Irish victories confirm ND credibility

By ANDREW SOUKUP
News Writer

Return to glory used to be a catchy T-shirt phrase. Now it's a statement about a football giant awakening from a decade-long slumber.

As dooms of Irish players celebrated Saturday on the field of Florida State's Doak Campbell Stadium, as hundreds of Notre Dame students celebrated in the bleachers, as thousands of Notre Dame fans crossed the nation, one man managed to remain calm.

After most of the Florida State crowd had filtered out of the stadium, Tyrone Willingham stood with his arm crossed, his back to the nearby reporters. He looked straight ahead, staring at the scoreboard that had Notre Dame 34, Florida State 24 blazing as bright as Notre Dame's future.

"Is this a Notre Dame moment? I think it is," athletic director Kevin White said minutes after the Irish improved to 8-0. "I think this clearly is a special moment in the history of this University."

Even as White, the man who hired Willingham after botching this season, gushed about the Notre Dame resurgence under Willingham, the crowd had filtered out of the stadium. Willingham stood with his arm crossed, his back to the nearby reporters. He looked straight ahead, staring at the scoreboard that had Notre Dame 34, Florida State 24 blazing as bright as Notre Dame's future.

"It's great to take a team's heart in their own stadium," said Glenn Earl, the man who hired Willingham after botching this season.

But if the Irish heard the talk about rebuilding, they didn't pay attention. They were too busy reloading. Now, they're ranked No. 3 in the latest Bowl Series standings, just four wins and four-tenths of a point from creeeping into the national championship Fiesta Bowl.

"Why are we playing so good? I think because we are good," linebacker Courtney Watson said.

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Chris Broughton, Washington seminar leader

CSC cancels D.C. seminars

Sniper incidents prompt Center to halt 2 break trips

By CHRISTINA CEPERO
News Writer

In response to the recent sniper attacks in the Washington, D.C., area, administrators at the Center for Social Concerns opted to cancel the planned fall break Washington Seminar and Living the Gospel of Life. Seminar trips to the nation's capital.

The 33 students in two seminars were scheduled to depart Notre Dame in CSC vans on Oct. 19 and return on Oct. 26. Carl Loesch, director of the Appalachian Seminar and educational immersions at the CSC, sent out an e-mail Oct. 14 to the seminar participants informing them that University officials were considering whether or not to cancel the program or give students the option to drop out without penalty.

However, officials decided Oct. 16 to cancel the trips altogether. Students in the seminars were given the opportunity to attend one of the other CSC Fall Break seminars if they wished.

Loesch and the seminars' student leaders have given the students the option of dropping the class and receiving a full refund, staying in the class, receiving a full refund and writing a paper on an approved on-campus lecture, staying in the class and planning a weekend trip of related events in Chicago and being compensated for the difference or staying in the class and going to the capital for a few days in mid-January.

The CSC will also allow the students in the canceled seminars to be automatically accepted for same seminars offered in the spring.

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Chris Broughton, Washington seminar leader

By JAMIE BELCHER
News Writer

Students and faculty on the Saint Mary's Campus may have noticed this semester that security escorts have been taking longer than in the past.

Interim Security Director Rosemari Harris has found a solution for the problem.

"We've hired two escort drivers and we are going to be using a van so that we can transport more students at one time," Harris said.

The escort drivers are actually off-duty freetime that the college has hired from the South Bend Fire Department. Cyril Quinn and John Firtl joined the team of security officers at the college starting Monday.

When they are not working at the firehouse, they will be on hand at the college seven days a week. The department is also hoping that having fresmen on staff will improve service in the case of an emergency and also promote safety on campus.

In an effort to cut back on the number of calls to the dispatch area, the department plans toRefCount the number of calls to the dispatch area, the department plans to...
INSIDE COLUMN

FSU fans show class

Let me start this column by saying that I am NOT a Seminole fan. Growing up in a family of Florida Gators and cheering for the Irish has nurtured an intense rivalry for Florida State within me, or as I call them, a Seminole's fan. But this past Sunday, November 6, I arrived at Doak Campbell Stadium early to go to the Notre Dame-Florida State game. I first learned about it when a few friends offered two tickets to the game. I assumed that my Notre Dame kelly-green T-shirt and my University of Florida friend's orange shirt would guarantee us martyrdom.

It was like a time warp. The majority of the student section was wearing orange and yellow, and I overheard a few students saying that we would've guessed that? No, way. I was wrong.

Salvation, however, came in the form of a friend at Florida State who went out of his way to track down two tickets for me and my University of Florida friend. In addition to that generosity, Seminole fans showed respect toward us throughout game day. I assumed that my Notre Dame kelly-green T-shirt and my friend's Gator T-shirt in the student section would guarantee us martyrdom. It was wrong.

Aside from some friendly trash talking, everyone in the student section was very hospitable. I watched in awe and surprise as over 82,000 fans filled Doak Campbell Stadium on Monday morning to purchase two of the 50,000 tickets. After the game, my friend even gave me my moment of glory at the student section.

We do, however, recognize our mistakes. If we have made a mistake, we will make amends. We have made a mistake. Please contact us at [email] because we can correct our error.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer. Contact Andrew Thagard at athagard@nd.edu

CORRECTIONS

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Saint Mary's B.O.G approves new student magazine

Board members approved funding Monday for a new student-produced publication, Blandine.

WORLD & NATION
Putin leads Russia in a day of mourning for hostages

The Russian president led the nation yesterday in a day of remembrance for 118 hostages who died in the standoff at a Moscow theater.

BUSINESS NEWS
Pfizer agrees to pay for Medicaid overcharges

The pharmaceutical company will pay a $49 million to the U.S. Justice Department to settle allegations that it overcharged Medicaid for the drug Lipitor.

VIEWPOINT
Response to the Too Good case reveals contradiction

Columnist Charles Rice explains how the outcry over a recent child abuse case exposes the hypocrisy in American opinions.

SCENE
Scene reviews Tom Petty's newest rock album

Tom Petty's album The Last DJ, scores high marks for its criticism of abuses by radio corporations.

SPORTS
Notre Dame womens soccer defeats Boston College

The Irish close out their season with a win on the road over the Eagles Sunday as they hope for a spot in the post-season tournament.

WHAT'S HAPPENING @ ND

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Blood drive. BofSports Recreation Center, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Please pre-register at 1-6100.

Campus Bible Study, Colleen-Morese Center Conference Room, 7 to 8 p.m. Bring your own Bible.

Halloween Fun and Storytime. Hammond Notre Dame Bookstore, 11 a.m. Please wear costumes.

WHAT'S COOKING

North Dining Hall
Today's Lunch: Boiled tri-color rotini, flamenco sauce, buffalo chicken lasagna, pepperoni pizza, cheese pizza, vegetable pizza, pretzel sticks, minestrone soup, tomato soup, broccoli cheese soup, champagne rice pilaf, whipped potatoes, oatmeal, scrambled eggs, bacon slices

Today's Dinner: Hawaiian pizza, pretzel sticks, roasted turkey breast, peas, cherry crisp, potato pancakes, baked potatoes, fresh spinach, ham-burgers, grilled hotdogs, Krinkle cut fries, Chinese noodles, plain rice, vegetable egg rolls, chicken tacos, Spanish rice, refried beans, broccoli garlic tofi, grilled cheese sandwiches, pea

South Dining Hall
Today's Lunch: meatballs with sauce, baked cheese ravioli, pesto sauce, Mexican beef pizza, pretzel sticks, macaroni and cheese, cauli-flower, BBQ chicken, grilled tuna with lemon, turkey breast, bread stuffing, long grain and wild rice, grilled chicken, reuben sandwich, seasoned fries, onion ring, BBQ Tomato sauce

Today's Dinner: meatballs with sauce, baked cheese ravioli, pesto sauce, Mexican beef pizza, pretzel stick, spinach pie, green bean casse-role, turkey noodle casseroles, fried perch, roast top round, Cajun chicken breast sandwiches, seasoned fries, onion rings, taco baskets

Noble Family Dining Hall
Today's Lunch: Seafood Creole soup, cream of mushroom soup, Italian meatball sandwich, cheese pizza, vegan grilled vegetable pizza, ham-burger, French fries, grilled cheese sandwich, veggie reuben, hot open faced turkey sandwich, pasta fantasti-ca, caesar salad, zucchini pasta salad and pork fried rice.

Today Dinner: Seafood Creole soup, cream of mushroom soup, savory Shepherd's pie, cheese and vegan grilled vegetable pizzas, hamburger, French fries, grilled cheese sandwich, Monte Cristo sandwich, baked koh chicken and balsamic roasted vegeta-bles.

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In an effort to provide a creative outlet for members of the Saint Mary's student body, seniors Katherine Rand and Anne DeClene requested partial funding for the first printing of the new student magazine, Bellezine, at a BOG meeting Monday night. After debate by the board members, funds were allocated for the new magazine.

According to Rand and DeClene, Bellezine was created to fill the void of representation by current publications offered to the student body.

"We hope that this will be a publication that will adequately represent all of the interests of the community," Rand said.

According to DeClene, the magazine will benefit the entire student body by giving a voice to all of the women in the community.

"Every woman in the Saint Mary's family will be represented," DeClene said. "We will have articles from student and alumni, articles about being Dame abroad in Rome and Ireland and alles we will have articles and artwork from the current student body.

The first issue will be an estimated 36 pages and will include a variety of sections including off-campus adventures, an alumni column and a creative writing segment, said the magazine's promoters.

"We are open to all ideas and are seeking further input from the entire student body," said DeClene. "We want to provide a different type of publication that will continue far into the future and become a tradition at Saint Mary's.

Senior class president Rachel Finley lent her support to the new magazine at the meeting by encouraging the board to support student-run concepts and Bellezine in particular.

Adrian Dorbish, Student Activities Board president, also urged the board to consider the positive impact the magazine would have on the campus community.

"This publication is going to grow," Dorbish said. "You can already tell by the interest and amount of organization that has already gone into the establishment of the magazine that this is important to the students," she said.

Following the first publication, the magazine hopes to become self-supporting monthly magazine.

"The goal is that the publication will become a self-supporting monthly magazine," DeClene said.

Promoters of the new magazine also said that the Student International Business Council will assist the new magazine with its budget and funding process.

In other BOG news:

- Senior Kristi Brandon requested recognition for Impact Christian Fellowship from the Board of Governance. The fellowship, an organization that serves college students around the world, helps provide support for all members of the Christian faith. After some debate by the board, the motion for recognition passed.

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FBI reports decade's first crime rate hike

By CHRISTIAN PALMER

FBI reports that U.S. crime rate fell last year for the first time in a decade, an increase that coincided with an economic downturn that many experts see played a key role. Murder, armed robbery, rape and burglary were up last year for the first time in a decade, according to the FBI's annual report. The FBI said in its annual report that the murder rate rose by a percentage point to the lowest rate since 2000. The FBI reported Monday that the "economy has to be the prime suspect," said James Lynch, professor at American University's Department of Justice, Law and Society.

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**Victory**

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said. "I think we've had the talent to be 8-0 for a while."

The Irish entered Saturday's game as 10-point underdogs, but made a strong statement with their first offensive play of the game. After Arnaz Battle scored a 65-yard touchdown pass, he imitated the famous Seminole tomahawk chop and then waved his hands in front of his chest.

While Battle earned him a celebration penalty and a tongue-lashing from coaches, the message was clear — the Irish weren't about to be intimidated in the most hustle road environment they've faced all season.

Yet as Battle's touchdown silenced the home crowd, 6,000 green-clad Irish fans wildly celebrated in the end zone bleachers — the most impressive show of support for an Irish road game this season.

"It's great to take a team's heart in their own stadium," Irish safety Glenn Earl said. "You heard the stadium go silent, and then you have your own section of fans up there going crazy. It's great."

But as players walked off the field slapping high-fives with students leaning over guardrails and signed autographs for jubilant fans, Willingham reminded everyone the Irish have a long way to go, and he cautioned his team about thinking about end-of-the-season bowl games.

After all, when Notre Dame beat Florida State in 1993, they lost to Boston College the next game and lost their chance at a national championship.

Fittingly, the Irish face the Eagles on Saturday with a chance to avenge a nine-year old loss.

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**Escort**

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have the van going continuously. Intended route stops will include Regina Hall, LeMans, Angela and Senior parking lots, the bus stop in front of LeMans and other campus areas. Depending on where the van is when a student is ready, it may take ten to 20 minutes to complete the whole cycle.

"We are in the experimental stages with this effort and we appreciate patience, cooperation, and suggestions," said Harris.

The department also asks that if there are two or more students in one location going to the same place that they consider walking together.

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**DC Trips**

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preparation for the week in Washington. Students in the seminars were scheduled to attend a meeting of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops, meet with Georgetown professor Coleman McCarthy, participate in a homelessness panel and engage in various other service projects.

Junior Chris Broughton, one of the Washington Seminar's student leaders, said students did not want to risk being stranded on a highway that might be shut down because of a sniper attack.

"The situation altered the dynamic of the trip since we would have to make sure no student was alone at any time," said Broughton.

Senior business major Nicole Straub, the other student leader of the Washington Seminar, traveled to Washington, D.C. last spring.

"It was an incredible experience," said Straub. "It's really unfortunate that the kids who signed up this semester didn't get to go."

Parent concern was another reason students were reluctant to participate in the seminars. Megan O'Donnell, junior class president, had planned to participate in the Washington Seminar but said she seriously questioned her decision after her parents expressed concern about the sniper attacks.

The Living the Gospel of Life Seminar, a new one-credit CSC course, focused on issues relating to the preservation of life. Seminar leader Bryan Haffey said students planned on meeting with members of the National Right to Life Committee, Indiana Congressional Representative Tim Roemer, the Organization for the Human Life Amendment and attending a meeting of the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops.

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Russia
Putin leads day of mourning for deceased hostages

Associated Press

MOSCOW
President Vladimir Putin led a national day of mourning Monday and pledged Russia would not suffer attacks "like those in Black Hawk Down." Relatives and friends grieved for the 174 hostages held at a Moscow theater, all but two from the paralyzing gas used to neutralize the attackers.

Using words remarkably similar to those of President Bush after the Sept. 11 attacks in the United States, Putin pledged in televised comments to give the military broader powers to move against suspected terrorists and their sponsors.

"Russia will answer with measures adequate to the threat to the Russian Federation in all places where the terrorists, the organizers of these crimes or their ideological or financial sponsors are located," Putin said. "I emphasize — wherever they may be.

Putin has said the theater raid was planned abroad, and the Russian "heart is bleeding," on Monday, claiming, without offering evidence, that Osama bin Laden's al-Qaida terrorist organization was involved.

Officials said 405 of the freed captives remained hospitalized, 45 of them in grave condition. Deputy Prime Minister Valentina Matviyenko said 239 people had been released.

Russian medical officials said 116 of the hostages held by Chechen rebels in a Moscow theater had succumbed to the gas, the exact composition of which remains unknown — even to medical personnel treating the victims. Russian authorities provided U.S. Embassy with some information about the effects of the gas, but have so far told them that of the agent despite repeated requests, an embassy spokesman said.

Doctors from a Western embassy have examined some of the former hostages and concluded "the agent they were exposed to appears consistent with an opiate rather than a nerve agent," the embassy spokesman said, speaking on condition of anonymity.

Opiates, including morphine and heroin, are derivatives of the opium poppy.

In Germany, a physician treating two former hostages said doctors would try to determine what gas was used through blood and urine tests and that it did not appear to be a known chemical weapon.

"It remains a puzzle," said Dr. Thomas Zilker, a toxicology professor at Munich University Clinic.

The U.S. Embassy spokesman also said American agents on Wednesday located a body believed to be that of a U.S. citizen who died during the hostage-taking, one of two Americans in the theater when Chechen rebels stormed it Wednesday night during a performance of the musical "Nord-Ost."

Two foreign women — one Dutch, one Austrian — and a 13-year-old girl from Kazakhstan also were known to have died.

Russian officials said 50 rebels were killed during the storming of the building early Saturday. Many of the insurgents were women who claimed to be Chechen war widows.

Sniper suspects face murder, other charges in Virginia

Associated Press

SPOTSYLVANIA, Va. — The teenager arrested in the sniper slay­ings has fired the shot that killed a Virginia girl, his father said.

Fill analyst, a prosecutor said Monday as Virginia charged both suspects with crimes that could bring the death penalty.

John Lee Malvo, 17, and John Allen Muhammad, 41, were charged in both Virginia and Maryland in the three-week series of attacks that killed 10 people and injured more than 100 in shootings across the country. Many of them in a killing during a robbery. No deci­sion had been made yet on federal charges.

In the county prosecutor Robert Horan Jr. said evidence showed that Malvo may have fired the shot that killed Linda Franklin on Oct. 14 outside a Home Depot in Falls Church.

He would not elaborate on the evidence. "There will be some evidence that the juvenile was the shooter just like there will be evidence that the adult was the shooter," Horan said. "But the point is, we don't know right now, and no one knows right now."

The pair were charged Monday in Spotsylvania County with the murder of Linda Franklin and the Oct. 1 and the Oct. 4 wounding of an unidentified woman.

The murder charges were based on state law violations, but the federal government could use the killing of more than one person within three years.

In Hanover County, where an unidenti­fied man was wounded on Oct. 19, the pair were named in a variety of charges includ­ing attempted murder and terrorizing the public — the first charges brought under a post-Sept. 11 state law passed in July.

In both counties, the charges against Malvo were made in juvenile court, but authorities said they would seek to have his case transferred to adult court.

County, state and federal prosecutors have yet to figure out who will bring the two men to trial first.

Spotsylvania County Sheriff Ronald Knight said Monday that Mohammad and Malvo should be tried in Virginia as soon as possible. "Everybody is looking for that to happen since Virginia has the death penal­ity," for both adults and juveniles, the sheriff said.

In Maryland, 17-year-olds are not eligible for the death penalty. There is no death penalty in the District of Columbia, where one person was killed.

Virginia, which allows condemned pris­oners to choose between lethal injection and the electric chair, has executed 86 peo­ple since capital punishment was reinstated in 1976, more than any other state except Texas. In the same period, Maryland has executed three people and is one of two states with a moratorium on executions.

Montgomery County, Md., prosecutor Douglas Gansler said Sunday that he believes his state should prosecute the man first, in part because Maryland had the most shootings: six.

A senior Justice Department official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said discussions continued Monday on whether the federal government would bring its own charges.

The overriding concern, the offi­cial said, is to ensure that a swift, certain death penalty is available if either defen­dant is convicted.

Feds want terror report kept secret: A classified document describing terror suspect Jose Padilla's multiple contacts with top al-Qaida leaders should remain secret, federal prosecutors said in court papers filed Monday. Lawyers for Padilla, a former Chicago gang member accused of planning to detonate a radioactive "dirty bomb," say U.S. District Judge Michael Mukasey of New York should not review the classified document because prosecutors have refused to share it with them.

The case involves whether Padilla should be held as an enemy combatant. In the federal filing, U.S. Attorney James Comey of New York contend that an unclassified version of the document includes most of the key information regarding Padilla's contacts with al-Qaida in Pakistan and Afghanistan. The classified version, prosecutors said, is intended to provide the judge with intelli­gence information about Padilla's status as an enemy combatant.

Student kills 4 in Arizona shooting: A student flunking out of nursing school opened fire Monday in a class at the University of Arizona on Monday, killing two professors and a third person before apparently taking his own life, officials said. The attack sent scores of students rushing toward the doors, many of them screaming as they fled. Police went room to room looking for the gunman, who had earlier called in the bomb squad to search the building.

Trial opens in Winona Ryder case: Winona Ryder went on trial Monday on charges of shoplifting more than $5,500 in designer hats and other merchandise, with her lawyer depicting the actress as a victim of overzealous security guards. The prosecution called it a simple case of theft. When you enter a department store with the intent of stealing, that is burglary," prosecutor Ann Rundle said in her opening statement.
Center for Social Concerns Happenings

http://centerforsocialconcerns.nd.edu  631-5293  Hours: Mon-Thurs. 8AM-10PM Fri. 8AM-7PM Sat. 10AM-2PM Sun. 6PM-9PM

Tutoring
Tutor is needed for a third grader who is struggling in math and reading. Any two days a week except Fridays, after school would be preferable. She could come to Hesburgh Library. Contact: Tara Shea 259-6502 or cell 874-6919.

Tutor is needed for high school student in chemistry and geometry. Any day Monday-Thursday would be fine, 4-5pm. She can meet at Hesburgh Library. Contact: Kathy Brickley 291-4607.

A few tutors are needed for 7th and 8th graders at Edison Middle School in all subjects, especially Math. After school would be preferable. Contact: Cheryl Hayward 283-8900.

Tutor is needed for a sophomore in high school in geometry. She could meet any day except Monday at Hesburgh Library. Contact: Joe Pinter, home 288-1365 or work 288-3471.

Tutor is needed for a junior in high school in chemistry and geometry. She could meet at Hesburgh Library. Contact: Scott Schnier 298-3471.

Tutor needed for a 12-year old in reading and math comprehension. A female tutor in math or education would be ideal. Student can come to Hesburgh or dorm on Tuesdays from 4-5. Contact: Julie Dawson 243-7950, cell 329-9756, home 654-8741.

Mentoring
Parent is seeking a companion and friend for her mildly mentally handicapped daughter. She can drive and enjoys music and having fun. Contact: Marilyn 259-0370.

A male mentor is needed for a seven-year-old boy who does not have a dad in his life. There would be no cost to the student and the commitment would be about two times a month. Contact: Delores 631-4115.

Elderly
Students are needed to sit with an elderly woman while she undergoes kidney dialysis treatment. She is treated on T/Th/Sat from 12-3 p.m. Different volunteers for each day would be fine. Transportation would be needed. Kathy Fodness 220-1182.

A few students are needed to help an elderly couple clean their basement. It would be for a few hours on a Saturday morning. Contact: Mrs. Thompson 234-0300.

Summer Service Internships (SSI)!!
Summer Service Internship Information session will be held NEXT TUES, NOV 5TH, in the CSC’s Classroom @ 6:30 P.M.

Find out about this 3 credit service-learning experience - eight weeks during the summer months, $2000.00 scholarship, with room and board provided. Plus, the added incentive of getting an extra $1000.00 Americorps award!!

New Experimental Learning Course!
Theo 325/LAST 325/WLS 325:
From Power to Communion: An Emerging Theology
Instructors: Fr. Robert Pelton, C.S.C. (Fellow, Kellogg Institute), Barbara Szweda (Notre Dame Law School), and Christopher Weina (Associate Director, Kellogg Institute)

This course hopes to expose students to the reality of Latin America both by academic research guided by instructors at Notre Dame and in Cuba, and by community and shared-learning experiences with the people of Cuba; Course involves a spring break immersion in Cuba.

Info meetings for Spring 2003 Class: TONIGHT, Tues, OCT 29th, 7-8 p.m., CSC coffeehouse & Mon, NOV 4th, 7-8 p.m., Law School, Room 101

Faculty Opportunities...
The Center offers resources to faculty members teaching commu- nity-based learning and research courses. If you are interested in some support for your work in this area, please contact Mary Beckman, Ph.D., Center Associate Director, Concurrent Associate Professor of Economics, at beckman.9@nd.edu or 1-4172.

She can assist with course development grants, workshops, reading materials, and more.

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A light dinner will be served and former Associates and HCA staff will be there to chat with anyone who is interested in post-grad service and the Holy Cross Associates domestic or Chile program. Please RSVP if you would like to attend: HCA@nd.edu OR 631-5521.

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International Summer Service Learning Program (ISSLP) 2003
Sits in 13 developing countries around the world

 Remaining Information Sessions:
TODAY, TUES, OCT 29th & WED, OCT 30th
All Sessions, 6:30 – 7:30 p.m., in CSC Lounge

APPLICATION DUE DATE: NOV 1st

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Conference:
Option for the Poor in Christian Theology
November 10-13, McKenna Hall
Plan Ahead!
Registration & Conference Schedule Online:
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Mexico Seminar Applications
Now available @ CSC
Seminar dates: May 16th - June 1st in Oaxaca, Mexico
Applications due: Nov. 27
Pfizer agrees to pay settlement

Company will pay for Medicaid overcharges

Associated Press

NEW YORK

Pfizer Inc. said Monday it will pay $49 million to settle a Justice Department allegation that it overcharged the Medicaid program for its cholesterol-lowering drug Lipitor.

The settlement will be split between the federal government and the states because Medicaid is a jointly funded program.

The charges stemmed from a whistleblower lawsuit alleging that educational grants by Parke-Davis to the Ochsner Health Plan in 1999 constituted a rebate that lowered the price of the drug for the Louisiana insurer. Federal law requires drug companies to offer the Medicaid program the lowest price paid by any purchaser.

The suit was brought in 1999 by John David Foster, who worked for Parke-Davis at the time. Pfizer acquired Parke-Davis through its 2000 takeover of Warner-Lambert.

The settlement represents more than double the $21 million the Medicaid program was overcharged, according to Foster’s lawyer, Joel Caprino of New York.

Foster will receive about $6 million for his role in the settlement, Androphy said.

As part of the settlement, the company will not pursue allegations made in the same lawsuit involving payments to five other health plans and two pharmacy benefits managers.

Pfizer also said it had entered into a corporate integrity agreement with the Office of the Inspector General of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to make sure its policies comply with pricing regulations.

Pfizer spokeswoman Mariann Caprino said the company already has a compliance program, but the new arrangement would require enhancing some procedures. She declined to elaborate.

"The settlement was a legacy issue. We are pleased it is over," Caprino said.

The settlement comes at a time when virtually all major pharmaceutical companies are the subject of government investigations and private lawsuits, most of which center on practices that allegedly led to higher prices. For example, attorney generals in 47 states are investigating whether Pfizer illegally marketed the epilepsy drug Neurontin to physicians.

Pfizer shares fell 34 cents to close at $31.56 on the New York Stock Exchange.

Cigna to restructure health-care

Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA

Cigna Corp., the nation’s third-largest health insurer, said Monday it will spend $100 million to restructure its health-care division and will at least a year to rebuild after a pricing miscalculation sent the company’s profits plummeting.

In a bid to stave off competition and win over dissatisfied customers, Cigna is looking to bring in new technology systems, which are particularly in customer service areas that wouldn’t be repeated.

We have a good understanding as to where the concessions were made, and where we need to tighten," he said. But he also characterize last 2003 as "a rebuilding year" for Cigna.

Harway said he expects a membership loss of about 5 percent by January. The company said it expects operating income in 2003 to be between $875 million and $925 million, down from an estimated $915 million to $950 million in 2002.

Cigna CFO Jim Stewart said the firm planned to take an after-tax charge of about $100 million in the fourth quarter related to its restructuring effort. Details of the plan have not been made public.

The firm said the pricing errors were not caused by problems in its technology systems, which are undergoing a five-year, $1 billion upgrade.

Harway acknowledged that some of the company’s operations — particularly in customer service areas — have been disrupted by the upgrade, but said human errors were to blame for the underlying mistakes.

“It’s not bad data. It is bad execution," he said.

Cigna is also struggling to settle a lawsuit filed by thousands of doctors who say the firm’s computerized billing program unfairly slashes their claims and denies them their legitimate fees.

A group of plaintiffs represented by the Connecticut State Medical Society objected to an offer that would have paid the doctors $200 million to settle, saying that the plan would force doctors to resubmit bills from as far back as 1996.

“T here are many physicians who would be unable to go back electronically and resubmit those claims," said the society’s director, Tim Norbeck.

He also complained that the settlement wouldn’t adequately resolve how the company would settle payment claims in the future.

Cigna spokesman Wendell Potter said negotiations are continuing.

The company is to announce third quarter results on Friday.
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WASHINGTON, D.C. More than 100,000 people filled the streets of the nation's capital Saturday in a nonviolent protest against possible U.S. military action in Iraq.

The demonstration, possibly the largest anti-war rally since Vietnam-era protests according to organizers and police, began in Constitution Gardens adjacent to the Vietnam Veterans' Memorial and led to a march that encircled the White House.

"I thought it was great," said Sarah Lantzman, a member of the Charlottesville Center for Peace and Justice, which helped organize transportation to the event.

"There was a broad range of people there, not just the people who always go to protests."

The event was coordinated by International Act Now Stop War and End Racism, an activist organization that worked with many other groups to advertise the rally and transport protestors to the capital.

Before the march, throngs in Constitution Gardens listened to speakers ranging from Attorney General Ramsey Clark, to Rev. Jesse Jackson to Congresswoman Cynthia McKinney. Speakers said the President does not speak for all Americans and that a war on Iraq would be destructive and unnecessary.

"We come from different races, from different cultures, from different parts of the country — we are the real America, and Americans stand for peace and rational thinking," said Rev. Al Sharpton. "You will not declare this wickedest of wars in our name."

"I've never been to anything like this before," said Abigail Reid, a Minnesota resident who attends American University. "It's amazing."

Students from the University of Virginia also made the trip to Washington to partake in the protest.

"I came because I wanted to stand up for my generation," second-year College student David Dexter said. "War now would be preempive and unnecessary, and I don't feel it's in the interest of the majority of the American public."

Parents pushing babies in strollers, and veterans of protests of the past joined students and middle-aged citizens in protest. "We've been working for a long time in the peace movement, during Vietnam and the Gulf War," said Jackie Florsheim of Brooklyn, N.Y. who also attended rational thinking, she said. "We don't want to see war proliferate."

A small group demonstrated in support of action against Iraq across the street from the march, announcing "Sudan is a Murderer" over a megaphone and brandishing signs that read "Axis of Evil: Saddam, Farkhank, John Muhammad" and declaring Osama bin Laden and Saddam Hussein "Wanted."

Many of the anti-war demonstrators commemorated the Sen. Paul Wellstone of Minnesota, who died Friday in a plane crash.

Wellstone was an ardent opponent of military action against Iraq and a longtime liberal activist. He was the only senator in a competitive re-election campaign to vote against the resolution giving Bush the power to take military action unhindered by Congress.

Numerous placards denounced war and made jobs at Bush. Some read "Regime change begins at home", "Money for Jobs Not War", "War is not an option", "Start seeing Iraqi children", "No blood for oil", "Protest is patriotic" and "Dissent is an American Virtue". 

Students protest war on Iraq in D.C.

By NICK CHAPIN
Carolyn Daily

Catholics welcome new rosary changes

By LAURA JENSEN
The Daily Iowan

IOWA CITY, Iowa The Roman Catholic Church changed its most well-known prayer, the rosary, for the first time in centuries by announcing a new set of mysteries to meditate on while praying.

Pope John Paul II announced the change in an apostolic letter on Oct. 16, declaring the period between October 2002 and October 2003 as the Year of the Rosary and adding the mysteries of light, or the luminous mysteries, to the rosary. Church officials said the changes are aimed at re-connecting Catholics to the rosary and encouraging them to pray more often.

"The rosary uses what we call mysteries to reflect on the important events of Christ's life," said Father Ed Fitzpatrick, the director of and campus minister at the Iowa Newman Catholic Student Center. "I think that it's a great new reflection."

The mysteries of light include Christ's baptism, his first miracle at Cana, his proclaiming the coming of the Kingdom of God, the transfiguration of Christ in front of three disciples, and the establishment of the Eucharist as a sacrament.

"I sense that the Holy Father is dismayed at the darkness in the world and wants us to pray for light with these new luminous mysteries," said Father John Becker, a campus minister at the Newman Catholic Student Center.

Thomas Scheck, a UI graduate student in religion, said the addition is important because it diverts from the three standard mysteries.

"It's significant because he is promoting the use of the rosary as a devotional tool for Catholics and is making these mysteries more focused on Christ's earthly ministries," he said.

The rosary incorporates common Catholic prayers, such as the Lord's Prayer and Hail Mary, to meditate on the 15 mysteries of the life of Jesus Christ. The rosary includes the five joyful mysteries of Christ's birth, the five sorrowful mysteries of his crucifixion, and the five glorious mysteries of his resurrection. The circle of beads ends in a crucifix and is divided into five sections, each consisting of 11 beads representing a mystery in one of the four different types of mysteries.

"The pope has had a lifelong commitment to Mary and the rosary and to helping Catholics grow in personal holiness, prayer, and closeness to God," Scheck said.

Rosary changes

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Response to child abuse case reveals society's hypocrisy

It took Madelyne Toogood, a 26-year-old Irish traveler, to put Mishawaka on the map. On Sept. 13, a surveillance video at Kohl’s department store captured Mrs. Toogood apparently punching her four-year-old, Martha, as she put the child into her car in the parking lot. The national and even world media went berserk. For several days, Mrs. Toogood and her attorneys dominated the talk shows, on some of which she appeared, seemingly in an unsuccessful effort to quiet the storm. Prosecutor Chris Toth, running for re-election, immediately charged her with a felony. In line with his “tough on crime” theme, he offered “no deals” and asked the court to set a $50,000 cash bond.

Not to be outdone, Dr. Laura Schlesinger put the phone numbers of Superior Court Judges Jerome Frese, who set Toogood’s bond, and William H. Allight, who will try the felony case on her Web site. She urged listeners to call them because she thought Toogood’s bond was set too low. Their phones rang off the hook. Frese pointed out that the $50,000 cash bond he required is 10 times higher than the normal bond for such a crime. Frese, a Notre Dame Law School graduate and highly respected judge, stated the obvious, that we should not punish the defendant before she is convicted and should try people “in the courts and not on television.”

This video, shot from behind Mrs. Toogood, showed her leaning into the car with her arms swinging for 25 seconds, but it did not show the contact of her hands with Martha or anything else. The facts turned out to be comparatively tame. Martha had no injuries. Toogood said she slapped her with her open hand and shook her by her ponytail. Toogood said that when she got into the driver’s seat, Martha told her that her ponytail was messed up. Toogood said she turned around and apologized to Martha. She said later that she had no excuse for striking Martha. On Oct. 10, temporary custody of Martha was awarded to her grandmother in South Bend. On Oct. 17, Mrs. Toogood was charged in LaGrange, Ind., with shoplifting some fabric. Last August. That got the banner headline on page A1 of the South Bend Tribune.

This case tells us something about our law and courts. The contrast between the popular and official reactions to Mrs. Toogood’s offense and the reality of what she could have done to Martha with impunity less than five years earlier. On the very day of Martha’s birth, if delivery had not been completed except that Martha’s head had not yet emerged from the cervix, Toogood could have aborted Martha.

The prosecutor, who charged Toogood with a felony when she slapped but did not injure Martha, would have had to look the other way at the disembolishment of Martha because Toogood would have been engaged, not in a felony, but in the exercise of a specially privileged constitutional right. Martha, instead of being aborted, might now be suffering. The number is now over 3,021 victims of the Sept. 11 attacks.

The prevention of “child abuse” is a major priority in law, medicine, media and in popular opinion, as it should be. Yet surveys consistently show that three of four Americans favor the legalized execution of unborn children in at least some cases. A Gallup Poll last May found that 25 percent thought abortion should be legal “in all cases,” 12 percent in most cases and 39 percent in a “few” cases. Only 22 percent thought it should be illegal in all cases.

"Boschus Americanus" will accept the disembolishment of a living, unborn Martha but will react in frenzy when her mother slaps a four-year-old Martha. How do you make sense out of that? Ask your theology professor. The answer might be interesting.

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Notre Dame has always been a top choice for women

I would like to correct an error in the article: “Panel Recalls Early Days of Coeducation” published in the Oct. 10 edition. The article states that the first group of female undergraduates came from Saint Mary’s in the fall of 1972. That is in error. The University admitted 372 women that fall. Of those, 250 were transfers from Saint Mary’s and 125 were freshmen who were admitted directly to Notre Dame.

As one of those freshmen, I think the distinction is important. Most of us did not even apply to Saint Mary’s. Had I not been admitted to Notre Dame, I would have matriculated to my second choice, Duke University. Most of my classmates had similar opportunities. From the very beginning, Notre Dame women have been academically talented, motivated young women able to compete and succeed in the most rigorous academic environment. As the mother of a daughter who is a freshman at Notre Dame, I know that tradition continues today.

Mary Anne Kennedy Reilly
class of 1976

Tuesday, October 29, 2002
In an uncertain world, marathon unites runners with city and spectators

At 5:30 a.m. on a cold, dark Sunday, my roommate Erin and I stood with friends at a train station in suburban Chicago. We had met them only moments before, yet their words of support, advice and encouragement helped convince us that we could reach our goal, still seven hours and 26.2 miles ahead of us.

It's a rare occurrence to be welcomed with open arms by a group of strangers. So often many of us immediately regard with suspicion those we don't know in places that we aren't familiar with.

Over the past year and a half, events in the United States and abroad have only served to convince Americans of the need to be cautious. Recent shootings in the Washington, D.C., area, drove residents to question the safety of their local streets and stores. Perhaps most chillingly, the alleged suspects did not know in places that we aren't familiar with.

As I stood at the start line of the Chicago Marathon, I was struck by the movement of thousands. The marathon was sport without behavior or personalized shoes. It was sport, fought for pride and common achievement. At the end, I wanted to see other runners cross the finish line with success just as much as I wanted to experience it myself. I knew that others had the same feeling.

As I crossed the finish line, a man beside me wrapped his arm around my shoulder and yelled, "We did it! We did it!" before disappearing among the crowd of runners. I walked on past the tables of blankets, water and food, knowing that the exhausted participant beside me, the woman who handed me a bottle of water, the family and friends who greeted me with smiles and I were all part of the same accomplishment.

Much has brought the country together in the past year and a half. Often it has been a sense of common loss. The marathon brought people — from those local to Chicago to those from other countries together for one day, or maybe even just one morning, through a sense of common triumph. That's enough to make someone want to do it all over again.

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ALBUM REVIEW

Petty won’t back down

By JULIE BENDER
Assistant Scene Editor

It takes a lot for a song to get banned from the radio these days. Usually banning is the result of explicit sexual lyrics, references to violence or harsh language. Even then, most songs escape the censors with strategically placed beeps that don’t mean much to the imagination.

But Tom Petty, the long-standing hero of classic American rock and roll, has defied the odds.

Petty’s latest single has been banned from the radio, not for damaging lyrics, but rather for his opinion. Like his rock and roll influences from the 1960s, Petty has used his latest album, The Last DJ, to take aim at corruption.

In his supposedly highly controversial new single, “The Last DJ,” Petty points a finger at the music industry and their manipulative ways of controlling radio. He sing, “There goes the last D.J. who plays what he wants to play / And says what he wants to say / ‘Hey, hey, hey / There goes your freedom of choice / There goes the last human voice / There goes the last D.J.’”

Obviously radio doesn’t like to hear the truth. Since the 1996 Telecommunications Act was passed deregulating radio, radio has become a corporate business, with dollar signs popping from the speakers instead of music notes. Controlling radio today are only two major companies, Clear Channel and Infinity. These two conglomerates own over 1,200 of the country’s radio stations, controlling which bands will make it big and songs will and will not be heard.

Tom Petty has remained stalwart against this corruption of the music business. As a man who just “won’t back down,” Petty has kept his concert tickets and album prices comparatively low during a time when it’s not uncommon to see seats at a concert selling for $150 and CDs going for $20. Petty has also refused to be corporately sponsored or to license his music for advertising. As a reflection of his position shown by his actions, Petty describes his latest album by saying, “The Last DJ is a story about music. It’s really about vanishing personal freedoms.”

The vast majority of songs on this album follow the same route as the first single and take aim against corporate ownership of the music industry and those vanishing American freedoms. In the biding song “Joe,” Petty rants, “Bring me a girl / They’re always the best / You put ‘em on stage / And you let ‘em undress / some angel where / Why learn a guitar lick / hey, that’s what I call music,” slamming the music industry for putting lust before talent.

“Dreamville,” Petty gets nostalgic for a greater past as he sings over strings and horns, “Like it was Dreamville / A long time ago / A million miles away / All the trees were green / In Dreamville.”

Every song is filled with sarcasm, anger and a want for the past, however. Petty flirts with the sweet love song genre as well. “You and Me,” is an easy paced song of constant guitar strumming that speaks optimistically of love for life with the girl you love. Petty breaks out the ukulele on “The Man Who Lives a Woman,” creating a jaunty, playful number, which cascades into choral harmonies warning women to “stay away,” for “In the mornin’ he’ll be far away.”

The album with which Petty closes the album, reminiscent of a defiant John Lennon tune, gets right back to his intended message. Petty’s voice is eerily bitter over the light guitar of the verses as he sings threats that “There’ll be more just like me / Who won’t give in.” The song fades into a drooning electric guitar, leaving the imprint of bitterness to linger a bit longer in the listener’s head.

The effect of the album is quite powerful. Although Petty may sound like a cranky old man, complaining about the present state of the world, his words ring truth as the banning of “The Last DJ” demonstrates. Power to Tom Petty, a man who can stand his ground. He says it right when he sings, “You may turn off my microphone / You can’t steal / What you can’t feel.”

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ALBUM REVIEW

Mayer strikes gold on re-release

By EMILY TUMBRINK
Scene Music Critic

Fortunately for his fans, John Mayer has re-released Inside Wants Out, his first solo album. Originally released independently in Atlanta in 1999, about a year after Mayer left Boston’s Berklee College of Music, Inside Wants Out helped create a significant local following for Mayer. Those lucky enough to have gotten their hands on this gem the first time around know exactly why this second chance is such a wonderful thing. Inside Wants Out, released independently, lives up to its namesake and is perhaps the most cohesive of all the songs on Inside Wants Out.

Mayer’s vocals and guitar riffs are strong enough to stand on their own, making Inside Wants Out a necessary addition to any John Mayer fan collection and a good start for any music-lover who has yet experienced the captivating talent of this young man.

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Photo courtesy of Roger Wong/INF STAR INC.
By KATIE McVOY 

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. - Seminoles head coach Bobby Bowden isn’t sure how it happened.

On Saturday, while his team was busy passing for 325 yards, Bowen unintentionally joined a club - a club of Notre Dame opponents who have fallen prey to the 8-0 Irish while they thought they had everything going for them.

Notre Dame took home the 34-24 victory against the Seminoles. Florida State took home a lifetime membership in the "We Lost to the Irish" club.

"You can count us in the club," Bowen said. "We're in the club."

They joined up by losing on the big plays. At the end of the first half, the score was tied at 10, and it looked as if the game was going to end the way Bowen thought it would — with one team kicking a last-second field goal.

That's when the Irish signed the Seminoles up with a performance that Bowen said left the Seminoles "bursting from the seams." With 5:26 left in the third quarter, Notre Dame took its third of the 17 points Notre Dame would score in a 2:26 span. The play proved to be one that would turn the tide for the Irish Saturday.

"Turnovers. That’s how they beat everybody. So count us in the club."

Bobby Bowden
Seminoles head coach

Irish safety Glenn Earl hits Seminole quarterback Chris Rix, forcing a fumble. The fumble was recovered by Vontez Duff at the Notre Dame 2-yard line, setting up a touchdown on the next play.
Irish respect is no longer problem.

Standing between a pair of seven-foot walls lining the tunnel exit to Doak Campbell Stadium, Bill Diedrick kept his gaze straight ahead.

"I didn't look up, but if he had, he would see Irish fans inebriated with the prospect of demolishing Florida State. They no longer do."

Two weeks ago at Air Force, someone asked Courtney Watson if the Irish deserved to be ranked in the BCS. "Who's not?" the linebacker answered. "Nobody asks Miami that question."

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"The team is all but guaranteed a BCS berth. While the coaches and players might preach the cliched one-game-at-a-time philosophy, they're probably the only ones who can stay focused on Boston College. Malloy and White all but giggled at the sight of dollar signs dancing in front of their faces. Students who only dared to whisper the letters B, C and S in dark corners before now hop on the Internet to check plane tickets to Arizona.

In the midst of this hurricane of enthusiasm stand the players, who spent the first eight games of the season fighting to earn everyone's respect. They'll spend the next four trying to keep it."

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Irish receiver AmaB Battile signals the Irish are No. 1 following their 34-24 victory against Florida State. Notre Dame players and coaches, however, say they are focused on the next game, not their ranking.
Holiday earns hug as he embraces role

By CHRIS FEDERICO
Sport Editor

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. —

On Notre Dame's first offensive play from scrimmage Saturday, Irish quarterback Carlyle Holiday faked a handoff to tailback Ryan Grant, rolled right and hit flanker Arnaz Battle in stride for 40 yards downfield. The speedy receiver outran a Seminole defender for a 65-yard touchdown.

It was a perfectly executed play action pass. And it was just the beginning of another solid outing for one junior signal caller.

Holiday finished the afternoon 13-21 for 185 yards, but the most important statistics were his two touchdowns against three very tough teams and his 54-yard touchdown run against Florida State.

"I think he played an excellent game with the conditions and a hostile environment," Battle said. "Florida State has a very good defense — very aggressive — and Carlyle stayed in there and put the ball on the money. He made some great plays.

After the game Saturday, Irish offensive coordinator Bill Diedrick dropped part of the emotionless exterior that Irish head coach Tyrone Willingham likes so much of his coaches and players to display. As Holiday ran off the field, Diedrick met the young quarterback at one of the stadium tunnels with a big hug.

"I hug Holiday like that after every win," Diedrick joked. "I'm glad it's a win."

Diedrick's display of emotions was understandable. Holiday continued to demonstrate the progress he's made running Notre Dame's new offensive scheme.

Sunday, setting out one game with a shoulder injury, Holiday has established himself as the undisputed leader of the Irish offense. In three games, Holiday has gone 37-for-61 for 442 yards. In two of those games he has thrown three touchdowns, run for two more and has only one interception. Most importantly, the Irish are 3-0 against three very tough teams and undefeated on the season.

Even though he hasn't put up numbers that will earn awards, Holiday has done what a good quarterback usually has done in the past — motivated the team to victory at the end of each day.

"I think Carlyle is better now than he was week seven, and he's definitely better than week one," Diedrick said. "I think he's played well the last two or three outings. Each one he's getting a lot more comfortable, and today I think he just did a great job."

Heading into the season, many critics questioned whether Holiday would be able to effectively run the complicated pro-style offense. Last year, Holiday was primarily a running quarterback who would scramble out of the pocket at the first sign of a rush and gain yards with his feet instead of his arm.

So far this season, Holiday has shown how much he has grown as a quarterback in Willingham's offense. While still nimble-footed and dangerous as a scrambler — as witnessed with his 54-yard touchdown run at Air Force — Holiday has stood tall in the face of defenders and been able to deliver accurate passes in key situations, as he did Saturday on the two touchdown passes to Battle and receiver Omar Jenkins.

"I've seen a lot of maturity in Holiday," Willingham said. "I've been here all of his years. I've seen him come in behind (former Irish quarterback) Matt LeVacechio and develop. He's really stepped up. It shows his athleticism to be able to go from an option style offense to passing. It shows that he can run the ball as well as throw it. He's a great weapon in our offense."

Bowden retracts ‘serial killers’ comment

Irish quarterback Carlyle Holiday drops back to make a pass. The Irish signal caller passed for 185 yards and two touchdowns against Florida State Saturday.

John Swedenmark

scoring summary

1st 2nd 3rd 4th Total

Notre Dame 13 Florida State 10
Florida State 3 0 1 4 10
Notre Dame 2 0 1 12

First quarter
Notre Dame 7, Florida State 0

Assist: Setta. Field goal from Carlyle Holiday (Winoski Setta kick) with 12:40 remaining
Drive: 3 plays, 65 yards, 0:13 elapsed
Florida State 3, Notre Dame 7
Xavier Watson, 24-yd FG with 10:34 remaining
Drive: 11 plays, 75 yards, 5:28 elapsed
Notre Dame 10, Florida State 3

Second quarter
Notre Dame 10, Florida State 10

Turner Washington's 1-yd run with 11:44 remaining (Setta kick)
Drive: 20 plays, 63 yards, 0:41 elapsed

Third quarter
Notre Dame 13, Florida State 10

Seth 35-yd 10:25 remaining (Setta kick)
Drive: 24 plays, 5 yards, 1:22 elapsed
Notre Dame 10, Florida State 10

Grant 2-yd run with 4:09 remaining (Setta kick)
Drive: 1 play, 2 yards, 0:06 elapsed
Notre Dame 27, Florida State 10

Oden Jenkins' 16-yd reception from Holiday (Setta kick)
Drive: 3 plays, 17 yards, 0:46 elapsed

Fourth quarter
Notre Dame 34, Florida State 10

Grant 31-yd run with 10:14 remaining (Setta kick)
Drive: 2 plays, 63 yards, 0:51 elapsed
Florida State 17, Notre Dame 34

Amusan Badila's 5-yd reception from Adria McPherson with 1:12 remaining (Rix kick)
Drive: 9 plays, 30 yards, 3:08 elapsed
Florida State 17, Notre Dame 34

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Game day captains
Irish game day captains on Saturday were receiver/workback Tompsett and offensive lineman John Swedenmark.

He also added four more consecutive PATs. Holiday said, "After beginning the year as the MVP of the Kickoff Classic, Setta lost his rhythm. Prior to Saturday's kickoff, he had missed six of his last seven field goal attempts, connecting on only two of nine since the first Irish game.

But Saturday, despite his second field goal brush with the post, Setta got the ball where it needed to go. "I'll take it," Setta said. "If it wouldn't have kissed it, it wouldn't have gone in. So I would have given it a kiss."
Glenn Earl (No. 19) and Darell Campbell (No. 60) make a tackle against Florida State. The Irish defense forced two fumbles and two interceptions.

RESPECT EARNED

The Irish were the underdogs for seven of their eight games, including Saturday’s game against the Seminole when Florida State was a 10-point favorite. However, Notre Dame proved itself as a team that can play with the cream of the crop on Saturday against Florida State. Three turnovers and three scores in the third quarter gave Notre Dame an undisputed lead and caught the attention of the sports world.

Irish running back Ryan Grant scores a touchdown on Saturday against Florida State.

Shane Walton (No. 42), Jerone Collins (No. 48) and Courtney Watson (No. 33) celebrate after Glenn Earl intercepted a Chris Rix pass.

Carlos Pierre-Antoine hits Seminole kick returner Terrance Washington on a kickoff return in the third quarter. Brandon Hoyte recovered the fumble.
By C. SPENCER BEGGGS
Scene Editor

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Veni Vidi Vicious

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Veni Vidi Vicious is an album that plays the way a rock album is meant to play: raw. The band’s sound is hard to define, but it might suffice to say that they’re new garage rock. The Hives are what would happen if The Beatles had their genes spliced with The Rolling Stones and the resulting band went partying with The Sex Pistols from 1983-1986. And with names like Nicholas Arson, Chris Dangerous and Vigilante Carlstrom, their punk rock forbearers would be proud.

Veni Vidi Vicious is a great party album. Each song moves into the next seamlessly. Though some tracks off the album like “Ace To Say I Told You So” and “Main Offender” got a bit of airtime on radio stations over the summer, the album really doesn’t have any single-worthy material. The value of Veni Vidi Vicious comes more from the way it works as a compilation of solid punk material.

And while it’s fairly undeniable that The Hives rock out on their instruments, their lyrics are a bit basic. For example, “Hate To Say I Told You So” plays on basic teenage rebellion ala The Clash. “Do what I want cause I can and if I don’t cause I wanna be ignored by the stiff and the bored because I’m gonna.” But then again, that’s punk for you. It might be a good thing that the vocal tracks are buried so far beneath the hard rocking guitars.

Veni Vidi Vicious was actually released in 2000 by Warner Brothers, but the album didn’t really catch on until early this year. Their popularity was cemented when they performed on MTV’s Video Music Award 2002. But the band hasn’t been an overnight success by any means.

In fact the five members have been playing together since they were 13. Along with The Strokes, The Vines and The White Stripes, The Hives appear to be on the cutting edge of a rock revival. Though perhaps their native English speaking counterparts will be better equipped to lead the charge in the U.S., the fact that The Hives have produced a solid, fun album should be enough to keep them around for at least another crack at the charts.

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Chambers shows Australian flavor

Australis is not really associated with American roots music, but native Kasey Chambers has won the admiration of such artists as Lucinda Williams and Steve Earle for her brand of country rock. Her debut The Captain was critically acclaimed, and her follow-up Barricades and Brickwalls mines similar territory.

Like most legitimate country artists today, Chambers wears her influences on her sleeve. Her voice sounds like a young, heartbroken Emmylou Harris and her melodies recall the Jayhawks and more roots oriented artists such as Alison Krauss. One of the strongest songs on the album is Chambers’ cover of the Gram Parsons’ “Still Feeling Blue,” showing country music deserts amidst other rock songs like the opening title track.

The problem with creating such an influenced record, however, is that originality can be hard to find.

Kasey Chambers’ voice is probably the best part of the album, injecting emotion into even lackluster lyrics. She always sounds seconds away from breaking into an angry punk song, and her dust with Paul Kelly of the punk band the Living End on the beautiful “I Still Pray” strengthens that connection.

There is good attitude in the songs, a certain amount of genuine earnestness with a healthy diversity and origi­nally, however. Although the genre she plays in is usually composed of lyrics of pain or happiness, she often repeats metaphors and images to death, losing some of the impact of later songs because they seem to be mirror images of earlier tracks.

Her musicianship tries its hardest to drag the lyrics up to its level, but in the end she sounds too much like Jewel or one of the woman singer-songwriter clones that she is obviously too talented to be grouped with. When listening to songs like “On A Bad Day” or “Nullarbor Song,” there is no doubt so the listener that there is genuine sadness, but one just wishes that it could be expressed more poetically.

But the album is saved by repeated listens. On first glance many songs are less than breakthrough, but the construction of the album comes through upon continued attempts at making sense of Kasey Chambers. Her talent is undeniable and there are flashes of musical excellence here. She should not yet be grouped in with artists such as Almeer Mann or Beth Orion simply because her album does not compare to the Magnolia Soundtrack or Daybreaker. But there are good songs here, and it’s a good second effort.

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Kasey Chambers rocks out with an Australian twist

Photo courtesy of Barry Brecheisen

The Hives show hope for the fate of rock.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Glavine Thome among 70 to file for free agency

Associated Press

ANAHEIM, Calif. Tom Glavine, Jim Thome and Ivan Rodriguez were among 70 players who filed for free agency as baseball's offseason began.

Frank Thomas of the Chicago White Sox, who is under contract, also opted to explore the open market, and we understand there is a risk that he might find a more attractive offer elsewhere, we remain hopeful that we can reach some sort of agreement that would keep Frank with the White Sox. Williams said Chicago noticed Thomas on Oct. 6 it was invoking the clause.

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Irish claim top position in Sendwich Index

The No. 1 sign atop Grace Hall may not yet be lit up, but the Irish did take over the No. 1 spot in the Sendwich Index this week.

Notre Dame easily handled former No. 7 Florida State in Tallahassee. In typical Bobby Bowden margin-of-victory-minded fashion, the Seminoles tacked on two touchdowns with less than two minutes remaining to make the final score 34-24. Bowden even went so far as to call an onside kick with 12 seconds remaining.

Perhaps Bowden and San Francisco 49ers wide receiver Terrell Owens should get together and start a peer sportsmanship club. Fortuitously, Bowden got what he deserved and Florida State fell to No. 18 in the Sendwich Index with the loss.

The Irish were formerly ranked No. 2 after a solid win in Colorado Springs against previously unbeaten Air Force. The Falcons were unable to move the ball on offense and scored only as the result of two Irish turnovers. Notre Dame out gained Air Force 447 yards to 161 and took an easier-than-the-scoreboard-indicated 21-0 victory.

The loss against Notre Dame may have been the straw that broke the camel's back for Air Force, as they followed up with a loss against previously winless Wyoming. Air Force is currently ranked No. 42.

Sitting Ducks Two weeks ago Oregon had a perfect record, national championship hopes, and a No. 8 ranking in the Sendwich Index. With consecutive losses to Arizona State and USC, the Ducks dropped as many games in eight days as they had previously lost in over two years.

Oregon fell from the ranks of the unbeaten with a stunning defeat at home against Arizona State. The Sun Devils trailed 21-0 early in the second quarter, but passed their way back into the game and an eventual 45-22 victory.

One week later, USC easily beat the Ducks 44-33. This game was not nearly as close as the final score might indicate as Oregon tacked on two meaningless late touchdowns. Former All-American recruit, turned disappointment, turned superstar once again Carson Palmer threw for 448 yards and 5 touchdowns in leading the Trojans to a victory.

With the double whammy, Oregon dropped out of the top 25 and is currently ranked No. 51. USC and Arizona State both moved up significantly, as they currently rank No. 6 and No. 13, respectively.

Fiesta Bowl Scramble Is Notre Dame really the best team in the country? Sadly, we may never know.

The Irish currently rank No. 3 in the Bowl Championship Series standings behind Oklahoma and Miami. If both the Sooners and Hurricanes remain undefeated, Notre Dame will probably not move into the top two, a requirement for making the national championship game.

The winner of Miami and Virginia Tech on Dec. 7 is nearly guaranteed a No. 1 BCS rank following that game, with the victor receiving a needed boost in the computer rankings and quality wins department.

Oklahoma may decide its season this weekend against No. 20 Colorado. Should Oklahoma win, their only remaining pre-bowl challenge would be likely rematch with Colorado in the Big 12 championship game.

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ND SWIMMING

Women successful, men lose in Colorado

By JOE HETTLER
Associate Sports Editor

The Notre Dame men and women swimming teams traveled to Colorado over fall break with the same goal — win their first dual meet of the season. However, only the women's team fulfilled their goal.

Notre Dame's women defeated Colorado State 162-100 Oct. 25, while the men lost to Air Force 178-120.

Women's head coach Bailey Weathers was happy with his team's results.

"We were pleased overall with their performance," Weathers said. "We've been training at altitude and the meet was done at altitude, so that was a challenge for us. In terms of comparing our times that we did last year at the same time when we were at Florida, they were very similar. The times were very competitive (with those in Florida last season). So we're pleased with where we are.

Lisa Garcia and Laurie Musgrave stood out in Weathers' mind. Garcia won the breaststroke. Musgrave won the 200 breaststroke.

The Irish also got contributions (from Kelli Burton, Danielle Hultick and Heidi Hendrick. Meanwhile, the men's team had a solid meet, but fell short to the Falcons for their first dual meet loss of the season. A pair of freshmen, Patrick Davis and Tyler Grenda, led the Irish, with Davis posting wins in the 500 and 1000 freestyle and Grenda winning the 200 breaststroke.

Joe Miller won the three-meter dive to lead the men's divers, while teammate Tong Xie finished third in the same event.

The Notre Dame women have two home meets this week against Purdue on Wednesday and Indiana on Friday.

Weathers said the competition in Colorado should help the team in this week's meets.

"I think we hoped to be able to beat (Colorado State) but (the meet) tells us a lot of what we need to do this week against Indiana and Purdue," he said.

The Irish men are off until Nov. 8 when they host the team in this week's meets.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

Pinella accepts Tampa position

Associated Press

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. — Lou Pinella, the opportunity to work near where he grew up was just part of the appeal of becoming the manager of the struggling Tampa Bay Devil Rays.

Pinella was introduced after finalizing a four-year, $13 million contract that makes him the second-highest paid manager in the majors. He is confident he can help transform the team with baseball's youngest and least-expensive roster into a championship contender.

"I'm not a baseball savior. I'm not a baseball guru. I believe in no shortcuts to success," the 59-year-old manager from Colorado said after slipping on a No. 14 Devil Rays home jersey during a news conference at Tropicana Field.

"I believe in hard work. I believe in dedication. I believe in taking a tremendous amount of pride in the uniform that you wear in the city that you represent," he added, tugging on the front of his jersey. "That's what we're going to try to instill here. I'm looking forward to the challenges." Pinella asked out of the final year of his contract in Seattle.

Pinella and the Devil Rays' owner, James Dolan, had decided that the team needed a change. Pinella had agreed to allow the Devil Rays to negotiate with the manager after the Devil Rays met their demand for All-Star outfielder Randy Winn as compensation. Tampa Bay also received minor league shortstop Antonio Perez in the deal.

The two-time AL manager of the year went 840-713 in 10 seasons at Seattle. The Mariners won a league-record 116 games in 2001 and won three AL West titles and made four playoff appearances under him.

Overall, Pinella is 1,319-1,135 in 16 seasons managing in the majors. He led the Cincinnati Reds to a World Series championship in 1990 and also served a successful stint as manager of the New York Yankees from 1986-88.

In Tampa Bay, Pinella inherits a team that has lost 206 games the past two seasons — most in the majors. The Devil Rays tied the Detroit Tigers for the league's worst teams with a 50-82 record, and finished last in the AL East for a third straight season.

Pinella, who grew up in New York City and has lived year-round in the same city with his family and elderly parents, the ultra-competitive Pinella also found the challenge of taking over one of the league's worst teams appealing.

Seattle was struggling before he began to turn the Mariners around in 1993. He sees the potential in Tampa Bay, which trimmed its payroll to a major league-low $34 million this season.

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Elevation lifts Grant, Irish above Falcons

By KATIE McVOY
Associate Sports Writer

At his weekly press conference before their game against Air Force on Oct. 19, Irish coach Tyrone Willingham had joked that his team would run faster because they had trained at sea level. For running back Ryan Grant, that didn’t turn out to be such a joke.

The sophomore recorded 190 yards as the Irish swept past the Falcons 21-14.

"Did I run faster?" Grant asked when Willingham suggested in the post-game press conference that the thin air wasn’t a factor. "I ran faster because they were trying to tackle me."

With the offensive line opening holes, Grant had a career-best running game and scored an 18-yard touchdown for the Irish.

"The coaches did a great job calling plays and the line did a great job opening holes," Grant said. "I could pick where I wanted to run."

Before the game began, analysts assumed it would be Air Force that would rack up the rushing yards – the Falcons led the nation in rushing, averaging 339 yards a game with their triple option attack. But the Irish effectively shut down the Falcons. The Irish defense shut down the option attack was slowly, and that’s not being disrespectful to Arnaz, Battle began receiving consistently. Battle was just the run game that the Irish found successful. Holiday began connecting on passes consistently and Arnaz Battle began connecting on passes consistently. Battle was the receiver on all eight passes that Holiday completed during the game.

"I think the thing we said last week about Arnaz is that he’s slow, and that’s not being disrespectful to Arnaz, but that he’s slowly learning the nuances of being a receiver and you see that each week come up a little bit more," Willingham said.

Air Force could not put a drive together. The option attack was unsuccessful. Harridge, who had been leading the Falcons in rushing, was effectively shut down and the pitch wasn’t working. Air Force took the usual Irish approach to scoring — making plays on defense. The Falcons forced another fumble that kept them in the game. On the kick off beginning the second half of the play, Vontez Duff fumbled the ball on the return, setting up the 16-yard offensive drive by the Falcons.

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At his weekly press conference before their game against Air Force, Coach Willingham suggested in the post-game press conference that the thin air wasn’t a factor. "I know it from the get-go," Irish corner back Shane Walton said. "They haven’t seen a defense as physical and as fast as our defense. I think we proved that tonight, we can play the option, any down the option.

Air Force took advantage of two Irish fumbles to score their touchdowns. With three minutes to play in the first quarter, Holiday fumbled and Marchel Graddy returned the fumble 21 yards for the Air Force touchdown.

With the Irish leading by seven at halftime, the Air Force defense forced another fumble that kept them in the game. On the kick off beginning the second half of the play, Vontez Duff fumbled the ball on the return, setting up the 16-yard offensive drive by the Falcons.

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Irish split conference games over fall break

By CHRIS FEDERICO
Sports Editor

It was an up-and-down week for the Notre Dame hockey team over fall break. The Irish began their week off from classes with a pair of victories over CCHA opponent Western Michigan, 4-2 and 8-5 in a home-home series with the Broncos.

Some of that momentum came to a halt, however, with a pair of conference losses at home to Ferris State last weekend, 5-2 and 4-1.

In Notre Dame's first home game of the season against Western Michigan two weeks ago, the front line of seniors Michael Chin and Connor Dunlop and junior Rob Globke carried the Irish to victory. The trio had three of the team's four goals and contributed five assists in the contest.

For the second half of the series, the teams traveled to Kalamazoo, Mich., and the Notre Dame offense caught fire for eight goals to escape with the 8-5 victory in the offensive battle.

Junior center Aaron Gill had his first career hat trick for the Irish, as Notre Dame scored on only one of its three power play chances.

As a result of the wins, the Irish earned their first spot in the national rankings since the 1998-99 season, being ranked 11th by the Inside College Hockey.com poll and 15th in the USA Today/American Hockey Magazine poll.

The Irish suffered their first loss of the season Friday night in the Joyce Center at the hands of CCHA rival Ferris State. The two teams entered the final period of play knotted at 1-1, but the Bulldogs used four third period goals to pull away 5-2.

Globke put the Irish on the board in the second period with his sixth goal of the season. Junior defenseman Neil Komadoski would add Notre Dame's only other goal of the match, getting his fourth of the season on an Irish power play in the final period.

Notre Dame had a chance for redemption the following night, but the Irish were unable to stop Ferris State senior left wing Chris Kuntiz, who had two goals and two assists in the Bulldogs' 4-1 victory.

The Irish avoided a shutout when sophomore center Cory McLean knocked a rebound past Bulldog goaltender Mike Brown with just 3:10 left to play in the game.

With the pair of losses, the Irish fell to 2-2-1 on the season and 2-2 in the CCHA, and dropped to fourth place in conference standings.

The Irish return to action Friday as they host high-flying Boston College. The Eagles are 3-0-0 and are currently ranked in the top five in each of the three major college hockey polls.

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in the first half.
The second half was more of the same for the Irish as Thorlakson scored the fourth goal in the 61st minute for the Irish off a pass from Chapman. Boland added the fifth goal a few minutes later and Warner capped the scoring on a chip shot with 12 minutes remaining.
Goalies Erika Bohn and Lauren Kent combined on the shutout for the Irish.
Now the Irish must wait two weeks for the NCAA Tournament selections. 
"Our first priority (in those two weeks) needs to be to get everyone as healthy as possible," Scheller said. "We need to stay fit, focus on soccer and wait until the NCAA tournament selection."
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VOLLEYBALL
No pot of gold at end of Rainbows
□ Irish win two Big East matches after dropping two in Hawaii
By MATT LOZAR
Spun Writer

While the trip to Hawaii provided a break from the regularities of Big East action, getting wins makes the Irish happy. The mainland was much kinder to the Irish than the middle of the Pacific Ocean.
After dropping two games against Hawaii, the Irish rebounded by defeating Pittsburgh and West Virginia at the Joyce Center over the weekend.
"You always want to do that (win after tough losses). Even though we played at a high level in Hawaii, you want to come back and win both of those matches," Notre Dame volleyball coach Debbie Brown said. "With Pittsburgh and West Virginia, we didn't necessarily play well to start to finish, but we ended both matches well with strong games fours."
Against Hawaii, Notre Dame battled the country's No. 2 team in game one of both matches.
The Irish lost 30-26 and 34-32 in those games before the Rainbow Warriors wore down the Irish.
"I think in both matches we started off strong and were really good in game one on both days. Maybe more so, individuals learned we can play with best in the country," Brown said. "I think we learned that we have to be more consistent over time, instead of being a little bit hot, you have to play an entire match. It was a great experience and it was valuable to be in that atmosphere in front of a big crowd."
In the first match, Notre Dame lost the last two games 30-23 and 30-17.
Middle blocker Katie Neff led the Irish with 11 kills. Outside hitter Jessica Kinder had 10 kills and recorded a team-high .360 hitting percentage.
After pushing the Rainbows to extra points in game one of last Tuesday's match, the Irish couldn't break through dropping the next two games 30-18 and 30-25.
Outside hitter Emily Loomis had 13 kills, Neff had nine and freshmen Lauren Browser and Lauren Kelbley each had seven.
Pittsburgh gave Notre Dame a scare in Friday's match winning game one 30-23 and taking a 18-11 lead in game two. In game one, the Panthers hit .419 and were looking to pull the upset.
The Panthers (15-7, 5-2 in the Big East) then proceeded to fall apart. "I think one of the things that happened in game two was that Pitt started making unforced errors and hitting balls out," Brown said. "We served strong throughout that stretch putting pressure on them, we get a block or two. In game two, it was more them falling apart than us playing better."
Jessica Kinder, Loomis and Kristen Kinder each had a double-double for the Irish. Jessica Kinder led the team with 12 kills and Loomis had 13 digs.
The Irish out-hit the last three games 30-28, 30-20 and 30-13.
On Sunday, Notre Dame (17-5, 8-0) continued its perfect season in the Big East with a four game win over West Virginia (3-14, 3-5) 30-23, 30-20, 28-25, 30-20.
The Irish dominated at the net with 20.5 blocks compared to a total of three from the Mountaineers. Browser led the Irish with 16 blocks.
Notre Dame plays its last non-conference match of the season tonight playing at Illinois State. The match is scheduled for 7 p.m.

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**COLLEGE FOOTBALL**

Notre Dame narrows BCS gap with win

Associated Press

Notre Dame moved a lot closer to national title territory.

The Irish narrowed the gap behind second-place Miami in the BCS Championship Series standings released Monday, with Oklahoma holding on to the top spot.

The difference between second and third is so tiny that if Notre Dame beats Boston College next weekend, it might be enough to move the Fighting Irish ahead of Miami. The Hurricanes, No. 1 in both the AP media and the coaches' polls, visit weakening Rutgers.

But it's the final BCS standings Dec. 8 that will determine which teams play in the national title game at the Fiesta Bowl in Tempe, Ariz., on Jan. 3.

For now, though, the possibilities are intriguing - the top six teams in the BCS standings are unbeaten, and five can finish the season with perfect records.

If five teams finish undefeated, the BCS poll still determines who plays in the national championship game, BCS commissioner Michael Tranghese said.

"And, yes, there will be controversy. But this is the system." The BCS formula uses the AP media and coaches' polls, computer polls, strength of schedule, won-loss record and a bonus-point system.

Notre Dame, 8-0 after a 34-24 win over Florida State, moved up thanks largely to its rise from No. 6 to No. 4 in the media poll.

Miami (7-0) had 3.33 points -2 for poll average, 1.47 for computer rank average, 0.56 for strength-of-schedule, zero for losses and 0.4 for a deduction for a victory over Texas.

Miami (7-0) had 6.69 points -1 for poll average, 4.33 for computer average, 1.36 for strength of schedule, zero for losses and no bonus-point deduction.

Notre Dame had 6.99 points -5 for poll average, 1.83 for computer average, 0.16 for strength of schedule and no bonus-point deduction.

The remaining games for Miami and Notre Dame appear to give the Hurricanes an edge in strength of schedule. After this week, Notre Dame plays weak teams Navy (1-7) and Rutgers (1-7) before its finale against USC (6-2). Miami plays Tennessee (4-3), Pittsburgh (6-2), Syracuse (6-6) and Virginia Tech (8-0).

In brief

**Rix benched**

Chris Rix will be replaced as Florida State's starting quarterback by Adrian McPherson when the No. 14 Seminoles play at Wake Forest this weekend.

Seminoles coach Bobby Bowden announced the move two days after a 34-24 loss to Notre Dame. Florida State's seventh defeat in the last two years under Rix. He has been criticized following a 5-3 start, Florida State's worst since 1986.

"The only answer as to why we're doing this is that we feel like we should," Bowden said after Monday's practice. "There was no question we need to move (McPherson) in there and see what he can do."

In Saturday's game, Rix turned the ball over on consecutive possessions to set up 10 Notre Dame points and break a 10-10 tie.

McPherson, who has never started a college game, relieved Rix late in the fourth quarter and led Florida State to two late scores to cut a 24-point deficit.

"The way (McPherson) came in there and took us down in there twice, we just felt like we just had to have him back there," Bowden said.

Rix is 13-7 in two years as a starter, one fewer loss than his three immediate predecessors combined - Chris Weinke, Thad Bushby and Danny Kanell.

The Seminoles have lost three of their past four games but are 4-0 in the Atlantic Coast Conference. They would still win the league title and go to a BCS bowl if they beat their four remaining ACC opponents.

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time was fast enough that she
would have finished in the Irish
top five had she seen run in the var-
sity race. Additionally, junior
Megan Johnson injured her
Achilles tendon and finished
seventh on the team in the var-
sity race.
“We’re just kind of nursing
that (the injuries) right now,”
Connelly said. “I think she’ll be
ready by the time nationals
comes around.”
Senior Jennifer Handley was
the third Irish runner with her
37th place finish. She was
followed by freshman
Stephanie Madia and
sophomore Katie Wales,
who finished
71st and
93rd, respectively.
Connelly thinks the Irish
King and Huddle, by working
together during their races, are
in the position to load the team
to a great season.
“It’s a good kind of competi-
tion,” Connelly said. “They ran
together the whole race. They
figured out that they need
each other because there
are going to be tough patch-
es during the race. They
need each other to help
through it. They’re two of
the best kids in the country.”
The same strategy of running
together normally helps Mobley
and Moore on the mens team,
but with Mobley lagging behind
and fighting his injury, Moore
was on his own.
“I didn’t feel any pressure,
but it was definitely harder
to do it well,” Moore said. “It’s
easier to run when you have a
 teammate right there helping
you out.”
Mobley finished fourth for the
Irish behind junior David Alber
and freshman Eric Morrison.
Alber ran 24:45 and finished in
34th place overall, while
Morrison was 83rd. Sophomore
Sean O’Donnell rounded out
the Irish top five with his 103rd
place finish.
Last year, the team took sec-
ond at the Pre-Nationals, and
they had been hoping to per-
form in a similar manner this
year.
“We haven’t really lived up to
our expectations all year yet,”
Moore said. “We really wanted
to do well at the Pre-Nationals
so we could get some points.”
Moore has overcome one per-
sonal hurdle this season, but
says he still has more chal-
lenges.
“All season I’ve been having
problems with my stomach,”
Moore said. “I figured out how
to fix that.”
New part of the problem,
both for him and team, is the
mental barriers.
“I was right out there with
the front pack but I was just a
couple strides off the back of
it,” Moore said. “I think if I just
would have bucked up and
been with that pack, it would
have been much easier for me
to hang with them and then I
would have had a better fin-
ish.”
Both Irish teams will compete
at the Big East Championships
in Boston College on Friday.

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The Irish competed in the Pre-National meet over fall break. The
13th ranked womens team fin-
lished fourth and the mens team finished 11th at the meet.

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turned to heartbreaking last Saturday, as the Irish fell to Georgetown on a penalty kick with 24 seconds left to give the Hoyas a 3-2 victory.

The Irish jumped out to an early 1-0 lead on a goal from Detter — his sixth of the season — off an assist from Braun with 29:21 left in the half. However, the Hoyas tied the match later in the half off a goal from Kemmons Feldman. The Hoyas notched their second goal of the game with a goal from Jeff Curtin with 26:57 left in the match.

Just as the game appeared to be ending in the Hoyas’ favor, Martin scored the game-tying goal with 4:14 left in the match.

With overtime a near-certainty, the Irish were whistled for a handball in the penalty area with less than 30 seconds left.

Curtin’s shot beat Irish goalie Greg Tait, and the Hoyas’ late goal was too much for the Irish to overcome with such little time left.

Despite the loss, the Irish clinched a berth in the eight-team Big East postseason tournament Sunday, as ninth-place Syracuse lost to Virginia Tech, 1-0. The Orange currently have 10 points with one conference game remaining — not enough points to overtake the Irish, who, with a 5-3-1 record, have 16 points.

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WOMENS GOLF

Irish finish eighth at adidas fall invite

By ANDY TROEGER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women’s golf team had many positives and few negatives to take from their play at the adidas Fall Invitational. The Irish fired a total of 932, good for eighth place in the 11-team event. The Irish finish eighth for the event at 231 (86-71-74).

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For the second consecutive weekend the Irish played two great rounds and one poor round, although this time the poor round came at the beginning of the event. The Irish shot 320 in the first round placing them in a distant eighth place. Despite firing rounds of 305 and 307, they were unable to catch any of the teams ahead of them.

“I feel like it is one step closer to where we’re trying to go,” junior Shannon Byrne said. “We started rough but we bounced back, and I think that’s a sign of where our team is headed. Now we’re having two good rounds instead of one.”

Byrne became the fourth Irish golfer in five events to lead the team by finishing in a tie for 17th. Byrne’s total of 230 (76-72-75) was a career best.

She was joined in the top 20 by freshman Sarah Bassett, who overcame a poor first round to climb into the top 20 for the event at 231 (86-71-74). Bassett’s 71 was her career low and the best round on the team this fall.

Fellow freshman Katie Brophy turned in another solid performance for the Irish, finishing at 235 (81-75-79) in a tie for 27th. Following Brophy was senior Terri Tahl, who tied for 38th at 241 (82-80-79). To round out the Irish effort, Suzie Hayes fired a 245 (81-82-82) to tie for 40th and Karen Lotta tied for 57th with a 256 (85-86-85).

Baylor won the event with a score of 899, edging Arkansas by one shot, while Randi Gaither of North Texas was the medalist with a 1-under-par total of 215. Her final round 72 placed her one shot better than Hanna Svenningson of Baylor and Amanda McCurdy of Arkansas. Svenningson began the day tied for the lead, but fired a 73, while McCurdy’s 68, the low round of the day, also put her one shot ahead.

Notre Dame, which hosted the event, also had three golfers compete as individuals. Freshman Lauren Gebauer tied for 33rd at 237 (89-78-70), while Rebecca Rogers fired 248 (89-78-81) to finish 44th. Lauren Barbir rounded out the Irish squad in tying for 48th at 251 (84-84-83).

“We’ve had a lot of mental training and preparation,” Byrne said. “We’ve been struggling but it’s starting to come together for me, and I think it is starting to come together for a lot of us. We’re looking forward to times where we’re in it from the beginning.”

The Irish finish their fall schedule on Nov. 4-5 when they play in the Pine Needles Invitational at Pinehurst, N.C.

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WOMENS SOCCER
Making a run toward the postseason

By ANDY TROGER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame womens soccer team concluded its regular season Sunday with a 3-0 overtime win at Boston College to cap a strong finish that strongly improved the team's chances of qualifying for the NCAA Tournament. After losing four out of five in early October to fall to 7-6, the Irish won four of their last five games, including the last two, to finish 11-7. The Irish, now ranked 17th, will probably qualify for the NCAA Tournament despite not qualifying for the Big East Tournament. They also stand an outside chance of getting to play the first two rounds at home based on a strong regional ranking.

After Notre Dame and Boston College played to a scoreless tie in regulation, junior forward Amy Warner initiated the sequence with a run down the left side. She passed the ball to forward Amanda Guertin whose goal gave the Irish the win.

With the goal, Guertin set a Notre Dame record with her third career overtime game-winner. She had previously been tied with Warner and 1996 national player of the year Cindy Daws.

MENS SOCCER
Up-and-down Irish win two, lose one

By BRYAN KRONK
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame mens soccer team made huge strides towards earning a home match in the quarterfinal round of the Big East postseason tournament over fall break by winning two of three conference games over fall break.

After last weekend's round of Big East play, the Irish stand in third place with one conference game remaining.

The Irish kicked off the week with a 3-1 upset of No. 5 Connecticut Oct. 20. The game started out poorly for the Irish, as the Huskies dominated the Irish on both sides of the ball. The Huskies notched the first goal of the game with 21 minutes, 41 seconds left in the first half. Midfielder Anthony Curtis hit a pass that found Andres Rota, who booted a shot past Irish goalie Chris Sawyer to give the Huskies a 1-0 lead. The second half marked an offensive awakening for the Irish, and it showed early. In the period, Greg Martin opened the scoring for the Irish on a penalty kick after Chad Riley was taken down by a Husky inside the penalty area just 1:49 into the period.

Martin scored his second goal in the second half in seven minutes later, as he took possession of a loose ball off a throw-in from Notre Dame defender Kevin Goldthwaite. Martin's chip shot just soared over Connecticut goalie Adam Schurman to give the Irish a 2-1 lead. The Irish carried the momentum from the Connecticut victory into Wednesday's match with the Wildcats, and Notre Dame extended its winning streak to five games with a 5-0 victory.

Five different players scored for the Irish, and all five goals were scored in the first half. Riley opened the scoring with his fourth goal of the season at the 22:50 mark of the first half. Just over seven minutes later, midfielder Justin Dettet received a cross pass from Goldthwaite. Dettet's shot evaded Villanova goalie Sean Teasdale to give the Irish a 2-0 lead. The lead became 3-0 less than a minute later, as Goldthwaite added his second assist of the game in setting up a goal by Braun. Braun's goal - his eighth of the season - tied him for ninth all-time in Notre Dame history with 33 goals for his career.

A goal by Devon Prescod put the Irish ahead 4-0. Just 1:31 later, the Irish extended their lead to five goals when Justin Baticke beat Teasdale to close out the scoring for the Irish. After a poor performance by their goalie in the first half, the Wildcats switched goalies in the second half, replacing Teasdale with Craig Bald, who held the Irish scoreless in the second half. Momentum for the Irish see MENS/page 22

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CROSS COUNTRY
Irish nursing injuries

By JOE LINDSLEY
Sports Writer

Both the Notre Dame mens and womens cross country teams, competing at the Asiaes weser Invitational National meet on Oct. 19, got a taste of the competition they will face this year's national championships. For the Irish women, that taste was rather sweet, but it was just a taste. As the Irish men, it was a little more bitter than sweet.

With top runner Todd Mohle strugging with an injury, the men finished in 11th place. Freshman Tim Moore led the team with his 22nd place finish, but that wasn't enough to put the Irish within reach of the top teams. Moore ran 24 minutes, 19 seconds in the eight-kilometer race.

"It's definitely tougher than having (Mohle) there in the workouts," Moore said. "He's a good leader so it's good to have him around.

Meanwhile, the 13th-ranked female runners took fourth place in a field that featured the top programs in the nation, including No. 2 Stanford which ran away with the team title.

While the Irish were pleased with the victory, coach Tim Connelly believes his team has more to give.

"It was a pretty good effort," Connelly said. "That's as well as we've run this year, I still don't think that's everything we have, but I was pleased with finishing fourth." Senior Lauren King, who clocked in at 20:24 after the six-kilometer race, led the Irish women with her sixth-place finish. It was King's third race of the season and her third top ten finish this year. King was backed up by freshman Molly Huddle who finished in seventh place with a time of 20:25. 9.

Huddle, running her second race of the season, and King were able to run together the entire race, using each other to defeat their opponents despite