Biden challenges abortion rights activists

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Democratic chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee challenged abortion rights activists Thursday when they said Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas would vote to consign American women to the perils of back-alley abortions.

Sen. Joseph Biden of Delaware said the abortion-rights groups urged the Senate to reject Thomas' nomination to be the nation's second black Supreme Court Justice.

"The record shows that, if confirmed, Judge Thomas would indeed vote to take away this fundamental right — to take this nation back to the days when women had no alternative but the back alleys for health care," said Kate Michelman, director of the National Abortion Rights Action League.

Biden made the comment as the representatives of abortion-rights groups urged the Senate to reject Thomas' nomination to be the nation's second black Supreme Court Justice.

"There is no 'Son of Desert Storm' operation. The way to diffuse it is for Saddam to give access for U.N. weapons inspectors. That's what we're talking about here," the President said.

Bush steps up warnings; no 'Son of Desert Storm'

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Stepping up his warning to Saddam Hussein, President Bush insisted Thursday that he had no plans for a "Son of Desert Storm" operation but will use U.S. air power if necessary to protect inspectors of U.N. weapons inspectors in Iraq.

"We've had no indication that he did that, and it is going to find that we are prepared to use military action to see that he does comply."

Bush said the United States would not be alone in military action, but he said, "We'll have others with us."

His stern warning came in language even sharper than he had used the day before when he said he was "fed up" with Saddam and would send warplanes back to the Persian Gulf if necessary to protect the U.N. inspectors.

Bush said that Saddam should realize from the Persian Gulf War last winter that "thanks to our technology and to the ability of our pilots, that we can be very specific as we apply this air power."

At the same time, Bush said he wanted to assure the country that he was not considering a massive mobilization. "That's not what we're talking about here," the President said.

The President said that Saddam had earlier miscalculated on America's willingness to use military force. "He knows what we can do and so do we," he said. "I think that's absolutely true."

"I want to assure the country that he is fully prepared to use military action to see that he does comply."

Bush said he was trying to use the news media to communicate directly to Saddam. The White House released a transcript of the Iraq portion of the interview only a few hours after it took place, a departure from the usual practice of withholding transcripts until articles by the interviewing journalists have appeared.

The President said he was sure that his ultimatum to Saddam to permit the inspectors' free access into the country would be "joined by countries all around the world."

"Saddam must comply," Bush declared.

"We don't need lots of troops and to make a whole 'Son of Desert Storm' operation. The way to diffuse it is for Saddam Hussein to do what the U.N. is calling on him to do. One way is to have him understand that if he doesn't, he is going to find that we are prepared to use military action to see that he does comply."

Bush also rebuked Sen. Paul D'Amato, D-Ga. and a veteran of the civil rights movement.
An analogy for ND/SMC relations

Allow me to close with an open Word just long enough to report an item of importance which didn't make headlines among the football stories proceeding last weekend's Michigan game.

Sources close to the Irish team divulged that due to an unfortunate error there was insufficient space to accommodate the entire football team and cheerleading squad on the trip to Ann Arbor. Much to their chagrin, several of the younger players were surviving a rainstorm as the limited bus seats were being assigned.

Unbeknownst, these players felt what transpired was a gross miscarriage of justice. After all, we're the cheerleading squad that established the football team as a national powerhouse; indeed, their presence at the game was, as always, wholly incidental to the final outcome.

The slighted players felt that they deserved priority status over a group of outsiders who were only hitching upon their space. Incidentally, the cheerleaders were oblivious to these players' feelings, justifying their indifference on the ground that the conditions were imposed by the higher-ups in the organization.

Besides the aforementioned disgruntled players, much of the balance of the team was visibly active preferred that the cheerleaders not be "in the way." Abundant complaints notwithstanding, the decision stood.

OK, it's time for me to come clean. The events described above didn't actually occur. It was not, involving the players mentioned. A fictional account for illustrative purposes, yes; an unfounded, hypothetical occurrence—a at least not involving the parties I even describe didn't exist. (Numbers wouldn't be necessary here; common sense provides ample testimony.)

But this is enough. To continue this dilemma, several of my football team/cheerleaders parallel, I ask you: which entity would cease to exist without the other?

Still unconvinced? Consider how many Saint Mary's students based their college decision at least in part on the Notre Dame factor. Now try to imagine the converse. (Numbers wouldn't be necessary here; common sense provides ample testimony.)

Since the women of Saint Mary's are so diversified with the status quo, I propose we end the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's "family" feud once and for all—by eliminating whatever supposed ties are so tesously "bonding" the schools now. Let's recognize the dubious "codependence" as the mere co-existence it is. The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.

TODAY AT A GLANCE

National

AT&T outage shuts down an airport

NEW YORK—Technicians who monitor an AT&T facility that shut down, bringing New York's airports to a standstill, were absent because they were at a class on a new alarm designed to prevent the very trouble that caused the outage, their union said Thursday. American Telephone & Telegraph Co. confirmed some of the technicians at the Manhattan call-switching center were at such a class during Tuesday's outage. Employees who normally track the conversion were in the class and others in the building apparently overlooked alarms. AT&T said the outage blocked millions of calls for about seven hours and resulted in a virtual shutdown of airports in the New York area when it knocked out an air-traffic communications system.

Ethanol use gains national support

LINCOLN, Neb.—Ethanol promoters from 10 states who met here Thursday hope that the federal Clean Air Act will help revive an industry marked by plant failures and consumer skepticism. Members of the Governors' Ethanol Coalition said Congress and President Bush are placing more emphasis on using ethanol and other additives to hold down pollution. Ethanol, or ethyl alcohol, is alcohol produced from grain. It has been used as a gasoline additive to produce cleaner burning fuels and to help conserve energy.

Cholesterol study has good results

BERKELEY, Calif.—Researchers say human genes for "good cholesterol" transplanted into a type of mice prone in heart disease made the rodents highly resistant to the malady. The University of California at Berkeley study supports the theory that otherwise the diseased blocks the arteries of the heart with fatty deposits, stems largely from imbalances between so-called good cholesterol and bad cholesterol in the blood, not simply from the total amount of cholesterol. Dr. Edward Rubin, a medical doctor and molecular biologist who headed the research team at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, said it is the first direct evidence that high-density lipoprotein, the form of cholesterol, actually restores the growth of deposits that can clog arteries.

INDIANA

Man on trial for trying to kill a dog

INDIANAPOLIS—A member of the Indianapolis man accused of seriously injuring a dog by dragging it behind his truck testified Thursday that he heard him say he wanted to get rid of the dog. Roose, 32, is charged with criminal mischief, a felony, and cruelty to an animal, a misdemeanor. He is alleged to have dragged the mixed breed named Tramp, owned by Roose's next-door neighbors Cameron D. and Sally Wright, with his truck for more than three-quarters of a mile on May 3.

OF INTEREST

Logan Center volunteers should meet in front of Holy Cross Hall (SMC) at 3:30 p.m. or at Pasquerilla West (ND) driveway at 3:45 p.m. today to go to Beacon Bowl.

Campus musicians Nick Campanella, Chris Norborg and Brian Muller will perform today at 4 p.m. on the Fieldhouse Mall.

The Hispanic-American Organization will sponsor a special visit for those who would like to attend mass in Spanish at St. Stephens. Vans will leave the main and Library circle at 8:15 a.m. on Sunday. Call 283-1867 or 283-4932 for more information.

A memorial Mass for Caroline Schipperet will be at Pasquerella East on Sunday, Sept. 22 at 10 a.m.

Women United for Justice and Peace will have an organizational meeting at 8 p.m. on Sept. 23 in the Center for Social Concerns.

The Women's International League for peace and freedom has Invited Prof. Joe Gatto to speak about peace, on Tuesday, Sept. 24, at 7 p.m. at the Confax Cultural Center, 914 L.W.M. in South Bend.

Saint Mary's Alumnae Career Exploration Program will have an information session Sept. 24 and Sept. 25 at 7:30 p.m. in Stapleton lounge of Mennel Hall.

This year's Task Force is seeking students who have completed an Urban Plunge to join and attend a meeting on September 25 at 6:30 p.m. or Sept. 26 at 4:30 p.m. at the Center for Social Concerns.

Sign up for Wednesday Lunch Fast at the dining halls or call 283-4241 and sign up by leaving your student ID number.

MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY'S TRADING/September 19

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ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1919: Civil rights leader Martin Luther King Jr. was seriously wounded at a New York City department store when an apparently deranged black woman stabbed him in the chest.

1976: The Observer magazine released an interview with Democratic presidential nominee Jimmy Carter admitted hard "taught on a lot of women with."

1978: John Vorster, prime minister of white-rulled South Africa since 1966, announced his resignation, saying he would seek the parliamentary position of premier.

1988: Flap figures of the House Select Committee on the Good War were annualized in springboard diving at the Summer Olympics in Seoul, South Korea, one day after he struck and injured his head on the board in the preliminary round.

WEATHER REPORT

Forecast for noon, September 20

Cold front

High pressure

Low pressure

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Mertz describes Buick techniques

By COLLEEN CONLEY
News Writer

Buick Motor Division, realizing the importance of customer service in a competitive market, has turned to several innovative techniques to make their customers feel special. Edward Mertz, vice president of General Motors Corp., discussed the merits of customer satisfaction and quality control at Saint Mary's yesterday.

Looking to Buick's yesterday in a lecture sponsored by the American Marketing Association. Based on his work in the automotive industry, Mertz said that "customer handling does need some work in some areas," but maintained that customer service "is better in this country than any other in the world," despite common perceptions that the U.S. lags behind the Japanese.

"We continually compare ourselves to others," said Mertz. Buick is now "ahead of Toyota, and right up there with Mercedes," he added.

Other devices Buick uses include its 1-800 assistance number, market research and a new vehicle inspection and delivery process. "A lot of it is just listening ... asking what [the customer] likes and don't like, and what we can do better," he said. "If we can get customers to talk to us, especially if they have a problem, we're much better off."

Mertz attributed Buick's gains in the area of customer service to its policy of being an involved company instead of a removed one.

He said that the vehicle inspection method requires a sales person to spend several hours going over every operational aspect of the car with its buyer before it leaves the dealership. Another key to success for Buick has been its establishment of basic goals for its salespeople. "The simpler your goals, the easier it is for you to persuade people what they have to do."

Mertz said that Buick has consolidated its primary goals into three areas: 'sell cars, satisfy the customer, and be market-driven.'

To move towards such a stage, Mertz has called for staff meetings in which employees will spend hours reading the irate letters of customers with complaints.

Mertz linked success in customer service to good leadership, and explained that leaders should insist on excellence by expecting "other people to rise to their level."

Faculty members present Mozart recital

By COLLEEN CONLEY
News Writer

Violinist Carolyn Plummer, associate professor of music at the University of Notre Dame, and pianist William Cerny, professor of music, will present the faculty recital Sunday, Sept. 22 at 2 p.m. in the Annenberg Auditorium of the Snite Museum of Art.

The concert is the concluding recital of a Mozart cycle of piano and violin sonatas commemorating the 200th anniversary of the composer's death. Plummer and Cerny will perform "Sonatas for the Piano and Violin" in G major, K. 301; F major, K. 376; E-flat major, K. 380 and A major, K. 526.

The concert is free and open to the public.

In addition to her faculty appointment, Plummer is violinist for both the resident Notre Dame String Trio and the Notre Dame Piano Quartet. She holds a bachelor's degree in music from Indiana University and a master's degree in violin performance from the New England Conservatory, where she studied with John Silvestri.

From 1977 through 1986, she was assistant concertmaster of the Houston Symphony Orchestra. She joined the Houston Symphony Orchestra in 1974. She was a frequent soloist with the symphony as well as an active recitalist and teacher throughout the area.

In 1987 Plummer joined the acclaimed chamber ensemble Atlanta Virtuosi, which performs extensively in the United States, Europe and Mexico. This summer she served as guest concertmaster of the Grand Teton Music Festival and was a guest artist at the Steamboat Springs Chamber Music Festival in Colorado and the Great Lakes Festival at Notre Dame. She has also performed at the Aspen Music Festival and the Atlanta Virtuosi Chamber Music Festival at Bates College.

Cerny was a member of the faculty of the University of Rochester's Eastman School of Music for 13 years prior to joining the Notre Dame faculty in 1972. He is the chairman of Notre Dame's music department from 1972 to 1979.

After completing his undergraduate and graduate studies at Yale, where he held a Phi Beta Kappa and graduated magna cum laude, Cerny worked for five years as a professional accompanist, touring throughout the U.S. with artists such as cellist Ansga Enters and Columbia Artists' multiple quartet, "The Revelers." His professional work in New York City also included accompanying numerous artists in Town Hall recitals.

From 1963 on, Cerny held a dual professorship rank at Eastman, one in humanities and one in music literature. In 1968, he developed his "Explorations into Piano and Literature" for presentation to college and university audiences throughout the country. An outgrowth of these concerts was his series of weekly radio programs broadcast for years via the National Public Radio network.
Dig it
Ben Tomchak, Jim Hautemen and Jeff Reichanadter dig up the ground to put in piping in front of the Hessey Center for Aerospace Research.

Thomas

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rights movement.

"You have a nominee who has refused to answer your ques­
tions... a nominee who has tried to stonewall this commit­
tee," Lewis said. "What reasons do you have, other than the fact he grew up poor in Pin Point, Ga., to confirm Clarence Thomas' nomination to the Supreme Court?"

Witnesses also included black academicians and community leaders who supported confir­mation of Thomas. "The black community is split," said Sen. Alan Simpson, R-Wyo. "That's the reality here."

Julius Becton Jr., president of Prairie View A & M University in Texas, said he knew Thomas as someone who "sincerely wishes to employ his authority as a civil servant for the bet­termment of society."

Sharon McPhail, president of the National Bar Association, said the black lawyers group was sharply split over the nom­i­nation. "Never before in my memory has an issue so trou­bled the organization," she said.

Robert Woodson, president of the National Center for Neighbor­hood Enterprise, criticized four black law professors who had testified this week that Thomas' conservatives views put him outside the civil rights mainstream.

"They have discredited them­selves rather than Judge Thomas, by providing a de­plorable demonstration that the black elite go to great ends to eliminate a perceived threat to the political orthodoxy upon which their self-interest comfortably reposes," Woodson said.

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Moscow seeks food aid from European Community

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP) — A senior Soviet official on Thurs­day asked the European Com­munity to provide $7 billion in food aid over the next 10 years and said Moscow sought an­other $1.7 billion in aid from other leading industrial nations.

EC officials said they would consider the request, but when asked if it was realistic, a commis­sion official who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Yuri Luzhkov, deputy chair­man of the Soviet Economic Management Committee, told the EC Commission that Soviet food production had dropped by between 10 percent and 30 percent this year, according to a com­mission official who spoke on condition of anonymity.

EC efforts to com up with an aid plan for the Soviets have been complicated by difficulties in evaluating the extent of shortages in the Soviet Union, as well as problems in arrang­ing for repayment of loans by the fragmenting and debt-ridden country.

Luzhkov said the Soviet Union has imported between $9 billion and $10 billion worth of food annually in recent years, the official said. The EC has already approved a $1.4 billion aid plan, includ­ing $803 million in food grants, $484 million in technical aid and $600 million in food cred­its.

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Law School reflects on past and future roles

By MARY MURPHY

The relationship of religious convictions to law and government is a timeless debate that involves issues from Supreme Court decisions to the nation's involvement in war.

The role of a religious law school in a secular society will be examined in "A Catholic Law School in America," a symposium presented by the Law School on September 27.

Three presentations will explore this relationship and at the same time reflect on the past and future of the Law School.

Walter Pratt, professor of law at Notre Dame, will catalog the University's involvement in war. Pratt's paper, "Why is the Law School in the University's perspective," according to Kmiec, "will show the history of Notre Dame as seen through its eyes, and explain how the University has helped to advance their lives."

Harold Berman, faculty member at Emory and Harvard Universities, will speak about this presentation. Berman has written on American plurality and diversity and is a leading specialist in law and religion, according to Kmiec.

The Notre Dame community, both past and present, is expected to attend the symposium. Alumni from around the country have responded as well as prominent members of the bench and bar. Judge Daniel Myanyen, the son of former Law School Dean Myanyen, is expected to attend. Undergraduates and graduates are also welcome.

The symposium will revolve the history of the Law school with the creators of the past as well as the originators of the future.

Victor Rosenblum, former president of the Association of American Law Schools and presently from Northwestern, will comment on Pratt's paper. Rosenblum offers a "unique perspective," according to Douglas Kmiec, ND professor of law, because he can place the University in the context of other American law schools.

Kmiec will discuss the higher, natural law background of the Law School.

"Natural law is the principle recognizing that there is good and bad regardless of what individual laws promulgate," according to Kmiec. Kmiec will talk about the 1924-1952 years published on American plurality and diversity, and is a leading specialist in law and religion, according to Kmiec.

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"Natural law is the principle recognizing that there is good and bad regardless of what individual laws promulgate," according to Kmiec. Kmiec will talk about the 1924-1952 years.

Payne will discuss the contributions of Protestants; Schaffer will discuss the role of Italian-Americans; and Sandowal will discuss the place of Mexican-Americans.

Each paper will explore the role of nonically termed "outsiders," such as non-Catholics in a Catholic environment or women in a male-dominated environment. The authors will show the history of Notre Dame as seen through their eyes, and explain how the University has helped to advance their lives.

Speakers discuss art restoration

The preservation of art books, paper and photographs, problems of deterioration and the persistence of private collections is the focus of "A Night to Preserve," a presentation of the Friends of the Library at the University of Notre Dame.

"A Night to Preserve" will feature Sonja Jordan, assistant librarian and head of special collections and preservation, Charles Lamb, assistant director of the Notre Dame Archives; and Monica Radecki of Radecki Galleries for the presentation on special collections.

Jordan will speak on art books, papers and special documents. Lamb will give a special presentation on photographic preservation, drawing from the Notre Dame Archives collection of 19th century pictures from the early years of the University. Radecki will focus on the maintenance of fine arts.

All speakers will address the problems in their respective areas of preservation and offer suggestions for private collections. These topics will include problem recognition and using materials at home.

The program, followed by a reception, is free and open to the public.

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Friday, September 20
Men's Soccer vs. Michigan State
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Sunday, September 22
Volleyball vs. Boston College
12:00 pm, JACC Arena

Men's Soccer vs. Evansville
2:00 pm, Alumni Field
WASHINGTON (AP) — The CIA regularly intercepted conversations between Congressional Democrats and officials of the leftist Sandinista Nicaraguan government during the 1980s, a former official of the spy agency testified Thursday.

At the same time, a group of House Republicans asked Speaker Thomas Foley, D-Wash., for a formal investigation of the matter, suggesting that laws or House ethics rules may have been violated by the Democrats involved.

Alain Fiers Jr., a former CIA operative testifying in the confirmation hearings of Robert Gates to be President Bush's CIA chief, confirmed the reports first published last week by the New York Times.

Fiers said the interceptions led then-CIA Director William Casey to confront then-Rep. Michael Barnes, D-Md.

The meeting with Barnes was "a matter of counterintelligence, to make the point that we felt there was a contact between a member of a conscious Sandinista, that was inappropriate, and that ... information that was inappropriate got transmitted to the Sandinistas was in fact being transmitted," Fiers said.

Fiers said he believed the face-off with Barnes came because Fiers had complained loudly after seeing reports of the intercepts.

A senior congressional source, speaking only on condition of anonymity, said conversations also had been picked up between Sandinista officials and former Rep. Jim Wright, then the House speaker, and Rep. David Bonior, D-Mich., now the No. 3 leadership official in the House.

The conversations included talks with Carlos Tumenman, the Nicaraguan ambassador to Washington, and with Paul Reichi, a Washington attorney for the Sandinistas, the sources said.

During much of that period, a pitched struggle was being waged between Congressional Democrats and the Reagan administration for control of Central America policy. There were regular battles on Capitol Hill over funding for the anti-Sandinista Contra rebels.

Fiers said he regarded the contacts as "outrageous," and others at the time believed the activity by Democrats had been illegal under the Logan Act, which bars American citizens from conducting private diplomacy with foreign countries.

But Bonior issued a statement late Thursday calling it "outrageous that these hard-liners who violated the law, sold arms to the Ayatollah and lied to the American people should suggest that our efforts to bring democracy to Nicaragua were in any way inappropriate."

Bonior angrily denounced those who directed the Iran-Contra operation as "shredders of our constitutional fabric, who worked insidiously, violently and unconstitutionally, while congressional opponents of the policy worked publicly.

Some of those now being charged with withholding information from Congress about the Iran-Contra affair, including Fiers, are now citing the contacts by congressional officials as a reason for their reticence.

Barnes told the Times that he felt the Casey conversation had been intended to pressure him back off his opposition to the Contras.

"It may have been construed that way," Fiers said. "Bill Casey wasn't the most articulate person."

Fiers, who was a former CIA official and now represents the information to the Senate Intelligence Committee.

The committee is now investigating the activities of the Intelligence Community.
ANC, Inkatha blame others for Natal killings

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — The rival African National Congress and Inkatha Freedom Party blamed each other Thursday for two clashes in Natal province that killed six people. Two other people died in townships near Johannesburg.

Leaders of the ANC and Inkatha, the two largest black opposition groups, and the white-led government signed a peace pact Saturday that set codes of conduct for political parties and security forces.

It was an unprecedented agreement between the nation’s three major political players, and was heralded as a possible first step toward multiparty talks on a new constitution to end white minority rule.

But at least 35 people have died in township violence since the signing, increasing to more than 150 the number killed in a series of attacks and clashes that erupted Sept. 8.

Attacks on commuter trains between Johannesburg and Soweto township Thursday evening left one man dead and at least one wounded, police Col. Jac de Vries said. He also said three officers fired when attacked by men with clubs and sticks on a crowded train car, but no one was injured.

An Inkatha spokesman, however, told the South African Press Association an unknown number of passengers were killed or injured when police shot at Inkatha supporters on a Soweto-bound train.

A separate police report said five people were hurt when thrown from another train traveling from Johannesburg.

Police said a man also was shot to death in Daveyton township near Johannesburg.

They said attackers fired on a minibus carrying Inkatha supporters Wednesday night, killing three people and wounding seven. In a second attack, three ANC supporters were killed and two houses burned in Natal, police said.

ANC spokesman Sifiso Nkabinde said the minibus attack probably was in revenge for previous harassment of ANC supporters by occupants of the vehicle.

So far this year, 18 people have died in Natal, police said.

It was an unprecedented show of force by both groups, leaders of the 12-nation European Community, which imposed an arms embargo on Yugoslavia in July.

The Kremlin earlier asked Yugoslavia’s government to end the fighting there, saying it was undermining the region and Europe as a whole.

Prior to last month’s coup and the shakeup of the Soviet security forces, the Soviet military was seen as supporting the Yugoslav federal army.

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Pre-Law Society Meeting
Freshman, Sophomores, and Juniors interested in becoming a member of the Pre-Law Society should attend the general meeting on Tues., Sept. 24, at 7 pm in the Cushing Auditorium.

Dean Waddick and Professor Susan Vance will be on hand to speak.

Soviets cut arms shipments to Yugoslavia

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union has stopped most arms shipments to Yugoslavia, but stopped short of supporting a European Community arms embargo, Tass reported Thursday.

"We proceed from the assumption that sending armaments to Yugoslavia will further worsen the situation in the country, on the Balkan peninsula and the Continent in general," Tass quoted a Foreign Ministry statement as saying.

"It is known that a number of countries have put an embargo on arms delivered to Yugoslavia. Although the Soviet Union did not formally join them, it practically stopped such deliveries to Yugoslavia," the statement said.

The statement was delivered to a Dutch government official in Moscow. The Netherlands now holds the rotating chairmanship of the 12-nation European Community, which imposed an arms embargo on Yugoslavia in July.

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For the moment, all the elements of the vision for Holy Cross in the Americas were in place.

Even though the story of their physical journey can be briefly circumscribed, the spiritual story which underlies it cannot be so easily told. It is ultimately a story that speaks of courage, generosity and trust, of strong belief in the Providence of God and of human response to divine grace.

The small band of seven sailed from LeHavre on the S.S. Iowa and docked in New York 36 days later, on September 13, 1841. They were welcomed by a Samuel Beyerly, a recent convert to Catholicism, who was of great help and assistance to them.

On the following day, September 14, they gathered to offer the first Mass celebrated by a Holy Cross religious in the United States. The place of worship was in St. Peter’s Church on Barclay Street, in New York City, and the feast was the Exaltation of the Holy Cross.

These seven Holy Cross religious had been sent by Father Basil Moreau, founder of the Congregation, at the request of Celestin de la Hailandiere, Bishop of Vincennes, Indiana. The Bishop had visited France in 1839 and asked Father Moreau for Brothers who would teach the Catholic children in the scattered communities of this vast, almost frontier, diocese. Moreau agreed but had no one to send just then.

Over the next two years the requests became insistent, almost pleading, and even though he was short on personnel and the congregation at its most vulnerable point of growth, Father Moreau finally agreed. He chose six Brothers and one priest for the work. A departure ceremony was held for them in Le Mans on August 6, 1841. Since Bishop de la Hailandiere was offering nothing (not even travel expenses), they took with them everything they could, offerings from friends of the Congregation in Le Mans. (The bishop had promised in 1839 to reimburse travel expenses but he didn’t have the money in 1841 when presented with the bill.) They travelled steerage but were allowed a small space (10’ x 20’) for privacy.

Even though they were all members of the Congregation of Holy Cross, the seven had come to their missionary journey from different backgrounds.

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THE JOURNEY TO THE MIDWEST

The sojourn of the Holy Cross Religious in New York lasted only three days. By September 16, they were aboard a steamship on its way up the Hudson. They entered the Erie Canal which took them to Buffalo by horse-drawn barges. Crossing Lake Erie to Toledo, they entered another canal which stopped at the town of Napoleon. There a choice had to be made about the way forward to Vincennes: a forest route or a more perilous river route. They chose to go through the forest and arrived at Vincennes on October 20 at nine o’clock in the morning. They were welcomed in the cathedral with great jubilation.

Bishop de la Hailandiere gave Sorin his choice of two farms for the group’s headquarters. He chose St. Peter’s, about thirty miles east of Vincennes. The buildings were old but habitable, and there was a little chapel built of wood. It was here that the seven spent their first severe winter.

FINAL DESTINATION

Even though a school was opened and a Novitiate for brothers, with attendant success, the stay of the Holy Cross religious at St. Peter’s lasted no longer than a year. In 1842, the Bishop offered them a distant station at the northern extremity of Indiana. The Bishop wrote to Moreau that despite the distance from Vincennes and the difficulty of transferring the Brothers’ novitiate, the college which was envisioned would find there special advantages for its development. He added that his own opinion and that of his priests was that the college could not fail to meet with great success.

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towards opening up the economy, which
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To do that, he needs massive investment from the West.

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A Business Advisory Council Colloquium on
"The Challenge of Education"

Friday, September 20, 1991, Center for Continuing Education,
Main Auditorium, University of Notre Dame

8:50 a.m. - 9:40 a.m.: The Role of Business Schools
Dean Tom Keller, Duke University, Fuqua School of Business
Dean Jack Keane, University of Notre Dame, College of
Business Administration

10:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.: The Role of the Private Sector
Robert L. Dilschneider, President and Chief Executive
Officer, Hill and Knowlton, Inc.
J. Douglas Halliday, President, One-To-One Foundation
John P. Brogan, Chairman, Brogan Company

1:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.: The Role of the Public Sector
Senator Bill Bradley (D, NJ)
"America's Challenge in the Post-Communist World."

The College of Business Administration
In Celebration of
The University's Sesquicentennial and the
70th Anniversary of the College
Invites You to Attend
Dear Editor:

As a Notre Dame senior, I am glad to say that I have had many wonderful experiences here over the past three years. My academic career has been fulfilling as well as my extra-curricular and spiritual life. Part of the reason I have had such a wonderful spiritual life is due to my participation in the Notre Dame Voices of Faith Gospel Ensemble.

Upon returning to Notre Dame this fall, I was thrilled with the prospect of having a memorable senior year as part of the Sesquicentennial graduating class. I was even more thrilled upon discovering that Notre Dame Voices of Faith Gospel Ensemble would be one of the participants in the Sesquicentennial Year Opening Mass.

Much to my dismay, my hopes of being a part of this grand event were dashed when I learned that the Voices of Faith were scheduled to sing at 4:40. Contrary to what our directors were told, we sang before mass and not at the beginning of mass along with the other choir. (There is a difference between before and beginning.) In a sense, the powers that be did not intend to include the Voices of Faith in the service. It seems as if we were asked to sing under the pretence of a moment of silence after the Colors and POW/MIA flag had been raised before the Michigan State game.

Ellen Cierznia
C/Capt, AFROTC
Arnold Air Society
Squadron Commander

Letter about apathy made false generalizations.

Dear Editor:

The authors of the recent article in The Observer concerning Notre Dame apathy for some reason felt it was their right and duty to make gross generalizations about the student body of Notre Dame.

Their editorial lacked any real support with the exception of a weak reference to Iraq and mention of a few already well-known student policies.

If these "intellectuals" feel the social and political atmosphere here is not stimulating enough to their standards, I suggest they seek elsewhere for a stimulation.

Kevin Cammarata
Keenan Hall
Sept. 12, 1991

Friday, September 20, 1991

‘My drive in life is from this horrible fear of being mediocre.’

Madonna

Don’t be afraid, submit to:
QUOTES, P.O. Box Q, ND, IN 46556
Dear Editor:

Once again the inevitable battle cry has been sounded to rescue our culture from the injurious injustice of single-sex dormitory life. And once again there will probably be articles in the various student publications calling upon the University to establish co-ed housing. And once again little or nothing will be done about the situation.

This pattern occurs year after year yielding negligible results. I think the time has come for Notre Dame students to wake up, eat, go about their normal pre-football game activities and, instead of going to the game, they boycotted the game and held a huge rally to protest the housing issue.

At first this may seem to be a foolish method of self-punishment, but if every one of us will do exactly what we would happen. First, if all or nearly all of Notre Dame's students found out, it would be a glaring display of the solidarity we feel regarding this issue.

Second, and more importantly, if this boycott were pro­
ceeded by press releases, contingent millions of people would be enlightened about this most egregious predicament. Those with the power would not be too thrilled about the television camera slowly panning across the empty bleachers and then cutting to throngs of students demonstrating outside the stadium.

Also, announcers and reporters would be sobered by the pertinent information to in­clude in their telecasts and newspapers stories.

This type of strategy may not appeal to some, who might view the sacrifice, or for that matter any sacrifice on their part, as too severe. Also, there will be those who could care less about the issue. But for the rest of us, the question is whether we are going to fight this grievance with creativity or are we going to blink innocuously about it from our cocoons of mindlessness.

Tom McDonald
Keenan Hall
Sept. 11, 1991

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Dear Editor:

I don't know if it's occurred to the people in charge of this that we take food from the dining hall in order to feed ourselves. Maybe we don't feel like eating at the limited hours designated for meals or we're too busy at the time, but I thought that the purse that we can eat dining hall was that students were fed as much as they could. It's not as though we're stealing enormous amounts of food to feed the rest of South Bend. And they're paying someone to watch what I take out of the dining hall, someone to put more concrete sidewalks all over the grass, and water the sidewalks.

I can make a couple hundred dollars a week on that same waste that same money. For example, I have some friends at the University for financial problems. O'Shaughnessy could use fans, and they need it. But we must not limit our ac­tion to only University students. Only four years of our lives will be spent at Notre Dame. Over 75 percent of our lives will be in the outside world. Yes, reality will crash down on those of you who decide to remain ignorant, remain apathetic. We must tackle issues that will threaten us when we leave this institution.

Issues of misinformation by the media (Gulf War?), cense­rorship, racism, homophobia and the like. Further expansion on these issues must be left up to you. Future letters may fol­low, either by me or by you.

Please follow Mr. Smith and Mr. Goodwin's request for thought and discussion. Become informed and create a position.

But I ask you to go beyond the thoughtless, search out. Make waves. Try to change our world. If you don’t do anything to change the world we live in then you deserve everything that comes your way.

Michael Zimmer
Fisher Hall
Sept. 16, 1991

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Dear Editor:

Today I went to LaFortune to get one of the refillable mugs— you know, the ones that are better for the environment. On my way back from the student center yesterday I stepped outside and went to dinner, still carrying the mug in my arm. I walked up to the window in and told that I was not allowed to bring the mug into the dining hall.

So we just went to dinner, and on the way out, my roommate reminded me about the signups for the Wednesday Lunch Fest which were at another en­

trance. I picked up my mug and we cut through one of the other rooms to get to the entrance.

On my way through, I put some more soda in the mug. I was sitting on the bench before I picked up the pen to write my name for the bar with the mug. By this time I had to go empty my mug because I was not al­

lowed to take soda out of the dining hall.

So even “please don’t do this again,” but throw the soda away— this from the same uni­

versity that waters the side­
walks every night (making it impossible to get from LaFor­tune to Fisher Hall) on a straight path, incidentally). Isn't it kind of stupid to waste food like that?

The other day, another crimi­nally inclined student—probably another one of those environ­mental justice activists, too—concerned dining hall food dining waste— was halted in her get­
away for absorbing with a yogurt and two peaches. What was she thinking?

CSC's Cultural Diversity Seminar is positive, enlightening experience

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Dear Editor:

"Where are you from?" the familiar question arises. An equally familiar reply is spoken— "just outside Chicago," Yes, I admit, in many ways I belong to the "just outside Chicago" group. Though my residence could otherwise accurately de­scribed with the word nomadic. Since I was born and raised in Chicago or any other city (South Bend included), I knew less than others to know about. My cultural illiteracy led me to wonder about the University's diverse metropolitan environment. This past fall's Cultural Diver­

sity Seminar presented the op­portunity to explore and nur­ture my curiosity.

The Center for Social Concerns hosted the one event in seminar in conjunction with the Urban Life Center in Chicago. The seminar provided me with the chance to dipel fears and gain insight into urban communities: Asian, Latin, African American, White Ethnic, the rich and the super­

rich, the poor, and the super­

poor.

From the day I arrived at Chicago's Urban Life Center, my unacknowledged stereotypes were repeatedly challenged. Before, I had found a certain security in the belief that I knew about diversity. Were not the Latin, the African, and the Mexican Zocoles a virtual
coreopsis of diversity? Soon enough, Arvis Averette, an African American community activist, pulled this curtain apart, not just for me, but for everyone else, and showed us how to approach the African American, South Asian, and Catholic communities in Chicago. We viewed a Puerto Rican play and discovered Hispanic murals with speaker Carlos Cruz.

We saw the infamous Robert Taylor Holmes, the "projects," the middle class, and the wealthy African American neighborhoods. We worked together in a neighborhood
center and a soup line. We learned about safety, transportation and ethnic cuisine. I ate my first bite of soul food, and digested more food for my soul.

How can I present this semi­
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Tailgating DONT TAILGATE

By PAIGE SMORON
Assistant Editor

In a sudden and shocking departure from tradition, yesterday Father Edward "Monk" Monkarino of the Monksers Malloy announced that tailgating would be no, repeat, NO TAILGATING OF ANY KIND. Sources within the Dome confirm that he is "really serious about this time."

Citing the recommendations of a recently appointed Double Secret Task Force, Malloy has concluded that tailgating requires that the vehicle "would only lead to drunkenness."

Malloy concluded that there will be grumbling over the lack of subs, beer, and sweaty drunken students, but is confident that a substitute activity will be found to occupy spirited fans before kick-off.

He has suggested "a nice pre-game mass, possibly with a slide show," but maintains to be open to any well-thought-out proposals, typed double-spaced on letterhead stationery. To thwart any "bad apples" who might thumb their noses at this unprecedented amendment to "Tailgate," park their RV's in White Field without permission and with the full intention of consuming hot dogs with relish and singing the Fight Song in a hoarse and possibly agitating manner, Malloy has issued the following heartfelt plea:

THINK OF THE EXPENSE INVOLVED.

A proper tailgater is a costly undertaking. Why, finding a place to store the gold Volkswagan Bug (that was painted purple) under the Dome is one thing, but paying for it is quite another. The price is $10, white soda $1, beer $2, and mixed drinks $3.

Considering the quality of the food, this price is even higher than it may seem. The food was not horrible, but it was not good enough to pay ten bucks for either. For $10 we were served a 10 by 8 foot antipasto, a lettuce salad, rolls, plastic plates, and even a few port-o-pots.

The Notre Dame community has united in an effort to notify subway alumni of this new policy, so as to lessen the chance of any possible uprisings on the part of season-ticket holders. Last-minute Faxes, T-shirts reading "TAILGATING: DON'T DO IT," and even a special bulletin during WVFI's Rock Lobster Power Hour should insure that there will be no surprises before the Michigan State football game this Saturday.

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The food at this gathering is not free, nor is the drink. No, there is no mooching beer or food off of those people. In order to join this party, you must pay, and pay heavily. The meal itself is $10, white soda $1, beer $2, and mixed drinks $3.

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Fightin' Irish spirit in the off-season alone is a money- squandering endeavor not to be overlooked.

Then there's the added expense of a wide-screen TV for the pre-game "Lou Holtz Show," the rented blimp attached to your RV as a distinguishing landmark, the troupe of Irish dancers you had imported for atmosphere — besides, where are you going to find tickets for ten ruddy redheads?

There are many ingredients that contribute to a successful tailgater, which add up to roughly the equivalent of a year's tuition (ha, ha, no, not that much). Some of the essentials:

- $2,416.98 worth of beer
- Inexpensive suit for the entire family
- Lou Holtz
- Plasma thermos (2)
- Cool Ranch Doritos
- Rules of key
- Wading pool (slide optional)
- Tail gate
- Irish Guards (at least four)
- Duct tape
- Annoying large and inflatable
- ND Marching Band

THINK OF THE RISKS INVOLVED.

One word: Hibachi.

T. DeVine

Though the best seats in the house for football games are in the stadium, limited availability of tickets away games force fans to choose an alternate plan. A number of fans can be found cheering in front of the television.

At home games, football followers take advantage of the various campus sites which telecast the games. The Joyce JACC, La Fortune, the student lounge in the Law Library and the Oak Room all show the games on big-screen TV's for viewing.

"It was surprising how many people trickled in and out during the Indiana game. There were probably 50 people who sat and watched the game here," said Gay Gorbicz, assistant manager of the Oak Room.

Paul Broadhead, operations manager of La Fortune, said that home games are shown on two large screen TV's. "Probably 250 to 300 people watched the Indiana game here," Broadhead said, and we had about 500 people last year for the Miami game.

The games are also replayed at the Oak Room the night following the football games if Notre Dame wins. "Since many students go to the games, they enjoy watching it on TV later," Gorbicz said.

The Alumni Association provides a ten-foot viewing screen for Notre Dame games in Gym 3 of the JACC.

"Last year was the first year this service was offered. At the number of alumni grows each year, more people lose in the lottery."

"We're providing a service which we felt was necessary. So many people come back to campus without tickets. Now they can enjoy the game in a theater-like setting with a perfect view of the Notre Dame fans," said Peter Franca, director of Alumni community service programs.

"We usually show ‘Wake Up The East’ at ten and eleven. Then, WNDU provides the link for the pre-game show and the game, Franca continued.

"Approximately 250 to 300 people watched the Indiana game. The place was packed for the Miami game last year."

Although the Irish and their cheering section may be separated by miles and miles, many Notre Dame supporters are with their team in spirit, watching the away games on televisions in their rooms. Unfortunately, students will not be able to watch the upcoming Notre Dame/Stanford game on campus. The game will be broadcast on ESPN, a cable channel, and there are not cable connections on campus.

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The Subcommittee on Security, however, recommended that the Student Union Board purchase a large-screen TV and show Notre Dame games. The Joyce JACC, La Fortune, the student lounge in the Law Library and the Oak Room all show the games on big-screen TV's for viewing.

"The reason why we wanted to show the Stanford game was because people don't have access to ESPN in their rooms. However, this was exceeded and a large-screen TV was purchased for $11,000," Meg Credon, a SUB commissioner, said.

"Since La Fortune is a public facility, a costly fee would be involved to purchase a site license," Broadhead explained.

All Notre Dame football games will be televised on either NBC or cable. Televisions throughout campus provide places for Notre Dame fans to congregate and cheer on the Fightin' Irish.
Darby O'Gill III: the sesquicentennial spaniel

Quite early last Friday, after a two-week illness, the latter great Darby O'Gill II slipped from the leash, betraying him to the sullen earth, and went home to the playing fields of heaven. He would have been twelve years-old on Dec. 17.

The following evening, on the Sesquicentennial weekend, a nine-week old cocker spaniel from a St. Patrick's puppy farm near Fredericksburg, Virginia, arrived at Notre Dame, sporting the hand-me-down name of Darby O'Gill.

As a puppy, D.O.G. III is a look-alike to both his predecessors. The Darby of the Nineties — available, if needed, as the Sesquicentennial Spaniel, for everything except fund-raising — makes his home in Stanford; but of course every student he meets is immediately his best friend, which is the way Mother Nature must have intended it to be, since no young dog is an island.

Darby II's remains will be cremated, and his ashes will be buried in the Grotto near the ashes of the original Darby, because he came to me as Our Blessed Mother's gift.

When the first Darby was dying because his heart was worn out, I brought him to the Grotto, with the idea to give him a new lease on life. Her answer was: "Let the tired animal rest from his labor, and I will send you a younger version." "Darby can't come any go, you may think, noticing how seem- sly the changing of the guard took place last week. The truth is that at my age, the loss of a companion you've made yourself responsible for hurts in un- expected ways.

I keep feeling that by dying, Darby II has let me down. So much of me was invested in him; then he became sick; and in two weeks, it was over.

Meeting the new dog, I felt mostly tired at the thought of becoming dependent again on a short-lived animal. But if he's disappointed in me, he doesn't show it.

Holding the pup — warm, squirming, and not housebored, scarcely weighing five pounds — in my cupped hands, I'm surprised to discover that he's more wonderful in his capacity for affection than any- thing else that exists.

Happiness is not a warm perky kitten, or velveteen rabbit. Happiness is a face-licking puppy on the make; and these aren't a horse, lamb, or puppy that anywhere could give you such undivided attention.

If the child is father of the man, then the pup is father of the seasoned sire, blind to the faults of the master who pro- vides for him thoughtfully and lovingly.

A vicious man can ruin his pet seriously, to train that bundle of undisciplined instincts and energies, teaching him good habits so that he can lead you to love him.

As a priest who is now on the way to breaking in his third Darby O'Gill, for use as a cam- pus minister, I've wondered if there are perceptions of truth that my beasties have that I don't have. Is the Voice, more instant than the beating feet, round him like a bursting sea, saying: "I am He whom thou seest?"

I dreamed that I died myself, and as soon as I passed through passport control in the celestial country, I met Brother Visitor, former rector of Stan- ford who passed away last De- cember.

After greeting me, he said: "I hope you haven't been worried about the dog. I've been keep- ing an eye on him until you came." I give you my word that I didn't make this up. Here is a piece of writing not my own, that I use at every dog funeral that I attend. "God summoned a beast from the field and he said, Behold man, created in my image. "Therefore adore him. You shall protect, you shall serve, feed, cherish his flock, watch over his children, ac- company him wherever he may go — even unto civilization. Through him shall be his companion, his ally, his slave.

"To do these things, God said, I endow you with these in- stincts uncommon to other beasts: faithfulness, devotion, and understanding surpassing those of man himself. "Least it impair your courage, you shall never foreseen your death. Least it impair your loyalty, you shall be blind to the faults of man. Least it impair your understanding, you are denied the power of words.

Let no fault of language cleave an accord beyond that of man with any other beast — or even man with man. Speak to your master only with your mind, and through your honest eyes. "Walk by his side, sleep in his doorway, forsoe his ward, carry his burdens, share his affliction, love him and comfort him. And in return for this, man will fulfill your needs and wants — which shall be only food, shelter, and affection."

"So be silent, and be a friend to man. Guide him through the peril along the way to the land that I have promised Him. This shall be your destiny and your immortality. So spoke the Lord. And the dog heard and was content."

God has allowed me to live to see my third Darby. How is he different from the first two? For the time being at least, I don't have to worry about putting the lid on the toilet seat down, because his legs are too short for him to drink form the bowl. As the Darby of the Nineties, I hope I have him housebroken by the time the new millennium arrives. He has never said that he God didn't love you.

**Father Robert Griffin**

Letters to a Lonely God

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WANTED: Of campus roommate
Furnished. Call Jen @ x2173
Wanted: Faculty advisor for
prestigious turning
Afterlecture club
Call Chris X223

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SENIORS!!!!!!
OC looks to repeat; Grace and man in way

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Writer

editor's note: This is the final part of a three-part series previewing the fall football season.

The Parisian division of the interball football league begins play this Sunday, and as the teams gear up for yet another year of competition, the best teams come from this division. Off-Campus will be looking to duplicate last year's championship run, but will be without the playing time from the rest of the division, especially Grace and Morrissey.

Dillon
The Big Red has big expectations entering the new season, and for good reason. A number of promising newcomers join a solid base of talented veterans to give Dillon a formidable unit.

Quarterback Chris Smariga will be the leader of the Dillon's offensive attack, but he won't be alone. Tailback Derrick Fluhme and fullback Anthony Corsetta will provide an abundance of talent at ground game. Combined with a young offensive line, Dillon will have little trouble against top defenses.

Hard hitting linebacker Dan Schmidt and lineman Sean Grace will bring fear to opposing offenses, as will the rest of the Dillon defense.

"If everything comes together, we should have an exciting year," said coach Paul Drue.

Dillon faces defending inter-ball champion Off-Campus in its season opener.

Off-Campus
Coach Steve Fortunato is doing his best Lou Holtz impersonation, as the coach speaks of his team's chances this season.

"We have had a lot of transfers, and we are very excited," he said. "It's going to be difficult for us to repeat.

Just as Holtz does, Fortunato may be laying it on a bit thick. Each year The Crime fields one of the league's most talented teams and this year should be no exception.

Offensively the team will rely on Quarterback Paul Novak, and his offensive line will lead the way. Holtz-like Fortunato refers to as "well rounded." On the defense, Fortunato will look to his so-called "decent" crew to "tie up" the opposition.

Belles hoping for win vs St. Joseph's

By BRIDGET MCCOURT
Sports Writer

The Saint Mary's soccer team will be travelling to St. Joseph's Colonnades on Sunday, September 22nd with a chance of improving its stellar 3-0-1 record. The Belles will be playing in the Division II school with the boost in confidence they got from winning the Wooster College Tournament last weekend.

A win in this game would prove that Saint Mary's soccer can compete with the nation's best teams in the area and the nation. The Belles will rely on a strong defense led by senior co-captain Kelly Cook and an aggressive offense with senior co-captain Greer Gilliland, junior Stacy Winger and sophomore Megan Daleo.

The next home game for the Belles will be on Tuesday, September 24 at 4 p.m. at Goshen College.

Sports Briefs

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Blue Division up for grabs

BY ELAINE J.C. DEBASSIGE Sports Writer

The Blue league is full of teams with experienced defenses. However, only Farley, Knott and P.E. have returning quarterbacks. A preview of the Blue league:

FARLEY Farley jumps into the season with some confidence. They will try and improve on last year's 4-1 record. The Finest have a lot of experience on their team and are reassured by the presence of their senior quarterback, Laura Sommersedd. Other teams will have to watch out for the quick defense. Lewis will be Farley's first test on Sunday.

LEWIS Lewis has had some trouble this year with an inexperienced offense. The Chickens will turn to junior quarterback, Kristen Kirwan to guide them through the season. "Kristin has good field vision," said coach Mike Morelli. The Chicken defense is strong and will be headed by senior linebacker J.B. Hayes.

PASQUERILLA EAST P.E. loaded with motivated freshmen. Junior Almer Nocera and senior Christine Holzbrenker bring a lot of leadership and experience to the Pyros.

The team is basically rebuilding this season. "We have a dedicated group of people playing," said captain Nina Debray. P.E. opens their season with P.W. at Carrier this Sunday.

PASQUERILLA WEST P.W. will try to better their last year's 3-7-1 record appearance. "We look forward to seeing them develop by the end of the season," said coach Chip Mallin. P.W.'s offense will be directed by first year quarterbacks Bethany Riddle and Eileen Mee. Speed will be key with the Weasles quick backfield of Jenny Tais, Tanya Peters, and Bridget Graham. Defensively, the players to be are Kristin Gafett, Carrie Cott, Jen Mee, and others.

SIEGFRIED Siegfried is returning a talented squad, but most of their team is comprised of new faces. Freshman quarterback, Marc McNeil will do her best in leading the team this season. Siegfried kicks off his season Sunday against Knott.

KNOTT The Angels have gotten off to a slow start this year, but should be ready for their opener against Siegfried on Sunday.

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down, beating All-American cornerback Lance Dottin for a 35-yard score.

"He runs very good routes, he's been gifted with speed, and he utilizes his speed in his routes, and he's improved his hands," says Holtz.

Smith honed his speed running track in high school. After running on the state championship 4x100m relay team his junior year, Smith finished second in the state in the 110-m hurdles his senior year.

"Running the hurdles definitely helped me as far as my agility and keeping my balance," Smith says. "It really helped my flexibility. It helped me to stay flexible."

The chief reason Smith has had so many passes coming his way is that he runs sharp routes and knows how to get open, but that doesn't come without a great deal of prac-

"He has developed over the years a very good work habit, which he did not have his spring semester his sophomore year, but at the same time he hadn't played much. Sometimes that makes a difference. All of sudden, you start to get on the field your work habits start to improve a bit and doing things the right way," Holtz says.
San Diego (AP) — David Justice singled home the go-ahead run in the 10th inning and the Atlanta Braves beat the San Diego Padres 4-2 Thursday night to remain one-half game behind Los Angeles heading into their weekend showdown.

The Braves, trailing the Dodgers by one-half game in the NL West, begin a three-game series Friday night in Los Angeles. Last weekend, the Braves won two of three in Atlanta against the Dodgers.

In the 10th, Lovie Smith singled off Craig Lefferts (1-6) and first baseman Fred McGriff's double error on Vinny Castilla's bunt put runners on second and third. Terry Pendleton was intentionally walked, Justice singled and Ron Gant followed with a sacrifice fly.

Mark Wohlers (2-1) survived a bases-loaded jam in the ninth, getting Tom Lampkin on an inning-ending groundout. Alejandro Pena finished for his 10th save.

Dodgers 4, Astros 3

Los Angeles — Darrell Strawberry hit a two-run homer in the first inning and Los Angeles held Houston Astros for its fourth consecutive victory.

Kevin Gross (10-10) allowed two runs and three hits in seven innings and the Dodgers won 4-3.

Pirates 5, Cardinals 1

Pittsburgh — Pinch-hitter Curtis Wilkerson's grand slam capped a five-run ninth inning. Pittsburgh cut its magic number to four, increasing its lead in the NL East to 12 1/2 games, its largest since Sept. 16, 1972.

Rookie Omar Olivares (9-6) allowed one hit in nine innings and David Sappelt (7-5) pitched a perfect ninth.


Stan Bellinda (7-5) pitched a perfect ninth in relief of John Smiley, who allowed six hits in eight innings.

Giants 4, Reds 1

San Francisco — The defending World Series champion, was pushed to the brink to elimination as San Francisco scored three runs in the eighth, helped by squeeze bunts from Dave Anderson and Jose Uribe.

With the score tied 1-1 in the eighth, Willie McGee doubled, Robby Thompson was hit by a pitch from Randy Myers (6-13) and Kevin Bass walked. Anderson broke the tie with a bunt to Myers, whose wild throw home enabled Thompson to score for a 3-1 lead. Uribe's successful squeeze capped the rally.

Francisco Olivaras (6-5) pitched a scoreless eighth and Dave Righetti finished for his 24th save as the Giants won their fifth straight.

Mariners 10, Royals 5

Seattle — Ken Griffey Jr. hit his AL-leading third grand slam of the season and the Seattle Mariners rallied for six runs in the sixth inning Thursday night, beating the Kansas City Royals 10-5.

Kevin Appier took a 5-1 lead into the sixth, but the Mariners chased him with four consecutive hits, including a two-run double by Dave Valle. Griffey capped the inning with his 21st homer, a drive off Tom Gordon (9-12). The Mariners had five hits in the inning and sent 10 men to the plate, taking a 7-5 lead.

Alvin Davis added a three-run double in the eighth. Griffey doubled in the ninth and scored on Mike Cameron's sacrifice fly.

Mariners' reliever Jeff Nelson (1-0) gave up a solo home run to George Brett and a two-run homer to Dan Quisenberry for his 13th save.

Texas got the go-ahead runs in the fifth when Finley walked Julio Franco and Ruben Sierra. They pulled off a double steal and Juan Gonzalez hit a two-run single. The Rangers stalked Ryan to a 3-1 lead with single runs in the first, third and fourth innings but the Angels came back to tie it.

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When asked how much water he would need tonight, Courier quipped Thursday as the clay demands.

Men's and women's tennis have evolved to some extent from a time when the court strategy was back-and-forth serving to one in which the best tennis players spend a lot of time on the baseline. A key figure in this evolution is the German tennis star Boris Becker, who came on the scene to the likes of Jim Connors and John McEnroe in the late 1970s and early 1980s. Becker's two-handed backhand and powerful serve were a new look for the game, and his success led to the development of a new generation of players who were more suited to hard courts and indoor carpets.

For the moment, though, he's serving better when Andre's doing all those things, he's really difficult to beat.
Lady linksters to Lansing for Invite
By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

If history repeats itself, it should be a very successful weekend for the Notre Dame women’s golf team as they travel to East Lansing for Michigan State’s annual Spartan Fall Invitational.

It will be difficult for coach Tom Hanlon’s team to improve on last year’s outstanding showing at Michigan State. In the first two rounds of the tournament, the Irish fired back-to-back school records of 332 and 316 before a final round 333 left the team in sixth place at 971 against the strongest fields they faced all season.

“That was the best we’ve ever done in terms of score and placement among the stronger teams,” said Hanlon.

Senior captians Allison Wojnas led the Irish last weekend with a three round total of 247 and she will have to repeat that performance if the team hopes to contend at Michigan State. Sophomores Chrissy Klein and Alice Murray, who each finished last weekend’s 64-hole event at 252, will also have to continue their outstanding play if the Irish are to be successful. Sophomore Denise Paulin and Jennifer Nigon and freshman Kathleen Cooper will round out the Irish lineup.

Defending champion Penn State highlights a strong field that includes host Michigan State, Iowa, Illinois State, Northern Illinois, Nebraska and Purdue among many others.

Hanlon realizes that the team is far from quite a challenge this weekend; but he is confident that the Irish will respond.

“They have a good attitude and they’ve been more and more confident in their play each week,” he noted.

Their two more fall tournaments remain on the team’s schedule. The Irish will travel to Champaign, Illinois for the Lady Northern Invitational hosted by the University of Illinois next weekend, followed by the Northern Illinois University Invitational in DeKalb, Illinois on October 4-5.

Men headed to Cincy
Special to the Observer

The Notre Dame men’s golf team travels to Cincinnati, Ohio this weekend to compete in the 36-hole University of Cincinnati Invitational.

The team is coming off a third-place finish at last weekend’s Indiana Intercollegiate Golf Championships played on Purdue University’s South Course. Finishing just three strokes behind champion Purdue and out shot behind second-place Ball State.

Notre Dame’s Chris Dayton led the way with an 84 in the first round with a second round 79 for a total of 163. Steve Carlock fired a 74 and finished in second place at 148. Brad Chesterman of Purdue defeated Dayton on the first playoff hole to earn the individual title. Dayton earned his second consecutive academic honors.

Junior Joe Dennen was just one shot off the pace with a 36-hole total of 143. Mike Crisanti was next for the Irish, firing rounds of 69 and 74 to finish tied for 10th.

Captain Mike O’Connell recovered from a disappointing 83 in the first round with a second round 74, good enough to earn him a tie for 33rd place. Jay Johnstrud rounded out the Irish lineup with a 159 total to tie for 61st place.

Eagles land at ACC for weekend volleyball match
By RENE FERRAN
Associated Sports Editor

After three weeks away from the friendly confines of the Joyce ACC, the Notre Dame volleyball team returns home for a two-game homestand.

The Irish (5-1) open with Boston College this Sunday at noon before closing their brief stay with a Tuesday night match with Villanova.

Notre Dame rides sky high into this weekend’s matches, having won the Southwest Missouri State Classic last Saturday with a five-set victory over the host Bears. Along the way, the Irish knocked off 14th-ranked Ohio State in three games in one of their biggest matches of the season.

“One of the goals we set in the preseason was to target a few teams that we wanted to focus on and felt like we had a chance to beat. Ohio State was one of them,” said Notre Dame coach Debbie Brown. 

Sophomore setter Janelle Karlan, with her 1.22 K-per-set average, and her digs and four aces, was named MVP of the tournament, while three other Irish players—senior Chiquette and juniors Alix Turner and Jessica Firebokres—were named to the all-tournament team.

“I’ve said from the beginning that it’s important for us that Janelle play well for us,” Brown said. “She blocked well, she served well, and her winning honors says a lot for the way she’s been playing and developing.”

(But) Alix continues to be our steadier performer. She passes very well, and that doesn’t show on any stat sheet.

“We’re a bit ahead of where I had anticipated we’d be,” Brown noted. “Looking at our schedule, the teams we were playing, I thought we could start off well, but I didn’t think we’d be 5-1 at this point.

“The thing that has been most pleasing to me has been that we’ve gotten behind in matches or games against good teams and have been able to come back and win.”

Notes: Sunday’s match has been moved up from its original 2:00 p.m. starting time. The match will begin at noon...Turner, an Irish co-captain, leads the team in kills (79), digs (74), assists (257) and is tied with fellow co-captain Chiquette in service aces (7).

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**Men hope to ignite again against MSU**

By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

Afer being held scoreless in the season's first two games, the Notre Dame men's soccer team exploded for a 5-0 win over Central Michigan Wednesday night.

Coach Mike Berticelli's team will have to continue their dominance on both sides of the ball in order to be successful this weekend. Michigan State visits Moose Krause Stadium tonight at 7:30 pm and 1990 NCAA finalist Evansville comes to Alumni Field at 2:00 pm Sunday afternoon.

The Spartans will put a 2-2 record on the line tonight against the 1-2 Irish. Junior Steve McCaul and sophomore Doug Conley will be the focal points of Notre Dame's defensive attack, which held Central Michigan to only two shots on goal. McCaul has notched two goals and one assist this season and Conley has four assists.

Berticelli is pleased with the offensive output against Central Michigan, but he isn't quite satisfied with his young team's emotions on the field.

"We need to improve our composure and become a little more patient on offense," he commented.

Notre Dame is 3-2-3 against Michigan State, including a 4-0-1 record at home. The Spartans won last year's match 2-0 in East Lansing.

After tonight's tough battle with Michigan State, the Irish will have only one day to prepare for defending Midwestern Collegiate Conference champion Evansville. The Ace, who finished the 1990 regular season with a 22-0-2 record, have won 17 straight conference games since 1989. With David Weir, the nation's leading goal scorer in 1990, out with an injury, the Aces have fallen to a 2-3-1 record in 1991.

Despite their misfortune in the early going, the Aces will still be a difficult obstacle for the Irish to overcome. Berticelli, however, believes the motivation and intensity the young team has displayed will carry them through some tough matches.

"Our players have a great attitude and commitment," he said. "This group of guys are competitors."

That competitive spirit will have to come out this weekend if the Irish hope to continue their winning ways against two quality teams.

**Irish hope Spartans don't spoil streak**

By MIKE SCRUDATO
Sports Writer

Off to its most successful start ever at 2-0-2, the Notre Dame women's soccer team hopes to continue its winning ways this afternoon against Michigan State at 4 p.m. at Alumni Field. The Irish are coming off a fine performance last weekend in Cincinnati, Ohio, where they defeated Cincinnati, 4-0, and tied Vanderbilt, 3-3.

The Spartans are entering this year's game at 2-2, and are returning 10 starters from last year's team which lost a close 2-1 contest to the Irish. Despite their experience, the offense is led by freshman Karen Winslow, who has scored four goals in her first four games at the collegiate level. Another Michigan State scoring threat is sophomore Becky DeVitt. She has scored twice this season.

The stingy Spartan defense is anchored by junior goalkeeper, Andrea Gerbi, who has recorded two shutouts in the young season. She will be faced with a tough task—shutting down an offense that has scored seven goals in its last two games.

"The two teams are very even; they match up well," Irish coach Chris Petrucci said. "We tied in the spring so this game should be a difficult one for us."

To win, Notre Dame needs to continue their effective success and not commit any mistakes on defense. It was a few mistakes that cost them a win last Sunday against Vanderbilt, a game in which they outplayed the Lady Commodores.

"We are expecting a very physical, close game. They always play us well," said Irish sophomore forward Alison Lester. "We have been playing well one game, and then not so well the next game. We have to start giving 100 percent every game."

Defensively, Notre Dame will be trying to regain the form the shut out three teams prior to the Vanderbilt game. They do so, they will rely on keeper Michelle Lodyga, and two other two触摸downs in that contest.

But it has been this season that Smith has really made his presence felt. Against Indiana he had two catches for 43 yards, and against Michigan he caught five passes for a career-high 121 yards with one touchdown.

By RICH KURZ
Associate Sports Editor

With age comes wisdom, and something else—smarts. As the Notre Dame women's soccer team played an 'emotional' game last week, the Irish hope Spartans don't spoil streak.

"Skip and I are good friends on the field and off," Smith said. "Since he's here, he's always been in my corner. He taught me a lot, showed me a lot and he's always had confidence in me." Holtz found a responsive pupil. After playing a total of just over 73 minutes his sophomore year, while not starting a single game, Smith emerged as the starter at split end by his junior year.

Holtz logged over 167 minutes of playing time his junior year while starting all 12 games, posting his best numbers in the loss to Stanford. He caught five passes for 78 yards and two touchdowns in that contest.

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Carrying a bigger burden

By RENE FERRAN
Associate Sports Editor

The world's first impression of sophomore fullback Jerome Bettis is, as he puts it in the media guide, "that I'm big and mean."

He'd be the type that would intimidate his hero, Earl Campbell, a runner who "would go around you if he could, put his shoulder into your chest if he wanted to, and be effective either way."

But there's a whole lot more to Jerome Bettis than first impressions would lead you to think.

"He's a pretty nice guy to just about everyone," said sophomore Bill Siemer, one of his neighbors in Alumni Hall. "He hasn't let football go to his head."

"He's got a real selfless, effervescent personality," said running back coach Tom Beck. "He's completely trustworthy, completely dependable."

Bettis came into Notre Dame last season with a portfolio of honors few could match: Parade All-American; rated as one of the top 400 incoming freshmen by six top publications; Gatorade Circle of Champions Player of the Year for Michigan at Mackenzie High School in Detroit.

But Bettis didn't take the campus by storm. An ankle injury hampered his early season progress, and besides, the youngster was adjusting to a whole new environment:

"When I first got here, I didn't know what to expect," said Bettis. "No one that I knew went here, so I knew nothing about this place."

"I thought he'd be a good player when he came here, but the first month, he had a bad ankle, so we didn't know (for sure)," said Irish head coach Lou Holtz. "But near the end of last year, I knew he'd be a good player."

And nothing has stood in his way since.

Jerome led the Irish in rushing against both Indiana and Michigan—against the Hoosiers, he picked up a career-high 111 yards on only 11 carries. At 5-11, 247 pounds, he presents a formidable load for opposing defenses to stop.

"Every time I get the ball, I like to run with it," said a grinning Bettis. "But when there is no escape, I just lower my shoulder and make somebody pay. That way, next time he might not be so aggressive."

But at the same time, Bettis knows that there is a lot of work still to be done.

"I'm just a sophomore," he said. "I'm nowhere near as good as I'm capable of being. If I just work hard and improve like I should, then everything will take care of itself."

"When I receive criticism, I don't take it in a negative way, I listen to what they say and try to correct what I did wrong."

And it's this willingness to listen, according to his coaches, is one of his greatest assets.

"He's a guy with ability who listens to you and is truly paying attention," Beck said. "He's always striving to be better. Some people with his ability wouldn't do that."

But foremost in his coaches' praise is one theme: Jerome is a team player.

"Number one, he's very much a team man," Holtz said. "He's as happy blocking as he is running the football."

"I think you get more out of football when you know it's a team effort, when you're not out for yourself, but working as part of a team," Bettis explained.

One of his main duties this year will be picking up the tough yards in short-yardage situations. The past few seasons, this role has been filled by two of the best: Anthony Johnson (now with the Indianapolis Colts) and senior Rodney Culver, who moved to tailback this season.

While some players might shy away from this responsibility, however, Bettis relishes the opportunity to prove himself.

"You never get away from the criticism, so every chance that I get to show that I can pick up the tough yards, I want to succeed," Bettis said. "I get my mind set that I'm going to get that first down, no matter what it takes."

Another aspect of the fullback job is blocking, especially on one of Holtz's favorite plays, the option. While Bettis' 111 yards against Indiana garnered most of the attention, Beck noted it was his key blocks that sprang quarterback Rick Mirer's 46-yard touchdown run and Culver's 19-yarder only moments later.

"I feel that I've really improved in my blocking, and it's starting to show," Bettis said.

"At stage of development, it's refining the small points, like having a wider base to become a better blocker," Beck said. "He works hard to correct any errors in his technique."

For Notre Dame to succeed this season, however, Holtz realizes that he will have to call on option...
New coach enters Irish ranks

By JENNIFER MARTEN
Sports Writer

From his handshake, it is easy to see why first year running back coach Tom Beck has been so successful in his life. He is a man of strength and determination with a knack for making others feel comfortable in his presence.

The Chicago native made his back coach Tom Beck has been to see why first year running by Jennifer Marten.

Beck is proud of his college coaching history. All of his teams at the three schools were nationally ranked and led the nation in total offense in their respective divisions.

“There is a lot of enjoyment in taking a program that was down and lifting it to a position of respectability,” said Beck. “I enjoy the responsibility and decision making involved in being a head coach.”

Nonetheless, Beck was happy to give up a head coaching job for his current position here at Notre Dame.

“Notre Dame is a special place. It is tops in college coaching circles,” said Beck.

Right now, he is accepting the challenge of his role as an assistant with the same determination and positive attitude he has faced the other challenges in his life.

“He loves coaching,” said sophomore fullback Jerome Bettis. “I think he’d rather coach than do anything else. He enjoy the responsibility and determination with a knack for making others feel comfortable in his presence.”

Beck is the head coach at Grand Valley State in Allendale, Mich. In his six year tenure, Beck captured the Lakers, a team that finished 0-10 in 1984, to six straight winning seasons.

He also had the winning touch during his eight-year stay at Elmhurst (Ill.) College and his five-year stay at Illinois Benedictine College in Lisle, Ill.

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A rough introduction

By DAVE McMADON
Associate Sport Editor

Coordinating a defense that allowed an average of 390.3 de-
fensive yards per game in his first four years as head coach
presented Gary Darnell with something he had never been ac-
quainted to—a lackluster defense. Despite a defense that was
home to four All-Americans, Darnell believes the players should
bear some of the blame for last season's defensive woes.

"The position of coordinator is in a sense a 'position of
last resort,'" said Darnell in his second year at the helm. "I
think I made some poor deci-
sions at one point last year. We
had some injuries, and I knew
we were going to have some problems with the youth of the
secondary, but I was re-
alized in the decisions I made in how to deal with the
problems." With that level of experience, it's no wonder that he felt as he did
during the 1989 season.

Darnell snagged his first head coaching position in 1983, begin-
ing a two-year stint with Tennessee Tech. The 1977 Tar
Heel linebackers ranked first in the nation in total defense.

As defensive coordinator, Darnell plays the role of gar-
therer—that is, of information seeker. Considering the ideas of
defensive line coach Dick Bumpus, inside linebackers
defensive coordinator, Darnell to begin what he
would count for something

Gary Darnell

same spot in Darnell's first year at Florida.

"I've been coaching for 22 years from every angle, every
everything you can possibly do it at," said Darnell. "I'd like to
think that would count for something if someone would need leader-
ship in a program. If I felt comfortable with the vision of the particu-
lar school, I would welcome a chance at the trip.

"I'm at my last college assis-
tant's job. I don't want to be an assistant anywhere else
right than here and that's all there is to it."

With the loss of former Irish defensive coordinator Barry
 Alvarez in 1989 to an assistant head coaching position at the
University of Wisconsin, Darnell received a call from Irish Head Coach Lou Holtz. The decision to leave sunny Florida allowed
Darnell to begin what he
antipate will be an even

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The tie marks ND-MSU rivalry

By ANTHONY KING
Assistant Sports Editor

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Irish Football '91
Two teams on the rebound

Duckett, Hawkins lead Spartan attack into South Bend

By DAVE DIETEMAN

Sports Editor

As Michigan State rolls into Notre Dame Stadium on the backs of its 30-game winning streak against Central Michigan, there are those who would give the Spartans an "intangible" edge in virtue of their desire to avenge past sins. Yet to give George Perles' Spartans such a supposed emotional advantage would be to ignore one crucial fact: that Notre Dame suffered a hard­fought and painful 24-14 loss at the hands of Michigan last week.

So while the two teams may be equally motivated to succeed Saturday, their vendettas look to cancel each other out. The other faces of the

Spartan game, then, merit a closer look.

Michigan State has a typical Big Ten offense, with a powerful running back (Tico Duckett), a valuable receiving back (Courtney Hawkins) and a workhorse at quarterback (Bret Johnson). In fact, the Spartans offensive juggernaut has been negated by Dureign's cover three on the offenses of both Indiana and Michigan. Notre Dame's two previous opponents.

In one respect, however, the Spartans offense is different—it has the most gigantic offensive line that the Irish will face this season, from Stanford, with an average weight of 295 pounds.

"Michigan State is a very physical football team," said Holtz. "They play very, very hard, always have an outstanding defense, and they usually more difficult to run on or score on than any other team we play.

Taliback Tico Duckett, a combine Heisman Trophy candidate whose running abilities mirror those of Michigan's Ricky Powers and Indiana's Vaughn Dunbar, recently surpassed the 2,000 career yard mark. Duckett's name has been preceded heading the list of nearly every pre-season All-American list published, and his career 23.5 yards per carry average provides good justification for all the hype. Fullback Brice Abrams, meanwhile, who had two carries for eight yards last week, is the quintessential blocking back.

"Tico Duckett is an outstanding tailback," observed Holtz, "and they give him the ball a lot. He's definitely as good as Powers and Dunbar.

But unfortunately for Notre Dame, Duckett (21 rushes, 95 yds. vs. Central Michigan) is not the only weapon in the Spartans' collection of offensive tools. Flanker Courtney Hawkins—who also takes care of Michigan State's punt return duties—should give the maturing Irish secondary a trial by fire.

Conversely, Hawkins (three recs., 58 yards) leads Michigan State open up its offense to a degree, but he ought to be the only receiver which gives the Irish nightmares. Starting split end Mark MacFarland (three recs., 19 yards) is not on the same footing as regular starter Brian Howard, who is expected to miss the entire season with a shoulder injury. Tight end Kurt Prins, on the other hand, is primarily used as a blocker (two recs., two yards).

DEFENSE

Spartan coach George Perles prefers a 4-3 defensive alignment, and especially prefers facing pure pass quarterbacks. Like the famed Pittsburgh Steelers' 'Steel Curtain,' a Perles product, the Spartan defense has a marked tendency to bend but not break. Middle linebacker Ch帮助 Bulkhead, who had nine tackles on the game, and linebacker Michigan (12 unassisted, seven assist)n. In addition to an interception, which returned 16 yards is a highly-touted Butkus Award candidate, and can make the day a long one for the Irish running backs. Outside backers Rich Glover (six unassisted, four assisted) and Ernest Steward (one unassisted, one assisted) are also quality players, who are quick enough to provide pass cover­ age and blitz when necessary.
Young asserts himself on line
Sophomore catapults from obscurity into starting job

BY DAVE McMAHON
Associate Sports Editor

The best way to change something you don't like is to do something about it.

Notre Dame defensive end Junior Bryant beamed such words last spring, and the result this fall catapulted the sophomore into a starting role on the Irish defense.

Sophomore Bryant Young (6-3, 250) played primarily on special teams last year, making 92 appearances. He took advantage of limited action at defensive tackle, earning a letter despite playing in only seven games as a defensive tackle.

"Last year I just wanted to get my feet wet and get some playing time. I knew that going into spring ball that I had the chance to be a starter," said Young. "Getting the letter as a freshman was one of the goals I had for last season.

One of his goals for this season is to continue improvement during every game, a task that Young has aptly fulfilled thus far. In his first career start against Indiana, Young posted three tackles, an unsatisfactory effort as far as he was concerned.

"Last week, somebody must have forgotten to tell Young that he was colliding head-on with Michigan All-America Greg Skrepenak. The results were astounding—eight tackles with two for a combined loss of five yards. Young believes even better performances are around the corner."

I had some good plays last week, but I also made some mistakes," said Young, a Parade All-America coming out of Bloom Township High School in Chicago Heights, Ill. "There's room for improvement. I need to get better at what I do each game.

The leading solo tackler among Irish defensive tackles with nine, Young credits much of his success to last year's waiting game, in which two-year starter Bob Dahl and Boo Williams held the starting positions.

"Watching the older guys helped me pick up some things," Young, who had four solo tackles last season. "It helped me along the way just watching what they were able to do.

With Williams no longer on the team, Young and the rest of the inexperienced defensive front have their work cut for them. If Young fails in any way, he knows what looms ahead—a spot on the outside looking in.

"We've got guys that really work," said Young, who doubled as a tight end in high school. "If you slack up, your position can easily be taken away from you. You have to be consistent and do what you're told."

So far, Young has proven that he's comfortable with his new role. It's a role he almost played out at the University of Michigan.

"Notre Dame was a school I really loved as a kid," said Young. "But Michigan was a school that I looked forward to going to. Then I came here and the atmosphere and tradition changed those plans.

Saturday, Young hopes to change some plans himself—those of the Michigan State offensive line.

Smith acknowledged as leader of AFROS

BY RICH KURZ
Associate Sports Editor

Doing things the right way doesn't come naturally for Bryant Young. Smith runs his routes or concentrates on the ball. Skip Holtz expects quite a bit more from the most veteran member of the starting defensive line, which has nicknamed itself AFROS, or America's Finest Receivers on Saturday.

"He's at meetings on time, he knows what he's supposed to do, he's the first guy in line, he's the leader of the group, he's a spokesperson," Holtz says.

"He handles himself in a very classic way, and he's been great for the younger guys. He's been a teacher, making sure you do this on a route or do that, and they all do that, but Tony being the example is what the younger's kind of looked up to by everybody else. He's been a joy for me, makes his job easier."

The leadership position isn't one that Smith shies away from, in fact he accepts it with pride.

"The seniors on our team, it's our duty to step forward in each position and take a leadership role," says Smith.

While the senior says his primary concern right now is to help the team win a national championship, thoughts of playing in the National Football League are tucked in the back of his mind.

"He's not at that (NFL) stage yet, but he's certainly talented enough," says Holtz. "If the speed to play there and he's tough enough, I don't think there's any doubt about that. If he keeps working at it, he's going to get there. He's not there yet, but I do believe he'll play in the NFL someday.

Says Smith of his future: "After college football I have to look at myself and at the whole situation as to what I want to do and then go straight ahead."

As for now, Smith and the rest of the wide receivers will concentrate on catching everything the quarterbacks throw their way, while Smith will enjoy the fruits of his labor and continue to cultivate his relationship with his position coach.

"I have the utmost respect for Tony, the way he's worked, everything he's come through and the way he's progressed," says Holtz.

And hopefully, the knowledge Smith has gained and the work habits he's developed will translate into future success for the split end. Even if takes some time.

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Grading the Teams

OFFENSIVE LINE - Even Michigan State's gargantuan average 286 pounds. Notre Dame, on the other hand, averages only 284 pounds, with Justin Hart (297) the heaviest player. Both units are experienced and dependable.

DEFENSIVE LINE - Even George Perles favors a four-man front, and his defenses have a marked tendency to bend but not break. The Irish defense is simply underrated. The intangible is how much pressure Notre Dame can put on Bret Johnson.

LINEBACKERS - Irish Demetrius DuBose, Devon McDonald, Pates Barcich and Anthony Peterson turned in a respectable showing against Michigan. Middle linebacker Chuck Bullock is Michigan State's Bulkus Award candidate, while outside backers Rich Glover and Ernest Steward are also quality players.

SECONDARY - Even Michigan State boasts two exceptional corners, Alan Haller and Mark MacFarland. In addition to a pair of speedy safeties, the Irish defense has the opportunity.

RUNNING BACKS - Even While Rodney Culver and Jerome Bettis should keep Perles' defense busy, Duckett and fullback Brice Abrams can be expected to return the favor. Although Duckett is a Heisman trophy candidate, he will be a marked man.

QUARTERBACK - Even While Holtz has called Mirer's comeback performance against Michigan "exceptional," Holtz was hot on the recruiting trail of Spartan QB Bret Johnson only two years ago. Both Mirer and Johnson are fine passers, and the teams have comparable depth at the position.

SPECIAL TEAMS - Spartans Placekickers Craig Henrich and Bill Stoyanovich are reliable workhorses, as is Spartan punter Josh Butland. The speedy Hawkins handles the return position.

RECEIVERS - Irish Hawkins helps Michigan State open up its offense to a degree, but split end Tony Smith, and tanker Lake Dawson will stunt the Spartans, if given the opportunity.

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feels great about his job here. Beck loves working with the players here because they are not above taking coaching. "As a coach, I want to impart knowledge and make sure they are giving 110% in the task at hand," said Beck.

Beck's methods have been relatively successful thus far this season. His crew of backs have gained 405 yards on 83 carries for an average of 4.9 yards per run against Indiana and Michigan.

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on option number one. He's one of the guys that we have to get the ball to on a regu-
lar basis," he said. "I don't think there's any doubt we want the ball in his hands an awful lot more."

This way, opposing defenders can decide what to think of Jerome Bettis.

"He brings a positiveness to the team," said Bettis. "At the end of practice when everyone's feeling beat, he can pick everyone up. He's a teacher, not a preacher."

Beck has a deep respect for the other coaches and has enjoyed the camaraderie of the Irish coaching staff.

"On and off the field, there's a good chemistry between the coaches. Egos interfere with the cohesion of the staff, here, there are no egos."

Beck is clearly enjoying his new job and is prepared to do the best he can while he is here.
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**Spartans to Watch**

**George Perles**

The Spartans' head coach has compiled a 34-7-0 record in 13 seasons as Michigan State's defensive coordinator. He won the Butkus Award, the 6-2, 230-pound linebacker from Illinois, as the nation's top linebacker in 1983. Michigan State has four straight bowl games under Perles, including a trip to the Orange Bowl after the 1987 season.

**Tico Duckett**

The 5-10, 185-pound tailback was named to the 1990 All-Big Ten team and was the nation's Offensive Player of the Year, picking up 1,394 yards and 10 touchdowns. The nation's leading returning rusher, last week he rushed for 192 yards against Central Michigan, he became the first player in Michigan State history to rush for 95 yards.

**Chuck Bullough**

A leading candidate for the Butkus Award, the 6-2, 230-pound linebacker has won two national titles in 1990. He was a second team All-Big Ten last season. In last year's Irish-Spartan game, Bullough was named Most Valuable Player of the Game, making 18 tackles.

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Each week during football season, The Observer sports staff, Al Lesar of the South Bend Tribune and some well-known figures in the Notre Dame-Saint Mary's community predict the outcomes of the week's major college football games. Records are compiled as to how each team does against the spread. Home teams are in CAPS.

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FSU stays atop tospsy-turvy poll

By RENE FERRAN

Associate Sports Editor

The Florida State Seminoles remained atop a National Collegiate Sportswriters' poll with instability, as only four teams held ground in this week's rankings.

The Seminoles, 56-0 winners over North Carolina State, vaulted up 21 of 29 first-place votes to overthrow co-rumners up Michigan and Miami. The Wolverines had more than one place balloters than the hurricanes, but both teams ended up with a dead heat with 22 votes apiece.

Florida's impressive 35-0 victory over Alabama vaulted the Gators over Idaho Washington into fourth position. Tennessee, Clemson, Oklahoma, Penn State, and Iowa rounded out the top 10.

Notre Dame fell from seventh to 12th in this week's rankings. The Irish (420 points) came in just behind the Hawkeyes (422) and 11th-ranked Nebraska (421).

Two newcomers joined the top 25 this week. Baylor's 16-14 upset of then 12th-ranked Colorado and Owasso's 11th-ranked Nebraska (421).

In the series, the Irish are 13-3-0 at Notre Dame Stadium, and the Spartans' last victory there was in 1983 over a fourth-ranked Irish squad, 24-23. Those two losses are the only ones the Irish have suffered in their last 15 meetings.

The defense must continue to haunt Spartan fans came on in a 20-19 victory in East Lansing.

Two losses are the only

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other memorable comeback for the Irish. In the third quarter, quarterback Rick Miler rallied the Irish to a 20-19 victory in East Lansing.

The Irish jumped out to an early 7-0 lead on Ricky Watters' first-quarter touchdown run. The Spartans came back with a 21-yard field goal from Craig Langeloh at the end of the first quarter. The Irish spurted with a 93-yard punt return. The early 7-0 lead on Ricky Watters' second-quarter touchdown run was narrowed to a 10-7 advantage at the half on a 21-yard punt return.