Lobund rats & mice

Animal deaths ignite controversy

by Kevin M. Walsh
Senior Staff Reporter

Controversy exists as to whether the lives of 70 germ-free animals in Notre Dame's Lobund Lab could have been saved during last Sunday’s blackout.

According to Bernard Teah, assistant faculty fellow of the Lobund Lab, these deaths, which occurred close to midnight, may have been prevented had he been notified of the power failure in the lab. Thirty of the lab’s 60 Lou M rats and 40 out of 63 CHI mice suffocated when a generator that pumps air into the germ-free environment stopped functioning.

Teah accused security officers of not seeing warning lights that light up on the lab’s exterior when a power failure occurs. He also noted that the power plant officials were negligent, for they did not notify security of the blackout. In such a case, Teah noted, security is then supposed to contact him.

"The deaths of these animals caused a slowdown of to six hours," claimed Teah. "We worked like hell to keep the lab going smoothly," he said. "We even came in during the bad weather to check on things. Then to have this happen is very upsetting."

Teah admitted that other animals in the lab survived, for they were confined in less crowded cages. Arthur Pears, director of Security, initially responded to Teah’s accusations by stating, "Douglas Road, from which the warning lights on the back of the Lobund Lab can be seen, had not been cleared of snow, thus, none of security’s regular checks on the lab were made that Sunday."

According to Pears, "If the checks had been made, then we would have seen the lights on."

A subsequent check by this reporter with Edwin Lyon, director of Maintenance, confirmed the fact that Douglas Road was impossible. "However," he stated, "a service drive into the lab area was plowed and could have been used by security as far as I am concerned."

Confronted with this information, Pears again stated that his officers apparently did not check the building. "The lab is usually checked three to four times nightly when security drives by there on the way to University Village."

When asked why security officers did not use the cleared access road, Pears said, "I just found out about this incident yesterday and haven’t seen the midnight supervisor yet to discuss it with him."

Pears, however, accused power plant officials of not notifying the security office of the power failure, thus preventing notification of Teah.

When informed of Pears’ statement, Bro. Borromeo Malley, director of the power plant, claimed, "I didn’t know that power plant officials are supposed to call security or anybody else in such a situation." He went on to explain, "Our hands were full and we didn’t have time to call everybody. Security knew that they didn’t have any power, so why didn’t they call Teah?"

Malley stated that he couldn’t understand why the lab did not invest in a standby generator, as he had suggested in the past, which could be used in case of such a blackout to restore power. "If they have so many millions of dollars invested in that lab," he argued, "why don’t they buy a standby generator to operate their air compressors in such emergencies? They only cost a few thousand dollars."

Malley cited that such buildings as Grace Hall and the ACC have such backup equipment.

"Teah responded to Malley’s statements by saying, "We have been talking with Brother about this system, but right now we don’t have enough money for an extra generator," Teah, though, also claimed that, "I have talked to power plant engineers that no extra generator is needed, since power loss is such an infrequent occurrence."

"Also, Teah stated that a maintenance man in the lab told him that the power plant is supposed to call security in a case such as this."

The Lobund Lab, located in the Reynolds Germs Free Life Building on Douglas Road, is in its fiftieth year of operation and was the first of its kind in the country. Lobund contains animals of all types, and all germ-free animals in the country can be traced back genetically to its Notre Dame’s lab. Lobund’s total animal population is estimated to be between 400-500.

Experiments of most professors working in Lobund were not directly affected by the blackout, but Teah and Julian Pleasants, associate professor of microbiology, did lose some mice and rats due to the power failure.

Albee, Seeger to highlight SLF ’78

by John O’Donnell

This year’s Sophomore Literary Festival, which will begin on Feb. 12 and conclude on Feb. 18, consists of appearances and workshops by artists in the literary field. According to Theresa Roebuck, chairman of the Sophomore Literary Committee, the festival is to capture the visions of literary artists as they address the Notre Dame community.

The main attraction for this festival will be Edward Albee, winner of two Pulitzer Prizes. Albee, one of the finest playwrights in America, has written such plays as, Who’s Afraid of Virginia Woolf, A Delicate Balance, and his latest work, Seascape. He will be the first speaker of the festival appearing at 8 p.m. on Feb. 12, at Washington Hall.

The second speaker for this festival will be Karl Shapiro, a well known American poet. Shapiro has written V-Letter and Other Poems, a war poetry that has earned him a Pulitzer Prize, also. Shapiro will be appearing on Monday, Feb. 13, at 8 p.m. in the Library Auditorium. A workshop will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 14, in the Library Lounge beginning at 9:30 a.m. Appearing at this workshop will be Michael Sprouse, a young Jesuit scholar; Louie Zukofsky, an American poet, and George Macbeth, a British poet and novelist.

The format for such workshops will be diverse—some will feature questions and answer sessions, while others will consist of literary presentations. Shapiro will conduct a workshop of his own on the same day beginning at 8 p.m. in the Library Auditorium.

On Tuesday at 8 p.m., Zukofsky will speak in the Library Auditorium. Zukofsky is well respected in the poetry field and has been labeled by many poets as "the most important contemporary Ameri­can." Macbeth will make a presentation on Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Library Auditorium. Among Macbeth’s works include the novel Samuel, which is a tale of a Japanese soldier found in the..."
**National**

**Park questioning to begin**

WASHINGTON - House ethics committee investigators announced yesterday they will begin closed-door questioning of accused South Korean influence peddler Tongsun Park on Feb. 21.

**Weather**

Variable cloudiness through Saturday with a chance of light snow at times. No large temperature changes. Low tonight ten to 15 above. High today and tomorrow in the 60s. Probability of measurable precipitation 30 percent through tonight.

**On Campus Today**

mardi gras today through February 11

- 2:15 pm lecture, "Scientists as today's topics: a psychological imperative," by Michael Mahoney, Penn State University, 119 Hagger Hall, sponsored by psychology dept.

- 3:30 pm lecture, "Justice and foreign policy," by Prof. John Hopsers, Mem. Lib. lounge

- 4 pm swimming, nd vs. Butler, Rockne Memorial pool.

- 4:15 pm history forum, "Career opportunities for historians," by Peter Lombardo, both in Lafortune, sponsored by history dept. & Union of Graduate Historians.

- 5:15 pm mass and supper, Bulla shed.

- 6 pm mardi gras live entertainment, games, refreshments, stein center.

- 6:30 pm meeting for anyone interested in working at the naz this semester, basement of Lafortune.

- 7, 9, 11 pm movie, "Fun with Dick and Jane," sponsored by the V, of K, of C, hall, 51.

- 8 pm black cultural arts festival, Sonia Sanchez, lib. aud.

- 9 pm nazz featuring Jake Schneider, Bill Carey, basement of Lafortune.

- Saturday

- 8 am test law school admission test, eng. aud.

- 8 am test national league for nursing, 317 adm. bldg.

- 1:30 pm basketball, nd vs. Davidson, acc.

- 2 pm mardi gras live entertainment, games, refreshments, stein center.

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- 9 pm nazz featuring rich stepanek & dan benaret, basement of Lafortune.

- Sunday

- 1 pm wrestling national Catholic invitational tournament, acc.

- 2 pm mardi gras live entertainment, games, refreshments, stein center.

- 7 pm black cultural arts festival black gospel service, Rev. Marvin Russell and the nd Gospel choir, alumni hall chapel.

**The Observer**

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**The Observer**

by Sue Ballmann

The traditional graduation activities for Mardi Gras have been expanded to two days rather than the usual one, according to Senior Class President Nancy Mogab.

The baccalaureate Mass will take place at 8 p.m. on Friday, May 20. Either a picnic or a dinner will follow the Mass at 6 p.m., and the Senior Reception will be held from 8 p.m. to midnight.

Commencement exercises will begin at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 20, and will last approximately two hours. Following graduation, there will be a picnic and some type of reception for the speaker and the recipients of honorary degrees.

Despite some objections, Mogab feels that by spreading activities over a two-day period they won't be so crowded. "This way, people who have friends at Notre Dame will be able to attend the bac­ calaureate Mass which starts at 5 p.m. on Saturday. It will also give people more time to pack up or enable them to get an early start home on Saturday," Mogab stated. During the week immediately preceding graduation a Senior Class, Board of Regents, and Senior Administration picnic is planned along with the Senior Alumni Brunch and the Senior Mass and Dinner. This year the Senior-Junior Banquet has been moved to Senior Week in order that it may be combined with the Honors Convocation.

The Honors Convocation is a ceremony in which the various academic departments and the College as a whole recognize the achievements of six seniors through the presentation of awards.

**Group calls for committee on economic growth**

WASHINGTON (AP) - The White House Conference on Balanced Growth finished its work yesterday with a call for Congress to create a joint committee to coordinate national economic growth policies.

States and regions must prepare growth plans of their own, the conference said, to settle crucial local questions, such as the proper way to ensure both economic growth and environmental protection.

In a report delivered orally to President Jimmy Carter, a conference task force said a congressional panel is needed to set national priorities such as energy, inflation and economic growth.

The committee also would seek, "to reconcile conflicting laws, programs and regulations which impact the communities of this nation," said councilwoman Phyllis Lamphere of Seattle, in summarizing the task force report for Carter.

"We need a national growth and economic development policy, and we need it now.

The task force report explained, "We are recommending a Growth Policies Process, not a master plan.

Carter, in a speech that followed, the conference summaries, did not attempt to wrestle with specific recommendations. The official conference report will be submitted to Carter within six months, and he will have 90 days to respond with legislative initiative.

The four-day White House Conference, a congressional brainchild brought together 580 delegates from every state and territory.

The conference sought more job opportunities for minorities, a strengthening of federal regulations and better coordination between governments declaring to Carter that "The Declaration of Independence..." Delegates recommended that Washington take over the total cost of welfare and Medicaid from state governments, passing the huge savings along to local governments in a state assumption of public education costs.

Carter commented that he couldn't help but note the applause every time a speaker called "for shifting the financial burden to Washington and the responsibility away from Washington." He made no commitment toward federal takeover of state costs for welfare and medical aid.

Carter, responding to the conference's warning against any attempt to guide the location of economic growth, agreed with "the imperatives of the federal government trying to discipline a society based on free choice."

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Defense Secretary urges $56 billion increase

prompt criticism from a group of Senate liberals who appeared at a news conference sponsored by SANE, an organization opposed to what it says is excessive spending on defense.

"I disagree with the concept of more planes, more missiles, more tanks and larger bombs," said Rep. Fred Richmond, D-N.Y. "We already have the capacity to defend ourselves.

"When you come up with a defense budget like that, you have to look at other areas that are being squeezed," said Rep. Tom Harkin, D-Iowa. "Look at the farmers who have been here asking for a little more for the products of their farms, and yet we can't squeeze anything out of the budget for them."

The congressmen charged that the budget was a violation of President Jimmy Carter's state­ment during the 1976 presidential campaign that defense expend­tures could be reduced by at least $5 billion to $7 billion per year without danger.

In his 375 page annual Defense Report, the secretary said the main objective "must be the maintain­ance of an over-all balance with the Soviet Union no less favorable than the one that now exists."

He described this balance as "a stand-off or stalemate," adding that the Russians had the edge in some areas and the United States in others.

The Pentagon is planning for a $172.7 billion in military spending for the current fiscal year. Brown said it was still too early to give a "dollar and cents" figure on the snowstorm, but that they reported sell-out conditions on beer and wine who can accompany a victim when demand for hard liquors.

They manager stated, "Students came in groups of three or more with backpacks, sacks, and even empty boxes. They loaded up to go out into the cold a second time, so they loaded up for the weekend." He added that the demand was heavier than the one that now exists.

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Libraries use computer

by Sue Wuetcher

For the past two years the University Libraries have been subscribing to a new computerized system that will save time and money, according to David L. Sparks, director of the University Libraries.

Sparks stated that there are over 1.3 million volumes in the Libraries and over 2.5 million cards in the card catalogue. "The average cost of cataloguing a book is $17.50. That's a lot of money," Sparks said.

The system, which is called the Ohio College Library Center (OCLC), cuts the cost of cataloguing books almost in half. A computer stores data in a central file in Columbus, OH. Data is fed through telephone lines to terminals at the various universities.

Sparks said that when the University wants to catalogue a book, the information is sent through the computer, which makes up the cards and then sends them back to the University. Robert Havlik, assistant director of Technical Services, noted that all the filing and arranging is also done electronically, which saves the employees a lot of time.

Sparks said that if OCLC doesn't have a particular book in its file, it will create a record of it and enter it into the file. This is how the file grows, enabling the individual libraries to increase their resources.

Sparks commented that the collection development department of the Library as well as the cataloguing department benefits from OCLC. It is faster and more convenient to use the computer to find out if the library has a particular book, he added.
CHICAGO [AP] - The venerable Chicago Daily News, one of the country's oldest evening newspapers and one with a revered history, is likely to cease publication, according to televised reports.

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papers in America, prestigious and influential, was founded in 1876 by Victor Last, who was also an important figure in the develop-

ment of the Associated Press. The Daily News Foreign Service, which ceased last year, was the first established by a newspaper.

Among the paper's honors have been 15 Pulitzer Prizes.

But, in recent years, the Daily News, which publishes Monday through Saturday, has sustained severe circulation losses, plumm-
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ting from 466,000 in 1965 to reportedly close to 300,000.

The rumors, which have circu-

ulated for months, predicting the

Junior Classes plan Dayton trip

The Junior Classes of SMC-NJ are going to support the Fighting Irish basketball team in Dayton. They will be leaving their respective communities at 7:30 a.m., March 4, by bus. A ticket to the game will be provided. They will be staying at the Holiday Inn with four to a room.

Following the Dayton Student Body and SMC-NJ Junior Class is expected to leave for the Dayton Armory. There will be all the better for the holiday meal that the food you can eat and all the live music you can dance to.

Breakfast is also provided on Sunday morning prior to returning to South Bend.

Tickets are on sale now in all dining halls. A $10.00 deposit is due by next Wednesday with the remaining $26.00 due by Feb. 28.
**Thanks for pulling together**

**Dear Editor:**

On behalf of the entire Saint Mary's student body, I want to thank the maintenance, grounds security, and food service staff at Saint Mary’s for their jobs well done before the call of duty.

The “esprit de corps” shown by all of them during the blizzard of 1978 was highly commendable!!!

They all pulled together and provided excellent service to the student body.

Once again, a hearty thanks to all!

Mary Rahalma

President, SCM Student Body

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**Thanks for operation snow shovel**

**Dear Editor:**

Last Monday (1-30) following a radio announcement, I called Notre Dame to inquire about the students’ snow-help program. I am still peripling following knee sur- gery and the snow in my drive is 6-7 inches deep.

Within two hours my 30-ft. wall of snow was flying in four direc- tions, with as many students maintaining about 6 inches deep. I doubt that strong, resourceful young people can imagine what it is like to see a mountain and not be able to whistle it away. So you may not know how very much your operation snow shovel was appreci- ated by its sources of beneficiaries. May I say thanks, on behalf of those whom you helped, to all of the ND students who donned boots and mittens and set out on these missions of mercy — to John Ryan who took my call, and especially to Mike Mottaw, Gary Gerken, Chris Kanten, and Don Giocchini, who shoveled me out.

Mary J. P. Donohue

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**`Sex Pistols` a misfire? A reply**

**Dear Editor:**

After reading what I thought was to be a feature story on a revolu- tionary new rock group, the Sex Pistols, I find myself utterly dis- gusted with the unique angle the author made between a group of crude, uncivilized “musicians” who sway on gross spectacle, and his classmates on the Saint Mary’s campus. The correlation between the two has thoroughly escaped me, even after reading the article four times, but apparently I’ve missed something.

The information regarding the Sex Pistols was somewhat enlighten- ing to those whose tastes tend toward the bizarre, but prefaces this account with a melodramatic telephone conversation between the author and his “girlfriend” was not only unnecessary but defama- tors to the women of Saint Mary’s. The author characterized one, and thus all, Saint Mary’s students as “small and obvious creeps” and purging cretins (regrettably, this term refers to a person suffering from a congenital deficiency of thyroid secretions with resulting deformity and idiocy). According to him, they apparently have nothing better to do but party and drink at his expense. In response to all of this abuse, the author was being subjected to “just for a date,” he questioned the reason for it all since this girl, supposedly representative of the Saint Mary’s community, was neither good-looking nor intelligent.

At this point, all I could wonder was how he could survive the pressures of college life if he sets his frustrations by threatening to spit on a girl’s face, rip off her boots, burn her room, and then instead has a beer and rips his own phone off the wall. I agreed with him when he said he felt “like a woman.” I sympathize with the problems in his love life; I could even overlook his “subtle” misalloca- tion of Jean’s birthday. I do, however, vehemently object to his generalizations about the women at Saint Mary’s.

Although the author may be an authority on popular music, his Arts and Letters curriculum has left him with little knowledge of the basics in human consideration and respect. He has so stereotyped Saint Mary’s students that May may have been intended as an amusing anecdote is actually a very tiresome, bad joke. If he was so concerned about this incident, why did he find it necessary to specifically attack Saint Mary’s students? If I, as a student, behavior, like that of the Sex Pistols, do you really think reflective of their name?

Before finishing the article I was hoping that perhaps upon gradua- tion Mr. Salemi could replace Glenn Matlock who had been fired for his indiscretions, stranging the other members of the group. Unfortunately, I see he has been replaced by Sid Vicious but per- haps the author of “The Rage of the Sex Pistols” could find some suitable outlet for his literary talents with the group.

Honey McHugh

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(Mr. Salemi replies: “It was not my intention to denigrate Saint Mary’s women: the fact that the girl was from Saint Mary’s was only incidental. I have dated several Saint Mary’s girls and found them to be generally pleasant and stimulating. What I was trying to do was to construct a parallel between my anger in that situation and the Sex Pistols’ anger towards everything. I felt that no description of their antics could be done enough to illustrate their anger. Finally, I would like to say that I am not frustrated and am, in fact, quite satisfied with my love life.”)

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**To Mr. Mason: a ‘valentine’**

**Dear Editor:**

Here is an open letter to Mr. Mason:

One day 21 groundskeepers wanted to unionize, and then there were no groundskeepers. The reinstated grounds crews are an elec- tion. I suppose he just misplaced his “valentine.”

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**Dear Editor:**

Monday evening dinner marked the end of what was probably the roughest five days that any of us in the foodservice here have ever experienced. Through these five days, the only thing we ex- perienced by most of our patrons was a little longer than normal wait in line, a reduction of variety and a shortage of milk. Over all, they were problems hardly worth mentioning.

I do not want to misrepresent my feelings. If you do not want to misunderstand me. The purpose of this letter is not to solicit praise for the dining halls, but for a group of workers whom you, the ND student body, take for granted, and often un- knowingly abuse - the student employees. Had it not been for this group of unskilled young adults pitching in, doing every task asked of them and still pretending that more, your bill of fare for five days could possibly have been cold out and Coke.

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**Feeling Blue**

**With Unglamorous Flu**

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**Art Buchwald**

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**Thank you for your time**

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**The Los Angeles Times**

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**Syndie**
Letters to a Lonely God

Reverend Robert Griffin

In Loco Infantis

Loneliness--in one of its manifestations, I am told--is an experience faced in the gray, chilly dawn when you wake up with the awareness that there is no creative creature on earth you are responsible for, and no creature on earth is responsible for you. This kind of loneliness--celibacy--is almost unendurable, and can never be entirely the lot of a man who owes a dog accustomed to tapping his collar bone with a demanding paw as if to say: "Look, God sir, I'm cold, and I'm hungry, and I need some help to walk. My life and comfort are entirely in your hands, so please get up and take care of me."

A priest committed to celibate houses of prayer was able to explain to me, I think, is vowed to free him from worry, and has to keep him decent on and on the sunnyside of the law; otherwise, he would end up being neutered or the door knobs that the dog can't turn himself. On the other hand, Darby protects me from the visits of cats. Because of him, cats can never come near the street where other people's houses. Other dogs may seem to adore being chummy with him, but they do so at the peril of their lives. Darby simply will not stand for other dogs in our dog's yard, or even on our side of the campus.

I have never bothered by butterflies. Darby would tear a butterfly apart with his teeth, if it bothered me on the street, or at home. In October, he snatches at flies, but I can't say: "Darby, let that fly be."

"How could you be cheered as indifferent to a celibate priest as it might be to a polygamous one," Jeanne Swartz explained the legal with a public defenders office where we were working at the criminal courts, and his work with an ordinance and a community which can be turned to. An animal can survive neglect more easily than a child, but a dog cannot survive gratuitously without being cared for; and he might not live to be very old if he doesn't have a chop to belong to who will take him in at night, and let him out in the morning, and keep him off the streets at other times when the cops are looking for unregistered mutts.

No dog could growl at me with the awareness that there is no creative creature on earth you are responsible for, and no creature on earth is responsible for you. This kind of loneliness--celibacy--is almost unendurable, and can never be entirely the lot of a man who owes a dog accustomed to tapping his collar bone with a demanding paw as if to say: "Look, God sir, I'm cold, and I'm hungry, and I need some help to walk. My life and comfort are entirely in your hands, so please get up and take care of me."

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Lit Festival speakers feature Seeger, Albee

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wilderness who believed that World War II was still in progress. Pete Seeger, well-known folk singer and guitarist, will be featured on Thursday night, Feb. 18. Seeger, composer of "Where Have All the Flowers Gone?" will recite and sing several of his works. Seeger will appear in Washington Hall at 8 p.m.

On Friday at 4:15 p.m., Ann Beattie will appear in the Library Auditorium. Beattie is a novelist and a short story writer who is published frequently in The New Yorker. Beattie is credited with a novel entitled Chilly Scenes of Winter, and has written a book called Distortions, which is a collection of short stories.

Appearing on Friday night will be Howard Nemerov, a poet and

Parents weekend plans set

Debbie Roberts, sophomore class president at St. Mary's, has designated March 3-5 as this year's Sophomore Parents Weekend.

Friday night activities include the traditional Talent Show, consisting of short skits performed by the students, which will be followed by a wine and cheese party. The theme for the Talent show is "What happens to the Class of '80."

An academic open house is planned for Saturday afternoon to give parents and professors the opportunity to meet and talk with one another. Parents and students will meet with College President John M. Duggan and Dean of Student Affairs Kathleen Rice in an informal gathering on Saturday in Stapleton Lounge. That evening, a banquet and formal will be held at the Century Center in South Bend.

The weekend's activities will end on Sunday with a Mass and brunch. Letters containing more information pertaining to the weekend will be sent out next week to all parents of sophomores. More definite information pertaining to time and place of activities will also be available at a later date.

Water instructor course to begin

An organizational meeting for those interested in the water safety instructor course will be held at 9:30 a.m. tomorrow at the Rockne Student Center. The course is designed to train individuals to teach the Red Cross Swimming and Life Saving courses.

The time, length of course, and cost will be explained at the meeting.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1978

Int'l Students sponsor show on Austria

The International Students will sponsor a slide show presentation on Austria next Monday in the International Students Lounge. Martin Neugthier and Beth Klein will present the show, which is free and open to the public.

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Mediators nearing agreement over mine workers' contract

WASHINGTON (AP) - United Mine Workers (UMW) President Arnold Miller summoned his union's bargaining council to Washington yesterday as negotiators neared agreement on contract terms which could end the 59-day-old coal strike.

But as the talks continued, fresh violence was reported in the coal fields and new steps were announced to deal with the effect that dwindling coal supplies are having on electrical capacity.

Negotiators of the UMW and the Blasimmoos Coal Operators Association met through the day to narrow their differences on wages and other economic issues and were "very close" to agreement, sources said.

Miller scheduled a morning meeting of the union's bargaining council for today, which must approve any contract before a ratification vote can be taken by the rank and file.

"I would say they've reached a tentative agreement," said John Guezk, president of the UMW's District 6 in Northwest Washington and Eastern Ohio. But he added that Miller's call could be an indication that union bargainers had reached "a point where they can't bargain any further and they are looking for guidance."

The council rejected one proposed contract in 1974 before accepting a second pact.

The new violence was in Western Pennsylvania, where about 80 pickets identified by police as UMW members ripped out telephones and smashed other equipment at the Dixonville Mining Co. in Indiana County.

Up to 600 pickets rallied at C & K Coal Co.'s Rimerburg coal dumping apparatus in Claron County Wednesday night, causing an estimated $30,000 damage.

Three state troopers sustained minor injuries in a confrontation with pickets armed with clubs, fire irons and pick axes.

No arrests were reported in either incident, but two Indiana County men were arrested on a riot charge, allegedly trying to set fire to the school's coal stockpiles.

Meanwhile, Monongahela Power Co., which serves 258,000 customers in West Virginia and additional customers in Ohio, asked West Virginia Gov. Jay Rockefeller to issue an order limiting electricity use.

The utility said its coal stockpile will stand at 30 days next Monday and added it will take three weeks for new supplies to arrive after production resumes.

Also, Consol announced in New York that the strike will force an immediate cutback in power use by trains on the New Haven rail line. Limits placed on trains speed on the line will result in delays of up to 30 minutes, officials said.

Companies serving Maryland, Ohio, Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia have asked customers to cut back on electricity use.

Century Center offers tours

A daily tour of Century Center is now being offered. Monday through Friday a volunteer tour guide will be at the Information Booth at 1:30 to give anyone visiting the Center a tour of the building. On Saturdays and Sundays four guides will give tours between 1 and 3 p.m. with a tour leaving every 15 minutes.

Groups of more than 10 persons may schedule a tour through the Center office. Two week notice is needed to schedule guides. Anyone interested in receiving a tour for their club or organization may contact Gianna Anderson at 884-9711.

The tour in designed to give a general introduction of the building, highlighting each of the facilities, such as the Convention Center, the Performing Arts Center which houses the Benedum Theatre, the central courtyard, the Great Hall, Discovery Hall Museum and the Art Center.

Booze bonanza

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Distributors had a difficult time remaining stocked, since delivery trucks were limited by the snow. Most stores stated they were still having some trouble keeping supplied, as sales remain high in the wake of the storm. Several managers expressed that this situation would improve as the snow slackened and transportation routes cleared.

Portrait sign-ups rescheduled

Juniors who have not yet made appointments for senior portraits, or whose appointments were cancelled because of the blizzard, should call 3557 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. next Monday through Friday to schedule an appointment.

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Seminars on Christian life to begin

A series of seminars dealing with Christian life in the Holy Spirit will begin next Tuesday, according to Fr. Edward O'Connor. The seminars will continue for seven consecutive weeks, and will be held every Tuesday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Badin Hall chapel.

The Life in the Spirit Seminars, which will be directed by Tom Bonaiuto, are designed to show Christians how the Holy Spirit can bring fulfillment to their lives. Each program will consist of a person giving personal witness to how the Holy Spirit enriched his or her own life. O'Connor said there will be group discussion and question and answer periods, and attention will be given to the faith and conviction needed to live a life in the spirit. Each session will conclude with group prayer for the fulfillment of individual participants.

The seminars are open to anyone interested. Those who would like to attend, or who have any questions regarding the series, should contact Mary Champion at #1618 or Emily Godinez at #6881.

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Soviets to break with Cambodia

Moscow TASS-The Soviet Union appears headed toward a final break with Cambodia, the radical Indochinese nation whose take-over by the Communists in the 1975 war was blocked by the Kremlin.

Cambodia's border war with Vietnam, a close Soviet ally, has fastened the deterioration in

Pep rally to honor championship football team

A rally, honoring the 1977 National Championship Notre Dame football team, will be held under the joint sponsorship of the south Bend- Mishawaka Area Chamber of Commerce, the St. Joseph County Valley Tenors Club, the Quarterback Club and the Student Government this Sunday, February 5, at 4 p.m. in the ACC arena.

ABC-TV's "Wide World of Sports" plans to cover portions of the game. ABC will briefly show the forming of the rally at 3:30 p.m. and then televise live coverage at 4 p.m. when the team arrives and coaches enter the arena for the start of the program. The entire event is scheduled to last until 5:30 p.m.

During the course of the rally, many of the championship trophies will be on display, and highlights from the entire season, including the pound 30 Cotton Bowl victory over Texas, will be shown.

"I'd like to thank everyone that has helped to organize this rally as we begin our preparations for the upcoming season," head Coach Dan Devine mentioned.

"But especially, I'd like to thank the students. They did a lot for us this season and were behind us all the way."

Fair slated at Century Center

The Century Center Industrial Fair, originally scheduled for Jan. 19 to 23, will take place this weekend. The show will be open free to the public from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday.

"The show is open to manufacturers from Michigan and many exhibitors are preparing special displays for this event," stated Dr. John and Jim Dreyer, co-chairmen of the fair. In addition to displays, some exhibitors are preparing working models and demonstrations of their products.

"This is a chance for people to see the latest in technology and products," said Dr. John Dreyer.

"I think it's a chance for people to see what the future's going to bring," added Jim Dreyer.

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LIFE IN THE SPIRIT seminars begins Feb. 18, Fri. for information call Mary 1076 or Emily 668.

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Lost: Green and gold ski cap in cafeteria.

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Wrestlers host Catholic Tourney

by Brian Beglane
Sports Writer

D’spite having turned out many fin wrestlers over the years and producing a 7-3 record this season, Notre Dame wrestling team has never been able to win the national Catholic Invitational Wrestling Tournament at the ACC Fieldhouse. Teams from the east and midwest will be represented and will provide excellent competition that will last all day.

Notre Dame has enjoyed success in the Catholic National Tournament over the eight years it has been held. Although they have never won the tourney, the Irish have had 15 champions and have never won the tournament. The National Catholic Invitational Wrestling Tournament of this caliber has not been held. The third year coach. "I am hoping that we will get good support from both Notre Dame and St. Mary’s for it."

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College Cage

Wolverines upset MSU

East Lansing–Mich. AP – Reserve guard Mark Locker sank a 29-foot jumper shot with 1.8 seconds remaining Thursday night to give Michigan a 68-65 victory over intransitiate rival Michigan State.

It was the second straight victory for the seventh-ranked Spartans, who owned a 7-0 league record and first place before losing at Indiana on Monday and falling to the Wolverines after having led virtually the entire second half. Michigan kept its hopes alive for a second straight title by improving to 6-3 in the Big Ten. Overall, the Wolverines are 11-6.

Provost falls

Olean–N.Y. AP – Nick Ursutta poured in 11 points while St. Bonaventure was able to open a 10-point lead in an All-American candidate Glenn hagan took charge when Pressed as to the bonnies put down the ninth-ranked Friars 72-64 Thursday night.

Ursutta, who finished with a Bonnie high 18 points, helped his team widen the 31-27 halftime lead to 53-43. Greg Sandom and Tim Waterman scored 16 each for the streaking Bonnies who have won six of their last seven games.

Marquette rolls

State College, Pa. AP – Center Jerome Whitehead scored 25 points to lead third-ranked marquette to a 70-62 college basketball victory Thursday night over Peno State.

Jeff Miller, Penn State’s 6-foot-2 guard, led all scorers with 28 points. He had 18 of them in the first half, which ended with the Nittany Lions leading, 23-22.

In the second half, which climbed to 16-2, the lead for good at 49-48 with just over 10 minutes remaining in the game on a baseline, jump shot by guard Butch Lee, who finished with 21 points.

Gophers triumph

MINNEAPOLIS AP – Mychal Thompson, Kevin McHale and James Jackson combined for 59 points as Minnesota upset Iowa 82-71 Thursday night and moved within one game of Big Ten basketball co-leaders Michigan and Illinois.

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Ara hitchhikied to fame

AP – Ara Parseghian mused that had he not hitchhiked to Oxford in 1946. "I might have been an auto dealer," Parseghian said the graying former football coach at Miami of Ohio, "and tomorrow guy. I don’t dwell on the past. History is for historians. But I often think of hitchhiking from Cincinnati to Oxford in 1946," said the graying former football coach at Miami of Ohio, "Westernmost and Notre Dame.

Parseghian, in town to help Miami, his alma mater, with a fund-drive, recalled his start in the college coaching ranks. He said the graying former football coach at Miami of Ohio, "Westernmost and Notre Dame.

"I played for Paul Brown at Great Lakes Navy during world War II and I wanted to see a relative who was a student at Miami," said the graying former football coach at Miami of Ohio, "Westernmost and Notre Dame.

"I got off a train in Cincinnati and I hitchhiked to Oxford. When I saw the campus, I said, ‘This is where I am going to college.’"

"Really, I was not being exceptionally adventurous. Sid Gillman was the football coach. Blue Foster coached baseball, which I liked, and I liked baseball. Sid was mad because I played baseball when he thought I should be out for spring football for which he suited me to the max."

Parseghian, who played end, went to Brown’s Cleveland team after graduation but returned to Miami as an assistant coach under Woody Hayes.

Sailing Club elects 1978 officers

The Notre Dame sailing team will begin their upcoming season this weekend with the Windjammer Regatta and Mardi Gras at the University of Tulane in New Orleans. The Notre Dame sailing team will begin in mid-March on St. Joseph’s College campus in time to host the annual freshman invitationals. Members of the sailing club are invited to compete with other finish year midwest sailors.