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Registration ’90:

DART and other problems

Registration for American Studies classes this Spring wasn’t business as usual for some senior majors who received letters telling them they were being dropped from certain classes.

The letter was sent by Barbara Allen, department chair, and told the seniors in question that the classes “are des­erpate… for other students, both juniors and seniors, trying to complete their major.”

“Accordingly, I have limited each senior who has completed all the requirements to one inside course,” the letter read.

“I discovered that a lot of seniors were taking our classes that had already completed their majors,” Allen said. She sent the letter to assist students who would not be able to register for classes because many had closed by the first day of registration for juniors, she said.

The Office of the Registrar, however, mixed the decision to drop those seniors who had already completed the courses, Allen said. The next option was for Allen to “say to the seniors that the classes are closed on their own, so the juniors could get them.”

Senior Becky Wood was one of the students who would have been dropped from the courses. She had registered for three inside courses, but said she needed only one to complete her graduation requirements. Although Wood was planning to drop one of the classes anyway, she said she was unhappy about being removed from classes.

“By your senior year, that’s when you figure out what you really want to take. You should be able to take what you want,” she said.

The American Studies major is divided into inside and outside courses. Students take six inside courses within the department, and six Outside courses with an American influence in either the English, History, or Government departments. Students choose concentration topics from two of the Outside departments.

The availability of Outside courses for American Studies majors has also posed problems during registration. The department has no space for American Studies majors, according to Allen, in agreeing to open the courses for majors first, then for American Studies minors, and then to the rest of the University.

However, with the pre-registration process within the English department, American Studies may find themselves closed out. “I needed to complete their registration,” said Allen.

Frequent closings of classes within the History and Government departments have also caused schedule problems for American Studies majors.

Some students, like Wood, were not able to register for English or Government classes even as a senior. “I didn’t even attempt to get an English class,” she said.

Wood said that the problem seems to have worsened this year. “I’ve never had a problem before.”

“We never see a major yet who could not graduate,” Allen said. She added that students are often able to use Inside courses that are in the subject matter of the Outside department to count for the concentration. This means that an American Studies class dealing with American literature, for example, could be taken to fulfill English requirements.

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Freshman Jeff Brady calls for peace in the Persian Gulf. Brady was part of a “human billboard” which demonstrated on Grape Road on Saturday. Both ND students and community members participated.

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This is your last chance to in 1990 to...

Finally, the time has come. The beginning of the end is near. The last month of 1990 is upon us and since time runs out on the first of the new century, I felt as if it was my responsibility to the production manager friends and family readers out there to make them aware of our last chance to experience many of the wonderful things that 1990 has to offer. With the help of my own list, I have compiled my list of the top five "Last Chance to... in 1990."

1) This is your last chance to write all of those letters that you promised to write at the beginning of the semester. Remember last August when you were standing there writing those letters that you promised to write at the beginning of the semester the idea of catching up in all of your correspondence for the first born child that you would write every week.

Well, weeks turned into months and many letters were left unread. Well, not exactly, there is still time. If you hurry you can mail a letter in the continental U.S. without having to count off for "Christmas Mail" yet. However, if you are like me and have been neglecting your correspondence writing then, to be blunt, you are screwed. Any overseas mail is now officially "Christmas Mail" and does not count towards your weekly limit. So get out those Christmas cards you didn't send last year.

2) This is your last chance not to do all of the homework that you have not done all semester long. By this time in the semester the idea of catching up in all of your assignments is a distant fantasy. So, decide to sit back, procrastinate, bond with your friends and roommates, but definitely do not pick up a book. All chronic procrastinators be aware that time is growing short and that all of the quality slothing of 1990 must be done soon.

3) This is your last chance to enjoy the ever increasing "Circus Lunch" offered once again by the University Food Services. Do not miss this opportunity while you have it. 1990 does not look as if it will prove to be the stellar "Theme Dining" experience that 1990 was. What goes better with snow and freezing cold winds than cotton candy, peanuts, popcorn and lemonade?

4) And of course, your last chance to do laundry in 1990 is quickly approaching. Save up all of those dirty socks, underwear and any other clothes that could walk by themselves because you have worn them into the ground.

A truly satisfying laundry experience can not be had out of one load of laundry—you must save your dirty clothes until they entirely cover the floor of your room after overflowing from your laundry basket. When you and your roommate can no longer stand it or when you have finally worn the very worst pair of underwear that residues way, you will have to wear your underwear drawer, then the time has come.

Well, I lied I don't have a top five list, it is only a top four list, but that's OK I’ve run out of space anyway.

Applications for inter-hall moves will be accepted by the Office of Student Residences form December 3 to December 7. No requests received after 5 p.m. December 7 will be honored. If the necessary forms have been completed and returned by 5 p.m. December 7, changes will be made during the Christmas break.

Forms will be available at 8 a.m., December 3 in the Office of Student Residences, 311 Administration Bldg.

Usurers are needed for all performances of the "Be A Message Day" for Precycling Week. Wear a crazy outfit that expresses an energy saving idea.

Gulf Crisis Action Group will hold a general organizational meeting Tues. Dec 4 at 12:30 p.m. at the CSC. Everyone welcome.

Mick Jagger's recent wedding to longtime girlfriend Jerry Hall was illegal and merely imitated parts of a traditional Balinese wedding ceremony. "It's a Hindu leader in Bali. I Wayan Surma, chairman of the Indonesian Hinduism Association in Bali's capital of Denpasar, said Jagger has not yet met conditions to be a follower of Hinduism."

Aaron Copland, the pioneering composer who used folk songs and jazz in writing plain spoken classics such as "Appalachian Spring," "Rodeo," and "Billy the Kid," died at age 90 in his home, Southampton, N.Y. Admired by colleagues as the "dean of American music," Copland was a major force in gaining international recognition for the nation's 20th century composers. His honors included a Pulitzer Prize, a Presidential Medal of Freedom, the Guggenheim Foundation's first music fellowship and an Oscar. "He was the composer who would lead American music out of the wilderness," said the late Leonard Bernstein wrote in High Fidelity magazine for the occasion of Copland's 70th birthday.

Weather
Forecast for noon, Monday, Dec. 3

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INDIANA

The United States must quickly join other nations in extending food export credits to the Soviet Union or risk losing vital grain markets, Sen. Richard G. Lugar says. Lugar said Soviet Russia is required to buy about 1.5 million metric tons of U.S. wheat and 600,000 metric tons of U.S. corn required to buy about 1.2 million metric tons of wheat from the Soviet Union or risk losing vital grain markets, but the United States has refused to extend credits, but the United States has refused to extend credits.

A group of villagers clashed with government troops in western Guatemala on Sunday. The government said 30 civilians were killed, but an independent report also said 71 were wounded in the clash in Santiago Atitlan. The village of Santiago Atitlan "revolted" Sunday for reasons that have not been established yet and attacked the police station and a local army post.

Two sweethearts have married in Decatur, Ill. after mending a disagreement that had separated them for almost 70 years. Charles Jones and Thelma Colvin dated as teenagers in the 1920s, but a split in the street party in Springfield ended their romance — temporarily. Jones broke off a two-year relationship with Colvin after seeing her strolling with another man, despite his protests of innocence. When they met again last fall, both widowed, Jones said he had grown to love the woman and despite no longer mattered. They got married Thursday in Decatur's Macon County Courthouse. "I just happened to meet a chum I had known in school while I was out that evening," she said. "There was nothing in it, but Charles didn't believe me."
MARKED TREE, Ark. (AP) — The earth stood still Sunday, as usual. The only thing moving was the stream of jumpy resi-
dents fleeing in fear of an earthquake.

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Brownings projected a 50-
percent chance of a major tem-
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As measured by the Richter scale. The Richter scale is a gauge

American aid reaches Moscow

MOSCOW (AP) — To the So-
viet people from the people of
the United States — with love," read
the banners on 40 tons of

It was the first of many

The Soviet Union's chronic
shortages of food and medical
have worsened dramatically
this winter. Consumers must
wait in long lines — often for as
long as three hours — for basics
such as butter. Sometimes, pacthing and shoving
breaks out over a scarce item.

The shortages are caused in
part by the country's transition
from a centralized planning
system to a free market, which

Food crisis. The Chinese have been using
that method to anticipate
earthquakes for more than
1,000 years, Gullick said.

what with some people
suddenly out of town and others
afraid to leave their homes.

The same concern has closed
schools in parts of Tennessee,
Arkansas, Missouri, Kentucky
and Illinois for a few days early
this week.

"If we notice any exceptional
behavior, we will not hold
school," said Superintendent
Bill Gullick of the county's Marissa
Community Unit School District 40.

The Richter scale is a gauge
of the energy released by
an earthquake, as measured by
ground motion recorded on a
seismograph.
In his isolated cell at Attica, Chapman explained his motives.

"I'm not an evil person," he said. "Like everybody, there's a small part within me that's evil, and that's what took over in my mind. My energies turned foul and went toward something destructive."

Chapman said he suffered years of mental deterioration before killing Lennon. "Little people would speak to him, giving him advice on how to run his life," he said.

Chapman said he first got the idea for killing Lennon when he came across a Beatles picture book in a Honolulu library.

"I was looking for a way to vent all the disappointment, my anger, my rage," he said. "A complete failure in my own eyes. And I came across the book. I opened the book and I saw him — put yourself where I was — I saw him on the roof of the gabled, luxurious Dakota apartment. And I became hurt," he said.

That DART has forced the department to speed up the hiring process. Because professors must decide what they will teach, and to do so, the professors must be a part of the department by the second week of the semester, the department is forced to hire professors more quickly than otherwise.

DART has also disrupted the advising system that is inherently a part of the department. Enraged at what I perceived to be his phoniness, Chapman was lying in wait for Lennon outside the Dakota, a famous apartment building in New York City, Dec. 8, 1980, when the musician and his wife, Yoko Ono, were coming home from a late-night recording session.

"When his limousine pulled up, he got out and he looked at me. I'm sure he remembered me," said Chapman, who entered according to Allen. "We used to assign majors to individual advisors," who would assist students in planning their schedules, she said.

Sending the PIN numbers to the departments has "broken this down," Allen said, and students may simply bypass their advisors completely.

Stephen said that the limited class offerings is what really hurts the department. Internships and special studies aside, there were a total of 256 spaces originally allotted in the DART book for American Studies classes this Spring for the approximately 175 majors, all of whom need at least six classes within the department to graduate.

"They need more classes," she said. "Here we are, second semester of my senior year, and I'm counting my blessings that I'm graduating."
Misses tested as Saddam sees ‘50-50’ chance of war

Muhammad Ali flies with fifteen Americans out of Iraq

(AP) Saddam Hussein’s armies rattled nerves around the Persian Gulf Sunday with the first test of surface-to-surface missiles since the invasion of Kuwait. The Iraqi president said the chances of war in the region stood at “fifty-fifty.”

In Washington, Secretary of State James Baker III said the United States would not attack Iraq — provided Iraqi troops are withdrawn from Kuwait and foreign hostages are freed.

Iraq, which has been sporadically releasing captives, let more go Sunday. Fifteen freed Americans flew out of Iraq with former world heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali, who secured their release in talks with Saddam.

A spokesman for the boxer said he planned to return to Baghdad at Christmas to try to bring out more of the hundreds of remaining captives, who were stranded when Iraq invaded small, oil-rich Kuwait on Aug. 2.

Iraq, meanwhile, told the Soviet Union that it could lose its influence in the Arab world if it sent troops to the Persian Gulf. That was apparently in response to a warning from Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard Shevardnadze, who said last week Moscow would send in soldiers if Soviet citizens trapped in Iraq were harmed.

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The missiles were fired — and landed — in Iraqi territory, U.S. military officials in Saudi Arabia said in a statement.

The officials refused to say how the missiles were detected, but they were apparently monitored either by U.S. spy satellites or AWACS airborne early-warning radar planes, which are on patrol 24 hours a day.

The military statement did not say what kind of missiles were involved, but Defense Secretary Dick Cheney, interviewed in Washington by ABC-TV, said they were SCUD missiles “or SCUD variants.” He said it was the first such firing since April.

Cheney said Saddam has used the missiles, which have a range of 350 to 400 miles, with conventional warheads in the past. But he said a SCUD “could conceivably carry chemical weapons.”

The Iraqi test-firing came at a time of already heightened tensions. The forces in Saudi Arabia were reported to have been put on “yellow alert” — one category below full combat alert — last week after the U.N. Security Council approved a resolution authorizing use of force against Iraq if it does not withdraw from Kuwait by Jan. 15.

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Pickets get violent in N.Y. Daily News strike

NEW YORK (AP) — The Daily News strike again was visited by violence Sunday when pickets threw firecrackers and grew rowdy and a striker assaulted a newspaper hawk, resulting in arrests, police said. Police also charged two News replacement drivers with illegal gun possession and said they found an unused pipe bomb near a News printing plant.

The unit, 6-inch pipe bomb was found near a truck lot at the News' Brooklyn plant. Nearby were two unexploded, M-80 firecrackers taped to boxes of nails. Police had gone there to investigate some explosions, apparently caused by firecrackers, a police spokesman said.

The News said that 200 pickets were throwing cherry bombs and M-80 firecrackers early Sunday. The firecrackers were tossed into a secluded area, police said, and no one was arrested for that. But police spokesman Sgt. Peter Sweeney said that officer was subsequently arrested for striking a police officer with a bottle and four pickets were arrested for disorderly conduct because they were "loud and boisterous."

In an unrelated incident, police said two News replacement drivers were charged with weapon possession after a loaded.25-caliber pistol was found in the front seat of their truck early Sunday.

Police discovered the weapon when summoned to an accident scene.

"The danger our drivers face on the streets is real as the union-perpetrated violence continues," News spokesman John Sloan said. "But the Daily News does not condone the possession of weapons or the use of force."

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Free AIDS tests offered to patients of afflicted doctor

BALTIMORE (AP) — Johns Hopkins Hospital is offering free AIDS tests to about 1,800 patients operated on by a surgeon who died of AIDS two weeks ago, according to a published report.

Dr. Ralph Almaraz died Nov. 16 at age 41. His family refused to confirm that Almaraz died of AIDS but the family's lawyer, Marvin Ellin, told The Baltimore Sun: "He had AIDS, and he died of AIDS."

Ellin said Almaraz told him he was exposed to AIDS when blood from an AIDS patient squirted into his eyes and mouth during an operation in New York about seven years ago while Almaraz was on a fellowship at the Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center.

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Japanese journalist travels into space

TOKYO (AP) — Japan watched with pride Sunday as the first Japanese — and the first journalist of any nationality — traveled into space as a paying passenger aboard a Soviet rocket.

Television reporter Toyohiro Akiyama's company, TBS, paid $12 million for his ticket to ride. It is spending about $37 million altogether on the project. In the streets of Tokyo, Japanese clustered around television sets the company had placed at strategic locations to view the fiery launch that took place on steppes of Soviet Central Asia.

"It is like a dream," said a middle-aged man, watching.

With single-minded determination — and a huge infusion of cash — the company assigned 270 staffers to the story, 170 in the Soviet Union and 100 in Tokyo. Many employees wear badges reading "Earth we love" — the project's slogan.

Although much of TBS' coverage of Akiyama's trip will be exclusive, other stations were being supplied with footage for news purposes.

Food shortages and high prices in Iraq, say foreigners

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Filipinos who arrived from Iraq and Kuwait on Sunday said Iraqi soldiers are looting grocery stores and homes, and even scavenging for scraps from departing foreigners.

They also told of long lines for food and sky-high food prices. They said food prices in Baghdad had jumped ten-fold because of the United Nations sanctions imposed following Iraq's Aug. 2 invasion of Kuwait.

Some of the 417 Filipinos, who arrived in Manila on a flight from Basra, Iraq, also said Iraqi soldiers were still looting groceries and homes in occupied Kuwait.

"There's so much hunger there," Lorenza Panaranda, 30, said of conditions in Basra, Iraq's second largest city. "When we threw away our leftovers, about 10 Iraqis scrambled over our leftovers in the trash can at the airport. We left whatever food we had with them."

Gregorio Neri, an Arabic-speaking mechanic who acted as interpreter for the group in Iraq, said consumers in Basra stand in line for up to four hours to buy a single loaf of bread.

"The life of the Iraqis now is hard," he said. "Filipino lives may be difficult, but theirs is miserable. I would never change places."

Willie Leola said that when his group, which included five infants, cleared customs at Basra airport, customs guards asked for their leftover baby formula.

The Filipinos arrived aboard an Iraqi Airways jet on a flight paid for by the International Organization of Migration. An estimated 90,000 Filipinos were working in Kuwait and Iraq before the Iraqi invasion. Miss Panaranda, who had worked as a sales clerk in Kuwait, said she went to Baghdad last month and then to Basra for the flight. She said shoppers waited for hours to buy limited supplies of food in Baghdad.

"There were queues for food all over," she said. "Instead of rice, they eat gruel made of corn."
Bonn, Germany (AP) — Chancellor Helmut Kohl's center-right coalition on Sunday easily won the first free all-German elections since 1932, buoyed by his popularity as the man who crafted swift unification.

The balloting capped a breathtaking transformation that began with a revolt last year against East Germany's Communist government and led to the merging of East and West Germany on Oct. 3.

East Germany's former ruling Communist Party, now called the Party for Democratic Socialism, won some seats in the new German Parliament, but lost much of the support it had earlier this year.

In perhaps the biggest surprise, the Greens environmental party of former West Germany, Europe's best-parliament, its sister party in eastern Germany all their seats. Only the Greens' known ecology movement, lost at his Christian Democrat party prize, the Greens earlier this year.

The Greens' sister branch in former East Germany won about 6 percent of the vote, said ARD. Under one-time special election laws, small parties in former East Germany cannot enter Parliament by chalking up at least 5 percent on their home turf.

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"There were official events which gave the stage to the government and gave the opposition difficulties in articulating its program," he said.

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Poland's leader backs rival Walesa

WARSAW, Poland (AP) — Prime Minister Tadeusz Mazowiecki on Sunday urged support for his failed presidential bid to vote for Lech Walesa, but called for creation of a new political party to oppose the Solidarity leader in the future.

"In the face of the irresponsibility that may endanger Poland and everything we have been struggling for 10 years, we should cast our ballots in favor of Mr. Walesa," said Mazowiecki at the founding of the new Union of Polish Democracy.

The prime minister referred to the campaign of Stanislaw Tyminski, the wealthy emigre who came from obscurity to reach the presidential runoff election on Sunday, Dec. 9.

"This does not mean an agreement with his vision of democracy in Poland and his style of action," Mazowiecki said of Walesa.

Mazowiecki was an advisor of Walesa's for nine years until becoming the East Bloc's first non-Communist prime minister in August 1989. Mazowiecki has said he will leave office when the new president is chosen.

Despite his third-place showing in the first round of the presidential elections Nov. 25, the prime minister received a hero's welcome from about 1,000 supporters at Warsaw University on Sunday.

He was cheered for five minutes in the crowded hall when he appeared, and frequently was interrupted by applause as he spoke to the audience that included members of his election campaign committees.

"We didn't win," Mazowiecki said. "But our rationales exist and are deeply rooted in the society. Our most important task today is to keep together those millions of friends and to create a political formation. I am convinced that we will ... be a key element on the Polish political scene."

The party later was officially founded by acclamation by members of Mazowiecki's campaign committees, and representatives of two other pro-Mazowiecki groups present: the Citizens Movement for Democratic Action and the Forum of the Democratic Right.

Meanwhile, Walesa adviser Edziof Wagd, addressing a conference of local Citizens Committees, criticized Mazowiecki's camp for having denigrated the Solidarity leader as "unpredictable and unanswerable" in the first round.

In other political developments, Walesa remained in Warsaw after a Saturday evening news conference with Tyminski and planned to attend the funeral of a Roman Catholic bishop. Tyminski scheduled an evening rally in the northeastern city of Bydgoszcz.

Earlier, Tyminski went to the 10th anniversary gathering of the Communist-backed Union of Rural Youth in Warsaw. Among guests at the gathering was Waldemar Swigon, a former Central Committee secretary and leader of the main Communist youth organizations in the late 1970s and 1980s, the official PAP news agency reported.

Tyminski has been criticized for ties to the former Communist elite in Poland. Walesa has termed his candidacy an attempt "counter-revolution," but Tyminski says he accepts support from various quarters.

Deck the halls

Scott Chando, Peter Rausch and Mike Morelli voyage to Gilligan's Island. The residents of Planner Hall were preparing and decorating for their hall's annual Christmas formal.

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States brace for recession

Survey shows hiring plans reaching recession depths

Stock and bond prices climbed steeply and oil prices slumped Thursday as President Bush led the response to his pledge of a peaceful end to the Iraqi stalemate. Oil plunged more than $3 a barrel as consumers celebrated one day after another, the wake of President Bush's offer to seek a diplomatic solution to the Persian Gulf crisis. The Dow Jones industrial average jumped 40.84 to close at 2,509.97. Its 32-day streak was the longest since October 1989.

The economic forecasting gauge of the government repeatedly signaled the likelihood of a recession that most economists believe already has begun. The Commerce Department said Friday that in the second quarter, the GDP grew at an annual rate of 0.7 percent, its lowest level in six years.

"We don't think we have swollen the economy, but the economy is facing serious problems," said Mark Zandi, chief economist at Utah National Bank, which tracks the economic forecast. "I think the economy is in a recession."

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ALBANY, N.Y. (AP) — Layoffs of state workers are expected to number in the thousands, analysts expect.

"The state is very contagious," said New York State Comptroller Thomas F. Corbett, Jr., who recently requested the state's workforce to reduce by about 10 percent. "I don't think we have swollen the economy, but the economy is facing serious problems," said Mark Zandi, chief economist at Utah National Bank, which tracks the economic forecast. "I think the economy is in a recession."

Another tax hike

Service station manager Phil Kingsmith posts a sign notifying customers that there will be a nickel increase in the federal gasoline tax. The 14.1 cents-per-gallon tax went into effect Saturday, Dec. 1.

The British economy: Did Thatcher make a difference?

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Study abroad provides new experiences

By Tim Probst

On a wintry South Bend afternoon last year, I decided to join Notre Dame's Innsbruck Program and live in the Alps for my junior year. It was an irrational decision, based solely upon my fascination with skiing, and it was the best decision I've ever made.

In three months in Austria I've done more than in three years of living on and off campus. Last year at ND I lived in a dorm, ate in a cafeteria, and drank the world's finest beer. In Salzburg, I walked the streets of the city between the blue Danube and the Romanesque University, and I ended up at the greatest beer house, the home of the world's finest beers.

By Robin Wiliams

After Salzburg, we had two weeks of vacations. Some of our group went to Amsterdam, London or Prague. I explored Germany with a 16 day student group over here is very tight-knit, and you'll find friends everywhere. In Innsbruck we are a little older, have families, and are less likely to party, but I've still gotten to know them as people more than at ND because classes are almost always small. It's like attending a much smaller college where everyone knows each other. If you find the "ND family" only partly true and partly an advertising gimmick, you'll find the Innsbruck Program much closer to the real thing.

Language: To be accepted to the Innsbruck Program, most of us had to take an intensive German course. It was 50 minutes a day, five days a week, all year. It was also friendly, since we all wanted to know each other before we went overseas together, and not especially difficult. Most students have to take a language anyway, and taking this class is very little sacrifice for the rewards you gain in Europe.

FULL-FILLING REQUIREMENTS: A real problem for engineering and pre-professional majors. No problem for most others.

RESUME: Studies abroad impress employers. Also, reunited Germany is fast becoming the world's economic superpower, which puts an even greater premium on knowledge of the German language.

Is it really education-al? It is an unwritten policy that classes abroad should be somewhat less demanding than those on the home campus. This is to allow students more time to explore the culture, which is the whole point of studying abroad.

Does this mean the quality of education is lowered here? Not at all. Four of my classmates—Economics German, Art History, and Literature—have under 20 students in them. Econ is great, I believe it or not. It's them the European Economic Community, and it's taught mostly on Deutsch. The entire class consists of four Notre Dame students, and we have 2 profs. Not a bad ratio.

Classroom learning here is every bit as good as at Notre Dame's home campus. Education here is far better. Living in a different culture means much more than looking at old buildings and eating and drinking differently. It means a new awareness of the world.

In "Dead Poets Society," Robin Williams advocates standing on a chair in order to gain a new perspective on something that is already familiar. This is exactly what study abroad does. Reality appears differently depending upon the cultural tint through which it is viewed. Understanding various cultures enables one to distinguish exactly what is real and what is biased or tinted. Sometimes this is called wisdom.

Immersion in a new culture allows one to understand the self. Away from the American environment, it is easier to identify and question those parts of myself that were created by that environment. Study abroad helps one to understand one's self. This is sometimes called marginality.

Of course, I don't really believe that anyone ever becomes completely mature or completely wise, but study abroad helps toward both. That is often called education.

Another student here once observed that no liberal education is complete without study abroad. It's true. I stumbled upon this program, and it has been wholly rewarding. And the ski areas haven't even opened yet.

Tim Probst is a junior in the College of Arts and Letters.

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

'It pays to know there is just as much future as there is past. The only thing that doesn't pay to be sure of man's own part in it.'

Loren Eiseley

-Archeologist
Frank Cantero and Mike Sullivan are freshmen. They like "older women" and go to bars. They also consider the transition from high school to college "difficult." 

"Sound typical for freshmen?" Well they are typical—except for one fact: Cantero is 24 years old, Sullivan is 22.

Cantero and Sullivan are members of a small group of Notre Dame freshmen who start their freshman year later than usual. Instead of going directly to college, both freshmen tried different jobs before finally enlisting in the United States Navy.

Coincidentally, while in the Navy, both Cantero and Sullivan received Naval Reserve Officer's Training Corps (NROTC) scholarships. These scholarships brought Sullivan and Cantero to Notre Dame.

For Cantero, a 1984 high school graduate, the transition to college has been rough. "Unlike Mike (Sullivan), I came right from the fold. Sometimes I'll be in class and the prof will say, "Oh, well, you remember this from high school." I feel like raising my hand and saying, "Wait. I don't even remember that stuff in high school.""

Sullivan, on the other hand, has high school a little fresher in his mind. A 1985 high school graduate, he also participated in the BOOST program last year. BOOSS is a one-year high school refresher program for enlisted men.

"It's basically a one-year review of everything you need to know to get into Notre Dame," he says.

While it has been hard for other people to accept their age, "(People) don't seem to believe me when I say my age," says Cantero, the two have had little difficulty adjusting to the age differences, primarily because they live together.

Notre Dame requires that all freshmen live on campus, and older students are no exception. Sullivan and Cantero live in a basement room of Morrissey Hall. The room measures about 8' wide by 12' deep and has an 8' ceiling. While most ND students would call it a shoe box, Sullivan and Cantero consider it quite comfortable.

"When I first walked into the room and saw it, I thought 'Wow, this is great,'" says Cantero. Considering that on the Miami he lived in a space with roughly the area of a bunk bed, the room is no much different.

"As for maturity, there is a difference. We are far, far less mature than the rest of the freshmen," John Sullivan.

Like the rest of the residence halls, Morrissey tries to foster a spirit of unity and camaraderie among its residents. Sullivan and Cantero are no strangers to camaraderie.

"There's a lot of camaraderie on a submarine," says Cantero. "But I can feel camaraderie here in Morrissey, too." Added Sullivan with a smile, "We're not out at sea in Morrissey. I'll see about as much camaraderie here in Morrissey.

"What happens when someone who has lived in the 'real world' comes to Notre Dame and tries to live under its rules and regulations? At least for Sullivan and Cantero, there's not much of a problem.

"After being in the Navy, it's a lot easier to accept discipline," says Cantero.

"In the Navy, there are some places where they're stricter with women and alcohol," says Sullivan.

"Here, the regulations are geared toward moral and ethical development," Cantero says. "In the Navy, it's more geared toward your professional development."

This discipline is also reflected in the rigid class requirements. As part of the curriculum of the freshmen Year of Studies, all freshmen must take basic core courses, including Freshman Seminar. This has proven to be a tricky situation for the two freshmen.

"I think the course is designed for people who are looking for direction in their lives. After living out in the real world, I have a different perspective on things and I tend to give a different opinion on things," says Sullivan.

Cantero has had similar experiences. "Sometimes when I speak in class, people tend to give me more attention. They look at me kind of different."

And that they should. In their jobs with the Navy, Sullivan and Cantero were responsible for making sure a billion-ton nuclear submarine doesn't crash, a responsibility that few other freshmen have experienced.

"It's a great job," says Sullivan of his maritime position. "You see, or hear rather, a different side of the ocean. It's incredible to hear things like whales and dolphins swimming right next to the ship."

"You're really the eyes of the boat," says Cantero. "Or maybe I should say the 'ears' of the boat." According to Sullivan, their job was similar to the character of "Jones" in the film, "The Right Stuff." While the film portrayed the job "pretty accurately," it was a lot harder in real life, according to Sullivan.

"In the movie, 'Jonesie' would just feed information into the computer and say 'You're going to die,'" says Sullivan. "I'll be in class and the prof will say, 'Wow, this is great.'"

Sullivan and Cantero to Notre Dame.

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"And if you have any experience on the class of ship you're hearing, you can tell exactly which ship it is," says Cantero.

"It's been said that you could line six ships up and look at them and not be able to tell the difference. When you're listening to six different ships, you can tell the difference," added Sullivan.

By looking at Sullivan and Cantero, it is hard to tell them from your traditional freshmen. However, if you listen carefully, you can see that these two freshmen are definitely sailing with full sails.

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Freshmen Frank Cantero (front left) and Mike Sullivan (front right) manage to squeeze fourteen friends into their Morrissey Hall room.
The Observer

DALLAS BEATS NEW ORLEANS 17-13, GIVES SF DIVISION

(AP) - The two-time defending Super Bowl champions, the San Francisco 49ers captured the NFC West when New Orleans won the division by a 17-13 by a 16-12 victory. The 49ers, like the Giants, at 10-1, meet New York in the Monday night game.

Washington's convincing 42-28 win over Philadelphia with Buffalo's exciting 30-23 decision over Philadelphia gave the Bills a one-game lead in the AFC East. Buffalo also has the advantage of playing at home against the Dolphins on Dec. 23.

The Bengals took a one-game edge over the Steelers and Oilers in the AFC Central with a 16-12 victory. Houston lost 13-10 at Seattle on Norm Johnson's 42-yard field goal in overtime.

Kansas City handed New England a club-record 10th straight loss, 37-7, to stay atop the league, tied with the Bills, who beat Denver 23-20.

In the NFC, Chicago avenged a season earlier the loss allowing six in a row, beating Detroit 23-17 in overtime on Norman Anderson's 50-yard TD pass with 24 seconds left in the third quarter. The Bears (10-2) needed a victory over the Green Bay Sunday night to clinch the Central crown.

In other games, Phoenix rallied past Indianapolis 26-17; San Diego routed the Jets 38-17, the Rams beat Cleveland 38-23; and Tampa Bay took Atlanta 23-17.

**Cowboys 17, Saints 13**

Not only did Dallas do so, the Cowboys (6-2) stayed alive in the wild-card race as they head into Sunday's crucial season finale. The victory was sweet revenge for a 28-19 loss to New Orleans last season in Jimmy Johnson's NFL coaching debut. It was the first back-to- back home victories for Dallas since 1985.

**Bills, Oilers 23-17**

At Buffalo, the Bills (10-2) surged to a 24-0 first-quarter lead, then held on. Buffalo, which had six sacks, got three TD passes from Jim Kelly and field goals from Scott Norwood.

Philadelphia, helped by a sensational 95-yard punt return by Randall Cunningham to Bert Emanuel, climbed back to 23-10 in the third quarter. But an ill-advised handoff after an interception was recovered by Buffalo and killed the Eagles (7-5).

"We're an opportunistic defense," said one Wilkinson columnist. Joyner said of the Eagles (7-5). "We live by the sword and we die by the sword. Today, it didn't work for us."

James Lofton, who had five receptions for 174 yards, including a 63-yard score on the second play from scrimmage, moved into third place on the all-time receiving yardage list with 9199 yards, passing Don Maynard.

Kelly completed 19 of 32 passes for 334 yards, his first 300-yard passing day of the season.

**Bengals 16, Steelers 12**

In denying Steelers coach Chuck Noll his 200th regular season win, the Bengals defeated the Steelers for the sixth straight time. Pittsburgh drove to the Bengals' 7 in the final minute, and Brian Boshir threw four straight incompletions in the end zone.

The biggest play of the game for Cincinnati's defense came when it sacked Bricer in the end zone for a second-quarter safety. It was the fourth of the game for the Bengals (7-3) drove 63 yards in 12 plays over the next 7:01 after the famous Bengals' 7-yard touchdown run gave them a 16-16 halftime lead. Gary Anderson kicked a 47-yard field goal for Pittsburg (6-6).

Seahawks 13, Oilers 10, OT

At Seattle, the Seahawks continued their 1990 tradition of last-second thrillers. The Seahawks have won three of their four games decided by a field goal, including two straight on field goals by Johnson.

This time, he lifted the sur- prising Seahawk to 6-6 and into wild-card contention. The field goal was the 19th of the season for Bernard Fouts fumbled at the Houston 27 yard line by Toad Woods. Dave Wyman recovered, John L. Williams ran twice and Johnson connected.

Warren Moon had a string of four consecutive fourth-quarter passing games broken. He completed 24 of 38 passes for 232 yards.

**Chiefs, Patriots 7-6**

At Foxboro, the Chiefs broke it open early as Steve DeBerg threw for 312 yards and two touchdowns in the first half. Kansas City (6-4) scored on its first five possessions and Albert Lewis blocked his fourth punt of the year, giving the Chiefs an AFC record-tying 10th overtime.

DeBerg, who has a 90-yard TD pass this year, connected with Stephon Paige for an 84- yard TD on the second play from 112 yards as the Chiefs piled up 417 yards, including scoring drives of 86, 70, 50 and 40 against New England (1-11).

Even though Derrick Thomas, the NFL's top sacker, did not record his 24th sack of the season, the Chiefs were six quarterback traps before 26,280, the smallest crowd in the league this season.

**Raiders, Broncos 23-0**

At Denver, the Raiders kept their share of the AFC West lead as Bo Jackson ran for season-high 217 yards and 62 yards and had 117 yards overall.

Denver (3-9) absorbed its fifth straight setback and eighth in nine games. But the Broncos made it a game. John Elway directed an 80-yard scoring pass in 2:49, but the Raiders recovered the ball on their 1-15 yard line and scored the first touchdown in the first. Michael Young on an 8-yard passing score with 1:25 left in the first half. Elway missed a 25-yard field goal with seven seconds left, but a high snap forced Treadwell to hurry the kick and Scott Davis deflected it.

Redskins 42, Dolphins 20

Washington demolished the league's top-rated defense, with Earnest Byner rushing for 157 yards and three touchdowns. The Dolphins, who were allowing 8.7 yards per play, gave up 476 yards overall and seven touchdowns in the last five weeks combined.

Art Monk led the passing as sault with 10 receptions for 92 yards and two touchdowns. The Redskins (7-5) improved their chances for a wild-card playoff berth by beating Miami in 41-3 and the last five weeks combined.

"We have to come out and play like this every week," Byner said. "We can't wait for someone else to kick in our back."
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HEISMAN TROPHY
**SMC swimmers place 11th at Catholic meet**

BY CHRIS RACON
Saint Mary's Sports Editor

Facing perhaps the strongest competition of the season, the Saint Mary's swim team placed 11th in the Fourth Annual National Catholics Swimming and Diving Championship Meet hosted by Notre Dame.

The Belles, seeing tough competition from schools like Boston College and the Irish, had captured two places in the individual events. Junior All-American Diver Carrie Cummins placed 8th in the 3m and 6th in the 1m events.

"I dove a lot stronger in the finals because after you make finals you've got a lot more relaxed," said Cummins. "I was just happy to make it to the finals. Anything else was just an added bonus."

"I thought Carrie did well," added Belles head coach Dennis Cooper. "She's dove well at other places, but she never dove well at Notre Dame in the past. She broke out of that."

Sophomore Bethany Thompson qualified for the consolation round for the 1650 individual and placed 16th. Other good performances for the Belles were the 400 medley relay team of Thompson, sophomores Jenny Danahy, Chris Smiggen and freshman Jennifer Gudaitis.

"I thought it was an exciting match to be at and the exposure to fast teams was good for the girls," coach Cooper said.

**Mercyhurst**

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not necessarily rough," the Irish coach continued. "We need all of our players on the ice.

The Irish controlled the game from the opening face-off, opening a two-goal lead in the first period on goals by Sterling Flatt and David Bankoske.

Notre Dame made the most of its opportunities throughout the game, scoring most of its goals on miscues by Mercyhurst. The first three scores for the Irish came on power plays, with Lou Zadra adding the third goal at the 7:42 mark of the second period.

Zadra also scored the fourth goal, making a brilliant play to score. The Laker goalie had come far out of the net to knock away an Irish attempt to ice the puck, with Zadra also in hot pursuit of the puck.

Mercyhurst's goaltender knocked the puck into the air, but not far enough away. Zadra reached into the air with his hand, caught the puck, and shot it into the net before the goalie could get back.

Curtis Janicek and David Bankoske also added goals for the Irish in the second period, Bankoske's short-handed.

Freshman goalie Greg Louder played well for the Irish, stopping 20 shots in just two periods of action.

"He's solid," said Schafer of his netminder. "We need a goalie here to be a real leader to keep him to cover up our mistakes."

Friday night, the Irish looked almost schizophrenic. After playing well in the first period, taking a 2-0 lead into the locker-room at the intermission, they struggled mightily in the second period. Then they came out like gangbusters for the third period to take home a 7-3 victory.

"We went from sharp, creative, and disciplined to a little bit of a janky attitude after failing to gain a two-goal lead," said Coach Ric Schafer. "I don't want those wide swings of play."

The Irish scored their first-period goals on a two-on-one break with Mike O'Brien converting, and after David Bankoske wound through several defenders to deposit the puck in the net to make it 2-0. The Lakers made things interesting in the second period, though. Scott Burfoot and Troy Winch both scored to knot the game at two apiece, before Eric Gregore put the Irish ahead for good with a goal two minutes before the second intermission.

The Irish got four goals in the third period, before Scott Burfoot closed out the scoring by adding a Mercyhurst goal to make the final 7-3.

Coach Ric Schafer singled out Tom Miniscule, who had four assists in the game and two assists, as having a good game.

"He's the classic example of a guy who works hard, chips in and gets some points," said Schafer.

Notre Dame is off until Friday when it travels to Chicago to face Lake Forest College.

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**Valloire, France (AP) — Franck Piccard isn't making any predictions following his World Cup victory. Neither is Alberto Tomba.**

The winter World Cup skiing season began here with a sweep in the opening race of the last two years. There was snow on the ground and temperatures below freezing.

After struggling through mild Europeans the last two years, which caused postponements, changes and cancellations, it seemed like old times for the skiers. It was very much like old times for both Piccard and Tomba, although in different directions.

Piccard, who scored his first major victory in an Olympic Super-G triumph in Calgary, Alberta, almost three years ago, had a victory on his third period to take home a 7-3 victory.

"I am in good shape for the season," Piccard said. "I dove a lot stronger in the finals because after you make finals you've got a lot more relaxed, but not far enough away. Zadra knocked the puck into the air, with my inside ski," said Tom. There was nothing I could do and I skied into the fence and hurt my finger a little."

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Piccard wins World Cup race

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JUDITH MBULA BAHEMUKA
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Vatican II and the Relationship
Between Faith and Culture

Respondents:
Lawrence Cunningham,
Professor of Theology,
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Patrick Gaffney, CSC,
Associate Professor of Anthropology,
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1:30 pm
FREDRICK R. McMANUS,
Professor of Canon Law
The Catholic University of America
Vatican II and Liturgical Reform

Respondents:
Eleanor Bernstein, CSJ,
Director of the Center for Pastoral Liturgy,
University of Notre Dame
Regis Duffy, OFM,
Associate Professor of Liturgy,
University of Notre Dame

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Sacred Heart Church
Rt. Rev. Francis C. Gray
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MARCOS A. McGrath, CSC,
Panama
Vatican II and Ministry: A Latin
American Perspective

Respondent:
Auxiliary Bishop Richard J. Sklba,
Milwaukee, WI
Ministry: A North American Perspective

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HERVE LEGRAND, OP,
Couvent des Dominicains, Paris
Vatican II and the Communion
of Churches

Respondents:
Catherine LaCugna,
Associate Professor of Theology,
University of Notre Dame
Thomas F. O'Meara, OP,
William K. Warren,
Professors of Theology,
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Men win 2nd National Catholic Championship

By BECKY WOOD
Sports Writer

It was deja-vu. The Notre Dame men's swimming team came from behind on Saturday night to win its second consecutive National Catholic Championships title. Only this year the front runner changed. The Irish outscoored LaSalle by 2 1/2 points as compared with their close two-point win over Villanova last year.

Again senior co-captain Brian Bini came from behind on the last 25 yards of the 200 butterfly, and he moved up three places. Bini's second place finish over LaSalle's Eric Buhaim, who won the Male Swimmer of the Meet award, added to the Irish's momentum in the last events of the meet. But even after sophomores Ed Broderick and Colin Cooley placed first and second in the 200 breaststroke– Broderick set a new meet and pool record, 2:05.25– and freshman Sean Hyer finished second in 3-meter diving, the Irish were down by 3 1/2 points going into the final event, the 400 freestyle relay.

Notre Dame was second behind LaSalle as junior Jim Birmingham hit the water for the last 100 yard leg of the relay. Birmingham overtook LaSalle's anchor swimmer after coming off the 50 yard turn and touched the wall in a meet and pool record time of 3:02.96.

David Nathe, Chuck Smith, Greg Cormick and Birmingham's relay broke the previous record held by Villanova by more than three seconds. "We went into the last relay with confidence. I didn't go into it feeling I'd make or break the meet," said Birmingham. "The team started it up. I just finished it off."

Birmingham won both the 50 and 100 freestyles and set a meet and pool record in the 50 in a time of 21.54 seconds.

Every race was important for the Irish, and every Irish swimmer scored and most recorded personal bests. The men swam faster this past weekend than last March at the Eastern Championships.

"Not just because of the freshmen, although Dave Nathe has been valuable on relay, but everyone is swimming faster," said Nathe. "At this point in the year, it's awesome to be so fast."

The 800 free relay of Kii, Birmingham, Greg Cormick, and Nathe set a meet and pool record in a winning time of 6:45.74. Nathe took first in the 200 free and second in the 100 free co-captain Jim Byrne placed second in the 400 individual medley and sophomores John Godfrey finished second in the 200 backstroke.

The National Catholic Meet climaxed a successful fall season for the Irish swim team.

"We focused our fall preparations on National Catholic and we're extremely pleased with the results. Winning both meets and in our own pool was especially exciting," said Coach Tim Welsh.

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Women's swim dominates, captures first National Catholic Championship crown

By BECKY WOOD
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women's swimming team claimed their first National Catholic Championships title on Saturday night after three days of action-filled competition.

The Irish dominated over last year's team champions, Villanova, after establishing a 61 point lead on Friday. By the end of Saturday night's finals, Notre Dame amassed a final 751 points over top scorers: Villanova-449, Boston College-446, LaSalle-444, and Fordham-370.

Each swimmer on the eighteen-member squad scored points and most recorded personal best.

"Winning was important but everyone was focused on doing well. The score took care of it--" said senior Christy Moston, who placed second in both the 100 butterfly and 100 backstroke.

Leading the Irish were sophomore Tanya Williams and freshmen Alicia Feehery. Together, both broke four meet and pool records. Feehery claimed the 100 freestyle in a record 52.18 seconds, placed third in the 200 free, fourth in the 50 free and won three first-place Irish relays: 400 free relay, 200 and 400 medley relays.

Shana Stephens, Shannon Mather, Colette LaForce, Moston and Williams also swam legs on the first-place relays.

Williams was honoured as the female swimmer of the meet for the second year in a row after her stellar performances in the 200 and 400 individual medleys and the 200 butterfly. Williams qualified for the NCAA Championship meet in both the 200 and 400 individual medleys and recorded her first personal best at Notre Dame in the 200 with a meet, pool and school record time of 2:02.29.

"I was surprised with my time. Although I hoped for a best time, I wasn't expecting one. I just wanted to make a (NCAA) cut or two," said Williams.

As one of the top recruit in the country out of St. Andrews Academy in Boca Raton, Fla., Williams is Notre Dame's first world-class swimmers. Although Tanya has fallen short of her career personal bests last season, she has consistently clocked in outstanding for the Irish. Williams attributes her success this year for better adjustment as sophomore.

As a result, she is more able to focus on swimming.

As for choosing Notre Dame over top-ranked teams Texas and Virginia, Tanya has never doubted Coach Tim Welsh or the team, only herself.

Recording a personal best in the 200 individual medley has erased all her doubts.

"It helped me to realize that I can still improve my times and get better," said Williams.

Tanya has helped raise the Irish to a higher level of performance. Freshman Kristin Heath, who claimed third places in both the 200 and 200 butterfly, sees Tanya as a motivator in the water.

"She's always encouraging me to go faster in practice. Her presence is a motivation in itself."

Junior Jenny Kipp defended her 1-meter win from last year and earned the Female Diver of the Meet award for the second year.

Coach Welsh was voted the women's Coach of the Meet. On winning both men's and women's meets Welsh said, "It's absolutely wonderful, this is a dream."

Other top eight scorers: Freshman Shannon Mather, second in the 100 breaststroke and third in the 200 breast. Karen Keeley and Susan Rohban second and third in the 1650 freestyle. Kay Broderick, Amy Tri and Stephens, top eight in the 100 and 200 backstrokes. Christy VanPatten and Jenny Stumo both placed third in the 100 fly and 1-meter diving respectively.

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Notre Dame women fall to Stanford and UCLA

By RENE FERRAN
Sports Writer

Notre Dame proved this weekend it can compete with the powers of women’s basketball.

After staying with both UCLA and Stanford for most of the game, both the Bruins and the Cardinal scored victories in their respective home openers. UCLA defeated the Irish 89-75, while Stanford won 97-67.

The Irish were red-hot at the start of the UCLA game, scoring the first eight points of the game en route to an early 12-2 lead. Junior forward Comalita Haysheri, who sat out the Evansville game for disciplinary reasons, scored 10 of the 12 points.

The Bruins quickly recovered, however, and built a five-point lead midway through the first half as Delie Moman provided spark off the bench and Hilema Stephens began heating up. Notre Dame came back, offing six straight points to tie the game 24-24.

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The Irish were hurt especially by a 63% (14-22) performance from the field. The Bruins were 19-37 from the field and 10-24 from the line.

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Kentucky

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The result was an 18-7 run by Kentucky in the first 14:21 of the second half, putting the score at 66-57.

“Pressing and running takes a toll,” said Pitino. “Our guys did a terrific job in the second half of applying that pressure.”

Notre Dame narrowed the lead to 81-77 with 4:09 left, but a failure to convert on free throws in key situations took the momentum out of the comeback.

Notre Dame went on a 20-6 run in the final minutes to cut the lead to 89-87, after a three-pointer by Rehema Stephens. The Irish were able to get untracked from the field as they were 9-23 from the field.

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After a three-pointer by Regge Hanson with 3:25 left, Sonja Henning with 18 and Julie Zelisira with 16.

The Irish did a good job limiting Stanford’s All-American Trisha Stevens. Stevens finished the game with only eight points, and more importantly, just two rebounds.

Notre Dame outrebounded the bigger Cardinal 40-34.

Notre Dame was hurt by its inability to stop Stanford’s three-point shooting, as the Cardinal nailed nine treys, while the Irish failed to make one.

Notre Dame outrebounded Kentucky 45-30 but allowed the Wildcats to shoot 12-26 from behind the three-point line. The Irish were hurt especially by Richie Farmer, who made four of seven three-pointers and finished with 19 points.

“I was pleased about everything in this win,” said Pitino, whose club moved up to 3-0. “There was nothing disappointing. When you score 60 points in the second half and win by eight, believe me, you’ve got to look for the silver lining.”

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Monday, December 3, 1990

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By RENE FERRAN

Sports Writer

Georgia Tech replaced Colorado as the new number one in this week's National Collegiate Sportswriters' Poll. Notre Dame moved up one spot to fifth in the rankings. The Yellow Jackets, 40-23 winners over Georgia, received 10 out of 22 first-place votes and 424 total points. The Buffaloes gained nine first-place votes and 413 points. Texas and Miami remained in the third and fourth spots with close victories. The Longhorns defeated Texas A&M 28-27 and received three first-place votes, while the Hurricanes beat San Diego State 30-28.

One more contender for the national title fell out of the race as Brigham Young fell from 5th to 10th after its 59-28 loss at San Diego State.

Detmer

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Hawaii allowed him to set the single-season passing yardage mark with 5,187 yards. He also was named Scripps Howard Player of the Year and earned First Team All-America honors from Football Writers, Walter Camp, Football News and Scripps Howard.

Ismael averaged 156.6 all-purpose yards a game this season. He also scored six touchdowns despite touching the ball an average of only 11.4 times a game.

I saw him play against USC," Detmer said. "He's an exciting player. You never know what will happen when he touches the ball. If I was Lou Holtz, I'd probably give him the ball about 40 times a game.

Both Detmer and Ismael stated their intention to return for their final year of collegiate eligibility, setting up a possible rematch for next season's award.

"I'll be back next year," Detmer said. "I committed when I signed my scholarship. The program has plans for me. I have never explored the possibility of going to the NFL early.

The Oklahoma State Cowboys won the tournament, after amassing 173 points. The second place team, the Iowa State Cyclones, finished far in the distance with 99 points. Tony Parler of Oklahoma State, a 126-pounder, was named the outstanding wrestler of the tournament.

Where the Irish were concerned, J.J. McGrew, a true freshman from Cleveland, Oklahoma, won his first two matches on route to advancing to the quarterfinals of the winner bracket.

In his victories, McGrew dumped two fifth-year seniors and a wrestler from Portland State who was a two-time Division II national champion. McGrew handily dispatched of the matman from Portland State, registering a 9-1 decision. McGrew also scored an 11-3 win over a wrestler from Illinois State who was ranked 2nd in the Midwest region. The photo-finish loss to Johnson and the loss to Scoggins, however, were losses that McGrew handily dispatched of. Dan Knight of Iowa State, however, who had been seeded 2nd in the 126-pound category, beat Gowens 18-4.

"Still, I am optimistic. I have a good feel for this team, and I see us making improvements. We feel that we have the people to be in the Top 10. If we had won the close matches, we would be Top 10. We just can't do what we had to do. We did some good things, too, and we have to be pleased with ourselves."

Given the experience that the freshmen and sophomores have already accumulated this season, McCann's optimism appears well-justified.

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Kronberger wins her second World Cup race in Italy

VAL ZOLIANA, Italy (AP) — Petra Kronberger got a head start this weekend in fulfilling her dream of launching an Austrian era on the slopes.

While the Austrian women's squad displayed impressive form and determination, the once-powerful Swiss team trailed in Saturday's giant slalom and suffered one of its worst routs ever in Sunday's slalom.

Kronberger, who aims at re-viving the triumphs of Austria's ski legend Anne-Marie Moser Proell, dominated both races in this northern Italian valley, displaying a powerful and faultless style.

"Certainly last season's victory has improved my confidence and my winning spirit. However, I had not expected to start so well. It's too much," Kronberger said.

She piled up a commanding lead of 50 points in the overall standings, or twice the points she had earned in the first three races of the previous season, when she put together a winning total of 341 points in 31 events.

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INDIANAPOLIS—Notre Dame freshman guard Brooks Boyer had to grow up quickly on Saturday against Kentucky in the Big Four Classic.

When senior captain Tim Singleton went down with back spasms in the first half, Boyer suddenly found himself playing a major role in just his sixth collegiate game.

"It kind of brought back the high school days," Boyer said.

Boyer scored a career-high 10 points, including two three-pointers, in 23 minutes of action on Saturday against Kentucky in the Big Four Classic.

"I had to be a sophomore as a freshman today," he said. "I was ready for the challenge. I just wanted to prove to everyone that I could play."

Boyer will probably play a big role in tonight's game with Butler since Singleton will not play. Singleton's status for Saturday's game with UCLA is still uncertain.

"It was just fluke," said Irish coach Digger Phelps of Singleton's injury. "I don't know how it happened, or why it happened, but he couldn't even stand up. He just laid down the entire second half, with ice to relieve the pressure."

Boyer did get good reviews from his teammates on the way he directed the Irish during his 23 minutes on Saturday. He helped Notre Dame build a 10-point lead late in the first half.

"Brooks played well today," said Irish guard Elmer Bennett. "He came off the bench and gave us a spark to put us ahead. We should have put them away then."

In the first game of Big Four action, Indiana routed Louisville 72-52 behind Calbert Cheaney's 19 points. The win put the 10th-ranked Hoosiers to 4-1, while it was Louisville's first game.

Aside from a few ties in the early-going, the Hoosiers led the whole game. In the first half, Cheaney had 13 points as Indiana led going into the lockerroom 37-27.

Indiana got 10-point boosts from 6-9 sophomore Chris Lawson, who did not play against Notre Dame. Head Coach Bobby Knight took the opportunity to explain his coaching philosophy.

"We went with Lawson because he was quick, he had movement, was aggressive, and things we've really been on him about," said Knight. "We didn't play him at Notre Dame because of those things.

"Usually the media say I have one or two players in my doghouse, but I don't even own a doghouse," said Knight. "Kids determine whether they are going to play or not, and Lawson decided in practice yesterday that he was going to play. His play today was a big asset to the team."

Louisville, which was ranked 25th by the Associated Press before having played a game, got 17 points from senior guard Ladraford Smith in the losing effort.

"I felt their team totally dominated us," said Louisville head coach Denny Crum. "We made too many mistakes, but it's because they made us make mistakes. We have a lot of learning and growing to do."

Kentucky, able to be televised this year following the NCAA suspension against it, still will not be able to participate in the NCAA postseason tournament this year. For junior guard Richie Farmer, games like the Big Four Classic are tantamount to the Wildcats' own national championship.

"We don't get to play in the NCAA tournament, so if we don't make the top of the rankings, we don't get to be national champions," said Farmer. "We don't get to be the Cinderella team in the tournament, so we have to do it during the season."

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(AP)-Now that the feuds are over, the Texas Longhorns and Miami Hurricanes can start thinking about the Cotton Bowl. Both teams had similar regular season finishes.

Fifth-ranked Texas was expecting a good fight. No. 3 Miami got into one.

Cornerback Mark Barry saved the day for the Longhorns by stopping A&M halfback Darren Lewis on a 2-point conversion attempt with a little less than four minutes left as Texas beat the Aggies 26-27 in Austin.

That completed a 10-1 season sullied only by a loss to now-No. 1 Colorado.

But the victory over preseason Southwest Conference favorite A&M, its first against the Aggies in seven years, more than made up for the early season slip.

In San Diego, the defending national champion Hurricanes (9-2) outlasted San Diego State 30-28 in a game marred by a bench-clearing brawl with 2:40 remaining.

San Diego State's Dan McGwire had completed a 13-yard touchdown pass to Dennis Arey, and on the conversion, the right-handed McGwire snapped off defensive pressure, switched the ball to his left hand and skaved a completion to Jim Hanawalt. Unaware that McGwire had unloaded the ball, Hurricanes defensive end Shane Curry hit the Aztecs quarterback, prompting retaliation from offensive linemen Carlsson Leomtin and Nick Subis.

McGwire said Curry came up to him after the game and said he was sorry.

"I feel the game turned on him after the game," said Louisville head coach Denny Crum. "We didn't get to be the Cinderella team in the tournament, so we have to do it during the season."

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NEW YORK—Raghib Ismail had history on his side. Ty Detmer had the hopes of an entire state on his shoulders. Brigham Young's record-breaking quarterback dwarfed Ismail's bid to become Notre Dame's eighth Heisman Trophy winner by outpolling the Irish freshman 1,482 points to 1,177 in the 56th annual presentation of college football's most prestigious individual award.

Colorado tailback Eric Bienemy finished a distant third with 798 points. Virginia quarterback Shawn Moore (465 points) and Houston quarterback David Klingler (125), who passed for a record 716 yards and seven touchdowns in the Cougars' 62-45 win over Arizona State Friday night in Tokyo, clipped out the top five.

Detmer became BYU's first Heisman winner and Utah's favorite son following Saturday night's announcement at a nationally-televisioned press conference at New York City's Downtown Athletic Club.

"It would have been a devastating blow to BYU if we didn't win it this year," Detmer said via telephone hookup from Honolulu, Hawaii, hours before Brigham Young's 59-28 loss to Hawaii.

"Brigham Young's been deserving of a couple Heismans. Now it's finally coming true for them and the state of Utah."

Ismail felt slighted when former Brigham Young quarterbacks Jim McMahon, Robbie Bosco, Marc Wilson and Steve Young failed to win the award in previous seasons. Detmer credited his predecessors with paving the way for his victory.

"I feel they have as big a part in it as I do," Detmer said. "I'm just one of many great quarterbacks who have played here." Ismail, who finished in the top ten for the second consecutive year, hoped to follow in the footsteps of '87 winner Tim Brown. But not even Notre Dame's storied past could unseat Detmer.

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As the senior point guard lay prostrate in the lockerroom, Notre Dame rallied toward the end of the first half, leading 38-28 with 2:22 left. But Kentucky battled back to make the Irish lead 40-38, and in the second half its full-court press helped the Wildcats control the game.

"When we lost Singleton, we lost probably our best guard against the press," said Irish head coach Digger Phelps, whose squad dropped to 2-4. "I thought we were set pretty well in the first half, but I just didn't like not having Singleton in this type of pressure situation. It forced us into other situations in taking it down the court."

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"I'm not elated," he said. "It would have been a great opportunity to hone our skills."

Instead, the Irish had to be satisfied with pulling out a 7-6 victory against the Mercyhurst Lakers Saturday night, to go along with last week's 7-3 win over Mercyhurst on Friday.

Saturday night, the Irish had to survive a third period in which Mercyhurst scored five goals, pulling to within a goal of Notre Dame with 40 seconds left after scoring three goals in just over a minute.

"Once we had the puck and were out of our zone we controlled it," said Schaefer.

"It was a mental let-down," said left wing Lou Zadra. "We played to their level and not ours."

Schaefer said, "It was ND football versus Navy decided by a field goal."

"The second period got un-