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Federal safety agency to decide on recall of 9 million Fords

WASHINGTON (AP) - A federal safety agency warned nine million Ford owners that their vehicles might have a lethal transmission problem and said it would decide soon whether to order a recall of cars that would be the largest ever.

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration said it is investigating consumer allegations that 77,000 Ford's 1973-78 model years and 259 injuries have resulted from automatic transmissions slipping from park into reverse, starting vehicles that had been turned off.

A statement by John C. Echols, director of Ford's auto safety office in Detroit, said: "It is clearly important that drivers of all makes of cars use every safeguard to ensure that the lever is fully and firmly engaged in the park position when leaving the vehicle, and we advise owners in the owner's manual that the parking brake may not always be effective if the vehicle is parked.

In the course of the investigation is every Ford passenger car and light truck manufactured by Ford for the past 20 years and part of a C- or CFX transmission.

Agency officials said the consumer bulletin advising owners to turn off their engines before shifting to park, to make certain the gear selector is firmly in the park, and to use the emergency brake before the vehicle is parked.

Inspection of the defective system reveals a crack, the slam of a door or the effect of gravity on a slope.

Sources at the agency said it was clearly in Ford's favor to recall, but because it is convinced Ford will challenge the order, the company might want to build up a strong case a court will not find compelling.

The consumer bulletin urged owners to report to it the agency.

Director chosen for ND's physical plant

Donald E. Dedrick, acting vice president for physical plant and director of the plant department at Washington, D.C., has been chosen as director of the physical plant maintenance and building.

He will succeed Fr. Jerome J. Wilson, who served in that capacity for 25 years as Notre Dame's vice president for business affairs.

Dedrick has served in a variety of capacities as plant manager and physical plant director since 1969. Before that, he was director of facilities planning in the U.S. Navy and three years as a design engineer with General Electric. He is a registered architect and a graduate of the University of Notre Dame.

Carter may use troops in Mideast

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter and Mideast leaders may discuss using U.S. troops to help in the war in Lebanon, but the issue probably will not be a major topic of discussion at Camp David summit, State Department officials said yesterday.

The officials, speaking privately, dismissed as speculation reports that the administration was preparing to make a new major proposal involving the stationing of American troops in the region to secure the withdrawal of Syrian troops.

The United States has broached that idea in recent negotiations, they said. The first direct talks on the topic occurred at the inauguration of former President Gerald Ford. The latest was in March, when the Israeli and Egyptian delegations met with the idea with Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin.

In each instance, the idea was then dropped after the Americans, making a commitment to send them in case of war, the United States was satisfied it would not be needed.

Frick announces promotion of Murphy

The promotion of James E. Murphy to vice president for public relations and development at Camp David was announced by Dr. James W. Frick, vice president for public relations and development.

Murphy will continue as Frick's assistant in overseeing University programs, operations and professional personal and public relations and development division.
by Tim Sullivan
Staff Reporter

Student Union (SU) commissions have planned fall semester activities ranging from plays to a plant sale, according to Bill Roche, SU director.

The Cultural Arts Commission will sponsor the Midwest Blues Festival on Nov. 3 and 4, and a production of "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown," on Nov. 9 and 11. Also on Nov. 8, William Windom will return to Notre Dame in a production of "Thurber".

The Academic Commission will sponsor the Isis Gallery in the LaFortune Student Center.

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The Concert Commission is planning Welcome Week starting on Oct. 3, a weekend of music and activities and concert by the rock band, Sreams. The first annual Polish Wedding is scheduled for Saturday in Stepan Center.

The Naze and Darby's Place will open soon in the basement of LaFortune Student Center.

The Concert Commission is bringing Yes to the ACC on Sept. 11 and 12. Members of the Washington, D.C., Assasinations Bureau will be featured on Oct. 10. Lecture dates are as yet unspecified for Timothy Leary and rock critic Henry Edwards. A program on the Star of Bethlehem will be offered before Christmas break.

The Service Commission will rent refrigerators this Saturday from 10 a.m.-noon in Keenan basement. The commission will also sell used books tonight, Thursday night and Friday in the LaFortune ballroom.

Freshmen directories will be delivered noon, and a plant sale is planned. Ongoing projects include the Campus Press, the student office which sells half-price tickets for all Pitt movie theaters.

According to Roche, this semester's schedule of events "is just a starting point. We have a lot of ideas we come with we can do with no problem."

McKenna sets priorities

by Kevin Richardson
Staff Reporter

Student Body President Andy McKenna called the overcrowding situation his "biggest concern" and that it will be his top priority. "We are currently examining the problem very carefully," McKenna noted.

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McKenna emphasized that the overcrowding situation constituted his "biggest concern" and that it will be his top priority. "We are currently examining the problem very carefully," McKenna noted. "We are drawing up a proposal for the Board of Trustees meeting in October."

"We are going to define overcrowding as well as present some solutions to the problem," McKenna said. Though overcrowding has been a problem at Notre Dame in the past, McKenna was quick to observe that "the role a student's room plays in campus life has changed drastically in the past 10 years and this change needs to be considered in any proposal."

Connected with the problem of overcrowding, McKenna brought up the problem of social space and said, "We want to make sure that any solution to overcrowding does not occur at the expense of social space."

"This list of priorities consists of ten other major points including developing a course evaluation booklet and a career/guidance/counseling center, as well as continued followup on social space proposals."

Along with these goals, McKenna listed the development of a restaurant in the basement of LaFortune with a "pizza parlor atmosphere," the establishment of a Security Advisory Panel and a social life analysis as part of the list of priorities.

"We also want to get laundry machines on the north quad," McKenna said. Rounding the list are proposals to put a student record store in LaFortune, projects to help develop student awareness in regards to the Third World Conference and actions to help strengthen ties with Saint Mary's student government.

Discussing improvements in student government, McKenna said he had appointed an Executive Coordinator to help in the administration of student government objectives. James Hummer will serve in this post and will assist in the coordination of all student government activities.

To get more students involved in student government, McKenna said he hoped to utilize the task force idea. "It gives students a chance to participate without having to assume cabinet level amounts of responsibility."

Noting that he will continue to act in his traditional capacities in regards to the Campus Life Council, Board of Commissioners and other campus activities, McKenna said that Student Body Vice President Mike Roohan will "tackle the priorities list a daily basis."

"It is our belief that division of responsibilities will lead to a more effective student government," McKenna said. "Mike and I will work closely together on all of student government's objectives."

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Turn to the Chicago Tribune
Edward Blackwell will walk to the much-simplified Mass that will consecrate his pontificate next Sunday and may forgo the traditional crowning. The Vatican said the pope's first public Mass will not be termed the "Coronation Mass," as it has been in the past, and he will not be carried in on a portable throne on the shoulders of up to 12 men.

"It is not known yet whether there will be the crowning or not," said the Rev. James Roach, the Vatican's English-language press spokesman.

But Mgr. Orazio Cochetti of the office of pontifical ceremonies said he doubted that a tiara, the beehive-shaped papi crowns used for papal coronations for 15 centuries, would be placed on the new pontiff's head.

"There is no shortage of tiaras around here," he said. "They range from the bejeweled one presented by Napoleon to one made of papermache. But I believe none will be used this time."

Cochetti said the pope, elected last Saturday by the conclave of Cardinals, will arrive in St. Peter's Square for the Mass on foot with other church prelates in attendance. They will proceed from the Altar of the Confession inside St. Peter's Basilica to the open-air altar on the stairs outside.

Instead of "Coronation Mass," the Vatican refers to next Sunday's rite as a solemn Mass "starting his (the pope's) ministry of supreme pastor."

It was announced yesterday that Vice President Walter Mondale, his wife, Joan, and their son William will represent President Carter at the ceremonies. Mondale will arrive in St. Peter's Basilica to the open-air altar on the stairs outside.

Meanwhile, in one of the first major decisions of the internal church problems John Paul will face, a group of priests forced to give up their priestly functions because they married announced their resignation, saying they were writing to the new pope asking him to reverse the church rulings that caused their situation.

John Paul's predecessor, Pope Paul VI, had removed the policy of mandatory celibacy for priests except for the traditional exception of those belonging to the Eastern rite.

The appointment of Edward Blackwell to the newly created position of director of minority student affairs at Notre Dame has been announced by Fr. John L. Van Weyliger, vice president for student affairs.

Blackwell has served as assistant to the deans and director of the Higher Education Opportunity Program for Hobart and William Smith Colleges, Geneva, N.Y., during the last four years.

A native of Buffalo, N.Y., he received his B.A. from Canisius College.

The new position was created to provide academic, social and career counseling for minority students, to improve the quality of life and services offered by the University, and to consult and assist in Notre Dame's knowledge and awareness of minority needs.

The director will also assist in the University's programs of minority student enrollment, fund raising endeavors for scholarships, and other projects, and act as liaison between the students and the office of student affairs.

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Faculty earns promotions

Seven members of Notre Dame's faculty have been advanced to emeritus rank, and promotions were announced for 39 others at the annual President's Dinner last May. Eleven persons were honored for 25 years of service.

The retiring faculty members have an average of 36 years of service to the University and a total accumulation of 251 years. The dinner host, Fr. Theodore M. Hesburgh, commended them for their loyalty and dedication to the teaching profession a career that extended in two cases more than four decades.

New emeriti are Fr. Paul E. Beier, professor of English, 33 years; Bro. Albert M. Fieseler, associate professor of physics, 35 years; Etienne A. J. Perret, professor of architectural engineering and materials science, 32 years; Fr. Charles E. Shelly, professor of theology, 34 years; Leonard F. Sommer, associate professor of speech and drama, 33 years, and Thomas J. Steich, professor of American Studies, 12 years.

Advanced to the rank of professor from associate professor were Jamie Bellalta, architecture; William E. Biles, aerospace and mechanical engineering; Brian Cramlish, architecture; James T. Cushing, physics; Jose Fabin Barbeisa Dauda, sociology and anthropology; Cornelius F. Delaney, philosophy; Alan Dowty, government and international studies; Kenneth Featherstone, architecture; Alan Howard, mathematics; John J. Koutrak, chemistry; John R. Lloyd, aerospace and mechanical engineering; Eugene R. Marshall, physics; Joseph W. Scott, sociology and anthropology; Thomas R. Swartz, economics; Fr. Robert L. Wilkes, theology, and Stephen T. Worland, economics.

Receiving tenure were Joseph P. Bauer, Charles F. Crutchfield and Peter W. Thornton, all of the Law School, and A. Murty Kanury, aerospace and mechanical engineering.

New associate professors, promoted from assistant professor, are Esiene C. Bellalta, architecture; Alexander J. Haha, mathematics; J. William Hunt, modern and classical languages; Fr. C. Lincoln Johnson, sociology and anthropology; Charles F. Kolpa, Jr., microbiology; Tang Thi Thanh Trai Le, Law School; Thomas L. Nowak, chemistry; Rodolphi Sandovaal, Law School, and Mary Katherine Tillman, general program of liberal studies.

Promoted to the rank of assistant professor were Donald F. Castro, English; Philip E. Devenish, theology; Linda C. Ferguson, general program of liberal studies; James F. Gaertner, accountancy, and Kenneth R. Thompson, management.

Other promotions include: Mggr. John J. Egan, Center for Pastoral and Social Ministry, professional consultant; Roland B. Smith, Jr., Institute for Urban Affairs, associate professional specialist; Mathilda B. O'Bryan, librarian; Bro. William F. Drury, associate librarian, and Patrick J. Max, assistant librarian.

Honored for 25 years of service were Frederick J. Crosson, professor of philosophy; John T. Croteau, professor emeritus of economics; Fr. Arthur S. Harvey, administrative assistant to the executive vice president; Emil T. Hofman, professor of chemistry; Robert A. Leader, professor of art; L. Franklin Long, librarian; Fr. Michael J. Murphy, associate professor of earth sciences; Robert F. O'Brien, associate professor of music; Frederick B. Pike, professor of history; Robert J. Waddick, assistant dean of the College of Arts and Letters, and Richard D. Wilken, director of placement bureau.

Donor grants new hall funds

by Laura Larrimore
Staff Reporter

Funds for a new residence hall, designed to accommodate a projected increase in the enrollment of women at Notre Dame, have been donated to the University by a presently anonymous donor.

According to Sr. John Miriam Jones, assistant provost, the substantial donation was given because of the donor's "great deal of loyalty and love for Notre Dame." The possibility of a tower is under discussion, although no decision on the design has been reached as yet. The planning is presently centering on the finances of construction. Although no building dates have been set, the new dorm may be completed within three years.

Jones, with her Advisory Council for Women Students, has submitted a recommendation regarding social space in the new building, asking that it be used to help alleviate the shortage existing on campus brought out in the Committee on Coordination's report.

NDMS sponsors mile Fun Run

The Notre Dame Marathon Society will sponsor a one-mile Fun Run this Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at the steps of the Administration Building. The program is designed to give Notre Dame and Saint Mary's joggers and runners the opportunity to meet and discuss running plans.

The club was organized this past summer by Prof. Kenneth Featherstone of the University's architecture department and a group of interested students.

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Plains for LaFortune proceed despite delay

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be the case even if the legal drinking age in Indiana were to be lowered to 18 or 19, since LaFortune's family is considered a school building.

The idea of a restaurant will not be implemented until all other renovation upstairs is completed.

Furnishings from the alcoves off the ballroom, which will then be used for special events, will be moved to the lobby and replaced as the LaFortune renovation upstairs is completed.

LaFortune itself is considered a study place. be the case even if the legal drinking age in Indiana were to be lowered to 18 or 19, since LaFortune's family is considered a school building.

Welcome Week continued last night with an outdoor concert by Appalachian State's finest. Other activities highlighting the affair will include a double featured movie: "Young Frankenstein" and "Sleeper" tonight, class picnics and a concert Friday on the South Quad. [Photo by Mark Perry]
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East

Barnes are two solid tackles. Rushing the passer is their forte. Stan White is the best of a mediocre group of line backers. The secondary is improving and the recent acquisition of Dwight Harrisson from Buffalo should help in this area.

The prognosis for the Colts is murky. Can Washington take Mitchell's place? If the answer to this question is yes, then the Colts should be in the fight for the AFC East crown. Miami Dolphins have no shortage of talent. Except for the fact that the Dolphins lost the starting center, the starting tackles, and the star of the defense. Burgess Owens is the best of an average group of linebackers, while at tight end, the Colts still have as much as they did last year.

The Pats defense is also superb. Nose guard Ray Haynes are the stars of the stop troops. Ray Clayborn, who was recently drafted by the Bears, Hamilton, linebacker Bear Hamilton, linebacker Dan D'Antoni and Ray Clayborn, who was recently drafted by the Bears, will also be missed because he did so much for the Colt offense.

The Dolphins have been the hardest hit in scoring categories. Even if Washington plays well, Mitchell may be able to help at tight end, but no rookie will be missed. Because he did so much for the Colt offense. The offense may be quite the same as it was in the glory days of the Dolphins, but it is still the best in football.

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Summer is not yet over, but the 1978 professional football season is only a few days away. The schedule of regular-season games runs from September 14 to December 10. The expanded schedule should give even more credence to the theory that it is the healthiest, and not necessarily the most talented team which wins the Super Bowl crown.

In today's first part of a three-part NFL preview, the Eastern divisions of both the National and the American conferences are analyzed.

**NFC EAST**

**DALLAS COWBOYS** The Cowboys have been, and remain the class of the NFC East. They won the 1977 NFC title last year and are the defending Super Bowl champions. The 'Boys are working hard and there is improvement everywhere. I'd have to say I'm optimistic.

Individual statistics from the season were impressive. Quarterback Montana completed 123 of 218 passes for 1,786 yards while leading the Blue on five consecutive victories.

Two after Joe Unis field goals, Mike Calhoun recovered a fumble and returned it 99 yards for the score. On their next possession, the Blue offense was blown out of the water. Montana did it again as he hit Jim Plunkett on a 53-yard pass to make the score 28-0 in favor of the Blue squad.

Quarterback Billy Kilmer is still the hub of the offense. The former University of Maryland product has come more injury prone with age and his backup, former NFL signal caller Joe Theismann, could play a crucial role in the Skins fortunes this season. Running back Mike Thomas has played well for three years, while millionaire John Riggins has been just advertised to the team. Former Los Angeles Rams wide receiver Charlie Waters is the deep threat the Giants need, but he is still a work in progress. We're definitely the Skins. We're still a solid defensive unit.

**NEW YORK GIANTS** The Giants are very much the same as last year. They have a solid defense but they can generate little offense.

The Giants defensive line and linebackers are as good as any unit in the league. Brad Van Pelt has locked up the NFC spot, and Larry Brown is back for his second year. Rolled in from the University of Minnesota in the NFC championship contest and followed that with another good game in the Super Bowl. He should be ready to go.

The linebacking, headed by spry lineman Greg Henderson, is generally considered the second best unit in the league. Although he has always been sound, boasts the two best safeties in football in Andy Johnson and Barry Spurlock.

The Giants have a healthy Paul and Donovan are both beginning their second season up front and right tackle John Hannah has developed into the best offensive tackle in football. The 'Boys have a problem at the quarterback spot at outside linebacker each season, but John Hannah and Leon Gray. That had the team working together and we want to take our new coach Dry. The Eagles defense can be described in two words: Bill Berra. The perennial All-Pro leads the Eagles in tackles every season. The Eagles have improved under Dick Vermeil but they still lack quality ball players in too many positions.

**AFC EAST**

**NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS** Last year the Pats were picked by many people to win the AFC East, but a funny thing happened on the way to the Super Bowl. First and foremost, there was the holdout by the two best offensive linemen on the team, John Hannah and Leon Gray. That had the team in turmoil in the early weeks of the season. Then running back Andy Johnson was injured and lost for the season. These two events got the Pats off a slow start from which they never recovered.

But this year should be different. The lousy of super receivers Darryl Stingley was a shock to everyone connected with the team and probably everyone in football. However, with the acquisition of Harold Jackson from the Rams, the talent loss at that position is not as considerable as it might have been.

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**ST. LOUIS CARDINALS** Picking the Cardinals to finish last may seem a bit drastic but look at the people they have lost since the end of last season. Terry Metcalfe, who despite his fumbling, was the heart and soul of the Big Red offense. Harris may not have been as flashy as Mel Gray, but he was just as effective. Concord Dobbins may have been over-publicized in St. Louis, but he was a good guard for the Cardinals. Finally, they lost Don Coryell, probably the best offensive football coach in the game.

The Eagles still have QB Jim Hart, RB Jim Otto, WR Gray and WR Heskett, but last year they put up 17 points in four games as opposed to 23 points in three games as they have in recent years.

The Cards are a competitive team and the coaching staff has many of the key men from last year. If they were one or two defensive players, the Cards could win the NFC East. They have a lot of young players and are trying to fill the gap left by the departed players.

**Philadelphia Eagles** The Eagles have just what the doctor ordered. The Eagles don't have to win the NFC East, but they have to limit the supporting cast to bring the infamous Philly fans a winning season.

Besides Jaworski, the big offensive weapon is Harold Carmichael. The Eagles have arguably the most consistent Eagle over the past few seasons and he remains Jaworski's favorite target. The only real Eagle running threat is Wilbert Montgomery. Tom "Skinny" Sullivan has been dealt to Cleveland after many productive seasons as an Eagle. The offensive line is headed by Jerry Sandome and big Stan Walters.