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# Overcrowding greets freshmen

by Michael Lewis News Editor

Freshmen will find some overcrowding when they arrive at Notre Dame due to an increasing trend among upperclassmen to live on campus, Edmund T. Price, director of housing, stated.

"More upperclassmen than expected want to stay on campus," Price explained. He noted there seems to be a "national trend" to stay on campus, pointing out that Ball State, the University of Michigan and U.S.C. all "have problems with housing."

Director of Admissions John T. Goldrick said, "A lot of people think the dorms are overcrowded because too many freshmen are accepted. That's not true." He explained that the admissions ofice originally expected 1,650 freshmen to enroll, including 400 women and 1250 men.

As of yesterday, Goldrick: said "about 1,645 students" are expected, based on previous ar's year's statistics.

Price said that some figures will be changing due to attrition and last minute changes in student's plans.

Several residence halls will have freshmen living in converted study halls. Grace and Flanner will each house 36 freshmen in nine study halls. Lewis hall will house eleven freshmen in study/dining areas, and 16 freshmen are scheduled to live in the Farley Hotel, in the basement of Farley Hall.

While none of the extreme measures to board students are permanent, Price said he does not know how long they will be in effect.

Price said the study halls are fully equipped as rooms. The biggest problem, he stated, is "depriving others use of the study rooms."

Bro. Charles Burke, rector of Grace, said the converted study lounges are "really not bad rooms." He noted that "there will be a problem when the other students return expecting study lounges."

Price stated that there will be no off-campus lottery among upperclassmen this year. However, he said, "It's something to think about for next year."



by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

"It is not a crisis situation like we had two years ago, but we are tighter than we want to be," Dean of Student Afrairs Kathleen Rice said of Saint Mary's housing overcrowding.

It is expected that only 24 students will need emergency housing this year, whereas in 1976 the college had to use classrooms and lounges to handle 100 extra students.

Also this year's "emergency housing" is considerably nore glamorous than the Regina Classrooms used two years ago. The alumnae guest rooms in LeMans and the parlour rooms in Holy Cross will be used to house the students.

Rice emphasized that according to recent statistics it is expected that enough students will not show up so that only 12 students will need the special housing.

"Every year some kids just don't show up for one reason or another," she explained.

"The reason for this year's overcrowding was not that we incorrectly predicted the number of freshmen, but that upperclassmen did not withdraw at the normal rate, which really says something good about the college," Rice continued.

Over the past five years, Saint Mary's enrollment has grown tremendously, so that many triples have been made into quads, quads into quints, and so on.

This year Rice and Minnie Owens, director of housing, plan to spend some time touring the rooms. They will then decide which rooms to split into two smaller rooms, thus creating more doubles and triples and fewer quints and quads.

"We want to make life more comfortable for the students by alleviating the crunch that has occurred over the past five years, while maintaining the same number of students," Rice said.

This year's enrollment is 1557 resident students and 1800 total, including those studying abroad.



by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

Saint Mary's 21-Club, the club for 21 and over students, faculty alumnae and administration of Saint Mary's and Notre Dame, will not be opening its doors this fall.

The Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission has denied the club a permanent beer and wine license on the grounds that it is not 200 feet away from the campus.

The initial license denial, according to Mary Laverty, Saint Mary's director of student activities, came last April. The commission disputed the fact that the 21-Club was a social club and said that it did not comply with the rule that a bar must be at least 200 feet away from a church or a classroom. The college appealed the ruling, proving that the club was a social club and that it was at least 200 feet away from

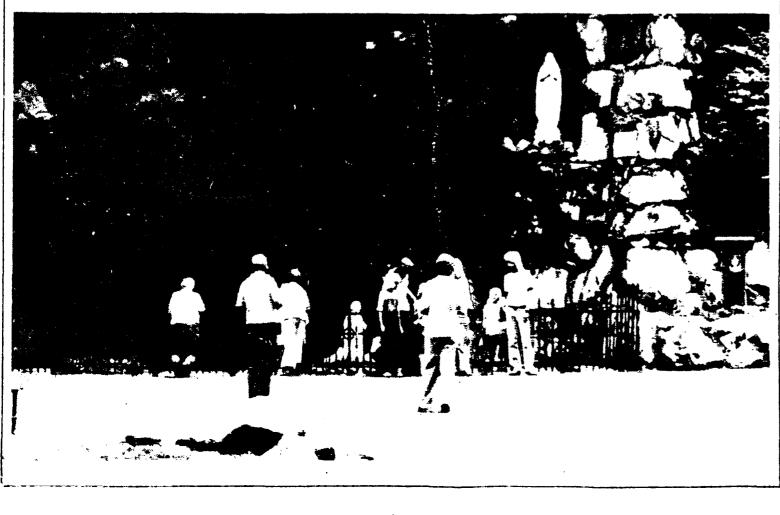
all classrooms and churches.

But the appeal was also denied by the commission which said that the law meant the bar had to be at least 200 feet off campus. The letter further stated that the commission felt it would be a bad precedent to grant a permanent license to students.

"The commission doesn't understand that the license gives the administration more control over alcohol on campus than we have at present," Laverty said.

"I feel that we're being treated unfairly and unjustly. All that work seems to have gone to waste. This was a project on which the whole student body cooperated fully and pulled it off in a very well-organized fashion," she continued.

Indiana Alcoholic Beverages Commission Chairman James Sims was unavailable for comments Friday afternoon, as was Bill Loser, another commission official.



### weather

Mostly cloudy with a slight chance of showers and thundershowers Saturday afternoon through Sunday. Highs both days in the low to mid 80s. Lows Saturday night in the mid 60s.'

## On Campus Today.

10 am - 2 pm campus tours, saint mary's college, on the hour,

leave from lemans court

1-4 pm campus tours, notre dame, on the hour, leave from

1:30 pm welcome talk, by smc administrators, o'laughlin

auditorium

briefing, for new students and parents, smc 2:30-4 pm

4:30 pm mass, for new students and parents, smc, lemans

5:15 pm president's reception, smc, south side of dining hall

5:30 pm picnic, smc administration and parents council,

dining hall green

7:36 pm official welcome, nd, acc

welcom, "something wonderful is coming", by smc 8 pm

sophomores, o'laughlin auditorium

9 pm meetings, for nd freshmen by hall staffs, in each hall

9 pm meeting, for parents by dean hofman, acc

9:30 pm meetings, for smc freshmen by hall staffs, in each

#### sunday

8 am

mass, smc, church of loretto

guidance session, for nd freshmen 9 am

meeting, smc abroad study programs

10 am - 1 pm campus tours, smc, on the hour, lemans court

¹ቦ am mass, smc, church of loretto

welcom mass, nd freshmen and parents, acc

open house, academic, smc

picnic, nd freshmen and parents, acc

1 pm presentation, introduction to student activities, acc

2 om briefing, freshmen information survey and registra-

tion briefing, smc

2:30 & 7 pm auditions, nd choral, see ad on page six

3:36 pm mixers, by halls for students and parents, in each

7 pm orientation, for women, memorial library auditorium 7 pm

party, pre-dance party, keenan hall 9 pm dance, by student government, concourse of acc

#### monday

8:30 - 4:30 pm registration, for nd students

8:30 - 4:30 pm registration, for smc students

9:30 am & 7 pm auditions, nd choral, see ad on page six

5 pm dinner, smc madonna night buffet, smc dining hall

5:45 pm dessert, smc madonna night, dining hall green

7 pm ceremony, smc madonna night, church of loretto

8:30 pm square dance and bonfire, nd and smc, mccandless

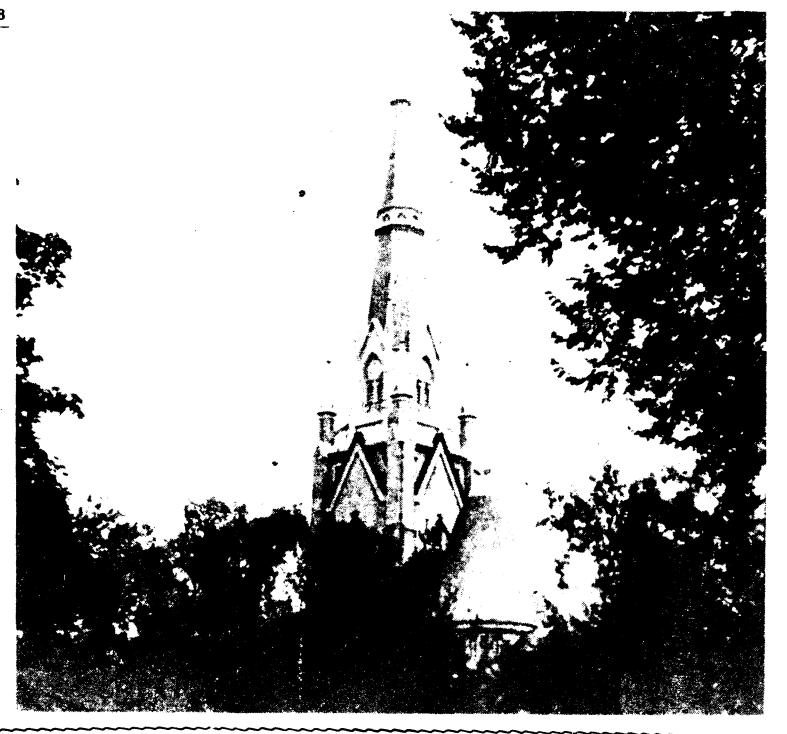
#### tuesday

8 am classes start

9 am auditions, nd choral, see ad on page six

8 pm concert, by student union social commission, south

quad







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# SMC Freshmen orientation commences

by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

"We can't possibly tell freshmen everything they need to know about college life in a 48-hour period. During those first few days they're more interested in getting used to their room, roommates and new friends anyway," Mary Laverty, Saint Mary's director of student activities explained.

That is the philosophy behind Saint Mary's new orientation program--"ASK."

"ASK is a combined effort by Mary Ellen Klein of the freshman office and myself to give students a complete orientation to all aspects of college life," Laverty stated.

The four Tuesday night sessions from 6:30 to 8 p.m., Aug. 29 through Sept. 19, will address such matters as how to organize one's work, become acquainted with South Bend and the ND-SMC community, student government, how to use texts, developing special study skills, student activities, library information and career development.

The sessions will be mandatory

for all freshmen.

"We want to give them the necessary information in a clear-cut way so that they can take full advantage of the services we have opportunity to ask any questions they may have," Laverty said.

The sessions will be held in O'Laughlin Auditorium and the Little Theatre.

Along with ASK, the freshman office offers counseling for its students. Advisors help students select the courses that will be most beneficial to them. The office also makes sure that all freshmen take the required core courses.

With an enrollment of close to 1800 students, Saint Mary's College, will officially open its 135th academic year with a Mass of the Holy Spirit on September 3.

Saint Mary's enrollment figure has been holding steady at around 1800 students for several years, reflecting the increasing rate of applications to the College. The

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to offer them. This will be their application rate for this year's freshman class was 16 per cent higher than for the previous year, with two applicants for each opening. There will be 501 incoming freshmen.

> Indicating the national and international character of the student body, students come to SMC from 48 states, Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia and more than a dozen foreign countries.

> A profile of the freshman class shows that fifty-six percent attended Catholic and other private high schools and forty-three percent attended public high schools.

ment Test (SAT) score, verbal and mathematical combined, is 1013 for the class of 1982. The national mean score among women last year was 876. Fifty-nine percent of the Saint Mary's freshmen ranked in the top fifth of their high school graduating classes.

Also, 36 are alumnae daughters, 16 have alumnae aunts, five are alumnae granddaughters, two are alumnae great-granddaughters and 40 are alumnae sisters. Sixty-one of the freshmen have sisters also currently enrolled at Saint Mary's. These statistics demonstrate that almost one-third of the freshmen belong to families which traditionally send their daughters to

### Welcome Week

by Michael Lewis **News Editor** 

Monday kicks off the first annual Welcome Week, sponsored by the Notre Dame Student Union. A full week of activities has been scheduled "to help create a social Union Director Bill Roche.

wanted to get going right at the beginning," Roche said. He added, "In the past the Union has always waited to schedule activities, and the halls aren't organized yet, so we've tried to organize a lot of activities for this week."

The total cost for the week will be atmosphere," according to Student approximatedly \$6,000, according to Roche, although some return "We knew we wanted to created revenue is expected from admissocial atmosphere, and we sions and refreshment prices.

Monday: 7.9.11p.m. Oh God! will be shown in the Engineering Auditorium, admission 91. Sp.m. bonfire and squaredance in front of

> McCandless Hall at SMC. sponsored by St. Many's Student Activities Office.

Tuesday: 8p.m. outdoor concert featuring Appaloosa, a country/rock band, in front of Grace and Flanner. Oh God! will be shown at 7.9.11p.in.

Wednesday: picnic on South Quad. Sp.m. double feature movie. Young Frankenstein and Sleeper.

will be shown in Stepan Center, admission \$1.

Thursday: Rita Coolidge and Kris Kristoffcerson concert at the A.C.C.

Friday: class picnics. 8p.m. the nock band Scheams in

concert in front of Howard.

Saturday: Polish wedding in Stepan Center, with a polka band, the rock band Choice, and refreshments.

#### There are nine valedictorians among the freshmen. The median Standard Achieve-Saint Mary's College. Orientation continues by Rosemary Mills **Editorial Editor** tour leaders. Organization and cooperation are wise in effect before, but have been the reasons behind the expected

success of the 1978 orientation, had at least one or two vehicles according to Carey Ewing, Orienta- meeting every plane," Ewing Ewing, cotion chairperson. chairperson Chris McNulty, and a committee of eleven students have during the summer to mail paciets been meeting since March to plan to incoming freshmen and transfer the events.

Unity, is scheduled to begin at 9 the ACC. A mass will be held for contact the transfer students. transfer students 9 a.m. Sunday, followed by a breakfast at 10.

Stepan Center, and Carney '78, scheduled for Sept. 8.

year. She attributes this to the previous years.

enthusiasm of the committee and

The airport shuttles were likemore regular recently. "We've stressed.

The committee also spent time students. The packets contained The orientation dance, featuring information about Notre Dame and the South Bend area. Ewing noted p.m. Sunday in the concourse of that a special effort was made to

In addition to the Orientation committee, each hall is responsible Future events include Activities for planning their own welcome. Night, planned for Sept. 11, in The hall committees are responsible for the registration desks and inter-hall activities, Although tours for freshmen and explained. She also commented on their parents is not a new idea, the hard work of the hall commit-Ewing claims more people have tees, noting that more dorm activibeen taking advantage of them this ties seem to be planned than in

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### Who's who at Notre Dame

Fr. Hesburgh



Fr. Theodore M. Hesburgh is in his 27th year as head of Notre Dame. Four of five living alumni of the University have his name on their diplomas.

In a national news magazine's 1978 poll of influential Americans, he was ranked No. 2 in influence within the field of religion and third in education. Over the last decade, Hesburgh has been involved in national studies of race relations, higher education, campus unrest, and a volunteer armed force.

His most recent Presidential appointment was to the rank of ambassador to head the U.S. delegation to a 1979 United Nations conference on the transfer of technology from developed to undeveloped countries.

Hesburgh's chief contribution on the national level has been in the area of civil rights. Appointed to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights by President Dwight D. Eisenhower when the commission was established in 1957, he was named its chairman by President Richard M. Nixon in 1969 and served in that capacity until his resignation at Nixon's request in November, 1972. Notre Dame, with the assisance of the Ford Foundation, has established on campus a Civil Rights Center which will promote the cause of human rights in this country and abroad.

Since leaving the Civil Rights Commission, Notre Dame's president has been very active as chairman of the Overseas Development Council, a Washington-based private organization formed in 1969 to promote effective aid to underdeveloped countries. He also traveled widely in Third and Fourth World areas, often on assignemtn from the Rockefeller Foundation, which he joined as a trustee in 1963 and of which he became president

Notre Dame's president was awarded the prestigious Meik-

lejohn Award of the American Association of University Professors (AAUP) in 1970. In nominating Hesburgh for the award, members of Notre Dame's AAUP chapter cited his defense of faculty members who had taken unpopular political and religious positions and his widely publicized letter to Vice President Spiro T. Agnew in 1969, which urged a "hands-off" policy for the federal government in regard to campus disturbances and concern for the larger needs of the national community."

Two major developments at Notre Dame during during his administration were the reorganization of the University's governance under lay control, accomplished in 1967, and the introduction of coeducation at the undergraduate level in the fall of 1972.

Father Hesburghs leadership in education in recent years has been reflected in his work as president of the International Federation of Catholic Universities, which he headed from 1963 to his resignation in 1970, and as a member of the Kerr-Carnegie Commission on the Future of Higher Education, the key national study group on higher education's problems and promise which completed its work in 1974. He was also a a member of the select committee created by Governor Rockefeller to study the future of private higher education in the State of New York. Father Hesburgh is a former president of the Association of American Colleges and a member of the board of trustees of the American Council on Education. He is a former director of the Institute of International Education, and a former trustee of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Highlighting a long list of special [cont. on page 18]

#### Dr. O'Meara

Dr. Timothy O'Meara, Kenna professor of mathematics, was appointed to the position of provost in May. As provost he has responsibility under the President for the administration, coordination, and development of all academic activities and functions of the University.

faculty since 1962, O'Meara has since 1952. In addition to his twice headed the mathematics department and has served on several key University committees, including the Committee on University Priorities, the Trustee's Faculty Affairs Committee, the Provost Review Committee and the **Budget Priorities Committee.** 

O'Meara received his bachelor's and master's degrees from the

University of Cape Town, South Africa. He received his doctorate in mathematics from Princeton as a member of the faculty.

Since 1963, he has received nine National Science Foundation grants supporting his research in number theory, linear groups and quadratic forms. He has published many articles in American and European professional journals, and three books on the graduate level. His sity, England, Joyce returned to Notre Dame, taking up his former duties until he was elevated to the post of executive vice president. Joyce has been a trustee of the

National Conference of Christians and Jews, is a trustee of Junior Achievement and a director of the Institute for Educational Management at Cambridge, Mass.

He was appointed by President Eisenhower as a member of the Board of Visitors of the United States Naval Academy and was awarded the Exceptional Service Medal by the Air Force. He holds honorary doctorates from the College of St. Thomas, St. Paul, MN, and Belmont Abbey College in Belmont, NC.

#### Fr. Wolvlear



Fr. John L. Van Wolvlear, a 1945 alumnus of Notre Dame, was appointed in May to succeed Bro. Just Paczesny as Vice President for Student Affairs. As such. Van Wolvlear has direct responsibility for all matters pertaining to the religious, disciplinary, social, recreational and physical welfare of undergraduate students.

After his ordination at Notre Dame's Sacred Heart Church in 1949, Van Wolvlear taught at Holy Cross Seminary until 1954. He was also rector of Cavanaugh Hall.

From 1955 to 1965 he was assistant superior and assistant principal at Notre Dame high school in Niles, IL. In 1965 he was assigned to the University of Portland, where he served in a variety of positions until 1976.

#### Prof. Emil T. Hoffman

Dr. Emil T. Hofman has served as dean of the Freshman Year of Studies Program at Notre Dame since 1971. He also teaches the Freshman general chemistry course, and has developed innovative instructional methods and techniques in teaching some 1,600 students a year.

Since assuming the duties of dean, Hofman has supervised a revision of the first-year curriculum which has provided more educational flexibility in choosing major courses of study and place new empahsis on a counseling program which has lowered University attri-

Hofman received his master's and doctoral degrees from Notre Dame after taking his baccalaureate at Miami University in Florida. He joined the University faculty in 1953, and ten years later received the first Thomas J. Madden Award for excellence in the teaching of freshmen. He received the President's Citation in 1977.



Hofman has been closely associated with the National Science Foundation teacher-training programs and with the Northern Indiana Regional Science Fairs. He directed the International Science and Engineering Fair at Notre Dame in 1974. He has also served as assistant chairman of the Department of Chemistry and assistant Dean of the College of Science.

#### Dean Roemer



James A. Roemer was named Dean of Students at Notre Dame in July, 1975. He had served as University counsel since 1972.

Roemer, a South Bend native. earned his B.A. in economics from Notre Dame in 1951, and graduated from the Notre Dame law school in 1955. He has held legal positions in the St. Joseph's County Prosecutor's office, the South Bend Redevelopment Department and the St. Joseph County Board of Zoning Appeals. He has also held a part-time position as city attorney of South Bend.

Roemer is a member of the Urban League, the United Negro College Fund and Neighborhood Study Help, Inc.

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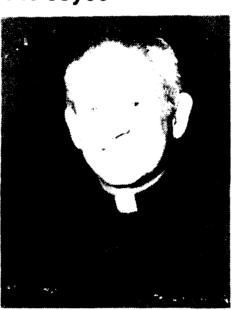
O'Meara has asked that his term as provost be limited to four years so that he may return to full time teaching and research.

research is especially noted for a

major breakthrough in an area of

moder algebra known as the iso-

#### Fr. Joyce



Fr. Edmund P. Joyce has been serving as executive vice president A member of the Notre Dame and treasurer of the University overall executive duties, he is Chairman of the Faculty Board in Control of Athletics and the University Building Committee.

Joyce majored in accounting at Notre Dame, receiving his bachelor of Science degree (magna cum laude) in 1937. He became a certified public accountant in 1939. He was ordained to the priesthood ten years later in Sacred Heart Church on the University campus.

After ordination Joyce was named assistant vice president for business affairs at Notre Dame. He became acting vice president in the spring of 1950. After a year of advanced study at Oxford Univer-

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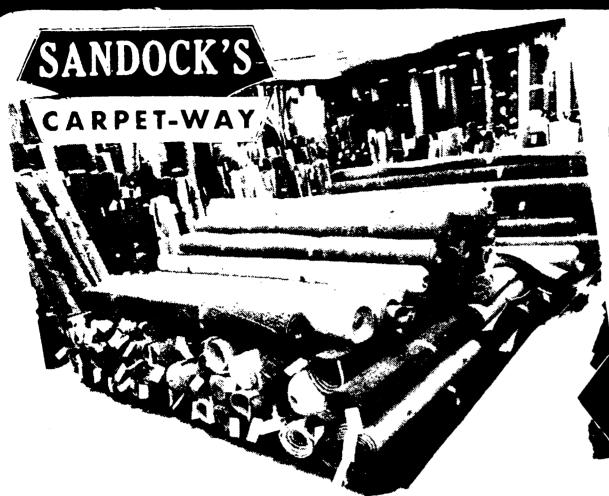
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### Introducing-St. Mary's **Administration and staff**

by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

Saint Mary's campus was not completely deserted this summer as students returned home

Administration and staff members remained on campus planning for the 1978-79 school year. Among these were the five senior officers of the college, plus four others of special interest to students.

John M. Duggan has served as president of the college since 1975. Formerly president of Vassar College, Duggan is responsible for the entire college and must report to Saint Mary's trustees, the Board of Regents.

William A. Hickey is vice president of academic affairs and dean Sr. Francesca Kennedy, coof the faculty. He oversees the assistants to the vice president of academic life at Saint Mary's. Academic administrators and faculty members ultimately report to 1977 as freshman academic counhim.

Hickey was associated with the demic affairs of freshmen this year. biology department until 1972. He Laverty became director of stud present position.

Lindower, controller. He is the volunteer services. college's treasurer, overseeing day-to-day operations such as maintenance and security.

college for a few years, returning in student academic complaints.

Assitant to the president for college relations is Brian Regan. Regan came to Saint Mary's in 1975 to be responsible for all college publications, public relations and fund-raising activities.

Kathleen Rice joined the college administration in 1976 as dean of student affairs. Rice oversees housing, campus ministry, counseling health services, financial aid, career development, sports, student activities and all other student related services offered at Saint Mary's.

The other four administrators of special interst to students include: Mary Ellen Klein, freshman dean; Mary Laverty, director of student activities; and Theresa Marcy and academic affairs.

Klein came to Saint Mary's in selor. Last spring she took ful A member of Saint Mary's Icharge of the freshman office and college community since 1959, will continue to oversee the aca-

was then appointed vice president student activities last fall after of academic affairs. During the spending one year as Regina Hall 1974-75 school year he served as director. Her responsibilities inacting president of the college. In clude advising student governthe fall of 1975 he assumed his ment; coordinating all hall, class and all-campus activities; advising The man in charge of Saint the yearbook; coordinating faculty-Mary's fiscal affairs is Jason D. student activities; and coordinating

Marcy and Kennedy jointly handle the academic concerns of upperclassmen as well as those of Lindower was associated with special students and transfer stu-Saint Mary's several years ago as dents. They counsel students on head of fiscal affairs. He left the course and Major choices and field



Construction on the Engineering Building proceeded throughout the summer. The building is scheduled to be completed in 1980. [Photo by Doug Christian]

# **X**The Observer

### Academic Affairs at SMC gains two assistants...

by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

Theresa Marcy, part-time member of the Saint Mary's government department for the past four years, and Sr. Francesca Kennedy, college registrar for the past six years, will jointly replace Gail Mandell as assistant to the vice president for academic affairs.

Mandell has elected to return to full-time teaching in the humanistic studies department. She had served as assistant for academic affairs for six years.

Marcy will assume responsibility for counseling upperclassmen on academic matters and will act as advisor to sophomores and juniors who have not yet chosen a major.

Kennedy will also do some counseling, but will devote most of her time to those matters that directly relate to her registrar position. For example, she will keep tabs on students' core requirements and compile lists of those eligible for certain awards. Kennedy will also sit on the Academic Standards and Curriculum Study committees.

The Registrar's Office and Academic Office have always worked closely, accordin to Kennedy. Thus she termed her new responsibilities the "logical extension of what I had been doing."

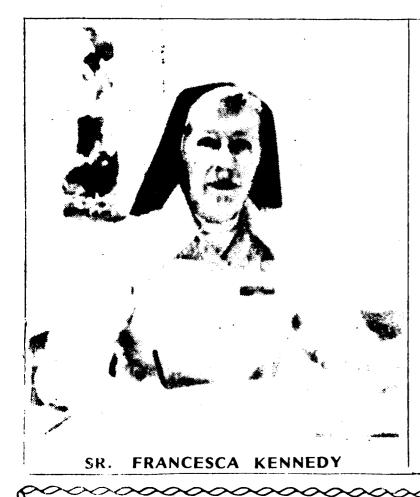
Marcy will continue to teach six hours of government. She commented that she is looking forward to her new responsibilities, "but then it hasn't gotten complicated

Neither Marcy nor Kennedy anticipates any major changes in procedure or policy.

"Gail Mandell always made this a welcoming and friendly office and we want to keep it that way," Marcy said.

Marcy received her bachelor's degree in history from Saint Mary's After graduation she went to France on a Fullbright Scholarship to study French politics.

Kennedy holds a bachelor's degree in English from Dunbarton College, a master's in clinical psychology from Catholic University and a doctorate in administration from Columbia Teachers' College.





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### .While Student Affairs Office creates Director of Residence post

by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

Saint Mary's Student Affairs Office has been growing and adding new services for several years. And this year a director of residence life is the office's addi-

Sr. Karol Jackowski, LeMans Hall director, has been chosen to fill the newly-created post.

"It will be my job to make sure that whatever is done in the residence halls concerning students is done fairly and consistently. Last year there was no consistency between halls and the way in which rules were enforced," she explained.

"We got a lot of negative feedback on this from students, so my position was created to ensure quality control in the residence halls," Jackowski continued.

Her responsibilities will include training resident advisors (RAs) and overseeing the whole RA program; evaluating residence hall policies; clarifying existing policies and formulting new policies.

She will also work closely with Minnie Owens, director of housing, on procedures and problems with the mechanics of housing.

On the job since the end of May, Jackowski explained that she has been working on the RA orientation program and has also been reevaluating the sign-out policy for freshmen and its effectiveness.

"That is the only remaining policy which does not fit in with our overall policy of letting students be responsible for themselves," she said.

A native of East Chicago, Ind., Jackowski has been a member of the Saint Mary's community since 1973. She spent four years as a campus ministry staff member before becoming LeMans Hall director last fall.

Before coming the the college she spent three years as a counselor at St. Joseph High School in South Bend and several years as dean of students at a high school in Hammond, Ind.

She graduated from Saint Mary's with a degree in social work and did her graduate work at Notre Dame.

# ND Student Government explained

by Barb Langhenry **Executive Editor** 

Although the character of the Notre Dame student government changes from year to year, the purpose remains essentially the the students' views," Andy Mc-Kenna, student body president, explained.

Dame has many parts and appears to be a tiny bureaucracy. The Student Body President (SBP). Vice-President (SBVP), their cabinet, the Board of Commissioners, the judicial Council, the Hall Presidents' Council, Ombuds-Off Campus Commission, the Council of Communication, hall all aspects of student government.

Overcrowding the continued development of hall social space, the this year.

With regard to the problem of overcrowding, McKenna stated situation and seek some type of assuring that it will not happen again.

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handles the finances and disburses student government funds. The

The Treasurer, Beau Mason. handles the finances and disburses student government funds. The Treasurer is nominated by the outgoing Treasurer and is same. "We are here to represent approved by the outgoing board of commissioners.

The SBP and the SBVP choose a cabinet soon after they are elected. Student government at Notre The cabinet consists of coordinators for various areas. The areas concentrated on vary with each administration. This year some of the areas are academics, career development, ND-SMC relations, student housing, interracial concerns, public relations, campus man, the Campus Life Council, the security, social concerns, social life, and third world problems.

The Board of Commissioners, governments and class officers are another facet of student government, determines the fiscal policies of student government. The SBP, SBVP, Treasurer, Student Union renovation of LaFortune and the Director, Hall Presidents' Council plans for a new hall were high- Chairman and Judicial Coorindator lighted by McKenna as being serve on this board which ties among some of the major issues for together and monitors the student government activities.

The Judicial Council is also under the auspices of student that he would like to evaluate the government. The council is composed of the Judicial Board Chaircommittment from the University men from each hall and the Judicial Coordinator, Jayne Rizzo. Offences are categorized as hall offences or university offences and then

handled by the appropriate person.

The Judicial Board provides assistance to students accused of violating rules and regulations, and works to clarify the rules and regulations.

The Hall Presidents' Council. probably the most representative body on campus, is comprised of all the hall presidents. Chuck Del-Grande, former Fisher Hall president, is the chairman. The counci council meets weekly to discuss pertinent hall issues. The HPC sponsors and coordinates activities between halls and on campus such as Mardi Gras, as well as concerning itself with campus issues.

Ombudsman is a service of student government. The Ombudsman, which is directed by Tom Lux, maintains a phone service whereby anyone can call for information pertaining to the campus and events relative to the campus. They also coordinate SBP/SBVP elections and the class elections.

The Campus Life Council created last year, is a group of rectors, faculty members, hall vice-presidents, and representatives from various campus organizations. The council deals with problems peculiar to students on campus.

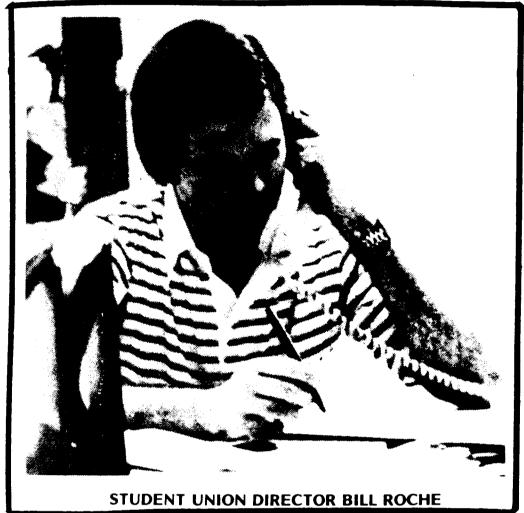
The Council of Communication is a newly created body and is composed of representatives from each hall. The Council has yet to

The off-campus students are not neglected as they have the Off-Campus Commision which is coordinated by John Fitzpatrick, a member of the student government cabinet. Administrators and various student representatives compose the commission.

Each hall also has its own governing body. The operation varies from hall to hall, although most hall have officers, various commissioners and section leaders. Each hall also hs its own judicial

Each class has officers. The president, vice-president, secretary and treasurer are elected as a single ticket and they select an advisory council which is usually composed of hall representatives. The class officers functin is mostly a social capacity.

The freshmen do not have officers though and are governed by an advisory council with a chairman elected from the council. Hall representatives are usually chosen by the hall president.



# SMC government provides activities

by Jean Powley Saint Mary's Editor

Student government at Saint Mary's has become a very active policy formulation and change by college. the college administration.

Gail Darragh, a senior from Ohio. and the Student Assembly, is a member of every student board, and is the student body's oficial representative to college committees and, in general, is responsible for the effective operation of student government.

Maureen Carden, a senior from New York, is vice president of academic affairs. She is responsible for all areas concerning academic life. She chairs the Student Academic Council and is voting member of several college committees.

Julie Pope, a junior from Florida is vice president of student affairs. She is responsible for all areas affecting student co-curricular life. She advises the Hall President's Council and the Freshman Council and works closely with the social commissioner.

Marianne Frost, a senior from Illinios, is co-ex commissioner. She is responsible for improving relations with Notre Dame through combined activities. She wil oversee the shuttle, co-ex ticket distribution and other joint activities.

Judicial commissioner is Maggie Brudges, a senior from Virginia. She implements the selection and training of judicial board members and makes sure that the sanctions passed by the board are consistent with the Saint Mary's judicial system philosophy. Mary Mullaney, a junior from Michigan, is development commissioner. She must make students aware of the effect and importance of their participation in the growth and development of the college financially and otherwise. She works on the annual phone-a-thon and the United Way drive.

Social Commissioner is Christy

Jones, a senior from Illinois. She is responsible for coordinating social activities both on and off campus ex. Oktoberfest Mardi Gras, An Tostal, Christmas bazaar.

As sports commissioner, Leslie organization, coordinating the vast Murdock, a senior from Illinois, majority of student activities and will be in charge of initiating and providing a lot of student input into organizing sports activities for the

Enhancing the religious aspect of President of the student body is the college and making students aware of available religious activi-She chairs the Board of Governance ties is the responsibility of Margaret O'Keefe, a junior from Illinois, as spiritual commissioner.

Pia Trigiani, a junior from Virginia, will act as public relations commissioner. She must inform students about campus activities, publicize events and coordinate publication of the student government newsletter.

Noreen Bracken, a junior from New Jersey, and Cari Trousdale, a junior from New York, are coelections commissioners. They are responsible for implementing the elections process, making wure sure that campaign rules are followed, and encouraging students to vote.

Ellen Neuhoff, a junior from Texas, is secretary. She is student government's official correspondent and takes the minutes of all Board of Governance meetings.

Sheila Wixted, a junior from Michigan, is treasurer. She keeps all financial records and handles student government funds.

The responsibilities of class officers are to unite the class and provide activities in all areas of college life-- academics, social and spiritual.

The freshman class is governed by a Freshman Council which has one representative for every . 35 students. Representatives will be elected in mid-October and a chairman will then by chosen by council members.

Hall officers coordinate activites for their halls. The president acts as the hall's official representative and sits on the Hall Presidents' Council.

Student Assembly is the main legislative branch of Student government. It consists of one representative per 100 students.



Left to right-Vice-President Julie Pope, President Gail Darragh and Vice-President Maureen

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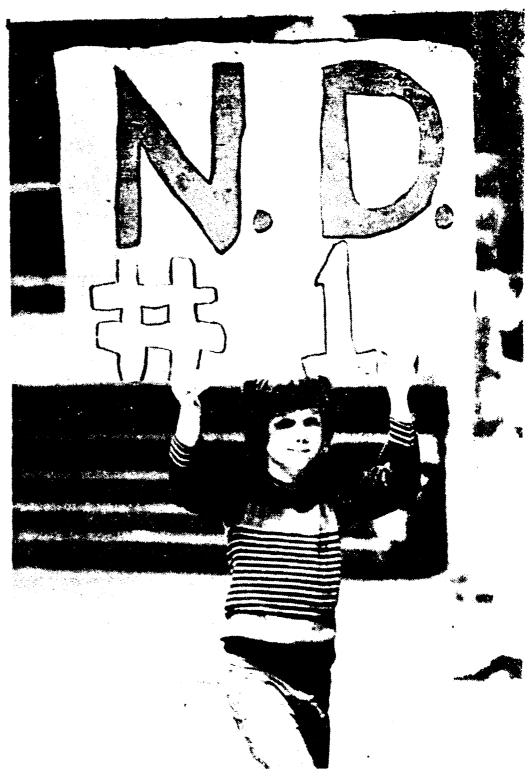
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# Solving Problems

After he was appointed Director of University Housing last May, Edmund Price stated that he "would like to spend more time talking with students about Overcrowded dormitory rooms their problems." should give Price ample opportunity to fulfill his wish.

It is possible that Price created his own problems. Overcrowding might have been prevented, or at least alleviated, if Price had listened to his own statements.

For instance, after receiving 4417 housing contracts -183 more than the number of residents last year - Price said he did not see any reason for concern about student housing for this school year. While Price admitted that rooms had to be found for another 28 women residents, he claimed his problem had already been solved. At the same time, Price hinted the possibility of overcrowding in men's dormitories existed.

The reason Price gave for this year's overcrowding is the increased number of students who wished to remain on campus after freshman year. However, in an Observer interview on May 5, Price pointed out this national trend and related it to the problem at Notre Dame.

It seems that Price knew overcrowding was more than a remote possiblity; yet the only action he took was to investigate the housing facilities at Holy Cross Hall and assure students "special temporary housing will be provided if necessary." He did not mention that temporary housing would include the study halls of Grace and Flanner or the dining-study areas of Lewis.

Now that "if necessary" has become a reality, perhaps Price can find time to talk to the students about the problems he foresaw but did not correct.

# Appreciation Due

In the past, freshmen have been heartily welcomed to the Notre Dame - Saint Mary's community, and justifiably so. Now, for the first time the Notre Dame Student Union has taken steps to welcome all students back to campus.

The innovation of Welcome Week will not only show freshmen the social side of Notre Dame - Saint Mary's life, but will provide an excellent opportunity for upperclassmen to have one last fling before the academic rush.

Welcome Week, as explained in the SU letter sent to all students, will provide the chance to "get out, meet people, and really enjoy yourself." It is an answer to those students who complain about lack of activity until the start of football season. Movies, dances, concerts, and the Polish wedding will be a refreshing change from the typical "mixer" planned mainly to entertain freshmen.

Perhaps the most important aspect of Welcome Week is that its success depends upon student involvement. The work Student Union accomplished over summer "vacation" may well be lost if the rest of the ND-SMC community remains apathetic.

The ND Student Union deserves appreciation. Show your support and do yourself a favor by enjoying Welcome Week!

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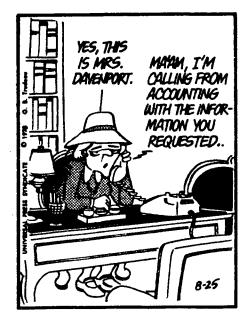
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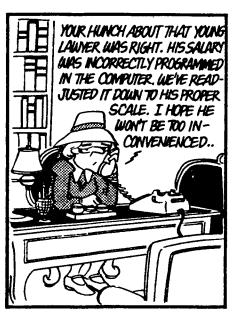
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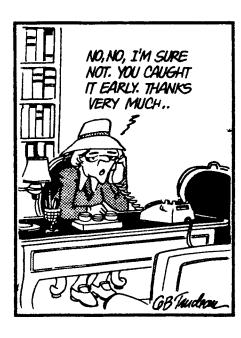
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### Advice to Anxious Faces

to this campus early have seen your faces--the anxious faces of freshmen and their parents. Where do we go? What do we do? Is this what

college is really like? Relax. First of all, you must remember that everyone was a freshman once, although for some of us that seems like a long time ago. Second, the transition from high school to college, at least at Notre Dame, is not as difficult as one might think. Academically, you have fine credentials; but even if you falter, there is the timely assistance of Dean Emil T. Hofman and his capable staff at the Freshman Year of Studies to help pull you though. Socially, the changes may be a bit more pronounced, depending upon the social environment to which you are accustomed. If you've neverhad a date then you're surely in for a shock. But if you're expecting a replica of National Lampoon's Animal House, you'll no doubt be disappointed.

After a while you should begin to feel at home and you might ask yourself, "How can I make most of my college years?" Although there

Any students who have returned are almost as many different answers to this question as there are people, three basic repsonses are obvious. Some will say constant study is the best use of college time because good grades insure a good future. Others will say constant partying is better; as long as your grades keep you in school you'll have a good time. Still others will argue for total involvement in campus organizations and activities since this is one occasion when you can make significant contributions to your community. Obviously all three of these responses are extreme. But by combining these three extreme views to suit your personal goals you should be able to blaze your own path.

The primary reason for attending any university is to learn. Whether this desire to learn is motivated by a theoretical desire to become an educated man or by the more practical desire to get a good job will have a great deal of bearing upon what you may decide to major in, but it does not necessarily preclude certain arrangements, social, academic, and extracurricular activity. This is because

learning often occurs outside the classroom. You learn shooting the bull with your roommates, trying to pick up an attractive member of the opposite sex, building a stage for a play, or even assisting in the publication of a newspaper.

But learning outside the classroom can be very different from learning in the classroom. Some classes only require a passive student, one who takes good notes and feeds those notes back to the professor on exams. Learning outside the classroom requires an active student, one who is willing to try new things, meet new people, and see new places.

You want to know how to get the most from your college years: its simple - be an active student, active in the classroom and active in those activities outside the classroom which suit your goals. It's all based on the simple adage that those who get the most are also the ones who give the most.

We at the Observer bid the class of '82 welcome and we hope that you make the most of your college. years. Work hard, play hard, and learn at Notre Dame.

# Na Section and Welcome

[Editor's Note: This article first appeared in The Observer last May. It is reprinted now for the benefit of freshmen who may be wondering about their strange new friends. The article is entirely fictitiousany resemblances to persons living or dead are purely coincidental.)

Watch out for the suitcases on your way in. The fern? Oh, that's Fred--he belongs to Madeleine. She's watered him--I wonder what the occasion is. You've never been up here before? I'll have to show you around then. 5-East is kind of an unusual section, I guess. I've gotten used to it. That's my room, 571. 'Scuse me a second while I see if my roommate's in. Yeah--she hasn't moved. I'd introduce you, but I think she might be asleep. It's kind of hard to tell sometimes. Her name is Maybelle Furdge--maybe you've heard of her. She came in first in the National Sloth-Offs last year. She's real easy to get along with; needs to be dusted once or twice a week, but that's about it--the grafitti on the ceiling? Yeah, we think it lends character to the place. I can't take credit for it though. If I remember right, Screeks McCabe did it during our last

happy hour; that's her signature there, right under the Mona Lisa done in purple crayon. Screeks is something of a legend around here--I mean, Dillon is a monastery by comparison. She carried on a one-woman jock raid last semester. No, I don't



think the **Observer** covered it. That's her room across the hall; the one done in late Fruit-of-the-Loom. Well, I'm not sure if she washed them first. I think she was afraid of blurring the phone numbers. She was going to take Father Hesburgh to the Shmoowis Hall formal, but it didn't work out. I think he might have been busy that weekend. Screeks has the only single in the hall; her roommate found out about her shrunken head collection and moved to the rec room. Well, yes, it is a little noisy down there, but then she gets to food sales before anyone else.

Oh, my God--Rana Turnhed's got another guy. Rana's sort of the section Casanova. How many? I don't know; we lost count after the first week. I can tell you this much, though; that girl's had more dates than Zahm has cockroaches. She's got what is probably the most comprehensive little black book on campus; when they were making up the phone directories for the Towers, they made her chief consultant. That's her roommate, Nell Andrews; I think she's on her way to the library again. Nell has to spend a lot of time at the library these days. She's president of an organization known as R.O.S.S.--stands for Roommates Of Studs and Studettes. If you're known solely as your roommate's roommate, then your're eligible to join. There are lots of advantages to belonging



used; and once a week, everbody gets together at Lafortune for a hot game of gin rummy. R.O.S.S. has some wild times; they had a chugging contest last weekend. It didn't last too long; they were all on the floor after about two hours. I guess they

just can't hold their Dr. Pepper. Don't look now--but you see that backpack on two legs shuffling down the hall? She lives in room 575, when she lives here at all; that's Mortalia Snerd, our cutthroat-in-residence. Like I said, we don't see much of Mortalia around here, except on weekends, when she comes home from the library to do her laundry. She likes to measure dipole moments in her spare time. Guys? -- well, no, but I understand that she did have anunrequited passion for an I.B.M. machine once. That's her roommate boogying in from dinner now; Jess Richards, better known as the "Disco Kid". Jess is the only person I know who can Pretzel with herself. We had a little accident at our last section party;she "got down" just a little too far and dislocated some guy's shoulder. The room next door belongs to Blown-Away Koswicki, affectionately referred to as B.A. If B.A.'s room ever burned down, the whole campus would be high for three days. Buy it?--heck, she grows it. She's got a couple of specimens the size of palm trees in there. B.A. is capable of just about anything--under the right conditions. As I understand it, she and Screeks are planning to abduct this year's Mr. Campus and barricade themselves in the infirmary until their demands are met--three year's tuition is all they're going for. That's B.A.'s roommate, Lavinia Earswingle. Lavinia's feet haven't been on speaking terms with the ground for a month now; she's got a monstrous crush on some guy in Fisher. We first got the idea that she might be in love when she started spending half her waking hours sitting in front of the Rock with a pair of binoculars. She's sent him Valentine's Day carnations, Gentle Thursday daisies, Groundhog's Day cards; had him pied, serenaded and tucked in, but she has yet to talk to him. She's written him some three hundred and seventy-eight love letters, none of which will ever be mailed. I believe B.A. is using them for rolling papers. That room on the left used to belong to

R. J. Twidge, philo major and noted space-case. R.J.'s not with us any more, sad to say. She was contemplating the absurdity of existence in the middle of Juniper Road one Friday afternoon when she happened to walk into a moving Volkswagen. I heard that there's an urn with her ashes in it on the seventh floor of the library. Our R.A.'s one door over. You may have heard of her; Mother Tums is the only R.A. on campus who knits mittens for her section. She's really sweet; I just wish she wouldn't make us line up in the hall every night so she can see whether we washed behind the ears. I shouldn't complain, I guess, but castor oil three times a week is a bit much. Screeks has been having a really hard time with Mother Tums; this'll be the third time this week that she's had her mouth washed out with soap. The room next door belongs to Fierce Felicia, 5th floor's answer to Atilla the Hun. She got into so many fights at Kubiak's that they finally hired her as a bouncer. Felicia's going in for the Keg Toss this year; according to rumor, she wants to break the record throwing Ross Browner instead of the keg. Her room's kind of a mess today; I see Captain Sarah's been cleaning her rifles again. The Captain is one of ND's more enthusiastic ROTCs; she's the only girl on campus with a brush cut. Captain Sarah's been feeling kind of low lately; she was camped out on the Circle for three days, waiting for the Red Menace to attack the main gate, but it never showed up. She's probably out somewhere firing her cannon; explosions seem to have a soothing effect on her nerves. That's 582; "Slam-Dunk" McCoy, the greatest female athlete in the history of Notre Dame, lives here. "Slam-Dunk" has captained every women's varsity at ND for the last three years. Sports Illustrated wrote her up as "ND's Superwoman"; from what I hear, though, she's still working on leaping tall buildings in a single bound. There doesn't seem to be much of a future for her in the all-but-nonexistent realm of women's pro sports, but

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"Slam-Dunk" has no worries; she's booked for five years' worth of Ovaltine commercials after she graduates. She rooms with her manager, Kate Reiner. Kate's definitely one of the more promising business majors in the country. Half the section owes her money--at seven per cent interest. Kate owns so much stock that the Wall Street Journal checks with her before they publish the Dow Jones Industrial Average. She's had only one real financial flop, and that was when she invested our hall treasury in a horse race down in Saratoga over spring break. We almost didn't get her to come down from



the roof of the library in one piece, but Screeks had the brilliant idea of sending her an estimate for her funeral. Kate is pretty much back to normal now; last I heard, she was trying to buy Mount Rushmore so that she could turn Abraham Lincoln's nose into a ski resort.

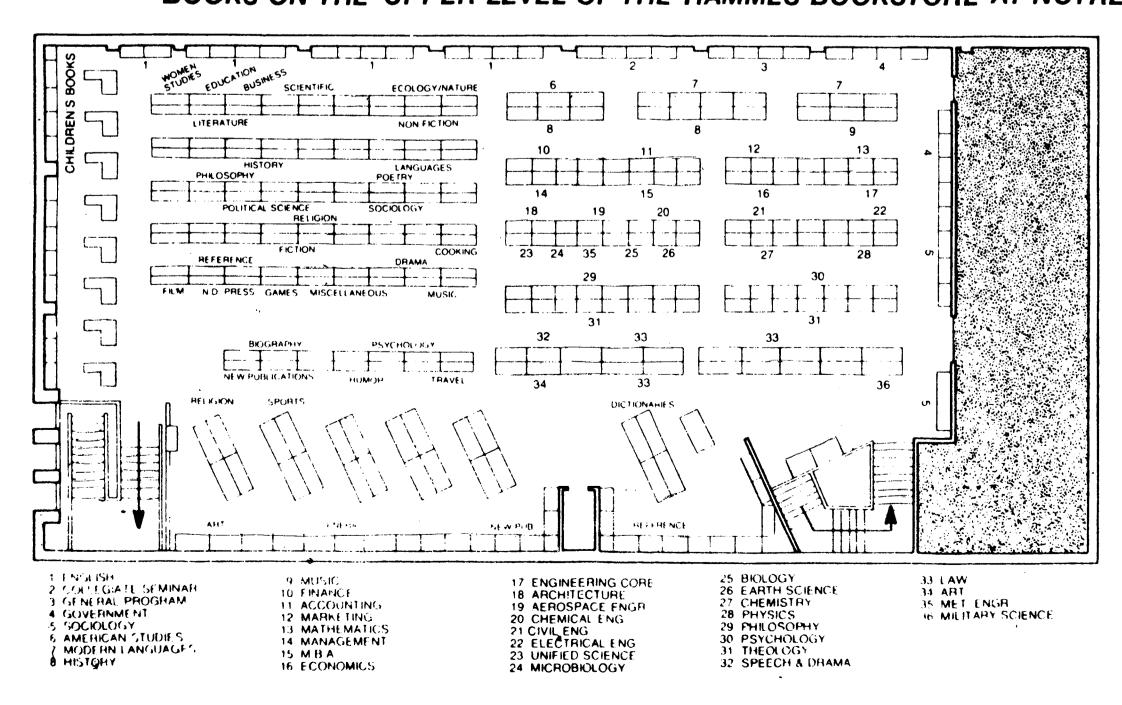
Well, that's about it. You should really come to our end-of-the-year party next Friday. Screeks and Captain Sarah are collaborating on something they call Bazooka punch; one glass and you get a recoil. My roommate may possibly be there; we're going to lay her across some chairs and use her for a coat rack. Well, I k know you have to get moving; mind you don't step on Fred's fronds on your way out. Catch you later...

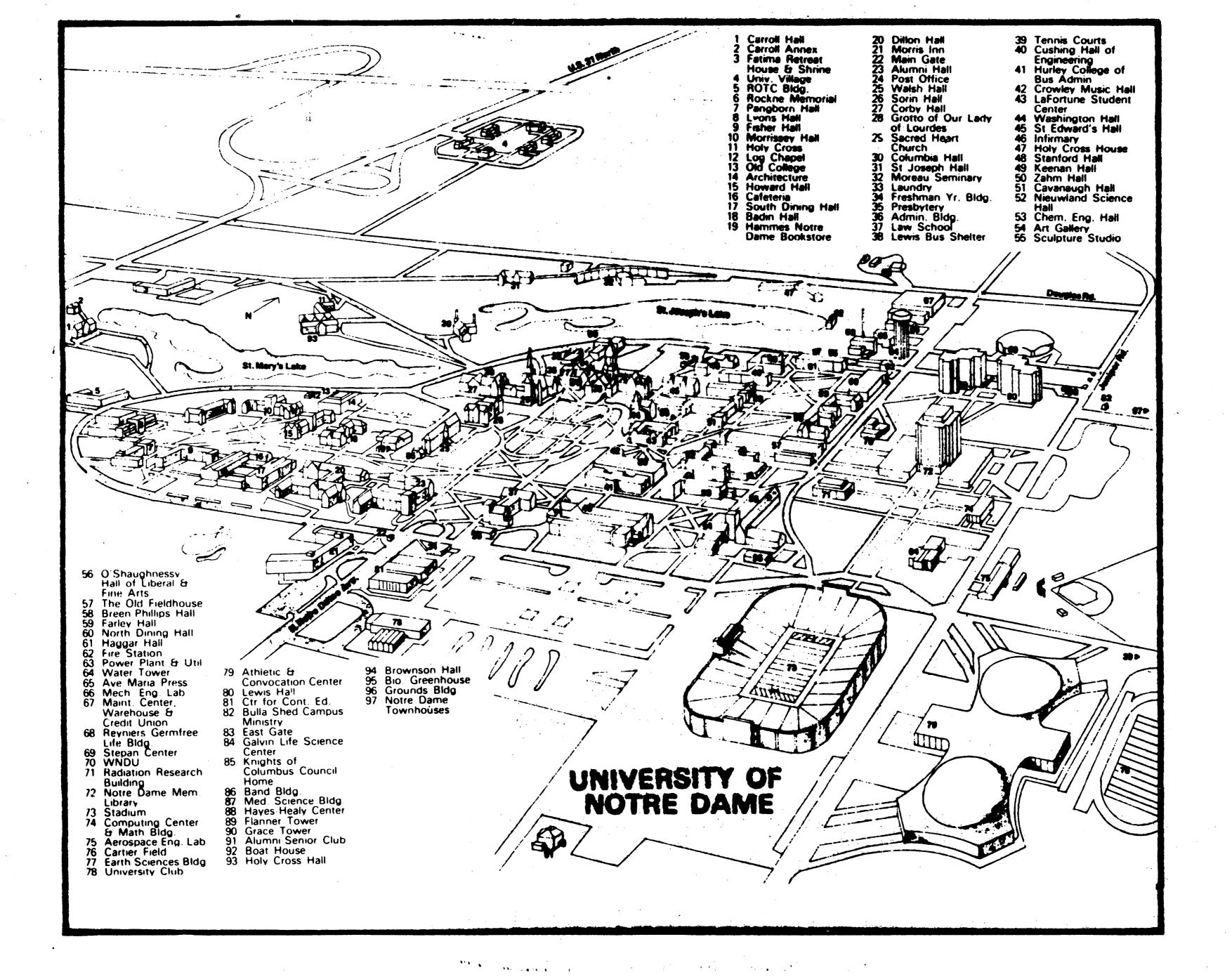
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breakfast 7 to 8:15 am south dining hall lunch noon to 1 pm picnic, acc dinner 5 to 6:30 pm north and south

regular meal times

breakfast 7 to 8:15 am continental breakfast 8:15 am to 10:10 am lunch 11:15 am to 1 pm dinner 5 to 6:30 pm

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saturday, august 26

11:30 am to 1:15 pm lunch dining hall 5:30 to 7 pm picnic dining hall green

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8 to 9:15 am breakfast 11:30 am to 1:30 pm brunch 4:45 to 6 pm dinner

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# RA's and rectors help create community spirit

by Ann Gales **News Editor** 

Among the first new faces to greet freshmen as they move into their dorms are those of the hall staff. The residence hall staff typically consists of a rector, one or two assistant rectors and up to ten resident assistants, commonly referred to as R.A.'s.

The rector is a member of the Department of Student Affairs, serving as the head of the residence hall staff. Although the position of rector can be a full-time

appointment, it is often held by persons who have other University responsibilities as graduate students or as members of the faculty or administration.

According to the Residence Hall Staff Manual compiled by the Office of Student Affairs, the rector "is responsible for an undergraduate residence hall which houses from 100 to 550 students, for the coordination and supervision of between three and 12 staff members, and for the development of religious, community service and educational programs that support total mission of the University."

The manual lists as the major areas of the rector's responsibility: religious leadership, working with students, staff supervision and training, rogram development and educational leadership and administrative function.

According to Fr. Greg Green, assistant vice-president for Student Affairs, the rector "has the principal responsibility for the hall's spiritual and academic atmosphere, although this responsibility for the hall's spitirual and academic atmosphere, although this responsibility is shared with other members of the hall staff and hall

government."

Fr. Mario Pedi, returning for his third year as rector of St. Ed's Hall, described the responsibilities of the rector as "primarily administrative." "I think it's important for an individual to be available, sensitive and compassionate," he stated.

"Secondarily," Pedi continued, "there is of course a disciplinary responsibility. This is important in order to maintain in the hall an atmosphere conducive to study and community living.'

The assistant rector shares the responsibilities of the rector "in a complimentary way to maximize

the skills and interests of both nead staff members," according to the Residence Hall Staff Manual. Like many rectors, most assistant rectors are graduate students or faculty members.

Completing the hall staff are anywhere from two to ten R.A.'s, the number depending on the size of the dorm. Green described the R.A. as a senior or graduate student who is "involved directly in helping students live together profitably in the residence halls."

'Selected as R.A.'s are students who have exhibited clearly outstanding personal qualities of religious and value commitment, of peer group leadership and academic scholarship," Green stated. R.A.'s are expected to show active interest in the students and sto know the students well enought to be able to help them or get help for them in their needs.'

Anne Kelly, an R.A. in Lewis Hall, stated that the R.A. serves "as the direct link between the University and the students, because while we are members of the students Affairs staff, we are also students.'

'Our main function is to help create a community spirit within the halls--to help organize a community within the dorms and keep it running smoothly," Kelly commented.

Green pointed out that Notre Dame is "quite fortunate in having many qualified students who want to be R.A.'s." He noted that many other colleges "have to beg students to be R.A.'s," while the R.A. selection process at Notre Dame is quite competitive.

"Consequently, we are able to have as our resident assistants very service-oriented, caring individuals. We've been proud of our R.A. program in the past and have great hopes for this year and the future," he concluded.

# Hofman explains Freshmen year

by Diane Wilson **News Editor** 

"The Freshman Year of Studies office is responsible for the academic program and counseling that is needed." Dean of freshman. Emil T. Hofman explained. This is done through five units: the academic program, systems, guidance, learning resources center and special projects.

The academic program unit arranges programs and courses according to University regulation and the overall objectives of the various college programs, Hofman

The systems unit is responsible for implementing the programs. arranged by the academic program unit. It does the scheduling and registration for freshmen as well as the processing of changes and keeping of records, Hofman continued.

program and interprets the results of the tests.

The learning resource center inleudes the Tutoring Program, the Learning Skills Program, the Audio-tutorial Laboratory, and the Academic and Career Information Library, Hofman said.

He also noted that the special projects unit is concerned with a number of activities of various

The guidance program, which has been emphasized by Hofman, is done through a team approach. Each freshman is assigned a guidance team which includes an advisor-director, several undergraduate senior interviewers and consultants from among the faculties of the many departments of the

ing is available to all freshman at any time. All the student needs to do is call or stop in the office and make an appointment.

The tutoring program which is another importment program for freshmen is available to those freshmen whose survival in a particular course requires assistance beyond that which can be reasonably given by the teacher or staff of the course. Hofman said these students should seek the help of their advisor.

'At the center of the Freshman Year of Studies program is the freshman curriculum-the set of courses taken by all freshmen. The objectives of the courses taken by freshmen are first to provide a good foundation in liberal education and

into the college best suited for

Some of the upcoming activities being planned for the freshmen by the office include a shopping tour of South Bend next Saturday, Friday night cookout on Sept. 8 and Sept. 15, a picnic at the dunes Oct. 8, a parents' open house Oct. 28, and a trip to Chicago Nov. 5. Hofman said students may inquire at the Freshman Year of Studies Office concerning any of these activities.

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University. second to provide an opportunity for students to sample different Hofman emphasized that all freshmen must attend their general programs before having to commit themselves to any one," Hofman counseling sessions tomorrow The guidance unit provides the morning at 9 a.m. The location of stated. academic and personal counseling, this session will be given to He continued that the ultimate BACK!! for freshman, he said, adding that, freshmen as they move into their goal of the program is to send halls. He continued that counsel- freshmen happily and successfully it administers the guidance testing

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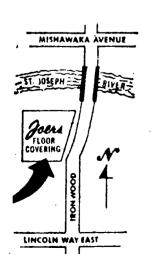
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# On-campus entertainment abounds

by Robbie Moore

Ninety-nine percent of the world population feels the need to get away and enjoy a little "R&R" from time to time, and students are no small exception. Fortunately, there are a wide variety of things to do right here on campus, so finding an excuse for taking a break is an easy matter.

For the after-dinner strollers there's always that twilight walk around St. Mary's lake. Better to try it before midnight though, unless you want to risk tripping in the dark!

After that leisurely expenditure of energy you might want to rest your feet at The Nazz, a quiet entertainment spot for those early evening hours. Located in the basement of LaFortune Student Center, and run by the students, The Nazz offers a wide variety of amateur performers. Snacks are to munch on while you listen.

For the late-nite crowd the versatile basement of LaFortune strikes again. The form of enter-

tainment is late-hour (or early morning) studying, usually lasting until 4 a.m. A cocker spaniel named Darby being the proprietor. the hang-out is appropriately christened Darby's Place, and doughnuts, hot chocolate and coffee can be obtained under the watchful ete eye of Darby and his master, the University Chaplain Fr. Robert

More in the coffee shop-snack bar line is available at Saint Mary's. Eats are found in the lower level of the dining hall, with hours as follows: Monday through Thursday, 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. to midnight; Friday, 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. and 6:30 to midnight; Saturday, 6:30 to 8 p.m.; and Sunday, 6 p.m. to midnight. Hours vary on football weekends. Also on weekends this are is available for special activities.

For 21-year-olds (legal drinking age in Indiana) the Senior Bar opens its doors on weekends as well as for a few nights during the

Each Friday at 5 p.m. a mass is

celebrated at the Bulla Shed. located on the fringe of campus near Grace Hall. Following mass, a dinner is served.

For those who like to browse, the ISIS gallery of student art is located in the Old Fieldhouse and the O'Shaughnessy Art Gallery.

On Friday nights you can dine Italian style, eating homeade spaghetti on red-checked tablecloths at Lewisio's, which is operated in the basement of Lewis Hall. Advance reservations are necessary.

For pool hall fans, the game room below the Huddle snack shop is the place to show off your talent.

The Student Union is an organization which schedules a variety of yearly activities, including dances, concerts and a movie series.

Annual events to look forward to include Mardi Gras, a New Orleans-style celebration, and An Tostal, an Irish celebration to welcome the coming of Spring. An Tostal traditions include the Bookstore Basketball Tournament and the mud pit games.

**Cultural Activities** 

For those interested in something a little more serious than mud sliding, the Sophomore Literary Festival plays host to a Numver of literary speakers during the Spring.

Throughout the year, the Student Union also invites an interesting array of political, literary and popular interest speakers.

Music, too, can be enjoyed on campus thanks to the Notre Dame Glee Club, the Notre Dame Band (which you may catch practicing in the quads if you are in the right place at the right time), the Notre Dame Jazz Band, and various music students who also five concerts from time to time.

Sports-minded people can take out their frustrations by using the atheltic facilities at both Notre Dame and Saint Mary's.

must be reserved in advance), basketball, track, tennis and weight room facilities are found at the ACC, located down by the football stadium.

At the Knute Rockne Memorial Gymnasium (more popularly referred to as the Rock) you can enjoy swimming, basketball, racquetball, gymnastics and weight room facilities. No reservations are required.

Recently completed at Saint Mary's, the Angela Athletic Facility provides a large activity area with three interchangeable courts for tennis, basketball, and volleyball; a multi-purpose area for fencing, gymnastics, dance, and exercise; plus two racquetball

The swimming pool in Regina Hall is also available for Saint Mary's students' use.

Last but not least, don't forget the opportunities provided by the great outdoors, such as tennis (courts are located near the ACC), golf and free-style football and frisbee on the quads. Beaching-it Ice skating, racquetball (courts is another possibility afforded by St. Joseph's lake.

Inter-and intra-hall sports are also availble, ranging from tennis, basketball and volleyball to football, soccer and softball.

For those who do not choose to participate, loyal fans are always welcome to watch the various sports. Times and places for games are usually posted in the

#### Other Sources of Entertainment

The quads always lend themselves to eating out-of doors, the first such event to be the annual Carney picnic during the first week of school.

Emil T. Hofman, dean of the freshman year of studies, organizes barbeques, trips to the dunes, snow parties and a trip to Chicago for freshmen each year. These activities are known collectively as "Emil Parties."

### Home beer approved

WASHINGTON [AP] - Those who like their beer home-made won a round in the Senate yesterday.

By voice vote and without dissent, the Senate approved a bill that would allow the adult head of a family to make up to 200 gallons of beer a year for household consump-

The Senate also completed congressional action on a separate bill revising Customs Bureau procedures in an effort to ease American's re-entry into the United States with merchandise from abroad.

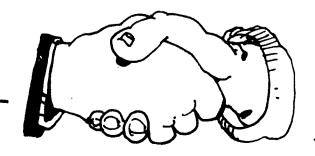
The bill would increase to \$300 the amount of duty-free property that may be brought into the United States and levy a flat 10 percent duty on next \$600 worth.

The legislation now goes to President Carter.

The home-brew measure would exempt do-it-yourself beer from the 29-cent-per-gallon federal excise tax and would cost the federal government an estimated \$1.5 million a year in lost revenue.

It wold put producers of homemade beer on the same legal footing as those who make their own wine and drop the current requirement that wine-makers register with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

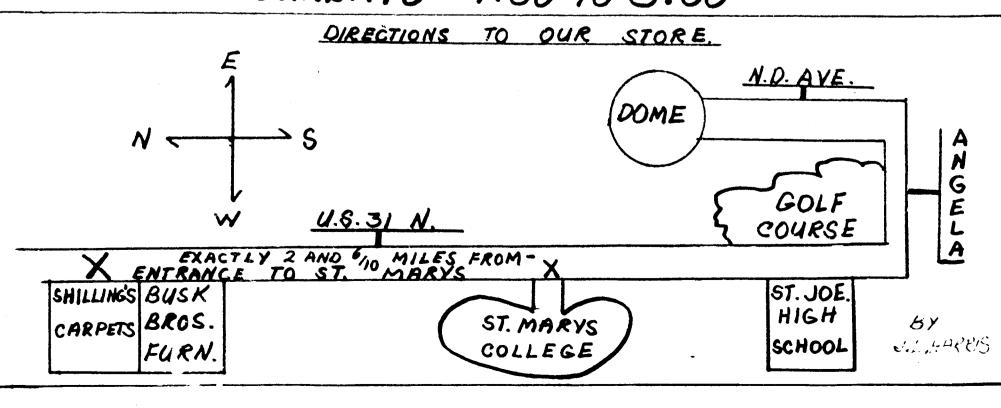
Another part of the Senate passed bill, one likely to cost about \$1 million a year would allow crop dusting pilots to claim a refund of taxes paid for farm use of aviation fuel. The refund now is allowed only for the farmer.



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# Michiana offers entertainment variety

by Mark Rust

Those who traveled here through the miles of flat terrain to the east, west, or south probably have the uneasy feeling that their chosen University is surrounded by one vast Indiana cornfield. As to the proximity of the much dreaded Hoosier wastelands there is a certain amount of disagreement among upperclassmen.

However, the geographical corner you are now in, an almalgamation of restaurants, cinemas and malls known as "Michiana," is generally considered to be a cultural neutral zone, but fairly full of entertainment.

The establishments offering offcampus relief can be divided into mainly six areas: drinking, eating, dancing, shopping, theatre, and culture.

Where drinking is concerned there are four bars within walking distance off campus that cater to serious imbibers. On the corner of Eddie and Corby streets three of these--Corby's, Bridget's, and Nickie's--compete for the no-frills hard-core business. Because of this they frequently offer specials that allow one to hang out all night and go easy on the wallet at the same time.

Goose's Neck, on Notre Dame Avenue, replaces the highly popular Library, and offers much the

For those who are under 21 the "Michi" part of Michiana might be South Bend bars are more or less accessible it is important to note that raids are not terribly uncommon (there were three last year).

You will receive less grief at Kubiak's and Shula's, two bars that have drinks, live bands, and most importantly, a 19-year-old age requirement. They are located in Michigan of course, and the Student Union runs a shuttle bus called The Quickie between those spots and campus on weekends.

If your tastes run toward disco the best place in the area is Cinnebars in downtown South Bend. Dress is required, there is a cover charge, and the price of the drinks reflect the fact that it is unchallenged by any other good disco in town.

In the food department there is a wide variety, all the way from the 3 a.m. greasy spoons to the acceptable places to "take" mom and dad. Sadly, not many of these are walking distance from campus.

However, if you are in pitted-out clothes and are really psyched for some late night good old fashioned cafe food, you are definitely ready for the White House Cafe, or "Eat" as it is simply referred to. Veteran "Eaters" make two suggestions: don't wear clothes that you don't want smelling like hash browns, and go after 2 a.m. for the "entertainment."

If you are in the mood for a night out with the crowd, definitely bring the crowd to Lee's Ribs for a good munching out--pitcher-downing time. It is walking distance (by

more hospitable. While all the Nickie's) and the ribs are very reasonably priced.

You can get good Italian sales at Rocco's, or if you're in the mood for pizza or sandwiches, Barnaby's is probably the best. Warning: there is no way you can get into Barnaby's on football weekends.

In fact, you can't get in anywhere on football weekends, though if you're aggressive and don't mind braving the corwds there is a number of higher priced places that cater to higher tastes. The Boar's Head has beef primarily, a good salad bar, and serves a loaf of hot bread before dinner.

Captain Alexander's Moonraker has atmosphere going for it, and they are said to have some of the best seafood in the Midwest (if you are from the coast you will soon learn that this reputation is not hard to earn). Holly's Landing in Mishawaka and Eddy's also offer palatable food and drink.

There are plenty of theatres in the area. All the malls have a few and the downtown is blessed with four. Reviews and times of the found on the Features page of The skating. Observer.

For shoppers there are three malls. The North Village Mall on U.S. 31 and the Town and Country Mall in Mishawaka are both medium size, while Scottsdale Mall, a beautiful two-story affair, is graced with over sixty stores. It is located on the south side about 20 minutes from campus.

Scottsdale is accessible by transpo bus (35 cents), as is the downtown's River Bend Plaza is closed to vehicular traffic in the center of town.

If you don't like the "sameness" of the malls a unique atmosphere prevails in Mishawaka's 100 Center. It is an old brewery that has been converted into housing for specialty shops, fine restaurants, and two theatres. It is also the originating point of paddle boat rides on St. Joseph River

Outdoorsmen will enjoy Bendix Woods and the Warren Dunes. At Bendix one may go tubing and the uninitiated can be assured that South Bend weather will provide current movies in town can be ample opportunity to go sledding or

The Northern Indiana Historical Museium is located in South Bend, as is the Studebaker Mansion. which offers tours. South Bend has also gone progressive recently by building a new Arts Center. The Center is the best thing you'll find in art outside of Chicago.

Chicago, which is about 90 miles from here, is the ultimate offcampus relief. For anyone who has never been there Chicago is a beautiful, viable city along the order of New York and Boston, but inbetween in terms of size. It can be reached for around seven dollars one way by Amtrak and eight dollars by Greyhound. Also, the Michiana Regional Airport offers frequent and inexpensive shuttle flights there for those who want to avoid the smell of Gary along the

All phone numbers and addresses for the various Michiana spots can be found on the green card by your phone. Don't lose it. You never know when a food emergency will arise that can only by that most hallowed of entities, the pizza place

# Student Union: 'trying to satisfy students' needs'

by Wings Fargate **Staff Reporter** 

"Student Union tries to deal with a variety of student needs," explained Student Union (SU) Director Bill Roche, "and we're constantly adapting and evolving to fulfill new needs wherever they develop.'

For those unfamiliar with campus politics, Student Union is a student-managed organization dedicated to the proposition that "you oughta be havin' fun," Roche

"Student Union is the enterprise part of Student Government," Andy McKenna. "While Student Government concerns itself mainly with representing student views and making policy decisions, Student Union handles students sersale of refrigerators and unpainted furniture. He also identified problems of communication alleviated by such means as the Services Commission's poster distribution.

"There are also educational needs which are not satisfied in the classroom," Roche added. "Speakers like Dick Gregory, who

was brought to campus by last year's Academic Commission, open students up to philosophies not expressed in textbooks."

"Furthermore," Roche explained, "the Union provides for the social needs of students by scheduling such events as the forthcoming Welcome Week, which will allow students to meet each other in a casual atmosphere."

In addition, Roche cited the Sophomore Literary Festival and stated Student Body President Midwest Blues Festival, events sponsored annually by the Cultural Arts Commission as attempts to bring students face to face with the fine arts, as examples of one of the many commissions duties. "This experiences wth arts," he said.

ing committee consisting of the Union director, comptroller and three people selected from the eleven "commissioners" which comprise the Union proper.

In addition to Director Roche, a junior from Atlanta, Ga. the Steering Committee includes Social Commissioner John Bonacci, a senior from Rochester, MI. Garv Luchini, Student Services Commissioner, a senior from Bethel, Park, PA, and Jerry Perez, Cultural Arts Commissioner, a senior from East Canton, OH.

As SU comptroller, Maureen Carney, a senior from Clearwater, Fla., manages all Union finances.

Roche will be aided in his duties by a senior Gene Woloshyn, who will serve as the Union's associate director. Other SU personnel include senior Betty Sommers, Movie Commissioner; junior John Kuluz, Academic Commisioner; senior Joe LaCosta, manager of t' ticket office; junior Curt Hencl executive staff coordinating; sen Mary Ann Moore, Publicity Co missioner; senior Jim Speier, C cert Commissioner: Joanne Do and Rosanne Pozsgai, Calencur Commissioners; and Maureen Car-



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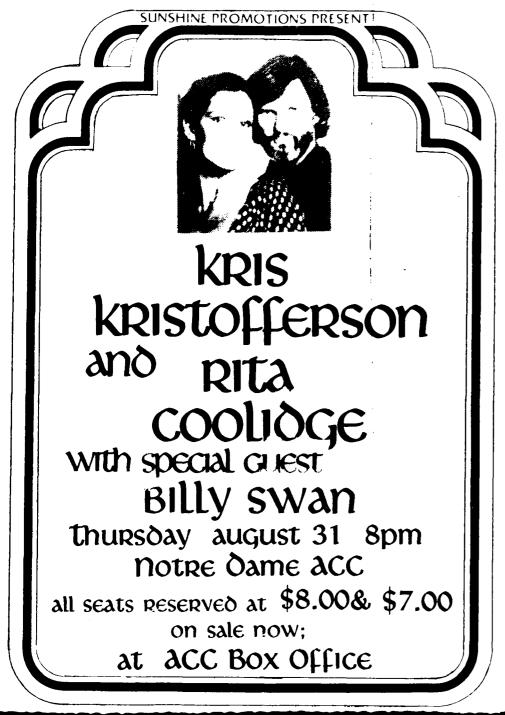
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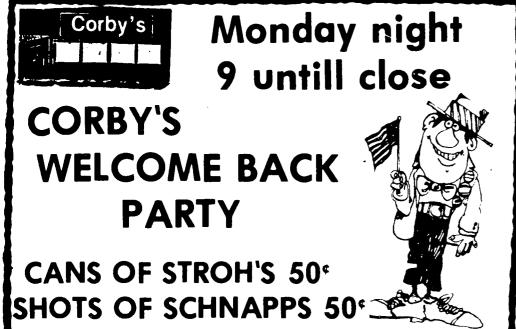
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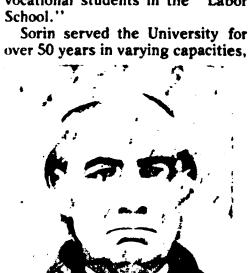
# Notre Dame's long history unfolds

by Maribeth McCran **Staff Reporter** 

Notre Dame is one of the most famous Catholic institutions of higher learning in the United States today. Reknowed for both its high academic standards and championship athletic teams, the University stands as a leader in the pursuit of quality education.

Founded in 1842 by Fr. Edward Sorin, the University received its charter from the State of Indiana in 1844 under the name of the University of Notre Dame du Lac. Notre Dame was not then typical of other colleges or universities. It included not only collegiate and prep students, but also young elementary students in the "Minim" Department, as well as vocational students in the "Labor School."

Sorin served the University for



FR. SORIN

including terms as president and chairman of the Board of Trustees.

The University gradually grew from a small backwoods college into one of high academic reknown. In 1879, however, tragedy struck when the Main Building was totally destroyed by fire. Through the efforts of both the community and students another building was erected just before the fall started. This allowed the University to reopen with a decrease in erollment.

With the rebuilding of the main structure, ND started a new period of grov'th. Over the years the University dropped both the Labor School and the Minim School until only the Collegiate division remained.

During the 1920's ND received national recognition in two different areas--one academic, the other athletic. The post-World War I delue of young men seeking higher education enable the University to begin a period of expansion that culminated in an endowment drive started by Fr. James Burns that eventually netted ND over a million dollars. At the same time Knute Rockne was making a national powerhouse out of a previously unsung football team. Both these

developments helped raise Notre Dame to prominence as on of the ntions leadind Catholic Universi-

World War II saw ND used as a training ground for the armed forces. The post war years were another period of growth and expansion. Undergraduate enrollment grew from 3200 pre-war to 5100 post-war. "Vetsville," consisting of barracks converted to housing for married'veterans, was built on the eastern end of campus.

In 1952 the presidency was assumed Fr. Theodore Hesburgh, one of the youngest presidents ever appointed at a major university. Hesburgh's 27 year tenure has affected ND in many ways. His stature as an international spokesmen for civil rights and his involvement in national affairs acts as inspiration for the entire University community. His massive fund raising drives in 1960, 1964, and 1967 have insured not only expansion but the continuation of quality

Student activism in the '60's focused on local issues as well as national and international reforms. With Hesburgh taking a more

education at Notre Dame.

active role in national affairs, the president was away from campus more and more. Students demanded the creation of the office of chancellor to share with the president the responsibilities of governing the student body. Student agitation helped create voting student membership on all college councils.

The reform spirit of Vatican II

changes in University policy. The first was the decision by the Congregation of the Holy Cross to divest itself of sole ownership and control of du Lac. In 1967 the

Congregation signed over control of the University to a predominantly lay Board of Trustees. The second major question involved the role of women and

what position they should play in the future of the University. After failing to reach a merger agreement satisfactory to both ND and nearby St. Mary's College, ND decided to go co-ed in the fall of

Today Notre Dame has an undergraduate enrollment of approximately 6700 hundred students, including about 1800 women.

helped bring about two major There are four major colleges within the University: Arts and Letters, Science, Engineering and Business Administration. ND also contains a unique program entitled Freshman Year of Studies, designed specifically to aid freshmen during their first year at

Students come to du Lac from all over the United States and 64 other countries, creating a cosmopolitan learning environment. There are foreign programs open to ND students in Austria, France, Mexico, Japan, Italy and Ireland.

Notre Dame is a constantly changing and growing place. It possesses a tradition that makes it like no other school. Fr. Sorin, in founding the University of Notre Dame du Lac, strove to educate the whole person and the tradition he started continues today.

by Michael Molinelli

#### Who's who?

[cont. from page 4] awards given Father Hesburgh is

the Medal of Freedom, the nation's highest civilian honor, bestowed on him in 1964 by President Lyndon B. Johnson.

Hesburgh was born in Syracuse, N.Y. on May 25, 1917. He was educated at Notre Dame and the Gregorian University in Rome, from which he received a Bachelor of Philosophy degree in 1940. He was ordained a priest of the Congregation of the Holy Cross in Sacred Heart Church on the Notre Dame campus June 25, 1943. Following his ordination, Hesburgh continued his study of sacred theology at the Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C., receiving his doctorate (S.T.D.) in 1945. He joined the Notre Dame faculty the same year, and served as chaplain to World War II veterans on campus in addition to his duties in the theology department. He was appointed head of the department in 1948, and the following year was named executive vice president in the administration of Fr. John J. Cavanaugh, University president.

At the age of 35 in June, 1952, Hesburgh was appointed the president of Notre Dame. His administration has marked one of the greatest periods of physical growth and internal development in the University's 135-year history.

Today he heads an institution with a 1,250 acre campus, a faculty of over seven hundred scholars, and an enrollment of some 8,800 students from every state in the Union and more than sixty foreign countries.

Since Hesburgh became president, Notre Dame has erected two dozen major buildings, including the 14 story, \$9 million Memorial Library which opened in 1963. In the last decade, development programs have raised over \$100 mil-



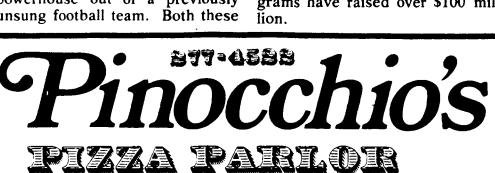




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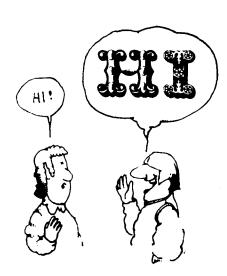
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# Pope election begins

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The cardinals, largest papal electorate in modern history, will raise from their ranks a successor to Pope Paul VI, who died Aug. 6. Italians dominate the top candidates, but the choice of the first non-Italian pontiff in more than 400 years was considered a possibility.

Clad in red robes and biretta skullcaps, the cardinals, their hands clasped, filed solemnly through the carved wooden doors of the chapel at mid-afternoon. For princes of the church was the the first time, this pre-conclave taking of an oath of secrecy, procession was seen on worldwide barring them from revealing any television.

the hym "Veni Creator" - "Come expulsion from the church. A God Creator" - as the princes of the similar oath was administered to church took their places at the long the aides, although they will not be wooden tables where they will vote present during the actual voting for a pope.

Shortly before entering the condivine inspiration for their task.

Once the cardinal-electors and their retinue of 70 priests, nuns, lians were mentioned most promidoctors, nurses and firemen nently as likely candidates. Cardientered the chape, Msgr. Virgilio nals Sergio Pignedoli, Sebastiano Noe cleared the hall of outsiders, calling in Latin "Extra Omnes," "Everyone Out."

keys to lock the chapel doors, leaving the cardinals to a task Britain and Franz Koenig of etched in 800 years of tradition.

VATICAN CITY [AP] - One The doors to the chapel and the adjoining Apostolic Palace will remain sealed until the new pope is

> Voting begins today, with two chosen.

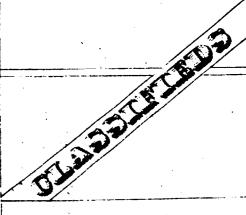
With the cardinals locked away, the eyes of the world turned to the hooded chimney on the chapel roof that will bring first word a new pope has been chosen. After each vote, the cardinal's ballots will be burned, sending puffs of smoke up the chimney. Black smoke signifies an inconclusive vote, but chemicals will be added to turn the vapor white when a pope is elected.

The first order of business for the details of the conclave under The Sistine Chapel choir sang penalty of excommunication, process.

No conclave this century has clave, the cardinals celebrated lasted more than four days - Pope Mass together and prayed for Paul was elected on the third day in

In pre-conclave speculation, Ita-Baggio, Paulo Bertoli were seen as possible "papabili." But there was also mention of such non-Italians as A Swiss colonel, a French prelate Eduardo Pironio of Argentina. and an Italian marquis then turned Johannes Willebrandss of the Netherlands, Georg asil Hume of Austria.





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#### by Ray O'Brien **Sports Editor**

The 1977-78 season was proclaimed "The year of the Irish." It was undoubtedly one of the most fruitful years of athletic competition at Notre Dame. The graduating seniors were blessed with a National Championship which they had probably dreamed about since their freshman year. In 1973 they were told that they had been born one year to late as the Fighting Irish had just turned in a perfect 11-0 season in their prior campaign. Once again it could be said that the Class of 1980 has arrived one year too late, but don't count out any Fighting Irish team yet.

Missing from last year's 11-1 squad are eight starters including All-Americans Ross Browner, Ken MacAfee, Luther Bradley and Ernie Hughes. Also missing will be NFL draftees Steve McDaniels,

Doug Becker. Yet the experts are picking Dan Devine's crew to bounce back against a schedule that includes Michigan and Pittsburgh at home and Michigan State, Georgia Tech, and Southern Cal on Regardless of the the road. outcomes, the upcoming season assures a lot of excitement under the Golden Dome.

Obviously prognosticators have their reasons for picking the Fighting Irish to live up to their heralded tradition. The offense has eight starters returning including the entire backfield that put a record setting 382 points on the board last year and averaged nearly 500 yards per contest. Since the right side of the offensive line graduated Devine will have to order his runners to head for the left side of the field. Vagas Ferguson and Jerome Heavens should be ready to do just Heavens comes off an

Fry, Ted Burgmeier and "almost 1000 vard season" (994 yards in regular season competiion). If Ferguson can pick up from where he left off at the Cotton Bowl--100 yards, three touchdowns and the game's MVP award--then Devine will be smiling most of the season.

> Joe Montana returns at the controls and if he can find a replacement for MacAfee, "the Comeback Kid" will become one of the most talked about players in the

Montana will keep returning split end Kris Haines in his gun sights most often with the tight end position still being contested in fall practice. Tom Domin will also be coming out of the backfield from his flanker position.

Center Dave Huffman anchors the men in the pits. Huffman is considered the top collegiate center. Tim Foley is a menacing sight at left tackle tipping the scales at 245 pounds. Ted Horansky returns to his left guard position to complte

the experience side of the line. Jim Hautman, Tim Huffman and Rob Martinovich are the prime candidates for the left side of hte line and their success will play a large role in Notre Dame's defense of the National Crown.

If the offensive line is shaky, then the defensive line is trembltrembling. Mike Calhoun returns to his right tackle slot but the familiar faces end there. Injuries make the rest of the line very questionable but hidden talent may be there. Jeff Weston returns at tackle to give his double surgery knee one last try. Scott Zettek underwent knee surgery and cannot be counted on. Defensive end Hardy Rayam has had his physical troubles but seems ready to go as is Tom Vandenburgh.

No coach shrugs off injuries, but the one place the Irish could survive this dastardly fate is in the linebacking corp. Devine could play any combination of six players and still have one of the top trious trios in the country. All-American candidate Bob Golic leads this crew of strong men. Golic comes off a spectacular year as the leading Notre Dame tackler. At the left linebacker spot for his third campaign as a starter is Steve Heimkrieter while Leroy Leopold mans the other outside slot. Mike Whittington waits in the wings as does highly touted frosh Bob Crable and fifth year senior Pete Johnson.

The backfield is secure despite the loss of Bradley and Burgmeier at the corners. All-American candidates Jim Browner and Joe Restic return to strong and free safety respectively with Randy Harrison capable of playing cornerback or safety. Tom Flynn holds down a cornerback slot with the versatile Dave Waymer roaming on the other side.

One player who won't start but should make major contributions fo the team is Jim Stone. Stone showed signs of brilliance last year behind Ferguson and should see a lot of action as a dangerous breakaway threat. With a strong crew of new frosh around, Devine could pick up the depth his team will desperately need if they are to figure as a top contender. Joe Restic will once again handle the punting chores with Joe Unis holding the edge as Reeve's replacement.

The best thing about the 1978 Fighting Irish season is that anything could happen while nothing can be expected. Win, lose or draw its an excellent year to be a spectator at Fighting Irish football games.



All-American Bob Golic will once again call the signals for the Notre Dame defense. Golic will challenge many defensive records along the way. [Photo by Doug Christian]

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Joe Montana heads the Notre Dame offense as Irish fans dream of a repeat of 1977. [Photo by Doug Christian] 

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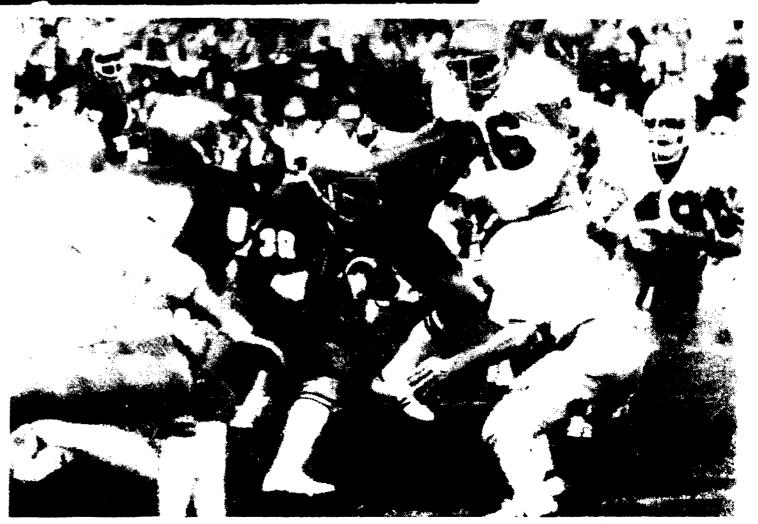
### The Irish Eye

### **Expectations**

The tales of boisterous crowds at Ohio State, Michigan, Penn State, USC and Oklahoma are truly frightening and while it is debatable where the loudest group of college fotball fans gather, there is no doubt that the most demanding football legion in the world are Notre Dame football followers. This elite group can't be pinpointed to one locale because they are dispersed across the country. That is why the Notre Dame student body consists of people from almost every state which adds to its dynamic personality.

The magic of a Notre Dame crowd cannot be explained to a foreigner; it must be experienced inside the stadium during a clash with the Trojans from Southern California or inside the ACC during a tilt with the UCLA Bruins. However, in the past few years members of the Notre Dame community have questioned the demands made on athletes and coaches from within the very same community. This has come about because of fan reaction to disappointments. Some feel if you expect nothing you can never be disappointed but at the same time much of the magic in these events is also lost. So there must be a plausible compromise.

The chances of the Green and Gold repeating as the best college team in teh United States is not overwhelming, but I'm sure that the players will be ready to defend their crown and the students will be behind them. The schedule is a very demanding one and an undefeated season is as likely as most of the freshmen pulling "4.0's" in their first semester. It is something you shoot for but only a lucky few will achieve. The football games ahead will be as entertaining as your classes. Participate in them; be part of them; and enjoy them and as long as everyone tries their best, noone should be dissatisfied. Good luck to the football team and to the Class of 1980 because in the next four months you will need it.



Jerome Heavens looks to sidestep his way to another 1000 yard season as the entire Championship backfield returns. [Photo by Doug Christian]