Scholars examine Hussein's weapons stance, aggression

By JANEL KILEY
New Writer

Professors George Lopez and David Cortright examined Iraqi president Saddam Hussein's determination to use weapons of mass destruction last night, detailing the options and effects of the international community in preventing the acquisition of such weapons.

Their presentation investigated the costs and benefits of certain economic restrictions and considered the humanitarian concerns related to these actions.

At stake in this crisis is "the impasse between the Security Council and Iraq and the struggle for power in the post-Cold War world," Lopez said. This "Cold War paradigm" involves such issues as the effective enforcement and affirmation of international norms and the stand against blatant aggression that Iraq displays, he added.

"The nuclear folder can be closed," Cortright stated. The process achieved similar progress in destroying ballistic missiles, as 817 of 819 scud missiles in Iraqi possession have been accounted for, he said. Cortright believes "the Iraqi scud force no longer exists."

In the area of chemical weapons, he believes that "significant progress" has been made, but considerable uncertainties remain. However, biological weapons remain an area of concern for U.N. officials, he said, and while many sources of germ warfare have been found, many remain hidden.

In addition to the military concerns with Iraq, Lopez addressed progress in eliminating such weapons as "stunning. Numerous nuclear weapons in Baghdad have been identified and destroyed."

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Searching for Eric Liddell

Whatever happened to the true amateur athlete? Weiner turned up to the day when Olympic athletes competed for pure reasons and not for a Nike-shoe contract or a Wheaties box cover? Whatever happened to the spirit of Eric Liddell.

Eric Liddell is the subject of the film "Chariots of Fire." Liddell won the Olympic gold medal in the 400 meter race. In the Paris Olympic of 1924, Liddell's greatness is not so much measured by the weight of his gold medal, but by his story.

A devout Scottish Protestant and preacher, Liddell did not run for his own self glorification and ego, but for the glory of God. Liddell felt that his remarkable gift of speed was merely an extension of his passion for God, and the most glorious way to honor him was by giving of his time to others.

Perhaps the greatest test of Liddell's faith and character came when he learned that the qualifying heats for the 100 meter dash were to be held on Sunday, Liddell, the fastest man in Europe, refused to compete because he would not dishonor God by running on the Sabbath. The English Olympic committee, the Prince of Wales, and a host of others all tried to convince Liddell to forsake his personal devotion and commitment to God and think of his country before himself.

Liddell gave up his opportunity at immortality by eschewing the major leagues and thus becoming the fastest human alive. Thankfully for Liddell, a teammate of his gave up his position in a heat, Liddell's 100 meter dash was thus made unimportant and the fastest human alive.

Liddell won the race in a stunning upset. The day before, Liddell won the respect of the entire world by not sacrificing his integrity for a chance at personal glory. This is a lesson on one of my personal heroes. My question is what happened to the pure amateur athlete?

The Olympic games are supposed to be a contest where only amateur athletes showcase their talent and athleticism in perhaps the most spectacular and imaginal way. So why are Brett Hull and half of the hockey team on the Wheaties box cover? Whatever happened to the true amateur athlete? Whatever happened to the spirit of Eric Liddell.

BERKELEY, Calif. (AP) — In the background, L. L. Cool J's hit song "Mama's Gonna Knock You Out" played, while a video showed performances by notable Friskies Presley.

There were also Madonna's pointy bikini and Alice Cooper's fake severed head and guillotine from his 1986 Nightmare Returns tour. Roller Stone's 'Covers' Tour, which opened yesterday at UC Berkeley's International House, showcases hundreds of pieces of rock 'n' roll history.

The exhibit traces the magazine's covers dating back to its first in 1967. "I hope people go to the Covers Tour because it will be the most painless history lesson they'll ever have," said David Wilke, West Coast editor of the Observer.

PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Underage drinking law proposed

STAE COLLEGE, Penn. (AP) — Once upon a time, state Rep. Mark Geyer sponsored a bill to make the verification of a person's age when purchasing alcoholic beverages a little easier. In 1996, Geyer, R-Beaver, a member of the state House Liquor Control Committee, was the primary sponsor of Act 199, which would allow the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board to implement the MinorChecker System. The system allows alcoholic beverage providers to scan the magnetic strips on the backs of driver's licenses to determine whether the cards are legal and the person pictured is at least 21. The question is, does the legislation disenfranchise some people?

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PULMAN, Wash.

Disgruntled student protests exam

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY

A former student has been picketing on the Glenn Terrel Mall for the last few weeks with a sandwich board sign accusing the political science department and Student Affairs of wrong doing. Charles Mears, 42, had spent three years working on a doctorate in political science when he dropped out of the program after failing his preliminary oral examination — a step that needs to be completed before one can start on the last leg of a doctorate.

Mears said he failed for non-academic reasons, mainly personal bias, because of two appeals and his political science department, said political ideology and personal beliefs do not result in a student failure, "If we failed everyone who complained, we would fail every one," said Amy Mazur, professor of political science.

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Our idea to tour the universities was to celebrate the upcoming 30th anniversary of Rolling Stone magazine.

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Margaret O’Callaghan, visiting associate professor of government at Notre Dame, explains the centuries-old struggles between Ireland and Britain in a lecture last night. The partition of Ireland into the Irish Free State, which is comprised of the southern 26 counties, and Ulster, which contains the northern six, has been blamed for the cultural, religious and political problems that have plagued Ireland.

The debate over the most effective way to end this crisis quickly involves choices such as bombing and bailing out. The speakers predicted. If the U.N. chose to bail out by sending forces to defend Saddam Hussein, it would work well. Unfortunately, it was also “very difficult to explain in words,” he said. “Almost everything you hear in the play is true — including the tricks used to attract the guards.”

At first, Garrick did not even believe that it would be possible to stage the climactic final scene, in which Kropotkin makes his 300 yard dash for freedom. But soon afterward, he discovered a technique at a workshop which he thought would work well. Unfortunately, it was also “very difficult to explain in words,” he said. “I think the story could have been done in a movie, but the way we’ve done this is pure theatre,” he said.

The scheme to free Kropotkin becomes very complicated, and includes a detailed study of the security guards’ personal backgrounds and careful plans for distracting each one at exactly the right time. In the end, 50 or 60 people are involved in the plot. As Garrick explained, his play adheres faithfully to the historical facts of the plot.

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Most likely it would inflame anti-American passions, increase terrorism, and further divide the United Nations, rendering cooperative action among its members more difficult, Cortright said.

This action would also lead to an escalated military confrontation, further alienating Saddam Hussein and projecting him as a victim rather than an outlaw, the speakers predicted.

If the U.N. chose to bail out by lifting sanctions unconditionally, they would fail to prevent global aggression. Cortright believes such action would “express consent to (accumulation) of Iraqi weapons,” and jeopardize “the future authority of the U.N. in preventing tyranny.”

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The Death of a Friend  
Jim Lies, C.S.C.

Perhaps there is no greater measure of the character of a community than at the death of one of its members. In the wake of the tragic and sudden death of Justin Brumbaugh, we are inescapably drawn into a spiral of pain, and of grief, and of communal and self-reflection. We are also inevitably bound together in our attempts to grapple with our loss, and to reflect on the meaning of our lives. As a community, our hearts go out to Justin’s parents and extended family, and to Brother Jerome and the men of Knott Hall, particularly those who feel the loss most deeply.

There is so little consolation to be found in the sudden and untimely death of one so young. If there be any at all, however, it is in our faith in a God who would send his only Son so that we might have life. In the face of death, our only hope is in God and in the love that God revealed to us in the Pascal Mystery, the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. It is only in the paradox of the cross and resurrection that we can make any sense of or glimpse any hope in the absurdity of a death so profoundly sad and untimely as Justin’s. But there is something even more in all of this for us. It is, perhaps, God’s way of saying, through Justin, that we need to be more attentive to the moment, and that we cannot assume too much about the friendships we share, and about the time that we have to do all that we have in mind to do. Please God, in all of this, we can glimpse the hope that we have impacted the lives of many, just as Justin most assuredly did. We are given the opportunity to reflect on the ways that we have been and will be present in faith and in friendship to others in this community.

I didn’t know Justin. I wish I had. Much has been spoken of him in the days since his death by those who loved him. He was clearly a fine young man, and his death is a loss deeply felt by many. You can hear in the voices of those who knew him their pain at not having had just one last conversation with him. They long to be able to say just one last time how much he meant to them, how much they loved him, and, perhaps, to hear the same from him. But why would they have thought to have that conversation? They were going to see him at Mass on Sunday night, and in class on Monday, and in the dining hall, and in the residence hall, and in all the places they had always seen Justin. There was no reason to believe that he was not going to be there. And yet, as we know, he was not at Mass on Sunday, nor is he anywhere else that we still expect to run into him.

If Justin’s sudden death isn’t a wake-up call for us to be about the business of the things that matter, then nothing ever will be. This isn’t a sentimental plea for you to go around with “I love you” on your lips with every encounter or a profound goodbye with every parting. But it is a plea for you to live “I love you” in all the ways that you interact with those whom you do love, and to share the love that God revealed to us in the Pascal Mystery, the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. It is perhaps nothing more painful than lost opportunity. And, perhaps, God, in all of this, we can glimpse the hope that we have impacted the lives of many, just as Justin most assuredly did. We are given the opportunity to reflect on the ways that we have been and will be present in faith and in friendship to others in this community.

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As a community we will celebrate Justin’s life with a Memorial Mass on Monday, February 23, 1998 at 5:05 p.m. in the Basilica of the Sacred Heart. Fr. Edward A. Malloy, our University president, will lead us in prayer. May it be a prayer not only for Justin and his family and friends, but a prayer for us all. That we as a community might come to know, through Justin’s life and death, the richness of our own lives, and the opportunities that we have to deepen in love and friendship, and in faith.

Justin, we’ll miss you. Our hearts break for your parents and for those whom you leave behind who so dearly love you. Even as we grieve, help us to remember well the love and the joy that you brought to so many. And help us to love well those with whom God has blessed our lives. So that when our day comes, we will be ready, and, through our care and love for others, and by our very lives, we too will have said a proper good bye. With faith in a loving and gracious God, we entrust you to God’s care, and we look to the day when we shall see you again. Goodbye Justin.
ND liturgy director wins major award

By COLLEEN MURPHY
News Writer

The North American Academy of Liturgy awarded Nathan Mitchell the Berakas Award.

This award is regarded as the nation's most prestigious academic honor for liturgists. Mitchell received the award last month at the academy's annual meeting in San Antonio.

The academy honored Mitchell by saying he is "a gifted teacher, brilliant writer and lover of liturgy, who has plumbed the depths of apophhisa and psyche.

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orchestrated by Horvath as a follow-up to the survey.

During the introduction of the forum, Horvath listed the types of stereotypes students had encountered as indicated in the survey. The most frequently listed stereotypes were directly connected with Saint Mary's relationship with neighboring school Notre Dame.

Twenty-nine percent of respondents indicated that Saint Mary's students had been perceived as "better looking, less intelligent and easier sexually" than their Notre Dame counterparts. Twenty-one percent reported that others had assumed Saint Mary's students attended that school because they were not academically qualified for admittance to Notre Dame.

Thirteen percent of the respondents wrote that they heard Saint Mary's women were only enrolled at the institution in order to meet and marry a Notre Dame student. Another 13 percent said they had been excluded from a particular activity or event once a Notre Dame student learned they were a Saint Mary's student.

Other stereotypes that were perceived included the notion that mostly lesbians attend Saint Mary's, that the student body comprised mostly of "wealthy snobs" and that Saint Mary's is a school for aspiring nuns.

After absorbing the survey's results, students attended the forum immediately began describing their own encounters with an incorrect stereotype. "Is that where Rudy went?" I heard that one a lot," said student body vice president Lori McKenna.

"To contradict the stereotype that Saint Mary's women aren't qualified to attend Notre Dame there are many women, including myself, who were admitted to Notre Dame but chose to attend Saint Mary's," said one student.

"A lot of people asked me if I was going to transfer," said one student. "I don't think it should be held on this campus."

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News Writer

The Academy of Liturgy awarded Notre Dame's Center for Pastoral Liturgy, has been a member of the Notre Dame faculty since 1990. He obtained his doctoral degree in theology from Notre Dame in 1978.

Mitchell is the author of six books as well as a number of articles. He is presently the editor of Assembly and Liturgy Digest. Both are publications by the Center for Pastoral Liturgy.

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College, that said she encountered stereotypes or misconceptions about Saint Mary's as well. "You guys aren't the only ones running into this," she said.

"The discussion also featured suggestions as to how stereotypes are founded, and what can be done to combat them. Several students mentioned that Saint Mary's hosting, and seeming approval of, the Keenan Review needs to be re-evaluated."

"I just think it's a kick in the face," said one student. "I don't think it should be held on this campus."

"The Keenan Review is based on real things and real, genuine disrespect," added junior Kelly Curtis.

Rosenbush brought the formation process of stereotypes into focus. "Where are people being educated? Homophobia exists because people aren't exposed to the other side, and the same is true with women's issues as well," she said.

Mary Pat Nolan, director of Admissions, admitted that the stereotypes perpetuated about Saint Mary's women comes into play in her work. "It definitely affects our ability to recruit," she said.

Nolan cited examples of prospective students who directed questions to admissions counselors about stereotypes they had encountered.

"When the college president Marilou Eldred, after quietly absorbing most of the discussion, suggested a method to downplay stereotypes about all aspects of Saint Mary's."

"One of the best ways to combat stereotypes is with facts and information, even if the immediate reaction to a stereotype's existence is one of shock," she said, touching on the frustration and pain expressed by students throughout the course of the evening.

"There are some facts we aren't going to change. Notre Dame is here. They have more money... and they can do things that we can't," she said. "But that doesn't mean that we cannot still try and work on this relationship."

In concluding remarks, McKenna stated that she felt that Saint Mary's should put more effort into marketing itself as a women's college and a very separate entity from Notre Dame.

"We need to better publicize what our own alumnae have done," she said.

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If the North went to the South and the South went North, you would be reading this article in Spanish right now.

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You would kiss total strangers on the cheek...
Physical Education is a Needed Break

Joseph Howarth
February 9, 1998

It has long been my policy to avoid subjecting my readers to unsolicited outdoor events, such as pressuring current events; I leave that to my sources. However, some things are truly worthy — to such a responsible community leader as myself. In this article Brian publicized the physical education programs here at Notre Dame so that all freshmen are required to take PE. He failed to see the benefit of PE at all, whereas I believe PE is “completely useless for most.” I struggle to relate with Brian at all. PE is more than merely an "annoyance" for the freshmen. The freshmen know I look forward to PE. For them, despite the heavy work load, PE is a chance to get out of the classroom, get out of the dorm, and try something new. For not even two hours a week, which is a fraction of the time we waste doing a number of things. PE gives us an excuse to do something with our peers we would not normally have a chance to do.

PE is not required so students can get in shape. This is a serious misconception. Instead, PE gives freshmen the chance to do classes which will take them out of their comfort zone, become active, and give them the chance to try unique classes. Where else does school offer classes in fencing, golf, and dancing? The fact that these classes are filled up so quickly is an indication that students are excited about trying something different. Of course not all students are fortunate enough to get the “good” rotations, but when PE classes get rid of PE and give no one the chance of students’ amazing experiences.

Still, there is more to PE than a few good rotations. All the rotations offer classes and a more enriching environment which contributes to providing freshmen with the perfect opportunity to meet new people. PE will allow students to become familiar with the athletic facilities, get a little exercise and, perhaps, influence them to habituate an athletic lifestyle for the future.

As for the coaches, my roommate failed his swimming test and was consistently a terrible swimmer. That was the last thing I wanted; going to the pool everyday between classes and he taught like a 4-year-old. Looking back though, he loved the class and is now a stronger swimmer than I ever was. Also, classes like baseball and for exercise for fitness, though not exactly what some people are looking for, provide just the right mix of activities for others.

PE, furthermore, gives us an opportunity to meet fascinating staff. So many upperclassmen can tell you dozens of stories about their PE classes and a more influence them to habituate an athletic lifestyle for the future.

As for the criticisms of PE, please consider that there is no difference between PE—not allowing more than one skip per rotation, and all freshmen academic classes which allow no more than three skips per semester. Data on wellness, although it may not seem that exciting, educates students on the University’s philosophy concerning many social concerns. Finally, students are suggested not to allow any more than one class in a rotation that he is unable to see and the benefit of PE. Even more radical, it is possible the stress would fail to see the enjoyment so many classes get out of the class.

Mary Beth Ellis
February 9, 1998

Mighty sking experts! SCOTT HAMILTON: But BLAND—high-hat, high-hat. BLAND: High hat? BLAND: MIGHTY SKATING COLOR COMMENTATOR: Most of you probably aren’t familiar with Mighty Skating, but try to grasp the concept of the arena. As you can see, the skaters stop at this end of the rink, and then go all the way around Olympic size. Next up, the Men’s Super C Nordic biathlon slalom downhill, followed by figure-seconds. I am watching the ice hockey, the skii jump, the twirling outside. Not too many people I know have such a unique blend of passions and talents as both of these former athletes. O’ Sullivan, but by Michelle Gelfman, who has taught me tennis and social dancing. Not too many people I know have such an abundance of energy.

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Nagano Nonsense
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mick harvey

Pink Elephants

Twenty years ago, Mick Harvey first appeared on Melbourne's music scene writing and performing with Nick Cave in The Birthday Party and subsequently became the premier member of Cave's backup band, The Bad Seeds, after the 1982 demise of The Birthday Party. In addition to working on all of the Bad Seeds albums, he has maintained a strong presence elsewhere in the music industry, producing P.J. Harvey and Anita Lane as well as performing in the now-defunct Grime and The City Solution. In 1993 he released Intoxicated Man which was a collection of songs written by French pop idol Serge Gainsbourg and translated into English by Harvey. The recently released follow-up Pink Elephants contains 16 newly translated Gainsbourg songs completing his Gainsbourg homage.

The selections on Pink Elephants reflect several different periods in Gainsbourg's career beginning with the only original composition, "Pink Elephants," which sets the mood for the rest of the album. The selections here are lighter than those on the first album which explored Gainsbourg's more personal and disturbing songs. This shift in subject matter is matched by a more refined sound on the second album. In "The Javanais," the story of a failed love affair is told by the couple's last dance together with music that perfectly evokes the feeling of the ballroom floor. Most significantly missing on Pink Elephants is the vocal accompaniment Anita Lane provided on the first album. Her only appearances on this album come on "The Ballad of Melody Nelson" and "I Love You ... Ne Do It" which were both featured in 1993 as B-sides. On both of these tracks, her voice encapsulates the listener with haunting sensuality and beauty.

The final three tracks are the weakest on the album and feel like what they are -- filler. All three were B-sides to the second single "Intoxicated Man" and wind the album down on a weak note.

Pink Elephants is proof of Mick Harvey's skill as a composer and performer. It also pays homage respectfully to the memory of Serge Gainsbourg who has almost been forgotten despite his important role in the creation of modern popular music.

by Stuart Smith

backbone

Backbone

After the untimely death of Jerry Garcia in 1995, the remaining members of the Grateful Dead set off on their own separate paths, some starting new bands, and some simply taking time off. Bill Kreutzmann, one of the Dead's two drummers and co-founders, was among those who decided to avoid the music scene and take two years off in Hawaii. After the itch to play music got to him, he has finally formed a new group and has taken a refreshed approach, which is reflected in the new Grateful Dead Records release, Backbone.

The three-man band -- composed of Kreutzmann, Rick Barnett on vocals and guitars, and Edd Cook on bass, vocals and sax -- has taken a very simple, laid back approach to its new sound. The album, consisting of mostly new material from songwriters Barnett and Cook, complements a recent string of concerts playing on the West Coast including a recent performance at the famed Fillmore West in San Francisco.

by Dave Clark

various artists

Bridge School Concerts

The Bridge School, located in Hillsborough, Calif., was founded in 1987 to provide a proper education for children with severe speech and physical handicaps. Every year, a handful of well-known artists participate in the annual concert benefiting the Bridge School. This first volume of the Bridge School Concerts reads like a who's who of rock from the 60s until the present. The various musicians on this compilation album spin off some beautiful and reflective songs that suddenly mean much more when played for this kind of concert.

The album starts with Neil Young, the founder and organizer of the benefit show, performing "I Am a Child," a song that resonates through with his exceptional acoustic guitar and harmonica. Young's contribution to this album hits even closer to home for him because he has two handicapped children of his own. Tom Petty's "Shadow of a Doubt (A Complex Kid)" continues the common theme of childhood with his piano-set "Believe." Even Pearl Jam gives a rare underrated appearance of their somber ballad "Nothingman."

Some of the more enjoyable songs are the refreshings covers such as Don Henley's reworking of "The Beatles'" hit "Yes It Is." The Lovemongers, a volatile female duo, pull off a powerful tribute to Led Zeppelin with their rendition of "Friends." Ministry befriends The Grateful Dead with their rendition of "Friend of the Devil."

Although there are a few low points on this disc, two songs seem to stick out like sore thumbs. Patti Smith's "People Have the Power" brings the album to a very abrupt end. "It's All in Your Mind," courtesy of Beck, has me wondering how he is the "Artist of the Year" for every publication known to man. I guess I am still the only person in the world that has yet to appreciate the breakthrough music of Beck.

The Bridge School Concerts is a great piece of music for a tremendous cause. When musicians get together to celebrate something they believe in, they have the potential to make something beautiful. This album is an example of some of that musical beauty which truly has the ability to touch us with some powerful emotion.

by "Geoff Daddy" Rahie

WSND

TOP 10

1.) The Cure- Galore
2.) Everclear- So Much For the Afterglow
3.) Pearl Jam- Yield
4.) Green Day- Nimrod
5.) Ani DiFranco- Little Plastic Castle
6.) Lisa Loeb- Firecracker
7.) Cornershop- When I Was Born For The 7th Time
8.) G. Love & The Special Sauce- Yeah, It's That Easy
9.) Ben Folds Five- Naked Baby Pictures
10.) Pee Shy- Don't Get Too Comfortable
Ska Island

Sure, you've heard the Skalcoholiks at the Irish Connection. Chances are good you own all of No Doubt's disks and can sing every word of that Mighty Mighty Bosstones tune that you hear on the radio. When someone mentions the word "ska," you quickly retort, "Yeah, I love Reel Big Fish!" While you may think you know a lot about that crazy, danceable groove, chances are good you don't know the first thing about ska. I am here to help you.

In the late 1950s, Caribbean calypsoos and island rhythms developed into a lazy Jamaican R&B shuffle called a "blue beat." In the early 60s this music emphasized off-beat guitar and piano licks, and ultimately resulted in the music known as ska. Both of these styles are captured quite successfully on the compilation Ska Island, a 1997 release by Island Records. One of the original Jamaican labels, Island smoothly amalgamates some of today's best artists with the original ska masters, presenting classic tunes that paved the way for present-day skanksters.

The album opens with the two biggest names in ska, Prince Buster and the Skatalites. Their remake of Jimmy Cliff's "King of Kings" demonstrates why both have been as prominent as they are for more than 30 years. Much like any 1960s Wallers or Toots Hibbard cut, the Skatalites lay down an irresistible groove that perfectly complements the vocalist. Buster follows their lead and belts out a tale of rude boy folklore, the sound system wars.

The album continues into the roots and present-day ska grooves. If you're interested in ska, definitely check it out. For more information, check out Island Records at www.island40th.com.

by Matt Buttel

Curve

n early 1991, Britain's carnivorous music press was desperate to label any new trend "the next big thing." What they happened upon was "The Scene That Celebrates Itself," a group of bands from the south of England who not only sounded a lot alike, but who actually seemed to enjoy each other's company. The collective sound was tagged "dream pop," taking its inspiration from such atmospheric acts as The Cocteau Twins and My Bloody Valentine. Some of these new bands, such as Lush and RIDE, even toured together for extended periods of time. Also, premium one-off gigs like Slowdive, Chapterhouse and Revolver playing together for a night in Newcastle or Sheffield became familiar occurrences.

Other than Lush, which is still reeling from the 1996 suicide of drummer Chris Acland, the only band to transcend and survive this experience has been Curve. Curve is essentially the brainchild ofcore members Toni Halliday (vocals) and Dean Garcia (bass). Curve was always more synthetically driven than any of its counterparts, and the band's plunge into the depths of electronica has only become more pronounced on Curve Clean.

"Alligators Getting Up" takes the listener on a trippy ride ofrobotic staccato, while "Beyond Reach" causes eyes to peer up and squint at its sun-rise-like unfolding. But it's the driving, well-harmonized angst of songs like "Dogbone" and "Forgotten Sanity" that will give this record the risque notoriety that previous Curve efforts did not.

If you have a chance, this band's live performances (often in small venues) are especially riveting. Amidst the smoke and lasers at Chicago's Metro or Washington, D.C.'s newly revamped 9:30 Club, you'll feel Curve's calm, electronic wrath pulsate through your mid-section. After two or three songs, you'll already start rehearsing what you're going to tell your friends when you get home.

by Sean King

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Pacers continue winning ways

Associated Press

MIAMI (AP) — Reggie Miller scored 30 points and the Indiana Pacers survived a rally by the Miami Heat to win the battle of division leaders 110-101 Wednesday night.

The Pacers, who are first in the Central Division, built a 22-point lead in the third period and won for the ninth time in 10 games. They broke a four-game winning streak by the Heat, who lead the Atlantic Division.

The Heat gave up 100 points in the first time in 12 games, and the first time at home since Dec. 16.

Indiana won the season series 3-1 and improved to 16-9 on the road, the best in the Eastern Conference.

The Heat trailed 73-51 before rallying. Keith Askins' three-pointer made it 81-73 with 11 minutes left, and Miami hit four consecutive 3-point attempts — including three by Tim Hardaway Jr. — to cut the deficit to 105-101 with 1:22 to play.

But Antonio Davis scored on a dunk, and two free throws by Jalen Rose clinched the victory for the Pacers, who shot 51 percent from the field.

The victory was the Mountaineers' first victory over the Huskies since joining the Big East three years ago and was their first over a Top 10 team since beating No. 4 St. John's in the Big East title game in 1995.

In the battle of division leaders, Reggie Miller scored 30 points as the Pacers went on to defeat the Heat 110-101.

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Mi anti in mid-air, flipped the ball underneath the hoop with his right hand, and banked it in. Glen Rice led Charlotte with 29 points, including 13 in the fourth quarter.

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Manning wins Sullivan Award

Tennessee QB named top amateur athlete

Associated Press

NAISHVILLE, Tenn. — Peyton Manning, who failed to win the Heisman Trophy, can take heart: The Sullivan Award is all his.

The Tennessee quarterback on Wednesday became only the fourth football player in 68 years honored as the nation's top amateur athlete.

The announcement in Orlando, Fla., by the Amateur Athletic Union confirmed reports he had won.

Manning, who was driving to Knoxville for a funeral, could not be reached for comment.

Archie Manning said by phone, "When you consider all the athletic accomplishments, leadership, character and sportsmanship — Manning returned to school last fall rather than entering the NFL draft earlier in the year.

He led Tennessee to a Southeastern Conference championship last season and a berth in the Orange Bowl against Nebraska. He also set career records for passing yardage (10,669) and touchdowns (84) at Tennessee and had the most 300-yard passing games in SEC history with 17.

Manning, who finished second to Michigan's Charles Woodson in Heisman balloting, is the first University of Tennessee athlete to win the Sullivan. He beat Tennessee basketball player Chamique Holdsclaw and former Wake Forest basketball player Tim Duncan.

Other finalists included swimmer Chad Carvin, former Florida State baseball player J.D. Drew, wrestler Les Gutches, South Carolina softball player Trinity Johnson, disability sports participant Linda Mazzantdrea, swimmer Jenny Thompson and gymnast Blainie Wilson.

The Sullivan is Manning's latest award. He outpolled Woodson for the Maxwell Award as the best all-around player and picked up the Davey O'Brien National Quarterback Award and the Johnny Unitas Quarterback award.

Manning will accept the Sullivan Award on Feb. 25 during halftime of the Tennessee-Florida basketball game in Knoxville, a day after receiving the Maxwell Award in Philadelphia. His father isn't sure which family members will be on hand for the presentation in Knoxville.

"It's kind of hard to keep up with all of Peyton's trips," Archie Manning said.

SPORTS

Martin wins disability lawsuit

Associated Press

EUGENE, Ore. — A judge ruled Wednesday that Casey Martin can ride a golf cart on the pro tour, a landmark victory in the first case invoking federal disabilities laws to compete in a major sport.

When U.S. Magistrate Thomas Coffin announced his ruling, Martin smiled slightly, nodded his head while looking at his parents, then turned to his lawyers and said: "We won."

Martin's lawsuit sought to use the Americans With Disabilities Act to force the PGA Tour to accommodate his rare circulatory disorder that makes it painful and even dangerous to walk. Doctors say too much stress on his withered right leg could cause it to break, and may force amputation.

Coffin, who deliberated just three hours, faulted the tour for failing to consider Martin's individual medical condition. Instead, it emphasized principles of competition, arguing a cart would give Martin an advantage and remove the fundamental of athleticism and stamina that walking gives the game at its highest levels.

The judge acknowledged that the walking-only rule was "substantive" but said the PGA Tour failed to prove that waiving the rule for Martin would fundamentally alter competition.

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Men’s Tennis

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shot much better from the free throw line. It was encouraging to see Phil Hickey make two and Manner make one.

The highlight for the big men came from the free throw line in the final minute of the game. With 1:15 minutes remaining, Hickey broke the tie by sinking two free throws to give the Irish the lead 72-70. The following play Hickey slapped the ball away, Manner dove on it and Granger fouled him. Manner then sunk one of his two to give the team a three-point lead. Garrity supplied the insurance by sinking his two, and the Irish walked away victorious.

"He [Hickey] had struggled on the previous ones," MacLeod said about Hickey's big free throws. "He responded in high pressure situations, and that is why this was a big game for him."

After his performance against Rutgers and Boston College, MacLeod feels that Hickey might be ready to break into the starting line-up against Seton Hall this weekend. If Manner and Hickey can complement Garrity like they did last night, Notre Dame could prove to be a threat in the upcoming Big East tournament.

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exception being a loss to Connecticut on Dec. 6. The Irish recently suffered back-to-back road losses to Villanova and Miami.

However, when at home, the Irish have their best outings of the season. In their last home contest, the Irish demolished Seton Hall 91-35, the second-largest margin of victory in Notre Dame history. At one point in the contest, Notre Dame went on a 26-0 during a 10-minute period in the second half.

"Right now, we've just tried to focus at practice, and realize that we can't change the past," Branndly said. "We've put the past behind us and are going to try to take these last five games of the season one at a time."

The Irish have had nine days to recover from what can probably be described as their most controversial game of the season, a 77-76 loss to Miami. While junior guard Danielle Green was able to tie the game with six seconds remaining, the Hurricanes' Octavia Blue was fouled on a questionable call with no time remaining. Blue then hit one free throw to end the game. The game was similar to last season's match at Miami, where Notre Dame hit two free throws in the final six seconds to put the game away.

However, Branndly is confident that the team will rise to the occasion.

"I think we're really up right now. Villanova and Miami were kind of reality checks for us. We all realize that we each need to step up for the last few games, and that's what we'll try to do."

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Ultimate team ready for action

By TIM CASEY
Sports Writer

One of the most popular activities on college campuses is growing around a frisbee with friends. Ultimate frisbee combines the art of tossing a frisbee with the strategy and athleticism of major college athletes to form one of the fastest growing sports in the country. The Notre Dame club team, termed "Papal Rage," is coming off a 2-0 record in its section last year, along with a fifth place finish in the central region. The top three teams in each region make it to the nationals.

Captain Joe Kerbloski was pleased with last year's record and hopes to improve upon it this year. "Last year was a great year, especially winning our section and our strong showing at the regionals," Kerbloski said. "Our goal this year is to move up to the top two ultimate teams in the country at the Stanford Invitational, in Stanford and UC-Santa Barbara," he continued. "It can't hurt us to get with changes of possession occurring often. A turnover occurs not only when an opposing player intercepts a pass, but also when a pass is dropped."

Kerbloski describes the Notre Dame team as having a good short passing game, but it needs work on long passes. "We have the throwers and athletes to be a successful long passing team but we just need to gain more confidence, and the confidence will come through our scrimmages and games," Kerbloski explained.

Other key players besides Kerbloski include seniors Dave Shiel, Tony Blanchet-Buth, Noah Gray, Rick Peplinski, and Andrew Pascale. Among the underclassmen, junior James Beeby and sophomores Kevin Walsh and Jason Conrad see a lot of action. "The core group of six seniors have been playing together for four years so we have some good experience," Kerbloski commented. "Our younger players are also very talented. The combination of talent and depth helps us out. We travel with 16 players, whereas most teams only have twelve. We are lucky because at any time, we can substitute all seven players out and not lose much talent." The ultimate team hosts its first tournament of the year March 21-22 against twelve central region foes, including Ohio University, Michigan and Iowa. If you are unable to attend the tournament or are interested in learning more about the sport, you can always follow the team on the internet at http://www.nd.edu/~ultimate.

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mini-game slump — forced the
Eagles to throw up the three when he made both free throws at the
other end.
With Granger on the bench, the
Eagles had no choice but to get the
ball to a heavily defended
Woodward, who threw the ball to
Kostas Maglos, forcing him to take
the three which he missed.
The Irish finished with two dou­
ble-doubles — Garrity and Hickey
who had 21 points and 10
rebounds — and Mannor who just
missed a double-double perfor­
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rebounds. It was not the prettiest
win, filled with wild passes and a
few missed easy shots, but the fact
that the Irish walked away with
another conference win overshadowed that.
More importantly, the Irish have
avoided traveling to Miami this
weekend off the heels of a three-
game losing streak.

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Dahlie is first man ever to win six golds

Associated Press

NAGANO, Japan

A star is born. Norway's Bjorn Dahlie, the home-town hero of the Lillehammer Games, became the first man to win six career Winter Olympic gold medals with his victory Sunday in the cross-country ski race.

The record-breaking Naganotogold now joins the three that Dahlie won in 1992 and the pair he collected in 1994. The five medals had tied Dahlie with Annemarie Moser of Austria for the most golds ever in the alpine skiing events.

Innsbruck. Now we know why.

The victory followed Dahlie's stunning wire to wire on the Snow Harp course. Thunberg of Finland.

Masako Azuma of Japan placed 16th, followed by impulse back and forth down the chute — measuring 120 meters long and 15.4 meters wide, with walls 3.5 meters high — performing a series of tricks of marijuana.

Rebagliati, who was appealing the decision, said the traces must have come from second-hand smoke at a party in Canada last month.

After completing his first qualifying run down. Canadian rider Michael Michalchuck unfurled the small sign in support of his teammate.

Michalchuck said he wrote the slogan on a cloth hotel napkin the night before. His girlfriend handed it to him at the bottom of the course.

"Believe in Ross," Michalchuck said. "He's the gold medalist. No one can deny him. He believes he hasn't done anything wrong. He's an athlete. He's an Olympic athlete. He is the champion. No one should be taking that away from him."

Michalchuck claimed the Canadian snowboarders were "misinformed" about the doping-control system, and they didn't know the tests covered marijuana.

"I don't smoke marijuana," he said. "Ross doesn't smoke marijuana, but when you are around marijuana, it can be in your system. He's innocent and should be cleared."

Another Canadian, Maelle Ricker, said: "He's a fair competitor. He didn't cheat."

In the competition, riders

Barnsise was third with 36.7 and Dunn fourth with 36.6. The three American men — Ross Powers, Todd Richards and Ron Chodl failed to qualify in the first run. But they still had a chance to make it in the second.

One by one, after completing their twists and turns down the snow chute to blaring rock music, the shredders ripped the IOC's decision to strip Rebagliati.

"He still won the gold medal to me," said U.S. rider Cara-Beth Carnis.

"Everyone's just furious about it. It's not affecting his performance, c'mon. They're kicking people off for cough medicine."

Another American, Michele Legg, said, "It's ridiculous. There should have been some more investigation before they went and made it a public thing. Once they start testing other athletes, they're going to be in a lot more situations that come up. I just feel bad for Ross.

The snowboarders, competing in the Olympics for the first time, said they were angry that their counter-cultural sport was being associated with drug use.

"It's happened in other sports," American Shannon Dunn said. "It's not the sport. It's a person. You can't stereotype all snowboarders. All the people I hang out with in snowboarding don't do any drugs."

Medalists Table

1998 Nagano Winter Olympics

Through Wednesday, Feb. 11

Through Twenty Medals

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Russia | 4 | 3 | 0 | 7
Norway | 2 | 2 | 3 | 7
Austria | 0 | 2 | 4 | 6
Finland | 2 | 1 | 2 | 5
Italy | 0 | 3 | 1 | 4
Japan | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3
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**Irish soar over Eagles, 75-72**

By BETSY BAKER
Associate Sports Editor

Notre Dame's basketball game against Boston College last night was an intersection of contrasting styles. In conference play this season, the Irish have beaten four teams with better records and have lost to four with worse marks. The Eagles' season, conversely, has developed more expectantly.

Even last night's 73-72 Irish victory over the Eagles provided contrasting factors. The Irish were outscored 46-9 in the backcourt, but the frontline trio of forwards Pat Garrity and Derek Manner and center Phil Hickey outscored and outrebounded the Eagles 65-20 and 30-11.

Notre Dame did its typical job of falling behind early—allowing Boston College to jump out to a 9-2 lead in the first three minutes of the game—and then closing the way back to a 10-9 game on a Garrity dunk.

"We were true-to-form, falling behind early and we were a little tight at the beginning of the first half," Irish head coach John MacLeod said. "But 1 know we had to be close," MacLeod commiserated.

The combination of Duane Woodward and Antonio Granger, who finished with 21 and 19 points respectively, kept the Eagles in the game in the second half, but the formidable front-line of the Irish was too much to handle for the Eagles. Allowing center Mickey Curley, who was nursing a sore ankle, Hickey's towering dunk followed by a free throw put the Irish up by 11, and Notre Dame had appeared to have closed the door on the Eagles.

However, the resilient Eagles fought back and on five quick trips down the court brought the game within two. Despite giving up only 10 turnovers the whole game, the Eagles applied a half-court press that forced a key turnover and allowed Granger to tie the game at 70-70.

"We could see how pumped up they [the Irish] were, but I think they got comfortable with the lead," Eagles coach Asha Skinner explained.

However, the Irish regained their composure and were able to apply enough defense to win the game.

The clutch play of the game was by Hickey when he sunk two free throws to put the Irish up by two, followed by a Granger foul on Manner that put him on the bench. After Manner sank the front end of a one-and-one, the Irish pushed the score to 73-70.

Still, the unstoppable Woodward returned and

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By KATHLEEN LÓPEZ
Associate Sports Editor

Usually, the big men for the Irish find themselves dwarfed by the overpowers of the defense of the opposing team—but not last night.

Derek Manner and Phil Hickey lightened the load of Garrity and Daddy's center, but have been unable to use it to their advantage.

On the other end of the spectrum, Pat Garrity had appeared to have closed the door on the Eagles. Still, the unstoppable Woodward returned and

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**Women's Basketball**

Women look for consistency

By BILL HART
Sports Writer

If there is a quote on the minds of many Irish fans, it's "there's no place like home." Hopefully, after having a difficult time on the road, Notre Dame's women's basketball team can get back on track with a three-game homestand that starts with a contest tonight against conference opponent St. John's.

The Red Storm heads into the Joyce Center with a 5-15 record and with a very strong grip on the collar of the Big East. So far, the month of February has spelled disaster for them, after losing two home games to Providence and Seton Hall.

In the 72-57 loss to the Pirates, St. John's outscored the Fighting Jays 35-24 at halftime and allowed the visitors to go 16 for 29 from the free throw line in the second half. Junior forward Andrijana Bedulov and Ebony Dickerson each scored 14 points, while senior guard LaTricia Gunnels finished with 10. While the Red Storm held in 39-22 rebounding edge against the Pirates, they were unable to use it to their advantage.

"We played them before, and did pretty well against them," junior Diana Braendly said about the Red Storm. "We know what to expect from them based on that game, but we also know that every team gets better as the season goes on. So, we're trying to keep prepared for new things as well." Notre Dame leads the series against St. John's 4-0, including a 77-57 victory over the Red Storm on Jan. 10 earlier this season. St. John's has only managed to place once at the Joyce Center, a 66-53 win for the Irish during the 1996 season.

On the other end of the spectrum, the Irish have had extra confidence in the first three friendly confines of the Joyce Center, but have been unable to play consistently on the road. Four of Notre Dame's five Big East wins have come away from home, the only

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