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Terrorist hunt continues

Trudeau attends Quebec minister's funeral

Montreal (UPI) Pierre Laporte, murdered in quiet sub-urban obscurity by social out- castes, was attended in death yester- day by the leaders of his na- tion, behind an extraordinary wall of security including police dogs, steel fences and rooftop sharpshooters.

He was a general, strictly private at his widow's request, turned out to be almost a state funeral in all but name.

Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau, reportedly ignoring warnings from his own guards, led the parade of Canadian and Quebec officials attending the funeral of Laporte, the Quebec labor minister slain while a hostage of the separatist Front de Libera- tion du Quebec (FLQ). The hunt went on for the FLQ terrorists, who still hold British Trade Commissioner James R. Cross, kidnapped 15 days ago. Police said that as of yesterday morning they had made 65 raids, most of them in Montreal, presenting 334 suspects under the suspension of civil liberties granted by the emergency War Powers Act in- voted by Trudeau.

Laporte's funeral services were held at Notre Dame Church-a smaller replica of the famous cathedral in Paris-in the heart of Montreal's old French Quarter. Celebrants of the Gene- ral race were Cardinal Maurice Roy, primate of the Roman Catholic Church in Canada, and Montreal Archbishop Paul Gagnon. A dog with dogs scoured the church before the services for potential bodies in the building, and checked manholes and sewer lines in the Place d'Armes in front of it. Steel fences were erected in the square to hold back the public.

Army sharpshooters were posted on rooftops in the neighborhood. Army helicopters hovered overhead, just above rooftop level, dodging between taller buildings. A 30 block area in the heart of the financial dis- trict was closed to auto traffic. Montreal police, Quebec provin- cial police, Royal Canadian Mounted Police and some of the 4,000 mobilized army troops in combat gear ringed the square. Plainclothes men circulated the area.

Newsmen were barred from the funeral and burial at the re- quest of Laporte's wife, Fran- coise. She resisted the govern- ments plans for a state funeral for her husband, hailed by offi- cials of the government as a martyr in the cause of Canadian unity.

Trudeau and some members of his cabinet came by helicopt- er from Ottawa to the funeral. Officials concealed the landing place for security reasons.

Parliament adjourned early so about 100 members could attend the ceremonies.

Quebec Premier Robert
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Union loses TV contract to show All-fight

by Dave McCarthy

According to Student Union officials, the closed circuit tele- vision of the October 26 non-rule fight between Muhammed Ali and Jerry Quarry, which will be broadcast in the ACC, may have cost the Union an estimated $5000 profit, which would have been used for further stu- dent activities.

On October 5 Student Union

SMC urges print fee

by Sue Mullen

At last night's Student Assembly meeting, Student Body President Ann Marie Tracey urged all members of the Assembly to talk to the students in their dis- tricts about proposed areas of concentration for student gov- ernment.

SBVP Jean Gorman gave a detailed report on the Board of Trustees meeting. Miss Gor- man outlined the effects of the recent influx of a Weatherman type of the bomb threat.

"Nothing was finalized" at that meeting, she said. According to Miss Gorman, Mr. Lindauer speaks, "almost every day" with student officials, the closed circuit rights had been contracted to the ACC rather than the SMC, and the ACC contract at the time of the first call from the ACC.

Malitz explained that contract- ing to the ACC rather than the student Union was "making a choice between a wholly student operated thing or a general pub- lic thing." He said that the people in the ACC were "profes- sionals" and added that choosing the ACC was "business...I am protecting myself, the fighters, and the promoters in Atlanta...the people who have money wrapped up in this."

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by Charlie Myers

The one hundred and fifty residents of Holy Cross Hall held tight inside their rooms and ran out of early Tuesday morning in response to the threat of a bomb in the building.

At approximately 3:45 a.m. the Notre Dame Security Office received a telephone tip that a bomb would go off in early Holy Cross Hall at 4 a.m.

The security force then saw to the evacuation of the Holy Cross students. Approximately 125 a.m. 500 persons were allowed to return to their rooms. An extensive search by security forces turned up nothing.

Arthur Pepper, Director of Notre Dame Security, stated that his office has no clues as to who placed the call. The office also has no indication as to the pur- pose of the bomb threat.

The reaction of Rev. Thomas Scidel, rector of Holy Cross, was one of reflection. Father Scidel said that the bomb scare was due partially to yester- day's ORESERVER article. "He said that the recent influx of a Weatherman faction into the South Bend area."

"The more these things are kept in everyone's eyes, the more these things take place," he speculated. The rector did not rule out a cause and effect relationship here.

Father Scidel said that he doesn't think anything is ac- complished by publicity in such matters, and that it doesn't help the elimination of bomb threats by publicizing them.

Officer McCormick of the St. Mary's security department denied rumors that similar threats had been made on the SMC campus. "This (bomb threat incident) is news to me," he said.

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LaPorte buried
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Bourassa led the men of the provincial government, who worked with Laporte in his rise from crowding journalist to cabinet minister. They helped make the hard decision to root his kidnappers' demands in exchange for Laporte's freedom.

In St. Lambert, the quiet Montreal suburb where Laporte was kidnapped off his front lawn by FLQ gunmen, Mayor James K. Stewart, tears in his eyes, told a city council meeting the street where Laporte lived would be renamed "Laporte Street."

Police still worked over the green and white frame bungalow in the suburb of St. Hubert, where Laporte was held for a week and then strangled and stabbed through the heart. The bungalow is only two miles from Laporte's home, and is within sight of the air force base used as a staging area for troops airlifted into Montreal where Laporte's bloody body was found stuffed in an auto trunk beside a civilian hangar Saturday night.

The University claims it is attempting to reduce the amount of junk mail that comes onto the campus by enforcing this limitation.

If, however, the authorized lists are circulated to outside sources, all the University's efforts fail. The authorization for junk mail according to Father Shilts is "student practical jokes." The companies often circumvent the obstacles by sending the request to the students' dorm addresses, or asking the student to fill out a form.

But even after breaking through the University's prohibitive measures, the largest factor working against overloads of junk mail may be the cost. The computer which prints out the list works only for $45 an hour. A mailing list of all University students was tabulated for a list of all the Juniors. An address list of all the Engineering students was tabulated for the Tech Review and a list of all Ohio student addresses was purchased by Student Government for the Senate elections and the Class of 1972 applied for a list of all the Juniors. An address list of all the Engineering students was tabulated for the Tech Review and a list of all Ohio student addresses was purchased by an Ohio student for political use.

Recently, however, a Tenure committee who wished to acquire a list of his home state's students for political reasons was refused. All requests are handled by the Office of Student Affairs where authorization or rejection is decided by the Vice President or Assistant Vice President.

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Casket bearing the body of the late Quebec labor leader Pierre Laporte is carried into Notre Dame Church October 20. Laporte was kidnapped and murdered by members of the Front de Liberation du Quebec. His body was found in the trunk of a car. (UPI)
Judicial Code awaits ratification

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Sen. Muskie heads list
by Kathy Kersten

A list of possible graduation speakers has been submitted to the SMC Administration Council by Brenda Oates, graduation chairman. The council will contact the candidates in order of preference until an acceptance is received.

Early in September a letter requesting suggestions for the position of speaker was sent to SMC seniors, faculty, and administration. A list of the previous year's choices was included to give an idea of the range of fields to be considered.

When the letters were returned, results were compiled with three votes given for first choice, two for second, and one for third. The Academic Affairs Committee discussed the resulting list of twenty-two high-scoring names and submitted a slightly smaller roster to the Administration Council.

Over two hundred names were originally suggested. According to Miss Oates, the top ten student and faculty-administration preferences were basically the same. The list submitted to the Academic Affairs Council included: Senator Edmund Muskie, William Buckley, Ayn Rand, William F. Lauer, Jacqueline Graham, Charles W. station, John Hope Franklin, the University of Chicago, Senator William Proxmire, Charles Schultz, Gloria Steinem, Wayne Booth of the University of Chicago, Allard Lowenstein, John Updike, Hannah Gray, Bernadette Devlin, John Lindsay, Ralph Nader, Martin Luther King, Cynthia Clawed, Shirley Temple Black, and Margaret Mead. Senator Muskie, Barbara Ward, and William Buckley will be contacted first.

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Abolish the Senate

The Senate does not serve the students. It blusters, proselytizes, bellows, and wafts. It plays oracle about things for which it has no right to play oracle, and on and on about issues. It hassles for several meetings before passing the Finance Committee's budget. And sometimes it lays dormant, like a three-toed sloth in hibernation. But it does not serve the students.

The one useful thing the Senate does is to serve as a check in the budgeting of the student activity fee. We believe that this one function can be handled by the Hall Presidents' Council without overburdening it.

It is obvious, however, that the Hall Presidents do not want all the other powers that the proposed constitution would give them. But the exact governing structure that will be worked out, should not include the Senate. There are two reasons for this. The first is that the Senate has been, quite simply, ineffective. The second reason, however, probably underlies the first. It is that too few people are spread out over too many duplicating organizations.

A way to change this ineffectiveness is to make the structure that has been set up by the University - the Student Life Council - effective. It cannot be done overnight, of course. But it could be done if the representatives elected to the Student Life Council could devote more time to the Council by limiting other activities. Too often the SLC is inconclusive and ineffectual because the members haven't done their homework or they have something else to do. This should not be the case.

The Student Life Council does not serve the students. It argues for an hour over meeting times, and a half-hour over the objectivity of the minutes. It chews on bills that can only help student life and then sits on them because it is afraid of the Trustees and afraid of the alumni and afraid of the administration and afraid of the University fellows and afraid that somebody might find out that it has no real power at all. But it does not serve the students.

If student government is sincere about drastic re-organization, and we believe that it is because it has proposed a radically new constitution, then we suggest that it consider restructuring around the demands of the SLC. We propose that they do this by making the primary function of the Student Body Vice-President the co-ordination of student participation in the SLC. We also recommend that the Student Body President be relieved of his obligation to the SLC. The reason that we suggest this, and we do not aim personally at David Krahna, is that the Student Body President has too much to do.

This is not a pleasant place to live. There are a lot of problems: parietal hours, poor food, inefficient laundry, and old and bug-ridden dorms, poor courses - and we should have students in Student Government working effectively to solve these problems while maintaining the services that are the exclusive domain of many students. But as far as student government is concerned. We must realize that while many of us are filled with the larger interests of the students at Notre Dame, there are still many students who want something else from Notre Dame. They want an education, and they want it with the minimum amount of misery necessary.

The Hall Presidents' Council is a new concept in student government. It should be given a chance. There are several institutions, such as the University Forum and the General Assembly of Student Groups, which should be given a chance because the old ones aren't working.
Onward Earthlings

James Hawthorne as the narrator in the ND-SMC production of Chekhov's The Seagull for which tickets for this weekend are available at O'Loughlin Auditorium.

Marie Genere shows an acting flair in this production which I don't remember him exhibiting last season. As Boris, the self-enchanted novelist Genore is convincing in the part that I am sure is no surprise that he is able to easily destroy Nina's life. His use of a large thrust made of illusion and suggestion more than canvas or wood. The set seemed to become a viable part of the play. The company struggled honestly with the text. Like the tightrope walker who looked a little shaky, but damn it he was doing it. That same ugly wall. ONWARD INTO THE SKUSH!

When a group of my own Keenan students appeared in my room with a rope walker slipped and then, at wire? It's an exciting, but not really pleasant or entertaining experience.

A highwire act opened over the University Forum last weekend. The ND-SMC Theatre opened their 1970-71 season with Andreyev's The Seagull. Being a tightrope walker's act, the author's work itself takes consummate skill. The company precariously, but trimly, navigates its way through the play. But God, I held my breath all the way.

The plot involves a young writer committed to new styles and an American actress who constantly finds fault to get what she wants. It makes sure that she is at all times overwhelming her son. She traitizes his trust in her own youth, yogh, a novelist- lover along for the ride. For some reason beyond me, Nina, the young woman of the title, talks readily listen to the narcistic novelist. Nina follows him and the actress to Moscow, probably encountered by an affair with him. The dreamy and unusable girl is left an empty shell.

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Volunteers help “people who care”

by John Spinelli

Spinelli is a senior Sociology major from Fairfax, Virginia. He is the acting chairman of MANASA, The Notre Dame Mental Health Unit.

In the following article a name has been used to conceal the real identity of the individual. Any coincidence with persons alive or dead is purely intentional.

I first met Fred on Ward 6-North. It is a psychiatric ward for disturbed adolescents and adults down at St. Joseph’s Hospital, which is adjacent to the Holy Cross School of Nursing. Our acquaintance was most unusual. Custom has it that volunteers receive a fifteen minute report of the patients before they proceed to mingle with them. Being a regular addition to the ward on Friday afternoons, I did not bother to get the full story on the few new patients who had arrived since the previous weekend. Fred was one of these new patients.

Things were going smoothly while another patient, Fred, and myself chatted in the ward’s corridor. As we broke up, Fred and I decided to enter the recreation room at the far end of the ward—a great distance. My friend could not seem to go anywhere without first advancing two steps and then retracting one. Breathing heavily, eyelids drooping slowly and unconsciously, Fred turned to the right.

He forgot completely about picking it up until he got in bed later that night. He didn’t sleep at all worrying about that alley. The alley had been cleaned. Nonetheless, Fred was one of these new patients.

Several times Fred would spend agonizing minutes forcing me to recite a list of medical words that had to be uttered to “free” him. Invigorating words like “life”, “wash” and “victory” were part of his inventory. Only a very particular number of repetitions would suffice and anything short of the required number would mean disaster. I heard Fred result not only on an orderly but even one of the psychiatrists who did not respond exactly the way they should have. Stern’s explanation is that “…compulsiveness goes with a peculiar kind of deviant aggressiveness, with obstinate passive defiance of real or fancied authority, with the transformation of life into an interminable battle against omnipotent, never decisively defeated enemies.”

Thanks to the compassionate therapy of Dr. Katherine Rice, an extraordinary psychiatrist who often devotes her own free time to treating patients, it is once again living at home and finishing his college education at JUSB. The patient was so profoundly immersed in the excitement of the past (the enchantment for decay and evolution) that he could not possibly live for the Now. And certainly he could not respond normally to the pressures and demands of the future.

Several examples of patients like the make the ND-SMC volunteer’s role appear at first glance absolutely impotent. You might ask, and most legitimately, how an enlisted layman help a patient like this? You can. First of all, no matter how dedicated the hospital staff, there is no substitute for the meaningful warmth that volunteers provide. Fred’s case was cited as one of the most problematic psychotic conditions. But despite his complexity, the more concern that volunteers can bring to the mentally disturbed solves half the battle. As mentioned previously, Fred suffered from “a deviant aggressive”, a concealed hostility that was in fact, vulnerable. It could be unleashed harmlessly and in Fred’s case it was.

There are usually fifteen to twenty other patients who populate the northwest corner of the sixth floor at St. Joe’s. They represent a sampling of nearly all ages (usually teenagers and adults), sizes, coloring and beliefs. Each week of treatment, and of course, our help, these patients can return to their families. And God knows there are plenty of people who need care.

There are over fifty volunteers on the ward among whom are at least twenty-five ND-SMC students who will spend at least two hours every week on the ward. They joined us last month and will begin their services on the ward within the next two weeks. Remember, it’s never too late to help other people. So if you want to do something good, ask the Rev. Spinelli. I will give you any more information you desire.

Malcolm X author to speak

Alex Haley, author of "Autobiography of Malcolm X," will speak at 8 p.m. Wednesday (Oct. 21) in the University of Notre Dame’s Memorial Library Auditorium on "Black Heritage—A Saga of Black History.” His appearance is sponsored by the Academic Commission.

After five years as a bestseller, Haley’s famous autobiography is being made into a motion picture, "Black Heritage—A Saga of Black History." The book, published in 1966, is the first book to be published about the life of Malcolm X. Recently, both the New York Times and Time Magazine have cited it among their "Ten Most Notable Books of the 1960’s Decade."

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Four more persons arrested at Kent State

KENT, Ohio (UPI) Four more persons, including a former student wounded at Kent State University the day four students were shot to death by National Guardsmen, were arrested yesterday.

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ND student produces reactive hydrocarbons

Even pure, unburned gasolines may contribute to smog production according to Dr. William H. Hamill, professor of chemistry at the University of California at Riverside and graduate student Paul Merkel. On the basis of research at the Radiation Laboratory, the two suggest that the first step might involve a "forbidden" excitation of the hydrocarbon molecules found in ordinary gasoline vapor.

Merkel, who will begin post-doctoral research at the University of California at Riverside later this fall, recently earned his doctorate at Notre Dame for his work with the lowest excited state of simple hydrocarbons. This "triple" state, as it is called, is expected to be highly-reactive and long-lived, and is thought to be important in chemical reactions occurring in biological systems.

According to Maintenance, the pests are a periodic occurrence; least the rodents be immune to one of the chemicals, the Notre Dame exterminators intend to rid the hall of the pests. The situation at St. Ed's was compared to that which occurs periodically in South Bend, and other locales. It was not regarded as a major calamity by the Department.

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Roaches gassed

St. Ed's "safe"

The affair of the cockroach in St. Ed's Hall has been terminated. The Notre Dame's Maintenance Department, equipped with two insecticides, placed the rodents in gunman to one of the chemicals, the Notre Dame exterminators intended to rid the hall of the pests. The situation at St. Ed's was compared to that which occurs periodically in South Bend, and other locales. It was not regarded as a major calamity by the Department.

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