Students Nominate Sen. Mark Hatfield
GOP Peace Candidate

By TIM O’MELIA

Notre Dame stuttered and stammered for two days before finally making itself understood—peace in Vietnam in the presence of Mark O. Hatfield, the Republican Presidential nominee of the 1964 Mock Political Convention. Leading on all of 11 ballots Oregon Senator Hatfield finally attained the nomination when the convention amended by a 2/3 majority the rule requiring that the victorious nominee obtain 667 votes.

Illinois’ Maryann Wolf, a campaigner for Governor Nelson A. Rockefeller, moved to consider the vote rule after the tenth ballot failed to nominate. Bruc Carter of Hawaii moved the same motion when Miss Wolf could not obtain the necessary majority from her state to legalize the motion. When a roll call made it clear that the motion would be approved by the 2/3 majority several states corrected their votes to make their delegations unanimous. The vote stood at 693 in favor, 294 opposed when Chairman Joe Blake closed balloting.

Rockefeller’s campaign manager, Jim Franckez said he approved the move. “We had a choice of deadlock the convention or going along with the major­ity. We felt it would have been too much of a selfish move to deadlock the convention, which we certainly could have done.”

Massachusetts Governor John A. Volpe was the Vice Presidential selection on the first ballot over Governor John Love of Colorado and Michigan Senator Robert P. Griffin. The final tally was Volpe 216, Love 140 and Griffin 46. The convention later made the vote unanimous.

The closest Rockefeller approached Hatfield was on the third ballot when the tally read 557-439. Hatfield increased his margin over Rockefeller to 256 by the tenth ballot before finally settling for 528-308 margin. Richard Nixon polled 100 votes and Ronald Reagan 12. Franckez blamed the defeat on Rocke­feller’s announcement Thurs. that he would not seek the Republican nomination. “We Rockefeller had run we would have swept the nomination on the sec­ond or third ballot, because if Rockefeller had announced he would have made a statement on Vietnam.”

Following his nomination Hatfield talked to the convention via telephone. He called it a great honor to win the nomination. “The Mock Convention has recognized a great cause, . . . to find peace in the world, to build humanity not destroy it.” He said it takes $400,000 to kill a Vietcong and with that money he could feed 1,600,000 people each month. “Peace in Vietnam with honor can be had.”

Hatfield’s campaign manager Ed Kick­ham told the convention, “What we’ve done here is to stand together for peace in the world. We want to make this country a cause for good rather than evil.” Franckez commented, “Just as the Hatfield people have said, they didn’t elect a man, but an issue. When the nation sees that Notre Dame nominated Hatfield and Volpe it will sit back and smirk.”

Perhaps the biggest surprise of the convention was the lack of support for “the only real candidate.” Nixon. His largest tally was 175 on the second bal­lot. He fell to 28 before climbing back to 100 on the final ballot. Following the third ballot, Nixon’s campaign man­ager Dan Lungren announced to the convention, “I feel Nixon’s poor showing here is a reflection of my own inability” and was cheered when he said that he thought Nixon would win in August and November. At that point he released his supporters to vote according to their principles.

Tom Frensick, Reagan’s campaign man­ager, was visibly disturbed by the Hatfield vote and refused to nominate Reagan for Vice President saying the California gov­ernor could not possibly run on the same ticket as the “liberal fringe” candidate. Reagan’s largest tally after the first ballot was 17.


In nominating Nixon, Lungren blasted the present Administration for spiraling taxes and loss of international prestige. “How can we trust an Administration who feels it has the right to lie to the people who elected it?”

Joel Connelly of Washington nomin­ated Mayor Lindsay with the words, “by the week’s end there will be 100 more dead in Vietnam, following the slogan ‘All the way with LBJ!’” He said Lindsay was walking the streets among the ghettos while LBJ was in Texas.

All of the candidates except Bryant, Hatfield, Nixon, Reagan, and Rockefeller were withdrawn following the initial bal­lot. Bryant withdrew after the second ballot.

Fri. evening a motion by Tom Condon of Connecticut to suspend the rules in order to reconsider the 667 vote rule fail­ed. The vote was 492 for the motion, and 388 against, failing to gain the 2/3 necessary. The convention adjourned Fri. after seven ballots. The largest number of total delegates present was for the fourth ballot—1,072. Both Hatfield and Rocke­feller gained their largest vote tallies, 584 and 464 respectively. Less than 1000 delegates attended the Sat. afternoon session.

Any thought of a compromise can­didate was dispelled Sat. afternoon when Hatfield supporters screamed “No!” when asked whether they would ever compro­mise.

Before the final ballot Franckez asked that, “Those of you who believe in the convictions of Nelson Rockefeller and the Republican Party vote one final time for Nelson Rockefeller.” Lungren also asked “all those who support Nixon to continue. If you want to influence the Republican Party be realistic and vote for Mr. Nixon.”
VANDALS SMASH 94 WINDOWS AT ROCK MEMORIAL

By BOB SCHUELER

Thursday evening's overtime NIR loss to Dayton was the first of the two Notre Dame setbacks this week. Early Fri., morning the University was a loser again as some 94 windows of the Rockne Memorial, said to be the largest building in the Midwest, was broken by vandals. The windows that were broken include those of the golf shop, the shop's locker room, the special equipment room and the entrance doorways. Two outside lights were also smashed.

A huge crowd of people in the golf shop estimated that the cost of replacing the windows will be a little over $30,000. The shop's roof, an area, and that the total cost of repairing the damage will be more.

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doors in the Rock were smashed, while the Rocke building across the street went unscathed, sup-
ports this theory.

The Campus police are also investigating the possibility that the people who damaged the Rock were also responsible for hurling a brick through an 800 plate glass window in the Center for Continuing Education early one morning, about three weeks ago. However, since there are no real leads, the case is still a mystery.

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Protect Halls From Student Government

The Hall Presidents Council's recent decision to improve organization and increase action culminated in a meeting of several Hall Presidents last week. The group's plans to institute a new Council structure and attitude were presented before the Council Thurs. by Dillon Hall president Vincent B. Terlep. Still in the theory stage is a plan for entrance of the Council into the Student Government structure, we'll be separated, but co-ordinate," Terlep said.

The Council will form a commission to supervise all interhall activities ranging from social to athletic functions. A chairman, elected by the Council, will act as a liaison between the SBP and the Hall Presidents and will preside over Council meetings.

Concern about possible overlap in areas of Senate jurisdiction was voiced by Gordon C. Hunt, Jr., science junior from Howard. "We need a representative in the Student Senate," said Hunt, "to maximise co-operation of our efforts." Terlep admitted, however, that SBP Chris Murphy considered a trust president of our efforts." Terlep admitted, however, that SBP Chris Murphy considered a trust president of "improbable." Baldwin Hall President David J. Ryan thought that the Council's position would be to enforce Senate legislation. "Hopefully," said Ryan, "we won't be operating in areas of Senate power."

A Co-Chairperson, also elected by the Council, will act as an intern-Outer commissioner. "Increased hall co-operation is essential, especially regarding social functions," said Terlep after mentioning the financial losses that Hall parties have incurred. The Council, aided by the Hall government structure, plans to organize interhall parties and place social events on a financially profitable basis.

"We must protect the halls from Student Government abuse," said Robert McCarter of Alumni. Other Hall Presidents agreed that the Council should present any hall's complaint of retarded justice to the Student Government in hope of facilitating action.

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Symbol of Peace

When the Mock Political Convention finally resolved its deadlock late Sat. afternoon, there was no disguising the student mandate. Mark Hatfield had been presented as an issue more than as a man and that argument, fortunately, won out. The final vote was a vote for peace, an end to the mad escalation of even madder war.

Hopefully, the student voice will have its hearing, not only in the Republican party but in national politics as a whole. That a campus usually considered conservative would speak so strongly against the war should concern in at least a small way those who choose a candidate this summer. Notre Dame said Sat. afternoon that handslakes and whistleshooting will not convince a college electorate, that talking around the issues will not suffice. National candidates will have to oppose the war in Vietnam, not only in rhetoric but in act.

In many ways the Convention was a "Mock." Candidates had to clash and win according to their positions on issues alone, since no deals could be made for Secretary of State or road contracts in Western states. Mark Hatfield will probably not be the choice of the real convention next summer and thus, the success of his candidacy depends on future actions. His nomination will be a "mock" until next summer's candidate finds it politically expedient to argue for peace instead of war, for building instead of destruction, for negotiation instead of bombs.

Politics is less idealism than deals and Notre Dame has made its offer: a Republican candidate must stand for peace. There are democrats making bids.

Edwin O'Connor
1918-1968

Last year Edwin O'Connor came to Notre Dame as he did every year, unannounced, to visit the classes taught by Prof. Frank O'Malley. This time he read a play, joking that the last time a Notre Dame audience had liked one of his plays, it enjoyed no success. But the Modern Catholic Writers class liked what he read and the way he read it.

Before he began, he talked of the Bookstore, of visiting the second floor to see whether his books were displayed. He could take himself lightly, Prof. O'Malley said later that Edwin O'Connor is very funny but underneath it all, he didn't think things were as funny as he made them seem. After he read, he answered questions eagerly, patient with those who had to ask whether Frank Skeffington was really Jim Curley.

Sat. night he died of a heart attack. This generation of Notre Dame students knew him only sketchily, through his novels or his once-a-year visits, most of all through Prof. O'Malley, to whom he dedicated "The Edge of Sadness." We mourn his death. We wish we could have known him better.

The opposition to the war in Vietnam has drawn its strength from a conglomeration, a sometimes weird hodgepodge of groups and individuals. Yippies, hippies, Paul Harvey, retired generals, political Gallup horses, students, dedicated liberals, academic stalwarts, and the John Birch Society have all lent their support to the cause. Pulps and the people in them have harangued or persuaded congregations that the present policy is immoral, stupid or all three. Meetings and demonstrations have signed these dissent with their feet and their bodies. Boys have gone to jail, fled to Canada or deserted to Sweden.

The dissent has been steadily rising and the movement has had the force of people, their letters and their voices. This unity of opposition has spread discontent and tension and has now accomplished its ends in New Hampshire with Mr. McCarthy. Lyndon Johnson is falling down.

Over the roar of immorality and aggressor and fascist and manifest destiny certain peace arguments have found their way to the public. One of these has been the cry of nationalism. After all, they say, the United States has misinterpreted the situation and has deliberately called a national revolution by the name of communism aggression. The imperialists, in the words of the revolutionary rag, has scrawled obscenities across the face of a desperate people. The military industrial complex has killed, napalmed, and burnt the countryside while pursuing a policy of blatant aggression. The Yankee swine violated the Geneva Accords in 1956 in spite of the harsh rhetoric and moral spear throwing a few positions are clearcut. It is correct that the United States ignored the 1956 elections established two years earlier. It is also correct that the United States was not a signatory in those agreements and that the only approval was a verbal assent (not binding in the power world unfortunately) by John Foster Dulles. The claim of nationalism on the part of Ho Chi Minh is also a pretty persuasive argument. The facts generally make the claim of aggression sound a bit hollow. But it is not a simple case of right and wrong. Saturday's newspaper will assure us of that.

Premier Souvanna Phouma of Laos said that his country "was falling into a critical time." Gen. Ouane Rattikoun, the Laotian commander-in-chief, said that "North Vietnam has sent 30,000 troops into Laos in an attempt to seize the country." Souvanna appealed to "world opinion, (The United Nations) The International Control Commission and the signaturee of the 1962 Geneva accords" to come to grips with the aggression and solve the problem. And so goes the Eastern world.

It would appear that Ho (a Communist since 1922) indeed has more in mind than the welfare of his embittered and embattled and desperate people. Saturday's paper, if it can tell us anything, can tell us that North Vietnam and Ho and crew are not to be befriended. It might also tell us that sin does not have an exclusive domain on this side of the Pacific. It might also tell us that phrases like "across the faces of a desperate people" and "Bourgeois imperialist dogs" express inanities and not positions.

The shrines of the peace orthodoxy have been constructed in this country in true Comteian fashion with full religious regalia. The believers have their baptisms, sacraments, and their holy words, (read buttons, mass demonstrations, and imperialists) and orthodoxy is a dangerous thing because if fixes your opinion even against reality and disables your critical abilities, the ability to separate the wheat from the chaff.

At the same time I do not mean to mitigate against the adoption of a position pro or con. However there must always be the realization that you do not possess absolute truth and moral integrity. Sainthood is, at best, tricky business.
By TOM FIGEL

"The situation then was a lot like the one now," Col. John J. Stephens, reti­tering head of the Military Science De­partment, says. "I was teaching in St. Louis. And I said 'You can't draft me' as they were dragging me off to war. And that was a year before the war started in 1967. It wasn't in the Humphrey Doodly way that I'm in this particular situation."

Stephens was in 1941. At that time Col. Stephens, still a civilian, had "390 hours of work on my Masters at St. Louis University," and a job teaching and coa­ching at McKelvey High School. Now, on May 1, he will return to civilian life and hopes to return to teaching in St. Louis. Last year he completed his work on an MA at Notre Dame. "I'm not ruling out some other type of endeavor," he says. "I've received several offers from indus­try."

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Arriving behind schedule last Wed­night, the group of Notre Dame and St. Mary’s tutors found an already excited group of youth­agers, including some older companions not involved in the program but merely loitering a­bout. The clement was not one of study, being noisy and carefree. Amid the confusion, one boy apparently tossed a bottle at SMC Marilyn Reed, a tutor co-captain. However, no one was injured and order was established.

This was the first real diffi­culty encountered at the South­east center, although once previ­ously a tutoring session had been cancelled due to vandalism to the building. The tutors have been further handicapped by lack of an adult co­ordinator to main­tain discipline. The previous So­uth­east co­ordinator resigned for personal reasons.

Last Thurs. evening there was more trouble, involving the same group of youngsters as the night before. An entire bus load had been taken to the center at Morris Civic Center in downtown South Bend. After an exuberant but orderly evening, one of the older boys began tampering with the back emergency door. The bus driver, a replacement, surprised­ly became angered. He slammed the boy to his seat, kicked him a few times, and dragged him to the front of the bus.

Heckled by a friend, the riled youth bragged to his assailant, “I’m going to get you when we get back to Southeast”, and pulled a link chain from his pocket. Once the bus arrived at the center the boy was met by his brother and sister and any actual violence was avoided. The boy merely put on a display of temper to back his boasts. As the bus pulled out, returning to ND and SMC it was pelted with rocks and snowballs.

Because of the damage to the bus and the hostile attitude, most of the bus drivers in the study programs are wary of fu­tures trips to the Southeast area.

Coalition Mobilizes

What one backer calls “Notre Dame’s best organized peace ef­fort to date” will surface with a meeting in the Law Auditorium Thurs. evening at 7:00. The Campus Coalition for Peace (CCP), which has been holding leadership­ship meetings for more than a month, will explain its purposes at the meeting and enlist volun­teers for organizational and pub­licity work.

CCP has thus far discussed mainly the effort to be made at the ROTC Rally in early May. However, the Coalition plans add­itional work including film show­ings on Vietnam, hall meetings, and rallies. Most of the final effort will concern the first week in May, leading up to the May 7 Rev. w. Primary emphasis is ex­pected to be on educational work.

The parade will be the culminating point of the efforts of the new campus organization, the Campus Coalition for Peace (CCP). CCP will be an alliance of groups from all over the political spec­trum. It will be moderate in its tone, aiming to express reasoned opposition to the Vietnam War. CCP will have rallies, but its chief function is educational, to acquaint the uninformed with the facts. CCP will mobilize the campus, too, for the ROTC Parade. In dramatic fashion, with hopefully more than 800 people present, it will show the nation how the students on this “conservative Catholic campus” feel about our leader’s bloody war.

The second major effort is McCarthy. The Democratic Party this year offers a chance to stimulate change. The candidates of Senators Kennedy and McCarthy give hope that we can be spared Nixon vs. Johnson vs. Wallace in November. Chances are that Kennedy will end up in Chicago as the united choice. However, the candidacy of the courageous and inspiring Senator Eugene McCarthy is still very much alive. In this state with McCarthy running against a Johnson stand-in, and more immediately in Wisconsin, we have a chance to demonstrate student power.

The McCarthy effort is of crucial significance. Wisconsin and Indiana are the next two major primaries. In each, McCarthy is the man on the ballot. To prove New Hampshire was not a freak phenomenon, the Minnesota Senator must swing both. With the goons of the party organization sticking with Scarbally, the McCarthy effort depends on the student. While our own Dr. Bogie has assembled a superb volunteer organization in this state, the headquarters down in the Storied Building is staffed largely with students. In Wisconsin, if the doorbells are to be rung, we are the ones who are going to have to do it.

There we have it, then. There is hope for change in this nation, change which will only continue if students can accomplish something at Notre Dame, on the levels of peace and politics, there is oppor­tunity.

SMC Plans Birthday Celebration

Sept. 1968 will begin S. Mary’s 125th anniversary. The Jubilee Year. Working with a budget of $200,000 is a General Planning Committee headed by Sister Miriam Patrick, C.S.C., is drawing up lists of suggested guests and visitors for­mers.

The planning committee is composed of twelve faculty mem­bers and two students, spon­sore Mary Osmanski and junior Alison Whitaker. So far the committee has proposed sym­posium and Notre Dame, Humanities, Fine Arts, and Science. A sym­posium on War and Peace has also been proposed. The commi­ttee hopes to bring in name speakers to lecture for the sym­posia. They also plan to finance resident visiting professors to teach one semester courses.

Among suggested speakers for the Symposium on Women are Barbara Ward, economist, Ayn Rand, philosopher-author, Betty Frieden, author of The Femi­nine Mystique, and Mrs. Louise Huy, defeated candidate for mayor of Boston. Sister

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The opening sequence of Jean-Luc Godard’s My Life To Live, a shot of the back of Anna Karina’s head, was thought by some to be a “cute” effrontery perpetrated by the direction on the audience. What the critic’s and viewers who held this opinion failed to grasp was the placement of the shot in the structure of the film, and the meaning it fo the film as a whole. The credits are flashed on the screen on which we see alternately the left side, front, and right side of the actress’s face. To see Anna Karina from the back clearly follows; we are to see her from all sides. But there is more to the shot than that. Keeping us from concentrating on the features of her face, Godard forces us to pay attention to the words.

This is what makes the film more than a story about prostitution or even about a prostitute. It is a film about Anna Karina, an actress, a woman, and, at the time the film was made, Godard’s wife. It is a film by Godard, and everything he makes is a personal intellectual statement. My Life To Live (better understood by its French title Vivre sa Vie, literally To Live Her Life) is a carefully structured statement, in the Brechtian sense it is art as a reality rather than art as a illusory picture of nature. The quote from Montaigne which prefaces the film, “Lend yourself to others but give yourself to yourself”, pre-figures the course Nana is to follow. Godard’s social awareness and concern for social problems prompts him to make a film which is, again in the Brechtian sense, edutactory and a forum for ideas. It is he who reads the statistics and laws concerning Par­ i­san prostitution which we see Nana at work when Paul tells Nana of the little boy’s story of the chicken, the camera pans from the two of them to Nana alone, backlit by the picture windows. The story goes: “The chicken: Remove the outside and you get the inside. Remove the inside and you have the soul.” Nana is the chicken, French slang for a prostitute, and in Vivre sa Vie we see her soul.

Since Godard is making a personal statement references and allusions are not gratuitous padding, but intimate communication from Godard to us, telling us how he feels about things.

The Edgar Allen Poe story which the young man tells Nana is Godard’s expression of what he is perhaps afraid of doing to his wife. By exposing Anna Karina completely in art is he drawing the life out of her? Nana’s cryptic murder at the end of the film seems enigmatic. Does Godard have the film character killed off before the real woman is entirely and thus fatally reproduced on film, or is it that the portrait has already been completed?

Godard and Karina are no longer married.

Admin. Gives Medal To Sargent Shriver

R. Sargent Shriver, head of the Office of Economic Opportu­nity, was named yesterday as the 1968 recipient of the Laetare Medal. The award has been con­ferred annually since 1883 by the University on an outstanding American Catholic layman. The recipient is traditionally announ­ced each year on Laetare Sunday, the Fourth Sunday of Lent, and actual presentation takes place at a later date.

Last year’s Laetare award was presented to J. Peter Grace, New York industrialist. Other recent recipients have included the late President John F. Kennedy, poet Phyllis McGinley, Notre Dame scientist and vice-president Frederick Rossini, and Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Crowley, founders of the Christian Family Movement. The announcement of Shriver as Laetare Medal winner was al­most simultaneous with the OEO head’s nomination by President Johnson to the post of U.S. Ambas­sador to France.

Shriver is no stranger to Notre Dame. His most recent visit was oc­casioned by his address at The General Assembly of Stu­dents in early Feb. He was a­warded the Senior Class Patriot of the Year Award in 1965, and

SARGENT SHRIVER he has served on the Advisory Council for the College of Busi­ness Administration since 1953. In 1961 Shriver received an hon­orary LL.D. from the University.

Shriver, 52, is a graduate of* Yale University and Yale Law School. He was Director of the Peace Corps from March, 1961 until Feb., 1966, and has served as head of the War on Poverty since Oct., 1964. For 16 months he served as head of both agen­cies.

March 25, 1968 THE OBSERVER
Opening Bouts: At 8 o’clock tonight the Notre Dame Boxing Club commences its 37th annual Bengal Bouts. The three-day affair will continue Wednesday and conclude with the finals Friday evening. A total of 53 student pugilists are on the card, and the program is considered the spring’s outstanding intramural event. Proceeds will go to the Holy Cross Missions in Bengal, East Pakistan.

The leading returnees include Jim Loverde, a senior from Melrose Park, Ill., and winner of last year’s 145 division title, and Mike Lovrty, a junior from Berwyn Oaks, Calif., defending champion in the 150 pound class. Both are in the 155 set this year, and Jim Arzen and a pair of free throws by Jim Derrig put the game on ice, however.

The schedule for this evening is as follows:

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THE IRISH EYE - Pool Hall Is A Pool Hall - By Tom Condon

The situation that is being allowed to exist in most of America's billiard parlors is deplorable. Where once this sainted establishment served as a try-sting place for the lonely and desolate, it is now hosting a false image of Byzantine splendor, or an unsupervised public. Splendor begins with the room where broken lives can be rearranged in the gotta-get-a-job, gotta-get-a-guy-and-go-to-a-pool-hall, gotta-get-back-the-life-you-never-had, gotta-get-the-right-nickname, gotta-get-the-right-nicknames. Aside from the renown 'Minnesota Fats,' three are 'Pittsburgh Pachinko,' 'Hoboken Sweets,' 'Michigan Mousie,' '9 Ball Henderson,' 'Brooklyn Side' (also a great bowler), and many more.

What the producers of plastic pool halls fail to realize is that the pool hall is also a fountainhead for the American vernacular. Skill at the game gives one the honor of choosing any of a series of colorful nicknames. From the renown 'Minnesota Fats,' three are 'Pittsburgh Pachinko,' 'Hoboken Sweets,' 'Michigan Mousie,' '9 Ball Henderson,' 'Brooklyn Side' (also a great bowler), and many more.

What the producers of plastic pool halls fail to realize is that there is an element of the society that dislikes bright lights and thick carpets. People want to escape to places with a certain morbidity. The air is thick with the smell of illegal cards, numbers, and an occasional fight. One need only at the condition of the cities to realize what these people will do if they have no place to go. If he had concentrated on pool halls, Detroit's Mayor Kavalan's name would still be mentioned nationally as potential presidential timber. The pool hall is a part of America, a teacher of basic values that are being lost. As more people move away from these urban centers of understanding, the cities deteriorate. Perhaps bussing from the suburbs would be an effective stop-gap.