Dinner discussion

Eileen Deane and Diane Glennon (left to right), both seniors from Pangborn Hall, enjoy the atmosphere at the South Dining Hall after their move from Lewis Hall to Pangborn this fall.

Freshmen attend computer workshop

By ALEX MONTOYA

Our Dame freshmen students—and English Composition and Literature—will now be required to attend a computer workshop to enhance their Macintosh skills for word processing, according to Edward Kline, Freshman Writing Program director.

The program will help freshmen become more familiar with Macintosh computers.

"I'm very enthusiastic about the program," said Kline. "We have critical literature stating that the quality of writing has been dramatically better when students learn to use computers." The program has received good reviews by students and faculty alike, Kline said.

"I know this will work because in the summer we held these workshops for teachers, some who were scared to even teach the Macintosh, but they learned and succeeded and I know students will too," he said. "In the long run, this will be a super asset for everyone.”

The workshops which run through September and again in January, are held in room 101 DeBartolo.

Bosnian Serbs sign artillery agreement

SARAJEVO, Bosnia-Herzegovina (AP) — The leader of Bosnian Serbs agreed Wednesday to put his heavy forces under UN supervision, but first the Bosnian Serbs would have to have UN forces on the ground.

Serb military officials also ended a 1 1/2-month siege of Gorazde, a town near Sarajevo, according to officials loyal to the Muslim-dominated government.

A Bosnian military leader said: "The war here is not over yet.""The agreement with the Bosnian government and the UN is to end the war and sign a peace agreement. We are currently in the process of implementing the agreement. The peace agreement is expected to be signed in the coming days. The agreement includes provisions for a ceasefire, the withdrawal of foreign forces, and the establishment of a democratic government. The agreement is expected to bring an end to the war in Bosnia and Herzegovina. The agreement was signed in Sarajevo and was welcomed by the international community.
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**Tidal wave causes destruction**

MASACHAPA, Nicaragua (AP) — Splintered huts and buildings littered a 200-mile swath of Nicaragua's coast Wednesday following a tidal wave that killed at least 40 people and left thousands homeless. Dozens were missing, and rescue workers expected the death toll to rise.

A major earthquake at sea caused a wall of water up to 30 feet high to sweep over most of the coast. It submerged islands and rolled more than a half mile inland in some spots, destroying beachfront homes, hotels and scattering wrecked boats and cars.

The surge of water sucked people and small buildings out to sea as it retreated.

Nicaragua's government, already suffering severe economic problems and a political crisis dividing the government, appealed for international aid.

The U.S. Embassy in Managua released $25,000 to provide food, water and shelter to tidal wave victims.

The United States froze $104 million in aid to Nicaragua in the spring over charges that President Violeta Chamorro had failed to curtail the power of security officials from the leftist Sandinista movement, which Mrs. Chamorro defeated in 1990 elections.

"The sea took us by surprise. All of sudden, I was swimming in my own home and all my furniture was floating around me," said Socorro Lopez, 47, who lost two grandchildren in Masachapa, a beach resort of about 2,000 people south of the capital, Managua.

"This huge wave swallowed us, house and all. Now I'll never be able to bring my grandchildren back." the woman said, sobbing, as the bodies of the 4-year-old boy and 2-year-old girl were laid out nearby.

Eight of the nine confirmed dead in Masachapa were children.

Civil Defense Lt. Norma Zepeda Valdez said 40 people were known dead, 49 missing and 2,825 forced to flee.

In Geneva, U.N. officials said the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies reported at least 64 dead. They said the United Nations would release $30,000 to buy urgent supplies.

The missing included at least 12 fishermen lost at sea near Masachapa, Red Cross officials said.

LeMans to implement Card Access System

By HEIDI DECKELMANN
News Writer

Le Mans Hall plans to install a Card Access System (CAS) to be implemented, "hopefully by the time students return from fall break," said Sherri Crahen, director of Residence Life.

The CAS is being installed as a safety measure, according to Richard Chlebek, director of Security.

Because Le Mans houses academic and administrative facilities as well as students, it is difficult to monitor visitors in the building, he said.

After fall break, all doors leading to the residence hall area will be locked at all times and a card must be used to enter, according to Crahen. The elevator will run between the basement and first floor of the building, and a punch code will be given to the residents in order to access the upper floors of Le Mans.

Chlebek said, "Although there have been no major problems in Le Mans, the system is being installed as an extended security measure." Ann Marie Jordan, Residence Hall Director of Le Mans, said she feels CAS will benefit the students by "controlling who has access to the building."

"I am curious to see how the system will work in a building this size," said Jordan, "I would also like to see the students use the CAS responsibly."
Court rules MIT violated federal price-fixing ban

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Massachusetts Institute of Technology violated a federal ban on price fixing by sharing financial aid information with the Ivy League colleges, a judge ruled Wednesday.

Chief U.S. District Judge Louis C. Bechtle barred MIT from "any combination or conspiracy" with other colleges in setting financial aid based solely on need, and they met yearly to set the formula used in determining aid.

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Negotiators make progress in GM strike

DETROIT (AP) — Negotiators made some progress in lengthening talks toward ending the Ohio strike today, which paralyzed assembly lines at seven General Motors factories, a union official confirmed yesterday.

The assembly plant in Oklahoma City became the latest to close when it idled 5,000 workers because of shortages of parts resulting from the Lordstown strike. Workers are idled by the Lordstown strike, which began May 25 and has been extended to at least two months.

Nineteen other plants, including the Lordstown plant, had stopped operations Wednesday. The Lordstown strike was underway since the late afternoon of May 25.

In all, more than 32,000 GM employees at plants that supply parts to the closed assembly plants have been made inactive.

Wheat farmers welcome new subsidy

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wheat farmers on Wednesday welcomed Gov. Pete Wilson's announcement that he is providing a $1 billion subsidy to push wheat sales overseas, but some said the money should have been spent on welfare reform.

"It's definitely good news," said John Peterson of U.S. Wheat Associates, a Washington-based office that represents wheat farmers in international marketing.

But he said Bush's announcement that he is boosting up $1 billion from the Export Enhancement Program (EEP) "will help wheat farmers "would have been better-located for the industry if it had been in June and July or two ago," Bush made the announcement Wednesday during a campaign stop in South Dakota.

"If we can get wheat harvested in June and July and farmers have already sold much of it for less than $3 a bushel, down about a dollar from the year before," Steve Pringle, a spokesman...
Bookstore: a bum trip for students

How does one begin to correct the abominable way the bookstore sells textbooks to students each semester? They, the bookstore, take the entire body of a large, some ten thousand in all—so many that to register them, the registrar's office spreads out under a dome of the Joyce ACC—and they, the bookstore, crowd those students into a single room over a weekend, an AC, if not smaller, and already three-quarters filled with overloaded bookshelves. They force those students to squeeze, squirm, crawl, and cram themselves past each other in search of books, and then to stand in lines that plug the aisles the length of the room and even double back on themselves. And they keep that room hot and airless.

They do this repeatedly in a week's time, herding students into that room not once, but as often as possible, by imposing a restrictive no-refund policy that forces students, as the bookstore signs warn, to "Go to Class First!" And so on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the students to get class, get assignments, and head again for the lines. Outside it's snowing, but in the bookstore inhumane and unconscionable merchandising could only conclude that they're witnessing not merely disrespect for the students but outright contempt. And indeed, when I suggested to an employee that it would help to leave open the door of the back room, which had its window open, that's exactly what I got, a straight look of contempt and the words, "We don't want students back there."

I went through the ordeal on Wednesday, the second class day, for my son, whose class schedule left him no time to get needed books. It was about 3:30 in the afternoon. Every inch of space in that upper bookstore room was filled with sweating bodies, and that keepers' tours through the turnstile (after waiting in a line)尤清 (to get their accounts verified). Searching students squeezed past those standing in line, filling the room with a sea of voices. "Excuse me," I said. "Pardon me." "Sorry." "May I just..."

What kept me there was not only my son's need and the ten percent faculty discount I could expect if I bought those books personally (I'm paying for them either way, but to get the discount I had to buy them myself, according to the bookstore). I was kept there by the good will, the patience, and the genuine graciousness of the students.

They strategized, of course—one buddy getting in line, for example, while the other ferreted out books—but they made friendship and patience prevail.

Most helpful to me were the encouraging remarks and calming good humor of a student in line behind me. He kept up a steady patter of encouragement, and when a friend queuing past asked how long he'd been there, this student said cheerfully, "Oh, about twenty minutes," knowing damned well we'd been there at least forty-five minutes and still had a long way to go.

His laid-back unflappability helped keep me from abandoning son, discount, and all by liberating myself from that concentration camp and bursting free into breathable air.

I left vowing that this practice must stop. It might have been excusable tried once and then dropped, but to have knowingly and willing mounted such an unnecessary and inexcusable system your year after year.

So let me begin by calling on the powers that be: the bookstore management, the student government, the faculty senate, the university provost and vice-presidents, and the president himself.

Do not rest, please, until this appellation imposition upon our students is banished from this campus.

Let me also suggest that for NEXT SEMESTER, textbook orders be shipped by the bookstore directly to the Joyce ACC, or to the St. Peter's Center, or to some other roomy place.

During the first week of classes, let these books be set out in some spacious area and with at least double, perhaps triple, the cash registers now available.

After the first week of classes, let the leftover texts be hauled to the bookstore for sales throughout the remainder of the semester.

For the long term, separate the textbook division from the general book sales.

Move it to another place with its own office near lots of flexible space.

And as for those authorities, who for years have inflicted this inhuman torture on our students, present each one with a map leading to Fatima Beto House, where they may undertake the long, patient labor required to seek forgiveness through prayer and penance.

Edward Vasta
Guest Columnist

Edward Vasta is a professor in Notre Dame's English department.

Thursday's Verse

To the soldier:

Why don't you see me?
I'm here, here I am.
You're not alive.
You don't hear the birds. Deaf.

I'll do anything for you.
Here I am. I want love.
I want babies.
I'd do anything for you.

Just say the word and I'll blow myself up.,

By Glasha

Use fight song to show who the home team is

Dear Editor,

I would like to comment on the Notre Dame Band tradition of playing the visitor's fight song during the pre-game show. I think this is one of the class acts in college football. For the numerous away games that I have attended, I can remember our team receiving the same welcome only once—the ND-USC game at Los Angeles in 1976.

One school that particularly enjoys our band's tradition is Michigan. The ND-Michigan games that I attended at South Bend in 1985 and 1990 pointed this out vividly.

The 5000 visitors sang their song louder than the entire stadium of home team fans. My VCR replay also confirmed this after I got home. I don't think we should give Michigan another opportunity to chip away at our home field advantage. And I do think we should send the words of our fight song into those NBC microphones and out of people's TV sets like they haven't seen since the bungling ball car­tons of the 1950's.

On the day of the Michigan game in 1988, a banner near the bookstore said: "Just say no to Bob!"

Maybe for Sept. 12, 1992, the banner should read "Sing along with me!"

By Glasha

Some back thoughts from Chi-town

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The Observer is the independent newspaper published by the students of the University of Notre Dame and South Bend College. A voice that reflects the policies of the administration of either institution. The news is reported as accurately and objectively as possible. Unsigned editorials represent the opinion of an employee that it would help keep me from abandoning son, discount, and all by liberating myself from that concentration camp and bursting free into breathable air.
Passage to the past

The Princess offers a relaxing way to see South Bend

By LAURIE SESSA
Assistant Accent Editor

Looking for a way to take advantage of the nice weather in South Bend? Then head down the St. Joseph River for a relaxing steamboat ride and a history lesson that cannot be found in any classroom.

For only $7 for adults and $4.50 for children, anyone can take The Princess for an hour ride down the river with Captain Owen Lackey on any Tuesday through Sunday until mid-October. Group rates are also available at 10 percent off for groups of 20 or more passengers.

According to Lackey, The Princess is the only boat of its kind on the river today. The Princess in one among only four authentic power driven steamboats in Indiana. Lackey said that most of the other boats on the river are fishing boats or occasional motorboat, but sometimes "weeks at a time pass without seeing anyone on the river."

The trip is a very tranquil and scenic ride down the river that separates downtown South Bend and Mishawaka. "You get the European canal feeling going through the middle of towns," said Lackey.

The ride offers a chance to see a side of South Bend that most people do not even know exists, according to Lackey. "We enjoyed it very much. We are ashamed that we didn't come sooner" said South Bend residents Helen and Ervin Minklekiewicz.

The Princess passes under several arch bridges, and by sitting in the front with the captain, passengers can learn much about the history of the river and the bridges that cross it.

The gate at Howard Park, where The Princess docks, used to be in the middle of the trade route between South Bend, Elkhart and Benton Harbor in 1903. In the past it was a large center of commerce, and now "they have tried to put it back like it was 100 years ago" said Lackey.

Lackey commands a respect for the steamboat that he feels is necessary in his business. "You just don't get in and run. You've got to love the hell out of them to keep them going — like a woman," he said.

He gets a lot of pleasure out of doing his job, and often blows the horn at children playing on the banks or on the bridges. "A correspondence course in wavering is part of the captain's itinerary," Lackey said.

According to Lackey, a wide variety of passengers come to take a ride, but on the public cruises, "it is very family oriented. We also get a lot of school classes." Lackey also mentioned that he would be teaching a navigation class on The Princess in the future.

The Princess is also available to charter for private functions for $400 per two hours. In the past, groups such as the University Food Services and Student Government groups from Notre Dame and Saint Mary's have chartered The Princess. "It works well for meetings or parties where you want to get away from the world for a while," Lackey said.

The Princess is docked at the 100 Center in Mishawaka and leaves at 2 p.m., 4 p.m., 7 p.m., and 9 p.m. When docked at Howard Park in South Bend, The Princess runs at 2:45 p.m. and 7:45 p.m. Passengers should call 259-6080 to find where the boat is docked on any particular day.

Artistically speaking

Several contemporary artists display their work at Saint Mary's College

By JENNIFER HABRYCH
Accent Writer

Artists and art lovers can now view the current art exhibition opening Friday, Sept. 4 at the Moreau Galleries at Saint Mary's College.

Photographs by Barbara Shinn, drawings by Cheryl O'Neill, and a series of sculptural installations on the campus grounds by artists Katie Kaplan are the first featured events in this year's season.

Shinn, a New York City resident, has been publicly exhibiting her work since 1985. Shinn works with the light-sensitivity of the photographic paper in most of her work.

The result is photographs which reflect the chaotic event of the exposure and development of the photographic paper. This process is done in an uncontrolled environment, free from the technological advances in processing which have taken place over the past 40 years.

Recently, Shinn has combined three-dimensional objects with the prints. O'Neill, another featured artist, specializes in large-scale drawings interconnecting text with image. This medium allows O'Neill to examine ideas through their relationships in space rather than time.

"The piece constructed for the Saint Mary's exhibit explores the silent space between seeing and perceiving, the void of unnamed experience that feels like death, but in fact, is the essence of life," according to O'Neill.

Marcia Kaplan has been a professional sculptor for more than 20 years. Her current exhibition which resembles large boulder-like formations is in place in front of Le Mans Hall.

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Marie-Laure Vrinsley Tyrrell and fiber works by Lilian Tyrell, Oct. 9 through Nov. 6. A fiber show by Julie Tourouillot, assistant professor of art at Saint Mary's and Frances McMahon, a Saint Mary's student, will take place from Dec. 4-Jan. 15.

Art exhibits featuring photographs by Barbara Shinn and drawings by Cheryl O'Neill are on display at the Moreau Art Galleries at Saint Mary's.

Paintings by John Keech and an exhibition of works by video artists, will be on display from Jan. 22-Feb. 19.

Regular gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 1-4 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.-12 p.m.; and Sunday, 1-3 p.m.

A reception for the artists, open to the public and free of charge, will open the exhibits on Friday, Sept. 4 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Moreau Gallery lobby. The exhibits run through Oct. 2.
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Selling them on Saturday.
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### Baseball Transactions

#### American League

- **Toronto Blue Jays**—Acquired Jose Offerman, OF, from the Texas Rangers.
- **Boston Red Sox**—Traded Jason Varitek, C, to the New York Yankees.
- **New York Yankees**—Activated Mark Bruce, RHP, from the 15-day disabled list.
- **Oakland Athletics**—Activated Jack Mabry, P, from the 15-day disabled list.

#### National League

- **Atlanta Braves**—Activated John Smoltz, RHP, from the 15-day disabled list.
- **Washington Nationals**—Activated Matt Williams, OF, from the 15-day disabled list.

### The Observer

**Scoreboard**

**Baseball**

- **Philadelphia Phillies**—8, **San Francisco Giants**—6

**Football**

- **New England Patriots**—14, **Miami Dolphins**—3

**Basketball**

- **Golden State Warriors**—108, **Los Angeles Lakers**—107

### Campus Ministry

**Conferences and Events**

- **Confirmation**
  - Thursday: Confirmation Mass at 6 p.m. in the chapel.
  - Saturday: Mass at 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

- **Retreats**
  - **Vocations Retreat**
    - **Men's Retreat**
    - **Women's Retreat**

### Considerations

**Campus Ministry**

#### The Direction of Our Lives

During this past summer, I changed rooms and moved up two floors to the top of Morrissey Hall, into a suite of rooms designed for a "priest in residence." Previously, as an assistant rector, I had a nice room, with plenty of windows, and a private bathroom off to one side. (Being given my own bathroom was for me something like personally experiencing a sixth proof for the existence of God.)

Anyway, this year I have been given two rooms with a bath to the off side. It's all very tame. There's even more light than before, pouring through the windows ever since they cut down several diseased trees out in front of the building - and, happily, I still don't have to stand in line for the shower. On top of that, the University bought me a new brand new couch that pulls out into a double bed for visitors and already several of my friends have availed themselves of my kind hospitality. It's fair to say that I'm really nicely set up.

The only painful moments come when my friends from the dorm stop by to see how I'm doing. And religious life is meant to give witness, and to point to transcendental values, teach, to Sometimes I bemoan how I didn't ask to move, how I didn't want to move, how I didn't want to move. It must only sound defensive (which it is) when I say that I didn't ask to move, didn't want to move, didn't want to move.

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**American League East Division**

- **New York**—62-71, .465
- **Oakland**—79-54, .595
- **Boston**—60-72, .455
- **Texas**—65-70, .481
- **Chicago**—69-62, .527
- **Seattle**—67-78, .421

**National League East Division**

- **Pittsburgh**—76-56, .576
- **Montreal**—73-59, .553
- **Cincinnati**—71-61, .538
- **San Diego**—70-62, .530
- **Chicago**—69-62, .527
- **Seattle**—74-68, .530

### Weekend Presiders at Sacred Heart Basilica

- **Sat. Sept 5**
  - 5:00 p.m. Rev. Robert Plasker, C.S.C.
  - 6:30 p.m. Rev. Joseph J. Hejna, C.S.C.
  - 7:45 p.m. Rev. Thomas Gaughan, C.S.C.

- **Sun. Sept. 6**
  - 5:00 p.m. Rev. Robert Plasker, C.S.C.
  - 6:30 p.m. Rev. Joseph J. Hejna, C.S.C.
  - 7:45 p.m. Rev. Thomas Gaughan, C.S.C.
NEW YORK (AP) — Vince Coleman's two-game suspension for shoving manager Jeff Torborg on Tuesday night is only the latest episode in the New York Mets outfielder's disastrous season.

It began in spring training when his name surfaced in a rape allegation and continued with a series of injuries that limited him to only 55 of the team's first 130 games.

He also faces a possible suspension by the National League for making contact with home-plate umpire Gary Darling just before his confrontation with that manager.

Coleman pushed Torborg when he tried to separate him from Darling, who had ejected Coleman for arguing a checked-swing third-strike call in the second inning of the Mets' 4-1 loss to Atlanta.

"All I could see was a lengthy suspension coming up if it got ugly, so I pulled him away and he turned on me," Torborg said Wednesday. "It's unfortunate ... just another part of a very strange year." The league was studying the incident.

The Mets were without their leadoff hitter and top hitter for the past month after a suspension stemming from an off-field dispute.

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It is a quieter Open this year

NEW YORK (AP) — Once a noisy, raucous place that drove players to distraction, the National Tennis Center is undergoing an image transplant. Welcome to the happy-go-lucky U.S. Open, a kinder, gentler tournament where this year's logo ought to be a smiley face.

Now understand, this is a place where planes once zoomed overhead perilously close, it seemed, to the action, a place where fans often ignore the chair umpire's plea "Silence, please." a place player Kevin Curren once suggested bombing into oblivion.

The planes are gone, their flight patterns changed for the second straight year at the behest of Mayor David Dinkins, a tennis enthusiast.

The fans remain the fans. Andre Agassi smiles at the memory of being told, "Go get a job, you bum." Was he upset? No way.

"I'm trying to be as diplomatic about this as possible," he said.

Stefan Edberg, shown here at the match at the U.S. Open with a 7-5,7-6, 6-2 win over Luis Mazzar and tossed like so much red meat to Martina Navratilova in the first round.

Stafford laughed her way through three sets, coming close to upsetting the Grand Dame of women's tennis. She laughed when she made points and she laughed when she missed points.

Lendl needs five sets to advance to third round

NEW YORK (AP) — Ivan Lendl offered, then took back, the best 40th birthday present. Jimmy Connors could have wanted at the U.S. Open.

Nothing would have pleased Connors more than taking the stadium court Wednesday night against Brazil's Jaime Oncins after a first-round loss by Lendl, seeded to meet the winner in the second round.

Lendl did his best, or worst, to fulfill that birthday wish by playing nearly 4 1/2 hours against another Jaime, Peru's Jaime Yagga, before winning 6-7 (2-7), 6-1, 7-5, 4-6, 6-3. Lendl stretched out the agony, falling on four match points in the last two games, until he clinched it with his 17th ace.

The long match briefly delayed the night session, but Jennifer Capriati didn't make the crowd wait much longer than necessary for Connors as she rushed past Sandrine Testud 6-2, 6-3.

A loss by Lendl would have meant a seedless path for Connors, at least the fourth round, similar to the route he took a year ago in his dramatic surge to the semifinals.

Stephan Edberg, all of 26, shuddered at the thought of another 14 years on the nonstop tour after he began defense of his U.S. Open title Wednesday with a smooth 7-5, 7-5, 6-2 victory over Luiz Mattar.

"No, I don't think I will be playing at that stage," Edberg said. "He is very exceptional. He has been lucky, hasn't had too many injuries. He has a very light body, and he has been able to keep going, having the motivation. I don't think I can. It would be too tough."

Seles, the women's defending champion and top seed, reached the third round by beating NCAA champion Lisa Raymond, 7-5, 6-0, then smiled about the notion of playing to 40, a lifetime away.

Chang, 20 years old and already a pro for five years, couldn't imagine sticking around another 20 years.

"I honestly feel that it would be too difficult," said Chang, the No. 4 seed who beat Ellis Ferreira 6-3, 6-4, 7-6 (7-11). "When Jimmy was 20, the game was not quite as intense. I don't think they played as many tournaments back then. I think now players put more demands on their bodies and minds."

Lendl, 32, already is on the decline and growing weary of the grind as his family expands with three daughters in the past two years.

Only Navratilova, a month shy of 36, still has that youthful enthusiasm and love of the game that could keep her a force for four more years.

"He feels like he has got nothing to lose now. Every match he wins, that is big. He just goes out there and enjoys himself," Edberg said of Connors.

Connors' match was his 114th match at the Open, one more match than Chris Evert played in her 19 years here. Connors, a five-time Open champion, is the only player to win it on three different surfaces — grass, clay and hard courts.

"It is a different thing for him to go out there than me," Edberg said. "I have more pressure because people expect me to win, and he has to have the crowd behind him."

Some players think Connors got preferential treatment last year at the Open, being assigned the featured night matches instead of playing in the heat of the afternoon. This year, he's starting off the same way, but Edberg, for one, doesn't mind.

"I think he deserves it," Edberg said. "He has been around long enough. Obviously, they are looking to put him at the best time, like playing tonight. He is always going to have a special care, and that is quite normal. It would happen anywhere, I think, and especially here."

In other matches Wednesday, Gabriela Sabatini, the women's No. 4 seed, reached the third round 6-0, 6-4 over Julie Haddad, and Mary Joe Fernandez, No. 7, won 3-6, 6-3, 6-1 over Natalia Medvedeva.
Vincent's fate in hands of baseball owners

NEW YORK (AP) — Baseball owners will gather Thursday afternoon at an airport hotel outside Chicago to discuss Fay Vincent, but it's still unclear if they will pressure him to quit as commissioner or attempt to fire him.

It appeared Wednesday that representatives of all 26 teams would attend the special meet­­ing, called by the league presi­­dents last week over Vincent's objection. The commis­sioner will not attend because he says the Major League Agreement prohibits discussion of the terms and duties of the incumbent.

"I really don't expect that he will be fired on Thursday," Chicago White Sox owner Jerry Reinsdorf said. "I just don't know what's going to happen. We have a lot of things to talk about."

It appeared 13 or 14 teams were against Vincent and that 10-12 were supporting him. The views of the San Diego Padres and Detroit Tigers were unclear.

"I know that there's a majority that's not going to be behind him," Philadelphia Phillies owner Bill Giles said. "How many, I don't know."

Because the Major League Agreement doesn't have a mechanism for firing a com­­missioner, it also was unclear what options were available to the disen­­chanted owners. An attempted firing would lead to a court fight that could tie up baseball's administration for a lengthy time.

The anti-Vincent group, by many accounts, is led by Reinsdorf, Bud Selig of the Milwaukee Brewers, Stanton Cook of the Chicago Cubs and Peter O'Malley of the Los Angeles Dodgers.

"Doesn't the board of directors fire its chairman or its presi­­dent if it's not satisfied that the chairman or the presi­­dent is (not) doing what the board of directors wants done?" Reinsdorf asked. "These franchises are owned by the owners, so to speak, and the commissioner is the employee of the owners. And if the commissioner is not doing a good job for the owners, then he ought to be dismissed.

"I don't know who's going to fire him," Phillies president Bill Giles said Tuesday. "I'm not sure if it's the chairman or the presi­­dent or the board of directors."
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Now it's time to get down to business

As the dust settles on the Demetrius DuBose investigation, the Notre Dame fans can go back to doing what they do best.

Talk Notre Dame football.

Now that the preseason crisis is over and the team should be returned to relative completeness in two weeks, the predicting begins. The sportswriters have already put in their two-cents worth with their preseason polls and the time has come for the fans to start second guessing them.

Will the defense hold the other teams?

Will Rick Miter and Jerome Bettis have Heisman-esque seasons?

Listen to conversations around the dining halls and out in the quads. Eventually, they all come back to Notre Dame football. The subject is also hotly debated out on the lines outside the Joyce ACC, where faithful Irish students have camped out for their student tickets.

Will 1992 be a championship year?

Will the student body see the "#1" on top of Grace Hall again?

Discussing Irish football is almost an art form. The fan knows names and positions and stats. Armed with all that information, he or she analyzes, predicts, forecasts and brags.

If you have seen Saturday Night Live's Superfans skit and thought it was an exaggeration, tune in to football discussions around campus. Many Notre Dame fans treat Lou Holtz with the same reverence that the Superfans hold for Mike Ditka and their coach told her team. "We really need to celebrate good plays. The level of emotion was significantly less than in last year's opener against Purdue."

Brown also expects her team to improve its execution in tonight's match. "We did not reach our goal for team hitting percentage against Ball State," Brown noted. "When you're playing against teams that aren't nationally ranked, it's not easy to be up, but you still need to execute well."

The Irish enter the match at 1-0 for the season after finishing last year 26-10. New Orleans played its first match last night at Illinois State. Head coach Jim Bernli led the Buck-kettes to a 17-16 record in 1991, his first season at the helm. New Orleans finished fourth in the Sun Belt West division.

The Buck-kettes have only one returning letter-winner in Brooks' supporting cast. Jennifer Pokraka is a sophomore America candidate Javonne Brooks leads the University of New Orleans against the Irish at 7:30 at the Joyce ACC to counteract the play of the top of Grace Hall again?

The Notre Dame baseball team will need strong hitting when the Irish face New Orleans tonight at the JACC to counteract the play of Javonne Brooks.

ND baseball players hone skills

BY MATT BOWER
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While many athletes look forward to the summer months as an opportunity to relax, Irish baseball players bus themselves by competing in numerous summer leagues.

Summer leagues are important for college players hoping to improve according to Notre Dame baseball coach Pat Murphy.

"(Summer leagues) are an unwritten requirement for college players. They provide a relaxed environment where players can work on their games."

In order to build upon Notre Dame's 11th place finish in the NCAA tournament, several players chose to participate in leagues throughout the country.

Some players, like senior outfielder Edwin Hartwell, played in leagues in the Northeast. Hartwell earned all-league honors playing in Northeastern Collegiate Baseball League. Other, more adventurous, players chose to journey as far away as Alaska in order to hone their skills. Sophomore Craig Allen, junior Greg Layon, and senior Eric Dansgillis all spent their summer playing for the Anchorage Glacier Pilots.

Three Irish players spent the summer playing in the Cape Cod League. Sophomore shortstop Paul Failla ended the season batting .275 in the league noted for its strong pitching. "It will help out a lot in the spring," said Failla, "Playing every day and seeing great pitching every day."

DuBose responds to suspension

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) — Demetrius DuBose is ready to take his lumps for accepting a $600 loan from a Seattle couple with ties to the university.

But he's dead certain he doesn't deserve them.

The agreement after athletic director Dick Rosenthal on Wednesday again conceded DuBose made a mistake in accepting a personal loan, and about a $25,000 bank loan he received to finance a car.

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DuBose said he needed the money for "spending, casual spending — pizza, those kinds of things."

He noted Notre Dame's "upper middle-class environment" and said, "For a young athlete to be from a lower income family, it's hard to really take one of the financial burdens."

DuBose said he met the couple, Grant and Rose Courtney, while a sophomore at Bishop O'Dea High School in Seattle. Courtney is president of Grace Hall again?