ND/SMC panel examines “The Dating Game”

By JENNIFER ABBATE
News Writer

A panel of six students discussed the dating scene and male and female relations on the two campuses in “The Dating Game,” a forum held in Saint Mary's Bigger Parlor last night as a part of the Sexual Assault Awareness Week.

Led by Notre Dame psychology professor Dr. Tom Merluzzi, the panel shared their views about the most common social event on both campuses, the SYR. Following the “Screw Your Roommate” tradition, people are usually set up on dates by their roommates for dorm dances.

The panel agreed that these dances are fun. Unfortunately, SYR’s are often the only reason people date. Notre Dame student Megan Heywood, a student on the panel, said that the SYR is “a time for social interaction. Dating is discussed at Notre Dame.”

Hence students are supposed to socialize when they are at these dances, the panel concluded. Yet, for many students, SYR’s are a poor alternative to what normally takes place every weekend at ND. People at campus parties and SYR’s are packed into a room as they consume as much alcohol as they can.

As a result of this, many students find themselves wishing for more of a variety of social activities at both Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s. At other college campuses, members of the panel observed, there were more ways students could socialize. For instance, fraternity and sororities provide many social events each weekend. It gets students out of the dorms and helps them meet new people.

It is hard for students to do different things since Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s are isolated from South Bend. There is no enjoyable place for students to walk to easily in the absence a car. When students can get off campus, there is really no place for them to go.

In order for students to get into the bars, they have to be 21. In other university towns, the age to get into a bar is 18 or 19, said panelist Stacy Jones. Students are not looking to become intoxicated every weekend; they just want a place to go, said Jones.

From their observations of social lives at other universities, members of the panel commented on how casual dating is discussed at Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s.

“Usually, you have a few friends who get serious with each other,” said Jones.

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SMC needs to expand service center

The need to take on some sort of service project has been on my mind lately. Maybe it is the time of year, or better yet, a new awareness that is taking precedence in my life.

The urge became stronger yesterday as I passed the Center for Social Concerns (CSC) on my way to the Observer Office. It occurred to me then that there is no similar landmark to remind me of the need for service on my own campus — unless of course you count the Spec Unica Resource and Volunteer Center (S.U.R.V.) office tucked away on the third floor of Haggar College Center.

S.U.R.V. is a student run service center. The key words here are “student run.” The CSC is a faculty student organization, despite the great efforts made by a few select students, problems are inevitable.

Please don’t misunderstand me, S.U.R.V. does a great job at accomplishing service projects with the resources that they have. It cannot be helped that their office is only open for a few sporadic hours each day — after all, students must go to class.

The CSC has a full time staff that provides a consistent year-to-year that is not maintained by the students. It is in the role of the students to help the staff. Although opportunities for service are provided, they change from year to year depending on the wants of the student co-ordinator. The coordinator is generally a senior and when she or he replaces the current coordinator, her replacement starts again at square one.

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Peace accords signed in Guatemala

MEXICO CITY

Guatemalan government and rebel leaders signed three breakthrough agreements Tuesday aimed at ending three decades of civil war in the strife-torn Central American nation. The accords do not end Latin America’s longest-running armed conflict between leftist rebels of the Guatemalan National Revolutionary Unity (URNG) and the Guatemalan army. But they showed the long-stalled talks were back on track, said a U.S. official, and the two sides said they hope to reach a final cease-fire by the end of the year. The accords provide for an immediate verification of human rights violations by a mission of unarmed U.N. monitors, and for the involvement of civilian groups in the peace process. The two sides also have agreed to a timetable for points yet to be resolved, including a commission to investigate war crimes.

Former RG Gov. DiPrete, son indicted

Former Gov. Edward DiPrete was indicted today on 23 charges that he took nearly $300,000 in bribes in exchange for state contracts. His 35-year-old son, Joseph, was also indicted on similar charges. DiPrete, a Republican who served as governor from January 1985 to January 1991, was accused of soliciting and accepting bribes worth more than $294,000 from contractors, engineers and developers in exchange for state contracts, Attorney General Jeff Pascarella said. He and his son were also accused of lying in bearings before the Rhode Island Ethics Commission. DiPrete was convicted by a three-judge panel of the Supreme Court, Governor Bruce Sundin, in 1990. The former governor was not available for comment; he did not return a telephone call to his attorney seeking comment. Two lawyers for the former governor said they knew nothing about the indictments today.

Cowboy coach Jimmy Johnson fired

Dallas Cowboys coach Jimmy Johnson severed his tempestuous five-year relationship with team owner Jerry Jones Tuesday, giving up his job and a chance to win an unprecedented third Super Bowl. Johnson and Jones met for two days before announcing the decision; together at the Cowboys’ headquarters.

Johnson and Jones had feuded regularly since Jones bought the National Football League team in 1989, fired coach Tom Landry, and hired Johnson. It boiled over last week when Jones belittled Johnson’s coaching abilities and told reporters he wanted to hire someone else. “This boiled down to a personal thing between Jimmy and Jerry,” said Cowboys defensive coordinator Butch Davis, a possible successor.

“It was nothing about football, it was nothing about management. This was personal.”

Paratroops honored at farewell service

More than 3,500 soldiers and civilians honored a gymnasium and stood outside during a memorial service Tuesday for 23 paratroopers killed in a military plane crash in Germany. The service happened March 23 when two planes collided on their approach to Pope Air Force Base. The planes were on their way to the Netherlands, an F-16 fighter, crashed and burned, skidding into a staging area where paratroopers were preparing for a daylight drop in training 83. The fighter crew safely ejected. The casualty toll was the highest for the division in a single day since the Battle of the Bulge in World War II. The regiment’s headquarters was founded by the Cowboys. Former Cowboys defensive coordinator Butch Davis, a possible successor.

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Victory likely to change business of securities in Italy

HOME

The powers-that-have been in Italian politics are in for major changes after a stunning victory by Silvio Berlusconi’s conservative-right coalition in elections for Parliament.

Final results Tuesday give his alliance a majority in the Chamber of Deputies and lead three seats shy of a majority in the upper Senate. The coalition members now begin negotiating to try to form a government.

The promise of tax cuts, privatization and incentives to private business has shaken many who depend on the state for their living or influence.

The allies are the pro-autonomy Northern League, which dominates the wealthier north and advocates federalism; the neo-fascist rooted National Alliance, led by Berlusconi For Italy (Let’s Go, Italy), a party of small business owners, politicians, new commuters and yuppies.

Their victory gives Italian politics its first new look after almost 50 years of domination by the U.S. and Vatican-backed Christian Democrats and their allies. If Berlusconi comes to power, his program of tax cuts, privatizing health care and pension plans, rapidly sell-off state industry and strict adherence to the rules of the marketplace could cause unrest among unions and middle-class people who depend on public benefits.

All three members of the new right-wing coalition have come to the fore mainly because of Italians’ disgust with the disclosures of the “Main Point” (Clean Hands) investigation. The probe exposed the systematic corruption of Italy’s political and business elite.

Corruption found fertile ground in a society where parties dominated nearly every institution, from publicly held banks to opera houses, from huge state conglomerates like Fiat and Enel to newspapers and theaters. Voters rejected the former Communists, now called the Democratic Party of the Left, and their support for central government and strong state programs.

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Kasarda's statistics about the working poor may lend credence to his assertion that "workfare," a much talked about but little attempted alternative to welfare, might not be sufficient to pull families out of poverty.

Measurement of the working poor is neither "neat nor clean," according to Kasarda, who presented the problem of accurately defining the working poor.

Kasarda has revised the Bureau of Labor Statistics definition of the working poor to "Persons 16 and over who worked at least 27 weeks in the previous year, who usually worked at least 20 hours a week, and who lived in families whose incomes fell below the official poverty line."

Kasarda delineated that about 3.8 million working poor lived in the United States in 1990. Since 1980, virtually no growth has occurred in the working poor for whites or blacks, while Asian groups and especially the Hispanic working poor have grown significantly. When groups of race are considered in determining who the working poor are, both white and black numbers have dropped since 1980, while both white and black female working poor numbers have risen. Both male and female Hispanics have seen their number of working poor drastically rise.

"7.5 percent of all workers are Hispanic while 16.7 percent of the working poor are Hispanic," reported Kasarda, presenting a disturbing variation.

Regionally, the South is the most unevenly distributed area of the country based on the working poor. Mississippi is the state with the highest percentage of working poor, 7.8 percent, while Connecticut has the lowest percentage, with 1.0.

These numbers are limited, points out Kasarda, as they fail to include different rates of living as well as different levels of public assistance in different regions of the country.

Kasarda's presentation was the third segment of the ongoing six-part Paul and Barbara Henkels Visiting Scholars Series on Working and Poor in Urban America, sponsored by the College of Arts and Letters.

"They are crossing the line from daily paper to weekly magazine — all of a sudden they want to come on to our turf," said Wiltrout in defense of the resolution. "A campus of this size can't support two magazines that are not drastically different."

Representing The Observer, Editor-in-Chief Jake Peters stated the focus of the planned magazine is different from that of Scholastic and should not be seen as a competitor.

"We want to make the paper as good as possible, and this is an improvement," he said. "It's a natural inclination to improve ourselves."

As the recipient of a $12 "Observer fee" from each student, the newspaper is at an unfair advantage in having the additional resources to maintain a marketing department, according to Adworks president Brian DiLaura.

"The fee is a luxury that Adworks doesn't have," he said. "The Observer is being allowed a monopoly on paper, magazine and advertising."

"If it were a free market, it would be fine," said Wiltrout. "It's Notre Dame," said DiLaura. "There is no room for any competition."

In other HPC news, student body president Frank Flyn announced that the Guide will be distributed over Easter break, adding that twice as many professors contributed to the Student Government publication this semester than last.
Buckley

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government, a dollar and 20 cents goes back to Washington. "It's a basic axiom that money that comes from Washington is worth money you just sent to Washington," he said. Asked later if he had a workable solution to welfare reform, Buckley replied, "Yes, I'd eliminate the strong democracies that relies on productive, self-reliant individuals, he added, not those who manipulate the system.
Buckley also said he believes Washington is more corrupt than it has ever been. As a solution he would place term limits on members of Congress. One of his more radical ideas is to restrict voting rights to responsible individuals.
It is "inexplicable" to Buckley that, in a recent survey of college students, two-thirds could not place the Civil War within 50 years of its occurrence.
"There's no way to face such evi­
dence except to say the American institutional system is getting worse," said Buckley. "Allocate the blame anyway you wish." Young Americans, he said, must be prepared to uphold the responsibilities a democracy brings with it. Young people, especially those 18 to 21 years old, must be told that "learning is desirable, and a democracy without learning is impossible to defend."
"There's always a great deal to do to protect our democracy," Buckley said in conclu­
sion. "To him the future is not all that bright. Since the end of World War II, he said, the world has seen 80 wars that resulted in 30 million deaths. He also cited a re­
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nologies and products, ozone depletion and global warming,
toxic and hazardous waste, as well as environmental racism.
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haired, weird-bearded, freaky­hippie type people who did such strange things as going out and playing music to passing whales, you're right. That's exactly how we started. But seriously, music becomes an act of re­
spect, humans trying to speak something like the whales' lan­
guage."
Childs pointed to physical tri­umps of Greenpeace in the creation of a 50-year morato­rium called "World Park Base" to keep Antarctica unharmed and in the support of a world­
wide ban on the use of driftnets, sometimes 30 miles long that sweeps anything living from the

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The cost is $1800, including tuition and fees, field travel, room and board, educational materials and guest lecturers. Students will be responsible for additional travel costs to and from the Salt Lake City airport. A non-refundable deposit of $500 is required by April 15, 1994.

For additional information, contact Prof. J. Keith Rigby, 105 Cushing Hall (631-6245) or Prof. John Halfman, 106C Cushing Hall (631-5164).

Dr. Sam Broder, director of NCI, would not take calls from journalists. A spokesman in his office directed questions to Brusca, director of cancer treatment, who did not return calls.

Officials at the University of Pittsburgh also refused to talk. "We issued a statement saying that he was asking for administrative leave from the NSABP," a statement that was called "a new irregularity" by one of its members.

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Associated Press

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CONTESTS—GIVEAWAYS—PRIZES
LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Wednesday, March 30, 1994

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DOONESBURY

RE: WE WERE JUST TRYING TO HELP YOUR ECONOMY, TOO.

"You can't say civilization doesn't advance... for every war they kill you a new way."

—Will Rogers
Dear Editor:

I would like to second the position taken by Elgin Anderson of the Department of Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering concerning the Graduate Student Union (GSU).

I wrote a letter via e-mail to the president-elect of the GSU to bring his attention to this content and this letter has been printed. I add Elgin's comments concerning the GSU and I think there are some things that the rest of the student population may be interested in that Elgin didn't express.

First, it is true that all gradu­ate students are charged a yearly fee that is used to sup­port the GSU. This fee is mandatory. Therefore, the GSU has immediate and guaranteed funds each year.

Second, the election turnout for the student council is over on the order of 7% (so that's not a typo...I said 7%). The percentage was down some, the mandate of less than 7% of the graduate population. It is true that we may not give the GSU any reason­able claim to be representing the graduate student body.

Let's take a look at some of the programs that platform supported by the newly elected officials of the GSU:

- Change the status of graduate students from students to employ­ees.
- Unionization of the graduate student workforce.
- University-provided health insurance for all newly ac­quired employees.

There are several more but these are the most prominent. I am greatly opposed to being classified as an employ­ee of the university, especially by the federal government. I originally intended to be a pri­vately social organization (read: non-socialist, non-unionistic). It is not meaningful to unionize an organization (most of the representatives of the GSU are union members). It is not meaningful to unionize an organization. It is not meaningful to write and evaluate the policy. It is not meaningful to unionize the minority that the GSU has chosen to supersede its original function, that is, to represent the graduate student apathy.

I hope the university will keep this in mind when list­ening to GSU propaganda. By sup­pose the GSU return to its original function and seek to work together. As Elgin said, "We did not come here to debate with the university, to discuss issues which do not affect us. Most of us...are not concerned with specific research problems and on graduating time.

Michael Burns
Department of Chemistry
Lehigh University

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Greetings!

I've read the recent letters to the Editor, and I would like to offer my thoughts on the importance of student involvement in the Graduate Student Union (GSU) and the role it plays in the academic community.

I believe that the GSU is an integral part of the academic environment, providing a platform for graduate students to express their concerns and ideas. It is crucial for the GSU to foster a sense of community among graduate students and promote their well-being.

The GSU is not only a representation of the student body; it also plays a significant role in student affairs. It is the primary body through which graduate students can voice their opinions and influence policy decisions.

In my opinion, the GSU should continue to advocate for the interests of graduate students, ensuring that their voices are heard and their needs are addressed.

Sincerely,

Peter Peterson
From unification to nonunification, Saint Mary’s faces turbulence

By JENNIFER HABRYCH
Saint Mary’s Edna Emeritus

One of several bed sheets hanging from the windows of Le Mans Hall confirmed the uncertainty of the destiny of Saint Mary’s when students left for Christmas break in 1971. “Last one out of Saint Mary’s please turn out the lights,” the sheet read. The protests and boycotts had ended for a few days when students concentrated on their final exams, but the feelings of many of the students remained the same—not unifying with Notre Dame would inevitably lead to the demise of the College.

The uncertainty of the future that for years seemed to be headed in the direction of co-education left many to wonder how the relationship between the College and the University could so quickly and shockingly come to an abrupt halt.

Poe of the institutions had shared a common history, but it was in 1965 that the relationship became a formal one that eventually led to a decision to merge. With the inception of the academic co-exchange program by College President Sister Maria Renata Daily and University President Father Theodore Hesburgh Saint Mary’s and Notre Dame began a new era. Starting on a small scale, the program sought to avoid the duplication of some programs and classes on the campuses of both institutions. A study by outside consultants to study the cooperation of the two campuses in order to economize.

In 1965, due to health concerns, Daily resigned from the presidency. Sister Mary Grace Kos was named the 5th president of the College by the Board of Trustees. Throughout her term, efforts to cooperate wherever possible with Notre Dame continued. Through faculty and student efforts the Notre Dame—Saint Mary’s Theatre integrated to form a single department in 1966. During the 1966-67 school year Kos’ presidency was terminated by the Board of Trustees based on reports and investigation that she was not readily accepted by the faculty.

Monsignor John McGrath was named acting president and a year later the 6th president of the College. With a background in canon and civil law, McGrath faced the growing problem that faced virtually every Catholic women’s college in the nation—survival. McGrath reorganized the internal organization of the College through appointment of new administrators and the restructuring of channels of communication.

In 1968, the Board of Trustees appointed a coordinating council of administration and faculty from the College and the University to define the relationship between the two institutions. The council’s report, issued in 1969, said that the two would remain separate, but would continue to collaborate in all feasible areas.

In the spirit of collaboration Saint Mary’s became the center for the teacher education program in 1969 when the Education Department merged with Notre Dame’s Institute for Studies in Education. The theology departments at both institutions opened their doors to each other and participated in an exchange of faculty members who taught on the corresponding campuses. In June of 1970, McGrath died of a heart attack and Sister Alma Peter was named acting president of the College. Peter was left to determine how the College would proceed in its relationship to Notre Dame.

In 1970 Saint Mary’s and Notre Dame Institute a study by outside consultants to study the cooperation between the institutions and make recommendations for the future.

Rosemary Park and Lewis Mayhew began the study in the fall of 1970. The report recommended among other things that “Saint Mary’s College should join the University of Notre Dame as a separate and distinctive entity operating within the larger University framework... and would concentrate on an educational program primarily designed for women.”

In the Spring of 1971, the Boards of Trustees at Saint Mary’s and Notre Dame issued the Joint Policy Statement on Unification departing from the recommendations of the Park-Mayhew report. The ultimate goal of this unification is a single institution with one student body of men and women, one faculty, one president and administration and one board of trustees,” the statement read.

The College agreed to preservation of its heritage and name by agreeing to become the college of record for all female undergraduates, the inclusion of Saint Mary’s College on all diplomas for undergraduate women of the University, through the designation of the campus as the Saint Mary’s campus and “in the myriad intangibles—traditions, programs, personalities, influences—this oldest and largest Catholic college for women will carry into the new enterprise,” according to the statement.

The decision for complete merger came after Notre Dame notified the Saint Mary’s trustees that they preferred merger with Saint Mary’s, but would admit women in 1972 if the College decided not to unify, according to Peter.

Move toward merger proceeded quickly. Departments set the 1971-72 school year for academic department merger. Joint committees to study all aspects of unification were formed.

The 1974-75 was set as the target date for completion of the unification. “Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s agreed to a unification which will create a center of total education opportunity that could not be achieved by either institution alone,” the 1971-72 bulletin read.
Nonunification leads college to re-examine goals

By MYRNA MALONEY

Saint Mary's College and the University of Notre Dame today announced that "it is not possible to accomplish complete unification at this time." The decision by Saint Mary's to call off the proposed merger with the Notre Dame in 1971 was considered to have been a mistake that would ultimately cause the then 125 year old institution to close its doors forever, according to a report written in 1979 by a Saint Mary's faculty member.

Saint Mary's (will continue as an autonomous women's residential college with a liberal arts core but with special emphasis upon programs direct- ed to women and with innovative pro- grams in contemporary education," Arving President Sister Alma Peter wrote in a letter to the community.

The announcement followed the announce- ment of nonunification, special task forces were established at a meeting of the Board of Trustees in order to study the goals and objectives for the future of Saint Mary's College.

The Board of Trustees set several goals based on the comprehensive study saying, "First priority should be given to the improvement and expansion of Saint Mary's recreational facilities. We feel this is an area that needs balancing if we properly recognize the psychological and physical needs of students under consistent academic requirements and pressures."

The Board saw particular need in the allowance of personal privacy, therefore, made the following recommendations:

- the re-opening of the Campus Coffee place the establishment of an on-going res- idence advisor program with budgeting and an in-service training program and a supportive financial room contract for all hall residents.

The Student Publications Board for the academic year of 1972-73, the Saint Mary's Business Office should present a billing for the Observer and Scholastic to all students at $2 per semester. The division also "brought predic- tions that Saint Mary's would have to close."

The decision not to merge has certainly evicated any chance that Saint Mary's would survive another year. "The enrollment in 1974 was the largest in the school's history and in 1975, enrollment was 1,632."

The planning process continues. Dr. Henry had guided Saint Mary's on the path to becoming the success of the College's future.
A look back
at the people, places and policies of Saint Mary's College

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Trivium provides base for liberal arts program

By LYNN BAUWENS
Saint Mary's Alumna Editor

When Sister Miriam Joseph Rauh wished to teach an interdisciplinary course on literature, logic and rhetoric and could not find a textbook, she wrote her own. She emphasized the relationship between the elements of the trivium beginning the course which would shape the freshmen curriculum for the next thirty years.

During a speech at Saint Mary's in 1935, Professor Mortimer Adler, scholastic philosopher at the University of Chicago, inspired the revival of the trivium in the college setting.

"Today we have the liberal arts courses offered in our colleges, but what our graduates know little or nothing about is the liberal arts," Adler said.

He encouraged a return to the study of the trivium, the three arts of language noting that increased specialization had failed to provide the tools of learning to students.

The following spring the five-hour course in writing, reading, speaking, listening and thinking became required for freshmen.

"The three language arts—logic, grammar, and rhetoric provide a discipline of the mind," said Rauh in a speech delivered to the Conference of College Presidents. "And so, by studying facts, by reasoning, we get that mental training which is the very goal of our college work—the trained mind.

During the first semester, the students considered the nature of function of language and grammar. They focused upon the writing of narratives and the reading of the Iliad, the Odyssey and various dramas.

In the spring, Rauh emphasized the informal essays of Thoreau, Emerson, Irving and Rilke. For the research paper, students examined works on education and culture by Milton, Newman and Arnold.

"The entire course then has as its purpose the training of the faculties of the student," said Rauh. "It is a tool or skill subject, not a content subject."

Rauh emphasized the development of the student as a whole person. She described the function of English as "the development of the student's faculties of impression and those of expression."

The seven liberal arts play an important role in this development, according to Rauh.

"The man who first perfects his own faculties through liberal education is thereby better prepared to serve his fellowmen in a professional or other capacity," she wrote in the introduction to "The Trivium in College Composition and Reading." Students benefited greatly from the integrated curriculum. The first class increased 40 percentile in their performance on the Cooperative English Test from September to May compared with a six percentile gain in national norms. The classes consistently improved on these tests, but also gained from the development of what Rauh called "intellectual muscles."

"All my life I will be grateful I had the opportunity to study under you for you helped me to appreciate literature not as a task to be accomplished, but as an art to be enjoyed," wrote Joanne Kluver to Rauh.

Appropriately enough, Adler gave the commencement address to the first graduating class.

"Let us give God the credit of one thing, namely, that there should be no divorce of the practical and theoretical. Whether there is throughout some correlation between them—between knowledge and action, faith and morals, ethics and metaphysics, intelligence and character, truth and goodness," Adler said.

In 1961 Rauh stopped teaching the trivium for the first time since 1935, excluding the three years she spent studying at Columbia.

At the time of her death in 1982, many of the faculty at Saint Mary's were her students while receiving their degrees.

Catharine Nicker, then vice president and dean of faculty, described Rauh as "perhaps the most distinguished scholar to be identified with the College in this century."

Without her guiding vision, the course was not revived, but the emphasis on the liberal arts continued at the College.
Co-exchange moves toward co-education

By PATTI CARSON
Assistant: Saint Mary's Editor

"Beginning this fall, Saint Mary's College has expanded its program of cooperation with the University of Notre Dame to include co-exchange of students on the freshman level," read a letter of acceptance written by Associate Academic Dean Sister Joanne Finke in 1969.

"This means that Saint Mary's freshmen may be assigned to four of the liberal arts core classes on the Notre Dame campus, with the history, sociology, and American government, while Notre Dame students will be taking similar courses on the Saint Mary's campus. This co-education between the two institutions," the letter continued.

"Thus, began the early day of co-exchange classes.

The report, in order to take a co-exchange class, the student must be a full time Saint Mary's student of a part time student working for a degree. All credit-bearing courses must be paid to the home campus, and all co-exchange classes exhaurrsive and inadequate. These regulations were streamlined to adjectives of a meeting conducted by Sister Mary Alma Peter.

With the new courses taken at Notre Dame by students above their major.

A Saint Mary's psychology course taught by Arthur Hockerbge emulates a coeducational style. The scenario was a typical one for many classrooms at Saint Mary's and Notre Dame in 1970 after the students entered.

No more segregated seating at athletic events. The programs involving studying abroad and co-exchange programs as well.

In 1965, when the program began, 96 students were involved. In 1970, 186 students in the co-exchange jumped to 186 students. It grew again from 269 students in 1967 to 392 in 1968 to 1,036 in 1969.

Co-education precipitates move toward co-education

By LAURA FERGUSON
Saint Mary's New Edna


This document, known as the Park-Mayhew Report, was presented to the Boards of Trustees to merge the two institutions, creating a uni- educational structure. The report recommended that the Columbia higher education with Saint Mary's operating as a separate institution. The alliance would become a vice president at Notre Dame. The report said.

According to a Saint Mary's press release in regards to the Park-Mayhew Report, the report was a joint paper with a unified budget.

It was decided on May 22, 1969, that the solution to the problems posed by the shuttle and co-exchange was to expand the co-education to the dining halls. According to statistics, there would be no system of allowing exchange accommodation was to be proposed and the necessary financial support.

When the merger collapsed in 1971-72, the continuation of the Park-Mayhew report was "in view of the plan, the Saint Mary's and Notre Dame Saint Mary's College agree not to become coeducational in the future." The report does not go any further than this Notre Dame-Saint Mary's consortium.

They decided that at the end of each year, an accounting would be made of courses and costs needed to take on such a program and the necessary financial support.

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Billy Joel ‘Goes to Extremes’ in concert

By DAVID TYLER

in concert

In an age when a new band of the moment pops up almost hourly, its nice to know that some rock will remain rock and roll. For two years now Billy Joel has been entertaining audiences worldwide. On this tour Joel is making good on his promise not to give concerts, he is giving command performances.

The Rivers of Dream Tour, promoting Joel’s latest album of the same name, is his first in almost two years. Many fans of the Piano Man and his excellent touring band had long been hoping to see him again. On this tour Joel is certainly well received personally, his presence is felt as he carefully ushered his audience into the arena. The crowd was so enthusiastic that it seemed to boost his spirits and he seemed to be enjoying himself more than ever.

On Sunday, musicianship and showmanship carried Joel through another of his mammoth shows. He carefully ushered his audience like a trail guide, taking them on a fascinating journey. He was both happy and ready to allow the audience to take control.

He led the show smoothly, allowing each song to develop and progress in its own way. The concert started with a slow song and Joel took his time to allow the audience to settle down. He spent a short time talking about his past before allowing the music to take over. He carefully balanced the balance between his own music and that of his contemporaries. He introduced the songs in a way that made them accessible to the audience.

The Rivers of Dream Tour was a fitting conclusion to a tour that had been highly anticipated. Joel’s music has always been a favorite of mine, and I was not disappointed by this concert. He played a variety of songs, from the classics like “The Longest Time” to newer material like “We Didn’t Start the Fire.” His voice was strong and clear, and the instrumentation was perfectly balanced.

The audience was enthusiastic throughout the show, cheering and singing along with every song. The atmosphere was electric, and the energy was infectious. The concert was a true celebration of music, bringing together fans from all over the world to share in the joy of the moment.

Community gathers support for local service acts

By JENNIFER GUERIN

One week after President Clinton signed the National and Community Service Trust Act on September 21, 1993, the University of Notre Dame called its first meeting of its own committee, the National and Community Service Trust Committee.

Gathering representatives from the NDSCMC, the National and Community Service Agency, the South Bend School Corporation and the office of Indiana Congressman Tom Bonner, the steering committee gathered around a makeshift meeting table in the coffeehouse at the Center for Social Concerns. According to the Service Act’s goal of tackling the nation’s problems, the committee is working to connect Americans of every background, in particular young people, service to ‘our community and country,’ committee members expressed both curiosity and excitement.

Support for the president’s attempt to promote voluntary service among young people across the nation was widespread. At the Institute’s first meeting, the committee responded to the need for the NDSCMC, a community, historically rich in volunteer and service experience, to become involved in activities of Clinton’s Act. The task was to research, question, and act accordingly.

Divided into a variety of working committees, each with its own objectives, the steering committee, which met September 23, has since the fall to follow the progress of the Act, make known its support and concerns, and seek additional funding for new programs.

Among these working committees is the Partnership Committee, which has been formed to coordinate the efforts of the NDSCMC, the University and the city of South Bend in promoting the Volunteer Service Act.

Together, the committee has developed a proposal that would be submitted to a national entity called Americorps, in connection with five other higher learning institutions. If approved, the new project will place approximately 20 service learning coordinators in five Indiana cities where institutions of higher learning exist, and have demonstrated an interest in expanding service programs for their students. Service learning coordinators, said Royer, would provide the possibility for real service learning to take place, which agencies don’t have time or money to do right now.

Service learning, Royer explained, is a way of combining formal academic education with active, direct service. As service learning coordinator, the volunteer is visible in Notre Dame’s summer service program, which are offered in conjunction with a Theology and Community Service Steering Committee, serving on it and on several of the working committees, established in the fall.

The Center for Social Concerns Coordinator Kathy Royer has proposed the Partnership committee with input as well, demonstrating that students are interested and informed about the possibilities of service learning.

The current proposal will be submitted to Americorps under the direction of Indiana Campus Compact, an association of Indiana colleges and universities whose presidents have committed themselves to the development of service on their campuses. Notre Dame’s C.S.C., however, will be involved in the planning and implementation of the program and training of the service coordinators.

As an institution of higher education, it seemed that we could not pump student volunteers into the community without building up the infrastructure.

A Kathy Royer

C.S.C. Service Coordinator

learning coordinators. The staff at the Center, according to Royer, is one of the deepest services as far as service learning goes.

If the proposal is accepted, the University will be informed no later than December of the status of the project in the fall of 1994. Royer is confident that if the proposal is not funded by Americorps, the University will find the money to support the proposal for the development of a similar program. The inevitable result: “There will be more and more opportunities for students to be placed in agencies in South Bend,” Royer said.
Vandy, "in rejuvenated NIT final"

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As a former Manhattan coach, Lappas has made a trip or two to the Garden. "I'm always jealous," Hayes admits. "They have a lot of history in that building."

In its second year under head coach Steve Lappas (19-12 in the cupboard), Villanova is the defending champion of the National Invitation Tournament against Vanderbilt (20-11). "We are taking care of the history of the teams that get to the NIT final and what they've gone on to do," said Lappas before his team's final practice. "And, as glorious as our history has been in the last year, we have never won an NIT." For example, each of the NIT champions from the last year — defending champion Michigan, starting point guard Providence and Alabama-Birmingham — were in the NCAA tournament this year.

Villanova, the 1985 national champions, is led in scoring by senior Terry Kittles with an average of 19.7, but a real difference for Lappas' young squad this year has been the play of freshmen Jason Lawson and Rick Pitino.

"To be honest with you, if somebody had told me before the season that 'Here's 12 wins,' I wouldn't have played a game," Lappas said. "We were picked as an 11th or 12th place team in the Big East. Who knew Abin and Jason Lawson would be going in those kinds of players. You never know about freshmen."

"That's the thing that makes a good or very good team — chemistry and guys coming together," Hayes said. "There have been three guys have my constants," Lappas said. "I can't blame the team's point guard, running the offense, while the 6-foot-6 kid from Elkins Park (Kolff) has taken over the 10.2 points and leads the team in rebounding with 6.7 a game, just ahead of Kittles. 6.5."

"We've improved tremendously in rebounding," Lappas said. "I don't think that's Jason. He finally got the lead over Kittles, our two guard, and if our two and three men do what we're in your team, you're in it."

"Vanderbilt has become an excellent shooting team, led by Billy McCaffrey (21.1 ppg) and Ronnie McNicholas (15.4 ppg)."

"We've shot well in halves," first-year coach Jeff Kolff said. "We're a good shooting team, and it's because of our defense. If you have good defense on offense, you usually shoot at a higher percentage when you have the kind of shooters we do."

"I believe in people playing together and making up the game. Michelle Limit, who transferred from a boarder school and played 12 games this season."

"When we went to Norman, Okla., for our first game, a lot of people didn't think we'd get past Oklahoma and that look the powers of these teams. Vanderbilt, Villanova and Georgia Tech were the top three in the field," said Breda Kolff.

Belles' softball tourney Kapalua in nise step

BY JENNIFER LEWIS

The Associated Press

The Saint Mary's softball team is on a ten game winning streak after defeating the Kalamazoo College 11-4. The games took place yesterday at Saint Mary's and before the game due to bad field conditions.

According to Michelle Vogel, the Belles have been a strong team this season. "We have played well in all facets of the game. Rich girls ended up after only five innings because of Saint Mary's ten run lead."

"Everyone was happy last week, even the people who seemed to be in the wrong place," Vogel said. "We have been hitting a lot in practice and it paid off."

Kapalua in Hawaii will be the site of the third annual softball tourney. "We have been getting a fan base, but when we come back from break, it's all over again," says Vogel.

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SMC tennis streak challenged

By TARA KRULL

The Saint Mary's tennis team, 6-1, hopes to continue their winning ways tomorrow at home when they take on Calvin College at 3:00 p.m. The Belles were defeated by Calvin last year 5-4. However, the entire team is optimistic about tomorrow's match, according to junior Robin Hrycko.

"We're up for the challenge," Hrycko said. "We don't know too much about Calvin, but we're a lot stronger this year than we were last year when we lost to them."

Hrycko and senior teammate Thayma Darby comprise the Belles' number two doubles pair. At this point, they stand undefeated at 7-0. Senior Mary Cosgrove, the Belles' number one singles player, has had a great beginning to this season as well, with only one loss, suffered during Spring Break in Hilton Head.

Saint Mary's has also been submitted recently for a national ranking. They are still anticipating their invitation to the Midwest Invitational next month which will ultimately determine their chance at a bid for nationals. A win against Calvin will help influence an invite.

Hrycko added that the Belles have had a long time off between all of their matches this year. The team sees this as a challenge because it makes it difficult for them to remain focused in a competitive sense. According to junior Maryse Pfum however, the Belles have been working on focusing mentally to remain in the game. This will prove to be essential in the Belles' to defeat Calvin.

"We're in good shape physically," Pfum said. "I think that this, along with our improved mental focusing will help our overall team performance."

Junior Andrea Ayres agreed, noting that everybody looks and feels strong while playing.

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By G.R. NELSON

The Notre Dame men's volleyball has ascended into the rankings and are currently ranked 22nd in the nation.

This reward did not come without hard work. The Irish (12-2) finished an impressive fifth at the regional tournament this weekend, losing only to eventual champion Iowa St. "We showed we can compete with the best," said a pleased coach Jennifer Shoar.

The Irish opened with Ohio Wesleyan Friday night and emerged victorious, 15-8, 15-13. Captain Brian Ceponis chipped in with eleven kills and sophomore Miguel Ascencio added seven.

The Irish then disposed of Wheaton 15-9, 15-5. Ceponis had ten kills, Ascencio seven, and junior Matt Strottman six.

After that, Notre Dame hosted Michigan St. 11-15, 15-11 in a rematch of last week's Irish victory. Ceponis had nine kills, Strottman seven, Ascencio six, and senior Tom Kovacs four.

The second game was a thing of beauty. "It was an almost perfect game for us," commented Ceponis. The Irish edged Michigan St. on a tie breaker to earn first place in their pool.

After a bye on Saturday, the Irish faced Michigan Tech in an elimination game and won 15-12, 4-15, 15-6. Ceponis was nearly unstoppable with seventeen kills, Strottman and Ascencio adding eight each. Senior Leo Casas had several big digs that were instrumental in recapturing the momentum.

The Irish then succumbed to a strong Iowa St. squad 15-10, 15-7. Ceponis had twelve kills, Ascencio eight, and Casas seven.

Brian Ceponis was voted first team all-tournament for the second consecutive year.
Around the horn: Irish infield headed for success

By JENNY MARTEN
Senior Sports Writer

At some point during the past season, Irish infielder Kevin Murphy declared the Irish's third baseman Layson the most important player on the team. The Irish's second baseman Murphy, senior Matt Haas, and sophomore Roebie Kent have all been pivotal in the Irish's infield, which has been the backbone of the team's defense.

The infield is one of the strongest units in Notre Dame's lineup. Layson, Murphy, and Haas are the starting infielders for the Irish, and each has made significant contributions to the team's success.

Layson, the team's defensive star, has been consistency personified. Murphy praised Layson's steady bat and glove, saying, "He's so damn steady. Layson's been the mainstay at second base when he's healthy. Kent's never really played much first base," said Murphy. "They're just not ready yet. They're rusty."

Haas, the team's third baseman, has been a consistent presence in the lineup. Murphy explained that while Haas has been a mainstay in the Irish's lineup since his freshman year, he still needs to work on his hitting. "He has only played third base half a year. Failla has been splitting time between third, first, and behind the plate. Haas says the move to third has been relatively easy even though he hadn't played the position since sophomore year in high school.

"I worked hard on it in the fall and the preseason and I'm feeling real comfortable there now," said Haas who added, "that his only weakness right now is turning double plays. It's the aspect of my game I need to work on the most."

In addition to his defensive contributions, Haas is also a team leader on and off the field. He made the leap from an average hitter to a consistent hitter in the latter half of the 1993 season. In the last 22 games of last year, he racked up a .533 batting average, hitting safely in 19 of those contests. His bat was especially productive in the NCAA regions, earning him all-NCAA Eastern regional honors after going 11-for-20 with 10 runs batted in, a double, a triple, and a home run.

Murphy explained the situation as a bad case of the rusties. "The infield is an older group, but they're still not a settled group. Haas has only played third base half a year. Failla has been splitting time between third, first, and behind the plate.

"Layson has been the mainstay at second base when he's healthy. Kent's never really played much first base," said Murphy. "They're still not comfortable totally. They're just not ready yet. They're rusty."

Part of this unreadiness comes from having to practice indoors. The even surface of Loftus Center does little to prepare the infielders for the bad hops on the base when he's healthy. Kent's never really played much first base," said Murphy. "They're just not ready yet. They're rusty."

Haas has been plagued by injuries in the last two years and missed two weeks, but played in 47 games all season. The injuries were frustrating for Layson, but he has learned to deal with playing with pain. Now, he concentrates more on improving. "I'm not perfect. Not even close. Theoretically, to be perfect is out of reach," said Layson. "I work hard every day on everything."

Despite missing a quarter of the games in the last two years, Layson's defensive play has been solid. He is still working on his double play turns, but his range at second is considerable and his glove is reliable.

Murphy thinks this reliability makes Layson get lost in the crowd. "We forget Layson sometimes because he's so damn steady. Layson's been great," said Murphy. "He'll surprise you with a home run, steal bases, and kill you with the glove."

Layson's bat is as steady as his glove. A career .325 hitter at Notre Dame, he is hitting .311 this year with 10 runs scored and five stolen bases. Layson currently ranks third on the Irish career stolen base list and is only four steals away from passing Dan Bautch. "I'm not perfect. Not even close. Theoretically, to be perfect is out of reach," said Layson. "I work hard every day on everything."
New assistants add to Irish program

By DYLAN BARMMER

Stadium, and several new faces will be new additions which are most influential to the 1994 Irish team's success.

"They've been great," said Murphy of his new assistant coaches. "It's been a great transition so far. We lost two assistant coaches in addition to several players, and it would have been difficult if we didn't have great assistants.

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Men's tennis falls to LSU 5-2

Doubles lose two of three

By PHIL LANGER
Sports Writer

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"We've played a lot better than this," commented Notre Dame head coach Bob Bayliss. "I give LSU credit for coming to play. Our doubles left a lot to be desired. We definitely need to reassess our doubles personnel and find out what we have to execute better. It was the worst effort at two and three doubles all season.

The Irish fell behind 1-0 in the match as LSU won two of three doubles matches. The only Irish victories in singles came from fifth-year senior and team captain Andy Zurcher at the No. 1 singles slot and sophomore Jason Pun at No. 6 singles.

Zurcher, presently the No. 56-ranked player in the country, posted a 6-2, 6-3-6-3 win over Jannen Hallari while Pun had a 7-6, 7-5 win over Chad Dudley. Pun, last weekend's unlikely hero, now has a 17-1 record this season and a 10-1 mark at No. 6 singles.

"We did fight extremely hard at singles," stated Bayliss. "Once the singles matches started I had no regrets concerning our poor doubles play. We played hard and they played hard.

"Jason Pun is continuing to become a real winner for us," he added. "Andy [Zurcher] has become a real winner for us," he added.

"It is crucial that we regain some of the basics which have helped us in the past such as attacking the opponents second serves, cutting down on lackadaisical unforced errors and serving with more precision. Most of the work is individually different for each doubles player and team."

Notre Dame won't have long to complete this refresher course. The Irish return to action on Saturday when they travel to West Virginia for a highly anticipated match with the Mountaineers.

Northwestern College of Chiropractic is now accepting applications for its next three entering classes.

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10. BIBLE

JASON KELLY’S PICK

Notre Dame

Entree: Go for anything but the Ham and Broccoli Rolls because they are two of God’s creations that were never intended to be together.

Beverage: Skim milk will wash any unwanted aftertaste away.

Saint Mary’s

Entree: The Roast Loin of Pork is a favorite for hungry people everywhere.

Beverage: Again, skim milk will wash away any unwanted aftertaste. And besides that, it’s quite healthy.

Editor’s note: Jason Kelly sporadically provides dining hall guidance, sharing his culinary expertise with the Notre Dame/Saint Mary’s community.

GET TO KNOW THE LAW BEFORE THE LAW GETS TO KNOW YOU!

If you plan on hosting a party off-campus, or even attending an off-campus event where alcohol is served, there are some very important things you need to know.

Irish out of luck on St. Patrick’s Day

Recent headlines remind us all that we have legal responsibilities when consuming alcohol.

For a hand-out on applicable Indiana laws, and tips on how to host a responsible party, please stop by the Office of Alcohol and Drug Education, Mezzanine Level of LaFortune Student Center.

OF INTEREST

• “The Accused” will be shown, to be followed by a discussion with Ava Collins, in room 120 of the Law School at 7:00 tonight.

• “South Africa in Transition,” a panel discussion chaired by Professor Peter Walde of the government department, will be held tonight in room 131 of DelBartolo Hall at 8:00.

DINING HALL

Notre Dame

Tomato Soup
Veal Parmigiana
Ham and Broccoli Rolls

Saint Mary’s

Veal Parmesan
Roast Loin of Pork
Broccoli Béchamel
Indiana looking to spoil grand opening

By JENNY MARTEN
Senior Sports Writer

Indiana is the first visitor to the new Eck Stadium and the Hoosiers would like to spoil the inaugural Opening Day festivities with a victory. Irish coach Pat Murphy knows the Hoosiers (19-5) will be tough to beat, and that is why he picked them as the opponent for the home opener.

"Anytime you're going to play a Bob Morgan team, you're going to play a team that's prepared," said Murphy.

Hayes key to Irish success

By MEGAN McGrath
Sports Writer

It didn't take Sara Hayes long to establish herself as a leading hitter for the Notre Dame softball team. As a freshman, she broke the Irish single season record for home runs with six. She has since broken the career records in homers, batting average, and doubles, and is on pace to smash all Irish single-season batting records this year. Just seventeen games into the season, Hayes has bettered her performance from last season. She has slugged eight home runs, has a career-high .423 batting average, 29 RBI, and an .817 slugging percentage.

Both Hayes and her coaches feel this year's strong performance is due to her increased mental toughness. "The difference between Sara this year as compared to last is her mental attitude at the plate," said coach Liz Miller. "Last season she tried to guess every pitch that was coming, and got frustrated. This year she is waiting for the pitch in her zone, and then she drives it. "I've worked a lot with coach Miller on improving the mental side of my game," Hayes said. "She's helped me to be aware of who I am and how much potential I have. I've gained a lot of confidence in my role on the team."

The Irish will need Hayes to perform at the peak of her potential in today's home opener against Michigan. One of the toughest teams in the midwest region, Miller feels the Wolverines' will provide more than enough competition for her squad. "This game in completely up for grabs," Miller said. "Both teams have been playing the same up-and-down way this season. It will be a matter of who wants the game bad enough. "It's always exciting to play against regional competition," Hayes said. "I think we're all looking forward to playing double-headers a few times a week as opposed to tournaments, where you're playing seven games in three days."

The extensive tournament play took its toll on the Irish, as injuries mounted. One of the most damaging was the season-ending injury suffered by starting pitcher Carrie Miller. The pitching staff was already short a hurler, losing Kara Brandenburg for the year to shoulder surgery. With the rotation knocked down to just