Senate to consider no-confidence vote

Editor's Note: The following is the first of four installments addressing the issue of faculty participation in the academic governance of the University.

By DAVID KINNEY

The Faculty Senate will consider a vote of no confidence in University President Father Edward Malloy at its next meeting April 7, according to Professor David O'Connor.

The resolution is the result of months of debate between faculty and administration representatives over the issue of the faculty's role in the governance of the University, in particular academic issues.

It would mean that the only faculty body that is elected is sending a message that it no longer has academic leadership in the administration, according to Professor Philip Feirrell.

"I think it would be unfortunate," said Malloy. "I have no desire to have a confrontive relationship with the faculty."

A similar motion was presented at a meeting of the Faculty Senate March 2, but the body did not vote on the resolution.

The first draft, written by O'Connor and Quin, states that "The 1991-92 school year has revealed for all to see that the Administration of the University has a deep distrust of all meaningful participation by faculty in the governance of Notre Dame."

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Local charity rewards Hesburgh

University President emeritus Father Theodore Hesburgh has recently been named the eighth recipient of the annual Hospice Helping Hands Award by the Hospice of St. Joseph's County.

Hospice of St. Joseph County, which is a non-profit organization giving in-home care to terminally ill persons, gives the award yearly to someone who has "distinguished himself in philanthropy, education, or the arts" and has helped to improve the quality of life in the Michiana area, the state or at the national level, said Hospice Executive Director Tom Burzynski.

The award went to Hesburgh this year because of his obvious life-long contributions to charitable causes, said Burzynski.

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Local charity rewards Hesburgh

By BILL ALBERTINI

By JULIE BARRETT

Assistant News Writer

The fact that the two Saint Mary's sophomores were legally intoxicated when struck by a car while walking on Ivy Road early Sunday morning, February 16, has no bearing on the actual hit-and-run accident, according to Sgt. Charlie Feirrell of the St. Joseph County Police.

Feirrell said the blood tests taken from Cara McCourt and Elizabeth Joyce immediately after the accident showed they were publicly intoxicated. In the state of Indiana, the public intoxication level is 0.04 blood/alcohol content or higher, and the illegal intoxication level for driving is 0.1 or higher.

However, Feirrell said, "There is no indication that the two students did anything unusual because of drinking."

Is Affirmative Action an Appropriate Policy for the 1990s?

The Colloquium, a "students-developed and student-run program," is designed to increase awareness and understanding of public policy issues by bringing in panelists with diverse backgrounds and outlooks, according to co-chairperson Chris Parent.

Howard Adams, the first panelist, has worked with the National Consortium for Graduate Degrees for Minorities in Engineering and Sciences for twelve years. He is now executive director of the affirmative action program.

Affirmative action in education is "a topic that I have the pleasure of working with every day," Adams said. "We work to increase the number of under-represented minorities with Masters and Ph.D. degrees in engineering and science."

Adams added that his program focuses on two major issues of affirmative action, equity and choice. "We ensure an equal opportunity in something that has been before closed," said, by providing minorities with financial aid and letting them choose from 70 universities for their graduate work.

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Hesburgh lauded the efforts of Hospice, relating stories of seeing the poor in Calcutta "waiting to die" being given a home by Mother Teresa. Hospice's care is along the same lines, he said. Hospice helped to "see the poor to die with human care," he continued, which is what makes their work so "wonderful."

Hesburgh has a personal attachment to hospice. He has been the testimonial speaker at the last two presentations of the award, and his wife, see HESBURGH/page 4

Notre Dame without parietals?

Students gathered outside the administration building Tuesday night to protest the University parietals policy. Participants asked the University to treat them like adults and burned a copy of DuLac.

Experts discuss needs, problems of affirmative action

Police say the intoxication of accident victims unimportant

According to reports from people who witnessed the accident, Elizabeth Joyce and Cara McCourt were walking on the shoulder of Ivy Road where struck by the car, said Feirrell.

"So even if the students were intoxicated, they were walking far off the side of the road when hit," he continued.

Since both women are under the Indiana state drinking age of 21, the students are liable at the most for charges of minor consumption, according to Feirrell.

The police department has not changed the girls for underage drinking and is still looking into the situation before deciding how to handle the case, he added.

"We didn't give the students a ticket for underage drinking after the accident because they see HIT & RUN/page 4

The Observer/Sean Farnan

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What if gays golfed at Notre Dame?

Imagine, for a moment, the following situation:
A member of our beloved administration, preparing for a lecture, is thumbing through Leviticus, one of the more obscure (and, from a literary viewpoint, one of the juiciest books in the Old Testament Bible.

After reading for the umpteenth time about manna from heaven, the official happens upon the following verse: "The man who plays golf, shall be unclean in the eyes of the Lord."

Instead of checking if the passage is being read out of context, he points it out to his superiors. Within the next hour, the University has a policy that condemns people who enjoy golf. If it knows the administration never works this quickly, even on things they agree with, but bear with me.

The chances are quickly set in stone under the Golden Dome. The ND Golf Team is banned, the golf course is turned into a parking lot and any organization that supports the rights of golfers is ruled "contrary to the University's high moral standards" and cannot receive recognition or funds from the University.

When people begin to question such a harsh and unsympathizing treatment of people, the Administration responds with this simple rationale:
ADMINISTRATION: "Golf is immoral. The Bible says so. Therefore, any support of golfers in any way is being contrary to God's direct wishes."

QUESTIONER: "But the Bible also made suicide acceptable and working on Saturdays. Isn't there a double standard here?"

ADMINISTRATION (now red-faced with anger): "Go away, you atheist, or we'll take your name away."

But there's more. In an attempt to support each other during this persecution, the group of golfers at Notre Dame and Saint Mary's (IAGND/SMC) is formed. They do nothing to directly hurt the University, but they repeatedly call for recognition of golfing as a normal lifestyle.

That is, until the Administration bans them from advertising in the "independent" campus publication. Perhaps the ads distract visiting alumni from their true missions— to watch the proceedings. After all, it's the all-seeing eye of golf that is being watched.

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Forum planned for campus community

By AMY MARK
News Writer

Students, faculty, administration, and all other members of the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's community will now have the opportunity to ask questions, discuss issues, and make suggestions, said Adele Lanan, advisor for the Multicultural Executive Council.

In a forum organized by the Multicultural Executive Council, the community and the campus media will come together tonight at 7 p.m. in the pit of Grace Hall.

This evening's event is the first of a two-part program between the community and leaders at Notre Dame. The panel will consist of new and old news editors, publication managers and radio station managers.

"Now's your chance if you want to talk to student leaders," said Lanan.

The second part of the program will feature former and current student body leaders including Joseph Blanco, David Florenzo, Greg Butrus, Molly O'Neil, past and present leaders of the Student Union Board, HPC and Student Senate. It will be held April 23 at 8 p.m. in the Grace pit.

The Multicultural Executive Council has hosted several similar forums on campus this year, raising such topics as racism and interracial dating. This is the first time, however, that the council has arranged this type of forum.

The council wanted to facilitate the possibility of students asking student leaders various questions and dispel the perception that leaders are unapproachable, said Lanan.

Nicole Farmer, a member of the council, said, "There are always questions that come up...that the panel (in other forums) doesn't have the answers to...we just wanted to have people to be able to answer why. We can be the bridge for that incredible opportunity to actually reach people."

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Although Vetter said that she for achievement. Faculty Senate Chairman Paul Conway said that because of the vague definition of "administration," the measure is directed, in particular, against the policy of Malloy. 

Frank Castellino, dean of the College of Science, said that the resolution, should it pass, "is a fairly destructive event. There needs to be a longer history of problems between faculty and administration to take such a huge step." While Castellino said that, as a faculty member, he wants a strong faculty senate that is willing to enter into strong debate, he added that "the President is a reasonable person once you work out the differences." "It is a very radical move," said Dean Eileen Kolman of Freshman Year of Studies. "It seems a bit premature. Is this... the only thing that can be done?"

The resolution follows several years of debate about the structures of academic governance and the faculty's access to deliberate within those structures. "The faculty feels that we should have more to say... about decisions that affect ourselves and the academics of the University," said Professor William Taggart. Faculty members are quick to point out that they do not want to run the University, but want more opportunity to deliberate—to discuss and decide—academic issues such as curricula and faculty course loads, according to O'Connor.

"We are not," asked Malloy, "with the work under way with the Colloquy and with proposals for other mechanisms that could be implemented when they win popular support, addressing the heart of the matter? I think we are; some may disagree."

While the resolution itself has no concrete effect on the University, Malloy said that, if passed, it could create a sense of crisis that could have other implications. Kolman said that it could create the impression nationally that the University is not healthy, an impression which she said is not accurate. "I hope that cooler heads will prevail," Malloy added. The move to a vote of no-confidence was spurred by an increasingly adversarial relationship between the faculty and the administration, said Suzanne Martinley, assistant professor of government. This "has led to a confrontation that is unhealthy and potentially damaging to the communication network that exists at the University," she said. Martinley said she hopes that both sides of the issue can attempt to establish a common ground between the opposing views and to work from that foundation.

"There is no other step," he said. "It seems that no step is too small for the president to accept."

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Debate on faculty governance rooted in University history

By DAVID KINNEY

The Observer

The issue of faculty governance is one that has been debated for many years and at many institutions throughout the nation.

Notre Dame is no exception. The most recent debate over the issue — and the proposed vote of no-confidence pending against the Administration over the issue — and the proposed News Editor reached an impasse with the many institutions throughout the Committee of the Faculty Senate — has a history that extends back to the 1989-90 academic year.

In 1990, leaders among the faculty believed that they had reached an impasse with the Administration over the issue of faculty participation in governance concerning academic issues, according to Professor David O'Connor.

According to a letter published in The Observer on Feb. 24, 1992 by the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate, a delegation requested that the University President Father Edward Malloy appoint several ad-hoc faculty-administration committees to examine governance structures.

Malloy declined, and in fall 1990, the Senate coordinated a University-wide election for a Faculty Committee on University Governance.

"At the same time," the letter continued, "members of the Senate urged the administration, on many separate occasions, to cooperate with the committee." O'Connor said that the administration refused to be involved in the committee's work.

The committee, which operated independently of the Senate, was chaired by Father David Burrell, professor of philosophy. The committee submitted a report to the Senate in May 1991, calling for a reorganization within the Academic Council in order to allow for increased faculty participation, according to Professor Mort Fuchs, chairman of the department of biological sciences.

The proposal, which was considered by some faculty to be modest, recommended that: the Academic Council have the power to form standing committees that meet regularly in order to examine issues more closely; the number of elected faculty be increased from 18 to 24; and the number of students to be six.

The proposal was endorsed unanimously by the Academic Senate and placed on the agenda of the October 1991 meeting of the Academic Council using the Senate's right of agenda. The issue was discussed at the meeting and then tabled. The proposal was again discussed during the December 1991 meeting of the council.

Although Malloy expressed his opposition to the proposed changes at both meetings, the proposal was passed by the council by a vote of 21 to 12, or nearly two-to-one. After further consideration, however, Malloy vetoed the proposal.

While some questioned his reasoning, Malloy said that he had made his opposition clear during the meetings. "I didn't do it arbitrarily," he said. "Normally people veto it if they think something fundamental is at stake," he continued, "and that is why I vetoed it."

In the present governance structure, only the Academic Council, a body consisting of 14 administrators appointed by virtue of their position, 18 elected faculty and four students, has the responsibility to determine general academic policies and regulations of the College, according to the Notre Dame's Academic Artiles.

The Senate Faculty, meanwhile, is composed of 53 elected faculty and is charged with the duty of formulating faculty opinion and making academic recommendations to the Academic Council. The Senate has no power to implement policy.

A second issue that has led the Senate to consider a vote of no-confidence was the failure of the Board of Trustees to delay the confirmation of Provost Timothy O'Meara until the faculty review of the officer that is mandated by the academic artiles. During the same meeting, the board confirmed the president and the executive vice president.

A letter to the Senate from Donald Kinnath, chairman of the Board, stated that "The timing proved awkward because the academic year would provide for a separate review of Provost O'Meara by the Board to have acted in regard to two top officers while delaying a third officer's review would have been even more awkward."

Kinnath is the Board of Trustees and the president thought it so insignificant that it could be handled with," said O'Connor, "reflects these problems."

It is difficult to gauge how many of these concerns among the faculty's requests to University are only the beliefs of a small group of faculty leaders or those of many faculty, according to Donald Kinnath, chairman of the Freshman Year of Studies.

However, "events of the past year have raised issues that have spoke to more people. Many more faculty are taking.
Making Their Last Public Appearance: Dave and Joseph

Making Their First Public Appearance: Greg and Molly

April 2, 1992 at 8:30
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Greg Butrus and Molly O'Neill
Incoming President and Vice President
Drug charges dropped due to police perjury

BALTIMORE (AP) — Charges against about 50 drug suspects will be dropped because five police officers lied to obtain warrants in a case involving a distant relative of the mayor, a prosecutor said Wednesday.

The perjury indictments against the officers have tainted their credibility in unrelated drug cases in which they were the key witnesses, said State's Attorney Stuart O. Simms.

"I don't think we were in a position where we could have had our cake and eaten it, too," Simms said. "The state has a significant responsibility to bring forward the truth. Credibility is an important issue in any case, especially in a drug case."

Chris Romano, chief of the state attorney general's criminal investigations division, said authorities couldn't wait until the perjury cases are settled because defendants have a right to have their cases heard in 180 days.

The drug charges can be re-filed if the officers are cleared, Romano said.

That didn't satisfy Gary McHenry, a spokesman for the Fraternal Order of Police, a union that represents the officers.

"If that's the case, expedite the officers' cases so you can get it out of the way," McHenry said.

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The foreign aid extension approved by the Senate lacks loan guarantees to help Israel absorb Jewish emigres from the former Soviet Union and pave the way for risk insurance for sales of the large armaments through the Export-Import Bank.

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Construction spending drops slightly

New home sales dip in February, increase over last year

WASHINGTON (AP) — Construction spending on homes, office buildings and other projects shrank 0.4 percent in February after the largest advance in nearly two years a month earlier, the government said Wednesday.

Analysis expressed little concern, saying the overall trend in construction was positive, particularly in the housing sector that typically leads the economy out of recession.

"I think we're looking for the residential sector to be a positive force in the economy throughout 1992," said David Seiders, an economist with the National Association of Home Builders.

Spending on residential, nonresidential and government projects in February totaled $406.2 billion at a seasonally adjusted annual rate, the Commerce Department reported.

The February rate was down partly from $407.9 billion in January, when spending jumped 1.8 percent for the largest advance since a 1.9 percent gain in February 1990. The January increase first was estimated to be 1.3 percent.

Outlays for residential construction dipped 0.1 percent, to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of $168.5 billion, following a 1.9 percent increase a month earlier.

Still, except for January, residential spending was at the highest level since October 1990, when it totaled $172.1 billion, David Benson, an economist with the Federal National Mortgage Association, said.

Single-family construction rose 3.2 percent in February, to $119.7 billion, up 0.9 percent a month earlier. Spending in this area has risen every month since February 1991.

But spending on apartments plunged 16.9 percent, to $11.8 billion. Spending on apartments hit the highest level since October 1989 and many institutions were suddenly put on the brink of insolvency.

"We're stuck here today with a tactic it has adopted in the past in order to attract markets," added that the leadership of the party was not interested in a fight.

Keating asks to remain free to repay debts

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Charles Keating Jr., who faces up to 10 years in prison for his role in the savings and loan debacle, asked in a letter to his probation officer, Thomas Aiken, to be released because "the United States is not a country where a middle-class person can be put to death for a crime.

"However, if I were ever put in a position where my conscience and abilities to earn money would have to be exercised and there would still be uncovered moneys due the bondholders, I would — indeed grateful — up to $10 million the remainder of my life as necessary to make them whole," Keating wrote in a letter, made public Tuesday.

Prosecutors told a jury last year that Keating hambazoned Lincoln Savings & Loan depositors into thinking predominate bonds of his holding company, American Continental Corp., were a safe investment.

Some 17,000 bondholders lost $525 million when Amnerican Continental filed for bankruptcy and Lincoln was seized at a taxpayer cost of $2.6 billion, the most expensive failure in history.

Keating, 68, was convicted Dec. 4 of 17 counts of securities fraud. Aiken's report is due next Tuesday and Keating may face parole next year.

Meanwhile, a civil trial continues in a suit filed by bondholders seeking to get back their money. A judge could award them more than $400 million to cover their losses and legal fees and interest.

In his letter, Keating pro­

Legislation to finance savings and loan bailout moves by

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ejected on Dec. 4 by rebellious Republicans, the House on Wednesday re­

The 298-125 vote sent administration officials and leaders of both parties scrambling for a way to keep the Resolution Trust Corp., the bailout agency, running. Congress provided the agency with $25 billion in November, but the authority to spend the money expired Wednesday.

The RTC can still seize insol­

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate on Wednesday approved a stopgap six-month extension of U.S. foreign aid that includes money for United Nations peacekeeping for the former Soviet Union.

Approved 16, the bill was sent back to the House for final approval after senators added $52 million for a government assistance disaster loans. Absent from the spending bill was any authority for loan guarantees to help Israel absorb Israeli Jewish emigres from the former Soviet Union, and the bilateral $1 billion in loan guarantees the state's Senate supporters was approved.

"I think the administration was disingenuous in its negotiations with the Israelis and the Congress on this issue," Sen. Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., said.

The opposition to the bill was shrunk today by a resolution, DeConcini said. "President Bush to finance the peacekeeping for the former Soviet Union and paved the way for risk insurance for sales of the large armaments through the Export-Import Bank.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Poetry column premiers ->

Dear Readers:

For the first time in its history, The Observer will be publishing a weekly poetry column. The column, premiering this afternoon, is called Thursday's Verse. The Viewpoint Department is now accepting poetry to be published in the column. All submissions must be original and unpublished. Beginning today, one poem will run each Thursday. Anyone is eligible for publication.

The Viewpoint Department

April 2, 1992

Ribbons around campus remind of sexual assault

Dear Editor:

As Sexual Assault Awareness Week comes to a close, I think it would do everyone good to stop and reflect upon the purpose of the week. There were lectures given each night dealing with topics such as prevention and how to go on after an attack. There were lectures and reflect upon the purpose of the week. There were lectures and reflect upon the purpose of the week.

The reality is that in the past week, I’ve probably seen over one hundred different ribbons on campus. Each one of these ribbons is a painful reminder that sexual assault occurs. Not only does it occur, it occurs to people we know on campus. Yet, how many of us took time out, if only for a brief moment, to think about what these ribbons signify?

For each ribbon tied around a tree branch, door handle, or handrail is someone out there living in pain and fear. The ribbon is simple, but the meaning is deep. The ribbon means that somebody was violated. The victims had some-thing taken from them, something stolen which they weren’t willing to give. And what does society do? It takes these victims and accuses them. There are lectures wrong when an overwhelming majority of victims don’t report the crimes out of fear. They have been through such an intense pain, yet if they make an attempt at justice, they are dragged through the dirt, and made to feel even more pain. I’m sure that many of those ribbons are representative of victims who did not report the grave injustices committed against them.

Just think back to the ribbons you saw this past week and realize that they are not simply ribbons, but symbols of pain. We must be aware that sexual crimes don’t discriminate. There is no basis on how victims are chosen. Remember what a survivor wrote in the March 26th Observer: “So next time someone mentions rape, please try to take it seriously. You could be talking to me.” Be aware, it can happen to anyone.

by Joe Moody

Viewpoint Editor

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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"Beyond the door, there's peace I'm sure, and I know they'll be no more tears in heaven."

Eric Clapton

She don't like, she don't like, to submit.

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Thursday’s Verse

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the kings of correction try to freeze you in perfection in the tombstones of success they dwell complexity breeding from the confusion they're feeding they mix up, then wish you well

but a glum splash of shores before birth before the body, before the earth warning we all must return to eternity

dinosaurs daring to capture your caring and make you see through their eyes they've been there for years, have instilled many fears and dressed you in the web of old lies

but a girl far from the swirl scraps from nowhere 'abandon your course and walk the way of the True' they say you're inferior for living from the interior scoffing as they cast out your dice

they judge you to last according to their past they do the damage, you pay the price

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by Joe Moody

Viewpoint Editor
The rhetorical force is toward...
Dynamic duo

World-famous flute and harp duo of Megan Meisenbach and Mary Golden will perform Friday at Saint Mary’s

By MARA DIVIS
Saint Mary’s Accent Editor

The flute and harp duo of Megan Meisenbach and Mary Golden will offer something for everyone at tomorrow night’s concert at Saint Mary’s College, said the performers.

Meisenbach and Golden, world-renowned performers from Austin, Texas, will bring their act, which includes a wide variety of pieces from different musical periods to Saint Mary’s Little Theater tomorrow night at 8 p.m., and hope to both entertain the audience and have a good time.

“We try to keep a program as varied as possible,” Golden said. “We like to think we have a wide audience appeal. Some of our music is classical, some of it is jazz and contemporary.”

The duo was formed at the University of Texas in 1976, and has since toured the central United States, earning fame with audiences and winning yearly touring grants from the Mid-America Arts Alliance and the Texas Commission on the Arts, according to a biography of the duo.

In addition, Meisenbach has also been a First Prize winner of the National Flute Association Chamber Music Competition. As a solo performer, Meisenbach has toured Europe, including performances in Copenhagen, Rome, Brussels and Frankfurt.

She has also studied with world-renowned flutists James Galway in Lucerne, Switzerland, and with Jean-Pierre Rampal for five summers at the Académie Internationale d’Ete in Nice, France, according to the biography.

In addition, Meisenbach has performed to a sold-out crowd at New York City’s Carnegie Hall Recital Hall.

Golden has performed regularly in Texas as part of the harp duo Kythera. She has also performed with the San Antonio Opera Theatre, the San Antonio Symphony and the Austin Symphony.

In addition to performing, the duo has most recently released a compact disc entitled Debussy, Ravel, Bach, which is receiving critical acclaim, the biography said.

Golden said the duo likes to have fun and communicate with the audience as they perform.

“We like to have a good time with our audience,” she said. “We like to invite them up and meet them after the show.”

Tickets for Meisenbach and Golden concert are priced at $7 and $6 and are on sale at the O’Laughlin Box Office at Saint Mary’s. The box office is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. today and tomorrow.

The Marshall Tucker Band brings country music to South Bend

By MATTHEW MOHS
Accent Writer

With the numerous cross-over hits by people such as Bonnie Raitt and Garth Brooks in the last couple of years, it should be no surprise that the Marshall Tucker Band has reemerged as a popular act.

In their twenty year career, the band has sold millions of albums. The Marshall Tucker Band opened for the Allman Brothers in 1973 and one year later were the stars of their own show.


Carolina Dreams and Searching For A Rainbow continued to sell well and reached the platinum mark. Their most popular song is the cross-over chart topper “Heard It In A Love Song,” while other hits have included “Can’t You See” and “Fire On The Mountain.”

The band has undergone some dramatic changes over the years. Some of the original members have left the group, which helped push the band in new directions. Doug Gray and Jerry Eubanks decided to make the Marshall Tucker Band experiment in blues and jazz while continuing its country rock foundation.

Gray, founder if the band, is the main vocalist and has given the group its sense of tradition. Eubanks makes up the musical core of Marshall Tucker by playing a number of instruments ranging from the flute to the saxophone. Stuart Swanlund was a Marshall Tucker fan as he grew up and now adds his voice to the band’s distinctive style.

The rest of band mixes talent, experience, and musical heart. Rusty Milner brings a soulful guitar to the group. Veteran bass player Tim Lawter, drummer Ace Allen, and pianist Don Cameron all add to the style of the band.

They bring this tradition of excitement with them tonight. The concert starts at 8:30 p.m. and tickets are available at the Heartland for ten dollars. They will perform a mix of their old hits and their new singles.
Father Charles Fiore, founder of National Pro-Life PAC, speaks on consequences of abortion

By TONY POPANZ
Accent Writer

In its first month after conception, a human fetus has the same basic traits of a newborn, including a head, with eyes, ears, mouth and brain, and a body, with a digestive tract, a bloodstream and a heart. Though unborn, this inconsiderable one breathes the breath of human life.

The fate of millions of unwanted unborn rests on the dedication of people like Father Charles Fiore, who founded our nation's first Pro-Life Political Action Committee (National Pro-Life PAC). Acknowledged by the New York Times Magazine as "one of the pioneers of the Pro-Life Movement," Fiore will speak today first at noon in 101 Law School, and second at 7:30 p.m. in the Seton Room on the first floor of LaFortune.

Father Fiore, a Dominican priest, holds a master's degree in both theology and philosophy. He has held the respectable positions of coordinator of the worldwide chapter of the Dominican Order and invited professor of Christology at the Pontifical University of St. Thomas Aquinas in Rome, and has appeared on Good Morning America and Crossfire.

Fiore knows how relevant family and abortion issues are to his existence, because of his grandmother who, as a woman impregnated by rape, bore his father before she emigrated from Sicily.

Since before the Roe vs. Wade decision, Fiore has worked with young married and unmarried couples. As he began to notice the atrophy of family bonds from the 1960s onward, Fiore discovered that abortion had become a viable solution for young pregnant women. As a result, he decided to address these issues before they became problems.

"Abortion, which takes the most innocent lives among us, is never the solution to other human problems. Pro-Lifers have always provided compassionate alternatives to human suffering at every stage of life," said Fiore.

Because of what Fiore recognized as a need for compassion, support, and education, in 1970, while studying at Berkeley, he founded IDEA Inc., a foundation dedicated to fulfilling such needs.

"(Abortion) creates several problems. Data is there to show that once a woman takes the life of her unborn, she never forgets it," explained Fiore. "Abortion is nothing less than the taking of human life after it has begun. After conception, there are two bodies, not one.

Fiore discredits the thought that abortion is a woman's issue by asserting that it is a human rights issue.

After the passing of the Roe vs. Wade decision on January 22, 1973, Fiore immediately vowed, "not over my dead body." Furthermore, he made the resolution to "make the TV and newspaper commentators eat their words."

"Seven of nine nonelected justices had no more authority to decide for the nation than did those who ratified the Dred Scott Decision," commented Fiore.

"Why then, isn't abortion everyone's business?"

"One cannot hide abortion simply because the victims are out of our sight," continued Fiore.

The major barriers he sees in the way of the illegalizing of abortion are politicians who would rather be reelected than right.

Under this pretense, Fiore will give his talks. He plans to tout the Pro-Life situation in this election year. Referring to abortion as "the issue that won't go away," Fiore implores all Pro-Lifers to get involved politically, for every candidate for president is required to state his position for the taking of life. However, he cautions voters to be wary of other important issues, as well.

Ultimately, in return for the efforts of all nationwide Pro-Life efforts, Fiore hopes to see a human rights amendment passed, observing that human life is sacred from conception to birth, and from birth to death.

He offers guidance for realizing such a dream.

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"Pro-Lifers are politicians who would rather be reelected than right.

LULAC variety show promotes Latin American culture

By JENNIFER GUERIN
Assistant Accent

One year of preparations will culminate this Friday evening, April 3, when the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) presents its third annual variety show, "Latin Expressions." Members of LULAC have prepared approximately 10 hours of entertainment for their audience, with acts ranging from humorous skits to dramatic prose and poetry readings of original works, Ballet Folklorico Azul e Oro, a Notre Dame group focusing on folk dances to traditional Mexican songs, will also perform. Although it is not specifically a Latin organization, the dance group Troop ND has been invited to make a cameo appearance.

Manuel Espino, the president of LULAC when the first production of "Latin Expressions" was organized three years ago, suggested the show is "a combination of the Keenan Revue, the ISO Festival, and Black Images." It resembles each of these campus events in a different capacity, combining elements of humor and satire with serious undertones.

Espino claimed the show also provides an opportunity for aspiring writers and performers to display their talents.

According to Espino, LULAC has two main objectives for the show. The first, in its interpretations and the traditional songs and dances, they hope to promote the Latin American culture. In their skits and comedy routines, however, they hope to "laugh at the stereotypes and, in doing so, dispel them."

- Manuel Espino

"Latin Expressions" is one of the premiere events of LULAC's calendar each year. The fifty to one hundred active members of the organization have been planning the show since last year, and Espino feels their efforts will come together quite nicely.

"Latin Expressions" will appear at the Library Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening. Tickets are $2 for students and $3 for non-students, and are available at the LaFortune Information Desk or at the door.

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ON SALE!

Over the Eastern break, the club will head to the Connecticut College Regatta, which Briggs deemed "definitely our toughest competition all season." "Sailing against the Southeast colleges (let's call them) so early in the season should help us prepare for Connecticut," said Briggs.

On strike!
The NHL players went on strike yesterday for the first time ever.

The Observer accepts classifieds every business day from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Notre Dame office, 314 LaFortune and from 12 p.m. to 3 p.m. at 309 Haggar College Theatre of LaFortune. The Observer welcomes classifieds in Spanish. See ya at the party!!

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Hoops

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Because of the call, Notre Dame advanced to the finals, and the Utes got the honor of playing in the prestigious NIT and the Utes got the honor of playing in the prestigious NIT consolation game.

There are times when officials should take action against a player or a coach, but there are others when they should pretend they are not there. In the third period and turn their backs to the participants who are upset over what was probably a bad call in the first place.

We, the undersigned elected faculty members of the Academic Council, wish to express our deep disappointment at Fr. Malloy's recent veto of a proposal decisively passed by the Academic Council to restructure it. The proposal would have modestly augmented the representation of elected faculty and students on the Council and incorporated a committee structure designed to make the deliberations and decisions of the Council more informed. The pros and cons of the proposal were discussed at length over two meetings of the Academic Council. The discussion culminated in a strong acceptance of the proposal (approximately a 2/3 majority) by a plurality that included faculty, students and administrators.

While we respectfully acknowledge the President's right of veto, we strongly believe that its use in this case was without any convincing rationale and therefore inappropriate. We feel particular concern over the President's invocation of a proposed "third thing" (a new council having the structure of the Colloquy) as addressing the issues that motivated the proposal. To the extent that it can be envisaged, such an entity would not address the issues of academic policy and decisions, would have a structure inappropriate for deliberating on academic matters, and, in general, would weaken the central academic mission of Notre Dame. We firmly believe that the Academic Council appropriately modified should remain the principal forum for all academic matters.

We make this statement in the hope that suitable ways will be found for students, faculty and administrators to work together to fulfill Notre Dame's promise as a major university in the Catholic tradition.

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Oliver. "I wanted to end my career on a positive note. Notre Dame led most of the first half, building a nine-point lead on an Ellis 10-footer with 4:45 remaining in the half. The Irish trailed 17-2 after Stith's three-pointer with 15:15 remaining in the first half. But led by Bennett and Ellis, they ran off a 14-4 spurt to build their largest lead, 25-16.

However, with Stith leading the charge, the Cavaliers fought back, putting together a 13-4 run to tie the game by halftime, 29-29.

Displaying the type of streak shooting with which he has been the most successful Irish, Stith scored nine of his team's 13 points during the run to pull Virginia back into the game. With Virginia still trailing 29-24 with 1:28 left in the half, Stith went to work in earnest, scoring five in a row to take the game. After Jon Ross' third foul, Stith hit one of two free throws, a Bennett turnover enabled him to hit a baseline jumper, cutting the Irish lead to two. Then stealing the ball and dunking with 6.2 seconds remaining, Stith tied the game going into the locker room.

NOTES—Oliver was joined on the NIT all-tournament team by DeBoer, Freshman Year. Notre Dame could not have asked for anything more from the Jimmy Poole and Utah's Jimmy Soto. Even after the Jimmy Soto was selected the NIT Most Valuable Player... Despite the loss, Notre Dame's run through the tournament enabled coach John MacLeod to set a record for most victories ever in an Irish first-year coach with 18... Notre Dame finished at 18-13... Virginia was 13-17... The Irish are 0-3 in championship games. The Irish fell to Virginia Tech in overtime, 92-91, back in 1973, and lost to Kansas, 83-74, in 1984. This was Notre Dame's first-ever game played in April.

NHL players vote to strike

TOKORO (AP) — The darkest day in the NHL could turn into its longest.

That's the prospect facing the league in the wake of Wednesday's players strike that threatened not only the Stanley Cup playoffs, but the beginning of the season as well.

Wednesday's walkout, the first league-wide strike in the NHL since 1920, began when some members of the Owners' Association went on strike, there seemed to be hope for a quick settlement when some members of the owners' committee flew into Toronto to meet with players. But, as it turned out, no negotiations took place at the meetings — only a clarification of positions, according to Ziegler.

The strike not only managed to make the biggest chunk of their income from the playoffs, the players, with average salaries of about $375,000, got virtually nothing.

Major league baseball and the NFL have had player strikes, but never before has a walkout come so close to the time when a pro sport was about to decide its champion.

"I think what's probably got a lot of people surprised; how can these athletes who play for championships go out at this point and time of the season, betting it all on a "whatifs?"" said Wayne Gretzky, the league's all-time scoring leader and hockey's best-known player.

"The vote was pretty unanimous." Gretzky, whose Los Angeles Kings had clinched a playoff berth, said he expected the strike to last either "two or three days or we're going to go until November or December."

Not long after the players went on strike, Gretzky was said to be hoping for a quick settlement when some members of the owners' committee flew into Toronto to meet with players. But, as it turned out, no negotiations took place at the meetings — only a clarification of positions, according to Ziegler.

The strike not only managed to cancel three games on Wednesday night, but cast a pall over the NHL at a time when the league was preparing for the most glamorous part of the season.

There are 27 regular-season games left before the scheduled start of the Stanley Cup playoffs on Wednesday.

Ziegler wasn't certain how long the strike would have to go before the playoffs had to be cancelled.

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Special to The Observer

Parade magazine’s top-rated forward and member of the U.S. Under-20 national team, Bill Lanza has signed a letter of intent to play soccer for Notre Dame men’s soccer team.

“Bill is a creative goal scorer who is extremely opportunist-ic,” says coach Mike Berticelli. “He will contribute to our team’s ability to be more dangerous in the attacking third. He will make a major impact as a freshman, and we consider him to be one of the top forwards coming out of high school this year.”

Lanza was one of the most highly-recruited preps in the nation, after a junior year in which he earned Most Valuable Player honors in Virginia’s Commonwealth District.

Shawn Bryden, a native of Sugar Land, Texas, has also signed a letter of intent with Notre Dame. One of the top mid/forward according to Parade magazine, Bryden was an impact player for the Under-17 Youth national team that qualified for the Youth World Cup.

“Shawn is a big, strong defensive midfielder,” Berticelli says. “He is expected to replace graduating senior Kenyon Meyer.”

Midfielder Eric Ferguson, a member of the Under-20 Olympic Development pool, also signed a letter of intent to enroll at Notre Dame. “Eric is an extremely skillful and imaginative player,” commented Berticelli. “He has the ability to control the tempo of the game.”

The Boston Globe’s player of the year last year, Josh Landman will attend Notre Dame next year and play for the Irish men’s soccer team. Landman, from Beverly, Mass., earned All-New England honors as the team’s top scorer in his junior year. He was the only underclassman selected for those honors.

“Josh is an attacking midfielder with outstanding physical attributes,” Berticelli says. “He has excellent technique and possesses a very powerful shot.” Joining Landman on the squad will be Chris Concannon, a midfielder/forward from Austin, Texas. Concannon was a member of several South Texas select teams and currently plays for the Austin Flyers club team. “Chris has exceptional quick and he’s a very skilled, disciplined player,” Berticelli says.

Goalkeepers Doug Sidney, from Burnsville, Minnesota, and Patrick Polking, from Charlotte, North Carolina, will also enroll at Notre Dame and play for the Irish. Sidney was an all-state goalie and he helped lead his team to the state semifinals. A three-year starter, Polking posted 24 shutouts in his sophomore and junior campaigns, posting a goals against average of 0.78 in the latter. Both are expected to challenge MCC freshman of the year Bert Bader.

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Women's tennis to play Texas and A&M

By JASON KELLY
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame women's tennis team will get away from the cold weather for a few days as they head south to face Texas and Texas A&M.

After a tough weekend that included wins over Boston College and 17th-ranked Kansas, the Irish are ready for the competition they will face against Texas this afternoon.

The Longhorns are currently ranked 11th, although they are expected to jump as many as seven notches when next week's poll is released. Last season, the Irish dropped a 7-2 decision to Texas during a spring break trip San Diego.

"We had a tight match against them last year on our spring break trip and this will be another tough one, especially outdoors," Irish coach Jay Louderback said.

Because of the weather conditions here, the team hasn't been able to practice much outdoors and that will be a factor against Texas and Texas A&M.

"This is the toughest part of our season, going from indoors to outdoors," Louderback explained. "Outdoors you have to worry about the sun and the wind and all the elements and that makes a big, big difference. It usually takes about two weeks to get used to playing outdoors." They won't have that much time to make the adjustment, however, with two tough matches staring them in the face.

After today's match against Texas, the Irish travel to San Antonio to face Texas A&M. Although they are not having the type of season they are used to, the Aggies will be ready to play against the Irish.

"A&M is a little down this year," Louderback commented. "They're perennially a top 20 team, but they've had some injuries. It will still be a very tough match, though."

The Irish return to the Eck Tennis Pavilion on Tuesday for their final home meet of the season against Western Michigan.

Sports Briefs are accepted in writing during business hours Monday through Friday at the Observer office on the third floor of LaFortune. Please submit your name, brief, telephone number, and the dates the brief is to run.

The Rockne Pool will be closed until further notice due to repairs. Both Aquatic Center is open Mon-Fri from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Sat-Sun from 1 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.

Mirish Heartlights Spring 3 and 6 mile runs are scheduled for April 9 at 4 p.m. Students and staff can pick up entry forms at RecSports, LaFortune Info desk, and the Dining Halls. For more information, call 239-6100 and ask for Sally.

Bookstore Basketball team captains who don't have their schedules stop by the S.U.B. office on the second floor of LaFortune to pick up a copy of the schedules and a team list for your team. Preliminaries start on Monday.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes will hold a meeting tonight in the basement of Farley at 7 p.m. All are welcome. Questions? Call E.D. at 283-1274.

Aerobic Instructors are needed for the 1992-93 school year. If you have experience in step aerobics, high or low intensity aerobics, or other disciplines and would like to teach classes for RecSports, call 239-5100 for an application. Tryouts will be conducted on April 10.

Referees are needed for Bookstore X XI games. Anyone interested should contact Bobby at 283-3515 of Patrick at 283-4078 by April 6.

Women's Bookstore Basketball schedules will be available at the SUB and SAB offices on Friday. Please pick one up as soon as possible. Schedules will also be posted outside 405 Lewis. Questions? Call 283-1093.

Women's Bookstore Basketball commissioner meeting will be held Sunday at 1 p.m. in 405 Lewis Hall. New people are welcome. If you cannot make the meeting, call 283-1093.

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Track teams travel to Indy for Intercollegiates

Men optimistic about chances at Indianapolis

By RIAN AKLEY
Sports Writer

So far this outdoor season, the men's track team has had a simple solution to dealing with South Bend's unpredictable spring weather: head south. Meets held in Florida, Alabama, and North Carolina have kept the Irish athletes warm while Notre Dame remained cold and wet.

This weekend, however, that promise to change, as 29 races promise to change, as 29 races

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set a personal best. "Ideally," he commented, "we'd like to see every athlete set a personal best.

Two athletes coming off outdoor season bests—Ryan Mihalko and Greg Herman—will compete at the Texas relays this weekend. Mihalko's javelin throw of 207 feet 9 inches, and Herman's 6 foot 3/4 inch high jump have not been bested yet this season.

No gain. No pain.

Keeping your weight at a moderate level may scale down your risk of heart attack. So maintain a healthy diet and lighten up on your heart.

American Heart Association

Correction:

In Tuesday's Observer, a Saint Mary's tennis story was run that had previously appeared The Observer. The article was supposed to be a preview for a tennis match against UIC. The Observer regrets the error.

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TRENT ARTERBERRY

8:10 p.m.

Washington Hall

Trent Arterberry moves through a series of contemporary scenes with a unique athlete grace and presence. His show ranges from hilarious descriptive mime to interpretive dance and includes improvised theater with audience participation. Arterberry began dancing more in the 70's with such masters as Marcel Marceau.

Department of Marketing and Center for Social Concerns presents

John Shea

speaking on "Entrepreneurial Public Service"

Mr. Shea, a 1985 graduate of Notre Dame, is currently a first year MBA student at Harvard Business School. At Harvard, he is president of the Public Management Club. Formerly, he was an employee of the United Way in several cities and the executive director of D.C. Cares in Washington D.C.

Hayes-Healey Auditorium 7:30 pm on Thursday, April 2

The MENU IS CHANGING

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**Irish lose in Final 81-76**

**Dreams fall short in final**

**By ROLANDO DE AGUIAR**

**Associate Sports Editor**

**NEW YORK—** Last night in Madison Square Garden, an arena built on heroes, individual heroes were not enough.

Despite a career-high 29 points by Elmer Bennett, Notre Dame fell to Virginia, 81-76 in overtime.

With four seniors playing their last game in Irish uniforms, Notre Dame battled back from a 11-point deficit with 10 minutes remaining to force overtime with the Cavaliers.

Bennett's 23-foot three-pointer—hit while leaning on Virginia's Cory Alexander—tied the game at 64. His improbable jumper also capped a second half that saw a ballgame that was tied at halftime move decisively in Virginia's favor, and then back to a tie as time expired.

The three, which fell through the net with 2.8 seconds remaining, gave Virginia players reason to believe that leprechauns were loose in New York.

"I was standing right behind him," said Virginia senior Anthony Oliver. "He was leaning over Cory when he released. And as soon as it went in, I said, 'Oh, my God, it's the luck of the Irish again.'"

But Notre Dame's luck had almost run out. Virginia came out of the blocks quickly in overtime, building a 69-66 lead, hitting three of four free throws in the extra period's opening one-and-a-half minutes.

But Virginia gave back those points on 27-21 foul shots in the next minute, as Bennett and Mike Parker combined to three-for-four from the line themselves to tie the score at 70.

Virginia gained an advantage when Bryant Stith, who finished with a team-high 24 points, canned three more free shots on Keith Tower's fourth foul. The Cavaliers did not fall further, as they pulled away from Notre Dame.

The Irish fell short in their quest for Notre Dame's first ever post-season title. However, this year was a great success for coach John MacLeod.

The Cavaliers pulled away from Notre Dame with 10 minutes remaining to take a 39 to carry them. Ellis added to Notre Dame's punch with 20 points and 11 rebounds, but senior guard Daimon Sweet was shut down all night by Oliver, who was named to the all-tournament team.

"These last few days have meant so much to me," said Sweet. "It's been great college basketball games."

"It's about the Notre Dame baseball team (11-7) today. Valparaiso (4-10) in a doubleheader to open the home season at Coveleski Regional Stadium. The Irish played five games in five different states in 31 days before the season opener tonight.

Ranked at 15 in the current Baseball America poll, the Irish are coming off a tough three-game series against Miami. The Irish played 18 games in five different states in 31 days before the season opener tonight.

The probable Irish starting pitchers for the doubleheader are junior Al Walania and freshman Craig Allen.

Walania (3-2, 3.67, 1 save) was the Midwestern Collegiate Conference pitcher of the week last week after his performance against the Hurricanes.

Allen has made appearances in five games this season including his only start of the year at Virginia in the Service Academies Classic earlier in the season.

Walania and Allen will have to be on the lookout for Valparaiso heavy hitters, Jack Holley, Mike Parker, and Mike Garcia. Parker has the second highest batting average on the team at .357. Holley (.326, 6 RBIs) has hit a pair of doubles and homers this year while Garcia (.324, 9 RBIs) is tied for the team lead in stolen bases with three.

Joe Luce, Marc Ware, and Jeff Snyder are the RPI producers for the team as well as the witnesses of the team with all three having started every game so far for the Crusaders. Luce (293), Ware (293), and Snyder (240) are listed at 14, 12, and 12 RBIs respectively.

The probable Irish starting pitchers for the doubleheader are senior Joe Blinkiewicz (18), sophomore Greg Layson or freshman Bobby Rik (2B), senior Craig Allen and senior Cory Moe (3B) in the infield. In the outfield, Notre Dame will be represented by either senior Jack Hauht or freshman Paul Failla in center, freshman Andy Gways in right, and junior Eric Danapilis in right. Either freshman Craig Derens or junior Pat Leahy will be the designated hitter while either freshman Rob Lisianti or sophomore Matt Haas will be behind the plate.

By MIKE SCRUDATO

**Sports Editor**

**NEW YORK—** Last night, the Virginia Cavaliers showed why basketball is a team sport.

Virginia did not tear up Notre Dame's man-to-man defense, but it was able to work the ball and find good shots.

By doing so, the Cavaliers captured their second NIT title, 81-76 in overtime, over the Irish.

"People can say whatever they want to about the NIT, but they should just look at the emotion our kids showed out there (on the court)," Virginia coach Jeff Jones said.

"We knew Bryant (Stith) would not get anything easy and we would be force to find the open man. Fortunately, we were able to do so," Virginia guard everyone contribut, Stith, who led the Cavaliers with 24 points and eight rebounds and was named tournament MVP, was key to the game.

"I hope I never have to see Stith again," Irish coach John MacLeod commented.

"We did everything we could to try to stop him, but he is a tremendous player."

"I relied a lot on my teammates to get them up and hit the open shots," Stith explained. "I've been crunch time, I was looking for the basketball."

The Notre Dame offense, on the other hand, was anything but predictable as Elmer Bennett scored 39 of his team's 76 points.

"Elmer's patience didn't let his team lose," said Jones. "But he was fantastic."

However, he may have seen the best of Bennett. **SEE TEAM PAGE 15**

By JENNY MARTEN

**Associate Sports Editor**

**Baseball to play first home game tonight**

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