Asia crisis may effect job market

By ERICA THEISING
News Writer

Students may have a more difficult time finding jobs after graduation because of the Asian financial crisis, according to Jeffrey Bergstrand, associate professor of finance and business economics.

Bergstrand explained that the financial problems in the Pacific Rim have resulted in a decrease of American exports to that region, which slows the growth rate for the American economy. Over the past three years, the U.S. economy’s growth rate has been three percent, but Bergstrand predicts that it will be lower this year.

“That means job growth,” he said. “That means for students nine months from now at graduation, a weaker job market.”

As Bergstrand explained, the Asian financial problems began with a rapidly growing Japanese stock market that saw a two-thirds loss in value over the last eight years.

“In 1990, the bubble burst in the Japanese stock market,” he said. “After running up high and fast in the late eighties and peaking at 43,000 yen, it has plummeted over the last eight years to 13,000 yen.”

A tightening of fiscal policy in Japan, which is the second-largest economy in the Pacific Rim next to the United States, contributed to the weakening of their economy, said Bergstrand.

“A tightening of fiscal policy means that a government decreases its spending while increasing taxes,” Bergstrand said.

“The Japanese economy slowed down dramatically in about 1990 and continuing to this date,” Bergstrand said.

The Japanese economy is closely tied to that of other Pacific Rim nations, which contributed to the spread of the financial crisis. As the Japanese economy weakened, so did those of its neighbors.

Bergstrand explained that in the spring of 1996, the Japanese economy started growing again due to some fiscal stimulus in 1995. In the spring of 1997, however, Japan tightened its fiscal policy by raising taxes and slowing government spending. This occurred just prior to the financial crisis in East Asia during the summer of 1997.

“As the financial crisis bit, it just became really clear that there would be no growth going on in all those countries,” Bergstrand said.

“Theyir stock markets started coming down and their currencies started depreciating. You had a series of banking and financial crises,” Bergstrand explained that in August 1997, the South Korean government tightened its fiscal policy.

“The South Korean crisis was a blow to the region because of the strong economic ties to that region, which slows the American economy,” Bergstrand said.

Clark: Irish need to provide more income equality

By BRIDGET O’CONNOR
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Creating a program to guarantee a minimum amount of income to all people in Ireland “on an equal basis” is the goal of a system proposed by Charles Clark, professor of economics at St. John’s University.

“A basic income is a change in how society distributes income,” said Clark. “This altered distribution would result in a “greater equality” while still allowing the “materialistic society in conspicuously consumes.”

The objectives of a basic income system are to end poverty, reduce income inequality and increase social participation.

“The goal is to get everyone above the minimum income,” he said.

Clark became interested in Irish economic issues while working at University College, Cork. Eventually Clark was asked by the Council of Religious of Ireland (CORI) to develop a basic income plan. A green paper, or introductory document presenting a concept to the government for discussion, on the topic is planned to be issued next fall.

“There is a conspicuous lack of ideological commitment among five of the six political parties on economic issues in Ireland,” said Clark. He noted that the only exception was the Progressive Democratic Party, but indicated that he did not identify with that party’s positions.

While the lack of political initiative on these issues created the need for his efforts, the “genuine empathy for the poor in Ireland” and recent attempts to raise social welfare levels in contrast to trends in the rest of the world created the receptive atmosphere.

“The welfare state model is becoming increasingly...
University of Nebraska senior, others face murder charges

LINCOLN, Neb. — One UNL senior and his twin brother, along with two of their companions, are facing first-degree murder charges in Denver.

The four were being held without bond after being charged Thursday.

David and Kevin Bills, both 21, of Council Bluffs, Iowa, Joshua Wright, 18, of Avada, Colo., and Kevin Sebben, 18, of Omaha are all charged in connection with the Oct. 4 stabbing death of 34-year-old Patrick Perry.

Dave Bills, a senior at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln, was in Denver visiting his twin brother Kevin, a senior at Metropolitan State College in Denver, when the stabbing occurred.

Defense attorneys for the brothers, Phil Chermer and Jim Castle, said the four suspects saw Perry attacking a woman on the street in the early morning hours of Oct. 4 and stopped the attack.

Denver District Attorney Bill Bittner’s office was closed Monday, and he could not be reached for comment.

Police responded to a report of a man beating a woman at an apartment complex that morning, but the victim said she found nothing when they arrived on scene.

Two hours later police were back to the apartment complex for a fight.

The suspects said the man they had encountered earlier came back.

“This guy comes back to the apartment complex and threatens my client and his friends and brandishes something that appeared to be a weapon.

It’s dark, he is bigger than they are, he is making verbal threats and coming at them and actually gets into an altercation with them. And that’s when he is stabbed,” Chermer, David Bills’ lawyer, said.

Police said the brothers admitted Oct. 4 to stabbing Perry, and David Bills told investigators that he stabbed Perry twice in the back after a fight broke out between the brothers and Perry.

Denver District Attorney Bill Bittner’s office maxlengthened at the time of this report.

Defense attorneys for the Bills brothers said “they were Good Samaritans who were attacked for being Good Samaritans.”

But witnesses at the scene and friends of Perry disagree with the defense’s interpretation of events.

Witnesses said two men jumped Perry while the other two were standing over him, kicking him.

"I was shocked and surprised there would be a gun when he left the retreat. Unfortunately, it didn’t happen exactly like that.

When the retreat started on Friday afternoon, I didn’t have any complaints. Though there were some spiritual and personal tensions, I figured it would smooth out soon enough. The problems first came up sometime during Saturday. Though I won’t go into details, whatever occurred was what I thought was an appropriate personal being and a violation of respect.

I have always been a liner most of my life, but I was hoping to change that. I thought that the NDE retreat would be an excellent opportunity to do so. However, the incident that occurred on Sunday shattered that hope.

The staff didn’t even know me. In fact, they didn’t ask questions about me so that we could better understand one another. I mean, why would they make assumptions about me that I didn’t appreciate. It felt as if the staff treated me as if I were invisible.

In my opinion, that isn’t the case because my comments didn’t matter to them. At that time, I just thought that should happen.

“Hey, if no one wants to bother me to try to know me, then why should I bother trying to make myself known?”

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What began as a rally in opposition to hate speech Monday quickly turned into an open forum of students, faculty and staff denouncing The Observer for irresponsibility and bias in the decision to print an inflammatory anti-gay guest column.

Demonstrators at the rally said last Friday’s column by Carter Clark went beyond the boundaries of the newspaper standards and qualified as hate speech. “I’m not advocating censorship or suppression of opinion, but there is a difference between opinion and hate mongering,” said Marilee Lindemann, an associate professor of English and co-chair of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual Faculty and Staff Association. 

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“One thing that I really appreciate about the college is that the administration stands up to the right to speak,” said Michelle Tobe, president of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Alliance, who had concerns with treatment of the guest columnist that she said gave the column legitimacy.

University of Montana

Low budget worries administrators

MISSOULA, Mont.

UM officials are projecting a $2.2 million shortfall in this year’s budget, following a less-than-expected fall enrollment and a reduction in funds that has Scott Cole, UM’s president, concerned about administration and finance, looking for wiggle room in the budget.

The proposal offered by Cole at last week’s Faculty Senate meeting calls for such actions as reducing $500,000 in the academic equipment and computing budget and a $450,000 reduction in the enrollment reserve fund that acts as a backup when enrollment falls short of projected figures. In addition to those areas and amounts identified in the proposal, Cole is asking UM executive officers, who are responsible for areas like academic affairs, research and student affairs, to come up with ways to carve another $315,000 from the budget.

University of Maryland

Anti-gay column causes upset

COLLEGE PARK, Md.

As one of the top-10 binge drinking schools in the nation, the University of Delaware and the kind of reputed administrators did not like to talk about — it was a party school. Boosted by a $750,000 grant from the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation to fight binge drinking, the university’s administrators went on the offensive against alcohol abuse last year. They cracked down on parties and happy hours, and reformed the school’s alcohol code.

Delaware became one of the few schools in the country to institute a policy of contacting the parents of almost every student who violated the school’s alcohol code. Under legislation signed into law by President Clinton last December, the parental notification policy could become the model for colleges across the country. Federal law prohibits colleges from disclosing private information about students above age 18.

University of Delaware

Delaware drinking policy to set a trend
Located in front of Arlington Cemetery is the Woman's National Service Monument, which honors all the women who have contributed a piece of themselves to the military. It holds a strong sentimental value for Notre Dame senior and Navy ROTC Marine options midshipman, Sharon Houllahan.

"My family and I have visited this monument and I felt a sense of tradition and appreciation," she said.

For Houllahan, joining the Marines is something that has interested her since she was younger.

"I joined the Marines because I liked the challenge of it, and I thought it was a great opportunity to work with people," Houllahan said. "I was 12 when it was Pled Parents week at West Point, and my family and I went up to see my brothers. It was walking down the line, shaking hands with everyone I came upon the Commandant of Cadets. 'Are you a cadet?' he asked. 'As I looked up at him, I remembered the image of the woman cadets."

"They reflected strength, appeared put together, and sharp. I felt so complimented that he even told me that, and from that point on I knew I wanted to have that image for myself."

For Annette Synder, a junior in Army ROTC, there were different reasons that led to her choice to join the program.

"My father was in the Air Force in Vietnam, but that had nothing to do with my decision. I just needed money for nursing," said Synder. "At first, I was excited to join because I thought I only have to give four years after college and I get paid while I'm in college."

It has not always been this easy to be an officer. Before the women's movement in the 1960s, men were the dominant sex in the military. Women were only welcomed for administrative jobs, nursing, and learning how to become a pilot. Now the doors have swung wide open in all branches of the military.

Today 97 percent of the specialty jobs are open to women.

"The problem has caused the attention of companies like Xerox, which is supporting a newly founded independent Institute for Women and Technology in Palo Alto, Calif. "I think that the stereotypes of the techie have so pervaded the culture that girls don't feel that they belong," said Anita Borg, the institute's founder and president. "I also feel that games and software have been targeted at boys. That's a fact that you can validate by walking into any store that sells software."

The games and software encourage boys to interact with technology more, so boys seem more confident and girls feel they're on less than even ground when it comes to choosing coursework and a major, she said.

The report said boys as well as girls need to consider nontraditional career paths. And it noted that girls might be gaining an educational advantage over boys.

"The decisions to be in the military is not an easy one and it is not a place for everyone. Those people that do get through it set a great example of strength, honor and confidence, according to Houllahan. "The Marines have taught me to lead by example and have helped me gain the confidence to demonstrate by leadership qualities," Houllahan said.
Group adopts WRC probation matter, looks at honor code

By DEREK BETCHER
Assistant News Editor

The student affairs committee began deliberation on improving the University's honor code while also agreeing to adopt the Women's Resource Center (WRC) probationary status as its primary issue for this term.

"I am asking that the student affairs committee make the WRC list their first priority and that they have a motion to present to the senate by the December, January or February meeting," senate chairman Michael Detlefsen said.

Detlefsen said his decision to make that request came after roughly 20 faculty members contacted him and urged that the senate address this summer's decision by the Office of Student Activities to place the WRC on probation for having pro-choice abortion literature available.

When the senate separated into committees during last night's meeting, members of the student affairs committee began to plan their response. Central to their discussion was uncertainty over precisely how the University's honor code and its disciplinary system contains philosophical weaknesses.

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Detlefsen also discussed his report to the Board of Trustees in which he identified for the leaders of the students of interest that will appear in this year's senate agenda. The tenure system at Notre Dame, proposed entry into the Big Ten conference and this summer's legal activities in the Athletic Department were three issues distinguished.
S. African church may change

JOHANNESBURG

South Africa was poised to take another step toward reconciliation Tuesday when the white church that formed the backbone of apartheid began considering integration with its non-white counterpart. But the proposal reportedly has angered provincial branches, who are threatening to secede from the church to preserve their religion segregated. Church officials from around the country were gathering Tuesday for debate before a vote on the merger on Wednesday. The decision was on the agenda of the 1998 national meeting, which occurs every four years. The Dutch Reformed Church is the main religious denomination of Africans, the Dutch-descended white settlers of South Africa.

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by dysfunctional,” said Clark. He presented the basic income model as the “route to change.” A basic income model can be implemented on either a full or partial basis. Clark’s preference is the full implementation which, used universally, would elevate all citizens to at least a minimum level of wealth. In the plan he presented, all citizens would be issued a payment from the government, regardless of need on a graduated schedule according to age. Children would receive the lowest payments and the elderly would receive the most.

A partial version of the plan would require means testing to determine who would be eligible and would likely leave some members of society still below the poverty level. Thus, supplemental programs would still be necessary to achieve the goals. A flat tax on all incomes is used to finance most basic income proposals, according to Clark. His proposal called specifically for a “Social Responsibility Tax” of eight percent in addition to a 46.3 percent flat tax.

SMC served as a way to acquaint the College community with the history of the school. “That house is the best kept secret on campus,” Kelly said. Built in 1939 as a base for home economics majors, four seniors rotated every nine weeks in and out of the cottage under the supervision of Sister Laurita.

“Many people don’t know that we ever had a home economics program at Saint Mary’s,” said Adaladea Riedinger, class of 1964.

She was the first alumna to send her daughter, Mary Adaladea Riedinger, to Saint Mary’s College. Her daughter graduated from the College in 1889.

This house is full of life, even when no one’s here,” said Michelle Egan, assistant director of alumnae relations and a 1993 Saint Mary’s graduate. Tours of the house also included a display of yearbooks dating back to 1949 and a brief history of the College.

“I thought it was interesting to hear about Father Sorin’s contribution to the college,” said Castricone. “Our connection with Irish roots is authentic, but it’s good to remember we’re just as important.”

Addie Cashore, assistant director of alumnae relations felt the history that was included as part of the tour was an integral part of the tour. “A look into the past makes us look to the future,” Cashore said.

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and massive currency depreciations among the East Asian countries.

He explained that at the yen’s peak in 1995, it cost 80 yen to purchase one American dollar. From 1995 to the last few years, the yen appreciated to the point that the yen’s exchange rate increased to as much as 140 yen to one American dollar.

Earlier this week, however, the yen began to bounce back. On Wednesday, 120 yen were worth $1, and Thursday, 120 yen were worth $1.

In the last week, the yen’s value on activities other than paid employment. Clark contends that these activities contribute as much, if not more, than paid employment to society.

“I actually think that something like a basic income might be implemented in [Belgium or the Netherlands] fairly soon,” said Clark. Belgium was attracted to the proposal for the likelihood of a reduction of the workweek from five to four days per week resulting from the system. A similar program is already in place in Alaska which operates from oil revenues.

“The basic income isn’t enough to get people to stay home,” said Clark, responding to conservative arguments against his plan which suggest that there would be no incentive to work if people were guaranteed an income.

Clark maintains that the minimum payment would not be enough to deter people who would otherwise be working from doing so. Rather, he believes the plan would provide a basic income to those, who for some reason were unable to work.

He noted that most segments of the population would probably continue to work the same amounts, but that some married women in the lower income brackets may decide not to work after receiving the payments.

This possibility has raised some opposition from feminist groups who feel that “if you set up a system where women can opt out of the labor force, it will hurt the women who decide to work,” he said.

Clark argued that this critique is a class-based argument and that many women would be better off because they would be receiving an independent income, whereas the current system ties benefits to marital status and other factors.

“Certainly nothing will happen until the monetary union,” said Clark when asked about the likelihood of his plan being adopted by the Irish government. “Even after the monetary union, will this be adopted? I doubt it.”

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McGarry appointed rector in Jerusalem

Rev. Michael McGarry, Paulist priest, ecumenical scholar and passionate Newdian who has represented the Archdiocese of Washington, D.C., has been appointed rector of the Ecumenical Institute for Theological Studies at Tantur, Jerusalem, by the Institute’s administrative board.

McGarry’s appointment becomes effective Sept. 1, 1999, upon the retirement of fellow Paulist Rev. Thomas Strasky, who has served as Tantur’s rector since 1987.

"Father McGarry will bring a unique combination of pastoral, academic and administrative talents in a complex and demanding position said University president Facher edward Malloy, who chairs the Tantur board.

McGarry graduated from St. Paul’s College in Washington, D.C. in 1971 and holds advanced theological degrees from the University of St. Michael’s College in Toronto. He taught theology there and at the University of Texas in Austin before joining the staff of the Paulist Center in Boston, which he directed from 1975-1986.

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Holmes to read poetry tonight

The poet Janet Holmes will read from a collection of her poems, "The Green Tuxedo," today at 7:30 p.m. in the St. Ignatius Loyola Hall at the University of Notre Dame.

Holmes, who lives in Saint Paul, Minn., teaches poetry writing at the University of Minnesota, Macalaster College, and the Loft, a writing center in Minneapolis.

A graduate of Duke University and the Warren Wilson MFA Program for writers, she is the author of a previous book of poetry, The Physicist at the Mall, which won the 1994 Ashling Prize.

Her work has appeared in Antesueo, Poetry, and Shenandoah, among other periodicals, and two of her poems, "The Love of the Flesh," and "Against the Literal," were selected for inclusion in the Best American Poetry collections of 1994 and 1995, respectively. She also won the 1997 Pablo Neruda Prize in poetry.

The Sandeen Prize for Poetry was established in 1992 in honor of Ernest Sandeen, professor emeritus of English at Notre Dame, who died last year, having served on the Notre Dame faculty since 1952.

One of the most respected and affectionately regarded teachers of poetry in the University’s history, he published poems in a wide variety of literary periodicals in this country and abroad.


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Suspect to be charged in Olympic bombing

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

The Justice Department is preparing to charge Eric Robert Rudolph, already a fugitive from Atlanta abortion clinic bombing, with the 1996 bombings at the Olympics and two other attacks in Atlanta, officials said Tuesday.

Two federal law enforcement officials said a complaint charging Rudolph with the Olympic blasts and the 1997 bombings of a gay bar and an abortion clinic, also in Atlanta, was ready to be filed.

The complaint was to be filed as soon as Justice Department officials were able to schedule a news conference to announce it, perhaps as early as today, according to those officials who requested anonymity.

Rudolph was placed on the FBI's 10 most wanted list last May with a $1 million reward after he was charged with the Jan. 29 bombing of a Birmingham, Ala., abortion clinic. He disappeared shortly after that bombing.

For months, the FBI has concentrated a futile search by hundreds of agents in rugged, mountainous wilderness of western North Carolina, where the 31-year-old carpenter and experienced woodsman grew up and is at home. Buried garbage from canned food he may have consumed has been found and he is thought to have taken food from one elderly resident this summer, but he has eluded capture.

In May, the FBI said he was wanted for questioning in the three Atlanta bombings. "Some similarities in the bombings indicate the possibility that the crimes are related," FBI Director Louis Freeh said then.

Since then, investigators have assembled "all kinds of pieces" linking Rudolph to the Atlanta blasts, one investigator said Tuesday. But the bare-boned complaint being readied will not disclose the new evidence, this official said.

The decision to bring charges came now because "we have the evidence to support it, and it might be helpful to the public to understand the full spectrum of what's he's sought for so people watch out for him and do not help him," a senior federal law enforcement official said Tuesday.

The most recent public link between Rudolph and the Atlanta attacks came last month, when a Tennessee gun dealer identified Rudolph as the man who bought a "special order" of about 26 pounds of smokeless powder four years ago. The senior law enforcement official said that powder has been connected to the July 27, 1996, bombing at Centennial Olympic Park in Atlanta, but added that this was only a small part of the case that has been developed.

In May, Freeh outlined "a significant linkage" between the Atlanta and Birmingham cases.

He cited the fact that letters claiming responsibility and signed "Army of God" were sent after the Birmingham incident and after a February 1997 bombing at a gay bar in Atlanta. The block-lettered Army of God letters protest abortion and homosexuals.

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DIRECTOR OF THE FBI

Fresh also noted that abortion clinics were targeted in Atlanta in January 1997 and in Birmingham this year.

Fresh added that all the bombs "were powerful antipersonnel devices — containing nails — that were designed to kill and maim."

Secondary bombs planted at the Atlanta bar and clinic may have been designed to harm law enforcement and rescue workers, as might a last-minute telephone warning before the Olympic blast, some investigators have said.

Investigators earlier had said they believe all three Atlanta attacks were the work of the same person or people. And on March 17, the task force investigating the Birmingham bombing was merged with an older task force assigned to solve the Atlanta bombings.

The Southeast Bombing Task Force is working in Alabama, Georgia and North Carolina on all four attacks.

The Olympic and Atlanta abortion clinic bomb cases had one-eighth-inch-thick steel plates designed to direct the blasts. These plates were found to have the same general formulation of steel, one agent said.

Some of the manufacturers who make that type of steel sold it in the Southeast, including to a metalworking plant in Franklin, N.C., where an associate of Rudolph worked, the agent added.

Grady did not immediately return a telephone call Tuesday seeking comment. The women all died by "traumatic" asphyxiation, according to Poughkeepsie police.

Francisco, 27, has been indicted on 17 counts in all by the Dutchess County grand jury, including eight counts of second-degree murder and one count of second-degree attempted assault.

Until Tuesday, he had been charged with only one count of second-degree murder in the death of Catina Newmaster. 22. A first-degree murder
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**MEXICO**

**Explosion kills at least 10**

Associated Press

TULTEPEC

A pile of gunpowder used to make illegal fireworks exploded just north of Mexico City today, flattening two blocks and killing at least 10 people. A paramedic said he counted 14 bodies, and that 45 people were injured. Mexico state Gov. Cesar Camacho Quiroz said at least 10 people died and 27 were wounded in the explosion in Tultepec, 20 miles north of Mexico City. He said 16 houses were destroyed.

But a paramedic at the scene, who spoke on customary condition of anonymity, said he counted 14 bodies, and that at least 45 people were injured.

The differing casualty counts could not immediately be reconciled.

In Tultepec, a crater indicated the place where the explosion occurred, and all the houses in a two-block area were reduced to rubble. Streets were covered in shattered glass blocks away.

Neighbors blocked rescuers and journalists trying to get near the site of the explosion. Angry crowds said a gas tank kept place where illegal fireworks work were sold exploded and set off a string of fires, killing 62 people and injuring 63.

Residents picked through roofing and wooden slats in an apparent search for survivors.

Tultepec is known for its fireworks, and many residents produce them illegally in their homes. In June 1997, an explosion in one home killed three people.

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With the Nov. 3 congressional elections approaching, Republicans were clearly anxious to get back to their districts to defend the House and Senate majorities.

"It's time to get back and campaign," said Rep. John Linder, R-Ga., chairman of the House GOP's campaign committee.

With Clinton spending a fourth straight day calling for more education spending, Democrats were happy to be seen as fighting in Washington on behalf of children.

"It's important people understand what Democrats are for," said Sen. Paul Tsongas, D-Mass., leader of the House Democrats' campaign committee.

As a deal seemed to draw near, lawmakers from both parties nervously searched for wins and losses in a package that seemed likely to give Clinton most of the extra spending he has wanted and triumphs on both sides of policy disputes.

Democrats said they were worried that administration bargainers would settle for less than Clinton was demanding for teachers, school construction and family planning. They were also unhappy with a deal that would put any agreement or any bill in the 2000 census.

"We are not in agreement yet with any arrangement or any bill," cautioned House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo. "There is not a bill before us.

At a GOP leadership meeting, House Speaker Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., asked his colleagues for support for a measure he said would win victory for both sides, said Rep. David Obey, D-Wisc.

"Earlier this week, I wasn't optimistic we'd win many things but now it's truly up for grabs," said McIntosh, a conservative leader.

At stake was a giant bill covering nearly a third of federal spending for the new fiscal year, including the departments of Health and Human Services, Agriculture, State and Interior.

Of the 13 spending bills for the new year, the eight unfinished ones are being packaged together.

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Congress nearing end of budget talks

WASHINGTON

Their differences dwindling, White House and congressional budget bargainers said Tuesday that they were near an agreement on school spending and other issues needing a measure $210 billion bill for the new fiscal year.

White House chief of staff Erskine Bowles met most of the day with Republican leaders, including a lunch-hour swearing-in session with top lawmakers from both parties that focused on education. Bowles said progress had been made and he would return to the Capitol Wednesday morning for more discussions.

"I think we have a good chance to be done tomorrow," he told reporters.

House Majority Leader Dick Armey, R-Texas, said staff would work overnight on education, agriculture and several other outstanding disputes so that Wednesday's bargaining session could be the last.

"We're committed to coming back at 10 a.m. and finish it, clause it," Armey said.

Though Republicans were ready to provide the $11.1 billion President Clinton was demanding to reduce grade-school class sizes, the two sides had been fighting over key details.

Clinton wanted the money specifically set aside for hiring 100,000 teachers. Republicans wanted local officials to choose how to spend it, and wanted money set aside for special education teachers.

In separate meetings among top House Republicans and Democrats, leaders of each party said Clinton would probably not achieve his demand for about $1 billion a year to help local governments build and repair schools, said one participant in each meeting who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Democrats also wanted to require most federal workers' health plans to cover prescription contraceptives, but Republicans wanted to let insurers opt out if they had moral objections. And Clinton — joined by Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D. — was continuing to insist on billions of dollars more for farmers reeling under plummeting crop prices.

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Don, or on the Love of Life

"Excuse me, may I share the bench with you? I'm all out of gas." The day before the Michaelmas and Father sat next to me. He told me about how campus had changed since he had left.

Gabriel Martinez

in 1952 for Syracuse. He was amazed at how buildings appear to grow like corn in Hoosierland. "The library wasn't here then," and he told me stories about stud­
ies about the 13th Floor.

On his ND hat and on his shirt he had a button of a smiling girl. "A grand­
dughter, yes, my Laura. It's been a year since she died, passed away. She was five then. They tell me I should get another. But she was special. I have now all my eight grandchildren, but she was special." Laura had a weak heart, and they oper­
ated on her over and over during her few years. "Her heart was all messed up. I held her the day she was born, and she was not bigger than my forearm. They operated on her three or four days later for the first time."

The physicians kept operating in Buffalo, doing their best to sustain the little girl's life, until they gave up and told her parents to take her to shoe in Pittsburgh. There she waited for a heart transplant. The physicians said that her three-year-old body would not survive, that a transplant would be useless. But then a heart came up, and it gave Laura a new hope. She would live.

"Then, with the guidance of ultra­sound, the physician inserts forceps into the uterus, grasps a lower extremity of the fetus, and pulls the extremity into the vagina. The physician then uses his fingers to deliver the other lower extremity, followed by the torso, the shoulders, and the upper extremities. The head, which is too big to pass through the dilated cervix, remains in the internal cervical opening. At this point, while lifting the cervix and applying traction to the shoulders with his or her fingers, the physician takes a pair of blunt curved Metzenbaum scissors and forces the scissors into the base of the skull. Once the scissors has entered the skull, the physician spreads them to enlarge the opening. Finally, the physician removes the procedure's suction catheter into the hole, and removes the skull contents. The head will then compress, enabling the physician to remove the fetus complete­ly from the woman."

"Voinovich v. Women's Medical Professional Corp., United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit, in strik­ing down Ohio's House Bill 135 (which prohibited Dilatation and Extraction procedures, also known as partial-birth abor­tions) was like any other kid you see running around. She was vibrant — a vibrant child." She gave her parents and their granddaughter. "Then again, something tells me his heart is too big for any­one's body, no matter how vibrant.

Laura's parents adopted two children from Russia, precious children who will learn English as fast as kids do, but nobody will take Laura's place. The sleepless nights, the prayers, the effort, and the time at the hospital that, and more, was the price they paid for her priceless life. She will never fade from memory."

Don't you tell me to stop, I'll stir-fry you in my wok." — Beastic Boys
The Boyfriend's dorm hosted a theme dance this weekend. Theme was the seventies. Hideous theme. Hideous decade. Hideous clothes, hideous music, hideous hair, hideous dancing, hideous politics—everybody dressed up in hideous hideous hideous. You wonder why God simply didn't throw us hands, the seveneties for which I was in existence, as I was otherwise occupied with receiving evications from my parents for figuring out how to wear were correctly in the big girl party. Although how my classmates and I came up with no idea. I have never seen pictures of the way everyone voluntarily looked in the seventies and I honestly don't understand how these people could bring themselves to actually touch one another.

Now, generally I'm not a University conformist—I'm one of those people who believe that, for instance, fire drills are timed specifically for the exact moment when you would, otherwise, be blinded in the shower—but you can't tell me that there wasn't some sort of office of Student Affairs band in ensuring that at an event known to often result in inter-gender contact at the end of the evening, that the overall point of the entire event was not to look as unattractive as humanly possible.

There were dozens of ugly, ugly people. There was such a large concentration of people setting off waves of repulsiveness that the FAA had to reroute traffic in order to avoid Stanford Hall airspace. Guys in avocado polyester were wandering around the hallways inquiring of one another, "Do I look ugly enough to pick up my date yet?" I knew I was ready to go when I regarded my heavily blue eyeshadowed self in the mirror and was promptly assured that no male, at any time, in any place, with any amount of previous feminine deprivation, would find me even remotely appealing. And once I got to the dance I made my date, a person wearing bead green corduroy pants, a red plaid jacket, and a foul-smelling, unidentifiably grotesque color keep a minimal distance of at least twenty paces at all times. Is this a body of people with a great deal of Walser? Is it the Watergate-MonicaGate corollary? Because if it is, I feel it is my duty to inform you that she was in the seventies to escape its influence of life.

End of the evening, that the overall point of the entire event was not to look as unattractive as humanly possible. That's exactly what happened.

Mary Beth Ellis

Letter to the Editor

Right to Life Club’s Interests Ignored

In writing this letter, I am joining my voice to what has seemed to be the student body's prevailing mantra as we have debated and considered the anti-discrimination clause, the activities of the Progressive Student Alliance and the Student Senate's treatment of the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's Right to Life Club. "Let's all just listen to each other!" Unfortunately, the inability to listen and the inability to thoroughly consider and respect each other's opinions is frustrating.

I am mainly referring to Ryan Costantini's attempt to clarify what occurred at the Student Senate meeting when the Right to Life Club was not allowed to view its views on the content of the letter welcoming Bill Bradley to Notre Dame. Costantini admits that "ignoring a group that represents the view of the majority of Notre Dame students was never intended." The rest of his letter, however, describes exactly how and why the opinions of such a large percentage of Notre Dame students were in fact ignored. Whether the senate's refusal to listen was intended or not, it happened.

Costantini admitted that the Bradley letter was written to respond to the actions of a Notre Dame alum who was responsible for the hang-banners over the stadium denouncing Bradley. The Right to Life Club has already disclaimed these activities. So, why would the Student Senate write a letter on behalf of all students to respond to the activities of this one person?

And so this explained the council's unwillingness to listen. In past Senate meetings to defend that belief. Next time, let them hear us defend it.

I am mainly referring to Ryan Costantini's letter to the Academic Council. Costantini mentioned that he had read a letter from one of the members of the Right to Life Club's members during peak "poult." That student was me, and so I feel that I should clarify that Costantini also mentioned that the "question" period of the meeting would be open to our comments. This recommendation about speaking during the "question" period was echoed to us by the Student Body Vice-President.

In response to Costantini's claim that the Academic Council was afraid that allowing the Right to Life Club to speak would have degenerated debate about abortion that distracted from the "merits" of the Bradley letter is unfounded and, in fact, ridiculous. The only comment we wanted to make about abortion was that our opposition to it. Professor Bradley's role in promoting this made it clear that the Bradley letter did not represent us and our members. We aren't there to debate abortion, and those who silenced our comments for fear of the possible result were projecting onto us a goal that we did not have.

Costantini also stated that the Academic Council wanted only to focus on the "letter and its merits," and so this explained the council's unwillingness to listen to us. Does that mean that the council was unwilling to listen to any opinion that did not recognize "merits" in the letter? If the principles of debate are based upon confining debate to a discussion of "merits," then debate would never accomplish anything, would it?

That's exactly what happened.

Letter to the Observer

Mary Beth Ellis

The 70's: A Hideous Decade Revisited

Mary Beth Ellis is a senior at Saint Mary's College majoring in English writing and political science. In general, men want her, and women want to be her. Her column usually appears every other Tuesday.

The voices expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily those of The Observer.

Suzann Gallagher

Graduate Student

October 13, 1998
Through The Eye Of A Pig,” the album’s first track, marks the genuine progression of Cypress Hill, depicting the world from the perspective of a police officer. While gangster rap glorification of violence, choosing a more objective stance. “Looking at the world with a different lens, the police officer’s perspective, adds a layer of realism and complexity to Cypress Hill’s message. This new direction is not only musically innovative but also socially conscious, as it avoids glamorizing crime.

The second track, “Dead Men Tell No Tales,” is a dark attempt to return to the underground after their mainstream success. It is in fact their failure to provide any allegiance to a particular gangster rap group’s fourth LP, truly is their best effort to date at simultaneously maintaining their street credibility while continuing to diversify their music. It is in fact their failure to provide any allegiance to a particular gangster rap group’s fourth LP, truly is their best effort to date at simultaneously maintaining their street credibility while continuing to diversify their music. Despite its diverse fans, Cypress Hill does not attempt to conform to any group in particular. Rather, they stay true to their own background. Muggs is of several different descents, including Hispanic and his Latin heritage on IV is stronger than on Cypress Hill’s previous albums. Incorporating his Hispanic background proves to be very successful. “Tequila Sunrise” is the album’s standout hit, masterfully blending Cypress Hill’s previous albums. Incorporating his Hispanic background proves to be very successful. “Tequila Sunrise” is the album’s standout hit, masterfully blending Mexican rhythms with hard rap, similar to the identity of Muggs himself, both Mexican and American.

As is no surprise to Cypress fans, the album remains true to the rappers’ roots on Los Angeles’ streets, containing the usual references to violence and guns, as in the angst filled song “Dead Men Tell No Tales.” They refrain, however, from the typical gangster rap glorification of violence, choosing a more objective stance. “Looking at the world with a different lens, the police officer’s perspective, adds a layer of realism and complexity to Cypress Hill’s message. This new direction is not only musically innovative but also socially conscious, as it avoids glamorizing crime.

IV is a dynamic effort by Cypress Hill, a welcome relief from the ‘95 release Temple of Boom, a dark attempt to return to the underground after their mainstream success. It is in fact their failure to provide any allegiance to a particular gangster rap group’s fourth LP, truly is their best effort to date at simultaneously maintaining their street credibility while continuing to diversify their music. Despite its diverse fans, Cypress Hill does not attempt to conform to any group in particular. Rather, they stay true to their own background. Muggs is of several different descents, including Hispanic and his Latin heritage on IV is stronger than on Cypress Hill’s previous albums. Incorporating his Hispanic background proves to be very successful. “Tequila Sunrise” is the album’s standout hit, masterfully blending Mexican rhythms with hard rap, similar to the identity of Muggs himself, both Mexican and American.

But these few weak songs are drowned out by Muggs’ dominating ability to provide his characteristic squeals and sirens, making each song unique. The guitar squeals and the repetition of keyboard rhythms creates an eerie sense of paranoia that is uniquely Cypress Hill. Muggs and company are in a realm of creativity all their own, utilizing a continually developing array of original sounds that challenge all rappers to match Cypress Hill’s own ingenuity. Thus, IV is a must for any Cypress fan or any other brave soul who wants to experience the beats of a true innovator in psychedelic rap.

Mike Healy

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Soul Coughing

El Oso

Warner Bros. Records

★★★ 1/2 (out of five)

El Oso is a perfect example of the long musical interlude which makes Soul Coughing a sight to see live. All I’ve got to say is if you’ve ever liked or thought about liking Soul Coughing go buy this album! El Oso is a perfect mixture. It’s “what you call tripping on the hoon bump etymological.”

Tim Donohue

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Seth Chisamore & Brian Kornmann

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When they first started in 1992, Less Than Jake was a simple three piece pop-punk band out of Gainesville, Fla. Little could they have imagined that in less than six years they would become one of the most popular ska bands around. Many non-ska fans have never heard of Less Than Jake; unlike Goldfinger, Reel Big Fish, or the Mighty Mighty Bosstones, Less Than Jake has yet to appear on MTV or have a major radio hit.

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Also found on the album is a favorite of many Less Than Jake fans, “Scott Farcas Takes It on the Chin.” Besides that, the album contains a hilar­i­ous 30-second skit recorded at last years Ska Against Racism tour in St. Louis. The skit is Less Than Jake singing a song about Cinco de Moustache, a holiday invented by the bands on the tour.

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Penguins declare bankruptcy

Associated Press

PITTSBURGH

Double numbers are a Pittsburgh Penguins tradition with Mario Lemieux's 66, Paul Coffey's 79 and Barry Murrey's 55. So are these Chapter 11.

The last major pro sports team to file bankruptcy protection, the Penguins did so again today as they battle four major lawsuits — one by Lemieux, the biggest star in their history.

Bankruptcy isn't unprecedented in the NHL, the Penguins were the first in 1975 over the last two seasons and an inability to negotiate a new CBA with the players and opponents from the league.

The filing will not affect their current season because it was already completed before the bankruptcy protection was obtained.

Still, the filing has been expected for months, and is considered a major problem, including the Penguins' financial problems, the NHL's mental problems, and the NHL's ability to negotiate a new CBA with the players and opponents from the league.

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**Medical panel: Tyson suffers from low self-esteem**

**Associated Press**

LAS VEGAS

Mike Tyson was extremely depressed at the time he bit Evander Holyfield’s ear and is unlikely to commit such an act again, a medical panel says in a report that finds he is “fit” to return to the ring.

Tyson said he was feeling betrayed by “people I would have died for” leading up to the June 1997 title fight against Holyfield, according to the psychiatric report released today by the state attorney general’s office.

The report, by a team of doctors who examined the former heavyweight champion last month, portrays him as lacking in self-esteem and depressed to the point that he took antidepressant drugs in the months following the Holyfield fight.

The report was ordered by the Nevada Athletic Commission as a requirement for Tyson in his attempt to regain his license, which he lost for biting Holyfield. The commission meets Monday to consider the request.

The report says Tyson has a “constellation of neurobehavioral deficits” that include problems with attention, memory, reading, spelling and impulse control.

One doctor speculated that Tyson, who said he never lost consciousness in the ring but did several times after beatings as a child, may have residual attention-deficit disorder.

Tyson told the doctors he was not suicidal but has had feelings of sadness, hopelessness and helplessness “all my life.”

He was alternately engaging and hostile during the five days of exams. Two of the doctors treating him said he snapped in anger at them in separate instances, expressing a “wish” to harm one of them at one point.

“It was this evaluator’s clinical impression that this incident did not reflect Mr. Tyson’s intent to intimidate but rather that it was an expression of a fantasy in reaction to the frustration of this evaluation,” Dr. Jeremy Schmahmann wrote.

The report did not say when Tyson was angry at before the Holyfield fight. But he later had a bitter split with promoter Don King and his managers, John Horne and Rory Holloway, claiming they stole millions of dollars from him.

The team of six doctors, which examined Tyson at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston, found that he was fit to fight again and not likely to bite another opponent.

The report says Tyson felt embarrassed and humiliated by having to undergo five days of testing and was concerned that people would think he was “psycho.”

“I have no self-esteem, but the biggest ego in the world,” Tyson said.

The report recommends that Tyson undergo psychotherapy and that his problems with depression and self-esteem can be treated without any further medication. The report said he had been taking the antidepressants after the Holyfield fight and for the last month, but stopped because it made him lose his urge to fight.

It concludes by saying there is no way to predict future behavior, but the doctors believe Tyson is fit to box again.

“It is the opinion of the evaluation team that Mr. Tyson is mentally fit to return to boxing, to comply with the rules and regulations, and to do so without repetition of June 28, 1997,” the report said.

“While we take note of the impulsivity, emotional problems and cognitive problems outlined above, it is our opinion that none of those, alone or in combination, render Mr. Tyson mentally unfit in this regard.”

The doctors included a neuropsychologist, psychiatrist, clinical psychologist, two neuropsychologists and a doctor-lawyer.

The commission will meet Monday to determine whether to reinstate Tyson. If Tyson is denied a license, he will have to wait another year to be able to return to the ring.

Tyson and his wife, Monica, had fought to keep the report private, arguing that only family members of him needed to know the state of the inner workings of the former champion’s mind.

But after a state Supreme Court ruling Monday that favored the release of the reports, he signed off on the agreement to make them public.

The report offers some tidbits about Tyson’s life, including the fact that he told doctors he drank alcohol four days before the tests. Tyson had problems with drinking in his younger days, but converted to Islam in prison and had said he did not drink anymore.

Tyson issued a statement saying he didn’t want to release the reports but that his main goal is getting back into the ring.

“On numerous occasions I have apologized for my actions in the ring vs. Evander Holyfield,” Tyson said. “I am willing to do whatever the Nevada Athletic Commission wants me to do in order to regain my license to fight.”

The commissioners asked for the psychiatric report after a six-hour hearing last month.

At issue at Monday’s hearing will not only be Tyson’s psychological records, but questions about a fight after a fender-bender he was involved in on Aug. 31.

“Will it be a very interesting hearing,” predicted Marc Baicker, the commission’s executive director.

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**MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL**

**Hitchcock called to take turn on mound in Game 6**

Associated Press

Now it's Sterling Hitchcock's turn to pitch in this year's rest.

With San Diego ace Kevin Brown throwing 41 pitches in a surprise — and losing — relief appearance against Atlanta in the NL championship series Monday night, the Padres will move up the left-handed Hitchcock to start against the Atlanta Braves in Game 6 on Wednesday.

The Padres, who will have slugger Greg Vaughn back on Wednesday, didn't get any argument from Brown.

"He's fine with this," managed Bruce Bochy said Tuesday evening after the Padres' voluntary workout at Turner Field. "He was ready to go either way."

With San Diego leading 4-2 and wanting to close out the Braves at home, Bochy brought on Brown with two on and none out in the seventh inning Monday night.

Brown retired the side, but wasn't nearly as sharp in the eighth. With the Padres just five outs away from the World Series, Tucker's go-ahead, three-run homer in the eighth was an incredible rally to win 7-6.

San Diego leads the series 3-2. It ended up with his first career appearance Monday and none out in the seventh inning.

Bochy, who hit 50 home runs in 1996 (Andy Ashby), and two, if things don't happen in our favor tomorrow, then we still got Brownie for Game 7."

"We'll go out, take our best shot tomorrow with Hitch and whatever comes with that, we'll take it, and if we have to come back for another ballgame, then we'll do that."

Hitchcock wasn't available for comment Tuesday, but he came up to Stewart in the dugout Monday night and told him he wanted the ball for Game 6.

"That was very helpful in making the decision easier to go with him," Stewart said.

"But I think more than anything, Brownie's been big for us this year. We've used him a lot, he's thrown a lot of innings."

After Brown struck out 16 in winning the division series opener against Houston, he came back on three days' rest and wasn't as effective, but he held the Astros to one earned run in 6 2/3 innings and the Padres got a strong effort from reliever Dan Miceli and Trevor Hoffman to win.

Hitchcock, who was 9-7 with a 3.93 ERA in the regular season, hasn't pitched on three days' rest this year.

He's done it four times in his career, going 0-2 with an 8.41 ERA.

He threw 93 pitches on Tuesday.

"It's the time of year when sometimes you have to move up a day," Bochy said.

Including Saturday's game and a start here in May, Hitchcock has allowed the Braves only seven hits and one earned run in 10 1/3 innings.

Vaughn, meanwhile, is scheduled to start in left field Wednesday.

He strained his left quadriceps when he slipped on the wet grass in Game 1. He pinch-hit in the ninth Monday night, striking out on three pitches from Maddux.

"I have a tough act to follow, don't I?" Vaughn said, alluding to the big plays made by his replacements, John Vander Wal and Ruben Rivera.

Vander Wal, acquired because he hits Braves pitching so well, hit a two-run homer off John Smoltz to put the Padres up 4-2 Monday night. Rivera scored a key run in the 3-2, 10-inning win in the first game.

"It's going to feel good for me to get back out there," said Vaughn, who hit 50 homers this year.

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**NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE**

**Chargers release Gilbride as coach**

Associated Press

The San Diego Chargers fired coach Buddy Gilbride today following the NFL team's fourth straight loss and replaced him with offensive coordinator June Jones, who will be interim coach.

The 47-year-old Gilbride was in his second season with the Chargers, who began the year with a two-game losing streak and had a record of 6-16. With rookie Ryan Leaf at quarterback, the Chargers were 0-4 in their first two games, but then lost four straight as Leaf was benched during two of the losses.

The Chargers scored just 22 touchdowns in 22 games under Gilbride, an offensive coordinator in Houston and Jacksonville before taking the

**San Diego job. Leaf has just one TD pass and has turned over the ball 15 times.**

Before becoming coach of the Chargers, Gilbride was probably best known for a sideline fight in a nationally televised game with defensive coordinator Buddy Ryan.

Jones, 45, was head coach at Atlanta from 1994-96, going 19-30. Both Gilbride and Jones began their careers as proponents of the run-and-shoot offense, although San Diego has lately been using a more conventional system.

Defensive end William Fuller welcomed the change.

"We were playing for ourselves, not to save his job," Fuller told XTRA Radio in San Diego. "Too many players were falling asleep at meetings and nothing was being done about it."

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Yankees conquer Indians, en route to World Series

By Michael Farland

Associated Press

NEW YORK

Revenge complete. The American League pennant is back in the Bronx.

Yankee Stadium rocked long and hard Tuesday night, as New York reached the World Series for a record 35th time by beating the Cleveland Indians 9-3 to win the A.L. championship series in six games.

And when it was over, the first thing on the Yankees’ minds was Barry Strawberry, their teammate who underwent cancer surgery Oct. 3.

Seconds after the final out, his picture went up on the scoreboard behind the right-field bleachers.

"Darryl, this is yours. You pushed us," manager Joe Torre said. "I know you’re going to be all right."

Scott Brosius seemed to finish Cleveland off with a three-run homer for a 6-0 lead in the fifth inning. But David Cone nearly gave it all back, allowing a grand slam to Jim Thome that pulled the Indians within a run.

Derek Jeter then restored the safety margin with a two-run triple in the sixth, a drive to right that Manny Ramirez tried to snap with a leap at the top of the wall — only the ball landed on a hop at his feet.

New York, which opens the World Series at home Saturday

"IT WAS SOMETHING WE FOUGHT HARD ALL YEAR FOR — THOSE GUYS ARE WONDERFUL."

DAVID WELLS

Yankees’ Pitcher

night against Atlanta or San Diego, won an A.L. title at home for the first time since the Reggie Jackson-Thurman Munson-Ron Guidry team in 1978.

"It was something we fought hard all year for — these guys are wonderful," said David Wells, who went 2-0 and was voted A.L.C.S. MVP. "This is for you, Darryl."

Cleveland, which beat the Yankees in the first round last year and came within two outs of winning its first World Series since 1948, failed to force a seventh game because it allowed five unearned runs.

"Absolutely disappointed that we didn’t go on," Indians manager Mike Hargrove said, "but we have to recognize the Yankees have a very good ballclub and they played better than we did."

The game included another controversial umpiring call, a line drive that hit an umpire on the backside and a pumped-up crowd that pushed every opportunity to make up for the taunts Wells endured in Cleveland last week.

After going 3-4 during the regular season and sweeping Texas in the first round, the Yankees felt pressure to reach the Series, which they won in 1996.

"It’s only fun when you win," Yankees outfileder Paul O’Neill said.

Cleveland felt pressure, too, after losing Game 7 of the World Series last October. But after falling behind two games to one, New York turned it around at Jacobs Field behind strong pitching from Orlando "El Duque" Hernandez in Game 4 and Wells in Game 5.

By the eighth inning, fans were taunting the Indians with chants of "1948." Responding to a remark by Cleveland’s David Justice that the only way Yankees fans could get tougher would be if they brought Uzis to the ballpark, one fan hung pictures of a machine gun from the upper deck for each strikeout by Cone, who fanned eight.

"I try to get the guys fired up any way I can," Wells said. "Sometimes, it’s not the right way.

Forgotten with the win was Chuck Knoblauch’s blunder in Game 2, which allowed Cleveland to blunt New York’s momentum.

"What a great team we’ve got," Knoblauch said. "They gave me a lot of support when I was down. We don’t have to worry about that now."

Umpires again were in the center of controversy. Ted Hundley, the second-base umpire, appeared to blow a call in the third inning, ruling New York’s Chili Davis safe on a force play, claiming Omar Vizquel was pulled off the base by the throw. Two outs later, Brosius’ homered made it 6-0.

Brosius’ homer came after Williams’ leadoff single and the controversial call by Hundley. Davis grounded to second and Enrique Wilson’s throw to second for the force was wide to the shortstop side. While Vizquel appeared to kick at a foot on the bag, Hundley called Davis safe.

Cleveland starter Charles Nagy, who took the loss, quickly got in trouble, and Cleveland fell behind on consecutive one-out singles in the first by Jeter, O’Neill and Williams.

Davis followed with a sacrifice fly.

New York made it 3-0 in the second on an error by left fielder Brian Giles. Joe Girardi singled with one out, Knoblauch doubled into the left-field corner and Giles, after picking up the ball, let it fall out of his glove.

Cone gave up a hit, the ball was hit in by the Indians.

After singles by Wilson and Kenny Lofton put runners on first and third, Vizquel hit a liner up the middle that hit Hundley in the rear end. Lofton remained on third instead of scoring and a walk to Justice forced in a run.

After running Ramirez, Cone gave up the grand slam to Thome, who set an A.L. championship series record with his fourth homer.

Ramiro Mendoza came in to start the eighth with a hit in three shutout innings, Mariano Rivera finished with a 1-2-3 ninth.

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NBA cancels 99 season games

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The NBA's perfect record is dead.

The league canceled regular-season games because of a work stoppage for the first time in its history Tuesday when collective bargaining talks between owners and players broke off after about 1 1/2 hours.

"Loupy disappointed," commissioner David Stern said when asked to describe his feelings. "My job is to put on games for the fans, not to cancel them. It's terribly disappointing."

A total of 99 games from Nov. 3 through Nov. 16 will not be played, and the vast majority of players will miss their first paychecks Nov. 15.

The union came to the table Tuesday with an 11th-hour proposal re-signing under the so-called Larry Bird exception - to address the owners' concern over rapidly escalating salaries, but it was not enough to save the full 82-game season.

"It's evident we're not going to reach an agreement any time soon, so we are gradually canceling the first two weeks of the season," door-deep deputy commissioner Russ Granik said from a podium at a midtown Manhattan hotel.

Sitting beside him was Stern, who was looking equally glum as the NBA's 51-year history of playing uninterrupted seasons - 33,901 consecutive games - came to an end.

"This is the only major American professional sport that had never lost a game due to a labor dispute.

Baseball had a disastrous strike in 1994-95 that wiped out the World Series, the NHL went through a 2 1/2-month lockout that ended in January 1992, and an NFL strike in 1987 lasted less than a month.

Two previous NBA lockouts in 1995 and 1996 ended before any games were missed.

The next move in this dispute will come from the owners, who will deliver a counterproposal later this week.

Tuesday was the 105th day of the lockout.

"It doesn't look promising," Stern said. "The reality is that the owners had no choice. The union indicated some flexibility, but the reality is that their proposal doesn't completely address what we're focused on.

The sides met for two sessions Tuesday.

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Patrick Ewing, Dikembe Mutombo, Ray Allen, Antonio Davis and John Starks were among the players who attended the meeting. The owners were represented by Gordon Gund (Cleveland), Les Alexander (Houston), Abe Pollin (Washington) David Checketts (New York) and Jerry Colangelo (Phoenix).

"We had a somewhat more constructive dialogue, but it's hard to say if we got closer to an agreement," Granik said.

"We promised to come back with our own set of proposals.

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"Everybody's putting emphasis on it because it's the two finalists from last year's Stanley Cup playoffs. But it's the only game we're going to play against them this season. If we face them again, it's going to be in the Finals. We want to face them again.

The teams have actually met once already, an exhibition game last week in Detroit that was won 4-3 by Washington.

"It will mean more than it did last year, when it was a sweepstakes.

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The game does indeed mean more for the Capitals, who still aren't considered among the NHL elite after a playoff run in 1996 when the Caps were swept in the first round.

Finally, the matchup has given coach Kevin Dineen the chance to keep his team from getting into the October blahs.

"Playing good teams early in the season will get us focused early on," Wilson said. "It's fun."
"Bird rule" called into question

By JOHN COPPOLILLA

As a lifelong Los Angeles Lakers fan, I hated Larry Bird because his talent, desire to win and success on the court cost the Lakers a few championships in the 1980s. As a basketball fan, I hated Bird because he unforgivably caused the NBA lockout.

Yesterday the NBA canceled the first two weeks of its season as talks between players and owners broke off in less than four hours. Both sides have made no pretense of concessions throughout the labor impasse, but there remains one issue that neither side is willing to budge on: the so-called Larry Bird rule.

The Larry Bird rule basically states that a team can exceed the salary cap and spend as much money as they want to resign their own free agents. Last year, the Chicago Bulls paid Michael Jordan a one-year contract.

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"It is fitting Monica broke the record in a game where she scored three goals because over her career, she has tended to score goals in bunches," said Petrella. "Our team has always scored a lot of goals, evenly by a lot of players, so Monica had a lot of competition to reach the record."

In the teams' 8-0 win over the Friars, Gerardo also chipped in two first-half assists, setting another school record for most.

★ COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Hall of Fame set to honor former Irish football stars

By KATHLEEN LOPEZ
Sports Editor

The College Football Hall of Fame plans to honor one of the greatest traditions in college football history, the Notre Dame-Army rivalry. The weekend of the Notre Dame-Army game, the Hall of Fame will pay tribute to the legends of the rivalry with a banquet. The evening will honor two specific games in the storied history, the 1946 scoreless tie at Yankee Stadium and the 1958 title game.

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Fame, however, are not the only team to benefit from Gerardo's outstanding play. Gerardo also flashes her skills on the Mexican National Team. She will try to help them qualify for the World Cup when they play a home-away series against Argentina in December.

As for Gerardo's name, her name is entered into the Irish record books.

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We practice for and what we score for — to better ourselves and to put ourselves in a position to win the National Championship. The seniors that are left on this team know what it takes to win a National Championship and hopefully we will be able to help guide this team to another one this year."

Gerardo said the senior forward, however, will not be truly content until the Irish recapture the National Championship. Gerardo also knows how to step up her play in the big game. "It is not that Monica just scores goals. World Cup winners score big goals," Petrella said.

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★ WOMEN'S INTERHALL FOOTBALL

PE destroys Welsh; Farley edges McGlinn

By SARA ELBERT
Sports Writer

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Belles slump continues, outscored 6-0 by Calvin

**Hockey**

Karr, Urick receive CCHA honors of week

By BRIAN KESSLER
Assistant Sports Editor

Just like Sammy Sosa and Mark McGwire, Notre Dame's Monica Gerardo was in pursuit of magical number 61.

Gerardo, however, wasn't chasing Roger Maris' record, but rather that of all-American and national soccer player of the year Cindy Daws, who had held the scoring record at Notre Dame until last weekend.

"It was something I knew that was out there and was possible for me to accomplish, but it wasn't one of my main focuses," Gerardo said. "I wanted to play well for the team rather than try to better my individual statistics. I was fortunate enough that things worked out in my favor and I was able to break this record."

Gerardo entered last weekend's play with six goals on the season and 59 on her career, placing her just two back of Daws. The senior, however, scored twice on Friday against Boston College to tie the record and followed it up with three first-half goals in a four-minute span against Providence to break the mark.

"It feels great" to break the record, Gerardo said. "Obviously Cindy Daws is an excellent player and just to be mentioned in the same sentence with her and to break her record is hard to believe."

Gerardo's coach, however, knew great things were to come from her. "The record is something Monica really deserves," Irish head coach Chris Petrucelli said. "She has been a player that scored goals for us as soon as she came to our campus four years ago."

With her fourth hat trick, Gerardo now holds sole possession of the career record with 64 career goals.

**Women's Soccer**

Gerardo kicks out another record

By MOLLY McVOY
Sports Writer

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