By MAUREEN HURLERY
Associate News Editor

Every year during orientation weekend, Saint Mary's students conduct a campus-wide survey by asking their professors for feedback. The results were distributed to all Saint Mary's students through campus mail.

"We wanted to hear the opinions of students, and find realistic statistics on campus and see how they matched the professional opinion on campus," said Hooper.

In addition to shedding light on security-related issues, the study was overseen by Susan Manger, assistant professor of sociology, and supported in part by the Notre Dame Student Foundation.

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Survey may dispute SMC sense of security

By JUSTYN HARKIN
News Writer

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Meteor claims passing interest of ND faculty

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Netanyahu shows Arafat intentions for peace

GAZA STRIP
With his arm twisted by an American, Netanyahu on Wednesday shook the hand of Yasser Arafat, a man he once considered a murderer of fellow Israelis. Then the Israeli hard-liner and the Palestinian leader talked peace.
The historic meeting at the Israel-Gaza border — arranged after months of U.S. pressure — reassured some Palestinian threats — helped clear the air between the superpowers and rekindled the administration's talk of a peace process.

The first step, though, was the meeting between the two leaders — each positioned where they met.

President Bush and Secretary of State Colin Powell met with the leaders in Washington, D.C., before the meeting.

From Powell's office:

Michael Grunwald, The Washington Post

College freshmen eat class project

The freshmen engineering students had their assignment, and ate it too. The 45 students in an introductory engineering course at West Virginia University are reddefining what it means to get into the university's "substance-free housing, no-drinking, no-drugs zone." In fact, although the College Park freshmen were reddefining the campus social scene, they did not receive any grade reductions.

The Modesto Bee classifieds for Monday, Sept. 5, 1994

College students class project

Fall corn and soybean prices plunge

DESMOINES Soybean and corn futures prices fell Thursday, September 1, to briefly grasp the $2.00 per bushel level. The Commodity Research Bureau's index of 17 commodities fell 1.88 points to 247.10. Corn and soybean futures began to tumble early in the session after Farmers Cooperative Consol's predictions of near-record crop sizes this year to relieve one of the tightest supply situations in recent history. On other commodity markets, crude and its products retreated, while gold fell to five-week lows. The Commodity Research Bureau's index of 17 commodities fell 1.88 points to 247.10. Corn and soybean futures began to tumble early in the session after Farmers Cooperative Consol's predictions of near-record crop sizes this year to relieve one of the tightest supply situations in recent history. On other commodity markets, crude and its products retreated, while gold fell to five-week lows. The Commodity Research Bureau's index of 17 commodities fell 1.88 points to 247.10. Corn and soybean futures began to tumble early in the session after Farmers Cooperative Consol's predictions of near-record crop sizes this year to relieve one of the tightest supply situations in recent history.

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Senate adopts advisory mission

By MATTHEW LOUGHRAN
Assistant News Editor

The Student Senate opened its first meeting yesterday by approving the agenda for their report to the Board of Trustees. The Senate also created a feedback committee to revise the wording and help create the final draft of that report. The final draft must be approved by the Senate before it is presented to the Board of Trustees later this month.

The Senate then moved to create an Ethics Committee to deal with unspecified constitutional problems that have arisen since the last general election.

The final motion of the meeting came from Student Body President and Student Senate Chairman Seth Miller. He asked that the Senate accept a mission similar to that of the previous Senate. Miller described this mission as "being a campus-wide representative body for the purpose of giving feedback to the CLC (Campus Life Council)."

Under the mission, the Student Senate would discuss issues, then give suggestions to the CLC, who would then discuss the same issues before making its recommendations to the administration of the University.

NAACP reaches out to diversify its ranks

By KELLY BROOKS
News Writer

In order to expand the scope and function of the NAACP, Notre Dame's campus chapter is focusing on a membership drive targeting people of all races as its top priority for this year.

“We saw last semester that a big flaw was that we didn’t have any other minorities or anyone other than African-Americans,” said Anthony Reid, president of the NAACP chapter on campus.

“Right now we are soliciting everybody,” he explained. “There are no limits or prerequisites. We want people to come willing to help, people that are available to come as much as possible.”

Soliciting is a year-long project aimed at expanding membership among other minority groups and white students. Thus far, membership drives have been held at Freshmen Orientation, Activities Night, and the Office of Multicultural Student Affairs picnic.

“Soliciting is a big change. We’re also working on making the programming less Afro-centric. We especially want to co-sponsor with other student organizations under OMSA,” continued Reid.

The changes in NAACP membership won’t be as evident until the meetings and events begin. In the past, the membership has not been large; something that this year’s officers hope to cure.

Another goal of the NAACP this year is to increase ties with the national offices. In addition, officers hope to increase ties between themselves and other campus members.

“First and foremost, the officers are contacting and have working knowledge of how the national and local chapters operate. We’ve read their mission statements. Nothing says that it [NAACP] is for African-American students only. We felt it was necessary to include all races; all walks of life,” said Reid.

Looking to the future and hoping to encompass a larger role on campus, NAACP wants their name to be more recognized throughout the entire student body.

Reid views increasing the budget as the primary way to accomplish this. In addition, NAACP officers hope to expand both on and off-campus programming, especially through community service projects.

“Our long term goal is... closing the gaps with national officers and officers on campus. Building membership, especially outside of the African American race is so important because we limit ourselves by being only African Americans,” Reid expanded.

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radar stopped illuminating," Perry said.

Rules of engagement allow U.S. and coalition forces to act immedi-
ately with a strike against a radar system if they believe the Iraqis are tracking them for a potential attack.

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on statistical information, the survey hoped to take a pro-
active approach by eliciting feedback on how safety-relat-
ed problems could be resolved.

"We ended the survey on a positive note, asking students how they would improve security and what kind of information programming they would like to see," Hooper said.

The final results of the 50question survey are not yet available in statistical form. Students in the sociology department will take on the task of compiling the information.

VanDersall views the high volume of response to the survey as a call to action for the current student body.

"Students need to report all incidents, crimes, and tell Security details on what must be improved on campus," VanDersall said. "It's fabu-

lous to see that students are taking action."

Both faculty and students alike expressed concern over students' awareness of safety issues.

"Students (security statistics) that no rapes or assaults happen
at Saint Mary's gives us a false sense of security," said VanDersall. "It almost puts people into a frame of mind that nothing can or will happen here, while there really are many incidents that go unreported or are sent to a differ-
e nt unit, such as Resident Life or are reflected in Notre Dame Security statistics."

The ultimate goals of the study are two-fold: to analyze the effectiveness of security on campus and educate students on the realities of the campus, according to Alexander.

"We really wanted to get an idea of how safe students thought they were. We were concerned that they felt safer than they really were, and put themselves in jeopardy because of that," Alexander stated.

"Citing slow reaction times to Security calls, many poorly lit areas on campus and the few number of officials monitoring the campus at night as prime concerns on campus, VanDersall stated, "There were many times at Saint Mary's that I did feel unsafe." The results should be released later this semester, according to Alexander.

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the PAHs are of Martian origin.

Explicitly, because the PAH mole-
cules were found in the center of the rock and not upon the surface, it is not easy for skeptics to claim that they are simply Earth mole-
cules contaminating a meteorite from Mars.

The meteorite, which is about 4.2 billion years old, left Mars approximately 15 million years ago. It then spent millions of years hurtling through the solar system before landing on an ice bed in Antarctica some 13,000 years ago. In Antarctica the meteorite remained until 1984 when a team of scientists unearthed it.

Among the science faculty here at Notre Dame, the attitude about the theory is one of both curiosity and skepticism.

Although no professor that The Observer spoke with admitted more than a passing interest in the story, they all seemed to agree that while the meteorite may not furnish enough evidence to prove the existence of life on Mars, the prospect certainly is intriguing.

"There are organisms growing here on Earth where people wouldn't think to look for them," he cited extreme examples such as geothermally boiling water or the deepest parts of the oceans as otherworldly conditions on Earth that in fact harbor life.

However, Mossing was also quick to add that one has to keep in mind how much people would like this to be true when analyzing data, because sometimes it is easy to be misled.

Terrence Retig, a professor in astronomy who specializes in solar system formation and the structure of comets, helped explain that the conditions that could have supported life on Mars may have existed billions of years ago when water was abundant.

But because of Mars's size, he reported, its gravity could not sus-
tain large quantities of the liquid and all of its water eventually evaporated, leaving any organisms on the Martian surface for dead.

Retig warned, however, that this scenario is not conclusive and added that PAHs are not uncom-
mion molecules in space.

Another Notre Dame professor, Ikaro Bigi, says that he was not fundamentally shocked by the claims.

"The Earth is not the center of the universe and the sun is not the center of the universe and the sun is not the center of the universe and the sun is not the center of the universe and the sun is not the center of the universe," he said, referring to past geoctrnic and heliocentric theories that were later found to be invalid. "The Earth shouldn't be the only place where life exists."

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be the last dorm. Getting on (the Notre Dame Server) through

University officials are waiting until Morrissey Hall under-
goes a scheduled renovation in the summer of 1997 to install

The wiring necessary for ResNet.

ResNet gives every dorm room on campus access to Notre

Dame's network, allowing students with late-model computers and appropriate hardware to plug into the Internet, World Wide Web, E-mail, libraries and other University services.

Thirteen dorms went online Aug. 22, and ResNet will be in service in 21 halls by the end of the fall semester. All 29 of Notre Dame's undergraduate and graduate residences are scheduled to be plugged in by next August.

ResNet, provided to students free of charge, includes install-

ation and software, expansive personal file space, and consul-
tants in each residence hall. The system also features switched Ethernet technology, making it one of the fastest and most reliable networks anywhere.

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and sixth among the nine colleges and universities selected.

Larry Rapagnani, assistant provost for information tech-

nologies and the University's chief information officer, took

part in the initial and subsequent surveys.

"Notre Dame is a great place to work, and I want as many people as I can to know about it," said Rapagnani. "We have everything that is associated with a small-town commu-
nity. We have our own cemetery, photo developing, child care, eating establishments, workout facilities, lakes, church and a museum. It's a lot of things packaged together that says, 'This is different from the run-of-the-mill.'"

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Perot speech urges political awareness

By KATIE FAIRBANK
Associated Press Writer

ROSS PEROT is urging Americans to vote on their conscience. But supporters among a cheering American Legion crowd appeared more worried about casting their votes to count.

John Long of Oregon said Wednesday that he enjoyed Perot's speech, but won't back his ballot for the Reform Party presidential candidate.

"I don't think one man can do anything without a major political party behind him. I don't think he could accomplish what he says," Long said.

John Sauer of Desoto, Texas, said she will vote for President Clinton even though she respects her fellow Texan Perot.

"He's got some good ideas, but I don't think he'll get the support," she said. "He's a leader for a business, not a leader for our people. He'd be a good ambassador, but not a good president."

And Arnold Mchunckins of Huntsville, Ala., said there is no way he would vote for Perot, he thinks that could keep Clinton in office by siphoning off support for GOP presidential nominee Bob Dole.

"I'd rather have a sister in a house of ill repute than vote for Clinton," Mchunkins said.

Clinton courts Florida

By EDDIE DOMINGUEZ
Associated Press Writer

MIAMI

Two years ago, the mention of President Clinton sparked instant debate in Little Havana where he was frequently called a "traitor" or even a "communist."

All that changed with the downing of two U.S. civilian planes by Cuban MiGs and the preserving of a 1996 law to punish those who would profit from U.S. property seized by Fidel Castro's regime.

Courting Florida today and through November, Clinton now hopes to be the first Democratic presidential candidate since Jimmy Carter in 1976 to win the up-for-grabs state and its 25 electoral votes.

And that means wooing Cuban exiles, a key traditional GOP voting bloc there.

"The conventional wisdom is that you need 30 percent of the Cuban American vote to win the state," said Chris Smith, national political director for the Clinton-Gore campaign.

Carter managed to win Florida by getting only 20 percent of that voting bloc, which accounts for 7 percent of the state's electorate and 60 percent of the 1.3 million Cuban Americans in the United States.

But in 1992, Clinton won 22 percent of the Cuban American vote and still lost the state to President Bush, who got 71 percent, while Ross Perot, in the race again this year, went home with 7 percent.

NEWS OF NOTE:

- Campaign strategy director Dick Morris signed a book deal with Random House. The political consultant, who resigned in the scandal last week, struck a deal to tell how he engineered President Clinton's comeback and move to the White House.

- Gore returned to Iowa for the first time in two months.

- The Reform Party candidate said to appeal from about 4,000 members of the American Legion in Salt Lake City.

- Planned today at a school in Dayton.

Forsurn exclusive to party

DAYTON, Ohio

Campaigining around the nation, Bob Dole is holding round-table forums called "Listening to America" to meet "real people."

But look who's talking: only Republicans, there by invitation.

"This may not exactly be a bipartisan audience," Dole conceded something sheepishly at such a forum in Colorado Springs, Colo., after one audience member after another delivered glowing tributes to him and came up with few questions.

It's becoming a common campaign event for Dole, one that enables him to sometimes walk among the crowd with a lapel mic Oprah Winfrey style -- just as his wife Elizabeth did with great success last month's GOP convention in San Diego.

He sometimes does two forums a day, and he's got another one planned today at a school in Dayton.

Reaching a more bipartisan crowd, Dole will appear tonight in some voters' living rooms during prime-time on CBS in a five-minute paid commercial. It's a cut-down version of the biographical piece shown at the Republican National Convention, which the conservative network networks refused to air.

On Wednesday, Dole went to a "Listening to America" forum in Ankeny, Iowa, near Des Moines, that was billed as open to the public.

But only 50 seats were set aside for those doing the questioning, and they were all marked by name.

The several dozen members of the "public" who showed up were kept far in the back, behind a barrier -- and not allowed to ask questions.

Campaign aides denied that the meeting had been "stacked," saying that only half of the invitations were sent out by local Republican officials -- and the other half extended by the head of the company hosting the forum, Casey's General Stores, a Midwest chain of convenience stores.

Not surprisingly, that company's chairman, Don Lamber, identified himself as a Dole supporter in opening remarks.

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- ROSS PEROT: Rallied Clinton's record on taxes in a series of Midwest campaign appearances and with a new TV ad that tells Americans, "You shouldn't have to apologize for wanting to keep what you earn. It's your money."

- J ACK KEMP: Told about 1,000 workers at a uniform factory in Mason, Ohio, that the government was taking nearly 30 percent of their money. "They act like it's their money. Do you all think it's their money?" Kemp asked.

- "No," the crowd shouted back.

NEWS OF NOTE:

- Clinton's campaign White House aide Erskine Bowles to head his campaign debate team. Negotiations with Dole's campaign on debate dates and forum format are expected to begin next week.

- Former presidential campaign strategy director Dick Morris signed a book deal with Random House. The political consultant, who resigned in the scandal last week, struck a deal to tell how he engineered President Clinton's comeback and move to the White House.

- Clinton was accepting applications for the following paid position:

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Los Angeles bans sale of ‘Saturday Night Specials’

By LOU INN LOTA
Associated Press Writer

The city on Wednesday banned sales of so-called Saturday night specials, the cheap and easily concealed handguns criticized as the weapons of choice for criminals.

The ordinance, approved 13-0 by the City Council, takes effect in 30 days and is similar to one enacted in neighboring West Hollywood.

That law undergoes a court test Oct. 3 by the California Rifle and Pistol Association Inc. and the National Rifle Association.

NRA state liaison Steve Hesley in Sacramento said only the state can restrict firearms. "It has since 1969," he said. "Aside from the broader policy questions here and the question of law, this ban is just silly.

The ordinance includes specifications of Saturday night specials and instructs the police chief to create and disseminate a list of specific models that meet the definition.

Los Angeles is the 12th California city, and its most populous, to ban sales of Saturday night specials. California has banned assault weapons but not handguns.

Statewide bans on similar handguns have been passed in Maryland, Minnesota, South Carolina, Hawaii and Illinois. Other ordinances are under consideration in 13 other California cities, said Handgun Control Inc.

"These dangerous handguns have become the preferred weapon of choice for criminals," said Sarah Brady, head of Handgun Control Inc. and wife of former White House press secretary Jim Brady, shot with a Saturday night special during a 1981 assassination attempt on President Reagan.

She said six manufacturers of the guns are within a 50-mile radius of Los Angeles and that right 7% of those confiscated by police in California in 1993 were Saturday night specials.

Stores not kicking tobacco habit

Discount chains not following Target's lead

By JERRY NACHTIGAL
Associated Press Writer

When it comes to selling cigarettes, Target Stores quit cold turkey. But other discount chains say they have no plans to kick the tobacco habit.

Target announced last week it will stop selling cigarettes in its 714 stores by the end of September, saying tobacco products had become unprofitable. The Minneapolis-based company cited heavy shoplifting as well as regulations in many cities requiring that cigarettes be sold from areas off-limits to minors.

So far, none of Target’s competitors have followed suit. Wal-Mart, the nation’s largest retailer, said it will continue to sell tobacco products in its 2,265 stores.

However, anti-smoking groups contend public opposition to smoking and tougher federal regulation eventually will prompt the giant discount chains to follow Target’s lead.

"I think in five years people are going to look back and say to the Wal-Marts and Kmart, 'How could you ever have sold cigarettes?'" the way we look back now and say, 'How could you have allowed smoking in your retail store?'' said John Banzhaf, executive director of Action on Smoking and Health.

Wal-Mart, based in Bentonville, Ark., declined to discuss Target’s decision.

Kmart also will continue to stock cigarettes, cigars and chewing tobacco in its 2,147 stores.

"It's my understanding that Target's decision was a business decision, and as a business, we will continue to sell the products," said Teresa Pearsin, a spokeswoman for the Troy, Mich.-based chain.

Target said cigarettes generated such a small portion of its business — less than one-half of 1 percent of the company’s 1995 revenue of $15.8 billion, or about $79 million — that they weren’t worth the trouble.

But tobacco products clearly remain profitable for many store chains.

Tobacco sales generated 4 percent of Walgreen's 1995 revenue of $10.4 billion, or about $400 million, said Michael Puzin, a spokesman for the nation’s largest drug store chain, based in Deerfield, Ill. Walgreen also doesn’t plan to pull cigarettes from its shelves.

After gasoline, tobacco is the No. 2 reason customers shop at 7-Elevens, said Margaret Chabris, a spokeswoman for Southland Corp.

Southland operates, franchises and licenses more than 5,000 7-Eleven stores in the nation. Tobacco accounted for 16.6 percent of Dallas-based Southland’s $6.7 billion revenue last year, or about $1 billion.

"Our customers wouldn’t like it if we stopped selling tobacco," Chabris said. "As long as it’s a legal product and is sold responsibly and not to minors, there shouldn’t be a problem."

Wal-Mart and Kmart refused to say what portion of revenue comes from cigarettes and other tobacco products.

Jewish group agrees to settle spying lawsuit

The Anti-Defamation League would stop gathering restricted information on hate groups while denying any wrongdoing under a tentative settlement of an Arab-American group’s lawsuit.

The proposal filed Tuesday for the approval of U.S. District Court Judge Richard A. Paez would settle the 1993 lawsuit brought by former California Lt. Gov. Mervyn Dynally and others, including the National Lawyers Guild and the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee.

They claimed ADL investigators obtained confidential records on various groups from police agencies in the city and county of San Francisco and Los Angeles county. Those agencies also are defendants in the lawsuit.

Under the proposal, the ADL agrees not to obtain information from any state employee the league knows is forbidden to release it. The ADL also agrees to pull any such files from its California and New York offices.

The deal stipulates that "ADL has engaged in no misconduct of any kind and that ADL may continue to gather information in any lawful or constitutionally protected manner," said Jerry Shapiro of ADL’s Los Angeles office.

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Iraq: U.S. bombed Baghdad

By WAIL FALEH
Associated Press Writer

BAGHDAD, Iraq

As anti-aircraft fire lit up the night sky over Baghdad, Iraq accused Washington of attacking the capital, a charge the United States denied.

Russia, meanwhile, claimed the U.S. cruise missile strikes this week against Iraq violated international law, as the U.N. Security Council failed to agree Wednesday on a common response to the crisis.

Detonations reverberated throughout the Iraqi capital for 15 minutes Wednesday night and air-raid sirens blared as the anti-aircraft batteries fired. Washington, however, insisted no American, allied or other military operations had taken place in the area.

"The malicious American enemy...sent his missiles aiming at several military positions and at heavily populated civilian sites," including Baghdad, the Iraqi statement said. Iraq's "sons confronted the missiles with efficiency and capability and downed a high percentage of them.

An explosion Wednesday night in the streets of Baghdad's al-Hurriya neighborhood left a hole 6 feet wide and 3 feet deep, but the crater was too small to have been caused by a cruise missile. The Iraqi military said one person was killed and 11 injured in the blast.

Iraq update

Wednesday, Sept. 4

NICOSIA, Cyprus

Saddam Hussein's army attacked the Kurds in northern Iraq. So why did the United States respond with missiles and an expanded no-fly zone hundreds of miles away in the south?

The Americans made clear they were not trying to clean up the mess in northern Iraq, a region where many armed groups are active and no one has more than partial control.

In choosing a target, the Americans opted for Iraqi air defense systems in the south for at least two apparent reasons.

- Reason No. 1: Quite simply, the Americans consider southern Iraq more important than the north. Iraq's southern neighbors, Saudi Arabia and Kuwait, are major oil producers with staunchly pro-American governments that favor tough action against Saddam.

- Reason No. 2: Northern Iraq is a complete mess, and a U.S. strike there would have been filled with risk.

The two main Iraqi Kurdish factions in the north have been quarreling on and off for decades, and they again came to blows on Aug. 17, ending a fragile cease-fire.

Iraq intervened on behalf of one faction, the Kurdish Democratic Party, alleging that archival Iran was supporting the other Kurdish group, the Patriotic Union of Kurdistan. That intervention sparked the U.S. attack.

Brought to you by: Student Activities, SARG, and the Huddle
Whether we are moved in such moments by gratitude, or need, or love, or pain, it is well, for you and for me, then that we know best what we wish to bring before God. It is in just such moments that we get to know the person that we are becoming, and move ever closer to the person that we long to be. The sentidolessness that we seek lies somewhere in the quiet, somewhere in that time alone, and most assuredly somewhere in you.

Campus Ministry...

CONSIDERATIONS

Are You Settled?

Many have asked me in the past two weeks if I was all moved in. While I have most often said "yes," that does not accurately describe the reality. Although I am, in some literal sense, moved in, I have come to appreciate the important distinction between being moved in and feeling settled. For a number of reasons I feel far from settled. It actually has little to do with the fact that I haven't quite worked out a new filing system or found the perfect place for those prized photos of friends and family. The reality has more to do with the fact that I haven't quite worked out a routine. No two days have been the same since I arrived. I'm sure it has everything to do with the fact that I'm new at this Campus Ministry thing, but some days I feel like a bumper pool ball, bouncing from one thing to another with little control over where I'll end up next.

I have little doubt that many of you find yourselves enduring the same sensation and longing for a routine, particularly where academics are concerned, so that you can be about some of the seemingly more important things that you came to college to do. I know that when I get together with college friends these days, twelve years after my own college career, we don't speak primarily about what we did on the classroom, but rather hard that may be to hear for even my favorite professors. More often, we talked about the rest of life. It makes me realize that if I am not attentive to my own schedule, organize my time and prioritize my activities, these precious days will get away from me. At the end of an all too typical day I find myself wondering why I didn't take any time for exercise today, or why I didn't spend some time at the library, or why I didn't spend some time at the gym.

While I was rector of the London Program, I was often surprised by the frustration that some of the students felt because they didn't feel like they were having the kind of experience that their friends who had been to London had described upon their return. I find myself wondering if I don't have something to learn now from the advice that I gave them then. I want to learn, and I'm not, about some incredible "Notre Dame Moments." God graces every moment...and so it's about every moment. It's about being attentive to the giftedness of our lives whenever we are...in the classroom, in the dining hall, on the quad, in the halls. It's about taking time to consider and reflect upon these days even in the midst of them. I've become convinced that it is only upon reflection that we really experience anything. Those London Program students who came back and raved about their experiences had not only the advantage of the entire experience but also some time for reflection upon themselves. I could do for the frustrated London student was to encourage them to live the moment, and to take some quiet time alone to revel in the remarkable opportunity that was theirs. It is the best advice I can offer here as well, for you and for me.

In the end, it is that time that we spend alone that dispenses us best for prayer. Whether we are moved in such moments by gratitude, or need, or love, or pain, it is then that we know best what we wish to bring before God. It is in just such moments that we get to know the person that we are becoming, and move ever closer to the person that we long to be. The sentidolessness that we seek lies somewhere in the quiet, somewhere in that time alone, and most assuredly somewhere in you.

Jim Lies, C.S.C.

Eucharistic Ministry Workshops

Tuesday, September 10th, Campus Ministry will host the first of its Eucharistic Ministry workshops, starting at 10:00 pm in the Basilica. A second workshop will be held on Sunday, October 6th, at 2:30 pm in the Basilica.

Yearly participation in one of these workshops is a mandatory requirement for all those who wish to be eucharistic ministers in the Fort Wayne/South Bend diocese.

Power Lunches

Thursdays at 12:45 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
2nd Floor South Dining Hall

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Weekend Presiders at Sacred Heart Basilica

Sat. Sept. 7
Sun. Sept. 8
Rev. Pat Neary, C.S.C.
11:45 a.m.

Scripture Readings For This Coming Sunday

1st Reading Ezekiel 2: 7-9
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The need for respect

Dear Editor,

I was extremely disappointed with the lack of coverage and attention given to the tragic death of Notre Dame senior Patrick Kwiat on TWA Flight 800. The death of a student, especially in such a distressing manner, deserved more immediate attention and respect. The story of Patty’s death was published in the third edition of The Observer. While the story was not as suited for the freshman orientation edition, it most certainly deserved coverage in the first edition of the school year. Instead, the major headline on August 27, 1996 was “NIC totes prompt lights at a Stadium,” which is hardly as important as acknowledging the death of a student and honoring her memory. The rest of that page included coverage of the new dorms and defense of Notre Dame’s leprechaun logo. These issues pale in comparison to the death of a student.

On August 29, 1996, Patty Kwiat’s story was reduced to two columns on the bottom of the front page. The headline that day was “Gottlieb suspect in credit fraud.” Instead of paying tribute to a student who gave so much of herself to Notre Dame and her many friends here, The Observer chose to give top billing to a former student’s misgivings. Equally disappointing was the fact that Kwiat’s story was cut off mid-sentence on page 4.

A tragedy of this magnitude affects the entire Notre Dame community. The administration’s response was commendable: nada. The Observer’s was not. Kwiat deserved better, as did her friends and fellow classmates, many who may not have known about her death until you finally decided to print the news.

KATHLEEN M. MCCANN
Senior
Siefring Hall

Single garment of destiny

Dear Editor,

Having been blessed three years with Patty Kwiat’s friendship, I returned to Notre Dame for our senior year with not only anticipation and excitement, but with significant hesitation and sorrow. In my selfishness, I found myself yearning for Patty’s laugh: once more, to talk with her once more, and to see her blue eyes mischievously dance once more. Above all, I wish everyone who could have experienced Patty’s magic. Those of us that know the world in an adventurous, carefree, and eternally loving manner: she truly understood and personalized the words “Live Life.” I continue to pray for Patty as well as for our community’s strength to remember her with the tremendous respect and love which she deserves now and forever.

I do not believe that publishing an isolated new story compiled in less than 24 hours after we return to Notre Dame, is sufficient for this special remembrance of Patty. Our earthly loss of Patty’s beauty, intellect, humor; and heart remains an incomprehensible event, one which leaves us mystified by the tragedy of TWA Flight 800 and our own all too human vulnerability. But it is imperative that we, as a family and community, celebrate Patty’s life with both discussion and reflection. For we have gained Patty’s legacy, a legacy which will live on beyond our years here at Notre Dame, and her spirit will remain with us for the rest of our lives.

An unknown author once wrote, “We are all caught in an inescapable network of mutuality, tied into a single garment of destiny.” As members of the Notre Dame Family, and more fundamentally, as fellow human beings, YOU were part of Patty Kwiat’s. You may not have known Patty by name, but many of you were told by her on the quad, sipped a drink with her in the same room, and belted out the Fight Song with her at ND football games. Visualize your family and friends. Recall the smiles you have exchanged; the laughter you have shared; the affection you have given and received for want of nothing in return. Think of the mutual effect you have had on one another’s lives. Remember them of your love and care. Celebrate the opportunities and blessings that you experience with them! Remember, anything can happen and does happen in this world, even to the individuals that you know and love.

LAURIE WINCKO
Senior
Off-campus
For a film about heroin that tries desperately to win the hearts of today's youth who were raised on the ridiculously fast editing of MTV, and the music video stylings of Miami Vice a soundtrack with catchy music ideal for quick cuts from shot to shot is essential.

Luckily for the rest of us, though, the same hipsters that this movie is aimed at also like an entertaining genre of music. The soundtrack starts off with the Iggy Pop song "Just For Life," which leads off the film's title sequence perfectly with its upbeat drumming that is heavy on the bass drum. The music is an attack of two guitars playing two separate licks. One guitar is in the high pitched blues solo style and is mixed into the background of the song and the more dominant one is heavy, percussive and repetitive.

Iggy Pop has two songs on the album, both cowritten by David Bowie, the second being "Nightclubbing" which also is very percussive to fit the mood of the film. It is a heavy mix of synthesizers, piano and guitar, these two songs are both from 1990, by which time Iggy Pop had gotten away from his rockabilly roots.

The rest of the album includes works by Primal Scream, Moby, Damon Albarn • Bedrock, Damon Scott, Blur, Elastic, Brian Eno, Leftfield and Damon Albarn. This combination of artists is very distinctive and other percussive rock isn't what makes the album worth owning, however these songs fill in the spaces well and surely don't get in the way of one's enjoyment of the album.

The nice thing on this soundtrack is the variety and compliments used here. For a movie that is "all the rage" it's nice that at least the soundtrack deserves to be.

-by Jason Dorwart

MIKE NICHOLS AND ELAINE MAY

During the time period from 1958-1962 Mike Nichols and Elaine May were a Chicago comedy team, and one of America's favorite and enduring forms of humor. They created the "Compass Players" in Chicago and with it one of America's most enduring forms of humor. This comedy album was actually recorded in this time period, but as a true classic, it is no less funny today. This album is a collection of some of their funniest work and has been re-released on Mercury Records.

The Jerky Boys

Once upon a time, when I first heard The Jerky Boys on a bootleg tape that a friend of mine had picked up before they were "legitiimized" somewhat by their signing onto a record label, I was like nothing I had ever heard before. Sure, we had all made prank calls before and I had my repertoire of characters to draw from when doing so, but these Jerky Boys were the kings of the trick.

The attraction was: it was something we had all done before but never like this well. Even with this new album is that it isn't done so well any more. After being as shocked as we were by the first series of calls, we have come to expect more. Of course, it was never cerebral humor, but some of the new sketches are certifiably moronic. Some material just drags and has no real point. Often times victims are called and have no clue why they are being called, or just don't believe the pranksters. By doing this, there is no satisfying angry reaction.

One of the biggest laughs come from new ideas and characters. One good idea was having the victim call the Jerky Boys instead of being pranked, which was accomplished by placing classified ads in the newspaper. One such caller responds to an ad for Civil War col-

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MIKE NICHOLS AND ELAINE MAY

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THE JEKY BOYS

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Off and RUNNING

Powerful Irish ground game to pace potent offensive attack

By DAVE TREACY
Associate Sports Editor

Usually it is difficult to gauge such a match-up between two teams that have yet to play a game. In this case, however, it isn’t such a challenge considering that the squads haven’t changed too much.

Vanderbilt returns 10 of 11 starters from last year’s unit. The Commodores improved drastically on the defensive side of the ball as the season progressed, holding the high-powered Tennessee offense to 12 points in their final game of the 1995 season. Their only loss is a significant one: defensive lineman James Manley, the “SEC’s Most Valuable Lineman” in 1995, headed up to Minnesota to join the Vikings. However, the linebackers and defensive backs remain intact and confident. Whether they have the talent to compete with Notre Dame’s athletes is still in doubt.

The linebacking corps may be Vanderbilt’s greatest strength. Junior middle linebacker Jamie Duncan, who is on everybody’s All-SEC list, finished last season with 120 tackles, including 20 against Notre Dame. Duncan also plays his best in big games. The Commodores will need him to follow true to form if they want to stay in the game.

“This year we feel better prepared to control the run,” reported defensive coordinator Woody Widenhofer. “Last season, we were not ready to play the game against the run.”

Senior strong safety Eric Vance bolsters a tough secondary expected to help out on the run. If their veteran cornerbacks can hold the inexperienced Notre Dame receiving corps in man to man coverage, they will move their safeties into position to aid against the Irish ground machine.

“Their secondary is very, very good. I don’t think there is much doubt that Fred Vinson (cornerback) and Eric Vance are two fine football players,” Irish head coach Lou Holtz evaluated.

“I think they are going to play a lot of man coverage, play us with a nine-man front. I know they feel that...they are going to stop the run and they can do that by putting nine men up there.”

Stopping the run should be a major concern for the Commodores. Despite Duncan’s impressive statistic from last year’s game, the Irish trampled through the Commodores’ run defense, gaining 293 yards on the ground.

Tailback Randy Kinder picked up 110 yards on 17 carries in that game, but will be absent from tonight’s contest due to a pulled quadriceps muscle. Senior Robert Farmer will take the starting role after boasting a solid preseason. Sophomore Austry Denman will also check in at tailback when he’s not heading downfield on pass routes from the split end position.

“Austry will back up Robert, just as we had planned,” offensive coordinator Dave Roberts explained. “With Randy missing, Austry will just have to make the move (from split end to tailback) a little sooner than expected.”

Fullback Marc Edwards will have fun running between the tackles.

“Make no mistake about it, we are going to be a running football team,” Holtz asserted.

The Irish return the vast

Ready to ATH

Untested Commodore offense will be under heavy pressure

By DYLAN BARMMER
Assistant Sports Editor

During a national teleconference last week, Notre Dame head coach Lou Holtz, when asked to assess the Vanderbilt offensive attack, made the comment that “They (Vanderbilt) did a lot of different things on offense last year.”

While this may be true of the Commodore offense, there is one problem with this statement.

None of those things seemed to work.

In undergoing a transition from former head coach Gerry DiNardo’s option attack to a pro-style offense under the direction of Rod Dowhower last season, the Commodore attack was nothing short of anemic.

In compiling a woeful 2-9 record, the Commodores managed an average of just 230.4 yards of total offense, a number which was roughly equivalent to an off day for Eddie George.

Just how bad was this offensive unit as a whole? The Commodores ranked last in the SEC in total offense by almost 100 yards per game behind the eleventh-ranked squad, and scored one touchdown or less in seven of their eleven games while committing a whopping 25 turnovers and averaging just

Middle linebacker Kinnon Tatum and the rest of the middle men are back in business and could prove to be the best unit of the Holtz era.

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majority of their backfield, including signalcaller Ron Powlus, who is back from a broken left humerus suffered last season. Powlus has been very impressive in fall camp, and with an extremely competent line in front of him, should find himself comfortable in the pocket.

I think that Ron is like most people that are injured, they really appreciate the opportunity to play," attributed Holtz. "He has more enthusiasm and he's not taking anything for granted." Powlus' targets must come to the forefront and make an impact to draw back the Vanderbilt safeties. Emmett Mosley returns as the team's experienced right corner, and with Damons starting at split end, there's lots of athleticism to work with. Combined with senior Gki Champion, freshmen Daryl Austin and junior Malcolm Johnson, offensive coordinator Dave Roberts has several, if inexperienced, options to work with. But if the depth-out can't open up the Commodore defense, the Irish game plan is in question.

"(Notre Dame) doesn't have much experience in the skill positions, but that can be good because then pure athleticism can take over," coach Widenerholm evaluated.

Another major factor returning could be Pete Chryplewicz at tight end. Although Holtz is renowned for negotiating this position as an offensive weapon, he is not going to lose tonight.

A refreshing change has benefitted the Irish offensive line - good blockers. With Jeremy Akers returning to the left guard position after an injury kept him out last season, and Mike Rosenthal gaining experience in big games, the line is loaded. Returners like Gil presenters, who tripped on the ends and Rick Kaczanski at center should have little trouble keeping the smaller Commodore defense front out of their backfield. The key match-up to watch will involve the Irish receivers and Commodore defensive backs. Whoever gets the better in these battles has the edge in the war.

**Attack**
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11.1 points per game.

With the return of just two starters on the offensive line and the loss of speedy tailback Jermaine Johnson, it has to be hard for Vanderbilt fans to feel that this season will bring about any sort of drastic change in their offensive fortunes.

It has been experienced, but not enough to work with to impress. The Commodore attack doing much on the ground against an Irish front seven that is drawing comparisons to the days of Bryant Young, Jim Flanagan and Pete Bercich, when the Irish fell just short of a national title.

While the defensive line combination of Renaldo Wynn, Alton Malden, and Robert Davis, has an advantage in terms of game experience as a whole, the Irish linebacking corps is swimming in experience, and may certainly be the best bunch in the SEC.

When asked to assess this defense, even the notoriously critical Holtz seems highly optimistic.

"I think it is a good defense," commented Holtz. "I think it may compare with some of the better defenses that we have had here. It is a dominating defense? I hope so, but I can't say.

Chances are that judgments will have to be reserved until at least two games into the season.

The Irish defense will dominate Vanderbilt, but so will a lot of other dominating defenses this year.

If Allen can find someone to throw the ball to when the Commodores have the ball, Irish fans may get a glimpse at what the green Notre Dame defensive backfield has to offer this season.

Holtz has been praising the improvement of sophomore strong safety A'Jani Sanders, and junior free safety Jarvis Edison will be a different player. Freshman cornerbacks Allen Rossum and Ivory Covington will be asked to provide leadership of this unit off and on the field.

While the matchup appears extremely one-sided in favor of the Irish, first-game jitters and inexperience have to be factored in, but it would be shocking to everyone - including the Commodores themselves, if they were able to find a way to keep this one close at ease against the Irish. Even Holtz would find such a development shocking. "We have to improve in every phase of the game, and we all the time we all want to live in a make-believe world.

In a make-believe world, the Commodores are the Florida Gators. In reality, they're still the Commodores.

**The BREAKDOWN**

A position by position look at who holds the advantage

**Quarterbacks**

Powlus is healthy and geared up for his senior year. Damien Allen is a good athlete, but not a strong passer.

**Running Backs**

Despite the loss of Kinder, the Irish have a stable of backs to use. Vandy's starter at tailback was a receiver last year.

**Receivers**

The Irish wideouts must spread the VU defense to the out, return pass. Still, their athleticism far exceeds Vandy's.

**Offensive Line**

Experience, depth, and size are sweet words to hear for Irish fans. Vandy fans don't have much to count on.

**Defensive Line**

A healthy Dansby, two starters back, and athleticism far exceeds Vandy's. Not an easy transition to unproven. But the key match-up to watch will involve the Irish receivers and Commodore defensive backs.

**Special Teams**

Hunter the punter continues to impress, the coverage teams look tough, but who's the kicker? VU's punter sends it deep.

**Coaching**

Lou can't lose the 1000th game in ND history. Rod Dowhower has a top notch staff, but not enough to work with to impress.

**Overall**

The Irish will only lose if they beat themselves. And nobody wants another episode of a first-game failure.


**Irish ground game vs. Commodore front seven**

Entering the 1996 campaign, the Notre Dame ground attack looks unstoppable. With four very experienced returners on the offensive line and a stable of top-notch backs like Marc Edwards (below), Lou Holtz should be in his glory this season. It is the job of the Vanderbilt defensive front seven to prevent the sort of Irish onslaught that many feel will take place. Six of the top seven come back for the VU defense, including Brian Boykin (below), and linebacker Jamie Duncan. They will certainly be put to the test. Will they pass?

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**Career record:**

- **At Notre Dame:** 208-92-7
- **At Vanderbilt:** 2-9
- **Against Notre Dame:** 0-1

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**Notable Players:**

- **Marc Edwards:** Irish fullback
- **Brian Boykin:** Commodore right end

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Manning, Vols face early test

Arizona at #22 Iowa

Hawkeye running back Sedrick Shaw probably could have taken his act to Sundays this season but he choose to return to Iowa City. Why?

Well, for one thing, Iowa returns 16 starters from last season's 8-4 squad. The bottom line is, though, the Hawks think they smell roses. This early-season test gives them a chance to add some credence to their claims.

The 'Cato calling card will be wide receiver Richard Rice. The UA defense may not be the "Desert Swarm" that fans have become accustomed to.

#1 Nebraska at Michigan St.

In recent years, beat writers of the Cornhuskers would probably be better off with a working knowledge of criminology than of the option but the fact remains that the Big Red Machine has been dominant. That will continue.

Stanford transfer Scott Frost is a tremendous athlete who may be somewhat capable of filling the empty cleats of Tommie Frazier. He will be aided by a bevy of backs including super soph Ahman Green. The defense will continue to wreak havoc and make sure Spartan fresh Drodd Irvin is held in check.

The Irish Extra Peerless Prognosticators

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It's time to dine with your Papa...

...Dine-In and Delivery now at both Locations!

Papa Predicts...

NOTRE DAME: 1-0
Vanderbilt: 0-0

Your Papa is now hiring:

- Delivery Drivers
- Order Takers
- Pizza Makers
More Than Just Music
Rent...a liberal musical for a more open generation

By Dan Cichalski

Five hundred twenty-five thousand six hundred. What seems like a rather large, random number in actuality is the most popular number on Broadway right now, and a pretty famous number off Broadway—all the way to the linemen’s venue and Hollywood Boulevard.

Twenty-five thousand six hundred minutes are in a year, and are the openings words to the most recognizable song, "Seasons of Love," from the hottest musical in the Big Apple, "Rent." The multi-award-winning show opened in April and has since been featur in a Newsweek cover story, during Macy’s Fireworks Spectacular on the Fourth of July, and most recently, at the Democratic National Convention on August 26, one day before the soundtrack hit the stores.

The fever sparked by "Rent" is a liberal musical for a more open generation. After a thorough review of the cast recording and a reading of the script, there is an emotional—by "I Should Tell You," a solemn exchange between Roger and Mimi as they reveal to each other that they both live with AIDS and decide to increase the intimacy of their relationship.

In "La Vie Boheme," Mark and the company gathered at Cafe and celebrate the bohemian lifestyle. Included in these songs are some of the most intense, amusing, and enjoyable lyrics in the musical, as the characters pay tribute to "biurials, transvestites, homosexuals, carcinogens, men, Pee Wee Herman, and a person of entropy, empathy, ecstasy."

Later, continuing their fast-paced rally cry, they praise "revolution, justic, screaming for solutions, forcing change, risk and danger, making noise and making pleas to Faggies, lezzies, dykes, cross dressers too...To you...To people living with, living with, with dying, not dying from, diseases who are among us without sing he be the first to condemn La Vie Boheme."

The second disc opens with the hit "Seasons of Love." A single piano introduction leads to a chorus asking, "How do you measure a year?" Answering their own question, they suggest measuring it in love—"seasons of love.

The entire company occupies the stage for the song, highlighted by two soloists who elaborate on the concept of seasons of love: "Take Me or Leave Me" best exemplifies the R&B influences as Mark’s (Mark’s ex-girlfriend) and her new lover, Joanne, end their relationship by telling one another to "take me for what I am, for who I am, for who I am meant to be." In "Without You," Mimi considers life without Roger and realizes that everything will be the same—to an extent: "Without you the moon flows, the river flows, but I do." "Rent" is filled with so many songs covering so many emotions and situations, that it is impossible to summarize all the aspects of the show and sound track without rewriting the script. The characters are inspirations to the viewers and listeners. The show turned with one another by past relationships and conflicts, many of which resurface in "Goodbye Love," an on-stage conformation involving the eight featured characters.

After winning a Pulitzer Prize and four Tony Awards, "Rent" is destined to thrive on Broadway and off—when the touring version opens in Boston in November. Elements of its success and appeal include the young cast and unique script and score, all of which appeal to a more youthful crowd than the traditional theatergoers regular found in Times Square.

Adding to the appeal is Larson himself, the writer of "Rent." He finished the first draft in 1992 and arranged to stage the show at New York Workshop Theatre on January 25, 1996, after the final dress rehearsal. He also released an anonymous recording of the show. Larson died of AIDS on September 26, 1996. The show took off, opening on Broadway only three months later and garnering praise and acclaim from the beginning.

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"I have no standard
response that’s realistic," La Russa
said. "The man has done enough
these years, his next
season is his last.

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Chang dismisses Sanchez, critics

It is not easy for Michael Chang. Chang struggled mightily again Wednesday before beating unseeded Javier Sanchez 7-5, 6-3, 6-7 (7-7), 6-3 in the quarterfinals of the U.S. Open. Two rounds earlier, he was forced to go five sets with another unseeded player, Vince Spadea. In that match, he had to come from behind.

This time, he had to battle to remain in front.

"It was a tough match," Chang said. "He's very crafty and hits the ball around."

Chang won the first two sets with his usual style of running down balls all over the court and returning nearly everything Sanchez hit at him. He was up 3-0 in the third when suddenly, Sanchez came back on him, forcing the set to a tiebreaker and winning it.

Chang took the blame for that.

"I might have let up a little," he said. "It made a big enough difference that Javier was able to come back. He's won a lot of matches that way. He did it early in the tournament, down 6-2 in the tiebreaker and won the match. That's almost unheard of." That was against Jason Stoltenberg in the third round. In the fourth round, Sanchez beat Arnaud Boetsch, winning the final two sets on tiebreakers. T h e r e were two o t h e r t i e b r e a k e r s earlier in the tournament. He does not mind playing those extra points.

"I knew that Javier was not going to go away, and he didn't," Chang said. "I didn't feel like he did not get to the quarterfinals by playing mediocre tennis." In the fourth set, Chang again seized the lead and had Sanchez facing match points.

Again, the Spaniard squirmed off the hook. Now Chang was starting to wonder.

"You never know what might happen," he said. "I was up two breaks in the third set and he got away. I had two match points in the fourth and he got away. I started thinking to myself, 'When is it going to end?'" In fact, quite soon.

In the next game, Chang had triple match point. Sanchez saved one but that was as far as this escape act went. On the second, Chang prevailed and became the first man to advance to the Open semifinals.

It is just the second time in 10 Opens that Change has reached the semis. The last time, in 1992, he played a five-set, 5-hour, 26-minute match before losing to Stefan Edberg, who went on to win the championship.

Edberg, in his Grand Slam tournament farewell, bids for his place in the semifinals Thursday night against Goran Ivanisevic.

For Chang, centerpiece of a seeding controversy on the eve of the tournament when his No. 3 ranking was translated into a No. 2 seeding, the victory pushed his hardcourt record since Wimbledon to 21-2. He won singles titles in Washington and Los Angeles and was runner-up to Andre Agassi at Cincinnati.

Sanchez was impressed.

"He's a top player," he said. "He's always in the game. He plays all the time. He fights on every point." Chang appreciates the reputation.

"Part of it is perseverance," he said. "You can't get frustrated. You have to continue to work hard. If you do things, will flow your way."

Patricia Lynn Kwiat

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Patricia Kwiat and her sister, Kimberly, were killed in the July 17th explosion of TWA Flight 800. In their honor, Farley Hall has established the Patricia Kwiat Memorial Scholarship Fund. Please contact Sister Carrine Ebershage for more information.

"When you are sorrowful look again into your heart, and you shall see that in truth you are weeping for that which has been your delight." —Kahlil Gibran
Newest Martina takes big bite out of Big Apple

Hingis shocks Novotna en route to the semifinals
By STEVE WILSTEIN Associated Press

NEW YORK
Living up to the name that has marked her promise and been her burden, Martina Hingis danced into the U.S. Open semifinals at 15 on Wednesday with an all-court attack against Jana Novotna that hinted of a different Martina.

Next up is that other Martina’s old nemesis, Steffi Graf. Hingis, named after Navratilova and guided toward a tennis career since birth, beat the No. 7 Novotna 7-6 (7-1), 6-4 to become the youngest Open semifinalist since Jennifer Capriati in 1991.

Two days after knocking out No. 3 Arancho Sanchez Vicario, Hingis put on an even more spectacular show of versatile tennis by taking apart Novotna from the baseline and the net.

"I’ve played so many matches, I wanted to make some points shorter," Hingis said of her net attack. Hingis, who became the youngest champi-

"It’s a great honor to be in the semis of a Grand Slam," said Hingis, undaunted by the prospect of playing Graf. "I beat her on clay. It’s not her surface."

To say clay is not Graf’s surface is to overlook her four French Open titles. But perhaps Hingis was being modest, or cautious.

She beat Graf in three sets at the Italian Open this year, and lost to her three other times, once on carpet in Paris in 1995, and the past two years at Wimbledon.

On the eve of her father’s trial for evading taxes on $28 million of her income, Graf is struggling to keep her concentration on tennis at the U.S. Open.

"At the moment, it’s a little difficult to focus on the court," Graf said Wednesday after scattering 43 unforced errors in a 7-5, 6-3 semifinal victory over unseeded Judith Winder. "I don’t really have the most positive attitude out there."

Graf didn’t want to discuss the trial of her father, her personal manager and financial advisor, Peter Graf, which begins Thursday in Mannheim, Germany, where he has been jailed for 13 months.

Steffi Graf has claimed she left management of her finances to her father and his advisors to work on her game. She has not been charged in the case but remains under investigation.

Throughout the ordeal, and despite numerous injuries, Graf has been able to block out everything enough to win 40 consecutive matches in Grand Slam play, including two titles at Wimbledon, last year’s U.S. Open, and this year’s French. She skipped the Australian after foot surgery.

In beating Winder for the 10th time in 10 matches, the top-seeded Graf played just well enough to win, not domi-

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MILWAUKEE

Chad Ogea said his first career shutout was more important than the shutout itself.

Ogea pitched a four-hitter and Kenny Lofton and Jim Thome each homered Wednesday night to lead the Cleveland Indians to a 7-0 victory over the Milwaukee Brewers.

Ogea's performance enabled Cleveland to avoid a three-game sweep by the Brewers and conclude its road trip with a 5-4 record. The Indians have not had a losing road trip since July 26-31, 1994.

"You always want to stop a losing streak at two," Ogea said. "If you lose a couple, that's all right and then you get back to business. When you start losing three or four in a row, people start to wonder and start to press. You want to stop it right there and you definitely want to go back home with a win, too." Ogea (8-5) allowed four singles in the seventh, putting runners at first and third with one out, but he retired Jeremy Burnitz on a fly ball over, "Garner said of

Monday's 8-2 loss, was not in the second. It was his 13th run home, surpassing his previous single-season high of 12 set in 1994.

"They jumped on his fastball and he couldn't get his curve ball over," Garner said of Ogea. "The two-run homer hurt him. I had on a short leash with an off-day tomorrow." Thome extended his lead to 7-0 in the seventh with his 33rd home run, a three-run shot.

Ogea singled twice in the seventh, putting runners at first and third with one out, but he retired Jeremy Burnitz on a fly ball over and Matt Mieske on a bouncer back to the mound.

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school to practice with the U.S. National Team. In 1993, she was a member of the World Cup team but did not make the final cut for the Olympic team.

"It was disappointing in a sense that I didn't make it," she said. "It was kind of so close, but really it wasn't. Going into it I never set my standards that high for it and it was more realistic. My goal was more to get better as a player and to come back and help this team win another national championship."

Here, Manthei assists others understand her national experience by utilizing an analogy.

"It's kind of like going to a different country," she said. "Eventually you have to learn the language. It's kind of the same thing where you don't have a choice and you have to learn how to play like everyone else. It helped because you go out there, take your licks and learn from them."

"On the national team, she (Holly) couldn't run by everyone," Persorcelli said. "She had to find other ways of getting around people and those skills will help her this year."

Playing with the best soccer team in the world, Manthei discovered that there were both good and bad days.

"It's kind of a give and take," she said. "There were days where you would make a good play and those are the days you think you belong there. Then, there were other days when I asked myself who invited me here."

There have been days this preseaon where Manthei has asked why North Carolina was ranked No. 1 to begin the year. Not that the polls matter, but for Manthei, it's a matter of motivation.

"Other than our team and the people at this school, nobody really thinks the national championship is that big of a deal," Manthei commented. "It's evident from the preseason that we're not getting that much respect. To have won a national championship and come back in being ranked No. 1... it's ridiculous. It's kind of a slap in the face, and you know why we don't get the respect. I guess we just have to win another one."

"That, of course, would be the ultimate way to punctuate the season," Manthei said. "She (Holly) would surely sacrifice a few parentheses for that exclamation point."

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Smith claims he has recovered from neck injury

By DENNIE H. FREEMAN Associated Press

IRVING: Injured Dallas Cowboys running back Emmitt Smith threw away his neck brace Wednesday and declared himself ready to take on the New York Giants.

"I honestly feel like I can go," Smith said. "I'm still sore, but I think I'll be OK." It was less than 48 hours earlier that Smith fell on his head and shouldered trying to carry out a fake in a 22-6 loss to the Chicago Bears. Doctors were so worried there might be spine or neck damage they cut his uniform off while treating him.

"They didn't want to take any chances, so they cut up that good looking uniform," Smith said. "I hated that. But I know this, I never had a feeling like that before. I've still got a lot of stiffness and my back bothers me a little."

Smith stayed overnight in a Chicago hospital, then flew home Tuesday with owner Jerry Jones in the Cowboys' private jet.

Only last week Smith was recovering from a sprained knee ligament suffered in the final exhibition game.

"This definitely made me forget about my knee," Smith said. "This was a big burner down my body. I was numb. I could hear the crowd and everything, but I was wondering what happened."

What happened was Smith went into the air and expected to be tackled before he came down.

"I thought somebody would hit me and cushion my fall," Smith said. "Instead, they (the Bears) just let me fall, and all of a sudden, I was crashing face first into the ground. I'm just glad it was grass and not turf."

Smith said he won't carry out play fakes again with the same vigor.

"They'll have to get somebody else if they want somebody to make a big dive," Smith said with a laugh. Smith has been deluged with letters, telegrams, faxes and telephone calls.

"I appreciate everyone's concern," Smith said. "I even saw (former Chicago running back Walter Payton) looking in on me. I'm a very lucky man. It could have been a lot worse."

Smith, who gained 79 yards before hurting himself late in the game, said the fact the Cowboys played so poorly didn't help his mood.

"We had a big breakdown," Smith said. "That's why I want to be in there Sunday and help the team win this game. We need to erase a bad memory."

With that Smith walked off. He didn't limp. And he didn't have his neck brace.

He has become the NFL's indestructible warrior. Asked if that was so, Smith smiled and said, "You forget I missed a game once."

That was at the end of the 1994 season against the Giants after the Cowboys had clinched the NFC East Division title. He had a bad hamstring which needed rest for the playoffs.

In 1993, Smith rushed for 168 yards and caught 10 passes for 61 yards while playing with a separated shoulder against the Giants.

New York coach Dan Reeves was asked Wednesday in a teleconference call if he thought then and see Smith on the field Sunday.
"Notre Dame caused a lot of problems for us. We could never get in rhythm, and we were not in sync," Liss (Sharpley) and Kristen (Folkl) both were not on. I give them credit for that."

The junior All-Americans, Sharpely and Folkl, are the heart and soul of Stanford's success. Both have experience with the U.S. national team, and they were the top two recruiters in 1993.

"The only thing about shutting down Folkl is that they have five other players who can win," Lee expressed.

Before the first serve, the underdog Irish would have to pull up the upset without the services of their regular setter, junior Carey May. Since May's injury two weeks ago, Jaimie Lee has been handling the offense.

The Cardinal coaches and players also noted the Lee's efforts.

"Lee did a nice job of running their offense. She can pass and hit, and when May comes back they will be that much better," Lee and Stanford's setter know a great deal about each other's games and each other in general. In Lee's final year of high school, she lived with the Sharpely family as they teamed to lead the San Francisco Bay area Griffis Volleyball Club to third place in the 1994 Junior Olympics.

"It was fun to play against her, as it always is," Sharpely said in praising Lee. "But I am really proud of what she is doing for her team in a time of need. She did amazingly well for not having any experience at setter."

The Pac-Ten powerhouse got off to a flying start behind the serving of junior Barbara Iffjika. After a Stanford ace, Irish head coach Debbie Brown called timeout trailing 6-0.

Freshman middle blocker Mary Leffers turned in another solid outing as she led the Dons with nine kills and five block assists.

Iffjika aced another serve before Irish freshman Mary Leffers stopped the bleeding with a nice feed from junior hit-turned-setter Jaimie Lee.

Head coach Debbie Brown was unsure and concerned about what happened early in the match.

"You can't give a team like Stanford an 8-0 lead and expect to come back. I don't think it was nerves, I guess we just got rattled early."

After game one, the match took a different tone and it looked like the kind of play lived up to its billing.

The squads battled through game two, as both teams refused to yield as sideouts were called time after time. The Irish had a 12-9 lead, but the Cardinal were too much as they broke the backs of the Irish, winning 15-12.

In game three, the Irish refused to quit as they faced match point five times before finally yielding 17-15, with a kill from Folkl.

"This was a disappointing loss, but I am also encouraged," Brown said. "We had some opportunities but couldn't convert. We need to learn how to win those tight games. We had great crowd support (over 1200) and the momentum, but we can definitely build on this."

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Allegations continue to haunt Rams' rookie

By R.B. FALLSTROM

Associated Press

ST. LOUIS

Once again, Lawrence Phillips is in the news and it has nothing to do with carrying the football.

The latest problem is a civil lawsuit brought by a former girlfriend.

Unsealed Tuesday in Kansas City, it accuses the St. Louis Rams' rookie running back of beating, threatening and sexually assaulting her during a two-year relationship at the University of Nebraska.

On advice of his lawyers and his agent, Phillips wouldn't comment on the lawsuit Wednesday as negotiations continued for a possible settlement.

During the Rams' open locker room period, the rookie never made an appearance.

"Since he's come to St. Louis, there's been a lot of things that have surrounded his life, and not all of them very good, that he's trying to put behind him," said Phillips' agent, Mitch Frankel. "He's sometimes maybe concerned that people are going to ask him questions and he doesn't really know how to handle them."

Last week was the same story. On the day his preliminary hearing on a drunken driving charge in California was postponed to Sept. 30, he angrily refused interview requests.

Frankel said the real Phillips will surface as soon as he puts his personal woes behind him.

"I think as time goes on and everyone gets to know him a little better, I think you'll find him very engaging and very hospitable," Frankel said. "I think once all these factors are behind him, I think you'll really like him as a human being."

The lawsuit was filed Aug. 16 in Jackson County Circuit Court by Kate McEwen of Topeka, Kan.

Phillips pleaded no contest to misdemeanor trespassing and assault for a Sept. 10, 1995, attack on McEwen, a former Nebraska basketball player.
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Holly Manthei assists the Irish in reaching goals
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On a soccer statistic sheet, there are parentheses following the name of the goal scorer. This punctuation helps to show who helped out on the goal.

Junior Holly Manthei's name has made a home between those marks.

Lending a helping hand always deserves some credit and that's how Manthei has made her mark at Notre Dame. Manthei's Irish teammates have been the beneficiaries of her 22 assists during a two-year period.

Combine that talent with two years as a member of the U.S. National Team and it becomes apparent why Manthei has been rated as the nation's best midfielder by Soccer America.

This year Manthei will continue to help the Irish defend their national championship when Notre Dame opens its home schedule this Friday night against Wisconsin. Help is not an understatement here, but it best suits Manthei's unselfish play.

"I've always been more of a playmaker, and I like doing that. It has always come natural to me because of my position on the flank."

Holly Manthei

"It's nice to play with people who can score 20 or 30 goals a year. Coaches have always wanted me to be more of a scoring threat. It would be nice, but it's not really a focus I have. It's definitely something I should work on because I should be more of a threat. Right now, I'm not that much of a threat going to the goal so I guess it's something I'd like to improve."

Manthei has scored 15 goals in two years, but Petrucci is one of those coaches who think she could be more threatening. Last year, in a loss to Connecticut, Manthei helped tie the game by blasting past three defenders and blasting the ball into the net. It's these glimpses of Manthei's ability that Petrucci remembers.

"I'd like Holly to become more of a goal scorer," he added. "Sometimes, I'd like to see her finish it off herself instead of dishing it off to someone else."

This past weekend Manthei did a little of each, scoring a goal and notching three assists in the pair of Irish wins.

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Notre Dame suffers rare sweep to Stanford
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Last night at the JACC, the second ranked Stanford Cardinal taught the Notre Dame women's volleyball team a bit of a lesson in top ten college volleyball.

The Irish spotted the Cardinal eight points in the first match and had their backs broken in the last two as the Domes came up on the short end of a 15-2, 15-12, 17-15 outcome. The 3-0 loss marked only the second time the Irish have been shutout at home in Debbie Brown's tenure.

The young and old turned in big performances for Brown as freshman Mary Jeffers and senior captain Jenny Birkner led the Irish with ten kills each. Senior middle blocker Jennifer Rouse picked up her game as six of her nine kills game in game three.

Kristina Ervin, a senior hitter, played through a sprained ankle she suffered on Friday and turned in a strong performance off the bench.

"I practiced some passing and a little hitting today," commented Ervin. "I was not expecting to play, but the trainer has done a great job and I did not feel any pain in the match, probably because of adrenalin."

"Kristina did a great job of coming back. I think she was a big lift for the team," Lee praised.

Stanford head coach Don Shaw, who has led his team to two national championships, gave the Irish credit for giving his squad everything it could handle.

Jennifer Rouse (left) contributed nine kills while Angie Harris chipped in six kills and two service aces in a losing effort. The Irish suffered their first loss of the season at the hands of No. 2 ranked Stanford.

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