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ND professors Jack Powers (right) and Gary Slobin (left) gave their perspectives on the media’s role in Election ‘96.

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Not a Convent College

Anytime I'm back home and the fact that I go to Saint Mary's College comes up in conversation, the dialogue usually goes something like this: "Saint Mary's. Is that a convent or something?" "No, it's a Catholic women's college," I reply. "Oh, So you're going to be a nun then?" It is interesting to see how little people really know about women's colleges.

Along with the University of Notre Dame, Saint Mary's College celebrates its 25th anniversary of co-education. I think it is important to put into perspective the process of going co-ed, Saint Mary's officials and the institution itself have to make the transition between the two institutions, and stand behind its commitment to being a single-sex institution.

I understand what it means to receive an experience in retrospect. By erasing any possibility of gender bias, indulge, experience and awareness, alumnae continually ranked us number one in our class at a higher rate than their co-ed counterparts.

The plan was to bring the heart out of Northern Ireland in the early 1970s as part of its campaign against British rule, the government has been fighting to isolate itself from almost everything appearing to be a threat, terrorism, riots and thuggery.

It paid out more than $1.2 billion to businesses, home owners and motorists, accounting for a crucial cut-off. The European side of the Catholics.

Critics say the government's offer to reimburse all damage exceeding 200 pounds ($300) per claim makes Northern Ireland residents less likely to move from hard-line positions that underpin the conflict. But they see no moral dimension.

It is perverse, but nonetheless true, that the government's compensation scheme, which was a condition of the European Union's approval to the IRA's fight, has been widely ignored. The European Union has noted that the government's offer to reimburse all damage exceeding 200 pounds ($300) per claim makes Northern Ireland residents less likely to move from hard-line positions that underpin the conflict.

The scheme really is part of the way in which the United Kingdom government supports Northern Ireland economically against European competitors and it always has done," Moxon-Browne said.

It may be repulsive, but it's not a felony. Prison workers splattered by bursting packets of prisoner semen are not actually victims under a New York law making it a crime to throw body fluids at jail employees, state Attorney General Dennis Vacco said Monday.

The money paid throwing feces, urine, blood or seminal fluid a felony, punishable by up to five additional years behind bars with no chance of early release.

It was unclear whether the prisoners wanted to harm or harass the employees who changed clothes. It is evident not only how far this awareness, it is evident not only how far
**SMC calls attention to symbols**

By SHANNON RYAN

*News Writer*

How does a Catholic women’s college incorporate the use of religious symbols on campus? This is exactly what Sister Bettina Maria Ferraro, Assistant to the Vice President for Mission, inquired of Saint Mary’s students in a recent questionnaire.

In light of the College Mission Statement, Saint Mary’s has taken new strides this year to strengthen its Catholic background. By adding the new position of Vice President of the Division for Mission, the college hopes to intensify its ties to the founding Sisters of the Holy Cross.

“We hope this will enforce a new emphasis on Saint Mary’s as a Catholic college,” replied assistant professor for religious studies Elizabeth Newman.

The survey is the first attempt to gather thoughts and opinions from the entire Saint Mary’s community on how symbols communicate the religious identity of the college. A committee is in the process of assessing the means by which Saint Mary’s reflects its faith through these symbols.

Numerous religious statues and icons enhance the Saint Mary’s campus. From the Gothic architecture of the Sacred Heart in front of Madeleva, students are surrounded by religious symbolism. The committee questioned how often these signs of faith are taken for granted. The religious symbolism questionnaire encourages students, faculty and staff to volunteer their ideas and discover what impact these symbols enhance the Saint Mary’s campus.

Not only does the College hope to emphasize these symbols to Catholics in the twentieth century, but it would like to extend its symbolism to cultural and religious symbols of the next century. The committee is interested in exploring new avenues of multiculturalism among students. By encouraging the display of other religious icons, the committee hopes to welcome those of different faiths.

The College has a modern approach to the coming of the next millennium. “We’d like to enter the year 2000 reflecting upon our Catholic identity in the next millennium, but not forgetting the traditions of the past,” Ferraro replied.

The Saint Mary’s campus would like to promote hospitalities through these symbols while reflecting on the beauty and mission of the college. Ferraro responded, “Symbols invite us to move into the next millennium, of things and speak beyond our ability to articulate.”

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**Student Activities Board**

Board welcomes members

By ALLISON KOENIG

*News Writer*

The Saint Mary’s Student Activities Board welcomed 30 new members last night. President Lori McKeeough began by reading the board mission statement and giving background on the work that the group does for the school.

McKeeough informed newcomers that their responsibilities would mainly entail working on special SAB committees under the direction of the respective chairwomen.

She stressed the importance of their involvement in all of the board’s activities. “Word of mouth is the absolute best way to get the rest of the student body to attend our events. We expect you to publicize as much as possible,” said McKeeough.

The board members introduced themselves and spoke on their roles in the organization. President Lori McKeeough, Treasurer Melissa Sanchez, and Administrative Coordinator Christina Mullen take care of the basic administrative roles for SAB.

The other chair positions for SAB committees are:
- Kaitlyn Frank, movies and munchies
- Mia Reinhold, Crack-ups Comedy Cafe
- Katy Pain, speakers
- Branden McLaughlin, diversity committee
- Lori Biebe and Gretchen Moore, entertainment/recreational committee
- Kelly Medlin, public relations coordinator

Although the board separated into committees to talk to the interested students about upcoming events and their potential roles in them.

“The women I talked to were very enthusiastic about what they could do for SAB,” SAB member and Sophomore, Lauren Hooks, shared that same excitement. It is the student involvement that makes this group successful,” said Reinhold.

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**FALL FORUM FOR FLAUNTING FANCY FOOTWORK...**

Ben Thimmes, an off-campus sophomore, takes advantage of mild weather to bounce around a Hackey-Sack.

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**Security Beat**

Friday, Sept. 20

10:11 a.m. A University employee reported hit-and-run damage to her vehicle parked in the BI parking lot.

4:30 p.m. Security transported a Davis Hall resident to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of a sports injury.

Thursday, Sept. 21

10:30 a.m. A University Village resident reported the theft of his bike from a University Village bike rack. The bike was locked at the time of the theft.

3:00 p.m. Security transported an Alumni Hall resident to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of injuries sustained during a fall.

4:10 p.m. Security transported a Student Hall resident to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment of a sports injury.

Sunday, Sept. 22

1:06 p.m. A Student Hall resident reported the theft of his wallet and keys from his room.

1:25 p.m. A Keough Hall resident was locked at the time of the theft.

3:14 p.m. A Howard Hall resident reported receiving a harassing telephone call.

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Yeltsin surgery affects
Russian sentiments
By DAVE CARPENTER
Associated Press Writer

MOSCOW

Amid rising fears that Boris Yeltsin's health is too fragile right now to withstand heart surgery, a top American cardiovascular surgeon flew in Monday to offer his opinion. The Communists demanded Yeltsin step down if he can't govern.

Russian stocks slid 3 percent on concerns over Yeltsin's health, and the credibility of official reports on his condition crumbled. Tense official accounts of a basically healthy patient heading into routine surgery, were challenged by Yeltsin's doctors.

Television newscasts led with the arrival of heart specialist Dr. Michael DeBakey, who will join in examinations Wednesday that could set a date for Yeltsin's bypass operation.

The top Russian surgeons who invited DeBakey are now talking about delaying the operation because of related health concerns.

While declaring "I'm always optimistic," DeBakey told reporters he could give no specifics because he had not seen Yeltsin yet.

Dr. Renat Akchurin, the president's surgeon, said over the weekend that the operation may have to be delayed for up to two months while Yeltsin's health is stabilized. The president, who has been in the Kremlin hospital since Sept. 13, said earlier the operation would be late this month and reportedly is pressing doctors to operate.

"The operation most probably won't take place this month, but the final decision will be made by doctors at Wednesday's consultation," Yeltsin press spokesman Sergei Yastrzhembsky told The Associated Press.

Akchurin, in a Russian television interview Sunday, said proceeding with the operation at an early date "might entail some risk."

Without being specific, he suggested Yeltsin may have been overdoing things recently, such as fishing and hunting, which are "not recommended."

Presidential aides confirmed that Yeltsin had been hunting and fishing at a private hunting lodge and doctors were concerned he was overexerting himself. Yeltsin was being kept in hospital to lose weight and build up his strength for the operation, they said.

Despite the widespread concern that Yeltsin is seriously ill and no longer running the government, the president has been seen on television meeting with aides regularly and appears to be in control.

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Net abuse sparks controversy

EDITOR'S NOTE — Chatting on the Internet in a newsgroup where everybody is interested in the same topic can be lots of fun. But should employees of state governments be advertising fishing flies and old wedding rings for sale or nattering on about soap operas? Dave Wickham, a Washington state electrician, doesn't think so. And he has been tracking abuses.

By AVIVA L. BRANDT
Associated Press Writer

YAKIMA, Wash. Ron Finley knows the pounding agony of the morning after. "I got hung over at the drop of a hat," he writes. "I am very sensitive to alcohol and the irritations that are thrown in it."

Finley's hangovers are not private. You can look it up. Finley posted his comments, misspellings and all, on the Internet. He's not alone in that — multitudes around the world exchange comments on Usenet, a global bulletin board multitudes around the Internet.

Wickham posted his comments, rock 'n' roll, slacking off and selling fish in flies and old wedding rings for sale or nattering on about soap operas? Dave Wickham, a Washington state electrician, doesn't think so. And he has been tracking abuses.

"I always subscribe to the theory that the worst vacation is better than the best day at work," writes Leslie Anderson, a computer analyst-programmer at the Washington Department of Transportation, in a recent posting.

"Some would say that these postings — even if composed in a recent posting.

Wickham was incensed when he realized an Internet advertisement for fishing flies came from a Department of Social and Health Services account.

"If I figure if it's a private employee, that's their business and who cares. But where it's state government, it seems like it's our problem," said Wickham, a 44-year-old electrician in Oce Edum, Wash.

"Plus, you know, you feel like a state employee should somehow be representative of you, and where they're out trolling on the 'Net for dates, it kind of reflects on the state and the way it's run. Wickham made it his business to track the abuses. He has created a Web page with examples from every state in the Union (http://www.voidnet.net/states.htm).

"Some of what I've got on that Web page, I feel real bad about putting on there," he said.

"There's one guy in Tennessee who goes into a long story about being sexual­ly abused by his minister. You have to put that out there but man, they shouldn't be doing that. What drives someone to do that I can't imagine."

RENOVATING HARLEM: The new 'Metropolis' by HERBERT MCGANN

CHICAGO Nat King Cole and Scott Joplin came out of the neigh­borhood. Lena Horne stayed there. Ethiopian Emperor Haile Selassie paid a visit, and Richard Wright wrote "Native Son" while a resident.

But Chicago's once-nourish­ing Bronzeville section, like New York's Harlem a bastion of black culture for decades, has deteriorated into a commu­nity of vacant lots and run­down buildings.

New city officials and some of the remaining residents want to bring the area back to life by showcasing its past and restor­ing its landmarks.

"There is a tremendous black history here — the homes along King Drive, the blues section that was on 43rd Street. Some of our great lead­ers came out of the area," said Alderman Madelene Hailbock, who represents part of the neighborhood.

In an attempt at redevelop­ment, community officials plan to construct single-family homes, rebuild businesses and renovate historic build­ings.

The project is receiving both private and public money, including $27.7 million in federal­eral empowerment-zone funds and $625,000 from the state.

"A bunch of area foundations, businesses and churches have signed on to a vision," said Pat Dowell-Cerasoli, executive director of a community redevel­opment group. "They want to restore the best aspects of Bronzeville."

William Barnett, a former alderman and city planner, hopes to rehabilitate the Eighth Regiment Armory, the first in the country built for a black-commanded regiment. Barnett wants to put a child care center, training facilities and black culture exhibits in the building. But first, he must pay the $200,000 in taxes that have piled up while it stood vacant for 20 years.

In the years after World War II, "Bronzeville" was a neighborhood that was once home to thousands of blacks from the South. The population fell from 193,000 in 1950 to 66,000 in 1970. Mammoth public housing pro­jects replaced private housing. Businesses closed, leaving few shopping options.

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Since then, rehabilitation has already occurred. The 1931 Chicago Bee Building, original­ly the home of several black newspapers, has been modern­ized and converted to a public library.

The area around the Illinois Institute of Technology, with its Frank Lloyd Wright-designed houses, has been revitalized with an influx of middle-class residents.

And "IIT's College of Architecture and Harvard Univer­sity's Graduate School of Design are working on redevelop­ing 35th Street, where Earl "Fatha" Hines, Duke Ellington and Louis Armstrong played at the Sunset Jazz Cafe and Grand Terrace Lounge.

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By REID MILLER

Associated Press Writer

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Gary Sieber, of the Department of Communication and Theatre, followed with a description of the influences by various types of media in the election process. Sieber emphasized the future changes that the "explosion of new media" will effect in our "global village.

"On how to make informed choices in the '96 election, Sieber explained that the educated voter must first understand the media and its shortcomings. "There are endless political advertisements. He urged the voter to try to "understand the political processes such as pandering, sound bites, photos opportunities, and manipulation of the media."

He continued to explain that a knowledgeable voter must also avoid "dependence on any single medium" as the basis for candidate selection. Sieber stressed that your voice is your primary tool as citizens. He recommends complaining as an effective means of advertisement; the media will respond rapidly with its viewership and readership.

Yet, until the media responds with only the absolute truth, the educated voter must "wade through all of the nonsense and decide what [he] thinks is the truth."

This session was the third in a series of lectures entitled "The 1996 Elections and the Common Good." During next Monday's session, Notre Dame faculty will discuss "Poverty and Welfare" at 4:00 p.m. in the University Club.

Sub raises questions for South Koreans

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North Korea broke its silence over the incident Monday, demanding the return of the submarine and its occupants dead or alive. It said the submarine had drifted into enemy waters after experiencing engine trouble during a training mission.

South Korea refused the request and called North Korea's explanation "nonsense.

Defense Secretary William Perry also rejected the North Korean claim, telling reporters in Denmark on Monday that all evidence suggests the submarine "was not on a routine mission.

A South Korean statement released at the United Nations said the North "should at least publicly admit to their infiltrative attempt and apologize."

North Korea also showed its desire to meet South Korean officials for talks at the U.N. buffer zone in Panmunjom, it said.

Seong-ha Jung has said that before any of its allies strengthens its ties with Pyongyang, there must be an agreement in its own relationship with the North, which it holds solely responsible for the tense, icy atmosphere.

A 1953 armistice stopped the fighting, but the two Koreas technically remain at war. Persistently, Pyongyang has said it will discuss a permanent peace treaty only with the United States and not with South Korea, which it sees as a U.S. puppet.

In recent years, Washington has inclined toward closer relations with the North. It concluded a pact aimed at preventing North Korea from producing nuclear weapons and tentatively agreed to exchange liaison offices with Pyongyang.

Washington has also shown a greater willingness than Seoul to ship food aid to North Korea, now suffering from flood-induced food shortages bordering on famine. Pyongyang has responded, permitting the United States for the first time to send military teams to North Korea to search for the remains of Americans killed in the 1950-53 war.

The government in Seoul has openly worried that its communist rival may use those developments as a means of further expanding its relations with Washington.

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should be used when requesting a refund, according to Joe Sasso, program manager for the Joyce Center.

The concert was postponed from its original date due to the death of the bassist's daughter.

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HOSTILITIES MERIT THOUGHT, PRAYER

Dear Editor:

As members of Pax Christi, the International Catholic Peace Movement, and the Notre Dame community, we have become increasingly concerned about the hostility shown by the U.S. in the Gulf region. As Christians, we must always question and address all forms of violence and hatred that we encounter. The threat of aggression requires critical consideration.

The Gospel implores each of us to resolve conflicts that divide, support, to reject hatred, and to listen and forgive. Yet the hostile rhetoric of the U.S. towards Iraq reflects an extreme contradiction to this message. The military build-up in the Gulf region serves only to increase tension and hatred.

Last week, Secretary of Defense William Perry said the American response to Iraqi military movement would be "disproportionate." Even for the military or family happiness. When we knew, as did we students, that the good discipline essential for security was at Notre Dame, the good 

Discipline essential for security

Dear Editor:

What were the students who were assaulted, as reported in the Sept. 9 edition of the Observer, doing outside their halls after midnight and at 2:50 a.m.? If this is allowed by the University, then what is needed is not more security but more responsibility by the University, in loco parentis, and much more concern about the developmental welfare and maturity of those in charge.

Discipline is an essential for success in every part of life, be it in business, sports, religion, academics, the military or family happiness. When we were at Notre Dame, the good Fathers impressed this on us by 10 p.m. room checks and before midnight sign-in on limited special permits that were earned. Our parents and family didn’t have to worry. They knew, as did we students, that the discipline they imposed was done out of Christian love and desire that we would be successful in every aspect of our lives.

As one who appreciates the great lesson of the necessity of discipline in all aspects of life to achieve happiness that was taught me at Notre Dame, I hope that the present administration would love its present student body enough to do the same.

BURNIE BAUER

Class of ‘38 and MA ‘46

Whining had already begun

Dear Editor:

This letter is in response to Jim Ciezenzak’s Sept. 10 article entitled ‘Back to School Blues.’

Great to be back, Jim. Let your much valued opinions of South Bend once again trumpet. Please. No seriously, said, “Let the whining begin...”

I seem to remember a time back in the 1992-1993 school year when you did some whining yourself. As a student of Penn High School, class of 1993, where at that time you taught history (and may still). I seem to remember you as one of the biggest, and only, advocates against the College Football Hall of Fame. It would be the economic downfall of us all, you proclaimed, as I saw your face plastered all over the local news.

Well, last time I saw the news, I heard the College Football Hall of Fame has been doing quite well, a local news event which you most certainly downplay. Nevertheless, ever since then, in my following years at Notre Dame, I have seen your name here, there and everywhere.

The Observer, the South Bend Tribune, and other sources of local media are your playground. A large circulation for one of the true “whiners” of the city.

Let me ask you, why do you so sarcastically attack the things which are not hurting you? Last time I checked, the Observer was a student newspaper pertaining to the lives of students.

On that note, I myself, as a student, was upset at the on-campus policy of Senator Bailey. Not because I want to drink at 12:00 in the afternoon, no, but rather because I would like to spend some last “peaceful” moments alone, on this campus, with some of my best friends of the past four years. Thus, a bar for those 21 and over; seniors.

Jim, in no way disrespectful to a 1957 graduate, I would like to ask you if you like living here. Or rather do you just like to read your name in the “big time” lights?

Whining had already begun...

Welcome back.

SHAWN NOLEN
Penn High School Class of 1993
Senior
Off Campus

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CRITICAL THINKING

"DEMONSTRATION IS THE RECURRING SUSPICION
THAT MORE THAN HALF OF THE PEOPLE ARE RIGHT MORE THAN
HALF OF THE TIME."

—E.B. White

QUOTE OF THE DAY
When it comes to celebrating Oktoberfest in Michiana, expect the works.

The bratwurst, that is, as well as the sauerkraut, two main salad, and the crowning glory: the beer.

This past Saturday, Oktoberfest found its home at the Mishawaka Brewing Company as crowds of revelers enjoyed a full day of food, drink and dancing. The celebration was sponsored by the South Bend chapter of D.A.N.K., the German American National Congress (also known as the Deutsch-Amerikanischer National Kongress).

For a $5 admission fee, guests could enjoy socializing and dancing from 4 p.m. to midnight. The Brewing Company served up four beer varieties for the event, including their special Oktoberfest brew. 20 oz. beers cost $3, while the "small" 12 oz. size was $2. In addition, authentic Bavarian bratwurst was available for $3. The truly brave (and most likely single) piled on generous heaping of sauerkraut and onions.

Although the Oktoberfest brew was the undisputed crowd pleaser, three other brews delighted the tastes of Germans and non-Germans alike.

Mishawaka Brewing Company co-owner, John Foster also offered Munich Light, Anheuser-Busch Weizen (a wheat blend) and the house specialty, Vier Reiter, known to its many Notre Dame fans as "Four Horsemen Ale."

"After a rousing victory by the Irish on Saturday, plenty of students decided to try their hand at being German for a day as they sampled the sights and tastes of Oktoberfest. Senior Jeanne LaFleur and friends spent the evening at a slightly different tinge to the usual college week end scene."

"It was a great night, the beer was definitely to watch people in lederhosen!" LaFleur commented. "It's nice to do something different..."

LaFleur, by the way, is traditional German attire.

Many D.A.N.K. members and volunteers decked out in authentic clothing, with several items also available for sale.

In an effort to broaden their horizons beyond Killian's and Bud Light, many students were eager to try the festival's specially brewed German beers. Senior Dan Morrissey tried the Oktoberfest "Bier" first.

"It's a little bitter, but not strong like Guinness," Morrissey said. "Very full-bodied — it's excellent!"

Colorado native LaFleur agreed, noting that "it tastes like a Fat Tire, a Colorado beer."

"Two thumbs up!"

Foster said that the Oktoberfest beer is brewed stronger than the Munich Light. "It's more full-bodied than most American beers," he said. "Most of them taste like water, but this actually has a lot of flavor."

According to Foster, the Munich Light is a traditional fall brew. "Wheat beers are very popular this time of year. We plan to keep it on the menu at $4 a pitcher."

Megan Emerick, a senior at Saint Mary's, noted that the wheat brew of Anheuser-Busch was a pleasant surprise. "It's light, but it's got some punch," she said. "It's actually kind of sweet!"

"The Oktoberfest brew, senior Pat McGinley still remained faithful to his Irish favorite, Four Horsemen Ale. "It's a Brewing Company staple. You can't go wrong," he said.

"It's kind of like a lager, but not too bitter."

Shay and Emerick also tried their luck in the brautwurst department, but struggled considerably with the sauerkraut. In comparison to concession stand brats, Shay said, "This is a REAL brat. It's kind of mild, not very spicy, but it's great."

After feasting on brats, braut, pretzels and beer, there was plenty of energy to work off those calories with lively dancing.

Music for the festival was provided by the Jay Fox band, a Bavarian show band based in Fort Wayne that performs at Oktoberfests all around the midwest. And while others outdid themselves valiantly tried to polka, most of them were outdanced by polka pros many years their senior.

Note Dame and Saint Mary's students join Michiana residents for a night of dancing and dinner, complete with music by the Jay Fox Bavarian show band.

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**WEB SITE OF THE WEEK**

**Bring on the Buckeyes: Web Site:**

By JASON HUGGINS

World Wide Web Correspondent

This weekend, two-hundred thousand fans will travel to South Bend for college football's "social gathering" of the century. And the information you need to make this weekend the greatest in Notre Dame history is now available on the web.

"Some time before Friday you will want to check out the Irish Sports Report (IrishSports.com). In addition to having detailed commentary about the Notre Dame vs. Ohio State match-up, the Irish Sports Report has a very entertaining web site. It offers on-line trivia, contests, puzzles, and picture highlights of the season. You can even send your comments and postcards with pictures of memorable Irish football moments to your friends.

Another good game preview is the "ND on NBC" homepage, at (www.nd.edu/~ndsi/fbhome.htm). As part of the football contract with Notre Dame, NBC has a separate section dedicated to Irish football. It provides a large, well-organized database of player information, which even includes statistics from Irish players at high school days.

Of course, all this on-line information must have originated from the Notre Dame Athletic Department and its official Notre Dame football web site (www.nd.edu/~ndsi). You can find millions of cool facts about the team, the stadium, and the amazing traditions.

And if you've ever wanted to memorize the famous "Win one for the Gipper" speech, click here.

Some notable student sites are also worth web surfing. J.J. Nocera has maintained a very respectable "Notre Dame Football Homepage" (www.nd.edu/~nocera/html.html) for the last few years, and has tons of fun facts. His site includes an outstanding commentary on the team's future outlook. Also, look here for more Irish football related web sites not mentioned in this article.

The most well-rounded student-created Notre Dame football web site has to be Tom Schillid's "Irish Recruiting Journal" (www.nd.edu/~tschlidt/recruiting.htm) for the Iron Bowl. He has an outstanding database of player information, which even includes statistics from Irish players at high school days.

This site's breadth of coverage is truly one-of-a-kind. Tom has an index of every database he has ever maintained on the web while selling board so all Irish fans can contribute to the discussion. Of all the Notre Dame football pages, Tom Schillid's page is the most up-to-date. For example, only Schillid's page mentioned that ESPN's "GameDay"
Get a little closer... but beware the horrors of halitosis

By LARRY WARD
Medical Minute Correspondent

We've all been in those situations in which we are close to someone with the desire for. Normally, it starts out with an innocent discussion about the test we had taken earlier in the day or about the ten page paper due tomorrow that we hadn't started writing yet. Then all of a sudden our mouths start burning on our head. Immediately, we begin to think, "Oh my God, how does my breath smell?"

We then begin to think about what culinary delight we had just eaten in the dining hall and if it was capable of leaving a foul odor in our mouths. Next, we wonder if we are suffering from bad breath! We may be asking yourself, "Geez, I wonder exactly causes foul breath among others? The major cause of bad breath is the bacterial decomposition of food and other debris around our teeth. These particles tend to invade our mouths and bang around our gums and enter our teeth. The end result is an odor which often tends to be offensive to many people around us.

The last thing most people will be doing this weekend is going to the game will be incredible. Nothing on the web can replace the thrill of actually being in Notre Dame stadium. If you are one of the unfortunate souls with out a ticket (unbelievable, of course, you sold it and are now very fortunate) feel free to check out SportsLine USA (info@2sportsline.com).

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Paradise awaits us.
Nebraska joins the fallen favorites of the Big 12

By MARK BABINECK
Associated Press Writer

Suddenly, Nebraska is just part of the pack, joining the Big 12 heap of supposed league favorites that couldn't get through September without losing a non-conference game.

The Cornhuskers on Saturday joined Colorado, Texas and Texas A&M in the loss column, league's fringe powers an extra game and might have given the league's middle class.

"I imagine they feel pretty good at Kansas, Kansas State and Baylor right now," Texas Tech coach Spike Dykes said Monday, pointing to conference's remaining schools with a perfect league record.

"I felt from the onset that this was maybe a league that had one dominant team in Nebraska, then I felt like you could throw a hat over the rest of them.

"Nebraska's 19-0 loss Saturday night to Arizona State might do some good for other teams' psyches, but the fact remains that the Cornhuskers, along with favorites Colorado and Texas A&M, have yet to play a conference game. Texas, which was clipped 27-24 by Notre Dame on Saturday, is 1-0 thanks to an opening-day rout of Missouri.

"I guess anybody would by lying if they didn't say they were surprised there were only three teams at this stage that hadn't lost a game," Baylor's Chuck Reedy said during a coaches' conference call Monday. "The fact that those teams have been beaten doesn't change our approach."

"Baylor has vaulted to 3-0 against a weak intersectional schedule with a young team dotted with some of the nation's most desirable talent. The Bears have the weekend off before their first Big 12 game at Texas Tech (1-2, 1-1).

"We are exactly where Tennessee and Colorado are," Longhorns coach John Mackovic said of other one-loss powers. "We have to win and bounce back. We have to work our way back into the picture, and we can do that."

"Nebraska coach Tom Osborne, too, refused to count the Big 12, and his team by association, out of anything."

"I think that Nebraska is going to bounce back," said Oklahoma State coach Bob Simmons, whose team has climbed to a 3-1 start. "I know coach Osborne is going to find a way to get that team back on track. They really hadn't been beaten in a long time ... But it does open the door."
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The team was slightly troubled about playing on the turf at St. John's. "It took us about twenty minutes to settle down, so it did give us a little trouble," said Petrucci about his team's performance.

After her big performance against St. John's, Gerardo was named the Big East Offensive Player of the Week. She totaled three goals and an assist this weekend.

Also receiving honors this week was Sabrero, who was named Big East Defensive Player of the Week. She had an assist this weekend in the Connecticut game. Sabrero aided in the shutout against St. John's and helped hold the Huskies to only eight shots.

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hard work pays off."
Kelly Peterson 13th finished the course in 18:39 followed closely by Erin Lubey in 18:23 as Janel Kiley rounded out the top seven.

"All in all I was very pleased with their performance," said Connelly. "We could of put our junior varsity team in the varsity race and finished fifth."

-Freshman Denise Beakula led the Irish's second team squad followed by Carolynn Long and Ann Yates as they went on to sweep the top eight spots.

"We still have a couple of kids injured that haven't ran yet and if you would of told me we would be running as well as we are today without them I probably wouldn't believe it," said Connelly.

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Men’s Cross Country

Rexing, Altoff run off with top spots

By WILLY BAUER
Sports Writer

...travelled around the Notre Dame Golf Course, in 24:29, while Althoff finished two seconds behind Rexing. Joe Dunlop and Ryan Maxwell, fifth and sixth respectively, rounded out the top six finishers of the race, with a lone runner from Sierra Heights breaking up the group.

Scott Grace, a junior, finished the race in ninth place, the last Irish runner in the top 10. He ran his fastest time of his collegiate career at the meet, a time of 25:07.

The Irish have three meets to prepare for the Big East Championships in Boston, Massachusetts.

Defense dominates Interhall openers

By ADRIAN WILKERSON
Sports Writer

Once again, it is time to renew one of Notre Dame's unique athletic traditions. Judging by the rough and tumble defensive efforts shown by teams playing Sunday on Stetson Field South, they were lucky to have pads.

Zahm 7, Fisher 0

Fisher, the defending IH foot­ball champs, and Zahm committed what would seem to be deadly turnovers in their own territory. Fisher converted a fumble by a Fisher deep in their own territory. Lack of experience almost ruined O'Neill's try for a storybook ending when they almost stumbled the ball back to Alumni. However, in one of the most bizarre instances of officiating, referee's called the rare do-over in football. Even a second chance to win this game fell short as the Alumni secondary picked off a last ditch O'Neill pass to hold on for the victory.
**ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE**

**ACROSS**

1. Trash
2. It gives a lift at the circus
3. Surrounded by
4. "Saturnalia" (1967 Holmes)
5. Sea separating Greece from Turkey
6. Yankee's capital
7. A Carousel
8. UPS worker?
9. "M'aidez," e.g.
10. Furrow
11. Bed and breakfast
12. Authority
13. Med. school course
14. Authority
15. Author Levin

**DOWN**

1. Reasoning
2. Singer Bryant
3. Horses' hair
4. KLM fleet
5. Waver
6. Marlin and Robin, e.g.
7. Pot starter
8. One under 65
9. "I'm glad I take the stairs sometimes instead of using the elevator. I'm in pretty good shape.
10. Potato is a pretty good shape.
11. I just wrenched this muscle.
12. To the extent
13. Where N.Y.C.
14. Mixed emotions are likely given your current status and responsibilities. Take time to evaluate your options. Consul expert if necessary, buy your ticket, etc.
15. "The Feminist Case Against Abortion"
16. Cancer (June 21-July 22)
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18. Financial transaction. Examine your options before finalizing an agreement. A favorable hobby provides needed mental relaxation. Spend more time with a teen-ager. Have fun together!
19. Saint Mary's
20. Baked Stuffed Zucchini
21. "A l l 4 "
22. The Observer • TODAY

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**SPORTS**

**Women's Soccer**

**Gerardo lifts team over Big East rival, UConn**

By KATHLEEN LOPEZ

Soccer Writer

Mostly likely they will meet again, and the rivalry will continue. It all started when the Irish suffered a loss to the Huskies in the regular season, but they did get sweet revenge by handing two postseason losses to UConn.

This past weekend the second-ranked women's soccer team showed its dominance by defeating the fourth-ranked Connecticut Huskies in Connecticut, 2-1. This victory along with the 6-0 win over St. John's on Friday, extended their record 19-game winning streak.

"This win will give us a big boost," said head coach Chris Petrucelli. "It was a tough for us because there was a large team and because the Huskies were charged to play.

In front of a record crowd at the Connecticut Soccer Stadium, sophomore Monica Gerardo drilled a shot from about 12 yards out to lead the Irish to a victory. Junior Kate Sobrero chalked up an assist on the game-winning play.

Prior to the game, Petrucelli felt that there would be key matchups on the field. The Irish forwards would have to shut down the Huskies' sweeper, which they did.

Secondly, senior Cindy Dawes must try and silence UConn senior Kerry Connors. Connors did score the only goal for the Huskies, but she remained relatively quiet for the majority of the game. The Connors' goal was the first for the Huskies in their past three meetings with the Irish.

Senior forward Amy VanLaarcke was the key player for the Irish, according to Petrucelli. She along with the other forwards, shut down the Huskies' sweeper Sara Whelan. Whelan caused lots of problems with her commanding the UConn attack from the backfield.

VanLaarcke scored the initial goal for the Irish in the UConn game. She connected with sophomore Holly Manthei's pass 13 minutes into the first half to gain the lead, 1-0.

"They (Gerardo & VanLaarcke) played really well," said freshman Jenny Streiff. "They played the best that I have seen them, and they made some really awesome goals."

Streiff made a mark of her own this weekend, as she received her first card of the season. She received a caution for pulling on the shirt of UConn's Whelan. "It was the first one I have ever gotten," said Streiff. "I could not keep up with her(Whelan) so I pulled her shirt.

The defense held the Huskies to four shots in the second half.

"This win will give us knowledge," said Petrucelli. "We went into a hostile environment and came out with a win which will give us confidence for the rest of the season."

Prior to defeating the Connecticut Huskies, the Irish shut out St. John's, 6-0. Gerardo led the team with two goals, one of which she drilled about 25 yards outside of the box.

**FOOTBALL**

**Irish escape with minor injuries**

By T. RYAN KENNEDY

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As the days unroll from last Saturday, it appears the once-bruised Irish escaped Austin relatively unscathed. Pete Chrysplewicz, who suffered an ankle sprain last week, will be ready to go for Ohio State, as will Mike Dougherty and Jamie Spencer.

"It's just a little sprain," said the veteran tight end yesterday. "It got rolled on in the fourth quarter right before the touchdown. I'll be fine."

Strong safety A'Jani Sanders tore the anterior crucial ligament in his left knee at Texas, and will be lost for six weeks. The news comes as a surprise because the initial prognosis was that Sanders would be out for the season.

"It's a bit of a setback, but nothing's too hard to overcome," said Sanders, the biggest casualty of the season for Notre Dame.

"I've got to stay focused and keep my head in the game. I'll be back." Sanders' replacement has not yet been determined.

"We'll look at Benny Guilbeaux there and also Deke Cooper," said Coach Lou Holtz yesterday. "He's (Cooper) only been there about a week, but he's got more natural instinct."

Guilbeaux, who looked in his fill-in role (five unassisted tackles) despite being eligible for a late-hit call last week, is prepared to step into the starting role if called upon.

"Where one guy slips, the rest pick it up," he said.

Sanders' injury is loud on a team that needs to come together more than ever.

**Soccer**

By MARIO ARCE

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The Irish women's cross country team prevailed once again by winning the 17th annual National Catholic Invitational, improving their record to 2-0. The Irish defeated the highly-touted 1995 champion Marquette by ten points with a score of 36. Freshman Joanna Dexter once again led the Irish with a time of 16:39 over the five kilometer course. In her other college competition Dexter broke the Burke course record set by former Olympic Shinanade Dehante of Providence who ran in the course in 16:56.

The Irish contingent ran as a group early in the race as the entire top seven were all within the top twenty going through the mile. "We haven't worked all that hard to run this fast this early," said head coach Tim Connelly commenting on his teams unexpected fast first mile.

Nicole Laselle was the second runner over the finish line for the Irish as she finished fourth in 17:31. Laselle and Deeter ran together up until the mile and a half mark where Dexter made a commanding surge leaving the rest of the front runners unable to respond. Laselle finished seconds behind the 1995 champion from Lewis University.

"The two freshmen up front ran great," said Connelly. "Nicole ran great, she got in there and led with the competitors." Nicole was not beaten by talent but by will as the age of Lewis University as their lead runner is a 28 year old transfer student from Poland. Lewis finished third with a 112 points as they ran four runners in the top 15 but there Achilies' tendon was found in their fifth runner as she finished 87th.

Heidi Reichenbach was the third runner for the Irish finishing with a personal best of 17:51. Mirke Walsh was in fourth for the Irish also finishing with a personal best of 17:58 good enough for bronze place.

"Heidi and Mirke ran real well they stick together and raced together like they knew they had to," Connelly said. "Heidi surprised me again this week but I guess four years of experience is paying off."