NCR. In some cases, sexual contact was alleged. Burtchaell, former provost and past theology department " The Observer Monday in South Bend. The article mentions two former Notre Dame students who claimed Burtchaell made sexual advances toward them. NCR cited "University sources" as saying that Burtchaell agreed to resign as early as last spring following an investigation into the allegations. University President Father Edward Malloy, Provost Timothy O'Meara and other officials refused to be interviewed for the article. The article relied upon sources "connected to the University, both inside and outside the Holy Cross order" in an outline the events leading to Burtchaell's resignation. These sources allege that several students, independent of one another, approached a priest in the theology department with their allegations. According to the article, this faculty member forwarded the information to then-department chairman Father Richard McCarthy. When the information reached O'Meara, the sources said he began an investigation which yielded even more allegations.

This investigation was conducted throughout the 1990-91 academic year. The article reported that the arrangement for Burtchaell's resignation resulted from meetings during the investigation. The NCR could not be specific as to the details of Burtchaell's arrangement with the University, saying only that sources believed a formal statement would be released this month.

Burtchaell's resignation came during the current MID-C-K-E-Y. The student has started to deal with his own sexuality and not deal with this negative experience. Burtchaell said he began an investigation into the allegations.

**Student victim discusses Burtchaell's resignation**

*By KELLEY TUTHILL*  
Editor-in-Chief  

A Notre Dame graduate student said he was one of many victims of sexual misconduct by Father James Burtchaell, but reserved his harshest criticism for the University that he claims ignored the issue for almost 20 years.

The student, who talked to The Observer under the condition of anonymity, said he was counseled by Burtchaell during the mid-1980s. An undergraduate, the student was referred to Burtchaell by a friend who said the priest might be able to provide guidance through difficult times.

"He was my spiritual advisor," said the student. The student talked to Burtchaell about "overall concerns, not specifically with his own sexuality."

"We didn't deal with (my sexuality) until the last meeting," the student said. It was then that the student confided in Burtchaell that he might be gay. The student said a year of counseling went by before their first sexual encounter took place.

After returning to Notre Dame for graduate school, the student said he could no longer forget about his experience with Burtchaell. He said he was outraged when he heard about rumors involving other young men.

The student said he is still in the process of "working it out." He said he went through "hell" over this experience, but said he feels angry over why Burtchaell's actions weren't dealt with by the University or the Holy Cross Order.

He said he cannot understand why a responsible organization wouldn't have addressed the issue when rumors were rampant.

"This is prime example of how the University and the Order looked out for their own interests before the students," he said. Both the Order's and the University's priorities were not geared toward helping the students involved, he said.

The student called for an independent investigation into the allegations. The student said the University reaction to this would be "TV bacon." He said the University reaction to this would be "TV bacon."

By SARAH DORAN  
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**By MONICA YANT**  

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INSIDE COLUMN

Time has come for Kennedy to grow up

There comes a time in every boy's life when he must grow up.

For Senator Edward Kennedy, the time is now. If the Massachusetts Democrat has any hopes of reelection in 1994, he will get his act together and start behaving.

While voters in other states have trouble understanding why citizens of the Commonwealth continue to allow Kennedy to remain in office, Massachusetts voters have long believed that his political positions are strong enough to excuse his private behavior. Not anymore.

The Thomas hearings proved that Kennedy's private behavior has had detrimental effects on his political capabilities. His out-of-office antics made him an impotent figure in the hearings. Everyone on committee and in the audience knew that the Massachusetts senator was in no position to judge anyone else's sexual behavior.

Massachusetts citizens have kept this man in office because he has been known as a strong liberal leader—a champion of the rights of women, minorities and the poor. But long ago, he lost the strong liberal leader—a champion of the liberal values of his constituency.

In 1969, his career was flourishing as he became the youngest-ever majority whip. He lost his seat in the Senate promising to continue to promote the liberal values of his constituency.

In the sober 1990s, the senator no longer can get away with the philanderings of the past. The rape trial of his nephew may be the end with stories of wild drinking and womanizing. Kennedy has finally said what it is he needs to do—grow up. What he needs to do is simple: He needs to enter an alcohol rehabilitation center and start down with one woman.

At this point, only Kennedy can save his political career. It is up to him to make a public announcement that he has decided to grow up. He needs to do. He needs to enter alcohol rehabilitation center and start down with one woman.

I recognize my own shortcomings—the fault and the conduct of my private life. I realize that I alone am responsible for them and I am the one who must confront them.

Kennedy has finally said what he is needs to do—now he must do it. Boys will be boys, but now's the time for the senator to act like a man. Otherwise when it's time for the 1994 election, he'll have lots of time to sit and look stupid—alone.

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WEATHER REPORT
Forecast for noon, Tuesday, December 9

FORECAST:
Lines separate high temperature zones for the day.

TODAY AT A GLANCE

WORLD
Ukrainian vote for independence

DEARBORN, Mich.—One after another, American executives told a U.S. Senate hearing yesterday how Japan's corporate cartels have cheated and frozen them out in attempts to sell goods and services to Japanese businesses. Sen. Donald Riegle, D-Mich., has often denounced the Bush administration for failing to slow what he calls the Japanese economic advance on America, principally the ailing U.S. auto industry. Japan's government and many of its leading corporations have said they are trying to address American complaints of built-in imbalances in U.S.-Japanese economic relations.

Each of Japan's major automakers has promised in recent weeks to buy more American parts by 1994, but Riegle said the moves are token, given a University of Michigan study that shows their imports of Japanese-made parts to the United States will increase by 89 percent, to $21.4 billion, by 1994.

OF INTEREST

1Think it's me, it's me. —New York Times, December 2

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ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1915: The United States expelled German attaches Roy-eden and von Papen on espionage charges.

1950: Charles Bascom of Cleveland reported the discovery of a heart-lung device to revive the clinically dead.


1979: Eleven people were killed and eight hurt in a rush to see The Who in a general admission concert in Cincinnati, Ohio.
Burtchaell’s ND career spanned 40 years

By SANDY WIEGAND
Associate News Editor

As a former theology professor, provost and University president, Father James Burtchaell has served Notre Dame in many capacities.

Originally from Portland, Oregon, Burtchaell entered the Congregation of Holy Cross in 1952 and graduated from Notre Dame in 1956 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in philosophy. He was ordained in 1960, and became a teaching assistant in the University Department of Theology the same year. In 1968, he became department chair.

In 1970, Burtchaell was named Notre Dame’s first provost by the Board of Trustees. But he resigned from this post in 1977 with little explanation and claimed his teaching position. Members of the press speculated at the time that the administration may have pressured Burtchaell to resign.

Then 43 years old, the priest had been viewed by many administrative and faculty members as the likely successor to University President Father Theodore Hesburgh. Burtchaell lived in men’s undergraduate residence halls, Keenan, Holy Cross and Dillon, from the beginning of his career until he left Notre Dame in 1990 on sabbatical under a Lilly Endowment grant. He spent the first year of his sabbatical at Princeton University, according to Dennis Moore, University director of Public Relations.

Throughout his career, Burtchaell has been an outspoken pro-life activist. His publications include the book "Bachel Woepping, and Other Essays on Abortion," published in 1982, and an extensive response in 1977 to a defense of abortion rights issued by more than 200 Protestant and Jewish theologians. Burtchaell also spoke out strongly in 1968 against the use of contraception intended for contraceptive purposes for medical research.

The priest’s convictions, and his unflinching expression of them, have drawn strong reactions from the Notre Dame community.

Lisa Bourdon, a senior who took Burtchaell’s introductory theology course as a freshman, called him "demanding," and "intimidating," but said he was "very intelligent," and she "respected him."

Dan Byrne, a senior who took the same course, had a similar evaluation. Burtchaell was "harsh on papers," and "pinpointed those who did the readings," Byrne said. But Burtchaell was a good teacher, he said, and invited students to a Thanksgiving dinner which Byrne attended.

Burtchaell was attempting to "motivate students...to teach the class on a higher level," according to course instructor Brad Boehm, who also took the introductory course. "He is infamous for attacking students who don’t do the work. He can come across as the monster," Boehm said.

"But I came away with a very firm understanding of what he was trying to teach."

"In some, since the class was hard, it was a bad class. That’s unfortunate," Boehm added.

Designated a liberal early in his career, Burtchaell gave a sermon in 1975 calling for the ordination of women. In his book "Marriage Among Christians, A Curious Tradition," the priest bordered on an endorsement of contraception, saying "it matters less whether any single act of sex be open to conception than whether the entire sequence...of giving and sex be open to family."

His few articles addressing homosexuality have been conservative in tone. In a 1960 review of Father Michael Buckley’s book "Morality and the Homosexual," printed in the Bulletin of the Guild of Catholic Psychologists, Burtchaell noted that early theologians presumed gays and lesbians had "full moral guilt for their sexual orientation, while recent theologians had dismissed all guilt."

"An increasing number of moralists and scientists have been working on what promises to be a far more satisfying theory," Burtchaell said in the review, "one which takes account of modern findings without neglecting the doctrine of free will."

In a 1977 Newsweek article, Burtchaell dismissed research by a task force of the Catholic Theological Society of America which supported less constricive morality regarding masturbation, adultery and homosexuality.

Burtchaell called the study "a false report by people who have no real scholarly standing," according to Newsweek.

"Quoted by the National Catholic Reporter (NCR) in 1987, Burtchaell encouraged the charges made to explain "the weak and inadequate performance of priests," caused in part by "pathologies involving sexual maturity and materialism."

He cited a "dominant culture in many seminaries today which gives to indecency and efeminacy," according to the NCR article.

The priest has repeatedly lacked "legal restrictions on ordination."

In an article published in The Chicago Tribune in 1981, he commented, "By choosing to ordain only males, and only celibate males, we have so reduced the pool of possible or plausable candidates that...we must be content with those who apply and who do not exhibit the grosser signs of unfitness."

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By DAVID KINNEY
Associate News Editor

While confirming the resignation of Notre Dame professor Father James Burtchaell amid charges of sexual misconduct, administration officials said that Notre Dame will make no official comment on the situation in order to preserve confidentiality.

On April 1, Burtchaell, a former University provost and theology department chairman, resigned from his tenured teaching position. The resignation is effective September 1992, according to Dennis Morey, University Public Relations officer at Notre Dame.

University President Father Edward Malloy was unavailable for comment. Others in the president's office would not comment on Burtchaell's resignation.

A story in the Dec. 6 issue of the National Catholic Reporter cited "an Investigation into charges he had engaged in sexual misconduct while counseling male students" as the reason for Burtchaell's resignation.

The Holy Cross Congregation, which Burtchaell has been a member of for 19 years, issued a statement on Saturday in the name of Father Carl Ebey, provincial superior of the congregation.

The statement reads in part: "I understand that Father James Burtchaell is the subject of an investigation into possible sexual misconduct charges...."

The statement continues: "I know nothing about it. If it is known here, it's known only between myself and the accused and the provost. I doubt if either one of them will offer a comment one way or another," he told the NCR.

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Burtchaell's resignation is a "freeing of the mind," he said. "Because if... people start to share and to reminisce, this... case in particular is going to rise first in everybody's mind."

Other sources told the NCR Burtchaell's resignation may make the situation better than the Holy Cross order. Some questioned why the order did not force Burtchaell out of the public eye, while others wondered if the routine counseling in priest sex-abuse cases was even conducted.

Happy Birthday

Mario Tricoci!

Did you think I would Forget?

University, Holy Cross react to priest's resignation

The Congregation of Holy Cross, Indiana Province

The Holy Cross Community is saddened by the events surrounding the case of Father James Burtchaell, C.S.C. We acknowledge the seriousness of this matter and apologize to those who may have been hurt.

As a religious family we are aware of the personal tragedy a teacher and scholar brought on himself.

Father Burtchaell has been on sabbatical leave from the University of Notre Dame since August 1990. At the request of the University, he agreed in April 1991 to resign from the faculty at the end of the current sabbatical leave in the summer of 1992. The Congregation concurred with this course of action. As well, once the facts of the matter were known by the superiors of the Congregation, Father Burtchaell was asked to undergo psychological evaluation and treatment and he is doing so.

This is an anomalous and painful event about which further public discussion is not possible without compromising confidentiality. We prayerfully seek closure and the healing we hope it will bring to all affected.

Le Duc

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Le Duc concluded by saying that a good journalist must remain almos from temptations for personal credibility and for the credibility of the craft."
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SMC Board recognizes new clubs

By AMY GREENWOOD
Saint Mary's News Editor

Saint Mary's Board of Governance (B0G) unanimously passed a motion recognizing two new campus clubs at Monday's meeting. An Asian-American student club, called the Sisters of Nefertiti, gained club status.

ND Security to offer winter bike storage

Special to The Observer

Notre Dame Security will offer winter bike storage for those interested. Bikes may be brought to the Campus Security Building on Dec. 3 from 3 to 5 p.m. and on Dec. 4 from 6 to 6 p.m. Students should bring the bikes to the north side of the Campus Security Building by the garage doors.

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Cicippio was the eighth Westerner to be freed since August, when the kidnappers asked the United Nations to intervene.

In Damascus, Cicippio was reunited with his Lebanese wife, Elham, and she was with him at the hospital in Wiesbaden.

U.S. Navy Cdr. John Woodhouse, a military spokesman, said he expects Cicippio to be released in coming days.

A sign above the hospital entrance read: "Welcome home, Mr. Cicippio." Blue and white balloons decorated the front railing, and the steps were flanked by two American flags.

"Thank you all for coming out so late at night," he added, speaking to about 100 people who greeted him at 11:15 p.m.

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dependent investigation into the Burtchaell case. He stressed that any investigation would have to be done by a group not associated with the University or the Congregation of the Holy Cross. “We need to know who knew what and when,” said the student. “And why didn’t the University do anything?”

He said he believes the University knew about Burtchaell’s sexual misconduct for years and did not do anything about the allegations. “They didn’t want to hear or know about it,” he said.

The student said he believes many in the University community have known about Burtchaell’s involvements with male students since the mid-1970s. “There is a symbolic insensit­ivity to gay issues on campus,” the student said. “The University turns a deaf ear until forced to do otherwise.”

He said he believes the University did not act in the best interest of the students at Notre Dame. The student said he believes the University allowed Burtchaell to continue counseling and teaching young men despite allegations of wrongdoings.

The student said he is concerned because he believes that the matter would have been dealt with immediately if it had been a woman involved sexually with a priest. The priest would not be allowed to live with and counsel women, said the student. “It would have been dealt with differently.”

Despite all that has happened, the student believes that as a counselor Burtchaell did a lot of good for people a lot of good. “He didn’t abuse every person.”

He said he hopes Burtchaell can come through this experience and help an entirely different group of people. “It’s possible that he could help Catholic gays and be helpful to gays rather than damage them.”

It is more likely, the student said, that Burtchaell will be silenced. He questions what the Order and the University are going to do to help students now that the case is public. He said he believes that someone should be addressing the concerns students will have over the Burtchaell case.

“What’s being done to help students on campus understand what happened with Burtchaell?” the student asked. “Something needs to be done.”

Tell The Leprechaun To Put Down His Fists

I have a cousin whose family nickname has always been “Mugsy.” This guy was a wild kid, full of life and full of mischief, always calling attention to himself and to his behavior. Everybody loved his energy and everybody, except his parents, loved his sense of mischief. He was a fun kid to have around.

Surprise, surprise, this little kid has eventually grown up. He got married now with children of his own, and a respectable job to boot. It’s actually pretty crazy that in the family we still call him “Mugsy.”

Recently, we have been trying to change our habits, to catch up with the new reality that Mugsy is nearly 40 years old, and to admit that we should call him Mike.

For many years now, Notre Dame has been called the Home of the Fighting Irish. That’s our nickname. Across the country, the Catholic, immigrant population of America years ago resonated with the struggles of our little school from Indiana and adopted it as its own. That’s our history. In more recent times, a copyrighted cartoon logo has dominated the fronts of our sweatshirts and the sides of our panel trucks. It is the picture of a grumpy leprechaun with his fists up, ready to defend himself against all attackers, smiling at nobody, listening to none, a pugnacious, angry little guy. I’m not sure who resonates with that image, but I hope not too many of us.

Maybe we should take a tip from the grounds crew. Have you seen their little gray trucks, lately? They have the required picture of a leprechaun all right, but the little Irish spirit isn’t trying to fight with anybody. His hands are open, his palms raised up to the sky, I figure that either the guy is saying his prayers like an energized Pentecostal, or else he is shrugging his shoulders saying “those leaves ain’t my job, boss.” Whenever, it’s better than having him ride around all day looking for a fight.

Notre Dame wants to grow up. After years of struggle for respect and security, big bucks are dragging our little school into the fast track. We proclaim ourselves a national, Catholic, research university, and we have many of the resources to make it true.

Presidential colloquies and dorm room bull sessions are searching these days for the purpose of all our blessedness. We know we are distinctive; we suspect it is because of our faith. We want a better self-understanding; we seek a better sense of personal and institutional vision. We want to stop being defensive, and

Holiday shopping spree

Sophomore Joe McManus shops at Venture for some Christmas gifts and decorations as the holiday approaches.

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Sacred Heart Church: Friday, December 6 - 5:00pm - Vigil Mass Fr. Edward Malloy, C.S.C.

Cryp: Saturday, December 7 - 11:30am - Fr. Nicholas Ayo, C.S.C.

WEEKEND LITURGIES AT SACRED HEART CHURCH

Saturday, December 7 - 5:00pm - Fr. Stephen Newton, C.S.C.

Sunday, December 8 - 10:00am - Fr. Richard Warner, C.S.C.

- 11:45am - Fr. Richard Warner, C.S.C.
Dear Editor:

I am writing this letter just to inform everyone about an event that we had the pleasure to witness at about 3:15 on the afternoon of the Tennessee game. We were walking across South Quad from Badin Hall, dry, and saw two men, who appeared to be alumni, standing around the tree by the light post at the northwest corner of Dill Hall.

They each had a can of beer in their hand and were yelling and laughing very loudly, obviously drunk, and breaking Notre Dame alcohol policy about possessing "open containers" (shame, shame). At first, we thought it was pretty amusing seeing these two men acting like fools. What came next was not so entertaining.

One of the men leaned up against the previously mentioned tree and started laughing even louder. Then he dropped his beer, started cursing and proceeded to defecate up against this tree. The two drunks were now screaming with laughter. We walked over toward the two and the one pulled up his pants and they walked away, still basking in the glory of their great accomplishment.

What an honor it was to be able to witness this beautiful display of maturity, and grossness. We only wish that we weren't the only ones to have the opportunity to see this happening. We then ran up to the two men and told them how wonderful we thought they were for pooping in front of our dorm. They didn't seem to notice.

This leads to a question that must be asked, "Why did this happen and why was it allowed to happen?" We were the only ones to be on one side of the road except for another older couple on the other side. Where were all of the ND Security Officers who are so willing to give parking tickets and take our hearts? I know they were at the football stadium making sure no one was having fun as a tailgater in one of the parking lots.

The university has people to check your birth certificate before you are allowed to enter the stadium or "The Rock" but there was not one officer in sight. Believe it or not, not everyone within a 100 mile radius of the campus is at the game. Having the campus so desolate is a perfect time for vandals and thieves to do their work.

We just want to make sure that people are aware of this incident because unfortunately we had to watch it happen and could do nothing about it. There should have been an authority in at least the general vicinity to keep something like this from happening in the middle of a beautiful afternoon. And to you two idiots, I hope you read this and realize what a couple of pigs you are and in thank you for nearly making me get sick to my stomach.

Jamie Truog
Mike Capo
Dill Hall
Nov. 25, 1991

Dear Editor:

The editorial cartoon on Monday, Nov. 25 was an ignorant and unfair attack on The Commons taverns. The establishment had nothing to do with the recent and unfortunate occurrences that happened on its property. These incidents could have occurred at Bridgettes, Club 23, or any other bar for that matter. Granted, The Commons is located in a high crime area, but the patron is in the position to take precautions.

On both occasions, the shooting and the assault, alcohol was involved. The victims were under the influence of alcohol, which in turn, impaired their judgment. In light of the recent events, it is time for students to wake up from the "it could never happen to me" mentality.

Alcohol, as everyone should know by now, affects the actions and reasoning of a person. Drinking alcohol to the point of inhibiting a person's reasoning is when trouble can happen regardless of who they are. As a bartender, I have the privilege of seeing when my peers are sober and when they are drunk. The bartender is not a baby-sitter, and it is not our job to monitor how much people drink. Of course we can stop serving a person when he or she becomes obviously intoxicated, but a person's condition is often unknown to us. The patron is responsible for his or her actions, and nobody can be held accountable for whatever poor choices that person may make.

How many more times do students need to be reminded not to walk around the Northeast Neighborhood at night especially when they have been drinking? Do not leave the bars and go out to the parking lots alone. Furthermore, keep an eye on intoxicated friends. Do not let them leave alone regardless of their process. They are drunk and are not thinking straight. An intoxicated individual becomes an easy and obvious target for crime.

The Commons does not deserve the negative stigma of a dangerous place to frequent. Many are quick to mention that The Commons does not have an off-duty policeman at its door. However, these policemen usually monitor the activity inside of the bar, and whatever goes on outside is beyond their control. As I keep stressing, it is the patron who is responsible for his or her safety.

Please quit The Commons bashing. One is not going to get shot just by going there. The Commons only fault is un-luckiness that unfortunate events have recently occurred on its property. However, events like these can happen anywhere. The Commons cares about its customers, but it is up to our customers to look after themselves and to use their common sense.

Jennifer R. Karaffa
Pasquerella West
Nov. 25, 1991

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Ann Pettifer
Class of 1976
Nov. 25, 1991

Reader questions

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Dear Editor:

GARRY TRAUDE

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

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Dear Editor,

I am grateful to Professor EdX for offering the Observer (Nov. 1) for prompting this exceptional discussion concerning the efficacy of sexual reorientation interventions. Let me begin by reminding my initial thesis: Contrary to what has been widely reported by leaders of homophile organizations, there is a plethora of evidence suggesting that homosexual orientation is changeable.

Many homosexuals (viz., many of those properly referred to as "homosexuals") are interested in sexual orientation and deeply desire sexual reorientation. Perpetuating this illusion of the changeability of biology and the stability of human sexuality does a great disservice to these individuals by denying them the freedom to choose a form of life consistent with their deepest desires. By virtue of our controlling social structures, we are participating as agents in a casting act toward that end.

I shall first make explicit some important preliminary points without which, it seems, the obviously multi-factorial etiology of homosexuality (whether biologically or environmentally determined) is irrelevant to the topic of sexual orientation change.

We know, for example, both that many "organic" and "functional" homosexuals respond favorably to both physiological and psychological treatment modalities. There is no prima facie reason to think that homosexual orientation is genetically determined, with the exception in regard to sex chromosome abnormality, which is relatively rare in the USA.

The research has been quite clear that the (impossibility of sexual orientation change itself is irrelevant to the moral question concerning homosexual acts, basically because they are not "natural." First, even if homosexual orientation were not changeable, many would argue that all sexual acts involving homosexuals are still immoral.

This is, of course, a consistent position. We would (and, I think, should) still hold pedophiles, for example, morally responsible for sexual contact with minors irrespective of whether or not their sexual orientation is changeable. We were convinced that the sexual orientation of pedophiles is not changeable.

Second, the fact that homosexual orientation is changeable in itself, about whether or not homosexual acts are immoral or otherwise perverse is, I think, a comparatively important distinction to be made between changing one's sexual orientation and merely changing one's sexual behavior. Although it may be true that we have no direct and immediate control over our sexual orientation, this does not imply that both homosexuals and heterosexuals cannot and should not have complete control over their sexual acts.

In a similar vein, a homosexual might never engage in homosexual activity after reorientation therapy, yet retain her homosexual orientation. It is important to note that the primary goal of many psychotherapeutic and psychological interventions involving homosexuals is sexual orientation change, not merely sexual behavioral change.

There are at least two reasons for this: 1) because homosexuals themselves often request such fundamental change, and 2) because many mental health professionals and others who counsel homosexuals feel that the psychic structure of homosexuals is fundamentally at variance with the assumption that the persistence of this disorder precludes the possibility of one's attaining optimal human fulfillment.

We might have neither direct nor evocative active, objection to another person's mental state or another person's behavior outside the narrow confines of the therapeutic situation, we must rely largely on self-reports and the anecdotal information regarding sexual orientation change. Many who reject the mere possibility of effecting sexual orientation change have not even considered the question of the veracity of those who claim to have undergone such a radical change.

Although incentives for perseveration in this context abound, it is quite implausible, given the scope and depth of the evidence, to think that all or even the vast majority of the people who claim to have undergone sexual orientation change are trustworthy. I have, thus far, told my counselors the lies that they wanted to hear.

The research investigator, convinced of the efficacy of one's achieving optimality of sexual functioning, is motivated to direct his energies toward this goal. The sexual orientation of the individual is thus a key variable. The importance of this variable to the research investigator (e.g. those HIV-positive) is paramount to determining the efficacy of various treatment modalities used for helping dissatisfied homosexuals.

The research investigator, thus, seeks an appropriate place on the Scale prior to the commencement of the therapy. After reorientation therapy termination the subject is placed on the Kinsey Scale. Of course, under optimal conditions, the sexual orientation change rate for those over thirty years of age was 40 percent, and even if only a few homosexuals were truly motivated changed most. It is important to note that the sexual orientation change rate for those over thirty years of age was 40 percent. For those under thirty, the college-aged homosexuals who desired reorientation has reason for, a relatively greater measure of optimism (See Aronson, 1947). The latter have no realistic hope of being helped by their reorientation.


2) There have been no fewer than 300 treatment programs for homosexuals in the USA in the last 15 years. A number of these have been supported by the National Institute of Mental Health, the Veterans Administration, and private foundations. The number was easy to re-report in a recent study of the efficacy of sexual reorientation.


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4) Numerous case studies, including a moving interview with a 43-year-old ex-homosexual reported in The New York Times for the successful completion of reorientation psychoanalytic therapy, have been recorded by C. W. Socarides (Homosexuality and Society, NY, 1972). In this work Socarides describes the aforementioned individual as presently living a "rich and gratifying heterosexual life" (p. 35).


Given the explicit commitment to Christian values which is a hallmark of this University, such a training emphasis should be quite desirable and would be quite appropriate.

A.A. Homosexuals

Dear Dear Editor,

This is the time of the year when all we must register, and after that, we are free to cast our votes with the Dastardly Alien Robot Telephones. I'm writing this from a trouble free registration.

I cannot remember registration day being this uneventful and neither can others who are been around here for the last couple of years and implying that it must be some relatively painless, forgettable experience. This year's adventure started when, as usual, I got a call one day a week out of town for a conference. I called the registrar's office who informed me I could register by long-distance. "What? Pay for it? I just can't afford it from Angeles to register?"

Then I was informed that I could call after 7:00 p.m. on any day after my appointment. I made the call, discovered I had lost the number, so a trip to my department office was in order.

The number was easy to remember, the last 3 digits were a famous secret agent's code! The registrar decided to tackle the heat and after several false starts due to busy lines I finally heard the lovely jingle and the schizophrenic DPR speaking with different computer systems in the background.

I told him I was registered, and after a few minutes of altering words. After inputting my SSN, secret agent number, and the semester code, I made my only choice, a 43 year-old male ex-homosexual option. No problem so far. It duly told me that the course was variable credit and to input a number between 1-10. Oops! It asked me how many credits I wanted to earn. I leaned to the application and told him I was registered for 1.2 credits!

Further attempts were futile. It now seems like I will have to fill in the dots on a form up to my credits of wrestling and then run around getting signatures from everyone including the janitor.

Why can't I just do this the first place? I will have been deprived of that great post football season Notre Dame sport—wrestling with the DART monster, and registration and all the other things I will be totally forgettable like in the old days.

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Unwelcome change

Church of Loretto renovations stir controversy at Saint Mary's

"All I know is what I hear around the house, and I think most of us feel the same—we don't want it.

"Some people have the opinion that all the sisters are in favor of renovation, but that is simply not true," said a sister who further stated that "we want to remain anonymous. I am not being critical of the governing body of the Sisters of the Holy Cross, these are just personal opinions of myself and older sisters, and I feel I am entitled to those who remain loyal to the order," said Sister "Mary".

The document that the church is being renewed represents a result of the new liturgical standards established by Vatican II.

One sister noted at the forum that confirming to these norms is not a requirement for churches built before Vatican II—of which the Church of Loretto was.

One of the things that Environment and Art in Catholic Worship calls for is the elimination of double symbols. Turgi stated that that is one of the many things the Church of Loretto contains a layer of. "Just look at the number of symbols of Mary in the church," said Turgi.

"I think the statues and symbols help to reflect that and pray," commented Sister "Elizabeth."

Sister "Mary" stated that "the church is the soul of the community. It was built with much sacrifice and thought, it's easy to tear things down, but it's not so easy to build them up."

"All the sisters have deep feelings," said Sister "Mary. "All the traditions of our community and life are connected with the church."

For those that see the church simply as a building, the renovations are a "destruction of art," according to a professor of art at Indiana University at South Bend in a statement read at the open forum. For the sisters that connect the church with community, the "church is precious," according to Sister "Mary.

"We haven't given up praying with the dear Lord to do something to save our church," said Sister "Mary."""
Red-hot Chicago Bulls streaking through NBA

West Coast trip brings win total to 12

CHICAGO (AP) — The numbers, a 12-game winning streak and a 6-0 road trip on the West Coast, say it all right now. The NBA champion Chicago Bulls are playing better basketball than anyone else.

"I do think we have that feeling that we can beat anybody we play," Chicago's Horace Grant said Monday at practice. "Some of the guys — B.J. Armstrong, Stacey King, Will Perdue — have stepped up and contributed. It's made us a very potent basketball team right now."

Coach Phil Jackson and his players say that kind of fearlessness is their prime strength.

"We are playing with great confidence," Jackson said. "We have the ability to come out on the floor and figure out things on our best, how to solve problems defensively and offensively."

The Bulls (13-2) will break two club records if they defeat the Cleveland Cavaliers on Wednesday at Chicago Stadium. Beating Cleveland would give the Bulls their 13th straight victory and best start of a sea­son.

Consistent offense has given the Bulls the best record in the NBA.

Jackson's team has a composite shooting average of just over .500, best in the league. On the road, Jordan averaged 32.6 points and Pippen averaged 23.3 points, shot 53.6 percent and stole the ball 1.8 times per game.

Still, the Bulls show room for improvement. Jackson said the team needs to beef up its defense down the center and needs an accurate 3-point shooter to spread out the opposition.

"We expect the other teams in the league to pick it up as the season goes on, so we have to find ways to start shooting better than they are," Jackson said.

"We know there's room for improvement. Down the line is when we'll reach our peak, hopefully for the finals," said Horace Grant, who averaged 16.6 points and 9.5 rebounds on the two-week road trip.

The Bulls also know their status as champions is both a blessing and a curse. Struggling to live up to the title can be an inspiration, but this season Chicago is the target for opposing teams who want to knock off the best.

"We know teams are going to come in with sold-out arenas and play exceptionally well against us," Jordan said. "But pride is the main thing we have. It's been a factor all long."

AP Photo

Chicago's Michael Jordan was a major contributor to the Bulls' recent success. The guard, shown here against the Mavericks, worked his magic during the 6-0 road trip.
Men hoping to reverse current losing trend vs IU

Special to the Observer

The Irish men’s basketball squad heads to Bloomington, Ind., where new Notre Dame head coach John MacLeod will get his first opportunity to go against Indiana legend Bobby Knight. Indians come into the game ranked ninth, after being ranked as high as second in the preseason polls. An 87-72 loss to UCLA in the Hall of Fame Classic dropped the Hoosiers. They responded by easily disposing of Butler last Saturday, 98-73, after leading by more than 40 points in the first half.

The Hoosiers are strong at every position, led by junior forward Calvert Cheaney. Damon Bailey holds down one of the guard spots, while all-Big Ten performer Eric Anderson provides some bulk inside. Indiana has added depth on the interior in junior Tinaire Eddie added 19 points, while LanPhonso Ellis grabbed 12 boards, tops for the game.

McWilliams’ steps down

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — David McWilliams, who coached Texas in the Cotton Bowl last season, resigned from his dream job Monday after a third losing season in five years.

The Longhorns, Southwest Conference champions in 1990, finished 5-6 this year after losing to Texas A&M 31-14 on Thanksgiving Day. McWilliams, captain of the Longhorns’ 1963 national championship team and an assistant coach from 1970-85, said at a news conference he had asked to be reassigned. McWilliams just ended the second year of a five-year contract worth $1 million.

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McWilliams, a former star for Texas, had been with the Longhorns since 1971-74 season when the Irish won 73-67. Notre Dame is looking to bounce back from a season-opening 67-60 loss to Butler on Saturday. The Irish led by more than 24 points in that contest, while LaPhonso Ellis grabbed 12 boards, tops for the game.

Women lose hoops contest to Purdue on Sunday

By RENE FERRAN

Associate Sports Editor

Marinchak layup, but Purdue then scored 10 of the next 12 points of the game to build a lead to 12, 51-39, with 14:28 remaining. The Irish never were closer than seven the rest of the way. But in part because the Boilermakers were in the bonus only seven minutes into the second half. ‘Every time we’d get close, we couldn’t pull away,” said Orlosky, who had eight points and eight boards against the Boilermakers. “We couldn’t push together an offensive threat and defensive pressure at the same time.”

All-American candidate Marcicheck Joseph led all scorers with 23 points for Purdue, while senior Tina Eddie added 19 points and 10 rebounds and Donna Gill chipped in nine points and 11 rebounds. Haysbert led Notre Dame with 17 points.

Back from a knee injury, junior Coquese Washington, shown here against Stanford, turned in a strong performance against Purdue this weekend.

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devil blow.
Johnson took Elam's kickoff, shut through the parting waves of
Rainbow defenders and raced 93 yards for a touch-
down.
Hawaii, led alternately by
quarterbacks Jasper and
Michael Carter, racked up 22
points in the final quarter to
make the game a close affair.
"Tonight we had a chance to
pull it out," said Hawaii head
coach Bob Wagner. "We just
flew by those things with the
defensive attitude" which he is
defensive tackler Troy Ridgely was disgruntled
after Notre Dame's defensive
performance.
"I thought we played pa-
thetic," said Ridgely. "If this was
the University of Florida, they'd
have beaten us by 60. They did
divide the same things in the
second half. We just didn't play
well, again."
And what did Ridgely see as
the right spot for the defense?
"They didn't score 49."
Maine takes two from ND hockey; Piccanato, Zadra star

By ANTHONY KING
Assistant Sports Editor

The Notre Dame hockey team put up a valiant fight, but they could not pull off the upset of top ranked Maine this past weekend. The Irish dropped two games to the Black Bears, lowering their record to 5-6 for the year. Friday night's game took place in Portland, Maine, where the Bears outshot the Irish 32-10 and scored three goals in the third period to cap a 5-1 victory. The Irish were only down 2-0 after two periods, as goalie Carl Piccanato stopped 21 of 23 shots. The score remained 2-0 until the Black Bears netted a short handed goal and a power play goal in the span of two minutes.

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Notre Dame barely slides by pesky Hawaii, 48-42

By DAVE DIETEMAN
Sports Editor

HONOLULU—For the first time in history, Notre Dame faced Hawaii on the gridiron. Of the 50,000 fans in attendance at Aloha Stadium, few expected the Irish to win by less than twenty points.

Yet for the fourth time in recent history, 16th-ranked Notre Dame (9-3) squandered a substantial, early lead. This time, the Irish held on to dump the Rainbows (4-7-1) 48-42.

"I thought for the first 20 minutes, we played well on defense," said Notre Dame head coach Lou Holtz. "Then we reverted back to normal form—missed tackles, missed assignments.

I thought defensively we kept the pressure on. But it was very disappointing that we got the big lead and couldn't hang on to it. We just have problems pressing the quarterback and containing quarterbacks."

In the first quarter, Irish sophomore cornerback Tom Carter set Notre Dame in motion with an interception of Hawaii quarterback Ivane Jasper's pass intended for Darriick Branch.

Although the Irish failed to cash in on the early turnover, Jasper gave them another chance, as Carter nabbed a second interception.

This time, Notre Dame converted the Rainbow miscue into the staple of Irish currency—a touchdown.

Quarterback Rick Mirer, who finished the night 12-19 for 218 yards passing, hit split end Tony Smith on a quick out for 23 yards. After gritty runs by tailbacks Tony Brooks and Rodney Culver, as well as fullback Jerome Bettis, Notre Dame found itself on Hawaii's 20-yard line.

Tony Smith took an end around up the left sideline for 13 yards to set up first and goal for the Irish. Culver finished the drive, plowing through the Rainbow defense for a three-yard scoring run.

Sophomore walk-on Rob Leonardi, who had a PAT attempt blocked in the pivotal fourth quarter, converted for a 7-0 Irish lead.

Notre Dame led 21-0 with 14:20 to play in the second quarter, but Hawaii scrapped its way back to within 28-10 at halftime.

The Rainbows quickly went to work in the third quarter, exploiting Irish breakdowns to slash their deficit from 21 points to 7.

However Notre Dame's potent offense continued to rage like a tornado.

Hawaii punted on its next possession and appeared on the verge of falling hopelessly behind.

Another Irish foible set the Rainbows rocking, however, as Jeff Burris fumbled All-American candidate Jason Elam's 51-yard punt, giving Hawaii a first down at the Notre Dame 35-yard line.

Trailing 42-20, the Rainbows would not quit.

Irish sophomore Clint "Cosmic" Johnson, who was hailed as possible heir apparent to Raghib "Rocket" Ismail after the 1991 Blue-Gold game, dealt Hawaii what could have been a death blow.

Irish Volleyball ends season with twin victories

By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame volleyball team completed their regular season with a pair of wins over Texas-Arlington last weekend.

The two victories improved the team's record to 22-8 and put the finishing touches on the first 20 win season since 1987.

After a heart-breaking first game loss to San Francisco last week, the Irish have bounced back to win by less than twenty points.

The Mavericks, the Irish were stretched to four games before they could pull out the win. After dropping the first game 10-15, they stormed back to take the next three, 15-9, 15-8 and 15-11.

The Mavericks collected 73 kills to Notre Dame's 64 and also notched nine more digs, but couldn't manage to stop the streaking Irish, who have won 15 of their last 17 matches.

NCAA tournament bound Illinois and San Francisco are the only teams who have had Notre Dame's number in their final 17 matches.

Freshman Christy Peters led the way with a career high 22 kills and 11 digs, followed by Marilyn Cragin with 15 kills. Val Whitefield did it all for the Mavericks, collecting 17 kills and 16 digs.

Freshmen outside hitter Christy Peters, shown here against Illinois State, had a career-high 23 kills against Texas-Arlington this weekend.