HUSSEIN PROBES US AIR STRIKE

(UPI) The Jordanian army claimed Monday to have halted an invading Syrian armed force from entering Palestinian guerrillas in the fifth day of civil war. U.S. paratroopers were on hand for possible action to rescue stranded Americans in Jordan.

King Hussein of Jordan ordered his troops in the capital of Amman to stop shooting Monday night in a move to end the widening conflict, but the guerrillas said they would continue to fight. "Our revolutionary forces are determined to continue the fight until they force the traitorous butchers to stop the massacre," said a guerrilla broadcast from the Syrian capital of Damascus.

Jordan's army chief of staff, Marshall Habis Magh, said in an Amman Radio broadcast Monday that his troops had halted the Syrian advance into northern Jordan after fierce battles. Diplomats in Amman said Syria fired two armored brigades-about 8,000 men- across the lightly defended border over the weekend.

Military sources in Washington said Hussein has asked the United States and other major powers what they would be willing to do to help him resist the Syrian troops. The sources pointed out, however, that the Jordanian king had not appealed for military assistance in so many words, but asked generally what assistance he might expect. Hussein charged that Syrian forces invaded his country to help the guerrillas and blamed the widening conflict on the Syrians.

The White House expressed good concern for the safety of about 400 Americans in Jordan, including 35 hostages from hijacked planes held captive by Palestinian commandos. A spokesman for President Nixon said the situation was "very serious, complicated and very fluid." Egyptian reports said more than 6,000 people had been killed and thousands more wounded in five days of fighting between Amman and other Jordanian centers. The Palestinian Red Crescent relief organization said "Jordan is threatened with disease and hundreds of thousands are threatened with death from starvation and thirst."

An Israeli military source in Jerusalem said American paratroopers may land in Jordan in King Hussein appealed for help.

In Washington, the Pentagon announced that the 82nd Airborne Division in North Carolina and other military forces in the United States were on stand-by for possible evacuation duty. The U.S. helicopter carrier USS "Bataan" was in the Mediterranean carrying a 1,500 Marine landing force on order to prevent an alleged Egyptian attempt to seize the U.S. Embassy in Cairo.

U.S. troops were last used in the Middle East in 1958 under General Dwight D. Eisenhower sent Marines to Lebanon to prevent an alleged attempt by Egypt and the Soviet Union to engineer the overthrow of the Lebanese regime.

Other Syrian troops landed in the Dominican Republic in 1965 to protect U.S. citizens and prevent a Communist revolution.

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May 1970, set up a vote to decide whether or not special recess would be called on Oct. 24-Nov. 4, with classes to be made up before the end of the fall semester. The St. Mary's council participated in the discussions and decision because both schools share a common calendar.

According to a newsletter by Conklin, in their guidelines the council:

1. confirmed the holding of separate referenda for faculty and students on each campus on Friday, October 2.
2. declared that, in order for recess to be granted, an absolute majority of the combined faculties and of the combined student bodies of both schools must have favored the recess. An absolute majority is a majority of those eligible to vote in both communities.
3. stipulated the days classes would be made up in the event the newsletter said recessed, with most make up classes coming from a shortening of Thanksgiving and Christmas breaks, combined with Saturday classes.

4. -created a student-faculty election board, chaired by the Notre Dame registrar, to make the final decision.
5. -noted that, in the event of special recess, the two councils would close as for a vacation period, with the suspension of normal activities, such as food services.

Conklin also noted that, "the Notre Dame Academic Council voted to add seven (?) students to full membership, including voting rights, for a two year trial period." According to the newsletter, "the students, who would be selected as following: 1. Four students one from each of the undergraduate colleges.
2. One student representing the combined student bodies of the Law school and the Masters in Business Administration Program.
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Two major proposals, previously approved by the St. Mary's Student Assembly, were considered by the Student Affairs Committee at its meeting last night. The first matter to be considered was the statement of a drug policy for the community. The proposal was amended at the previous meeting, and was passed unanimously. It is stated as follows:

1. St. Mary's College acknowledges that the use, possession, or transfer of drugs is forbidden by State and Federal statutes.

2. The fundamen tal concern of the college relative to drug abuse is the insurance of the well being of all members of the community. A student jeopardizing this by a drug violation will continue in the due process of the judicial procedure of the College. Distinctions will be recognized between the nature of the drug and the action involving the student in an offense.

3. The primary responsibility of the College to a drug offender is constructive rehabilitation. With some limitations imposed by law, the College should encourage medical treatment and counseling, as well as provide a program of education for the individual as well as any member of the Student Body.

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Ombudsman Hyde says service ready
by Rich Flanagan
Student Government
Ombudsman Dan Hyde said yesterday that he expects the ombudsman to reach its full capacity soon.

Hyde said that after a year of opening the channels of communication with those in the university who have direct dealings with the students, the service should reach the efficiency that is wanted.

Appointed by student council President Dave Centa, Hyde is assisted by a staff consisting of Jim Llubla, Joe Wenke and Frank Devine.

Officially the ombudsman is linked to the student council, but Hyde feels that he and his staff are open to all questions and problems that a student may have. An example of the services that the Ombudsman can offer can be found in the problem of two freshmen who missed the deadline for the pickup of their football tickets. Working through the ombudsman office, the two freshmen were able to secure their tickets.

Other examples of problems handled by Dan and his staff range from the question of rooming for the parents during graduation to the issue of extra laundry charges. Not all questions can be handled. Hyde said, but the Ombudsman service is able to direct the question to the proper channel where it should receive prompt and proper handling.

Hyde explained some drawbacks to the service. One is the obvious problem of students not aware of the services of the office of the Ombudsman, thus neglecting to use it when problems arise. The second problem is more particular in that there is little that the Ombudsman can do in the area of academic grievances.

Although Hyde reported that the service is at its full capacity at the present time, he still hopes to expand with the future appointment of a university Ombudsman which is expected later in the year. The office is open from 3:00 to 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday.

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Engagement Ring
A vote was postponed on this proposal until it could be changed or rewritten, incorporating some of the committee's suggestions.

Barkett made HPC chairman
Junior John Barkett, President of Morrissey Hall, was voted chairman of the Fall Presidents' Council in a meeting yesterday. Barkett ran unopposed.

The council also discussed plans for this year's Homecoming, and decided not to limit the decorations to one specific theme.

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SMC plans sex ed.

by Ann Thorne Darin

Yesterday afternoon SMC's health committee met to discuss plans for inculcating sex education and drug programs. Committees headed by Kathy Eglet (SRS edl) and Ann Siebenaller (drugs) empowered to do so. For that purpose.

working with the committee of students, they plan a campus-wide distribution of pertinent material sanctioned by the AMA and the Mental Health Association. This information will be placed in the offices of student government and health services and Room 44 (Holy Cross).

"Our job will be to distribute sex education information and to structure a workshop," said Miss Eglet. Her committee is instituting this workshop primarily for freshmen class advisors, but is open to all students. At these meetings, speakers from both ND-SMC faculties and from South Bend will address the groups on different aspects of sexuality: physical, social, and psychological.

As a result of these workshops, the freshman advisors would develop their own programs. Another possible area in which students could become involved would be the appointment of students to South Bend's Planned Parenthood Association," said Miss Eglet. "These students would, however, in no way represent the college."

In July, Mrs. Ann Thatcher, president of South Bend Planned Parenthood organization, contacted Miss Eglet. Writing an essay favored by Dr. William D'Antonio of the Notre Dame sociology dept., Mrs. Thatcher said, "I certainly feel that it would give us a viewpoint which we should have."

Ann Siebenaller also expects to use freshmen class advisors as discussion group leaders and they will interpret effects- psychologically, scientifically, philosophically, theologically, and sociologically about drugs. "I realize that these are touchy issues," said Dr. Bamberger, faculty representative, "however, we are failing as educators to give our students the straight facts."

We can't make our students moral decisions," he continued. "We are merely telling the students what information is available and providing someone who can counsel them."

Citing the teaching of other controversial data, Dr. Bamberger said, "the history and political science department teach courses on communism. Yet they don't condemn it. We are striving for the same program."

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172 Combined Class Council

Any ND Junior wanting to apply for a position on the class council should submit his name and address to Greg Stepic, 313 Badin, or to Jim Strom or Dan McGrogn, 334 Holy Cross. Any St. Mary's Junior should get a petition from Sue Way, 358 Le Mans, Wednesday, Sept. 23 and return it with 60 signatures last by Monday (a St. Mary's Junior may sign 3 petitions).
Irish booters win first, tie second

Led by the fine play of Hugh McCaw and Steve McKensi, the Notre Dame sophomore running backs battled to a scoreless tie with Purdue Saturday at 10 o'clock behind Stephan Center.

Voice from the crowd

Editor

Even since Notre Dame tied Michigan State down 10-10 in 1964, it has been the habit of coaches to mock Ara for playing for ties instead of wins. Last year, John McKay, USC joined this bandwagon of coaches after the Irish tied up the game at 14-14 with just over six minutes left in the game. McKay claimed that he himself would have gone for the two-point conversion in an effort to win. Now last Saturday, USC faced the same situation against Nebraska when, after trailing 21-14, they scored a touchdown with just over six minutes left in the game. Then USC followed up with a one-point conversion to tie the game. Why? McKay said last season that this same coach he would have gone for the win in the same situation? Yes, it is the same coach who just a year ago did last year.

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