The Mardi Gras ticket sale was the major topic at the Hall Presidents' Council (HPC) meeting last night in the St. Ed's dining hall.

HPC President John Macheca, who has announced that the Student Union building is the site of the Mardi Gras this year, was present to discuss the Mardi Gras. He informed the members of the HPC that the tickets will be sold in blocks of 100. Each hall president was given one book of tickets to sell and the sale of ten tickets will admit the student to Mardi Gras free. In other HPC business, Bill McGee, director of the Ombudsmen Service, announced that the university directory is expected to arrive by November 7.

A $20 prize will be awarded to the top campus salesman this year and $100 will be given to the second best salesman, he announced.

Griffin added that the hall with the best sale per resident will receive a $100 prize. He suggested that each hall could offer an incentive prize to the top salesman in the hall.

"We're trying to cut down on the primes in order to get more money to the charities," Griffin said.

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McLean also reported that the on-campus mail service would not be in operation this year.

Also discussed at the meetings were future activities of interest to members of the HPC. Included were a possible rector-hall dinner, a weekend at Lake Washaway, the Senior-Dash Masque, and a future meeting with John Macheca, Dean of Students.

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briefs

Washington—U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica said Tuesday he would hold private hearings on White House claims of executive privilege regarding portions of President Nixon’s Watergate tapes before listening to the recordings.

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Washington—Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield urged Tuesday that the Watergate committee’s life be extended and its mandate broadened to probe the full scope of scandal. A richibal Cox’s staff, Sirica said the White House would submit “an analysis of the materials which will be transmitted to the courts with the tapes and documents themselves.”

Washington—The White House undermined CIA leadership before and during the Watergate crisis and looked to the agency’s military officials for “unquestioned compliance” with illegal or­ders, a House subcommittee charged Tuesday.

Saigon—The United States and South Vietnam charged Tuesday that North Vietnam had built up its forces and equipment in the south for a possible military offensive around the end of the year.

Washington that North Vietnam should not make any security guards, general labor­ers and gardeners, after Congress was told it needed only 84 local employees to maintain its operations.

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on campus today

11 a.m.—lecture, richard berger, chairman of the sculpture dept., san francisco art institute, room 104, sthaughnessy hall

12:15 p.m.—seminar, “general principles of radiom­munoassay technique,” dr. robert boguslaski, room 103, galvin life science

1:15 and 2:30 p.m.—film, “nigeria; giant in africa, the largest african nation deals with problems of tribalism, un­derdevelopment and nation-building,” basement of cce, also

8:15 p.m.—chamber program, john stinespring, bassoon; karl reinartz, violin; louise forman, cello; william cerny piano, library aud., free

9 a.m.—5 p.m.—peace corps, vista—representatives in library lobby

4 p.m.—lecture, “peace corps in ghana,” willie baaste, black cultural arts center

6:30 p.m.—meeting, sailing club, 204 engineering bldg.

7:30 p.m.—meeting, astronomers club, 123 nieuwendam

1.5 million in war surplus missing

WASHINGTON (UPI) —Gov­ernment investigators told a House subcommittee Tuesday that the Watergate scandal was engaging in the “ultim ate coverup” of the special prosecutor any access to presidential documents.

WASHING­TON—Two million in war surplus property sent to Laos is missing and much larger amounts may be invol­ved.

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Bike winner

announced

The winning number of the bike raffle, sponsored by the Notre Dame Swim Team, was 4120. Rev. O.F. Williams was the holder of that number.

The bike was donated by the St. Joseph Bank and Trust. The raffle was held at noon on October 27 at twenty-five cents a ticket.

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Cease-fire brings time of calm

By ROBERT SOUTHCOTE FIRDAN, Sinai (UPI) — Two puffballs of smoke curled lazily

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was no misleading the vapor

bridge to cross into Sinai. But

as we drove towards a pontoon

by the throb of our jeep engine

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back toward Israel.

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K issinger for more than four

hours Tuesday and said their

meeting was "constructive,

businesslike and frank."

In a hurried interview with

reporters as he ran to his

microphone, Fahmi gave no

indication what was discussed,

or whether any agreements

details on Canaa's contribution.

Richardson told the House of

Commons Canaa's co n tin g e n t

would be joined by men "from

various parts of the armed

forces across Canada."

The defense minister said

initially the troops and equip­

ments will be a irlift to the M iddle

East, but he said the rest of the

force may be dispatched by ship.

He said the Canadian contin­

gent was "not a military force" but in military terms it would be a "step up from Vietnam" since they would carry rifle and

mechanized units for the defense of the base.

The base will be located near the

Suez Canal, be added.
4 the observer

Board backs renovation

The University Board of Trustees evidenced some reluctance to do the project on a high bids totaling $244,000 for the renovation of LaFortune Student Center but has asked the Administration to restudy plans for the project.

The Trustees' action, which came after a 75-minute discussion during last week's meeting, followed receipt of unexpectedly high bids. The bids were for the "first phase" renovation of LaFortune's basement into an "Irish Pub."

Ben Israel, an ambassador of the original Hebrew Israelite Nation, the true chosen people of God and their descendants solely to that nation. "I'm not a Negro, a black, or an Afro-American," he said. "I am a Chicago-born DePaul political science graduate and a member of the Chicago Hebrew Israelite. It's based on the Hebrew culture and the foundation is righteousness.

The Black Studies Program sponsored the talk entitled "Crisis in Israel: The Black Hebrew." Professor Joseph Scott of the Black Studies Program introduced the speaker as a "real revolutionary."

Ben Israel, ambassador of the original Hebrew Israelite Nation, represented black American living in Dimona, Israel. The nation consists of all Black Americans who have returned to Israel and resettled in the Holy Land since the twelve princes who founded it in 1934.

Using scriptural references, Ben Israel traced the history of the Chosen People from the time of Ham, son of Noah, to the present. Ham's three sons, Chus, Menzaim and Phut headed the African nations of Ethiopia, Egypt and Libya, respectively. Thus, in the original Hebrew nation was black. Blacks from Egypt settled the promised land of Canaan.

The ambassador claimed black power was in the middle age Holy Land Crusades. In Israel, he said, "All things black turned bad and all things white turned good. Black nights came to mean bad nights, black rugoie is spooky. As black becomes negative, white becomes positive. God takes on the character of the European."

Blacks were deported from East, Central and North Africa and said to be distributed among the twelve princes. Blacks made unsuccessful attempts to transfer the black nation to Liberia in the 1930's to secure a society in which the black would be assimilated ad infinitum. It is said that blacks still didn't have an identity, concerned Ben Israel.

According to the Hebrew Israelite, God revealed that Blacks "are the lost sheep of Israel" through such men as J. D. Jones and prophet Richard Crawford during the early twentieth century.

Neither Black Muslims nor Malcolm X realized the true position of the black American.

Ben Israel says that Martin Luther King did, however. On his death night he claimed to have "been to the mountaintop and seen the Promised Land" which the blacks would reach as a people.

In 1969 the Hebrew Israelites landed in Israel or "hooked our land with our God" as Ben Israel put it.

The nation relaid the foundation of the Kingdom of God, the foundations of a new world order. Israel proclaimed "We announce to you that those crying for justice, peace, love and mercy-it has come. Righteousness will enter the world."

Ben Israel commands blacks Americans "Go back and do your homework. See the conspiracy perpetuated against you. Go to history, study anthropology, see how history is geared toward the few not the many."

The foundation of the Kingdom of God will occur within the next three and a half years, predicts Ben Israel. Peace will prevail in the Middle East for a short period followed by the "great and dreadful war of Armageddon."

He claims that the present Middle East war is the beginning of the end.

To the black American, the revolutionary proclaimed, "You can make positive changes. Search out what you've heard to now what to do. You are responsible. All you've heard until now is a lie. Investigate on your own."

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Fisher holds party for children

by Jeanne Murphy
Staff Reporter

Laughter and shrieks of joy from forty-seven children of Sr. Marita’s Day School echoed throughout Fisher Hall basement yesterday. The hall government, celebrating Halloween with the young boys and girls and supplied games, refreshments, prizes, movies, and a lot of fun.

Sr. Envodin, principal of the Primary Day School is an “open school” for inner-city children who are not capable of succeeding in public schools. Dressed up as bums, hobos, clowns, detectives, bears, and dracula, the residents of Fisher provided that added touch which made the Halloween party for the young people a success.

Joseph Carey, president of the hall, mentioned that instead of using their money for a Halloween hall party, the residents decided to donate the funds for a party for the children of Sr. Marita’s.

The success of the party depended upon good hall effort, explained Carey, and the enthusiasm of the students, both old and young. Several residents had to cut classes to pick the boys and girls from school.

The basement was decorated with balloons and streamers and Halloween characters. Prizes of candy bars and animals balloons were given to the winners of bingo, pin-the-tail-on-the-donkey, and basketball. Each child received his own bag of treats after the party ended. Refreshments were served as they watched the movie “Dorothy.”

The children received a special surprise when big John Shamatt stopped by to say hello. His appearance proved to be a highlight of the afternoon.

“Big kids (students from N.D.) are having a better time than the little ones,” exclaimed a ‘clown’ from Fisher. The young boys and girls enjoyed the party and were behaving excellently, said another resident.

All the children appeared friendly, enthusiastic, inquisitive, and happy.

Many children said that they were having a lot of fun and a good time. When one little girl was asked what she thought about the boys (Fisher residents), they said they are “funny,” but she liked “Erie Penick, number 44” best because he made a touchdown last week.

The children of the day school are those who have either failed in first or second grade or who are academically retarded and have an emotional problem, said Sr. Envodin, who works closely with Sr. Marita in the school. Sr. Envodin accompanied the children to the party.

She said that the majority of the students are from the inner-city. Most of them are not capable of competing with public school children. They come to Sr. Marita’s “open school” where there are no grades and success is emphasized. The children are economically, culturally, and socially deprived she said, and they need that feeling of success. Sr. Envodin explained that Sr. Marita’s primary concern in the school is reading. The children do not know what grade they are in, but can move up to a higher level when they improve.

The school is financed by the Model Cities Program and United Way. Sr. Marita has received larger contributions from Notre Dame and private contributors, but this money has been deposited in savings accounts. “This year we could not have functioned without the Model Cities aid,” claimed Sr. Envodin.

Sr. Envodin also expressed a need for more students volunteers from Notre Dame. Sr. Marita is the official teacher assisted by three teacher aids. Many volunteers are needed to “do almost anything,” Sr. Envodin added. “I just cannot say enough about Notre Dame,” she said, and expressed appreciation to the help and aid that Notre Dame has already given to the school.

If interested in volunteering, contact Brother Joseph McTaggart at the Campus ministry office.

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by JOSEPH FLEMING

BERLIN (UPI)—A West German accused of helping East Germans escape told an East Berlin court Tuesday that American soldiers were involved in smuggling refugees through the Berlin Wall in automobiles especially rebuilt to hide them.

The defendant, Hans Dieter Voss, a 35-year-old welder, said he briefed 13 refugees in East Berlin on how to escape with American aid. He said he himself smuggled at least 92 refugees out over the superhighway through East Germany connecting West Berlin with West Germany.

Voss went on trial Tuesday in a rare public trial along with another West German and a West Berliner accused of working for professional escape organizations that get refugees out for fees as high as $30,000.

Voss said American soldiers hid refugees in escape automobiles and drove them into West Berlin through the Friedrich Strasse crossing point for foreigners at the wall.

He named two soldiers he said were involved in the operation, identifying them as Edward Sommersville and Mervin Smith. He said they smuggling out about 30 East Germans and were paid $1,670 a piece.

An American spokesman said, “We have no comment on any allegations made in connection with a trial of this sort in East Berlin.”

West Berlin officials said Tuesday at least 70 Western residents have been sentenced to terms as high as 7 years for aiding refugees since the Big Four agreement designed to lessen tension here went into effect June 4, 1972.

The agreement provides that West Berliners may travel to and from West Berlin on highways connecting Berlin with the West without East German controls.

However, traffic of West Berliners and West Germans through the wall still is checked. West German asked military traffic is not.

The East Germans repeatedly have said that such “misuse” of the transit routes could endanger the Big Four agreement signed by the Big Four foreign ministers here 17 months ago.

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But when the lights are dimmed and the artist makes his way towards center stage, those seats still unoccupied will remain that way at the request of the artist.

And when one considers the motivation behind such a request, it seems only reasonable.

The key to the move is one of courtesy, to the artist and the audience itself. Credit Simon with the ability to admit that the noise caused by late arrivals will divert his attention from his music. And a distracted artist can only lead to a subpar performance.

It is equally as distracting for the thousands of onlookers who comply with the artist's request for punctuality. They could also find reasons to arrive late at the arena, but their decision to meet the announced starting time should be rewarded with the concert's punctual commencement.

The past weekend's concert at the ACC was delayed for one-half by the late-arriving members of the audience. The only results of such tardiness were the stirrings of a restless crowd and some pertinent bars tossed at the late-comers by the opening act.

The ACC has announced that the Paul Simon concert will begin Saturday at 8:30 p.m. and there are no guarantees that it will start one minute later. The only guarantee is that those who arrive following the start of the performance will be denied access to their seats.

And that's only fair. To Simon and yourselves. Come early and enjoy.

Butch Ward

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**Opinion**

The Time Is Here

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J. Napier's column "Impeachment on Suspicion" in yesterday's Observer was laughable at best and distressing at worst. First of all, Napier shows a blatant ignorance as to the meaning of impeachment. He infers that impeachment is some kind of symbolic public hanging in which Nixon would be summarily dismissed from office. Impeachment is no such thing. Impeachment is merely an indictment based on evidence of wrongdoing. It has nothing to do with guilt or innocence. If Nixon should be impeached by the House, he would then be tried by the Senate, and only a conviction would result in Nixon's removal from office. Comparing an effort to impeach Nixon with the Salem witch trials is ludicrous in view of the undeniable evidence of corruption and disregard for law and order displayed by this lawless organization.

Certainly, if Nixon was within his legal rights to fire Cox, then Congress is clearly within its rights to impeach Nixon. Or course, if Nixon is impeached he still has an opportunity to defend himself before the Senate, unlike Cox. Is Napier denying here grounds for impeachment? I hope not. Let me quote from the American Civil Liberties Union:

"He used illegal wiretaps to spy on newspaper reporters and political opponents until the United States Supreme Court made him stop. He secretly bombed Cambodia until Congress found out and made him stop. He authorized the 'plumbers' to burglarize and spy upon his political opponents until Watergate made him stop. He withheld evidence in a criminal case until a federal court ordered him to stop. And he defied that court until Congress, and the people threatened to impeach him. Then he further obstructed justice by firing Archibald Cox, the only independent prosecutor the people had, and turned the Watergate investigation back to his own Justice Department."

Then he goes on TV whenever he wants for free to say that he has no respect for the press, than he has never heard such "outrageous, vicious, distorted reporting" in 27 years of public life, and that the tougher it getsthe cooler he gets.

All this sounds like a bit more than the overblown suspicion that Napier would have us believe it is. Evidence does not need to be proven in order to justifiably impeach a President. But what more evidence could you want than the fact that so many Nixon officials have left office and either been indicted or convicted? Something more than witches and vendettas is going on there. If Nixon gets away without being impeached it is just one more example that our democratic government is not working. It is time we recognize and practice the principle that the President is only a part, and not a royal part, of a multi-level government. In Nixon we are witnessing the complete takeover of the government by the executive branch, what Daniel Ellsberg is calling an executive coup. Nixon vetoes everything Congress does and Congress doesn't have the courage to override him.

He has taken over the Congressional budget power, the only remaining power Congress has. He has loaded the Supreme Court with men who won't challenge him. And he was ready to completely defy the judicial system in the tapes issue until the threat of impeachment. Believe it or not, this is what is happening.

It is only attitudes like Napier's that will allow it to continue for three and who knows how many more years. Certainly the notion that America is some kind of incorruptible beacon of goodness should have been extinguished by now. All the undemocratic things that happen in other countries can happen here too. Only a strict enforcement of the rules of democratic government will ensure that they don't. It is time to restore some semblance of balance to our government. The responsibility calls first for impeachment. Enough has been said, the time is here.

Our republic needs it.
Opinion

A Call To Condemn Abortion

Dr. Charles E. Rice

This letter is open within the University community. I respectfully request the Board of Trustees to take a corporate position committing the University of Notre Dame to the proposition that all human beings, including unborn children, are entitled to the right to live guaranteed by the United States Constitution.

In all the wars this nation has fought, from Lexington and Concord to the Vietnam War, American battle deaths totaled 600,000. (U.S. News and World Report, Feb. 5, 1973, p. 19, Vietnam War figures as of January 5, 1973). Yet, in 1973 alone, 700,000 innocent children in the womb were killed, legally, by abortion in this country. (U.S. News and World Report, Feb. 5, 1973, p. 36). And this total was reached under the partial relaxation of abortion laws that existed before the Supreme Court abortion rulings of January 22, 1973. In the wake of those decisions, it is estimated that 1.6 million unborn babies will be legally killed by abortion each year in the United States.

The Supreme Court abortion decisions have ushered in the greatest slaughter of innocent human beings in any nation in the history of the world. Under those rulings, abortion cannot be forbidden until the last trimester and even then it cannot be forbidden if it is performed for the physical or mental health of the mother. The decisions are, in effect, a license for elective abortion at any stage of the pregnancy, right up to and including the moment of normal delivery.

The most important civil right is the right to live. The most important civil rights issue is abortion. The Supreme Court of the United States has decreed, in Roe vs. Wade and Doe vs. Bolton, that the child in the womb is a non-person and therefore not entitled to constitutional protection of his right to live. This decision is based on the same principle as the Dred Scott Case of 1857, in which the Supreme Court held that free descendants of African slaves could not be citizens and said that slaves were not persons. The abortion decisions of 1973 are the Dred Scott Case of our time. The Dred Scott decision was said by Chief Justice Taney to be debatable and non-person and killed if his existence is inconvenient or uncomfortable to others or if those others consider him unfit to live. If an innocent human being can be defined as a non-person because he is too young, that is, he has not lived nine months from his conception, there is no reason in principle why he cannot be defined as a non-person because he is too old. Or too retarded. Or too black. Or too politically undesirable.

It is appropriate for the University of Notre Dame, as an institution, to take a stand against abortion. There is ample precedent for such a stand in the many and varied commitments made by the University to the cause of equal justice for racial minorities. Most recently, for instance, the University launched a joint effort with Associates Corporation of North America to promote minority participation in small business, (South Bend Tribune, Sept. 13, 1973, p. 21, col. 1). Also, the establishment of this term of the Center for Civil Rights at the University demonstrates the University's institutional commitment to racial justice.

While the University has shown its corporate dedication to racial justice, it has not evidenced a corresponding institutional concern for this deprived minority, the innocent children in the womb who are deprived of their right to live. Unfortunately, a failure to show that concern can fairly be regarded as an implicit condonation of abortion by the University.

On June 3rd through 5th, 1973, the Great Lakes Regional Conference of Planned Parenthood-World Population was held at the Center for Continuing Education at Notre Dame. The chief speaker at the conference was Dr. Alan Guttmacher, who is the leading American exponent of the killing of unborn babies. On September 26th and 27th, 1973, a conference on Government, the Family, and Abortion was sponsored by the Indiana Committee for the Humanities, was held at the Center for Continuing Education.

The September conference included some speakers who were opposed to abortion, among whom I was included. However, it also included participants who favored abortion. The programs at that conference were not formal debates, but rather each speaker was assigned a separate portion of the subject. Incidentally, I believe, as I emphasized at the conference, that abortion is one of the few public issues that is so clear it is not properly debatable. Nevertheless, opponents of abortion do not try to bring to the truth to anyone who will listen. They should present their views at any meeting that will allow the pro-life position to be presented,排除了那些支持因为“计划中的赔偿”而必须在“计划中的赔偿”中参与活动的参与者将导致——不支持在赞助组织中参与活动的禁止。而在参加活动的同时，也允许支持选择性参与活动的组织保持存在，以确保其参与活动的合法性在任何情况下都能得到保证。

While the participation of an individual opponent of abortion in a conference of "debate" on the subject does not necessarily imply a concession that the anti-life position is debatably legitimate, a differing implication can readily be drawn as to the organization that sponsors the program. To sponsor a conference or "debate" on abortion is ordinarily to imply that both the pro-life and the anti-life positions can be properly advanced by fair-minded men. This implication can become far more meaningful if the sponsoring organization itself fails to take a corporate position on the issue. It must be remembered, of course, that neither the Planned Parenthood conference nor the conference on Government, the Family, and Abortion was sponsored by the University of Notre Dame. Rather, the University allowed its premises to be used for those meetings.

Nevertheless, the general implication justifiably drawn from those events was that Notre Dame somehow associated the deliberate killing of babies as a course that may be advocated properly on the campus of a university that claims to be Catholic. One could hardly imagine that the University of Notre Dame, in 1943, would have tolerated the public advocacy on its premises of the idea that the Nazis were right and that the extermination of the Jews was justified. Auschwitz and the concentration camps were not properly debated in a civilized society and especially not in a Catholic University. Neither is abortion.

To regard the depersonalization of innocent children in the womb as a genuinely debatable issue is to imply the legitimacy of the contention that innocent human beings can be so depersonalized. This implication is strengthened when the University itself takes no formal position and provides a public platform for those who strongly advocate the killing of unborn children as a solution to the contemporary problem. When the University itself takes no formal position and provides a public platform for those who strongly advocate the killing of unborn children as a solution to the contemporary problem, it is far more meaningful if the sponsoring organization itself fails to take a corporate position on the issue.

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Cards support summer projects

by Fred Graver
Staff Reporter

Members of the Council for the International Lay Apostolate (CILA) are on campus this week selling Christmas cards to raise funds to support its summer program.

The cards will be on sale in the halls, at the Campus Ministry office, in the post office, and in the dining halls. Also, letters and brochures have been sent to faculty members. There are nine designs for the cards, all done by members of the Notre Dame community. On the back of each card appears the following statement: "The purchase of this card is helping Notre Dame-St. Mary's students participate in CILA summer social action projects in intercultural areas in the U.S. and internationally."

Through its local and international focus, CILA has developed an intercultural tradition designed to respond to the needs and perspectives of the underdeveloped peoples and those in this country. Summer projects, which enable CILA members actively to participate in the experience of helping people in underdeveloped areas, become the basis for sharing new perspectives, realizations, reflections, and appreciation for other people in other lands. In the past years, students have worked in Harlem, Peru, Haiti, Columbia, and Chile. CILA attempts to provide an atmosphere in which those involved in the many volunteer groups at Notre Dame can come together to share their experiences.

CILA is presently considering sponsoring certain educational opportunities for people on campus, such as films and lectures, to encourage the ND-SMC community to become more aware of those who suffer from economic injustice and oppression. These feelings were recently expressed by Fr. Theodore Hesburgh when he spoke at Grace Hall on Sunday. He called CILA "one of the most exciting projects here on campus." Fr. Hesburgh praised the organization and the attitude of its volunteers, saying that, "one of the greatest things for your education, living in the richest part of the world, is to see the poor parts of the world."

Financing of the summer projects has always proved to be a formidable task for the members of CILA, especially raising money for the expenses of transportation and materials for use at the project sites. To finance the projects, they rely heavily on revenue from Christmas card sales and also from contributions from donors around campus.

Ticket exchange begins

by Zenon Bidzinski
Staff Reporter

The student ticket exchange for the Notre Dame-Navy football game got off to a slow start yesterday, according to senior Arthur Wesselman, program chairman for the year's exchange. Only 65 tickets have been donated so far.

"The response has been disappointing, even though it was only the first day," stated Wesselman. The goal this year is for 700 tickets, and Wesselman hoped for 150-200 on Tuesday, opening day for the exchange. He still thinks the goal can be reached however, since 760 tickets were collected last year.

Sponsored by the Neighborhood Study-Help Tutoring Program, the exchange is set up to allow ND and SMC students to donate their football tickets to South Bend elementary school children from disadvantaged areas. This year's exchange marks the fourth annual Volunteer Services Day of the Neighborhood Study Help Program.

Ticket exchanges will be accepted today and Thursday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the 2nd floor ACC ticket office. SMC students may also turn in their tickets at the St. Mary's dining hall during dinner hour. Students desiring to attend the last game on Thanksgiving Day will receive a receipt which they can later exchange for their Air Force ticket.

More drivers and monitors are also needed to assist with the exchange. Wesselman said anyone wishing to serve in one of the programs and has not already signed up is urged to attend an informational meeting tonight at 7:30 on 2nd floor LaFountaine. Students may also sign up by calling Art Wesselman (223-1745).

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**UAW gives GM strike deadline**

By EDWARD S. LECHTZIN
UPI Auto Writer

DETROIT (UPI) - The United Auto Workers set a Nov. 19 strike deadline with General Motors Co. unless an agreement is reached on a new contract. UAW President Leonard Woodcock said that failing successful negotiations GM would be struck at 10 a.m. EST on that day. He also announced that the union's national Ford lampoon settles Volkswagen ad

NEW YORK (UPI) - The publishers of the National Lampoon magazine Tuesday denied that they agreed to recall unsold copies of its special humor issue carrying a controversial advertisement that carried a caption saying, "If Kennedy drove a Volkswagen, he'd be President now." The phony ad depicted a Volkswagen floating in water and resulted in a $30 million settlement with the publishers of the National Lampoon magazine and Volkswagen against the magazine.

An agreement was reached between Volkswagen and the magazine, and approved by the court Monday, according to Matty Simmons, chairman of the Board of Twenty-First Century Communications, Inc., the magazine publishers.

He said no cash settlement was made and the magazine did not agree to recall any issues. Simmons pointed out the issue was "practically a sell-out" and would be off sale by Nov. 15.

Under the agreement, Simmons said book dealers would be "asked - they're not required to do anything" to remove the controversial page before selling the book.

Volkswagen said the ad was "an offensive, insensitive and cruel, a tasteless publication of a tragic event." It asked the court for a recall to protect its reputation and good will.

**Halloween survey reveals**

New York (UPI) - A pre-Halloween survey of 260 American witches, who claim to have practiced Spiro T. Agnew's resignation as vice-president a year ago, has forecast another "huge" government scandal unrelated to Watergate, according to the results released Monday by an organization called the New York Center for the Strange.

The Center gave this predictions from witches for the next year:

- Federal Judge Charles L. Beleant Jr. permanently barred the Lampoon from any unauthorized use of the Volkswagen symbol. The magazine was ordered to print a Volkswagen statement on the settlement in its next edition.

**Witches forecast scandal**

SMC offers NY theatre seminar

A New York theatre seminar will be offered by the cooperative department of speech and drama from January 2 to January 10, 1974. The $90.00 cost includes tickets to eight Broadway and off-Broadway productions, seminars with professionals, tours of Lincoln Center, backstage of a Broadway show, and of a scenic design shop costume shop. Hotel accommodations for eight nights, and daily continental breakfasts are also included. The price does not cover transportation to New York or other meals. No academic credit is available.

Among the eight productions, A Little Night Music, The Hit, The Nigger, and Godspell will probably be included.

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SC band makes historic first trip

by Paul Colgan
Staff Reporter

Last Saturday's visit by the 196 member University of Southern California marching band marks the first major trip the band has made outside of the state of California.

Director Ted Meyer, who had ever been east of Denver, said the band raised all $28,000 for the trip by themselves. The band got the idea to come last April and have been raising money ever since.

The USC band flew to Chicago Wednesday and played a concert there Thursday night. They boarded down from Chicago Saturday for the USC-ND game.

"The trip has done a lot for the band program," USC Band Director Dr. Arthur C. Bartner said. "The people at Southern California are very much aware of the marching band now. People say, 'Hey! The band is going to Notre Dame.'"

Sousaphone player Wil Heining enjoyed the trip because "the plane ride was the best party I've ever been to. It was a fantastic experience."

The USC halftime show for this game the third out of a series of five consecutive shows for USC games. The band played a collection of contemporary songs from the best of their previous shows.

"We've only had one practice before this," Meyer said. They practiced Tuesday in Los Angeles and had a quick rehearsal in Chicago's Grant Park Friday.

According to Heining, the band raised the money for the trip by playing every little bit they could. "We'd play for parties or pizza parlor openings. We took everything we could get. Most of the money was raised through the Band Service Organization and the Booster Club. A $5,000 loan from the university completed the $28,000 total.

Most of the band members are from California and, like Meyer, few have ever been this far east. Jane Miles, a pretty California blonde, said "This is the first time I've been out of California." The best part of the trip for Ms. Miles was the trees and the bright fall colors. "We don't have trees like that."

Dr. Bartner was surprised Notre Dame had women in their band. "We've only had women in the band for two years ourselves." The Greek style uniform worn by the Trojan band was designed by Dr. Bartner. The whole band used to wear fake breast plates. They were too awkward and uncomfortable and only the Drum Major wears one now.

The uniqueness of the Trojan band comes from their spirit, Dr. Bartner said. "Spirit is what it's all about." It's their band and they're in it. They make a few mistakes but they enjoy it."

"We're band jocks," said Meyer. "We're loose on regulations but tight on morale. It's the spirit rather than the rules." Meyer also noted that the band writes a lot of their own music arrangements. Dr. Bartner was pleased with the cooperation he received from Notre Dame especially that of the Notre Dame Marching Band. The USC Director mentioned that he thought it was unfortunate that ND students ran out on the field and interfered with the ND band show. Dr. Bartner extended an invitation to the Notre Dame band to visit Southern California some time.

The USC band flew back to Los Angeles Sunday. Wil Heining expected the party on the return trip to be better than the one on the trip out.

Homecoming dance successful next year's plans underway

by Rick Scharf
Staff Reporter

The 1973 Homecoming Dance held Friday Oct. 26, in Stepan Center was termed a success by co-ordinators of the dance, Rich Guiltinan and Gina Voll.

"The dance turned out to be a big success," said Guiltinan, "a few people came late, but no one left early." Over 3,000 couples attended the homecoming event which used "A Barn Dance" as its theme.

Guiltinan's announcement on Wednesday Oct. 31 that he had received permission to order kegs of beer for the dance was cited as the major factor that increased the attendance.

"Homecoming dance have already been going on for a few days," said Meyer.

"But we have a new hire this year, and it seems to be working for them.

"The beer was a big drawing mostly because people felt that they were getting more for their money. It certainly was secondary at the dance however, since all the beer we ordered was not consumed," he added.

The theme chosen was not as successful as was hoped, according to Guiltinan. "Many couples came in formal dress instead of the suggested attire of blue jeans and coveralls." Stepan Center was decorated to create the atmosphere of a barn, and a lantern was placed on every dinner table. About 75 couples had their picture taken with the horse and wagon that was available for portraits.

"Spirit is what it's all about," Guiltinan suggested that in the future the homecoming dance should not be held on the biggest weekend of the football season. "The dance conflicted with the location for the Southern Cal. football rally this year, and on such a big week end there are plenty of other activities going on that hurt ticket sales."

Plans for next year's homecoming dance have already begun. Guiltinan and many of the people who assisted him in organizing the 1973 dance will be involved in next year's event. "There are great possibilities for the 1974 dance since everyone learned a lot this year," Guiltinan pointed out.

Nixon to meet with Saxbe

WASHINGTON (UPI) -- President Nixon will meet with Sen. William B. Saxbe, R-Ohio, Wednesday and offer him the post of associate attorney general, informed Senate sources said.

Saxbe's office would not confirm that the appointment House meeting had been arranged, but Saxbe, frequently an outspoken critic of the President, told reporters he had been sounded out about taking the job by top White House aides.

Administration sources confirmed the essentials of the Capitol Hill report, but said were not certain a Nixon-Saxbe meeting would take place Wednesday.

Saxbe earlier had said he wanted to meet Nixon before making a decision.

The sources said Saxbe would not take the job unless he was satisfied the special prosecutor could operate free of presidential interference.

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Satisfaction the special prosecutor had been sounded out about taking the job by top White House aides.

In an interview earlier Tuesday, Saxbe was asked if he would question Nixon about the possibility of Nixon's involvement in the Watergate cover-up.

"Oh," he replied, "I think we would have to have a full discussion of a lot of things. Obviously we would have to have a lot of mutual confidence and trust and I have never discussed any of these issues with the President."

Saxbe, however, in the past has compared Nixon's statements on Watergate to those of the piano player in a bawdy house who says he has no idea what's going on upstairs.

Saxbe, 57, is a former three-term Ohio attorney general. He recently announced that he would not seek a second term in the Senate.

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President during his nationally broadcast news conference last Friday night. The council asked the networks for their cooperation in reviewing tapes and transcripts of news programs relating to the administration. There was no immediate response to the Council's invitation from either the White House or the networks. "We have neither the power of subpoena nor any other coercive force," said William H. Arthur, the council's executive director. "The Council's only power is the sanction of public exposure." We would hope, in answer to our request, that the White House will provide the Council with the specifics of its complaints and that the networks will make available all pertinent transcripts and tapes. Even if they do not, the Council will proceed with its study and make public its findings. During the course of the news conference last week, Nixon said: "I have never heard or seen such outrageous, vicious, distorted reporting in 27 years of public life. I'm not blaming anybody for that. Perhaps what happened is that we did things!" It is about, and that therefore the media decided that they would have to take that particular line. "But when people are pounded night after night with that kind of frantic, hysterical reporting, it naturally shakes their confidence." "As an independent body, in a position to make an objective study," Traynor said, "we feel that the President's remarks, made publicly before millions of television viewers and reported by the press through-out the world, should be thoroughly investigated. "The Council is undertaking this study as a public service. We believe that the information we develop should be placed on the public record as soon as possible. It is anticipated that the Council's investigation will culminate in a public hearing, and that later its findings will be issued for public distribution. The Council was established earlier this year "to examine complaints by the public concerning accuracy and fair-play of news presenta-tions by wire and news services, network broadcasters and news publications. The Council also examines possible infringements of constitutional guarantees, such as press freedom. The Council has 15 members representing the public and six from the media.

SMC choir to Vienna

Saint Mary's College Choir, under the direction of Dr. James McCray, chairperson of the music department, has been invited to participate in the Symposium. Several choirs desiring to perform at the Symposium must work and be judged by a committee of nine delegates at an official meeting attended by a Soviet observer.

SMC girls may turn in tickets during dinner hour at SMC Dining Hall.

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The Irish Eye

Out to pasture

Outside it was hot, almost unbearably hot. The temperature was thirteen degrees above normal. It was a day when an afternoon that was ready-made for a mint julep, an air-conditioned room, and a televised horse race.

And so it was that June, all of those things appeared to be present in just the right quantities.

The afternoon, predictably to the heat, began freezing over 13 minutes before post time. The TV reception was excellent and the announcers who would call the Triple Crown races were predictably excited. But five days after post time, it was clear that one vital ingredient for a lazy afternoon in June had been misplaced. The Belmont Stakes, called the "third leg in racing's deified Triple Crown," had not been run. Not through a falling, misting rain, not through a blistering litanse.

With Secretariat, Meadow Stable's massive chestnut colt, had simply destroyed a field dotted with talented title pretenders. It was still a race as the horses entered the first turn, but by the time they exited from the second it was apparent that horse racing was to have what it had so long sought—another Triple Crown winner.

The Triple Crown was unexpected—particularly after Penny Wholesale's steed had won impressively in the Kentucky Derby and the Preakness, but the colt's margin of victory in the third and longest leg of the Triple Crown was not unexpected—particularly after Penny Wholesale, the "Ballyhoo to Space," the "Third Leg," was easily defeated by his nearest rival, who would win the Triple Crown. But the colt's margin of victory in the third and longest leg of the Triple Crown was not unexpected—particularly after Penny Wholesale, the "Ballyhoo to Space," the "Third Leg," was easily defeated by his nearest rival, who would win the Triple Crown.

Secretariat was clad in the Stables' familiar blue-and-white checks, boot having been "bubbling Penny Tweedy," and "you can see that he's a winner. He knows it, too. He knows he's king."

And thus the day was brought—again to have agreed with racing's attractive, cultured first lady.

Black-eyed Susans and Carnations followed Louisville's Roses in quick succession. And as curiously, Secretariat's fortunes began to decline. The nation wanted to see the colt race, and wanted very much to see Secretariat win—something which had now become "bubbling Penny Tweedy." And after the Triple Crown there was very little worthwhile left for him to achieve.

It was in a monumental mis-match race in Chicago's Arlington Park and then appeared in races throughout the eastern portion of the country, although his immediate program was the 1972 Kentucky Derby and the "Preakness." And then he was bought for $20,000 a race and the average of all but Secretariat's success. The year-long colt's career was over.

As far as the nation's college football polls are concerned, the only surprise in last week's intercollegiate action was the presence of the Notre Dame Fighting Irish right there in South Bend, where they downed Michigan 33-29 victor South Carolina, 20-19. That victory left the Irish with a 16-0 record, and moved them into third place in both ratings systems. Southern Cal, last week's fifth-place team, is rated 20th in the AP poll and tenth in the UPI.

Other than the flip-flop arrangement with the Trojans (now 5-1-1), the two polls list their top ten teams in identical order. Ohio State, a 60-0 winner over Northwestern, is first in both surveys, while the University of Georgia, a 39-6 victor over Virginia Tech, is second.

ND climbs after USC victory

By John Fineran

Hofigton, a formerly mining town of perhaps 4,000 full-time inhabitants and 5,000 part-time (otherwise known as Michigan Tech hockey fans) on Lake Superior in Michigan's Upper Peninsula, was looking to the jokes about the yearly snowfall (150 inches last winter), but when someone does make it on the hockey program, look. Hofigton was bulging with Michigan Tech hockey squad.

Houghton, Mich. will be the place were Lefty Smith's Fighting Irish will host Little Brown Jug this coming weekend: March-the '74 NCAA hockey title. It could be a prosperous year for Smith's charges if one simple question can be answered along the way. How hard was Notre Dame hurt by graduation last year?

The Irish enjoyed their greatest season ever in 1972-73. It was a record-breaking year for the second-place finishers in the tough WCHA, two All-Americans in left wing Eddie Bumbacco and defenseman Bill Nypol, and a 25-14-1 record.

However, Smith and his assistants are haunted by those graduation losses which took centers John Noble (the all-time leading Irish scorer) and Paul Hogan, defenders Bill Green and Mark Steinborn (now playing for the NHL Toronto Maple Leafs—Ohio City farm club) and goalie Chris Cartach, a capable backup in Mark Kromholz.

Still, the coaching trio feels before the season is over, the five seniors, at least, will be a very strong one at that, in Notre Dame's fans.

Notre Dame enjoyed its best recent December, winning three of the last four games. Perhaps eight talented freshmen will see action at one time or another this season, with six figuring immediately in Smith's lineup.

Junior Pat Conroy has inherited Noble's spot at the WCHA's top left. Left wing Bumbacco, in addition to the All-Americans, led the team in points with 60, three goals, and three assists, when also garnering WCHA first-team mention. Tri-captain Ian Williams finished with 60 points and second-team league honors.

Another trip-captain, Rick Schaefer, has grabbled another Tug's slot between senior left wing Larry Bresland and right wing Ray DeLorenzi. Schaefer has seen duty during his three-letter years at Irish, one of his last one at weapons in addition to center. Ireland has been the titay effective forward on the squad, along with his readout to DeLorenzi, a second-team league player, he impressed of

Freshman Alex Pirus (4-1-19) scored 35 points last year in Junior A competition and Smith has him centering the third line. Two other outstanding and physical players are junior left wing Larry Bresland and right wing Ray DeLorenzi. Schaefer has seen duty during his three-letter years at Irish, one of his last one or weapons in addition to center. Ireland has been the titay effective forward on the squadron, along with his readout to DeLorenzi, a second-team league player, he impressed of

Besides the tough, opening week game at Notre Dame, the Irish will play another three contests, 26 of which in the WCHA. Denver, last year's league champions, and Wisconsin, the defending champions, each play four games with Notre Dame, and both should be strong again this season. Michigan State, losing defender Bob Boyd to the pros, still has offensive balance and two good goalskeepers in Ron Clark and freshman Gary Carr. These league teams are expected to challenge the Irish for any of the top five spots. Each league contest will be worth two points.

Two Central Collegiate Hockey Association powers, St. Louis and Bowling Green, each play two games with the Irish. These games take on more importance because the NCAA Selection Committee, when it looks at the WCHA's representative's records against CCHA teams.

Two Eastern powers, Harvard and Boston College, also are featured in the schedule. Notre Dame will be meeting the Ivy League school for the first time this season, while the Boston College game is regarded as the "Battle for Catholic Hockey Supremacy."

Still, every game is important toward the success of the Notre Dame season. And although the Irish are rated number-two nationally in one pre-season poll, the squad has a 34-game slate plus playoffs to go through until March in Boston becomes a reality. It all starts this Friday and Saturday nights in remote Houghton, Mich.

Ray DeLorenzi brings an opposing goateedo to his knee. DeLorenzi and his Irish teammates will begin their '74-'75 season on Friday at Michigan Tech.

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As far as the nation's college football polls are concerned, the only surprise in last week's intercollegiate action was the presence of the Notre Dame Fighting Irish right there in South Bend, where they downed Michigan 33-29 victor South Carolina, 20-19. That victory left the Irish with a 16-0 record, and moved them into third place in both ratings systems. Southern Cal, last week's fifth-place team, is rated 20th in the AP poll and tenth in the UPI.

Other than the flip-flop arrangement with the Trojans (now 5-1-1), the two polls list their top ten teams in identical order. Ohio State, a 60-0 winner over Northwestern, is first in both surveys, while the University of Georgia, a 39-6 victor over Virginia Tech, is second.