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Some of Notre Dame's youngest fans stoke up on food outside the Huddle, gathering energy to cheer the football team to victory against Pitt Saturday. [Photo by Leo Hansen]

Carter signs Panama treaty

WASHINGTON [AP] - President Jimmy Carter signed the historic and much-debated Panama Canal treaty last night, hailing it as "a symbol of mutual respect and cooperation."

Carter joined Panama's ruling general, Omar Torrijos, in signing the agreement that at the end of this century could finally give Panama control of the waterway carved through its midsection more than 63 years ago.

The signing ceremony at the Organization of American States climaxed what may have been Washington's biggest diplomatic

extravaganza - a three-day affair of talks and social activities attended by leaders of numerous Western Hemisphere nations.

Torrijos bluntly told the glittering diplomatic audience in the Hall of the Americas that it was time to end "a colonial conquest of our country." And he emphasized that the new agreement faces vocal opposition in his country.

Directly lecturing members of the U.S. Senate, which is sharply split on whether to ratify the accord, Torrijos quoted Abraham Lincoln: "Statesmen think of future generations while politicians think of the

next election."

Carter departed from his own text to salute former President Gerald R. Ford and Lady Bird Johnson, widow of the U.S. president who launched the canal negotiations 13 years ago.

The audience for the colorful ceremony also included representatives of 25 other nations, and former secretaries of State Henry Kissinger and William Rogers.

The American chief executive said the new treaty marks "the commitment of the United States to the belief that fairness and not force should lie at the heart of our dealings with the nations of the world."

Although the treaty caps 13 years of negotiations inspired by violence and the threat of violence along the canal that links the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, celebrations over the pact may be premature.

The canal treaty has won much more acclaim in Latin America than it has in the U.S. Senate, which could nullify the festivities by failing to ratify the treaty by a required two-thirds vote. That vote is expected to come next year.

While treaty debate in the United States is focused on questions of national power, Torrijos spelled out the questions raised by Panamanian opponents of the agreement.

Since Panama would not assume full control of the canal until the year 2000, that country would remain a "strategic target for reprisal" should the United States become involved in war in the next 23 years.

A companion agreement guaranteeing the United States power to

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Judicial chairmen discuss proposal

by Diane Wilson
Staff Reporter

Hall Judicial Board chairmen met last night to discuss the Board of Trustees' recent proposal to ban student participation in the University judicial process.

This meeting was one of many coordinated efforts by John Talbot and Steve Dane, student government judicial commissioners, to preserve the student voice in the University process. As is presently stands, the judicial process is the same as it has been in past years, with students serving on both the University Appeals Board and on the University Judicial Board.

According to Talbot, there have been proposals from the Board of Trustees to completely revamp this system. The revisions that the Board have proposed include doing away with the University's J-Board and removing all students from the University's Appeals Board.

If these proposals go into effect, students would be eliminated from the judicial process explained Talbot. Students would then deal only with Dean of Students James Roemer.

According to Talbot, the Board of Trustees is trying to simplify the judicial system so there will not be another "legal hassle" like there was last summer in dealing with football halfback Al Hunter. The Board wants to remove students from the Appeals Board because they feel that having the right to expel students places too much pressure on Student Appeals Board members.

With the uncertainty of the status of the J-Board, Talbot strongly advised that if a student receives a notice that he is to go before the dean of students, he should contact either Steve Dane (1559) or himself (1692) for counseling and to find out exactly what his rights are.

The Board of Trustees will meet Oct. 23 to decide what to do about their proposals. In the mean time, Talbot and Dane are both working on a committee to form counter-proposals to offer the board. Talbot and Dane both feel that if the halls can offer a strong judicial system to students, the trustees would request for student representation.

After Talbot explained why the meeting had been called, Mark Eck, an R.A. from Dillon Hall, presented the administration's point of view. Eck explained how Student Affairs does not consist entirely of Dean Roemer.

"Dean Roemer is just one part of a very complex system," Eck stated. In explaining how the disciplinary process should work, he stated that only as a last resort is a student ever sent to the dean. The hall staff is supposed to exhaust every facility available to them before they send any case to Roemer, Eck added.

Only when a student refuses to accept any other kind of help is he sent to the dean, Eck explained. He went on to stress that any problem which occurred with the dorm was considered a dorm problem and was handled as such.

Dane then expressed what the entire council felt was a major problem with the Notre Dame judicial system: its unfairness to students. Dane explained that often the dorm you lived in determined the punishment you received for any given infraction of the rules. Dane emphasized that "a lot more inner action" was needed if fairness was ever going to be achieved.

Talbot warned that "there has to be a change and it has to come now." The only question, he stated, is what kind of a change it will be.

The chairmen then began discussing how they felt the J-Boards within each hall should act, and what actions can be taken to improve the board's power and standing in each hall. The Lyon's Hall representative pointed out that presently the J-Board chairmen have no foundation or constitution to work with and perhaps that would be the best place to begin.

It was also suggested that there be some formal rules set up as to exactly how the hall J-Boards should be selected and what kind of jurisdiction they should have. It was pointed out that presently the hall rectors have the choice of whether to use the J-Boards or not and that in some halls they are inactive.

Some of the hall chairmen re-

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Hall Judicial Board chairmen met last night with Student Government judicial commissioners John Talbot and Steve Dane, to discuss a proposal that would end student participation in the University judicial process. [Photo by Leo Hansen]

Demonstrators protest outside White House

WASHINGTON [AP] - Some 2,000 demonstrators representing a coalition of about 30 human rights organizations gathered across the street from the White House after the Panama Canal treaty was signed last night.

As President Jimmy Carter and his guests met for dinner at the White House after the signing ceremony, the demonstrators began a chanting march on the sidewalk in front of the Executive Mansion.

Limousines carrying the foreign leaders entered the White House grounds through a rear gate and were not seen by the demonstrators, but a shout went up briefly when unidentified individuals appeared briefly on the North Portico.

It appeared to be one of the largest - perhaps the largest demonstration at the White House

since the days of the Vietnam war, but it remained orderly.

The theme of that rally was repression by military dictators in Latin America.

Before last night's signing ceremony, about 100 demonstrators rallied against the treaty a block from the Organization of American States as political leaders from the hemisphere entered and left the building.

Last night, police on foot and horseback were stationed about ten feet apart on the grass covered Ellipse behind the White House. Plain clothes officers and Secret Service agents were scattered among them and a helicopter hovered overhead.

A block and a half away on the Washington Monument grounds, a line of demonstrators chanted. But they could hardly be heard.

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News Briefs

World

SWANSEA WALES - Mr. Muscle, the traditional He-Man ideal, is a myth today, according to Dr. Sally Back, a professor at Butler University in Indianapolis who specializes in studying love.

National

WASHINGTON - President Carter is ready to recommend to congress a pipeline route across Canada for transporting Alaska natural gas to the lower 43 states, rejecting a proposal for an "all-American route," congressional and industry sources said yesterday. The President will announce his decision today after meeting with Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, the sources said.

Local

INDIANAPOLIS - Anita Bryant will bring her anti-homosexual crusade to Indianapolis Oct. 7 as a part of a mass rally at the Indiana State Fairgrounds. Bryant will be paid about \$3,000 plus expenses to present a program of patriotic and inspirational music, Rep. Donald Boys, R - Indianapolis said. Her fees will be paid from an offering at the rally, he said. Boys also said he would present a "right to decency bill" at the rally and circulate petitions for those who support it.

On Campus Today

4:30 pm smc off-campus picnic, all you can eat, smc clubhouse, \$1.

7, 9, 11 pm film, "mahogany", sponsored by the student union, engineering auditorium, \$1.

Weather

Early morning fog today becoming partly sunny later in the day with highs in the low to mid 80s. Fair tonight with lows in the low 80s. Very warm and humid Friday with highs in the mid to upper 80s.

J-Board revision discussed

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lated how now J-Boards worked with in their halls. Keenan's J-Board is carefully selected and screened by the hall staff. The rector respects the board and it is very active within the hall.

It was the general agreement of the Hall Judicial Board that if the rector did not respect the J-Board, then it would have no power within the hall.

The representative from Alumni explained that their J-Board works, but that every case must go to the rector first. Farley and Breen-Phillips representatives both stated their boards were not used to hear cases but were used for other purposes. In Sorin the J-Board hears no cases because the hall staff will not go to them.

After finishing their discussion, the J-Board chairmen decided to form a committee to find out what the students want from their hall J-Boards. Dane said that if "compromises are made everyone can run their own systems under set-down guidelines."

Each hall chairman was to prepare findings of certain aspects of the J-Boards for the committee so they can work with Talbot and Dane in preparing a proposal for the Board of Trustees. These aspects include: how the board should be selected by election, by selection by hall staff or selection by students; what should be done about the rector situation; what the J-Boards should have jurisdiction over (drugs, alcohol, parietals), and in what capacity the J-Boards should act. They are planning to meet again to vote on various proposals and prepare a case for presentation before the Board of Trustees.

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Apparently, male students weren't the only ones who enjoyed last night's panty raid, as Regina women drop encouraging tokens from windows. About 1500 Notre Dame men participated in the raid, started by Zahm Hall residents. [Photo by Doug Christian]

Psychopath charged in St. Mary's attack

by Jean Powley
St. Mary's Editor

A 36-year old New Carlisle man has been charged by St. Joseph County Police with the armed robbery and attempted sexual assault of a St. Mary's freshman Tuesday morning.

According to St. Mary's Security Director Anthony Kovatch, James Like, came on campus Tuesday morning and began wandering around. Kovatch said Like entered Holy Cross at approximately 11:30 a.m. and took the stairs to the second floor.

The freshman reported that he

came in her room armed with a gun, and attempted to rape her. She said Like gave up, however, when she fought him, and instead stole \$30 from her.

Like then allegedly bound her with a pillowcase and a belt and shut her in the closet.

She managed to free herself within a few minutes and immediately called Security. From the description the freshman gave them, Security apprehended Like within five minutes as he left Holy Cross, walking toward LeMans.

Kovatch reported that Like is a psychopath with a long criminal and mental record.

Liddy released from prison, returns home

OXON HILL, Md. [AP]- Gordon Liddy, the silent unrepentant plotter who concocted the Watergate burglary that led to Richard Nixon's downfall as president, headed home from prison yesterday to an uncertain future and a crushing debt.

He spent 52 and one half months in prison, 20 months longer than any other Watergate figure, and yet there was no fancy welcome planned by his wife and five teenage children.

"Just having him home is going to be enough of a celebration," said 15 year old Tommy Liddy. "He said a few years ago that when he comes home he doesn't want a yellow ribbon. We're just going to

take up where we left off."

The 46-year-old Liddy, who conceived and supervised the Watergate burglary while working as a lawyer for Nixon's 1972 re-election committee, was released from the Federal Correctional Institution at Danbury, Conn., Wednesday morning.

His wife, Frances, met him there with their brown subcompact car, for the seven hour drive home to this Washington, D.C. suburb.

Liddy, who made silence his trademark, gave a typical reply when reporters asked where they were going.

"East of the sun and west of the moon," he replied. It's the title of a popular song of past years and of a Norwegian fairy tale, but Liddy

said no more to explain himself.

Before he could be released, Liddy has to swear in court that he was a pauper and unable to pay his \$40,000 fine. He told a magistrate in Pennsylvania on Tuesday that he owed \$337,500, including \$250,000 to his lawyer, Peter Maroulis of Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

A neighbor in Oxon Hill said there will be a drive to help Liddy pay off his debt. Liddy has been disbarred as a lawyer and, although he reportedly has offers, so far has no job.

The neighbor said the Liddy's would spend his first night of freedom in the Washington area, but not at home. Son Tommy said the same thing.

Since five burglars were arrested

in Democratic party headquarters on June 17, 1972, nearly everyone involved in Watergate and its subsequent coverup from Nixon on down has talked about it in some forum, not Liddy.

Nixon, pardoned for any crimes, has given sworn depositions, talked about Watergate and other things for an estimated million on television, and is writing a book for a reported \$2 million. E. Howard Hunt Jr., who recruited the burglars for Liddy and spent 32 months in jail, has testified in court, lectured for pay and written a book.

James W. McCord Jr., the committee's security chief, was one of the first to testify and the Watergate burglar who served the least time in prison. The four Cuban Americans, captured with McCord, all testified at length.

Liddy was paid \$30,000 for

appearing on CBS-TV's "60 Minutes" in late 1974 while he was on appeal. But then he would discuss Watergate and expressed scorn for those who did.

Liddy was one of 25 persons sent to jail for Watergate or its aftermath.

With his release, the Bureau of Prisons has only three Watergate figures left, but they are the most prominent officials from Nixon's administration caught in the Watergate coverup net; domestic advisor John D. Erlichman, Attorney General John N. Mitchell and Chief of Staff H.R. Haldeman.

All are in minimum security institutions. Erlichman was incarcerated at Safford, Arizona, last Oct. 28; Mitchell at Maxwell AFB in Alabama on June 22, and Haldeman in Iompoc, Calif., on June 21.

Provost Brown's career outlined

by Jim Coyne



FR. FERNINAND L. BROWN

Fr. Ferdinand L. Brown, recently appointed acting provost of Notre Dame, is no stranger to the University. Brown joined the Notre Dame faculty in 1946, and taught mathematics until 1963. Ordained a priest at Notre Dame in 1942, Brown has also held the posts of Religious Superior of the Holy Cross Order at Notre Dame, acting vice-president for academic affairs, and, most recently, associate provost.

During his association with the University, Brown has also been

involved with student life. He was prefect of Dillon Hall from 1945 to 1949, and rector of two halls; Cavanaugh, from 1949 to 1951, and Walsh, from 1952 to 1960.

Brown is affiliated with the American Mathematical Society, and is the author of four publications: *Remarks Concerning Tri-Operational Algebra, I, II, III, and Reports of a Mathematics Colloquium-Notre Dame- issues 5, 6, 7, 8.*

When asked his reaction to the appointment, Brown replied in a word, that it was, "overwhelming," and added "we'll do the best job we can."

Brown received his A.B. in philosophy from Notre Dame in 1938, and went on to receive a Master's degree in mathematics in 1945, and a Ph.D. in mathematics in 1947, also from Notre Dame. From 1951 to 1952, Brown was a post doctoral fellow at Yale University. His theological studies were completed at Holy Cross College in Washington, D.C. in 1942.

His appointment to the position of acting provost was made by University President Fr. Theodore M. Hesburgh. Brown succeeds Fr. James T. Burtchael, who resigned on August 25.

Weber to take semester off

by Patrice Dermody

Dr. Ronald Weber, director of the American Studies Program confirmed rumors yesterday that he will take a leave of absence from the University in the spring semester. Weber emphasized that this move is not sudden and falls within what he called the "normal course of events."

A graduate of Notre Dame, Weber received his Master's Degree in English from the University of Iowa and his Doctorate in American Studies from the University of Minnesota. He has directed Notre Dame's American Studies Program for the past seven years. He has also been a member of various University councils while continuing to teach two classes each semester.

Commenting on his reasons for leaving, Weber stated that he wanted to do some writing and work on new courses which he has in mind. "I'd like to go abroad, and probably will," Weber said, "although I have made no specific plans as of yet." He did say, however, that he will return to Notre Dame for the summer session and will also assume full time teaching responsibilities as a professor of American Studies next Fall.

In naming a successor to Weber, Dean Isabel Charles of the College of Arts and Letters announced that Father Hesburgh has appointed Thomas Schlereth as the new Director of the American Studies Program. Because of Schlereth's previous commitments, however, he will not take over this position until September of 1978. Professor Thomas Stritch will act as an interim chairman for the spring semester of this academic year.

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ND group works to free political prisoners

by Maribeth Moran

Apolonia Buenventura is free today through the efforts of a group of Notre Dame students and faculty. They belong to Amnesty International (AI), a group committed to the freeing of "prisoners of conscience" throughout the world. Amnesty International is an in-

dependent international organization working for the release of political prisoners unlawfully detained for their beliefs, political persuasion, or color, provided that they do not advocate the use of terrorism or violence.

The organization was founded in London in the early 1960's. With the international secretariat still in

Britain, AI has about 50 other national groups spread throughout the world.

Buenventura is the first such case that the ND chapter has resolved. According to Gilbert Loescher, Assistant Dean of the College of Arts and Letters and spokesman for the group, Buenventura was arrested and held without trial until she was released after a letter writing campaign in her behalf. During her 7 months imprisonment she reportedly was ill fed and housed as well as being tortured. After being the object of diplomatic pressure the Philippine government decided to release her at the beginning of the summer.

Loescher went on to say that efforts are still being made on behalf of the two other prisoners assigned to the Notre Dame chapter: a Rhodesian interned without a trial and a Kamaronian under the same circumstances.

Oppressed individuals rather than groups are the primary concern of AI. The organization is made up of national secretariats who assign specific cases to each adoption group (chapter) that will in turn concentrate on having these prisoners released.

The chapter will then write letters on behalf of the prisoner and try to bring diplomatic pressure on the particular government to release that individual. AI also provides moral and financial support to the family of the prisoner during this time.

In addition to the letter writing campaigns, the ND group is co-sponsoring an art show with the Art Gallery that features the prints of 15 internationally prominent artists who dominated their talent in order

to raise money for the organization.

Among the artists are: Armon, Max Bill, Fernando Batero, Alexander Calder, and Alexander Libermen.

On Activities Night, September 12, 1977, the Notre Dame chapter

of AI will have a table in Stepan. Anyone interested in supporting this world-wide effort should talk to someone in the booth. There will be a general meeting for both students and faculty on September 15 at 4 p.m. in 104 O'Shaughnessy.

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My roommate: HELP !!!!

by Don O'Sullivan

Contrary to popular myth and legend, there is no master computer or clairvoyant deciding which people are best suited to live together. Freshmen become roommates purely by chance.

During the summer each freshman fills out a card stating his first and second choices for halls. This card and a fee of \$100 confirms that he has become a part of the Notre Dame community.

The Housing Office places each freshman in the hall of their choice on a "first come, first serve" basis, according to the arrival date of the confirmation card. If the quota of freshmen is filled in the first choice, the freshman receives the second choice.

If freshmen find their roommates completely unbearable, they are advised to speak with their rector or rectress. Most problems are solved within the halls. For major problems, however, the Office of Student Housing is always willing to help.



Picasso's "LeMiroir" [1932], from the School of Paris Exhibit, is currently being displayed at the O'Shaughnessy Art Gallery. The faculty exhibit and the Amnesty International exhibit are also now at the gallery. [Photo by Leo Hansen]

Carney '77 approaching

by Maureen Eyres

Carney '77, billed as the "world's largest picnic on one campus," will bring a carnival-like atmosphere to the North and South Quads this Friday. A picnic dinner of chicken and hot dogs will be served in front of each dining hall beginning at 4:30 p.m.

Co-sponsored by the Freshman Orientation Committee, chaired by Nan Bufalino, and Student Government, Carney '77 marks the opening of the school year and serves as the key social event of freshman orientation. Mike Duffy, an Orientation Committee member commented, "Carney gives freshmen the chance to mix with sophomores, juniors, and seniors. It makes them feel a part of the Notre

Dame Community."

The Nazz will provide entertainment by three folk groups in the front of the flag pole on the South Quad beginning at 4:45 p.m. WSND will be on hand to provide music between the acts and live coverage of the events. Clowns will pass out helium balloons on both quads.

Continuing in the festive spirit, the Student Union Social Commission and Keenan Hall are sponsoring a Block Party at the Stepan basketball courts later that night from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Entertainment will be provided by "Sahara," a band from Chicago. Refreshments will be available. In case of rain, the Block Party will be moved inside Stepan Center.

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Supreme Court to hear arguments in Bakke case

WASHINGTON [AP] - The Supreme Court said Tuesday it will hear arguments Oct. 12 in a case many legal experts believe will lead to the court's most important decision on race relations since segregation was outlawed 23 years ago.

The case could decide the fate of special programs in education and business that benefit blacks and other minorities discriminated against in the past.

Such programs have been praised by supporters as "affirmative action" and scorned by others who claim they foster a type of "reverse discrimination," against whites.

Allan Bakke, a white Sunnyvale, CA, resident, believes he was discriminated against by the University of California at Davis Medical School because the school

admitted 16 allegedly less qualified minority students ahead of him.

The California Supreme Court agreed with Bakke, ruling last October that the medical school's policy of admitting "special students" over white students who were more qualified was unconstitutional. The university is appealing that decision.

The Bakke case was listed on an oral argument schedule for 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 12. One hour has been allotted for arguments, 30 minutes for each side.

Former Watergate special prosecutor Archibald Cox, who argued many cases before the Supreme Court while serving in the Justice Department as solicitor general, will argue for the university. Bakke will be represented by San Francisco attorney Reynold Colvin.

Panama Canal treaty signed

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intervene after 2000 to protect the neutrality of the canal could become an instrument for perpetual intervention in Panamanian affairs.

En route to the ceremony, the rarely used black presidential limousine in which Carter, the First Lady, Ford and Mrs. Johnson were riding passed demonstrators bearing signs saying "Respect Human Rights in the Americas" and "Fascist Violence - A Disease of the Americas." One man shouted: "Go back to Russia where you belong."

Still others along the short motorcade route applauded as groups of left and right wing protesters gathered at the White House and near the OAS.

Officials here believe Senate rejection of the treaty would trigger guerrilla warfare and mob violence in the Canal Zone similar to the riots that erupted there in 1964.

Some problems already have erupted because of the treaty's terms. Panamanian demonstrators who favor immediate takeover of the canal rather than the phased in

control provided by the agreement hurled stones and shouted slogans outside the Foreign Ministry in Panama City yesterday.

The President noted the canal will not be under total Panamanian control for 23 years and said that even "after that, the United States will still be able to counter any threat to the canal's neutrality."

Just hours before the signing, U.S. and Panamanian negotiators formalized an agreement specifying the two countries' obligations on land and water use and other issues. Officials described the agreement as a supplement to the treaty itself.

To underscore Latin American pleasure with the treaty, hemisphere leaders arranged to sign a Declaration of Washington expressing their "profound satisfaction" at the conclusion of treaty negotiations backed by every U.S. President since Lyndon B. Johnson.

Neighboring Mexico remained opposed, however, to the second part of the agreement involving

potential U.S. military intervention to protect the 63 year old canal. The Mexican government regards this as an infringement of Panamanian sovereignty.

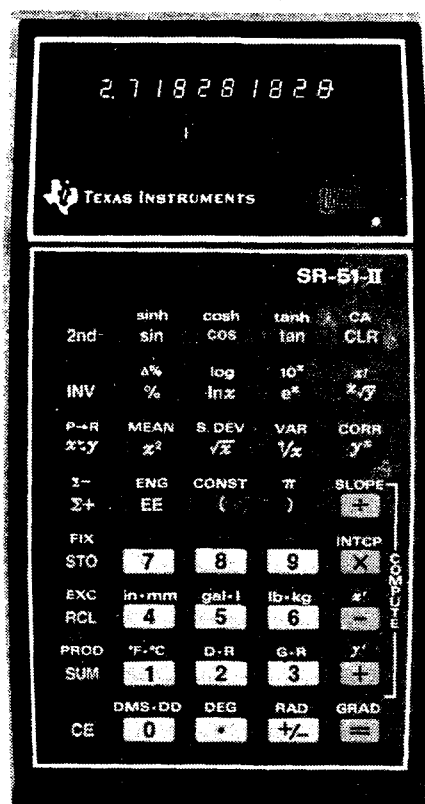
Actually, two separate agreements are involved in the treaty, although they are viewed as indivisible. One calls for phasing out U.S. control over the canal by the year 2000, when Panama would assume full operational authority. Under the second accord, the United States reserves the permanent right to intervene militarily against any threat to the canal.

As part of the treaty festivities, and the first hemisphere summit ever held here, Carter has been meeting privately with the 18 government heads who have gathered for the occasion. His first visitor was Gen. Omar Torrijos, Panama's government chief.

In meeting after meeting Carter has pursued such favorite topics as human rights, arms spending restraint and an end to nuclear proliferation.

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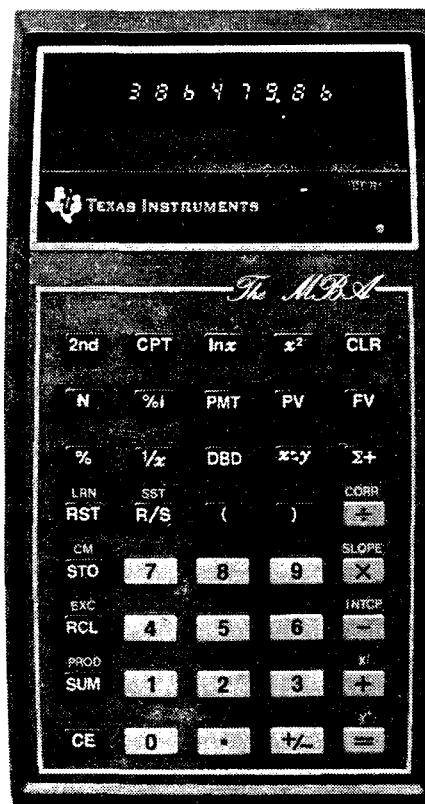
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Demonstrators protest Panama agreement

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Howard Phillips, national director of the Conservative Caucus, told the demonstrators who gathered near the OAS: "President Carter is a human rights hypocrite for collaborating with the present regime in Panama."

He said the 1978 congressional elections would be "a referendum on whether we have leaders who will listen to the majority of the people who oppose this treaty."

Earlier yesterday, a coalition of opponents of the treaty demonstrated on the steps of the Capitol to charge that Carter is surrendering the water-way to an "unstable, venal, immoral leftist dictator of the highest order."

Rep. Robert Dornan, who used those words in describing Panama's chief of government, Omar Torrijos, was only one of nearly a dozen congressmen and senators who addressed the rally organized

by an ad hoc group called the Emergency Coalition to Save the Panama Canal. About 200 persons participated, holding up signs calling Torrijos a "tin pot dictator," and Carter a "human rights hypocrite."

The coalition, made up of politically conservative groups and mostly Republican law-makers, planned a second demonstration later, across the street from the Pan American Union where the treaty signing was to take place.

Among the claims raised by speakers was that American taxpayers will be forced to spend millions to help Torrijos' regime pay off huge debts owed to several U.S. banks. Sol Linowitz, the new York banker who headed the U.S. treaty team, was referred to by one speaker as "the Bert Lance of international negotiations."

Rep. Philip Crane, R-Ill., chairman of the American Conserv

Union, charged that Carter has not told the American people the same story about the canal treaties that Panamanian officials have told their people.

He said Linowitz', Panamanian counterpart, Romulo Escobar Betancourt, in an Aug. 19 speech to Panama's national assembly, denied that the treaties would give the United States the right to intervene militarily if the canal's security was threatened, a point that Carter has repeatedly stated.

"We demand to know-was Escobar lying to the Panamanians or are we being lied to?" Crane said.

Halfway through the rally on the Capitol's east steps, six uniformed, crash-helmeted members of the American Nazi Party showed up carrying a large sign reading "Keep the Canal, Dump Carter."

To the consternation of rally organizers, Capitol police told the Nazis they could not stand in the

parking lot but would have to move up toward the steps - which they did, marching in double rank. "Go away," shouted demonstrators on the steps. Crane asked whether the Nazis could be forced to leave, and was told by an aide that the police said they could do nothing to prevent their presence.

The Nazi leader, "group leader" Jerry McGhee, said they had heard radio announcements about the anti-treaty rally and decided to join it because "by signing the canal back over to the Panamanians it will become a Soviet-controlled asset."

Sacred Heart mass to open school year

A Mass formally opening the academic year at Notre Dame has been scheduled for 10:45 a.m. Sunday in Sacred Heart Church. Fr. Theodore M. Hesburgh, University president, will be the principal celebrant and homilist.

New members of the faculty will be introduced to administration officials at a reception in the Center for Continuing Education from 3 to

5 p.m. Sunday. The fall semester of the University's 136th year began Aug. 30 and will continue through final examinations Dec. 22. A mid-semester vacation has been scheduled from Oct. 22 through 30 and a Thanksgiving holiday is November 24 through 27. The spring semester begins Jan. 18 and will continue through the Commencement Weekend of May 19-21.

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Wanted: Michigan State tickets - General admission, preferably. Will pay \$. Call 4-4001 and ask for Jeanne or Mo.

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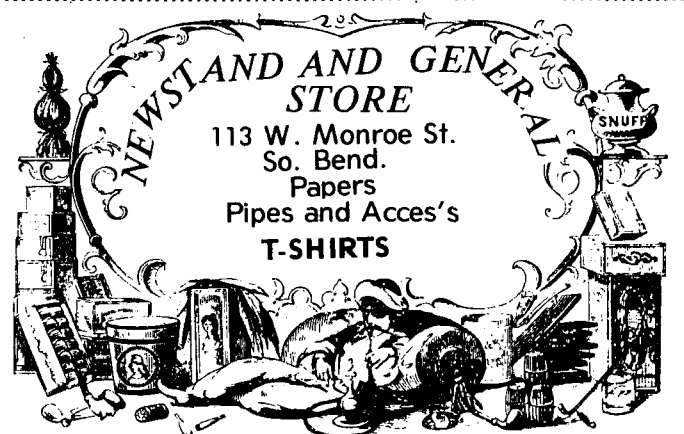
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SMC complains about water

by Maureen Sajbel
Senior Staff Reporter

Many St. Mary's students have noticed a change in the school's water in the past two weeks. The water, according to some, has an iron taste to it and leaves a rust-colored residue in sinks, tubs, and toilets.

"Every time I wash my hands I smell rust," complained one LeMans resident. "The water tastes terrible and the ice in the dining hall even has a yellowish color," she added. Some dorm residents have also complained about the yellowish stains left on clothes after using the school's machines.

These conditions, while they may cause an inconvenience, are harmless and temporary, according to Frank Koontz, director of maintenance and operations at St. Mary's. The current problems stem from an inoperative water tank on campus. The reservoir tank, known as the high tank, holds 25,000 gallons of water and has been out of use for two weeks for cleaning and repainting purposes.

"It was supposed to be fixed up before you girls ever came back to school," Koontz apologized, "but it'll be fixed by the end of this week or the beginning of the next if it doesn't rain."

Water for St. Mary's comes from the school's own well system and is currently being pumped from the school's number five well and through a 15,000 gallon storage tank. Sequestering agents, chemicals that regulate iron levels in the water, are normally used in the system, but cannot be added to the water in this smaller capacity tank.

"There is no chemical feeder in the tank," said Koontz in explaining the higher concentration of iron. But Koontz went on to say that the water is "good, clean, hard, well water," and that there is "not a thing wrong with it."

The water conditions do not impose a health hazard, according to the St. Mary's Health Service. "I don't think any of our health problems are related to it," stated Gloria Chelminiak, one of the Infirmary nurses.

The current conditions haven't affected operations in the St. Mary's dining hall either, stated Food Service Director Charles Flaim. "I haven't noticed any problems with the water at St. Mary's," he said.

"It has affected the kid's clothes. That's been a complaint that we've heard," said Mary Ann Daly, assistant director of LeMans Hall. "The kids have been really nice about it when they understand that it's temporary."



St. Mary's students have been complaining lately about iron taste and rusty residue in water, but the water doesn't contain harmful substances, SMC maintenance said. [Photo by Leo Hansen]

Wisc. judge defeated

MADISON Wisc. [AP] - Dane County Judge Archie Simonson, whose remarks linking sexual permissiveness with rape created a furor in this liberal university community, was defeated in a recall election yesterday by an attorney with strong feminist backing.

With 100 of Dane County's 137 wards reporting, Mori Krueger had rolled up 15,507 votes to Simonson's 11,735.

The judge, whose regular six-year term expires next April, took an early lead in rural areas but quickly fell to second place as Madison ballots were counted.

Simonson was forced into the recall election by a 35,000 signature petition drive after he made comments from the bench linking rape and women's clothing.

Ms. Krueger, who spent more than \$15,000 in the campaign backed by area feminists, led the field of six candidates. There will be no runoff election.

In third place was Daniel Mosser, an assistant family court commissioner, with 8,933 votes.

Three other Madison attorneys were also running. William Bradford Smith had 5,101, while Robert Burr had 2,994 and Worth Piper 1,982.

Simonson, who voted early in the day at the same school where three youths allegedly raped a 16-year-old girl last year, drew national attention and the anger of local feminists for his comments from the bench during a hearing in the case.

The judge said during the campaign that his comments were rhetorical and he does not personally believe Madison's sexually permissive climate or provocative women's clothing makes rape a normal reaction in a young man.

Chess team to play match

The Notre Dame Chess Team will meet the South Bend Chess Club this Saturday at 9:30 a.m. in Room 325 of the Mathematics and Computer Science Building.

The teams will compete on 25 boards in their annual match for possession of the Donald Brooks Cup. The cup is named after South Bend's only Chess Master.

Notre Dame has won three of five matches for the cup, but the trophy is presently held by the South Bend Club after their 18 to 5 victory last year.

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ADAPTED PHYSICAL EDUCATION - Dr. Evelyn A. Davies - Professor of Physical Education, Indiana University

10:15 - noon

WOMEN'S SPORTS: PROSPECTS AND PROBLEMS - panel - Kathleen Cordes - Athletic director, Saint Mary's College - coordinator

WOMEN'S COLLEGE ATHLETICS - "We're Surviving Beautifully" Leanne Grotke - Department of Physical Education, Indiana University; member, Executive Board, Association for Intercollegiate Athletics for Women (IAIW).

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

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FENCING CLINIC - Michael DeCicco - Coach of the University of Notre Dame Fencing Team

"THE SHORT GAME" -Carmen Piasecki

KARATE CLINIC AND DEMONSTRATION - "Women's Self Defense" - Myong Kim (6th degree black belt) and Barbara Copeland (2nd degree black belt) of Myong Kim's Karate School

All events open to the public.

Lisch: an all-around athlete prepared for the challenge

by Bone Bourret
Sports Writer

Rusty Lisch does not have the experience of Tom Clements, the bravado and slipperiness of Joe Theisman, the passing accuracy of Terry Hanratty, or even the smarts of current Notre Dame Law Student Rick Slager, but few Notre Dame quarterbacks of the past were as fine an all-around athlete.

Saturday's starting signal caller for Notre Dame has many assets in his repertoire of offensive talents. He is a very strong runner and few passers in the country have as strong an arm. His 6-4 frame allows him to get the optimal possible view of a play as it develops.

"I would not categorize myself as a running or a passing quarterback," says the baby faced Lisch. "I like to be regarded as an all-around player, who is considered at least a threat to do one or the other. Even in high school I was not considered to be exclusively one or the other. I only threw about 15 passes a game."

Lisch showed his versatility in the final three regular season contests last season. His first taste of pressured varsity competition came against Alabama in a nationally televised game. With Notre Dame holding on to a tenuous 21-18 lead, Rick Slager suffered a

shoulder injury and could not continue. With still over nine minutes left, Lisch was forced to take command of the offense, a team he had quarterbacked less than 20 minutes in his previous varsity career. "I really was not that nervous when I entered the game," Lisch commented in retrospect. "When I go into a game I don't think about the crowd or the importance of the game. I just go in and run the plays. I never even hear the crowd."

If Lisch had heard the crowd he would have been listening to countless cheers as he secured the Irish victory with two key third down 21-yard runs on bootleg plays in the final minutes.

The following Saturday he made the only start of his varsity career against the Miami Hurricanes, a game the Irish needed to win to be extended a bowl invitation. Lisch proved he has the potential to be an excellent passer in this game, completing five passes for over 100 yards. His finest aerial of the game, and of the season, was a 42-yard strike to Da Kelleher 1:20 before the half, a score that gave the Irish a commanding 17-0 lead.

His final appearance of the season was in another nationally televised extravaganza against Southern California. Rusty had his finest total offense day as he accounted for 163 yards rushing

and passing in only 2 and one-half quarters of playing time.

Dispite his apparent inexperience, it will be his third game on national television. The national TV cameras won't cause Lisch any worries, but the Panther defense will. "Pittsburgh will present problems to the offense and me particularly because they have one of the best secondaries in the country. But, I've worked hard on my throwing all summer, passing to Kris Haines on the quad and at Cartier Field when we were both at summer school."

The Belleville, Illinois native, who lives a few football fields from Jimmy Connors, had a full schedule this summer. He was in class from eight until noon working on credits toward his Architecture degree. From about 1 p.m. until 3:30 p.m. he threw spirals to his football mates before heading to the "Rock" for a little basketball with the likes of Adrian Dantley, Duck Williams and the rest of the varsity B-Ball team. After dinner, until sundown, he marched to the golf course for a quick nine. Golf could be Rusty's best sport if he dedicated himself to it. Although a bit erratic, he has been known to shoot in the mid-seventies when he can control an unpredictable slice.

"Participating in the other sports helps my football abilities. Basketball helps my quickness and reaction, and builds endurance. Golf is good for your timing, but I play golf because it relaxes me. I just love to play."

His postgame activities after the victory over Alabama last season, a triumph in which he played an important role, verifies his love for golf. Minutes after his fine performance he belted for his room in Morrissey Hall. His abrupt exit left the national press writers in a quandry, for they wanted to discuss the day's occurrences with the humble sophomore. Why did Rusty make such a hasty departure? It was not to rest and savor the victory, and certainly not to get an early start on celebrating.



Quarterback Rusty Lisch will be required to utilize all his ball-handling skills to ensure an Irish victory this Saturday.

"It was getting dark, so I had to hurry if I was going to get nine holes in. I would have made it but I lost my only ball on number seven." If a sports writer wants an in depth interview with Mr. Lisch this year after a fine performance on a sunny day he better reserve a late afternoon tee time at Burke Memorial.

But, Lisch's chief athletic goal is excellence in football. "Rusty is a very dedicated athlete," coach

Devine stated "He has improved immensely since his freshman year. All he does is study and play football. He is not only a fine passer and runner, but he possesses fine leadership qualities."

At the moment, Lisch may not excell in all the categories that typify an All-American quarterback. But, the talent is there. Saturday would be a perfect time for Lisch to unleash.

Tennis team victorious

by Laurie Reising
Women's Sports Editor

The Notre Dame women's tennis team made an impressive debut yesterday afternoon when they easily took care of visiting St. Joseph's College, 9-0. The Irish won all of their matches, never allowing their opponents the opportunity of a third set.

The women netters looked exceedingly strong and confident in the singles action. In first singles, junior Mary Shukis had minimal difficulty in her first set but came back strong in the second as she subdued St. Joseph's Betsy Fink 6-4, 6-1. The match contained some excellent volleys and great shots.

Paddy Mullen soundly thrashed her opponent, Barb Fink, 6-0, 6-0. Jean Barton, new to the team this season, also had a tough first set, but like Shukis, turned it on in the second to put down Karen O'Brien, 6-4, 6-0. Irish co-captain, Diane Shillingburg, breezed to a 6-2, 6-1 victory over Lucy Shepherd.

The freshmen singles players showed no signs of first game butterflies as they convincingly won their matches. Maureen Noonan handed her opponent, Cathy McGrath, a 6-1, 6-0 defeat, while teammate Sioban Kilbride was trouncing Cathy Meyer 6-0, 6-2. When asked how it felt winning her first match for Notre Dame, Kilbride remarked, "It was really exciting; I was a little nervous at first though."

In the doubles competition, senior Eleanor McManus and junior Anne Kelly combined their expertise to take care of the Fink twins 6-1, 6-0. Notre Dame's own set of twins, Shiela and Laura Cronin, the only doubles team to have ever played together before yesterday's match, took care of the duo of O'Brien and Shepherd 6-3, 6-2. Finally, Sue Leininger and Maureen Noonan had an easy time as they posted scores of 0 and 1 against opponents McGrath and Cathy Meyer.

For Irish coach, Sharon Petro it was a great start in her career at Notre Dame. Petro said she was "extremely excited over all of her girls performances." Captain Diane Shillingburg was even more elated as she remarked that she was "unbelievably optimistic, we could possibly have 11 monogram

winners on this years team."

The squad will have a chance to prove themselves this weekend as they face some formidable competition. Friday, they will be at home hosting Depauw University. The matches are scheduled to begin at 4 p.m. Immediately after the conclusion of that event the team leaves for Upland, Indiana where they will be participating in a doubles tournament at Taylor University.

Tom Desmond

Strategy

Six-Pointers

In a little more than 48 hours Dan Devine will lead the Fighting Irish onto the astroturf of Pitt Stadium in the hope of taking a big step toward the National Championship that the country's scribes have predicted for them. Although the season's opener, the game will have a great deal of bearing on the entire campaign for both squads and the title hopes may vanish completely for the team that comes up on the short end of the score.

Further, this match of two independent powers will provide the first set of answers to questions that have dominated the pre-season speculations. Can Pitt defend its National title without Tony Dorsett? Are the Irish as strong as the prognosticators feel they are? Can a defensive lineman really challenge for the Heisman? And, finally, how strong is the Sports Illustrated jinx?

A capacity crowd of over 56,000 and millions more via television will witness a game filled with strategy on Saturday. Here is a capsule look at what coaches Dan Devine and Jackie Sherrill hope their teams can do during the twilight hours in the Steel City. When Pitt is on offense: The strategy for the Panthers is dictated by their personnel. Experienced at the skill positions, but young in the line, Pitt will look to the big play. With quarterback Matt Cavanaugh throwing to speedsters Gordon Jones and Willie Taylor the Panthers have the people to pull off the big play.

Tom Brzoza is the only returning lineman and Elliot Walker, who has spent the last three autumns in the shadow of Tony Dorsett, is the only experienced running back. What this amounts to is a running attack that is centered around an inexperienced line and will probably be used to keep the Irish defense honest with action passes and wide-running option plays.

Defensively, the Irish line has a clear cut advantage in experience and will set out to control the line of scrimmage. Another goal of Browner, Fry et al will be to put pressure on Cavanaugh whenever he drops back as to prevent the big plays that are a long time in developing.

The defensive backfield's task will be to avoid giving up the break-away pass or run that shifts the momentum. Along with the linebackers, the secondary will have to place a premium on reading the play-action passing and options of Cavanaugh who is skilled at deceptive ball-handling.

When the Irish have the ball: Like the defense, the Irish offensive line will enjoy an experience advantage over their Pitt opponents. The Irish return six regulars in the offensive front line—the Panthers but one. This will be key as the Irish will look to a ball control, run-oriented offense. Will Jerome Heavens and Vagus Ferguson in the backfield the Irish have two "fullbacks" in physical size but a pair of "halfbacks" in running style and ability. Add to that quarterback Rusty Lisch, himself an accomplished runner and option-quarterback and the Irish have the personnel to run the ball control offense.

If and when the Irish go upstairs Lisch has able-bodied receivers in Ken MacAfee and Kris Haines. Pitt will try to set up its running game with the pass, the Irish will do the opposite, set up an effective passing game with a successful ground attack.

The ball control offense hits Pitt right where they are the weakest—at defensive line and linebacker. Pitt returns All-American Randy Holloway at defensive tackle as the lone returnee in the Panthers 5-2 defense. Holloway and the newcomers will have to neutralize the Irish offensive line in an effort to force Notre Dame away from a ball control style into a passing game.

The Panthers can handle a passing attack. Returning intact from last year is the entire defensive secondary who intercepted 28 passes last fall—second in the nation. Bob Jury, an All-American, leads this band of thieves who will have to help out the inexperienced frontliners in stopping the Irish ground attack if they are to force the Irish to throw the ball giving them a chance to who their larceny skills.

Specialists: Carson Long and Larry Swider handled all of the kicking for the Panthers over the last four seasons and Jackie Sherrill has a big task in replacing them. The Irish on the other hand have Dave Reeve and Joe Restic back to handle the kicking duties, an area in which the Irish have been strong in the past two years.

Analysis: Pitt will try to get on the board early and often with the big play for both emotional and tactical reasons. Early scores will bolster the support from the partisan fans as well as force the Irish away from a ground-oriented attack. The Irish defense will surely be tested early and must stop the big play if Notre Dame is to be successful. If the game turns into a track meet it will be to the Panthers favor.

For the Irish to get the upper hand they will have to exploit their experience advantage in the trenches. If the Irish can pressure Cavanaugh on defense and establish a potent ground attack then Jackie Sherrill will be in for a long afternoon watching his high powered offense stand on the sidelines while his defense tries to stop the Irish.

The Irish have the revenge motive. Pitt has the home crowd and a two-game winning streak over the Irish behind them. In the past, some teams have been afraid to defeat the "tradition" of Notre Dame (Navy over the last few years) but the Panthers have the confidence and cockiness it takes to win as evidenced by Matt Cavanaugh's, "I can't wait to play Notre Dame" interview on ABC's pre-season show. But emotion can only carry a team so far.

Last year the Irish scored on their first possession and the emotion was at a peak. But after Tony Dorsett scampered 61 yards on his first carry the emotions died and talent took over. When talent takes over on Saturday, it will do so first in the trenches, a place where the advantage is in favor of the Irish.

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