New Guard ready for Saturday
By GREG LUCAS
Senior Staff Reporter

A newly created Irish Guard started training on Tuesday night and will be ready for the Michigan State-game, said Luther Snively, director of bands. "The Guard will be able to do the pregame for sure and they will be on the field for halftime," said Snively. He added that the quality of training will depend largely on the weather in the next few days.

About 36 people tried out for 10 positions that were opened up when the administration disbanded the former Irish Guard in the beginning of September, said Snively. According to Snively, an order from the Office of Student Affairs dismissed seven of the 10 former Irish Guard members. The other three students, who had not been dismissed from the old squad, were eligible to try out for the new team. The three former members tried out, but did not make the new team, said Snively.

The decision to dismiss the seven guard members was based on incidents that occurred last year in light of incidents that occurred last year in their relationship between drug users. By syndicated artist Matt B., the pontiff's reply to the leader of the American Church, is to abide by the doctrine remains what it is, dissent from church law "a grave error" and incompatible with being a good Catholic. But the pope called the revolution of the 1960s that the revolutionary changes which have occurred in personal and societal life in the 20th century are not grounds to them, as religion is."

Archbishop John Quinn of Chicago addressed the delegates who shaped it during the 300th anniversary of the signing of the Constitution by 39 of the 55 delegates who shaped it during four hot summer months. It became law nine months later when New Hampshire became the ninth state to ratify it. Schoolgirls on the deck of the Kitty Hawk recited the Pledge of Allegiance yesterday along with construction workers in Boston, President Reagan and millions of Americans celebrating the U.S. Constitution's 200th birthday a day early. Reagan led a nationally televised Pledge of Allegiance for "Celebrate the Constitution Day," the preamble to Thursday's bicentennial bash. "It's still our blueprint for freedom," Reagan said from the Capitol in Washington during the day-long civics and history lesson.

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Under where?
In anticipation of the first home game coming up this weekend, freshmen of Regina Hall toss articles of clothing of dubious nature out of their window to the awaiting Notre Dame freshmen below in the annual "panty raid."

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Pope says dissent from church law 'grave error'

Associated Press

 LOS ANGELES - In a blunt excoriation, the pontiff told Pope John Paul II on Wednesday that "an uncritical appli-
pication" of old solutions is no longer good enough for U.S. Catholics. But the pope called dissent from church law "a grave error" and incompatible with being a good American Catholic. He also accused the pontiff of "a grave error," which he called being "frankly discouraging." The meeting with the bishops began a day in which the pope also visited with Nancy Reagan and met with representatives of the Hindu, Buddhist, Moslem and Jewish faiths. Later, he was to say Mass in Dodger Stadium. During the private meeting at a seminary in the San Fernando Mission complex, the pope was treated to an unusually frank discussion about what bothers American Catholics and has caused them to ignore many of the Church's teachings. A Los Angeles Times poll of 907 Catholics last month found 9 of 10 say Catholics may disagree with Church policies and still be considered loyal followers. Sixty percent disagreed with the Church's ban on women in the priesthood, and only 25 percent thought birth control is sinful. To accept faith, said the pope, is to abide by the Church's teachings and "it would be altogether out of place to try to model this act of relig-
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By KRISTIN COLLIGAN News Staff

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State Staff Reporter

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Michael Jackson hype
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If there is one rock artist who is universally held in contempt by today’s college students it surely Michael Jackson. Don’t be fooled by the fact that an overwhelming percentage of these same people at one time either bought or taped Jackson’s hit album “Thriller” and probably still remember the words to its songs, they are reluctant to admit their past admiration. More likely than not, their copy has been lost, taped over, or ignominiously handed down to a younger brother or sister who doesn’t listen to it either.

Around campus the consensus holds Jackson to be “major uncool.” And even though people are aware that his newest album is out, nobody seems to care. For many, this pretended indifference even veils a hidden hostility to the former star. People want to see Jackson’s album fail.

Perhaps the key to these questions lies with Jackson’s mysterious disappearance from the media since his touring ended he calmly maintained his low-key, aloof posture. Whether Michael Jackson was banished by disgruntled fans, or whether his disappearance should more accurately be termed a self-imposed exile is a question that does not interest many people right now. The public just feels good that he is gone. But could it be that the sudden drop from the peaks of popularity is just another ploy to keep his career alive? The media since his touring ended has been reincarnated into a new form. And if his past life forms weren’t weird enough the new Michael Jackson hype seems to care. For many, this pretended indifference even veils a hidden hostility to the former star. People want to see Jackson’s album fail.

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By KATHLEEN CROOKS

The Saint Mary's Alumnae Association Board of Directors, in town this weekend for their bi-annual meeting, will discuss a more advanced system of net­
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The Board of Directors is a group of 18 women representing different classes that assemble from all over the United States to aid in the advancement of education and facilities at Saint Mary's.

"These are valuable women and we want them to have not only a fruitful meeting, but also a good time," said Jean Martin, director of alumnae relations at Saint Mary's College.

The main goal of the board this year is to design a more sophisticated system for keeping students and alumnae in touch for business purposes.

In order to assist Saint Mary's, the board finds it is necessary to organize board members into four committees that can focus on different areas of campus development, said Martin.

The Alumnae Resource Committee keeps track of all the alumnae and what they are doing with their lives. The Development Committee works in coalition with the college to assess the financial and educational needs of the college.

New methods of recruit­
ment are researched by the Recruitment Committee and ideas on how to help the student body are researched through meetings with stu­
dents by the Student Alumnae Committee, accord­ing to Martin.

This fall four new mem­
bers will be oriented. They will serve a 3-year term with an option to serve one addi­
tional term when the first is over.

The four new members are Pamela Carey Bailey, '70; Colleen O'Brien Carey, '74; Peggy Schneeman, '82; and Mary Beth Dornbach Snyder, '80.

"The Saint Mary's agenda on Saint Mary's agenda"

By ERIC M. BERGAMO

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Reagan denies peace repudiation

Associated Press

WASHINGTON - The White House said Wednesday it sees no contradiction between Pres- ident Reagan's support for a stopgap aid to the Nicaraguan Contra rebels and his promise to back efforts for a Central American peace settlement.

"We see it first of all as a fairness issue," presidential spokesman Marlin Fitzwater told reporters.

Fitzwater denied that Reagan's stand was "a repudiation in any way" of his agreement with House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, to delay requests for new aid for the rebels until after Sept. 30 to give the peace talks a chance.

The spokesman was ques- tioned repeatedly about the president's announced support for a proposal by House Repub- lican leader Robert Michel of Illinois to offer an amendment to a 30-day spending bill to con- tinue assistance to the Contras. The spending bill, designed to continue government spend- ing at current levels while the Congress works on appropria- tion bills for the fiscal year Oct. 1, is expected to reach the House floor this week.

Gulf war stalemate ends

Associated Press

MANAMA, Bahrain - Iraq, on Wednesday, said Tehran has "spared all peace efforts" in the 7-year-old gulf war.

The air raids signaled a new flare-up in the so-called "tanker war" after a six-day hull in the waterway that con- nected with a peace mission by U.N. Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar.

Shipping officials feared Iran might stage retaliatory attacks against shipping in the southern reaches of the gulf.

"The U.N. secretary- general's mission has been portrayed as a last-ditch peace effort, so it might be hell from now on," said shipping ex-ecutive, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

However, a diplomat of U.S. wardens escorting the Gas Prince, a Kuwaiti tanker flying the American flag, was re- ported to be nearing Kuwait's Al-Ahmad oil terminal after an incident-free 56-mile voyage from the gulf.

Tehran's Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Nicaragua, quoted a War Information Headquarter spokesman as saying Iran will "strongly respond" to "Iraq's mischievous acts."

Bork defends role in Watergate

WASHINGTON - Supreme Court nominee Robert Bork, parrying attacks on his in- tegrity by Democratic senators, said Wednesday he was act- ed honorably and legally in 1973 as assistant attorney general in the Watergate prosecutor Ar- chibald Cox.

In a dramatic retelling of what Bork called "an enor- mous governmental crisis," he said that as soon as Cox was dismissed, "I did promptly act to safeguard the special prosecu- tion." He understood that from the beginning my moral and pro- fessional lives were on the line if something happened to the special prosecution force.

The gripping sparring match between Bork and Democrats on the Senate Judiciary Com- mittee occurred in the same marble-columned room that was the site 14 years ago of hearings that helped lead to President Nixon's political demise. This week the room is the setting for Bork's nation- ally televised confirmation hearing.

The questions on what has be- come known as the Saturday Night Massacre marked an in- terlude in attacks - soon to resume - on Bork's political and judicial ideology as opponents

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mocking the way people think."

Hoder said, "I have received calls not only from the black population but also from other students who are white, and they were infuriated. They were em- barrassed. The disapproval was widespread."

Hoder said the BCAC has heard from some members of the administration, whom she said she would not identify, supporting the objections and promising to be in contact with Scholastic.

McKerrnan said the "Life in Hell" cartoon has been under question in the past, but not by the students. "The students I've talked to love the cartoon in general. A lot of the admin- nistrators don't like it. I never anticipated a problem from the students."

McKerrnan cited the context in which the cartoon was writ- ten. The strip is a grade-by- grade look at the attitudes of teachers towards students. Each square contains a derogatory comment from the teacher to the failing student with a negative attitude. The cartoon "is attacking the tradi- tional stereotype of people who are worried about going to high school because there are going to be 'negroes' there," McKer- nan said.

Tillman said he can see that side of the argument as well. "Personally, as a black student on campus, I think there may be a question about context. Grooming's making a state- ment. If you follow the se- quence, he presents 16 themes which you are told all of your life."

"If you showed me just the "5th grade" segment, I would be incensed. In the context that he presented it, I have to say he's making a very valid point, a crucial point, and that is as long as you continue to tell children these types of things, you're going to run into these attitudes, and probably this child will grow with a bad atti- tude about gangs, drug push- ers, ill..." tillman added, refusing to dismiss Cox, and Bork, the third, allowing Justice Depart- ment official, carried out the president's order.

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Gorbachev: Treaty possible

Associated Press

MOSCOW: Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev said Thursday a treaty eliminating medium-range nuclear missiles could still be worked out this year by the superpowers, and an accord to cut strategic weapons was possible early next year.

Gorbachev made the upbeat statement in a major article being published in the Soviet press Thursday in conjunction with the opening of the 43rd session of the United Nations. It was hailed as a major Soviet statement on a system of worldwide security and was released by the official news agency Tass in Moscow shortly after midnight Wednesday as U.S. Secretary of State George Shultz and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze met in Washington to work out the details of an arms treaty.

Gorbachev said a treaty eliminating U.S. and Soviet medium- and shorter-range nuclear missiles is "possible and realistic."

"The Soviet Union is proceeding from the premise that a relevant treaty could be worked out before the end of the current year," he said. Both sides have said that the signing of an agreement to scrap the missiles with a range of between 300 and 3,000 miles would be an occasion for Gorbachev to visit Washington for his third summit meeting with President Reagan.

Gorbachev termed as "conducive ... to a certain extent" West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl's announcement last month that his country would seek to modernize its 72 Pershing IA missiles equipped with U.S. nuclear warheads. Elimination of those weapons is one of the sticking points in wrapping up an agreement. Verification issues also remain.

The United States has accused the Soviet Union of raising the issue of the West German missiles as a last-minute barrier to an agreement, and have sought to keep the warheads stockpiled at home rather than destroy them.

The Soviet Union insists that all such warheads be destroyed by both sides to reach the so-called "double-zero" first proposed by Reagan in 1981. "The treaty on medium- and shorter-range missiles would be a fine prelude to a breakthrough at the talks on large-scale - 50 percent - reductions in strategic offensive arms in conditions of the strict observance" of the 1972 Anti-Ballistic Missile treaty, he said.

"I believe that, given a mutual striving, an accord on that matter could become a reality as early as in the first half of the next year," Gorbachev said.

The Soviet Union says Reagan administration plans to develop its space-based anti-missile system, popularly called Star Wars, is a violation of the ABM treaty.

The Soviets say there can be no agreement on limiting strategic, or long-range, missiles unless the two sides reach an understanding on the space-based system.

Earlier Wednesday, Shultz reported "some progress" in the talks, which were scheduled to shift to Afghanistan and other regional issues.

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CAT ADOPTS MOUSE, THEN KILLS IT

Associated Press

FLOYDS KNOBS, Ind. - When Jo Jo the Calico cat adopted a tiny little mouse as part of her life, Pam Eveslage thought it was downright unnatural.

But after all, she had brought Jo Jo home to rid her house of mice.

But when she saw the mother cat nursing the baby mouse on Sunday, Eveslage changed her mind because it was "so small and cute."

"Jo Jo and baffled everyone by taking an unkinly liking to the mouse," said Gill Atrop, professor of psychology at Indiana University Southeast, said it was unusual for an animal of one species to take care of another, but it happened.

"I believe since the cat recently had kittens, she still has the maternal hormones circulating and is treating the mouse like one of her kittens," he said.

Atrop added that it also was unusual for the mouse to venture out in the open, and he added into Jo Jo's box in the garage since mice generally are dark, secluded places. "I've never seen anything like that before," he said.

However, the professor cited a 1980 study that showed cats and mice are notinstinctively enemies. Adult cats who had been raised with mice didn't try to kill them, he studied said.

But Jo Jo and the mouse weren't raised together.

Their relationship took a nasty turn on Wednesday.

When Eveslage got home from work late Wednesday af ternoon, the tiny mouse was found dead in Jo Jo's box.

"It looks like it got smashed. And she just ate it," Eveslage said. "I just got home about 4:30 and I went out there and looked. It looks like she laid on it."

Friday, September 17, 1987

THE OBSERVER

Floyd E. Bellamy Jr., 18, a freshman at Franklin and Marshall College in Lancaster, who recited the pledge on the flight deck of the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk, in Pennsylvania for an overhaul.

"We're a part of history," said Holly Mauitz, 16, one of 108 pupils from the Country Day School of the Sacred Heart in Bryn Mawr, who recited the pledge on the flight deck of the aircraft carrier USS Kitty Hawk, in Pennsylvania for an overhaul.

Lancaster, the pledge had special meaning for Peter Bel lamy Jr., 18, a freshman at Franklin and Marshall College whose great-grandfather, Francis Julius Bellamy, wrote the pledge 86 years ago as an assignment for Youth's Companion magazine.

"It's been a family thing for me before now," Bellamy said in a telephone interview.

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While everyone has been caught up in the football season and the Iran-Contra hearings, something quiet has been going on in the backrooms of the Capitol. Perhaps you are familiar with the Honorable Senator Proxmire. He is the guy who makes the golden fleece awards to agencies squandering our taxes. Well, the good Senator is retiring, and he is leaving us with a wonderful legacy. Senator Proxmire is actually a fierce opponent of NASA's space platform project.

Robert Tomihiro
guest column

Now a space platform may not seem like much to you, but let me assure you that it is important. The space platform is a major goal for NASA. It means a permanent presence in space, and it is also a big step towards a lunar colony. The shuttle program was created with this platform project in mind. The shuttle really does not do a good job of putting satellites in high orbits. A space platform of course, allows that capability. The platform is also important towards establishing industry in space, and of course, it is vital to a working S.D.I. system.

Now I am not here to debate about S.D.I. If you like the idea of S.D.I., then you had better be worried. If you don't, you had still better be worried. The fact is that space is big business. Every major T.V. network, and cable television as well, relies on satellites for transmission. Some people believe killer satellites are needed for defense. Of course, the U.S. and Russia have tested such systems. Even if you aren't that paranoid, it would be a fair guess that they are putting up surveillance and communication satellites. Those, of course, are used by the military. Considering the fact that these are the same people who sponsored the Iron Curtain, and imprisonment people who don't agree with them, I am a bit nervous about such a situation. But even if you believe that our comrades across the sea are really nice guys, the fact remains that is such a picture. America steps down from a first world nation and finds itself with more unemployment and a big welfare budget, although I suppose budget is too loose a term to apply.

Of course, such a far off picture may never come to pass. Maybe our people in Washington will come to their senses and do what is right. Maybe they will rise above the bickering and do what is good for the whole country. Maybe they will look down the road instead of at their own political careers. What do you think?

Robert Tomihiro is a sophomore engineering major.

Cartoon destroys sense of family

Garry Trudeau

Deer Editor,

When I came to Notre Dame as a freshman, I was told that I was part of the Notre Dame family. This gave me a sense of worth and acceptance from my new family. But unfortunately I learned that I only was not accepted as a member of this big family. Because time and time again mud was thrown in my face and the faces of my brothers and sisters. But I kept on trying to be accepted by this family. Here we are at the beginning of a new school year. Everyone was welcomed back, even me. Then it happened, I picked up a Scholastic. I read the comic strip on the back of the Sept. 10 Scholastic.

As iron sharpens iron, so one

“As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another.”

Proverbs 27:17

第五届全国人大常委会第55次会议上，国家计划委员会主任李鹏作关于1988年国民经济和社会发展计划草案的报告。报告指出，1987年国民经济和社会发展计划执行情况基本达到了预定的目标。今年计划安排生产总值增长5%左右，按可比价格计算，固定资产投资完成1800亿元，继续实施有计划的商品粮和重要商品的国家统购统销政策。报告强调，要继续贯彻执行“改革、整顿、提高”的方针，努力降低物价，改善人民生活。报告还指出，要继续加强农村和城市经济体制改革，积极稳妥地推进利改税和企业承包经营责任制。
If you catch a leprechaun, you can force him to disclose the location of a buried treasure. But beware! If you let your eyes off this small roguish elf for just one second, he may vanish into thin air. I recently snared a leprechaun, and he did indeed reveal to me the location of a veritable treasure - the spirit of ND.

This leprechaun, better known as Brian Stark, knows the location and the nature of this treasure, being a member of the animated cheerleading squad at Notre Dame. Brian, originally from Erie, Penn., is a senior majoring in pre-med with a minor in anthropology. He has been interested in the role of the leprechaun since his freshman year, and he has observed the competition each year. Finally, as a senior, he felt it was his time to give it a shot and compete for the position. "More than wanting to be the leprechaun, it started with wanting to have a positive impact - add to the thrill of being in a world-renown university."

The competition, which lasted for about two months, was an initiation with the gymnastics, routines, and mental attitude that are involved in being ND's mascot. He was a natural candidate for the position with his Irish heritage, mutton chops and enthusiastic personality. However, for Brian, the gymnastic skills were not innate. Though he had been a cheerleader of sorts at his all-boys high school, the flips, tucks and other various maneuvers were foreign to him at the beginning of the competition. He faced the challenge and with the overwhelming support of his parents and his section, he won the coveted role.

Brian has accepted his position modestly. He sees himself not as a star in the spotlight, but as a leader. "People are here because they are proud of ND and its tradition. It is my desire to be the catalyst to people with that pride."

He has found that being the catalyst is not all fun and games. Cheerleading is varsity sport; one that includes two to three hour practices, and running and lifting three times a week. Brian says...
**LEPRECHAUN**

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Brian says that under the guidance of coach Sandy Van Slager "there is no playing around, but 7:30 p.m. paying off." The challenge of the role does not end after the strenuous practices or the games. Being the leprechaun is "People are here because they are proud of ND and its tradition. It is my desire to be proud of ND and because they are around, but it's paying off."

A new kind of spirit: the emerald society

JOE BUCOLO
features writer

The spirit is back...but did it ever leave? For 100 years Notre Dame has displayed the kind of school spirit that other institutions can only dream about. But, to convince a few remaining "doubters," Thomases, students plan to show more spirit than ever this year. In fact, a new group has been formed on campus to serve as a liaison between students and the coaches of the football team. They call themselves the "North Side Spirit" and, despite the formality implied by their name, consider themselves an informal group and encourage all students to become involved with their activities this year.

With the great deal of enthusiasm already in the air as a result of last Saturday's victory over Michigan, the society is more than ready for this week's game against Michigan State. A great deal of spirit-raising activities are planned and ready to go:

The men and women of "Tops In Blue" will "kickoff" the festivities with a Kickoff Picnic at Stepan Field on Friday at 4:45. Dinner will run through 6:45, ending just in time for the pep rally.

The pep rally at Stepan Center is sure to be fun for all. This year the Leprechaun will enliven the occasion. Lou Holtz will speak at the event encouraging students to show their spirit at the game by wearing as much gold or green as possible. The rally begins at 7:00. Afterwards, students will be encouraged to help cheer on the team and lead the student body in songs along with the " Notre Dame still has more spirit than any school around."

The Alumni Association will hold its usual pregame reception in the Hospitality Room of the JACC on Saturday. Both Notre Dame and Michigan State fans are invited.

The game itself should be full of excitement. At kickoff, fans will release their gold balloons into the air creating a spectacular example of Notre Dame's school spirit. The Leprechaun will also make a surprising entrance into the stadium to celebrate the 100 year anniversary of "Tops In Blue." The start of a new tradition will occur at the end of Saturday's game when the football team will walk over to the student section of the stadium and lead the student body in singing the " Alma Mater." It's sure to be a thrill carried on into the future.

This weekend, and hopefully every one after it, will once again show America that Notre Dame still has more spirit than any school around.

A new kind of spirit: the emerald society

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The performance is tonight at 8 p.m. at the Joyce Center. Admission is free.

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'The Big Easy': easy to watch

ELIZABETH CORNWELL
accent writer

The Big Easy is a romantic thriller that's easy to like. Its striking "Mambo Vice" style color scheme and down-home Cajun accent welcome the audience with a breezy informality that's difficult to resist. But all that laid-back friendliness is a veneer, covering a plot which revolves around gangland drug wars and police corruption.

Movie review

The Big Easy

Dennis Quaid, following up his performance as a likeable reprobate in Joe Dante's "Innerspace" plays a likable reprobate with a Cajun accent. Quaid's epidemic detective is assigned the seemingly routine district attorney's task force on slaying of a mafia drug-runner. Quaid's homicide detective is an African American who is a member of the police corruption, who is a reprobate with a Cajun accent. His performance as a likeable reprobate is a veneer, covering a plot which revolves around gangland drug wars and police corruption.

How many laws can be broken before it stops being okay? Quaid does a terrific job at playing the developing detective. His portrayal of a man forced to confront deeply held assumptions and question his own integrity is convincing. His transition from a cocky, self-assured and slightly smarmy man-in-control into an unsure man caught in a crisis of conflicting loyalties and beliefs works. Watching this complex performance makes watching the movie worthwhile.

He's backed up by an able cast, doing their Jobs with panache. Barkin gives a solid performance as a woman whose uncompromising principles are in sharp contrast to the heady sensuality of her romance with Quaid. Red Beatty's supporting role as another policeman and father figure to Quaid deserves mention.

Then we find out about Remy's part in "the widows and orphans fund," an organized system of police payoffs and kickbacks. Underneath all that poaching charm, there lurks an acceptance of extortion and corruption. And the central questions of the movie begin to surface. Can anyone ever be just a little corrupt? When do good guys stop being good?

In all, "The Big Easy" will give you a slickly-produced, attention-grabbing, action-packed adventure, with a pretty sexy love story, all accomplished by an opportunity to tackle some genuinely difficult ethical dilemmas.

ChitChat...

ELIZABETH CORNWELL
accent writer

Sylvester Stallone has taken over an entire floor plus 50 rooms in the Sodom (no kids!)-ing Hotel in Israel. He's there getting ready to film "Rambo III" in the Dead Sea area. Susan Dey is preparing a syndicated special on AIDS as well as an AIDS video cassette for parents and teachers. Fox Broadcasting is considering Pla Zadora and Linda Blair for regular roles in their "Women in Prison" drama. Cher and Cherish Martin just lost the starring role in Robert Redford's "Millagro Bean Field War" film. Unfortunately, he didn't hear about his replacement until he was on a plane to New Mexico to begin filming. Producer Keith Barish has begun casting for his movie version of "The Flinstones." Jim Belushi has been chosen to play Fred and Rick Moranis is a good bet to play neighbor Barney Rubble. However, all rumors to the contrary, Vanna White is not being considered to play Wilma. Sean Connery is after the Oscar for his work in "The Untouchables" and has hired publicist firm PMK to help him promote his performance. Delta Burke of "Designing Women" and Gerald McRaney of "Simon and Simon" intend to be married as soon as McRaney's divorce from his second wife is final. The Motion Picture Association of America has threatened to give a film an "X" rating for its language alone. Director David Burton's "Fatt! Rocks," set for an October release, could be the first film ever to be branded "X" solely on the basis of language. Film critic Richard Price ("The Color of Money") about competing nightclub owners. Richard Gere is spending his days in Cedar Rapids, Iowa working on his new movie, "Farm of the Year" for Harvest Films. Although the city council rejected the film company's request to waive its parking tickets, Commissioner of Public Works Floyd Bergen did offer Gere use of one of the city's five helicopters to commute to location shots.

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End of the line for The Smiths

Kris Murphy

These are sad days for The Smiths, Johnny Marr has left the group. You may very well not give a hoot, but for some of us The Smiths are one of the few bastions of sanity left in this mess we call the 1980s. If anything, singer Morrissey's enigmatic, self-mocking ruminations are even more messed up than Johnny Marr are a joy compared to the recycled sludge most "guitar-pop" bands are trying to pass off as songs.

That's the bad news. The good news is that "Girlfriend in a Coma" is one of The Smiths' five best songs ever. The music is the purest kind of pop as British black humor has never been this catchy before. The song is only two minutes long, but you'll find yourself singing "Do you really think she'll pull through?" for days after you first hear it.

The other two songs are pretty typical of The Smiths. "Girlfriend in a Coma" is a cover, it's perfect for Morrissey's hospital whisper delivery of the lyrics. "Girlfriend in a coma. I know it's serious, but you'll find yourself singing 'Do you really think she'll pull through?'" Strings come in for the chorus as in their "There is a Light That Never Goes Out," while Morrissey is yodeling in the background. Does he want her to live? to die? Maybe he thinks it's all a big joke. Whatever the song means, its message to dump everyday life and run off with someone. "I Keep Mine Hidden" was written by Morrissey and Marr and seems to be a commentary on Morrissey's self-professed asexuality. "You force emotions to the fore," he sings, "but not for me, of course I keep mine hidden." Somebody's also doing some mean whistling on this track. Where will Morrissey and his lyrics end up without Marr's great music? Alas, it seems to me that The Smiths are dead. Go find this record and wear black for the next month.

Girls are sad days for The Smiths while maintaining that The Smiths are still a great band and that there was no animosity in the breakup. Rumors have it that both Madonna and Bryan Ferry are auditioning replacement guitarists in August and insists that The Smiths will carry on as a Coma. Madonna? Gulp. Morrissey, for his part, began talking with Marr about potential ventures. Madonna? Gulp. Morrissey, for his part, began talking with Marr about potential ventures. Madonna? Gulp. Morrissey, for his part, began talking with Marr about potential ventures.

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BILLY AND THE BOINGERS:

Redefining Rock 'n' Roll

Mike Naughton

Accent Editor

It's only once in a great while that a band appears on the music scene which is capable of redefining the very concepts of rock 'n' roll. With their current release, Billy and the Boingers, Billy and the Boingers have proven themselves to be such a band.

Formerly known as Death-tongue, the fabulous foursome from Bloom County, USA has literally turned the music industry on its ear. Their explosive debut fuses neo-punk instrumentation with a Tank. Dallas says that "Let's Roll Over Lionel Richie. It's easy for me to write songs. It's hard to write good ones." If Dallas is the brains behind the Boingers, then "Wild Bill" Catt is the soul. An artist of many talents, Catt has pushed the art of head banging into new realms. While many rock legends have died, Catt is the first to have repeated the feat on separate occasions. Despite his multi-fatalities, he still twangs his tongue with the best that rock has to offer.

The unique ambience and tone of the Boingers is the result of lead electric tuba Opus Cinnabus' daring explorations beyond the ordinary strictures of rock 'n' roll. Cinnabus is the pioneer of a new form of heavy metal he calls "weighty brass." Cinnabus is living proof that real penguins do wear make-up. Of course, no band would be complete without a solid rhythm section. Despite some criticism that he is nothing more than a rabid sex idol, master skins-basher Hodge fills his role admirably by laying down one of the nastiest collections of bangs and bums around. The single "I'm a Boinger" is destined to become a classic in its genre but the real gem on the band's release is the flip side "I stink but I love U." This poignant ballad of false appearances and teenage betrayal aptly illustrates the depth of sensitivity and thought that goes into the work of the Boingers. Although Catt screams out, "I hate your polyester pants/And your greasy hair/And that stuff between your braces/And your hairy derriere." As if the music wasn't enough, the Boingers have developed a marketing gimmic which is sure to become a standard for the Eighties. Instead of presenting their single in the traditional album sleeve, they have enclosed it in a book of comics by Berke Breathed. These cartoons, apparently a documentary, trace the story of the band's conception, development and subsequent meteoric rise to stardom.

Look out Europe: the future belongs to Billy and the Boingers.

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Immediately following the Michigan State Pep Rally on Friday night, the band Ispso Facto will play for a dance on the Stetson Center basketball courts.

In exhibit at the Northern Indiana Historical Society is "Under the Golden Dome," a historical exhibit chronicling a century of athletic traditions of Notre Dame varsity sports.

The South Bend Symphony Orchestra opens its 1987-88 season on Sunday at the Grace Methodist Church. The orchestra will perform American Accents by David Stock, Mozart's Clarinet Concerto in A Minor and Le Borgo's Gentilhomme by Richard Strauss. The concert begins at 7:30 p.m.

The U.S. Air Force Tops in Blue performing troops will give a free concert in the JACC tonight at 8 p.m.
Keg politics: survival of the fittest

Mike Naughton
Victor's foot

that the keg ran out, throw your cup away on the grass outside and get arrested for littering?

Yes, friends, this is the essence of the good weekend for a Notre Dame party animal: overcrowded, pandemious, dilapidated house with five hundred other students, pay two dollars for a cheap plastic cup, risk your life fighting to get bad beer, acquire that beer after elbowing people for half an hour, spill on someone, get in line again only to find out

Don't misunderstand me. I'm not advocating alcohol over-consumption, but if you insist on going on an off-campus party you had better be prepared to alter your mood and deaden your senses significantly. If you don't, you won't make it through the night. Now that I have revealed the first secret of off-campus over-bashes--that they make phone booth stuffing seem civilized--I will let you in on another unpleasant reality--it is almost impossible to get drunk at one of these flascons. "Impossible?" you cry. "I am going to a party tonight and I hear that they are having 60 kegs." Ah yes, naive one. They are indeed having 60 kegs. Unfortunately for you they only have one tap for those 60 kegs which means that there will be 700 students trying to drink out of those sixty kegs one at a time. By the time you get your first beer... Assuming that you aren't trampled to death, it will be Monday morning.

Of course, if you do get blitzed you can think that you are having a good time or at least forget about the whole thing through the night. Mo' that I have revealed the unpleasant reality--it is almost impossible to get drunk at one of these flascons. "Impossible?" you cry. "I am going to a party tonight and I hear that they are having 60 kegs." Ah yes, naive one. They are indeed having 60 kegs. Unfortunately for you they only have one tap for those 60 kegs which means that there will be 700 students trying to drink out of those sixty kegs one at a time. By the time you get your first beer, assuming that you aren't trampled to death, it will be Monday morning.

Unless, of course, you listen to the advice of a veteran of the party wars, a Nachiavelli of keg politics--me, your humble narrator.

The only way to approach an off-campus party is to recognize it for what it is: a battle zone. On this field of contest there is no room for the weak, the gentle or the sober. Only the strong will survive: only the ruthless will enjoy themselves. The following strategies will make your mission; getting to the keg, somewhat less perilous:

1. Become the kegmaster: the kegmaster is the student who holds the tap to the keg and determines who gets served; in other words, he or she controls the destinies and B.A.C. of everyone at the party. The kegmaster is essentially a god-like figure, and he knows it. This suppliant offers up continuous chants of "do me up, dude" and "hey, me next, huh?" Though the kegmaster position is tactically superior to any other on the party battlefield. it is the most precarious because anyone who is larger can topple you.

2. If you can't become the kegmaster, befriend him. A kegmaster is a good friend to have so do anything to win him over. Give him money, offer him sexual favors, pretend that you're on the SUB ticket committee, tell him anything.

3. Flirt with the kegmaster. If the kegmaster is a girl, act like a bimbo. If the kegmaster is a guy, act like a football player.

4. Fake a "house beer." House beer is when the student who lives at the house that is being destroyed by the party cuts to the front of the beer line. It's a territorial move, but that doesn't mean that you can't pretend that you are a resident. This strategy is effective but be careful, people tend to get ugly if they catch you lying for beer.

5. Bring your own beer. No don't. It's too tacky, besides everyone will hit on you for one.

6. Arrive at the party three hours early. Things might not be hopping but you'll get a good head start on everyone else.

7. Bring a doberman and pretend that the police have arrived. For more effect yell something to the effect that "the police are here and they brought Sister Mary Rosewater who taught you in first grade morally repugnart, deceitful or these strategies to be too preposterous to mention.

8. Spread a rumour that there is a better party next door. Of course if you find these strategies to be too morally repugnart, deceitful or just downright sneaky you could always go to a movie with a friend or do something normal for a change...naaaaaah.

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Strike seems likely, according to Donlan

Associated Press

NEW YORK - The chief negotiator for NFL owners, calling the latest proposal by the players union "very, very discouraging," said Wednesday that without mediation, a players' strike next week is "a very good possibility."

Jack Donlan, the executive director of the NFL management Council, said at a news conference that the proposal submitted by the players on Tuesday would cost owners $366 million above the figures contained in their proposal. And, he said, that is without taking into account the union's demand for free agency.

He also said he would like to resume negotiations, but only with a mediator or only face-to-face with his union counterpart, Gene Upshaw.

The Management Council also disclosed it has filed with the National Labor Relations Board an unfair labor practice complaint against the union, accusing it of refusing to bargain in good faith. Council officials conceded, however, that the action was little more than a token gesture that could not have any effect before the NFL players Association strike deadline of next Tuesday.

On Tuesday, the NFLPA presented the owners with its latest proposal for settlement of the dispute, in which the union moderated its demand for unrestricted free agency to one that would make players free agents after they had played in the league for four years.

Upshaw, the NFLPA's executive director, called the proposal "a step forward in the areas that we feel can bring a clear and fast conclusion to this collective bargaining process."

But Donlan dismissed it as little more than a variation on the original union proposal, first put on the table April 26.

"A cursory look at the proposal showed that it was little more than a restatement of their opening proposal with a few cosmetic changes," Donlan said. "It was a very, very discouraging proposal. In laymen's terms, it's a cynical thing." In addition, sophomore fullback Anthony Johnson suffered a minor ankle injury against the Wolverines, but will be able to play against the Spartans.

"We paid a big price at Michigan," Holtz said. "But we'll fill the ranks and keep marching. Somebody will come to the forefront until Braxton and Brandy are ready again."

Fifth-year senior Marv Spence will start in place of Wells.

Injuries

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least four weeks with partially-torn knee ligament suffered at Michigan.

Outside linebacker Frank Stam is doubtful for Saturday, and is expected to be out seven to 10 days with a thigh strain he suffered at Michigan.
Sports Briefs

SMC gymnastics will have practice today from 5:30-7:30 p.m. at the Angela Athletic Facility. - The Observer

The Crew Team, men's and women's, varsity and novice will have a mandatory meeting for all members in room 304 O'Shaughnessy, tonight at 7:30 p.m. - The Observer

The J.V. soccer game against Goshen scheduled for tonight has been changed to Saturday, at 10 a.m. on Alumni Field. - The Observer

The Alpine Club will hold an organizational meeting tomorrow at 5 p.m. at 1917 Cleveland Road. Rides will leave the main circle at 5 p.m. and dues should be paid. For more information, call Shawn Foley at 271-0738. - The Observer

The Squash Club deadline for dues is today. Payment will ensure a spot on the ladder as well as other benefits. Remit payment to Philip Lau at 240 Fisher. - The Observer

DeBerry

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her last three years at Homewood-Flossmoor High School in Illinois. She's also qualified to B-Level Olympic Development Field Hockey Camps twice. After her high school senior and college freshman years, she played on two of the four AAU Junior Olympic Field Hockey teams. In 1985, she and fellow Notre Dame teammate Caroline Berezny were on the team that won the AAU Tournament.

In the future, this senior's business major is interested in applying to MBA programs and/or pursuing a career in health related industry. Her interest in applying to MBA programs is stemmed from her business major interests.

In the meantime, DeBerry will continue to contribute to Irish field hockey. She is co-captain this year with goalie M.J. Beetal.

"I'm really enjoying the team this year," DeBerry said. "Everyone's very competitive and this helps to bring out the best player in each of us. Being captain encourages me to stay on the ball. I'd like to improve my passing and be more aware of my surroundings around me. As a team we need more consistency in our play. "I expect as the season goes on that improved teamwork will improve our success. I'd like to see the team have a strong finish. It'd be a great way to end my Notre Dame career."

But for now, Benet DeBerry's sights are on Friday's game. "After two disappointing losses, a victory would really help get us on track and boost morale," she said.

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PITTSBURGH - John Tudor pitched eight hitless innings and Tony Pena's two-run double capped St. Louis' four-run third inning as the Cardinals beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 8-5 Wednesday night. The win kept the Cardinals one and a half games ahead of the New York Mets in the National League East race.

Tudor, 7-2, survived two solo home runs by Mike Diaz and was relieved by Ken Dayley in the eighth inning. Tudor is 5-1 since coming off the disabled list July 30 after breaking a bone in his right knee in April. With the Cardinals leading 2-1, Ozzie Smith walked to lead off the third against Doug Drabek, 8-12, and moved to second one out later on Willie McGee's single. Terry Pendleton's grounder moved up the runners before first baseman Diaz threw wildly to Drabek covering first on John Morris' hard hit ground ball, allowing both runners to score.

Diaz was charged with an error when Drabek was unable to hold his off line throw. Former Pirates' catcher Tony Pena then made it 6-2 with a two-run double to left.

Mets 10, Expos 0

MONTREAL - Lee Dykstra hit a grand slam and Darryl Strawberry added a two-run double to support the three-hit pitching of Dwight Gooden as the New York Mets routed the Montreal Expos 10-0 Wednesday night.

The victory kept the Mets one and a half games behind first place St. Louis in the National League East. The third place Expos fell four games off the pace.

Gooden, 14-6, struck out 11 and walked two as he pitched his sixth complete game, third shutout of the year, and 16th shutout of his career. It was the 35th time in his four-year career that Gooden has struck out 10 or more batters in a game.

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Wednesday's Results

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San Diego 3, Arizona 2

Saturday's Games

St. Louis at Atlanta, 1:10

New York at Philadelphia, 1:10

Chicago at Pittsburgh, 7:05

San Diego at Los Angeles, 5:10

Los Angeles at Houston, 7:10

Montreal at San Francisco, 7:05

Note: The Giants and the Astros are scheduled to play their first game of the three-game series at Candlestick Park Tuesday night.
Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS - The Indianapolis Colts are preparing to get a team of free agents and waiver victims to replace striking players if there is a walkout next week, General Manager Jim Irsay said Wednesday.

"We are hoping to avert a strike, obviously. We're getting prepared for that possibility, though," he said.

"We are offering $1,000 to free agents out there ... in case of a strike to field a team," he said. "It's pretty much just an option that we have the rights to them to play for us this season.

The NFL players Association has set Tuesday as a strike date if the union and management cannot agree on a new contract.

In the meantime, Irsay said the Colts are not having any problems finding prospects for a 45-man replacement roster.

"We've signed a tremendous amount of guys in the last 24 hours," he said, adding that some are players who made it to the final cut during training camp earlier this year.

"The players who were in training camp obviously know the system and can get ready to play quickly. For the obvious reasons, they're the ones we're looking at," he said.
Campus

9:30-11 a.m. Seminar led by John Phillips, a former LIFE photographer will meet all interested students. Second floor photography studio, Riley Hall of Art and Design

4 p.m. Civil engineering seminar series, "Screening Study for On-Site Biological Remediation of Soils Contaminated by Coal-Conversion Residuals and By-Products," by Dr. Asher Brenner, ND. Room 258, Engineering Board Room, Fitzpatrick Hall

6:45 p.m. "No Means No" lecture series, "Children are for Loving, Not Abusing," by Pat Rissmeyer, sponsored by CARE, Stapleton Lounge, SMC

7-9 p.m. Life Film Series: 3-D Night, 7 p.m. "It Came From Outer Space," 9 p.m. "Creature From the Black Lagoon," Annenberg Auditorium

8 p.m. South Bend’s Bicentennial of the Constitution committee presents the Air Force "Tops in Blue," which represents the best entertainers in the Air Force, ACC Basketball Arena, Free

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The Observer
IH soccer begins; Hoobers tough again

BY MARK KOWALSKI
Sports Writer

The men’s interhall soccer season begins Thursday, kicking off what should be an exciting season. In past years, the level of play has been of a very high caliber, as most players were members of their high school teams and some have even played for the Notre Dame varsity team.

Many dorms have fielded several teams this season which comprise the league of 27 squads. The reason for the popularity of the interhall league is that it provides an opportunity to play with other excellent competition without the expenses of travel. All that is necessary to play a varsity sport is a willingness to practice.

It also affords underclassmen, who were not quite good enough to make the varsity team in the fall, an opportunity to keep their skills sharp for spring tryouts, as there is no J.V. program to serve this function.

Each team plays a six-game schedule, using NCAA rules with a few minor modifications. The top two teams in each of the four divisions advance to the playoff round, which will consist of a double elimination tournament starting after October break. Defending champions O.C. Hoobers have several returning starters in addition to some new off campus residents which makes them, according to coach Dave Thompson, a preseason favorite.

Any game against perennial powerhouse Stanford Hall should prove to be quite a challenge for Notre Dame. Mike Gordon, coach of last year’s runner-up, Planner F.C., reports that although they lost a few key starters, the addition of some excellent freshmen and some former members of the varsity squad should make them tough again this year.

DeBerry, ND look to weekend

BY KATIE CRONIN
Sports Writer

The football team isn’t the only varsity sport facing a crucial weekend. Also looking to gather momentum will be the Notre Dame field hockey team as it faces off against Alma College in Michigan this Friday afternoon at 3:30.

The Irish are looking for things to come together in this game. They beat Alma last year, but Coach Jill Lindenfeld was certainly not too confident going into the upcoming game.

“Reggie DeBerry has been an integral part of the women’s field hockey team. Katie Cronin features DeBerry and previews this weekend’s field hockey action at right.”

Contact lens may help Ward see more action

You can’t catch what you can’t see. It’s an old adage and sounds logical enough, but Notre Dame split end Reggie Ward wishes he would have thought of it a couple of weeks ago.

Over the past two weeks, the normally sure-handed senior encountered a problem that receivers shouldn’t take lightly. He could not seem to hold onto the football.

So, last Tuesday, Irish head coach Lou Holtz called Ward into his office and suggested that he get his eyes checked. Ward doesn’t wear glasses and said he has never had problems with his vision. But this time, Ward had a feeling Holtz was right.

“I just wasn’t catching anything,” he explained. “Then, last week, I began to see why. There were times - not on every play - when I would see the ball leave the quarterback’s hand, and then I would lose it for a split-second. The next thing I knew, it was right on top of me.”

The specialist I went to see corrected my right eye, and the chart looked blurry. He said I had slightly impaired depth perception.

“What’s the remedy?” One contact lens, in the left eye, has been wearing the lens since last Thursday.

“The (specialist) said the contact should make my vision in that eye a little better, but told me not to expect any miracles,” Ward said. “What’s kind of strange, though, is how much better I’ve been catching the ball.”

The 5-10, 175-pound senior did not catch a pass and saw limited playing time in this past Saturday’s 26-7 Irish victory over Michigan. The limited playing time, Holtz indicated, was because of Ward’s slump over the previous couple of weeks.

Still, Lindenfeld will depend on senior Benet DeBerry - a complete contrast to Alumna players - to lead the Irish women. DeBerry, a petite 5-4 right link forward, is quick, agile, and ‘very smooth’ according to Lindenfeld. Win or lose, you can be sure that DeBerry will be a strong factor in the game.

“She’s a scoring threat every time she carries the ball,” said Lindenfeld.

In terms of overall offensive and defensive skills, Lindenfeld, Irish head coach for the last three years, considers DeBerry the most talented player she’s ever coached.

“She’s an outstanding player in all aspects of the game. She has skill and confidence,” said Lindenfeld.

Lindenfeld relies on her for both offense and defense in the link position. “She can get back on defense and still be an offensive threat,” added Lindenfeld. “Mainly it’s her stickwork. She keeps the ball on the end of her stick like it was on a string.”

Lindenfeld is not the only one who’s noticed DeBerry’s talent. Aside from being acknowledged as the Outstanding Defensive Player on the Irish team for the past two years, DeBerry has been on the Midwest Regional Team, was selected as the Outstanding Offensive Player by the Irish football team for the past three years, and was appointed to the Midwestern Athletic Conference’s First String Field Hockey Team as the Outstanding Offensive Player.

Honors are not new to DeBerry. She won All-State honors in the separate sport of field hockey.

Holtz is also looking forward to seeing more of DeBerry on Saturday evening against the Spartans.

“Your success catching the ball since (last Thursday) is physical (because of the lens) or psychological because I’m concentrating more, I’m not as sure. But whatever it is, I’m just glad to be out of my slump, and I’m looking forward to helping us beat Michigan State.”

Holtz has every reason to be optimistic about his junior. "You’ll see more of Reggie Ward in the future," he said. "Ray Dumas and Pat Terrell came along very well with the opportunity after they arrived. You’ll see all three of them on Saturday.”

And, with a little help from a contact lens, Ward should not only be seeing more of the field but a lot more of the ball as well.

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Holtz is certainly glad only one more game on the regular schedule will be played on Astroturf. The Irish were hit with some key injuries this past weekend in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Here’s an update: Sophomore fullback Braxton Banks and senior cornerback Brandy Wells will be sidelined for at least the next couple of weeks.

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Thursday, September 17, 1987

IRISH DEFEAT RAMBLERS

Special to The Observer

CHICAGO - Zanette Bennett had 16 kills to lead the Notre Dame volleyball team to a sweep of Loyola, 15-3, 15-9, 15-13. The Irish are now 5-2 on the season.

Notre Dame jumped out in the first game by scoring the first 11 points and cruised to the victory.

Bennett tallied five kills in the second contest and added three blocks and three service aces.

The third game was a roller coaster, with the Irish jumping out to a 6-1 lead early. The Ramblers roared back to score nine straight points.

Notre Dame recovered and took the win on Bennett’s seventh kill of the game.

Kathy Cuningham added five kills and took the win on Bennett’s seventh kill of the game.

The squad next plays in the Eastern Kentucky University Colonel Classic, Friday and Saturday.

The Observer/Greg Krohn

Kathy Baker goes for a kill in recent Notre Dame women’s volleyball action. Results from yesterday’s match against Loyola can be found at right.