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WASHINGTON (AP) — The Department of Health, Education, and Welfare lifted its moratorium on two flu vaccines yesterday. The department recommended that the elderly and people with chronic illnesses get a shot that could protect them from both the swine flu and the A-Victoria strain.

The action allows health officials to again use the combined swine flu and A-Victoria flu vaccine. The vaccine does not intend an early return to the hard shell promotion that the U.S. Public Health Service conducted before officials discovered a statistical link between flu and Guillain-Barre Syndrome, a syndrome of occasional fatal form of paralysis.

“If an epidemic of A-Victoria appears imminent, a situation which, at the moment, does not presently exist, then the Public Health Service will probably begin an extensive campaign to immunize the high risk category,” with the combined vaccine, he said.

Otherwise, any immunization program will be up to state and local health officials.

Those officials also can give shots to people not in the high risk category, since there are about 21 million unvaccinated high risk people in the country and 27 million doses of vaccine. It is expected that remaining doses will be saved for those most likely to be exposed to the A-Victoria virus, in terms of immunization and the purposes of education; and within the past two years, through the efforts of the alumnae, another sum of approximately $30,000 was received."

by Jean Powley

Editor's note: This is the first of a two-part series on St. Mary's Alumnae Centennial Library. The first part deals with the library's history, while the second part will deal with its future.

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Today, 41 years after Sister Madeleva's initial plea for alumnae support of the new library, the bright spacious reading rooms are crowded with stacks of books; "the browsing boks are ceiling-to-floor shelves of books; "the display cases" have been replaced by a periodical room, cramped and inadequate, has made way for more stacks of books than for periodicals, both bound and unbound.

Although the staff of the library no longer offer first-rate service to all of its 1700 students and 101 "plus" faculty members, it obviously does so under less-than-desirable circumstances.
On drinking bill

Senate takes action

by Kathy Nolan
Senior Staff Reporter

With action still pending on Michigan Senate Bills 31, 32, Senator Alvin DeGrow introduced another bill in the senate to amend the drinking law. DeGrow’s bill, introduced Thurs­
day, Jan. 13, was SB. 31 and 32, sponsored by Senator James DeSana, D-Wyan­
dotte, on Jan. 13, which drops the legal age from 18 to 19.

DeGrow cited the abuse of alcohol in the high school student body in Michigan as the prime factor for amending the drinking law. “A large number of teachers and educational administrators have expressed concerns to me about the abuse of alcohol among high school students, particularly 14 and 15 year-olds.”

DeGrow noted strong peer pres­
sure among high school students, resulting in the misuse of alcohol by students unaware of its possible effects. In addition, impatient people have a tendency to associate with their friends during events especially right among high school kids,” DeGrow commented.

“With the lowered drinking age of 18, the 14 and 15 year-old group had greater contact with alcohol.” DeGrow continued. When Michigan increased the drinking age from 21 to 18, it heightened the accessibility of minors to obtain liquor from anyone under 21.

DeGrow stated, “If the age were raised to only 19 it would still be too easy for those underaged to obtain liquor from their friends. After talking with school officials in my district, I am convinced that the drinking age must be raised to at least 20, and preferably to 21, if we are going to attempt to solve the drinking problem.”

DeGrow returned to his home territory of Pidgeon, Mi, last weekend and contributed his point of view to the bill among his constituents. “I had many people stop me on the street and tell me they agreed with what I was trying to do. In fact, I have not received any negative response as of yet,” he said.

Relating the general drinking problem in Michigan high schools and to his own district, DeGrow said he represented a district comprised of small towns with populations of less than 3000. Most of the high school graduates are 18, DeGrow remarked, and 60 to 85 percent of those students leave home to attend college or begin a job in the metropolitan centers.

“However, a small percent of kids, basically troublemakers, stay in town and contribute to the drinking problem by giving alcohol to children as young as 13,” DeGrow explained. DeGrow expressed hope that the higher drinking age would alleviate this problem. DeGrow did not anticipate any major conflict between his bill and

On drinking bill

Students receive departmental exam questionnaire this week

by Pete Newell

A questionnaire regarding de­
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The student questionnaire, which is being directed to the "teaching faculty," according to Biles, is not yet completed. From the survey, Biles said that the committee hopes to learn "just what the faculty believes has to be done to adminis­
ter a valid, uniform, written exam in the required time length and with proper security."

The student questionnaire, will be sent to 1600 students. The results, tabulated by computer, are expected to be evaluated by the end of this month.

Mardi Gras correction

Yesterday’s article on Mardi Gras said the best booth prize will be a house. The correct prize is a house. Mardi Gras officials have now decided to give the prize out the evening of the one week event.

Attention seniors... last hundred days till graduation weekend

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Fr. Theodore Hesburgh discusses hunger battle research

by Joan Fremeau

Fr. Theodore Hesburgh discusses the accomplishments of biological research during a seminar, “Global Justice: Biological Perspectives” in Galvin Auditorium yesterday afternoon. Hesburgh told a near-capacity crowd that “food is a matter of social justice. Hunger is a part of everyone of us and having enough to eat is essential to our well being,” he said. It is man’s duty to eat is essential to our well being.

“The Rockefeller Foundation is concerned about the problem of greater food production long before the recent world food crisis,” Hesburgh noted. “Rockefeller Foundation found a shortcut to greater food production through improving genetic stocks of grains. For most ten years the Foundation has funded world-wide biological research in growing staple grains such as rice, wheat, sorghum and corn, Hesburgh noted. By studying every species of a certain grain and combining the best elements in each, research teams have been able to produce superior strains which adapt to different environments, produce more grain per acre, and have more protein, he explained.

The first such research effort began in the Philippines to improve the rice crop, Hesburgh said. While developing these strains of rice, farmers were taught new irrigation and fertilization methods. Research also created new insecticides to prevent the crop from destruction by moths and rats.

“In less than ten productive years we had turned out 15 superior varieties of rice,” he said. Hesburgh explained that upon the success of this experiment, the Foundation funded institutes in other parts of the world to study genetic improvements of grain stocks. In Mexico, research teams produced superior hybrid corn, which tripled protein intake and could be grown in many different climates. The Rockefeller Foundation has funded world-wide agricultural research in Pakistan where a wheat shortage caused extensive starvation. After the fourth year of a five-year plan to improve the stock, Pakistan experienced a wheat surplus.

Genetic research has also helped India, as well as countries in Africa and South America, improve their grain production. Such increases in food production in turn stimulate the countries’ economies and prevent starvation.

Once genetic problems are solved, Hesburgh said, “we could further increase food production by studying ways of increasing water supplies, either through water control systems, or by converting sea water to fresh water.”

In a question-and-answer period following his lecture, Hesburgh considered the problem of overpopulation. “Through more study mechanisms can be produced to effectively, by following natural biological processes, control population growth.”

Hesburgh concluded the seminar with some comments on global justice and scientific responsibility, saying that science has come up with enough weaponry to destroy the world in 15 seconds. “Mankind won’t prevail unless we make a commitment to people rather than armaments. Scientists should take an oath to serve the good of mankind rather than for man’s destruction. Science should not be abused.”

The Student Union Social Commission invites you to see...
Dear Editor:

I want to commend Ellen McLaughlin and John Pauliccas for allowing my essay on dating to be published in Tuesday's Observer. I think it is an important issue of the day, and I hope your students will read it.

Catholic school and Catholic home life certainly are reflected in our dating life. Second, physical appearance is not taken into account. Although the authors asked questions concerning "prudish" girls and guys for their survey, a more interesting question might be: What is the physical appearance that your typical physical have to do with your asking for or accepting a date?

In conclusion, the authors say a long hard look at dating problems is needed. I personally feel we need to loosen up, not get more uptight about the situation. We need to quickly open lines of communication, act impulsively, spontaneously.

No matter what the University does, the problem can best be solved by someone asking someone out today! Taking the action is the only way to solve this problem.

Mike Marley

Bowling Anyone?

Dear Editor:

I read with interest the Observer's Sunday article entitled, "The Dating Game at Notre Dame". Most of the details of the article the authors make the conclusion that perhaps the University could construct a bowling alley to facilitate social interaction between students.

I seem to remember that there is a bowling alley already here on campus. No kidding, word of honor. The article states that the basement of the bookstore.

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Proctor urges self-initiative for black students

by Patrick Cole
Senior Staff Reporter

"So your role in the 1980's? It's obvious... We must shore up our natural resources... and our single obvious... We must build a strong academic future, Barbara Proctor, president and Gardner Advertising Company in Chicago, spoke to a group of 50 people in the Library Auditorium last night.

In spelling out the keys to success, Proctor reflected on her own experiences during her first year at Talladega (Alabama) College. "Rather later in life, that year provided me with what was to be the foundation of my life. And I alone truly set my limits and my horizons."

And the audience found her horizons remarkable. Proctor started in the business world by turning a $12,000 business into a $5 million enterprise. In 1974 and 1975, she was chosen as Advertising Woman of the Year by the American Advertising Federation District. She was a recipient of the Frederick Douglass Truth and Excellence in Communication Award from Northern Illinois University. Also in 1975, Proctor was included in 1,000 of the Most Successful Black Women in America by Ebony magazine. Amalgamated Publishers, Inc.

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by Joe Gill
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Proctor stresses need for sound education

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background. One of the secrets of academia, according to Proctor, is that black and "forced" rate black students in higher education. She said many black students are either "flunking out or quota systems are forcing" blacks through many universities.

"Many of you are out the door with a paper in your hand and nothing of concrete use in your head," Proctor stated. "That is sad. Because it means that the same system which denied you an education years ago is denying you an education today."

Proctor encouraged students to learn all they can from others. The templates resist knowledge," she said, because it does not match your version of reality is "an easy way out."

"You are the difference between now and 1985," Proctor said. "You and only you. Black history will not make the difference. White future will not - only your own clear and dispassionate conduct as we move toward the end of the century."

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Irish cagers face tough Crusaders

by Bob Koen
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame basketball team will place their five-game winning streak on the line tonight when they battle a highly touted, currently unranked team from Holy Cross College.

I want to make sure that the students know what we are up against," stated Irish Coach Digger Phelps. "Tonight we need the students to jump up and we need the students juiced up.

One of the Crusaders' most important victories was against seventeenth-ranked Providence. 67-65 in the Colonial Classic. Two weeks ago Notre Dame scored their number-one ranked Michigan their first loss of the season.

An earlier Holy Cross loss occurred when the Irish blew them out and sank Frank Rowell Classic when they were defeated by Florida. However, Florida, playing in the tough SEC, proved with their 80 to 76 upset of Tennessee Monday that they can stay with the best of them.

The Crusaders are coached by George Blasie and led by freshman guard Ronnie Perry. The 6-2 backcourt man is a native of Holy Cross Athletic Director, is currently the leading freshman scorer in the country with a 22.6 average.

Tonight the Irish must face one of the finest all-around athletics in Massachusetts state history. During the season so far, they scored at Catholic Memorial he accumulated a score twice the Crusaders' six points, was a two-time All-State selection in basketball, football, and in his senior year was voted to Parade's All-American team. "Perry is one of the best players in the nation," stated Phelps.

The Irish hope to counter Perry with their own brilliant freshman, Rich Branning. Branning has been Notre Dame's floor general since Ray Martin broke his ankle early in the season. While leading the team in assists and averaging almost 10 points per game, his most positive team contributions may come from the calm consistence which has characterized his play. The Perry-Branning match-up may be the crucial determinant in tonight's game.

Junior center Chris Potter's tip-in at the buzzer game Holy Cross' victory over Providence. "It's not a game we ever would've thought we'd win," emphasized Phelps. The two-time All-New England selection is scoring 17.6 points a game this year and leads the team in rebounding with a 9.2 mark. Although he normally plays center, he is often forced to the center position after a freak achilles tendon ended sophomore John O'Connor's season.

Tonight's selections are the result of a Crusader's other co-captain, Greg Bouton. He is following the team's floor general and this allows Perry to concentrate more on the scoring aspect of his game.

Holy Cross displays good depth in Charlie Browne and Pete Beckenbach. Brown, a 6-10 freshman from New York, where he made first team All-New York City, has been sending more action at center since O'Connor's injury. Beckenbach, a 6-7 forward, is noted for his explosiveness. He is the Crusader's only player of Notre Dame in New Jersey where he broke NBA star Rick Barry's all-time scoring record.

Although the Crusaders are not a big, physical team, they are extremely quick and well disciplined. Almost certainly Holy Cross will utilize their full court zone presses which has been so successful for them during the season. Their press has consistently forced turnovers and bad shots by the opposition while also helping them to control the tempo of the game.

"We won't take them lightly, they are too good for that," stated Phelps.

During the last five-game stretch the Irish have faced the right combination of players and strategists. Despite the fact that the Irish are playing as well as we have in years that we gave the Irish 'x'essence has been the froncourt play of Bruce Flowers and Dave Lattion. As a result Flowers has led the team in scoring two out of the last three games and has raised his field goal shooting percentage to 54%. As a result, the Irish will be playing against the best team in the nation.

"Another example of student support affecting the outcome of the game was last season West Virginia game played at the ACC," Phelps concluded. "We played a bad first half and we were down about five points. Yet we came back and to start the second half, the students were on their feet just like we were playing UCLA, and we went out and scored the first 13 points of the half."

Facing two critical home contests with Holy Cross and South Carolina, Phelps cites the difference in both games as the Notre Dame students.

"Our next two games are 'must' games for us to expect to get an NCAA playoff bid, and the students will be the deciding factor," Phelps emphasizes. "It's a situation where, when we're in that tunnel waiting to come into the floor, we need all 5000 students on their feet, cheering for 40 minutes. We're healthy, we're playing very well and we need the juice of playing at home to have the emotional peak we'll need to defeat two outstanding basketball teams."

Notre Dame's success on the athletic field is legendary. Recognizing that they play a crucial part in that success should be very gratifying to Notre Dame students. "NCAA Conference #1," Phelps concluded. "We can make it happen."

Thanks to the Irish fans, there is no place like home for Digger Phelps and his team.