turnover was nullified by a game over call against the Rambles."

The penalty the Juggs' drive alive and they were able to try a 36-yard field goal as time expired to end the half. But Fowde11ridge attempted the goal post and the score was tied at 3 going into halftime.

"Every once in a while, I have a bad kick and that just happened to be one of those times," the Juggs' kicker said afterward.

Neither team was able to do anything on offense in the second half until the fourth quarter, when a high snap on a punt gave Knott the ball on the 34-yard line.

The Rambles were able to capitalize on the mistake, and Carney kicked a 26-yard field goal seven plays later to give Knott a 6-3 lead. Like numerous calls throughout the game, the winning field goal was not without controversy.

Despite three referees patrolling the field, only one was under the pressure to judge Carney's kick. It was argued that the ball sailed over the right post, but the referee was stationed under the left and may not have had the best angle.

"I can understand their (Knott's) point of view," said Carney. "The ref was not in position to make that call. It was a judgment call."

The Juggs tried to engineer an answering drive but ran out of time.

"They gave us a hell of a game," Carney said. "We were just happy to get out of there with the win."

Zahn 34, Carroll 0

A balanced offense and timely turnovers helped Zahn defeat Carroll 14-0 in Blue League action Sunday.

The Zahnmbies (1-0) were led on offense by sophomore quarterback Mitch Knappke and sophomore running back Greg Durm. Knappke, starting his first game ever as the Zahnmbies signal caller, completed 4-of-10 passes for 94 yards, including a 46-yard touchdown strike to wide receiver Mike Russell.

Durm had an impressive day running the ball, carrying eleven times for 63 yards and one touchdown.

"It was a team effort," said Zahnmbies captain and wide receiver Nick Fassbinder. "Defense came out and really shut them down.

The defense was responsible for sparking both touchdown drives. The Zahnmbies first touchdown occurred shortly after Vermin running back Mike McNamara fumbled early in the second quarter.

DeMark Schulze recovered the fumble for the Zahnmbies, and four plays later Durm scored on a 6-yard touchdown run. The extra point attempt failed.

Three plays after the ensuing kickoff, Vermin quarterback Del Tagwerker connected with a Zahnmbies defensive back on the Carmel.

The very next play, Knappke found Russell open and the wide receiver ran down the left sideline for Zahnmbies' second touchdown. The two touchdown passes put Zahnmbies up 14-0 at halftime, with Durm successful on a kick.

"I think we have to be proud of the first quarter," said Vermin captain Justin Williams. "As a defensive unit we did really well."

The Vermin (0-1) were able to threaten near the end of the third quarter, when McNamara returned a punt from the Carroll 5 to the Zahn 39-yard line.

"One good thing about him (McNamara) is that he's never played football before so he's got to be a great athlete," said Williams.

That drive was extinguished when McNamara fumbled for the second time in the game three plays later.

For a dorm that didn't even have a team last year, Williams believes the Vermin had a good showing against the Zahnmbies.

"I think we have a team last year, Williams responded. "We have a team this year. We're competitive if we stop these mistakes," he said.

Southern Illinois 0, Northern Illinois 24

The Illini prevailed over the Zahmbies in the opening game of Saturday's series. Despite three referees patrolling the field, only one was under the pressure to judge the Illini's winning field goal. The winning kick was not without controversy.

"I think we have a team last year, Williams responded. "We have a team this year. We're competitive if we stop these mistakes," he said.

"We were stymied the Badger attack and we turned the ball over to them," said Williams.

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Golf

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Irish remain optimistic entering weekly's Notre Dame Invitational. The field for that tournament is not quite as strong as the one the Irish faced at Michigan State so they can expect to improve.

"Next weekend is a medium-strength field," said King. "We should be able to win if every one is on our game. With this being our first tournament we were hoping to get off to a lit-

tle better start, but hopefully it will be good just to get one under their belts.

Notes:
-Gebeur's score did not figure into Notre Dame team scoring. She played in the event as an individual participant representing Notre Dame.
-Notre Dame Invitational will take place this weekend at the Warren Golf Course. The 18-team tournament begins Saturday at 8 a.m.

Special to the Observer

An undermanned men water polo club completed its most successful weekend yet at the full tournament in four years this weekend, with a promising fourth place finish at the Indiana University Hoosier Classic. The finish comes on the heels of a seventh place finish in another 16-team event, the Michigan State Spartan Invitational. Despite missing the club's two leading scorers for two days, and two other starters for three games, the club turned in its most complete performance of the season.

The Irish opened against Iowa with a 10-9 victory. They turned a 7-5 deficit into a 9-6 lead in the second half, then turned a 9-9 tie into a 14-9 victory over Wisconsin, 5-0 lead over Illinois, 12-7 over Ohio State, 10-3 over Purdue.

The Irish rebounded with a 3-0 victory over Wisconsin, 5-0 over Illinois, 12-7 over Ohio State, 10-3 over Purdue.
Fallon

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On Sunday, he picked up his second three-set win of the tournament, a 3-6, 6-3, 1-0 (10-7) victory over Notre Dame freshman Patrick Buchanan.

Meanwhile, Granger native and St. Joseph's High School graduate Chris Varga of Ball State registered three wins at the Tom Fallon Invitational, including a pair of victories on the singles circuit. He closed out his weekend in fine fashion Sunday afternoon, rolling to a 6-3, 6-2 win over Haris Causevic of Maryland.

The 2002 Tom Fallon Invitational featured 11 teams competing in a "hidden dual" format, where teams simulate dual matches, but no team scores are recorded. Of this year's field, seven teams finished in the national top 50 a year ago and eight of the 11 squads earned invitations to the 2002 NCAA Championship.

The event, which was known as the Irish Invitational until the name was changed in 1988, honors Notre Dame coaching legend Tom Fallon, who coached the Irish for 31 years from 1957-87. Fallon, a member of the Intercollegiate Tennis Association (ITA) Collegiate Tennis Hall of Fame, amassed a career record of 511-200 and helped Notre Dame to a share of the 1959 national championship.

ATTENTION STUDENTS!!!

Students who will be driving any university vehicle are required to attend a mandatory training/orientation session sponsored by transportation services!

If you are going to operate rental vehicles from the new motor pool or drive a departmental vehicle, you must attend one of the training/orientation sessions!

Students who have not attended a session as of October 1, 2002 will not be eligible to drive university vehicles!

Students only need attend the training/orientation session once during their four years at Notre Dame.

Training/orientation sessions are required for any type of vehicle being operated (sedans, mini-vans, etc.)

Sessions will be held in DeBartolo Hall, Room 102.
September 29th

Sessions will start at 6:15 and last no longer than one hour!

PLEASE BRING A PEN & YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE!
Irish claim top 5 ranking in Sendwich poll

With a number of disappoint­
ing teams rebounding, Gollaths
struggling versus Davids and up­
coming teams proving
themselves once again, the result was
not­ing but con­
fusion in college foot­
ball last weekend.

Irish to victory.
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After three weeks of quality Big Ten opponents and three wins, the Irish are finally ready to
command the national respect they deserve.

Arnaaz Battle’s game-winning 60­yard touchdown scamper not only transformed quarterback
Pat Dillingham into Irish folk­
lords, but also put the Irish into the top 10 in both of the national polls for the first time since
1998. Notre Dame continued to zoom up the Sendwich top 25, leaping 10 spots to No. 4. So does this
mean that Notre Dame is the fourth best team in the country? Of course not. But the
Bowling Green Falcons’ chances of going undefeated.

Then, last week, we told you about the Bowling Green Falcons’
chances of going undefeated.

With the highly-touted Hokie
quarterback Bryan Randall com­
pleted 9 of 11 passes for 119
yards. While these may not seem
like big numbers, Randall’s pass­
ings set up the lone touchdown of
the game, leading to a 13-3
Virginia Tech victory.
After the gritty win, Virginia
Tech finally moved up signifi­
cantly in the Sendwich Index,
leaping from No. 17 to No. 3.
We’re already looking forward to the Hokies showdown at No. 1
Miami on Dec. 7.

Falcons Continue To Soar
Two teams nicknamed the Falcons are making some noise this year, and neither one calls
Atlanta home. Last week, we told you about
the Bowling Green Falcons’
chances of going undefeated.

But the Bowling Green Falcons aren’t the only Falcons who are
understatement. After their
worse home loss in 23 years
had happened.

The Gators cruised to a
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Despite their impressive win, Florida dropped two spots to No. 15, as their loss to Miami
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Yellow flags fly in penalty-ridden Keough win

By LISA REIJULA and TREY WILLIAMS
Sports Writers

Yellow flags flew everywhere Sunday afternoon during Keough's penalty-plagued 14-7 win against O'Neill in Gold League action.

Emotions were heated as the coaches of both teams found some of the officials' calls controversial. Many offensive dris­vels for both the Angry Mob and the Kangaroos were stymied by penalties for false starts or inelig­uble receivers.

Keough took the upper hand early with a fumble recovery and a touchdown on the second quarter's opening play. Defensive end Andy Hess broke the game open in the second quarter with a pair of touchdowns. A strange moment for the Mob (0-1-1) came in the end of the fourth quarter when senior running back Thomas Kierl appeared to score a touchdown. The referee called it good, but then was reversed by another official who realized Kierl had not cleared the end zone. On the next play, however, Kierl ran in a legal touchdown, making the score 14-7.

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"The (reversed) call on the touchdown was a good one," said McAndrews. Keough had too many stupid penalties in the first half that kept their drives alive.

"While Keough 11-01 was happy to come out with the victory, the team realizes there is room for improvement.

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Stanford, 6; Keenan, 14

The old-school rivalry of man against beast ended with a victory for the latter Sunday as the Stanford Griffins defeated the Keenan Knights 14-6 in the league season opener. The Knights struggled in score against a tough Stanford defense. Quarterback Patrick Downey was only able to complete 1-of-6 passes in the first quarter, forcing the offense to depend solely on its running game.

"It's all a matter of what works," said Downey of the early offensive strategy. "We can run and we pass but it really comes down to what the defense gives us."

The Knights ditched their early plan late in the third and replaced it with a more efficient passing game, centering around senior wide receiver Dave Cantos. Cantos caught three passes from Downey, moving Keenan into Stanford's 10-yard line and setting them up for a quick touchdown pass for their first score of the game.

"The corners were playing back further," Cantos said. "We just needed to get in a few short passes to move us up the field until they came back."

Unlike Keenan's offense, which spent most of the game focused on rushing, the Stanford offense focused on the pass-and-catch combo of freshmen quarterback Rich Whitney and receiver Colin Walsh.

Whitney completed all of his passes in the fourth quarter for a 14-yard touchdown.

Walsh, using speed and agil­ity as his weapons of choice, was open for two key passes in the fourth, including a 20-yard touchdown pass from Whitney. Stanford running back Mark McNamee also had his glory moments. McNamee rushed for a total 115 yards which included a 45-yard sprint to the Knights' 13-yard line, putting the ball in place for another Griffin score.

For Keenan's older players, the loss was a blow to their dream of returning to the splendid of the champion team they had in 2000 which Stanford's McNamee was actually a part of.

Of course, the loss of McNamee is relieved by the gain of Canton's, aformer vari­ety walk-on.

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Happy Birthday: Take things in stride this year and move swiftly in a direction that will benefit you. It's a year for you to stop worrying so much about what everyone else is doing and start to put yourself first. Challenge yourself and you will end up gaining the most ground this year. Take the initiative and do what you feel is best for you. Your number are 6, 19, 23, 34, 41, 42.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Money may be an issue this year so if you have been shortchanging yourself in your cash flow. If you are thinking about changing your direction, aim for the right time and perhaps spend some time picking up new skills. **

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): Your mind will be wandering today, so position yourself so that you don't have to accomplish a whole lot. You will be in the mood to expand your mind and talk to people who can broaden your horizons. **

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): Things may not be as they appear. Don't be too quick to put your money on the line. Little things may not be as they seem, so be sure to double check before you jump. **

CANCER (June 21-July 22): You'll be more concerned with others today than you will be with yourself. You have a great memory and your past experiences should help you give others the right advice. **

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You will have a hard time holding on to your cash today. Don't take on other people's responsibilities, and don't offer to pick up the tab if you are out to lunch. **

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Opportunities to travel may be taken advantage of. Sitting back and thinking about travel will not suffice. You will attract people whose offers you find far too tempting. **

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): If you become consumed with greed or getting as much as you can for the least amount, you can expect to lose in the end. Put your time and energy into self-improvement. **

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Partnering problems may emerge today if you haven't been paying proper attention. Your attitude will make all the difference in the world, and you could find incompatibility within your relationship. **

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): You will discover that you can accomplish a whole lot more if you are practical and well-prepared. Some of the younger people in your life may rely on you for guidance. **

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Put some time aside to pamper yourself. You've been working hard and deserve to take care of your personal needs or desires that you might have neglected. **

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Don't underestimate someone who is close to you. You'll be surprised at how much you can accomplish when this person really is. Changes in your personal life may not be to your liking. **

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): The information coming your way today should spark enthusiasm to push some of the ideas that you've been mulling over. Communication and travel should be on your agenda. **

Birthday Baby: You will be bright, compassionate and hard-headed when it comes to fighting for the underdog. You will be the mastermind when it comes to mending and bringing harmony to any situation.


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WOMENS GOLF

Irish encouraged despite low finish

By ANDY TROEGER
Sports Writer

Despite a disappointing 18th-place finish at Michigan State's Mary Fallon Invitational last weekend, the Notre Dame women's golf team showed some encouraging signs in its season-opening tournament.

The Irish fired a team score of 956 for the 54-hole tournament, placing 49 strokes behind team champion Kent State, the 69th ranked team in the nation. Despite the overall struggle, the Irish effort was pleased with the play of two freshmen.

Senior Karen Lotta tied for 43rd at 241 to tie for 43rd, and sophomore Karen Sasse tied for 54th with a 307. The team's top finisher was junior Alicia Salas, who was the top finisher of the entire team, finishing one stroke behind at 240, which was not the only Irish player who had a successful weekend.

Alicia Salas returns a shot at the Big East Championships last April. Salas made it to the final round of the Prince Cup Invitational last weekend.

ND WOMENS TENNIS

Salas serves up solid performance

By MARK ZAVODNYIK
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women's tennis team got its fall season off to a great start last weekend at the Prince Cup Invitational in Columbus, Ohio. The Irish were led by strong performances from junior Alicia Salas and freshmen Liz Donohue and Kelly Nelson.

Salas was the top finisher for the Irish, reaching the finals of the singles bracket before being ousted by Lisa D'Amico of Eastern Michigan, 6-7 (4-7), 2-6, 1-0 (10-8). Salas had a very strong tournament, posting 4-1 record and 49 strokes behind team champion Kent State's Erica Fisk of Ohio State, the 99th ranked player.

"Alicia had a great week-end," said head coach Jay Louderback. "I wasn't surprised at all by her performance. She played really well last year and this year has been moved up to the top flights. She'll be playing the No. 1 and No. 2 players from every team this year."

Salas was not the only Irish player who had a successful weekend. Louderback said he was happy with the performance of the entire team.

Freshmen Donohue and Nelson made quite an impact in their first collegiate tennis event, winning the consolation doubles competition.

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Schedule announced

The Irish will face 14 teams that played in last year's NCAA tournament during 2002-2003 season.

MENS TENNIS

Irish fall flat at Fallon

Special to the Observer

Notre Dame's men's tennis team felt the bite of playing for a fourth consecutive day, dropping seven of eight singles matches to Purdue University on the final day of the 16th annual Tom Fallon Invitational Sunday afternoon at the Courtney Tennis Center and Eck Tennis Pavilion.

The Irish had several chances to claim victory, but lost both matches in third-set tiebreakers, while another was decided in straight sets on tiebreakers. Notre Dame will continue its fall tournament schedule Thursday through Sunday when it takes part in the Harvard Invitational in Cambridge, Mass. A complete schedule for that tournament will be announced later in the week.

Junior tri-captain Luis Haddock continued his stellar play this fall, carding a 6-3, 6-3 win over Purdue's Andrew Wakefield. Haddock did not drop a set in winning all four of his singles matches this weekend.

For his career, Haddock is 14-0 in singles and 22-2 overall (singles and doubles combined) in three years of competition at the Tom Fallon Invitational. This weekend's 5-1 combined mark boosts Haddock's record this season to 7-1 in singles and 12-2 overall.

That continues his impressive success rate in the fall, where he now is 26-5 in singles and 50-12 overall during his college career.

Two players with local ties have played well at the Tom Fallon Invitational as well. Purdue's Troy Havens, a South Bend native and Penn High School graduate, went 5-1 overall (2-1 in singles play).

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Mens action kicks off

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Making honor roll

Three Irish players were recognized by the Big East for their solid play last week.

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