Candidates debate wide range of student concerns

By KATIE MURPHY

New Yorker

Last night the four teams running for student body president and vice-president highlighted their platforms and fielded questions at a debate in the LaFortune Ballroom.

In alphabetical order the candidates are Bryan Corbett and Karen DuBay, Brian Coughlin and Deitra Lefort, Erin King and Dan Moriarity, and David Hungeling and Matt Orsagh. Questions ranged from issues of personal qualifications to special interest areas that the candidates would use with the administration.

Corbett and DuBay plan to extend two ideas from current student government projects. The Student Review will be based on the Notre Dame Guide's and the I.M.P.R.O.V.E program will build on the Job Network, two projects organized by Frank Flynn and Nikki Wellman, respectively.

"We want to build on those ideas," said Corbett. "They just need to be refined... and made more accessible to the students.

"We're providing an option." Corbett and DuBay want to expand the Job Network across the nation and also add alumni mentors to the current resources. The Student Review would circumscribe faculty intervention and would be based solely on student evaluations. They also plan to offer students

Coughlin and Capua propose Safe Ride, an after-dark shuttle service for students from the outer parking lots to their dorms, an after-final-semester project. Coughlin and Capua plan to take what most people have "seen on their platform, presidential candidate Erin King and running mate Deitra Lefort named the expanded meal plan as their most important proposal.

"With the meal account, you can choose to eat in LaFortune or the dining hall," said King. "We're providing an option." A number of students asked questions which centered on the relationship between the candidates' campaign promises and current student government programs. King and Capua's platform would circumvent faculty interference and would be based solely on student evaluations. They also plan to offer students

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By SARA DOAR

American Nottingham

Recognizing that AIDS and HIV are "problems that speak to the very core of human beings," said Dr. James Moriarity, vice president of Notre Dame, AIDS is not an excuse for not doing it, just a reality.

But the relative lack of AIDS educational programs available at Notre Dame raises concern among administration members who do not wish to see the disease's terminology and data included in the university's annual reports on campus. AIDS education is not an excuse for not doing it, just a reality.

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Youth is a state of mind. Now what?

I woke up yesterday morning a new woman. My head was clear. My eyes were focused. My motor skills were intact. A day over 21 made me feel so different.

I made it to class with time to spare. I took notes like a freshman. I tackled the problems facing contemporary society with graceful intelligence. It was amazing. It was just like the morning after my 21st birthday.

But, there were a few minor exceptions. It meant, this time I didn't sleep until 3 p.m. I didn't wake up still tipy with a headache the size of a house. My room didn't magically transform into an echo chamber. I remembered everything. And my friends weren't awarded with 10 hours of community service for illegally throwing a tequila party in my honor.

Which is usually followed by "So, what are you doing now?" But other than that, it was just like the morning after my 21st.

Turning 21 is a celebration, a rite of passage. A culmination of every other birthday that comes before it.

Turning 22 is another story. It's a bit anticlimactic.

This is not to say I did not celebrate or that I did not enjoy myself. It was just...different.

Friends still wish me a happy birthday, it is usually preceded with a "Man, you're so old."

Which is usually followed by "So, what are you doing next year?" Which necessarily elicits such responses as "Uh, shut up" and "How should I know, I'm a government major."

And the end result is the stark realization that somewhere along the line, sometime when you were 21, it went from just being a number and you are getting closer and closer to being an adult.

A little mellow dramatic? Maybe. After all, "adult" has been a dirty word for some time now. It is being, an being an adult was an un-fathomable concept. The closer you got to it, the further away it seemed. But still, you looked ahead with curiosity and anticipation.

Birthdays have long been part of this process of looking ahead.

After all, when you were 9 you wanted to be 10, right? It's double digits. And when you were 12 you want to be 13—the teens. At 15 you look forward to being 16, the legal drinking age (unless of course you grew up in New Jersey). At 17 you look forward to being 18—voting rights.

And so on.

But once you make it to 22, there's really not much left. The next big one isn't until 65. And even then it's only Social Security and cheaper medicare. So is this it? Have I suddenly hit my quarter-life crisis?

Is it that time is running out to do something really bizarre? Can it be that at about 25 bizarre becomes immature?

I don't know.

Actually, I'm pretty much counting on that being a giant lie we tell ourselves just so we can get really depressed on days that are supposed to be lighthearted and fun.

I'm counting on the fact that I am pretty much still a kid and that the exciting, albeit frightening, part of life is just about to begin.

The views expressed in the Inside Column are those of the author, and not necessarily those of The Observer.
HALL PRESIDENTS' COUNCIL

HPC sponsors Building Peace Conference

By JOSELIN WARREN
News Writer

The Hall Presidents Council is sponsoring the Building Peace Conference on Feb. 26 and encourages participation in the event to strengthen interaction among students, according to Council Co-Chairman Chris Cannoniore.

"We would really like to encourage students to get involved in this project," said Cannoniore. "It's important to build unity among the students."

The Building Peace Conference is a one-day conference in which graduate and undergraduate students can discuss a paper, project, or some other work in progress involving peace with their peers. It is meant to emphasize student interaction and dialogue.

In other Council news, the university is starting the Council Line, a help line that students can call Monday through Thursday from 4:30 p.m. to 10 a.m. if they have a specific problem. Topics include friendship building and coping with stress.

Badin Hall is putting on an Aerobathon at St. John Center on Saturday, Feb. 9. Admission is $3 for as many one-hour classes as you want to take. The Women's Volleyball team and the Men and Women's Soccer teams will hosting some of the sessions.

Last year they raised $4000 and this year the money raised from the event will be donated to the Mara Fox Scholarship Fund.

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Student lecture series part of 150th celebration

By PATTI CARSON
News Writer

To continue the Sesquicentennial celebration, a Student Board of Governance (SG) meeting Lecture Series is planned for this semester according to Vice-President for Academic Affairs Larry O'Donnell at last night's Board of Governance (BOG) meeting.

Senior Megan Daisos will give her talk entitled "The World is My Classroom" on Feb. 22 at 7 p.m. in Stapleton Lounge. And Marie Zielonka will speak on Mar. 22 at 7 p.m. in Stapleton about why she came to Saint Mary's College and how it has changed her.

Emma Assenga, a Saint Mary's student from Tanzania, will speak of her experience abroad on Apr. 19 at 7 p.m. in Stapleton. In Other Business:

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By W. HUDSON GILES
News Writer

"Loneliness is a condition of life, and divorce intensifies it," was the underlying theme of Brother James Greteman's lecture last night on divorce and its effects upon a family.

There are three primary stages associated with the divorce process; the death of the relationship, the period of mourning and the emotional steps back, according to Greteman.

There is a great deal of sensitivity felt by divorce participants that can be remedied through a three-step recovery process, according to Greteman.

The first step is to break the pattern of negative surroundings. The second deals with physical attributes. Greteman suggested eating guidelines, moderate exercise, and supplementary activities to fill time voids. The final step involves time for recovery.

"Let your heart heal," Greteman said. "It takes time."

Greteman went on to say that a certain degree of non-excessive blaming as well as forgiving is important in redeeming personal stature.

"Forgiveness heals wounds," he said. "Blame keeps them open."

Humor is also an important variable that often helps in holding back tears, Greteman said.

To compliment his three-step process, Greteman added three sub-steps which aid in coping with the traumatic experience of divorce.

Continuity, he said, allows for sufficient time for repetition and reparation. Stability provides the correct environment to support binding.

Finally, mutuality reinforces interaction between two people, he stated.

Everyone needs a "safe place" where they can feel comfortable and make it possible to deal with their emotions in a coherent manner, Greteman said.

He advised that getting involved in a vicious circle with the estranged spouse is detrimental to overall recovery because no progress is made.

"Change your mental thinking" was the advice he offered to parents involved in a divorce. The normal person's thinking pattern is as follows: the self (you) comes first, then the spouse, and then others, according to Greteman.

This often gets reversed, he continued, observing that individuals, especially mothers, become preoccupied and as a result put others first, then the spouse, and finally themselves.

The minimum amount of time for recovering from a divorce is somewhere between nine to 14 months, Greteman said.

The actual length of the emotional divorce process, though, is anywhere from four to five years.

This time is instrumental in showing people that divorce is not the end of the world, according to Greteman.

"People who have gone through broken relationships are some of the happiest people I know," he said.

Greteman is the author of many books dealing with marriage, relationships, and divorce. He is a certified clinical social worker and hypnotherapist and has been giving workshops on divorce for eight years.

"People going through broken relationships should be gentle with themselves," he said.

He closed the lecture with a proverb relating to someone who has trouble accepting a divorce: "He who walks around all day with a loose rock in his shoe has a loose rock in his head."
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activities, which have met with favorable response from various hall staff members, she said.
"There is plenty of opportunity to have seminars on AIDS education and materials available to students in the dorm," said Sister Marjelina Murphy, rector of Badin Hall. "The concern is there.
Although the concern may be there, the optional presentations that the Health Center offers to interested dorms are met with such apathetic student response that they are rarely held.
"There are so many times when the dorm coordinator of these programs does not even show up," said Ruthann Heberle, coordinator of medical services for the Health Center, who organizes the presentations. "It is indicative of how at risk the students think they are.
Still, Heberle was invited to organize two presentations last semester in Knotl and Siegfried Halls and plans another in Pasquerilla West for Feb. 10.
"It's an important issue to be addressed on this campus," she said. "Students here know they are intellectually at risk, but in their hearts they don't think they are. They know the facts but don't consider themselves.
Welfare reforms encourage governors
By JOHN KING
Governors concluded their winter meeting Tuesday encouraged by pledges from President Clinton and congressional leaders that federal welfare reform will leave states free to continue radical welfare-to-work experiments.
"Our top priority ought to be to stay out of your way" on welfare reform, Senate Republican leader Bob Dole told the National Governors Association.
"We will learn what to do from the states," Senate Finance Committee Chairman Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., told the governors. "You teach us and we will pass the bill.
Over the course of their four-day meeting, the governors sought financial relief from the federal government in a host of areas they said were its responsibility, from paying the medical, school and prison costs of illegal immigrants to funding the costs of environmental cleanups ordered by Washington.
They also adopted a bipartisan framework on health care reform that required significant compromises by both Democrats and Republicans and offered it as a framework for congressional negotiations.
At the closing session Tuesday, Moynihan, Dole and Clinton all promised the governors to model federal welfare reform on the successes of state experiments, incorporating a time limit on benefits while pushing recipients into jobs.
"We need to have a system that says anybody who can work and support themselves and their families must do so, in the private sector where possible, with a community service job if that's the only work available, to make welfare a second chance, not a way of life," Clinton said.
Neither he nor the congressional leaders offered any specifics on what the federal overhaul would look like.
At a roundtable discussion of state efforts, governors of both parties said states need leeway to decide when to cut off benefits, and what training should be required before recipients are forced to work.
During the discussion, the governors swapped stories about what worked in their states. Delaware's Thomas Carper, a Republican, said an aggressive effort to identify fathers had increased the paternity determination rate among his state's welfare cases to 75 percent, well above the 50 percent national average.
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and
INTERESTING ESSAYS for the spring edition of the journal.
INTERESTED STUDENTS should attend a brief information meeting on Friday, February 4 at 3:30 p.m. in 115 O'Shaugnessy.
INTERESTING ESSAYS should be
- from the College of Arts and Letters
- written in English
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(No creative writing exercises or personal essays.)
PLEASE SUBMIT* 1) Three copies of the essay WITHOUT your name anywhere on them
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DEADLINE: Friday, February 18th at 8:00 a.m.
Please leave all materials in a sealed envelope in the Humanitatis mailbox located in the English Department Office -- 356 O'Shaugnessy.

QUESTIONS?
Please contact Becky Kroeger (4-2915) or Professor Christopher Fox (1-7226).
*Please no more than 1 submission per student.
By CLAUDIA TUDISCO

Saint Mary's will unveil its Sesquicentennial Quilt, entailing hundreds of quilted squares prepared by those in the Saint Mary's community, at the Cashua-Leighton Library in September 1994.

In the development of this year's calendar, the Sesquicentennial Subcommittee on Cultural Events felt that a quilt of this magnitude would be an appropriate idea in order to commemorate Saint Mary's past 150 years. This unique aspect of asking anyone involved in the Saint Mary's community to come forth and share of themselves in their quilt square will make this an even more personal and treasured collection.

The committee is encouraging Alumnae, current students, Sisters, faculty, administration and staff to come forth and share their creativity. One does not have to be proficient in needlework or quilting in order to take part in this activity.

Certain guidelines for preparation of each square must be met. Each square should be of medium weight cotton with a total of 13 1/4 inches, 12 inch square with a minimum of 1 1/2 inches, 1 1/2 inch seam allowance on all sides. The squares can be done in any style including patchwork, appliqued shapes, embroidery, or lettering as long as each person's signature is shown.

The quilt squares must be sent to Marcia Richard, in the Art Department, no later than July 1, 1994. Questions concerning the quilt can be directed to Steven Mueller, director of communications.

China takes positive steps towards basic human rights

By RITA BEAMISH

WASHINGTON

China took "some positive but limited steps" on human rights last year, but still engaged in "arbitrary detention, forced confessions and extra judicial killings," the State Department said today.

As a deadline approach for President Clinton to decide on renewing China's low-tariff access to U.S. markets, the State Department's annual human rights report concluded:

"Fundamental human rights provided for in the Chinese constitution frequently are ignored in practice, and challenges to the Communist Party's political authority are often dealt with harshly and arbitrarily."

China was not alone — the report found respect for human dignity and worth to be lacking in countries spread across the world. Also among the worst offenders were Iran, North Korea, Burma, Zaire, Peru, Cuba, Turkey, Egypt and Indonesia, countries that allow torture and executions.

"The world fails short of the ideals of human freedom and dignity," Secretary of State Warren Christopher said today.

The report chronicles killings, torture, rape and arbitrary detention "committed all too often by those who sought political freedom or against those for reasons of ethnic origin, race, gender or faith," Christopher said in a speech prepared for delivery before leaders of human rights organizations.

China is receiving special scrutiny because Clinton has set improvements in human rights as a condition of renewing China's most-favored-nation trade status in June.

U.S. officials have repeatedly stressed in recent weeks that steps taken by China so far do not meet the criteria set by Clinton.

In 1993, the report said, China took "some positive but limited steps," including release of prominent political prisoners. But "perhaps thousands" of prisoners remain in detention, it says.

China has taken a few more steps this year that are not reflected in the 1993 report. Those moves — release of more prisoners, resumption of discussions with the Red Cross for inspection of prison conditions and agreeing to allow U.S. officials to verify that prison laborers are not producing goods for export — were expected to be included in State Department testimony to Congress today.

But new reports of religious persecution, with new arrests of priests and bishops, have come even as China took those steps.

In its worldwide report, the Senate State Department singled out the rights of women for special attention, citing the prevalence of marital rape, the African practice of female genital mutilation, sexual violence and forced prostitution, as well as gender discrimination in voting, marriage, travel and child custody.

"The world thereby is not valued as much as male life is apparent in countries such as China where it is reported that more female fetuses than male fetuses are aborted," the report said.

Armed conflict in the former Yugoslavia — where "the carnage continues" — and elsewhere where gave rise to significant human rights abuses as well as civilian deaths and refugee flows, the report said.

New import laws provoke riots against Korean police

By JIM ABRAMS

WASHINGTON

The Senate prodded the administration Tuesday to take a more aggressive stance toward North Korea by seeking international trade sanctions and deploying Patriot missile batteries in South Korea.

In a non-binding voice vote, the Senate also said the United States should go ahead with joint military exercises with South Korea to show its strong commitment to the South's defense.

Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., author of the bill, said North Korean leaders are intimidat ing the United States with its nuclear weapons designs because of a "failure of nerve" on the part of the administration.

"We have served up enough carrots to North Korea," he said. "The time has come to show them the stick.

The "sense of Congress" statement is an amendment to the State Department authorization bill.

The Senate was closing out more than a week of debate on the bill, which authorizes more than $12 billion in spending for the State Department and related agencies in 1994 and 1995. The House passed a similar version last summer.

Senate Democrats accepted McCain's amendment but rejected his premise that the Clinton administration has been weak in its response to the North Korean nuclear threat.

"The administration has made it very clear that more is needed," said Sen. John Kerry, D-Mass. "Wise statesmanship dictates that you don't leap to that confrontational stage with a country like North Korea before you have made clear that all the other efforts and avenues have been explored."

The amendment says the United States should seek international consensus to isolate North Korea economically if it halts its nuclear weapons program and consents to International Atomic Energy Agency inspections of all its nuclear-related facilities.

The amendment says it would support U.N. sanctions against North Korea if it failed to talk with the IAEA andPyongyang fails to find a solution to the inspection issue.

U.S. negotiators have also indicated a willingness to cancel U.S.-South Korean military exercises as part of an agreement on inspections.

McCain's amendment says the United States should ensure it has sufficient forces in the Pacific region, including Patriot missiles, the legislation says. President Clinton is now considering a request by the U.S. military commander in Korea for the anti-missile defense system.

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REFRESHMENTS AND RECRUITING

Saint Mary's freshman Myrna Maloney enjoys some refreshments as she signs up for a committee at a Toastmasters meeting last night.
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gram and increased study
space.
“We brainstormed ideas with
people around the campus... and all we need is the go
ahead,” said Capua.
“There are some things that
need to be changed, according
to Coughlin. “We may not have
the great, lofty, revolutionary
goals, but these are goals that
are going to make a differ-
ce.”
Hungeling and Orsagh plan to
discontinue all current student
government projects.
“We’re going to stop (their
activities),” said Hungeling.
“We think students want to
spend their money on fun.”
In the event that the Grateful
Dead may not able to come,
Hungeling suggests a campus
bus trip to the Rosemont Hori-
zon in Chicago or another audi-
torium. If the University refused
to provide students with free
football tickets, Hungeling pro-
poses that the student body
boycott a game and tailgate in
the parking lot with big screen
TVs.
“Let NBC stare at our empty
seats. We are willing to do
whatever it takes,” said H un-
geling.
King and Lefort plan to offer
The Loop, a shuttle from D-2 to
the Bookstore and the Rock, a
Car Co-op, bundle drop-off from
St. Michael’s Laundry to stu-
dents dorms, and a mandatory
prejudice reduction workshop
for freshman.
“These are little things that
we’re going to accomplish in a
big way. Student safety and
convenience is going to equal
student satisfaction,” said Lefort.
In last night’s debates in the LaFortune Ballroom, Grace Hall junior
Brian Coughlin and Walsh Hall junior Maria Capua presented their idea
of implementing a “Safe Ride” shuttle service if elected.
A required prejudice reduction workshop for all freshman was proposed
in the student body debates last night by the Erin King/Detiz Lefort tick-
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Clinton defends health-care plan

By NANCY BENAC
Associated Press

WASHINGTON
President Clinton cautioned against mere tinkering with America's health-care system Tuesday, telling Congress and the nation that mistakes of past Fed chiefs who have just gotten started.

"You seem to have a leavening effect on the political rhetoric of this nation's capital," Clinton said.

As Congress continues hear­
ing on civil rights, "We have to do it now," he told the governors.

"And what we have to do in­
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care and $11 million in new med­i­cal loan for home im­
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and he debated Clinton's plans for a $10,000 settle­ment for 10,000 borrow­ers, the Kansan said.

"If they attack  his

careers in trying to enforce the
civil rights laws of the coun­
daughter of Justice Louis D. Sun­giel, who rose from a Mil­ton Academ y, a Massachusetts prep school, to ror of the Leadersh ip

"I wish my two departing

colleagues well in their future


Somali coalition condemns U.S.

By THOMAS WAGNER
Associated Press

MOGADISHU
Mohamed Fareh Aidid's coalition condemned U.S. Marines for a shooting that killed at least eight civilians, no one, said Tuesday its militiamen killed at least eight civilians, no one at Baidoa, a city 150 miles northwest of Mogadishu where many relief agencies work.

"We have told our people to remain calm and uphold the 3-month-old cease-fire, but the Americans must stop killing innocent people," said Abdullah Karim Ahmed Ali, secretary-general of the Somali National Alliance, a coalition of three factions in Mogadishu that back Aidid.

"The excuse the Americans are giving for killing our people is nonsense and baseless," he told The Associated Press.

In addition to the deaths, at least 24 Somalis were wounded Monday when Marines escorting two American diplomats opened fire on a street jammed with hundreds of civilians waiting for free food.

One of those killed was identified as one of Somalia's many tribal leaders, Sabriye Alfar Harise.

U.S. officials said the 22 Marines killed two machine guns and grenade launchers after two snipers fired at the three Humvees and two passenger cars in the convoy.

They said other Somalis pulled out guns and joined the shoot-out after it began.

No Americans were injured, but they said at least three bullets struck their vehicles.

Foreign correspondents in a nearby hotel heard one or two shots before the Marines' heavy weapons began firing.

But many Somalis witnessed the Marines opened fire after they saw the crowd outside a building drop a food distribution center and mistook them for demonstrators trying to block the convoy.

In Washington, a spokeswoman for the Pentagon said the incident was being investigated but early indications were the Marines shot in self-defense.

"They didn't fire until fired upon" and they came under fire from "a number of sources," said Kathleen deLaski.

Although Somalis shouted anti-American slogans after the shooting, no serious attacks on U.S. or U.S. forces were reported in Mogadishu on Tuesday.

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Although Somalis shouted anti-American slogans after the shooting, no serious attacks on U.S. or U.S. forces were reported in Mogadishu on Tuesday.

Aidid became a hero to many Somalis last year by escaping a tank shell after a U.N. manhunt after his militiamen killed dozens of American and Pakistani soldiers.

U.S. officials later lifted an arrest warrant for Aidid and began negotiating with him again, but he still wants all U.N. troops to withdraw.

Many people fear Somalia's factions will begin fighting again for control of this war-torn nation once American troops, the backbone of the U.N. force, finish withdrawing next month with their howitzers, helicopters and other heavy weapons.

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Anticipating the upcoming presidential election, The Observer editorializes on the need for continuity and consistency in the selection of candidates. They argue that re-baked candidates would present an advantage over their counterparts.

Dear Editor:

The retirement of Brother Donald Schapker from the Notre Dame Post Office after completing 30 years of dedicated service to the Notre Dame community marks the end of an era. Schapker is known for his dedication and good will to the community, and his retirement is an occasion to reflect on his contributions.

The Observer shows poor taste with its cartoon, which has the comic, with such outrageous behavior. The cartoon is as easy as little head-shaving.

Garry Trudeau

Vox Populi

As a Catholic University, what do you feel is Notre Dame's role and responsibility in providing pragmatic information regarding the AIDS and HIV epidemics? How can Notre Dame improve these efforts?

Please send responses to Viewpoint, The Observer, 314 LaFortune by 5 p.m. Thursday, February 3.
Ah, tradition!

I never got to urinate with the fellows in Cavanaugh, but I often got to hear them scream obscenities. It was a rough time. Guy Kranen of Notre Dame's Theology Department was giving a lecture on the New Testament. He was talking about the history of the Church, and his delivery was so skillful that it made you want to listen closely.

The idea of a "stay hall" was fairly new: a hall that you could stay in for the entire year. If you chose to, and if the system of placing freshmen in halls on the Freshman Quad was adequately monitored.

A fellow fell into the stairwell in 1967, to find that there were some seniors who had been in the hall the previous year. They showed a few sophomores and freshmen around, but the stairwell had transferred the hall. The rest of the quad was populated with freshmen and sophomores as the other dorms on that side of campus: largely a matter of geography. Nevertheless, the Church has been present in the Catholic tradition since Thomas Aquinas has been taught infallibly by the papal encyclical Humanae Vitae - had been taught infallibly by the papal encyclical Humanae Vitae - had been taught infallibly by the papal encyclical Humanae Vitae - had been taught infallibly by the papal encyclical Humanae Vitae - had been taught infallibly by the papal encyclical Humanae Vitae.

But if you are going to practice a tradition, you must have some kind of discipline. "You mean they won't lean out the window yelling obscenities?" he asked. "They won't piss into the hall."
Three cheers for the cheesy television tunes

By MELANIE WATERS
Accent Columnist

I believe it was Bruce Springsteen who claimed "there's 57 channels and nothin' on." For those of us that consider it a blessing to have two working outlets, let alone cable, the Boss is justifiably on target. It's more like "We only get three channels and there's nothing worth watching anyway."

OK, now I know you all die-hard TV addicts will jump down my throat. But for anyone that has seen the Keenan Revue, you have to admit that TV just isn't what it used to be.

Of course, that's not to say that the Revue wasn't great and all I did was listen to the theme songs in between. But it's really sad to admit that you know every word to those cheesy tunes, and even worse to realize that you can't stop yourself from belting them out (much to the dismay of the people next to me). Let's give it some serious thought. Will the theme songs ever elicit "Rose's Place" and a lovingly off-key audience participation sing-along? Hardly. That's one of the main problems with TV today - you just can't sing along. Sure, we all do air guitar to the "90210" theme song, but that's only a stop gap.

Cheesy songs were undoubtedly the backbone of the 70's and 80's sitcoms. Oh, no doubt the problems with TV today - you just can't sing along. But at least you could sing along. Sure, we all do air guitar to the "90210" theme song, but that's only a stop gap.

"The Jefferson's" - yeah, I still know all the lines. What more Is needed?

The Ten Commandments - religious or not - are just polished, improved versions of the old, cheesy tunes, and even worse to realize that "The Facts of Life," and new series, tried to create Webster's annoying little neck?

Show's like the ones we loved growing up just wouldn't cut it today. But really, today's shows are just polished, improved versions of the old, minus the cheesy tunes. If you think about it, "NYPD Blue" is nothing more than "Hill Street Blues" with hormones. If you liked the Love Boat, just try the Norwegian Cruise line commercials. Captain Stubing would be ashamed. Maybe even more disconcerting than the phallic out of the cheesy song is the fate of the sitcom star of the 80's. I almost hate to admit it, but last weekend, I watched a TV movie in which Ricky - oops, I mean Rick Schroeder - is a man now - played a young single father. A father?! What's wrong with this picture?

Another scenario: Every Sunday morning as Jo, everyone's favorite Harley queen on "Facts of Life," seem to be teaching modern problems. Often times, it appears that the teaching of the church are sound, but can serve as no substitute for living in this modern world.

It is this kind of attitude which the "Talk of the Nation," a ten part series on the relevance of the Ten Commandments in today's world, addresses. For the next several weeks, "Talk of the Nation," a daily newscall-in show on National Public Radio (heard locally on 88.1 FM, WVPE) is spotlighting one Commandment each Monday, from 2-4 p.m.

The series will be hosted by veteran journalist Ray Suarez. Suarez opens each session of "Talk" with a monologue that sets the tone for the show. Each week, a different guest, related in some way to the Commandment being discussed, prepares and reads an opening essay about that Commandment.

"We want to spark a dynamic discussion of what the Commandments mean to the average citizen," said series producer Miriam Reinharth.

"Does it matter that my kid is coughing? Should I honor the Sunday Sabbath and not go to work, despite the fact that I desperately need the money? These are the kinds of questions we hope to explore."

The discussion, however, will not be reserved to learned theological scholars. "This will not be a series on religion," said "Talk" director Jean Collins. "It's an opportunity to use the Commandments as a jumping-off point from which listeners - and our guests - can discuss how they live their lives."

"For the most part, we're not having theologians as our guests," said Marcus Rosenbaum, "Talk's" senior editor. "Instead, we're having people whose lives are shaped by the Commandments they're discussing."

The speaker for the First Commandment: I am the Lord thy God. Thou shalt have no other gods before me was Peter Carruthers, a theoretical physicist. "Most scientists shall not steal will be addressed by Robert Heilbroner, an economist on March 7th. "There can be something heroic or defiant in disobeying the other commandments - even murder can be justified by self-defense - but talk stealing is simply contemptible...theft violates out being," said Heilbroner.

Novelist, Mary Gorden sparks listeners interest when she comments, "I would never tell a friend she'd had a bad haircut," while speaking about the Ninth Commandment, Thou shalt not bear false witness.

Speaking about the Tenth Commandment, Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's house, wife, marrasive, or maidservant, or music scholar/writer Adin Steinsaltz says, "is it at all possible to command anyone to abstain from thinking and from coveting? How can anyone be told not to want?"

These and other points are sure to provoke some heated and interesting debate on the radio program, which is exactly what Reinharth wants.

"In these difficult times, many Americans - religious or not - are searching for ethical guidelines," said Reinharth.

"This series will provide an opportunity for "Talk" listeners to engage in a thoughtful dialogue about highly personal, moral issues, with ten renowned individuals."

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**SPORTS**

**The Notre Dame/Saint Mary’s Equestrian team put together a strong performance this past weekend at an Intercollegiate competition sponsored by Notre Dame University.**

Beginning with the Huntseat show on Saturday morning, the team was led by junior Megan Turpin, Meagan Walsh, and Julia Barry. McCue placed second in the open fences division, while Kosako finesihed first and Turpin finished in the Intermediate flat division.

The team also garnered strong finishes in the novice flat and fences division. In novice flat, Julie Barry earned second place while Amander Maurer took first in first Intercollegiate competition. Susan Galagan also stayed second in the flat.

Joel Tolland and Julie Bock earned first place at Toledo finishing first in both the novice flat and fences, earning the individual Reserve High Point Rider award. Also, the team garnered first in the novice fences and second in the flat, and was named Reserve High Point Rider behind Toledo.

In the walk-trot-canter division, Michelle Meadowes placed first and Tolland finished second in the walk-trot, as the team finished in second place behind Purdue.

Saturday evening marked the beginning of Spring Break for Notre Dame. While Jennifer Leitlow earned Reserve High Point Rider with a first place finish in the pattern class, and Emily Ramey finished second in the open division. Turpin received fourth place in Intermediate II, and Meadows earned first place in the intermediate flat fences, while Kosako also placed first in the walk-trot division.

At the second Huntseat show on Sunday morning, the team was led by Kosako, who earned second place in Intermediate Flat and first place in the intermediate flat fences, and Kosako also earned High Point Rider in the intermediate flat division.

Toland turned in another impressive performance for Reserve High Point Rider with a first in the novice flat and second place in novice fences.

The team took first place in the walk-trot, and the walk and the team again finished second to Purdue.

Currently the team is in second place overall in the region, less than 11 points behind Purdue, which is fast becoming a rival for the nation’s improving ND/SMC Equestrian team.
Syracuse shocks No. 5 UConn; Michigan tips Purdue

Associated Press

Syracuse's offense has never been better in the Big East, yet the 15th-ranked Orangemen still had to fight frantically to give No. 5 Connecticut its first conference loss this season.

Lawrence Moten had 31 points and John Wallace added 25 as Syracuse matched its highest point total for a Big East game in defeating Connecticut 108-95.

"As a team, we played a perfect game tonight," Moten said. "We couldn't have played any better. I would never have believed we could score 108 points on Connecticut."

Syracuse coach Jim Boeheim said the Orangemen played as well as they could play — which, he added, was the only way they could defeat the Huskies.

"They are not any less of a team because of the way they played tonight. They may be even better because we played as well as we can play. We didn't beat them tonight I don't know if anybody would. At least now, there might be a chance," he said.

Syracuse (14-3, 7-3 Big East) moved into a second-place tie with Boston College by ending a 10-game winning streak by the Huskies (18-2, 8-1), who played their second game without coach Jim Calhoun, who has been hospitalized with pneumonia.

Wallace scored 14 points in the second half, repeatedly defying the Huskies' comeback attempts.

"That was my best game as a collegian. That's the way I need to play at all times," said Wallace, who also had six blocks and tied Moten with 10 rebounds, helping the Orangemen to a 44-36 rebounding advantage.

Boeheim Marshall had 30 points to lead Connecticut, which pulled within 92-88 on A nastasbü Willingham's tip-in with 3:39 to play. But Syracuse went on a 11-2 run to lead 103-90 with a minute left.

"The most difficult thing about the game is giving up 108 points. We tried to outscore ourselves on being a good defensive team," Boeheim said.

Connecticut, which won the first regular-season meeting against Syracuse, led 51-48 after halftime after an opening 20 minutes featuring eight ties and 18 lead changes.

Syracuse scored nine straight points, five by Moten, to take the lead for good 61-55 with 15:19 remaining.

No. 6 Arkansas 89, Vanderbilt 76
Roger Crawford and Scotty Thurman scored three baskets each during a 19-0 run that helped sixth-ranked Arkansas beat Vanderbilt 89-76 Tuesday night.

The victory moved the Razorbacks (15-2, 2-1 SEC) into a tie for first in the Western Division of the Southeastern Conference.

Frank Seckar's fourth 3-pointer in six attempts cut the Arkansas lead to 46-43 before the Crawford-Thurman spree.

The Commodores (10-2, 3-5) suffered four turnovers during the five-minute period.

Thurman hit a 3-pointer with 15:40 to play and then a one-hander from the baseline. Crawford got a basket inside after a pump fake. Crawford followed with a 3-pointer and then a stuff after a steal by Thurman. That put Arkansas up 58-43.

Al Dillard's basket-high pass produced a dunk by Corliss Williamson and Thurman made another 3-pointer. A fancy-dan pass by Elmer Maning, which Darioglayya asked for, got him a layup by Corey Beck at 10:43 to make it 65-43. Billy McCaffrey's two free throws broke the string 10 seconds later.

The Commodores closed to 84-70 on Seckar's 4-point play with three minutes left. But Williamson, who led Arkansas with 24 points, made a layup to head off the Vanderbilt threat.

Crawford had 11, while 13 and Thurman 10 for Arkansas. Ronnie McMahon led Vanderbilt with 26. McCaffrey had 17 and Seckar added 16.

Arkansas started 8-0 but Vanderbilt tied it at 18 on Seckar's third 3-pointer. The Commodores had an opportunity to tie the game but Dillard came up with a loose ball and Dan Hall was nabbed for goaltending. Dillard followed with a 3-pointer.

No. 13 Michigan 66, Purdue 50

Jawan Howard put back an offensive rebound with 21.1 seconds left and Purdue missed three shots in the final seconds as the 13th-ranked Wolverines overcame an 11-point deficit to defeat the Boilermakers 63-62 Tuesday night.

The Wolverines (14-4, 6-2 Big Ten) outrebounded Purdue 36-30 in the final 20 minutes featuring eight ties and 18 lead changes.

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Hammond said.

"We're still No. 1 in the conference. We just want to come and keep playing our style. Everybody still has to catch us," he added.

There were 11 lead changes and three ties in the first half. The Boilermakers then scored the first six points of the second half and weren't caught until Jalen Rose's jumper put Michigan ahead 59-58 after Robinson had missed two free throws with 23 to play.

Two baskets by Robinson, sandwiched around a rebound basket by Ray Jackson, gave Purdue its last lead at 62-61 with 1:34 to go.

And after Rose missed a jumper, the Boilermakers missed an opportunity to add to the lead when Line Daramel missed a 3-point attempt and Michigan grabbed the rebound to set the stage for Howard's winning shot.

No. 10 Temple 84, Rutgers 45

Senior Eddie Jones matched a career high by scoring 30 points as 10th-ranked Temple routed Rutgers 84-45 in the Atlantic 10 Tuesday night for its eighth straight victory.

Rutgers (6-11, 2-6 Atlantic 10) scored the first five points of the game, but Temple (14-2, 7-1) retaliated with 18 straight, 11 by Aaron McKie and seven by Jones. The Owls led 46-13 after a jumper by Jones with 1:07 left in the half.

Jones, Temple's leading scorer and defender who also leads the team in steals and blocked shots, had 25 points in the first half, one short of the homecourt record set last year by McKie against Rutgers.

Jones individually outscored the Scarlet Knights 18-3 over one stretch of the game. McKie, who finished with 22 points, had 11 in the first 20 minutes.

The Owls scored the first seven points of the second half to lead 55-19 with 17:41 to play. Rutgers scored eight straight points to make it 55-27, but the Owls went on to lead twice by as many as 41 points.

Jones was 11-of-15 from the field, including 3-of-5 from three-point range, handed out five assists and blocked two shots in 32 minutes.

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Cowboys assistant hired by Redskins

By MATT YANCEY

ASHBURN, Va.
The Washington Redskins turned to an old nemesis Tuesday, reaching into the staff of the Dallas Cowboys for offensive coordinator Norv Turner to rescue their free fall from Super Bowl stardom just two years ago.

Two days after helping guide the Cowboys to their second straight Super Bowl title, Turner met with Redskins owner Jack Kent Cooke about what would be his new office at Washington's new coach.

Neither the Redskins nor Turner would say the deal was set, but Cooke was all smiles after the meeting and there was every indication Turner was set to come aboard.

"Things are going good," Turner said before turning to Grill and introducing him to Turner's two-year-old son.

The Redskins, who have spoken with no one other than Turner about the coaching job, tentatively planned a new conference for Wednesday to announce a new coach.

The hiring would come nearly a month after the 81-year-old billionaire owner fired Grill and defensive coordinator Joe Peccatiello as defensive coordinator in December and never approached any other possible candidate.

The deeper they looked the more they found that Turner is almost a clone of Gibbs, which is perfect for the Redskins.

"It would help make a dull play an interesting play, at least on occasion," said Brown, a member of the NFL's Competition Committee which shapes league rules. "And coaches today are more inclined to accept it. The colleges have had it for a long time and have learned how to use it. A lot of our coaches have college experience, so it (changing the rule) doesn't create quite the anxiety that it used to."

Shula, a former receivers coach, said: "I think what happens now is they really don't enforce the rule that's in place. I don't think there's too much bumping going on."

Among the other rules changes owners may be asked to consider are pushing the defensive line a yard off the line of scrimmage, weighting field goal attempts, whereas longer ones could count more than short ones; increasing the number of timeouts; and putting a headset into the quarterback's helmet.

All of the ideas are designed to increase scoring in a league that has taken criticism because of an increase in field goal kicking and a decrease in overall scoring.

The Bengals scored 187 points last season, the fewest in the NFL and the fewest in franchise history.

Associated Press

CINCINNATI

The Cincinnati Bengals, who were the NFL's lowest-scoring team last season, would support an experiment with a college-style two-point conversion, general manager Mike Brown said.

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The committee will make proposals, and the owners are to vote on them in March.

Bengals coach Dave Shula said he would favor a two-point conversion.

"I think it would add excitement to the game, but it's tough to get people to change," said Shula, who has never has coached at the college level.

Other proposals that could be submitted to owners include allowing receivers to run routes virtually unimpeded.

Now, defenders can bump receivers within five yards of the line of scrimmage. A new rule could give an advantage to receivers by reducing that five-yard zone, or eliminating it altogether.

Associated Press

CINCINNATI

Joe Pascale, who coached outside linebackers for eight years with the St. Louis Cardinals, has joined the Bengals as linebackers coach, the Bengals said Tuesday.

The Bengals now have only one position to fill on their staff—defensive line coach. Joe Wessel, 32, the secondary coach at Notre Dame, is a candidate for that job, The Cincinnati Post reported.

Linebackers coach Mike Hulschak and defensive line coach Bob Karmelowicz resigned from the Bengals after defensive coordinator Ron Lynn quit following the 1993 season. The Bengals have hired former Washington Redskins assistant coach Larry Pecciattellio as defensive coordinator.

Pascale, 47, has spent 26 years as a coach, including in college, in the Canadian Football League and with the defunct United States Football League. He lost his job in Phoenix when owner Bill Bidwill fired head coach Joe Bugel and the coaching staff.

Cincinnati hires coach, may fill staff with Irish assistant

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LAFAYETTE SQUARE TOWNHOMES
All-Star trio leads Chicago to its ninth win in last ten days

Associated Press

Except for the first five minutes, the Chicago Bulls played a nearly perfect basketball game. Scottie Pippen scored 28 points and Horace Grant and B.J. Armstrong had 19 apiece, leading the hot-shooting Bulls past Denver 118-98 Tuesday night and ending the Nuggets' four-game winning streak.

The Bulls, winning for the ninth straight time in their last 10 games and for the 26th time in the last 31, shot 59 per cent to Denver's 40 per cent. Chicago had just six turnovers compared to Denver's 18. The Bulls' aggressive defense produced 15 steals compared to just five by Denver.

"It's the best road games we've played all year," Bulls coach Phil Jackson said. "We had nine nights over the tempo. The third quarter told the story. We played and played like we wanted to. Hopefully, this will set up some momentum.

Pippen, averaging 29.7 points over the last three games, said after the Bulls' slow start, "I wanted to get my offense going, so that would help the team get going. I've been playing like this the last three or four games, usually getting 20 by the half. We are playing so well together that it makes it tough to score on us and defend." Knicks 114, Celtics 79

Patrick Ewing had 23 points and six other Knicks scored in double figures Tuesday night as the New York beat Boston, ending the Celtics' season-high seven-game winning streak.

New York, which won its fifth straight, had Boston to 20 points in the first quarter, 22 in the second and 14 in the third. The Knicks were ahead 49-36 by the time the fourth quarter began.

Charles Smith scored 14 points, Greg Anthony and Rolando Blackman had 13, and John Starks, Derek Harper and Anthony Mason each added 12 for New York.

SuperSonics 103

New Jersey rookie P.J. Brown hit two free throws with 1.2 seconds left and sealed the Seattle SuperSonics' decisive win.

The suddenly stumbling Sonics, who began the day with an NBA-best 31-9 record, lost for the first time in seven games. With 10 seconds left, Seattle inbounded the ball to Gary Payton, who eventually passed to Ricky Pierce. But Pierce was stripped by his foot near the top of the circle and had to throw up a hook shot from halfcourt that went out of bounds.

Pacers 116, Bullets 96

Reggie Miller and Rik Smits each scored 25 points, leading the Indiana Pacers over the Washington Bullets.

It was the Pacers' second straight win and second in three meetings this year with the Bullets. Smits scored 12 of his 15 first-half points in the opening 8:06 and sent the Bullets' Kevin Duckworth to the bench with two quick fouls.

Heat 88, Bucks 82

Steve Smith sparked Miami to its franchise-record 13th road victory of the season by scoring 19 points as the Heat defeated the Milwaukee Bucks.

Glen Rice led Miami with 23 points and the Heat won for the third straight time on the road. Miami is 11-10 on the road and 11-11 at home.

Blue Edwards' 18 points led the Bucks, who fell for the fourth straight time. Eric Murdock added 17 points and Frank Brickowski got 16.

Spurs 112, Lakers 97

Dale Ellis scored a season-high 32 points and David Robinson had 30 as the San Antonio Spurs beat the Los Angeles Lakers.

The Spurs have won four in a row and 15 of their last 18. They have won nine straight at home.

Ellis, the NBA's career 3-point shooting leader, made 4-6 of 3-point tries. He shot 13-23 overall, and his 15 points were his most since February 23.

Jazz 104, Rockets 88

Karl Malone scored 29 points and the Utah Jazz held Houston scoreless for the final five minutes and beat the Rockets.

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**Bills end another second place season**

By DAVID GERMAIN
Associated Press

ORCHARD PARK, N.Y.

The Buffalo Bills packed up, moved out and began another offseason Tuesday wondering if they still had the fortitude to make it back to the Super bowl.

The Bills emptied out their lockers and autographed footballs for teammates after coming home empty handed for the fourth year. While the mood was somber over the 30-13 loss to the Dallas Cowboys, the veterans remembered a time when things were worse.

"There’s still a strong sense of accomplishment, especially for the guys who’ve been around a little longer, who were here during the lean years," quarterback Frank Reich said. "In my rookie year here, we were 2-14. The next year, we were 4-12. "Maybe for the younger guys who’ve only been here a couple years, all they know is going to the Super Bowl. It’s a hard one to accept."

"I don’t like to lose. I don’t like to lose at anything," defensive end Phil Hansen said. "I don’t care what it is. The biggest game in football. Yeah, it’s dis-appointing, disheartening."

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While the Bills lost 13-6 at halftime, they crumbled in the second half with costly turnovers and an inept offense. It seemed in Beebe as if his team was "just selling out on every play." Guard Jim Burcher said the Bills wanted a win so badly they fulfilled their own fears of losing again. Burcher said coach Marv Levy made a good analogy between the Bills’ performance and the simple task Levy follows every morning when he puts in his contact lenses.

"He’s done it for 27 years and just pops them in, boom-boom," Burcher said. "But the morning of the Super Bowl, when he had so much to do and was so excited about the game, he was dropping them and fumbling them."

"That really explains a lot of what happened to us on the field last year and in the second half this year. When the momentum shifted, everyone was trying to do everything at once. We started fumbling, making the little mistakes, trying to do too much instead of doing the one thing that was necessary at the time," Levy said.

Bills' right tackle Pat Meador was hurt as he returned to his locker after the game. "I lost my position, a couple of drives late in the game, and that’s about it."

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Why it's important to have a TRUE non-drinking designated driver:

Impaired driving remains a leading cause of death for teenagers and young adults. Despite positive statistics that indicate a decrease in impaired driving among youth in the last decade, many are still alarmed that every three hours, on average, another person under the age of 21 dies as a result of an alcohol-related traffic incident.

Obviously, all these tragic deaths and even the countless disabling injuries are TOTALLY preventable.

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■ Candiman, the Feast of the Presentation of Jesus, will be observed with a procession, a blessing of candles, and a Mass in the Basilica of the Sacred Heart at 5:00 p.m. tonight.

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DEFINING THE DESIGNATED DRIVER

Designate is an action verb that Webster defines "to indicate and set apart for a specific purpose, office, or duty." This is a strong word that conveys a sense of trust from one person to another. This trust among friends is unfortunately too often violated. The designated driver is often misused as someone who drives home since he is the least impaired person. The designated driver must be someone who will completely refrain from alcohol use. Even one drink can be one too many.

REMEMBER...

Zero = Zero Alcohol. Especially if you're under 21, DRIVING, chemically dependent, on certain medications, or pregnant.

One = One drink per hour, which sets the pace for moderate drinking.

AND

Three = No more than three drinks per day, and never daily.
Men's volleyball hosts Anderson

By G.R. NELSON
Sports Writer

The undefeated Notre Dame men's volleyball team faces Anderson University tonight at 7:30 p.m. in the Thunderpit at the Joyce Athletic and Convocation Center.

The Irish (4-0) played Anderson in the preseason and defeated them easily. Nonetheless, they are not taking Anderson for granted.

"It doesn't matter who we play," said outside hitter and club vice-president Matt Strottman. "We still have to play our game and make plays."

"This game is important," added outside hitter Tom Kovats. "Because we need to keep improving for the meat of our schedule."

While both Strottman and Kovats are off to strong starts for the Irish squad, they both recognize that there is always room for improvement.

While the offense—led by the spikes of Brian Ceponis, Strottman, and Kovats—and a strong team-passing game has clicked all year, the defense needs to step up a notch.

The defense has not had to face a strong offensive opponent in their last two victories, both three-game routs. However, the defense must improve its blocking game for future opponents.

Also of importance is the fact that this will be Ceponis' first game back after suffering a mild knee sprain. The addition of Ceponis to an already relaxed and confident volleyball team does not bode well for future Irish opponents.

However, the Irish will most certainly need him healthy for the difficult University of Michigan tournament this Saturday. The fun and easy part of the schedule is nearly over, and the Irish need to be prepared when it does end.

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NAME THE NORBUT Contest

The Observer is conducting a contest to find the best name for Mike. Possible suggestions should be given to the sports desk at The Observer office, third floor LaFortune. Phone entries will also be accepted at 631-4543. A winner will be announced prior to the quarterfinal bouts.

Tough Loss

The Saint Mary's swim team falls to the University of Chicago by just two points. see page 18

Maine's Main Men

Two former University of Maine stars battle for the starting nod at goalie for the U.S. Olympic team. see page 17

No Ordinary Jones

Temple star Eddie Jones scores 30 points to lead the Owls over Rutgers. see page 14

TRAINING

Visions of a Rocky movie were quickly sweated away

Last week, as I strolled past the hockey rink in the J.A.C.C., I noticed an open door to the right filled with activity. I caught a whiff of dirty old tube socks, and saw a large pack of mad dogs beating on lifeless bags with all of their might. The next thing that caught my eye were dozens of posters featuring "Nappy" Napolitano and his legendary quote, "Strong bodies fight so that weak bodies may be nourished."

Right then and there, only one thought came to my mind. "It's the eye of the tiger, it's the thrill of the fight, rising up to the challenge of our rivals," I began to sing under my breath.

My voice became louder as I picked up the permission forms, and before I was out of the little gym I had hit a full sprint for Cavanaugh Hall, flailing fists at trees and telling every passer-by that I was doing something special.

I was going to join Bengal Bouts.

"Just be careful," my mom said.

"That's fine with me, but I don't think you've ever thrown a punch before," my dad commented.

Actually, Dad, don't you remember? I punched Todd Tomlinson in third grade after he stole some golf balls from our garage. But even if I have never thrown a punch before, the trainers and captains will teach me everything I need to know anyway.

Besides, I've knocked out Mike Tyson before playing Punchout on Nintendo. How