New Writer

U.S. News & World Report ranks Notre Dame at No. 19
By JASON MCFARLEY

This is the second consecutive year Notre Dame earned the No. 19 spot on the list. "Certainly if there's going to be a list of the top universities in the country, we should be on it," said Dennis Moore, Notre Dame's director of public relations and information.

Moore said University officials are pleased with the ranking but noted that they don't pay any great deal of consideration to such lists. The annual publication is published to gauge national perceptions of schools but not necessarily colleges' educational quality, Moore said. "Through the years, the rankings only reflect changes in the methodology of the ranking system, not anything we did at the University," Moore said, adding that there may be no legitimate means to rank universities with different missions and goals.

Notre Dame submits statistical information about the University prior to publication of the magazine's published list, but not ever ranked university and college participates in this practice.

According to Moore, publishers will rank a college whether or not it submits the requested information. "If a lot of people are going to be making judgments about us on this publication, we might as well give them accurate, up-to-date information," Moore said. "I think the University of Virginia has substantive feedback from the survey."

"Certainly if there's going to be a list of the top universities in the country, we should be on it." Dennis Moore
director of public relations

 professors and information.

At 95 percent, Notre Dame's graduation rate was beaten only by Princeton and Harvard. "That's a category that we've always done well in," Moore said of the 1999 graduation figure.

The University also fared well with its retention rate of first-year students from 1999 to 2000. Notre Dame retained 98 percent of first-year students. According to the guide, the 83 percent of the Class of 2003 entered the University in the fall of 1999 as graduates in the top 10 percent of their high school classes. That, in addition to a 35 percent acceptance rate, makes Notre Dame one of the most selective universities in the nation.

Other factors used to rank schools included SAT and ACT scores, faculty to student ratios, and alumni donations.

SMC renews Eldred's contract for five-year term

By SARAH RYKOSKI
News Writer and ALCIA ORTIZ

Saint Mary's Board of Trustees renewed Marilou Eldred's contract as president of the College June 30 for a five-year term. Eldred has served in the office since 1997.

"She brought a sense of energy and direction to the College," said Bill Schmuhl, chairman of the Board of Trustees. "Eldred has served as wonderful role model for the women of Saint Mary's College."

Before Eldred's contract was renewed, the Board sought input from the students and faculty of the College. After reviewing the feedback from the students and faculty the Board agreed to renew Eldred's contract.

Eldred came to Saint Mary's to replace President William Hickey in June of 1997. At the same time she became the first lay woman to be appointed to the office of the president at the College.

"I saw the need for better community building within the College and connecting Saint Mary's more to the South Bend community," Eldred said about her acceptance of the position. "This campus felt like where I wanted to be."

Students were generally pleased with the decision to renew Eldred's contract. "Personally I think it's really wonderful to have a female president at Saint Mary's College," senior Page Warstler said. "I think she's done a great job."

"From what I understand, she is very up on letting students come in and talk to her. I think she does a wonderful job." Melissa Wheeler
Saint Mary's senior

"Certainly if there's going to be a list of the top universities in the country, we should be on it." Dennis Moore
director of public relations

The plan includes renovation and aesthetic improvements around the campus and extensive building projects. Another of the College's focuses during Eldred's term has been redefining athletics at Saint Mary's, which involved hiring Lynn Kachmarik, the current athletic director, to head the new Athletic Department.

"Saint Mary's, in the last four years, has undergone a number of changes including the Master Plan and hiring a new Athletic Director," Warstler said.

The first visible step in the Master Plan up are the new Dallhouse Coffeehouse and the Welcome Center at the entrance to the College. Regina Hall was also renovated over the summer as part of the plan.

"We certainly want to increase overall enrollment but also attract more minority and overseas students to the College," Eldred said. "My vision was to bring all of these to fruition."

Eldred's next two tasks since her contract was renewed will be to continue to improve first-year enroll-
INSIDE COLUMN

For love is God

Kids today.

How many times have I heard that from disgruntled adults, frustrated with America's youth and their lack of morals, consideration or tact?

Well, the past weekend I was a disgruntled adult.

For the past three years, I have attended Notre Dame home football games as a student. I have enjoyed the spirit and atmosphere of the student section. Though the process of getting student tickets leaves something to be desired, it's always a rush to walk up to the window with the hope of getting spectacular seats with my friends. And yet I don't exaggerate when I say that I have never actually sat in those assigned seats.

Even when last year we scored sixth row seating, I was a disgruntled adult.

The issue at hand is not these people's disrespect or lack of courtesy, it is the system itself. The tickets are not assigned, but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (*** out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my tick­ et ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Someone nearby who was confused about our own seating situation informed them that they were in.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

I don't care where you go, but get out of our assigned seats.

That's all.

When the rest of their party showed up, in the second quarter, we did move. However, I recognized one of the girls from the morning's incident and therefore graduated student who didn't have a ticket in the student section.

The issue at hand is not these people's disregard for the system how works: even if you have tickets for four seats and there are 41,000 fans, you have to show up early to claim them. Rather, my problem was that I didn't want to ruin other people's game day experience.

I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.

We accommodated them, making room that wasn't really there, but this wasn't satisfactory. I don't know if these women had been drinking, but I almost hope that they had been, so as to have something to which I can attribute their actions.

"Get the (***) out of our (***) in g seats," one of them demanded repeatedly.

The more she flung these strings of hate at us, the more we heard protests from our fellow fans, with my fellow students. A few minutes after kickoff, a group of five or six girls walked in, demanding their seats - the seats we were in.

Mind you, this was no polite confrontation, like "Are these seats unassigned? I'm just looking for my ticket ..." but rather a bark full of expletives.

Eventually they returned, more demanding than before.
Grads shoot for the stars with NASA

By MARIBEL MOREY

Tuesday, September 5, 2000

The Observer – NEWS

He grew up watching shuttle launches on television in the 1960s. When he was 12, Michael Good drove with his family to Cape Canaveral to watch the space shuttles in person. But that was just the beginning.


Johnson Space Center in Houston. From the third year on, he and his wife, Joan, have 14 and 10-year-old boys, and a 2-year-old girl.

"Joan is very happy and very excited, but the kids are just warming up to the idea," he said. "Now in Houston, Good faces the reality of his dream. When asked about any fears, he declined having any. "I have no fears. I'm used to it doing flight tests in the Air Force. We try to take all the risk out of it. I'm just excited."

Good and Ford have four to five years before they actually go up in space. For the first year, the group will have shuttle training and in the next year, they will each have ground jobs supporting the shuttle program in Houston. From the third year on, each group member will be doing their job and waiting to be assigned to his mission. Once assigned, Good and Ford will train with the other six to seven members for a maximum of a year.

"There's nothing that we can do more, except be at the table willing to break ground on each and every issue to improve education in the district. But at the 11th hour, it has become apparent that the district has no intention of honoring their side of the bargain," union spokeswoman Barbara Goodman said Monday.

Mayor John Street, who hand-picked the school board now locked in negotiations, took in the podium at a Labor Day rally Monday and tried to reassure the teachers of the city's intentions.

"There's nothing that we would like more than to get a contract. We have to have a contract," he said. "The 21,000-member union has so far rejected the district's proposals to extend the school day and school year, increase payments for health insurance, institute a pay scale based on teacher performance rather than years of experience and level of education, and give principals more say in teacher job assignments."

The union wants smaller classes, younger early-childhood education, a new reading program and enhanced school security.

Its teachers in 1997-1998 earned between $28,600 and $57,200 according to the union.

District officials have said they will face an $80 million shortfall in their $1.6 billion budget even without granting the pay raises the union says are needed to keep talented educators in the city.

Gov. Tom Ridge has promised to work for additional state funding if teachers agree to a contract overhaul.

"I'd like to help build the international space station," he said.
Eldred
continued from page 1

"Fundraising is always a very high priority," Eldred said.

Eldred’s vision of the College will include keeping it a strong Catholic women’s college, increasing enrollment to 1700 students, improving diversity, maintaining its image as a superior undergraduate liberal arts institution, and keeping it as residential as possible.

Prior to her acceptance of the position of president at Saint Mary’s in 1997, Eldred served as vice president of the college and as the academic vice president at the College of St. Catherine’s in St. Paul, MN. Eldred received her B.A. from Mundelein College in Chicago, and her M.A. and Ph.D. from New York University.

Saint Mary’s Under Marilou Eldred: 1997 - present

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Date</th>
<th>Event</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>April 11</td>
<td>Eldred becomes the first lay female President of Saint Mary’s.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>June 26</td>
<td>The Board of Trustees approves the Master Plan to expand Saint Mary’s campus.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Aug. 21</td>
<td>Saint Mary’s joins the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association, its first membership in an athletic conference.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>March 30</td>
<td>Eldred participates in Master Plan groundbreaking ceremonies.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>June 30</td>
<td>The Board of Trustees renews Eldred’s contract for an additional five years.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

1997 1998 1999 2000

Feb. 27: Eldred denies chartered club status to The Alliance, a student organization supporting bisexual, lesbian and questioning students.

Aug. 21: Saint Mary’s falls to No. 2 in the U.S. News & World Report rankings after five years of No. 1.

Sept. 2: Eldred names Lynn Kachmark athletic director, making Saint Mary’s sports a top priority for the College.

April 3: Saint Mary’s joins the Worker’s Rights Consortium, a group dedicated to improving conditions in apparel factories.

Sept. 5: Saint Mary’s regains the top position in U.S. News & World Reports rankings.

Appalachia Seminar

The Seminar

- Service-learning through various sites in Appalachia, October 15-21, 2000
- One credit Theology course
- Involves orientation & follow-up classes
- Past participants in Appalachia Seminar are encouraged to apply as Site Coordinators
- Presents opportunity to work, laugh, & learn with others

The Appalachian Seminar during Fall and Spring break presents a unique service-learning opportunity. Students travel to a variety of sites in Appalachia which focus on issues concerning rural health care, the environment, women, children, and housing construction. Through hands on work and person-to-person contacts, students experience the cultural richness of the area and begin to understand and analyze the social forces that influence the Appalachian people.

Applications

Available at the Center for Social Concerns
Due date: Thursday, September 7, 2000 10:00 am
$40 deposit with application (non-refundable if accepted)

Information Night

Monday, September 4, 7:30-8:00 pm @ CSC

Further Information

Steve Recupero, Student Task Force Co-Chairperson, 634-1217
Allison Reilly, Student Task Force Co-Chairperson, 243-1842
Center for Social Concerns, 631-5293

Choose Health
Choose Healthful Foods

American Heart Association
Fighting Heart Disease and Stroke
Police ransack student group: Police raided the headquarters of an Albanian student group Monday known for its opposition to President Sali Berisha, ransacking drawers, confiscating campaign material and hurling students from leaving during the raid. Some 15 students were inside at the time, said Igor Dajic, an opposition activist present at the raid. "They demanded our ID cards, ransacked all our drawers and broke into the locked cupboards, confiscating virtually every scrap of campaign material they could find," Dajic said. Police carried away their computers, as well as posters and flags with the group's clenched-fist resistance symbol, Dajic said.

Elephant kills American tourist: A wild elephant killed one American tourist and injured another during a wildlife tour in remote northeastern Namibia, officials said Monday. Dean Hall was killed instantly and Dr. A. was hurt when a rare desert elephant charged a group of tourists trying to photograph it in the Huab River Valley on Saturday. Said Djapic, a tourist guide, the tourists had left their vehicle and walked between two groups of elephants from the same herd, said Ben Beytel, an official with the Ministry of Environment and Tourism.

LEBANON

former Lebanese Prime Minister Rafik Hariri celebrates his overwhelming victory in the final stage of the parliamentary elections. Hariri is undecided as to whether he will once again seek office after his resignation two years ago.

Ex-prime minister may seek title

Associated Press

BEIRUT

When Rafik Hariri resigned as prime minister just two years ago, the Lebanese people were sick of the corruption and government mismanagement. Now, they want him back.

If Hariri backed candidates also won overwhelmingly, ousting Prime Minister Salim Hoss and three members of his Cabinet from parliament and bolstering Hariri's chances to regain the premiership. And in south Lebanon, the results indicated that residents rewarded Hezbollah and Amal for their guerrilla war against nearly two decades of Israeli occupation that ended in May.

During his tenure, Hoss failed to deliver on pledges to deal with Lebanon's recession. That likely would have made him a powerful candidate in future elections, but Hariri likely would get Hariri has said it is too early to comment on whether he will seek the post.

But they say U.S. District Judge Royce Lamberth — is more interested in blocking attempts to thwart the appeal shows the federal government — particularly Interior Secretary Bruce Babbit — is more interested in blocking attempts to get the money than righting a wrong.

"In the outside world, if you screw up with people's money, you end up in jail," said Elouise Cobell, a Blackfeet Indian who is the lead plaintiff. "That did not happen," she said. "Many trust that Hariri learned from his mistakes and would restore investors' confidence." Syria, the ultimate guide for Lebanese politics and policies, essentially approves any premier in neighboring Lebanon. But that shouldn't provide any problems for Hariri, a friend of Syrian President Bashar Assad with professional ties involving vast economic investments in Syria. Declaring his desire for the premiership could set up a clash with President Lahoud, who must name the prime minister after polling legislators.

Native Americans seek reparations

Associated Press

WASHINGTON

Federal officials admit that over the last 113 years the government mishandled $500 million in trust accounts for American Indians. But they say U.S. District Judge Royce Lamberth overstepped his authority with rulings ordering a full accounting of the money and appointing himself overseer of reform efforts. He also has held two Cabinet secretaries in contempt. The government is appealing Lamberth's December ruling in a 4-year-old lawsuit brought by Indians, who contend they are due more than $10 billion because of the mismanagement. Arguments are scheduled for today before a three-judge federal appellate court panel.

The trust accounts came from a 1897 Federal law that divided some reservation land into smaller plots for individual Indians. The federal government holds that land in trust for the Indians — meaning it cannot be taxed or sold and the government must approve any leases.
FRANCE

Concorde investigation focuses on stray piece of metal

Associated Press

PARIS

A stray length of metal which gashed a tire of a supersonic Concorde, leading to a fuel tank fire and doomed the flight, probably came from a Continental Airlines plane that took off on the same runway four minutes earlier, French investigators announced Monday.

The discovery after a dogged search appears to end one mystery in the investigation of the July 25 accident that killed all 109 people aboard the supersonic plane and four on the ground.

Meanwhile, Air France Chief Executive Officer Pierre-Henri Gourgeon raised the possibility that the Concorde could be airborne again by May 2001. It was the first time any date has been given since France and Britain officially grounded their supersonic planes and four on the ground.

There are many uncertainties and May would seem to be the earliest possible date," he told reporters. Experts haven't yet made their recommendations," so costs to modify the aircraft are not known, he added.

French Transport Minister Jean-Claude Gayssot has said the plane will not be certified as airworthy until investigators can unlock the "catastrophic chain of events" that led to the crash.

Investigators were convinced early on that the metal part destroyed a left forward tire, sending huge chunks of high velocity rubber toward the fuel tanks in the Concorde's delta-shaped wings, causing a fuel leak and a huge fire.

The flight, filled with German tourists, crashed into a small hotel, less than two minutes after takeoff.

A Continental DC10 had a missing part "which appeared to be identical to the metal piece found on the runway" at Charles de Gaulle airport, said a statement issued by France's Accident and Inquiry Office, or BEA.

The BEA's preliminary report on the accident, made public Thursday on the Internet, showed a picture of a bent metal strip, with rivet holes, nearly 17 inches long and an inch wide. One side was painted with a greenish epoxy and the other covered with a reddish putty.

BEA investigators inspected the aircraft Saturday in Houston, where Continental is based. Officials said, accompanied by officials from Continental, the National Transportation Safety Board and the U.S. Federal Aviation Administration.

A Continental statement said the officials "determined that a piece of a metal wear strip, similar in shape to the piece of metal found on the runway in Paris, was missing from the space between the fan reverser and the core door on the right-wing engine of the Continental DC10."

The BEA statement described the part in question as part of a hood on a thrust reverser.

"It was not immediately known whether there might be any legal implications for Continental. The airline noted that "it has not been determined definitively that the missing part on its aircraft was the piece found on the runway."

BEA spokesman Helene Bastianelli said it was "probably the same part."

A parallel judicial investigation by French authorities is underway to determine eventual responsibility for the crash, but officials were not immediately available for comment.

The discovery would clear a doubt cast on the state of runway 26, which had not been fully cleaned for some 12 hours before the Concorde took off. A cleaning due to take place at 3 p.m. — less than two hours before the Concorde flight — was canceled for a fire drill.

The find comes after a detailed search for the part's origin by BEA investigators, who examined all planes that had used the runway ahead of the Concorde.

She said the plane in question took off about four minutes before the Concorde flight.

"There is a gap that has been filled in the scenario," she said, adding, however, that the discovery does not advance the core issue — how to prevent this kind of accident.

It was the first accident by the supersonic Concorde since it entered commercial service 24 years ago. The only two existing Concorde fleets — in France and Britain — were both officially grounded in August until further notice.

The Concorde, which flies across the Atlantic at twice the speed of sound, had been the most elite form of commercial transatlantic air travel.

Gourgeon, the Air France official, said it was adding an early morning Paris-New York flight to its schedule to compensate for the canceled Concorde flights.
Associated Press

NAPERVILLE, Ill.

Opening his fall campaign with a weeklong tour, George W. Bush taunted rival Al Gore on Monday for rejecting his offer of three presidential debates. "All of a sudden the words 'anytime, anywhere' don't mean anything," Bush told a Labor Day rally.

Gore, running off a 27-hour campaign sprint through several states, tried to keep the focus on his pitch to working families that he would be the better steward of the economy and work harder for Americans. "We've got a lot at stake, our economy in particular," Gore said in Pittsburgh. "Working people have done better and there are more jobs.

As for Bush's $3 trillion tax-cut plan, Gore told supporters at the Louisville Motor Speedway in Kentucky, "I'd veto that in a minute."

Gore, the Democratic presidential candidate, and his running mate Joseph Lieberman appealed to working class voters with a six-state Labor Day weekend tour. The two campaigned together in Pennsylvania, Michigan and Florida, then Gore hit the trail on his own in Kentucky while Lieberman made solo stops in Ohio and Illinois.

Bush and running mate Dick Cheney opened a campaign push through six Midwest battlegrounds - Illinois and Michigan on Monday with Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Indiana and Ohio to follow later this week.

The Republican presidential candidate kept up the pressure on Gore to agree to Bush's proposed debate schedule as the Gore campaign held open the possibility for negotiations over the three prime-time matchups. "Just yesterday, we had an interesting example of Washington doublespeak," Bush told a rally in this heavily Republican Chicago suburb before he and Cheney walked in a parade.

"My opponent said he would debate me anywhere, anytime, anywhere," Bush continued. "I said fine, why don't we just show up and discuss our differences." Since the debates Bush accepted would be 90-minute appearances, one Sept. 12 on a special prime-time edition of NBC's "Meet the Press" and Oct. 3 from Los Angeles on CNN's "Larry King Live."

The Gore campaign wants three 90-minute debates as recommended by a bipartisan commission, saying those will reach the widest audience.

Gore said Bush must agree to the commission debates before any others. "That's why it's a tradition to get all the networks together and give all of the American people the right to see three 90-minute, prime-time debates," the vice president said on NBC's "Today."

Lieberman told reporters, "I think Governor Bush is making an end run around the rules of the debate commission."

Gore has accepted the invitation from the Commission on Presidential Debates to negotiate further this week over a debate schedule. Bush spokesman Scott McClellan said the commission's offer to negotiate further would not change Bush's intention to accept only one of its venues - an Oct. 17 debate at Washington University in St. Louis.

On the trail, a Gore-Lieberman 27-hour campaign sprint took the candidates to five states as they tried to drum up support. "It's become a tradition to get all the networks together and give all of the American people the right to see three 90-minute, prime-time debates."

Al Gore
Democratic presidential candidate

Although the crowd was overwhelmingly supportive, some protesters waved signs ridiculing the GOP ticket. "I'm voting for Bush because not enough of my tax dollars support corporate welfare," said one sign. Another said: "Vote Bush because gay people have too many rights.

After the parade, Bush attended Michigan's annual peach festival in Rome, Mich., known for its high proportion of voters who swing back and forth between the two parties.

Cheney rode a Chicago elevated train to a Polish food fair, where he danced the polka with a Polish beauty queen and served up hash brown cakes with tomato sauce from behind a steam table.

Cheney told the crowd that one of his proudest moments was meeting Solidarity leader Lech Walesa, saying he "lit a spark in Poland that lit a prairie fire of freedom." He ended his remarks with a hearty "Sto Lat!" - a Polish congratulatory expression that means "May you live 100 years."

The two were reuniting Tuesday in Allentown, Pa., to announce their plan to provide seniors with a prescription drug benefit under Medicare.

Faber Consulting is seeking the brightest minds
...to help transform our clients' data assets into valuable Business Intelligence.

Business Intelligence will separate the winners from the losers in the coming decade. That's why Faber is looking for self-motivated, intelligent people with a computer studies background to contribute to our explosive growth and become our next generation of consultants.

We offer a challenging work environment with exceptional opportunities for training and career advancement. And every "Labber" receives an equity stake in our business.

Use Go FRSN to sign up immediately for an interview - the schedule fills quickly. We're interviewing Monday, October 2nd at the Career Center. Or attend our information session on Sunday, October 1st from 7-8 pm in Foster, Room 306 at the LaFortune Student Center. Refreshments will be served.

We are an Equal Opportunity Employer!
Pakistan

Government vows to help women

Associated Press

ISLAMABAD

Pakistan's military-led govern­
ment has pledged to scrap dis­
criminatory laws against women, combat violence against them and promote female literacy, but hitting these targets remains an uphill task in this poor South Asian nation.

A new national commission has started work this week to end gender discrimination and protect women's rights. Shaeen Sardar, the commis­sion's chief, said from the northern border city of Peshawar, the capital of Pakistan's conservative Northwestern Frontier Province. "Recovering lives that are par­
ticularly harsh toward women and implementing reform will require a lot of hard work and political will, she said in an interview on Sunday.

However, the new govern­
ment has been empowered by Pakistan's Supreme Court to amend the constitution and enforce new laws — without having to secure the approval of a parliament. The parlia­
ment has been suspended since last October, when the m ilitary seized power in a bloodless coup. The commis­sion's agenda is to curb so-called honor killings of women by their relatives. In a country where centuries-old tribal and feudal traditions hold sway — especially in rural areas — this will not be simple.

"It's a most dishonorable act. It's a murder and nobody would be allowed to get away with it," said Sardar, who taught law at Peshawar University before joining the mili­tary govern­
ment.

"Unlike the past govern­
ments, we will take a firm stand against the honor killings," he said.

More than 1,000 women were killed in Pakistan last year, either for marrying men against the will of their fami­
lies or for flimsy reasons like talking to a man other than a relative, human rights groups say. "These killings are based on a cultural notion that the family has the right to punish the victim's relatives," said Sardar.

Most such killings occurred in the Northwestern province, which borders Afghanistan. Afghanistan is ruled by the orthodox Taliban, who bar women from work and education and force them to wear veils.

Several Islamic groups, es­
pecially in Pakistan's tribal region, advocate a Taliban-like system.

"Giving lip service to women's causes is not enough. The issue is whether the government wants to take practical steps," said Fozia Sadia Khan, a human rights activist.

Earlier this year, the military withdrew a plan to try to curb abuses of the controversial blasphemy law, which carries the death penalty for insulting Islam or its prophet, Mohammed. Since then, aid workers say religious groups have been emboldened and stepped up threats against people working for women and minorities' rights.

"Giving lip service to women's causes is not enough," Khan said. "The issue is whether the government wants to take practical steps to protect women's rights,

end gender discrimination and increase female literacy, but hilling them against them and promote female literacy, but hitting these targets remains an uphill task in this poor South Asian nation.

A new national commission has started work this week to end gender discrimination and protect women's rights. Shaeen Sardar, the commis­sion's chief, said from the northern border city of Peshawar, the capital of Pakistan's conservative Northwestern Frontier Province. "Recovering lives that are par­
ticularly harsh toward women and implementing reform will require a lot of hard work and political will, she said in an interview on Sunday.

However, the new govern­
ment has been empowered by Pakistan's Supreme Court to amend the constitution and enforce new laws — without having to secure the approval of a parliament. The parlia­
ment has been suspended since last October, when the m ilitary seized power in a bloodless coup. The commis­sion's agenda is to curb so-called honor killings of women by their relatives. In a country where centuries-old tribal and feudal traditions hold sway — especially in rural areas — this will not be simple.

"It's a most dishonorable act. It's a murder and nobody would be allowed to get away with it," said Sardar, who taught law at Peshawar University before joining the mili­tary govern­
ment.

"Unlike the past govern­
ments, we will take a firm stand against the honor killings," he said.

More than 1,000 women were killed in Pakistan last year, either for marrying men against the will of their fami­
lies or for flimsy reasons like talking to a man other than a relative, human rights groups say. "These killings are based on a cultural notion that the family has the right to punish the victim's relatives," said Sardar.

Most such killings occurred in the Northwestern province, which borders Afghanistan. Afghanistan is ruled by the orthodox Taliban, who bar women from work and education and force them to wear veils.

Several Islamic groups, es­
pecially in Pakistan's tribal region, advocate a Taliban-like system.

"Giving lip service to women's causes is not enough. The issue is whether the government wants to take practical steps," said Fozia Sadia Khan, a human rights activist.

Earlier this year, the military withdrew a plan to try to curb abuses of the controversial blasphemy law, which carries the death penalty for insulting Islam or its prophet, Mohammed. Since then, aid workers say religious groups have been emboldened and stepped up threats against people working for women and minorities' rights.

"Giving lip service to women's causes is not enough," Khan said. "The issue is whether the government wants to take practical steps to protect women's rights,
Aznar predicts long road to peace

Associated Press

MADRID

Responding to an upsurge in separatist violence, Spain’s prime minister on Monday vowed he would grant no leeway for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen.

Prime Minister Jose Maria Aznar said in an interview with The Associated Press, "We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the 21st century there can be no room for terrorism." Aznar said in an interview with The Associated Press, "We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the 21st century there can be no room for terrorism."

Aznar, a survivor of Spain’s three Basque provinces in the north. It envis­ions an inde­pendent state that would also incor­porate Basque regions in southwestern France.

Spain’s prime minister on Monday vowed he would grant no leeway for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen and predicted a long road to peace for the gunmen.

Aznar, a survivor of Spain’s three Basque provinces in the north. It envis­ions an inde­pendent state that would also incor­porate Basque regions in southwestern France.

"We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the European Union and modern democracies of this century there can be no room for terror."

Jose Maria Aznar

Spanish Prime Minister

Aznar, a survivor of Spain’s three Basque provinces in the north. It envis­ions an inde­pendent state that would also incor­porate Basque regions in southwestern France.

"We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the European Union and modern democracies of this century there can be no room for terror."

Jose Maria Aznar

Spanish Prime Minister

Aznar, a survivor of Spain’s three Basque provinces in the north. It envis­ions an inde­pendent state that would also incor­porate Basque regions in southwestern France.

"We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the European Union and modern democracies of this century there can be no room for terror."

Jose Maria Aznar

Spanish Prime Minister

Aznar, a survivor of Spain’s three Basque provinces in the north. It envis­ions an inde­pendent state that would also incor­porate Basque regions in southwestern France.

"We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the European Union and modern democracies of this century there can be no room for terror."

Jose Maria Aznar

Spanish Prime Minister

Aznar, a survivor of Spain’s three Basque provinces in the north. It envis­ions an inde­pendent state that would also incor­porate Basque regions in southwestern France.

"We’re faced with terrorism, pure and simple. And in the European Union and modern democracies of this century there can be no room for terror."

Jose Maria Aznar

Spanish Prime Minister
Lipoprotein increases risk of heart attack

Associated Press

DALLAS
Cardiac patients with high levels of a little-known form of "bad" cholesterol in their blood are 70 percent more likely to have a heart attack than those with lower concentrations, according to a study released Monday.

The obscure cholesterol particle called lipoprotein — is especially insidious because it's difficult for doctors to measure reliably and because its levels have little to do with the better-known form of "bad" cholesterol, called LDL.

The elevated Lp(a) levels also have little to do with more conventional heart disease risk factors such as smoking, high blood pressure and poor diet. It also cannot be directly linked to high cholesterol, or the kind whose levels can be altered through diet or drugs, said lead researcher Dr. John Danesh, of Oxford University.

"The message here is physicians and cardiologists should know the Lp(a) levels in patients," said Dr. Angelo Scapin, director of Lipid Clinic at the University of California.

The Oxford findings were published in Monday's edition of Circulation, a journal of the American Heart Association.

Researchers gathered data used in the study from 27 different studies tracking more than 5,200 people who had heart disease or survived a heart attack. The average age of the people involved in the study was 50.

The number of heart attacks suffered by individuals with the highest Lp(a) concentrations was compared with the number of heart attacks among those with the lowest Lp(a) readings. During a decade of follow-up, the highest group had 70 percent more heart attacks than the low-level Lp(a) study subjects.

"The message here is physicians and cardiologists should be aware and it would be useful to know the Lp(a) levels in patients," said Dr. Angelo Scapin, director of the Lipid Clinic at the University of California.

Study: Parkinson's affects heart

Associated Press

PHILADELPHIA
In a study that could help change how Parkinson's disease is diagnosed, researchers have discovered that the disease affects nerves in the heart as well as the brain.

It has been known for many years that the tremors and movement problems associated with Parkinson's result from a loss of nerve endings in part of the brain.

Researchers at the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke report in Tuesday's issue of the Annals of Internal Medicine that people with Parkinson's disease also have a decreased number of nerve endings in the heart.

That suggests that Parkinson's may effect the entire nervous system.

"This may change the viewpoints about what Parkinson's disease is," said the institute's David Goldstein, author of the study. "What these findings indicate is that Parkinson's disease is associated with a loss of nerves outside the brain and, in particular, in the heart.

Goldstein said that may help doctors determine whether a patient has Parkinson's or some other disease.

However, Dr. Fred Wooten, chairman of the department of neurology at the University of Virginia, said that while the study was intriguing, putting it into practice in diagnosis may be difficult because researchers used specialized imaging equipment to see the nerves around the heart.

"I don't see this becoming a widely used standard of diagnosis," Wooten said. "It's expensive. The equipment necessary wouldn't be widely available. I'm skeptical that it will be useful."

Wooten said few Parkinson's patients exhibit noticeable heart problems. "More often than not, there's no major problem with blood pressure control."

Wooten said: "It's rarely a problem early and then became a problem later on, but only for some patients."

The study also found that the breakdown of heart nerves was related to the disease itself, not to drugs taken to treat Parkinson's.

Some patients with Parkinson's have difficulty maintaining adequate blood pressure while standing up. The study concluded that such problems happen as a result of the nerve damage, not the drug levodopa, which is given to Parkinson's patients because of the loss of certain brain chemicals.
Father of hydrogen bomb defends University of California

Associated Press

LIVERMORE, Calif. — Physicist Edward Teller isn’t sure whether the nuclear weapons labs he helped found have a spy problem.

But the man known as the “Father of the H-Bomb” is sure that any problems aren’t going to be fixed by ousting the University of California as manager of the Los Alamos National Laboratory and Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

He’s reminded of the crisis of 1949 when scientists working on the weapons program at Los Alamos, N.M., learned that secrets of the atomic bomb had been leaked to the Soviets.

“President Truman’s reaction to this discovery was, in my opinion, precisely the right one — speed up our military role,” he says. “They’re not way,” he says. “They’re not ignorant, they are not ignorant.”

“The criticism comes to a great extent from people who have quite a limited understanding of what really goes on in the labs in a scientific way.”

Edward Teller
physicist

“Today, there is not even a whisper of speeding up our energy policies. In 1939, Teller was one of three scientists who encouraged Albert Einstein to a letter President Franklin D. Roosevelt that the power of nuclear fission — the splitting of an atom’s nucleus — could be tapped to create a devastating new weapon.

Today’s troubles in the weapons program began last year with allegations that nuclear secrets had leaked to China. Los Alamos scientist Wen Ho Lee was fired and later charged with mishandling classified information. However, Lee was not charged with espionage and he denies any wrongdoing.

Next came budget and deadline troubles for a huge laser being built to simulate thermonuclear explosions at Lawrence Livermore.

And both Los Alamos and Livermore are being investigated for possible discrimination against Asians, a concern highlighted by the prosecution of Taiwanese-born Lee. Ener/cy Secretary Bill Richardson, under pressure from members of Congress to remove UC from its management role, has ordered major changes in security. He’s scheduled to get a report on how to do that this Tuesday, although no immediate announcement was expected.

Some feel public censure has gone too far.

Leeing UC would be “a horrible thing,” says Los Alamos scientist Manoendra Dubey. “When UC manages you, you attract a certain kind of employee. You attract the brains.” That opinion is shared by Sidney Drell, a member of the presidential commission that wrote a scathing lab report titled “Science at its Best, Security at its Worst.” He thinks UC should be corrected, not expelled.

“Unfortunately, there’s been tremendous overreaction,” he said.

The curious pairing of class instruction and mass destruction goes back to the 1930s when a team of physicists led by Ernest O. Lawrence worked at the Berkeley “Bad Lab” (Radiation Laboratory).

In the early 1940s, Berkeley up-and-comer Glenn Seaborg helped discover a key to the nuclear realm — plutonium.

Soon, U.S. scientists racing to beat the Nazis to an atomic bomb had set up shop at Los Alamos.

After the war, UC wanted out of the weapons business, but the new Atomic Energy Commission asked the university to stay on, hoping to keep the program under civilian control, said Cal Tech historian Peter Westwick.

UC agreed, motivated by patriotism and possibly the fact that Lawrence had “quite a thriving operation going” at the Berkeley lab.

Today, the Ernest O. Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, in the hills above the Berkeley campus, performs unclassified research.

But an annex Lawrence helped start in the country town of Livermore, about 60 miles east of San Francisco, has grown into a premier weapons lab.

It includes the office where Teller, lab director emeritus, still works three days a week.

The Hungarian immigrant is gray and frail, unable to see a board full of equations, but his intellect is nimble; he crisply dismisses those who criticize the labs he helped build.

“The criticism comes to a great extent from people who have quite a limited understanding of what really goes on in the labs in a scientific way,” he says. “They’re not only ignorant, they are not aware of the fact that they’re ignorant.”
We invite Notre Dame students to join us

Monday, September 11, 2000
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Center for Continuing Education, Lower Level

Merrill Lynch is an equal opportunity employer.
PETIONVILLE

For Ghislaine Leveque there's going to be less light, and for her children, no school.

A 44-percent increase in gas and kerosene prices announced Friday has Haitians anticipating the damaging social and economic consequences in a country that political dictatorship and instability has kept among the poorest on Earth.

"This is the last straw. I can't make ends meet any more," said Leveque, 36, throwing up her hands in desperation.

She sells cups of rice, beans and cornmeal from open baskets on the unpaved roadside in Petionville, a Port-au-Prince suburb where broken down hovels rub up against mansions and the fancy shops sprouting up to serve the elite.

"If kids can't walk to school, they'll just bum around and turn into delinquents." Frantzy Baho bus driver

It is unlikely that Leveque's children will get to eat at any of the new fast food restaurants in the same community where they attended school last year. A medium pepperoni-and-mushroom pizza at the new Food Planet costs $6.90. But for Leveque, new school enrollment fees are too much.

Costs have gone up from $36 to $48, alongside the fees for school supplies and uniforms. Bus fare has also risen.

So on Monday, the beginning of the new school term, Leveque's children stayed home, like many others across the country who cannot afford the higher costs.

"We'll lose passengers, but that's not all. If kids can't walk to school, they'll just bum around and turn into delinquents," said bus driver Frantzy Baho, 41.

"Haiti is in a stranglehold," President Rene Preval said last month, when he announced his cash-strapped government was ending the bus subsidy.

He spoke as Haiti's major donors — the United States, Canada and France — threaten to cut aid because of alleged fraud during elections that gave Preval's predecessor and mentor, former President Jean-Bertrand Aristide, an overwhelming majority in Parliament.

Aristide is expected to win presidential elections in November. Boycotting opposition parties say a win could set the Caribbean country back on the road to dictatorship, six years after the United States sent troops to dislodge the military from power.

The price increases and end to subsidies comes as Haitians are at their most vulnerable, borrowing and scraping together money to try to buy their children the education that they believe is the only way to save them from poverty. Minimum wage has remained unchanged at $1.70 since 1991 while the gourde has slumped from 7.5 to 21 to the dollar.

Eighty percent of Haiti's 8 million people live in absolute poverty, half the work force is jobless or gets by with odd jobs and the vast majority live with constant hunger pangs. Figures are hard to come by, but the average income is estimated at $250 to $400 a year.

Working hard night after night can mean junk food, and lots of it. New BALANCE GOLZ with its 40-30-30 ratio of carbs, protein and dietary fat, is a great-tasting way to help give your body sustained energy. Plus, it has 23 essential vitamins and minerals. Why not check out Balance.com to learn more.
Differing ideas of game day hospitality

Disrespecting Texas A&M's tradition

I made the long trip to South Bend this weekend for the Notre Dame vs. Texas A&M game. Like many others, I was disappointed in the respect shown to Aggie fans by the Notre Dame fans. What I witnessed was simply inexcusable and, unfortunately, to learn that rude and disrespectful treatment of opponents' fans and visitors was one of the less-publicized but obviously must popular traditions at Notre Dame.

The A&M College of Texas was an all-male military institution until the mid-60s and it remains the largest source of officers for the United States military outside of the service academies. As students, we were constantly reminded of this tradition of service by our many campus landmarks commemorating those who had fallen. For example, there are 55 flags around us. You may laugh at our yells, think our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funny and talk all the smack you want about our songs are funn Building a sense of fellowship

Meeting Southern standards

I would just like to express a sincere thank you for the hospitality displayed by your students, faculty and staff during the Notre Dame-Texas A&M football game last Saturday. Everyone from the shuttle bus drivers to the fans in the stadium were polite and helpful. I have never been to a game where the Aggies were visitors where the home crowd acted in such a positive way towards the visiting fans and the visiting team. Throughout the game I heard compliments on A&M's players and coaches, compared to the insults I normally hear when in an opposing stadium.

I was truly blown away by how nice everyone was. The level of class exhibited by your team, fans and staff is something to be proud of. In my opinion this is the way college football is supposed to be. Two teams competing hard on the field and fans in the stands applauding their effort. I only hope that when your fans come to visit College Station next year, that we show you half of the hospitality you showed us. Good luck during the rest of the season and beat the heck out of Nebraska!

Michael TAGLIENI
Texas A&M University
class of '98
September 3, 2000

Building a sense of fellowship

Notre Dame is a community. It is a special place where virtues like faith, hope and love guide our daily lives. Since we have taken office, one of our primary goals has been to build this sense of fellowship and friendship among the students of Our Lady's University. This idea is what we campaigned on last Spring and something which we have relentlessly pursued.

Unfortunately, sometimes financial considerations impede this unity. Many times, someone may feel less than a full member of the Notre Dame family when they cannot afford to take part in all that our University has to offer. From section dinners to football tickets, students have expenses that cannot always be met. As we all know, Notre Dame can be an expensive place to live. In order to foster a sense of family, we offered to the students the Rector's Fund; or, as we phrased it during the campaign, "Money for members of the Notre Dame family who don't feel fully a part of the community." It is our pleasure to announce that last Tuesday night, the Financial Management Board took the final necessary step and the Rector's Fund is now fully operational to meet the needs of the students. We hope and pray that this fund will in someway bring our community just a little closer together as we continue on our four year journey.

Brian P. O'Donoghue
Student Body President
Brooke E. Norton
Student Body Vice President
Jay M. Smith
Chief of Staff
Jim H. Focht
Office of the President
Vice Director Head
September 4, 2000

Do you have something to say? Write us!
observer.viewpoint:1@nd.edu
Wrenching Religion from Politics

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va.
On Tuesday, the Anti-Defamation League, a primarily Jewish organization set up to combat anti-Semitism, sent a letter to vice-presidential candidate Senator Joseph Lieberman and bluntly told him to stop parading his religion. The letter came in response to Lieberman’s speech in Detroit, in which he said, “As religion has taken a front seat on the campaign trail in this year’s elections, the ADL has done a necessary and commendable job to attack candidates who try to mix politics and religion. Allowing politics and religion to mix is a dangerous step toward infringing upon the separation of church and state.

There is a clear problem in telling a political candidate to keep quiet about his religious ideologies. Presidential candidates, like every other citizen protected by the Constitution, have a fundamental right to freedom of expression and religion. And the ADL is not implying that once you enter politics, you cease to become the same citizen with the same constitutional rights as the average voter. While a presidential candidate has the same rights as any other citizen, he also has the potential responsibility of representing the government, including its responsibilities and limitations. One of those limitations is making “no law respecting the establishment of a religion” as stated in the First Amendment. The purpose of this clause is quite clear—favoritism inevitably would lead to exclusion.

For example, Texas Gov. George W. Bush said in a speech at a B’nai B’nai Brith organization that “Our nation is chosen by God and commissioned by history to be a model to the world of justice and inclusion and diversity without division.” Jews and Christians and Muslims speak as one in their commitment to a kind, just, tolerant society.” If Bush were president when he gave these remarks, he would ultimately be implying that the executive leader of the government that Hindus, Buddhists, atheists and others not of the majority do not believe in a kind, just and tolerant society.

When Bush set aside a specific day as observance of “Jesus Day” in Texas, he used his political power to respect “the establishment of a religion.” While “Jesus Day” in Texas is not quite the same as Congress passing a similar law that would affect the entire country, in theory, it violates the separation of religion and government in the same manner. Lieberman stated in his speech in Detroit that one should never suppose that “morality can be maintained without religion.” He was implying that atheists are highly immoral people. The absurdity and exclusivity of these remarks are why the architects of this nation wrote the First Amendment the way they did.

The ADL also openly criticized both Vice President Al Gore and Bush earlier in March for expressing their religious conviction in the primaries. When Gore expressed on “60 Minutes” his strong faith in Christianity and Bush replied to that his favorite political philosopher was Jesus Christ, both rightfully were asked to limit their expression of religious faith.

While respecting a candidate’s right to express his religious beliefs, the ADL also has set a precedent of the limitations a candidate must endure when running for a government office. The separation of church and state form the building block of the right to freedom of religion, which cannot exist without limitations.

Politics and politicians make up the core of the debate. If we’re going to respect the separation of religion and government, we should start with respecting the separation of religion and politics.

This column first appeared in the University of Virginia newspaper, the Cavalier Daily. On September 1, 2000, and is reprinted here courtesy of U-WIRE.

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

Scott Adams
Political

“THe sound of tireless voices is the price we pay for the right to hear the music of our own opinions.”

Adlai E. Stevenson
ALBUM REVIEW

Modest Mouse returns with depth, style

The band continues to raise the indie-rock standard with its latest release, The Moon and Antarctica.

By JOE REISING

Any first time listener of The Moon and Antarctica, the latest album from indie-rockers Modest Mouse, will be blown away. For an entire hour, he or she will be transported to the timeless worlds suggested by the otherworldly photography inside the album booklet. The songs, while all unique, blend together in a new world of endless gray sun swept skies and will make just about anyone an attentive disciple of the somber wisdom of lead singer Isaac Brock. Some may even come to the conclusion that they have found the new soundtrack to their life. But repeat listenings fail to recapture the depth of the initial journey. With the exception of the more catchy and gentle acoustic melodies, the music begins to sound flat and toneless, and instead of plunging its listeners deep into metaphysical wanderings, they instead find themselves listening to drab dirges and plaintive yells from a far lonelier place than they may wish to be. However, with the seemingly endless overlay of sugary happy pop, the music industry has poured the public with of late, many may find themselves again seeking the depth and mystery present in The Moon and Antarctica.

Modest Mouse hails from the breeding ground of many alienated and lonely musicians, the Pacific Northwest. Lonelyly, they come from rural Issaquah, WA, where the band formed in 1993 composing of vocalist Isaac Brock, bassist Eric Judy and drummer Jeremiah Green. It was not until 1996 that the band produced its first full album, the 76-plus minute "Paper Thin Walls," and in 1997 they released an EP, "The Fruit That Ate Nothing to Think About." In 1997 they formed the band Projectors. At "The Stars are Fire," the next two songs on the album deal with various degrees of isolation, building up to the massive "The Stars are Projectors." At over eight minutes, the song is the longest and most transcendent track of the album. Full of swirling dynamics, the song builds in urgency and sound layers until eventually reducing to a soft finger-picked guitar. The rest of the songs on the album slowly return the listener to normality, especially the bright, happy "Papercut Sensation." The vast journey through isolation, feeling and spiritual searching that defined many of Modest Mouse’s earlier songs makes its return. The song could easily become the anthem of any well intentioned guy told to get lost.

After the subdued "Perfect Disguise,” the album picks up momentum once again, as it begins its descent into the deeper and lonelier parts of the CD with the song “Tiny Cities Made of Ashes.” Set to a pulsating bass line, and highlighted by a creepy dual voice effect, the song details a demented soul trip as Brock screams, “Does anybody know a way a body could get away/does anybody know a way?” After the Nirvana-like "A Different City,” the next two songs on the album deal with various degrees of isolation, building up to the massive "The Stars are Projectors." At over eight minutes, the song is the longest and most transcendent track of the album. Full of swirling dynamics, the song builds in urgency and sound layers until eventually reducing to a soft finger-picked guitar. The rest of the songs on the album slowly return the listener to normality, especially the bright, happy "Papercut Sensation." The vast journey through isolation, feeling and spiritual searching that defined many of Modest Mouse’s earlier songs makes its return. The song could easily become the anthem of any well intentioned guy. The final song of the album, "What People are Made Of," the band returns to the blasting noise and primal screams of its earlier work, revealing that the wisdom gained in this desolate journey still provides little comfort in a world of isolation and spiritual uncertainty.

While most other bands easily resolve such pain and confusion within the course of an album, or otherwise never delve far enough into the roots of their anger to reach such a deep psychological plane. Isaac Brock takes his listeners on a beautiful journey that struggles to grasp some of the most basic questions of human existence. Where did we come from? Why were we created? Where can we search for meaning in our lives?

Though never settling upon a final answer, the journey is a meaningful one. And with the beautifully layered sounds and haunting vocals to surround me, it is one anyone will find more and more worth repeating.

Lead singer Isaac Brock searches through human existence for answer to life’s deeper meanings in his songs.

Byline: Scene

Rating: 8

The Moon & Antarctica

Modest Mouse

Epic Records

Album Song List

1. 3rd Planet
2. Gravity Rides Everything
3. Dark Center Of The Universe
4. Perfect Disguise
5. Tiny Cities Made Of Ashes
6. A Different City
7. The Cold Part
8. Alone Down There
9. The Stars Are Projectors
10. Wild Packs Of Family Dogs
11. Paper Thin Walls
12. I Came As A Rat
13. Lives
14. Life Like Weeds
15. What People Are Made Of

What People Are Made Of

Epic Records

Rating: 8
Striving to build bridges

Multicultural office tries to reach out, unite campus

By TIM LOGAN
In Focus Editor

It was a sunny Friday afternoon. Notre Dame was shifting into the first weekend of the school year and students were talking about what to do and where to go on their first Friday night back on campus.

At Fieldhouse Mall, a crowd had gathered, as often happens on sunny Friday afternoons. A band was playing; there was free food and about 150 people were talking and laughing and eating and dancing.

What was unusual was that these 150 people were students and while student body diversity; black students, Asian students, Latino students and white students were enjoying themselves at the Office of Multicultural Student Programs and Services Welcome Back Picnic.

It is a picture rarely seen at Notre Dame.
The focus of this year’s program — based on a pilot program from last fall — will be expanding the definition of diversity beyond racial differences to encompass issues of gender, sexuality, handicaps and class.

"Although the logic of diversity is always going to touch some nerves, the goal of creating dialogue was met last year so we are continuing the program and refining it this year," said Kevin Huie, assistant director of MSPS and one of the Practicum facilitators.

The program is structured as a one-credit psychology course led by the facilitators.

Weekly meetings begin today to prepare for presentations the 40 student "diversity educators" will give to freshmen in every residence hall this October.

"We think of it as more of a program that you happen to get credit for," said Hunt Hanover, a senior and one of the diversity educators invited to participate in the program this year. "Everyone involved would be there regardless of course credit."

"My experience with diversity here at Notre Dame has been very interesting," said Charlyn Hendersen, a senior and a diversity educator. "I thought I knew everything about diversity just as a racial issue... but anyone who is different than the majority is diverse and coming here really opened my eyes to that."

Iris Outlaw, director of MSPS and a Practicum facilitator, described the need for the promotion of such discussions at Notre Dame.

"The majority of students had said, that if not for some of the classes that they took, they could have gone through the University not knowing or discussing diversity," she said.

The student diversity educators participated in a week-end retreat at the start of the school year and met for dinner last week to discuss the tasks they will undertake. The subsequent weekly meetings will allow diversity educators to prepare for presentations and lead small group discussions in groups of three to five educators with assistance from one facilitator when they enter the dorms next month.

Morgan Russell, a sophomore who participated in the program last year and a diversity educator this year said, "We want to do more small group work so the kids taking part in it don’t feel intimidated by a big group of people."

Last year’s pilot program allowed diversity educators to test six different programs. Based on student responses to those efforts, this year’s presentations were revised. One important change in the programming is the involvement of each hall staff in the discussions.

"They are supposed to have

Are we connecting?
Notre Dame’s biggest organization for minority students has a new name and a new mission, but its challenges remain the same.

Diversity workshops aim to foster discussion

By KATE NAGENGAST
News Writer

To encourage dialogue on the issue of diversity at Notre Dame, the psychology department, multicultural student programs and services (MSPS) created a Practicum in Diversity Education.

The focus of this year’s program — based on a pilot program from last fall — will be expanding the definition of diversity beyond racial differences to encompass issues of gender, sexuality, handicaps and class.

"Although the logic of diversity is always going to touch some nerves, the goal of creating dialogue was met last year so we are continuing the program and refining it this year," said Kevin Huie, assistant director of MSPS and one of the Practicum facilitators.

The program is structured as a one-credit psychology course led by the facilitators.

Weekly meetings begin today to prepare for presentations the 40 student "diversity educators" will give to freshmen in every residence hall this October.

"We think of it as more of a program that you happen to get credit for," said Hunt Hanover, a senior and one of the diversity educators invited to participate in the program this year. "Everyone involved would be there regardless of course credit."

"My experience with diversity here at Notre Dame has been very interesting," said Charlyn Hendersen, a senior and a diversity educator. "I thought I knew everything about diversity just as a racial issue... but anyone who is different than the majority is diverse and coming here really opened my eyes to that."

Iris Outlaw, director of MSPS and a Practicum facilitator, described the need for the promotion of such discussions at Notre Dame.

"The majority of students had said, that if not for some of the classes that they took, they could have gone through the University not knowing or discussing diversity," she said.

The student diversity educators participated in a weekend retreat at the start of the school year and met for dinner last week to discuss the tasks they will undertake. The subsequent weekly meetings will allow diversity educators to prepare for presentations and lead small group discussions in groups of three to five educators with assistance from one facilitator when they enter the dorms next month.

"They are supposed to have

In their words
"Some things have changed. Some things have not."
Mel Tardy
first-year advisor and 1986 Notre Dame graduate

#8 Notre Dame’s ranking in the 1993 Princeton Review’s list of “Most Homogenous Colleges.”

In their words
"You're going to hang out with people who have the same cultural background - it's easier."
Paul Ybarra
Dillon Hall multicultural commissioner
IN OUR EYES

Outside looking in

When I was a freshman, one of my professors called me a racist. Actually, she called all of us racists. We all stared at the white French woman with wonder, then at each other, searching for answers.

I, of the 12-blem student persuasion, had always been referred to as "privileged". Raised in a very tolerant, polite home, I had never been accused of being anything other than a "white". And to be labeled a racist seemed, ironically, a huge injustice.

Our professor's theory was that I was a "privileged" white student at the University of Notre Dame. I was incapable of understanding that black student's need to get as far away from school as possible. For someone who had struggled through a private school with an average high school system, I felt cheated to be simply written off as an advantaged white kid.

It's hard when you're a white, Irish Notre Dame legacy to appreciate the concept of "minority". I don't know how a black person feels walking through an 88 percent white campus, and I don't know what it's like to be the minority representative in a classroom.

But I do know insecurity. Stepping onto a college campus for the first time was intimidating enough. I can't imagine how I'd feel stepping onto a campus where I was one of only 14 percent of the population.

I'd like to know, though. But why am I so afraid to ask? Why is something so obvious so difficult to talk about?

Probably due to our troubled past, the Americans do not like to talk about race. Instead I sit on a predominantly white campus, recognizing the problem with diversity ratios, but rarely include myself in multicultural events. Why? Because, in general, Americans are sensitive, and rarely include themselves in multicultural events. Why?

I do not have black friends or Asian friends or white friends. I have friends. I've never seen anyone I associate with, professionally or personally, as a color or an ethnicity. Yet I know that at times I fall victim to what I call "the white-person's friendship guilt."

As much as they might not admit to it, generally when a discussion of race ensues, many white students automatically start naming off all their minority friends. Why? Why is the first reaction to open discussion to defend one's own personal openness-mindedness?

Because, in general, Americans are sensitive people. There is an inherent guilt within many white people, ignorant and accepting alike, that prevents them from being successful in race debates. It's the kind of guilt that hinders their discussions of hot button issues like the death penalty and affirmative action.

It stems from nowhere but the past. It's a constant, nagging reminder of the atrocities minorities have endured in the United States, and it lingers in the back of the white person's mind during any and all relevant discussions. It doesn't mean the person is racist, tolerant, liberal or conservative. It's just there — the little voice that says "you're right, but how can you argue with her?" Your history is so different than hers.

Meaningful dialogue is difficult when I don't even know the right words to use. How can I start a conversation when the fair, politically correct expressions fail me? I still see no hearing solution or close end to the "guilt." But until I do, I'll have to remain outside looking in.

IN FOCUS STAFF

Editor: Tim Logan
Photography: Tony Floyd
Research: Kate Steer
Graphics: Dana Magnuson

Students gather at the Center for Social Concerns in February to discuss interrace and breaking down the barriers and stereotypes that separate people at Notre Dame. Outlaw said her department has recognized that past efforts have not been sufficient. The recent name change of the office, from the Office of Multicultural Student Affairs to Office of Student Affairs, was a part of an attempt to alter the approach to campus diversity.

This year is the beginning of many changes aimed at involving majority students. "I think it's key that we're opening our arms and saying, 'No, it's not just for students of color, it's for everyone,'" Outlaw said. "[MSPA] is about exposing the rest of campus to some things that may seem foreign and strange at times. So it's an educational component.

Outlaw cited stereotyping of her office as a reason for the relative lack of success in reaching some students. People often misconceived the function of OMSA as being an office that served only minority students, that it was the underrepresented student's Office of Student Affairs.

Ybarra is part of this effort. He
break down barriers

Leaders are encouraging their peers to fight
and step outside the comfort zone

perceives his role as the pre­
senter of opportunity to the
unaware. "If you want to
learn about different cul­
tures, different ways of think­
ing, it's available," Ybarra
said. "I think by simply dis­
playing different cultures, it
can put into people's minds
the idea that it is welcoming
here."

Tulloffing his job isn't
enough, Ybarra said. Other
students need to become
active participants in the
multicultural atmosphere of
Notre Dame. "When you do
things with multicultural
clubs, it tends to become
your own little world," he
said. Ong has experienced
the same phenomenon. As an
officer in the Filipino
American Student Organi­
zation she has been in
situations where the point
seems to be lost. "Sometimes
you get so involved with plan­
ing that it doesn't seem like
you're reaching out," she
said. If these involved in a
global multicultural club are
generally students who come from
that particular culture, then
a chain reaction is started
that ultimately results in the
support of a stereotype.
Ybarra said that the majority
students are not the only
ones at fault in the situation.
"Self-separation is common
in a lot of us," he said.
"You're going to hang out
with people who have the
same cultural background —
it's easier."

In general, there is not
enough involvement in these
clubs on the part of the
majority student, members
said. "By being a part of these
societies, you're already look­
ing toward open-mindedness,
toward accepting other cul­
tures and understanding your
own," Ybarra said. If this
step were taken, attitudes on
campus would change drasti­
cally, he said.

Will such a move help to
dispel common misconcep­
tions about minority groups
on campus? Ybarra said that
a place like Notre Dame has
the potential to succeed in
this capacity. "I still see a lot
of homogeneity, but at a
place of learning, we can
move in a positive direction."

He also said that he un­
derstands the importance of his
work. "I don't ever want any­
one to judge me on my
appearance or culture with­
out knowing who I am." By
working to prevent such pre­
judgement, he can improve
life on campus.

Ong approaches her posi­
tion with a similar attitude.
"There's a potential for stu­
dents to get involved, but
excitement needs to be built," she
said. "Most Notre Dame
students want to learn about
other cultures, different ways of think­
ing, it's available," Ybarra
said. "I think by simply dis­
playing different cultures, it
can put into people's minds
the idea that it is welcoming
here."

Tulloffing his job isn't
enough, Ybarra said. Other
students need to become
active participants in the
multicultural atmosphere of
Notre Dame. "When you do
things with multicultural
clubs, it tends to become
your own little world," he
said. Ong has experienced
the same phenomenon. As an
officer in the Filipino
American Student Organi­
zation she has been in
situations where the point
seems to be lost. "Sometimes
you get so involved with plan­
ing that it doesn't seem like
you're reaching out," she
said. If these involved in a
global multicultural club are
generally students who come from
that particular culture, then
a chain reaction is started
that ultimately results in the
support of a stereotype.
Ybarra said that the majority
students are not the only
ones at fault in the situation.
"Self-separation is common
in a lot of us," he said.
"You're going to hang out
with people who have the
same cultural background —
it's easier."

In general, there is not
enough involvement in these
clubs on the part of the
majority student, members
said. "By being a part of these
societies, you're already look­
ing toward open-mindedness,
toward accepting other cul­
tures and understanding your
own," Ybarra said. If this
step were taken, attitudes on
campus would change drasti­
cally, he said.

Will such a move help to
dispel common misconcep­
tions about minority groups
on campus? Ybarra said that
a place like Notre Dame has
the potential to succeed in
this capacity. "I still see a lot
of homogeneity, but at a
place of learning, we can
move in a positive direction."

He also said that he un­
derstands the importance of his
work. "I don't ever want any­
one to judge me on my
appearance or culture with­
out knowing who I am." By
working to prevent such pre­
judgement, he can improve
life on campus.

Ong approaches her posi­
tion with a similar attitude.
"There's a potential for stu­
dents to get involved, but
excitement needs to be built," she
said. "Most Notre Dame
students want to learn about
other cultures, different ways of think­
ing, it's available," Ybarra
said. "I think by simply dis­
playing different cultures, it
can put into people's minds
the idea that it is welcoming
here."

Tulloffing his job isn't
enough, Ybarra said. Other
students need to become
active participants in the
multicultural atmosphere of
Notre Dame. "When you do
things with multicultural
clubs, it tends to become
your own little world," he
said. Ong has experienced
the same phenomenon. As an
officer in the Filipino
American Student Organi­
zation she has been in
situations where the point
seems to be lost. "Sometimes
you get so involved with plan­
ing that it doesn't seem like
you're reaching out," she
said. If these involved in a
global multicultural club are
generally students who come from
that particular culture, then
a chain reaction is started
that ultimately results in the
support of a stereotype.
Ybarra said that the majority
students are not the only
ones at fault in the situation.
"Self-separation is common
in a lot of us," he said.
"You're going to hang out
with people who have the
same cultural background —
it's easier."

In general, there is not
enough involvement in these
clubs on the part of the
majority student, members
said. "By being a part of these
societies, you're already look­
8
recent years, these tensions created. A 1991 protest led to a greater expectation these days that we should be more aware of things that are beyond the pigeonhole that our office gets put in by thinking that it’s only for underrepresented people,” she said.

But challenges also abound.

Notre Dame has a long history of racial tensions. It was those tensions that led to a 1978 sit-in out of which the OMSA was created. A 1991 protest led the University to take further steps to try and improve the racial climate on campus. In recent years, these tensions have manifested themselves in cheating along racial lines at Bookstore Basketball games, and in debates over a number of incidents as a result of these tensions over the years. Notre Dame has added and adjusted its efforts to encourage diversity, according to Sister Jean Lenz, assistant vice president for Student Affairs.

There have been some real difficulties over the years,” she said. “A lot of those difficulties have indicated the need for programs on such things. But another challenge is more subtle, and perhaps more difficult to deal with. That challenge is simply the attitude at a school where so many students are so similar, towards the people who are not. And, Outlaw said, it has an effect on freshmen who have come to Notre Dame from a more diverse environment.

“You have the upperclassmen — they don’t really come out and say ‘Don’t hang out with the black kids, don’t hang out with the Latinos.’ But behaviors, actions speak louder than words,” she said. “And so you get these communications, indirect communications. Then you start moving over, and changing what has been your major philosophy.”

Fighting the house changes, and encouraging people to break out of the familiar, is the task at hand for MSPS and the students who work with them.

“Relations on campus are not the best and everyone has a little fear,” said Brendan Dowdall, chair of the Student Senate’s Diversity Committee.

“It takes a little bit to get out of your comfort zone for students and talk to someone different than them.”

Nevertheless, the environment is not what it used to be, according to Mel Tardy, a first year advisor and 1966 alum. “Some things have changed,” said Tardy, who is black. “Some things have not.”

“There’s more of an expectation that people understand diversity and they’re more tolerant and more accepting,” he said. “But many minority students still feel that they stand out in class.”

The minority population has not grown much in the last 10 years, but it has changed. 1998 figures from the Office of Institutional Research show the number of Hispanic freshmen has grown in the last decade while the numbers of blacks and Asians have dropped slightly. Either way, the total percentage of minority students has hovered between 14 and 17 percent since 1988, when it rose from the single digits.

Tardy remembered his time at Notre Dame, when students would gather in the Black Cultural Arts Council office on LaFortune’s second floor to relax.

“People would go there and hang out and study and talk about stuff that happened. It was like ‘What did someone say to you today?’ But I think there was just this understanding that that was how things were,” he said.

“I think that there’s a greater expectation these days that we should be beyond tensions.”

Getting beyond these tensions, and making scenes like the one that sunny Friday afternoon at Fieldhouse Mall more common, requires students to take chances, Outlaw said. It requires students to put aside their fears, rational and irrational.

“Everyone feels like this program will solve all diversity problems on campus, but you just can’t do that in a hour and a half,” he said. “But it can create dialogue and that’s our goal.”

“The diversity educators are a diverse group of wonderful people — who bring many different perspectives,” Outlaw said. “The atmosphere in the room when we’re doing this stuff is exciting.”

Arthur Andersen invites all students at Notre Dame and St. Mary’s to learn more about our role in the new economy.

Learn about exciting career opportunities, on the leading edge of changes in today’s business world! And bring your resume!

Information Session
Tuesday, September 12, 2000 at 6:30 p.m.
Center for Continuing Education (CCE)
Dress is casual. Refreshments will be served.

Interested in an exciting career at Arthur Andersen—but can’t make the session? Email your resume to ND/SMC Recruiting Team, at ch-i-campus@recruitingplus.arthurandeersen.com. Or fax it to 312-462-4369.

www.arthurandeersen.com
Eminem album mixes talent with vulgarity

By ARIENNE THOMPSON

There seems to be a pretty simple formula to follow nowadays to ensure mammoth success in the music business and sometimes shady cap world. One should merely be homophobic, vulgar, delusional, and on drugs. The resulting album should be dailly, relatively insane, and most importantly, self-indulgent. So throw all these admirable traits into a recording studio, give your artist of choice a microphone and voila, a few months later you have Eminem's sophomore release, The Marshall Mathers LP.

"America's great white hope" was how Billboard described him after the release of his debut album, The Slim Shady LP. With its title track, "I'm Not Afraid," an ode to Eminem's own misfortunes, as well as his efforts to "kill the police" and "fight the powers that be," it was immediately clear that this was not your father's gangsta rap. In fact, the single went on to sell more copies in one week than any other rap song in history.

Eminem's debut became a huge hit, selling over 10 million copies worldwide. It was a testament to his raw talent and ability to connect with listeners on an emotional level. His music was a combination of the most wicked and passionate lyrics and instrumentation, and his delivery was electrifying. He had a way of making listeners feel like they were right there in the moment, experiencing the pain and anger he was feeling.

Eminem went on to release several more albums, each one more successful than the last. His 2000 album, The Marshall Mathers LP, was his second release, and it was no different. It debuted at the top of the charts and sold over 8 million copies in the first week. It was a critical and commercial success, and it solidified Eminem's status as one of the most influential and successful rappers of all time.

But even with his fame and fortune, Eminem remained humble and grounded. He continued to work hard and push himself creatively, and his music continued to evolve. He has been praised for his ability to tell the truth and his willingness to speak on social issues, and his fans have been grateful for his honesty and authenticity.

Eminem has also continued to give back to his community. He has started several nonprofit organizations and has donated millions of dollars to charity. He has been a vocal supporter of causes like education and healthcare, and he has used his platform to speak on issues like race, politics, and social justice.

Overall, Eminem's career has been nothing short of remarkable. From his humble beginnings in Detroit to his world-famous status today, he has proven that hard work, talent, and dedication can lead to success. And even though he has faced criticism and controversy along the way, his fans have remained loyal and supportive, and he has continued to produce music that resonates with people around the world.

Album Review

Jay-Z's album "The Black Album" is considered one of the greatest hip-hop albums of all time. It was released in 1999 and features collaborations with artists like Dr. Dre, Pharrell Williams, and Mary J. Blige. The album includes tracks like "Izzo (H-O-V-E)," "Big Poppa," and "99 Problems.

Eminem's album "The Marshall Mathers LP" is considered one of the most influential albums of the 2000s. It features hits like "Lose Yourself," "Stan," and "The Real Slim Shady." The album sold over 6 million copies in the first week and was nominated for several Grammy Awards.

Overall, both albums are considered classics and have had a significant impact on the hip-hop genre. They showcase the artists' talent and creativity and continue to inspire listeners to this day.

Rating

"The Black Album" by Jay-Z: 5/5

"The Marshall Mathers LP" by Eminem: 5/5

Overall, both albums are considered classics and have had a significant impact on the hip-hop genre. They showcase the artists' talent and creativity and continue to inspire listeners to this day.

Rating

"The Black Album" by Jay-Z: 5/5

"The Marshall Mathers LP" by Eminem: 5/5
After I missed that, I was feeling a little down and I lost a lot of momentum," Lee said through an interpreter who wasn't at the beginning of the second set.

Still, Lee thought the tale of the tiebreaker and his foot touching the net might be a good story for his grandchildren some day. "I think I would have exaggerated it a bit, and I say I was winning and I touched the net and I happened to lose," he said with a laugh.

Lee said he was impressed by Sampars' serve, his calm composure and hisvolleys, but wasn't oversized. In fact, he came away with his confidence boosted.

"At first, when I would play a ranked player, I would be more concerned with hisnumber and I would be a little afraid and I might consider myself a coward," Lee said. "But after this experience, I feel that I can play anyone on a given day. I've earned that kind of confidence."

One call made all the difference for watching women's champion Kerrie Williams in a tense tiebreaker and broke the spirit of Jelena Dokic.

The way they reacted to that call, and the shift in momentum it heralded, told much about the qualities of a champion that Williams possesses, and that the sad-eyed Dokic still must find while she deals with her father's troubles.

Williams rallied from that point — the second of three set points she saved in the first-set tiebreaker — to thrust Dokic the rest of the way. 7-6 (7), 6-4, 6-4. Dokic argued to no avail with the umpire, then walked with her head and shoulders slumped to the other side of the net.

She would get another set point by running down a poor drop shot by Williams and whacking it crosscourt for a winner, but that was the end of Dokic's threat.

With the match that was delayed because of the rain, her second set point, Williams served and clinched the second set with a loud "Yesss!" when Dokic netted the ball.

That was all Williams needed as she fired Dokic tank the second set, winning only three points on serve, spraying the court with as many unforced errors as she had the first set, and looking eager to catch the next flight back to Australia to prepare for next month.

But after I missed that, I was feeling a little down and I lost a lot of momentum," Lee said through an interpreter who wasn't at the beginning of the second set.

Still, Lee thought the tale of the tiebreaker and his foot touching the net might be a good story for his grandchildren some day. "I think I would have exaggerated it a bit, and I say I was winning and I touched the net and I happened to lose," he said with a laugh.

Lee said he was impressed by Sampars' serve, his calm composure and hisvolleys, but wasn't oversized. In fact, he came away with his confidence boosted.

"At first, when I would play a ranked player, I would be more concerned with hisnumber and I would be a little afraid and I might consider myself a coward," Lee said. "But after this experience, I feel that I can play anyone on a given day. I've earned that kind of confidence."

One call made all the difference for watching women's champion Kerrie Williams in a tense tiebreaker and broke the spirit of Jelena Dokic.

The way they reacted to that call, and the shift in momentum it heralded, told much about the qualities of a champion that Williams possesses, and that the sad-eyed Dokic still must find while she deals with her father's troubles.

Williams rallied from that point — the second of three set points she saved in the first-set tiebreaker — to thrust Dokic the rest of the way. 7-6 (7), 6-4, 6-4. Dokic argued to no avail with the umpire, then walked with her head and shoulders slumped to the other side of the net.

She would get another set point by running down a poor drop shot by Williams and whacking it crosscourt for a winner, but that was the end of Dokic's threat.

With the match that was delayed because of the rain, her second set point, Williams served and clinched the second set with a loud "Yesss!" when Dokic netted the ball.

That was all Williams needed as she fired Dokic tank the second set, winning only three points on serve, spraying the court with as many unforced errors as she had the first set, and looking eager to catch the next flight back to Australia to prepare for next month.

Pete Sampars holds a record 3.3 Grand Slam titles and is looking for another as he faces Richard Krajicek in the quarterfinal round of the U.S. Open. This year's matches included.

Shortly after the Williams-Dokic match, rain delayed play for the second straight day. When the matches resumed, Todd Martin finished off a 7-5 (6), 6-3, 6-2 victory over 10th-seeded Goran Ivanisevic. Martin won two sets and was leading in the third Sunday night before rain postponed the end of the match.

Also moving into the quarters were top-seeded Martina Hingis, who completed a match that was delayed because of Sunday's storms, beating No. 11 Sandrine Testud 6-2, 6-1. It was her 122nd consecutive victory and sixth this year against the French player, who has never defeated her. Hingis next plays Monica Seles.

**NOTICES**

SKYDIVER Training for students 35 Years. 1 Hour North of South Bend N. 2000 GREAT SKYDIVERS, INC. (219) 356-6717

**WANTED**


EARN EXTRA CASH word process new clients. Earn commissions on current case studies. Must have computer skills. Call for details. Phone provided. Call for details. 317-897-8303

**FOR RENT**

SOUTH BEND LODGING in home BB lodging for football games & ND-SMC events. Close to campus. Breakfast included. Call (219) 255-2625 or gary@fordville.com

2 BDRM APARTS for 2000-50 ALCOE LEASING for 2001-52 DAVE 291-2299

ALL SIZE HOUSES AVAILABLE AND CLOSE TO CAMPUS http://myinnterack homepage.com email Jmmracks@aol.com 332-2155


The Pretty Place, Bed and Breakfast Inn has space for 5 football fans & 21 kids. Rooms sleeps 18. Tel. 804-720-2428

NORTH SOUTH BEND, IN-HOMES AVAILABLE

**FOR SALE**

Women's Schwinn Bike 26 Like New. Rocky 631-6118

LEAST I WANT TO BUY: GOOD BOOKS. I ONLY WANT A HOUSE. I OWN THE HOME. I BUY BARGAINS. An area family needs individual to care for her daughter (3) breakfast from 3:46 p.m. starting mid-Oct. Mon-Fri. City girl, please. Contact: Chicago, Charm 2 Girls are artistic, Turner-need help. Generous play if interested, please call Karen Stonedel at 272-5013.

The Observer accepts classified every business day from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Notre Dame office, 584 South Dean Hall. Deadline for non-classifieds is 7 p.m. All classifieds must be prepaid. The charge is $3 per word per day, including all spaces. The Observer reserves the right to edit classified ad copy for content without notice.
college bookstore

PHYSICS

e campus.com

PHYS. ED

EASIER
e campus.com  SAVE UP TO 50% ON TEXTBOOKS AND STUFF WITH FREE SHIPPING.
For 25 years, the left-field foul pole at Fenway Park has reminded Boston fans of Carlton Fisk. The right-field foul pole is something along the right-field line to remember him by, too.

The Red Sox retired Fisk’s No. 27 on Monday, hanging it up in Massachusetts, I believe. It is to Fisk what growing up in New Hampshire is to me - a native New Englander among those who accomplished all those dreams. And, along the way, we fulfilled our dreams, too.

“Carlton Fisk may tell you that growing up in New Hampshire he dreamed of playing for the Red Sox. I’m here to tell you that growing up in Massachusetts, I dreamed of being Carlton Fisk,” general manager Dan Duquette said at a ceremony before Monday’s game.

“Leaving the field, Fisk shook hands with several players and gave him a big hug. Thanks to the suddenly clutch-lefty Mets, Atlanta was still clinging to a one-game lead in the East after going 14-15 in August and losing 13 of their last 20. Three straight final-at-bat losses to St. Louis over the weekend and lost to Montreal Monday at Cinncinati.

“He’s no panic in this club,” manager Bobby Cox said, understated by a 9-3 set-back Sunday to the lowly Houston Astros. “I think the day off may help us. Maybe it’ll break things up a little for us.”

Thanks to the suddenly clutch-lefty Mets, Atlanta was still clinging to a one-game lead in the East after going 14-15 in August and losing 13 of their last 20. Three straight final-at-bat losses to St. Louis over the weekend and lost to Montreal Monday at Cinncinati.

That was a total commitment to your financial well-being, today and tomorrow.

With TIAA-CREF, you can receive:
- Cash withdrawals
- Systematic or fixed-period payments
- Lifetime income payments
- A combination of these

*Guaranteed by our claims-paying ability.
• L ifetim e income payments**
• System atic or fixed-period paym ents*
• Cash withdrawals

Building your assets is one thing. Figuring out how those assets can provide you with a comfortable retirement is quite another.

At TIAA-CREF, we can help you with that. You can count on us not only while you’re saving and planning for retirement, but in retirement, too.

Just call us. We’ll show you how our flexible range of payout options can meet your retirement goals.

With TIAA-CREF, you benefit from several other companies can offer: a total commitment to your financial well-being, today and tomorrow.

*Note: Availability may depend on your employer’s retirement plan provisions. Contact your HR department or benefit specialist for details.

CREF Growth Account

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Age</th>
<th>70.6%</th>
<th>77.8%</th>
<th>80.0%</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1 YR</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>20 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>30 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>40 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>50 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>60 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>70 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>80 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>90 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>100 YRS</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

CREF Growth is one of many CREF variable annuities.

If you have questions about your TIAA-CREF retirement plan, please contact your Human Resources department for more information.

1.800.842.2776  |  www.tiaa-cref.org

For more complete information on our securities products, please call 1.800.278.2733, ext. 103, at no charge or in writing to receive our free literature. Read it carefully before you invest.

1. Due to current market volatility, our securities products’ performance today may be less than shown above. The investment results shown for CREF Growth-Annuity reflect past performance and are not indicative of future results. The performance of future years of return. These results may be more or less than their original price upon redemption.

2. TIAA-CREF individual and Institutional Services, Inc. distributes the CREF and TIAA Real estate variable annuities. Teachers Personal Solutions, Inc. distributes the Personal Advantage variable annuity, mutual funds and tuition savings agreements. TIAA-CREF Life Insurance Co., New York, NY, issue insurance and annuities. TIAA-CREF Trust Company, FSB provides trust services.

TIAA-CREF trusts are not FDIC insured, may lose value and are not bank guaranteed. © 2000 TIAA-CREF 08/03

Women's Safety

& Self-Defense

The objective of this course is to expose women to basic self-defense techniques as used in real-life crisis situations.

Classes Begin Monday, September 11
10 Sessions on Mondays & Wednesdays
6:00-7:15
Rockne Memorial RM. 219
Register in Advance at RecSports
Registration Fee is $20.00
Call 631-6100 for more info
www.nd.edu/~recsport

Major League Baseball

Boston retires Fisk’s No. 27 Red Sox jersey

Associated Press

ATLANTA Go ahead, take the division title. The Atlanta Braves insist.

No, no, no. The New York Mets don’t want it. Can’t they just leave it in Atlanta for another year?

On it goes, a so-called pennant race in which neither team will take control, flitting around in the NL East as if the thought of extending the season deep into October is downright revolting.

The Braves were off Monday, licking their wounds and trying to figure out how to escape the worst stretch of the year — four defeats in seven games, and eight of the last 11 included. Is it a season-high, four-game losing streak and three straight losses, another loss.

While Atlanta is still on pace to break things up a little for us.”

Fisk, who was a teammate for all of Fisk’s time in Boston. “Pudge always associated with the Hall of Fame with years of performance excellence.”

But a quote from Fisk posted on the scoreboard summed it up as well as anything: “It’s a human body recognized agony and frustration, people would never run marathons, have babies or play baseball.”

All of Fisk’s longevity milestones were reached after he left Boston for the White Sox in an armious contract dispute following the 1980 season.

Cox has a ready remedy. With the No. 72 he wore for 13 years, though there was no number on the back of the second half of his career during the ceremony or on the posters given to fans.

For Fisk, who grew up dreaming of playing baseball for the Boston Celtsis and inducted into the baseball Hall of Fame this summer, having his number retired next to Williams’ made the honor even more special.

“It was 1 was somebody important,” Fisk said. “I think when you play you never really realize the impact you had.”

Before leaving the field, Fisk took part in a role-reversing first pitch, throwing to his longtime batting partner, Luis Tiant. On his way out, Fisk shook hands with several players near the Mariner’s dugout including Alex Rodriguez, Mark McLemore and coach Larry Ross.

Pinella wasn’t around, but he grabbed Fisk after the ceremo ny and gave him a big hug.

that sent the ’75 Series to a seventh game.

Fisk may be known best for his heroics in one game, but he played his way into the Hall of Fame with a multitude of them. He caught 2,276 games as a catcher and in history, and hit a major league record 351 of his 376 homers as a catcher.

“The game the right way,” said Vasterzinski, who was a teammate for all of Fisk’s time in Boston. “Pudge always had the fewest victories in a full season by hitting .324 with 24 home runs, batting just .259 with eight home runs and 26 RBIs, including Alex Rodriguez, who agreed last winter to a $180 million, 10-year deal.

It’s not all about the pitching. Chipper Jones, who agreed last month to a six-year, $90 million contract extension, has been a rather ordinary player since the All-Star break. He is batting just .324 with 24 home runs and 53 RBIs down the stretch.

When you play, you never real­
Activists urge athletes to watch Nike

SYDNEY, Australia—Olympic athletes were urged Monday to visit Nike factories in Indonesia that activists contend exploit workers.

Activists renewed a campaign against the sportswear giant, releasing a report that documents claims of intimidation and harassment of union workers and women in companies contracted to make Nike shoes in Indonesia.

"Special events bring out special times from special people," said U.S. high jumper Kenny Evans. "Don't think anything special will occur in his event if the weather isn't warm. At that race, I don't think people will jump as high," he said. "People will just have to make the best out of the cold weather."

"I don't know of anyone breaking the world record when it's cold. I don't think anything explosive will happen." American long jumper Melvin Lacaza says the weather will be a factor. "If you're feeling good, the record will fall," he said. "If not, it won't."

"The ballistic athletes depend on warm weather," he said. Include the throwers in the group that prefers the warm, said Jerry Quiller, an assistant U.S. men's coach. "The distance runners have no say in their sweeps, " he said. "The distance guys will love the cool weather unless it's windy. If it's just cool, they'll be fresher after running their big legs or rounds." Despite the gloomy forecast for the sprinters and jumpers, Greigore thinks world records are possible. "It won't get you in this kind of situation and the adrenaline and pressure will be there."

"I prefer the cooler weather, not cold," he said. "No matter the weather, distance runners don't often set world records in the Olympics, because most of the races are tactical." The top performances in races between 1,500 and the 10,000 are rare. "Oftentimes thefield came at the games. Coming into this year, the highest-standing mark from the Olympics was 27.07.34 by Australian Benita Cohen in winning the 10,000 meters at the Games, and that ranked only 18th. Only three other Olympic marks ranked in the top 10 of the 10,000. There were none in the 1,500, 5,000, marathon or walks, and only one in the 3,000 steeplechase — the world record of 8:08.02 by Haile Gebrselassie in winning the 10,000 meters at the Games, and that ranked only 18th. Only three other Olympic marks ranked in the top 10 of the 10,000 meters. There were none in the 1,500, 5,000 marathon or walks, and only one in the 3,000 steeplechase — the world record of 8:08.02 by Haile Gebrselassie in winning the 10,000 meters at the Games, and that ranked only 18th.
Griffey’s return sparks Reds’ victory over Mets

Associated Press

CINCINNATI, Ohio

Ken Griffey Jr. returned to the lineup and hit his 37th homer Sunday — a rare left-handed shot off starter Pat Meares as the Cincinnati Reds beat New York 6-2, the Mets’ fourth consecutive loss.

Since catching Atlanta atop the scoreless streak, the Mets have dropped five of six, costing them a chance to open a lead while the Braves struggled. The Mets, who trail Atlanta by one game, were swept in St. Louis, losing three one-run games in the last at-bat, before heading to Cincinnati.

Mike Piazza went 2-for-3 with a solo homer, his 34th, but the rest of the Mets’ lineup managed only four hits off Elmer Dessens (7-5) and two relievers.

The Reds have gotten hot when it is no longer matters, winning nine of 12 since falling out of contention in the NL Central.

Ortiz (12-10) allowed two runs on seven hits, walking three and striking out three.

Dave Veres pitched the final 1 1/3 innings for his 25th save.

Griffey missed Sunday’s game because of a sore hip. He went 1-for-3 with a walk Monday, raising his average to a season-high .365.

The right-hander extended his scoreless streak to 17 innings, dating to the second inning Aug. 25 at Philadelphia. He hasn’t lost since July 29 at Chicago.

“I’m confident in my ability and I never lost that,” said Ortiz. “I did lose a little confidence in throwing inside early in the year and I made too many mistakes with my fastball and that killed me. Now I’m able to make my pitches up and hit batters.”

Ortiz was 4-8 when he made his only relief appearance of the season on July 14, pitching six innings against the Oakland Athletics without allowing an earned run. He hasn’t looked back since.

“He’s keeping the ball in the ballpark,” said Giants’ manager Dusty Baker. “In the first half he gave up something like 20 or 25 homers. You have to call upon positive results you’ve experienced in the past. You just stay after it and keep pushing.”

Cardinals 4, Expos 2

Pat Hentgen tossed seven shutout innings and Edgar Renteria ripped a three-run triple in the fourth inning, leading the St. Louis Cardinals to victory over the Montreal Expos.

St. Louis has won five straight games, while the Expos lost for the fifth time in six games.

Renteria (14-10) yielded seven hits, walking three and striking out three.

Dave Veres pitched the final 1 1/3 innings for his 25th save.

Griffey missed Sunday’s game because of a sore hip. He went 1-for-3 with a walk Monday, raising his average to a season-high .365.

The Giants trailed 2-1 heading to the fifth, but scored twice to take the lead for good. Griffey leaped high over the fence off Pat Meares for his 32nd homer of the season — all with two outs — to take control. Meares also homered for the Rockies, who pushed the Giants to victory in the opener of a three-game series at Dodger Stadium.

Pat Meares also homered for the Pirates, who used a pair of big innings on the way to their fourth straight win.

The Dodgers had a three-game winning streak stopped and lost for only the fourth time in their last 15 games. Anderson (5-8) limited the Dodgers to just one run and scattered 10 hits in going the distance.

He then walked and struck out three, plus went 2-for-5 with an RBI at the plate.

The Pirates scored five in the second inning — all with two outs — to take control. Meares started the two-out rally with a single.

Ortiz reached on an infield single and Jason Kendall walked to load the bases for Giles, who connected for his 32nd homer of the season.

The Rockies trailed 2-1 heading to the fifth, but scored twice to take the lead for good. Hollander benefited with a walk and strikeout for two outs. He took third on a balk by starter Jon Lieber and scored the tying run on a single by Vizquel.

Pirates 12, Dodgers 1

Jimmy Anderson threw his first complete game and Brian Giles hit a grand slam, leading the Pittsburgh Pirates to a win over the Los Angeles Dodgers in the opener of a three-game series at Dodger Stadium. Pat Meares also homered for the Pirates, who used a pair of big innings on the way to their fourth straight win.

The Dodgers had a three-game winning streak stopped and lost for only the fourth time in their last 15 games. Anderson (5-8) limited the Dodgers to just one run and scattered 10 hits in going the distance.

He then walked and struck out three, plus went 2-for-5 with an RBI at the plate.
Belichick loses second opener

Associated Press

Belichick was 0-1 last season because the Patriots beat the New York Jets, where he had served as defensive assistant head coach, 30-28, at the Meadowlands.

He hopes not to be 0-2 after meeting next again Monday night at the Meadowlands. He'll face the team he left Jan. 4, one day after being named its head coach, but Belichick isn't focusing on that bizarre departure. No matter who he's playing, getting his team ready in his obsession.

"It's a big game. It's a division game on the road and that's what's really important," he said. "They're not going to have anybody's personal record in the standings on Monday. It's going to be where the Patriots are." The game won't have the hype of past meetings when Bill Parcells, who coached the Patriots to the 1997 Super Bowl, played them as coach of the Jets the past six seasons plus during his part-time stints stepped down after last season.

Bobby Hamilton are with the Patriots said Monday. "I don't think it makes any difference whether you're a player, coach, head coach, defensive coordinator, whatever it is. It's all the same scorecard. You're either 0-1 or you're 1-0." The Patriots are 0-1-1.

He hopes not to be 0-2 when you hurt.

Belichick, a starting defensive end, "It's going to be a huge game and it's going to be a fun game to watch on TV." Smith, a cornerback picked up when the Jets released him on their final roster cut of the exhibition season, downplayed the importance of Belichick's move from New York to搞 because "That situation is done with," he said. "They're not going to have anybody's personal record in the standings on Monday. It's going to be where the Patriots are." The game won't have the hype of past meetings when Bill Parcells, who coached the Patriots to the 1997 Super Bowl, played them as coach of the Jets the past six seasons plus during his part-time stints stepped down after last season.

Bobby Hamilton are with the Patriots said Monday. "I don't think it makes any difference whether you're a player, coach, head coach, defensive coordinator, whatever it is. It's all the same scorecard. You're either 0-1 or you're 1-0." The Patriots are 0-1-1.

Sunday, the offensive line allowed six sacks, running backs gained just 25 yards, and the defense failed to stop the Bucs' in key third-down situations.

"They're going to cause anybody some problems. They certainly caused us some," Belichick said. "There are a lot of things we need to get corrected"

The Jets began the season with the 20-16 win at Green Bay, a very talented team than Tampa Bay. Still, the Patriots are the only AFC East team that has won.

Now it's their turn to play at the road, but it won't be to a strange place. They play at the Meadowlands every year against a team they've very familiar with.

Then he quit, saying he had misgivings about playing in key third-down situations.

"I don't think it makes any difference whether you're a player, coach, head coach, defensive coordinator, whatever it is. It's all the same scorecard. You're either 0-1 or you're 1-0." The Patriots are 0-1-1.

He hopes not to be 0-2 when you hurt.

Belichick, a starting defensive end, "It's going to be a huge game and it's going to be a fun game to watch on TV." Smith, a cornerback picked up when the Jets released him on their final roster cut of the exhibition season, downplayed the importance of Belichick's move from New York to搞 because "That situation is done with," he said. "They're not going to have anybody's personal record in the standings on Monday. It's going to be where the Patriots are." The game won't have the hype of past meetings when Bill Parcells, who coached the Patriots to the 1997 Super Bowl, played them as coach of the Jets the past six seasons plus during his part-time stints stepped down after last season.

Bobby Hamilton are with the Patriots said Monday. "I don't think it makes any difference whether you're a player, coach, head coach, defensive coordinator, whatever it is. It's all the same scorecard. You're either 0-1 or you're 1-0." The Patriots are 0-1-1.

Sunday, the offensive line allowed six sacks, running backs gained just 25 yards, and the defense failed to stop the Bucs' in key third-down situations.

"They're going to cause anybody some problems. They certainly caused us some," Belichick said. "There are a lot of things we need to get corrected"

The Jets began the season with the 20-16 win at Green Bay, a very talented team than Tampa Bay. Still, the Patriots are the only AFC East team that has won.

Now it's their turn to play at the road, but it won't be to a strange place. They play at the Meadowlands every year against a team they've very familiar with.
Cleveland holds onto wild card lead with win over Tampa

Associated Press

Cleveland 12, Tampa Bay 11

CLEVELAND — Kenny Lofton's record run-scoring streak came to an end Monday, but Dave Burba pitched seven scoreless innings to help the Cleveland Indians maintain their AL wild card lead with a 5-1 victory over the Tampa Bay Devil Rays.

Lofton failed to score a run for the first time in 19 games. Lofton went 1-for-5 and remained tied with Red Hafele of the 1939 New York Yankees for the major league record for scoring in 18 consecutive games.

The Indians remain two games ahead of Boston and Oakland in the AL wild card race.

Burba (13-6) allowed one run and seven hits — three to rookie Manny Alexander — and didn't hit anybody and Nomar Garciaparra snapped a 15-game RBI slump as the Boston Red Sox celebrated Carlton Fisk day by beating the Seattle Mariners.

Making his first start since sparking last Tuesday's brawl with Tampa Bay by hitting the first batter of the game, Martinez (16-4) allowed six hits and one walk in eight innings before Texas Love pitched the ninth.

The Red Sox retired Fisk's No. 27 in a.proper game, but the only one who cleared the Green Monster was Mike Cameron, who hit a solo home run in the eighth, to give the Mariners their only run.

Still, it didn't make up for Cameron's blunder in the third, when he fell while backing up to catch Jose Offerman's bases-loaded fly ball. The triple opened the gates for Boston's five-run inning and turned down the Mariners' their only run.

It's the first time Toronto has been held without a homer in four straight games this season.

Oakland starters have allowed two earned runs in their last 21 2-3 innings. Gil Heredia pitched 7 1-3 scoreless innings Saturday, and Tim Hudson allowed two earned runs in 7 2-3 innings Sunday.

Tigers, Angels 0

Hideki Nomura pitched eight shutout innings as the Detroit Tigers dropped Anaheim below .500 by beating the Angels, 5-0. Easler was 3-for-3 with two doubles and three RBIs for the Tigers, who have won four of five and remained five games behind Cleveland, which leads the AL wild-card race.

The Angels (66-60) went under .500 for the first time since they were 20-21 on May 18. They've lost five straight and are 6 1/2 games behind Cleveland.

Names (6-11), gave up five hits and struck out seven with two walks to win for the third time in his last four decisions. He hasn't pitched a shutout since September 1996 when, while pitching for Los Angeles, he threw a no-hitter at Colorado's Coors Field.

Scott Karl (0-1) lost in his second start since the Angels acquired him Aug. 22 from Colorado, allowing five runs — four earned — and nine hits in 5 2-3 innings.

The Blue Jays, who lead the majors with 221 home runs, failed to homer for the fourth straight game. It's the first time Toronto has been held without a homer in four straight games this season.

The Athletics pitched their seventh shutdown of the season holding nine batters and hitting one batter with a pitch.

Mayo allowed four earned runs on five hits in seven innings, walking two and striking out five as the Mariners lost for the 16th time in 21 games. He was matching Martinez until Alex Rodriguez reached with one out in the third when first baseman John Olerud couldn't handle a grounder.

Manny Alex bipolar and walking before Offerman hit a deep fly to center. Cameron drifted back and appeared to be ready to catch the ball when he slipped and fell on his backside, kicking up a big cloud of turf on his way down.

The runners, who had been holding, formed a traffic jam as they took off for the plate. Jadar Dan Wilson, braving himself for a collision, led the ball backer by him as he broke the plate. Lewis slid short and knocked Wilson back, but then got up and easily touched up to make it 3-0.

Carl Everett doubled to score Offerman — his 100th RB1 of the year — in the fourth. He was thrown out at the plate.

Cameron, who hit a solo homer in the seventh to give the Athletics 10-0 lead, allowed two earned runs in 7 2-3 innings Sunday.

The Athletics pitched their seventh shutdown of the season holding nine batters and hitting one batter with a pitch.

This is your opportunity to meet with 20 of the hottest vendors in town!

Representatives from t-shirt companies, travel, printing, photographers, DJ's and other companies will be in attendance marketing their services to your group.

VENDOR FAIR WILL BE HERE TOMORROW!

Wednesday, September 6

5:30 PM - 7:30 PM LaFortune Ballroom

DON'T MISS IT!

FYY!

Food Service Training will be offered at 5:00 PM in Montgomery Theater.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, VISIT: www.nd.edu/~sao/clubs/dates.htm
This Week in Campus Ministry

August 28-September 18
103 Hesburgh Library
Freshmen Retreat #30 Sign-up
Targeted Dorms: Badin, Keenan, Lewis, O'Neill, Pasquerilla East, St. Edward's, Morrissey, Walsh, and Zahm

Tuesday, September 5, 7:00 p.m.
Siegfried Hall Chapel
Confirmation-Information Session for Candidates

Tuesday, September 5, 8:00 p.m.
Siegfried Hall Chapel
Confirmation-Information Session for Sponsors

Tuesday, September 5, 8:00 p.m.
LaFortune Ballroom
“Fiesta de Bienvenida”

Wednesday, September 6, 10:00 p.m.
Basilica of the Sacred Heart
Lector Workshop

Wednesday, September 6, 10:00 p.m.
Basilica of the Sacred Heart
Interfaith Christian Night Prayer

Thursday, September 7.
Freshmen-5:00 p.m. & Upperclassmen-5:45 p.m.
LaFortune Ballroom
Pachanga '00

Sunday, September 10, 1:00 p.m.
ND Room, LaFortune Student Center
RCIA: Information Sessions for Candidates and Sponsors

Sunday, September 10, 1:30 p.m.
Keenan-Stanford Chapel
Spanish Mass
Presider: Rev. Patrick Neary, esc

Sunday, September 10, 2:30 p.m.
Basilica of the Sacred Heart
Eucharistic Minister Workshop

Sunday, September 10, 8:00 p.m.
Basilica of the Sacred Heart
Lector Workshop

Interested in Becoming Catholic?

--- RCIA Information Sessions ---

for all interested Candidates
Sunday, September 10 from 1-2 p.m.
LaFortune's Notre Dame Room

Would you like to Sponsor someone who is thinking about becoming Catholic?
Info Session for Sponsors:
Sunday, September 17 from 1-2 p.m.
LaFortune's Notre Dame Room

Candidates contact Tami Schmitz @ 1-3016
Sponsors contact Justin Dunn @ 1-3390

Prayer & Discussion

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual Students and their Friends.

Meet weekly on Wednesday Night for discussion and prayer.

Coming Soon:
Sixth Annual Retreat
November 17th-18th.

For more information, please contact:
Tami Schmitz 1-3016 Schmitz.8@nd.edu
Tom Doyle, C.S.C. 1-4112 Doyle.22@nd.edu

Mark Your Calendar

Do you want to help with Ministries at the Basilica?

Eucharistic Minister Workshop: Sunday, September 10th @ 2:30 p.m.
Lector Workshop: Wednesday, September 6th @ 10 p.m.
Sunday, September 10th @ 8 p.m.

All workshops will be held in the Basilica
For more info, call Steve Camilleri @ 631-6282
Warner throws past Broncos in Rams' 41-36 victory

Standard Press

Kurt Warner must have thought he was back in the Arena Football League. Last year's second-round Super Bowl MVP opened his second season as a starter by throwing for 441 yards and three touchdowns as St. Louis defeated Denver 41-36 in the offensive shootout.

Warner was 24-of-35 for 441 yards, with two passing touchdowns and an 86-yard run for another score. Mike Jones' 1-yard TD pass to kneesomed between them, the two passes covered perhaps 20 yards total laterally and the receivers did the rest. The Broncos were nearly as effective on offense. Despite losing running back Terrell Butts to a twisted left ankle in the second quarter, the Broncos moved the ball almost as well as the Rams although not as quickly. Plaxico Burress replaced Davis and gained 80 yards in 13 carries.

Griese, who was 19-of-28 for 307 yards, threw for two TDs and ran for a third. "Any time you come into their back yard and score some points and move the ball, you're doing fine," Shanahan said.

Both teams scored on all of their possessions in the second quarter until halftime stopped the Broncos. And each scored again in the first two series of the second half, making it six scores in seven possessions with the difference the TDs scored by the Broncos against field goals by the Rams. In all, there were scores on eight of 10 possessions by both teams.

The Rams were the first to score after the kickoff, Warner threw the ball 72 yards to the end zone. But Warner then led a 75-yard drive capped by Terrell Burton's 1-yard TD run. It was quickly 28-20.

On the second play after the kickoff, Warner threw the ball in the flat to Faulk who dodged two tacklers and took the ball 72 yards to the end zone. But Griese came right back, driving the Broncos 67 yards capped by a 7-yard TD pass to Desmond Clark.

Elam's 38-yard field goal on the first series of the third quarter cut the Rams' lead to 21-20. It was quickly 28-20. On the second play after the kickoff, Warner threw the ball in the flat to Faulk who dodged two tacklers and took the ball 72 yards to the end zone. But Griese came right back, driving the Broncos 67 yards capped by a 7-yard TD pass to Desmond Clark.

E lam's 38-yard field goal on the first series of the third quarter cut the Rams' lead to 21-20. It was quickly 28-20. On the second play after the kickoff, Warner threw the ball in the flat to Faulk who dodged two tacklers and took the ball 72 yards to the end zone. But Griese came right back, driving the Broncos 67 yards capped by a 7-yard TD pass to Desmond Clark.

E lam's 38-yard field goal on the first series of the third quarter cut the Rams' lead to 21-20. It was quickly 28-20. On the second play after the kickoff, Warner threw the ball in the flat to Faulk who dodged two tacklers and took the ball 72 yards to the end zone. But Griese came right back, driving the Broncos 67 yards capped by a 7-yard TD pass to Desmond Clark.

The Lowest Priced 800MHz Notebook in America.

Back to School, Back to Work! Start off right with this NEW WinBook SI. It's a full-featured notebook from the company that repeatedly brings you value priced notebooks. We have won over 200 Awards since 1993.

Compare our 800 MHz notebook to the competition and you'll see what a great notebook this can be for you! Use your personal Offer Code and visit our website today!
Arnaz Battle led the Irish Saturday with two touchdown passes, 10 completions for 165 yards and 50 yards rushing. Battle will watch more film, catch two big ones for me and turn them up field," Battle said. "It just goes to show the type of athletes we have."

In preparation for Nebraska, Battle will watch more film, take snaps against a Nebraska-defense, battle will call Jarious Jackson for some encouragement. And if Jackson had fallen out of bounds last year? "I would have grabbed him," Battle said.

Battle of disguising a lot of season on Saturday with a Tuesday, September 5, 2000 The Observer

The unit features middle line­
guard Keyuo Craver, a Jim Thorpe award nominee. While their game plan is obviously set on the Cornhuskers this week, the Irish also devoted time during preseason camp analyzing the Nebraska defense.

"They give you so many crazy-looking drakes with the fronts, linebackers, the blizzards," Battle said. "They do a great job of disguising a lot of things." Battle's numbers (10 of 16 passing for 165 yards and two touchdowns and 50 yards rushing) in his first college start helped disprove the "can't pass" mentality. But, in order to shed that image, Battle needs to build on the strong opening season performance.

To counterattack Nebraska's swarming, aggressive defense and help his quarterback, Dave plans to continue spreading the passing game around among the tight ends, running backs and receivers. Against the Aggies, six different receivers caught passes, including fullback Tom Lopienski and tight ends Jabari Holloway and Dan O'Leary.

"It was kind of surprising to see Lopienski go to the flat, and help his quarterback, DeBartolo. The Irish also devoted time during their game plan is obviously set on the Cornhuskers this week, but the junior from Omaha needs to build on the strong opening season performance.

The views expressed in this column are those of The Observer.
Men's Basketball

Murphy learns about more than basketball in Hawaii

By KATHLEEN O'BRIEN

power forward said. "Yet they contin­
ually want to get better. They are not satis­
fied. That sticks with me."

Dream Team III ran the gamut in its
response to the NCAA players.

While some took time out of their
schedule to pass on a few pointers to the
collegians, others looked on at their
duty to put their younger counter­
parts in their places.

"Some of them kind of saw it as a rite
of passage, to show us that they were
still the guys that had to be beaten,"
Murphy said. "There were a couple
guys, though, Ray Allen and Vin Blaker,
who went out of their way to get to
know me and help me out."

Although guys like Murphy, Duke's
Shane Ratter and Jason Williams,
Maryland's Terence Morris and Iowa
State's Jamal Tinsley, all members of the
Select team, are the elite among college
players, they came in at a dis­
advantage.

Not only did they have less experi­
cence, they lacked time playing together
to form a team and learn plays.

On the hardwood, the Select team
couldn't compete with the NBA players
yet. Off the court, the guys got to know
each other and enjoy Hawaii at the same
time.

"We went snorkeling one day,"
Murphy said. "But they gave us fish
food to attract the fish, and we ended
up throwing the fish food on each other
instead of in the water. So that attract­
de lid the fish real close, and we didn't last
long in the water.

Back on campus, Murphy values the
chance to meet his childhood heroes
in person.

"It was great. I've got pictures up on
my wall in my dorm room of those
guys," Murphy said. "It's an experience
that I'll cherish for a long, long time."

Junior forward Troy Murphy headed to Hawaii last week to play on the U.S.
Men's Select team, losing to the U.S. Olympic team 111-74.

NCAA Football

Toledo basks in glory of win over Alabama

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES

The broad smile UCLA coach Bob
Todledo displayed Monday had probably
been in place for nearly 48 hours —
ever since the Bruins completed a domi­
nating 35-24 victory over Alabama.
He said it was about to be replaced by a
mure-serious look.

"They key thing now is we put it
behind us," Toledo said.

"The impressive thing is he had 105
yards — yards after contact," Toledo
said.

When asked about Foster's heavy
work load, Toledo smiled and said:
"That was a piece of cake compared to
what he did in high school. He is physi­

cally capable of doing that. I don't par­

"When you beat somebody, you
should be ranked ahead of them.

NCAA Football

Toledo basks in glory of win over Alabama

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES

The broad smile UCLA coach Bob
Todledo displayed Monday had probably
been in place for nearly 48 hours —
ever since the Bruins completed a domi­
nating 35-24 victory over Alabama.
He said it was about to be replaced by a
mure-serious look.

"They key thing now is we put it
behind us," Toledo said.

"The impressive thing is he had 105
yards — yards after contact," Toledo
said.

When asked about Foster's heavy
work load, Toledo smiled and said:
"That was a piece of cake compared to
what he did in high school. He is physi­

cally capable of doing that. I don't par­

"When you beat somebody, you
should be ranked ahead of them.

No. 16 in this week's Associated Press
poll.

Alabama is 15th, down from No. 3.

"The poll thing really baffles me,"
Toledo admitted. "I'm pleased we
moved up in the rankings, but are you
going on last year, or are you going on
this year?"

"When you beat somebody, you
should be ranked ahead of them.

While the Crimson Tide, mean­
allowed an average of 100 yards less
going on last year, or are you going o n
this year?

Toledo admitted. "I'm pleased we
moved up in the rankings, but are you
going on last year, or are you going on
this year?"

"When you beat somebody, you
should be ranked ahead of them.

No. 16 in this week's Associated Press
poll.

Alabama is 15th, down from No. 3.

"The poll thing really baffles me,"
Toledo admitted. "I'm pleased we
moved up in the rankings, but are you
going on last year, or are you going on
this year?"

"When you beat somebody, you
should be ranked ahead of them.

No. 16 in this week's Associated Press
poll.

Alabama is 15th, down from No. 3.
Soccer
continued from page 32

We’re really excited about

everything in our plan. We

didn’t mince meat when the
guys came in off the bench.

We’re really excited about

the offense put the Irish ahead
early as Senior Reggie
McKnight was foiled in the
penalty box. As McKnight

scored unassisted with 10:06.

The Irish added an insur­
ance goal late in the game as

McKnight did all the hard

work."  said Howard.

McKnight was fouled in the

penalty box. As McKnight

dribbled the ball into the box,

tackled him from the side.

Classmate Griffin Howard put

the penalty kick past the goal­
keeper for the first Irish tally

of the day.

The goal was a career first

for Howard, who had just

seven games played coming

into the season. Howard cred­
its McKnight for the opportu­

nity. "It was a penalty kick," said

Howard. "Reggie McKnight did

all the hard work.

The Irish added an insur­
ance goal late in the game as

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,

helped Notre Dame win three
matches during the

Shamrock Invitational over

Michigan State will visit the

court on Friday when the

Irish

defeated Fairfield in three

games, rallied for a five­
game victory over No. 15
Brigham Young University

after being down two games
to none, and added a three­
game victory over Clemson.

Boylan performed her best

when the Brigham Young
University match was on the

line Saturday night. Boylan’s

ball control allowed the Irish
to post a .423 hitting percent­
age in the deciding game and

totaled 50 assists, 10
digs, three kills and three

blocks in the match. Her

spectacular play throughout

the season joined the

big East Player of the Year,
WOMEN'S SOCCER

Muth leads Belles in rough victory over Scots

By SARAH RYKOWSKI
Sports Writer

Heather Muth spent a lot of time on the ground Monday, as the Belles soccer team slugged their way through a 2-0 victory against the Alma Scots.

But while her uniform was a little dirty, the victory was worth it.

"They were pretty rough," Belles co-captain Heather Muth said. "I was on the ground about every four minutes.

The victory puts the Belles at 2-1-0 on the season, in a tough-scoring week for the Belles soccer team faces DePauw and Rose-Hulman this weekend, where they hope to build on Monday's victory for Saint Mary's.

Monday. The Belles recorded a 2-0 shutout against the Scots at Monday's home opener.

Kristin Greenwood passed to Muth to put the Belles up 2-0 over the Scots.

"It was really intimidating at first," Artnak said. "But it was neat to score on a penalty kick because in high school I was never the one to take that kick."

While the Scots game back for the Belles while Schwarz finished with four.

The Belles travel first to face DePauw Sept. 9 and then to Terre Haute to compete against Rose-Hulman Sept. 10.

"Everybody got a chance to play," Milligan said of his team. "Everybody contributed to the result which I thought was wonderful."

The team credited the unusually large home crowd for inspiring them to victory.

"It's so much more fun to play for fans," Taylor said.

The Belles have played with a mix of quality players, with five shots against Alma, while Muth, Lynn Taylor, Catherine Valens, Laura Paulen, and Shawna Rivenson each attempted once for the first shutout of her career.

Just 10 minutes later, the Belles had the ball deep in Scots territory and freshman Kristin Greenwood passed to Muth, who put the Belles up 2-0 over the Scots.

"After the Bethel game we knew what we had to do for the Belles, said. "We moved the ball around well."

The Belles were outshot by the Scots 17-10.

Sophomore Lynn Taylor was one of six midfielders with shots on goal against Alma on Monday. The Belles recorded a 2-0 shutout against the Scots at Monday's home opener.

Heather Muth spent a lot of time on the ground Monday, as the Belles soccer team faces DePauw and Rose-Hulman this weekend, where they hope to build on Monday's victory.

"They came out a lot more physical in the second half," said head coach Jason Milligan. "But we started off real strong. It was a great way to start the season."

Stephanie Artnak found the net first for the Belles at the 15 minute mark, on her second career penalty kick.

The first, an indirect, went just wide of the right post. The second went deep into the corner and past Scots goalie Paula Schwarz.

"It was a different story.

"After the Bethel scrimmage, a 3-2 victory for Saint Mary's Aug. 24, saw the Belles start out slow and only pick up after the Lady Pilots had taken the lead by two.

The contest against Alma was a different story.

"We did a good job of taking advantage of our opportuni-

ties," Milligan said. "We moved the ball around well."

Artnak, a powerhouse at center midfield, led the Belles with five shots against Alma, while Muth, Lynn Taylor, Catherine Valens, Laura Paulen, and Shawna Rivenson each attempted once for the Belles, who were outshot by the Scots 17-10.

Kapphahn had eight saves for the Belles while Schwarz finished with four.

The Belles finished the game with 12 fouls to the Scots' eight.

"We did a good job of taking advantage of our opportuni-
ties," Milligan said. "We moved the ball around well."

Artnak, a powerhouse at center midfield, led the Belles with five shots against Alma, while Muth, Lynn Taylor, Catherine Valens, Laura Paulen, and Shawna Rivenson each attempted once for the Belles, who were outshot by the Scots 17-10.

Kapphahn had eight saves for the Belles while Schwarz finished with four.

"Everybody got a chance to play," Milligan said of his team. "Everybody contributed to the result which I thought was wonderful."

The team credited the unusually large home crowd for inspiring them to victory.

"It's so much more fun to play for fans," Taylor said.

The Belles travel first to face DePauw Sept. 9 and then to Terre Haute to compete against Rose-Hulman Sept. 10.

The Belles travel first to face DePauw Sept. 9 and then to Terre Haute to compete against Rose-Hulman Sept. 10.

"Everybody got a chance to play," Milligan said of his team. "Everybody contributed to the result which I thought was wonderful."

The team credited the unusually large home crowd for inspiring them to victory.

"It's so much more fun to play for fans," Taylor said.

The Belles travel first to face DePauw Sept. 9 and then to Terre Haute to compete against Rose-Hulman Sept. 10.
THE OBSERVER

Published Monday through Friday, The Observer is a vital source of information on people and events in the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's Community.

Join the more than 13,000 readers who have found The Observer an indispensable link to the two campuses. Please complete the accompanying form and mail it today to receive The Observer in your home.

Make checks payable to: The Observer
and mail to:
The Observer
P.O. Box Q
Notre Dame, IN 46556

- Enclosed is $85 for one academic year
- Enclosed is $45 for one semester

Name
Address
City
State
Zip.

The first stage is denial.

Horoscope

CELEBRITIES BORN ON THIS DAY: Jack Klugman, Corvetto Sassi, King Shoneza Etuk, Erasure, Andre Rieu. Sandy Dennis, Casey Kasem

Happy Birthday! You need to get your act together this year. Stop floundering and start doing. You need to concentrate on what it is you want to accomplish and go for it. The more you sit around twiddling your thumbs, the greater the odds that this will be the time to open your wings and take flight. Only you can stop you. It's time to be proactive today. You are probably able to better your numbers: 9, 22, 24. 36, 45.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your interest in picking up new information or skills is growing. Sign up for seminars or courses that offer a challenge. You'll quit if you get bored. OOO

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): You will have greater concerns with your future security. Check out retirement plans that offer guarantees. Stress due to worry has been wearing you down. Get busy doing things you enjoy. OOOOO

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): You will have to make a decision regarding your personal partner. The decision that you have been experiencing may be due to something you are lacking in your relationship. OOO

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Don't let your desire for love lead you into a foolish pact. One-sided romantic attachments will be emotional and could damage your reputation if you are too demonstrative about your feelings. OOO

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You'll find basking in the spotlight engaging. When others ask if you are involved in organizations. Your beliefs and attitudes will be respected by others. Move into a leadership position. You belong in the limelight. OOO

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): Don't know situations out of proportion. You could lose a good friend if you are critical and judgmental. Get off the fence and don't be too eager to please your friends at all costs. OOO

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Listen to those having more experience. Travel and educational pursuits will enrich your life better. You need to get organized. OOO

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): Money-making ventures look interesting. Take a closer look, but don't let too much time elapse. Your intuitive instincts will lead you in the most prosperous direction. OOOOO

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Don't let your partner mind games with you. Stand up for your rights and speak your mind. If he tries to put all the blame on you, be prepared to let him know what his faults are.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Get busy setting up those interviews. You need a job that offers more challenges and higher wages. Sign up for courses that will bring you more skills and abilities. You'll be desperate for intellectual situations out of proportion. Travel should be high on your list. Aquarius and Pisces often have a host of interesting information for you to incorporate into your philosophy. OOO

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): You'll find basking in the spotlight engaging. When others ask if you are involved in organizations. Your beliefs and attitudes will be respected by others. Move into a leadership position. You belong in the limelight. OOO

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Emotional setbacks will surface if you haven't resolved the underlying problems that your relationship faces. If your partner denies that there's a problem, make plans to go out with friends. OOO

Birthday Baby: You were born with the desire to live life to the fullest. You must understand that you aren't exempted from the problems that you are subject to and must learn to handle these in a healthy way. You are strong both physically and mentally and can accomplish a lot throughout life as long as you don't lose sight of the problem at hand. OOO

For more information on the above signs, please visit www.eugenialast.com, or e-mail eugens.com... (c) 1999 Universal Syndication.
Kachmark redefines athletics

Pom-poms, smiles, and cheering.
"Go blue! Go white! Team fight!
This is an image that is familiar to all of us. We've seen it at high school basketball games, college football games, and even from the infamous Dallas Cowboys' cheerleaders. But at a Saint Mary's volleyball game? Now that's news.

For years, there were members of the Saint Mary's community that didn't even know that we had sports teams. However, things in the Belles athletic facility are changing. Athletic director Lynn Kachmark has redefined the Saint Mary's athletic department and renewed the school's spirit. Leading this rebirth is the newly formed Saint Mary's cheerleading squad.

Who would have thought that the Saint Mary's student body would ever want a cheerleading squad? Athletic teams have been begging for support for years, hoping fans make it to at least one home game. Now there are women clamoring to be part of this new club that will lead the quest for Belles pride. During activities night nearly 40 first-year women expressed interest, and last night, at the first informational meeting, 50 women came to find out how they can support their classmates.

Why the recent interest in Saint Mary's sports?
It could be that Saint Mary's students are finally realizing the importance of the total student, body and mind. And with that realization they are looking to support those well-rounded individuals who take education in the classroom and on the courts.

Maybe it is an increased pride in an integral part of this college that has been left in the shadows for years. That part could only lay in the background for so long before something forced it to the forefront.

That time is now. Or maybe this newfound
time is now.

Or maybe this newfound