**Laurel Club Closed, Reopened**

Damage done to the Laurel Club bars and soda fountains was a result of attempts to exploit a local law enforcement vacuum in the building. The damage was done to the rear room as well as to an automobile parked outside the club. While the damage was not extensive, the manager stated that he feared the costs of repairing the club would be higher.

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Reopened

**To Be Black and American**

"The Civil Rights Movement is nothing but a reaction to the fact of poverty," began James Farmer, former national chairman of the Congress of Racial Equality. He spoke yesterday evening to a large overflow crowd in the Library Auditorium.

Farmer stated that there is a basic confusion in terms relating to the Civil Right Movement. He asked what is Black Power, where is Lib THINK Black, what is a black identity, and according to some people's definitions, does Negro mean Negro?

The crucial question around which the history of racial inequality has revolved is: "What does it mean to be BLACK and AMERICAN?" All negroes agree themselves, "I am an American and happen to be black, or I am black and happen to be an American?" The fact is that the Negro is forced to choose every way his culture, history, and poetry are American. Throughout the lecture, Farmer emphasized the uniqueness which, while very entertaining, served to illustrate his points. Once, he bid his friend, Irving, went to a theater and saw a movie about Africa. There were explored several scenes around a pot of boiling rice and priest. The camera moved in for a close-up shot of one of the natives, Farmer said told friend, "Hey man, that's what's wrong with being Irish" said that it was Farmer. Most of them reacted by adding their color. The white man has said the Negro is black and the Negro has come to believe it. But the rise of the Civil Rights Movement, according to Farmer, has given the negro cause for personal pride. He is joining his equals and making the Negro great. He must be proud of his culture. He must have self-respect and dignity in BEING BLACK.

The tragedy of the Civil Rights Movement, according to Farmer, is that it has only partially stirred a section of the population. We have opened the doors to the freedom for all negroes but still they are precluded from entering them because of insufficient educational and economic resources. A Negro in the rural areas of the South exists basically as he does for the past several decades, in the streets and back yards. He might just have well never been the Civil Rights Movement.

America is not really a melting pot and certainly is not a pluralistic society wherein there are many national identities. It is getting something to the nation. Ten years ago, integration meant the nominal notion of distributing the Negroes among every group. They would just sort of "melt" into multitudes. This is not the case. Farmer says that this notion is false, hallucinatory, illusory. The current radical approach is that separate is better but separately in Black Power does not give the Negroes Anything. Farmer says we must look for the syntheses which would combine good elements of both.

Black people must come to what it is to BE BLACK and BE AMERICAN.

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**Service Club Benefit Clubs**

The Continental Service Club and Notre Dame Club are currently operating the Continental Service. On this meeting night the proceeds were to be used to finance the opening of the club at Notre Dame-Weaver.

A conference was held Monday evening between Monsignor Pershing, president of Notre Dame student residence, and several major contributors, including the Student Social Commissioner, F. V., Brother, representing the fifteen members. Each contribution thirty dollars which is still only a fraction of what is needed. Any proceeds realized from moccasins, bannock, and licorice is going to the benefit of the club.

The profits of the Laurel Club parties (the C.S.C. asserts forty per cent to cover the losses they incur on past operations) some second-semester activities, and the proceeds from proceeds of income in the property they receive for achieving the Volpe sociological and administrative departments. They deliver one thousand dollars weekly, According to Dan Collins, "our books are always open."
Charles Veborn (right) and John Wehbein, two of the top Irish runners in the ND Invitational last Saturday, lead Coach Alex Wilson’s cross-country team against the Spartans of Michigan State Friday in East Lansing.
University of Notre Dame

AFTERMATH

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Bootees Seek

Initial Win

The Notre Dame Soccer Club holds for its initial win of the season as it hosts Chicago and St. Francis on Saturday and Sunday.

Wow! A large bun mobile line anchored by Charles Kennedy (6-3, 220) and Jim Ruzick (6-1, 200). The line will get a strong initial test from a Penn defense that ranks for its initial win, West Virginia, a 3-1 and 7-1 loss, respectively, on Saturday after playing Quad Cities on Saturday night.

Schedule

FOOTBALL

October 22 -- at Oklahoma (3:30)

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

October 22 -- PITTSBURGH in the Stadium (3:30)

CROSS-COUNTRY

October 22 -- at MICHIGAN STATE

SOCCER

October 22 -- QUAD CITIES at Davenport, Iowa

Baldoni's Restaurant

1219 South Spring St., Mishawaka

Tony's Restaurant

1213 East Jefferson, Mishawaka

Robertson's University Shop

211 South Michigan Street

St. Joseph County Central Democratic Committee

Fred Baldoni, Chairman

St. Joseph County Central Republican Committee

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