New honor code packs a powerful punch

♦ Website to be used to check students' papers for plagiarism

By CAITLIN EARLY
News Writer

The University contracted the services of an online plagiarism-detection company as part of a dramatic change to Notre Dame's Honor Code Handbook. Beginning this fall, Turnitin.com enables professors and faculty members to submit a student's paper and to receive a set of "Originality Reports" within 24 hours, revealing if any Internet documents or resources are used in the student's work.

"The new Handbook reflects the most significant changes to Notre Dame's honor code since its inception in 1989," said Rev. John Jenkins, associate provost and co-chair of the University Honor Code Committee, in his letter outlining the provisions made to the Handbook. According to a survey conducted by the National Education Association, there has been a steady increase in computer-related cheating on college campuses during recent years.

"The university hopes that the availability of this service will both serve as a deterrent to students tempted to plagiarize and allow faculty to grade papers with greater assurance that the work truly is the student's own," said Professor Thomas Flint, faculty honor code officer, in his recent letter to the faculty. Other changes to Honor Code focus on the organizational structure of the Honor Committee and the increased role of student involvement. In years past, all academic departments were responsible for handling incidences of honor code violation. Under the new provisions of the Honor Code, all reports on Honor Code cases will be passed on to the Provost before a hearing can begin. This ensures a standardized procedure for each Honor Code hearing.

The Honor Code Committee, consisting of six faculty members and six students, will work with the different colleges to ensure that Honor Code policies remain consistent across the departments. In addition, the revised Handbook now requires that departmental honesty committees have a majority of student members.

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Frosh election moves to runoff

♦ Voters will choose between Winston and Bauer Thursday

By ANNELEISE WOOLFORD
News Writer

Tuesday's Saint Mary's freshman class election resulted in a run-off election between the Becky Winston/Kathleen McMorrow ticket, which earned 30.1 percent of votes, and the Anna Bauer/Liz Goers ticket, which won 23 percent. The run-off election will be Thursday.

The two tickets defeated four others in the election. The other tickets included Maureen Zimme/Jenny Besti with 18.6 percent of the vote, Kristen Vokaty/Clare Hoyt with 12.3 percent, Janet Brace/Colleen Hackett with 8.8 percent and Megan Conway/Crystal Schauf with 6.4 percent. Half of the freshman class participated in the election. It was a great turnout, and I'm very excited for that. Hopefully that many, or even more, will turn out again on Thursday," said Alison Joseph, elections coordinator.

The winning tickets each plan to improve class unity though a variety of different ways. "We'll be the fra shest class in the school," based on an input survey. They also hope to plan parties, tailgates, and apparel. "Vote for us and Thursday," said Alison Joseph, elections coordinator. The winning tickets each plan to improve class unity though a variety of different ways. "We'll be the freshest class in the school," based on an input survey. They also hope to plan parties, tailgates, and apparel. "Vote for us and Thursday," said Alison Joseph, elections coordinator.

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To be honest, when I woke up Tuesday afternoon—no sound of, well, nothing—I wasn’t sure I was in the right house. But was I home alone? If not, where was crowd of housemates going up and down stairs from the first to third floors and in between? Where was the sound of simulat­ed pandamonium that typically travels to em­ptiness. Could this have been a beer run gone terribly, terribly wrong?

A quick check downstairs confirmed my things were nice and loud, just as they way, but I guess that doesn’t really count.

In the meantime, I couldn’t help feeling a nine of them being gone at the same time were very slim.

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WHAT’S HAPPENING @ SMC

♦ Catholic Identity: Continuing the Conversation,” Stapleton Lounge, 11 a.m., 11:30 a.m.

♦ Office of Multicultural Affairs play “I Get the Blues,” Little Theatre, 7 p.m.

WHAT’S HAPPENING @ ND

♦ Student Senate Preview: Libby Bishop, Student Body President, will deliver the State of the Union address and the Office of Information Technologies will provide an update, Notre Dame Room LaFortune, 6 p.m.

♦ HIS/Health Wellness Program, “Are Galling, Fishing, and Hunting Good for Your Health?” Notre Dame Room LaFortune, 12:10 to 12:50 p.m.

♦ “Children and Armed Conflict: Implications for Peace building,” Michael Woltering, professor of government, Randolph Marcon College-Hesburgh Center Auditorium, 4 p.m.

WHAT’S GOING DOWN

Lonely monitor found on bench

A computer monitor was found outside of McKenna Hall on a bench Monday evening. The monitor was brought to NDSP for safekeeping. No other computer parts were found in the vicinity.

Cars crash in parking lot

Two cars collide in the C parking lot Monday. No one was injured in the traffic altercation.

Whirlwind whisked to hospital

A student from Welsh Family Hall was taken to St. Joseph Medical Center for treatment for an illness Monday.

Student caught speeding

NDSP stopped a student for speeding on Notre Dame Avenue Monday. No one was injured in the traffic altercation.

WHAT’S COOKING

North Dining Hall

Today Lunch: Tomato soup, tortilla soup, blanco pizza, honey garlic pork chops, white beans with ham, collard greens, cherry crisp, julienne sauteed vegetables, baked lemon part, veg­etable rice pilaf, zucchini vegan nood­les, breakfast ham, cheese enchilada, scrambled eggs

Today Dinner: Tortilla soup, min­estrone soup, blanco pizza, buffalo chicken wings, macaroni and cheese, green beans, cherry crisp, pork fried rice, baked cheddar scrod, tofu jerk, lentil stew an barley, baked sweet pota­to, BBQ rib sandwich, chicken tamale

South Dining Hall

Today Lunch: Meatless baked ziti, meatball stroganaff, broccoli cuts, sliced carrots, peas, roasted vegeta­bles, pasta primavera, spinach, chick­en and dumplings, baked haddock jar­diniere, teriyaki marinade London broll, Philly steak sandwich, steak house fries, snow and sour chicken

Today Dinner: Roasted potatoes, noudles romanoff, roast beef hash, can­ned sauerkraut, turkey broccoli bake, pork loin with apples, cherry sauce, blazin’ sea nuggets, steak house fries, onion rings, cantonese BBQ chicken, chicken and cheese chimichanga

Saint Mary's Dining Hall

Today Lunch: Computer cyber wrap, herb cous cous, buttered skillet slaw, baked beans, cheddar biscuit, coconut shrimp with citrus rice pilaf, fruit and cheese bar, chicken nuggets, extreme french fries, chiefly vegetables, french bred pizza, roasted red pepper humus

Today Dinner: Chef’s pasta, BBQ vegetable tofu, mesquite rice pilaf, herb and cheese biscuit, omelet’s or eggs cooked to order with hash browns, vegetation pasties, chicken cobbler, ham and scalloped potatoes, hot cocoa, carned roast beef, mashed potatoes, braised cabbage

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CORRECTIONS

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SMC lecturer discusses humanity’s source of wisdom

By NATALIE BAILEY
News Writer

The Center for Spirituality Fall Lecture Series “Sources of Wisdom in Troubled Times” continued Tuesday with Dr. Barbara Searle’s presentation of “Experience as a Source of Wisdom.”

The focus of her lecture was the way wisdom may come to humans through interiority, relationship and ritual. Interiority calls for the human to turn inward despite negative feelings, said Searle. It is most important and difficult to have interiority when harboring negative emotions. Often humans develop secondary emotions, or acceptable reactionary emotions that interiority can uncover. These secondary emotions are a barrier to our true feelings but with interiority they are converted to a source of self wisdom, said Searle.

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Relationships with others are another source of wisdom. People are different; we are each a world unto ourselves. The otherness of the other is a source of wisdom,” said Searle. Searle said rituals are a source of human wisdom. “Humans have a deep need for repetitive behaviors. The Christian ritual of Eucharist provides a level of ritual we are in need for now more than ever. We stand before God with the needs of humanity and receive sustenance and leave with a sense of purpose.”

Searle also reflected upon current events. “These truly are troubled times with Sept. 11, reports of international war, child abuse, kidnapping and so on,” she said. “While we would like to console ourselves with the thought that these times are no worse than the past, there is a nagging sense that things could get worse. Today we come for wisdom in these troubled times.”

Searle, a psychologist with an independent practice in South Bend and Elkhart, has her master’s degree in liturgy and her doctorate in psychology.

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Barbara Searle spoke Tuesday at Saint Mary’s as part of the Center for Spirituality Fall Lecture Series “Sources of Wisdom in Troubled Times.” Her presentation, “Experience as a Source of Wisdom,” focused on wisdom in relation to humanity.

Tiffany Gilliam
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Both tickets will continue to campaign through Thursday’s run-off election, and are excited to continue forward.
"We’re anxious to let our class know who we are, what we stand for and to represent them," Bauer said.
In addition to selecting presidential candidates, Tuesday’s voting allotted eight women positions on Freshman Class Board. Colleen Bruen, Lauren Condon, Elisabeth Kulinski, Danielle Lerner, Amy Martin, Amy O’Hara, Chelsea Rahn and Jackie Wright will each serve on the board throughout the year.
There still remain five at-large positions available on the board which will be filled by the elected president and vice-president.
Final elections will be held Thursday at 7 p.m. in the Noble Family Dining Hall.

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November’s congressional elections present the opportunity for these issues to be raised again.
Dionne said youth could change the country’s politics through a call to service and community building. He said

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Saint Mary’s prepares for visit
+ Former Ireland president to give lecture
By SARAH NESTOR
Saint Mary’s News Editor

Saint Mary’s students and faculty attended an information reception Tuesday for the upcoming lecture by Mary Robinson, former President of Ireland and United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights.

Christopher Shannon, professor of anthropology and social work, led the discussion, sponsored by the Center for Women’s Intercultural Leadership.

"This [was] an informal and relaxing reception to discuss Mary Robinson’s political career leading to her position as United Nations High Commissioner."

Christopher Shannon
professor of anthropology

"President of the People"
Robinson took the presidency of Ireland from more than just a ceremonial position to a position with real influence in politics. She marked her presidency with humanitarian causes and groundbreaking visits to Northern Ireland and Great Britain.

"She ultimately led Ireland into a culturally diverse world, continuing her stance on human rights."

Christopher Shannon
professor of anthropology

Harvard University.
"After studying at Harvard University, Robinson saw law as a chance for her to make changes," Shannon said.

From 1969 to 1989, Robinson was a member of Seanad Éireann, the Upper House of Parliament. Robinson ran as an Independent party candidate, working with the Labour party. She maintained her independent status and tackled issues of gender equality, economics and terrorism in Northern Ireland.

"Robinson had to work for women’s rights so that women could earn equal pay and to break down the marriage ban, which allowed single women to be fired once they married," Shannon said.

Robinson’s lecture "Leadership in an Intercultural World" is Oct. 3 at 7 p.m. in O’Laughlin Auditorium, admission is free, but tickets are required.

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Saint Mary’s, known as the seventh president of the World, was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, where she received a Master of Arts degree in 1970. She also earned a barrister-at-law degree from the King’s Inns, Dublin, and a masters of law degree from Ireland.

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Shannon said.

This lecture was part of the President of People’s Lecture Series on Politics and Public Policy.

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Atackers murder 30 in Hindu temple shooting

Associated Press

GANDHINAGAR - Attackers sprayed gunfire through a temple crowded with Hindu worshippers Tuesday, killing at least 30 people and fleeing after blowing up the sprawling complex in western India, where vicious religious clashes between Muslims and Hindus killed 1,000 people earlier this year.

Hours after the attack, the gunmen remained in control of part of the Swaminarayan temple complex - and some worshippers were still inside, officials said. Bloody bodies were carried away on stretchers and many wounded limped out, their clothes stained with blood. About 45 people were wounded.

Hundreds of commandos swarmed into the sprawling temple complex after the attackers stormed in, setting up what appeared to be a new front within the temple, said R.B. Brahmbhatt, the city's acting police commissioner.

A senior police official inside told the Associated Press, speaking on his mobile phone, said between 40 and 50 people had been taken hostage.

There were two attackers inside, and security forces were "waiting until they exhaust their ammunition," to launch their offensive, said G.M. Singh, an auxiliary official involved in the operation.

Deputy Prime Minister Lal K. Advani, speaking to reporters in New Delhi, described the shooting as a suicide attack. He said the attackers, armed with hand grenades and AK-47 rifles, had taken up positions on the roof of a building inside the complex.

Hospital officials said 30 people were dead, including at least six women and four children. The wounded included five police officers who were hit by bullets.

"The terrorists are still inside," Advani said. He said 500 people had been evacuated from the complex.

Advani said the attack appeared tied to state elections being held Tuesday in northern Jammu-Kashmir state, the only majority Muslim state in largely Hindu India.

The enemies of the nation feel that the developments in Jammu and Kashmir are in India's view point, and that a big attack could divert attention from there. I see in this a very deliberate design," he said.

He did not elaborate. India alleges that its neighbor, Pakistan, sponsors Muslim terrorists in Indian territory. Islamabad denies it.

"This is adding kerosene to a burning fire. There will be trouble in the riot-prone areas," said Maya Desai, a college student in Ahmedabad, about 15 miles from the attack site.

Blair indicates gravity of Iraqi threat to Parliament

Associated Press

LONDON - Iraq has a growing arsenal of chemical and biological weapons, and plans to use them, Prime Minister Tony Blair said Tuesday, unveiling an intelligence dossier to a special session of Parliament.

Blair, who also said Iraq is trying to develop nuclear weapons, told lawmakers his priority is to get inspectors back into the country he claims is trying to build a nuclear warhead and the range of its ballistic missiles.

"Iraq, the region and the whole world would be better off" without Saddam, Blair said in releasing the dossier, which asserts the Iraqi leader has weapons of mass destruction ready to be used within 45 minutes of an order to fight.

"There is no way that this man, in this region above all regions, could begin a conflict using such weapons and the consequences not engulf the whole world," Blair told a packed House of Commons.

Baghdad rejected the British analysis, which also said Iraq was trying to extend the range of its ballistic missile.

"The British prime minister is serving the campaign of lies led by Zionists against Iraq. Blair is part of this mislead- ing campaign," Iraqi Culture Minister Hammed Youssef Hammadi said in Baghdad.

In Cairo, Iraqi Foreign Minister Najib Sabri denied Iraq has or is developing weapons of mass destruction, and said Blair was trying to justify a military attack against Baghdad.

"Weapons of mass destruction and nuclear weapons cannot be hidden in a pocket," Sabri said at Cairo airport after delivering a message to Mubarak from Saddam.

French President Jacques Chirac and Chinese Prime Minister Zhu Rongji both said the U.N. Security Council must play a vital role in the crisis.

"I do not think at all that war is unavoidable," Chirac said, adding that U.N. weapons inspectors must be allowed to find out what Saddam has.

"Any military attack on Iraq that does not have the blessing of the Security Council will lead to severe conse- quences," Zhu said.

The White House called the dossier "frightening" and praised Blair for his strong defense of the U.S.-led efforts against Saddam. "We don't trust this man, and that's what the Blair report showed today," President Bush said.

World News Briefs

Violence deters voting in Kashmir: Voters in India-controlled Kashmir's largest city stayed away from the polls Tuesday, scared off by Islamic militants demanding a boycott of state legis- lative elections or refusing on principle to cast their ballots. Though turnout in the second round of state elections was only 11 percent in Srinagar, vot- ers in the Jammu and Budgam regions were daunted, boosting turnout in the three districts that voted Tuesday, to 42 percent.

400,000 homeless in Mexico's Yucatan: Tropical Storm Isidore, which began filling up as Tropical Storm Isidore strengthened Tuesday, is expected to bring heavy rains as it moves toward the Gulf of Mexico.

Iraq to continue siege: Israeli authorities lifted the siege of Gaza City on Saturday to end its six-day siege of Yasser Arafat's devastated West Bank headquarters, and nine Palestinians were killed in intense strike against alleged militants factories and other targets in Gaza City.

U.S. sending troops to West Africa: U.S. troops headed to West Africa on Tuesday to safeguard 100 American school children held up in a rebel-held city after the bloodiest-ever upris- ing in the Ivory Coast. Frightened residents reported heavy artillery and gunfire. French troops moved closer to the central city of Bouake as well, ready to rescue their nationals and other Westerners if it appears they could be caught in a cross fire between government troops and renegade forces who launched the coup attempt Thursday.

Bush lowers terror alert to yellow: President Bush lowered the nationwide "high risk" terror alert back to code yellow - "signifi- cant risk" - on Tuesday. Administration officials credited the arrests of suspected terrorists from Buffalo to Pakistan to Bahrain, while warning that the danger of another attack remains.
Nancy Reagan: Husband’s memory gone

Associated Press

LOS ANGELES

Nancy Reagan says her husband, in the advanced stages of Alzheimer’s disease, may not even recognize her anymore.

In a CBS ’60 Minutes II’ interview, the former first lady said Ronald Reagan’s disease has robbed the couple of their post-White House golden years. The interview will be broadcast Wednesday.

The 91-year-old former president spends his days secluded in his Bel-Air home in Mrs. Reagan’s care. Asked if her husband even knows who she is, she said, “I don’t know.”

Los Angeles Times

“The golden years are when you can sit back, hopefully, and exchange memories, and that’s the worst part about this disease.”

Nancy Reagan, former first lady

Ronald Reagan’s memory loss also has taken the joy out of milestone occasions, like the couple’s 50th wedding anniversary March 4.

“I’d love to be able to talk to him about it, and there were times when I had to catch myself because I’d reach out and start to say, ‘Honey, remember when?’” Mrs. Reagan said.

Although Mrs. Reagan is visited regularly by daughter Patti Davis, the former first lady said she is lonely.

“Yes, it’s lonely, because really, you know, when you come right down to it, you’re in it alone and there’s nothing that anybody can do for you,” Mrs. Reagan said.

The nation’s 40th chief executive has been seen in public only rarely since his poignant 1994 letter announcing to the world that he had the memory-sapping disease.

Pageant’s questions offensive

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"Nine out of 10 are self-made millionaires, and some of them have done much better than me. I'm proud of that fact," said Cole of his siblings.

He founded Hardwood Cole in 1986, and attributes its success to his fair and employee-conscious business practices.

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Steelcase will cut 800 office jobs

Associated Press

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. - Steelcase Inc., one of the largest office furniture firms, will cut up to 800 jobs, mostly in western Michigan, by February as it copes with increasing competitive price pressure and continued soft industrywide demand for office furniture.

The latest cuts amount to 4.4 percent of the furniture maker's worldwide work force.

Million Cole, the CEO and founder of Hardwood Cole Inc., is concerned about the safety of the flying public, the company and the FAA to resolve this issue and ensure certain configuration of wire bundles. The company encouraged the audience to follow his example and said, "If you do these things that I'm talking about, you will go places. The philosophy is so simple. I often wonder why more people aren't wealthy."

In 1988, a major fire threatened the fate of Hardwood Cole. Cole continued to pay his employees during the rebuiling process. Due to his association with a solid insurance firm, Cole was able to revive his business. "I did it for the community, for the people," said Cole about his efforts to ensure that his employees would not lose their jobs.

Cole said it was important to adhere to a positive philosophy while building a business. "One thing I feel very, very strongly about is that we are all in charge of our own destiny, and success starts with a good attitude," said Cole.

It is necessary to create a sense of self-worth among employees, said Cole. The success of any business is the result of the collaborative effort of the employees. "Your altitude will be determined by your employees' attitude," said Cole.

Excluding those employees affected by Monday's announcement, more than 6,500 hourly, salaried and temporary workers will be affected.

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Dynegy agrees to $3 million fine

Associated Press

HOUSTON

Dynegy Inc. agreed Tuesday to pay $3 million to settle a Securities and Exchange Commission investigation of a natural gas deal that improperly boosted the company's cash flow and into so-called "wash trades." The SEC said it found that Dynegy engaged in securities fraud regarding disclosures and accounting of the five-year gas deal, dubbed Project Alpha. The Houston-based energy marketer also misled investors about the wash trades with CMS Energy in two press releases issued early this year, the agency said.

Dynegy agreed to the SEC's terms without admitting or denying the agency's findings. The energy company - one of several investigated by the SEC over their trading and accounting practices - is the first to settle.

Harold F. Degenhardt, administrator of the SEC's Fort Worth office, said Dynegy deceived investors with Project Alpha and misled them by claiming that the wash trades boosted trading volume.

Project Alpha - a complex series of accounting transactions related to a contract with ABG Gas Supply LLC - increased reported cash flow by $300 million and cut taxes by $79 million with no other obvious purpose.

The SEC found that the $300 million should have been identified as financing rather than operating cash flow on its annual filing for 2001 and that Dynegy overstated net income by the same amount as the tax benefit.

Dynegy spokesman John Sousa reiterated Dynegy's intention to restate 2001 and 2002 financial statements to reflect accounting changes for Project Alpha. PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP's re-audit of Dynegy's financial statements from 1999-2001 should be finished by the end of the year. Dynegy will amend its annual reports from those years to reflect any changes, Sousa said.
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KARACHI

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Among the dead were three Pakistanis and three Christians who worked at the charity, police said. Four other people were injured, at least one in critical condition with a bullet wound in the head.

It was not clear how many gunmen were involved in the shooting, or which group was responsible. By late afternoon, hundreds of police had cordoned off the 13-story building in a cordoned-off business district of Karachi.

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Judge bars federal death penalty

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MONTPELIER, Vt. A federal judge declared the federal death penalty law unconstitutional Tuesday in a ruling defense lawyers said could provide a new argument for challenging capital cases across the country. U.S. District Judge William Sessions said recent cases, including a U.S. Supreme Court ruling that found juries and not judges must hand out death sentences, have rendered existing death-penalty law unusable.

Since the high court's ruling in June, a federal judge in New York has ruled capital punishment is in itself unconstitutional. Other federal judges, in Virginia and Pennsylvania, have upheld the Federal Death Penalty Act.

Sessions found that capital punishment would be legal if Congress repaired defects in the 1994 law.

Sessions ruled that the death penalty law makes no provision for such action. He also found that giving grand juries a hand in death-penalty decisions is unconstitutional because such panels do not hold to the beyond-a-reasonable doubt standard, and because they do not offer defendants the right to confront and cross-examine witnesses.

"If the death penalty is to be part of our system of justice, due process of law and the fair trial guarantees of the Sixth Amendment require that standards and safeguards governing the kinds of evidence juries may consider must be rigorous, and constitutional rights and liberties scrupulously protected," Sessions said.

"To relax those standards invites abuse, and significantly undermines the reliability of decisions to impose the death penalty." The ruling came in the case of Donald Fell, 22, who is charged with kidnapping and killing a woman in a November 2000 carjacking. Prosecutors said they would appeal.

Fell's lawyer, Alexander Bunin, called the ruling a landmark that could jeopardize cases against every defendant facing the death penalty, including that of Sept. 11 conspiracy suspect Zacarias Moussaoui.

Paul Martinek, editor of Lawyers Weekly USA, said a higher court will have to agree with Sessions before that happens. But Martinek added, "The intellectual implications for influencing what other judges might do, potentially influencing what the Second Circuit (Court of Appeals) and maybe the Supreme Court might do, are pretty big. It's a new idea about how to challenge the federal death penalty."

In July, U.S. District Judge Jed Rakoff in New York became the first federal judge to declare the federal law unconstitutional. He cited evidence indicating that innocent people have been put to death. The government is appealing that ruling.

The rulings by Rakoff and Sessions will not affect individual states' death penalty statutes. Thirty-eight states allow capital punishment, though some have not executed anyone for many years.

Smoke over L.A.

LA VERNE, Calif. A wildfire in the foothills above Los Angeles jumped from 8,000 acres to 12,000 acres in just a few hours Tuesday, sending smoke pouring over the sprawling metropolitan area and triggering public health warnings.

The fire, spread across 11 miles of the San Gabriel Mountains, has destroyed 44 cabins and homes and threatens hundreds of others. Flames raged unchecked as firefighters worked in rugged canyon terrain against erratic winds and triple-digit temperatures.

Some two dozen aircraft dropped water and fire retardant on the fire, which authorities said had the potential to grow to 20,000 acres.

Fear of new fires led officials to close the 650,000-acre Angeles National Forest, which includes the mountains, to recreation.

"We certainly can't afford another fire," said Darren Drake, a fire spokesman. "This has got our hands full."

Conditions were so hot and dry around the fire 40 miles northeast of Los Angeles that brittle chaparral and other brush virtually exploded in flames when hit by sparks. It's very stressful. You work all your life and to see it threatened to this degree," said George Villegas, 37, an insurance salesman who took a day off work to keep watch on his $600,000 home. His belongings were packed into his three cars and his wife and two sons were staying with relatives.

The fire started Tuesday, sending smoke pouring into the Los Angeles Basin, where more than 11 million people live. Winds and triple-digit temperatures stove up smoke, which cleared buildings of air and jumped between ridges.

Voluntary evacuations were called for at least 500 homes and 1,000 people.

A mandatory evacuation was ordered for 77 recreational cabins in San Dimas Canyon, and more than 200 youngsters were taken out of two juvenile detention camps.

Authorities were investigating the cause of the fire that began Sunday. Officials said it has spewed a roughly 2,000-foot-thick layer of smoke over portions of Los Angeles, Riverside and San Bernardino counties.

An unusually strong inversion layer capped the smoke, and there was no wind to disperse it. "If I didn't know it was smoke, I'd think it was a low fog layer," Lu Narogiewicz said as he looked over the San Gabriel Valley from 5,700-foot-high Mount Wilson. The mountain was briefly enveloped in smoke Tuesday, forcing astronomers to suspend solar observations with the telescopes that dot the peak.

The South Coast Air Quality Management District, which monitors pollutant levels in the region, issued a special smoke advisory Tuesday, urging the public to avoid unnecessary outdoor activity in smoky areas.

Katie, it's your birthday...

Happy twenty-first birthday to the House!

Love,

Your Girls

(Makes us pound)
Arguments against homosexuality are antiquated, absurd, absurd

Joe Muto

Muto Time

A new "threat" hangs heavily over this country, one that comes from within. And surprisingly enough, it doesn't come from our Frat-Boy-In-Chief George W. Bush. Of course, we should be alarmed that Dubya seems intent on having the Constitution rolled onto a cardboard tube and put next to the toilet in the Lincoln bathroom, but the threat I want to discuss is far more seditious than anything Dick Cheney and his legions of scowling white men can hoist on us.

This is a "sinister force" that has infiltrated some of our most cherished American institutions, shamelessly desecrating the Catholic priesthood, the Abercrombie and Fitch catalogue and Seinfeld's old-time slot, among other things. Can Mom and apple pie be far behind?

I am speaking, of course, of homosexuality. Or more specifically, of gay men. And while rational people know that gay men are obviously not a threat to anything, some conservatives and religious types act like the popularity of "Will and Grace" threatens the very moral fiber of society.

But how do gay men, in these supposedly enlightened times, somehow still threaten the status quo? Why are they still disliked, disparaged and even hated in many spheres? One reason is deceptively, if irrationally, simple: the main fear of every red-blooded, heterosexual male is at some point they will be the victim of an unwanted pass from another man. Personally, I'm not worried about getting hit on by a man. I'd be much more worried if a woman ever hit on me. If only because I'm relatively sure that one getting hit on by a woman would signal the imminent end of existence as we know it.

What about women? Are they somehow exempt from sanctimonious finger-wagging from the right? Of course they aren't. But they do escape the brunt of criticism. This is mostly because lesbians are not and never have been threatening to the men in power.

Due to endless amounts of speculation in high school, the American male's conception of lesbianism involves an elaborate scenario with two nubile blonde friends named Tiffany and Amber "experimenting" after cheerleading practice.

This non-threatening concept is as incredibly erotic as it is wildly improbable. Male imaginations and the pornography industry seem to have an unspeakable agreement that entails conveniently sidestepping reality. Hence, Tiffany and Amber are teenage cheerleaders as opposed to 40-ish and pear-shaped with Erika Estrada haircuts. Either way, lesbians are no real threat.

So, the issue is, as it oddly enough usually boils down to in this column, sex. One thing that's never made sense to me, with so many sexual proclivities in the world, why single out something as relatively common as homosexuality? This may be a backhanded compliment, but some of the websites out there make same-sex relations look remarkably tame.

There has been some argument made that the Bible specifically condemns "lying with another man." This is technically correct. There is a passage in the Book of Leviticus that says exactly this. To give it some context, however, on the very same page it condemns — this is true — those who wear garments made from more than one fabric. And last time I checked, there were no screaming Christians protesting my choice of a cotton/poly blend undershirt. It might be time to admit that in regards to Biblical accuracy, the Big Guy upstairs dropped the ball.

But what's with all this concern with your neighbor's reproductive processes, or lack thereof? Is it too much to ask that this most private of acts stays private? I have this indelible image in my head that Jerry Falwell is unable to sleep at night because he knows that somewhere out there, the act of sodomy is alive and well.

I contend that if you spend even one instant of your day worrying about the sexual relations of people you've never even met, you have too much time on your hands. That, or you work for People Magazine.

Homosexuals are people too. They are very rarely the walking sets of genitalia that opponents portray them as. I'm sure that most would rather not make their sexual preference the core of their being. In fact, I'm pretty sure they'd like to be left alone.

Now if you'll excuse me, Tiffany and Amber are waiting.

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 Rockefeller Center justified in removing statue

CIARLOTTESVILLE, Va. — In the middle of Manhattan on the lower level of Rockefeller Center, a sculpture of a dying woman was removed last week due to the fact that many passers-by deemed it to be "too disturbing." The sculpture was emotionally striking and was an accurate display of human suffering and tragedy. Rockefeller Center was nonetheless justified in its decision. It is important to respect the wishes of the living as much as the memories of those who are dead.

Starting approximately two weeks ago, a statue sculpted by Eric Fischl was placed on the concourse level of Rockefeller Center. Rockefeller Center is a place of heavy traffic for both New Yorkers and the many tourists that visit the area every day. The statue was situated right in the middle of this.

Sculpted as a dedication to those who jumped out of the World Trade Center before it collapsed; the sculpture is named "Tumbling Woman" and lives up to its name. It is a statue of a nude woman who appears to be in free fall, with her head pointed downward and her legs curled above her and lined up parallel to the ground. The sculpture was described by Fischl as an expression of deepest sympathy, and the woman in the sculpture seems to express vulnerability and sympathy through her nudity and anonymity. However, many passers-by simply found the sculpture offensive, disturbing and inappropriate. Last Wednesday, it was blanketed from public view, and even though Rockefeller Center planned to display it through this Monday, its exhibition was cut drastically short. The public spokesman for Rockefeller Center, Suzanne Halpin, made a public apology for the statue, and prepare to have it be removed "that evening.

"Removal is taking place, subject to the final decision on the memorial in order to see it. What Fischl did is comparable to rebuilding the Vietnam Memorial alongside a high traffic shopping center. Although a larger number of people would see the Vietnam Memorial on a daily basis, it is a tasteless setting for both the living and the dead. Its current, more isolated location is needed for contemplation, and the rest of the public should not be forced to confront tragedy when they do not want to.

Thus, Rockefeller Center was entirely justified in removing the statue from its premises, and it has taken a step toward removing the dreary, tense atmosphere that has loomed over this country since the attacks. These events are occurring in public memorials, because although honoring those that suffered and died is important, an equal amount of consideration needs to be paid toward the living.

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Administration should treat students as adults

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I'm a 21st century digital boy. I spend more hours in front of an LCD screen than I care to count. I can't even fathom how things were done in the day before computers. But, it seems to me, that as technology makes the mental administrative work in life easier, it only makes social life more complicated. Remember DART? The old way to register for classes? The stress-induced panic attack of trying to properly dial the numbers to transfer the "African Masks in Modernity" class you accidentally dialed into for the English 201 class you were supposed to take is greatly reduced by the Web. Of course, once class load may have gotten a bit drier.

But, take a look at Instant Messenger. Originally a fairly convenient way to send short notes to other Web surfers, IM has developed into a culture of its own. I know people who deliberately won't touch their computer because it would ruin their idle time and that might tip off the fact that they were in the room when they told somebody that they weren't. IM has become such a part of social life at this point that groups of friends will discuss each other's away messages over lunch.

Our course, the trend is nothing new. The World Wide Web was doomed to a life of porn and casinos before www.gamblewithjenna.com was ever the hottest IPO on Wall Street. Take a look around USENET, the text only precursor to the Web. For every soc.politics.marxism discussion groups there are 39 alt.binaries.pics.bigfoot.latex.fantasy.groups.

When I was in seventh grade, my Social Studies teacher sent us to the school library to use this new-fangled Internet thing to find out what the proper style was for literary criticism papers. Unfortunately, before the days of spam filters, if you typed the words "literary criticism" into a search engine all that came up were pages with "nude Jenny McCarthy pictures." I don't know what boggles my mind more, that there's enough nude Jenny McCarthy pictures to require 10,578,431 unique hits in a search engine or that some wacko used the phrase "nude Jenny McCarthy pictures" while describing how to write literary criticism papers.

As technology advances, so do the pointless ways in which we use it. It seems to me that technology was meant to make things that are hard to do easier. For example, making a call on the telephone is much easier than using the antiquated carrier pigeon. But, isn't the phone simpler than IM?

We go to a college where we're all on the exact same phone network, page, the user can look up the play lists from Pop artist U2 uses Macromedia's Flash on their Web page. Making some parts glow and consistent animation keeps the surfer clicking and reading through the content. "The U2 site has been designed to be as accessible as possible," claims text on the index page. Utilizing Flash is the reason for the user friendliness appearance of page. On U2's page, the user can look up the play list from past concerts, the lyrics to his or her favorite song, or even trace back the roots of U2 from 1977. Because of Flash, easy navigation is possible for even the not so Web savvy.

But I've been plugged into the Matrix for way too long to unplug now. Perhaps we'll just have to learn to incorporate technology into our social lives. Hey, I can't tell if she's fake laughing at my jokes on the digital coffee break. Well, then again, maybe technology is good for our social lives.

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Each day new techniques in Web design are present when simply surfing for the daily news. The use of hip, new software helps to advance the look of many popular Web pages. One of the most recent movements is the use of a program called Macromedia Flash. This program creates interactive and aesthetically pleasing pages, making the possibilities for creativity endless.

Flash is most commonly seen in use for e-cards that are sent for various occasions. However, many Web designers now use Flash simply to make their page more appealing in order to increase the popularity of their site.

Many music artists use Flash in designing their Web pages to make surfing through tour dates, lyrics, song clips, media events and pictures much quicker and easier then using typical Web design language, hypertext markup language, or HTML. Once Flash loads into the Internet browser, all the information is ready to be accessed and even on a slow Internet connection, can be accessed without the frustration of loading graphics. Flash is like a television commercial on the Web that comes in crisp and clear, with possibilities of increasing a consumer's interest in a product.

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Prodigy also uses the interactive animated Flash to show off their newest songs. Prodigy.co.uk takes a much different angle then u2.com's use of Flash. After each click, the surfer sees a couple-second animated scene before the new layout appears with the desired content.

Pages across the world are beginning to turn to this look in order to remain the...
Flash to add pizzazz and interest to websites in hopes of increasing traffic

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Former Pittsburgh Steelers center Mike Webster died Tuesday, supposedly of a heart attack, at age 50 in Pittsburgh. Webster was an intimidating sight, barring his massive arms by playing in short sleeves even in subfreezing weather. He sprinted from the huddle before every play, setting the tone for an offense that had four other Hall of Famers: Swann, Stallworth, Harris, and Braddock.

"I'm not a very good athlete," Webster once said. "I don't run very well and I'm not very agile or nimble. The only chance I have to be successful is if I'm in better condition than the other guy."

When former Bengals line­man Tim Krumrie retired after 12 seasons lining up across from Webster, he asked for Webster's helmet as a souvenir of the skirmishes. No doubt that pleased Webster.

"The most important thing you want is for the man across the line of scrimmage to know your name when the game is over," Webster said. Webster became a free agent in 1989 and retired for a month. But after initially accepting a Kansas City Chiefs assistant coaching job, he decided to play again and spent two more seasons with the Chiefs before quitting after the 1990 season.

He later had offers to coach again, but his health began to deteriorate soon after he quit playing.

"He went through a lot of tough years, but he never complained about anything," Bradshaw, who presented Webster at his Hall of Fame enshrinement in 1997, said.

"The last 10 days, we've lost Johnny Unitas, Bob Hayes and now Mike. What wouldn't I give to put my hands on one last time under the greatest center of all time. I'm sure up in heaven, Johnny U. is doing it for me."
Woods hopes to lead Americans to Ryder Cup

Associated Press

SUTTON COLDFIELD, England

Tiger Woods had a million reasons why he wanted to win the World Golf Championship. "Obviously, things were taken way out of context."

This week is no laughing matter.

The Americans again are favored to win the Ryder Cup, somewhat of a mystery since Europe has won five of the last eight times. Only once since 1983 have the matches been decided by more than two points.

The Ryder Cup has not been particularly kind to Woods either.

One of the most glaring holes in an otherwise awesome record is his Ryder Cup mark. Woods is 3-6-1 in two Ryder Cups, splitting his singles matches and taking on five partners in eight team matches.

"I wish it was better," he said. "That means I would have contributed more points to my team. But I haven't done that."

He compared the Ryder Cup to the final round in a major — even though he joked last week there were "a million reasons why" he would rather win the American Express Championship than the team competition.

"They're two completely different animals," Woods said. "You've a lot more juiced on the first tee here than you are in a normal tour event, just because if you get off to a bad start you can lose a match. You get off to a bad start in a tournament, you can still win."

Woods slipped into his Ryder Cup uniform — blue shirt with thin red and white stripes, a white vest and gray cap — for the first day of formal practice on a course only four players on the U.S. team have played. He spent his first night at The Belfry playing pingpong, and had one spirited game against Phil Mickelson and his wife, Amy.

Woods is the No. 1 golfer in the world and the man everyone tries to beat. At the Ryder Cup, he is just one of 12 players on a team.

"How would you feel if you had him on your team? Pretty good," Scott Verplank said. "It's great. Last night we had a big team pingpong match, so we're all still very competitive, and we all still want to beat each other. But this week, we're all pulling for each other. And I think we're coming together nicely as a team."

Woods won in Ireland by making 24 birdies and an eagle in 72 holes at Mount Juliet. Will he play as well at the Ryder Cup?

"I think anybody would be hard-pressed to say that man is not trying to win every time he puts a tee in the ground," Hal Sutton said. "I think there's more reason for him to want to win the Ryder Cup and do well in it, because that's one of the few times he hasn't done as well. I'm pretty sure his juices will be flowing this week."

Woods is the No. 1 golfer in the world, and pay $1 million to win this week, Sutton said. "I think there's one of the most spirited of the U.S. players in it, because that's one of the most spirited of the U.S. players in it, because that's one of the most spirited of the U.S. players in it."

Still, there is a sense the Ryder Cup means more to Europe than the Americans, and even its captain, Sam Torrance, weighed in on Woods' "million reasons" comment in Ireland.

"If we could probably chip in and pay $1 million to win this week," Torrance said.

Denmark's Thomas Bjorn, one of Woods' best friends in golf, said he thought Europe rates the Ryder Cup much higher than their counterparts.

"This is where golf careers are made," Bjorn said.

Paul Azinger, perhaps the most spirited of the U.S. players when it comes to the Ryder Cup, said it ranked behind the four majors and that most of his teammates didn't start thinking about the matches until this week.

Now that the Ryder Cup is here, it's a different story.

"It's not nonchalance, believe me," Azinger said. "We walked in the room last night and our players are into it. We're up for it. We want to play well."

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**Faulk uncertain Sunday vs. Dallas**

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ST. LOUIS

Marshall Faulk's neck injury doesn't appear to be as serious as first thought, but the status of the St. Louis Rams running back is uncertain for Sunday's game with the Dallas Cowboys.

Coach Mike Martz said Faulk had no numbness in his neck after injuring it when he was tackled in the second quarter of Monday night's 26-14 loss at Tampa Bay that dropped the Rams to 0-3.

Faulk, who appeared to have sprained ligaments in his neck, was scheduled for an MRI on Tuesday.

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Rams head coach

Rookie Lamar Gordon, the Rams' third-round draft pick, would start ahead of Trung Canidate against the Cowboys if Faulk can't play. Canidate has been Faulk's backup since being taken in the first round of the 2000 draft, but Martz was unhappy with his play against the Bucs.

Gordon scored on a 21-yard run in the fourth quarter and had 44 yards on four carries along with two catches for 15 yards.

"When you look at the tape, he's very impressive," Martz said. "His size and his speed and his run reads and his ability to jump-cut in the hole — all those things that you hoped he would be they all showed up last night."

Martz said Monday night he was "very disappointed" with Canidate's play. On Tuesday, he backed off a bit.

"We've got to get Trung back up to where he was a year ago," Martz said. "I'm a little frustrated with him right now, obviously."

Two Rams defenders will miss about three weeks. Outside linebacker Tommy Polley has a torn groin and cornerback Dexter McClinton has a torn hamstring.

Martz said Don Davis, who started at middle linebacker ahead of struggling Jamie Duncan against the Bucs, will move to the outside. Duncan, who has been playing with two dislocated fingers on his right hand, will start again in the middle.

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Arizona Diamondbacks outfielder Luis Gonzalez hits a ball during a recent game. Gonzalez injured his shoulder during Monday’s game when he collided with teammate Tony Womack. Gonzalez will miss the rest of the regular season and playoffs.

ST. LOUIS
Luis Gonzalez, the Arizona Diamondbacks’ top power hitter, will miss the rest of the season and the playoffs because of a shoulder injury.

The left fielder, hurt Monday night in a collision with teammate Tony Womack, was examined Tuesday by team physician Dr. Michael Lee, who said Gonzalez might need surgery.

“Unfortunately, our resiliency and our ability to overcome a crisis like this is going to be tested once again,” manager Bob Brenly said.

Gonzalez, who had the winning hit in Game 7 of last year’s World Series, was hurt when he dived for Tino Martinez’s bloop double in the fourth inning of the Cardinals’ 13-1 victory.

Womack went back for the ball and ran full speed into Gonzalez, driving his knee into his teammate’s shoulder. Third baseman Alex Cintron jumped over both to avoid a three-way collision.

Gonzalez has a shoulder separation and torn ligaments.

“Though we have not finalized a timetable, he is a likely candidate for a reconstructive surgical procedure,” Lee said. “There is absolutely no reason to believe that he will not be at full strength and available for spring training.”

Second baseman Craig Counsell and pitcher Todd Stottlemyre also are sidelined for the rest of the season, and pitcher Brian Anderson broke his foot Sunday and probably will not pitch again this year.

Danny Bautista, out since May with a dislocated shoulder, is also unlikely to return by the playoffs.

Brenly said Erubiel Durazo will move from first base to right field, with Dave Dellucci moving to left and Mark Grace starting at first base. The lineup is aimed at getting more offensive punch, at the risk of using an untested outfielder.

“I think our guys will hit in well,” Dellucci said. “We’ll do our best. It’s time for us all to pick up the slack.”

Gonzalez, who returned to Phoenix on Tuesday, hit .288 in 138 games and 419 total bases. He won the World Series last year. He had career highs of 57 homers, 142 RBIs and 103 BBs, topping 100 for the fourth straight season.

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Durazo played briefly in the outfield in spring training. He took fly balls and grounders during batting practice Tuesday.

“First day, it feels a little weird, but I’ve got to get used to it,” Durazo said.

Brenly called Durazo’s pregame workout “adequate.”

“Rubin is not a natural outfielder,” Brenly said. “We told him not to worry about his defense, not to fret about his defense, to swing the bat.”

Gonzalez will miss entire playoffs
NBA

Kidd will file for free agency after next season

Associated Press

NEW YORK

Jason Kidd will be one of the biggest names filing for free agency after next season. That doesn't mean the New Jersey Nets point guard plans signing with anyone else.

"Maybe I ought to carry a cue card," Kidd said Tuesday after receiving the Thurman Munson Award for community service presented by the Association for the Help of Retarded Children.

"I'm playing it out. I've enjoyed being here in New Jersey. The Nets are my No. 1 choice. That's my answer all year long. "I have to play it out and see what happens."

NBA rules require that Kidd file for free agency because he signed a contract extension with Phoenix before he was traded to the Nets last year. He averaged 14.7 points, 9.9 assists and 7.3 rebounds, took the Nets to the NBA Finals and was runnerup to Tim Duncan in the MVP voting.

He's become a cornerstone of the Nets franchise and isn't interested in changing that situation.

Kidd was labeled a West Coast guy because he went to school at California and spent the first six years of his NBA career playing for Western Conference teams in Dallas and Phoenix.

"I understand what the East Coast is all about. "Wining and being around a great group of guys makes the [free agent] decision easier and that's what we have. I'm looking to complete my career and win a championship with New Jersey.

Free agency is a window of opportunity and I'll take whatever comes.

Kidd endorsed the Nets offsea-son moves which reshaped the roster around him with the addition of 7-foot center Dikembe Mutombo, point guard Chris Childs and swingman Rodney Rogers.

"Rodney gives us strength off the bench," Kidd said. "Chris understands the backup role and then there's the fly swatter back there who helps on defense and makes us more aggressive on the perimeter."

The difficult part is fitting the new players into the mix.

"You can never put a price tag on chemistry," Kidd said. "You either have it or you don't. And you find out in the first few prac-tices."

Kidd made that transition seamlessly last season and then spent the summer surprising himself with his new home.

"I love being an East Coast guy," he said. "There's so much flavor. It's fun. I like the East. I hope I don't have to go far if everything works out for the rest of my career."

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Pierce testifies about 2000 stabbing attack

Associated Press

BOSTON

Celtics forward Paul Pierce testified he was attacked from all directions, left bloodied and asked emergency room doctors whether he would live after being stabbed two years ago.

Pierce, testifying Tuesday in the trial of three men charged in the assault, said he walked into the pool room of a Boston club and talked briefly with two women on Sept. 25, 2000. A man standing nearby told Pierce one of the women was his sister.

"I looked him in the face and I told him, you know, 'No disrespect,'" Pierce told the jury. Pierce said the man, whom he did not identify, "looked at me like he had a problem with me. I sensed a little animos-ity."

The next thing he knew, Pierce said, he was being attacked by people from all sides. He stumbled backward, felt "stinging blows" and was hit in the head with a bottle that felt "like a rock coming down on my head."

Pierce said, he was being stabbed. Teammate Tony Battie and Battie's brother, Derrick, took him to the hospi-tal.

"I kept asking the doctors if I was going to make it through, if I was going to live through it, because at the time there was so much blood I didn't know what to think," Pierce said.

Anthony Hurston, William Ragland and Trevor Watson, all of Boston, are accused of stabbing Pierce and hitting him over the head with a champagne bottle in the club.

The trial began last week.

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NFL

Randy Moss pictured here making a catch against the Bears in the opening game of the season, was arrested Tuesday evening after his car was pulled over. He faces possible assault charges.

Randy Moss arrested for assault

Associated Press

MINNEAPOLIS

Minnesota Vikings receiver Randy Moss was arrested Tuesday after an incident with a traffic control officer.

Police spokeswoman Cyndi Barrington said Moss was in custody and his Lexus was impounded after the incident on a downtown street about 6 p.m. An assault charge was being considered, Barrington said.

However, ESPN has learned that police will charge Moss with second-degree assault, a felony.

The traffic officer tried to stop Moss from making an illegal turn, and Moss used his car to slowly push the officer along the street, Barrington said.

Moss has been involved in a number of on- and off-field incidents since he was drafted from Marshall in the first round in 1998, including squealing a referee with a water bottle in 1999 and abusing corporate sponsors on the team bus in 2001.

New coach Mike Tice vowed the Vikings would throw 40 percent of their passes to Moss this year after the Vikings went 6-10 last season. But the Vikings are off to an 0-3 start, their worst since 1967, and Moss caught only four passes for 16 yards in Sunday's loss to Carolina.

Tice, reached Tuesday evening, said he couldn't comment until he knew more.

"I'm still trying to figure out what's going on," Tice said.

Tuesday was an off day for the Vikings, who like most NFL teams set the day aside each week and encourage players to perform community service.

Moss, 25, is in his fifth year with the Vikings and is the team's highest-paid player. He signed an eight-year, $75 million contract with the Vikings last year.

He set an NFL record with 5,196 yards receiving in his first four seasons as a pro and is the only wide receiver with more than 1,000 yards receiving in each of his first four seasons. Moss has scored more touchdowns since his 1998 debut than anyone except St. Louis running back Marshall Faulk.

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In Brief

Hingis loses lawsuit

Manhattan judge has dismissed a $40 million lawsuit that Swiss tennis star Martina Hingis filed against an Italian sportswear maker whose shoes allegedly injured her feet.

State Supreme Court Justice Sherry Klein Heitler ruled that New York is the wrong place to try the case since a similar lawsuit by Hingis against the company, Sergio Tacchini, is pending in Milan, Italy.

In court papers filed in June 2001, Hingis, 21, said she and Tacchini signed a five-year endorsement deal in 1996 that was to pay her $5.6 million. The deal also required her to wear Tacchini logo at tennis matches.

During the U.S. Open Tennis Tournament in New York City in September 1998, Hingis said, she suffered a severe foot injury because Tacchini had outfitted her with "defective" shoes, "unsuitable for competition." She said the injury hurt her career.

In 1999, Hingis sued Tacchini in Milan, alleging breach of contract. That action is pending.

In granting Tacchini's motion to dismiss, Heitler noted that the Milan lawsuit concerns the same issues as in the New York action, and that it would be "unjust, unfair and inconvenient" to require the defendant to answer here.

Ochs out for the season

Craig Ochs, Colorado's starting quarterback, won't play again this season after suffering his third concussion in the past year.

Ochs hasn't played since he was hurt in a game against San Diego State Sept. 7. Extensive medical tests came back normal but Ochs advised coach Gary Barnett on Monday that his season is over.

Ochs, a junior who has started since his freshman year, will apply for a medical waiver redshirt for this season. He also will withdraw as a student from Colorado and relinquish his athletic scholarship.

In a statement, Ochs said he will reevaluate his options for returning to play football next season.

"I was very surprised," Barnett said. "We totally respect his decision and it was a family decision all the way. He wants to pull himself out and see if he can get himself healthy.

"I don't know that Craig's career is over, but it is for this year. He is stepping away, that's what it is," Barnett said. "I think this whole thing has been hard on him because he is such a competitor and he wants to play."

Ochs' first concussion in college came in September 2001 against Kansas. Later in that season, he got a second one against Texas A&M and was held out of the Texas game. Ochs also had a concussion in high school.

Backup quarterback Robert Hodge has started in Ochs' place.
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Notre Dame wide receiver Maurice Stovall runs with the ball against Michigan State. that is looking more and more often for tall receivers, the 6-foot-5 Stovall has an advantage over smaller cornerbacks and safeties.

In addition, he practices with a very strong secondary.

"It helps a lot," Stovall said of playing with Shane Walton, Vontez Duff, Glenn Earl and Gerome Sapp. "We have some of the best corners and safeties in the league and going up against them everyday helps get better."

As Stovall settles into the system, the coaching staff hopes to see him play more and more. Although they are still working slowly, hoping to wean him into their offensive scheme, they cannot deny the talent that Stovall brings.

"I think he's starting to get comfortable," Willingham said. "Again you don't want to give him too much too soon, but at the same time you know that there's a lot there."

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Play this year, Olsen simply believes he added valuable practice experience. "If Carlyle can't come back and, God forbid, something happens to Fane, I wouldn't just be going in there cold," Olsen said. "I'm not sure what Carlyle's doing to go, but nothing happens for me this year, then I'm just preparing myself to be a better football player down the road."

**S I J i x ?**

Notre Dame appears on the cover of both Sports Illustrated and ESPN The Magazine this week.

When asked if Tuesday if he was a believer in the infamous jinx, Irish coach Tyrone Willingham responded, "Probably as much as Ali, Jordan and Tiger Woods."

One of the most recent examples of the St. Jinx affecting the Irish came in 1993, when the magazine put Notre Dame on the cover after it beat Florida State, only to lose to Boston College the next week.

**I n j u r y  u p d a t e .**

In addition to Holiday, center Jeff Faine and the stationary bike during practice as he tries to heal his sore ankle. Faine said he re-injured the ankle during warm-ups against Michigan State.

Running back Ryan Grani also walked around the practice field with his arm in a sling after re-injuring his shoulder. In addition to giving the banged-up Irish time to nurse their wounds, the open date also provides the Irish the challenge of staying focused despite not having a game on Saturday.

"For us to be a good team we have to take advantage of these days, to see if we can gain that kind of experience and that kind of ability to handle the mental process of not having a game," Willingham said.

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**Olsen gets shot to run Irish offense**

By ANDREW SOUKUP
Spor Wiser

Chris Olsen walked out to practice with a little extra bounce in his step Tuesday afternoon.

With Carlyle Holiday sidelined this week with a shoulder injury, that meant Olsen would back up Pat Dillingham at quarterback in practice. The first time in a long time the freshman has run the Notre Dame offense in practice. "I was just trying to get back into the offense," said Olsen, who normally directs the scout team offense. "I haven't really run it in a while, but by the second or third snap, I was back where I felt like I was at camp and I feel pretty comfortable back there."

Olsen estimated that he took 40 percent of the snaps Tuesday, compared to 60 percent for Dillingham, who Notre Dame coach Tyrone Willingham said would start if Holiday is unable to play against Stanford.

Holiday stood on the practice field with his left arm in a sling and rode a stationary bike for the first 20 minutes of practice. Later, he stood with the quarterback while Dillingham and Olsen understand various quirks on Notre Dame's offense. "When I went in there for my first snap, I thought "Don't be nervous, just get in there and do your thing," Olsen said. "He tells me what I can do to be better, and he's like another coach out there."

Olsen admitted that he felt a little extra pressure working as the backup quarterback, while Holiday stays out of practice. He's on sort of a crash-course to learn how to pick up the nuances of the offense in case something happens to Dillingham in a game. But while he's mentally preparing himself for the possibility that his services might be needed, Olsen is content with playing football. If he doesn't

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**Interhall continued from page 24**

half Cavanaugh drive. "Our defensive line did a good job stopping them on the run behind the line. That's the way we got that interception, because we were well organized." Olsen also stuffed a fourth-and-1 quarterback sneak early in the contest. Cavanaugh managed only a few long pass completions and back-to-back ten and seven yard reverses on offense.

The closest either team came to scoring was on Lyons' final drive. On fourth down with 45 seconds to play, Lyons called a timeout and completed a pass for a first down and a chance to put the game away.

A first down pass incomplete. The Cavanaugh defensive backs knocked down a fade pass to the corner of the end zone on second down. A screen pass on third down brought the Lions to the Chaos' 2-yard-line, but with no timeouts remaining, the offense had no time hurdle. A quick snap and a hurried play resulted in an incomplete pass and a 0-0 tie.

"We've come a long way since our first loss," said Lyons wide receiver Holly Law. "When I went in there for my first loss, I thought it was a low point in our season, and, God forbid, something happens to the center. Wong's extra point sealed the deal, as Lewis did not have enough time to respond with a fourth-and-1 touchdown pass in McGlinn's secondary. The Sham rocksrove a close game under pressure. With a record of 2-1, McGlinn is optimistic about pulling out a close game under pressure.

After a slow start, the McGlinn defense woke up and the Shamrocks bested the Lewis Chicks 13-12 in a close contest at Stepan fields on Tuesday night.

Jessica Fedor sacked Lewis quarterback Erin Nasraloah twice and Jessica Laux recorded one interception while Stephanie Yahn had two sacks that made a big difference. McGlinn had a great game. You have to give them credit."

"We had a really tough loss to Cavanaugh," said McGlinn defensive captain Jessica Laux. "But it's a pretty good comeback to turnaround and beat Lewis. Hopefully, this will give us momentum for our game against Lyons on Sunday and for the rest of season." Lewis defensive back Amy Kearn admitted McGlinn has gotten "a lot better since the last time we scrimmaged them."

The Chicks drop to 2-2, losing to Pasquerilla East and now McGlinn. Quarterback Erin Nasraloah, the team captain and leader of the squad, admitted McGlinn played well and Lewis can still improve.

"I think we played alright. I know we can play better," McGlinn had a great game. You have to give them credit."

Amanda Diorio had two interceptions for Lewis.

**Pasquerilla East 20, Pangborn 0**

Abby Coons threw for three touchdowns as Pasquerilla East defeated Pangborn 20-0 on Tuesday night at Stepan fields.

Pasquerilla East, which has defeated Lyons and Lewis already, improved to 3-1 record with intensity on both sides of the ball. Coons led the offense to a productive evening while Brita McCullough made several key stops at defensive end.

"Our defense was tough and our offense connected," said Pasquerilla East captain Lindsay Troupis.

The Pangborn Foxes emerge from last night's loss with a slight bit of confidence despite having an 0-3 record.

"I thought we looked really good," Pangborn captain Charlotte Troupis said. "We got down to the 10-yard line a lot. We just couldn't capitalize."

"It looks like we have a lot of good freshman...[and] a lot of talent. We just have to capitalize on it," said Troupis. "We're looking better than we did in the last three years."

"Troupis said the Foxes came close to intercepting several of Coons passes, but players simply could not hold on to the ball. Still, the Foxes acknowledge Coons outplayed them this night."

"Their quarterback did a great job," said Troupis.

Pasquerilla East Kelli Krimmel made one interception while Stephanie Yan had two interceptions. Each interception put the Pyros in good field position for touchdowns.

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LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): You may find it hard to get your point across today. Be professional and don't let your frustration show. Don't be too generous with children. ∗ ∗ ∗ ∗ ∗

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You should consider attending a seminar or signing up for a course. ★★★★

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): You will have to take care of matters for an older member of your family. Don't let this person become a burden. Do what is necessary quickly and get back to taking care of your own business. ★★★

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SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): Focus on work and take a short business trip if it will help you to wait a deal. Eat properly and leave yourself enough time at the end of the day to relax.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): Get involved in a group that has an interest in the youth in your community. Your input will be valuable and you should be able to make some new friends in the same time. Love relationships can be formed. ★★★★

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): Take time out to do things for yourself. Expand on a creative idea that you might have. Don't be too eager to part with your cash. ★★★★★

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20): Plan a vacation. Some days may occur today if you have to travel somewhere. Be sure to have your directions straight before you leave.

BIRTHDAY Baby: You will be a well-rounded person who is well liked. You will show your strength physically. You will think wisely and will execute whatever you do with great precision, honesty and thought.


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Irish legend Hart dead at 73

By KATIE McVOY
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Leon Hart, who won the 1949 Heisman Trophy and helped Notre Dame win three national titles, died Tuesday at age 73.

He also was a member of three NFL championship teams in his eight seasons with the Detroit Lions.

Hart died at the St. Joseph Medical Center in South Bend, Notre Dame associate athletic director John Heisler said. Hospital spokeswoman Betty Rowley said she did not know the cause of death.

"It simply falls into that category of the good die too soon," Notre Dame head coach Tyrone Willingham said. "You really hate that because he has been such a fine person and such fine player and such an integral part of this program's history. His passing is greatly missed."

The Irish went 36-0-2 during Hart's four years at the school, winning national championships in 1946, 1947 and 1949, and finishing No. 2 in 1948. The 6-foot-5, 250-pound Hart was The Associated Press athlete of the year in 1949.

"He was a great act," said John Latimer, who won the Heisman at Notre Dame in 1953. "I remember watching him in high school. He was a great athlete and had a great pro career. He was a nice guy, too.

Hart, who was from Turtle Creek, Pa., was one of only two linemen to win the Heisman. Larry Kelly of Yale was the other, in 1936. Hart was the last non-skilled position player to win the Heisman until Michigan cornerback Charles Woodson in 1997.

Hart and former Notre Dame quarter­back Angelo Bertelli are the only players to win the Heisman Trophy and national championship in the same season and then become the first overall player taken in the NFL draft.


During his pro career, Hart played end, defensive end and fullback.

In his eight seasons with the Lions, he had 174 catches for 2,499 yards and 26 touchdowns. He ran for 612 yards and five touchdowns, all in 1956, and had four interceptions, eight kick returns and twice returned fumbles for touchdowns.

After retiring from football, Hart lived in Birmingham, Mich., and ran a number of businesses, including one that made tire-balancing equipment.

His son, Kevin, played for the Irish from 1977-79. His grandson, Brendan, is a walk-on junior tight end for the Irish.

Sports writer Andrew Soakup also contributed to this report.

WOMENS INTERHALL FOOTBALL

Points at a premium

Cavanaugh, Lyons battle to scoreless tie

By PAT LEONARD
Sports Writer

The Cavanaugh Chaos and the Lyons Lions shook hands and walked their separate ways after playing under the lights at Stepdan Field Tuesday night: Neither team had points to show for their efforts. The game did not feature high-octane offense; instead, it was a battle for defensive supremacy.

The Chaos and Lions battled for 40 minutes to a 0-0 tie.

"The Cavanaugh defense forced Lyons three downs and out on the first drive, setting the tone for the remainder of the game," Cavanaugh, however, did not expect what would ensue on the other side of the ball. "The Lions' defense contained an attack that defeated Pasquerilla East and McGlinn in its first two games to begin the season undefeated," Cavanaugh's Meg Myers threw for 70 yards and hit favorite target Nancy Powaga three times for 30 yards, but key plays in the secondary and on the defensive line by Lyons kept Cavanaugh out of the end zone.

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FOOTBALL

Stovall, Irish try to avoid SI cover curse

By KATIE McVOY
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Last year, Sports Illustrated featured Oregon State on the cover of its magazine, touting the Beavers as possibly the year's best collegiate football program. Oregon State was chosen to finish first.

So goes the fabled "Sports Illustrated Curse." You find yourself on the cover of the magazine and the next week you trip over your shoelaces while chasing a fly ball, you accidentally hit your head in the next game. Cavanaugh, however, did not feature high-octane offense; instead, it was a battle for defensive supremacy.

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The Sept. 30 cover of Sports Illustrated magazine features Irish wide receiver Maurice Stovall.

The Irish are hoping to avoid the infamous jinx associated with being on SI's cover.

The Shamrocks squeaked out a last-minute victory over the Chicks Tuesday, while the Pyros poured it on the Foxes.

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