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ABC reports three released from Tehran embassy

(AP) - Militants occupying the U.S. Embassy in Tehran released three American hostages early today, ABC News said in an unconfirmed report. The militants had said they would release 13 American hostages, eight black men and five women, Tehran radio had reported earlier.

State Department spokesman Walter Ramsey said in Washington U.S. officials had not been informed of the release of any hostages but said, "If it's true, it would of course be very welcome information."

The ABC broadcast identified the released hostages as Marine Sgt. William E. Quarles, of Washington D.C., Marine Sgt. Ladell Maples, 23, of Earle, Ark., and Katherine Gross, 22, of Cambridge Springs, Pa., a secretary in the economics division of the embassy. They had appeared at an embassy news conference last night.

ABC-TV reported from Tehran three hostages were driven through the embassy gate in an American-made car and taken to the Tehran airport for a flight to an unspecified European destination. The report said the release of as many as 10 more Americans was expected within 24 hours.

They were the first Americans freed from the embassy since Nov. 4 when the militants seized the compound and 60 to 62 Americans, demanding the United States return deposed Shah

Mohammad Reza Pahlavi to stand trial for his life.

The militants said unless the shah is returned to Iran they would try the other on charges they were spies.

In a late broadcast, Tehran radio reported the militants said they were following the orders of revolutionary leader Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini to investigate alleged espionage activities at the embassy and to release blacks and women who were absolved.

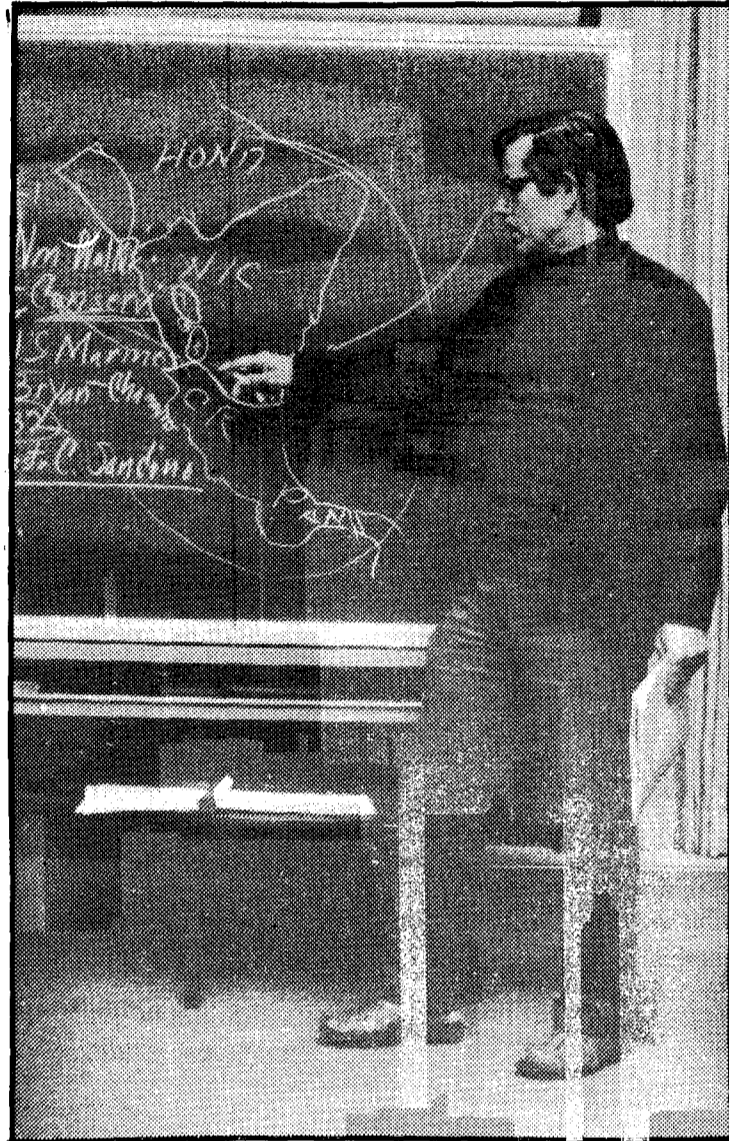
The militants said yesterday that unless the shah is returned to Iran, they would try the other on charges that they had spied on Iran in the course of their diplomatic duties.

Their statement said representatives of the International Red Cross and a doctor from its Iranian affiliate visited the hostages designated for release and pronounced them fit.

The 13 hostages will be handed over the Foreign Ministry on Monday "so that immediate action for their expulsion" might be taken, the broadcast said, but gave no time for the handover.

Three American hostages appeared at a news conference in the embassy yesterday and said they understood they would be released within the following 24 hours.

Maples, referring to the shah in the television interview, said: "I don't know that much about the shah, I've heard much about him and I've heard about what he might have done



Fr. Peter Hinde of Washington D.C. spoke on the Nicaraguan Revolution last night in the library lounge. [photo by Dave Rumbach]

while he was here. "I can't say that he should be returned for trial or not. I don't know...." Gross said the conditions under which the hostages were

being held were "very good." "We haven't had any problems," she said. "We've slept nights. There haven't

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Students promote aid for Cambodia

by Kelli Flint
Staff Reporter

The Students Concerned for Cambodia (SCC) and the Cambodia Response groups, working in conjunction with the Catholic Relief Service, held activities over the weekend to raise money and support for the Holy Cross sisters on the Thailand-Cambodian border.

"The activities were held to educate students about the problem in Cambodia," John Pinter, spokesman for the Cambodia Response said. "The Cambodia Response doesn't want group identification. We are open to everyone interested in helping alleviate the situation in Cambodia."

According to Pinter, a "Cambodia Response" was held from 5 p.m. Thursday until 5 Friday evening. During this time, hall members held a collection within the halls and organized activities to make students aware of the Cambodian situation. Organizations also donated funds, and halls made corporate contributions, some matching the amount collected from hall members. "Every hall participated in some way during this period," Pinter said.

A mass was said Friday for the refugees by Fr. Theodore Hesburgh, University president: all funds collected during the Response period were presented at the Offertory of the mass. "The donations are in excess of five thousand dollars with more pledges coming in," Pinter said. "An exact figure will be announced at a later time."

The Students Concerned for Cambodia held a workshop Friday evening to educate those interested in learning about the refugees' ordeal in Cambodia. A local attorney, representing a refugee family in South Bend,

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Carter administration waits, watches

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Carter administration waited, watched, and kept silent yesterday, hoping in vain that Iran would release at least the blacks and women among some 60 Americans held hostage at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran.

By nightfall, officials at the White House and State Department said it seemed likely that the 13 blacks and women Iran said it would free would have to wait until today to leave the country.

Tehran radio reported that militants occupying the embassy said they would release the 13 blacks and women into the custody of the Iranian foreign ministry today for expulsion from the country.

White House spokesman Jody Powell said President Carter, spending the weekend at Camp David, kept in touch with the situation through telephone calls to Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and National Security Adviser Zbigniew Brzezinski.

Officials, speaking privately, said they had no official confirmation of reports that Iran might try the remaining hostages for espionage.

In interviews with the three American television networks, Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini was quoted in various ways as saying that the remaining American embassy personnel either would be or might be tried for espionage.

Officials said they were trying to discern the reason for the apparent discrepancies in Khomeini's remarks. They insisted that such trials would be in violation of international law. Beyond that, the administration said very little.

"I am not going to deal with a whole set of very legitimate questions until those people are actually out of the country. There is nothing I can say that will do anything to assist in their release, and there are a number of things I could say that could in fact endanger them or prevent the release of the limited number that are going out," one official told reporters at the State Department. He refused to be quoted by name.

Department spokesmen also said they had no knowledge of reports that the former shah would be leaving New York and returning to Mexico on Monday.

The administration has insisted that it will not pressure the shah

to leave, but expects that he will do so when he and his doctors decide it is no longer necessary for him to be in New York.

Asked whether the United States or a third country would send aircraft to Iran to pick up any released hostages, Spokesman Hodding Carter said the State Department was "prepared to insure that they (the black and female hostages) can leave" Iran. But he refused to provide details of how and where they would be taken.

SMC assembly revises budget

by Margie Brassil
SMC News Editor

The Saint Mary's Student Assembly met last night and approved the final revision of the first semester budget, discussed security and approved proposals for changing judicial board procedures.

Treasurer Sheila Wixted reported the projected budget for the first semester had been \$37,084 and the total expenditure has amounted to \$36,120 so far. This budget will be revised again and projects for the second semester will be adjusted accordingly, according to Wixted. The Assembly voted unanimously to approve the

budget.

Student Government President Pia Trigiani announced that in response to suggestions made for tighter security on the SMC campus, a security hut is being built near the front gate on the left side of the main drive leaving campus. The hut is all glass with a view down the SMC side of U.S. 31 and partially down the ND side. Lighting all around campus was checked last week and new lighting for the main road is being tested. Lighting for the pedestrian path is also being considered, according to Trigiani. Spotlights are planned for the walk by the east entrance of Lemans and from Madeleva Hall.

Judicial Commissioner Marth Boyle outlined three proposals for the re-vamping of the Judicial Board. Boyle is working on restructuring the judicial system, a process which will take the entire semester to complete.

The two main proposals voted on and approved unanimously were the structure of the judicial process, and the disbanding of the Hall Boards. Formerly after a violation a student was called before her hall director for sanctioning. After that she could appeal to the Hall Board, the Student Relations Board and finally, the Appeals Board.

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Report shows inequality in defense expenditures

WASHINGTON (AP) - Most of the country's 435 congressional districts pay more in taxes for the Pentagon than they receive in defense spending, and more than half have a net loss of at least \$100 million a year, a new study says. The net result is that the Pentagon budget drains money out of 305 districts and funnels it into 130 districts, according to the analysis released yesterday. The analysis also supports earlier studies that defense spending is concentrated in the South and Southwest. "Military spending is a principal source of drastic imbalance and inequity in the federal tax burden and budget allocation," the study concluded.

Carter looks for victory as Florida primary approaches

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) - President Carter, working to repeat the Florida victories that helped propel him toward the White House four years ago, overwhelmed Sen. Edward Kennedy in a non-binding straw ballot yesterday at the state's Democratic convention. Carter won 1,114 delegates to Kennedy's 351, a margin of 76 percent to slightly less than 24 percent. Nine delegates expressed no preference. California Gov. Edmund Brown Jr. was not on the ballot. Strategists on both sides said the real showdown between Carter and Kennedy will be on March 11 in the Florida primary when 100 Democratic National Convention delegates will be chosen.

Pope visits Turkey in discussion of rift

VATICAN CITY (AP) - Pope John Paul II said yesterday he will visit Turkey this month to open a dialogue with his counterpart in the Eastern Orthodox Church "to overcome together" the 900-year-old rift between the Roman Catholic and the eastern churches. Demetrius I, patriarch of the Eastern Orthodox Church in Istanbul, expressed "deep joy" on learning of the pope's three-day visit and in a statement said the latest papal diplomacy was within "the framework of cordial brotherly relations" between the churches. Vatican officials said the pope plans to begin the visit Nov. 28. Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox churches split in the Great Schism of 1054, when many Christian churches in the West accorded the bishop of Rome supremacy over other bishops.

Purdue discovers danger in some health foods

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. (AP) - Some health foods touted for their natural properties actually cause more harm than good, warns the dean of Purdue University's pharmacy school. Dr. Varro E. Tyler says that in fact, some are even downright dangerous. Part of the problem, he said, is that most of what are called health foods are no longer dispensed under the supervision of a pharmacist but instead are sold in specialty stores.

Weather

Cloudy and warm today with a 30 percent chance of occasional rain. Highs in the upper 50s and low 60s. Mostly cloudy and mild tonight and tomorrow, with overnight lows in the mid 30s to about 40, and highs tomorrow in the low and mid 50s.

Campus

6:45 pm--ROSARY, daily at the GROTO

7 pm--FILM, "no act of god," sponsored by student council & college of business, LIBRARY AUD.

12:15 pm--WORKSHOP, "buchanan on contract: some reflections," by dr. steve worland, sponsored by the dept. of economics, LIB. LOUNGE.

7:30 pm--FILM, "dodes' ka-den" sponsored by nd/smc spdr, WASHINGTON HALL

9 pm--MEETING, mardi gras committee and hall chairmen, SR. BAR

9-10 pm--RADIO, "talk it up," on wsnd subject this evening is "studies abroad," part 1 will cover rome, innsbruck, angers & ireland, call 6400.

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spoke on the Cambodian crisis. Members of the refugee family were also present to answer questions on their ordeal in Cambodia. Background on the Cambodian culture was given by a Notre Dame anthropology professor.

Members of the SCC solicited at the dining halls throughout the weekend and collections were taken at Saturday's football game. According to SCC spokesman Lou Reifschneider, about twenty-four hundred dollars was collected by solicitors and this amount is expected to increase this week.

Bread was baked and sold by SCC members at the game

Saturday. "One hundred and fifty dollars were collected," Reifschneider said, "but most of the people who gave did not accept the bread. The extra loaves of bread were given to the Hope Rescue Mission in South Bend."

The SCC is sponsoring a fast for the Cambodian refugees today during lunch time. Fifteen hundred-forty eight students signed up to donate their lunch to the Cambodia cause. A faster's concert will be given in the LaFortune Ballroom today from 11:30 a.m. until 1 p.m.

"No money collected for the refugees was used in our campaign," Reifschneider stressed. All materials used in the campaign were financed by the coordinators of the SCC.

The money collected by the two organizations will be placed in an account for the Holy Cross

sisters. The Thailand account, which is in a South Bend bank, is drawn upon directly from the field by the sisters. The sisters draw from the account based on their present needs.

"We're working for correspondence with the sisters," Reifschneider said. "We want to bring back an awareness of the situation, so that the response will continue." We also hope to make students aware that the Cambodia situation is the only one of many that require our concern."

According to SCC spokesmen, the red bands worn by SCC members represent the need and the pressing problem it creates. "We hope these bands have aroused an awareness in students, and that they will act upon this awareness with commitment," Reifschneider said. "We want to affect students more deeply than financially."

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been any problems physically. Maybe people have been mentally upset, but other than that we haven't had any problems."

At a morning news conference, conducted on the embassy grounds, students told American and Iranian reporters the chosen group of hostages would be released later in the day. But of the remainder, "those who are spies" will face trial, news reports said, unless America sends them Shah

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'Kwai' movie cancelled

The film, The Bridge Over the River Kwai, scheduled for 7 and 10:30 p.m. in the Engineering Auditorium, has been cancelled due to an administrative error.

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Two experience revolution in Nicaragua

by Jane Kirby

"Patricia libre o morir." "Free country or death" were the words Sr. Betty Campbell and Fr. Peter Hinde echoed as they addressed a group of fifty in the library lounge last night about their experiences with the Nicaraguan people after the recent overthrow of the Somoza regime.

Campbell, a nurse and midwife, who traveled through Nicaragua to help establish health centers, witnessed not only the destruction of the revolution but also the terrible

living conditions that prompted it.

"It was the only option they had" she said of the revolution. "They weren't just people who wanted to have a war. They had really suffered for many years." She stated that many of the rural people she worked with had never seen a doctor before. She showed slides of people still living in buildings that had not been reconstructed since the earthquake of 1972 and of children working on cotton, coffee and banana plantations where DDT could be used.

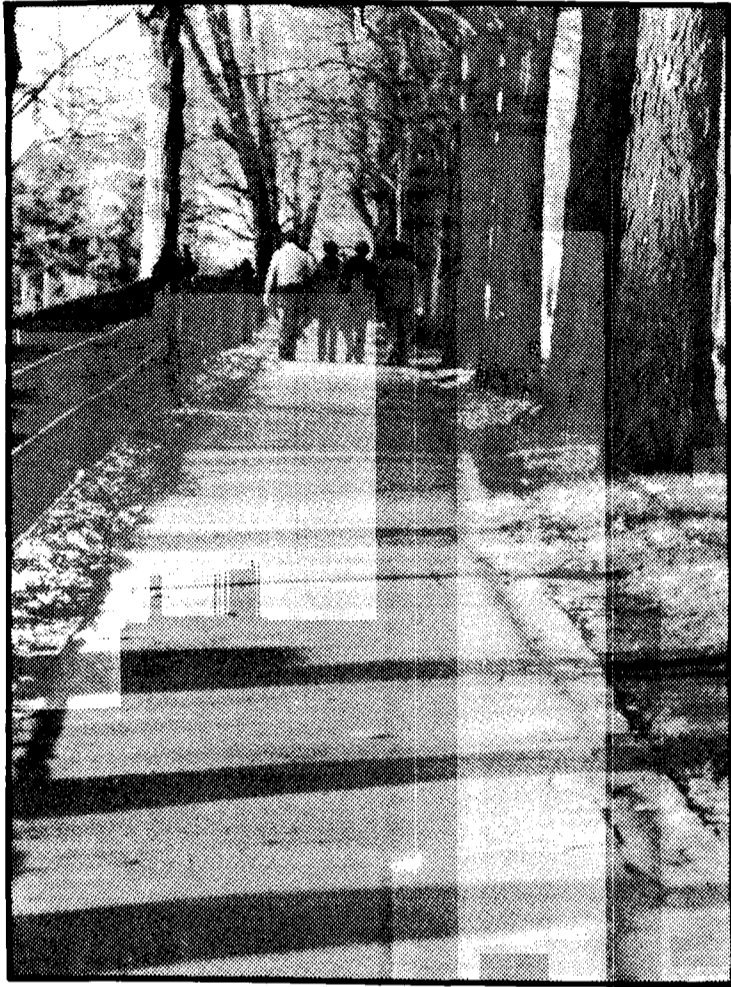
Hinde reviewed the history of the country from its early days of colonial exploitation through the overthrow of the Somoza regime last July. He described the U.S. role in the development of Nicaragua since the buildup of the National Guard by the U.S. Marines that were protecting American interests there from 1912-1932. This National Guard provided the West Point trained ex President Somoza with his military strength. "Somoza owned 50% of all the arable land" he said.

One of Nicaragua's reconstruction problems today is the lack of capital, according to Fr. Hinde. When Somoza fled the country, he took the "beef" out of the country -- as well as \$33 million loaned by the U.S. last April.

"We need a good investigative reporter to find out where all of Somoza's money is today" he commented.

Hinde described the Nicaraguans as "a very

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The walk along Notre Dame Ave. is especially enjoyable on a beautiful day [photo by Dave Rumbach]

ND-SMC presents 'The Heiress'

The Notre Dame-Saint -- Mary's Theatre will present *The Heiress* by Ruth and Augustus Geotz, to be staged in Saint Mary's O'Laughlin Auditorium.

The Heiress is a classic adaptation of Henry James' novel, *Washington Square*.

Professor Frederic Syburg is directing the production. Syburg directed *Blithe Spirit* for the 1979 Summer Theatre Company.

Professor David Weber is serving as scenographer and costume designs are by Diana Hawfield.

Production dates for *The Heiress* are November 30, December 1, 6, 7, and 8. For ticket information call the ND-SMC Box Office at 284-4176.

Asst. dean receives appointment

Kathleen Maas Weigert, assistant dean of the College of Arts and Letters, has been given a concurrent appointment as assistant professor in the American Studies Program at Notre Dame, according to Isabel Charles, dean of the college.

Weigert, a Notre Dame faculty member since 1974, received her Ph.D. in sociology from Notre Dame in 1972. Her academic area of interest is political sociology, and her doctoral dissertation was on stratification and ideology among Black soldiers.

Two strange incidents highlight football weekend

by Lynne Daley

In two unrelated incidents this weekend, students at Notre Dame challenged time-honored institutions that are an integral part of that hallowed event: the football weekend.

First, members of the band marching past Breen-Phillips Hall on their traditional "wake-up" march were doused with water balloons dropped from an upper floor of the dorm. "Some people were really drenched," claimed one irate band member.

The students responsible for the attack protest that the band plays too loudly, too early. "They make more noise before the game than at the stadium," said one hall resident.

In the second incident, which took place during the game, ND student Bill Woods peddled blank computer programs in the stands, shouting, aptly enough, "programs."

"I woke up with one of the sorest throats in town," Woods, a graduate student in chemical engineering, said. The stunt was good enough to earn Woods a \$6.76 profit. "Some people thought I was zany enough to fork out 25 cents," he said.

Interestingly enough, Woods noted, "all my customers were in the Notre Dame section.

Clemson people didn't seem to take to the idea."

The Clemson fans were not alone in their opinion of the venture. "Two ushers tried to throw me out of the stadium," Woods admitted. They relented, however, when Woods explained his purpose.

"I wanted to make a joke out of it and bring a smile to people's faces," he explained.

Council sponsors film

The Undergraduate Student Council for the College of Science will sponsor the film *No Act of God* today at 7:30 p.m. in the Library Auditorium. The film was produced by the National Film Board of Canada and claims to be an impartial discussion of the advantages, and problems associated with nuclear power as an energy source.

An open discussion will follow the half-hour movie with Dr. Paul Kenney, professor of Physics, and Dr. John Lucey, professor of Engineering. The film and discussion is open to the public without charge.

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Scientists discover oldest fossil footprints in Kenya

WASHINGTON (AP) - Scientists have found what are believed to be the oldest fossil footprints made by a direct ancestor of man, 1.5-million-year-old tracks along a lake shore in northern Kenya.

The seven footprints probably were made by Homo erectus, whose evolutionary path leads straight to modern man, the National Science Foundation announced Sunday.

Scientists say the footprints appear to have been left by

someone between 5 and 5.5 feet tall, weighing about 120 pounds. The individual apparently walked from a very wet, muddy area onto drier mud because some of the prints are larger than others.

The discovery was made in sedimentary deposits along the northeast shore of Lake Turkana, about 350 miles north of Nairobi. Three prints were uncovered in August 1978 while a trench was being dug and the rest last July.

Dr. Anna K. Behrensmeyer of Yale University and the University of California, co-leader of the expedition, said that at the time the footprints were made, there were two know forms of hominids, or human-like creatures.

Along with Homo erectus, there was Australopithecus, whose skull bones were heavier and brain was smaller than his contemporary. Both walked upright on two feet.

The two types are believed to have come from a common ancestor, but the line of Australopithecus died out for unknown reasons while Homo erectus lived on.

"Both of these forms of hominids are potential candidates for the maker of the tracks we found," said Behrensmeyer. "But the case is stronger for Homo erectus because its fossil bones are preserved in nearby strata, but not the bones of Australopithecus."

The scientist said the expedition also found tools made of pebbles and cobbles in the same sediment beds. Some had sharp edges and other were like choppers and hammers. She attributed them to the

toolmaking skill of Homo erectus.

While the new footprints are the oldest yet found for a direct ancestor of man, and the first example of Homo erectus tracks ever uncovered, they are not the oldest hominid prints known.

A research group led by Dr. Mary Leakey earlier found 3.6 million-year-old hominid footprints at Laetoli in Tanzania. They are believed to belong to an older, more primitive relative of man - perhaps in the Australopithecus family.

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The new process will give students, depending on the seriousness of the violation, a choice of going before the hall directors, panel or the Student Relations Board. If a student is not satisfied she may appeal to the Appellate Board, which consists of one student, one administrator and one faculty member.

The new structure calls for the

disbanding of the Hall Boards, which according to Boyle has not been used in several years. Instead, the second proposal calls for an equal representation among students on the Judicial Board.

The third proposal, also approved unanimously by the Assembly, discontinued the current educational sanctions, which include mandatory hall desk duty for certain violations.

The new system of sanctioning will range depending on the

violation - from a written warning to disciplinary probation to social probation. Disciplinary probation could lead to social probation for further violation. Social probation, defined as "flagrant abuse of rules," could lead to suspension from the college or removal from the dorm.

All these proposals and any other changes in the judicial system will go into effect next semester.

Women's association honors Kelly

Ruth Kelly, treasurer and manager of the Notre Dame Credit Union, has been chosen "Boss of the Year" by the South Bend Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association.

The award was presented to Mrs. Kelly at a November 14 dinner of the chapter, held in the Notre Dame University Club and addressed by Charles W. Smith, Notre Dame hockey coach.

Mrs. Kelly joined the staff of the Notre Dame Credit Union 14 years ago, and during her 12 years as treasurer and manager its assets have grown from \$1.8 million to \$19 million. She is also on the state board of directors for the Indiana Credit Union League and a director of the International Credit Council.

Hesburgh appoints new advisors

Two appointments to Notre Dame advisory councils were announced last week by Father Theodore M. Hesburgh.

John E. Echlin, retired chairman of the board of Echlin Manufacturing Company now living in Boca Raton, Fla., was appointed to the College of Business Administration Advisory Council.

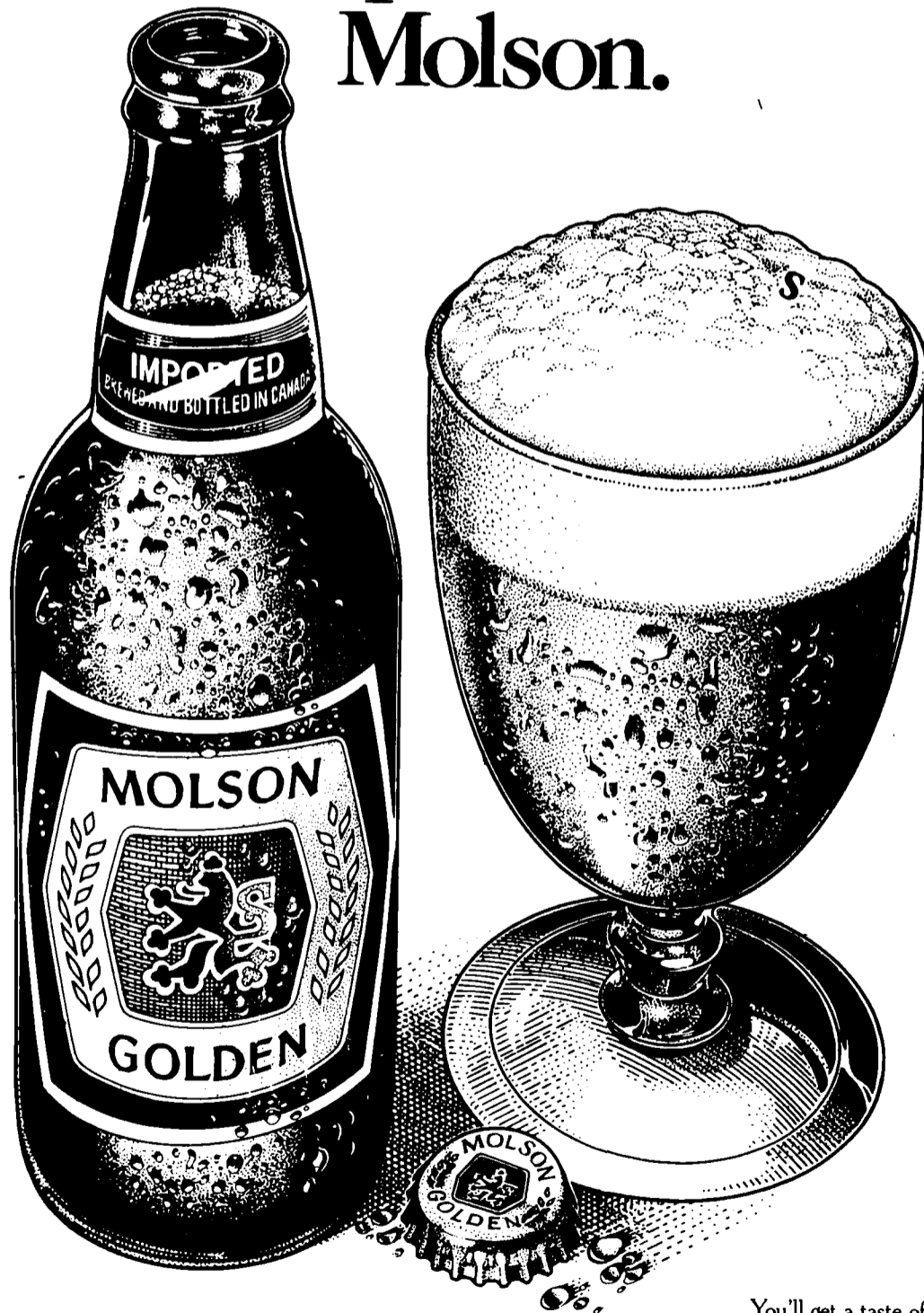
Also, Joyce Hank, wife of Bernard J. Hank, Jr., chairman of the board for Montgomery Elevator Co. of Moline, Ill., was appointed to the Advisory Council of the Art Gallery.

The University's advisory councils consist of 30 to 40 persons who meet annually with University officials to discuss the development of Notre Dame's academic divisions.

Mardi Gras committee to meet

There will be a Mardi Gras meeting tonight at 9:00 at the Senior Bar. All Committee members, hall chairmen, raffle chairmen and architects are asked to attend (there will be a list at the door). The business portion will be followed by a smoker at 10. I.D.'s are required.

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The Observer, contributors fail to address issues

Thomas Kellenberg

In this past week, *The Observer* has published perhaps the most malicious, ignorant, and utterly bigoted pieces of journalistic nonsense concerning the current tragedy in Iran that I have yet encountered.

The Observer has shown not only remarkably poor judgment in publishing Christopher A. Stewart's article "The Shame of Iran" and Paul Lauer's article "A Modest Proposal", but has also shown a penchant for incoherent rambling and shoddy journalism in the editorial "Who Bears The Blame?"

The Editorial Board of *The Observer*, as well as Mr. Stewart and Mr. Lauer, refuse to address either objectively or intelligently the very serious and very complex issues involved in the takeover of the U.S. Embassy in Tehran. For while the Editorial Board trivializes the current concern in devoting an entire editorial to tongue-lashing Iranian students in the United States for supporting their homeland, and while both Mr. Stewart and Mr. Lauer merely make mockery of the Iranian people, their culture, and their religion, no one, it seems, has shown the concern to approach this situation in an unprejudiced, mature, and rational manner.

Although both *The Observer* editorial and the article written by Mr. Lauer approach the takeover with a naive and lack of insight which may be excused, it is Mr. Stewart's article, oozing with religious and racial hatred and calling for an unrestrained and immediate attack on the Iranian people, that is difficult to stomach.

The very real and very serious issue involved in the current tensions between the United States and Iran is not, as Mr. Stewart would have it, whether the act of terrorism and international blackmail perpetrated by a very few Iranian zealots is a legitimate and justifiable act, for no act of terrorism, whether its cause be right or wrong, can ever, in any instance, be con-

doned. The very real and very serious issue which Mr. Stewart, Mr. Lauer and the Editorial Board refuse to address is whether a man accused of suppressing an entire nation, a man accused of exploiting millions upon millions of dollars, and a man accused of ordering the torture, mutilation, and execution of thousands of human beings, should be allowed to remain in the United States.

Although *The Observer* editorial states correctly that it is neither the duty nor the right of the United States to pass judgment on the deposed Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, it is logically perverse for the Editorial Board to conclude that the Shah has some sort of innate right to a diplomatic immunity from prosecution. Forgive me if I appear stupid, but the logic of the argument, and in fact the logic of the entire editorial, escapes me.

Although there are some who believe it to be not only cruel but also entirely unjust for the United States, or for that matter for any nation, to return Mr. Pahlavi to certain execution at the hands of his own people, it is, and it has always been the demand of the Iranian people that the deposed Shah be tried not necessarily by the Iranian people themselves, but rather by a disinterested and impartial international court. If President Carter finds this so difficult to grant, perhaps his so-called concern for human rights is not quite what it should be.

Finally, forgive me if I appear too harsh in denouncing the articles written by Mr. Stewart and Mr. Lauer, or the Editorial Board responsible for *The Observer* editorial. However, when ignorance and an inexcusable naivete are allowed to be irresponsibly propounded by those who know little of the facts, and who appear to care even less, it is imperative not that they be scolded, but rather that they be corrected.

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University Archives has true spirit

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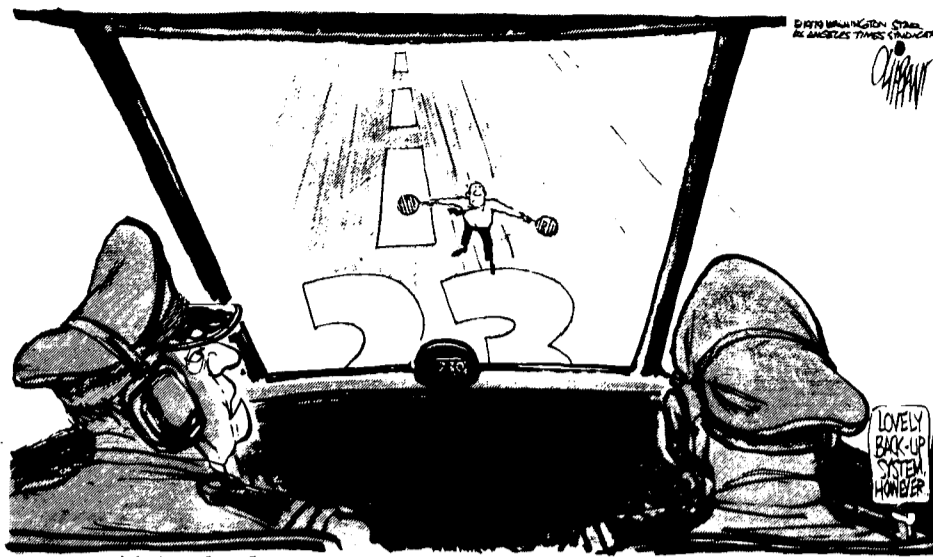
The University Archives, in the spirit of the coming Christmas season, plans to dispense with its usual practices of exchanging gifts among staff members and sharing, together with its student employees, in a holiday luncheon. Instead, the money previously allocated to underwrite these expressions of holiday giving will have a different use this year.

In this time of tragedy and

upheaval in Cambodia, the Archives's staff and student workers have decided to contribute their Christmas "gifts," in equal shares, to the work of the Sisters of the Holy Cross who recently left for the refugee camps on a medical mercy mission; and, through the United Religious Community, to the support of a Cambodian family now living in South Bend.

It is hoped that others in the Notre Dame-Saint Mary's community might join the staff and students of the Archives in the way they've chosen to celebrate their faith this Christmas.

Peter J. Lombardo



"I SEE THE GOOD OLD FAA COMPUTERIZED RADAR IS OUT AGAIN!"

Interhall football

Is the rule just and fair?

Dave Murphy

Recent action undertaken by the Interhall athletic department has resulted in my own ineligibility from interhall football and, more drastically, the elimination of the Off-Campus football team from playoff competition. I was victimized by a rule that states specifically: If a person has earned a varsity letter at another institution, he/she is prohibited from participating in the sport in interhall athletics." After playing nearly two years in interhall football (without knowledge of the rule), I was "found out" and, consequently, declared ineligible. A very successful and rewarding season for twenty-two football players and a chance to prove ourselves champions were suddenly gone.

There is no need to question the validity of interhall's accusation regarding my "guilt," for the rule does exist and I did earn a varsity letter at John Carroll University before transferring to Notre Dame. What does need to be examined is whether the rule itself is a just and fair one. My teammates and I, along with the majority of those students most directly involved with interhall athletics (coaches, athletic commissioners, interhall staff) contend that the rule is unfair and should be changed.

Is it right for this University to deny a transfer student the opportunity to compete athletically simply because he/she has lettered at another school? Very few people know what it means to transfer, to have to "re-encounter" many of the hardships we commonly associate with our freshman year.

The chance to participate in any level of athletic competition provides a student with an excellent opportunity to develop him/herself not only physically, but socially and emotionally as well. The rule in question clearly discriminates against any transfer who may have earned a varsity letter prior to his/her becoming a student here at Notre Dame.

The rule attaches too much importance to the "letter" someone earns and does not address itself to the actual caliber of play that person is able to perform. The interhall office claims that such a rule "protects" interhall participants from varsity athletes who would otherwise dominate and destroy athletic competition among non-varsity athletes. But by assuming that a person who holds a varsity letter from another institution is "too good" for interhall or somehow equivalent to a Notre Dame varsity athlete (in athletic ability), the interhall office is being unrealistic. How many transfer student are willing and able to become varsity athletes here at Notre Dame? You would be hard pressed to find even a few.

And if "protection" is so important for the interhall office why are varsity "walk-ons" and all-state players out of high school allowed to participate? Is there really that much of a difference in their caliber of play as opposed to one who earns a varsity letter from a very small college? I think not, for the only real difference is that one holds a letter. If and when a varsity letter winner from USC, Michigan or Texas transfers to Notre Dame and really wants to play interhall, the interhall office can deal with such a rare occurrence either on an individual basis or through a specific rule. The "blanketing effect" of a rule that applies to all varsity letter winners from other institutions does a great deal more harm than good.

It was the overwhelming opinion of the Off-campus football team, the interhall coaches, athletic commissioners, and other concerned students that because the rule is unjust as it stands, the Off-Campus team should be allowed to participate in playoff competition. However, efforts on behalf of myself and my teammates (through an appeal) to secure our rightful position in the playoffs failed. They failed because interhall officials decided against chang-

ing the rule now. But this is precisely what the athletic commissioners from fourteen of the sixteen male dorms on campus wanted. This is what the Off-Campus Council wanted. This is what the Student Body President wanted. And oddly enough, this is what Holy Cross—the team that filed the original protest, wanted. What the great majority of the students deemed proper and fair in this circumstance was, however, denied. In an interhall athletic system that is designed for and, to a large extent, by the students, I consider it a tragedy that these student concerns were not transformed into action by an interhall office whose most fundamental commitment and responsibility lies with the students it serves.

No one will experience the pain and frustration associated with the rule's existence and the interhall office's lack of responsive action more than the Off-Campus football team. But we as well as the controversy surrounding this whole affair, will pass with time. It is of extreme importance that the athletic commissioners of each hall pressure the interhall office to change the rule as soon as possible. Investigate all the rules and decide for yourselves if each one is fair to the non-varsity athlete here at Notre Dame. The rule which victimized the Off-Campus football team has stood for fifteen years. If the rules had been subject to a more severe scrutiny on the part of the athletic commissioners, there would be talk of a controversy, no talk of unfaithfulness, no feelings of bitterness and frustration.

I have not intended this article to be an all-out "attack" on the interhall system nor on those people responsible for its administration. I only hope that the interhall office, as well as all the administrative bodies of this University, realize that they have more of a commitment to the interests and well-being of Notre Dame students than to a strict, and sometimes insensitive adherence to rules and regulations.

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Beware of Thanksgiving



Fr. Bill Toohey

Thanksgiving is coming. Beware! It can be a splendid holiday; a wonderful celebration. But it's also a challenging time. We could pervert the feast and make it a travesty.

Allow me to set a scene. I am sitting down for the traditional Thanksgiving meal. I am asked to offer grace; and so I begin to mutter words of thanks for various blessings, thinking myself pretty pious, without the least thought of the self-condemnation I may be performing.

I may never examine what it truly means for me to give thanks. If I am a typical American, I may give thanks for riches, abundance, all the advantages of the well-to-do. And at the end of my prayer, I may condescendingly say (and haven't we heard this a hundred times?): "Let us also remember those less fortunate than ourselves."

What does all of this really mean? First of all, I might very well be laboring under the delusion that riches and abundance are a sign of God's favor and pleasure. That is the same myth that was so popular in Jesus' time. Jesus attacked this interpretation, saying that not only are riches and abundance not a sign of God's favor but a serious obstacle to entering the kingdom of God.

The Jewish people of Jesus' day made the same mistake many of us make. They thought things like wealth and good health were evi-

dence of God's approval. They considered them blessings, in the sense that they wouldn't have them unless God wanted them to. And they thought that those without these possessions (health, riches, the finer things of life) were being punished by God.

Remember the incident when people asked Jesus about the blind man: "Who sinned? This man himself, or his parents?" Jesus tried to teach them a lesson many of us have yet to learn: Suffering, illness, misfortune, poverty--none of these have anything whatsoever to do with a judgment by God. Far from being a sign of God's disfavor, persons in these circumstances are, according to scripture, God's "precious," His "favorites."

The truth we find difficult to understand is the fact that God does not personally bring about all these situations; he does not "cause" a person to be poor, to be blind; nor does he decree the opposite--that the person be healthy, wealthy, loaded with talents.

This should help us see that there is a big difference between being "unblessed" and being "unlucky". Tragedy and misfortune are no sign at all of God's judgment, or a revelation of His "unblessing"--his curse upon us for some sin or failure.

There has been more suffering in the world because people fail to see

this. I know a young woman, for example, whose daughter has been diagnosed as having leukemia. This mother has been driving herself crazy, going back over her life, trying to discover what she did wrong for which God is now punishing her.

Thus it is very tricky to give thanks for our "blessings." What I give thanks for may be something I should do penance for. Note, for instance, the obscenity of American pioneers giving thanks for the land--land for which they killed and robbed the Indians. The "blessings" (riches and abundance) I give thanks for may be signs that I have withheld from others their rightful share of God's creation.

We are all equally blessed; that is, equally loved by God. We are not, however, equally lucky; that is, the free circumstances of life have worked out differently for each of us.

What does it mean, then, when I consider those "less fortunate" than myself? What, in other words, does it mean for me to consider the Cambodians or the dying people of Mother Teresa's Calcutta as "less fortunate"? Are these persons "less fortunate" because God planned it, because they have sinned, because they are less worthy?

Feeling sorry for the "less fortunate," I may piously include them in my Thanksgiving prayer; and say to

God: "Lord, help the less fortunate." If I truly listened at this point, God would answer me by saying, "You help the unfortunate...for, you see, many of the so-called less fortunate didn't just get that way by accident of fate or because I decreed it. Much of the "less fortunate," the suffering in the world, is caused by those who are rich and who fail to share freely with those who have need."

To give thanks for abundance is to give thanks for resources to be shared. To give thanks for talents is to give thanks (if I really understand) for challenge and responsibility. It's true: we are the chosen people; we are the elect. But *chosen* for service; *elected* to get busy sharing God's creation equally with all His people.

God doesn't want us to sit down to turkey dinner this Thanksgiving and choke on it. But He does want us to see that it can't be "dinner as usual." There are brothers and sisters of ours who are equally blessed (loved) by God, who do not show signs of being "blessed"--with health, food, justice, housing, clothing, jobs. They are God's message to us, that the goods of His creation need to be equitably shared. They are God's invitation to us, to understand that we are called to give thanks for the opportunity of changing the world.

Letter from Phoenix

Jim Ladner

Just sitting here in my mid-town Phoenix home reflecting on the crooked trails of my recent past and the possibility (better yet, good fortune) of you good people participating in a similar adventure next year. It's hard to believe it's already the end of October and I've been teaching school for nine weeks now! Yet, as the days fly by I realize the great value of this program and the rich benefits that lie awaiting others - you, perhaps.

What program you might ask? And what is a born and bred Minnesotan doing in the arid desert regions of the Southwest teaching the 3R's to small, impoverished urchins? Quite candidly, the Holy Cross Associates program is my "raison d'etre", and is the reason for the other four I live with as well. Connected with the Holy Cross Priests and Brothers here in Phoenix (and the Holy Cross Congregation at large), my comrades and I are serving the local community in various capacities as a part of a one year volunteer commitment to being Holy Cross Associates.

Maura O'Malley, a language major who graduated with me from Notre Dame last May, coordinates the Mealtime Assistance Program for elderly folks in area nursing homes. With this project sponsored by the Mesa Community Council, Maura has already made great headway. Her job entails recruiting, screening and training a growing host of volunteers to feed and encourage underloved elderly on a one-to-one basis. This program strives to alleviate some of the physical and emotional malnutrition of those nursing home residents who have lost the desire to eat and/or are unable to feed themselves. Besides her involvement with the elderly, Maura devotes Saturday mornings to teaching third graders in an inner-city

C.C.D. program.

Mr. Matt Feeney instructs eager sixth, seventh and eighth graders in social studies, reading and music at St. Matthews, an inner-city school in Phoenix. Matt finds the demands of this teaching environment extremely challenging and keeps us all amused with his humorous tales of teaching's trials and tribulations, and his frequent exclamations, "Momma, take this badge off of me." (Don't ask me what that means.)

Which leaves us with one final Domer Associate (excluding myself), Mary Beth Simons. Mary Beth, an energetic take-charge type is doing a super job as a housing development assistant for the Catholic Family and Community Services' foundation for Senior Adult Living (FSAL). In this capacity she tackles a myriad of duties ranging from the requisition of government funds and planning of new elderly housing facilities to housing registration and occupancy concerns. No doubt the low income senior citizens of Arizona will be living more comfortably through her efforts. Mary Beth also spends some of her free hours conversing in Spanish with Mexican senior citizens who live alone in South Phoenix. The joy her simple visits bring to them is immense.

The irreplaceable "foreign" component to our household (the only non-N.D. person), our gift from the Northwest, is Jan Vining. Jan graduated from Oregon College of Education with a degree in psychology which she puts to good use as a counselor and facilitator in an unwed mothers/infant adoption program sponsored by the Catholic Social Service office of the Diocese of Phoenix. The comfort and resolution which she introduces into the troubled lives of others must be very gratifying. Her commitment to

others reaches still further as she has taken on the responsibility of working with adolescents as a Young Life leader.

As I mentioned, I, too, am struggling to convey love and wisdom to my own bundles of joy, the fourth grade class at St. Mark's elementary, another inner-city school. Although the energetic youngsters under my tutelage have much to learn in the way of discipline and basic facts, their exuberance and willingness to participate is amazing. The dedication, generosity and compassion exhibited by my fellow teachers provides me with a sterling example of what it means to serve the Lord and champion Christian values. In addition to teaching, I volunteer my services to a local Boy Scout troop in the role of Assistant Scoutmaster. This enables me to share my interest in the outdoors with others in a constructive way.

As you can see, we as Holy Cross Associates are involved in a variety of vocations which are directed towards the needs of the young, the old, the sick and the homeless. But this lay ministry dimension (call it a volunteer job if you have a hang up with religious jargon) is only one of numerous aspects of the Associates program.

Shared community living and a simple lifestyle also are integral facets which foster much personal challenge and growth. In addition to sharing household chores (cooking, cleaning the bathrooms (even under the rim!), shopping, laundry, etc.), we all support and interact with one another in other important areas such as prayer, spirituality, issues of justice and the ups and downs of everyday life.

Don Feters, the director of our Associates group, and the other Priests and Brothers stationed here

in Phoenix have offered us their spiritual guidance and have warmly welcomed us into their community. And not to be ignored are our many moments of laughter, of desert trails and thorny cactus, of five-part harmonies and our new-found excitement at an unexpected rainfall.

Through these various components - ministry, community and simple lifestyle - this one year commitment becomes more than just a group of college grads living together attempting to make it on their own for the first time. As you probably can sense, the Holy Cross Associates program provides abundant opportunity for personal growth as well as furnishing valuable services to those in need. Already I can appreciate the healthy perspective on life and future career commitments made to me through this involvement. My fellow Associates both here in Phoenix and in the other Associate camps (Portland, Kenya and Chile) wholeheartedly echo my sentiments.

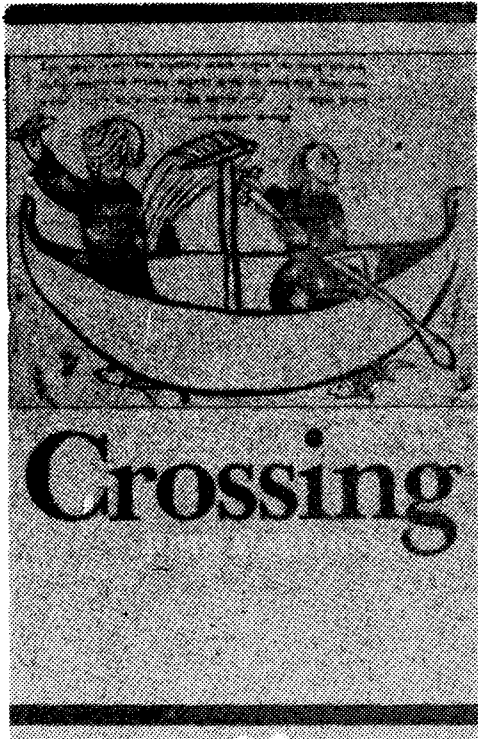
The Holy Cross Associates program is a rich, growth-filled experience for me, one which challenges me on many levels while directing fruitful services to others. It calls me to know myself more fully, to better sense the presence of God in my life, and helps me clarify important values, goals and insights regarding my future lifestyle, relationships and work. It is a marvelous program for those not sure what they want to do and equally beneficial for those "positive" of their deadly clean paths.

Peace,
Jim Ladner

If you are interested in finding out more about the Associates, please stop in at the Volunteer Services office at 1.5 LaFortune. They'll be happy to answer any of your questions.

CROSSING

Patricia Fenelon



Crossing, a new book of poems by John Matthias Faculty member in the Dept. of English, contains the mature poet's assessment of his art. The third book in the tryptych with *Bucyrus*, 1971 and *Turns*, 1974, *Crossing* studies the relation of the poet and life in America. The two previous volumes used lyric, narrative and "found" elements as well as literary fragments and *pastiche* to form a vigorous picture of the poet's journey to find a local identity.

Much of this book, written in England in the house to which Matthias dedicates the book retraces that journey. The poet goes out from home, the American midwest, through England and back through European history to Polish crusaders on the edge of Western European civilization. In an interview several years ago in *Scholastic* Mr. Matthias indicated the nature of poetic quest: "Culture" he said, "has got to be local, immediate, participatory. This if for no other reason because history is a bully." Matthias sets this

excellent free verse book, whether he admits it or not, solidly in the Middle West.

Using the Renaissance sources that also invest *Bucyrus* and *Turns*, Matthias shows an emphasis on horsemanship in *Crossing*, the ritual sources of all art. *Turns* used swordsmanship in much the same way, tracing the patterns of energy that produce human quotidian ritual. Against the counterpoint of his Columbus, Ohio poems about his youth, which begin *Crossing*, the poet then departs home and children for the distant and the past. Quoting a letter from a student in one of the many pastiche passages he admits: "Stop drooling in self pity, I tell myself. Face it this is your home. Why do you keep going away?" Thus he prefigures the moment when he will turn the corner in his mind and admit his American identity.

Through *Crossing*, as through the whole trilogy, the theme of adventure and return is the poet's art. In one place he admits the bifocality of art:

*It is an old story
Some man damages the lives of women
Who would love him
There are various excuses
One is art;*

The return of the poet Matthias chronicles in the manuscript through the titles of the poems. "In memory of the American fifties": "USIS lectures", "On Lake Michigan" and "In Columbus, Ohio". Especially telling is the image of London Bridge grounded in the Arizona desert, the suggested image of the Bank of England in Berkeley adds to this to unite the Old World and the New one of the poet. Besides the two sections, "Remainders" and "Sums" a third section, "The Stefan Batory poems and the Mihail Lermontov poems", set down the Saavic heritage of his wife and hymn the universal modern poet-hero. But the poet defeats the pull of the Old World glamour and in this he is like his ancestor Air Vice Marshall Matthias:

*Who has children
and a wife
and is middle class for life."*

All over again

Frances Regas

When I decided to transfer to Notre Dame from the University of Santa Clara in California late last spring, I thought that the transition would be a simple one. It would entail no more than a change of geography and school colors, and perhaps an increase in academic competition. I was wrong; the problems transfer students face are many.

Because every college functions differently and has a unique personality, transfers have the unpleasant sensation that they are freshmen again. They leave a familiar lifestyle and their circle of friends once more to begin that difficult first year.

Registration brings up other difficulties. Students often lose credits when changing schools--some so many that they must repeat one semester's work. In order to fulfill new requirements, transfers might have to enroll in first year classes. This is particularly detrimental for students planning to apply to graduate schools which are not impressed by juniors taking freshman level courses.

The greatest problems transfer students must endure can be summed up in three infamous words: living off-campus. It is easy to imagine how their social life suffers--if it exists at all. Students are obviously cut off from all dorm functions and they are unable to establish the close friendships that come from actually living with a group of people. Of course, those students that rent apartments

have their own social sphere, but it's not quite the same, and they miss the opportunity of meeting people afforded by eating in the dining halls. (Incidentally, it should be mentioned that preparing meals is bothersome and encroaches on a student's valuable time.) Many transfers, however, take rooms in private homes, and so are isolated from their peers. Because they leave the university to study, transfers rarely visit the social spot on campus--the Memorial Library. Knowing so few people prolongs that awful freshman-again syndrome.

Admittedly, a social life is expendable, but other benefits which should accompany college life are not. I am speaking of lectures, class tutorials, seminars, films, concerts, plays, and the chance to participate in a wide range of activities. Transfer students often cannot enjoy these. Educational and cultural events, and organizational meetings--including those of the Off-Campus Council--are invariably scheduled during the evening. It is inconvenient and time consuming for students who live away from school to return to campus at night, and it is impossible for some of them.

Recent editorials and articles in the *Observer* illustrate that assault and rape are not unknown in South Bend; transfers--especially females--shouldn't walk or ride bicycles alone after dark. The presence of Security officers which deters attack, and the escort service they provide is no help

Pacino's "...Justice": Guilty

Christopher Stewart

In the world of film, there are actors, and then there are *the actors*. As I glance over the past decade searching for *la creme de la creme*, four names tower over the rest: Hoffman, Nicholson, DeNiro. And Pacino, the reigning king. Al Pacino. Ya know, da guy frum da Sout Bronx. *Da Bronx*, New York, for pete's sake.

I love Al Pacino. But I loathed his latest movie, "...And Justice For All." The movie is so utterly pretentious and banal that I wonder how director Norman Jewison could think that any self-respecting film connoisseur could do anything but chortle hilariously at this judicial Sesame Street. It's the most contrived movie I've seen since *A Star Is Born*.

Pacino is the consummate actor, chiefly because he has proven time and again that he performs marvelously both on stage and in film. I've seen all but two of his films, and caught him two years ago on Broadway in the excellent production, "The Basic Training of Pavlo Hummel." Except for the fact that he spits prodigiously, Pacino's electrifying stage presence places him in the legacy of the rough edged, hard-assed antihero, a role-type pioneered by James Dean and Marlon Brando.

Pacino communicates the passionate rage, emotional trauma, unbridled frustration and smoldering spiritual chaos of modern existential man better than anyone else. Enticed by roles emphasizing human ambiguity ("Serpico, Bobby Deerfield"), somber realism (*The Godfather, I & II, Scarecrow*) and heartrending delirium (*Dog Day Afternoon*) Pacino's penchant for the bizarre, warped and alienated have propelled him to the zenith of his profession. This is manifest by his four Oscar nominations, and possible fifth for "...And Justice For All."

In addition, Pacino's sense of comic relief--those incredibly beguiling eyes, an upturned lip when he's on the make, or some primordial quip in the face of imminent disaster--is equal to Nicholson's devilish winks, Hoffman's innocent wonderboy looks, Dreyfuss' teddy bear chutzpah and Burt Reynolds' startling deadpan humor.

Unfortunately, all these talents couldn't rescue "...And Justice For All" from the oblivion it so justly deserves.

The movie is set in Baltimore, Maryland, home of Spiro Agnew. Baltimore is cast as an amoral cauldron of corruption, with particular emphasis on its criminal justice system.

Arthur Kirkland (Pacino) plays the role of a legal Sir Galahad, saving a motley crew of transvestites, bad drivers, dope addicts, and human flotsam from the pernicious ambience of prison. Kirkland is incorruptible, except when it comes to some sexual gymnastics with a feline beauty on the city's Ethics Commission. Their ostensible function is to investigate the moral fiber of the city's legal establishment, which is negligible. Kirkland responded to the inquiries of this committee with one of the film's more poignant comments: "Theoretically, what this committee is doing is commendable. In reality, it sucks." Profound, huh? There's more.

Judge Fleming (John Forsythe) is an autocrat in the mold of the Ayatollah, whose sadomasochistic proclivities eventually embroil him in a rape charge. Or Judge Rayford (Jack Warden), a throwback to the good ole, shoot 'em up days of Wyatt Earp. This Wild Bill Hickock of the courtroom wears a holster, with fully loaded pistol, to court; eats his lunch on a ledge 10 stories high; contemplates suicide daily during meditative stints, with shotgun in his mouth, sitting on the magistrate's commode; flies helicopters so that they'll crash in Baltimore Bay; and doesn't sleep with his wife.

Kirkland's grandfather (Lee Strassberg) is a senile old man, holed up in a nursing home. Jewison's efforts at winning our hearts prove mawkish. Every time Pacino visits Grandpa, Grandpa forgets that he's a lawyer. Pacino gets frustrated, telling him "Grandpa, I am a lawyer. For 12 years." I was hoping Pacino would punch the old codger.

Jewison's mangy caricatures demeaned the purpose of the film, which intended to enlighten us to the travesty of the American judicial process. He could have done this just as effectively without resorting to dramatic overkill and tendentious characterizations.

There are some excellent moments in the film, highlighting Pacino's brilliance with Jewison's intent. A black transvestite, accused of robbery, ends up mistakenly sentenced to jail because of his lawyer's (Kirkland's assistant) incompetence. The defendant's face is fraught with terror at the thought of jail, and for good reason. A half hour after he enters jail, he commits suicide. Pacino responds to this outrage by attacking his assistant's car, smashing his windshield with his suitcase. In a movingly beautiful scene, Pacino withers under the oppressive burden of injustice, crying out to a deaf world: "Don't you care? Doesn't anybody care?"

One classic scene involved Judge Rayford asking a policeman about a suspect arrested on public nuisance charges. The cop told the judge the defendant had been verbally abusive, using much profanity. The judge insisted on knowing the connection between the client's lack of etiquette and diabetes. The suspect's response to the judge's ignorance is worth 1/2 the price of the movie.

Although "...And Justice For All" is not one of Al Pacino's more memorable efforts, the catcalls and derisive reviews about him are largely inflated. The film is not "The China Syndrome" of the legal system, but it could have been. Many people will enjoy this film, and be disturbed by it, as were the two friends who accompanied me to see it.

After it was over, I asked them (both seniors) if they were ready to rush into law school, prepared and aware of the many vicissitudes and disappointments which await them.

They looked at me and frowned. Their uneasiness is certainly justified.

If the search for justice is as impossible as this film portrays, maybe my friends felt the nausea we all should feel. I did not feel it so starkly, since I tend to believe that's how it's been all along.

It's called the real world.

outside the University. Hence, transfers are denied the benefits which distinguish the valuable college experience from mere book learning.

One last major problem for transfer students is that they feel they don't belong. They spend hours on campus daily, but they are only regular visitors. They attend classes, but remain outsiders. They don't experience the special quality about living on-campus, right in the center of things--the feeling of being part of a

tradition, the spirit, the fun. School is just routine business. This sense of exclusion brings with it a sense of non-permanence which leads to another transfer student syndrome: the desire to transfer again and again.

Living off-campus, then, compounds the problems of adjustment that students face when they change schools. The responsibility for resolving the troubles of transfers rests with the University which should guarantee residence to all new students.

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ND halls sponsor fewer parties due to party room regulations

by Phyllis Washington
Staff Reporter

Many hall presidents have observed that fewer hall parties have been given this year since the new party guidelines were issued by Father Van Wolvlear. In the past, students were allowed to hold section parties and private parties in their rooms and hallways. However, section parties are now outlawed and students must go

through a more formal process to have parties.

According to the new party rules, a room within the hall must be designated as the "party room", and the section and hall parties are to be held in that room.

Most dormitories require students to reserve the room through the rector a week in advance. At this time, a deposit is usually put down for the room in case of damages. Deposits vary from dormitory to dormitory. Halls can set their own deposit fees and they range from \$10.00 to \$35.00, and some require a rental fee for the room in addition to the deposit. Because many of the parties have been spontaneous in the past, students generally don't plan that far in advance,

made preparations for it last year. "The thing that helped us was that we set up our party room last year and we sort of set up some guidelines when the issue was first being discussed. So, we kind of eased into it this year because we were somewhat used to it," Madigan said.

Cavanaugh also uses their party room on the average of once a week. Cavanaugh uses the study lounge as the party room and the Hall President, Mike Tuohy, said, "The facilities aren't all that great but the University is in the process of giving us some things." Even though the Cavanaugh party room is used frequently, "Generally people would rather have section parties because they're easier to run, easier to

"there are a lot less parties now because the guidelines made it too formal"

and therefore they give up the idea of having a party.

Another rule that many hall presidents believe may have something to do with the decrease in the number of hall parties is the guest list policy. The party rooms can hold a limited number of people as designated by the fire marshal. Every party must have a guest list that cannot exceed the number of people allowed in the room. The number of guests also varies from dorm to dorm. Some can only hold 50 to 75 people, while others can hold as many as 200. As a result, students must now make out a guest list and are required to adhere to it.

There are other rules that may be causing a decrease in the number of hall parties. In addition to having to reserve the room a week in advance, providing a guest list for a limited number of people and paying a deposit and a rental fee, some dorms must have students at the parties to act as bouncers to make sure that guidelines are followed. The parties must never become public, and kegs may not be used. There has not been much protest among the students toward the new policies, but most presidents have noticed the change.

If party rooms are used frequently, it is likely to be in a male dorm. According to Madigan, Alumni Hall president, "Our party room is used at least one time every weekend. We have hall parties and section parties down there."

One reason for such prolific use of Alumni's party room could be that the hall residents

control, and easier to plan," Tuohy added.

In the women's dormitories, the rooms are mostly used for small private parties, section happy hours and dinner parties. Most of the female dorms don't generally use the room for larger parties because of all the advance plans that have to be made. Some hall presidents of the female dorms have also noticed a change in the number of parties given. Dale Robinson, Breen-Phillips Hall president, said, "Our party room is used just about every week but for a small number of people."

Robinson noted that BP has had a lot of problems, as some other dorms did, with the study lounge being designated as the party room. "Because it has a study lounge atmosphere," she said, "you can walk in and say 'Oh! It's time to study.'"

Farley's President Madeline Darrouzet, agreed that people are having less parties in Farley.

Some students are taking advantage of the party rooms and their guidelines by scheduling parties and reserving rooms and there are still private parties held on the weekends in private rooms.

"The general consensus is that there are a lot less parties now because the guidelines made it too formal," Jim Ingolia, Holy Cross Hall president said. "People go off-campus now and social interaction is less."

"Perhaps the situation will change and party rooms will be used more when people become more acquainted with the rules and used to the process," Ingolia added.

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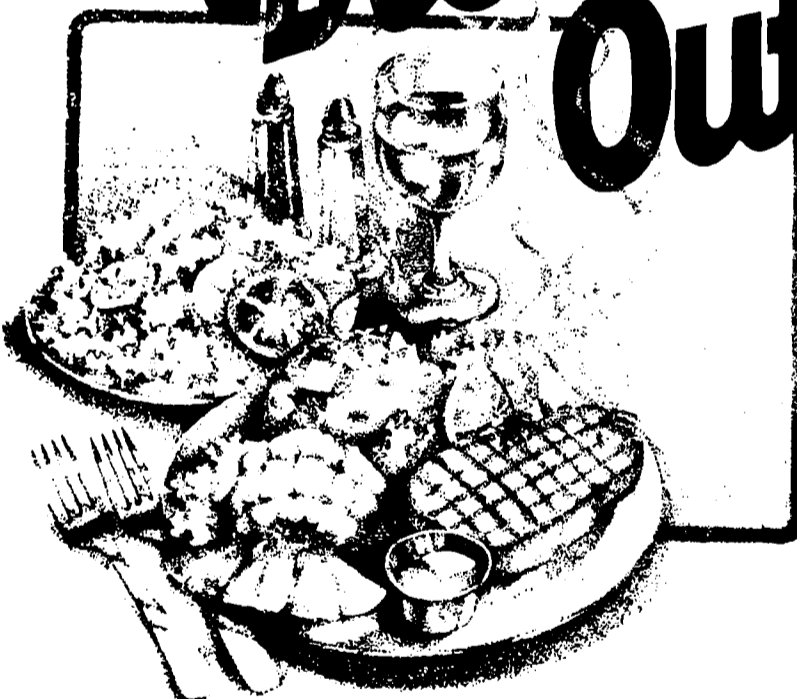
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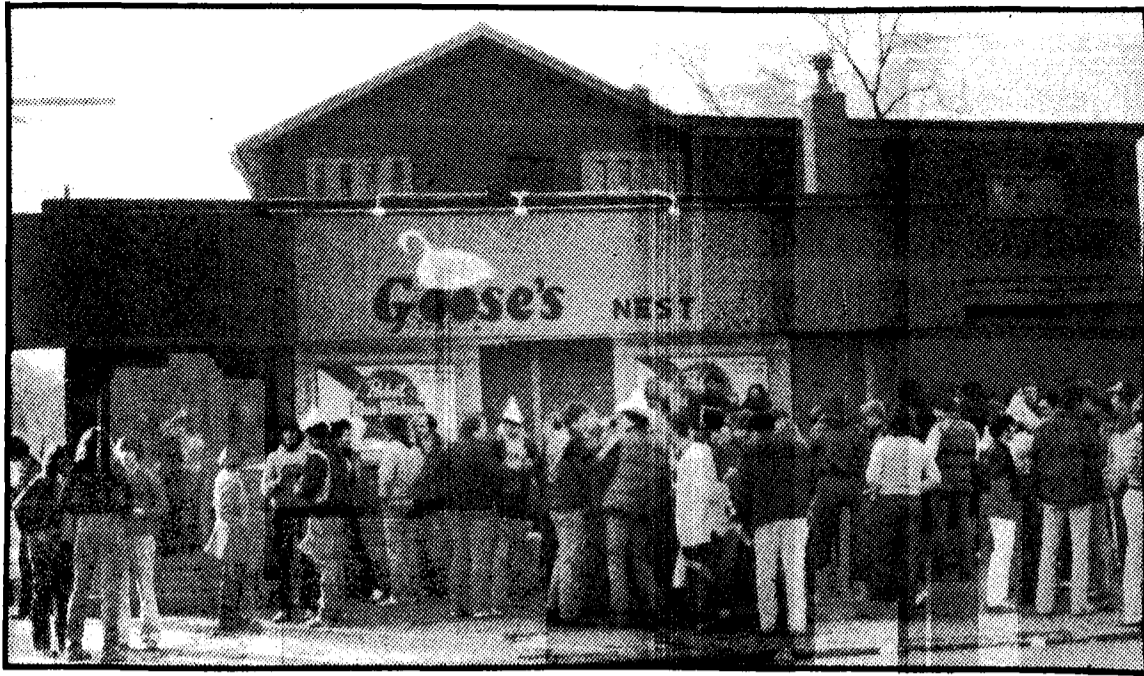
Christian people." He noted the organization of the rebels on the grass roots level and recognized the role of the church in setting up the original infrastructure, or foundation, on which the rebels built.

Sister Campbell noted how the Scripture really came alive to help the Nicaraguan people in their reconstruction effort -- those who had lost everything as well as those who had had

nothing to lose. She stated that the National Guard prisoners were not treated with terrible vengeance, even after all they had put the people through. She cited the tremendous spirit of the independent people and their hope for a new society.

As Father Hinde sees it, they are "not to mourn those who died but to carry their seeds in their hearts."

The talk was sponsored by the Center for Experiential Learning and cadena.



Seniors take a breather outside of Goose's Nest during this year's Death March [photo by Dave Rumbach]

Air Force plane transporting radioactive materials explodes

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) - A cargo plane carrying explosives and "a minute quantity" of low-level radioactive material blew up in flight yesterday then crashed in a thinly populated area, officials said. All three crewmen were killed.

One witness said he thought he was watching a meteor fall when he saw a red flash in the sky.

The four-engine Trans-American Airlines turboprop crashed in a sagebrush area of the Salt Lake Valley about 5 A.M., 10 minutes after taking off from Hill Air Force Base in Ogden, Utah, officials said.

Originally, the Air Force had said there were 1,500 pounds of explosives aboard.

Sheriff's deputies who arrived at the scene moments later said parts of the plane were scattered over a three-block area. Salt Lake County Sheriff Pete Hayward said the cockpit remained "largely intact" but burned for several hours after the crash. Sheriff's deputies at the scene said there were no survivors.

The civilian Lockheed Electra L-188, carrying cargo for the Air Force, was bound for Wellis Air Force Base in Las Vegas, Nev.

Deah Curry, an Air Force

spokeswoman, said the cargo included "a minute quantity of thorium," which gives off so little radiation that no label is required on containers. She said the thorium was used to make an aircraft gearbox that was being carried on the plane.

Thorium is often used to coat watch faces, and Ms. Curry said the cargo was thought to pose "no more danger than a watch dial."

Geiger counter checks of the area showed no radiation leakage, although the container carrying the thorium could not be found immediately, said Larry Anderson, director of radiation and occupational health for Utah.

About 50 deputies, firefighters and Air Force personnel who worked close to the smoldering wreckage were asked to undergo tests to check for possible contamination, said sheriff's Lt. John Llewellyn, but the tests were abandoned after 37 people were safely screened.

Witnesses reported hearing two explosions and seeing a bright flash and then a fireball that separated and fell to the ground.

Rick Slakoff, a Transamerican spokesman in San Francisco,

identified the dead crew as the pilot, Marvin Dick, 46, of Ogden, the pilot; first officer Harry Gardiner, 35, of Layton, and flight engineer Jac Johnstone, 54, of Warner Robbins Air Force Base in Georgia.

Alfred McCallister, a Federal Aviation Administration official in Salt Lake City, said Dick had radioed the plane was having electrical problems and was unable to maintain altitude. The plane was flying at about 11,000 to 12,000 feet at the time, the FAA said.

Kentucky basketball tix available

Approximately 250 tickets for the Notre Dame -- Kentucky basketball game will go on sale the week after Thanksgiving. The game is to be played at Freedom Hall in Louisville on Saturday, December 29. Consult the Observer for exact date and time of sale.

R.A. candidates hold meeting

by Katie Gilligan

Interest meetings for prospective St. Mary's Residence Advisors during the 1980-81 school year will be held November 26 and 27, from 6-7 p.m. in the Saint Mary's clubhouse. Sophomores and juniors (excluding Medical Technician and Nursing majors) are encouraged to apply. Attendance at at least one of the meetings is required, as the application forms will only be distributed at these times.

The application, three recommendations, and a waiver form, which complete the initial phase, must be submitted to the Department of Residence Life Office in room 164 of LeMans by January 18. The three recommendations are to be written by a staff, faculty, or

administration member, a present RA, and a employer or personal friend.

Non-resident or off-campus students may substitute the RA's recommendation with another St. Mary's faculty, or personal recommendation if they wish. Those whose files remain incomplete as of the January deadline are automatically withdrawn from the program.

Interested students must sign up with the Residence Director for a personal interview by January 16. The interviews, which begin on January 20 and are scheduled through the first week of April, are quite important. According to Mary Jane Silvia, the co-ordinator of RA recruitment, "The interviews are for a job, not a joke".

Two optional workshops have been set up to help applicants prepare for the interview.

Silvia hopes these meetings, new this year, will give the prospective RA's an idea of what to expect in the actual interview as well as to impress upon them the weight that it will carry. The sessions, starting at 6:30 pm in the Student Affairs Conference Room, will be on December 4 and 5.

Along with the personal interviews, there are also a series of apprenticeship group meetings which will meet twice for two to three hours. The groups, comprised of six to eight applicants and two current RA's, discuss the responsibilities of residence advisors. Applicants must also go through individual interviews, given by two other RA's.

Saint Mary's students with questions concerning the RA meetings may contact Mary Jane Silvia (4918), or Nue. Nugent (4508).

... Hostages

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Mohammad Reza Pahlavi, now in a New York hospital being treated for cancer.

Journalists attending the new conference reported the students appeared to be in disagreement about when how many hostages would be freed but on Saturday, Iran's spiritual leader, Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, ordered the release of the blacks and women among the 60 to 62 Americans and eight non-Americans held since the embassy was seized Nov. 4.

NBC-TV interviewed Khomeini in Qom, 100 miles south of Tehran, and quoted him as saying the remaining hostages will be safe as long as there was a possibility the deposed shah would be returned to Iran, but if the United States does not send the shah back to Iran, most of the hostages would be tried and punished under Islamic law.

Peter Jennings of ABC-TV interviewed Khomeini, and quoted him as saying "the only condition is to return the shah..."

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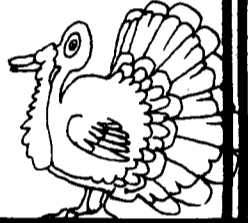
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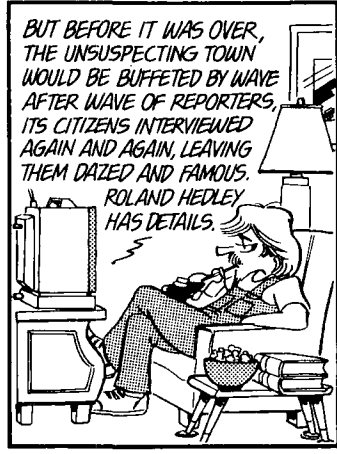
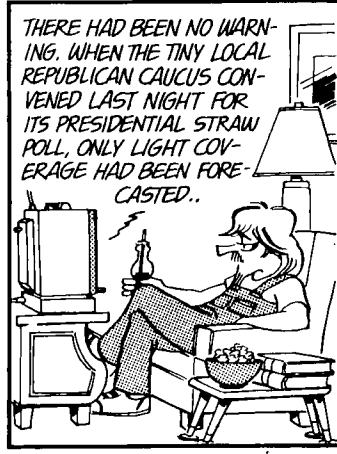
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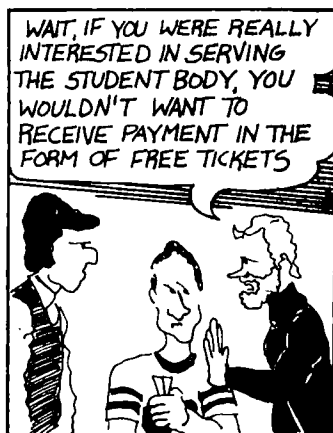
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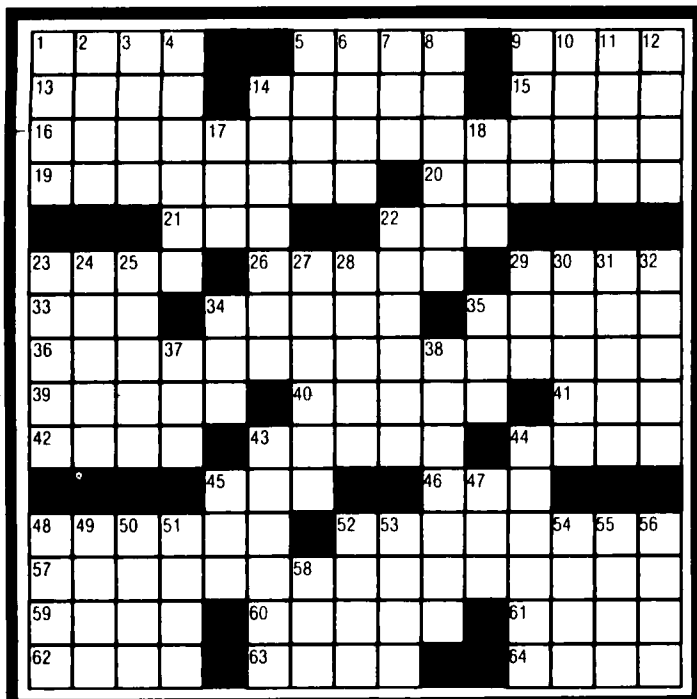


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11/17/79

(AP) - As California returns to limited odd-even gasoline sales to show "solidarity" with President Carter's handling of the Iranian crisis, governors of other states are reacting more cautiously to the White House call for fuel conservation.

California Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. ordered odd-even sales to meet expected oil shortages stemming from the U.S.-Iranian confrontation.

The new plan, virtually identical to that imposed this past summer, took effect in San Francisco, Los Angeles and 13 urban counties at 12:01 a.m. today. It becomes effective statewide Dec. 3.

California's previous odd-even plan, which lasted four months, was abandoned primarily because it was widely ignored by both motorists and police, who were supposed to enforce it.

On Friday, Carter and Energy Secretary Charles Duncan met at the White House with 39 governors, asking them to take immediate action to curb oil demand, suggesting such tactics as odd-even gasoline sales and minimum purchase rules.

During last summer's fuel shortage, 11 states and the District of Columbia had ordered odd-even sales of gasoline.

Duncan also urged that states strictly enforce the 55 mph speed limit and cut energy use in their own governments by 5 percent overall, including a 10 percent reduction in gasoline consumed by state-owned vehicles.

The requests are "reasonable," said Iowa Gov. Robert Ray. "It is my feeling that the people are angry, they are mad, and they aren't going to let Iran dictate what our economy is going to be."

Ray said Iowans would be asked to help by "seriously observing the 55 mph speed limit, more carpools and use of mass transit - the things people can do without very much inconvenience."

But Ray, echoing the comments of many governors, said he felt his state did not need to impose odd-even sales or minimum purchase requirements.

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Clemson

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fumbled the ball after being hit by linebacker Bubba Brown, and Jeff Davis recovered for Clemson at the Notre Dame 40.

Five plays later, Lott streaked around the right end on an option and ran down the sideline for a 26-yard touchdown to give Clemson the lead.

"The two fumbles and the two personal foul penalties definitely hurt us in the third quarter," Devine noted. "We never even had the ball in the third quarter. We had the wind, but we couldn't utilize it because of our mistakes."

Ari's third field goal of the game followed a devastating seven and a half minute drive by Clemson early in the fourth quarter.

But the Irish still tried to come back, as two passes by Lisch to Tony Hunter moved the Irish down to the Clemson 26. Lisch tried to hit Hunter again at Clemson's three, but the ball went off Hunter's hands into the arms of Terry Kinard. Kinard later intercepted a pass by flanker Pete Holohan on the end-around option, and Notre Dame did not threaten for the rest of the game.

For the seniors, the loss was hard to take, but they could still reflect back on the positive aspects of their careers.

"Even though we lost four games, we accomplished a lot," Ferguson said. The star half-back's own accomplishments did not go unnoticed, as he broke his own mark for rushing yardage in one season and tied the record for most rushing

touchdowns in one year.

"A lot of the young guys got off to a good start," Ferguson continued, "and that means a lot of good things for the future of Notre Dame football."

"The last four years have been the greatest four years of

my life," added co-captain Tim Foley. "Win or lose, the guys I've played with have been super and the friendships will last a lifetime. I certainly have no regrets and wish every young man could have the opportunity I had."

Icers

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saves in his second night of work. "He's a good goal-tender," Smith praised. "He wasn't expecting to play tonight, but then Laurion came down sick."

McNamara also had a solid performance in the first game of the series, but his efforts weren't enough, as the Irish dropped a 5-4 heartbreaker.

"Considering the conditions," Smith said, "I think we had a pretty good effort. We certainly had our opportunities, but we just couldn't capitalize."

The Irish grabbed an early 2-0 lead, as freshman John Higgins tipped in a shot by Brownschiddle, and Meredith did the same with a shot by John Friedmann from the point.

A poor pass by defenseman John Schmidt helped set up State's first goal, as Ken Paraskevian batted in a rebound. Then with only 57 seconds left in the first period, Lakian tied the game on a quick shot from the point off a faceoff.

McNamara and Mazzolini held off the opposition for most of the second period, but a pass by Leo Lynett to Mike Stolzner gave the Spartans the lead

entering the final 20 minutes. Bill Rothstein came back to tie it for the Irish, as he slipped a backhander past Mazzolini right after Mark Sicoloni won a faceoff to the goalie's right.

But two goals by Mark Hamway and Russ Welch gave Michigan State and Mazzolini all the lead they needed. Don Lucia's goal on a deflected slapshot wasn't enough, as the Irish were thwarted several times by State's veteran goaltender.

Notre Dame faces a non-conference opponent this weekend, as they travel to New York to play Cornell in a two-game series. Wisconsin will be the next WCHA opponent for the Irish, in a series in Madison on Nov. 30 and Dec. 1.

Soviets win

TERRE HAUTE, Ind. (AP) - Russia's Anatoli Mishkin scored 26 points Sunday as the touring Soviet national team held off a late rally to edge Indiana State 83-82 in an exhibition basketball game.

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ND mistakes help Clemson to 16-10 win, bowl bid

by Mark Perry
Sports Editor

Mistakes can change the course of any football game, and Saturday's contest between Notre Dame and Clemson was a prime example.

For one half of football, the Irish dominated the Tigers like no other team has this year. The Notre Dame offense gained 295 yards in the first half, more than Clemson has given up in one game this season. The Notre Dame defense held the top rushing team in the Atlantic Coast Conference to a mere 92 yards on the ground. And most importantly, the Irish led 10-0.

But a combination of penalties, fumbles, and interceptions helped turn the tide for a fired-up Clemson squad, and the Tigers went home with a 16-10 victory and vision of the Peach Bowl dancing in their heads.

There will be no Christmas present for the Irish and coach Devine this year, as they've elected to make their regular season finale against the University of Tokyo the final game of the year.

"We had a bowl offer, win or lose," Devine admitted after the game. "But I didn't want to go to a bowl game just for the sake of going. I doubt we would have gone to a bowl even if we had won today."

For Devine, it was a heart-breaking loss. "I'm more disappointed about this game than any I've been involved in," he reflected. "I've never been lower in my life."

It appeared that the day would be a happy one for the Irish and the seniors who were playing their last game in front of a home crowd. A 42-yard field goal by Chuck Male and Vagas Ferguson's two-yard touchdown run had given Notre Dame a 10-0 midway through the second quarter.

And the Irish appeared to be driving for another score as Rusty Lisch dropped back to pass from the Clemson 11-yard line. Finding no receivers open, Lisch scrambled toward the goal line, and scored an apparent touchdown on a diving effort. A holding call brought the ball back to the 25.

"I thought that the penalty that nullified Lisch's touchdown turned the momentum completely around," Devine commented. "We should have gone into the lockerroom with a 17-point lead."

Devine hinted that he was less than pleased with the officiating. "If I start talking about the officiating, I might say too much. I was disappointed in the officiating as well as the ball game."

The Irish came away with no score on the drive, as Male missed a 33-yard attempt, and gave Clemson the incentive they needed to come back.

"There were a lot of big plays in the game--with most of them coming in the first half," said Clemson coach Danny Ford. "The missed field goals by Notre Dame (Male had missed on a 46-yard try earlier) were especially important. We were lucky to be only down by ten at the half."

"Notre Dame showed us some big-time plays in the first half," added Clemson quarterback Billy Lott, "Our defense isn't used to having the ball thrown at us like that."

For Lott and his teammates, halftime was a time for reflection. "I could see in the eyes of our defensive unit they were saying to themselves, 'Man we're getting embarrassed out there.'"

"At halftime coach Ford told us that this was a chance in a lifetime for us. It was a chance to beat a team with a great tradition."

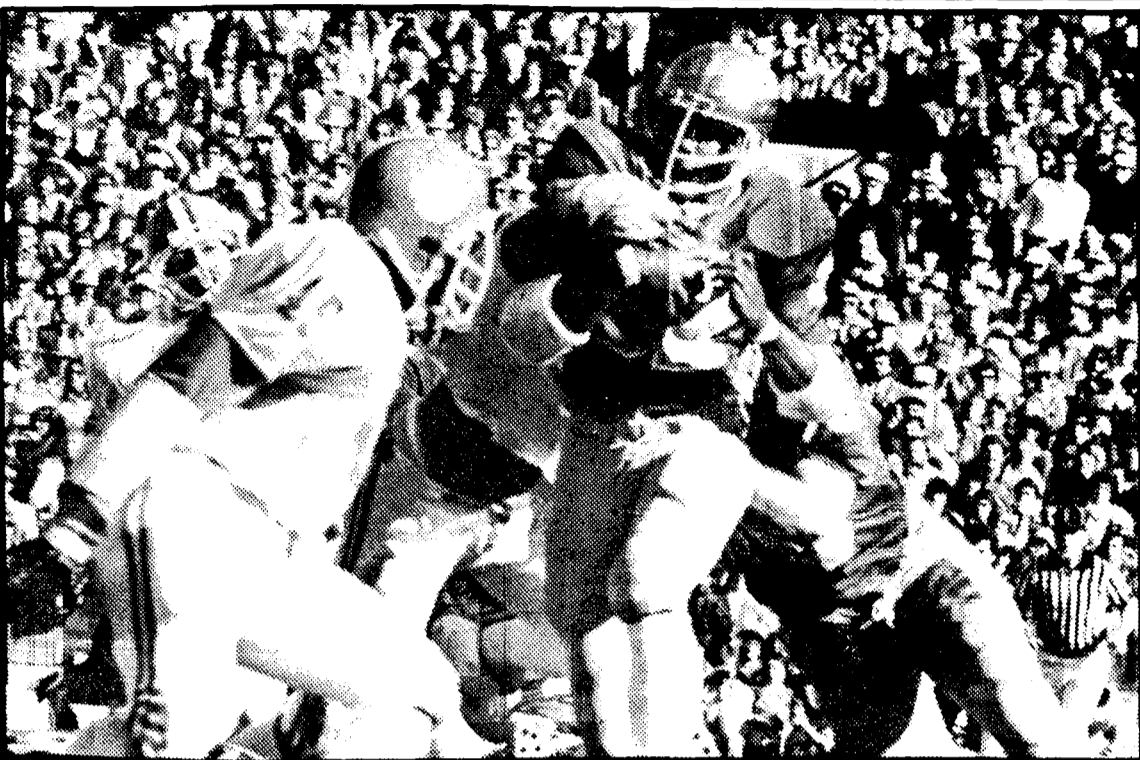
And when the Irish decided to play follow-the-bouncing-ball in the second half, the Tigers were quick to take advantage of their chances.

The first break came on a Clemson punt, as Ty Dickerson fumbled the ball at his own 20, and Anthony Rose recovered for the Tigers. Clemson was halted at the four, and Obed Ariri came on to hit a 23-yard field goal.

Ariri hit another field goal after a 42-yard drive by Clemson to the Notre Dame 25, aided by two personal foul penalties against the Irish.

On Notre Dame's first play following the kickoff, Ferguson

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Halfback Vagas Ferguson, stopped here by Clemson's defense, broke his own season rushing mark with 110 yards against the Tigers. The senior co-captain now has 1,260 yards for the season. [photo by Ken Berumen]

Ailing icers salvage split with MSU

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Forced into several lineup changes due to a rash of injuries and illnesses, the Notre Dame hockey team finally found the right combinations on Saturday night, as they defeated the Michigan State Spartans, 5-3, before a crowd of over 3,700 at the ACC.

The win salvaged a series split for the Irish, who lost Friday's contest, 5-4. Notre Dame's record stands at 4-4 in the WCHA, and 5-4 overall.

"I was wondering if we had a better team off the ice than on," commented Irish coach Lefty Smith, who had to juggle his lineup card because of several Irish players who missed all or part of the series.

Dave Poulin (in the hospital with severe viral infection), Ted Weltzin (shoulder injury), John Friedmann (strained knee), Jim Brown (separated shoulder), and Dave Laurion (flu bug) were all on the Irish injured list this weekend.

"We had more experienced

people up front tonight than last night," Smith said after Saturday's win. "They never had a chance to work together in those units before. It took one game getting used to each other's moves."

The powerplay was the big key to the win, as the Irish clicked on four of seven chances. "The odd thing was that the powerplay unit was working together for the first time," Smith added.

"We seem to be a little on the snake-bitten side lately, but we got goals tonight that we didn't get last night."

After Aaron Rucks scored on breakaway steal to give the Spartans an early 1-0 lead, Irish captain Greg Meredith connected on the first of his two unusual goals.

With the Irish on the powerplay, Meredith took a pass from Tom Michalek behind the net, and tried to stuff the puck past Spartan goaltender Mark Mazzolini. The first two tries failed, but Meredith persisted and finally shoved the puck between Mazzolini's pads and into the net.

Michalek gave the Irish the lead on their next powerplay try, scoring on a rebound of

Meredith's shot from the right point ten minutes into the second period.

Six minutes later Meredith scored probably the strangest goal of his career, as he attempted a pass from behind the net. The puck hit a confused Mazzolini in the elbow, and crossed the goal line for a 3-1 Irish lead.

Goals by State's Craig Lakian and Frank Finn tied the score after two periods, but Notre Dame's powerplay connected twice in the final stanza to give the Irish the win.

Jeff Brownschiedle scored the eventual game-winner on a fine individual effort. Taking the puck into the Spartan zone, he skated past the goal and then passed to Jeff Logan at the right point. Logan passed back to Brownschiedle on the left side, and the defenseman's slapper beat Mazzolini.

Logan also set up the final Irish goal, as freshman Kurt Bjork tapped in Logan's rebound for his first goal in a Notre Dame uniform.

Freshman Bob McNamara was outstanding in the nets for Notre Dame, coming up with 26

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Big Ten sends 4 teams bowling

[AP]-Overwhelm 'em with numbers--that's what the Big Ten plans to do this year in the post-season football games.

Having won only twice in 10 post season games the last four years and only once in six games the last two seasons, the Big Ten will ship four teams into the bowl wars this time.

Ohio State, undefeated and ranked second, will represent the conference in the big one--the Rose Bowl. Michigan will go to the Gator Bowl, Purdue to the Bluebonnet and Indiana to the Holiday Bowl in San Diego.

"We're going the right way," said Ohio State Coach Earle Bruce, the successor to Woody Hayes who guided the Buckeyes to an undefeated season.

"The right way" was by defeating Michigan 18-15 Saturday. Even if the Buckeyes had lost, they would have

gained the Rose Bowl bid because Purdue defeated Indiana 37-21. Had Michigan beat Ohio State, it would have created a three-way tie, but the Buckeyes would have been given the nod because of their superior overall record.

Not unexpectedly, Ohio State won because of another collapse in Michigan's kicking game. Jim Laughlin blocked a punt early in the fourth quarter and Todd Bell scooped it up and ran 18 yards for the winning touchdown.

Michigan's other two losses resulted from the Wolverines' poor kicking game and defensive back Mike Jolly said "We are three plays away from being No. 2 in the nation."

Michigan's other two losses resulted from a blocked field goal attempt against Notre Dame and another blocked punt

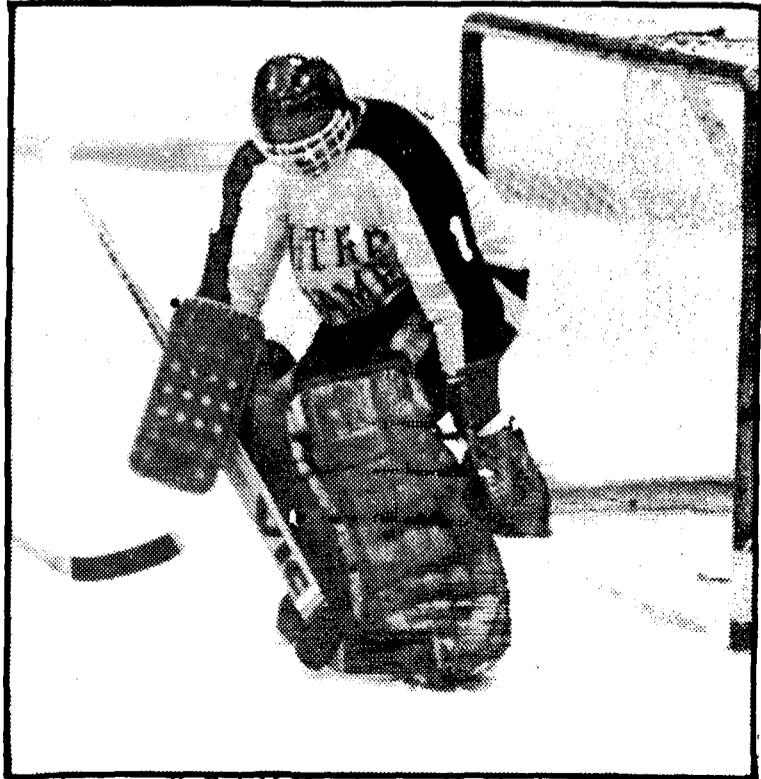
against Purdue.

Purdue's victory over Indiana was the fifth straight for the Boilermakers and sent them to Bluebonnet although they had hoped for the Cotton or Orange Bowls.

"We were very happy to accept the bowl bid," said Purdue Athletic Director George King. "We were in there until the last minute with both the Cotton and Orange Bowl people."

The emotion of Indiana's loss took a quick reversal in the locker room when it was announced the Hoosiers were going to the Holiday Bowl.

"I've never seen a group of young men change from tears to cheers so rapidly," said Coach Lee Corso. "We are grateful for the opportunity to represent Indiana University and the Big Ten in this game."



Freshman goalie Bob McNamara sparkled in the nets for the Irish against Michigan State, starting both games in place of an ailing Dave Laurion. [photo by Greg Maurer]