Bomb blast in Beirut kills top PLO security guard

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) - A booby-trapped automobile packed with explosives blew up on a Beirut street yesterday, ripping a passing station wagon to shreds and killing eight persons, including Ali Hassan Salameh, the feared mastermind of the 1972 Munich Olympics massacre, officials said.

The explosion killed four Palestinian bodyguards in the station wagon with him. Sharpnel and flying glass from the blast killed three Lebanese pedestrians and wounded 16 others.

The Palestine Liberation Organization said Salameh, coded named "Ala Hassan," was mortally injured when the booby-trapped car, parked near his heavily-guarded home in Beirut's Moslem sector, was detonated by remote control as Hassan's station wagon passed it.

Abu Hassan, 36, was the top security guard of PLO guerrilla chief Yasser Arafat and was chief of the secret service of Al Fatah, the largest of the seven PLO factions.

Iran's military chief appeals for defense of present government

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) - Iran's military chief, in an unprecedented radio appeal, called on his troops yesterday to "overcome their sentiments" for Moslem religious leaders and defend the government left behind by the shah.

New political violence flared in the provinces. Armed troops in one western city broke up street battles between pro and anti-shah gangs in which five persons were reported killed.

In another serious blow to the embattled government of Prime Minister Shahpur Bakhtiar, the head of the Regency Council that supposedly is acting in the shah's absence, Jalal Taheri, resigned under pressure from anti-Shah religious leader Ayatollah Khomeini.

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Fen, Abbas Gharabaghbi, military chief of staff, made his broadcast speech after telling reporters the 430,000-man armed forces stood firmly behind the "legal and constitutional" Bakhtiar government in the face of the challenge by Khomeini, longtime exile of Iran's dominant Shiite Moslem sect.

Khomeini, who orchestrated the movement that drove Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi from Iran, plans to return to Iran Friday and vows to replace Bakhtiar and the US-backed constitutional monarchy with an Islamic republic.

The army, many of whose top commanders remain loyal to the shah, may hold the key to whether Khomeini succeeds in toppling the Pahlavi dynasty, Tehran has been filled with rumors of a military coup to keep Khomeini from power.

"In this sensitive period of history, I would like to remind you of the unity, security and well-being of the people is in danger," Gharabaghbi told the armed forces.

He said he was sure "that all of you will not hesitate in performing your duties." But he said "elements with bad intentions" were seeking to infiltrate the ranks of the military "and create difficulties.

He appealed to young enlisted soldiers, many of whom are believed to have deep respect for Khomeini, "to make the best use of the experience of their commanders."

"The servants of the imperial armed forces, with decisive will and patience will overcome their sentiments and will endeavor more than before to support the legal government."

In his earlier news conference, the general again denied a coup was planned.

The violence in the western city of Rayy, near the Turkish border, left it looking "like a war-torn city," government radio reported.

It said troops used tanks to break up street barricades and dispense the fighting gangs of pro and anti-shah Iranians.

Five persons were killed and 25 others wounded, and witnesses reported continued gunfire in the city at dusk yesterday, the radio said.

Other clashes involving royalist elements were reported across the country. The official Pars news agency said pro-shah gangs armed with long sticks attacked cars and buses bearing Khomeini's portrait near Kerman, in west Iran, and one driver was fatally injured.

In other developments:--The shah, who left Iran on an indefinite "vacation" last Tuesday, ended a six-day visit in Egypt and flew to Morocco. He is expected to remain there two or three days before flying on the United States and what many believe will be permanent exile.

The Soviet newspaper l'echo declared the Iranian people "are full of confidence that they will put an end forever to American interference." The Soviets have not openly endorsed any of the factions in Iran, but one Western diplomat in Moscow said they are "getting themselves into a position where they can try to control events" later on.

-Khomeini followers demonstrated in the capital, shouting "God is Great!" and urging unity behind the 78-year-old Ayatollah. But groups of religious Moslems and leftist, allies in the anti-shah movement, shouted bitterly at each other in one incident, reflecting growing uneasiness between the conservative Moslems and young lefites.
Pope may visit the Philippines

MANILA, Philippines (AP) - Pope John Paul II may attend an international religious meeting in the Philippines in December, according to Cardinal Jaime L. Sin, Archbishop of Manila. The Cardinal disclosed the possible papal visit at a news conference Monday to announce that the Archdiocese of Manila will celebrate its 400th anniversary next month.

"I'm thinking of possibly going to the Philippines in December, the cardinal quoted someone as telling him when he was last in Rome. Sin added, however, "It's too early to say he's definitely coming." About 84 percent of the 46 million people of the Philippines are Roman Catholics.

Steeler fans run amuck in Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH (AP) - Thousands of cheering football fans penetrated a defensive line of 500 policemen and whooped their way through downtown Pittsburgh after the Steelers' third Super Bowl victory. Police said heavy patrols using dogs to control the crowds, prevented a reenactment of rampages that left downtown office and store windows shattered and cars overturned after Super Bowl wins in 1975 and 1978. "This isn't bad compared to the others," said Police Inspector A.J. Brouovich, who was sidelined for 60 days in 1975 with his front teeth knocked out in a downtown victory celebration. "We didn't have helmets last time either." Preparation appeared to be the difference this year, as police sealed off the downtown area well before the game was over to all vehicles, including trolleys and buses. Pedestrians were not stopped.

Supreme Court decides to rule on Laetrile ban

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Supreme Court, stepping into a medical and legal storm of controversy, said yesterday it will decide whether the federal government may ban Laetrile. The justices voted to study lower court rulings that permitted the substance's use by terminally ill cancer victims. The controversy swirling around Laetrile, a derivative of apricot pits, is a highly emotional one because of modern medicine's failure thus far to conquer cancer. The justices' eventual decision may hinge on the privacy rights of victims. The controversy around Laetrile, a derivative of apricot pits, is a highly emotional one because of modern medicine's failure thus far to conquer cancer. The Arizona Court, which guides the relationship, added that most Notre Dame students already know the skills-level. She added that most Notre Dame students already know the skills level. They will be discussed. If you cannot attend please give either your class representative or Bob Carley [8384] a call.

Lacrosse club meets today

The Noire Dame Lacrosse team will meet tonight at 8:30 in the lobby of LaFortune. Everyone on the team and anyone interested in learning to play lacrosse is required to attend this important meeting. The raffle, spring

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Jersey tenement fire claims seven lives

JERSEY CITY, N.J. (AP)—Northern New Jersey's second tenement fire in three days killed five children and two adults yesterday, and police launched a manhunt for an arsonist who may have torched the building in a personal vendetta.

The fire broke the day toll to 40 persons killed in fires thought to have been deliberately set in northern New Jersey cities in the past six weeks, authorities said.

A mother and her five children where among those who died when a pre-dawn blaze swept through a four-story brick building in the third such fire in the Jersey City tenement since September.

Victims were seen pounding on a window shortly before firefighters arrived, but apparently were overcome by smoke when they tried to reach a fire escape, said Deputy Fire Chief Dominick Cardillo.

"If they had stayed at the front window, we could have gotten them out. But when people are in a fire, they panic," Cardillo said. As Jersey City police hunted a man seen fleeing the building, less than two miles away a demolition crew was looking through the rubble of a Hoboken tenement, looking for two bodies missing after a fire on Saturday that claimed at least 19 lives.

Twelve persons burned to death in a Newark tenement on Dec. 7. Witnesses told police they saw a man running away from the building. No arrests have been made.

Jersey City Police Detective Howard Shea said authorities knew of no motive in yesterday's fire but suspected it was the work of an arsonist.

"We think it had to be an act of spite, a personal vendetta of some kind," Shea said.

A woman resident, who asked not to be identified, told reporters that shortly before the 2 a.m. fire she saw a man running in a hallway carrying a blue container.

She said the man threw the container against the stairs and ran from the building.

"I got my kids out of the building and started screaming," she said. "When I turned around the stairs were on fire."

Authorities later found the blue container.

The suspect was described as a black male, in his 20's, of medium build. He was wearing tennis shoes, she told police.

"When they find him, I hope they hang him," said one resident who asked not to be identified.

"Don't use my name. I don't want him to come back to find me."

Roche sets guidelines

SU selection process begins

Student Union Director Bill Roche announced the process for selecting next year's director and comptroller. Applications for the positions will be available Feb. 15th in the Student Union office on the third floor of Lafitaine.

According to Roche, the director has two primary functions. First, he is, "responsible for overseeing all operation of the union." The director makes appointments, sees that the budget is executed and directs the steering committee.

Secondly, "the director must relate the union activities to the rest of the campus. He must keep in contact with the HPC, dorms, and Student Government."

"The comptroller keeps the financial records and is in charge of the disbursement of funds," Roche explained.

Any sophomore, junior or senior in the undergraduate student body is eligible for the positions. Roche emphasized that anybody can apply. "The selection process is not limited to students presently working within the union, Roche stressed. He added that anyone interested in the job they "should have some knowledge of the structure and overall workings of the Union."

The applications are due Feb. 20th and will be evaluated during the next week by the steering committee. The committee is made up of Director Roche, Comptroller Maureen Carney, Social Commissioner John Bonacci, Services Commission.

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A representative from CHRISTIAN MINISTRY in the National Parks will be on campus Wed Jan. 24th

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by Kathleen Connolly

Senior Staff Reporter

The elections of the Student Body President and Student Body Vice-President for 1979-1980 will take place earlier this year to allow the President-

Vice-President of the Student Government, the University's student governing body, according to SBP Andy McKenna. Elections are scheduled for Mar. 1. Last year the elections were held on Mar. 7, and a runoff was held on Mar. 20.

The timetable for the 1979-80 campaign begins with a mandatory meeting for poten-

cial candidates at 10 a.m. on Feb. 8 in the Student Government offices. Petitions will be returned no later than 5 p.m. on Feb. 13. To establish can-

didacy, 200 signatures are required on each petition.

Campaigning will begin on Feb. 19 and continue through midnight, Feb. 26. The primary election is scheduled for Feb. 27, and the general election for Mar. 1.

Student Government releases election rules

Junior class finalizes plans for Senior class trip to Acapulco

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1. The elections will be held during the first week of March each year. (The exact date will be announced.)
2. Petitions to run for office may be picked up at the Student Government Office two weeks before election day. Petitions will be taken to be returned approximately a week later, at which time there will be a mandatory candidates meeting. Petitions with respective I.D. numbers will be needed to be filed with the secretariat of Student candidates. Students may sign more than one candidate's petition. Only official petitions may be circulated. A list of qualified candidates will be published in the Observer.

3. A $60 limit on campaign expenses will be set for all SBP/SBVP candidates. Outside contributions toward campaign expense fund or any materials purchased are required by the Election Committee. All materials ordered by the candidate must be reviewed by the committee before distribution of materials can begin. A copy of this policy and all materials must be submitted to the Election Committee before pressing. The $60 limit will be per candidates. Posters may not be larger than 11 inches by 17 inches and they cannot be placed on outside walls, trees, or any exterior areas according to University rules. Posters are to be displayed inside the corridors and inside public buildings. No posters are allowed in or outside the dining halls. Posters may be removed at any time. No stickersadhnesives may be used on any materials. No moving vehicles with sound gear are allowed, including sound trucks. Banners are permissible. Banners and airplane banners are allowed.

4. The only thing which can be donated to a ticket without it being assessed against their spending limit is paper money. All other donated services or materials will be counted against the candidate's spending limit at their fair market value.

5. If a candidate fails to disclose the proper cost of any campaign materials, he will be penalized. Penalty: forfeiture of campaign expenses.

6. No write-ins or blank ballots are allowed. They will not be counted. No endorsements may be given by the UAC, by an organization, or by any member of the Board. No endorsements may be sought by any of the Six. Students accept media endorsement at their own risk. Posters are to be displayed inside the corridors and inside public buildings. No posters are allowed in or outside the dining halls. Posters may be removed at any time. No stickers adhesives may be used on any materials. No moving vehicles with sound gear are allowed, including sound trucks. Banners are permissible. Banners and airplane banners are allowed.

7. Candidates cannot use any organization for campaign purposes, or any expression of opinion in their campaign or organization.

8. Penalty: 50 percent campaign expenses will be deducted.

9. No one may solicit help or support from any organization (including Student Govern-

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by Elliot Budy

Secretary/Editor

The 1980 Senior Class trip is scheduled for October break, 1979 in Acapulco, Mexico. Julio Essig, Business Manager for the Student Government, met with the committee last Friday. The decision was based on surveys that were administered to the Junior classes on both campuses. The survey was conducted then five ballots that were sent out to various organizations in the Chicago and South Bend areas.

The ballots included questions interested in traveling to Acapulco, and the first and second choices selected by the Junior classes. According to Essig, Fort Lowell Travel Agency of South Bend provided the best package deal and price for either location. The ballots were chosen because transportation is easily accessible and reasonably priced, and because the flights to various places of interest are available at minimal cost. Also, influencing the decision was the possibility of accommodations in four person rooms instead of visiting kitchenttes in Acapulco Bay.

The approximate initial costs based on air fare rates at this time is $299, but this is expected to be a minimal cost, due to the demand of very few flights to Acapulco, and the decision was made.
Many girls have told me that, in one sense, Notre Dame has reduced their experience of their lives—the reasoning being that "if we can survive all the pressures of student life here at Notre Dame, we can survive anything else." They may not realize it, but many women around du Lac Campus believe that if they can survive four years with Notre Dame, then they can overcome any other formidable obstacle that might arise and love them away on the "outside." Why not? I have always been a strong supporter of marriage; I believe it is the bond which truly unites two people. And if we are to marry, shouldn't we be worthy of being favored by society in our marriages? And if we are worthy of being favored in marriage, shouldn't we deserve the respect and intellectual and social equality which go together? In marriage, "sanctity of marriage," which means that preaches against the evils of divorce, becomes the name of Christ. This is more blessed to give than to receive. God will be tickled if you do. The challenge is: can we do so in the sense of less "risk" and less intellectual energy for us to consider any possible alternative. (3) Women have an interest in full equality, and sexual freedom is one aspect of that equality. History clearly shows that when women have been on the same plane, restrained, they've also suffered from social and political inequity. Here it may be that the women who are demonstratively the most historical bases of pre-marital virginity and sexual freedom are the women who in most cases would determine if we can determine if out-dated practices have anything to do with the way in which we live.

Examples abound, but I only have time to include a few. Consider the practice of dowry. It is a practice in every society in which it existed, it was sacred. Fathers' and brothers' dowry is a token of the father of the bride to the prospective husband for taking his daughter (in economic liability) off his hands. The daughter we expected to be a virgin for reasons of virginity meant she was "unavailable" to the suitor. She had been chaste, a piece of property, given to her parents, to help them pay for the horse and buggy, but the mentality that created it continues.

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Lessons now forming for basketball team. The boys, led by the tallest players, are 6-8 sophomore Chuck Bakowski, and others he was Williams and 6-6 freshmen shots, and did not score until considerable hole in Coach Joe failed to appear for practice. Chuck Bakowski, the basketball team 2~0-pound "The girls last night's win by the women's interested in typing. Accurate, fast typing. Mrs. Bedford. Interested 7:00pm at Wlll be held in ND·Ubrary Circle. Questions call 272-1401.

The basketball team will begin its season tonight with a game against Valpo.

The Irish, led by senior forward Dan Scholl, will face Valpo at 8:00 p.m. in the Arts Center.

The Irish are coming off a strong performance against the Fighting Irish in last week's game, where they were victorious by a score of 86-70. Scholl led the team with 23 points, while sophomore forward Jack Kelly added 12 points and 10 rebounds.

Despite the win, head coach Mike Brey was pleased with his team's overall performance. "I thought we played well against a tough opponent," he said. "The defense was solid, and the offense was efficient."

Valpo, on the other hand, is looking to bounce back after a tough loss to Notre Dame. The Fighting Irish scored 42 points in the first half, sealing the game early.

Tomorrow night, the Irish will take on the University of Dayton at 7:00 p.m. in the Purcell Pavilion. Dayton is currently 7-2 overall and 2-0 in conference play.

Notre Dame is 10-1 overall and 2-0 in conference play. The Irish are favored by 10 points in this matchup.

Tickets for the game are available at the Purcell Pavilion box office or online at Notre Dame's official website. Gates open at 6:00 p.m., and the game is expected to start at 7:00 p.m.
A familiar face to Notre Dame fans is Toby Knight [center] who has emerged as the starting forward for the New York Knicks. [Photo By Sue Pace.]

**Starting forward for Knicks**

**Knight blossoms in New York**

The year 1978 reached a high tide for Notre Dame football, a fact that is the tale of two teams. The powerful Notre Dame squad led by the Heisman winner, Terry Switzer, to 11-1-0 and shared the championship with Alabama. The second team, the Notre Dame basketball team, served as the national championship with the awesome Big Green Machine.

**Heroes and antiheroes of 1978**

Mike Henry

tribute to the dedication and effort displayed after two opening losses. Digger Phelps, meanwhile, knows he has the best five-man, seven-man, or twelve-man basketball team in the United States. Most importantly, the players regard their coach as a father in the nation. No team is as deep as the Irish, and only a few coaches can match Knight's performance in the task force of his ability to echelon these players. Defensive dreadnought Bill Hanlick will be instrumental in ensuring that this doesn't happen.

The Irish seals shocked the WCHA with their winless start by dividing Knight's starting team, but not in evidence last year. The experience of players Steve Schneider, Greg Meredith, and Kevin Whelan served to balance the infectious enthusiasm displayed by youthful skaters like Dave Poulain and Jeff Loga. And leukotrophic goalie Dave Laursen has been magical in assisting for defensive leavings with his split-second reactions around the goal. With luck, they can go a long way toward taking it all.

Two goals emerged from the 1978 pantheon. Peter Rose's complaints aimed for Gene Garber's efforts to end his 44-game hitting streak contradicted Rose's own philosophy of giving it your ultimate at all times. And let us not forget Mike Schmidt positioning himself within whispering distance of lefthander Greg Luzinski twice to allow Rose to keep his streak alive twice with burst singles.

Finally, how can Giant quarterback Joe Pisarcik sleep peacefully after costing Bob Griese an 81-yard touchdown? That feat was unleashed by Bob Gibson and ultimately head coach John McKennedy two weeks after the Giants got away with what was essentially a nose tackle.

**Johnston leaves ND to coach Soons**

vacant when Don Duncan accepted the head coaching job at Iowa State last week, solid player. "We are fortunate to have one of the top assistant coaches in the top programs in the U.S.," Switzer said.

Switzer, a former assistant at Michigan, has been a personal friend for 20 years. He has experience at both offensive and defensive units.

"His knowledge of the passing game will add a dimension to our offense this year," Switzer said.

Johnston graduated from the University of Missouri. He was an All-Big Eight tackle with the Eagles in 1957 and received the Big Eight outstanding defensive player award as a senior.

He begins his tenure with Devinie at Notre Dame. Johnston coached with Devinie at the University of Arkansas and previously with Frank Broyles at Arkansas. He is being coaching in 1979 as an assistant at Arkansas. Switzer played many years ago in the center-back spot.