Cyanide poisoning linked to Tylenol capsules

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YONKERS, N.Y. - Homicide investigators asked the FBI yesterday to determine when someone tampered with a package of Extra-Strength Tylenol capsules used by a woman whose death from cyanide poisoning prompted stores nationwide to remove the pain killer from shelves.

"We have to find out if the tampering occurred pre-sealing or post-sealing before we decide our next step," said Bruce Bendish, chief of the Westchester County district attorney's homicide squad. He said the packaging of the Extra-Strength Tylenol capsules was sent to the FBI crime laboratory in Washington.

Johnson & Johnson, maker of Tylenol, has been scaling the necks and caps of Tylenol bottles and packing each bottle in sealed boxes since the unsolved case in which seven Tylenol users were killed by cyanide in the Chicago area in 1982.

Authorities announced last Monday that Diane Elsroth, 23, of Perkshill had been fatally poisoned by cyanide after taking Tylenol on Saturday. Three other capsules in the bottle Elsroth used contained the poison, officials said.

No poison or tampering had been found in either bottle of Tylenol and "there is no evidence of any bottles being involved beyond the particular one," said Michael Young, commissioner of the Federal Food and Drug Administration.

FDA spokesman William Grigg said the Extra-Strength Tylenol packaging makes the capsules among the most protected in the industry. John Walden, senior vice president of the Proprietary Association, the trade group for non-prescription drug manufacturers, said that unlike the 1982 Chicago poisonings, this inci-
dent was not under investigation.

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Not all books

Textbooks and frantically studying students are not all that can be found on the Memorial Library's thirteenth floor. This spectacular view of the north end of campus, fountain and all, can be seen out of the northwest window.

Notre Dame grad student injured in car crash

By TRIPP BALTZ

A Notre Dame graduate student was injured in a two-car accident Friday morning, according to the St. Joseph County Police.

Jeff Anselimino, a part-time engineering student, received internal injuries to the pelvis and abdomen after he was injured in a two-car accident in South Bend.

"He's improving," said Leveille. 

Saint Mary's votes today in elections

Special to The Observer

Today is election day for student body and class officers at Saint Mary's. Voting will take place in the Holy Cross Center from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The unopposed candidates for student body officers are: Jeanne Keller, student body president; Betsy Burke, vice president for academic affairs and College relations; and Sarah Cook, vice president for student affairs. Ballots for the student body positions will have the option of voting yes, no, or abstain.

Running for senior class officers are the tickets of Katie Sullivan, president, Lori Lohaman, vice president, Jenny Feeney, secretary, and Clare Hower, treasurer. They are opposed by Patty Corran, Maureen Erny, Dana Rishard and Mary Roe.

The junior class candidates are Eileen Hetzel, president; Jill Winterhalter, vice president; Ann Ruth, treasurer; and Molly Stannan, secretary. They are opposed by Mary Kim Koch, Louise Foley, Ashley Wooland and Tami Rose.

Sophomore class candidates are Janet Hamart, vice president, Annie Buch, vice president, Molly Flynn, treasurer, and Rozel Gattamin, secretary. They are opposed by Theresa Pires, Jennifer Reine, Allison Weston, Kierman Walter, and Beth Kerper.

All newly elected officers will assume their positions April 1.
Athletes ‘surpass stereotypes’ in anti-apartheid ribbon display

During the Houston Rockets/Chicago Bulls NBA game earlier this week, the Rockets wore a black band across the strap of their jerseys in honor of the seven astronauts killed in the Challenger explosion.

Throughout the 1985 championship season, the Chicago Bears wore the initials “GSH” on their jerseys in honor of the late George S. Halas, who founded the Bears and organized professional football.

Millions of college basketball fans across the country turned on their television sets Nov. 25 to watch the St. John’s-Pitt game. When the Panther players took the court, they wore their jerseys red, green and black ribbons in protest of Pitt University’s investments in companies doing business with the Pretoria government in South Africa.

While the Rockets and the Bears statements are something of a tradition among athletes to honor the recently deceased, the Pitt players protest this one step further. They have taken sports from being simply entertainment or an excuse to gamble.

Their action shows how sports and real-life issues are becoming increasingly intertwined.

Athletes are surpassing the stereotype of dumb jocks and are more and more often using their position of visibility to increase public awareness about important issues.

The Pitt players’ actions illustrate how it seems to forget that athletes are thinking, conscientious people as well as trained competitors. They used their prominence to make a statement about something in which they really believe.

The entire team wore the anti-apartheid ribbons on their uniforms during a nationally televised game. Even Panther Según Chunman agreed to wear the ribbons. It was a meaningful political statement in between the Lite beer ads, deodorant commercials, and Brent Musberger ramblings.

That’s great. Pitt player Matt Miklasevich said he wanted to take the statement even further. “Everyone on the team supports divestment,” he said in an article in The Pitt News. “As a general consensus we all agreed to wear the ribbons.

“I personally am for divestment. But after all, we’re here to play basketball, not to make a political stand. Also, the ribbon was only worn for the nationally televised game. If we were going to wear them, then it should be at all the games.”
Alcohol Awareness Week planned

By CHRIS BEDNARSKI
Senior Staff Reporter

The details of Alcohol Awareness Week and a career day in Indianapolis for sophomores and juniors were presented in the Hall President’s Council last night.

Student Government Alcohol Awareness Commissioner Pardiha informed the Hall President’s Council of Alcohol Awareness Week March 9-14. Pardisa said the activities of the week will attempt to increase students’ awareness of alcohol problems.

“The week will focus on alcohol awareness for the social drinker, people who don’t drink that much, awareness for the social drinker, people who don’t drink that much, awareness for the social drinker, people who don’t drink that much, awareness for the social drinker, people who don’t drink that much,” she said.

Pardisa said a speaker from the University of Denver will address students on the problems of alcohol abuse and awareness, responsible use of alcohol and responsible campus-wide uses of alcohol.

During the week Pardisa said the film “Choices” will be shown. “The film teaches responsible use of alcohol,” she said. In addition, students who have recovered from alcohol problems will speak along with speakers from the University of Iowa and the University of Minnesota, who will explain alcohol problems on other campuses.

Pardisa said the slogan for the week will be “SMASH”: Stop Making Alcohol a Social Habit.

Gretchen Froehkle, HPC secretary, briefed the HPC of a career day Monday, March 11. Froehkle said interested students should pick up an application from the Alumni Office and return it by Friday.

On the eleventh, participants will be driven by bus to Indianapolis where they will be introduced to a member of the Indianapolis Alumni Club who will show participants around a business that deals with the career of their choice.

The details of this weekend’s Multiple Sclerosis’ Valentine’s Day dance were given to the HPC by Vince Willis, chairman of the dance.

Willis said the doors of Stepan Center will open at 8:30 and the band “Britches” will begin playing at 9:00. Around 11:00 a trip to Florida will be raffled off and free flowers will be given to the first 100 girls according to Willis.

In addition Willis said all faculty members and certain members of the staff and administration have been invited to “boost the proceeds.”

Valentine’s Day dance benefits MS campaign

By ROBERT HENNIG
News Staff

A Faculty and Student Valentine’s Day Dance will be held this Friday at 8 p.m. as part of Notre Dame’s fundraising activities to benefit the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation. Dance contests will be held, with prizes including free dinner at local restaurants and tickets to the South Bend Symphony. A trip to Florida for two will be given away as a door prize at 11:00 p.m. According to Dance Committee Chairman Vince Willis, Notre Dame participated last year with 11 other Midwestern colleges in the MS Rock-Alike competition to raise the most money per capita. Notre Dame won the contest and received a free concert by Tommy Shaw.

But this year, the Multiple Sclerosis Foundation changed many of the rules. According to Willis, “they were pretty much dictating more or less what campuses were supposed to do to be able to raise money (and) when they had to do it.” He added that the winner would be decided on overall fundraising, not on a per capita basis.

Willis said that these rules stifled the type of flexibility that characterized Notre Dame’s participation in the fundraising contest last year to the point “where it was impossible to run the kind of campaign we wanted.” After meeting with various student leaders, the committee decided that Notre Dame’s participation in this year’s Rock-Alike would not be feasible.

Instead, the committee organized a dance which would not only raise money for Multiple Sclerosis, but also promote better student and faculty relations, Willis said.

“There seems to be a consensus on campus right now that there is a lack of student-faculty intermingling,” he said.

According to Adele Luanan, assistant director of media and programming at the Office of Student Activities, “(student-faculty intermingling) has never been a problem, it’s just never been done. I’m just really excited in terms of getting faculty and students together. I think it’s just a great way to get more and more of these opportunities.”

The dance is being supported by student government, the four classes and the Around the Corner Club according to Willis. He also said that between 1000 and 2000 people are expected, including 300 to 400 faculty and administrators. Willis expects to raise between $4000 and $6000.

Tickets are $5 and can be purchased at the Notre Dame Office of Campus Traditions. The Ticket Stub, from several students on campus or at the door.

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Reagan: U.S. neutral in Philippine elections

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - President Reagan said last night the United States is neutral in the biker Philippines presidential election, and announced plans to send veteran U.S. diplomat Philip Habib to Manila to "help nurture the hopes and possibilities of democracy."

"We're neutral, and we then hope to have the same relationship with the people of the Philippines that we've had all these years," the president said at a nationally televised news conference. "In a written statement distributed moments before he stepped before White House reporters, Reagan said he found it disturbing that the election had been "littered by reports of fraud, which we take seriously, and by violence."

In his statement, Reagan said he was sending Habib to meet with leaders of both political parties as well as with church and government officials and representatives of private sector groups.

Reagan said he would have no other comment on the election until the ballot count was finished.

Reagan's comments on the Philippines came with the outcome of the election between President Ferdinand Marcos and challenger Corazon Aquino still in doubt several days after the balloting closed.

The President opened his news conference with a pitch for his 1987 fiscal year budget, and took note of critics who say the "DOA dead on arrival." He said those critics only want a tax increase to reduce deficits, and said any such increase would be "DOA - veto on arrival."

Reagan's session with reporters was his first in five weeks and the 34th of his presidency. It was a session dominated from the outset by foreign policy questions.

Asked about the release earlier in the day of Soviet dissident Anatoly Shcharansky, Reagan said he was "talked at great length about human rights" with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev at their summit last year.

Reagan said he thought there had been an increase in such emigrations since then, and added, "I hope that this is a beginning of what's going to take place."

On another foreign policy issue, the president said the United States' only involvement in the downfall of Haitian President for Life Jean Claude Duvalier was in "providing an airplane" to fly him into exile in France. He said Duvalier did not seek advice about his departure, and the United States offered none.

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SMC EXCEL fund drive continues

By TRACY MCCLOSKEY

$1.7 million is the goal of Saint Mary's newest extension of its development office, the phone/mail program.

The phone/mail program, a part of the College's EXCEL fundraising program, contacts alumnae, family and friends of Saint Mary's asking for monetary contributions. The contributions will be applied towards a goal of $1.125 million, set by the National Endowment for the Humanities. This goal must be reached in order for the government to supplement the EXCEL program with $325,000.

The money will be used to establish an endowment chair in the Humanities Studies department as well as to promote faculty enrichment, according to Martha Hewitt, director of the program.

The phone/mail program was started on August 26, 1985 by the Office of College Relations, headed by Lawrence Durance and Anne Reed, vice president and assistant vice president for College relations.

A professional fundraising firm, Institutional Development Counsel, was hired by Saint Mary's to staff the program directed by Hewitt.

While the Development Office contacts donors who have previously contributed monetary amounts greater than $500, the phone/mail program contacts those who have given under $500. $600,471 has been collected so far. The program expects to reach approximately 20,000 alumnae, family and friends, according to Hewitt.

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dent appeared to be "a single, isolated case of poisoning." Tylenol capsules were removed voluntarily from 1,000 A&P stores in 25 states and the District of Columbia, and other stores in Michigan and Illinois did the same. Two California chains, Vons and Ralphs, removed Tylenol from more than 500 stores.

FBI spokesman Joseph Valiquette said the agency was also beginning its own preliminary investigation under federal laws against tempering with consumer products.

Police in Yonkers received only about half a dozen calls from residents saying they had bottles from the Tylenol lot number - A9P516, with a May 1987 expiration date - that Elsroth used. Her bottle was bought at an A&P in Bronxville.

The batch, about 200,000 bottles of Tylenol capsules each, was shipped Aug. 22 and by now most of it probably has been sold and used, said Robert Kaffin, a Johnson & Johnson spokesman.

The company advised callers not to use Tylenol capsules for the next few days. Elsroth, who had been spending the weekend in the home of her boyfriend, Michael Notarnicola, 56, ill and took two Tylenol capsules early Saturday, McClain said. The capsules were from a new bottle that Notarnicola opened, he said.

Elsroth was discovered dead about 12 hours later, after failing to appear for breakfast or lunch. Notarnicola's mother swallowed a Tylenol from the bottle without ill effect after the body was found, according to Marc Morin, a county government spokesman.

"The program is well ahead of its projected goal," said Hewitt. "We are enthusiastic about the goal being met."

The phone/mail office, located in Room 305 Haggan College Center, presently employs 41 student workers, 16 as phone operators and 25 as clerical workers. Forty new workers are presently being trained for positions. Applications for jobs in the phone/mail program are taken through the financial aid office.

The office is temporary and will be contacting alumnae through November of 1986. Hewitt said that the program will be in operation over the summer and needs student workers.

The phone/mail office is open from 6 to 10 p.m. Monday through Thursday and occasionally during the day.

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"I'm the Lord; return to me!"
Sexism of confessional turning women away

Last month, in the New York Times "Here" column, writer and poet Katha Pollitt ruminated on why it is that women are psychotherapists in (very) small numbers. She stated that the reason is the nature of therapy, she says, because "while they perfume for men, men psychotherapists take drawing out their feelings, acting as a sounding board for their ideas and anxieties, offering support and encouragement and clever suggestions ... most men do not return the favor to women to have just put their problems on the table. Help. The therapy session, she continues, provides a woman with an opportunity to "...be a sexualized woman." Thus, there seems a common way, in this setting she has a "sense of being at the center of her own life rather than at the periphery of the lives of others."

Ann Pettifer guest column

Reading this led me to some ruminations of my own. It occurred to me that the therapeutic encounter is the obvious, constructive alternative to confession. Roman style, for Catholic women. Countless women in the Church today will not touch confession with a ten-foot barge pole. While the reasons for this repudiation vary, there is a common denominator: the experience is humiliating and fearful, so that women are required to confess to men who control the sacrament.

Sometime during the 1770s, "New Black Brides," the journal of the Oxford Dominicans, published the findings of a study that had been observed in their pre-seminary year, young men, bound for the priesthood, had been observed to be pre-seminary and well into their first parish assignments.

The results were predictable and disturbing. Virtually all the men admitted that, while they knew the relevance of their experience of priesthood had not fitted them to deal effectively with women. No matter how secure they felt about their vocation, the message that women were a constant threat to religious life.

The next step is the therapist's office, where they will be offered a clear and work on self-esteem. They will be urged that the individual has been injured by a selfish, aggressive society or by neurotic family patterns. After all, we are trained "more quickly when we realize that the middle of our lives is not entirely self-inflicted.

The story of Jesus' rescue of the adulterous woman is instructive on this point. I have heard it argued that Jesus dealt courteously and gently with this woman because he situated her sin in the context of the harshly patriarchal society where the exploitation of women was commonplace. Jesus saw this place as more than a long step toward this.

I would like to see this story act as a clarion call to Catholic women to get off their guilt-laden knees, to stop breast-beating and to concentrate, for the duration, on how they have been oppressed. Then they can acknowledge that confession keeps them spiritually and psychologically inane, which in turn prevents their exclusion from responsibility in the Church and in secular society.

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**The truth about fiction**

**KIMBERLY TRENNER**

**business writer**

Fiction, as any literary work portraying imaginary characters and events, as a novel, play, etc. This definition is in the one given in Webster's New 20th Century Dictionary. Courses teaching the art of fiction, encouraging students to write their own stories and plays, can be defined as fiction classes.

Fiction writing classes are available at both Notre Dame and Saint Mary's. Notre Dame's department of English offers three fiction writing classes, taught by Dr. Sonia Gernes and Dr. William O'Rourke. The American studies department also offers a class, which is taught by Dr. Elizabeth Christman. At Saint Mary's, a creative writing class is offered, which is taught by Dr. Max Webster.

Teaching a fiction writing course can be approached in several different ways. "My philosophy as a teacher is that I cannot teach people to create," said Gernes. "I can, however, teach them about the craft."

Gernes has developed four steps which she uses to teach writing. Gernes first teaches students the basic elements of the craft, things like plot and audience. The other three steps include putting students in touch with their own creativity, providing feedback and a feedback group for students, and teaching students how to be critics and to be judges of their own work.

Christman approaches her class a little differently. She has her students write under a pen name for the first half of the course. Of this approach Christman said, "Students can write more freely. There is no pressure because I won't judge them from their performance in other classes."

Christman analyzes her students' stories with the class to pick out the techniques they have used. She also does one or two assignments herself and has her students critique them. "My course is kind of a workshop," said Wester. "The students write something, then come in and learn how to make it better."

Fiction writing classes differ from both expository and nonfiction classes. "Expository and news deal with the realm of fact; fiction deals with the realm of imagination," said Gernes. "They both convey truths but they do so by different methods."

O'Rourke sees newswriting as writing with the "eye of a detective." "You can't fall back on fiction. You have to synthesize it to make sense," he said.

The narrative skills taught in fiction writing classes are beneficial not only for those who wish to become writers, but also for those in business, communications and pre-professional majors. "Students come to this class to have their writing improved," said O'Rourke.

"They learn how to judge, to synthesize and to portray reality, all of those skills which the business world wants," he said. "Due to the growth of the service industry good writing and speaking skills are becoming a necessity."

"You can't compare this skill with accounting," Christman said. "Writing skills are important, however, in the fields of publicity, advertising, and public relations."

Christman stressed the need for a good imagination in the business world. "Business trends are the result of one with a good imagination," she said.

"Imagination and advertising go hand in hand. 'Commercials are full of fictional scenes and people, they are little plays,'" said Christman.

Gernes pointed out that students who take writing classes are more appreciative readers. Quoting Virginia Woolf, she said, "Perhaps the quickest way to understand the elements of what a novelist is doing is not to read, but to write, to make your own experiment with the dangers and difficulties of words."

For those in the pre-professional field, especially for those going into law, a fiction class can be very helpful. A law school student once told Gernes that he took the class because he needed to know how to have precision with words.

Students take fiction writing classes for a variety of reasons. "The students in my classes vary," said Wester. "Some want to get professional, some are curious, others just take the course. It has a different appeal for everyone," he said.

Randy Brand, a junior American studies major, in taking the class more for personal than professional reasons. "I like creative writing," said Brand. "I took the class to have some fun and to write some stories."

"Don't want to be a writer," said Notre Dame sophomore Maria Gerace. Gerace is taking the course because she feels that "the best way to understand literature is to try to produce it." Gerace plans to teach at the secondary level in the future.

The professors who teach these fiction writing courses are well qualified for the job, as they are all writers and/or poets themselves. Wester attended Columbia University and studied contemporary literature. He started out writing fiction but he now writes mostly poetry.

Gernes has had published "The Way to St. Ives" by Scribner's in 1982, along with three or four short stories and a book of poetry.

O'Rourke has written four books and is about to publish his fifth, a novel called "Criminal Tendencies." His other works include: "The Harrisburg Seven and the New Catholic Left," "The Secretness of Isaac," the anthology "On the Job," and "Idle Hands." O'Rourke graduated from Columbia University in 1968 with an MFA (Master of Fine Arts degree) and then went on to the Fine Arts Work Center for a winter residency with other writers and painters. At the age of 28, after publishing his first novel, O'Rourke began teaching at Columbia University.

Christman, also a novelist, has published "A Nice Italian Girl," "Fresh and Spirit," and "A Broken Family."

Although none of their former students are famous, many have had their share of success since graduating. A good number have gone on to receive MFAs, and some have had their works published in magazines and journals. Askold Melnyc­ zuk, a former student of O'Rourke's and a poet, went on to become the founding editor of "The Agni Review," a biannual literary magazine.

If you are creative, enjoy writing or if you want to sharpen those much needed writing skills, perhaps a fiction writing class just may be for you. Who knows, maybe you could become the next F. Scott Fitzgerald or Virginia Woolf. All of the very best writers had to start some­where.

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**SMC host of ECCO!**

**Special to The Observer**

**The Ensemble Company of Cincinnati Opera (ECCO)** will perform in O'Laughlin Auditorium at Saint Mary's this Thursday at 8 p.m. Admission is free and open to the public.

Under the direction of Byron Dean Ryan, ECCO will present several selections from musical theater, opera, and opera. The concert will also include a one-act dramatic opera, "Slow Dusk," written and composed by Carlisle Floyd.

**Concerts**

**Ensemble Company of Cincinnati Opera**

The opera is set in the sandhills of the Carolinian and depicts the star-crossed love of Sadie and Micah. The romance appeals to adult, college, and high school audiences alike.

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"Perhaps the quickest way to understand the elements of what a novelist is doing is not to read, but to write, to make your own experiment with the dangers and difficulties of words."

**Virginia Woolf**

**The Near Side**

Mark Weinholt
Synchronized swimmers are asked to attend an organizational meeting tomorrow at 6:30 p.m. in the classroom of the Roil Aquatic Center. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

For more information call Kevin Lenox at 239-6440. - The Observer

A campus tug-of-war contest is being organized by the ND Promotions Dept. and Lee Jeans Dormitory and class competitions will be held. Interested groups should begin to assemble teams. For more information call Kevin Lenox at 239-6440. - The Observer

Weekend group rentals for the Roil Aquatic Center are now available through the NND and SME groups. For details and rates call NDA at 239-5100. - The Observer

The NVA office in the ACC. When you reach your selfproclaimed goal you can redeem your log book for the free shirt. For more information call VNA. - The Observer

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Sports Briefs

Michael Ray Richardson of the NBA's New Jersey Nets was disciplined yesterday for missing Monday's practice and was sent for a drug test on which the fate of his often brilliant but cocaine-plagued career will ride. If the test turns up positive, it would be a third offense, meaning that he would be banned for life from the NBA, though he would have the option to appeal the ruling. - AP

Upsets in the NBA last night included the Sacramento Kings 105-100 victory over the Boston Celtics and the Golden State Warriors 137-126 over the L.A. Lakers. The losses dropped the league-leading Celtics' record to 36-9 while the Lakers fell to 57-12 on the season. - AP

In Big Eight Conference basketball last night eighth-ranked Oklahoma defeated Kansas 81-77. Forward Darryl Kennedy's 32 points and 15 rebounds. Danny Manns. Forward Kansas scored 27 points as third-ranked Kansas stumped past Missouri, 106-66. The Jayhawks are now 23-3 and 8-1 in the conference. - AP

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Notre Dame remains 14th in AP poll

Associated Press

BAILEY, N.C. - While Notre Dame remained ranked in the 14th position, North Carolina State has already joined three other ACC schools in the Top 20 in the Associated Press Coaches' Poll.

North Carolina State, which must still face the top ACC teams and eight-ranked Oklahoma, didn't expect as much as well as Florida State that left it at 3-5.

North Carolina remained the un­

The Wolfpack, now 17-6, is ranked 17th in the latest poll after a shaky start. They made it after nationally televised non-conference win against Kentucky and Lou­

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Percent of College Basketball Scholarship Graduating Within Five Years

**1985 - Virginia**
- 25 of 27 players graduated (93.0%)

**1986 - Notre Dame**
- 27 of 28 players graduated (96.4%)

**1987 - Duke**
- 22 of 23 players graduated (95.7%)

**1988 - Notre Dame**
- 23 of 29 players graduated (79.3%)

**1989 - Duke**
- 24 of 28 players graduated (85.7%)

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### Valentine's Day

**Send an Observer Valentine!**

In the classifieds section only 10 cents per 5 characters, deadline 2/13/86-3:00pm

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ND/SMC Theater announces...

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Bring a prepared piece

You will be asked to sightread something from the show.
One of three very early commitments to Notre Dame from the Windy City.

Jeff had him defensive end, 6-6, 230, Carl Sandburg H.S. (Chicago)...

Another big addition from the Chicago area who announced his intention to attend Notre Dame weeks ago.

Jason Cegledi, offensive lineman, 6-3, 250, St. Rita H.S. (Chicago)...

Paul Glonek, defensive lineman, 6-6, 270, St. Laurence H.S. (Chicago)...

Tim Grossbard, offensive lineman, 6-1, 255, St. Laurence H.S. (Chicago)...

Jeff Pearson, offensive lineman, 6-4, 245, St. Laurence H.S. (Chicago)...

John Zalecki, defensive lineman, 6-4, 250, St. Rita H.S. (Chicago)...

Also a standout punter for St. Rita.

Mike Harazin, linebacker, 6-4, 235, Carl Sandburg H.S. (Chicago)...

Anthony Johnson, linebacker/back running back, 6-2, 185, Adams H.S. (South Bend)...

A standout team and leader on both sides of the scrimmage line at Adams.

Mike Creemore, tackle, 6-4, 225, Enid Union H.S. (New York)...

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Choice was narrowed down to Syracuse, Penn State, and Iowa, but Johnson said he had always dreamed of playing at Notre Dame because of "the mystique - the Golden Dome on campus."

Jim Dadiotis, linebacker, 6-4, 228, Colorado.

Rod West, defensive end, 6-2, 220, Brother Martin H.S. (New Orleans)...

Three-year starter at Brother Martin... named all-state and defensive most valuable player in New Orleans... runs a 4.6-yard dash.

Bryan Flannery, defensive lineman, 6-5, 245, St. Edward's H.S. (Lincolnwood, Ohio)...

Named first-team All-Ohio... two-year starter on the defensive line... 4.6 speed in the 40... helped team to 9-1 record last season.

Dean Brown, lineman, 6-4, 260, McKinley H.S. (Canton, Ohio)...

Named to all-state team as both offensive and defensive lineman...

Also played defensive back, 6-2, 180, Polytechnic (Long Beach, Calif.)...

Played a major role on a Long Beach Poly defense that didn't allow a touchdown for eight games last season... helped team to 9-1 record last season.

Mike Carrier, defensive back, 6-2, 140, Polytechnic (Long Beach, Calif.)...

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**Boredom**

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Fordham's Tom Parrotta led all scorers with 14 points, and Jason Pateo, whose brother Bill (a former Irish captain) was in attendance, added 10 points in the losing effort.

Afterwards, Penders wondered about Notre Dame's spot in the rankings.

"They're a very sound team," Penders commented. "They've got the star in David Rivers and a lot of players. I can't see how they're not Top-10 teams (the Irish are ranked No. 4 in the latest AP poll). I think Notre Dame is just a beat behind everybody else in North Carolina and every bit as good as anyone."
Irish fencer Sullivan is intense and undefeated

By TRISH SULLIVAN
Sports Writer

From a fire station in Massachusetts to the ACC, sophomore fencer Molly Sullivan has come a long way.

"When I first started with fencing lessons we had to go anywhere we could find a practice," said Sullivan. "There was the fire station, on a concrete floor with a few mats. It was a little ratty and a little.tannery. It made for some interesting practice sessions."

But it really doesn't matter where Sullivan practices, because one thing remains constant. She wins.

A former Junior Olympic champion in the under-16 category, Sullivan has participated on numerous National Junior Olympic teams in interesting places such as Leningrad and Switzerland.

She is currently on her way to another Junior Olympics, this one in Minneapolis, Minn., beginning February 12. But according to Sullivan, it's not a problem and provides a unique kind of education.

"Being on the road the way you can get to your studies and wear on you after a while," said the Paqscocqua West resident. "But you learn a lot about life between the library and the hockey rink. You have to give him credit."

Sullivan practices, because one can academics and athletics can mix, and Sullivan practices with the best, labels him an "interesting young man."

"And being one of the better students we have to go anywhere we can find to practice," said Sullivan. "There was the fire station, on a concrete floor with a few mats. It was a little ratty and a little tannery. It made for some interesting practice sessions."

"And the training floor of a library and at a least another junior brother played for the 1984 U.S. Olympic hockey team, and is now the head coach," said Smith. "And the sport to play, said Smith. "And the incredible intensity about him."

So if you see Molly Sullivan fencing on the North Quad, don't be too surprised. This fiery competitor is probably getting in some extra fencing practice to help lead the Irish to the top.

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So far, Sullivan and the coaches seem to be doing pretty well. Currently the women's roster leads the squad with a perfect slate and the team remains undefeated as well.

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Belles were Tammey Radke, contributing 16 points, and Beth Kreber, who added 15 points to the effort. Rachel Birk and Radke each pulled down six rebounds, and Radke along with Kris Pan­ tellaria aided the cause by contributing four assists each.

The team's health did not improve by Monday when it returned to Valparaiso and fell 75-57. Radke led the Belles with 19 points and Pan tellaria chalked up 10 points against the opponents. Kreber led the team in rebounds with nine and Pan tellaria offered seven assists.

"We had some stretches of excellent basketball at Valpo," said Wood. "We were only down by ten with 6:20 left to play, but the team fell apart in the last few minutes."

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The Belles have a day to recuperate before they travel to Franklin on Thursday, Saturday. Saint Mary's will finally be playing at home against Bethel College.

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The Daily Crossword

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2. Seed appendage
5. 23. Made of a medium
6. Made of hard wood
13. Mississippi
27. Made of sheep
28. Missouri
39. Aves
43. Artist Rivera
44. Level
51. Like
52. Room
56. Manuscript
58. Mississippi
63. Hawaiian
64. Saucy

DOWN
1. Cover for a field
2. Battlement
3. It's the size of paper
4. Arched
5. Doorknob
6. Door
7. Piscivorous
8. Trash
9. Small speech
10. Comedian
15. Sandarac tree
18. Comedian's father
21. Arab bigwigs
22. Artist Rivera
23. Youngster
29. April 21
30. Drop in
31. Squirrel
32. Youngster
33. Artist Rivera
34. Youngster
35. Battle
37. Cajolery
38. Sixth sense
39. Eighth toe
40. Alphabet run
41. Elevated habitation
42. Fortitude
43. Move
44. Grotesque imitation
45. Up to now
46. Jewelry
47. Siren
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51. Cover for open spaces
52. Joint
53. Likenesses
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56. Kind of club
57. Church area
58. Mississippi
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**Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:**

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2. SEED APPENDAGE
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6. HARDWOOD
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39. AVES
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15. SANDARAC TREE
18. COMEDIAN'S FATHER
21. ARAB BIGWIGS
22. ARTIST RIVERA
23. YOUNGSTER
29. APRIL 21
30. DROP IN
31. SQUIRREL
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37. CAJOLERY
38. SIXTH SENSE
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51. COVER FOR OPEN SPACES
52. JOINT
53. LIKENesses
54. KIND OF CLUB
55. AGES AND AGES
56. KIND OF CLUB
57. CHURCH AREA
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LATELY, MILO...

...where we just dropped in to an old hill town.

The Far Side

Gary Larson

Former Brown froze in his tracks; the cows stared wide-eyed back at him. Somewhere, off in the distance, a dog barked.

...where we just dropped in to an old hill town.
Chick Freeby
Irish Items

This isn't just picking on Cleveland either, although Lord knows there's plenty to pick on in the Plum City. It happens that Cleveland currently would fill the final post-season berth if the Eastern Conference playoffs were held today. And what might the Crowd record be for a stadium 18-31 for a magnificent 36-28 win over Cleveland? Or is it in another perspective, the Cavaliers have a lower winning percentage than the last place Cleveland Indians.

Even when you know that fancy football is a mere exercise in futility, everybody knows it's going to come down to the last game of the season and the Colts and Giants, those three teams have won every title since 1979. So why even bother with the first playoff round?

I'll tell you why, folks. It's money. Cash. These owners have to keep their team competitive and Magic and The Doctor when the season's over without selling their front-runners, so they put up 16 teams in the playoffs. More money, more cash. It's just that simple.

So what you have in fans in Boston plunking down at least 10 bucks a head - probably more with the scalper's prices to watch Boston play Cleveland in the first round. The

Romanos got to see the same thing at the Coliseum 2000 years ago for free. But the NBA isn't the only league to disgrace itself with a farcical regular season and playoff system, as their counterparts in the NFL are even more ridiculous. For 80 games, a bunch of guys with French sounding names flail and fumble and fight and check and fight some more. The great purpose of all seven months of this "action" is to eliminate five teams from the playoffs.

Once you get to the playoffs, it's another story of wasted time. For instance, it looks like the Edmonton Oilers (also known as the Campbell Conference all-star team) will draw the tough assignment of playing Los Angeles in the first round of the playoffs. The Kings currently boast a magnificent record of 17-3-6-1. That isn't a playoff game, it's a farce.

And it goes on forever. The NFL playoffs end in May. The only ice in May is in the cooler at baseball games. Nobody cares about hockey in May. Not too many people care about it now, so you know nobody cares about it in May. Nevertheless, both seasons will drag on, and we will be subjected to watching slapshots and slam dunks as the NBA and NHL seasons sputter to their excruciating conclusions. The playoffs, however, there is some hope for sports fans looking for a little excitement this winter. The exhibition baseball season starts in three weeks.

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Pick of the Week

One thing you don't have to worry for is the home finale for the Notre Dame wrestling team. The Irish grapplers make their final appearance in the ACC this Sunday against Marquette at 2 p.m. Don't miss it.

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SIGNING DAY PROMISING FOR HOLTZ'S FIRST CLASS

By LARRY BURKE
Assistant Sports Editor

For a lot of young athletes, a period of anxiety and critical decision-making comes to an end today.

It's national signing day for high school football players, which means that the long recruiting procedure has drawn to a close for most. It also means that a lot of high school seniors can end the pressure and speculation that surrounds the recruiting process by signing their name on the dotted line for their chosen college today.

It should be a happy day for Irish head coach Lou Holtz and his recruiting team.