Montana Gov. stresses political accountability

By JAMIE HEISLER
Associated Press

Addressing the role of public officials as well as issues of importance to the state of Montana, the Governor of Montana Marc Racicot addressed a 500-person crowd Friday in a public address called "Public Service, the Challenge of a Lifetime." According to Racicot, public officials often tend to be distant from their constituents' interests and needs. He has had the opportunity to interact with people on a greater level because of the smaller population of Montana which is around 1 million.

"In many offices where people are dispersed, they have less of an understanding. It's still a very real necessity to be involved with one another. In Montana, we are still allowed that privilege, the luxury to experience that discussion, the connection with the people you work for," said Racicot.

He feels the media has contributed to the distance between public officials and the people in their coverage of political issues. He cited the change in the average sound bite of the problems caused by the limited information presented by the media.

"The average sound bite in the 1960s was 42 seconds. It is nine seconds today. You can communicate in nine seconds? It is frustrating because there is more to a topic than nine seconds. It does a disservice to both officials and the public," said Racicot.

Along with his close attention to the needs of constituents, Racicot has attempted to change several related concepts. He has tried to make the service experience available to the people by not listing his home phone number, returns, schedule, and official meetings.

He has also given great attention to changing the process of decision making. "We have tried to move into different ways of decision making because the old ways are gone. We have begun to move more at the beginning of the process than at the end when options are limited. We have tried to predict conflicts and to interpret ourselves thoughtfully into the process in order to bring resolution," said Racicot.

According to him, politicians are afraid to admit their mistakes which negatively affects them because people comprehend more than most politicians realize. "If we all are what we are when we make mistakes, the culture admits people are quite forgiving," said Racicot.

According to him, politicians also often confuse their roles of service eventually in a time of reelection. "There is a temptation to do what's political versus what's right. There is also a challenge in time of reelection to confuse roles," he said. "But people figure out a..." see RACICOT / page 4

MONTREAL

The two sides in Quebec's bitter war of secession made emotional final appeals Sunday to the undecided voters who will cast the crucial ballots in the vote on splitting from Canada.

"We know we have a chance to win — let's grasp it," said Jean Chretien to win — let's grasp it," separation would be a deep loss for all Canadians," said Chretien. Prime Minister Jean Chretien's Liberals had 300 seats in Parliament and the separatists 82.

"We know we have a chance to win — let's grasp it," separation would be a deep loss for all Canadians," said Chretien. Prime Minister Jean Chretien's Liberals had 300 seats in Parliament and the separatists 82.

By JAMIE HEISLER
Associated Press

The latest poll, by the Montreal-based Gousseau Research Group, said about 47 per cent of Quebecers said they were undecided as to their voting intentions. About 42 per cent of Quebecers are French-speaking, while 30 per cent are English-speaking.

Citizens of Quebec vote Oct. 30 on whether to separate from Canada. How Quebec's economy will be affected by the vote:

YES:
Investors Flee: Stocks, bonds, currency lose value.
Canadian Dollar Plunges: Imports including food get more expensive.
Interest Rates Rise: Bank loans, mortgages, credit card payments more expensive.
Cost of Debt Service Rises: Hard hit by the cost of servicing their debts.
Economy Sinks: More jobs lost.

NO:
Investors Reassured: Canadian stocks, bonds, currency hold value.
Canadian Dollar Strengthens: Imports cheaper.
Interest Rates Drop: Bank loans, mortgages and credit cost less.
Debt Servicing Falls: Ottawa can step up debt reduction, keep lid on new taxes.
Economy Picks Up: More jobs created.

The flag-waving crowd sang "Oh Canada," the national anthem, "O Canada" — the French version and English version resounding simultaneously through a museum auditorium.

About 5 million people in the mostly French-speaking province are eligible to vote, including roughly 10 percent who said they hadn't made up their minds as of last weekend.

"I've been working on it for months. I've been thinking about it," Bouchard told supporters. "Everyone must use the hours that are left to convince one or two undecided voters." Police also were mobilizing, in bilingual Montrose and in Hull, in western Quebec across the Ottawa River from Ontario.

"In this case, to be honest, we are a bit more touchy because it's emotional more than an election," said Hull policeman Yves Martel.

Montreal riot police were on standby. Following a 1980 independent referendum, defeated separatists marched through the wealthy Anglophone enclave of Westmount, a bastion of federalists.

Carver ends peace walk at ND

By MELANIE LAFON
NNS Writer

If you passed by the administration steps this past Friday or Saturday, you saw Frank Carver, 1994 Notre Dame graduate, and his Notre Peace Flag Network. This was not simply a two day peace demonstration, but the end of a long, three year peace walk. Carver began on October 9th, 1991 in Cleveland, Ohio and ended this past Friday, 237 miles later on Notre Dame's campus.

Promoting a University Chair in Catholic Nonviolence, the phase-out of the ROTC, nuclear disarmament, unity, and inner healing, Carver has walked between 13 and 15 miles each day, stopping at night in rest in churches and in peoples' homes who were willing to take him in.

"It's been truly wonderful," said Carver. The response has been overwhelming. People have been so nice and supportive," Carver said.

Carver and a friend of his laid out the route and found churches and homes where he might stay.

"At most of my stops I knew some people I could stay with but along the road there were a few surprises—the church in Sandusky, Ohio I had planned to stay in was unavailable and I asked a man outside the church where I might go. I ended up speaking to the entire Knights of Columbus chapter in Sandusky and found several Knights willing to help me out," said Carver.

Carver, who is now almost completely deaf, once worked for the State Highway Department and taught Special Education in Trumansburg.

The separations, if they happen, would not declare independence immediately. They have offered to negotiate for up to a year on a new economic and political partnership between Canada and an independent Quebec, but with the option of unilaterally declaring independence at any point.

Some Quebecers say they will vote "yes" simply to end the decades of wrangling over possible constitutional reforms intended to keep the province within Canada. In recent weeks, in a move French nationalism demands.

"How much longer will we remain torn between a Yes and a No?" asked Quebec poet Yves Martel in a Montreal Gazette column Sunday.

Parties make final appeal on eve of Quebec vote

By DAVID CRARY
Associated Press

The flag-waving crowd sang "Oh Canada," the national anthem, "O Canada" — the French version and English version resounding simultaneously through a museum auditorium.

About 5 million people in the mostly French-speaking province are eligible to vote, including roughly 10 percent who said they hadn't made up their minds as of last weekend.

"I've been working on it for months. I've been thinking about it," Bouchard told supporters. "Everyone must use the hours that are left to convince one or two undecided voters." Police also were mobilizing, in bilingual Montrose and in Hull, in western Quebec across the Ottawa River from Ontario.

"In this case, to be honest, we are a bit more touchy because it's emotional more than an election," said Hull policeman Yves Martel.

Montreal riot police were on standby. Following a 1980 independent referendum, defeated separatists marched through the wealthy Anglophone enclave of Westmount, a bastion of federalists.

The answer to that question will leave you with the following result.

"I'm not saying they'll be in a good mood the day after," said Bouchard. "But the dust will settle." The federal government has refused to say how it would respond to a "Yes" vote, it could accept Quebec's independence, launch a legal challenge, or try to force a Canada-wide referendum or a second one in Quebec.

The separations, if they happen, would not declare independence immediately. They have offered to negotiate for up to a year on a new economic and political partnership between Canada and an independent Quebec, but with the option of unilaterally declaring independence at any point.

Some Quebecers say they will vote "yes" simply to end the decades of wrangling over possible constitutional reforms intended to keep the province within Canada. In recent weeks, in a move French nationalism demands.

"How much longer will we remain torn between a Yes and a No?" asked Quebec poet Yves Martel in a Montreal Gazette column Sunday.

The separations, if they happen, would not declare independence immediately. They have offered to negotiate for up to a year on a new economic and political partnership between Canada and an independent Quebec, but with the option of unilaterally declaring independence at any point.

Some Quebecers say they will vote "yes" simply to end the decades of wrangling over possible constitutional reforms intended to keep the province within Canada. In recent weeks, in a move French nationalism demands.

"How much longer will we remain torn between a Yes and a No?" asked Quebec poet Yves Martel in a Montreal Gazette column Sunday.
Looking beyond the stereotype

A friend of mine

Megan McGrath

informe me recently that she hates feminists. Ouch, that hurt. Sure, sometimes people don't like you, but to tell you to your face that they hate you? Harsh.

Yes, I am a feminist. Not a popular thing to admit these days, but I will. I am saddened by a trend today among women to attack feminism. There are many reasons for denying feminism, including a perception of feminists as ugly, man-hating, hairy-legged lesbians. It's bad that such stereotypes continue to prosper. Just because some feminists do not have a pleasant personality doesn't mean you must turn your razor to Gloria Steinem and stop attending SYRs.

I am saddened by a trend today among women to attack feminism. There are many reasons for denying feminism, including a perception of feminists as ugly, man-hating, hairy-legged lesbians. It's bad that such stereotypes continue to prosper. Just because some feminists do not have a pleasant personality doesn't mean you must turn your razor to Gloria Steinem and stop attending SYRs.

Three elevated toward sainthood

VATICAN CITY

A Swiss seamstress and two nuns were beatified Sunday in a Vatican ceremony, bringing to 19 the number of women who have been elevated to that status. The beatification of Martha Marguerita Bays, born in 1815 in the Swiss canton of Glarus, and two other women from Switzerland is a step towards possible sainthood for women. The ceremony marked the 175th anniversary of the formation of the German-speaking Catholic Church in Switzerland.

Mexican labor, business make pact

MEXICO CITY

In an attempt to drag Mexico's economy out of a 10-month-old slump, business and labor leaders signed a pact Sunday with the government that would cut taxes, lower rates and open service sectors to foreign competition. The pact is expected to help lift the peso, which has tumbled 40 percent against the dollar since January. The peso has also fallen 60 percent against the dollar in the past year.

Negro League celebrates 75th year

KANSAS CITY

Their brand of baseball was as good as the white man's and they played to packed houses wherever they went. They could have been major leaguers but for the color of their skin. All of these are gains which we can thank feminists for, but there's no need for feminist agitation.

Three elevated toward sainthood

VATICAN CITY

A Swiss seamstress and two nuns were beatified Sunday in a Vatican ceremony, bringing to 19 the number of women who have been elevated to that status. The beatification of Martha Marguerita Bays, born in 1815 in the Swiss canton of Glarus, and two other women from Switzerland is a step towards possible sainthood for women. The ceremony marked the 175th anniversary of the formation of the German-speaking Catholic Church in Switzerland.

Mexican labor, business make pact

MEXICO CITY

In an attempt to drag Mexico's economy out of a 10-month-old slump, business and labor leaders signed a pact Sunday with the government that would cut taxes, lower rates and open service sectors to foreign competition. The pact is expected to help lift the peso, which has tumbled 40 percent against the dollar since January. The peso has also fallen 60 percent against the dollar in the past year.

Negro League celebrates 75th year

KANSAS CITY

Their brand of baseball was as good as the white man's and they played to packed houses wherever they went. They could have been major leaguers but for the color of their skin. All of these are gains which we can thank feminists for, but there's no need for feminist agitation.

Three elevated toward sainthood

VATICAN CITY

A Swiss seamstress and two nuns were beatified Sunday in a Vatican ceremony, bringing to 19 the number of women who have been elevated to that status. The beatification of Martha Marguerita Bays, born in 1815 in the Swiss canton of Glarus, and two other women from Switzerland is a step towards possible sainthood for women. The ceremony marked the 175th anniversary of the formation of the German-speaking Catholic Church in Switzerland.

Mexican labor, business make pact

MEXICO CITY

In an attempt to drag Mexico's economy out of a 10-month-old slump, business and labor leaders signed a pact Sunday with the government that would cut taxes, lower rates and open service sectors to foreign competition. The pact is expected to help lift the peso, which has tumbled 40 percent against the dollar since January. The peso has also fallen 60 percent against the dollar in the past year.

Negro League celebrates 75th year

KANSAS CITY

Their brand of baseball was as good as the white man's and they played to packed houses wherever they went. They could have been major leaguers but for the color of their skin. All of these are gains which we can thank feminists for, but there's no need for feminist agitation.

Three elevated toward sainthood

VATICAN CITY

A Swiss seamstress and two nuns were beatified Sunday in a Vatican ceremony, bringing to 19 the number of women who have been elevated to that status. The beatification of Martha Marguerita Bays, born in 1815 in the Swiss canton of Glarus, and two other women from Switzerland is a step towards possible sainthood for women. The ceremony marked the 175th anniversary of the formation of the German-speaking Catholic Church in Switzerland.

Mexican labor, business make pact

MEXICO CITY

In an attempt to drag Mexico's economy out of a 10-month-old slump, business and labor leaders signed a pact Sunday with the government that would cut taxes, lower rates and open service sectors to foreign competition. The pact is expected to help lift the peso, which has tumbled 40 percent against the dollar since January. The peso has also fallen 60 percent against the dollar in the past year.

Negro League celebrates 75th year

KANSAS CITY

Their brand of baseball was as good as the white man's and they played to packed houses wherever they went. They could have been major leaguers but for the color of their skin. All of these are gains which we can thank feminists for, but there's no need for feminist agitation.

Three elevated toward sainthood

VATICAN CITY

A Swiss seamstress and two nuns were beatified Sunday in a Vatican ceremony, bringing to 19 the number of women who have been elevated to that status. The beatification of Martha Marguerita Bays, born in 1815 in the Swiss canton of Glarus, and two other women from Switzerland is a step towards possible sainthood for women. The ceremony marked the 175th anniversary of the formation of the German-speaking Catholic Church in Switzerland.

Mexican labor, business make pact

MEXICO CITY

In an attempt to drag Mexico's economy out of a 10-month-old slump, business and labor leaders signed a pact Sunday with the government that would cut taxes, lower rates and open service sectors to foreign competition. The pact is expected to help lift the peso, which has tumbled 40 percent against the dollar since January. The peso has also fallen 60 percent against the dollar in the past year.

Negro League celebrates 75th year

KANSAS CITY

Their brand of baseball was as good as the white man's and they played to packed houses wherever they went. They could have been major leaguers but for the color of their skin. All of these are gains which we can thank feminists for, but there's no need for feminist agitation.

Three elevated toward sainthood

VATICAN CITY

A Swiss seamstress and two nuns were beatified Sunday in a Vatican ceremony, bringing to 19 the number of women who have been elevated to that status. The beatification of Martha Marguerita Bays, born in 1815 in the Swiss canton of Glarus, and two other women from Switzerland is a step towards possible sainthood for women. The ceremony marked the 175th anniversary of the formation of the German-speaking Catholic Church in Switzerland.

Mexican labor, business make pact

MEXICO CITY

In an attempt to drag Mexico's economy out of a 10-month-old slump, business and labor leaders signed a pact Sunday with the government that would cut taxes, lower rates and open service sectors to foreign competition. The pact is expected to help lift the peso, which has tumbled 40 percent against the dollar since January. The peso has also fallen 60 percent against the dollar in the past year.
Weapon found near ambush site

By MARGARET SCHERF
Associated Press

WASHINGTON

A weapon recovered near a sniper's ambush site at Fort Bragg, N.C., was bought at a Maryland gun shop that federal and state officials say has provided guns connected with numerous crimes, a government source said Sunday.

A .5 mm Glock pistol found at the scene of the shootings Friday was purchased from the Freestate Arms and Munitions gun shop in Temple Hills, Md., in 1990, said the government source, who spoke on condition of not being further identified.

The name of Army Sgt. William J. Kreutzer, 26, of Clinton, Md., is listed as the purchaser of the gun, said the source. Kreutzer is the suspect in the shootings that killed one and injured 18 at the Army base.

The owner of the gun shop was arrested Sept. 27 after an investigation by Maryland state police and the federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms of having an expired firearms license and not having conducted the required background checks.

Gun traces conducted by ATF agents have found that in the last recorded period for sale for more than 100 weapons recovered in crimes was the Freestate Arms and Munitions store," said a news release issued Sept. 27 by Maryland Gov. Parris Glendening.

"The crimes include 10 homicides and three assaults, including an assault on a police officer," it said.

The ATF's special agent in charge, Margaret M. Moore, said then that "this is a significant case because Freestate Arms is responsible for supplying firearms to criminals. These weapons have been documented through ATF's tracing program to have been recovered in violent crimes in Washington, D.C., and adjacent Prince George's County."

State and federal agents arrested Jay F. Brooking, 39, of Silver Spring, Md., and charged him with 10 counts of violating laws regarding the proper sale or transfer of pistols and revolvers.

The store was closed by Maryland authorities because the owner had not renewed his license. Authorities said it had been operating without a Maryland Firearms dealers license since July 1.

State troopers who served a search warrant at the gun store on Sept. 27 said they recovered more than 100 weapons.

"On one occasion during the investigation, an undercover trooper purchased an Uzi assault pistol over the counter," according to the news release.

"Each speaker spoke on the rapid changes in technology and how one must manage its information systems in order to be more successful and compete in the global marketplace."

"Most people aren't given the right skills to manage technology through industrial knowledge and technological solutions," said Berto.

"In this new interactive world, communication is essential though employees are scattered all throughout the world. Andersen Consulting tries to reengineer managerial strategies and people's knowledge of their computer systems," said Berto.

"Each speaker spoke on the rapid changes in technology and how one must manage its information systems in order to be more successful and compete in the global marketplace."

"Most people aren't given the right skills to manage technology through industrial knowledge and technological solutions," said Berto.

"In this new interactive world, communication is essential though employees are scattered all throughout the world. Andersen Consulting tries to reengineer managerial strategies and people's knowledge of their computer systems," said Berto.

"Andersen Consulting has developed a new global information systems in which one can communicate through their computer at any time, listen in to others' meetings, and can even set up your own meetings. We wouldn't be in business if it weren't for technology," said Berto.

Now with business integration centers that focus on futuristic research networks, Institutes for Learning Sciences that concentrate on multi-media training, and key alliances with technologically advanced companies such as Hewlett-Packard, Microsoft, and IBM, technology is becoming integrated into the day-to-day running of businesses and employees can begin to utilize their computer skills on a daily basis, according to Berto.

Joseph Keithley, Chairman, President, and CEO of Keithley Instruments, Inc. also spoke at Friday's symposium. Keithley Instruments provides instrumentation to semiconductor manufacturers, medical equipment manufacturers, and growth segments of the electronics industry.

Scientists and engineers around the world use Keithley's advanced hardware and software for measurement tests, data acquisition, and control.

Harold Fenney, the second symposium speaker, is Vice President of Pathfinder Research Inc., has conducted strategic consulting and marketing analysts with Pathfinder since its inception in 1991. Prior to joining Pathfinder, Mr. Fenney was a management professional who carried out research on all aspects of the semiconductor industry, had direct responsibility for US semiconductor research as well as coordinating European and Japan-based research.

If you see news happening, call The Observer at 1-5323

Direct from New York! -live! -On Stage!

You've Seen Stomp on:

The Late Show with David Letterman • The Tonight Show • CNN News • Good Morning America • Dateline NBC

Students: $5.00 off w/ school id.

November 28 • 29 • 30
Each 8p.m. evening

Morris Civic Auditorium

Reserved Seats: Now on sale at the Morris box office, the usual outlets, or charge by phone: (219) 235-9190

Kids 1/2 price Coupons At Participating Michiana

Lakesha Pizza

Treatzza Pizza

Ultimate Burger

Any Size Blizzard Or Yogurt Basket

60¢ OFF

25¢ OFF

Grilled Chicken

Bake Sale

Chicken Strip Basket

$2.99

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.

With coupon only. Coupons may not be combined with any other coupon/offer.
Meditators try to keep peace

Associated Press

ZAGREB, Croatia

With crucial peace talks on Bosnia just getting underway, diplomats struggled Sunday to keep Croatia and Serbs from starting a new war over a slice of territory in eastern Croatia. The dispute also was central to Sunday's Croatian parliamentary elections, which were expected to give President Franjo Tudjman a new mandate to continue his tough line against the Serbs.

Talks on returning a piece of Serb-occupied territory to Croatian control broke down Saturday after the Serbs rejected the specter of new warfare that could undermine the peace plan for neighboring Bosnia.

"That's why we're strongly insisting that all parties refrain from use of force," Peter Galbraith, U.S. ambassador to Croatia, said Sunday.

The dispute has already threatened to send the army to take back the territory, known as Bihac, to help in the event of a Serb military action. "We're concerned that military action could disrupt the peace efforts," Galbraith said.

Bosnian Serb leaders expressed hopes for the talks, but warned of new problems. Nikola Koljevic, a senior Bosnian Serb official who will take part in the talks, accused Tudjman of cutting electricity supplies to the Serb stronghold of Banja Luka in northern Bosnia.

Experts predict a big victory by Tudjman's party in Sunday's elections, which he called a year early to exploit the army's recent success in driving Serbs from land in southern and eastern Bosnia.

Tudjman's anti-Serb theme was going strongly in many areas.

"It is known who we will vote for. They liberate and," said Draga Fabijanac, 62, as she waited to vote in a station run by her own retired Serb offensives this year.

Tudjman's Croatian Democratic Union and a closely aligned ultra-nationalist party aim to win a two-thirds majority in the parliament — enough to allow them to amend the constitution at will.

Officials in Tudjman's party, who now holds 78 of 138 seats in the current parliament, say they want to strengthen the presidency.

Opponents accuse Tudjman, a former Communist general, of creating a de facto single-party state. The opposition has some feelings have existed since long ago but those holding these beliefs are only now gaining more visibility. We have found that there are people with strong concerns about the government reaching too far, but there has always been a certain amount of that coursing through the country. Things such as the Internet have allowed the militias to become more cohesive and visible," said Racicot.

He also fears, however, that the militias is not "a stable membership" yet it can point out problems within the country.

"We have seen that as a democracy can be lacharige and remove ourselves. In that context, these antagonistic movements can suggest just how delicate democracy is," stated Racicot.

Racicot, 47, served as Montana's attorney general from 1989-93 and is now working on the completion of his first term as governor.

Queen's image upheld after disc jockey hoax

LONDON

Prying on the royal family is a serious business for British tabloids.

But on Sunday the poachers turned game-keepers. Some tried to get revenge on Elizabeth II for tricking Queen Elizabeth II into an on-air phone call about Quebec's independence. All agreed she came out of it very well.

Britons seldom hear the queen's voice and when they do, she's usually making a set speech. So to hear the 69-year-old monarch asking the disc jockey she thought was Canadian Prime Minister Jean Chretien to "Hang on a minute," and switching between French and English made fascinating listening.

"Her Majesty comes over as a cross between a busy housewife and multilingual, chummy businesswoman," commented one.

Frank has covered the country with his peace marches. His message of peace is something he can leave his grandchildren. He is a remarkable man," said a peace activist.

Carver continued from page 1

N.Y. He has also been very active with the Catholic Worker.

Julian Phoensas, Carver's host here at Notre Dame, served as Carver's press agent along with the elderly couple he had stayed with in Elkhart the night before, arranging an interview on Thursday with the local news station, Channel 22.
Associated Press

Monday, October 30, 1995 The Observer • GOP BUDGET VOTE

WASHINGTON

Beneath the high-profile fights over Medicare and tax cuts, the massive Republican budget bill is also a battle-ground for a smaller, but no less intense, showdown over who will shoulder health care costs for thousands of retired coal miners.

The bruising battle pits giants of the coal and steel industries, like Peabody and Pittston, UTV Corp. and U.S. Steel, against each other, and each side has hired top Washington lobbyists to plead its case. It’s a classic Washington big company-versus-big company fight,” said Morris Feibusch, a spokesman for the Blumenson Coal Operators Association, and just one of many lesser-publicized — but no less contentious — items wrapped into the huge budget-balancing package.

With House and Senate action complete, the focus of lobbyists now shifts to strategies for this week’s conference committees, where differences between the two chambers’ versions will be worked out, or even beyond, to what will happen after President Clinton vetoes the final product.

The bill going to conference committees, where differences between the two chambers’ versions will be worked out, or even beyond, to what will happen after President Clinton vetoes the final product.

By JIM DRINKARD

Senators shun Presidents’ influence

Senators should avoid the political minefield between the White House and Congress and open bipartisan talks on how to balance the budget, Senate Budget Committee Chairman Pete Domenici proposed today.

"I’m willing to deal," respondent Sen. Bob Kerrey, D-Neb., who appeared with the New Mexico Republican on NBC’s "Meet the Press."

"Don’t negotiate with the president at the moment," Kerrysaid. "Negotiate with congressional Democrats who have already demonstrated a willingness to vote for the very committee, where differences between the two chambers’ versions will be worked out, or even beyond, to what will happen after President Clinton vetoes the final product.

1. Associate Press

By JIM ABRAMS

WASHINGTON

Senators should avoid the political minefield between the White House and Congress and open bipartisan talks on how to balance the budget, Senate Budget Committee Chairman Pete Domenici proposed today.

"I’m willing to deal," respondent Sen. Bob Kerrey, D-Neb., who appeared with the New Mexico Republican on NBC’s "Meet the Press."

"Don’t negotiate with the president at the moment," Kerrysaid. "Negotiate with congressional Democrats who have already demonstrated a willingness to vote for the very

Budget in the Senate

After passing through the House on Tuesday, the Senate approved the Republican budget bill Saturday, 52-47.

MEDICARE

- Raises annual deductible to $150 in 1996 and over.
- Shave $66 billion from hospital fee increases.
- Raise costs to beneficiaries, encourage elderly to switch to Medicare Advantage plans.

WELFARE

- Mandate foster care.
- School lunches and payments to fund programs for pregnant women and infants as federal programs.
- Claims $6 billion

EDUCATION

- Phase-out of federal grants.
- Colleges pay a 6.5 percent surcharge.
- Federal subsidies for debuted loans.
- Students pay the interest costs during the six-month period after graduation.

TAXES

- A tax break for about 600 college football head coaches and assistant coaches, for contributions to a retirement plan run by the American Football Coaches Association.

A tax break for about 600 college football head coaches and assistant coaches, for contributions to a retirement plan run by the American Football Coaches Association.

The coaches argue that they need the provision because a bad season can leave them without a job, and they have trouble becoming vested in a college’s pension plan.

Former Rep. Guy Vander Jagt, now a lobbyist for the coaches, was spotted in House Republican Majority Leader Dick Armey’s office on Tuesday.

Critics call the provision an example of special-interest legislation that made money for the coaches, their high profile and their lobbying campaign.

For more information on Medjugorje and on other Marian activities at Notre Dame see the Children of Mary homepage, or call Danny at 634-1599 or Dave at 634-1870.
Storm rocks Philippines, kills 68
Associated Press

Tropical storm Zack whipped through the Philippines over the weekend, killing at least 68 people and leaving thousands homeless before heading into the South China Sea on Sunday.

With peak winds of 65 mph, the storm destroyed hundreds of houses and major roads, knocked out power lines in many areas, and sank a ship and several boats. Zack struck hard on the islands of Negros and Panay.

The death toll was raised to 68 Sunday when three bodies were found in Bacolod, 380 miles south of Manila. Several people were missing Sunday, most of them shanty dwellers whose homes were swept away by swollen rivers.

Officials said a motorized outrigger canoe capsized off Bacolod, on Negros, at the height of the storm Saturday night, but rescuers later found its six passengers. One of them, 9-year-old John Ray Tayag, told a radio station that he was separated from his father and four other men Saturday night as their boat overturned.

"I held on to the outrigger and never let go of it. I thought I would never see my father again," the weeping boy said as he was reunited with his father Sunday.

Gov. Rafael Coscoluella said the storm lasted only an hour in Negros Occidental but caught many unprepared. The storm hit the island at 8 p.m. Saturday, hours after pummeling Cebu, west of Negros.

From Negros, the storm swept northwestern to Panay Island before midnight, causing floods that have isolated many towns from Iloilo City, the island's main urban center.

Officials said at least 57 people drowned on Negros and 24 were injured. On Panay, flooding drowned four people; two were reportedly missing and more than 50,000 people evacuated. Six people died on the island of Cebu.

An inter-island ship capsized Saturday and later sunk between Leyte and Camotes islands northeast of Cebu City, killing one person. Coast Guard officials said 49 people, all crew members, were rescued by three ships responding to a distress signal.

In Manila, President Fidel Ramos ordered calamity funds released for affected areas. By early Sunday night, the weather bureau said Zack was moving northward into the South China Sea and farther away from central Philippines.

Zack, locally named Pepang, was the third tropical storm to enter the Philippine area this year, and the worst to hit Cebu since 1990.

Mideast summit begins
with dreams of prosperity
By GREG MYRE
Associated Press

AMMAN, Jordan

After decades of war and political feuding, Mideast nations opened their biggest economic conference Sunday to search for ways to make up for years of lost development.

Hundreds of foreign businessmen, many of them from the United States and Europe, came in search of new markets. Government officials handed out thick booklets with ambitious plans for regional highways, airports and railroads.

The discussions are expected to produce more networking than actual deals, but the gathering symbolizes the effort to set aside age-old conflicts and focus on the pressing need for social development.

"For too long this has been a region of warriors and widows," said Secretary of State Warren Christopher. "It once again should become a region of builders and traders." Christopher urged the Arab world to end its boycott of Israel, saying it "imperils regional economic integration."

The United States has long opposed the boycott, which was imposed after Israel was established in 1948 on the Arab land of Palestine. The boycott has weakened considerably since Israel negotiated peace agreements with the Palestinians in 1993 and Jordan in 1994.

Altogether, about 2,000 government officials and business leaders from 60 countries were taking part in the three-day conference, officially the Middle East-North Africa Economic Summit.

Israel's Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin said economic reform was badly needed, and countries couldn't expect large inflows of foreign capital simply because they had signed peace agreements.

"No one can come here because of our winning smiles," Rabin told delegates at Jordan's Palace of Culture. "They all want to make money."
Dear Editor:

I am aware that Gerry Adams is no longer scheduled to speak at the university on Northern Ireland, because, after reading all that has been written in The Observer and being a visitor, I felt that I had clarified what I see as misconceptions.

During my study at Saint Mary's College Ireland Program when I was an undergraduate at Saint Mary's. That year biased my opinions on the conflict in Northern Ireland from August of 1994 to August of 1995. This formed the basis for helping remove some of the biases I acquired during my time at Maynooth. Some of what I have to say is based on the experiences I had of doing cross-community work with people from the Catholic and Protestant communities in Northern Ireland. Some of what I have to say is based on what I have learned from history books.

Furthermore, I was disappointed in the letter from the representatives of SUB, Saoirse and Voice of Irish students on what the money given for Adams' visit would be spent on. While I share those concerns, it seems to point out some incorrect information. The Irish Republic of Ulster is known as a twenty year history of killing people. "The Troubles," as the open conflict has been termed, started in 1969. The ceasefire declared in 1994 on the twenty-fifth anniversary of open conflict. The IRA has been around, in various forms, for much longer than this event.

Moreover, I was disappointed in the letter from the representatives of SUB, Saoirse and Voice of Irish students, concerning the cuts in Northern Ireland. The money has not been cut. The main beneficiary of Northern Ireland is the Catholics (who typically consider themselves British) and the Protestants (who typically consider themselves Irish). Now, the Irish are not a conflict between Northern Ireland and Great Britain. They might say it is a conflict between Northern Ireland and Great Britain. I think they might say it is a conflict between Ireland and the United Kingdom, but I would not say it is a conflict between Northern Ireland and Great Britain.

Secondly, I state the fact that the conflict is "one which affects many Notre Dame students and their families is insensitive to those who live in Northern Ireland whom it truly affects. This is a conflict that can deeply affect most students at this university. To tell students who are from Northern Ireland and those with close family members there, I will grant this statement. At the risk of offending many, I will not grant it to those who are of Irish descent. My reason for saying this is that my experience has shown me that most of the Irish people living in the Republic of Ireland are not even truly affected by the conflict. In fact, most of my Irish friends from the Republic have never even been in the North and have not vested interest in the North. Therefore, I have a hard time accepting that this conflict is one that affects many Notre Dame students and their families. To say this is to devalue the pain of those whom it truly affects: those who have had parents and siblings killed in the conflict and those who live in fear of who will be the next victim of the fighting.

By way of further comment, I would like to add that it was in the 1600s that the idea of the Ulster plantations was formed with the consent of the English king. At this point, English and Scottish people settled in Ulster in order to ensure the rebellions, which were so common there, would end. Ulster being the nine counties which comprise one of the four ancient provinces of Ireland. (Let me add as a note, it was in 1994 on the twenty-fifth anniversary of open conflict. The IRA has been around, in various forms, for much longer than this event. Moreover, I was disappointed in the letter from the representatives of SUB, Saoirse and Voice of Irish students, concerning the cuts in Northern Ireland. The money has not been cut. The main beneficiary of Northern Ireland is the Catholics (who typically consider themselves British) and the Protestants (who typically consider themselves Irish). Now, the Irish are not a conflict between Northern Ireland and Great Britain. They might say it is a conflict between Northern Ireland and Great Britain. I think they might say it is a conflict between Ireland and the United Kingdom, but I would not say it is a conflict between Northern Ireland and Great Britain."

---

**Letter to the Editor**

Clarifying misconceptions about Northern Ireland

---

**ODINNEY**

**THE OBSERVER**

---

**PROGRESS**

---

**QUOTE OF THE DAY**

"All the world over, I will hack the masses against the classes."

—William Ewart Gladstone
I would like to address the dialogue surrounding the trial of Minister Louis Farrakhan and the criticism of the Million Man March.

Many people (national leaders, media, and lay persons) are making strong statements about Farrakhan. Those who favor the March, but have outspoken problems with the man. They stress that most leaders are slaves to the politics of supporting "radical," "controversial" leaders. In the majority of the cases, what else has the "man" done? Has he broken his own rules, or is there a mass delusion? What a section- possible to be in agreement with a man, or group that you find to be reprehensible from which it comes. I have no problem with that. I am referring to all that wish to separate the man from the message. It is more important to delineate, in your heart, the man from the message before you can begin to try to pass judgment on Farrakhan. Quite simply, the media do not give you? In words taken from a rap song of the "anti-racism" rap group, Public Enemy:

"I'm a follower of Farrakhan, don't tell me that you understand what this man says. (Don't Believe the Hype, 1985)."

I have had the unique opportunity to watch Farrakhan grow and evolve throughout the years. I have traveled with him around Chicago's gang infested, economically depressed neighborhoods, through the streets of Chicago, and the South Side of Chicago. As a self-supported black business, the Mosque spans an entire block. Myaram is a phenomenon, not only in Chicago, but across the nation. The Mosque, Farrakhan has established The University of Islam, a self-supported educational institution. In an area that once was known for its high school students to four year colleges, Farrakhan is a man that deserves better coverage than the media has given him in recent weeks.

I have listened, and read the actual man has done. I have watched him grow and evolve differently than the media would like to portray him. He has always understood that "The Black Man Must Do Everything". What is it that the media has failed to give you? In what circumstances do you interpret such diagnosis as had the time? Is the message of hate? No. Is that a message of choice, knowledge of self, and knowledge of edge.

Secondly, he is a man that cares about America. He tells us the message of hate. He tells us the message of love. He is a realist that likes to portray him. He is a realist that likes to portray him. He is a realist that likes to portray him.
The Irish took possession of the ball with 12:23 remaining in the fourth quarter. The Eagles didn't see it again until the 2:37 mark.

Marc Edwards

For the second straight week, Edwards was the focus of the Irish offense. He rambled for 167 yards on 28 carries.

"They were living off the past. We were more focused on this season."

—Irish linebacker Lyron Cobb

Grounded

Irish running game steamrolls Eagles to cloud past memories

By MIKE NORBUT
Sports Editor

Weeks from now, no one will be able to recall one specific play that put Notre Dame on its way to a 20-10 win over Boston College Saturday.

But there will be plenty of reasons to remember the game's significance.

"I don't have a ring on my finger because of them," offensive guard Ryan Leahy said, alluding to the Eagles 41-39 upset win in 1993. "It feels great to beat a team which made such a big deal out of beating us."

In addition to the revenge factor, the Irish needed to win to stay in the hunt for a major bowl game. At 7-2 and with two service academies left to play, they look to be in the driver's seat.

With all of this to play for, it was easy to see the emotion flowing out of the Irish during Notre Dame's 20-10 victory over Boston College.

"It's no secret that our players and our school consider this a big football game, and will always consider it a big game," patronized Boston College head coach Dan Henning.

"It's tremendous how important this game is," said Notre Dame's Marc Edwards. "We're trying to put past seasons behind us."

"We kept reminding ourselves all year long, hey, we've got BC coming up, we've got to get going," added offensive tackle Mike Doughty.

The reality, though, was that Grudge Match IV resembled a bridge game more than a football rivalry. The game was hard-fought, of that there is no doubt. There was intensity and little sloppiness.

Perhaps, then, it is the lingering pain of the past two losses to the Boys from Bean town that is troublesome. The ghosts from them might have been exorcised on Saturday. But they were not driven away with scorn and fury heretofore unseen in the Irish. They were not made ashamed for having presumed
The Observer • IRISH EXTRA
Monday, October 30, 1995

Edwards, Irish offensive game plan straightforward

By TIM SEYMOUR
Associate Sports Editor

No gate force winds or monsoon-like rains were listed in the weather report. The final list of injuries revealed that starting quarterbacks Ron Powlus of Notre Dame and Mark Hartsell of Boston College were both fully fit. Perhaps it was fate, then, or the alignment of the stars, which conspired against any hope of aerial attack in Saturday's Irish victory.

Whatever the reason, relentless, pun­ishing ground games were all the rage as the two teams executed mirror-image game plans of san­cume.

Certainly the story was telling: Boston College - 37 carries for 154 yards. Notre Dame: 56 rushes for 247 yards (74% of total plays in the contest were on the ground).

"I hate to say it, but that's the way I like to see a football team play," commented Irish head coach Lou Holtz on the ball control philosophy, which included a 9-4 Notre Dame drive in the fourth quarter to seal its victory.

Sort of like the Pony Express — old-fashioned. Just not as fast.

But the distinction between old-fashioned and obsolete must also be made.

Creativity was not an Irish forte, but maintaining a winning streak continues.

"We don't get anything cheap — we have to work hard for everything," noted Holtz. "But maybe that's not all bad either."

It certainly wasn't for fullback Marc Edwards, who was the epitome of a punishing on-rush to a career high 28 carries for 167 yards and a touchdown. On a day when tailbacks Randy Kinder and Autry Denson were relatively ineffective, Edwards proved to be the differ­ence, rumbled up 72 yards, and again into the teeth of the Eagle defense.

On Notre Dame's first drive it looked easy, as he picked up 47 yards on two successive bursts up the middle. From there on, however, goal yard was a checklist of wills, with Edwards the vector more often than not. Never was this more apparent than in the Irish's backbreaking fourth quarter drive, when he burcharged the ball 12 of the 15 plays.

"I noticed (the fatigue) on the last drive," admitted Edwards.

"I was tired, but I knew the guys up front were tired too. We just had to keep going."

Marc Edwards' first quarter burst set the tone, as the Irish stuck to a simplistic, yet highly effective game plan of running inside against Boston College.

Keep going he did, largely to the men in the trenches. Without the threat of a passing game to keep the Eagles guessing, Notre Dame's offensive line went mano-a-mano with the vaunted Eagles defensive front and drove them off the ball.

"We were having too much fun pounding them up front," said right tackle Mike Doughty. "We didn't want to pass at all."

Doughty's wish was almost reality. After being lauded for an ingenuous and diverse game plan against USC, the offense was plain vanilla against BC. Powlus threw almost as many explicatives as passes. Derrick Mayes was silent for the second consecutive week.

Conservative would be an underestimate, facet more accurate.

In the end though, results count more than aesthetics. When a fullback with a brushcut and the mentality of an offen­sive lineman is the star, chances are it's not going to be pretty. But it definitely will be effective.

"Marc is just outstanding," said senior right guard Ryan Leahy. "Whenever he runs, he's out to hurt somebody, just like us."

Most likely most of the BC defense was feeling Edwards' bruising style the next morning. Both on their bodies and their egos.

Irish

continued from page 1

players. You needed a magnifying glass to find the flaw.

Plair wasn't in the Notre Dame game plan, though.

The Irish simply brought their lunch boxes to Notre Dame Stadium Saturday, methodically pulling out fullback dive after fullback dive until the Eagles were sick to their stomachs.

"With the nature of their stunts, they're dead on fullbacks," Irish coach Lou Holtz said. "We felt this was the type of defense where the fullback could have a game.

Marc Edwards had, quite possibly, the game of his life. The fullback gained 167 yards on 28 carries and scored two touchdowns.

He had seven straight carries on Notre Dame's final scoring drive, which took up almost ten minutes of the fourth quarter.

"I kind of noticed on the last drive I was carrying the ball a lot," Edwards said. "I was tired, but I knew the guys up front of me were tired too."

His 167 yards was the best per­formance by an Irish back since Lee Grasmanis, Wynn and Bennett weren't brilliant, but they made plays and pressured the QB at key times.

The Observer/Rob Finch

Autry Denson and the Irish had little success running outside against the Eagles.

Grasmanis, Wynn and Bennett weren't brilliant, but they made plays and pressured the QB at key times.

"We need to have our fullback dive against the Eagles', and coach Dan Henning's, backs."

Hening said of Hartseell's performance. "But he was a spark in the second half for us."

That is, until the Irish defense came through once again in the clutch.

"We stopped the big plays, and we created big plays of our own," Cobbins, who now has three interceptions in the past two games, said. "That's the philo­sophy we live by."

It's a kind of corollary to the "Bend but Don't Break" philosophy, which the defense has thrived on this year. Recently, it has been working Opponents have had trouble scoring in the red zone in the past few weeks.

"If we just keep starting to threaten, we'll make the big plays," outside linebacker Bert Berry said. "It was very satisfying for us."

Just like their final scoring chance, the Eagles' first possession of the game took them down to Notre Dame's 20, but Mark Hartsell was intercepted by LaRon Moore to erase the threat.

The pick momentarily protected a 7-0 Irish lead, which they jumped out to on the first five plays of the game. Ron Powlus, who passed only ten times on the day, hit Edwards on a screen pass, and watched him ramble 17 yards for the score.

The Eagles rallied to tie the game in the second quarter on an Omar Walker two-yard run, which capped cee epic drive of their own. Cengia's first field goal, a 22-yard effort, gave the lead back to the Irish with just over a minute to play in the first half. They went into the locker room with a 10-7 advantage, one which they would never again lose.

It was an unexpected chain of events following Notre Dame's cakewalk on their first possession. But it wasn't unexpected to Notre Dame coach Lou Holtz.

"I felt it was going to be a heckuva ball game," he said. "We knew it would be a hard fought football game. We knew it would go down to the wire."

The Irish took a commanding lead in the third quarter on an Edwards plunge from two yards out. The 13-play drive had just three passes, the most in any single Irish drive all game.

Notre Dame finished with 318 total yards, including 247 on the ground.

"We don't get anything cheap," Holtz said. "We didn't have to get anything cheap."

They earned a victory over the Eagles Saturday. And some respect.

Graded Position Analysis

Quarterback B

Ron Powlus was only allowed to throw ten times. He fumbled twice (lost one), but he ran the option well. Whatever they asked him to do, he basically did.

Running Backs A-

You can't take anything away from Marc Edwards' performance. Which was statistically the best by an Irish back in two years. No one else needed to shine.

Receivers B-

Mark it on your calendar — Charlie Stafford caught his second pass of the season. And two drives were called on to do much more than block, which had to be frustrating. It's good they took it out on BC's D-backs.

Offensive Line B

Hopefully this unit won't have back problems next week after carrying the team for four quarters. There were bigger holes at ST. Joseph's lake on Saturday.

Defensive Line B

Grasmanis, Wynn and Bennett weren't brilliant, but they made plays and pressured the QB at key times.

Linebackers A-

They were caught by different blocking schemes off the bat, but they soon recovered to make the plays.

Derrick Mayes' interception was huge.

Secondary A

A clutch performance by both the starters and the nickel unit. They challenged blockers on runs and harrassed receivers on pass routes. And this time, LaRon Moore didn't nearly kill a teammate on his pick.

Special Teams A

Scott Cragua was a boost by actually hitting a couple of field goals. Nothing else major really happened with these units, but that's not necessarily a bad thing.

Coaching B

The play calling was consistent, that's for sure. Some passes to Derrick Mayes could have been helpful. It might even have given the Irish a blowout win.

Overall Grade 3.22

Notre Dame finally got its much-desired victory over Boston College. It might not have been dazzling, but neither was the weather.

--Mike Norbut
Making the big plays

Confidence in creating the turnovers rising for Irish defenders

By Thomas Schmidt
Assistant Sports Editor

It was not a thing of beauty, but the Notre Dame defense will take it anyway they can. Short on size, depth and experiences they never fail to make the game interesting.

Defensive coordinator Bob Davie's much maligned "Bad News Bears" defense does not dominate. Yet, when the Irish need the big play, they produce. "This nobody has ever been able to create the big play and limit the big play," Irish linebacker Lynn Cobbins said.

While this may have been the philosophy from the start of the season, they are finally beginning to live it. After giving up big plays in each of the first seven games, they began to make the big plays against USC and carried that big play attitude into the matchup with Boston College.

"The confidence level was real high," Cobbins explained. "There is a snowball effect. We knew what we did against USC and applied it to this game." Early in the game the Irish defense did not appear any different than in previous games.

The Irish forced only one punt in the entire game. But they gave up 97 rushing yards in the first half.

"A running back Justice Smith experienced much of the game success that Darrell Aurty, Eddie George and the other running backs have had against the Irish, which was just returning from a knee surgery," Cobbins explained. "They sold 92 yards on 25 carries.

Behind the running of Smith and the shaky passing of Eagle quarterback Mark Hartsell, the two teams entered the red zone (Irish 20 yard line) three times, but that was where the Irish defense made its stand.

Hartsell completed only one pass and threw two interceptions while Eagle running backs gained only 14 yards on seven carries.

This week's game came on a Omari Walker touchdown run from the two yard line in the second quarter.

"Last year we gave up a lot of points in the red zone," free safety Lallon Moore explained. "This year we kind of pick each other up and come together.

"We have made a concerted effort to get up and applied the red zone," Berterry agreed. "Every time they started to threaten we would come up with the key play.

"That was exactly what they did.

The Irish intercepted two Hartsell passes within the Irish ten yard line.

"There is no doubt that those two interceptions were key," head coach Lou Holtz said.

Irish linebacker Lynn Cobbins intercepted his third pass in two games in the fourth quarter. That interception gave Cobbins as many receptions as wide receiver Derrick Mayes in that two game span.

If the Eagles had been able to score on that drive the score would have been tied at 17 with less than a quarter to play.

"We were working on dropping the linebacker back into zone and man coverage," Holtz said of Cobbins interception. "I told him a couple weeks ago that I never thought he would ever get an interception. He had not even intercepted a pass in practice the entire game, and gave up 92 yards on 25 carries.

Lallon Moore registered seven tackles and a crucial interception of a Mark Hartsell pass run the Irish defense through the game.

Moore snagged the other interception on the Eagles' first drive of the game. With the Irish up 7-0 and the Eagles on the Irish 20, Hartsell tried to force the ball to his crossing wide out, but Moore stopped in front of the receiver to steal the Eagles' drive.

"We were playing zone and they tried to loop the pass in," Moore said. "I just put my hands up and got the interception.

"The defense may not make it look pretty, but they will take it any way they can.

Seymour

equality with college football's preeminent program.

And after all, that is what every Irish fan really wanted. A trashbag. Something more than the newly-founded Ireland Trophy to seal the zeal in the annual game.

This is a rivalry that so far has had all the right qualities. The Catholic connection. The fake punt and 'overrated' cheer in 1992. The National Championship denied. The Irish nadir in 1992. The story lines were easier to pick out than fake Boston accents.

What is the new present. The Irish buried another obstacle in their quest for a big-time bowl and left happy. The Eagles played like a team better than their 7-6 record and left relatively happy.

What good is a rivalry where both sides are simultaneously happy?

Something went wrong on Saturday. It was a game, but it was not an epic.

I dare you to pick a memorable moment. In 1992 the onslaught of points told the story. In 1993 David Gordon's wobbly kick and the prone Irish players in the aftermath are forever ingrained. Last year the Boston College students hanging from the goalposts tormented Irish viewers.

What then, of this victory? Lynn Cobbins' interception? Edwards ramping into a mass of humanity? Powlus drilling the ball at 46 after being sacked?

In truth, Notre Dame did little to perpetuate the string of greatness that had been the hallmark of the series to date. The Eagles made it clear that they were only able to scrap, claw and hope for the best. The Irish survived, but hardly conquered.

Afterswards some tried to compare the series to other storied Irish rivalries. But great players are made in great rivalries. Rocket Iman and Kevin McDougall defined themselves against Michigan. Tony Rice and a host of others can point to the USC game.

Derrick Mayes has been a trooper, but needed to step from the shadows. Powlus' legend could have gained some substance. Edwards is more guts than glory.

A win is a win, no one will deny that. It might have been something else. But a catharsis it was not.
Notre Dame senior tight end Pete Chryplewicz reacts after hauling in a 16-yard catch in the third quarter. His reaction shows a bit of the satisfaction the Irish experienced by beating Boston College for the first time in three years.

Notre Dame 20
Boston College 10

Notre Dame Stadium
October 28, 1995

GAME NOTES
By MIKE NORBUT
Sports Editor

With his third interception in the last two games, inside linebacker Lyron Cobbins is now tied for the team lead with Shawn Wooden. Could Derrick Mayes be next?

Cobbins has caught as many passes in the past two weeks as Notre Dame's premier receiver, who had just one catch against Boston College Saturday.

 "All I know is his catches just count as receptions," Cobbins said with a smile. "Mine count as turnovers." While Mayes hasn't caught too many passes, he has been instrumental in Notre Dame's dominant running game.

 "Derrick has been playing very unselfishly, blocking for the backs downfield," fullback Marc Edwards said. "I think he'd savor a win more than a couple of touchdown catches." Mayes would, but that might not discount from the fact that some members of the defense may let him hear about Cobbins' skills.

 "I might, you never know," he said. "I wouldn't mind playing offense." Special Changes: The most noticeable change for the Irish Saturday was the replacement of freshman kicker Kevin Kopka with sophomore Scott Cengia, who hit two extra points and two field goals from distances of 22 and 26 yards. Kopka was demoted to just kickoff duties.

 "For me, it's good to be a part of this win," Cengia said. "I just put my faith in God and let things take its old." Cengia, who had confidence problems last year, can relate to what Kopka has been going through in recent weeks.

 "I'm trying to help him out with that," he said. "Hopefully, he can come around and we'll be a big asset to this team." Other changes on the special teams included Allen Rossum on kickoff returns and Mayes returning punts.

Excuses, Excuses: Boston College coach Dan Henning was baffled and a bit miffed with the playing situation at Notre Dame Stadium Saturday.

 "It's about as dark in here as it was on the field," he said of the press tent, which would have been pitch black if not for a few spotlights shining on the speaker's podium. Another element that the Eagles coach couldn't quite get was the length of time involved in each television timeout.

 "It was like an eternity every time-out," Henning continued. "I've never seen longer timeouts in a game before in my life. I didn't understand it at all."

While Saturday's game was finished in three hours, Notre Dame games televised on NBC usually last about half an hour longer.

It's a Big Game: Parallel answers came from opposite locker rooms when players and coaches were asked about the growing rivalry between the Irish and Eagles.

 "I think our players know how big of a game this is becoming," Henning said. "Hopefully, they'll have this attitude through the next century, which is how long our series lasts."

 "I want this to be a friendly rivalry," Irish coach Lou Holtz said. "Miami was not a healthy rivalry. This should be. Maybe the Ireland Trophy is the answer."
Building homes and friendships

Sorin Hall residents come together to give and learn among South Dakota Indians

By DAN CICHALSKI
Assistant Accent Editor

Monday, October 30, 1995 page 9

The new walls and floors of this former trailer were built with the helping hands of the men of Sorin Hall.

A handful of Notre Dame students spent fall break building homes with South Dakota's Lakota Indians.

The hourglass fills: The past two weeks of 'Days'

By CHRISTINA FITICAR and ERIN KELSEY
Accent "Days of Our Lives" Correspondents

W e're back, everyone. Don't worry, though, we faithfully watched "Days" during break and didn't miss a beat of it.

First of all, Carrie and Austin, while at a conference at the Green Mountain Inn, "danced" to the tune of "Reunited" by Peaches and Herb, but Lucas interrupted with the news that crazy Sami was falling asleep, his hand ran off stage, and ran back on again; then Bo started the very alluring dance, ran off stage, and didn't miss a beat of it.

The previous two trips went to Appalachia or out to South Dakota on similar "home improvement" projects. Dan Koth of Sorin Hall led one such crew out to the Crow Creek Indian Reservation in Fort Thompson, South Dakota. Eighteen Sorin men and their rector, Father Steve Newton, spent the week helping to build two homes on the reservation but for a couple of appreciative families.

Such trips have been common for Sorin residents the last few years. Koth, a junior from the Milwaukee suburb of Greendale, Wisconsin, has participated in these service projects the last three years but Father Newton was able to join them for the first time this fall. Previous two trips went to Appalachia and Atlanta.

With the help of Father Newton and Jay Brandenberger at the Center for Social Concerns, Koth organized the trip by getting in touch with Ed Whiting at the Crow Creek Reservation. Father Newton helped with such details as arranging for the rental of transportation while Brandenberger served as a link to the earlier trips and also suggested this year's location. "He gave me an idea of what to look for and was really anxious to hear how the experience on the reservation went," said Koth.

The group left Notre Dame at midnight on October 13, driving the fourteen hours to Ft. Thompson in rental cars. For a week, the men from Sorin worked with other residents during the day and took advantage of the new surroundings at night. "It was amazing to see the difference in lifestyles," Koth recalls. "They are much more laid-back. Work begins when everyone gets there and we would finish for the day when we decided that we had worked enough."

One project involved rebuilding an old trailer into a permanent home. After tearing down the original walls and basically disassembling the trailer, the workers rebuilt it again, adding the frames for the new walls.

At the other site, the foundation for the home was already in place. Koth and his group laid the floor, added the front wall, and began construction on the reservation. "We gained a lot from helping build these homes. We learned so much about their background and they showed their appreciation as well," Koth said.

"Eighteen Sorin men and their hosts. A more real taste at a museum and the capital out on until you go on something like this," said Koth.

For Koth and the others, this was another memorable Notre Dame experience. They gained satisfaction in helping to build these homes, to be a part of a real taste, to see kids at that age trying to hold on to their culture. Many today tend to stray from it.

Part of this Lakota culture also involves Catholicism—about half of the Indians are Catholic, according to Koth, and many are quite familiar with Notre Dame, some of the children and their parents hope that one day they can attend this university.

Such trips have been common including a case involving a man named Jude St. Francis was falling asleep, his hand ran off stage, and ran back on again; then Bo started the very alluring dance, ran off stage, and didn't miss a beat of it.

Carrie now refuses to get back together with Austin since she promised God that if he allowed the baby to live, she would give up Austin forever. Whatever, Carrie, it's your wasted life.

Lexy began her quest to find her real parents while Celeste, successful so far, boggled all of her attempts to do so. However, she did get an anonymous phone call from her parents' former lawyer, Mr. Murchinson, whom Celeste threatened and therefore kept quiet when Lexy and Abe visited him in person. Mr. Murchinson, in his phone call, told her to visit the public records and check them for the first time this fall. Previous two trips went to Appalachia and Atlanta.

And ran back on again; then Bo started the very alluring dance, ran off stage, and ran back on again; then Bo started the very alluring dance, ran off stage, and didn't miss a beat of it.

Lexy began her quest to find her real parents while Celeste, successful so far, boggled all of her attempts to do so. However, she did get an anonymous phone call from her parents' former lawyer, Mr. Murchinson, whom Celeste threatened and therefore kept quiet when Lexy and Abe visited him in person. Mr. Murchinson, in his phone call, told her to visit the public records and check them for the first time this fall. Previous two trips went to Appalachia and Atlanta.

Lexy and Jennifer's house. Jenifer got angry when she found out Sarah was there, but things were cleared up by Friday. So, don't worry, all you people who want Jack and Jennifer to get back together, Oh, and they took Abby out too. You know it was a crazy week when Abby got attention. And one piece of advice: Tony, can you breathe just a little deeper?
Richter shines as Rangers outlast Maple Leafs

Associated Press

NEW YORK – Goaltender Mike Richter hasn't been at his best in Madison Square Garden this season.

So Sunday night's 3-2 victory for the Rangers over the front-running Maple Leafs felt somewhat like a comeback at home.

"I was pleased with the way it went," Richter said after making 35 saves, including a game-saver on a breakaway by Doug Gilmour in the second period. "I know sometimes it has been a little up-and-down, but I'm trying to buckle down, not overplay the puck and be more patient. That was real-somewhat like a comeback at home."

"Mike doesn't have any critics in my dressing room," Messier said. "He's our full confidence all the way. He's going to play better game in front of him today. He made some big saves, which always difference in a goal." Both of the Maple Leafs' goals were scored on the power play, by Mike Gartner. Richter's best stop of the night came when he stopped a sliver of a chance with only three minutes less than the final period behind. With 1:18 left, the Rangers were down 2-0 and Gartner off Gartner as he tried to jam the puck into the net from outside the crease. In the third period, Richter faced 15 shots and allowed only one goal.

"He went up against a pretty good goal in the second period," Rangers captain Mark Messier said of Richter didn't mean anything to the team.

Mike doesn't have any critics in my dressing room," Messier said. "He's our full confidence all the way. He's going to play better game in front of him today. He made some big saves, which always difference in a goal.

Both of the Maple Leafs' goals were scored on the power play, by Mike Gartner. Richter's best stop of the night came when he stopped a sliver of a chance with only three minutes less than the final period behind. With 1:18 left, the Rangers were down 2-0 and Gartner off Gartner as he tried to jam the puck into the net from outside the crease. In the third period, Richter faced 15 shots and allowed only one goal.

"He went up against a pretty good goal in the second period," Rangers captain Mark Messier said of Richter's save on Gilmour's breakaway. "Bickly (Richter) did a great job of playing the game around."

Luc Bodaille, Adam Graves and Rick Vaive, who tied the Maple Leafs' two goals in the second period and scored their third goal in four nights.

"We wanted to play a simple game, but we put ourselves behind the eight-ball early," Gartner said. "We played 55 minutes of pretty good hockey after that. We threw everything we could at the net, but we couldn't get one past Richter."

The Maple Leafs tied it at 1:08 of the second when Gartner scored on the power play on a shot that first hit the post and then slid under Richter. The Rangers then got their own goal when Graves beat Dan Bylsma on a breakaway for his first at 3:35. New York made it 3-1 when Ferguson scored on a breakaway after skat­ ing down the left side.

Gartner, a former Ranger who had received a hero's welcome after scoring his first goal, scored at 5:19 of the third to cut New York's lead to 3-2.

Andrei Trefilov took the loss for the Leafs, making 33 saves against 35 shots.

Rangers 10 The Observer

"I was pleased with the way it went," Richter said after making 35 saves, including a game-saver on a breakaway by Doug Gilmour in the second period. "I know sometimes it has been a little up-and-down, but I'm trying to buckle down, not overplay the puck and be more patient. That was real-somewhat like a comeback at home."

"Mike doesn't have any critics in my dressing room," Messier said. "He's our full confidence all the way. He's going to play better game in front of him today. He made some big saves, which always difference in a goal.

Both of the Maple Leafs' goals were scored on the power play, by Mike Gartner. Richter's best stop of the night came when he stopped a sliver of a chance with only three minutes less than the final period behind. With 1:18 left, the Rangers were down 2-0 and Gartner off Gartner as he tried to jam the puck into the net from outside the crease. In the third period, Richter faced 15 shots and allowed only one goal.

"He went up against a pretty good goal in the second period," Rangers captain Mark Messier said of Richter didn't mean anything to the team.

Mike doesn't have any critics in my dressing room," Messier said. "He's our full confidence all the way. He's going to play better game in front of him today. He made some big saves, which always difference in a goal.

Both of the Maple Leafs' goals were scored on the power play, by Mike Gartner. Richter's best stop of the night came when he stopped a sliver of a chance with only three minutes less than the final period behind. With 1:18 left, the Rangers were down 2-0 and Gartner off Gartner as he tried to jam the puck into the net from outside the crease. In the third period, Richter faced 15 shots and allowed only one goal.

"He went up against a pretty good goal in the second period," Rangers captain Mark Messier said of Richter's save on Gilmour's breakaway. "Bickly (Richter) did a great job of playing the game around."

Luc Bodaille, Adam Graves and Rick Vaive, who tied the Maple Leafs' two goals in the second period and scored their third goal in four nights.

"We wanted to play a simple game, but we put ourselves behind the eight-ball early," Gartner said. "We played 55 minutes of pretty good hockey after that. We threw everything we could at the net, but we couldn't get one past Richter."

The Maple Leafs tied it at 1:08 of the second when Gartner scored on the power play on a shot that first hit the post and then slid under Richter. The Rangers then got their own goal when Graves beat Dan Bylsma on a breakaway for his first at 3:35. New York made it 3-1 when Ferguson scored on a breakaway after skating down the left side.

Gartner, a former Ranger who had received a hero's welcome after scoring his first goal, scored at 5:19 of the third to cut New York's lead to 3-2.

Andrei Trefilov took the loss for the Leafs, making 33 saves against 35 shots. Richter played the best game in front of him to-
**Indians build foundation for next year**

By CHUCK MELVIN
Associated Press

**CLEVELAND**

Forty-one years after their last World Series, the Cleveland Indians finally made it back to the post season. And unless someone else in the AL Central suddenly improves by 30 games, they'll be there again soon.

The beauty of the Indians' '95 season wasn't just the result. It was the foundation upon which it was built.

"We don't have a whole lot to do," general manager John Hart said. "The nucleus of this club is coming back. We won 100 games. I'm not going to try to re-invent the wheel."

It all added up to a record 30-game margin over second-place Kansas City, and although the record is certainly less meaningful in light of the realignment of the league into three divisions, it means the Royals - and the rest of the division - have a long way to go to catch Cleveland.

The Indians' everyday lineup is virtually set for 1996, the only exception being designated hitter Eddie Murray, whose two-year commitment to Cleveland has ended. Though he hit .323 with 21 homers and 82 RBIs in 113 games this year, Murray, now eligible for free agency, will be 40 next season.

Yet it was the signing of Murray before the '94 season that solidified Cleveland's lineup, giving manager Mike Hargrove someone in the fifth spot in the order to make it more difficult for opponents to pitch around Albert Belle. Belle in 1995 became the first player ever to hit 50 homers and 50 doubles in the same season.

A look at the contractual status of the lineup shows how well Hart's plan of locking up his players with multiyear deals has worked. The number in parentheses is the option year of each player's contract:

- Center fielder Kenny Lofton (1997); shortstop Omar Vizquel (1999); second baseman Carlos Baerga (1999); left fielder Albert Belle (1996); DH Eddie Murray (free agent); third baseman Paul Sorrento (1996); right fielder Manny Ramirez (not yet eligible for free agency); first baseman Jim Thome (1998); second baseman Carlos Baerga (1999); left fielder Albert Belle (1996); DH Eddie Murray (free agent);

- Shortstop Omar Vizquel (1999); DH Eddie Murray (free agent); first baseman Paul Sorrento (1996);

- DH Eddie Murray (free agent); first baseman Paul Sorrento (1996); catcher Sandy Alomar (1998).

"We have grown this club," Hart said. "I think we have another window of opportunity next year."

---

**Sports Section**

**Marino returns for victory, Deion makes Cowboy debut**

**MIAMI**

With Dan Marino back in the lineup, the Miami Dolphins insisted upon their running game and defense to beat the Buffalo Bills.

Bernie Parmalee and Terry Kirby scored on scatological runs and Miami clamped down on Buffalo's offense for a 23-6 victory Sunday.

By beating Buffalo for only the second time in 10 games at Joe Robbie Stadium, the Dolphins broke a three-game losing streak and moved into a tie with the Bills and the Indianapolis Colts atop the AFC East. All three teams are 5-3.

Marino, sidelined the past two games by hip and knee injuries, completed 20 of 35 passes for 232 yards with no touchdowns.

His biggest plays against the AFC's best defense were a pair of handoffs. Parmalee scored on a 20-yard run in the third quarter to break a 6-6 tie, and Kirby added an 11-yard touchdown.

Both runners dived over the goal line to score. Parmalee rushed for 83 yards and Kirby for 70.

With Thurman Thomas and Andre Reed sidelined by hamstring injuries, the Bills offense sputtered. Eight of their 15 possessions failed to produce a first down.

Thomas' replacement, rookie Darick Holmes, rushed for just 24 yards in 12 carries.

Buffalo assistant head coach Elijah Pitts fell to 0-2 filling in for head coach Marv Levy, who is recovering from surgery for prostate cancer.

Pete Stoyanovich broke Garo Yepremian's Miami record for career field goals, hitting kicks of 24 and 33 yards in the first half for a total of 106. Stoyanovich added a 20-yarder in the fourth period.

Stoyanovich's first kick followed a 74-yard drive that included three third-down conversions.

The Bills went more than 15 minutes without a first down in the first half, but trailed only 6-0 at the break to Deion Sanders' 32-yard field goal.

Christie hit another 32-yarder following a 67-yard Buffalo drive at the start of the second half.

Miami quickly regained the lead for good. Marino hit Kirby with a 31-yard pass to the Buffalo 20, and on the next play, Parmalee broke into the end zone positioned for the corner of the end zone and went flying over the pylon to score.

Kirby scored early in the fourth quarter to cap a 61-yard drive.

**Cowboys 28, Falcons 13**

Deion Sanders returned to "this house" Sunday and saw teammates Troy Aikman, Michael Irvin and Emmitt Smith lead him to the Georgia Dome's door.

While Deion had a quiet day at cornerback and caught one 6-yard pass, and Smith led the Cowboys to three touchdowns in a span of nine minutes as they overcame an early 10-0 deficit to beat Atlanta 28-13.

Sanders' debut with Dallas hardly approached his first trip back to his old football home with San Francisco last year.

On that day, he managed to get into a fight with Andre Rison and return an interception 93 yards for a touchdown.

Afterward, he declared: "This is my house. I built this house."

But if Sanders built it, Aikman, Smith and Irvin acted Sunday like they own it.

Aikman was 19 of 25 for 198 yards and two touchdowns, including a 43-yarder to Irvin. Aikman also had a streak of 185 passes without an interception broken by D.J. Johnson in the fourth quarter.

Irvin caught 10 passes for 135 yards and Smith ran for 167 yards on 26 carries, including a 1-yard TD run, his 14th score in eight games this season.

---

**Free Sports Section**

**Oct. 30, 1995**

**6:30 pm - 7:00 pm**

**118 Nieuwland**

Sign up in 101 O'Shaughnessy

---

**DISCOVER new worlds**

**Nov. 9, 10, 11 at 8 p.m. Nov. 12 at 2:30 p.m.**

**Marriott Center/Julie Theatre**

**For ticket information, call 219/334-6026**

---

**Saint Mary's College**

**Steel Magnolias**

---

**F I C**

---

**Get the Right Start**

Call

1-800-4 IBM LOAN
(1-800-442-6666)

For Special Financing

IBM PCs Offer the Perfect Combination of Price, Convenience and Performance

---

**IBM and Notre Dame Computer Store**

Have special educational pricing on PCs and ThinkPad® Notebooks.

Call 631-7477 for more details.
Irish dominate field at ND Relays

By BRIDGET CASEY
Sports Writer

If Saturday’s football game against BC was indeed a “holy war,” Notre Dame Relays on Friday afternoon was a definite demonstration in dominance by the Irish swimmers. While no true Irish fan could breathe a clear sigh of relief until the golden helmets were raised following the Irish victory on Saturday, from start to finish, Notre Dame swimming proved to BC and the rest of the field that Rolfs Aquatic Center is not a place that welcomes the Irish.

“The Relay meet was a fun way to get some races under our belts. The unique format allowed us to swim events we would not normally participate in” commented Irish Captain Joy Michnowicz.

“The wins were definitely a team effort, everyone had a hand in winning both the relay meet and the dual meets on Saturday. It was a great way for us to open competition in the Big East and a preview of the type of competition we will be facing throughout the season,” according to Irish co-captain Anna O’Malley.

The relay meet on Friday showed the balanced depth of both the men and women’s teams with events in all strokes and a variety of distances. The men captured twenty-four of twenty-five events with the onlyblemish occurring in a tight race in the 200 Medley Relay with the Irish finishing second (1:39.33) to Wabash’s 1:40.73.

The women were equally impressive capturing the meet with 218 points to run up over BC’s 170. In all but three events, the women were victorious, finishing second by less than one second to Northern Michigan in the 400 Freestyle Relay and the 200 Medley, and second also to BC in 500 Free relay.

Saturday’s dual meet versus BC again showcased the talent and depth of the men’s squad as the men won all but one race. Freshman Scott Zumbach (1:46.44) led the Irish with three wins outtouching Irish senior Dave Doherty (1:47.11), fellow underclassmen Wes Richardson (1:50.47) and sophomore John Iacobucci led the dominant Kansas City Monarchs.

In other results, senior Rob Sponser placed fifth in the 100 and 200 backstrokes (1:02.42) and the 200 Individual Medley (2:07.84), while senior Liane Gallagher won both the one and three meter diving by nearly fifteen points in each event.

Sophomores Lauren Relay and Shelley Hotchkiss and freshman Anne Iacobucci also emerged victorious for the Irish with Relay taking a close race in the 200 Freestyle (2:07.84). Hotchkiss emerged victorious in the 500 Freestyle (5:06.43) and Iacobucci led the underclassmen with her first-place finish in the 200 Individual Medley (2:11.27).

Following a successful weekend of competition, the Irish look forward to a solid week of training and next Friday’s meet against interstate rival Bowling Green.

Fireside Chat on:

Hildegard von Bingen

To be held in the Notre Dame Room, in the LaFortune Student Center on the campus of The University of Notre Dame, Wednesday, November 1st at 12:00 p.m.

Presented by:

Dr. Bruce Hozeski of Ball State
Founder of the International Society of Hildegard Von Bingen Studies

Sponsored by: Multicultural Executive Council

KANSAS CITY, Mo.
Their brand of baseball was as good as the white man’s and they played to packed houses wherever they went. They could have been major leaguers but for the color of their skin.

They all respect Jackie Robinson for his mental toughness in taking the plunge, but in their hearts, the old Negro Leaguers know that they could have played with the best of them.

“Why do they say Josh Gibson is the black man’s Babe Ruth?” Josh Gibson Jr. said. “Why don’t they say Babe Ruth is the white man’s Josh Gibson?”

Segregation and prejudice were downplayed as about 200 of the approximate 270 surviving Negro Leaguers gathered for the first time to celebrate the 75th anniversary of the formation of the Negro National League. But the knowledge of what they had been denied was still there.

“I am so glad that so many came to honor these guys who built that bridge against that great chasm of prejudice and segregation,” said Buck O’Neil, the power-hitting first baseman who led the dominant Kansas City Monarchs.

“It was easier when I got to the majors,” said Monte Irvin, who batted .404 in 1946 before reaching the majors with the New York Giants. “The playing conditions were better. The travel was easier. If I would have known that, I would have tried to get there faster.”

O’Neil has become the chief spokesman in the attempt to maintain the history of the three decades in which black players barnstormed the country as the games were a major event in the black community.

Negro League baseball began after Robinson signed with Branch Rickey and the Brooklyn Dodgers in 1947 to break the color barrier for the best players, and the last games were played during the early 50s.

The Negro Leagues Baseball Museum is housed at 18th and Vine, only a few blocks from where Rube Foster engineered the formation of the Negro National League in October 1920 and from where the Monarchs won the first Negro League World Series in 1924.

The street corner, now run down, was the place to be when Kansas City and the Negro Leagues were in their heyday.

“I once had an uncle from Arkansas who was coming up to Kansas City and didn’t have an address for his brother,” said Byron Johnson, who played for the 1938 Monarchs. “I told him just go stand at the corner of 18th and Vine and you’ll find him.”
Miss Saigon
November 11
The Auditorium Theatre in Chicago
Tickets on sale at the LaFortune Information Desk beginning tomorrow for only $22 which includes bus to/from Chicago. Free time before and after show to enjoy the city! Buses will depart at 4 p.m...Show begins at 8 p.m. Appropriate attire required (i.e. no jeans)

Sponsored by the Senior Class of 1996

SPORTS BRIEFS
Late Night Olympics
Steering Committee: RecSports is looking for some enthusiastic students who would be interested in helping to plan this all-night sports extravaganza. All funds generated from LNO will go to benefit Special Olympics. Anyone interested should call 1-600 and ask for Mark. Interested athletes: RecSports is offering IF, Club, and Grad/Fac/Staff Basketball, IF and Grad/Fac/Staff Ice Hockey and Campus Co-Rec Basketball. Deadline for entries is Nov. 1. Captains meetings are Thurs., Nov. 2. Irish Outdoors - A meeting will be held today at 9 p.m. at the Spriggy Theatre in LaFortune. Topics are a weekend trip in Nov. membership cards, and DHCP.

SPORTS BRIEFS
Late Night Olympics
Steering Committee: RecSports is looking for some enthusiastic students who would be interested in helping to plan this all-night sports extravaganza. All funds generated from LNO will go to benefit Special Olympics. Anyone interested should call 1-600 and ask for Mark. Interested athletes: RecSports is offering IF, Club, and Grad/Fac/Staff Basketball, IF and Grad/Fac/Staff Ice Hockey and Campus Co-Rec Basketball. Deadline for entries is Nov. 1. Captains meetings are Thurs., Nov. 2. Irish Outdoors - A meeting will be held today at 9 p.m. at the Spriggy Theatre in LaFortune. Topics are a weekend trip in Nov. membership cards, and DHCP.

Irish earn respect in Big East championship

By B. J. HOOD

The Notre Dame cross country teams participated in the Big East Championship for the first time on Saturday. The men finished third and the women landed a seventh place finish of thirteen teams. Senior Derek Seiling led the Irish by placing fifth overall with a time of 25:01. Seiling has been the first Irish finisher three meets in a row. "I was gone all last year, and it took me a little while to get back in the swing of racing," Seiling said.

Freshman Antonio Arce finished second for Notre Dame and seventeenth overall in 25:40. Sophomore Jason Schreeg and junior Matt Althoff were close behind, with times of 25:41 and 25:42, respectively. Senior Joe Dunlop finished twenty-fourth in 25:52. "We had a couple good performances and a couple of guys that could have done better...the freshman Antonio Arce had a hell of a race," Seiling commented.

The men’s team finished behind the winner Providence and tenth ranked Georgetown. Mark Carroll of Providence finished first with a time of 24:30. "Our goal was to win the Big East Championship but you never know what’s going to happen in cross country," Seiling said.

Seiling said the team’s goal is to finish in the top three at nationals. In order to secure an automatic berth at nationals, the Irish will have to be in the top three at the district tournament, which is set for Wisconsin, ranked number one, and another top ten team Michigan will compete. Notre Dame will need a strong performance against the tough competition, but Seiling thinks the Irish can do better. "We haven’t yet pulled together a solid race from everyone on the team," Seiling said.

Senior Maureen Kelly ran a time of 18:38, good for a twenty-third place finish. Seniors Kristen Dudas and Amy Siegal crossed the line next for the Irish, running 19:16 and 19:06 to place thirty-second and thirty-third, respectively.

Other scoring team members included freshmen MARY and sophomore MIEKE WOV.
Irish playoff hopes in doubt following loss to UConn

By DYLAN BARMER
Sports Writer

Life in the Big East has not been pleasant for the Notre Dame men's soccer team. An instant newcomer to the powerful conference this season, the Irish were pegged by many pundits to be among the top five teams in the Big East, but reality has dealt them a cruel blow.

A 4-0 drubbing at the hands of Connecticut on Sunday afternoon dropped the struggling Irish to 3-7 in Big East play on the season, the post-season Irish playoff hopes in doubt following loss to UConn

The loss was hard to swallow for the young Irish team as it was their fourth straight conference loss. After defeating Syracuse 3-0 in their first ever Big East game back on September 10, the Irish, beset by the twin demons of injuries and inconsistency, have gone 2-7 in conference play, including a 1-4 mark over their last five Big East matches, in which they have also been outscored by a margin of 15-2.

The loss dropped the Irish to 7 in conference play, most likely cementing them a spot in the tournament which begins on November 10. Notre Dame's loss was clearly the Huskies' gain.

The Irish were only outshot by a 16-11 margin, but Connecticut's Robb Myers was able to record the shutout in making 3 saves, while Notre Dame freshman Gerick Short recorded a mere 2 in just his second collegiate start.

The shutout was only the fourth the Irish have suffered on the season, with three of them coming at the hands of Big East opponents.

The Irish offense has managed just 5 goals in their last 4 games, 4 of which came in a win over Western Michigan on October 26.

The match against Villanova will be at Alumni Field on Friday, November 3, and the Irish will finish off the regular season with a November 5 game at Wisconsin.

The Italian Club
The Italian Club will hold a meeting on Wednesday, November 1st at 9:00 p.m. in the Foster Room of LaFortune (3rd floor).

Aikido Club
regular practice times in Room 219 of the Rockne Memorial are Mondays 8-10 p.m.; Tuesdays 5:30-7:30 p.m.; Fridays 4-6 p.m. Contact DeeAnn Lett-Neal at 1-5382 if you would like to observe or join in. Tai'chi is on Sundays 10-Noon, Room 301.

Women continued from page 16 from Manthei and McCarthy, it was VanLaecke's sixth goal in seven games.

Butler's final goal of the day came as a result of a Notre Dame failure to clear the box on a corner kick. Kelly Hurd scored the goal for the Bulldogs.

The Irish scored another three straight to close out the scoring. McCarthy eluded the Bulldogs' goalie easily with good dribbling in the box.

Gerard added the next goal with a drive into the box. Guerrero scored the last regular season goal of the year on a cross from Coyne, also assisted by Manthei.

"We played awesome," said Daws. "Everybody was having a lot of fun, a lot of different people scored, and everybody got to play. That was a great opportunity for everybody to end on a good note."

With the closing of the series with Butler comes the opening of the Big East post-season.

The Irish played their last regular season Big East foe Friday night, beating Boston College 3-1. This game was also an easy one for the Irish, who had to overcome the intermittent cold rain and winds as well as the Eagles.

Notre Dame outshouted BC 26-2 on the second half, shutting out the Eagles in the second half.

The scoring began almost 17 minutes into the game on a VanLaecke goal. The junior was rewarded for hanging out on the doorstep, putting in the shot from close range on assists from McCarthy and Sobrero.

Three minutes later, the Irish struck again as Gerardo added another close-range goal. Boston College scored with less than five minutes remaining in the half on freshman Kiera McKeon's shot from the top of the box.

The final goal was added early in the second half when McCarthy received a pass from Gerardo and shot from nine yards away.

"It's great to be in a challenging conference," Petruccelli said. "But Butler and Xavier (Notre Dame's opponent last Wednesday) were good teams, each of them a step away from the NCAA tournament this year. In fact Butler was the best team in the MCC this year."

Scott Wells and the rest of the Irish team continued to struggle during another Big East loss to Connecticut on Sunday.

Club COLUMN

The Italian Club

Aikido Club

THE ITALIAN CLUB

The Italian Club will hold a meeting on Wednesday, November 1st at 9:00 p.m. in the Foster Room of LaFortune (3rd floor).

Aikido Club regular practice times in Room 219 of the Rockne Memorial are Mondays 8-10 p.m.; Tuesdays 5:30-7:30 p.m.; Fridays 4-6 p.m. Contact DeeAnn Lett-Neal at 1-5382 if you would like to observe or join in. Tai'chi is on Sundays 10-Noon, Room 301.
**SPORTS**

**Saving the best for last**

By DAVE TREACY

Sports Writer

Notre Dame has now officially moved on to bigger and better things.

With their 8-2 drubbing of Butler, the Irish are on their way to bigger and better things. Their 3-1 victory over Boston College is just their latest victory over a rival.

Renate Henzel, Boston College's goalkeeper, was unable to contain a cross from sophomore midfielder Holly Manthei. Kate Fisher and Manthei both got assists on the goal. It was the first of five assists that Manthei would record on the afternoon, a new school record.

The momentum kept swinging in Notre Dame's favor as Manthei's restart cross pass was headed by Cindy Daws and saved by Larson. McCarthy gathered in the loose ball and put it into the open net for a 2-1 lead.

"I think that we've solved the problem about pressing strongly from the start," said Irish head coach Chris Petrucelli. "The first goal was the result of a counter attack that we let happen, but we recovered nicely and kept putting on pressure. I'm happy that we didn't worry about the first goal and kept playing in control."

The second half belonged to the Irish from the start. The squad scored three quick goals to begin the half, taking advantage of passing opportunities and a weak Butler defense. Daws headed in a Manthei corner kick to start the scoring run. Defender Kate Fisher put a point on the scoreboard with a rocket from outside the box, assisted by freshman Monica Gerardo. Junior Amy VanLaecke tallied the final goal of the streak as interior passing led to an easy scoring opportunity. VanLaecke simply camped out by the net and waited for the ball to come to her.

**Home opener yields shaky start**

By MIKE DAY

Sports Writer

**Men's Soccer struggles against UConn**

This one belonged to Bran Town. Heading into Friday night's battle of the Catholics, thoughts of revenge danced in the heads of the Boston College men's soccer team. They dropped a heartbreaker to the Irish in the final minute of last season's contest, so the Eagles were seeking more than their first win of the 1995 campaign.

After 60 grueling minutes of hockey, Boston College accomplished their mission and walked away with their first victory of the season (7-5) in the process.

A minute span midway through the third period turned out to spell doom for the Irish. Leading 4-3 with just under 10 minutes remaining in the game, Notre Dame seemed destined to tally their second victory of the season before a home crowd of 2667. However, in the blink of an eye, the Irish went from leading 4-3 to trailing 6-4. A few key mental lapses in the period led to the Irish's downfall.

"We had too many individual breakdowns in the second and third periods," said head coach Dave Poulin. "It's frustrating because each one is so correctable. That is an area that has to be improved on."

For Boston College, it was the David Hymovitz show in the third period. With 9:16 left in the contest, the senior right wing beat Irish goalkeeper Forest Karr one on one to tie the score at four. Just 33 seconds later, Hymovitz emerged again, slipping the puck past the outstretched glove of Karr to give the Eagles a 5-4 advantage.

Notre Dame was never able to recover, and Boston College coasted to the 7-5 victory.

"They had a letdown in the third period, and we were able to exploit that," said Boston College coach Jerry York. "We were very opportunistic and that helped us win this game. It was good to get this win under our belt."

"Defense was not the problem against the Eagles. Freshmen Aniket Dhadphale, Benoit Coitner, and Brian Urick scored one goal apiece as the Irish built a 3-1 lead midway through the second period."

"They have really come on for us this season," said Poulin. "We are confident with having Urick and Dhadphale on the front line at any time. They are still learning, but we're pleased with their performance up to this point."

After being held in check for the first four games, center Terry Lorenz and right wing Tim Harberts recorded their first goals of the season to give Notre Dame fans reason to remain optimistic in wake of the 1-4 start.

"It was good to see the two of them get their first goals," said Poulin. "They've played hard and been all over the ice for us this year.

**Irish avenge past defeats**

By DAVE TREACY

Sports Writer

College is just their latest victory over a rival, and their 3-1 victory over Boston Irish have faced their last remaining MCC to bigger and better things.

A minute span midway through the second period turned out to spell doom for the Irish. Leading 4-3 with just under 10 minutes remaining in the game, Notre Dame seemed destined to tally their second victory of the season before a home crowd of 2667. However, in the blink of an eye, the Irish went from leading 4-3 to trailing 6-4. A few key mental lapses in the period led to the Irish's downfall.

"We had too many individual breakdowns in the second and third periods," said head coach Dave Poulin. "It's frustrating because each one is so correctable. That is an area that has to be improved on."

For Boston College, it was the David Hymovitz show in the third period. With 9:16 left in the contest, the senior right wing beat Irish goalkeeper Forest Karr one on one to tie the score at four. Just 33 seconds later, Hymovitz emerged again, slipping the puck past the outstretched glove of Karr to give the Eagles a 5-4 advantage.

Notre Dame was never able to recover, and Boston College coasted to the 7-5 victory.

"They had a letdown in the third period, and we were able to exploit that," said Boston College coach Jerry York. "We were very opportunistic and that helped us win this game. It was good to get this win under our belt."

"Defense was not the problem against the Eagles. Freshmen Aniket Dhadphale, Benoit Coitner, and Brian Urick scored one goal apiece as the Irish built a 3-1 lead midway through the second period."

"They have really come on for us this season," said Poulin. "We are confident with having Urick and Dhadphale on the front line at any time. They are still learning, but we're pleased with their performance up to this point."

After being held in check for the first four games, center Terry Lorenz and right wing Tim Harberts recorded their first goals of the season to give Notre Dame fans reason to remain optimistic in wake of the 1-4 start.

"It was good to see the two of them get their first goals," said Poulin. "They've played hard and been all over the ice for us this year.