Hijacker forces jet from Europe to N.Y., surrenders

BY KRISTIN MCGOWAN

NEW YORK (AP) — A gunman hijacked a jetliner with 104 people aboard Thursday and led it to Frankfurt, Germany, where he refused to leave and threatened to kill hostages.

German authorities said the hijacker, who had a pistol, gave assurances he would surrender once he arrived in the United States.

German Interior Minister Rudolf Seiters identified the hijacker as Shuhrat Farah Siyad, 31. The U.S. State Department gave his name as Ferah Siyad Shurlye.

The hijacker kept the gun in his hand during the entire flight, said a law enforcement source who spoke on condition of anonymity.

The source said hostage negotiators in Kennedy International Airport’s control tower talked with the man during the 11-hour ordeal and very carefully handled negotiations.

The twin-engine Airbus 310 landed safely at Kennedy at 3:50 p.m. and taxied to a remote area of the airport.

The gunman turned his weapon over to the captain, who held it up to the plane’s window to show law enforcement officials outside.

The hijacker left behind his hat and a note for the pilot, said James Fox, head of the FBI’s New York office.

"Thank you. Here’s yours."

The hijacker then walked off the plane with his hands behind his head. Federal Aviation Administration officials and law enforcement agents met the hijacker and passengers left the plane.

Since Americans were aboard, along with Japanese, Egyptian and German passengers and one Canadian, Lufthansa spokesman Jim Kuhlman said the incident was serious.

Fox said the hijacker would be arraigned Friday on an air piracy charge, which carries a potential 20-year sentence of 20 years to life.

DeMars: Effort in Ethiopia needs further study

BY KRISTIN MCGOWAN

The efforts of humanitarian organizations in the recent Ethiopian war, or in any war, are best studied from the perspective of market analysis, said William DeMars, in a lecture yesterday at the Hesburgh Center.

Most accounts of humanitarian action are descriptive studies by scholars and journalists which tend to oversimplify conditions, DeMars said. Such accounts frequently ignore the relationship between humanitarian aid and politics, assuming that “humanitarian aid is above politics,” he said.

They also often mistakenly conclude that aid is offered to promote the enlistment of one or more of the warring factions, according to DeMars. They believe that “it’s all politics and war.”

By CARRIE KINSELLA

A student identification card that would double as a debit card is one of the projects being researched by student government this year.

The proposed system would involve purchasing and setting up the new system, then adapting all existing equipment to accommodate the card.

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The working group has finished interviewing groups and submitted it the University Officers. It is scheduled for the agenda for the next meeting and will be addressed then.
INSIDE COLUMN

Love letters can really touch the heart.

You render me powerless under your fire.
Then you go into my eyes, I am smitten by the tenderness that ignite between us.

Well, maybe that's a little strong for a first love letter, but there someone could be said for it. A societal tragedy is occurring. People aren't writing love letters—arid cheesy Shoebox cards with trite rhymes are replacing the lyrical epistles of yesterday. What a pity, for a heartfelt, succulent message lingers in the heart and mind for much longer than a stranger's prose.

Valentine's Day is the perfect opportunity to tell someone your feelings. Letters are loved and appreciated. Sweethearts can remind each other of what made them fall in love with each other. A letter can be a lovely person's day, as it can anyone's. No one likes an empty mailbox.

The power of the written word continues. Between two worldly lovers fueled a romantic triangle in "Dangerous Liaisons." Many insights into the history of the world—and into the young lives of our parents—are revealed through eloquent, passionate, and informational letters. Precious few people today put the effort into writing down their thoughts. Letters are more than a token. No lives of our parents—are revealed through letters. No one likes an empty mailbox.

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TODAY AT A GLANCE

NATIONAL

Jackson reveals himself to Oprah

LOS ANGELES — Michael Jackson allowed the public spotlight to briefly enter his private life, saying in a televised interview that he feels the comfort in children and animals that he misses in friends, workaholic childhood. His conversation with Oprah Winfrey on Wednesday was his first solo interview in nearly a decade. Another sign that the 34-year-old pop star is emerging from his reclusiveness is that he is beginning to focus more than his personal life, a change in his persona.

Brennan, Marshall receive awards

WASHINGTON — Former Supreme Court Justices Brennan and Marshall received awards Friday for their contributions to American law and justice.

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WEATHER REPORT

Forecast for noon, Friday, February 12

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MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY'S TRADING February 11

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ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

In 1554: Lady Jane Grey, who ruled England for nine days, was executed after being charged with treason.

In 1733: English colonists discovered Savannah.

In 1870: Women in the Utah Territory were granted the right to vote.

In 1962: President Lincoln's birthday was declared a national holiday.

In 1990: The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People was founded.

In 1872: The first of the American prisoners of war from Vietnam were released.

In 1982: Bill Clinton released a letter he'd written in 1969 in which he said he gave up a draft deferment to "maintain my political viability."
Navy ROTC takes part in military competition

By ANALISE TAYLOR

Ten members of Notre Dame's navy ROTC marine corps sacrificed Feb. 6 to participate in a military excellence competition at Penn State University. All participating ND members are part of Team Irish, a club formed by navy midshipmen. Junior Karl Ezell said that this was the first competition as a team.

The team completed a four by four hundred meter relay and a five mile endurance course, a ten kilometer run, and the marine corps PET (Physical Fitness Test). According to Ezell, the test is especially geared toward physical endurance. It was Notre Dame's first year to participate.

Survey shows Navy ROTC takes part in military competition

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By LISA WOLTER

Human rights violations are a common occurrence in Brazil due to a fear of individual rights and the "weakness of a justice system that serves the elites," said Teresa Caldeira of Universidade Estadual de Campinas in Brazil.

Caldeira claimed that the state and media promote a violent police force and brutal executions around the church, the police and the justice system. That is why these institutions fail that must be suppressed by authority figures in order for society to function correctly, said Caldeira.

Brasilians believe this authority is found in the family, the church, the police and the justice system. "Brazilians believe this authority is to commit private acts of vengeance when these legal efforts fail," she said. This creates a cycle of violence in which vengeance is answered with more violence, she said.

In Brazil, "To refer to the human rights activist is to provoke an image of a bad person," said Caldeira, because human rights activists are often viewed as "privileges for bandits."

Although the judiciary system may be corrupt, many Brasilians believe immediate execution for criminals rather than a respect for their fundamental human rights and will advocate this judicial power, she said.

Caldeira's lecture, "Crime and Individual Rights: Reforming the Legal System in Brazil," was sponsored by the Kellogg Institute for International Studies.

Survey shows ND freshman rate higher on issues of race

By WALTER J. BERNARD

The commitment to racial harmony exhibited by University of Notre Dame students is stronger than that of their peers nationwide, and it is on the increase, according to the annual survey of college freshmen conducted by the American Council on Education (ACE). Fifty percent of Notre Dame's first-year students responding to the survey said "helping to promote racial understanding" was an essential or very important goal, compared with 42 percent nationally. Both figures are substantially higher than the previous year, by 10 percent at Notre Dame and nine percent nationally.

On the question of racial bias, 91 percent of the University's freshmen said that race remains a significant problem in the United States, compared with 89 percent nationally. Both figures are up compared to a year ago — by two percent at Notre Dame and five percent nationally.

The results are based on responses by 213,600 students at 604 colleges and universities, including more than 1,500 of Notre Dame's 1,879 freshmen. This is the 27th year of the ACE survey, which is conducted in conjunction with the Higher Education Research Institute at the University of California at Los Angeles.

Other results of the survey indicate that 43 percent of Notre Dame freshmen said they engaged in political discussions, compared with 39 percent nationally and 40 percent of the University's previous freshman class.

In addition, the University's freshmen showed greater hands-on interest in ethical, political and legal issues. More than 50 percent of freshmen, compared with 48 percent nationally, said they were interested in personal and family issues. Politically, Notre Dame students continued a decade-long trend of leaning farther right than their peers. Thirty-four percent described themselves as conservatives, compared with 28 percent overall, and 23 percent say they are liberal, compared with 26 percent nationwide.

Other observations from the survey are:

• Notre Dame's strong aced- emic reputation was the main reason 95 percent of the students decided to attend. That's two percent higher than last year. Eighty-seven percent said Notre Dame was their first choice for college, up three percent.

• Thirty-eight percent of Notre Dame's freshmen engaged in some community service while in high school.

• Materialism had decreased in the freshman class at Notre Dame. 60 percent said they decided to attend college to make more money, compared to 73 percent nationally.

• The most popular career goals are

• health care, engineering, business and law.

• About 38 percent favor increasing taxes to reduce the national deficit, up six points from last year.

• Some 90 percent believe the federal government should do more about environmental problems, but only 36 percent plan to become personally involved.

• Only 1.4 percent of the Notre Dame freshmen smoke, compared with 10.8 percent nationally.

• Fourteen percent favor the legalization of marijuana, compared with 23 percent overall.

• Raising a family is a priority with 81 percent of Notre Dame students. 13 percent say they have higher than the national figure.
DeMars

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there is no such thing as a humanitarian action pursuing universal moral and political goals.

Market analysis, on the other hand, is a more accurate way of dealing with the complexities of the situation, he said.

This alternative approach, according to DeMars, recognizes the fact that humanitarian organizations "are embossed in political power and have to negotiate with political forces in the area, in order to be effective.

Every humanitarian organization which tries to take any kind of action in a war has to deal with at least one of the warring parties and get their permission," he said. This also applies to Somalia, Iraq, and the former Yugoslavia, he said.

DeMars' approach also "takes into account the organization's political motives," he said.

"The two basic concerns of every humanitarian issue are assistance and protection," he said.

Assistance is "material aid, like food, which has to be physically transferred to the population," he said. Protection, he said, is "any action which shields the position of victims in relation to particular threats." Humanitarian organizations "can only offer protection and assistance programs on the ground," he said.

Lawrence, who is considering a move to Le Mans Hall next year, is welcoming the change that will allow her the same freedom she has this year in all residence halls, but as a freshman she wants to ensure that this is a policy that will remain with her all four years.

Many students use it (the new policy) wisely since it is only on a trial basis," she said.

Currently BHA is working on a letter to inform all students of the change. They are also working with Residence Life in implementing the policy.

Hall Directors of all residence halls will meet with each section or floor in the coming week and with the Hall Night Assistants to inform everyone of the new procedure, according to Fordham.

Since its institution on campus last year, BHA has been working to amend the parietals policy and other projects to improve campus residence life.

Last December an RHA proposal to lengthen partial hours on campus was approved by the College's Senior Officers.

Parietals

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amendment becomes a permanent one.

"Students need to act responsibly and realize that they had a part in bringing it about and realize that they are the ones that need to act to keep the policy in effect," said Murray.

Resident Adviser Carrie Piercy said that the policy will be a success if students utilize this new independence in a responsible manner.

"We all have to watch out for our own safety and security with the change," Piercy said. "If we all work together I think it will work great."

Student reaction to the policy change was positive, with most students indicating that they believe it is a beneficial move for the administration to make.

"It makes me happier that they finally think we are responsible enough. We're 20 years old, it's time for us to start making choices on our own," she said.

Augusta Hall, which is restricted to juniors and seniors, and McCandless Hall currently do not require males to leave residence halls, but as a freshman she wants to ensure that this is a policy that will remain with her all four years.

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The Virgin Mary appeared to Saint Bernadette to encourage the separation of Church and State. Putz said that the separation of church and state still remains a problem. Putz said that the Saint Bernadette to encourage the celebration of God's healing powers, according to Putz. "We have had a United Nations at Lourdes since 1867," he said. Lourdes is renowned for its healing powers. Putz said that although only a handful of the supposed healings have been scientifically appraised as "miracles," millions of people continue to visit Lourdes every year. "Most of the people who go to Lourdes come back accepting their sickness. This is the real miracle," said Putz. Still, with all the diseased people bathing in water which is changed only once a day, Putz said that no major problem has arisen with the transmission of disease. He said that this is a total denial of what the scientific world would call unorthodoxy. "The Virgin Mary appeared at Lourdes, France, in 1858 to proclaim to people of all nations to convene for prayer, healing, song and celebration of God's healing power, according to Putz. "We have had a United Nations at Lourdes since 1867," he said. Lourdes is renowned for its healing powers. Putz said that although only a handful of the supposed healings have been scientifically appraised as "miracles," millions of people continue to visit Lourdes every year. "Most of the people who go to Lourdes come back accepting their sickness. This is the real miracle," said Putz.
Hey, Are you tired of the same-old (a) heart? Try Kale and Colleen for the Pre-Law Partners at x4301 or x4312.

Heather Valentine.

Woke up Saturday night and thought: It sure would be nice if I could have a boyfriend. So I called up my friend, Kale, and told her about my problems. She said she knew just the guy: Colleen. I thought Colleen was great, but I was a little worried about Kale. She seemed a little too interested in the situation.

Anyway, I called Colleen and we met for dinner at a nice little restaurant in town. It was great! We talked and laughed and had a really good time. I think we'll definitely be going out again soon.

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**Business**

**GM, Ford, and Chrysler suffer $30 billion shortfall for 1992**

**Big Three earnings**

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**DISCUSSION**

The Big Three automakers reported earnings for the fourth quarter of 1992, with Chrysler announcing a small profit. GM and Ford reported losses, with Ford's decreasing from the previous quarter.

**GM's performance**

GM lost $7.45 million in the first quarter, down from $10.49 million in the fourth quarter of 1992. The company's earnings were driven by losses in North America, as the company continued to struggle with restructuring costs.

**Ford's performance**

Ford reported a loss of $3.00 million, compared to a loss of $7.33 million in the fourth quarter of 1992. The company's earnings were negatively affected by a decline in sales in North America.

**Chrysler's performance**

Chrysler reported a profit of $1.06 million, up from a loss of $2.44 million in the fourth quarter of 1992. The company's earnings were bolstered by cost savings and improved efficiencies.

**Analysis**

The Big Three automakers continue to face challenges in the North American market, with declining sales and increased competition. GM and Ford are trying to restructure their businesses to become more profitable, while Chrysler is focusing on cost savings and improving efficiency.

**Conclusion**

The fourth quarter results for the Big Three automakers reflect the ongoing challenges in the North American market. GM and Ford face significant losses, while Chrysler reports a small profit. The companies must continue to work on improving their financial stability and addressing the underlying issues that are causing their struggles.
Dear Editor:

I am writing in response to the Feb. 9, 1993 article concerning the Saint Mary’s College open forum. I do not agree with the negative comments made about the Keenan Revue in regards to the SMC Bashing. James Malloy, Keenan Hall Assistant Resident Advisor, clearly states the majority of the Saint Mary’s and Notre Dame students had no objection to the jokes. They were weeds to the majority of college students and to all readers. The free expression of varying opinions through letters is encouraged.

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I would hope in the future, people would not consider something as jovial as the Keenan Revue as an attack on their character or institution, but as a bunch of college students performing comedy.

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Regina Hall
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Revue jokes were ‘just plain fun’

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**Viewpoint**

**Excluding those outside faith is a modern problem**

**Barbara Ballasty**

**Never On Sunday**

Only five years ago international affairs were easy for the amateur to follow. The only three categories of military significance were NATO, the Iron Curtain, and the Middle East. While no one nation dominated the Middle East, it was

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Dear Editor:

Listen to what is being said these days on talk radio programs: pay attention to Rush Limbaugh railing the demise of our country in the hands of liberal leaders. People laugh until they cry, and such statements are his equals (Yes, Rush does have equals) sugar-coated to a national character.

The Show Last show Saturday morning contained an interview with two talk radio program hosts. The discussion was the most closed-minded, archeaic, chauvinistic I have heard in a long time. They betrayed their sexist standards by commenting on the nature of President Clinton's selections for Attorney General and Secretary of Labor. They ridiculed Hillary Rodham Clinton's ability to handle the task-force on health care reform.

They sat there on national television, frumpy bodies slouching in their chairs, and bordered on being physically nauseating in their call for her a political "time bomb." They labeled her as a "prostitute," and her prurient "to be so smart." They would rather she stick to her role of first lady and suppress her God-given right to be a public icon of this time of history (and of course their privileged position as male over that of the female sex). They all sound like Neanderthal alumnus. I don’t have any respect for our society, work to overcome our society, work to overcome

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**LETTERS TO THE EDITOR**

**A response to the right wing, conservative Rush**

Dear Editor:

Robert Kennedy Jr. and John Kerry are the most qualified for the job and in my opinion, the most qualified for the job. My compliments again to Barbara Ballasty. It was a pleasure to read your article, and I thoroughly enjoyed the day. I know that you have read the article and I hope that you have enjoyed it. It was a pleasure to read your article, and I thoroughly enjoyed the day. I know that you have read the article and I hope that you have enjoyed it.

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**Heat and cold advice, go see women’s hoops**

Dear Editor:

The Notre Dame Women's Basketball Team is a fantastic team. I have seen them play in the NCAA Tournament and I have seen them play in the Big Ten Conference. They are a great team and they have a lot of talent. They are a strong team and they have a lot of experience.

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**Heads or Tails, Which Is the Right Choice?**

**Barbara Ballasty**

Barbara Ballasty is a graduate student in philosophy at the University of Notre Dame.
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Men swim at Chicago in last dual meet of season

By ALLISON MCCARTHY
Sports Writer

The men's swimming team will travel to Chicago this weekend to compete in its final dual meet of the season this weekend. Led by co-captains John Godfrey and Tom Whowell, the Irish will face the University of Illinois-Chicago Saturday.

The series between UIC and Notre Dame, which began nearly a decade ago, has primarily been dominated by the Irish. But with a new coach, the program, we are a deeper more balanced team," he stated, echoing the team's balanced depth. According to Welsh, "the sprint format will help UC," but is good preparation for Notre Dame's championship season.

"The meet have not had much chance to race these events in a meet since Christmas. This will give us a chance to focus on starts, turns, and details that we're not able to be as attentive to in the longer races," Welsh said.

UIC has strong competition for the Irish in both the medley relay and the sprint stroke events. As well, they are "pretty solid in diving," the 200 M.L., and the 200 butterfly, according to Welsh.

"They will have a competitive team," be commented.

Welsh is counting on Notre Dame's balance and depth to carry them past UIC. "If you look at the total thirteen event program, we are a deeper more balanced team," he stated.

"But Illinois-Chicago will force us to be race-sharp. We couldn't have asked for a better format going into the championship meets carry them past UIC. "If you ask for a better format than usual. Both Welsh and John Godfrey and Tom Whowell, the Irish will face the University of Illinois-Chicago Saturday.

"As the last dual meet of the season, this is a sort of tune-up for the championship meets ahead," said Head Coach Tim Welsh. The meet will have more of a balanced team," he stated, "in a way, this is good preparation for Notre Dame's championship season."

Can Notre Dame stay with Kentucky?

That question is popular on campus this week, and the responses of most Irish fans aren't very optimistic. "That's because most people who hear that question think of Saturday's men's basketball contest between the two teams.

Members of the twenty-second ranked Irish women's tennis squad, however, are confident that the Irish can upset the Wildcats. That's because their team travels to Lexington, KY this weekend to take on the eighteenth-ranked Wildcats, followed by a match against eleventh-ranked Tennessee.

Three freshmen—Wendy Crabtree, Helyn Lord, and Sherri Vitale—have jumped into the tennis starting lineup. "We knew they were a good team, but we also knew that we should beat them," Laura Schwab was sick and couldn't play, so we had to shuffle the lineup a little," said Crabtree.

Vitale commented on the influence the upper-classmen have had on her play. "They have all been really supportive and encouraging," she commented. "They are competitive in practice and help us play our best. And we're all good friends."

"For us to win this weekend," Lord said, "We really need to work as a team. Our number one singles and number three doubles need to play just as well as the number one spots."

Tennis hopes for upset of Kentucky

By RIAN AKK
Sports Writer

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Runners set for Central Collegiates

By SEAN SULLIVAN
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame men's track team will travel to East Lansing Saturday to compete at the 67th Annual Central Collegiate Indoor Championships. This meet will feature strong regional teams, including Michigan, Eastern Michigan and Michigan State.

Last year, the Irish finished seventh in the meet with a score of 59.50, while Eastern Michigan won its third straight title with a 151 point effort.

"I am very excited about this weekend," he continued. "We haven't seen the Michigan team, and we had only seen part of the Eastern Michigan team. Michigan State is also a strong team."

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Women at Bowling Green for quad-meet

By MIKE NORBUT
Sports Writer

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Follow the Irish hockey team to Michigan on February 27. Bus costs $25 and it leaves at 3 p.m. on the 27th. Reserve your seat now by seeing Phil Bennett in 149 Stempel Chemistry Hall before February 13.

Calling all ND/SMC women who were high school athletic stars are needed. The Observer is looking for former female prep stars to wear our for student body treasurer. We feel like we should be able to run pretty well as a team tomorrow."

The Irish will be looking to distance runners Emily Husted, Stefanie Jensen, Eva Flood, and captain Lisa Gorski to carry the load in track events of the other teams in the region.

The Observer is looking for former female prep stars who were high school athletic stars and willing to come compete at the 67th Annual Central Collegiate Indoor Championships March 12 and 13, will be Notre Dame's main competitors.

Latrice Waters and freshman Emily Husted will lead the team in the sprints.

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Men's tennis faces two more powers

By JONATHAN JENSEN
Sports Writer

The powerhouse just keep on coming for the Notre Dame men's tennis team, as the Irish travel to Minneapolis to face two more excellent opponents this weekend—New Mexico tonight and the Golden Gophers of Minnesota on Saturday night.

"This is a big event for Minnesota," noted assistant coach J.P. Weber, "They will really be motivated to play against us."

The matchups are yet another challenge on the Irish's power-packed schedule this season, which is arguably the toughest in the country.

The Irish head into the meet on an uncharacteristic two-match losing streak, after falling to two top-15 opponents. On Jan 31, the Irish fell to 8th-ranked North Carolina 5-3, and on Tuesday the 11th-ranked Kentucky Wildcats-edged Notre Dame 3-4.

"Going in, we felt that we could have won them both, and we were in a position to do so," said Weber, "And with Andy hurt, it has made it even tougher."

That Andy is senior Andy Zurcher, who was a member of the number-one doubles team and played two-singles, but has been lost to the Irish indefinitely after suffering tendon damage in his wrist.

In Zurcher's absence, the Irish have shuffled their doubles lineup, which has yet to come around. Forsyth and senior Chuck Coleman fell to the Tarheels and picked up a win against Kentucky, while the two-doubles team of seniors Mark Schmidt and Chris Wojtalak won at the opposite matches.

"Both their doubles squads are extremely good, so the doubles point will be crucial this weekend," stated Weber.

The singles lineup has been dependable, but since Zurcher's injury the sixth spot has yet to be set in stone. First Pun, then junior Tom North, and now junior Todd Wilson is healthy and will take over at the last singles spot.

With a schedule this tough, the Irish are forced to find a solution and move on—this weekend to Minnesota.

Junior Ron Rosas has teamed up with freshman Jason Pun to turn in an undefeated season at No. 3 doubles for the Irish.

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Sports

Speeches can't lift Irish over Xavier

By GEORGE DOHRMANN
Sports Writer

With a little under thirteen minutes left in yesterday's Women's basketball game between Notre Dame and Xavier at the Joyce Center, Irish captain Colleen Coughlin gathered her teammates in a circle. "Come on now," said the senior guard. The Lady Musketeers had tied the score at 49-49. "We gotta do it ourselves." "Washington was right," Xavier had erased a nine point deficit in the last five minutes, barely edging the Irish down the floor, getting easy scores before the Irish could get set. This had not only lost the lead but also the momentum, and the small ground on hand was beginning to sound even thinner. After Washington's speech Xavier gradually built a four point lead, and after a tension filled final minute, beat Notre Dame 70-67.

But even the methodical Notre Dame defense could not stop coach Muffet McGraw's team from a shot at victory in the game's closing seconds. A baseline jumper by forward Sherry Orskey pulled Notre Dame within two with 56 seconds left. On the ensuing possession, Washington stole the ball from Xaviers guard Nicole, but missed a layup.

On the next possession, Like found herself on the free-throw line with 24 seconds remaining. After missing the front end of a one-and-one, Notre Dame again had a chance to tie the score. A fumbled attempt by Notre Dame's offense resulted in a loose ball, but the Irish recovered, and McGraw called a timeout with nine seconds remaining to set up a final play.

Washington inbounded the ball underneath the basket, and after two screens found Orskey open from the left side. Her jumper fell short but the ball bounded outside to Washington who attempted a fading shot from the exact same spot with nine seconds remaining.

ND faces Kentucky

Monty Williams, here against Indiana, and the Irish welcome the Midwestern Collegiate and Eastern Championship meets in two weeks.

Hockey enters weekend without leading scorers

By DOMINIC AMOROSA
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame hockey team resumes their quest to improve their standing in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association with two games this weekend. On Friday night, the Irish travel to Bowling Green, Ohio to face the Falcons of BGSU (13-7 overall, 8-4 in the CCHA). The following night, Notre Dame hosts Ferris State (15-11-3 overall, 10-9-3 in the CCHA) at the Joyce Center.

"Every game is important and we need some help from other teams in order to avoid playing one of the top teams in the playoffs," says Irish head coach Dick Schafer.

Ferris State (6-20-2 overall, 4-18-2 in the CCHA) will try to break a 5 game losing streak this weekend without the services of two of its top scorers. Freshman Jamie Morschard, their leading goal scorer, is out indefinitely with a broken clavicle. While senior Curtis Janice will miss the games because of an injured shoulder.

"Someone has to step up and everyone needs to contribute," said Irish senior Dave Bachmayer.

"Carey Nemeth played well last weekend and I expect other players to follow suit," says Schafer.

Bowling Green enters Friday's game after two weeks off from competition. The Irish must contain Falcons sophomore center Brian Holzinger. Holzinger's scored 23 goals and dished out 19 assists in 30 games this season. "We'll need to shadow him at all times, because he can hurt us," said Schafer.

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GAME NOTES

THE GAME: Notre Dame (19-111 versus Kentucky (17-1, through Tuesday).

TIP-OFF: 1:30 p.m. EST.

TV and RADIO: NBC Sports will broadcast the game nationally. The Notre Dame Basketball Radio Network, coordinated by Host Communications (Jack Lorri, Jack Nolan) will broadcast the game to a regional radio audience.

TICKETS: The Joyce ACC (11,418) is sold out.


THE SERIES: Kentucky leads the series 33-16 and has won the last two games. The last Notre Dame victory came in the 1989-90 season at the Joyce ACC, 80-67.


Notre Dame's top scorer was Daimon Sweet with 23, while LaPhonso Ellis added 19 points and eight rebounds.

FYI: The is the third consecutive weekend the Irish will be on network television. ABC televised the January 31 UCLA game to a regional audience. Last Saturday's contest against Kentucky was nationally televised by NBC.

Notre Dame has an overall record of 32-42 Conference opponents, but are 15-4 versus SEC foes and a 7-2 mark against Kentucky at the JACC.

Monty Williams scored 32 points at Dayton Tuesday night. The total marked a career high for the senior.
Taylor ready to change his formula for successful play

By ROLANDO DE AGUIAR
Associate Sports Editor

During his freshman season, the commonly understood Billy Taylor equation was the following: Billy Taylor = defense. But as he makes his basketball abilities evident, that formula may have to be modified significantly.

In 1991-92, Taylor was a boy among men. The only non-senior starter on John MacLeod's first Notre Dame team, Taylor was the crucial defensive cog for the Irish.

"It was a freshman," said Taylor. "The four seniors took care of the offensive duties. I was looked upon to play good defense."

And that he did well. Taylor used his wiry 6-4 frame to wreak havoc with opponents' off-guards and small forwards, usually facing the top scorer at 6-14 shooting.

"I've guarded some great scorers this season," said Taylor. "LaPhonso Ellis, Elmer Bennett and Darnell SapS measured the season last year. The Irish have to take some of the offensive load on his head." Taylor's parents, as well as all Irish fans, watched the youngster turn in solid defensive play. Now a more experienced player, Taylor feels ready to accept the responsibility of becoming an offensive weapon.

"This is the part of the season when we have to finish strong," he said. If Taylor can add scoring punch to his formula for success, then the Irish may have a solid chance of accomplishing that goal.

Assistant Black a teacher on the hoops hardwood

By JENNY MARTEN
Associate Sports Editor

He is a teacher, but he does not teach in the ordinary classroom. He does not wear a blackboard and circle the wrong answer on a test. An assistant coach on the Irish basketball team, Black was hired by head coach John MacLeod before last season and has proved to be an important part of the Notre Dame coaching staff.

"Right now my focus is to work hard here everyday, and try to have our team prepared for every opponent and help our kids to get better and better as basketball players and to help to restore Notre Dame back to national prominence under Coach MacLeod," said Black.

"It's a fresh challenge every year. It is an opportunity to help young men to maintain both in life and in basketball. It's just like teaching. This is an opportunity for me to teach, and not only on the court, but to learn. I am learning from the young men in our program and hopefully they are learning something from me."

But what exactly does the assistant coach do? One of his responsibilities is to recruit top student-athletes from around the country to come to Notre Dame. He is also to serve as an off-campus recruiter at the University. On an everyday basis, Black is responsible for scouting Irish opponents and help our kids to get better and better as basketball players.

"I see our kids as a fresh start. I see them as a new opportunity, and I see our kids as a new opportunity for us."

Assistant Black teaches basketball, and the team improves. He is a teacher on the hoops hardwood.

Assistant Black teaches basketball, and the team improves.
Mashburn may take his Monster Mash to NBA

By GRAHAM SHELBY
The Kentucky Kernel

Jamal Mashburn stars into the camera, water beads on his muscular arms; a cold look on his face. The words under the deflated basketball read "Pre-season All-American Jamal Mashburn."

His image on UK basketball's promotional poster, like the lithography of basketball magazines, whose covers he adorns, is yet another indicator that the 19-year-old New Yorker is ever-so-close to where he has always wanted to be.

Mashburn has all but reserved a seat at next season's NBA draft ceremony and, barring injury, accident or act of God, Kentucky’s star forward will be hanging for bucks in November 1993.

He holds that winning lottery ticket by picking the right numbers. The kind that make NBA owners open their wallets. Numbers like 21.3 points a game, 56.7 percent overall shooting and 43.9 percent of three-pointers that slip through the net.

Kentucky coach Rick Pitino openly has encouraged the junior to turn pro after this season. Mashburn said he wasn’t surprised at his coach’s advice.

"I said, 'Sure.'"

The philosophy at work. Mashburn said: "Take the money and run. Basically." When opportunity presents itself.

"Why not, if you can do it early?"

Not that it’s merely Pitino and unsportsmanlike magazines saying the 6-foot-8 forward is ready for the pros. Utah Jazz forward and Dream Team member Karl Malone said:

"You have to play the things needed for a spot in the NBA."

"He’s big and strong and has all the tools and should be a great player in the NBA someday."

Mashburn's drive to the hole, muscular arms, a cold look on his face. The words under the camera, water beads on his face. The words under the promotional poster, like the lithography of basketball magazines, whose covers he adorns, is yet another indicator that the 19-year-old New Yorker is ever-so-close to where he has always wanted to be.

Junior forward Jamal Mashburn slams home a bucket. He is Kentucky’s leading scorer and is one of the leading candidates for Player of the Year honors. He is a slasher," Pitino noted.

"You know I came here to do it," he said.

"My mother really wants me to get my degree," he said.

"Even Mom can be persuaded."

"I guess a million dollars will.

Rhodes latest prize from St. Anthony’s
Freshman is fifth collegiate starter from championship team

By MIKE'SCRUDATO
Sports Editor

When Kentucky’s Rodrick Rhodes was a freshman at St. Anthony’s High School in Jersey City, N.J., he started on a national championship team.

The 1989 team that featured current collegiate standouts Bobby Hurley of Duke and Seton Hall’s Danny Hurley, Terry Dehere and Jerry Walker finished 32-0 and ranked number one in USA Today’s Super 25.

Now, as a freshman in college, he finds himself starting again as he did on that team.

Through Tuesday, Rhodes is averaging 11.8 points and 3.1 rebounds per game and has been a starter since day one.

"He could be the quickest person on the team," Kentucky coach Rick Pitino said. "He’s very strong, has great leaping ability, and is extremely Explosive.

Rhodes came very close to not being at Kentucky this season.

Throughout his senior year it was speculated that he would join the majority of his St. Anthony’s teammates at the Hall, and Rhodes had decided to remain in New Jersey without looking elsewhere.

But, his high school coach Bob Hurley, Sr. encouraged Rhodes to look at some other possibilities. So, Rhodes went to look at Kentucky.

Rodrick Rhodes

He opted to sign with Pitino’s Wildcats after attending Kentucky’s famous Big Blue Madness, a midnight practice session that annually kicks off the Wildcats’ season.

Rhodes has become the fifth player from the 1989 St. Anthony’s team to become a starter in Division I college basketball, and the third member of the team to start as a freshman.

Both Bobby Hurley and Dehere have started throughout their collegiate careers and Walker, who was a Prop 48 victim his freshman year, has been a starter since his sophomore season.

Danny Hurley rounded out the group by breaking into Seton Hall’s starting five this season.

At 6’6” Rhodes is capable of playing any position on the floor, but has found a niche as small forward at Kentucky.

From there Rhodes can use his outside-shooting (39 percent from three-point range) and his ability to drive to the hole.

"He’s a slasher," Pitino noted.

From the talents Rhodes and his former high school teammates have shown on the collegiate level, the only thing left to wonder about is this: can all five make it to the NBA?"
Irish face major test in 'Cats.

By RICH KURZ
Assistant Sports Editor

The task Notre Dame's men's basketball team faces Saturday will not be an easy one. As a matter of fact, it may just be the toughest game the Irish play all season.

The University of Kentucky comes into the game ranked second in the country, boasting a 17-1 record through Tuesday and one of the top players in the nation.

Jamil "Monster Mash" Mashburn, a 6-8, 240-lb. forward, is one of the favorites for 1993 player of the year. A multi-talented player, Mashburn is equally comfortable behind the three-point line, setting the UK record for three-point shooting percentage, at 43.9% last season, and hanging in theinside finishing fourth in the Southeast Conference with 7.8 rebounds a game.

"There aren't enough accolades to describe how we feel about Jamal Mashburn, because he has maintained his humility along with his basketball greatness," said Kentucky coach Rick Pitino. "He can only get better, because he's still physically young."

So far this season, Mashburn is making his coach's prediction come true. Mashburn is averaging 21.9 points per game and 7.9 rebounds, including season-highs of 38 points and 19 rebounds versus Eastern Kentucky.

The Wildcats have been impressive so far this season, slipping only to number-11 Vanderbilt in Nashville. But that one loss was enough to knock them from the top spot in the polls.

"It was a team effort," said Mashburn. "We just didn't play well. We were hitting our shots, but it was a defensive effort."

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Brown was the defensive player of the year for Kentucky last season and is emerging as a three-point threat on the defensive end of the court.

Kentucky also utilizes a strong bench in its up-tempo attack. Gilmel Martinez, the starting center from last season, and Andre Riddick provide the Wildcats with strength up front.

When Pitino came to Kentucky from coaching the Knicks in 1989, he brought his trademark offense to the Wildcats and get good shots.

Most importantly, they have to get on the Cats' back.

The Wildcats style of play is designed to wear its opponents down. If the Irish get into a running game with them, Notre Dame's lack of bench depth, made thinner with the loss of Carl Cozen, will become prominent.

For the Irish to win the game, they will need to slow down the Wildcats and get good shots.

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The Cats beat current number-one Indiana in a border skirmish in Louisville. But Mashburn isn't the only weapon Kentucky has. At 5'9", 160 lbs., Travis Ford doesn't look big, but he's a dangerous basketball player. But looks can be deceiving. A transfer from Missouri, Ford took over the point spot with the grad student departure of Andre Riddick.

"He's a slasher, extremely dangerous from three-point range," said Pitino. "He can only get better, because he's still physically young."

Another newcomer is Rodney Dent, a junior college transfer, in Kentucky's man in the middle. The 6'10" Dent is averaging 6.6 points and 6.6 rebounds per game. He has brought a new dimension to Kentucky's game.

"Rodney gives us a presence on the team that we did not have last season," Pitino said. "He's an enforcer. He's a very physical and very aggressive."  

The Irish will present match-up difficulties for Notre Dame. Monty Williams is the athletic ability that outweights Williams by 40 pounds, so Williams will have problems when "Monster Mash" takes the ball inside.

Contrary to legend, Brown is not the SSL coach's long-lost son. Kentucky's defensive player of the year in 1992 drew praise for his play against Duke in the NCAA tournament.

A junior college transfer, Dent has stepped in ably this season and offers several threats that Gilmel Martinez cannot. Averages 6.6 points and 6.6 rebounds per game.
The O'Brien Margarita Schopp

1987 Notre Dame graduates Vincent Scotto and Vicki Proud were married at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart last Saturday morning.

Going to the chapel

By JANNELLE HARRIGAN

It's more than something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue. It's way beyond champagne toasts, garland bells and tuxedos.

It's a matter of watching the clock and following the rules—and if you don't, you'll lose out.

Just ask Sandy Hoyt, the Sacred Heart Parish secretary for the past 13 years; whose hectic job includes taking reservations for couples interested in getting married at Notre Dame.

"I try to explain to them that I'm on a timetable. Usually everybody is very patient and understanding. But they have to be realistic—they may not get their first choice," she said.

Because it's such a popular wedding location, the Basilica staff runs a tight ship. Weddings can only take place at the Basilica, the Crypt or the Log Chapel on non-football Saturdays during four time slots: 9:30 a.m., 11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. The reservation fee is $250.

Although rumors say that Sacred Heart's wedding reservation schedule is filled up for years in advance, schedules are actually open one year at a time. The 1993 schedule was filled a few weeks ago, and 1994 time slots will open on March 2.

No waiting lists are available and couples can reserve a wedding time by calling the parish office between 8 a.m. and noon, and 1 to 4 p.m., according to Hoyt.

But reservations weren't always done by phone.

In fact, Hoyt remembers what happened two years ago when the Basilica decided to allow people to come into the office to reserve a spot as well as through phone calls.

"I got to work at about 7 a.m. to do set-ups," she said. "When I got here, there were bodies all over where people had camped out. They even brought sleeping bags and coolers. By 9 or 10 a.m. we already had people lined up to the Administration building.

"But that was the end of that—it was a fiasco. We just never thought in our wildest dreams that anybody would want to camp out. It was kind of overwhelming." The official rules say that only Notre Dame students, alumni, faculty and administrators, in addition to already registered parishioners, are allowed to be married in the Basilica. Either the bride or groom must be Catholic.

"Many alumni want to get married here because they were here on campus, they went to a lot of the services in the Basilica and really enjoyed them. It became like their own parish," Hoyt said.

The first day for the next year's reservations is always crazy, according to Hoyt. In fact, last year 75 wedding reservations were made in the first two days. Because of the large influx of interested couples, usually the first 10 to 20 people are able to get exactly what they want, and the most popular times are spring, summer and fall, Hoyt said.

"They need to be open-minded and have two or three dates and times that could work," she said. "The odds are greater if you have more options."

Hoyt has to work quickly on that first reservation-making day. While someone helps her answer the constantly ringing phone, she's the only one actually taking wedding reservations. Time only permits her to get limited information—the date, time and names of the bride and groom.

In the next few days, Hoyt creates a file folder for each wedding party and sends out an information packet including wedding day regulations, ideas for the ceremony and all diocese-required documents for the couple to complete.

Six to eight weeks prior to a wedding, Hoyt sends the bride and groom a note reminding them of any documents to be returned to the parish office.

Then the wedding enters the next phase, where timing is more important than ever.

The Basilica's two wedding coordinators, Donna Kelly and John Sobierski, alternate or...
Couples enjoy weddings at Sacred Heart despite time constraints

By JAMIELE HARRIGAN
Accent Editor

A wedding is a pretty big deal. But for some, a wedding at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart is an even bigger deal. Couples with ties to Notre Dame especially grab the chance to get married at the University—although it does require a little extra effort.

In fact, Paul Massaro’s family even chartered a bus to transport his family for the five-hour drive from his hometown of Newcastle, Penn. to South Bend for his big day.

“The wedding was almost an attraction because a lot of my family hadn’t been to Notre Dame and they wanted to see it,” explained Paul, a 1990 ND graduate.

Paul and Brigid Welch, ’91, were married at Sacred Heart on Nov. 23, 1991, and say that choosing a location for their wedding was never a question for them. “We knew we wanted to get married at Sacred Heart—there was no doubt about it,” Paul said.

Brigid, originally from Connecticut, agreed. “We met at Notre Dame, so it was kind of symbolic that we got married there. It was kind of a dream come true when she met Paul. They began dating, fell in love, and were engaged in August of 1990, the beginning of Brigid’s senior year.

“I literally went in (to Sacred Heart) the day after I got engaged,” Brigid said. “There were about three time slots left for 1991 and I just kind of grabbed one.”

While she had her heart set on a October wedding, the Basilica’s almost-full calendar forced them to settle for November. “You’ve got to be flexible,” she said. And they did.

(While Paul had graduated and was working in Fort Wayne, Ind., Brigid made wedding plans during her senior year at Notre Dame as florists, photographers and limousine companies were only a quick car ride or local phone call away.)

They designed their wedding to work around the Basilica’s strict regulations about wedding day timing. “We chose things that were simple and easy,” Brigid said, explaining that they decided to hold their reception in the Monogram Room of the JACC, with catering from the University.

While keeping a close eye on the clock is of utmost importance, Paul and Brigid never felt like they were forced to rush through their 11 p.m. ceremony. In fact, the Sacred Heart wedding staff impressed the Massaros with their organization and flexibility.

Paul and Brigid requested that the Notre Dame Liturgical Choir and two trumpet players perform during the ceremony was easily met. And when they asked to bring in a non-Notre Dame priest, Paul’s great uncle, to perform the ceremony, the staff made every effort to make him feel comfortable in an unfamiliar church.

“They’ve got it down to a science. As long as you follow their directions, you can’t go wrong,” Paul said. “Despite what you hear about how nit-picky they are, it really went well.”

The couple now lives in Cincinnati, Ohio, and remember their wedding day fondly. “It was just a perfect day—even though it was rainy, cold and we both got parking tickets at the ACC,” Paul said, laughing.

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For Sarah Hamilton and John Magill, deciding to get married wasn’t as difficult as what came next—trying to squeeze into Sacred Heart’s very busy wedding schedule.

The 1986 Notre Dame graduates were engaged in March, 1988, and hoped to get married during his spring break, said Sarah, who was working as a reporter for the Eagle Gazette in Lancaster, Ohio. “But that was Lent and you can’t get married during Lent.”

Choosing June as the next best month, Sarah and John were told that Sacred Heart would be closed for renovations. “So then we had to re-shuffle again, trying to come up with a date,” Sarah said.

Because no wedding was scheduled before theirs, they had plenty of time to get in and out on time. “When we were leaving, the bridesmaids for the next wedding were starting to arrive,” she said. “But we didn’t feel any pressure. It was just beautiful—we couldn’t have asked for anything more.”

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gaining the ceremonies, from pre-wedding meetings and rehearsals to the actual wedding day. If they don't get in touch with me one to two months before the wedding, I get nervous," said Kelly, who has worked at Sacred Heart for three years. "I don't function well when I have to race." But there's a lot to be nervous about when you're responsible for up to four weddings on a given day—there's very little room for error.

Kelly advises a wedding couple on everything from the set-up of the Basilica to names and phone numbers of guests, names of the priest, that they are required to provide their own music, priest and altar boys. She goes through all the bride and groom's options, and explains the rules. "We have a really hard time getting people from the 9 a.m. wedding out of here by the time the 11 a.m. wedding people start arriving at 10:30," Kelly said. "You have to be an army sergeant."

With her intercom phone in the outer vestibule, Kelly can do just that. She uses it to alert the priest that they are ready, and to call the organist in the choir loft, signalling her to start the music. "Time is precious when you only have up to an hour and a half to perform a wedding ceremony and Mass, and take photographs, according to Kelly. "I tell the photographers when they have to stop. If they don't, I go out and tell them to "more-out," she explained. Mary Ann Scott of Scott's Photography Service in South Bend has tested the time limits with her, and as you follow the rules, "we've had the lights turned off on us when we didn't finish on time," she said. "We really try to hustle our way out of there.' To insure the maximum amount of photographs, Scott tries to take the most important pictures first—for example, the bride by herself, and the bride with the groom. "If we do run out of time, if the weather is permitting, we'll take them to the Grotto to finish up. But if we don't have the time, then they're S.O.L.," Scott said. But most times, things go smoothly. "I have to give them (the Basilica staff) credit. They're very accommodating—as long as you follow the rules," Scott said.

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Although Marie is the constant with which she has of course compared Brother Francis, I sometimes imagine her as one of the women of Jerusalem, at the foot of the cross, off the top of your head, who helped you be who you are, and then shared you with America to change what is.

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