Campaigns begin for SLC, SBP & VP

by David Kaminski
Staff Reporter

Eight pairs of candidates for Student Body President and Vice President, along with 15 candidates running in 6 districts for the Student Life Council began campaigning yesterday at 5 p.m. The campaign will end Tuesday, Feb. 26, at 11 p.m.

Running for Student Body President and Vice President respectively are: Ray Capp and Greg Ericksen, Mike Galgani and Frank O'Connell, Pat McLaughlin and Frank Flanagan, Bill Oberhardt and Cal Collins, Ed Rahill and Blake Wortal, Steve Shankel and Bill McErlean, Steve Villarosa and Bill Zimsky, Andy Winamrezky, Jr. and John Famula.

Running for representatives to the SLC are: District 1, off campus: Martin O'Shea and Doug Stevenson.

District 2, Farley, Breen-Phillips, Cavanaugh and St. Edward's: Phyllis Mosley and Darlene Palma.


District 4, Grace and Flanner: Joe Fiorella, Denis Sullivan, and Chuck Wilson.

District 5, Sorin, Walsh, Alumni, Badin and Dillon: Thomas Clark and John J. Farrell, Jr.

District 6, Fisher, Pangborn Lyons, Morrissey, Old College and Howard: Bob Tully and Art Derse.

This year's election rules provide for the possibility of three elections before students choose their next SBP. After the first vote on Wednesday, February 27, the tickets with the greatest number of votes constituting 50 per cent plus one of all votes cast will run in the second election scheduled for Friday, March 1. Conceivably, more than two tickets would be running in the second election.

If in the second election, no one ticket gains at least 50 per cent plus one of the votes cast, then another election will be held on Friday, March 8. The candidate winning the majority of votes cast in each of the six SLC districts on Wednesday, February 27, will be elected with the exceptions of Districts 3 and 4, where more than two candidates are running. If one candidate from either district doesn't gain 50 per cent plus one of the votes cast, then another election will be held on that district on the following Friday, March 1. Seniors will also select the 1974 Senior Class Fellow during the balloting on Wednesday, February 27.

The Election Committee will extend the deadline due to a misunderstanding of the rules where students who were not seniors were signing some of the petitions.

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Today...

Link to JFK murder?

by Janet Deneke
Staff Reporter

Rusty Rhodes, Executive Director of the Committee to Investigate Political Assassinations, speaking before a capacity crowd Thursday evening at O'Laughlin Auditorium, discussed the possibility of the JFK assassination being linked with that of Robert Kennedy. Rhodes is scheduled to appear on campus tonight due to overflow crowds Wednesday and Thursday.

According to Rhodes testimony, "tonight we shall drink champagne because Kennedy will not be alive." Although these pieces of evidence were sent to the FBI, they deny having received them.

On November 20, Rose Sheraney, was screaming that a group of men were plotting to kill JFK on November 22. She was locked up. Rhodes said that after the assassination, the Dallas police force questioned here and demanded to know who she worked for. Sheraney was a stripper at Jack Ruby's nightclub and she told police that Oswald and Ruby knew each other very well.

President reveal secrets?

On June 3, 1968, Robert Kennedy admitted to students at the San Fernando Valley State College that, "I now fully realize that only the powers of the Presidency will reveal the secrets of my brother's death." Two days later, after winning the California state primary, he was felled by an assassin.

Sihran: Sirhan fired eight times in RFK's assassination and seven of these eight bullets were recovered and booked. However, three other bullet holes were found that were not from his gun. Moreover, seven eyewitnesses claimed to have seen a second gun. Rhodes said one witness explicitly saw a man behind the senator, crouched down, firing up into his head.

A very complete autopsy report was released ten days later and it stated that the bullet entered Kennedy's right mark and behind the right

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HILLSBOROUGH, Califo. (UPI) — Patricia Hearst's kidnappers Friday gave her father 24 hours to put up $400,000 to secure her release. The ransom note threatening that refusal would mean she would be kept hostage for two members of the terrorist sect held in San Quentin prison.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The impeachment inquiry staff of the House Judiciary Committee concluded Thursday that President Nixon could be impeached for abusing his powers and violating the public trust, even if he did not violate any criminal statutes.

FRANKFURT, Germany (UPI) — Dissident Soviet author Alexander I. Solzhenitsyn left Switzerland abruptly Thursday to head for his native Russia, appearing en route to a life of affluent exile in Norway.

TEL AVIV (UPI) — The last Israeli troops pulled out of the west bank of the Suez Canal Thursday on schedule, completing the withdrawal and an express flight to Copenhagen, apparently on route to a life of affluent exile in Norway.

Implementation of the 1967 peace accord was the scene of frequent sit-ins and protests since Feb. 7, when an open meeting of student leaders turned into a major demonstration.

Dean of Students "H-Mann" Etienne, Student Body President, received a request Tuesday from the student Ad Hoc Committee at Villanova requesting financial aid and public support. Etienne said that he personally supported the committee's position and he felt that most of the student body would, too.

The demonstrations at Villanova are in response to what students felt were violations of certain human rights. According to John Hopkins, editor of The Villanovan, the demonstrations stemmed out of the occupation of the Administration Building, which is also a major class building.

The takeover was an attempt to disrupt regular classes, drawing attention to student demands.

However, noted Hopkins, the sit-ins have lost their effect. "What is needed now are student-administration negotiations."

At Villanova

Sit-ins disrupt classes

by Garry Allietta Staff Reporter

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1974

3:25 p.m. - lecture, "the effect of sinning on kinetics of coexisting systems," supported platinum, Edward J. McCarthey, spox. by dept. of chem eng., room 269 chem eng bldg.

4:30 p.m. - math colloquium, "construction of complete linearizations of vector bundles," prof. o.forster, room 254 comp center

4:30 p.m. - seminar, "dramatic reductions in academic media." dr. michael p. doyle, room 123 niewiand

5:30 p.m. - mass and dinner, bulla shed

7:30 p.m. - hockey, nd vs. michigan, acc

7:30 p.m. - "fravelogue, "the faces of sweden," spox. by ilonad. club. at acc

8:00 p.m. - continental series, "humanistic technology," adm. hymanickover. cce aud

8:00 p.m. - duplicate bridge, everyone welcomes, university club

8:15 p.m. - concert, philidoro trio, spox. by music dept. 11:00, lib aud

9:30 p.m. - junior parents weekend. activities follow hockey against period, acc concourse

saturday, february 23, 1974

all day - junior parents weekend conferences, receptions, mass, banquet, campus

7:30 p.m. - hockey, nd vs. michigan, acc

8:00 p.m. - drama, "el teatro del barrio," washington hall

sunday, february 24, 1974

12:00 - 9:00 p.m. - art exhibit, paintings by susanne goldsby, upper moreau gallery

12:00 - 9:00 p.m. - art exhibit, students photo silk screens, hammes gallery

1:00 - 5:00 p.m. - art exhibit, indiana printmaker's show, moreau gallery

7:00 p.m. - meeting, nd backpackers and climbers, especially linville gorge people, 2nd floor la fortune

7:00 - 10:30 p.m. - movie, "deliverance," spox. by glee club

7:00 - 8:00 pm. - dance, "al la turka," mullenn hall

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**Oberhardt and Collins launch campaign**

by Jim Edery
Staff Reporter

Bill Oberhardt and Cal Collins, two juniors from Sorin Hall, announced their candidacies for SBP and VP respectively yesterday afternoon, charging that "the Student Affairs Office has been pushing the students too far with the doctrine of in loco parentis and something must be done now."

"The University has "overstepped its bounds,"" Oberhardt said. "They are not interested in the students."

The candidates cited several instances in which they felt that the University had "overstepped its bounds." Oberhardt expressed dissatisfaction with the University's decision to search student rooms without prior permission. Collins condemned the University's actions as an "invasion of the students' privacy." They protested the right of the University to question students and promised to investigate the legal implications of such action.

"The University seems fit to take away our right to privacy through the "midnight raider" clause of the room contract. We plan to legally challenge the University on this point, as was done successfully at Boston College," explained Oberhardt.

"In loco parentis is not a valid policy unless the parents of students actually sign their consent forms to have the University act on their behalf," claimed Collins. "I don't believe that the majority of parents would give their permission if they realized all that it entails." The candidates claim that at least 6 of their friends have been "treated unjustly" by the University, having been either forced out of their halls or out of school altogether for "minor incidents."

"We ourselves have dealt several times with the bureaucracy that is the Student Affairs Office. We have been lied to by administrators and mistrusted by the judicial structure. We know there must be many other students all over campus who have suffered similar injustice, and we want to put an end to it," Oberhardt said.

"Quite frankly," he continued, "we are tired of the University using Student Government as a 'pupils' for the students." Oberhardt cited the LaFortune renovation project and the new calendar issue as examples of such treatment. "We promise to shake things up," he asserted. Oberhardt and Collins also promised to move to help the prospective off-campus students. "Since no help is forthcoming from Student Affairs, we will have a committee make a list of all off-campus housing, complete with prices and an evaluation of the housing. We also promise to pressure landlords whose unfair practices hurt the off-campus student," Collins said.

**Shankel and McErlean speak out on need for student representation**

by Mike Donovan
Staff Reporter

Steve Shankel and Bill McErlean, juniors from Grace Hall, announced their candidacies for Student Body President and Vice President, last night in the Grace Chapel.

Shankel, a pre-med major from Canton, Ohio, said he is familiar with Student Union problems and believes the right of the students is being "overlooked or ignored." They wish to challenge the University on this point. They placed their candidacy on the ticket of "Irish Liberation Front." McErlean, a English and Philosophy major from Flossmoor, Ill., spoke of the need for more student representation on all councils.

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**Gahagan and O'Connell campaign as "Irish Liberation Front" ticket**

by Gary Allietta
Staff Reporter

Mike Gahagan and Frank O'Connell, juniors from Keenan Hall, yesterday announced their candidacy for the student body executive positions in the Keenan chapel.

SPIB hopeful Gahagan delivered a press release statement outlining the aims of "The Irish Liberation Front." "Our candidacy has been motivated by the hope that we will be able to act as an instrument for student initiative," Gahagan asserted. The platform calls for more student involvement and less administrative participation in student affairs.

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by Fred Graver
Staff Reporter

Ray Capp and Greg Ericksen announced their candidacy last night in the chapel of Farley Hall. Stressing the issues of off-campus housing and better co-operation between the separate departments of students’ wishes and action on them, they react to something else. Speaking on the housing issue, Capp promised to develop a more effective off-campus bureau in cooperation with Fr. James Shilts. The bureau would have its own office in LaFortune, and would divide its workings into six off-campus districts that would, in turn, be served by bureau directors.

The Housing Office would have in it a large map to indicate available houses, and a file would be organized with comments about each house from former residents. Capp and Ericksen also proposed an attempt at reviving the off-campus shuttle. They said that with a September start and a plan for advertising on the buses, a shuttle would be more feasible. Another point in their housing plan is the institution of a wholesale beef market, which could save students as much as thirty cents a pound on meat. Capp and Ericksen have already contacted a food locker in South Bend, and the owners expressed interest in working on the program. Capp said that he would push to have the administration send a letter to all incoming freshmen informing them that they could not be assured of a room on campus their sophomore year.

Capp and Ericksen said that they would like to further develop the summer job-placement bureau, giving it a place in the Student Government with its own director. The revised bureau would deal directly with individual alumni.

Capp and Ericksen proposed a number of improvements for relations between Student government, the Hall Presidents Council, and the Student Life Council. Capp proposed strengthening the Judicial boards in the halls, and expressed his opposition to parietals.

Capp announced that he had conferred with Dr. Philip Facenda, VP of Student Affairs, as to the possibility of installing par- table basketball and volleyball courts in Stepan Center during the winter months. The Proposal has already been approved by the Student Affairs Central Staff, and is awaiting the decision of other members of the administration.

Ray Capp has had several years experience in Student Government. Greg Ericksen is President of the Junior Class, and is Chairman of the Junior Parent’s Weekend Committee.
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The presentation that Rusty Rhodes gave in Washington Hall Wednesday night was absolutely devastating. Completely documented, seemingly alright, Rhodes weaves a case to improve the Warren Commission report.

Whether you believe his conclusions or not (and it's difficult not to), the questions that Rhodes brings to mind and the doubts that he casts across the Warren Report are enough to demand that the issue of our President's assassination be reopened.

Presently, the material evidence of the assassination is locked in the National Archives until 2039 (75 years after the event). Yet these persisting doubts are reason enough to open the archives and allow the evidence to be looked at again.

The investigation into Watergate has already taken more time than the investigation into the murder of an American president. The case must be reopened and restudied and it must be done now. Not in 2039.

—Jerry Lutkus

The audience rises to its feet, applauding a small, bald man standing alone before them. The man's eyes, humbly averted above the podium, acknowledges the crowd's applause. His head repeatedly bows with the calm warmth and endless tradition of his Jewish personality. Each sharp, grateful nod increases the ovation, the clapping people ever tightening their cares around a small man's warmth. The applause becomes more thankful; the tiny man turns his hand and waves for the crowd to be silent, the movement of his hand seeming to tell the crowd he, a little Jewish story teller, isn't worthy of such affection. The applause grows warmer.

Finally, a human feeling, so far out of place, leaves the view of the audience. The crowd's hands slump and wither, but the people's minds are still drunk with the simplicity of a story teller, Isaac Bashevis Singer.

Moments before the evening began, several formally jacketed sophomores stood easily conversing with the storyteller. One of the young men asked, "You started writing children's stories only six years ago. Why did you start writing them?"

With all the honesty of a man who knows simplicity, the old man replied, "I will tell you the truth. When something goes right, you stay with it. You write more of it. Someone said, 'Isaac, you should write a children's story. You would be good at it.' So I did. And it was successful, so I keep writing them."

"Ah, what is the book you have," Mr. Singer asked turning to one of the sophomores. "Abnormal Psychology, I see. Who is the author of that book?"

The storyteller quickly raced his eyes over the book's cover. Failing to see the author's name, he nervously flipped the cover and thumbed through the beginning pages. As if to teach a lesson, Isaac Singer gently spoke, "You see. He reads a book the way it should be read. He does not know the plot of the book. He only knows that the author has written that. Now that is how it should be. Read the book for what it is. The name is unimportant."

The conversation continued as people began filling the auditorium. One of the storyteller's students mentioned a current best seller and asked the storyteller's opinion. "Tell you the truth, I have never read it but I heard it wasn't a bad book," answered Mr. Singer.

"You should read it to write simply to make money," offered a sophomore.

"One should never write to make money," said the man in his thick Yiddish accent. "You can decide you can decide to write a book. If you put your mind to it, you can do either one. But if you write a best seller, how do you know it does it? Better to write a story, maybe you don't get a lot of money but people always read it. Today I get some money from a book I wrote forty years ago. People still read it. Better to write a story."

"How do you write stories, Mr. Singer?" asked a sophomore. "I will tell you. You need a plot. That's the easy way. The more difficult way, and the more valuable by far, is for one individual to step above the run-of-the-mill candidates and become that spokesman."

Perhaps that candidate doesn't exist here. But let's not overlook him if he does. Let's force him to surface. In the next five days, let's fill the sight of campaign presentations, search like never before and make him rise above. If he does not exist, we will be no poorer for the effort.

But if that man is here, let's find him. Let's not face another year of ambiguity. Our just place in this university may well be slipping subtly from our grasp.

—Butch Ward
Almost fifty years ago the Marx Brothers were in New York City starring in the play The Cocoanuts. This weekend the film from that same play in addition to five others are appearing on the Notre Dame campus.

The Marx Brothers' style evolved as they traveled around the country. For fifteen years until it took shape and brought them back to their hometown New York, and Broadway. They are captured and musicians with an odd and ever-changing cast, and by their own admission, terrible. Their beloved mother, Minnie, pushed them in that direction as the success of their act, and they became the Protestant worship with the same theme as my Sunday as our First Communion. As an occasion for any part of the act after being discharged. They followed that with more plays and almost a dozen movies. The pinnacle of their success was in A Night at the Opera, which includes the now classical "steller scene."

As witness of the deadly insult, Groucho was once asked by a passing woman, "How do you do?" and he said, "I'm all right, how are you? I say, 'You should be ashamed of yourself. With a wife like that you should insult this fellow's wife. In response, the man said, "Madame: I don't like this innuendo."

The Marx Bros.

The Cocoanuts

Groucho (to Chico): Come here, Rand McNally, and I'll explain the map and diagram of the whole Cocoanut section. Here's Cocoanut Manor. Here's Cocoanut Heights. That's a swamp right over where—the where the road forks, that's Cocoanut Junction. Here's Cocoanut Custard. That's a stinker: why, that's on one of the forks. You probably eat with your knife, so you wouldn't have to worry about that. Now look, going into Cocoanut Manor. That's the road you wish I were standing here. There's going to build an Eye and Ear Hospital. This is going to be a site for sure eyes. You can't build an eye and ear hospital on residential section.

Chico: People live there, eh? Groucho: No, that's the stockyard. Now all along here—this is the river front—all along the river. And I'm not going to eat tomorrow. That makes it three days.

From Horsefeathers: Madame: I don't like this innuendo. Groucho: That's what I always say. Love that door when comes insuedo. Chico: I'm hungry, I didn't eat in three days. Groucho: Three days? We've only been on the boat two days. Chico: Well, I didn't eat yesterday. I didn't eat today. And I'm not going to eat tomorrow. The New England father who died of a broken heart.

the observer
The killing of President Kennedy has been under much criticism this past year because of the 1974 student demonstrations in which the University by means of the intramural committee. which is in charge of the off-campus office. I would re-establish the e-office with better hours because it seemed that the SLC forgot off-campus students," said Stevenson.

In District 3, Palmia would have the obligation to represent the students' views. She stressed the idea that she wanted to be the voice between students and the administration.

Mosley stated that she felt SLC was ineffective last year. She wants to represent District 2 for a means of accomplishing things for the students benefit.

SLC "silenced"

In District 3, Gasman remarked that the problem is still in the SLC, but that its voice has been silenced. A liberal attitude must be taken to update and define the philosophies of parietals and the use of alcohol. He emphasized more student voice in the SLC. Brian Hegarty suggested a twofold possibility to bring about change. The SLC should bring decision making to individual halls and students with such issues as the calendar. Also equal representation on the judicial appeal board would be students to one faculty and one administrator. Hegarty suggested that each hall staff and rector be allowed to decide on party rules and that the Academic Council should adopt pass-fail options for sophomores.

Improve LaFortune

Mancini said that the SLC should do something to make LaFortune a student center and a place for social gatherings. Also, the SLC should have a say about housing if students want to live in forced triples. Mancini also suggested keeping a blank list of landlords available to students along with the Housing Office.

In District 4, Joe Fiorella stated that he would try to get Flanner and Grace closer together. "I will go the hall council meetings, even down to the level of each section, to find out the students' views." Parietals would be the area of concentration of Chuck Wilson. "There is definitely a reason to reform against the administration rules and regulations because they are too strict." Wilson was on the Academic Commission for one and a half years.

"React just to Administration"

Denis Sullivan said that the SLC reacts just to administration proposals. He went on to say that an attempt should be made to update administration proposals and have the SLC make their own proposals while offering constructive criticism presently be lies on the Grace Hall Council. Therefore, he concluded that the students were losing faith in the administration. He stressed that this was essential in progressive education. Farrell said he would be responsible to only the student council, students, and he would make sure the students' voice would be heard in the screening of the judicial board.

On the other hand, Clark stated housing and the calendar were two important issues that he would work to change. As for the housing situation, he suggested a black-list of landlords and establishing the off-campus houses. With the student council Clark said he would work more closely with the faculty members on the SLC and let them know what the students want.

SLC a "tool"

In District 6, the main issue for Derse is that the SLC can be a powerful tool for the students' welfare. The SLC represents the opinions of the students in relation to the administration, he said.

Tulley, also running in District 6, remarked that he would like to see the SLC get involved in forcing juniors and seniors off-campus. "They have put it off too long, we need solutions now," he said. Tulley also stressed the idea of a party house and an examination of parietals so that students could have a say about the rules and regulations.

Kevin O'Neil was unable to be reached.

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Seventeen vie for SLC positions

by Debbie Lynch Staff Writer

The Student Life Council, which has been under much criticism this past year because of the 1974 off-campus student demonstrations, has had to fill six positions.

In District 2, Darlene Palmia and Phyllis Mosley have been nominated to represent the students in Holy Cross, Stanford, Keenan, Zahm, and St. Joe's, Stan White, Mike Gassman, Brian Hegarty, and Philip Mancini vie for the 5th District. In District 4 students in Flanner and Grace have Joe Fiorella, Denis Sullivan, and Chuck Wilson vying for the 5th District of Alumni, Badin, Walsh, Sorin and Dillon.

District 6 has Art Derse, Bob Todd, Kevin O'Neil, and George Costello vying for a position to represent Morrissey, Pangborn, Lyons, Howard, and Fisher.

Students "abused"

"There has been no consideration, no opposition, to the administration taken by student government," according to O'Neil. This is to the SLC, he said, that students have been abused. I will work for the reversal of arbitrary, vague rules that deprive those of student morality.

Link to JFK assassination

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ear, and traveled upward. Rhodes charged that it could not have been fired any farther than from three inches away, yet Sirhan could not be placed any closer than three feet from the senator and he was in front of RFK. Rhodes concluded that another conspiracy had taken place.

"Politics of power"

Rhodes spoke of the war in Vietnam, terming it a "CIA war." He noted that the Golden Triangle area in southeast Asia produces 90 per cent of the world's heroin. This is followed by Hong Kong via Air America, a CIA airline.

Rhodes commented that Air America's budget had increased from $17 million to $41 million. Thus he believed the CIA is heavily involved in the heroin trade of southeast Asia and that "the whole fight against narcotics is cruelly ironic and hypocritical."

The Operation Intercept, the purpose of which was to stop drugs at the Mexican border, was a failure. "Its primary purpose was to gain domestic and international sympathy," he said. The head of this group was G. Gordon Liddy, and E. Howard Hunt did much of the work.

Martin Luther King was assassinated early in 1968. Afterwards there was no war against the war in Vietnam and proposed economic boycotts. "It was unbelievable when he was assassinated when he began to preach the politics of power," said Rhodes.

James Earl Ray, his alleged assassin, was acquitted of murder and he was lost in possession. Rhodes posed the question: "Who did he get it from?"

The same lawyer who defended Jack Ruby came out of retirement to defend James Earl Ray. He pleaded his client guilty in a preliminary hearing, while Ray was screaming his innocence, Rhodes related.
Villarosa, Zimsky declare

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this resource has left the student body in a state of submissiveness towards the whims of Administration policy.

Concerning the often criticized social situation, Villarosa and Zimsky feel that the "ultimate fault lies on the students."

The social and cultural programs assembled by the Student Union and its branches have been of high quality and sound organization. Many students go to the lists gallery, or even know about the upcoming Marx Brothers Film Festival? There's definitely a feeling of social paranoia on campus.

They strongly feel that the parietal regulations are a major factor in this atmosphere and will work to bring a decision by Fr. Hesburgh or go further if necessary to abolish them. The Administration views the students as dogs in heat to be kept at tail's length.

Furthermore, the two candidates propose that the students unite to obtain the power to remove the Dean of Students from office since they feel that the position "demands a person whom the students can trust to deal with them in a just manner, and whose disciplinary measures are positive and not destructive. Such is not the case with Dean Macheco."

Villarosa plans to use the Campus media to explain the power structure of the University. He also wants to enlighten the students to the advantages of off-campus living by working closely with the Off-Campus Housing Office. "Food co-ops are just an example of the many things which can be done, but up to now have only been talked about."

McLaughlin, Flanagan

Explain new ideas

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the ticket purchaser of the best quality." He also brought up the possibility of a legal aid service for the next year.

"Turning to the administration of the university, the junior government major said, "Let's throw out the offices and programs that don't work and keep the ones that do. Let's keep administration out of cliques and back in the full decision-making process."

Concluding the five-minute speech, McLaughlin added, "Nobody in the Administration is going to give us anything. We have the ideas, we have the system."

McLaughlin also noted that they will have a more detailed platform prepared sometime over the weekend. The McLaughlin-Flanagan ticket are unsure of their specific plans for the weekend, "But it will not include door-to-door visits by the candidates and disturb the people," according to McLaughlin.

Student Union to provide lists of scheduled entertainment

by Bob Guzkebnah

The Student Union Services Commission began a new information program today with the distribution of "weekly schedule information sheets." The listings provide a centralized source of information about concerts, plays, lectures, musical performances, art shows, and movies occurring not only on the NI-SMC campus but in the South Bend community as well.

Expected to be the most comprehensive information listing available, the sheet will list dates, times, locations, and, in some cases, admission prices of the activities recorded.

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Nevertheless, he also believes the listings could be extremely valuable to on-campus students as well. For this reason, Gering suggested that each hall purchase several copies of the listings each week and post them in visible places within the halls for convenience of hall members.

The lists will be available each Friday and will cover activities from the following Monday through Sunday. They should vary in length from two to five pages, depending on the volume of activity.

For a fee of $1.00, students can pick up the listings themselves for the entire semester at the Student Union offices (4th floor LaFor tune) on Fridays. Or, for $2.50, the Services Commission will mail the listing direct to the student's place of residence.

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Newspaper editor held ransom

ATLANTA (UPI) - The tape-recorded voice of Atlanta Constitution editor Reg Murphy said Thursday night he had been kidnapped for $700,000 ransom by the right-wing "American Revolutionary Army." The kidnappers, Murphy said, expected his newspaper to buy his freedom.

The ARA—herefore unheard of, according to authorities—believes "the American news media have been too liberal," Murphy said in the long, rambling tape. "They intend to do something about that. That's the cause for my abduction."

William Fields, executive editor of the Constitution, and Atlanta Newspapers Inc., part of the powerful Cox newspaper group, will pay the ransom.

Fields said the tape was delivered to the newspaper's offices Thursday night, more than 34 hours after Murphy left his home in a quiet residential section with an unidentified man.

Speaking on the tape to Constitution managing editor Jim Minter, Murphy said "I have been kidnapped by the American Revolutionary Army. I wish you would first tell Virginia and the children that I am all right, that I have been treated with courtesy and that I have not been abused."

Murphy said the ARA "want a ransom of $700,000. They understand that I don't have that kind of wealth, so it would be for the Cox Corporation to pay it.

"They want the money in new fives, tens, twenties and fifties, not consecutively numbered. They tell me that they would like it for it to be packaged in plastic bags," Murphy said he would be the one to open the bag and count the money.

"Jim, I don't know what the process of transfer is to be. Somebody in the Atlanta metropolitan area will be called the demands and they expect that person who is called to call you."

Murphy said "I have been asked to tell you that my abduction was planned at the same time that the Symbionese Liberation Army abducted Miss Patricia Hearst, and that there were circumstances that made it difficult to do that at that time.

"I think I ought to say it's fair that the two groups don't work in concert at all."

On the contrary, he said, the ARA "tell me that they have representatives in the major American cities, that they are quite strong, and that they are determined to return the American government to the American people."

He said the group was demanding—although not as a condition of his release—that all federal elected officials resign and that "free elections be held in the future."

Army files assault charges

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Charges including assault with intent to commit murder have been filed against Army Pvt. Robert K. Preston, who ended a helicopter pursuit by being shot in the head with buckshot on the White House lawn last weekend, an Army spokesman said Thursday.

Preston was charged with three counts of assault and battery on Maryland state trooper Steven L. McCarth. He was scheduled for the filing of the charges will be for the Cox Corporation to join that growing league again against Simon. He is totally mad."

Maryland official calls for Simon's resignation

BALTIMORE (UPI) — Calling Maryland's gasoline shortage its "greatest crisis" since the war, Attorney General Norman E. Pelovoy Thursday demanded the resignation of Ft. Meade energy chief William E. Simon.

Pelovoy, the state's second highest legal official said "I join that growing league against Simon. He is totally incompetent and unable to understand the seriousness of the gasoline situation in Maryland and a number of other states."

"This is the greatest crisis in Maryland since the Civil War. It's almost madness."

"While the state government is controlled by Democracy, Republican Sen. J. Glenn Beall, a strong Administration supporter, telegraphed Simon Thursday also asking for more gasoline for the state.

"If relief does not come immediately my state will literally grind to a halt for lack of fuel," he said.

State Atty. Gen. Francis B. Burch in a statement said he would ask for a contempt of court citation against Simon, who announced Thursday he would not appear as scheduled for the filing of the charges at the Justice Department.

Debbie Tirsway, will be in charge of the production, can be reached at 4551 for more information.

Television lab to tape free time for broadcasting

The Notre Dame-St. Mary's Television Laboratory will give students the opportunity to "do their thing" on television Sunday, Feb. 24, at midnight in the Student Center.

The laboratory, consisting of Television Production interns, will use equipment owned by the Student Center and TV Production Department to tape five minutes of free access to the television airways. (219) 272-7596.

The results will be broadcast on Valley Cablevision or station WNIT. Though interested students can use the on-camera time for any purpose, the Laboratory cannot guarantee that all will be broadcast.

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GROCERIES FOR NEEDED FOOD CENTERS TO OPEN

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — The doors will swing open at four San Francisco Bay Area locations Thursday to accept space-age time devices to pick up food in Randolph A. — Thursday scrambled to implement the "People In Need" program set up by Randolph Hearst to meet the demands of his daughter's kidnappers.

Called PIN, the plan aims to boost distribution of free food to 20,000 persons.

The hurried activity in the offices of the Hearst Corporation continued as Patricia Hearst's abductors notified her father that his offer must be upped by $6 million.

A spokesman for People In Need said the original program already had accumulated more than $100,000 worth of foodstuffs of every description, ready for distribution by the Friday deadline.

Organization of PIN began Wednesday under the direction of Patricia Hearst, temporarily on leave from his position as secretary of state in East Oakland, East Palo Alto and Richmond.

Kramer said, "We have spent $15,000 in the purchase of food for tomorrow. We have received $150,000 worth of free food."

The distribution centers will then be opened on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Other locations will open next week.

The telephone bomb threat forced police to evacuate the headquarters in the Hearst Building in downtown San Francisco Thursday. Only a handful of workers remained at the telephones while all others were ushered from the building by police until squad officers searched the building but found no bomb.

Kramer fielded calls from reporters whether the amount of donations would equal the latest Sybionese Liberation Army demand for an additional $4 million. (bllegeM aster)

"We will be far in excess of that," he said, "and the donations proceed at the current rate.

"One of the reasons," Kramer pointed out, "this does not apply to whether the (Hearst) will meet the demands."

"We are taking food donation offers from any producer, any store, any individual who would like to donate it," said Kramer. Recipients need show no proof of poverty or hunger, said Mrs. Maze, because it was determined in the Washington payment that at least 70 percent of those who ask for food need it.

A bank account was opened for cash donations, including the more than $100,000 some Hearst family before the food plan was fully laid out. Donors were advised to make checks to: "People In Need."
by John Fineran

Imagine Ken Nosbusch playing hockey; a football player on an ice surface. Sound a little bit funny? Well, don't laugh.

Michigan's Wolverines, who met the Irish at home last year on a dreary Wednesday evening in the A.C.C. have two Boesch, Beckner players on their ice squad, and one of them, Don Dufek, likely will see much action against Notre Dame.

Dufek didn't wait long after the football season to make his debut on the ice. As a matter of fact, that debut came against Notre Dame back in December, and the "Wolf" of the Wolverines fell defense scored once and assisted twice as Michigan downed Notre Dame, 6-4.

But it was the second game, an Irish 2-0 shutout, which Notre Dame hopes to duplicate twice this weekend. At least, Notre Dame would like to have more goals both nights. For the Irish, playoff spots and time are both running out.

"Michigan is a much-improved team," Coach Lefty Smith said. "They have won four straight against Michigan Tech and Colorado College. "We have our a g a inst M ichigan T ech and time are both running out. We have beaten Pittsburgh this year, and although they have not had much

Cagers at home vs. W.Va.

by Greg Corgan

When you're 9-12 with four games left to play and having incentives reached a state where you've beaten Pittsburgh this year, and that came in the season opener

for both clubs in Morgantown way back on December 1. Since that time the Panthers have won 31 straight ball games, the longest winning streak in the nation.

The Mountaineers are coming off a tough loss at Richmond Monday night, 98-83, and before that they were soundly defeated by Minnesota the day before at University Park.

Last Saturday West Virginia defeated last year's NIT champion Virginia Tech 94-83 on the Mountaineers home court. Five days before that they squeaked by Syracuse 76-77.

The Mountaineers are led by 6-7 sophomore pivotman Warren Baker who is currently averaging 17.4 points and 18.2 rebounds per game. The front court is rounded out by 6-9 senior Bob Burnstein (6.5ppg) and 6-6 junior Scott MacDonald (4.2ppg).

Senior Levi Phillips (4.4ppg) and junior Earl Feaster (15.7ppg) handle the backcourt duties, and both provide the Mountaineers with a potent outside scoring attack.

WVU coach Moran won't hesitate to use his bench if the need arises, however. Jerome Anderson, Larry Carr (no relation to head coach Larry Carr), Marlesh McCordie and Dave McCord are all experienced lettermen and provide a corps of capable replacements.

The Irish will be on the lookout for the upset-minded Mountaineers although they have not had much trouble handling them in the past.

Notre Dame's series record with WVU is 4-1, having lost only in the disastrous 1971 season 97-67.

Coach Digger Phelps will be bringing his Irish into the game this season though, with a 21-1 record and just off satisfying wins over South Carolina and Western Michigan.

"Beating South Carolina down there has been one of our best wins of the season," Digger contends.

"We're conditioned to playing this type of game on the road since we've been through some pretty tough away wins at home. But all of these experiences should help us in post-season competition."

John Shumate, who had 26 points and 14 rebounds against Western Michigan will once again lead the Irish Saturday afternoon, and as WMU coach Eldon Miller said after Monday's night's game, "Shu is one of the finest ball-players in the country and a very physical person. I voted him an All-American."

Adrian Dantley (17.2ppg) and "Gone" Novak (6.2ppg) will be up front while Gary Brokaw (17.3ppg) and Dwight Clay (7.8 pp) will man the guard positions.

Notre Dame will go after win number 22 at 12 noon this Saturday in a contest which will be regionally televised.

almost int act for the series. The Rice Scottish line, the Novitski line, which was put together at Minnesota, will be again. It's not to say Robhbo isn't a capable goaltender. His 4.2 goals-against in the WCHA proves that he is.

The Wolverines currently stand 11-3-4 for sixth in the league, just .5 games behind the Irish and CC, eighth placers with 9-14-1 records. For Notre Dame, the series is a big one, a must, if they hope to be playing past the March 2 season finale at Wisconsin.

Notre Dame's Entries, defensemen and goalie should remain

Senior defenseman Rich Schafer uncorks a slap shot from the blue line. Schafer and eight other fourth-year players are in the playing in their final home series this weekend, a do-or-die set against the Michigan Wolverines.

John Fineran

Barney Stone(d)

The Graduates

For nine Notre Dame hockey players, seniors all, the U.S. series means something special. For them, it is their last chance to play against an opponent in the ACC. That first year, '70-71 started with a pair of losses at Michigan Tech and Colorado College. Although they were heartbreakers, the current seniors didn't end until next weekend at Wisconsin, these Irish seniors want to leave the ACC in another way than they ended in 1970, 16-5 losers to Michigan State.

Goalie Mark Kronholm, who will be the Irish goalie both nights against Michigan (11-12-1 for 23 points in the league) will leave ND with a school record four shutouts. His last, ironically, came against Michigan this past Dec., 2-6. That's quite a feat for this sincere young man hoping to be a Baptist minister.

Bill Nyrop, along with Ed Bumbacco, holds the distinction of being a ND All-American.

Nyrop, a 6-2, 205-lb. native of Edina, Minn., has been called intense, a real competitor, and perhaps some of the mistakes he made on the ice in four years were the result of this competitiveness.

Bumbacco has had quite a puzzling season, but last year wasn't. If anything, it was marvelous. New league and school scoring records of 90 points (43 goals and 47 assists). Eddie was unstoppable.

This year has been different. Early every team seemed to have his number. Now, probably, they seem to have quit worrying about him. Still, the talent is there, waiting perhaps for this last weekend.

The next 3 players—Mike Tardary, Larry Israelson and Don Smith—clearly make themselves varsity players through their own hard-work and determination.

Tardary, who has seen mostly penalty-killing action during the past two seasons, made an impression his sophomore season with his gung-ho attitude. In between that and his junior campaign, Mike broke an ankle. Doctors weren't too optimistic about his chances last season, but Mike fought back, and along with Pat Novitzki, formed one of the, if not the best, penalty-killing tandems in the WCHA.

Israelson, who had been recognized by teammates as the best defensive forward as a sophomore and junior, finally blossoned into such an outstanding goal scorer that he now leads the Irish this season with 21. That, itself, is testimony to Larry Israelson.

Smith has seen only 5 minutes of varsity action in four years, but his is a unique story. As a freshman, he was a junior-varsity goal tender, his sophomore year was spent overseas and last year Don found himself back with the junior varsity. Others would have quit, but Don did not.

That leaves the tri-captains, Rich Schafer, Steve Curry and Ian Williams. Unsuitable individuals all who wanted nothing more than to win.

This season certainly must hurt them a great deal.

Curry might also fall into the last category of hard-workers. When he came to Notre Dame, he was that other defenseman from Edina, supposedly not too good of a skater or scorer. Steve might have answered those harsh attacks on his ability with his aggressive play. He became the Notre Dame "policeman," feared by all opponents.

Schafer epitomizes this unfazed attitude well. In his four years, he has played defense center and wing. Shaft might not look too fast, but last season, when he played forward, there wasn't anybody who was quicker backchecking than Rich.

Williams has been a mysterious individual. Certainly, no one has been the center of more controversy than Willy. However, when you take a look at the player rather than the man, you will find that and as no one wants to win more. A weekend sweep against Michigan will elicit, perhaps, only a smile, but deep down, Ian Williams will be always saying, "I just want to win."

Williams isn't the only senior who wants victory. His is a hope that eight other Irish seniors share. And, as these nine individuals get ready to play their last home series, memories fly through this writer's mind. After all, memories play a big part in the Notre Dame tradition.