The Middle Ages

Professor A. L. Gabriel, Director of the Medieval Institute, has been elected to the Editorial Committee of the "Texte des mitterländischen Geistlichen", a series of translated utopian texts of medieval intellectual life, a series of learned publications, under the auspices of the Bavarian Academy of Sciences, Munich.

Money Back

Louie Llwermeyer, Student Union Social Commissioner, said yesterday that the Social Commission will hold one final refund for ticket holders of the Smokey the Bear Force upon graduation in June.

To New York

Dr. George A. Brinkley, associate professor of government and international studies has been awarded the international affairs fellowship of the Council on Foreign Relations in New York City.

The fellowship program was started last year to offer outstanding young scholars an opportunity to broaden their experience and test their thinking in a policy-oriented environment.

Five Regular

Five cadets of the Notre Dame Air Force ROTC detachment have been selected to receive regular commissions in the Air Force Reserve in June.

The cadets are: Thomas V. Cheva, East Liverpool, Ohio; Gary B. Smith, Dayton, Ohio; Richard L. Hansen, Omaha, Nebraska; Brian F. Muskar, Sidney, Ohio; and Charles K. Swanson, Chicago, Ill.

Witt, Klemm, and Doyle To Head Class Governments

BY JOEL CONNELLY

Junior Dave Witt and Freshman Barry Doyle both won smoking victories in Tuesday's Balloting for class offices. Witt, Junior Class Vice President this year, was elected Senior President by more than a two-to-one margin over his nearest opponent Scott Reneau. Doyle, Klemm Hall Senator, polled 60% of the vote in overwhelmingly three opponents for the Sophomore Class President.

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At a short Senate meeting Monday night Student Body President Rich Rossie made some announcements, and debate began on a bill, before a lack of a quorum ended the meeting. Rossie started by asking for confirmation of his cabinet, and was granted this on motion by Paul Higgins, without opposition.

The next announcements concerned the meeting with the special ad hoc committee of the Board of Trustees on April 28. This six man committee will be presented several things, among them reports on student life, testimony from students and faculty, and proposals on student participation in the academic process, due process, and parental hours. Along with the proposals Rossie will present position papers giving rationales, which will include General Assembly statements. Rossie asked for secession incident. This, he said, "if nothing else, broke down some barriers." Rossie said that he was "optimistic" about the meeting, and gave some credit to the due process.

In an organizational meeting last night newly appointed Scholastic editor-in-chief Bill Cullen announced his editorial staff for the coming year.

Tim Unger, a junior government major from Houston, Texas, will be Cullen's managing editor. He will replace Bob Metz, this year's managing editor.

Named associate editors were Joel Garreau, Tom Henhen, Tony Ingraffea, and Marty McNamara. Unger will present layout and copy editor, and Garreau, Henhen, Ingraffea, and McNamara are contributing editors. Also named by Cullen for editorial positions were David Hsinkin as layout and copy editor and Jim Britt as news editor. Hsinkin, a senior and editor-in-chief of the 1968 Dome, will return to Notre Dame to complete his arts and engineering combination degree requirements. Sophomore Britt is currently a Scholastic contributor.

In addition to making his appointments Cullen discussed proposed changes in the Scholastic and any new design the magazine might take. Both the campus section and the sports section of the magazine were discussed as possible areas for consideration.

Cullen pointed out the opportunity for in depth news coverage and pointed out the possible correlation of a major news story with the magazine cover and an editorial. He said he felt the Scholastic was best equipped to handle "detailed news research."

Cullen said, however, "We'll have as much news and sports as is in the past, but it will be rearranged." He also to new layout editor Henhen as the man who would be responsible for changes in the magazine's appearance.

Senator Confirms Rossie's Cabinet Quorum Call Forces Adjournment

After this debate, several senators were forced to leave because of tests and the meeting for Arts and Letters flourished. The meeting had to be adjourned because a quorum was no longer present.

Cullen Names Scholastic Staff

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Other races besides the Presidencies were hotly contested. While in the Senior Class Tom Bremen and Bud Rogers ran unopposed for the posts of Vice President and Secretary, a three way contest for Treasurer saw Ernest Gargas win by a narrow 28 votes.

One of the closest contests of the night came in the race for Junior Class Vice President. While Klemm won the Presidency by more than 200 votes, Jack Crawford defeated Tim Sullivan by 440 to 474 in the Vice Presidential contest. In another squeaker Pat McDonough defeated John Rudolph by seven votes in the race for Junior Secretary.

The race for Sophomore offices saw Doyle's running mate Jim D'Aurora elected Sophomore Vice President over Freshman Vice President Dave Schmidt by a 50 vote margin. While Joe White beat Buzzy Rice in the race for Secretary, Tom Olviger was elected Treasurer over three opponents.

The Student Government Election committee revealed early this morning that it had failed to tabulate the votes cast in Breen-Phillips and Cavanaugh halls. An investigation is currently under way and the votes are being recounted.
BY TIM O'MELIA

Although the on-campus average for seniors-to-be is 2.0 this year, the Student Accounts Committee, Emerit E. Moore, said there will be only 25 more seniors-off-campus next year than there are now.

The average for on-campus seniors was 2.4, which allowed 800 juniors to take rooms for their final year. The new average permits 775 juniors to live on campus.

Moore quoted figures showing that the on-campus averages for the other two classes are exactly what they were a year ago. Juniors-to-be are required to have a 2.0 average while the average for present freshmen who wish to remain in halls is 1.76.

Moore said that all of the averages have risen above those of previous years. For a sophomore-to-be in 1966 the average was only 1.325. According to Moore, if Holy Cross Hall had not been opened to students the averages would probably be higher for all classes.

When asked why the average for seniors has decreased, Moore said that the reason is that there are fewer seniors on campus than any other class and that "we feel that the seniors could handle being off-campus better; they're older. Most of them are over 21 and they can live in apartments and have cars." Despite the fact that the average for seniors is down from 2.4 to 2.0, Moore said, "We used the same proportions of freshmen in each class as we used last year."

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The object of the efforts, McCarthy himself, will campaign in Indiana for the primary to be vital to his chances of winning the Demo- crotic Presidential Nomination. The Senator will be added in efforts by singing groups Simon & Garfunkel, Peter, Paul, & Mary and the Supremes. Actor Paul Newman will also campaign for McCarthy in the state.

Mr. McCarthy has arrived in Notre Dame in early May, the date as of yet unannounced. During a severely limited time schedule, the Senator was unable to appear here during a two- hour visit to South Bend last week.

Owens Attacks Boycott

"Rioters and marchers and boy-cotters can bring no real peace, no real understanding this is only pandemonium. Once it's broken down and communicate with one another," said former Olympic hero Jesse Owens to a full crowd in the Library Auditorium Monday night.

His proposed topic was "The Negro Boycott of the Olympics."

Owens, winner of four gold medals in the 1936 Olympics, and later named, "Outstanding Athlete of the Century" was brought to Notre Dame for the Indiana Primary week. According to Moore, "Expedition is better, the screening is better, the conditions in which you live."

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Owens concluded his talk with a final challenge for all those present in the audience, through personal involvement, to "better the conditions of mankind."

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Mroz: Festival A Success

"We consider it one of the most successful things that has ever happened at Notre Dame," said John Mroz about the 1968 Sophomore Class Literary Festival. "The reaction of the students and the faculty was great. We consider it a total success."

Mroz was reflecting on last week's festival about which Critic Granville Hicks said, "when I first heard about the idea I thought it was crazy. But I thought it was worth it."

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The work for this year's festival which cost over twenty thousand dollars, was handled by Mroz and the twelve-man Sophomore Literary Council. Mroz said that work on next year's festival will begin as soon as a new chairman is chosen. He said that he and the newly elected Sophomore Class President would choose a new chairwoman right after next year's festival.

Mroz said that the immediate responsibility of the chairman would be to work on getting funds for the festival. The money this year was raised by the pre-festival movie series, the contribution of patrons, the sale of programs, and donations from members of the faculty and the University staff, proceeded from Student Government and the University.

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Great Union Robbers Remain Unidentified

The "Great Union Robbery" of approximately $3300 from a safe in the Student Union office over Junior Parents weekend remains unsolved. Notice Secretary Arthur Peers admitted yesterday that he "had no red-hot suspect." But he said that after polygraph and fingerprint examination and investigation are completed he hopes to have information pointing to the Union robber.

Peers said yesterday that Union personnel have not as yet been fingerprinted. Prints were lifted from the Student Union Office last week, especially from the safe which held the stolen cash and checks. The lie detector tests called for by Peers and Student Union officials last week began yesterday afternoon. Peers said that he hoped to run polygraph tests on eight students.

Both the use of the polygraph tests and fingerprinting have been delayed because the Security Office has had to borrow South Bend Police department personnel and equipment.

Peers said that he was still optimistic about detecting the thief despite the lapse of ten days with no prominent suspects.

Student Union Vice-President Bill Wade said yesterday that Student Union officials are optimistic about the investigation of the matter seemed to have reached a "roadblock." Wade said that Union officials were concerned that the investigation's momentum would be lost over the Easter recess.

The question was then raised by the Election Committee and both Doyle and Soldati campus as to the legitimacy of a hall newspaper being distributed outside of the hall. Eight hundred copies of the Pacer were printed and distribution was planned for the halls on the freshman quad and Dillon and Alumni.

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Hesburgh Gives Martin Luther King Eulogy

BY PAT GAFFNEY

Monday afternoon, a special Mass in Sacred Heart Church climaxd the public tribue of the Notre Dame community to the late Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. The church was nearly filled, some 2000 persons congregated, and the homily was delivered by Rev. Theodore Hesburgh, C.S.C.

Father Hesburgh began his homily by reading a few sentences from a eulogy he had com­posed shortly after the assassina­tion of President Kennedy in 1963. The words he said, seemed once again appropriate:

“Now and he is dead, cut down in mid-stride along the road less traveled by, the inscrutable Providence of God, to the question on whether or not to compete and makes a

Rev. Martin Luther King everyone’s lips. Why? . . . In this very real world of shining good and blackest evil, everyone who works for what is good and noble can expect to rebound against himself all of the dark, irrational powers of evil — anger, hatred and violence. The evil does not disappear with the evil deed, it is only starkly and cruelly visible in his tragic death.”

Martin Luther King was, of course, a kind of prophet.” said Fr. Hesburgh. “He said many things that many people dis­liked.” He spoke to his people like a Moses, and “He had a dream of a nation where little children could go to school to­gether despite the fact that some were white and some were black, where a man could be taken for what he is as a person; a dream that is still with us, a dream that is yet to be achieved.”

But only if each of us does something about it will “the dream inherited” be overcome.

Not only was Martin Luther King a prophet, and Fr. Hesburgh, he was also a kind of charismatic leader. To a world divided by so many charisms and prejudices, he spoke so loud and clear that everyone was a child of God . . . He did every­thing he could in a way that re­quired wisdom, courage and a great deal of sincerity.

But most important, like the Maltesian Gandhi he admired, he understood the paradox of non-violence in the attainment of human justice. “All great hu­man goods are achieved by suf­fering . . . blood must flow, the price must be paid.” Dr. King. by the bold intensity of his life, and now by the violence of his untimely death, showed that for one, “like all good men, like Jesus Christ,” was willing to take his cross and pay the price of suffering.

“A simple question remains for us,” Fr. Hesburgh continued. “Are we going to pay the price? Are we going to help find a way out of the kind of second rate education most Negro youngsters get, the second rate housing, the second rate jobs, the life where everything is always second rate? . . . Does this nation just kill its prophets, or does it listen to them too? Are we going to do some­thing beside write about it, read about it, and talk about it?”

Half Presidents Finalize “An Tostal” Week Plans

The Hall President’s Council released the schedule of events for Notre Dame’s first AN TOS­TAL, which will be held May 2, 3, and 4. AN TOSTAL is an ancient Gaelic festivity which lasts is some parts of Ireland from May to Sept. Notre Dame’s AN Tostal will be a spring weekend competition modeled on the “Cork Week” at other schools.

The weekend will begin with “Gordia” Thursday; Potatoes Friday. The number of co-ex activities have been planned for the day. The president’s council has invited 6 to 10 other co-ex schools besides St. Mary’s to participate in the weekend.

A Folk Singing Festival is also planned for Thursday. The Gordia Theater will present a production at 2 o’clock on the front lawn of the Memorial Li­brary. The Sailing Club will pro­vide rides on the lake from 1 to 5 p.m.

The activities for Friday include a beach party at Holy Cross Beach. The council has hired a band and will provide re­freshments at cost. Chuck Petic has agreed to bring his enter­tainers to the beach that night.

Friday afternoon at 4:00 there will be a Trivia Bowl in the Little Theatre of Saint Mary’s College. The contest will be be­tween SMC and Alumni Hall.

The presidents have an out­door picnic planned for noon on Sat. The dining hall has agreed to serve picnic lunches to 1000 N.D. students and to 500 St. Mary’s girls and 500 girls from other schools. Tickets for the free lunch will be distributed in the dining halls later this month.

11 organized activities have been scheduled for Sat. after­noon. A tug of war contest will be sponsored pitting teams of 20 Saint Mary’s girls against 10 Notre Dame guys. A two­foot deep mud pit will be be­tween the competing teams. A one dollar entry fee per team will be charged.

The second event will be a badminton race. Each team in the race will consist of seven members. The team must provide it’s own bed. It must have four wheels, four posts, and be over five feet long. The rider in the bed must dress in bed clothes. Co­ex partners will participate in the “no hands” pie eating contest. There will be an entry­fee of 25 cents.

A flour blowing contest will be sponsored for girls. A pie­pan, filled with flour with a coin at the bottom will be set in front of every girl. The girls will be seated across from each other at a table. The girl who recovers her coin the fastest without using her hands wins. Again there will be a 25 cent entry fee.

A potato sack relay race with five team couples and a Hula hoop endurance contest are also planned. There is a one dollar entrance fee for the potato sack race.

A medley of races is planned for teams that must consist of two couples. The races include a three­legged race, a wrist ties back to back race, a wheel barrow race, and a “run through tire” with wrist and elbows tied race. Entry fee will be 25 cents per person.

A water bridge contest will also be held. The contest will consist of two events. The first will be a race between teams of ten guys to fill up a 55 gallon water drum using a five gallon bucket. The second is a race between eight member co-ex teams. They must fill up a 2 h­b bucket using a Doss cup passed from mouth to mouth. A one dollar entry fee is required.

An Egg Throw between boy and girl teams will also be held. The championship game of a touch football league is also scheduled.

The climax of the afternoon will be a grand pig chase. The contest will be held in a mud pit. The president’s council has bought five small pigs. Five people constitute a team. The object is to catch the pigs and bring them to a designated place. Entry fee is one dollar per team.

Trophy prizes and prices will be awarded for all events.

Editor:

In his “article” on this year’s Olympic Games, Mr. O’Neil criticizes the athletes who, for one reason or another, have chosen not to compete and makes a mockery of their decision.

If the Olympics are non-politi­cal, as Mr. O’Neil implies, they represent an opportunity for outstanding athlete to enter into personal competition with some of the greatest athletes in the world. Assuming that the Games are not politically significant, the individual athlete certainly un­der no obligation to either his government or his fellow citizens to compete.

If, however, the Olympics are outside of the realm of sports, which unfortunately appears to be the case, winners of the carefully watched score of medals worn by each of the lead­ing nations, the professional “a­thletes” representing the various count­ies, the ever-present flags and anthems, etc. then the ath­letes in question have every right (especially in this “Land of the Free”) to use this newly-acquir­ed political status to express their beliefs.

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I am a freshman at Notre Dame, and I admit to being somewhat naive in the ways of this great Catholic Institution. I was up most of Thursday night preparing for tests, so I turned on WSND in the morning anticipat­ing an announcment of can­celled classes. I was unable to get WSND because of excessive sta­tion id. My sincere belief is that classes would be cancelled for this particular course. I really did believe that I would have gotten excused for this particular course. I really did believe that I would have gotten excused for this particular course.

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I am using my own case just to point out the Administration’s extreme lack of good taste or stupidity in not honoring this great American.