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Women should demand ND's best

By THERESA ALEMAN

To demand the best of Notre Dame is not disloyal. Rather, calling on that which you love to be its best is to show the highest loyalty, according to Notre Dame Law School professor, Terry Phelps.

Phelps' third wish was that women should have the same degree of freedom and opportunity as men in the workplace.

"There has been an enormous degree of international and political experience, enabling him to 'be engaging and to get people to work with him,'" DaMatta said.

Fluent in four languages, Cardoso started off in the Brazilian Congress and then moved onto become Secretary of State, before winning his most recent post as president-elect.

At this time, Brazil faces many problems such as the distribution of economy, the need for a better educational system, more money for research and culture and an improved health care system, but Cardoso has "strength, honest, well-designed policies and Brazil is mature enough to handle the changes," says DaMatta.

Cardoso credits that with all the pressing problems of Brazil, "Brazil should take a personal supernatural powers to improve things, and although 'Cardoso may not be a god, he can make a difference. With him in authority, many things will improve.'"

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For minor alcohol offenders, raking leaves for three hours on a sunny fall afternoon is the price of their freedom. A forfeit of $200 will remove their license to drive for 30 days. The minor alcohol offender may look at this as a personal concern and University intervention; however, the consequences of these decisions might cause the individual’s license to be revoked for three years. The minor alcohol offender may be able to have one more drink than is considered normal. This student has exhibited reasonable judgment.

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Malloy's visit still hot topic of conversation

By GWENDOLYN NORGLE
Assistant News Editor

A response to Father Edward Malloy's Oct. 10th visit was the topic of discussion at last night's Faculty Senate meeting.

According to Senator David Ruscio, associate professor of economics, "I thought there were a number of things that needed to be said...that didn't get said." Ruscio mentioned that he overheard other senators saying that "certain lies got told during that meeting."

Senator Jean Porter, associate professor of theology, responded to Malloy's claim that he did not know what assurances Father Oliver Williams gave when he was appointed as Associate Provost. Williams, who was asked to resign, "you don't know the half of it."

Ruscio added that an invitation will be extended to Williams to appear before the Senate next semester when Williams will be on campus. According to a family member, Williams is currently on sabatical in South Africa doing research for a book.

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Chair of the Faculty Senate, the Reverend Tim Scully, C.S.C., who was named both Associate Provost and Vice President, Porter said she thought it was unusual that Malloy, as President of the University, did not know what these assurances were.

Ruscio asked, "Why was there a crisis situation, why was timing of the essence, why was this appointment made so quickly and without consultation?"

Chair of the Faculty Senate, the Reverend Richard McBurney, C.S.C., who was named both Associate Provost and Vice President, noted that in his meeting with the Senate on Oct. 10th, Malloy denied there was a crisis situation. According to McBurney, Malloy labeled Scully's appointment as one of "personal opportunity."

Senator Mario Borelli, associate professor of mathematics, told the Senate that he had spoken personally to Williams, who had told Borelli, in reference to his (Williams') being asked to resign, "you don't know the half of it."

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Our role as Faculty Senate needs to be discussed among ourselves," Baccio said, and he spoke of the Senators having either a "collective or an individual voice."

According to Senator Randall Zachman, assistant professor of theology, "We're being perceived, as George Bush would say, "outside of the loop."

Ecology is not a religion

Christianity comparisons 'inappropriate' says Kenney

By CHRIS CORRENTE
News Writer

Ecology cannot be held as religion, according to V. Paul Kenney, a professor in the Department of Physics at Notre Dame.

Responding to the belief that a new ecological religious vision is required, Kenney said that for environmentalists who stress preservation of animal and earth life, Christianity is inappropriate because it is "hopelessly patriarchal, hopelessly European, and hopelessly humanistic in precepts and outlook."

He continued, "Judeo-Christian belief places humans at the center of creation and gives them special status. It cannot, therefore, be a suitable basis for a reinvented society in which species democracy is paramount."

Kenney added, however, that in an Ecological religion, "Whether the ecologist covets his neighbor's property and/or his spouse is no longer relevant; provided he is saving whales, restoring wilderness, and fighting pollution he can be confident, he can hold his or her head high, he is a member of the elite elect."

Through his speech, Kenney said he hoped to demonstrate how environmentalism is interpreted differently among groups. To physical scientists, environmentalism deals with quantitative concepts and relies on the use of numbers.

In other areas, however, it is primarily seen as a philosophical issue or a metaphor for issues affecting society, he said. Physical scientists, however, cannot relate numbers to these metaphorical issues.

Kenney claimed he feels sympathetic for the environmental movement. Once a major concern of the media, the novelty of environmentalism has faded and become "last year's news," clearing the way for other issues to rise to the forefront of media attention, he said.

Kenney has taught at Notre Dame since 1963 and is currently teaching classes in "Energy and Society" and "Energy and Environment." He has been associated with the Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies since 1983.

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Defense minister accused

BY FREDDY CUEVAS
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The Supreme Court issued a report Wednesday implicating the nation's defense minister in the kidnappings, tortures and disappearances of suspected leftists during the 1980s. The abuse peaked in the early 1980s, when Honduras was a heavy recipient of U.S. military aid as a base for Nicaraguan rebels opposed to the leftist Sandinista National Liberation Front. The Honduran military has gradually ceded power under a succession of four elected civilian presidents. But the nation has been reluctant to bring officers to trial.

The high court named Gen. Reinaldo Andino Flores, who is defense minister and said to be a top candidate to replace army chief Luis Alonso discsus when he retires in 1996. "Six months of investigations by the Supreme Court indicate that many Hondurans were tortured, mistreated, sexually violated and arbitrarily detained in the 1980s by the 101st Infantry Brigade ... whose commander was the then-Col. Andino Flores," said court spokesman Arnaldo Hernandez.

Andino Flores had little immediate comment, saying only "it will be difficult for me now to become chief of the armed forces of my country." Hernandez said the high court was urging lower courts to open trials in the case.

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Glycobioiogists hold annual meeting at ND

By JAMIE HEISLER
News Writer

Renowned professors and scientists from around the world will gather for the next two days on the Notre Dame campus for the 23rd annual meeting of the Society for Glycobiology. This annual meeting, held at different locations each year, was originated in 1971 as a "sharing of knowledge, data and research among experts in the field of glycobiology, according to Professor Shyam Basu, a Notre Dame professor of biochemistry, biophysics, and molecular biology. The invited speakers will be presenting a total of 140 abstracts based on eight topics that focus mainly on macro-molecules, the fields of glycopathology and glycobiology, as well as medical aspects of glyco- biology. The importance of these sessions to the scientific community is the establishment of "new advancement in cancer chemotherapy, inherited brain diseases, and parasite-related diseases" said Professor Basu.

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Walter was Department Chair, Pre-Professional Studies, cited four basic preparations for students considering a career in medicine.

First, he proposed that students should have a well-rounded schedule consisting of classes both in the sciences and in the humanities. It is important, however, "not to start classes and then drop them," he said.

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CAMPUS MINISTRY...

CONSIDERATIONS

FOR WHAT WILL IT PROFIT A PERSON, IF HE OR SHE GAINS THE WHOLE WORLD AND FORFEITS HIS OR HER LIFE? Matthew 16: 26

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How do you know if you are addicted to the same drug that afflicts our politicians? Simply observe yourself in the course of a day or a week, and think about how many activities you engage in that are not contaminated by the desire for other people's recognition, approval, attention, or your own desire to succeed and to be applauded. Are you ever free from this desire?

And observe the people around you. Is there a single person you know who is free from these worldly feelings? Is there one person who is not controlled by, and hungry for, success and approval, who does not spend every waking minute of his/her life consciously or unconsciously seeking these feelings? The danger, however, is that the drug will do us in. In attempting to win, to be recognized, approved of, attempting to gain the world, and in the process, may lose our soul.

This drug is pervasive in our studies and in our universities. Gone is the understanding of education as a gift, as a chance to excite, stimulate, and expand the mind. We no longer look upon a major as a future vocation through which we contribute to the common good. We want grades; we want a high G.P.A.; we want that degree, then we want that high-paying job. Professors experience it as "unpublish or perish syndrome." Many professors would love to do what professors once did: spend extended time in deep conversation with students about what matters in life, to fall in love with teaching students. But the drug is in them, too. Votes must be won for tenure. And another university loses its soul.

I have noticed that some students, especially seniors, are beginning to suspect that something is wrong. Several I know who would love to do a year or two of service next year have met with the disapproval of their parents and siblings. Their parents, in some unconscious fashion, feel that their children will be seen as failures. Once again, the goal is not so much happiness, service of neighbor, delighting in one's God-given talents, but on making it, being a success, being approved. What is wrong with us?

How do we break free? There is nothing we can do. Our efforts to get rid of the drug will only make us worse. Just be aware of these tendencies within you; shed the light of awareness upon them. Realize that categories such as success, approval, recognition, applause, attention, power, control are invented by our society and culture to make us productive and controllable. See that the thrill you experience when you win these things is an unworthy feeling, when contrasted with the natural feeling you get when you contemplate a sunrise or sunset, the colors of the leaves in Fall, when you enjoy the company of a good friend, when you read a satisfying book, or watch a movie. In simply being aware that you are controlled by these worldly feelings, you will be half-way to true freedom. If you can even see this, they will begin to drop their hold on you. You will discover what it is in life that nourishes your soul. You will stop running for office at all costs. You will be free of the drug, and save your soul.

Patrick Neary, C.S.C.
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Sat. Nov. 12 5:00 p.m. Rev. Joseph Ross, C.S.C.
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stable condition with burns.
Five of his siblings, — Peter, 6
weeks, Elizabeth, 3, Hank, 7,
Sam, 9, and Joe, 11 — died in­
side the 1994 Plymouth
Voyager.
Off-duty police officer Toby
Schey said he was driving along
Interstate 94 when he spotted
Mrs. Willis, her dress afire,
running from the burning van.
He pulled over, then ran across
the median toward the shouting
woman. She tried to climb back
into the van, "She told me her six children were in the van," he said. "I looked at the
van. It was shocking."
Through the open driver's
side door, Schey said he could see
the minivan was filled with
flames blocking the children's
escape. Would-be rescuers on
the windows in an effort to free
the youngsters.
"The people were not giv­
ing up hope," Schey said.
"They were doing whatever
they could."
The fire began after the mini­
van passed a southbound I-94
hollow piece of steel bracketing
for holding mud flaps on trucks,
said Detective David Iushewitz.
The debris weighed 20 to 35
pounds, Lt. Esther Moore
said.
"Our guess is that the metal
object fell off a truck and
pierced the gas tank," Iushewitz said. "The gasoline
may have ignited from a spark
as the piece of metal was being dragged."
The accident occurred one
day and about 20 miles from
another fatal interstate 94 crash
involving children. A 7-
year-old boy died after a five­
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Kurds under attack
Iran, Syria and Turkey all oppose the autonomous enclave of more than 3 million Iraqis that Western allies set up in northern Iraq after the Gulf War.

By DUSAN STOJANOVIC
Associated Press

Nicosia, Cyprus

Iranian warplanes bombed a Kurdish camp in northern Iraq on Wednesday, killing at least one person and wounding three.

The opposition Democratic Party, which considers a Kurdish civilian woman was killed and three civilians were wounded. Its statement gave no details of damage.

Iran's official Islamic Republic News Agency, monitored in Cyprus, said its pilots had attacked the "command headquarters, munition depot and center of guerrilla fighters."

It was the second Iranian attack in three days on Iraqi opposition installations.

The base is in Ko Sanjaq, in a no-fly zone established by the U.S.-led alliance after the 1991 Persian Gulf War to protect the Kurdish population from Iraqi attacks.

There was no immediate comment from Washington on Iran's entry into the protected area, which is normally under surveillance of AWACS radar planes.

The air strike was unlikely to draw Iraqi retaliation because both Iraq and Iran have been fighting Kurdish minorities which have sought autonomy for years.

The Iranian Foreign Ministry said Iran was within its rights which have sought autonomy for years.

The move toward a declaration of war reflects Iranian's growing isolation and aggression in a region where the United States has long sought to contain its influence.

Bosnian Serbs debate proclamation of war
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'Giant killers' win major spots

By FRED BAYLES
Associated Press

A month ago, Michael Flanagan's congressional candidacy was relegated to such obscurity that his name was trivia question on a Chicago radio talk show. Earlier this year, George Pataki was an unknown New York state senator facing a national Democratic icon.

Now the two Republicans are among a group of political giant killers, a group of mostly unknown candidates who have brought down household names like Foley, Cuomo, Richards and Rostenkowski.

The results were nearly as shocking for some of the victors as they were for the defeated. "They're calling me a giant killer. I still can't believe it," said Steve Stockman, a 37-year-old accountant thrust into the national spotlight after his defeat of 21-term Democratic Jack Brooks, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee.

"I'm not a giant," Stockman said.

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Attack disserves ND character

Dear Editor,

Professor Charles Rice, in his Viewpoint editorial column of Nov. 7, has charged that "Notre Dame has substituted for the authority of the Vatican Council, the more peremptory authority and criteria of the secular academic establishment," and that Notre Dame is "reluctant to accept the definition of that term (Catholic university) by...the Pope."

Having joined Notre Dame's faculty recently after twenty-five years in another state (i.e., secular) universities, I can say in response to this statement that I believe that Professor Rice is mistaken. It may be helpful to consider where his reasoning has gone wrong.

Professor Rice's logic begins with the question of what it means to quote Ex Corde Ecclesiae to the effect that "Catholic theology faculty...also has the obligation...to seek the meaning, the expression, and the application of that belief in our time and place."

A Catholic theology faculty, therefore, has the fiduciary responsibility to transmit the essentials of Catholic Christian belief, that is, has the obligation (as the Second Vatican Council makes abundantly clear) to seek the meaning, the expression, and the application of that belief in our time and place. In fact, this is the primary point that Ex Corde Ecclesiae makes. Professor Rice would do well to remember that the meaning of the whole document and not just choose paragraphs from it.

\[\text{Robert S. Darger}\\text{Assistant Professor}\\text{Department of Computer Applications}\\text{Notre Dame University}\]

Random hook-ups reveal male-female relations

Dear Editor,

I am writing in response to the Fresh Thoughts column entitled "PDA: Get a room" which appeared in the Nov. 7 edition of The Observer. I agree wholeheartedly with the author’s contention that public displays of affection are unnecessary and nauseating. However, I have problems with the phraseology used in the first paragraph of the article.

The author uses the following phrase in the first paragraph: “With long-term relationships being the accepted norm...” I would like to know what long-term relationships are the accepted norm. According to the prevailing philosophy one need not like, or for that matter even know, the person he/she is hooking up with. Rather, the only qualification is physical attraction.

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Quote of the Day

"Going to church doesn’t make you a Christian anymore than going to the garage makes you a car."

—Dr. Laurence Peter
Acid trips take a turn to Catholicism via the clinic

Joe Ross

This column is picking up steam, there's no doubt about it. More students are reading it all the time. Three of their older classmates are IQ-ing it the old-fashioned way.

But one question keeps coming up. I keep referring to myself as a Jew, and at other times I boast of my Catholicism. Which is it? Well, it all began one day in 1986, in my freshman year at Rutgers University.

Now this is a true story. I AM NOT BEING FACETIOUS. There were a few people in my dorm whom I had gone to high school with, druggies all, who like me had only made it into Rutgers via Livingston, a school officially designated as the University's point of entry for minorities.

Now, the last time I looked, lack of diversity and druggie history are not a minority, so you can imagine how they took it. They knew I was there. Thank God for the SATs. Anyway, Rex and Roy (not their real names) brought back from the show a plastic bag filled with what I recognized as blugee, another, absinthe shoots that are dipped in LSD and cut into squares, and then decorated. These, as I am sure you know, are illegal. They took advantage of the situation. They asked me, why not take some? Not much effect. Better take another.

An hour later, I had entered another dimension. I was in an altered state of consciousness, and these stodgy types are about me, Hail Mary, all the time. They were harmless. Why not just take another.

I found that out in the years to come, standing there in one dark, creepy Catholic Church after another, alienated as all get-out, and skipping weeks at a time. Worse yet, all the other Jews thought I was an apostate. Which I am, I guess, but where do they get off calling me that? I have nothing to do with the Church, Catholics more, or less. What's a few pugrums between friends? No, but seriously. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at joshua.a.ozersky@skyfed.edu. Really? Why not?

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Toad the Wet Sprocket returns to Notre Dame

By ROB ADAMS
Music Critic

History does repeat itself. About four years after a little-known band with a funny name played in the tiny LaFortune Ballroom, Toad the Wet Sprocket returns to Notre Dame tonight to play the St Pepan Center in what has become a true success story.

With four albums now under their belt, Toad the Wet Sprocket has an established name and worldwe wide appeal, the result of non-stop touring.

Dean Dinning flails, backing vocals, keyboards, Randy Goss (drums), Todd Nichols (guitar, vocals), and Glen Phillips (guitar, vocals, keyboards) began as Toad the Wet Sprocket, taking the name from an obscure Monte Python skit, nine years ago as teenagers playing in their Santa Barbara garages. Doing shows in local clubs and bars gained them an avid following before they had even hit the road.

Toad recorded Bread and Circus for a measly $650 on a Tuesday. Toad is told from local record stores and during gigs, the band has even been known to finance their second album, Pale.

Columbia Records was interested in what they heard, and agreed to release their original material, which is why the two albums are linked together so often and are actually sometimes erroneously referred to as Toad’s double album.

Bread and Circus is an extremely raw piece of work. With Phillips’ vocals sounding like moans and hums, he became the focal point of their music and remains that today, although not as palpably.

“I fear nothing besides my self,” Phillips said. “Do not touch me! Love like an infant trying to stand up,” sings Phillips on “Torn.” Pale’s cold opening track. Toad’s second album was a bit more psychedelic and experimental than their first; the lyrics were more abstract.

“There was a preparedness, however, for the grand reception that fear received. As a result of their opening up for the likes of Deborah Harry, Michael Penn, and the B-52’s sales of Toad’s third album surpassed 100,000.

“We were just stoked that we sold 100,000 copies of faram and I thinking ‘This is great!’… We’re gonna do it the way we want to,” said Dinning.

Everything broke loose, however, after the third single, “All I want” was added to national radio air play lists and went top 40. The album went platinum to an end to a sesquicentennial.

Toad the Wet Sprocket is a band that loves to play live and should not disappoint. After some 1,000 gigs, their nine-year old bond will become apparent.

“I’ve been wanting to hear them in concert for so long, I think we’re ready for the ‘wait’,” Bridget Biggs, a fourth year Hall junior and Toad superfan said.

Final rehearsal schedule for the cast of “A Doll’s House” for opening night

BY JENNIFER LEWIS
Assistant Writer

The actors have made their final trip to the set and the last minute plans have been made, but there is no avoiding the anticipation of opening night.

Dr.alth Mary’s College department of Communication Dance and Theater, presents The Henrik Ibsen play “A Doll’s House,” translated by Eva Le Gallienne, tonight in McGuire’s Little Theater at 8 p.m.

Director Kate Sullivan decided to produce her ninth play, “A Doll’s House,” because of the relevance it has in today’s society, even though it is one hundred and fifteen years old.

“I thought it would be a good end to the sesquicentennial themes that we are focusing on this year,” Sullivan said.

It is a good play to perform at an all women’s college, according to Sullivan. One of the play’s main themes is female independence. Ibsen argues a controversial question of his time, “Is being a woman enough of an identity?” He also suggests that a woman’s husband should not sacrifice his honor for the sake of love.

Ibsen has been teaching the novel in her Dramatic literature class for years. She has observed numerous students taking interest in Ibsen’s characters and conflicts and is extremely excited about the plays end result.

“The scene consists of five Saint Mary’s students and three Notre Dame men: Michele Avalos, Kristen Dakewicz, Kathryn O’Donnell, Amy Vichato, Melissa Younk in, Adam Hicks, Michael Lamenn, and Willie Lebouck.

These students have been practicing five times a week, for six weeks, up to four hours a day.

“Between rehearsing and practicing on my own I put in about forty hours a week,” said Carroll Hall senior Larena.

“If acting is your passion, it’s not work,” said LeMans junior O’Donnell. “Acting is my passion.”

Larena started her acting career during her junior year in college after being inspired, while taking Shakespearean literature class. In A Doll’s House, he plays the role of a condescending husband named Tovald Helmer, who is caught up on appearance, according to Larena.

“Helmer is a really complicating man that is a product of his society,” said Larena. “He will not sacrifice his honor for the sake of love.”

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The play will run throughout the weekend at 8 p.m. and on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p.m.

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Choir concert offers multicultural music

By MOYA SOMERSET
Assistant Writer

The Full Choral Concert by the Saint Mary’s College Women’s Choir and the Saint Mary’s College Collegiate Choir, conducted by Nancyn Menk, is set tonight at 8 p.m. in O’Laughlin Auditorium.

The Women’s Choir section of the concert is divided into three sections, explained Menk. The sacred section by modern composers begins with a “Missa Brevis” and “Pie Jesu” which are two Latin texts that are published by the Saint Mary’s Choral Series followed by the second performance of “The Magnificat” since its world premiere on October 14, 1994. Modern music offers challenging harmonies and melodies that aren’t often found in traditional sacred pieces. In terms of “The Magnificat” by Larsen, we had the opportunity to directly work with the creative vision of the composer,” Senior Nicole Goper said.

The concluding choir program features “Hotaru Koi” and “Kashiri” which are Japanese and Korean pieces. “We are trying to place more emphasis on performing multi-cultural music,” Menk stated.

The Fall Choral Concert will be held on October 22, 1994.

The Collegiate Choir will perform “Jubilate Dee” by Libby Larsen, a piece that was composed for the Sesquicentennial. The music was composed by music professor Zae Munn and the lyrics by poet Leonard Cohen. “Jubilate Dee” begins the concert, with the men and women of the choir, singing in three separate movements,” Senior Jeanne Schloegel said.

Libby Larsen worked with the Collegiate Choir when she was the composer-in-residence for the arts. “She gave me a better perspective on what we normally do here at the College,” Larsen said. “It was everywhere because it is three different songs that are in three different languages,” senior Jeanne Schloegel said.

The Collegiate Choir expanded its repertoire to include an international arrangement. Senior Larry Dinning, who has been working with the choir for the past three years, said they are planning to sing a Chinese folk song which was written by Chinese composer Chen Qian. The piece is difficult, but I think we’ve done a good job in such a limited time.”

To the Tocqueville, "Is being a woman enough of an identity?" He also suggests that a woman’s husband should not sacrifice his honor for the sake of love.

"The song I hold to is that Dulcinea represents an ideal of perfection almost guaranteed to fail," says Denning, "but we keep trying to reach that ideal and that’s where the music happens.

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Although not altogether bad, fear did not end exactly how the band members wanted it; they fell victim to overproducing. They kept that dissatisfaction in mind as they began recording for Dulcinea., reference to the Don Quixote love who doesn’t turn out to be as perfect as the protagonist forever.

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NBA

Nets hold out for Bulls for 110-109 win

By TOM CANAVAN

EAST RUTHERFORD, N.J. Kenny Anderson hit a game- winning 17-foot jumper with 2.9 seconds left to give the New Jersey Nets a 110-109 victory over the Chicago Bulls Wednesday night.

The victory in their home opener was the Nets' first in the season after three losses under new coach Pat Beaden. It also spoiled a great game- ending rally by the Bulls, who appeared to have the contest in hand after Ronen Berger, who had 22 points, hit a basket inside to give New Jersey a 103-93 lead with 3:27 to play.

However, Scottie Pippen and Thompson and Mebanah are both confident that Notre Dame is ready to begin NCAA play. "Playing at home will make things a lot easier," Mebanah said, "although we've been playing better away. Still, it's scary to think that Saturday could be our last game. I don't think we're ready for that.

And if Mebanah isn't ready for her freshman year to end, Thompson certainly doesn't want an early-round Irish exit to shorten her career: "I believe if we play as a team against George Mason will be a great situation," Thompson said. "We've had a lot of emotion. I'm excited because I think we should have been home last season.

"As a senior playing at home is something that's in the back of your mind as the best way to end the season." If you're playing at Portland in the final four.

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Danny Ainge will serve the remaining months of his six-year term. He is eligible for release next May.

Marion Superior Court Judge Patricia Gifford, who presided over the trial, had scheduled a September hearing on a second round of appeals. That hearing was delayed at Tyson’s request until Nov. 14.

But in a motion granted last month, Tyson asked that the hearing be canceled, court officials said.

Tyson was convicted of attacking beauty pageant contestant Desiree Washington of Rhode Island, who said she was not happy with his booking at a hotel and raped her. Tyson said the trial was ‘‘unfair’’ and claimed the Indiana Court of Appeals upheld the conviction in August 1993.

The importance of the game is evident. Whether they give us respect or not, they know we play with a lot of heart," Jackson said. "This was the most unusual game I've played in," Jackson said. "Early on, we dug ourselves a hole, and we never came out of it. This was a tough loss for us. We can't blame the refs. They made some tough calls and they made some bad calls, but we just have to play a whole game from the beginning.

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Travel will be a little easier. Nashville travels by airplane to most cities in the league that stretches west to Omaha, Neb., and east to Buffalo, N.Y.

Fans can buy a package from the Louisville Redbirds featuring all 12 games against the Sounds, along with tickets for games against Nashville and we still have plenty of good seats available.

Other teams in the Class Triple-A league are waiting to see if Jordan indeed will be moving up from the Class Double-A Birmingham Barons, the farm team of the Chicago White Sox, following his stint with the Full League in Arizona.

"We're going to go for this like everybody else goes for it," Buffalo spokesman John Shevill said. "It's like they're going to be hurt, but people want to wait.

The February announcement that Jordan had been issued an invitation to spring training by the White Sox set off massive ticket sales in Nashville. The decision to send Jordan to Double-A Birmingham spurred record sales for all Southern League teams.

In Buffalo, the Bisons open the season with the Sounds and are selling a "Nashville Pack" featuring six- and 12-game packages for the games when Jordan would be in town.

Isherwood said the Bisons wanted to call it the "Jordan Pack" but decided not to since they can’t guarantee he will be coming.

Fans can buy a package from the Louisville Redbirds featuring all 12 games against the Sounds, along with tickets for games on Memorial Day and Labor Day, both of which will feature fireworks displays. The Redbirds play the Sounds on the Fourth of July, also a fireworks game.

But the Redbirds are reminding all buyers that the 14-game package costing $79 may not feature Jordan.

"We want to call it our Nashville Sounds package and not our Michael Jordan package," Redbirds spokesman Tab Brockman said Wednesday. "You never know what's going to happen in baseball."

Brockman said Nashville officials are quietly preparing for Jordan’s arrival but that few details have been settled. Sounds' president and general manager Larry Smittou is handling the search for housing. Sounds' players usually have the option of living in an apartment complex that advertises with the team, but Smittou said Jordan’s house won’t be anything like a golfing fanatic, can pick and choose from a dozen courses.
San Francisco seeks change of fortune

By DENNIS GEORGATOS
Associated Press

SANTA CLARA, Calif. — Over the last two months, the San Francisco 49ers have done a dour job of impressing anyone. Two-month winning streak, two in NFC championship games, and an overall grade to end the season.

They’re still hanging in there, bruised egos and all, and in Sunday’s rematch the 49ers will be trying to reverse their no-win situation and regain the psychological edge.

“This lets us know what type of team we have,” 49ers tackle Steve Wallace said. “There’s no secret they’re the team to beat out there. Instead of competing with them, we have to get past them. We’re not just looking to be at their level.”

“It’s a game everybody wants, wants real bad,” added San Francisco linebacker Ken Norton Jr., facing his former Dallas team for the first time.

Dallas (8-1) enters the game with the league’s best record and a six-game winning streak, the most recent a 38-10 dismantling of the New York Giants on Monday night.

Emmitt Smith, who has rushed for 294 yards and scored five times in the Cowboys’ last three wins over San Francisco, had a club record 35 carries for 163 yards and two touchdowns in Dallas’ latest win.

“I like the way we’re playing but this is the test because Dallas has great personnel all the way around,” 49ers free safety Merton Hanks said. “We all know we have to go through Dallas, sooner or later. We’ll see how it works out. San Francisco (7-2) has picked itself up since its second straight NFC championship loss last January at Dallas, and also is on a four-game roll entering Sunday’s rematch.

The 49ers’ defense, which has six new starters, registered its fourth shutout in six games in last week’s 37-22 win at Washington. The 49ers also are clicking offensively with Steve Young leading the league in passing and the once-battered offensive line returning to health.

“We know what’s at stake, not only in the standings and for the playoffs but how important it is to this organization. That’s why we were brought in,” added linebacker Gary Plummer, who was signed as a free agent along with Norton, Deion Sanders, Rickey Jackson and Richard Dent as part of San Francisco’s offseason makeover.

“They needed to improve their speed. They needed to improve their attitude and they needed to be more physical. Hopefully, we’ve provided some of that,” Plummer said. “So I think this is an extremely important game. It’s important from an emotional aspect for most of the guys on this team to prove they can beat Dallas. But it’s also important to remember that we haven’t even clinched a playoff berth at this point.”

Hanks said the game was important because home-field advantage in the playoffs may ride on it.

San Francisco defensive tackle Dana Stubblefield said the 49ers are not treating the game as a “must-win” because there’s still plenty of games to play. But there’s no doubt a win would be a huge morale boost and go a long way toward easing the 49ers monotony of defeat against the Cowboys.

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BY DENNIS H. FREEMAN
Associated Press

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1 tsp salt

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The news hurt then, and it was obvious it still did later in the season. Brown looked drained. His eyes werewatery, and his voice cracked answering the first question. "Obviously, I'm upset about it," said Brown, who has thrown 10 interceptions in the six-game losing streak that has seen the Giants lose three of five games. "I want to be the guy out there. As I said before, I just want to turn the heat and give us a spark that will lift us and get us off this uphill battle," Brown said. "I'm not going to be able to come out here and totally change everything around. I have to have help defensively and offensively." Brown realizes Reeves will have the same opportunity as Brown to show what he can do, which means he might be the starter for the rest of the year.

"I still have a lot to prove," said Graham, who started and lost three games as a rookie in 1992 when Simms and Jeff Hostetler were hurt. "The pressure is on me and that's part of the position, I realize that. I like to feel I have a shot to get in there and play a while."

In his nine games as a starter, Brown completed 125 of 221 passes for 1,503 yards, 7 touchdowns and 12 interceptions. The interesting total was three more than Simms had in 1993.

New York, which gained a season-low 185 yards in a 38-10 loss to Dallas on Monday, ranked last in the NFL in total offense, averaging 255.4 yards. Brown's 66.5 quarterback rating is 25th among the 29 quarterbacks listed in this week's league statistics.

"I have done some poor things and made bad throws, but that's something I have to live with," said Brown, whose ascension to the No. 1 quarterback was a storybook ending for a kid who spent 30 minutes at Giants Stadium.

Now, he'll watch from the bench, which is where Reeves rejoined John Elway when he struggled during his rookie season at Denver.

"As I said in preseason, it always seemed like I was fighting an uphill battle," Brown said. "It's another battle I have to fight. In the end, when all this stuff iron itself out, in 15 years or whatever, I can look back on this and maybe I will have some type of benefit for me. That's the only positive I can put on a negative situation."
CONGRESSIONAL SHIFTS MAY AFFECT MLB STRIKE

By RONALD BLUM
Associated Press

Players and owners don't know whether the Republican takeover of Congress will affect efforts to strip baseball of its antitrust exemption.

House Judiciary Committee chairman Jack Brooks, D-Texas, who helped push a bill out of committee last month, lost his race for re-election and will be replaced by Rep. Henry Hyde, R-Ill.

In the Senate, Sen. Orrin Hatch, R-Utah, takes over as Judiciary Committee chairman after Joseph Biden, D-Del. Hatch then changed his mind and became a co-sponsor.

"We have broad bipartisan support and it's getting broader," union Duval Fehr said Wednesday. "Other than that I'm not going to comment."

The chief House sponsor, Mike Synar, D-Okl., lost his primary for re-election and the chief Senate sponsor, Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, is retiring.

Rep. Pat Williams, D-Mont., held a hearing last month on his bill to impose binding arbitration but will be replaced as chairman of the House Education and Labor Committee by William Goodling, R-Pa.

"It's much too early to make any assessment," said acting commissioner Bud Selig, who has fought to preserve the exemption. "I have always said, and I really mean it, the only way you're ever going to have a settlement is at the (bargaining) table."

Selig may be at the table when talks resume Thursday at Ray Broek, N.Y., under the supervision of mediator W.J. Usery. Selig has attended just one bargaining session, on Sept. 9, five days before owners canceled the World Series.

"I've talked to Mr. Usery today and it's a possibility," Selig said in a telephone interview from Phoenix, where owners were completing their business strategy meetings.

Six other management representatives are to attend the bargaining, which is scheduled to run through Sunday. Boston Red Sox chief executive John Harrington, Colorado Rockies chairman Jerry McMorris, Atlanta Braves president Stan Kasten, Philadelphia Phillies co-general partner Dave Montgomery, Milwaukee Brewers general counsel Wendel Selig-Prieb and former St. Louis Cardinals CEO Stuart Meyer.

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NEW YORK

Hopeful signs of ending the NHL lockout emerged Wednesday, with one management source telling The Associated Press it's possible the season could resume next month.

"If the talks continue this way, they could be playing hockey by the first of December," the source said, speaking on the condition he not be identified. "A lot will hinge on tomorrow's meeting."

Others were not as optimistic, but no one dismissed the possibility completely.

NHL commissioner Gary Bettman and union head Bob Goodenow met for seven hours Monday and players have softened their stance against a rookie salary cap, the source said.

They are to meet Thursday, possibly in Buffalo, N.Y. This marks the first time the sides talked twice in one week since Oct. 4-5.

"There are still a lot of issues on the table," the source said. "Everything still depends on how well the meeting goes Thursday. But the fact that they met Monday and are meeting again Thursday is a major breakthrough. They did make some headway (on Monday)."

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Stich upset in ECC tourney

Associated Press

ANTWERP, Belgium Canadian qualifier Sebastian Lareau beat Michael Stich 6-7 (0-7), 6-3, 6-3 Wednesday in the $1.1 million European Community Tennis Championship, pushing the German out of next week's world championship.

With American Todd Martin losing in Moscow, it left the way open for Stefan Edberg, who won here Wednesday, and Alberto Berasategui, playing in Buenos Aires, to claim the last two places in the Elite Eight IBM-ATP Tour World Championship in Frankfurt.

Third-seeded Edberg had to rally from behind to beat Britain's Jeremy Bates, ranked 73rd in the world, 4-6, 6-4, 6-3 in the first round of the ECC. Stich, seeded second behind Pete Sampras here, lost in the opening round for the second time in a row, costing him the chance to defend his world championship title.

He went in a blaze of double faults and unforced errors, allowing Lareau, ranked 123rd in the world, to claim his biggest win ever.

"I knew he was very tight because of Frankfurt," said Lareau, 21. "And I didn't feel any pressure."

It appeared to be the opposite when he failed to take a single point off Stich in the first set tiebreak, after the German produced a half-dozen double faults in the opening set alone.

But in the second set, Lareau gained in composure and with poise and precision, kept Stich pinned in the backcourt.

Frustrated, Stich lost the match on yet another double fault.

On a great day for Swedes, Jonas Bjorkman reached the quarterfinals, beating Italian Renzo Furlan 6-3, 7-6 (7-2). In first-round action, seventh-seeded Magnus Larsson defeated American Jonathan Stark 7-5, 6-3.

Wild-card Byron Black of Zimbabwe came from behind to beat veteran Donald Aegner of Haiti 5-7, 6-1, 6-3.

In the first set, Edberg never found his touch and the world's No. 9 Jeti Bates dictate play. Soon he was one set down and facing elimination.

From then he was in charge, displaying his vintage serve-and-volley play to reach the second round.

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Former athletes make election runs

By FRED LIEF

Politics and football forged a strong alliance on Election Day, with two former stars riding the strong alliance on Election Day, by receiving for the Seattle Congress for Oklahoma. Steve Largent, the great NFL receiver for the Seattle Seahawks who retired in 1989, and J.C. Watts, the quarterback who led Oklahoma to two straight Orange Bowl victories in the 1970s, were among the winners Tuesday on a day in which some dozen sports figures ran for office.

From football to baseball, from auto racing to marathon-running, ex-athletes went before the voters. Two sports owners — George W. Bush of the Texas Rangers and Herb Kohl of the Milwaukee Bucks — were also running, and both showed political muscle.

Jim Bunning, the one-time pitching star, won a fifth term as a Republican congressman from Kentucky. Bill Kenney, once the quarterback for the Kansas City Chiefs, drew on the anti-Democrat mood and captured a seat in the Missouri Legislature. Another ex-NFL player, Paul Krause of the Minnesota Vikings, won a commissioner's post in the Twin Cities area.

Largent, a political rookie mocked for his inexperience, easily defeated his Democratic challenger, Tulsa oil man Stuart Price, for a vacant seat in Oklahoma's 1st District. Certain to be elected as well was the Pro Football Hall of Fame, Largent on his football exploits.

"There are a lot of things about my personality and skills that made me successful in football that will make me successful as a politician," he said during the campaign. "Perseverance, a strong work ethic, willingness to serve others and be a team player."

Watts, the wishbone quarterback who led the Sooners to two Big Eight titles, won a much closer race in Oklahoma's 4th District, defeating Democrat David Perryman. Watts emphasized welfare reform and a conservative platform.

"We now go to Washington to lead," he said.

Oklahoma nearly made it a trifecta with the politics-football triumvirate with the politics-football connection. But Lt. Gov. Jack Milburn, the Democratic nominee for governor and a quarterback for the Sooners in the 1970s, lost to Republican Frank Keating.

In Alabama, Fob James, a former football player at Auburn, defeated Gov. Jim Folsom by a razor-thin margin in a huge upset for the Republicans.

James played for Auburn from 1955-55 and is the 10th leading rusher for a school that has produced such running backs as Bo Jackson, Tucker Frederickson, Joe Cribbs and James Brooks.

Kenney, a Chiefs quarterback from 1979-88, defeated incumbent Democrat Margaret Rennau for a spot in the Missouri Senate. Kenney used a Chiefs motif in much of his advertising, reminding voters of his football past. Rennau countered with a commercial citing the Chiefs' losing record when Kenney was the quarterback.

Krause, who played free safety for the Vikings from 1968 to 1979, was making his first stab at politics. He was looking to become Dakota County commissioner in Minnesota, with the outcome not immediately available.

A devastating blow was struck by Bush, the 48-year-old managing partner of the Texas Rangers. The eldest son of the former president toppled Ann Richards to become Texas governor.

Also scoring for management was Kohl, who won a second term as U.S. senator from Wisconsin. The Bucks owner beat Republican state Assemblyman Robert Welch with strong support from women and independents.

During the closing days of his campaign, Kohl turned to club matters, breaking the stalled negotiations with Glenn Robinson and signing the Purdue star to a contract worth nearly $70 million.

Bunning, who spent 17 years in the majors and won at least 100 games in each league, received nearly three-fourths of the 4th District vote in Kentucky against Sally Harris Skaggs, a real-estate agent.

Bill Graves, a football player turned marathioneer, won the Kansas governorship. He started 40 straight games at end for Kansas Wesleyan in 1971-74. Of late, he's a runner, having competed in the New York City, Dallas and Honolulu marathons.

"Big Daddy" Don Garlits, the retired drag racing superstar, spun his wheels in his bid for a Florida congressional seat. Karen Thurman, the incumbent, easily stopped the 62-year-old, blunt-talking Republican from Oklahoma taking his first stab at politics.

Garlits, a three-time National Hot Rod Association champion, was the first driver on the circuit to exceed 200 mph and 250 mph. Another ex-jock to fall hard was New York Gov. Mario Cuomo, the eloquent voice of Democratic liberalism for more than a decade.
IU, Purdue sign recruits

Associated Press

Purdue's defending Big Ten champion Boilermakers, who lost Glenn Robinson a year early, awaited the return of letters of intent Wednesday from three recruits for the 1995-96 basketball season.

One of them, 6-foot-8 forward Luther Clay, was a prep school teammate of current Purdue freshmen Chad Austin and Brad Miller at Maine Central Institute. Clay has been on every recruiting analyst's top 10 list.

The other newcomers expected to formally commit to Purdue during the NCAA early signing period that began Wednesday are 6-1 Alan Eldridge of Fort Wayne Wayne and 6-8 forward Brian Cardinal of Toledo (Ohio) Unity.

"Luther Clay is the real deal. If Purdue only got Clay, it would be a stout class," said Dave Kaplan, who rates Clay eighth nationally and produces the Windy City Roundball Review in DeForest, Ill.

Besides Eldridge, the only other Indiana high school player to be signed to a Big Ten school so far is 5-6 Courtesy James of Indianapolis Ben Davis, to Minnesota.

Ben Davis teammate Damon Frierson, a 6-3 forward, plans to play at Miami (Ohio) of the Mid-American Conference, and two other Giants, 6-3 Ahmed Bellamy and 6-5 Ben Lacey, plan to attend Indiana-Purdue at Indianapolis.

Others who signed Wednesday included Merrillville High School teammates T.J. Lux and Brett Fedak.

Lux, a 6-8 forward, signed with Northern Illinois, and Fedak, a 6-4 guard-forward, signed with Toledo.

Among other players from Indiana schools expected to sign are Maruss Wilson of South Bend Riley, with Evansville; Andy Hirschy of NorthWood, with Butler, and Travis Fiskehop of Madison, with Eastern Kentucky.

Bloomington North's Duany Duany, another top Indiana high school recruit, is waiting to see if more colleges show interest in him.

Great Midwest eyes break-up

Associated Press

CINCINNATI — The University of Dayton is apparently left out of a developing new athletic conference. St. Louis, Marquette, DePaul and Alabama-Birmingham could be in.

But nobody will say for sure yet. Welcome to the ever-changing world of college athletics.

University of Cincinnati president Joseph Steger and University of Memphis president V. Lane Rawlins told the other presidents from the Great Midwest Conference this week that they are taking their schools out of the GMC to form a new all-sports league.

The presidents of Cincinnati, Memphis, Louisville, Tulane, Southern Mississippi and Houston talked in a conference Monday about forming the new conference. Those schools would form the minimum six that the NCAAs requires for a conference. It still doesn't have a name.

"Dayton was not extended an invitation," said Ted Kessel, the school's athletic director.

Steger said the league would consist of 10 members. He wouldn't identify them. But the matter was discussed in a conference of GMC presidents Monday.

Reportedly asked to join were Marquette, DePaul, Alabama-Birmingham and St. Louis. Chuck Neinas, executive director of the College Football Association, wouldn't confirm or deny reports they were invited. Neinas has been working with the presidents.

The new league would begin play next year in all sports but Division I-A football.
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A team which didn’t exist last year is among this year’s best

By MICHAEL DAY

Unique. Perhaps that is the word that best describes the women’s Off-Campus Interhall football team. This is a team that has rarely practiced. A team composed of just 17 players, less than any other Interhall team. And with 0-0 unable to field a girls’ squad last year, not much was expected of the team heading into the season.

So how Off-Campus has compiled a 5-1-1 record and earned a semifinal showdown with Siegfried would appear to defy all logic. Think again.

0-C is a collection of top notch athletes who previously played and starred for competing dorm teams over the past three seasons. All they needed, according to co-captain and starting quarterback Nikole Neidlinger, was the opportunity to compete.

“We knew we had tons of talent,” said Neidlinger. “It took awhile for everyone to get used to playing together, but we have a lot of confidence right now.”

However, due to the lack of interest last year, it was questionable prior to the season as to whether or not Off-Campus would be able to form a team.

Senior co-captain Kelly Guerin was confident that there would be enough participation, so she subsequently sought permission from ResSports.

Living off campus and searching for a squad to play for, the 16 other girls (15 seniors and one junior) were eager to sign up when they were approached about playing football this fall. The women’s interest in competing has paid dividends from the start.

Off-Campus, led by coaches Tom Ysursa and Pete Couri, is solid, if not spectacular, on both sides of the ball. The fabulous foursome of quarterback Neidlinger, tailbacks Sarah Donelly and Megan Allen, and Forest Park’s Holly Manthei currently leads the Irish with her team’s talent soar with each subsequent freshman class. And this year’s rookies have been no exception.

The Irish of 1998 has been led by Midwestern Collegiate Conference newcomer of the year Holly Manthei. Manthei currently leads the Irish with 23 assists, a single-season Notre Dame record.

Unlike Thompson, who came into a program which was still maturing, Manthei stepped into a team which had already established itself near the top.

“It’s been an amazing year,” Manthei said. “To come into a program and be ranked No. 1 right away has been incredible.”

But despite the difference in the beginnings of their careers, Thompson and Manthei are looking to accomplish the same thing in this year’s NCAA tournament. “This is one of our goals,” Thompson said. “Even from the very first day four years ago we wanted to win a national title, and this season is our best chance.”

The Irish received their first NCAA bid last season, but were upset 2-1 in the first round by George Mason.

Opening round opponent set

Notre Dame’s opening-round opponent was settled yesterday afternoon when George Mason defeated Virginia 3-0 in Charlottesville, Virginia.

The Irish-Patriot contest will be a rematch of last year’s NCAA tournament, when George Mason upset Notre Dame 2-1 in a Midwest regional game in Madison, Wisconsin.

“The Irish defeated the then-No. 5 Patriots 1-0 earlier this season. Junior forward Rosella Guerrero, Notre Dame’s all-time leader in career goals, scored a shot past George Mason’s all-American goalkeeper Jen Mead for the game’s only score.”

—John MacLeod
Well, it's hardly the Game of the Century. In fact, there are probably some pretty good Indiana high school football matchups that have more hype than Saturday's Notre Dame-Florida State game.

But this is still a game with pretty big ramifications.

First of all, consider this. The more games Florida State wins, the more football matchups that have more hype will probably call him today and wish him a happy birthday.

Dame players might get a little confidence.

And with a little confidence, maybe the Irish can pull off the upset.

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Still the underdog

By George Dohrmann

A year ago, Kevin McDougal, the underdog quarterback of the Irish, led Notre Dame to an epic victory over then No. 1 Florida State. Now, he tries to make a name for himself in the Canadian Football League.

Moments before the start of Saturday’s Notre Dame/Florida State game at Orlando’s Citrus Bowl, a young quarterback will sit on an unfamiliar couch in an apartment that feels nothing like home.

Even though he is over a thousand miles away from the action, the quarterback will live the game like a player on the field. For the next few hours he will talk little as the coachPerfect speaker for a game like this.

It was only a year ago that McDougal, the senior quarterback that no one wanted and for whom few predicted greatness, led Notre Dame to a 31-24 win over Florida State at Notre Dame Stadium. But on the one-year anniversary of his greatest moment, McDougal is far from the pageantry that accompanied him as the Irish signal-caller. He is the newest member of the Winnipeg Blue Bombers and begins practice with the CFL franchise sometime next week.

“Winning has had my rights from the start and are very happy with me as a prospect,” McDougal said. “I’m excited about the opportunity I have here.”

It is almost too fitting that McDougal, a Florida native, landed in the CFL. It is an underdog league which has always compared poorly to the National Football League. The league has McDougal written all over it, a chance for the gifted enough to beat out then-underdog league which has all over it, a chance for the Blue Bombers mirrors the scenario he faced as a senior at Notre Dame. Veteran Matt Dunigan is in his final season as the Blue Bombers quarterback, leaving the starting job for 1995 to McDougal and Keith McCants. Like McDougal, McCants remembers the collegiate spotlight. He was starting quarterback for Nebraska in the mid-eighties.

“It’s just like when I was behind Rick (Miler) at Notre Dame,” McDougal said. “I will just work hard and everything will work out. All I can do is try my best.”

While he is trying to play football, McDougal will also be trying to keep his mother from worrying. “Being the only child I have to come home almost every day,” McDougal said. “She worries about me but I will be home soon.”

At his other home, Notre Dame, the season hasn’t gone as planned for his old teammates, a fact McDougal feels will change for the better. “They’ve had a tough time with the injuries and some tough losses,” McDougal said. “I’ve talked to Lee (Becton) and Brian (Hamlin). They are not having the same kind of season as last year but they are still working hard and I think things will start getting better.”

That new beginning may start Saturday in Orlando. The Seminoles are 12-point favorites and brimming with confidence.

“It will be a tough game, but I’m confident Notre Dame can pull it out.”

At some point during Saturday’s meeting, McDougal admits, he will lose himself in the game.

He will wish greatly that he was in the Sunshine State Saturday and on the sidelines with his old teammates.

Kevin McDougal surveys the Florida State defense in last year’s game. He will be reporting to the Winnipeg Blue Bombers of the Canadian Football League next week.

By George Dohrmann

McDougal completed 9 of 18 passes for 108 yards and no interceptions in last year’s Game of the Century.
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Seminole swagger into Notre Dame Stadium wearing shamrock hate—they apparently paid for those—meant to mock the Irish tradition. A tradition that they didn't even honor with indignance, but rather slapped with indifference.
Notre Dame, unusually the underdog at home, tried to explain why it belonged on the same field as a team some considered the best ever to play college football. It made for great theater. College football's perennial powerhouse fighting to protect its reputation against the pre-cocious newcomers. With a national championship on the line. Perfect.
And the game was every bit as exciting as the hype suggested. Notre Dame took an early lead and almost watched it slip away. Ward had one last play to put Florida State ahead. But, as time expired, along came Shawn Wooden to swat the Seminoles away.

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Kevin McDougal? And Charlie Ward? And Aaron Taylor? And Jeff Burris? And Bryant Young? But for very different reasons. Florida State returns much of last year's team, with the glaring exception of Ward, who is now the occasional quarterback of the New York Knicks' offense in the NBA. Danny Kanell has been a capable, if not nearly as combustible, fill-in at quarterback. Notre Dame has hardly a single familiar face from last year's game. McDougal is a quarterback in Canada and Burris, Taylor, Young, et al are playing Sundays on Fox instead of Saturdays on NBC.

And Florida State is little more than a spoiler, playing for the right to go to a bowl where it doesn't belong. And Florida State, swamped in scandal, struggles to save face. There have you gone, Charlie Ward?

What concerns me the most this year is that all the question marks are on our side.
**Bobby Bowden**

19th season at Florida State Career Record at FSU: 173-47-3 Against Notre Dame: 1-1

Highlights: Won his first national championship as a coach in 1993 when the Seminoles defeated Nebraska in the Orange Bowl.
FSU

SEMINOLES ON THE OFFENSIVE...

Kanell, ground game give FSU balance

By MIKE NORBUT

The Irish have been beaten by the pass on numerous occasions this year, mainly because of the lack of pressure that the defensive line has been putting on the opposition.

The defense showed some progress over weary Navy, recording three sacks in hitting situations and holding the Midshipmen to only 158 passing yards.

A reason for this spark was the change that defensive coordinator Bob Davie made, changing the Irish alignment from one with three down linemen to one with four. Because, four pass rushers are always more effective than three.

But five or six are always better than four, making a case for more blitzing.

But the bad news is that Florida State's offensive line will not escort the Irish defenders into their backfield the way Navy's did.

"Unless you can intercept the snap out of the shotgun, you're not going to get pressure on them," Holtz said. "They do a good job of protecting the quarterback."

Also going against the Irish is that Bert Berry, the best pass rusher the defense can boast, will be seeing limited time due to an ankle injury he received in practice this week.

With Berry out, outside linebacker Jeremy Nau will likely be moved to rush end, and LeShane Suddler will probably be inserted in the outside linebacker spot.

This move may actually help to slow the Seminoles running game, which has vastly improved over the past season.

Last year, much of Florida State's ground attack relied on Ward's scrambling ability. This year, Kanell just has to turn and hand off the ball to running backs Warrick Dunn or Rock Preston.

Dunn, a sophomore, is well on his way to a 1000-yard season, a feat not very common among Seminole running backs. He is the main reason why Florida State has scored 21 rushing touchdowns versus 18 passing.

"They run the ball much better this year," Holtz commented. "Dunn has shown that he is an excellent back."

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And with the Irish secondary having to chase Seminole receivers Kez McCorvey and O'Mar Ellison around all day, Gooheen and Sample will have to make the majority of the tackles to keep the Irish in the game and Florida State out of the end zone.

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RATING THE SEMINOLES

The Observcr/ Scott Mendenhall

Offensive guard Patrick McNeil is one reason why Florida State's ground game is vastly improved.

Exit Charlie Ward, Enter Danny Kanell, the latest in the line of excellent quarterbacks to grace the campus of Florida State.

Well, maybe he is not the threat that Charlie Ward presented to teams last year. In fact, maybe he is not even that great of a quarterback. But he's doing something right. He runs the second-ranked offense in the nation.

"There's very little difference between the Florida State of last year and the one of this year," Notre Dame coach Lou Holtz said. "Their quarterback is very accurate and a good passer."

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Pressure for a win on Irish unknowns

By TIM SHERMAN
Assistant Sports Editor

"I don't mind starting a season with unknowns," Notre Dame head coach Lou Holtz once said. "I just don't like finishing a season with a bunch of them." Granted, the season isn't finished yet, but the end is now within sight. Hate to break it to you, coach, but there are still a whole bunch of question marks, especially on the offensive side of the ball.

Saturday's showdown with Florida State may answer some, or even most, of these questions. But will the answers be favorable?

Last season's clash in Notre Dame Stadium featured an Irish offense that offered little doubt as to what they were going to do with the ball. Run, run, run, and run some more. What made this successful was the fact that the Irish also had the ability to block.

"Of course, he (Holtz) may just show them the tape of last year's game and say do that again," joked senior linebacker Derrick Brooks about the Irish game plan this year.

Holtz would if he could but he can't so he won't, right? If you had your answer on the performance of the offensive line for the better part of this season, then, no, the Irish won't be able to just show the ball down the throat of the FSU defense like they did last year.

But in this case, another Holtz classic could apply. "Things are never as good as they seem, nor are they as bad as they seem. Reality lies somewhere in the middle." That very well may be the case for the Irish rushing attack.

One thing to consider is that the Irish have had essentially four weeks to prepare solely for Florida State. Such time on the practice field is invaluable no matter how good one's coaching staff may be, as last season, plus they have the experience of Florida State boasting much the same personnel facing the Irish and knowing what type of plays to prepare, this is basically a bowl game for the Irish if they don't get down early, they could give Florida State fits.
Irish senior Jeff Burns (above) corrals Seminole receiver Kez McCorvey, while the Florida State defense (below) smothers Notre Dame running back Lee Becton, a rare sight in last year’s contest. Becton had 132 yards on 26 carries in the game, while Burns had two touchdowns in goal line situations to lead Notre Dame to a 31-24 victory. The game easily lived up to its billing as The Game of the Century.

Once upon a time, there was a quarterback named Charlie Ward. His shoes were legal and his legs were lethal. He came to South Bend one year ago today, alongside his feared Florida State teammates, with the national championship at his fingertips and the Heisman Trophy in his hip pocket. Brash and abrasive and wrapped in Football Looker’s “Free For the Football Team Collection,” the

This year’s Irish-Seminole matchup rests in the shadow of last year’s Game of the Century

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