A long way from home

University employees tell how international sanctions kept their family apart

By KATE NAGENGAST
Associate News Editor

Joseph Araman, a captain for Notre Dame Security/Police, sat on the sofa in his home in South Bend with his 4-year-old daughter, Sarah. He was swaying.

"I'm sorry it's hot in here," Joseph said apologetically, gesturing toward the thermostat. "I get very upset when I talk about this problem."

The problem Joseph referred to began when his wife, Katerina Araman, who also works as an on-call monitor for Notre Dame Security/Police, traveled with her youngest daughter were detained in the Middle East. Joseph spent two anxious and fearful weeks at home doing paperwork demanded by the Israeli authorities.

Seeking support

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Forbidden from leaving her deceased mother's home in Bir Zeit until she obtained a Palestinian passport and an exit visa from the Israeli Ministry, Katerina was trapped. To obtain a Palestinian passport she would have to travel to Gaza, a war-torn area geographically dislocated from the West Bank and surrounded by Israeli checkpoints.

The Consular Information Sheet for Israel, West Bank and Gaza that Katerina was given upon her detention stated, "The Government of Israel requires all Palestinian Americans with current or past residency status in the West Bank or Gaza to obtain a permit to enter Israel from the West Bank or Gaza, including for departure via Ben Gurion airport in Tel Aviv. ... (They) may not be allowed to enter or exit Gaza or the West Bank."

Joseph Araman points to a photograph of Jerusalem hung in his den to show the area outside the city where he grew up. Above, Katerina Araman and her daughter Sarah returned safely from Israel March 2 after a two-week delay, because of their Palestinian origin and Israeli security procedures.

STUDENT SENATE

Members discuss TCEs in Moscona’s first meeting as VP

By ERIN LaRUFFA
News Writer

After student body vice president Brian Moscona was sworn in Wednesday night, the new Student Senate began its work for the 2001-2002 school year. Part of that work involved learning about a senate Diversiety Committee report that will be presented to the Academic Council on April 18. The report recommends removing the question about student ethnicity from Teacher Course Evaluations (TCEs), according to former Pangborn senator Kaitlyn Dudley, who chaired the Diversity Committee during the 2000-2001 senate.

"TCEs are the number one way we have of communicating with the faculty and administration how we think they're doing," said Dudley, who worked on the report with other committee members, including returning PE senator Nikki McLeod.

The committee report, according to Dudley, states that the box is not helpful to evaluating teachers and in fact is "detrimental." "You're taking your race and making it an issue. Why isn't your sexual orientation or political belief on there?" said Dudley.

The committee has explored the issue with the University's Institutional Research department, Dudley told the senate, adding, "IR
This spring break my friends and I took a road trip to sunny Florida. I had two disposable cameras, and on the way down to Florida I took pictures. Not that big of a deal, right? Well, I didn’t take just any old picture along the way. I took a picture of a bridge going across the Ohio River in Louisville. I took a picture of the skyline in Nashville, and when we went to New Orleans I made sure I had a picture of the Louisiana Superdome. My friends ridiculed me and called me a big dork. This may be so, but I don’t think it has anything to do with me taking pictures on the road trip. You see, I am a civil engineer. That means that I think things like buildings and bridges are cool. Since I was a kid these things have interested me. On my road trip I was showing a passion for what I want to do in life. And I think that is a pretty cool thing. I have found something that I enjoy, and even better it is something that I can have a career in. This reminds me of my friend Joe. Last year Joe was a computer science major. He worked really hard in his classes, but the stuff didn’t interest Joe. Who knows why Joe was a computer science major? Maybe it interested him in high school. Or maybe his parents wanted him to follow that career path. It isn’t important. The point is that by the end of the year Joe had snapped. He decided not to be a computer science major anymore. Joe decided to change his major to music. While music is a lot more interesting to Joe, obviously it isn’t going to pay as well as a computer science degree. But the point is that Joe finally decided to quit listening to everyone else and follow his passions. This holds true for myself. I enjoy civil-engineering. But if it wasn’t what I really wanted to do in life, then there is no way that I would do it. It isn’t worth it to be an engineer (or any other major) if you don’t enjoy it. I feel like there are a lot of people here that are in a major because of the wrong reasons. Maybe their parents pushed them that way. Maybe they nominated six-figure salary is very appealing. The point is that you are wasting life if you aren’t doing something you want to do. I really think it is a very easy statement for me to make. Even though civil engineering doesn’t pay as well as other majors (if all the different kinds of engineering), I still pay it very well. And so it is very easy for me to say for everyone to follow your passions. This is how I am going to make a good paycheck out of college. I just think happiness isn’t found in a corner office or a BMW. Instead it is found by doing day in and day out what you really enjoy. If you do that, then you truly will be set for a wonderful life.

Matt Orenchuk
Assistant Web Administrator

This week at Notre Dame/Saint Mary’s

**Thursday**
- Lecture: “Liberal Education: Seeing and Believing” 1:30 p.m.
  - McKenna Hall, Auditorium
- Concert: Moreau Chamber and Saint Mary’s Wind Ensemble 7:30 p.m.
  - Little Theatre, Saint Mary’s

**Friday**
- Seminar: “Prejud’s Dora Cases” 12 p.m.
  - Room 117, O’Shaughnessy Hall
- Film: “Ramboazoned”
  - 7 p.m. and 9:45 p.m.
  - Annenberg Auditorium, Suite Museum of Art

Saturday
- Events: “Do you sing, Mr. Twain?” 8 p.m.
  - Welsh, Parlor, Haggar College Center, Saint Mary’s

Outside the Dome

**HONOLULU**

**Faculty Strike likely at University of Hawaii**

UNless a deal can be hammered out between the state and the University of Hawaii Professional Assembly by midnight Wednesday night, a faculty strike will begin Thursday.

With negotiations between the state and the University of Hawaii Professional Assembly at a stalemate, a strike seems inevitable to many students and faculty members. But Alexander Malahoff, president of UHPA, remains optimistic.

“W e’ll proceed [with negotiations] right down to the last minute,” Malahoff said.

The union will meet with a federal mediator and the state for their third consecutive meeting Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. Malahoff said that the proceedings on Monday and Tuesday were “cordial,” but resolved nothing.

“We’ve examined what the situations are on both sides,” he said, “and the sides are listening to each other.”

The strike has no definite end date, and could go on as long as needed.

Malahoff said that “nobody wants a strike,” but that students and administration understand the need for one.

Malahoff said that he hopes a settlement with the state can be reached but doubts a deal will be made before April 5.

Malahoff said the state and the UHPA are still trying to find a solution.

UIH Administration has said that students are to report to classes tomorrow and wait at least 10 minutes, even in the event of a strike, unless otherwise instructed by professors. After that, said Dean Smith, senior vice president and executive vice chancellor, students may leave.

**California State University Sacramento**

Faculty still deadlocked

SACRAMENTO, Calif.

Contract proposals — which will eventually set the salaries and working conditions of faculty in the California State University system — have been completed by the California Faculty Association and the California State University. Negotiations are tentatively completed by the California Faculty Association and the California State University. Negotiations are tentatively completed by the California Faculty Association and the California State University. Negotiations are tentatively completed by the California Faculty Association and the California State University.

The contract proposal is similar to the current salary contract. The CFA proposal, according to CFA president Susan Meisenhelder, will call for sweeping changes. The CFA and CSU are in negotiations and CFA has publicly discussed a work slowdown. The CSU is making a counter proposal that will be similar to the current salary contract.

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ANN ARBOR, Mich.

University of Michigan senior Stephen Warrington was sentenced this week to pay a minimum of $500 monthly and serve five years of probation for breaking and entering and using a computer to commit a crime.

With no previous convictions or arrests, Warrington was given 10 years of probation. The judge said that the sentence was appropriate because Warrington had no prior record and had no previous convictions.

Warrington, who was convicted of felony charges that included breaking and entering and using a computer to commit a crime, will be sentenced to pay a minimum of $500 monthly and serve five years of probation for breaking and entering and using a computer to commit a crime.

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**Local Weather**

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**National Weather**

The AccuWeather forecast for noon, Thursday, April 5.

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Saint Mary's raises tuition by 6 percent

By MIKE CONNOLLY

Citing a desire to remain competitive with its peer institutions, the Board of Trustees will increase Saint Mary's tuition and fees by 6 percent for the 2001-02 school year. Next year's total cost will average $25,929.

"The increase is driven somewhat by budget considerations but the primary consideration was looking at 40 comparable colleges and we were well down on that list," said Keith Dennis, vice president for finance and administration. "The Board did not feel that was an appropriate position compared to our peer institutions considering our ranking."

Saint Mary's is ranked as the best Midwest liberal arts school according to US News & World Report. Dennis said Saint Mary's needed to increase tuition in order to maintain the high quality of faculty, small class sizes and student services that pushed Saint Mary's to the top ranking.

"If you are going to continue to deliver the quality of education we deliver now, you have to generate as much revenue as our peer institutions," said Dennis.

Although tuition is increasing, the amount of money budgeted for financial aide is also increasing, according to Mary Nucciarone, director of financial aide.

"For our returning students, we try to increase the grant in accordance with the tuition increase assuming they demonstrate the same need," said Nucciarone.

The increase in tuition is unrelated to the Master Plan, according to Dennis. All the money for construction of new buildings comes from outside sources. When the buildings are complete, however, Dennis said that tuition increases could be used to staff and maintain those new buildings.

Tuition increased 5.3 percent for the 2000-01 school year.

By CAPTAIN GEGGS

Eva Brann kicked off the Program of Liberal Studies' departmental event "Eva Brann lectures on 'Greatness of books'" Wednesday evening with her lecture "About the Great Press of Great Books."

The conference denotes the 50th anniversary of Notre Dame's PLS. Brann, speaking to an audience composed of PLS faculty, alumni and students, kept attention for close to an hour as she lectured about why the Great Books deserve the intellectual study of serious students and educators.

The Great Books are defined as a set of classical works that...
At the age of 14, Joseph had his status to re-enter Jerusalem, so his family decided to return to Jerusalem. However, this was not the last time Joseph would encounter Hussein. The following year, Joseph attended Tantur Ecumenical Institute, where he met Father Ted Hesburgh, with whom he developed a strong friendship.

"What Father Ted did specifically I'm not aware of," said Joseph. "But he really did a lot of things behind the scenes... He is a generous soul and loving person, and I'm sure he did whatever he could to help."}

Looking at both sides

The Israeli government's policies and actions in the Middle East, particularly towards Palestinians, have been widely criticized. Joseph, as an American citizen of Arab descent, has had to navigate the complexities of his identity and the challenges faced by his family.

"I remember my mom said to me, 'You better behave yourself, we have a big important priest from America coming here to have coffee,'" said Joseph. "I told her, 'I'll make sure I don't mess this up!'"

"This happened to us because of the conflict in the Middle East," said Joseph. "And I'm sorry, but what about this little boy? Doesn't he deserve a fair chance at life?"

In the face of such challenges, Joseph has found solace in his beliefs and values, and he continues to advocate for peace and understanding.
AIDS patients marijuana to determine whether the drug can effectively control their symptoms and children, Ashcroft told a group of newspaper editors that laws and government programs cannot stop the rash of school shootings across the country.

Marijuana study receives approval: The first federally approved study to give AIDS patients marijuana to determine whether the drug can effectively control their pain is under way in northern California. In November, patients will be given 15 marijuana cigarettes over a prescribed time and will be asked to keep a detailed log of their drug use. The study will involve 60 AIDS patients who have already used marijuana.

Even though the Middle East has experienced a recent increase in violence, Palestinian and Israeli leaders met Wednesday to discuss means to resolve the conflict.

**Israel and Palestine negotiate**

In their first high-level talks since Ariel Sharon took office as Israel's prime minister, Palestinians and Israelis searched Wednesday for a way to halt the latest surge in Mideast violence. But back home, the two sides traded mortar fire in the Gaza Strip. Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres and two senior Palestinian leaders, Nabil Shaath and Saeb Erekat, said the sides would renew security talks, which have repeatedly broken down during the more than six months of fighting.

"We are now trying to get out of an extremely difficult period," Peres said after a meeting with Greek Foreign Minister George Papandreou. In Israel, security officials met late Wednesday for about two hours, said Mohammed Dahan, a Palestinian security chief in Gaza. The exact location was undisclosed. A representative of the CIA took part, he said. Israeli security chiefs and military commanders were present.

Dahan said the meeting was "difficult," and no agreements were achieved. He said the Palestinians demanded that Israel remove its restrictions on the Palestinians, withdraw tanks and stop the practice of targeted killing of Palestinian activists.

It was the first high-level security meeting in months. Israel believes that security coordination is essential to stop attacks by Palestinian extremists.

Dahan said his convoy later came under fire from Israeli soldiers as it entered Gaza, and one of his bodyguards was wounded. The Israeli military said Palestinians in three cars opened fire, and Israeli soldiers shot back. The military spokesman's office said Israeli was unaware that Dahan was involved.

In Washington, U.S. State Department spokesman Richard Boucher said the U.S. helped arrange the security session. "We're quite happy to be involved in this way to help facilitate their meeting," he said.

Wednesday's political contacts -- the most active since Sharon came to power a month ago -- focused on the immediate problem of halting the bloodshed, and not on the collapsed peace talks.

**U.S. welcomes Mideast peace talks**

The United States welcomed Wednesday's talks between Israeli and Palestinian officials in Greece as a step toward quelling Mideast violence and said the two sides were prepared to move forward with the United States acting as a facilitator rather than a participant.

"We've evolved to a point where by helping facilitate this meeting, they're willing to get together," said spokesman Richard Boucher. "It's an evolution of the discussions. We're quite happy to be involved in this way to help facilitate their meeting."

Wednesday's talks in Athens between Israeli Foreign Minister Shimon Peres and two senior Palestinian leaders, Nabil Shaath and Saeb Erekat, were the first high-level gathering since Israeli Prime Minister Ariel Sharon took office a month ago.

Each side pledged to renew security talks that could halt bloodshed in the region in meetings scheduled for late Wednesday, Boucher said.

A U.S. representative planned to attend the meetings "to facilitate, to monitor and to report back on any developments" to Secretary of State Colin Powell. Boucher said.

President Bush has said the United States will not mediate as actively as it did under former President Clinton. Instead, the nation will rely on the Israelis and Palestinians to take the lead in direct talks.

Egyptian President Hosni Mubarak, addressing a group of U.S. Jewish and Arab leaders in Washington, pressed for greater U.S. involvement in the crisis.
### Senate

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**did not give us sufficient information.**

"They're looking for ways students are biased against professors," said McCord. The information is not used to evaluate specific professors.

"Faculty would object to being assumed to be biased against students," said Dudley. "Why should they assume this about us?"

The question also makes students focus on a professor's race and ethnicity right before completing TCEs, McCord told the senate.

"It's the subconscious effect," Dudley said.

**In other Senate news:**

- The Senate passed a resolution on behalf of the student body congratulating the winning women's basketball team for NCAA national championship.

**Student Senate members for 2001-2002**

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- Radh Saile-Galmarini
- Brown Phillips Anne McCurley
- Carroll Jesse Flores
- Cavanagh Lindsay Zita
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- Farley Elizabeth Linn
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Organizers look for higher turnout at sexuality focus groups

By NOREEN GILLESPIE
News Writer

Turnout has been low for a series of focus groups designed to discuss issues of sexuality on campus, according to Linda Timm, vice president for student affairs.

Approximately 375 students received invitations by mail to participate in one of 25 focus groups. Divided into groups of 15 people each, the scheduled sessions began Monday and will run through May 3.

Only four of 90 students scheduled to attend have shown up for the focus groups as of Wednesday.

“We’re hoping that is an anomaly,” Timm said. “I have received some emails back from students that said thank you for [the] invitation, and that they plan to attend.”

Students who did attend the focus groups Tuesday discussed a variety of issues, including addressing sexual assault at first-year orientation, violence against women, women’s health, the manner in which National Coming Out Day was handled on campus and “The Vagina Monologues.”

Senior Julia Maleczynski, who attended Tuesday’s focus group, said that the presence of an administrator at the focus groups may make some students uneasy to discuss their viewpoints on sexuality issues — and could deter some students from attending.

“I think it’s great [Timm] was there,” Maleczynski said. “She didn’t really talk at all, and could deter some students from attending.

“It seems like they are open,” Maleczynski said. “But [the administration] can say one thing and do another.”

Timm, who observed but did not participate in the discussion, and external facilitator Holly Farmer were pleased with the dialogue Tuesday.

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Maleczynski said she felt the administrator did want to listen to what the students had to say, but she was skeptical of what they would do with the opinions gathered.

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At the conclusion of the focus groups, Timm will compile the ideas discussed in the focus groups and bring them to a committee who will formulate programming ideas based on the themes emerging from the focus group discussions. That is not assurance, however, that should the majority of students in the groups express positive sentiments in regard to the “Monologues” that the administration would reverse its stance.

“If it’s one of the things students feel is necessary, we’ll discuss [The Monologues],” Timm said. “But I don’t want to make any predictions about anything.”

Students who have not received an invitation to participate in the focus groups may sign up for five voluntary groups in Haggard College Center. If students are unable to attend the scheduled times, Timm encourages students to contact her directly.

“We’ve only heard from one small group of students [about issues of sexuality],” Timm said. “There are a lot of students out there who have said they’re not comfortable speaking up about how they feel. This is an opportunity to reconnect with students and give those who haven’t had a chance to speak a voice.”

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Sunken Arctic Rose leaves trail of mourning families

Associated Press

ANCHORAGE, Alaska

The skipper of a sunken fishing vessel in the Bering Sea had planned to switch jobs after the voyage to spend more time with his family, his father said.

"This was going to be his last trip," David Rundall Sr. of Seattle told The Herald of Everett, Wash. "It's devastating." The body of his son, David M. Rundall, 34, of Hilo, Hawaii, the vessel's skipper, was recovered by the Coast Guard on Monday after the 92-foot ship went down about 775 miles southwest of Anchorage with 15 crew members aboard.

The younger Rundall was married and had three sons, ages 4, 12 and 14. He had been a skipper for six years and had lined up work on a tanker, a job that would have allowed more time at home, his father said. The skipper's grandfather died in 1962 after falling from an Alaska ferry.

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Among the missing crew:
- Olney, 46, loved taking his sons, ages 16 and 9, to swim or play basketball.
- Mike loved the kids first and last," his wife Adrienne Sue Olney said from their home in Kendall, Wash.
- The boat's cook, Kenneth Kivlin, 55, had been a single father since his son was 2 years old and earned a Purple Heart as a Navy corpsman in Vietnam when he was sprayed with shrapnel rescuing a wounded soldier at Fort Orchard, Wash., native once last a job by arguing with a captain who wouldn't buy enough food, his son said.

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Hope blooms each Spring

by Fr. Gary Chamberland, CSC

On Tuesday morning, the daffodils on God Quad had pushed themselves up another few inches. Hopefully, they will bloom in a few days granting us some sign of spring. By this time last year, they were already wilted; yellow heads bent and turning to brown. Though hearty, this year's daffodils already show the ravages of a late spring. Their leaves are yellow tipped and burned from the frost and snow which came after they first poked up their heads to greet the sun. Few, if any, will be perfect when they bloom. Most will bear the marks of the hardships of their lives.

Recently, I attended the wake and funeral of a four-year-old. Vincent was a bright-eyed little boy with a ready grin that lit up the pictures that surrounded his small casket. Full of energy and life, his young life was snuffed out suddenly when he fell and hit his head. At the wake, his father was noticeably gray. Rock solid and a pillar of his parish, he leaned on others for the support to make it through. Vincent's mother greeted each mourner with a hug and spoke of her little boy as a shining star and the light of her life. She asked me how she was going to go on. How does one breathe when one's breath is gone?

A week after the funeral I received e-mail with a picture of Trey on his first birthday. I wrote to Trey's mom to say I had been thinking about her a lot since Vincent's funeral and wondered how she was doing. She replied that Vincent's death was hard because it came just a week after the second anniversary of her own daughter's death. The second anniversary had been harder than the first. That was to be expected, I think, for last year was filled with the joy of Trey's arrival and the opportunity to baptize him near that one-year anniversary. Burying Kaleigh, three weeks old, and the long desired hope of her parents, was perhaps the most difficult and most powerful experience of my priesthood; baptizing her little brother a year later is perhaps my greatest joy.

This year, we at Notre Dame have known death, as well. Several members of our student body have passed on after battling with leukemia and friends and hall communities still ache with their loss. Their parents and families still struggle with the reality of their deaths and seek to find meaning in their shortened lives. When people speak of Brionne or Conor, they speak of determination and grit, of hope unfulfilled, of potential and futures unrealized. The winter is long and it is hard to see signs of spring.

The Sacred Heart statue on the God Quad is surrounded by tulips, which like the daffodils, are struggling to come to bloom. They too will show the signs of a long winter. Yet they will soon burst forth in flaming red, drawing attention to that image of Christ, arms outstretched to the world, beckoning to us. "Come to me all you nations." "Come to me," he cries. As we celebrate the passion and death of Christ in the week to come, the crimson at his feet will speak of his blood poured forth for our salvation. Each bloom will be a reminder that Christ suffered and that in his resurrection he brought his humanity back to the very heart of God. As he is in us, we are now in him. When we suffer and grieve, he knows our pain and longs to wipe away every tear from our eye. When we are in winter, he longs for us to find the spring.

The tulips and daffodils will bloom very soon. Leaves will be yellow and petals tipped with brown. Some will look and see flaws, noting only that they are damaged. I hope that I notice those marks of life, as well. But this year I am sure that I will revel in them as signs of hope. For they will be imperfectly glorious—or perhaps better—they will bear the marks of perfected glory. Having weathered the cold and snow of extended winter, they will have blossomed once again. They will be forever marked by the signs of their suffering, of potential and futures unrealized. The winter is long and it is hard to see signs of spring.

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WASHINGTON

The Bush administration offered Beijing a chorus of regrets but no apology for the collision between a U.S. spy plane and a Chinese jet fighter.

China, still detailing 24 American crew members, said it was a step in the right direction amid signs that both sides wanted a face-saving resolution.

President Bush, who issued a stern warning to Beijing a day earlier, had his advisers extend the olive branch Wednesday.

"We regret the loss of life of that Chinese pilot but now we need to move on," Secretary of State Colin Powell said. "We need to bring this to a resolution and we're using every avenue available to us to talk to the Chinese side to exchange explanations and move on."

While House press secretary Ari Fleischer echoed Powell's remarks, saying "we have expressed our concern and our regrets about that incident," but he declined China's demand for an apology.

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In China, a similar regrets-but-no-apology formulation was offered in the nation's foreign minister by the U.S. ambassador.

"The United States doesn't understand the reason for an apology," Fleischer said. "Our airplanes are operating in international airspace, and the United States did nothing wrong."

An apology would imply wrongdoing by the United States, officials said, something Bush has not been willing to concede.

A little-noticed comment, had said Tuesday that the crash was "fateful for the pilot of the Chinese plane and I regret that."

But the remarks Wednesday were the administration's most emphatic expressions of sympathy, designed to set the course for a middle ground that could lead to the crew's release and allow both sides to escape dangerous diplomatic territory, officials said.

Since the first day of the standoff, the president has steadily increased rhetorical pressure on the Chinese while leaving room for a diplomatic settlement. Bush and his foreign policy team debated whether he needed to make a personal statement similar to Powell's, but there were no plans for one as Wednesday afternoon.

Despite the signs of progress, both sides held publicly to contradictory positions—China called itself the "injured party" and blamed the United States for the crash while the White House called it an accident and Pentagon officials said the Chinese pilots buzzed the unmanned spy plane. More cautious than optimistic, Bush advisers said privately they had no idea how China would receive the administration's latest overture.

On Capitol Hill, the sister of 31-year-old detained Petty Officer Kenneth Richter said there had been "a carefully crafted apology that's going to get them back, then that should be fine," said Barbara DiStefano of Staten Island, N.Y., before tying a yellow ribbon around an elm tree outside near the Senate chamber.

"But if it's an apology with conditions, then the United States government has to decide what they're going to do." U.S. officials said the crew indicated they managed to destroy at least some of the highly sensitive electronic intelligence-gathering equipment and data on board the plane before it landed. When asked by an Army general in the presence of Chinese officials whether they had completed "the checklist"—a veiled reference to destruction procedures—the crew shouted "yes." The Wachtel administration was looking for channels to open talks with the Chinese about the incident.

Chinese Ambassador Yang Jiechi met with Powell's deputy, Richard Armitage, for the second time in two days, and left without comment.

As the two countries squared off over the fate of the crew, the husband of a U.S.-based political scientist arrested by China and charged with spying said she was a victim of souring U.S.-China relations.

6:30 PM SISTER SARA BUTLER, M.S.B.T.  
Professor of Systematic Theology, Mundelein Seminary  
"John Paul II's Teaching on Women and the Vocation to Religious Life."

Why does Pope John Paul II think of himself as a "feminist"? Sr. Butler will explain why by setting out six structural elements from the Pope's apostolic letter "On the Dignity and Vocation of Women." She will also point out some important themes from his more recent addresses. Women's ordination and women's vocations to the religious life will be examined in relation to these themes and to the questions raised in our day by Catholic feminists.

7:30 PM SUSAN CAROZZA  

"The Singular Vocation to Motherhood."

Ms. Carozza will describe how an understanding of vocation can evolve in each Christian's life, with particular reference to her own vocation as a stay-at-home mother. She will draw on the Church's teachings, the Bible, and her own experiences to explain why a woman of professional training and ambitions might choose to interrupt her career to raise a family.

8:00 PM NICOLE STELLE GARNETT  
Notre Dame Law School  
"The Dual Vocation to the Workplace and Motherhood."

In public opinion polls, an increasing number of American women claim that they value time with their families more than career advancement; and that they are willing to make professional sacrifices in order to "balance" family and work. Is "balance" the answer? Is it even achievable? This working mother shares how she has come to grips with the concept of vocation can help guide a woman's decisions concerning career and family.

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Having the readiness to sacrifice

Take charge of your taco

As human beings who support the rights of others, we have a responsibility to be moral consumers. As the recent campaign against sweatshops has shown, student awareness and protest can and should be concerned with what the money that we spend goes to support.

The recent campaign against Nike sweatshops has shown that student awareness and protest can put pressure on major corporations and cause a real change. In this spirit, the newly formed Notre Dame Student/Farmworker Alliance is calling on the Notre Dame family to help give voice to the voiceless. Migrant farmworkers provide us with our bounty of fruits and vegetables under deplorable conditions. Denied the right to a living wage, to any benefits, or to bargain collectively, they are more than double their pay of their pickers. Please join us in support.

Last week I submitted an application for my daughter, Flannery, to attend the Early Childhood Development Center (ECDI) at Notre Dame next fall. For me, this action was the additional level of meaning because I served on the original University committee that helped convince the administration that on-site child care was both desirable and doable. Flannery's birth was more than four years away at the time of my service on the committee. While I thought that at some point I would like to have children, I was not yet convinced of a sense that such child care was a good idea — something for the common good — rather than out of self-interest.

Social Catholic teaching both guided the reasoning for child care and shaped how that care should be offered. The principle of subsidiarity addresses that those who are closest to a situation or person have the primary responsibility for it or her, but that larger and more remote associations and institutions still have a role of supporting — the Latin root for subsidiarity means "to support" someone who plans to remain at Notre Dame only a short while and who played no role in the founding of the facility. The important point is that given the relative scarcity of openings, if we are serious about Catholic social teaching — the possibility that another child rather than Flannery will get in — is as it should be.

While there is a great deal of discussion of the common good and the option for the poor in Catholic social teaching, there is less — and certainly not enough — discussion of the possibility and even necessity of sacrifice. If the university is not more than those who are more well off if indeed the common good and the less well off are to be served, there are exceptions. John Paul II, in "Soli Deo fiel Sociale," states that "solidarity demands a readiness to accept the sacrifices necessary for the good of the whole community."

Paul VI goes even further and says that, "the more fortunate should renounce some of their rights so as to place their goods more generously at the service of others." When the documents back such claims theologically, they speak about the Church itself as a sacrificial-sacrifice in imitation of Christ. I have to confess that I am not quite ready for this "readiness to accept the sacrifices necessary." To be so is counter-intuitive for a parent. It is much easier to say, "I am willing to sacrifice," than, "I am willing to have my child sacrifice an instance of a basic good." It is much easier to say, "I will pay more so that both Flannery and the child of a student can attend," than "I am willing to structure admissions such that it might happen that another child rather than Flannery gets to attend."

But the latter is what the social teaching requires if we look squarely at its necessity. Sufficient participation of that part of the university must move to get from "Notre Dame family" as metaphor to Notre Dame families as lived reality. Todd David Whitmore is an associate theology professor. His column appears every other Thursday.

The views expressed in this column are those of the author and not necessarily the views of the author and not necessarily of the author and not necessarily of The Observer.
Thank you for support in our tragedy

We have always been aware that the Notre Dame "community" is made up of special people but we didn’t realize to what extent. With the recent passing of our daughter, Jenny, we have been blanketed with support and comfort from many people. These acts of kindness as well as the outpouring of help and cooperation have been a tremendous blessing to us.

The viewing and wake at the Saint Joseph Chapel of Holy Cross College was indeed a most appropriate tribute to Jenny. She truly blossomed during her short stay with us. We were truly amazed at how many fine people she knew and cared about; it doesn’t make the void disappear but it does add dimension to it.

The funeral mass at the Sacred Heart Basilica provided us with a precious and moving experience that will never be forgotten. We want to make sure that all those involved in creating this experience understand how much it meant to us and to our family. These memories will be reflected upon for our remaining years and will be relived every time that we visit her at Cedar Grove. We are so thankful that she will rest close to the activity of the campus that she had come to know and love.

Please know that we have the deepest gratitude for the memorable send-off, the uplifting mass, the final resting place and the warm reception for all Jenny’s family and friends. We were moved by all the individual efforts to make it happen.

Steve and Paula Nemeth
Depere, Wis.
March 29, 2001

In defense of free trade

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**Movie Review**

**‘Spy Kids’ brings creative genius to family flick**

By GUNDER KEHOE
Scene Movie Critic

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By JUDE SEYMOUR
Movie

Avoid raunchy ‘Tomcats’ at all costs

By JUDE SEYMOUR
Scene Movie Critic

“Tomcats” is a waste of celluloid, a waste of money and a waste of time. After 105 minutes, it led this reviewer to one conclusion: it is the worst movie he has ever seen. “Tomcats” combination of disgusting humor, atrocity acting and idiotic plots are only three reasons why no one should see this movie.

In the film, Michael Delaney (Jerry O’Connell) has to come up with $51,000 in three days after a bad run in a casino. The only way to come up with that much money quickly is to marry off his friend, Kyle (Jake Busey). Kyle and Michael are the two remaining “tomcats” ( nutshell) from a bunch amongst friends seven years ago which stipulated the last man to get married would collect a pot, which incidentally has reached a half million dollars. When Kyle mentions his chance at “true love” was with Natalie Parker (Shannon Elizabeth), Michael takes off to find Natalie and set the two up again.

The movie assembles the most stereotypical men to play this group of friends.

Their misogynistic lifestyles and haphazard attitudes concerning relationships would make them devoid of female companionship in any reality. These characters, however, are portrayed as god-like, women cannot help but line up to have sexual intercourse with them. The entire movie plays out as a warped male fantasy. That theme has been brought to screen as it was called “Road Trip.” “Road Trip,” despite all its flaws, never suggested a woman would be so empty-headed as to enjoy being run over by a golf cart as “Tomcats” does however.

The movie does not seem to mind the transparent nature, however. The transparency of the characters complements the transparent plot integrity. It was mentioned that Michael takes off to find Natalie. Since the two meet, even the most casual moviegoer can figure out what happens next.

The gross-out action sequences are the movie’s worst insult to its audience. One scene, in particular, “climaxes” with a man eating a cancerous teres as if it were a pastry. In the age of gross-out jokes, “Tomcats” has crossed the line of good taste. The audience means in horror at such a thing being displayed on screen. This review is giving more time to a movie that doesn’t need a single word printed on its behalf. Life is precious, and “Tomcats” wants to deflate 105 minutes of your existence. Read the advice given in this column, and find a better way to spend your afternoon.

**“Spy Kids”**

Director: Robert Rodriguez
Starring: Antonio Banderas, Carla Cugino

“Spy Kids”

out of five shamrocks

**“Tomcats”**

zero out of five shamrocks

**Director:** Gregory Poitier
**Starring:** Jerry O’Connell, Shannon Elizabeth, Jake Busey and Horatio Sanz

The movie is assembled on the digital effects display that shines in the same vein as “Willy Wonka’s Chocolate Factory.” When Charlie and his uncle burst through the sky in a great glass elevator, the two characters admire London from their wondrous bird’s-eye view. The effects are so dated it’s frightening, but there’s more pleasure in watching that sequence than anything in “Hollow Mans,” which was hailed for its CGI breakthroughs.

At first, “Spy Kids” might appear chintzy, but Rodriguez’s hand is felt on each of the 500 effects shots and it’s incredible to think that nearly a single man was concocting the entire chapeau in his own car­port. For those naysayers who role their eyes and ask what this action maestro (Rodriguez also directed “Desperado” and “From Duck ‘Til Down”) is doing helmin­g a kids flick, just imagine a single artist in the confines of his own garage, piecing together special effects. This image alone should prove the filmmaker’s artistic integrity and how a simple, enthusiastic vision can outweigh even the most juvenile of premises.

“Spy Kids” is laden with effects, perhaps even more so than many of the movies that cost three times as much. While the effects are anything but cutting-edge, what “Spy Kids” lacks in production value it makes even more so than many of the movies that were once considered the chore of the marketplace. “Spy Kids” has over 500 effects shots and is a tribute to how restricted budgets enhance the creative output. When money is at a minimum, filmmakers must find new and different ways to stretch their resources.

The young children of today who see this movie won’t know how lucky they are for many years to come. “Spy Kids” is not about a big studio, manufacturing some formulacum promise to wrangle money from unsuspecting children and their folks. Instead, there’s a maestro filmmaker who’s taken all the funny styles of B-rated movies and given them to a younger gen­eration.

Rodriguez was smart: he cut a nice back­end deal for himself and made an inexpen­sive family flick that’s raking in the cash. Now he can laugh all the way to the bank and then go back to his garage, and start production on another work of family art.
**Movie Feature**

**Crimes and Misdemeanors** raises tough questions

By JUDE SEYMOUR
Some Movie Critics

"The eyes of God are on us always," Judah Rosenthal's dad told him growing up. At the turn of the century, the Rosenthal family seems to be divided in terms of how they view their faith. Judah's dad is a strict follower: "If a man performs an act of evil, God will punish him for eternity," Dolores threatens Judah. When she finally breaks down, he does nothing to comfort her, but rather, "everyone knows that he's done evil." Clearly, Judah faced his problems with the other side of the Rosenthal dinner table: Jack, who is connected to the mob, feels no guilt unless he is caught. The same could be said for Lester (Alan Alda), but in a different way. As an independently wealthy and successful producer of TV shows, Lester's glad-handing of people, his serving of his libid and his determination to become richer pre-emi- nent. He does not think he will be judged for his greediness by a higher power. Only his guilt comes when Cliff (Woody Allen) compiles a documentary on all of Lester's most licentious moments, making Lester aware of how he is offenses perceived.

"Crimes and Misdemeanors," starring Martin Landau and Woody Allen, examines how people's choices in love and life establish their own moral universes.

Cliff Stern. Cliff is a struggling documentary director who has a fetish for consuming a movie almost every day of his life. He finally crosses paths with Judah Rosenthal. Judah, cognizant of Cliff's profession, pitches the last four months of his life as a movie: "the perfect murder." Cliff rejects it as being too unbelievable.

For Cliff, the movie of Judah's life would end with a confession of his bad deeds to the police. For Cliff, a confession will be good in the eyes of God. For Judah, if there is no God, there is no need for a confession. Cliff should have known better; he has seen enough movies to know that is indeed the perfect ending.

**Movie Review**

'Someone Like You' more than just a chick flick

By ADAM WELTLER
Some Movie Critics

If you think "Someone Like You" is just another chick flick, you're absolutely right. Not much differentiates this movie from the other chick-flicks that are spawned from romantic comedies that guys have dragged to the movies. While the title is a bit redundant, the film's message is not. This film has its share of well-dressed leading men, women who are hard to resist, and a plot that is filled with laughter and tears. The plot involves the gorgeous Ashley Judd as Jane Goodale, a television talk show host. Jane enters a relationship with the show's executive producer, Cliff Stern (Hugh Jackman). Jane falls head over heels in love and then is crushed when Ray calls off the relationship. To make matters worse, Jane has planned to move in with him and now needs a place to live.

Enter Eddie (Hugh Jackman from 'X-Men'). Eddie is a womanizing, self-centered type of guy who is not accustomed to love. He drops out of the picture and then reappears again. Their relationship ends when Eddie realizes that Jane is the one for him. For Cliff, the movie of his life would end with a confession of his bad deeds to the police. For Cliff, a confession will be good in the eyes of God. For Judah, if there is no God, there is no need for a confession. Cliff should have known better; he has seen enough movies to know that is indeed the perfect ending.
Braves edge Mets on Lockett's pinch-hit fielder's choice

Associated Press

ATLANTA Pinch-hitter Keith Lockhart knocked in the winning run on a fielder's choice in the ninth inning as the Atlanta Braves swept the
endez Yagel 3-2 on a flyout by New York's David Wright with a leadoff double.
Brian Jordan opened the ninth with a walk off loser Dunn. Wall left before Turk Wendell came on and faced Javy Lopez on a fly to left.
Rico Brogna, however, doubled to right, sending Jordan to third. Before Lockhart doubled home the right side of the mound. Wendell fielded the ball but his off balance throw home wasn't close as Jordan the game-winner.
The Mets tied 1-2 in the ninth off John Rocker on an RBI single by Jay Payton. Robin Ventura, who hit a two-run double off Rocker in Tuesday night's 6-4 Mets win over the Braves, led off the ninth with a single and the Atlanta leadoff hitter by drawing a walk on a 3-2 count.
Rocker plunked strike Mike Piazza, but walked Todd Zeile, also on four pitches, advancing pinch runner Joe McEwing to second. Payton then singled to left, scoring McEwing easily, but Zeile got caught between second and third. The runner was then tagged out by Chipper Jones for the second out before pinch hitter Todd Pratt popped out to end the inning.
Rocker (1-0) got the win when the Mets stranded runners in the ninth.
He gave up one hit, walked one and struck out four in one inning of work.
The Braves had gone ahead 2-0 in the fourth off Rocker. Appier, making his National League debut, on a two-run single by Jones and got six strong innings of pitching from starter Greg Maddux, who had a poor spring.
Millwood, who struggled during spring training with a 12.38 ERA, allowed only three hits, one run and three walks in six innings, striking out two in six innings.
Chicago's 2-0 lead held up until the ninth off Rocker in the ninth. The mound. W en dell field ed a bouncer to the right side of the mound to give the Braves a 2-1 lead after six.
The Mets started Brad Penny could not hold the one-run lead in the seventh as he allowed three consecutive singles, including Jimmy Rollins' pinch-hit double. Jordan, who scored on Rollins' hit, started the rally with a pinch-hit single.
Tied at 2 in the bottom of the seventh, Alex Gonzalez, Luis Castillo and Eric Owens all singled off reliever Rheel Cormier (1-0), who picked up the win. Cliff Lloyd's RBI groundout made it 3-2.
Tied at 1 in the sixth, Wilson, who hit 31 home runs last season, hit a 3-2 pitch 448 feet away over the scoreboard in left-center.
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NCAA Basketball

Orr takes over SHU helm

Associated Press

SOUTH ORANGE, N.J. Louis Orr repeatedly praised God and asked for his help as he was introduced Wednesday as Seton Hall's new basketball coach. And the former New York Knicks and Indiana Pacers probably will need plenty of assistance to turn around a program left reeling by some sudden departures. Coach Tommy Amaker bolted Thursday to become Harvard's 17th head coach, and must immediately start focusing on recruiting efforts.

"I can understand the turmoil and anguish these young men are going through, having lost a good head coach like Tommy Amaker," he said at a news conference. "Change is inevitable; it's a part of our life. But change doesn't have to be bad; it can be a good thing.

Orr said he'll seek to preserve as much of the roster as he can before focusing on recruiting efforts.

"I think I've got to recruit the players we've got rather than concentrating on new ones," Orr said. "This is my family now. When you're family, you fight to keep your family.

His efforts appeared to be paying off. Marcus Toney-El will stay and try to rebuild with Orr, and Tony-Ell said fel ow freshman Andre Barrett is thinking the same way.

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Smith signs extension with Wildcats until 2007

Associated Press

LEXINGTON, Ky. - All season long, Kentucky coach Tubby Smith said he was happy as the boss of the Wildcats without any intention of leaving anytime soon.

He backed up those words Wednesday, agreeing to a four-year contract extension that will keep him in the Bluegrass through the 2006-07 season.

"We've agreed, it's a done deal and now we just have to get it on paper," athletics director Larry Ivy said following a meeting of the school's athletics association board of directors.

"We looked at several of the top institutions in the country and I think, once our figures are released, you'll see that we're right there with those institutions.

"It's a figure that Tubby was very satisfied with and something that I feel is deserved for him as the job he's done.

Ivy declined to release exact numbers. Among others in determining the new deal were the school's athletics association board of directors.

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**FROZEN FOUR**

**BC, Michigan to battle in tourney**

Associated Press

ALBANY, N.Y. — Scott Clemmensen carries a bigger burden than the heavy pads and mask on his face. The big Boston College goalie is playing in his fourth straight Frozen Four, and has yet to skate off with a championship.

His last chance at college hockey's ultimate prize begins Thursday night when the Eagles (31-8-2) of Hockey East meet Michigan (27-12-5) of the Central Collegiate Hockey Association.

"If I were disappointing, obviously," said Clemmensen, who has 28 wins and a .912 save percentage this season. "But we don't have to think about that right now."

There's plenty to ponder in the recent past, though. Clemmensen's freshman year ended with an overtime loss to the Wolverines in the national championship game — in Boston, no less.

"All we can do is go out there and play your best. You can't do much more than that," said Clemmensen, who has allowed just seven goals in his last six games. "Hopefully, you'll get some lucky bounces, which were lacking the past couple of seasons. Hopefully, persistence will pay off this year."

The first time we fail, we just can't give up. "It's kind of like riding a bike. You're trying and giving yourself as many chances to win this thing as you can. We've played well in the past and we've played well again this year. It's only a matter of time before we break through.

The memory of that game three years ago might have just as much to do with the way this year. We just brought it together at the right time."

Defending champion North Dakota (28-7-9) of the Western Collegiate Hockey Association hopes to time it all together at the right time for the second straight year.

The Fighting Sioux, who play top-ranked Michigan State (33-4-4) in the other semifinal, are trying to become the first team to repeat as champion since Boston University accomplished the feat in 1971-72.

"That's a good situation to be in," said Jeff Panzer, who leads the Fighting Sioux in scoring with 36 goals and 55 assists. "There's been a lot of emphasis on that. We're happy to be here and have a chance to do it. Our big thing is to win the game on Thursday and play our best game of the season. If we win, we've got a chance. If not, we're all done."

The Spartans, regular-season and playoff champions of the Central Collegiate Hockey Association, have won the championship in 15 years. Coach Ron Mason knows that his win would mean a lot to his players.

"I've experienced the joy of a national title. I'd like to see this team have that opportunity," Mason said. "We've been the most consistent team this year in college hockey. It's a luxury to have the icing on the cake."

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Two half-day meetings at Notre Dame in April and May will provide background for the study at home and his roots.

"I never would have dreamed that something like this in Yunnan, China would pop open," said Tuesday after resigning at Alabama.

Aside from the last nine months in Oklahoma, he has spent his playing and coaching career in North Carolina and Tennessee. As a student at Knoxville, Tennessee, native beat Michael Jordan as the top high school player in the state.

**NCAA BASKETBALL**

Peterson replaces Green for Volunteers, receives 5 year deal

Associated Press

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. — Buzz Peterson was introduced Wednesday as the new basketball coach at Tennessee, replacing Jerry Green, who was forced out after four-win seasons.

"There are a lot of butterflies in my stomach right now, but there is a lot of excitement," Peterson told a news conference at Tennessee's basketball arena.

The former Tulsa coach and North Carolina native said he felt like he was coming home. He agreed to a five-year contract worth about $760,000 annually.

Athletic director Doug Dickey said Peterson, the son of a Tennessee graduate, is a good fit for the Volunteers, a man of "personal integrity," who knows the Southeastern Conference.

"He comes to Tennessee after one year at Tulsa, where he had a 26-11 record and won the NIT championship last season."

Green resigned March 20 after leading the Volunteers to four straight NCAA appearances. Tennessee officials had to wait 10 days for Tulsa to finish its season before formally talking to Peterson last week.

Peterson will be the Vols' 17th coach and fourth hired since 1985.

The main attraction for Peterson was a chance to be closer to home and his roots.

"I never would have dreamed that something like this in Tennessee would pop open," he said Tuesday after resigning at Alabama.

"I have a great love for this state."
Woods overwhelming favorite to secure second title

Associated Press

One bad swing. One gust out of Amen Corner. Just like that, Tiger Woods' chance of winning the Grand Slam began to slip away. He surrendered five shots to par in two holes, signed for 75 in the first round and never caught up in The Masters.

That was last year. It was a time when Woods was so dominant that he had won or finished second in 10 of 11 PGA Tour events when he arrived at Augusta National. And it was a time when everyone, including Woods, assumed the Grand Slam meant winning all four major championships in the same year, starting with The Masters.

The circumstances will be similar when the 65th Masters begins Thursday.

Woods is the overwhelming favorite, especially after winning his last two tournaments at Bay Hill and The Players Championship.

A Grand Slam is at stake, even if the definition is subject to debate.

Woods is the reigning champion in the U.S. Open, British Open and PGA Championship, and now has a chance to become the first player in history to hold the trophies of all four professional majors at the same time.

"If Tiger Woods wins this tournament, it will be the greatest achievement in modern-day golf," Augusta chairman Hootie Johnson proclaimed Wednesday on the final day of practice.

One other thing will never change.

No matter how talented Woods is, no matter how much control he has of his game or how much intimidation his name on a leaderboard is worth, his greatest challenge will come from the course.

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"That's one of the reasons why we love to play, that challenge of it," Woods said. "You know what you need to do, and sometimes it's just tough doing it."

It all starts to unfold Thursday at a course that has been softened by two days of light rain. Sam Snead and Byron Nelson will hit their ceremonial tee shots at 8 a.m. to kick off one of the most anticipated tournaments ever.

"When he plays at his best, I don't think there is anybody that can challenge him when he is in top form," said Darren Clarke.

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"The bigger the tournament, the more excited all of us are about playing," Woods said.

The contenders are numerous.

Defending champion Vijay Singh has finished no worse than fourth in his last six tournaments and never has been so confident about the treacherous, contoured greens.

"I'm not going to lay down this week," said Singh, trying to join Jack Nicklaus and Nick Faldo as the only repeat Masters champions.

Phil Mickelson has won five times over the past 14 months, twice at Woods' expense. Davis Love III had a Tiger-like comeback to win at Pebble Beach, then played in the final group Sunday in his next three tournaments.

"When you get out there and get excited about The Masters, you seem to do everything a little bit better," Love said.

The challenge might come from 46-year-old Greg Norman, who is keenly aware that Nicklaus was 46 when he won The Masters — although Nicklaus already had won five of them and the Shark will have to block out the memory of five close calls.

Still, all the attention is on Woods.

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Four-day cocaine bender lands Strawberry in court

TAMPA, Fla. — Darryl Strawberry spent the four days he was missing doing cocaine with a female friend and armed men who took his jewelry and abandoned him in a motel room, the former baseball star told his probation officer Tuesday.

In a report to the judge who will decide if Strawberry will go to prison, Florida probation officials said Strawberry tested positive for cocaine use and violated the terms of his house arrest in his four-day foray.

The report, released late Tuesday, came as Strawberry continued to be held in a psychiatric ward at St. Joseph's Hospital while doctors evaluate him.

Under arrest for violating his probation, he will be sent to the treatment center where he was discontined to be held in a psychiatric ward at St. Joseph's Hospital while doctors evaluate him.

Strawberry told his probation officer that he was picked up at the center by a woman from an Alcoholics Anonymous program named Beverly, who was supposed to take him to the meeting.

"Instead she began smoking crack cocaine and he couldn't resist the temptation," probation officer Shelley Tomlinson wrote in her report. "He said she took him to a nearby motel where there were a total of five men who had guns and took his jewelry."

Strawberry said they continued to use cocaine until Friday, when the men — who are not identified — decided it was time to leave. The men took Strawberry with them as they drove around town and bought more drugs, the report said. The men later drove to a motel in Orlando, leaving Strawberry there when they eventually left.

Joe Ficarrotta, Strawberry's attorney, was not immediately available for comment on the probation report. Earlier in the day, Ficarrotta said he was relieved that Strawberry was located.

Neither the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Office nor Strawberry's attorney knew how long Strawberry would be at St. Joseph's Hospital, where he is undergoing a mental health evaluation before being sent to jail.

"It's a tough position for the judge to be in," Ficarrotta said. "Whether he relapses one time or 10 times, it's the same thing. It's whether you fight drug addiction by putting people in prison or do the right thing and get them the medical treatment they need."

Meanwhile, Strawberry's friends rallied around the troubled man, whose latest disappearance will send him back to jail and possibly to state prison.

In addition to his legal troubles, Strawberry also is undergoing an aggressive, experimental treatment for colon cancer.

"He wants to get himself clean, he wants to go on and live a normal life like everyone else," said Mark Kennedy, who once shared an apartment with Strawberry at the Tampa drug treatment center where the former slugger was serving two years house arrest.

"If he's told me once, he's told me 50 times: 'I wish I wasn't who I am,'" Kennedy said. "He says he wishes he was a regular guy."

Strawberry disappeared from the scene of an accident stemming from a September collision caused when he was driving under the influence of painkillers.

Strawberry resurfaced Monday when two friends went to Daytona Beach to get him and check him into the hospital.

One of those associates, Ray Negron, a Cleveland Indians consultant, said he visited Strawbery Tuesday.

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outside game, that's going to be a pretty good team.” Majestics, a team that made it to the semis in 2000, is ranked fourth after losing Ryan Ryan to "Five Reasons Your Girl Left You." The 2001 Majestics squad features Corey Hartmann, Justin Reberle, Derek Gauthier, Matt Wolbeck and newcomer Sean McCarthy.

Starting with a fifth seed is "Please call us Bosephus," a team that surprised many by making it to the final 16 a year ago with an all-freshman roster. Brian Ostick, Jason Sullivan, Andy Burrelli, Pat O'Brien and Ivan Maher are all back this year, but with a year of Bookstore experience behind them. All but O'Brien live in Alumni and played interhall basketball together.

"I think that's where a lot of our chemistry comes from," Ostick said. "We're all best friends, too. The fact that we've played together so much over the past two years translates into how we play on the court."

Taking the sixth seed into the tourney are the "Nylon strokers," which features football player Courtney Watson. No. 7 "Mourning Wood" returns three players — Brett Gansen, Chris Besco and Matt Fanzer — from a squad that advanced to the top 16 a year ago. Now to the team this year is extra athleticism, with football player Armaaz Baitie and former Notre Dame basketball walk-on Tom Krizmanich joining "Mourning Wood." Gansen was also a Division III basketball prospect in high school.

"Picking up Armaaz and Tom really helped out," Gansen said. "Probably our strengths are we've got some real good shooters on the team."

The eighth-ranked team, "Free Ballers," is a group of Keenan guys Steve Berruce, Grant Glanston, D.J. Lipke, Jon Gentline and former Notre Dame basketball walk-on Tony Kearney.

Five freshmen highlight the No. 9 "Diaper Dandies," but their youth is balanced out by athleticism. Alex Illam, Carlyle Holiday and Jerome Collins all ball from the football team, and are joined by Joe Bollini and Patrick Nally.

"Basketball shape and football shape are two different things," Illam said.

Outside the top 10 are a few well-known basketball names. Senior Irish point guard Martin Ingolsby will play for No. 19 "If we only had Warren," along with Mike Kane, Mike Hogan, Trace Hendrix and Dahn Matty; while senior center Hans Rasmussen will play for No. 17 "Check Your Head."

Play begins Friday in the 2001 Bookstore Basketball tourney, which features 580 teams and will run through April 29. The Notre Dame Polish Club would like to congratulate the Lady Irish on their NCAA Championship!
Saint Mary's thrashes Albion College with singles wins

By JENNIFER BARTALINO
Sports Writer

By the end of the night Wednesday, the Belles tennis team finally let out a long-overdue sigh of relief as their conference opponents, Albion College, finally succumbed to the pressure of yet another high intensity match. "This is definitely a huge win for the Belles," said sophomore Elisa Ryan of the team's 6-3 victory. Although Albion nabbed the No. 1 and No. 2 singles spots, as well as the No. 1 doubles, the Belles held onto Nos. 3-6 singles and Nos. 2 and 3 doubles to claim the victory. The closeness and intense pressure that prevailed throughout last night's match reminded head coach Dee Stevenson of last Wednesday's victory over Valparaiso. "It all came down to our depth being the key factor," Stevenson said. Stevenson also believed that freshman Jeanne Knish's 5-7, 6-1, 6-2 win in the No. 3 singles spot and a victory in the No. 2 doubles spot, were crucial. "Those two victories really took a lot of pressure off our doubles," Stevenson said.

Knish and her doubles partner Kaitlin Cutler, also a freshman, agreed that the closeness of the match they played was just what they needed at this point in the season. "It was really an eye-opening match for us that reminds us how much we need to stay on our toes," Cutler said. The team agreed that Wednesday's match proved that every point matters. "We are strong all-around, from the top seed to the bottom," sophomore Elisa Ryan said. "There are no weak links in our team."

Before leaving to Saint Mary's, Albion College had previously been undefeated. The Belles now hold a record of 8-0.

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leading the team to a 20-10 overall record in his first year, good enough to achieve the No. 1 goal of an NCAA Tournament bid. The Irish went 11-5 in the Big East, besting .500 for the first time since they joined the league.

"There's a handful of institutions in the country — not many — that make a coach better, and this is one of them," Brey said.

The new Irish coach awarded NCAA Tournament watches to the team, noting that 61 teams (with the 64-team tournament pool expanded to 65) receive the watches. He pointed out that the other four tourney qualifiers, the ones that make it to the Final Four, earn rings.

Brey plans to stick around as the Irish work toward earning rings and make sure there won't be four coaches in four seasons.

"I guarantee I'll be standing here next spring," he said.

Doherty's departure made room for Ingelsby's return to the starting lineup. The 6-foot senior started throughout his first two seasons beneath head coach John MacLeod, before losing that spot to Jimmy Dillon when Doherty came on board.

Ingelsby, asked to give senior remarks, thanked his parents and Coach MacLeod before acknowledging a couple more distant benefactors.

"I also want to thank a couple guys who couldn't be here tonight — Roy Williams, Larry Brown, Eddie Fogler — a couple of guys who made this year so enjoyable," Ingelsby said, mentioning several candidates who were ahead of Doherty in line for the North Carolina coaching job.

Ingelsby, who won the Notre Dame Club of St. Joseph Valley Rockne-Student Award with a 3.405 GPA last semester in marketing, went on to thank Brey and his teammates and pledge a return to Notre Dame.

"Wherever I am next year, I'll be sure to be rooting for you guys," Ingelsby said. "Hopefully I'll be back here someday."

As this year's starting point guard, Ingelsby ranked among the top 10 nationally in assists, posting the best assist-to-turnover ratio in the Big East at 3.16. He averaged 8.2 points and 6.4 assists for the Irish.

Ingelsby now heads to the Port Smith camp, a camp for NBA and other professional league prospects. If playing doesn't work out, he plans to coach, with Notre Dame a goal in his future.

"One day, my goal is to get him back here on our coaching staff," Brey said, "and sooner rather than later.

Murphy won the Notre Dame National Monogram Club MVP Award after becoming the fourth player in Big East history to win multiple Player of the Year awards. He also became the only Notre Dame men's basketball player besides Adrian Dantley to be a two-time consensus All-American selection.

"I certainly believe his drive and his will drove us back to the NCAA Tournament," Brey said.

The 6-foot-11 power forward is debating whether to head to the NBA or remain in school for his senior year.

Senior reserve Hans Rasmussen was also honored.

Rasmussen came to Notre Dame on scholarship as a freshman, left Notre Dame for the University of Portland and returned to Notre Dame to complete his career.

"I want to thank Coach Brey and his staff for allowing me to finish the dream that I started," Rasmussen said.

Irish forward Ryan Humphrey goes up for a jumpshot against Xavier in this year's NCAA tournament. The basketball team handed out season-ending honors Wednesday at its awards banquet.
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left fielder Kris Billmaier.
The 1-2-3 combination of Stanley, Sollmann and Porzel provided a real catalyst for the Irish offense, batting six for 12 collectively and scoring five runs. "Tuesday I hit the ball in the air too much, and that does nothing for our team," Stanley said. "I need to put the ball on the ground so I can get on base and score for us. That is what Steve [Sollmann] and I tried to do tonight. With the top of our lineup, we have the ability to generate a lot of runs."

Notre Dame blew the game open in the seventh inning, scoring four runs off of a leadoff walk by freshman Soran Leahy and three hits by Stanley, Sollmann, and Porzel.

The Irish are anxious to begin this weekend's series against Big East rival Rutgers, who won both the regular season and tournament titles last year. "It's going to be a huge series," said an eager Stanley. "Our teams are a lot alike. They have great pitching, and we have great pitching. They have great hitters, and we have great hitters. We are expecting a tough matchup, but we are definitely ready for them."

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“Five Reasons” looks to tame concrete jungle

By KATHLEEN O'BRIEN
Senior Staff Writer

This year’s top-ranked Bookstore Basketball team not only has “Five Reasons Your Girl Left You” on its roster, it’s got five reasons you don’t want to play this squad.

“Five Reasons Your Girl Left You,” also one of the top 10 names of the 2001 tournament, brings in four guys from teams that advanced to the final eight of last year’s tournament.

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Naumann wins, Irish bounce back to smack Flyers

By CHRIS FEDERICO
Sports Writer

After the Irish dropped a tough game to Ball State Tuesday night, head coach Paul Mainieri was noticeably displeased with his team’s performance. His Irish looked out of sync most of the night, committing errors, missing signals and failing to execute on bunts and hit-and-runs.

With all of these problems, Mainieri was even more eager to get back on the field Wednesday to correct these uncharacteristic mistakes—and that is just what the Irish did. Notre Dame returned to its classic style of baseball in an impressive 8-1 victory over the Dayton Flyers, scoring runs with perfect bunts and multiple hit-and-runs while holding opponents helpless with precise pitching and solid defense.

“We executed all of the small things like the steals, bunts and hit-and-runs tonight,” Mainieri said. “We were able to get some key hits at the right times to bring some runs across the plate.”

With a stiff wind blowing in from center field, the power hitting of both teams was neutralized.

“This is the way we have to play under these conditions,” Mainieri said. “The power hitting is definitely there in our lineup, but the wind is keeping balls inside of the park. To score you just have to move runners around the bases one at a time.”

Irish pitcher Mike Naumann fared well, picking up his first win on the season and improving his career mark to 9-1. Naumann looked strong, pitching six innings and only allowing one run on five hits.

The Irish set the tone for the game in the first inning when center fielder Steve Stanley and second baseman Steve Sollmann started off with consecutive singles. After a walk by shortstop Martin Ingelsby and junior All-American Troy Murphy, "Long-term, you will see that we have the best coach in the country here at Notre Dame," athletic director Kevin White said of Brey Wednesday.

Brey joined the Irish on July 14 to replace Matt Doherty as the third men’s basketball coach in as many seasons. He is the third man to take the helm since Notre Dame won the Big East Division title, its first league championship, hanging the banner at Wednesday’s banquet.

Men’s Basketball
Banquet honors program

By KATHLEEN O’BRIEN
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"Back Where We Belong" was the theme of the annual Notre Dame Men’s Basketball Banquet Wednesday night.

Back in the NCAA Tournament for the first time in 11 years.

Back to winning a Tournament for the first time since 1989.

Back to the national rankings, as the Irish finished the season 23rd in the final USA Today/ESPN coaches’ poll.

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