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Today's worst evil-- racism

by Rich Feldhaus

Staff Reporter

Racism is one of the worst evils of the day. The whole idea of hating someone because of their national origin, to me, seems very stupid. It is so silly just because all people are members of the same species: the human race.

the same species: the human race. Some racist groups are so obsessed with their hate of other groups that they go out of their way to make their presence felt. This sort of active hate seeks confrontation in order to expand their cause to others and to clue them in on why they feel that way. For most of us, haling someone usually means that we actively avoid them rather than actively trying to hurt or harm them. We've all done nasty things to others because we don't like them, but usually we have good reason. In the case of racism I don't see any real reason for this active hate.

good reason. In the case of racism 1 don't see any real reason for this active nate. Naturally, racism victims try to seek ways to remove the burden of oppression from their groups. I guess the 1980's were a good decade overall for change, at least for the awareness of recism and what it constitutes, but we all know that there is a long way to go before society identifies people of all races under one set of standards and expectations. With this as the goal, we must all look at ways to further this ideal of equality. Now I don't profess to be an expert in the field of racism, but I do feel that I know enough to offer this critique.

the field of racism, but i do teel that I know enough to other unis cruque. In the past few decades, the word recism has become a very ugly word. I would suppose that it now has the same bad reputation in the 80's as the word communism had in the 50's. The word is powerful and really screams for attention whenever it is used. It gets attention so well that it doubles for the whole argument of racism. I can end a debate much more quickly and clearly just by using the word racism than I ever could by using any amount of other words.

Clearly just by using the word racism than 1 ever could by using any anioun to outer words. My first knowledge of David Duke came from a conversation with a friend who said "he's a racist who got elected to some office in Louisiana." That was enough for me, the word racist was the whole argument. Only later, from a TV news report, did I find that he was closely to the KKK. While this did give me a further understanding of the whole issue, it didn't change my overall view of the man which was originally built around one word.

With a word of such power, we must use it carefully. A mislabeling or wrong accusation of racism can brand someone as a racist for life, whether the accusation is correct or not.

A trust of an about one as a facts to the second of the about the favoring of one nationality over another, a rather ambiguous definition I might add. A dictionary meaning isn't a very appropriate source since words exist in a person's vocabulary and not i a big book. The meanings of racism are as varied as the number of persons who use the word. But the question still remains: What is racism?

ism? Today it seems that the claim of racism is coming out with increasing frequency; but now it isn't leveled for the blatant abuse of minority rights, it is leveled for obscure or slight infrac-tions of an understood code that is published nowhere. When assessing the need to accuse anoth-er of being racist, the utmost responsibility must be taken to be sure that the claim is within reason and verifiable by the average person exposed to the situation. When this consideration isn't followed, a person could be wrongly accused and suffer a prolonged lack of credibility due to an unfairly passes accusation. At least think it through a few times first. Imagine, if you will, that I have a handful of 25 sided dice. each with a complete A to Z alpha-bet inscribed on each face, and I roll this handful of dice onto the floor in front of you. You may suspect that you would get a big mess of letters, but further imagine that the result is a large group of obviously racist. Sure, the words are clearly racist, but I didn't intend to have them

intent to say anything racist. Sure, the words are clearly racist, but I didn't intend to have them spelled out that way.

I believe that in order for something or someone to be considered a racist, there must be in-tent. When an accusation of racism is leveled without this intent, the victim of the accusation is helpless, cornered by a powerful word which takes no prisoners.

helpless, cornered by a powerful word which takes no prisoners. When I see a picture of a black man in the sports section of any newspaper, I see exactly that, a black sports figure who probably will end up making more money than I ever will. But when a member of the KKK looks at the picture, he may see something completely different. You may see something racist coming from this picture from the point of view of the KKK member, but is the newspaper responsible for inciting this view? I say no. I've heard that Herb Kohl made a racist claim last year in trying to gain black votes. He claimed that he should be their choice because he employs blacks at high paying jobs with the Milwaukee Bucks. Is this really racist? Think about it, he is really making a true claim that is verifiable. I believe that this was not racist, but it was a stupid thing to say because the type of jobs he's made available are the exceeption rather than the rule and there are very few of these types of high paying jobs available to the average black in Wisconsin. You can argue that the statement had some racist results in some peoples' minds but I'm sure Kohl never intended it to be that way. be that way.

be that way. Is it racist when a cartoonist, working for a student paper in either La Crosse or Eau Claire (I forgot which), produces a cartoon that depicts UW students as painting themselves black in or-der to get some extra financial aid? I say no because he is describing a deep down urge that I'm sure a lot of middle class white students have, especially those who've been cut off from aid (like I was). It's clearly not a fair situation in the mind of the artist, but is his intent to offer anger to blacks who are getting the money or is it directed at the program in general? It is pos-sible for someone to see the cartoon and derive a non-racist understanding of it. I know because T_{ALA} I did.

Is it racist when a Madison fraternal organization stages events designed to hurt and defame blacks, such a a mock slave auction? I say yes. The intent was clear: to further their racist, elitist status and I believe that this is definitely racist.

eitust status and I believe that this is definitely racist. You could argue that the person who starts a world racial holocaust and the person who slips and says "Jesse Jackson could never become president because he is black" are both racist. But the problem with this is that both people are called the same ugly word: racist. With such a powerful word being rifled it is easy to categorize the two together even thought the gradients of the racial content are polar in their effects. The word racist doesn't ever carry a term which de-scribes the degree of the infraction. Imagine me saying that Hitler was a real bad racist. Sounds pretty stupid huh?

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Repeat: Uncensored one time only

TO THE EDITOR:

I have something to say to all of the people who have negative feelings about the Uncensored issue of The Pointer.

First-Why didn't you submit something to The Pointer to fill up those pages with articles that you wanted to read?...Then the editor would have been able to print the "right" things to read. Anyone is able to contribute articles to The Pointer and there was plenty of time to think of something appropriate to write for that issue

Secondly-The front of the pa seconday-ine front of the pa-per clearly stated that that issue was uncensored. If this kind of thing bothers you, maybe you should have not read that issue. You were the ones who made the choice to open those pages and read them knowing you might find something to your distaste inside.

Thirdly-I know the editor and know that she would not have done something like this unless there was some kind of pres-sure put on her by her peers. Obviously this is what some of you wanted to read. So why is the editor taking all of the blame for this one time only Uncensored issue?

Everyone of us has different taste, that is why you can please some of the people all of the time, but you can't please all of the people ever! Andrea Rae Jenson

TO THE EDITOR:

Thanks to "the powers that be", I was unable to obtain and ead the "Uncensored" issue of the POINTER because it had read the "Uncensored" issue of the POINTER because it had vanished from campus (was censored), by noon on Friday. whether or not it completely debased the integrity of the entire student body, I guess I'll never know, nor will I be able to de-cide for myself if that issue and its creators are worthy of any of the following credits: "in bad taste", without "tact", "un-professional", "disgusting", "indefensible", "creteshing", "dudi-crous", "trashy", "applailing", "enjoyable", "tracis", "sexist", "abusive", "desperate", "applaudable", "immature", "noble", containing "no original thought", a 'great accomplishment", "legitimate", "commendable", "smutty", "guilty", "unbelieva-bly offensive", "questionable", "controversial", or "ridicu-lous"; or if indeed, "baseness reached its lowest point". read the

whatever the POINTER contained in its now famous "Uncen-ored" issue, I can only wonder aimlessly about, but I can see sored' Sored issue; I can only worker anniessay about, but I can see that it successfully managed to challenge many people's expec-tations for, and embraces of, the "TRUTH". After being chas-tised and ignored for so long, the POINTER finally engaged people like me enough to read and respond to it. What better service can a piece of writing do beyond providing essential fact and information, than to remind us of our lives in a very paradoxical existence? Truth is to be discovered again and again, not etched in stone.

not etched in stone. In my limited version of the world, I call the writers, heroes, and the censors, villains. To others, it appears to be reversed. Yet the reader remains the audience and I, a reader of the reactions to the UNCENSORED issue, was amused and in-trigued by the drama and the range of feelings it stimulated, like: violated, assaulted, smeared, "enthused", "excited", "shocked", "concerned", "extremely proud", "enthralled", "re-pelled", "offended", and embarrassed. "shocked", "concerned", "extreme pelled", "offended", and embarrass

At least one person, would prefer that the entire POINTER and staff be censored until it can produce "quality" material. His comments were allowed to print uncensored, whether or not they were of any particular quality and even though they may have debased the integrity of the entire student body. At least, he got read and thaat, no doubt, is why writers continue to write. write.

The Ayatollahs and the Rushdies-the outrageous and the ordi-nary-must exist together. They are inseparable and in great need of each other. I hope the POINTER will always give forum to both and that it con es to be 'our paper.

SINCERELY, Scott E. Wilde

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Peeved about xerox

To Whom It May Concern: I am a senior at this universi-ty and one of my major pet peeves around this campus is the poor maintenance of the xerox machines in the LRC. Every time I go to use them they're either out of order, they take your money, the paper gets burned, or the copy is so bad you can't read it anyway. These machines should be used for our convenience and yet they are nothing by a nuisance.

In the first place, there are only four machines in the LRC, (one in the reserve room, two on the second floor and one on the sixth floor). In relation to the number of students on camfour xerox machines are enough to sufficiently

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accommodate the needs of the students. Since most students do the majority of their work in the library, wouldn't it make logical sense to have at least one machine on every floor?

Even if you're lucky enough to find a xerox machine in working order, chances are the line is son long you'll have to wait a half and hour to use it.

I know there are many stu-I know there are minny stu-dents who share the same con-cerns about this issue as I do. I would like to know why this university cannot afford to in-stall a few new machines. After all, it's not as if we don't pay for the use of these machines and it sure would make a lot of students much happier.

Mary Kay Krieg





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Faculty senate debates dry campus issue

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by Barry Ginter News Reporter

UWSP will either become a dry campus or retain alcohol privileges in the dorms when the Faculty Senate votes on the the Faculty Senate votes on the academic atmosphere proposal next Wednesday. The alcohol issue is one of four points in the proposal and has angered stu-dent leaders who feel they have not been given a chance to ex-press the views of the students they represent.

The proposal, which origi-nated from Residence Life, is is based on the assumption that the dorms are not a conducive environment for studying. If it is passed, alcohol will no longer be allowed in the lower division halls beginning next semester. Lower divisions halls include all but Hyer and Baldwin, which are reserved for upperclass-

Other points of the proposal would require dorms to estab-lish and enforce quiet hours and

force students to use head-phones when listening to loud music. Additionally, the propos-al suggests that tutoring pro-grams be established in the dorms and that all campus literature be rewritten to de-scribe residence halls as academic environments.

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The Hall Presidents Council has objected to the alcohol poli cy itself, as well as the way it has been handled. Mike Moore, a member of HPC, stated that the policy is based on unfound-ed assumptions on the part of administrators. He stated that drinking is not as much of a problem in the dorms as adminproblem in the dorms as admin-istrators would like to believe and pointed out that students often drink off campus and would still come back drunk. Moore also said that a new alcohol policy would put the burden of enforcement on the R.A.'s and would be unlikely to work in curbing underage work in curbing underage drinking where a state law has failed

The HPC also voiced concerns that the new policy would cause upperclassmen, who serve as role models, to leave for offcompus housing or upper divi-sion dorms. In a survey con-ducted by HPC, 64 percent of respondents indicated that the policy would influence them to move out of lower divisions holve out of lower divisions halls when they turn 21. The same survey showed that 65 percent of people who are con-sidering becoming R.A.'s, would reconsider if the new policy was

Mike Moore stated that the issue is also important because the students are not being given the chance to be heard in a matter that affects them. We gave them our opinions, he said, and they didn't care. He sees the proposal as the Faculty Senate testing the power of the students and expressed concern that it could set a precedent if

the proposal passes. Currently, the proposal is thought to have widespread sup-port among Faculty Senate members. In a meeting of the University Affairs Committee, which is part of the Faculty Senate, the proposal passed on a 12-4 vote.

a 124 vote. In response to the proposal, HPC is encouraging students to go to the Faculty Senate meet-ing on Wednesday, April 5, at 3:00 in 116 COPS, to show their opposition and talk to the facul-ty. In addition, they are seeking statewide publicity for the meeting. Moore stated that he still believed the proposal could be defeated if enough students show opnosition. w opposition

To be by Rich Feldhau Staff Reporter

Tonight Student Government Senators one time only Uncensored Pointer edition. and discuss the recent

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one time only Uncensored Pointer edition. A resolution authored by Mike Mikalsen, senator from the Col-lege of Letters and Science, "requests that The Pointer print an apology that expresses regret for offending anyone by the publi-cation." The resolution went on to state that if an apology did not appear after the resolution, "the Budget Director of SGA will be mandated to freeze The Pointer organization's state account until July 1, 1989." The premise of the resolution lists several points which por-tray the paper as being "discriminatory in racial and/or sexual manners."

The resolution states "that items in that edition were meant to be offensive and are open to prosecution under conduct codes." Since UWSP is currently attempting to attract a variety of cultures and orientations to the campus, Mikalsen feels that the student body deserves some sort of apology. According to Editor in chief Gabrielle Wyant-Perillo, "the Uncensored edition was in no way intended to be offensive. We did not sit down to discuss publishing an issue as an experiment to find out how many people we could offend. We set out to prove a point about censorship and I think that we accomplished our goal."

our goal." This proposal carries stiff consideration as to whether the accusations of the senator are appropriate. The proposal also poses a serious threat to the newspaper in attempting to with-draw funding allocated last year. "I must admit," said Perillo, "that I'm confused as to wheth-er this is a request or a demand. It seems to me that this is a "do it or else" situation. I will say that I am personally against any form of racism or sexism but since the intent was not to offend our readers I cannot apologize." She added that freedom of the press is still protected under the First Amendment. When delivering a conv of his proposal to The Pointer Miral.

When delivering a copy of his proposal to The Fointer, Mikal-sen stated that the meeting tonight will be held to discuss the proposal. Voting on the matter will take place at the April 6th SGA Senate meeting. Tonights SGA Senate meeting will take place at 7 PM in the Wright Lounge of the University Center.

Enrollment slash

The acting chancellor of are more successful academi-UWSP says he is determined cally, iess likely to quit or be that the school meet enrollment expelled for poor grades. reductions mandated for this fall by the UW System Board of allow students with at least a Rege

Howard Thoyre, speaking this week to separate meetings of campus administrators and the Faculty Senate, announced that one of the newest ways of controlling size is through enact-ment of tougher entrance re-quirements for transfer, re-admitted and re-entering students.

"We are determined to be very close to our target this fall," he said. That means the total head count must be reduced from 9,318 last fall to 9,097 this fall.

Last year, the university was criticized by UW officials for surpassing the count that had been mandated for it. The total number of students was only slightly higher than the target.

expelled for poor grades. The newest transfer rules allow students with at least a 2.9 grade point to be eligible for automatic admission. Appliautomatic admission. Appli-cants who have between a 2 and 2.89 grade point will be placed in a hold category unless they are transferring from a UW Center campus and will have earned 60 or more credits or are in some programs that, in many cases, are unique or among few in the UW System.

Re-entry and re-admitted stu-dents will be subject to the same standards as transfer stu-dents if they have attended an-other college and earned more than six credits since their last attendance at UWSP. If they have not attended another colhave not attended another to lege or earned six credits, they must have a grade point of 2.0. The number of freshman age 3.700-

number of students was only The number of freshman ap-plicants has surpassed 3,700-The problem, however, was in more than 100 ahead of last the full-time-equivalent count, year at the same time and an 266 over. This was the result, in all-time record. Of that group, part, of students taking more 2,700 have been accepted but credits than usual. only those who have paid \$100 Achieving the current round deposits can count on being able of reductions is even more diffi-to enroll for fall classes. To cult than last year because date, about 1,400 students have freshman applications are compaid. The university is planning ing in at a record rate. Add to to that the fact continuing students 1,700 students,



Butts out in September

Nearly all of UWSP was declared a no smoking zone Wednesday by the Faculty Sen-

Use of smoking materials will be banned, effective at the be-ginning of the fall semester in ginning of the rail semester in September; in all buildings except residence halls and the university, Allen and DeBot Centers, where food is served. The initial proposal would have involved buildings where classes are held and the Learn-

have involved buildings where classes are held and the Learn-ing Resources Center. But La Rene Tufts, who heads the School of Communicative Disor-ders, urged that the policy be broadened to affect every build-ing

Roland Juhnke, director of personnel services, disagreed. He said he is not a smoker and does not object to the ban in most places. But in the privacy of dormitory rooms, it's a mat-ter of "my health being my decis ion, not yours.

cision, not yours." Dr. Bill Hettler, one of the founders of wellness programs at UWSP, said he was surpris-ing himself by opposing a total ban. It would be questionable on legal grounds, he suggested, to impose such rules in rooms which students rent as their homes homes.

However, several senators urged the Student Government Association to consider making a recommendation of future pol-icies for eating centers and dorms.

The resolution, entitled "A Breath of Fresh Air," was init-iated by the University Affairs Committee

It stated that "all reliable studies have proven that active and passive smoking are haz-ardous to one's health and that aroous to one's nearth and that there is no safe level of tobacco smoke inhalation. Currently designated smoking areas sub-ject even nonsmokers to the harmful effects of tobacco smoke.

Authors of the resolution noted that a majority of faculty and students surveyed, have in-dicated they support a compre-hensive smoking ban in all aca-demic buildings and the library. Moreover, they contended UWSP has a fundamental re-sponsibility to safeguard the health and well-being of stu-dents and employees. dents and employees.

Neil Lewis, a history profes-sor who chairs the University Affairs Committee, said this morning that the group "thought it better to be in the forefront on this issue. We're a wellness school and should practice that as much as possi-ble."

The resolution did not deal with enforcement of the ban. And the senators did not discuss how offenses would be handled.

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by Thomas Woyte Contributor

Heart disease is a killer. It is the number one cause of death in this country. Heart disease, or coronary artery disease, accounts for over 1.5 million heart attacks and claims the heart attacks and claims the lives of nearly 100,000 people each year. How can you protect from developing this disease? The first step is to be aware of the causes of coronary artery

disease. There are several fac-tors related to lifestyle that lead to the development of this dis-

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ease. It begins early in life and progresses gradually. Over the elasticity and their lining nar-rows. A build-up of plaque will eventually block the circulation of blood to the heart.

At this point, the victim experiences a heart attack-chest pain, weakness, breath-lessness, or sensations of burning are a few of the common symptoms. Over 65 percent of deaths from this disease occur unexpectedly, its victim having had no previous warning signs.

For this reason, coronary ar-tery disease has been called the "silent disease."

There are ways to protect yourself from this life-threaten-ing disease. Studies have shown ing disease. Studies have shown that more than 50 percent of the individual's risk of developing heart disease is related to life-style. We have control over these factors. Therefore, by making positive lifestyle choices, we can become healthi-er individuals and take a step toward the prevention of this disease. disease

Over the last 20-30 years, a number of different risk factors have been identified in correlation with coronary artery dis-ease. The major risk factors are: cigarette smoking, obesity, inactivity, poor nutritional choices, abuse of alcohol, high blood pressure, blood cholester-ol and emotional stress.

Many of these lifestyle factors are related to one another. And in nearly all of them, the indi-vidual has control (hereditary and environmental factors are greatest opportunity to change.

Minorities move ahead

Recruitment of minority stu-dents to attend the UWSP mov-Kulick reports that membering ahea

Ken Kulick, a counselor for the Office of Admissions and High School Relations, is coordinating the accelerated effort and describes the results to date as "encouraging."

The number of applications from new minority students is up about 11 percent from one year ago. In 1988 at this time, there were acceptances of seven new blacks, nine Native Ameri-cans, 15 Oriental Asians and 12 Hispanics. The number of acceptances of blacks in 1989 has more than doubled, from three. The Native American count is the same; the Oriental Asians are down by four but the Hispanics are up to five.

The university is part of a WW system campaign, entitled "Design for Diversity," to in-crease the population of minori-ty people in the faculties, staffs and student bodies at all its member schools.

Minority recruitment at UWSP has always been diffi-cult, largely because of its loca-tion in one of America's whitest regions.

So what kind of an appeal are Kulick and other making in their own campaign? No gimmicks, for one thing. "We're selling people on the quality of our academic pro-grams," Kulick explains. "The pebodic offenings in the The school's offerings in the

The school's offerings in the classroom have always been a major attraction for students across the board and it's no exception for minorities. The fact UWSP has a large number of majors that are widely re-garded is important support for

Kulick reports that members of minority groups are required to meet the same standard acato meet the same standard aca-demic requirements as those imposed on all other incoming students. "We do however, give the minorities every consideration we can.

A recent innovation in pro-moting UWSP's majors and the institution as a whole among minority students was a phone-a-thon. Staffers in the Educaa-thon. Staffers in the Educa-tional Opportunity Program Of-fice, Native American Center and Admissions and High School Relations Offices were joined by minority students already attending the university in calling applicants.

We encouraged our students not only to invite these appli-cants to pay us a visit, but to bring their friends, too."

Another new innovation in mianother new innovation in mi-nority recruitment, one that was promoted during the phone-a-thon, is a Minority Student Career Day on campus April 7, a Friday. Participants will Career Day on campus April 7, a Friday. Participants will spend the day on campus, visit-ing with teachers, cournedors and others, touring facilities and spending the night. The fol-lowing day, they will join other prospective students who will be there for the years third Cam-pus Preview Day. "We're really pleased with

"We're really pleased with the response we had from our calling. I think it was a great experience for everyone involed," Kulick reports.

For the current year, UWSP enrolled a total of 222 minority students in all classes. That number included 54 blacks, 82 Native Americans, 51 Asian Or ientals and 35 Hispanics.







We're not lost; we're in Britain

by Dawn Kopchinski

Where else in the world can UWSP students, while walking to class, be stopped within ten feet of Princess Diana dropping little Prince William off for school? Where else in the world can UWSP students be served a breakfast of baked beans breaktast or baked beans on toast? And, where else in the world can Pointer people see Rembrandts, pierced noses, Elton John and George Michael on the streets and Big Ben at night? In London, of cou

The Semester in Britain has been the learning experience of a lifetime and, the best part is, it's not even half over!

On January 10, our group flew eight hours in a KLM jet (the Dutch airline) form Chicago O'Hare to Amsterdam, Few of O'Hare to Amsterdam. Few of us knew each other those first days. Soon though, twenty-one Point students, twelve from other universities, and our leaders, Theatre professor Susan Rush and retired English professor Lee Burress, his wife Maxine and his sister Peg be-

Maxime and his sister Peg be-came one big happy family. After we landed at Heathrow Airport, we went on a three day, introductory bus tour of southern England. We stopped in Portsmouth, the heart of the British fleet, to go through the Mary Rose Museum. It is dedi-cated soldly to the predestion of cated solely to the restoration of

UWSP students spending a semester in Britain take time out from their stud-

the British ship which sank in 1543 on its maiden voyage. Ancity other commendable was Winchester. There, we snapped pictures of the cathedral, one of the endless many, as well as novelist Jane Austen's house.

Some of the notable side trips Some of the notable side trips our group has taken together in-clude Stonehenge, Bath, and Stratford-upon-Avon. We discov-ered that Stonghenge wasn't THAT huge. We learned about the understand the interiment of the Roman Baths, used to bathe and worship gods and goddesses hundreds of years ago. Strat-ford-upon-Avon was our best bus trip during which we toured four of five houses in the Shakespeare Trust. During Shakespeare's time, people really did swallow live frogs to clear lumps in their throats. All of us had frogs in our throats hearing that bit of folklore.

When we aren't taking week-end group trips, we are first encouraged to finish our stud-ies, which are tougher than expected. We are secondly allowed to explore on our own. During weekdays, many of us jog through sunny, flower-speckled Hyde Park which is only a block away. Or, we visit the never- ending art galleries and museums. A lot of us have sat in on court cases or tried sat in on court cases or tried ethnic restaurants for lunch. Chinese, Indian, Italian, and American fast food places are very popular. A plain McDo-nald's hamburger costs eighty-five pence (about \$1.60) and an expensive spinoff of Rocky Ro-coco's make us really miss those nurnel/gold discount those purple/gold discount cards back home.

On weekends when mass troup trips are not scheduled, we broaden our horizons. We leave the comfortable French Centre to bus to breathtaking Edinburgh and Glasgow, Scot-land. Too bad we haven't spot-ted Nessie yet. A few have suc-cessfully travelled east to Dov-er and west to Wales. Some have even gone to France. A handful of adventurous pilgrims journeyed to Ireland over St. Patrick's Day. Almost everyone plans to hit the big college towns of Cambridge and Oxford to buy authentic sweatshirts or at least try to trade our Point ones with the natives. Among our many surprises Centre to bus to breathtaking

In London, pubs open from around noon until two to serve traditional foods such as steak and kidney pie, fish and chips

(greasy french fries), and a plowman's meal of bread and cheese. And, to wash it down, anyone over eighteen can buy ale and lager (bitter beer). One pint of beer costs one pound thirty pence which equals around \$2.60. Popcorn is unseen here. Many of us are going through Ella's and "Buffy's Hong Heure" arthétempol

Before we get a chance to set foot on American soil, waving our American flags and scaring our families with our new purour tamines with our new pur-ple mohawks, we will be on a comprehensive, three-week bus tour of Europe. We're not too anxious to get the dreaded "bus butt," buy we are excited to let you in on more of our adven-tures in later weeks. In the tures in later weeks. In the meantime, if your know John Ainsworth, Kathy Ambler, Kris-tin Anderson, Greta Ausloos, Kelli Cramer, Darlene Duda, Chris Finley, Kristin Gunther, Julie Harris, Peg Hunnicutt, Lindsay Hykes, Michelle John-son, Jim Kluck, Kris Klug, Ke-yin Knitt Dawn Konchinski vin Knitt, Dawn Kopchinski, Paul Kramer, Melanie Kutzleb, Duane Laska, Thomas Mattson, Kim McCord, Julia Melk, Wendy Nagel, Kristin Paulson, Jennifer Rockey, Amy Schaub dy Nagel, Kristin Pauison, Jennifer Rockey, Amy Schaub, Tony Schmitz, Amy Schuette, Tim Sheehan, Mark Simons, Jessica Spitalnic, Terri Twet, or Krista Wozniak, why not drop a line? Mail takes one week to get . Our address until April 7,

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ular basis to analyze her condi-tion. That's blood babies can't afford to lose, so April was giv-en blood transfusions. This was

blood donated through a Red

Cross Bloodmobile.

said.

Cross Bloodmobile. Joni gives a great deal of credit to the blood April re-ceived. "Without the blood, she never would have made it," she said. Now volunteering, espe-cially helping with the Red Cross, has become very impor-tant to Joni. "Somebody helped her daughter and I need to do something to repay them," she said.

said. With the spring Bloodmobile coming April 11-13th, set aside an hour or so to come in and give blood or volunteer to help out. Your precious time and blood becomes even more important to those that receive it and they thank you. Appoint-ments can be made in the U.C. Concourse at Allen or Debot

Concourse or Allen or Debot

Your blood saves lives! April's parents thank you.

Giving blood, the topic of many conversations during the fall and spring blood drives here at UWSP, is more impor-tant than many think. When its over many leave with a warm feeling in their heart, knowing that a pint of their blood can save another in need. This is int an arample of a

save another in need. This is just an example of a blood recipient, a newborn baby, whose life was saved be-cause someone cared enough to give. April is a miracle baby, said her mother Joni Gilday. She was born by caesarian sec-tion at full term, but things were not right. April was diag-nosed by physiciana as having Highland Membrane Disease, an illness which occurs in prean illness which occurs in pre-mature infants. But with the help of medical technology, blood transfusions and many caring people, April is here to day Joni said.

During April's stay at the hos-pital, blood was drawn on a reg-

Happy Hour" withdrawal. Overall, our group has been happy and healthy and making

happy and healthy and making friends, not only among ourselves, but also with any friendly British, Welsh and French people we've met. The familiar phrase, "Wish you were here," is written on almost all of the postcards we send to the States. And, we mean it mean it.



17th Annual Festival of the Arts

by Kathy Phillippi Features Editor

Central Wisconsin ushers in a new season of cultural events with the 17th Annual Festival of the Arts. This year's festival will be held Sunday, April 2, from 10 am to 5 pm on both lev-els of UWSP's Fine Arts Build-

ies and sightseeing to pose for a picture.

The main feature of the Festival is the exhibition and sale of val is the exhibition and sale of origional art by approximately sixty artists from throughout the Midwest. The exhibitions will include paintings, jeweiry, ceramics, wood, leather, pho-tography, glass, drawings, fiber and graphics. Other Exectival attractions in

Other Festival attractions in-clude: art demonstrations, a si-lent auction, musilent auction, musi-cal/theatrical/dance perfor-mances and a special display by Stevens Point high school students.

students. Renee Gouaux, curator and director of the Edna Carlsten Gallery, is this year's judge. Cash prizes for Best of Show and Awards of Excellence will be presented at the Festival.

Sponsored by the Festival of



the Arts Council and University Women, the Festival of the Arts is recognized as one of the high-est quality art shows in Central

Wisconsin. It is open to stu dents, faculty and the general public and there is no admission fee. POINTER PAGE 8 Thursday, March 30, 1989



Name: Lori A. Wojtalewicz Hometown: Stevens Point Major: Fashion Merchandiz-

ing Academic Year: Senior Quote: If it's controlled then let them drink



Name: J. Davis Hometown: Barrington, Il Major: Business

Academic Year: Freshmen Quote: I can pick my President but I can't pick my beer. There is something wrong here.



Name: Julie Apker Hometown: Milwaukee Major: Communications Academic Year: Sophmore

Quote: A dry-campus will only cause further difficulties in confrontation procedures for residence hall staff. It will affect the student spirit negatively and inflame an already tough situation.



What are your thoughts on the

'Dry Campus'' proposal?

Name: Denise Dmack Hometown: Apple Valley, MN Major: Dance & Interior Design

Academic Year: Senior

Quote: A dry campus would never pull through, because no matter what, students will get their hands on the alcohol. If there's a will there's a way. If alcohol is kept under control don't fight it.



Name: Farid Khan Hometown: Malaysia Major: Business Administration and Economics Academic Year: Senior

Quote: Don't have a legal drinking age. Be responsible when you drink.

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The entire Pointer Hockey team gathers for a quick photo session after winning the championship.

Pointer hockey team proves they are the best

by Brian Posick Rochester, N.Y.—The Univer-sity of Wisconsin-Stevens Point hockey team proved it was the best in the United States among NCAA Division III schools thi Past Saturday beating the Roch-ester Institute of Technology to win the first ever national championship in the short histo-ry of the Pointer hockey prory of gram.

Shawn Wheeler's goal at the 14:21 mark of the third period was the game-winner as the was the game-winner as the Dawgs defeated the Tigers 3-2 in New York

The previous night the Pointers battled back from a two goal deficit in the third period to tie R.I.T., the eastern regions number one seed, 3-3. Wheeler had found the same success this night as well, putting home a rebound in front of the net with just 3:30 left in the game to force the decisive Saturday game.

Maybe even more impressive is the fact that the Pointers, the number one ranked team in the country the entire season, had to go on the road to fight for the National Championship. It was

quite a trip. "Some of these kids (on the team) took a chance with me when I started this program four years ago." said head coach Mark Mazzoleni following Saturday night's game. "They set goals for this team and this was their final goal, the national championship. They won it and they deserve it."

Mazzoleni was hired as the full-time head coach of the hockey team four years ago by former UW-SP athletic director tormer UW-SP athletic director Don Amiot. Mazzoleni had pre-viously spent time at the University of Illinois- Chicago as an assistant coach and re-cruiter. He brought his recruit-

ing knowledge, plus his experi-ence as a goaltender at Michi-gan State University with him to his new position. This was the first step to the National Championship.

Friday night, besides Wheeler's game-tying heroics, there were three individuals that stood out on the ice: Tiger sophomore center Chris Palmer, and Pointer freshmen Paul Caufield and Todd Chin.

Palmer recorded a hat trick in the contest and built R.I.T.'s lead to 3-1 in the second period lead to 3-1 in the second period following his third straight powerplay goal of the night. The Pointers were whistled for 15 penalties in the game and had allowed the Tigers an incredible 10 powerplay opportu-nities through the first two perinds

Caufield tied the score at 1 in the first period on assists from Wheeler and senior winger Rick FLeming about half way through the frame. And it was Caufield again that gave the Pointers a chance to knot the score.

After receiving a pass from Ralph Barahona at center ice, Caufield went between two de-fenders and surprised R.I.T. goaltender Fred Abraham with a falling, twisting effort that beat the netminder low to the ice to cut the deficit to 3-2 with four minutes gone by in the third period. Caufield went between two de

And then it was Wheeler's turn.

And Chin. Possibly the team's And Chin. Possibly the team's Most Valuable Player. Undoubt-edly the team's most improved player. And definitely the most surprising story of the season. A red-shirt freshman who spent four years in the Marines and hadn't stepped on the ice during that time until he was sum-moned into action before the third period of the Mankato State series back in February, Chin finished the season unbeaten, 9-0-2, and saved the day for the Pointers in game one Friday.

one Friday. Chin stopped 19 Tiger shots in the first period and another 15 in the second to keep the Point-ers close. His game total of 42 saves was the most by a Pointgoaltender this season. He er recorded another 17 saves Saturday, including shutting out the Tigers the final 8:19 to earn the victory:

However, Saturday's story has got to list determination and pride as the characteristics behind the National Championship season.

ship season. The determination and pride of Mike Stahley. His short-handed goal with 2:44 left in the second period tied the final game at one and most probably the turning point in the game. Stahley and his other power play kill teammates are always shorthanded when they get on the ice, but even five on four or there disadvantages don't bother the grinders. The determination and pride

don't bother the grinders. The determination and pride of Mike Hess. Two summers ago his career should have been over after he suffered a severe knee injury. He red-shirted last year. This year he finally re-ceived his chance to play and responded with his first goal of the season Saturday night at 7:23 of the third period to give the Pointers their first lead of the entire weekend. the entire weekend.

And the determination and pride of Mazzoleni who believed in himself and the players he brought here. It's almost as if it was inevitable.

The Pointers were the only team to win their last game of the season. They proved it. The Pointers are the national ice hockey champions.

Kaiser to leave Lady Pointer post

STEVENS POINT-Ruth Anne Kaiser, 25, has announced her resignation as head coach of the women's basketball program at UW-Stevens Point. Her resigna-

UW-Stevens Point. Her resigna-tion is effective June 1, 1989. Kaiser coached for two sea-sons at Point amassing an 18-28 career mark, including a 6-17 overall record this season.

Kaiser was named head coach of the Lady Pointers, July 8, 1987. She came to UWSP from the University of Arizona where was a part-time assistant she coach.

A native of Chatsworth, Ill., Kaiser played four years at the University of Notre Dame.

By Timothy A Bishop

Sports Columnist

Kaiser replaced Linda Wund-er who left to be head coach at Miami (Ohio) University. The Health, Physical Educa-

tion, Recreation and Athletic Department is in the process of developing a job description for the position of head women's basketball coach. A search and screen committee will also be formed.

"I want to thank Ruth Anne for serving in the capacity of women's basketball coach for the past two years," said Cal Kuphall, UWSP Director of Athletics. "Her enthusiasm, de-sire, and effort will be difficult to match to match.

"The entire athletic depart-ment wishes her the very best."

STRIKING OUT

The joke was on the UWSP hockey team at the 1989 NCAA National Championship tournament.

ment. All indicators showed that the Pointers would host the cham-plonship series of the tourna-ment last weekend against the Rochester (N.Y.) Institute of Technology (RIT). But when the bids were handed out the day after the semi-final rounds were completed, the nod went to Rochester.

Why weren't the Pointers awarded the host site for the Continued on page 12



Photo by Sara Dee

Shawn Wheeler embraces teammates after receiving the most valuable player award for the tournament.





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throughout the entire season. Those that know hockey best, the coaches, knew who was the

It also wasn't the Pointers' record. At that point in the sea-son, the Pointers were 33-5-1, with three of those five losses in

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Alaska against NCAA Division I competition. Another loss and the Pointers' sole tie came in the Northern Collegiate Hockey Association (NCHA) playoffs. Association (NCHA) playoffs. RIT had a record of 27-6-1.

It certainly wasn't the quality of fans that the Pointers have. After all, UWSP fans have con-sistantly filled the Willett Are-Even in the semifinal na round, the Pointers managed to crowd the people into the arena despite the series falling on the opening weekend of spring break. And there certainly wasn't much breathing room for the quarterfinal round ei-

So, what did come into play in the decision to place the series in Rochester rather than Ste-vens Point. Well, let's take a While Stevens Point falls in the middle of true America, Rochester is nestled in New York State, just a stone's throw away from New York City.

Rochester is a much larger city, with a population of nearly 100,000 people. That compares to the meager 30,000 that live in nd around Stevens Point.

With the fact that Rochester is a larger city than Stevens Point comes the fact that RIT has a larger hockey arena. With a larger hockey arena comes more seats, and more seats means that the NCAA can make more money in Rochester.

Now, Rochester was the top seed in the East Regional, but the Pointers were tops in the West.

Clearly, the NCAA dumped fairness in favor of money. The only thing that Rochester has that Stevens Point doesn't is money. The NCAA ignored the

Info interviews: top team in the country, the team with the best ranking and record, and gave the series to the Hostess With The Mostest.

Looking back at the rest of the NCAA and NCHA playoffs, it was an outstanding show. The calibre of hockey was the best that true amateur college hockthat true amateur conlege nock-ey can provide. Bernidji State (in both tournaments) Eau Claire (in the NCAA's) and Mankato State (in the NCHA tourney) all provided true hock-ey excitement, and the Pointers proved that they truly could put back anything that was sent their way

It is only a shame that they couldn't finish the season in the way that they deserved, by win-ning their first ever national championship in front of the people who supported them all the way.

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By Timothy Byers Outdoors Write.

We're going to do something a little different with Eco-Briefs this week. You are used to seeing nine paragraphs of various environmental happenings. This week we're only going to talk about one, the death of Edward Abbey on March 14, 1989.

Edward Abbey was often called an environmental writer or a nature writer. It is true that he wrote about those things, but mostly he directed stinging satires and outrageous parodies at those who destroy nature. You. Me. The whole industrial wrecking crew, as he might say

One of his best-known books is the Monkey Wrench Gang. The cast in the fictional work meet by accident and plan a counterattack against the "me gamachine with the grossest na tional product." A series of "ecotage" episodes follow with the end purpose to blow up the Glen Canyon Dam in one grand fina

This book is credited with catalyzing some environmentalists into more direct actions against environmental degraders. "Ecotage" has come to mean removing survey stakes, spiking trees so they won't be cut down, and generally trying to halt the mass destruction of nature. Abbey never wholly admitted to advocacy of such actions, but he didn't discourage them either

Other books by Abbey are: Desert Solitaire, Good News Desert Solitaire, Good News, Fire On The Mountain, Down The River, Black Sun, The Brave Cowboy, Jonathan Troy, and the latest, The Fool's Progress. Collections of essays in-clude: Abbey's Road, The Jour-ney Home, Beyond The Wall, ney Home, Beyond The Jour-ney Home, Beyond The Wall, and Slumgullion Stew. In addi-tion he worked with photogra-phers to produce five natural history books. A sequel to The Monkey Wrench Gang, Hayduke Lives!, was almost finished when Abbey died and may be published next year.

I've read all of these except Jonathan Troy, Abbey's first novel, which "mercifully went out of print," as he said. I was just beginning The Fool's Prog-ress when I heard he had died. It was the second day of Spring Break, and I, like the character in the book, was on my way to family in rural hill country.

Because of the similarities in our trips, this last novel touched me deeply. As I drove over the countryside, read the over the countryside, read the book, and thought of Abbey's death, I thought of the void that needs to be filled with his voice gone. The outrage for those things which lessen our world that Abbey so forcefully de-nounced must go on. Even though Abbey talked

Even though Abbey talked tough about taking action to protect the earth he realized one couldn't do it all. He said you should be "a reluctant Continued on page 14

Outdoors Writer

It is Monday morning and you struggle to get out of bed. Fin-ally, you make it to the shower. Warm streams of water bounce Warm streams of water bounce off your body. Signs of life are starting to flow out of your head. Damn, out of hot water. Well, it must be time to get dressed. Off to school you go. Since your roommate ate the last flake of cereal, you decide to eat breakfast at school. Ah, coffee, your lifeline in the morn-ing, and a bagel. You grab a styrofoam cup and pour some coffee. Just across the aisle, a bagel has your name on it. Breakfast was great and now bagei nas your name on it. Breakfast was great and now it's time to throw away the gar-bage and go to class. A typical senario for some UW-SP students

But there is a problem. That styrofoam cup you just threw away contains some very bad

plastics are composed of toxic chemicals. But even worse, styrofoam contains a non-toxic, non-flammable, and non- decomposable chemical which is very harmful to our environ-ment and to us. The chemical is called chloroflourocarbons. Bet ter known as CFC's.

CFC's have four main uses. They are used as refrigerants, blowing agents for making foam, cleaning fluids, and as propellants. As refrigerants, they are used in most freezers and refrigerators as well as in air conditioning units for auto-mobiles and buildings. As blowing agents, CFC's make rigid foam which appears as ice chests and coffee cups. They also form flexible foam which is d to make furniture cushior and pillows. As cleaning agents, the chemical washes hundreds of products such as computer chips and artificial hip joints. aeros ol cans.

The United States has bann the use of CFC's in aerosols but the use of CFC's in aerosols but other foreign countries have not. So, some CFC's make into this country. An example is sil-ly string sold by Kmart. Look at the can and see if it says it contains CFC's. Make sure when buying aerosol cans, look to see if it contains CFC's.

What is the problem with What is the problem with CFC's if they are so useful to man? Because they are so sta-ble, CFC's will last for up to 150 years. The CFC gases rise slow-ly about 25 miles where the tre-mendous force of the sun's ul-traviolet radiation shatters the CFC, freeing the chemical else ment chlorine. Once freed, a single atom of chlorine destroys about 100.000 molecules of ozone about 100,000 molecules of ozone before settling to the Earth's surface years later.

Three percent, and perhaps up to five percent, of the global

ozone layer has already been destroyed by CFC's. Inter tional Wildlife March/April Interna If your not aware of what the ozone layer does, it protects us from the dangerous ultraviolet rays which can burn holes in our skin. The ozone layer is the protector of the Earth.

By purchasing styrofoam pro-ducts right here on campus and from other places, you are di-rectly contributing to ozone de-pletion. Some students and I are working toward the elimination of styrofeam products on camof styrofoam products on cam-pus. Right now, the university food service's contract is up for re-bidding. This means that a change in companies can take place and a company with CFC free and biodegradable packaging can take over. A change in packaging must occur now be-cause the contract with a company lasts for up to five years.

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1989 Eagle Walk a success

By Timothy Byers **Outdoors** Writer

The 1989 Eagle Walk was a success! Twenty people were involved with this year's 200-mile jaunt, the eighth annual, and now all of their hard work and miles on the road have paid off. When the group returned to the UC Sunday night they couldn't quite say goodbye so they whooped and huddled as a group before going home.

One of the highlights of this ear's Walk was the great vear's weather. It looked bad the first day, the St. Patrick's Day bliz-zard, but that was only a temporary nuisance. Soon warm skies and winds kept the walk-ers company. Dean Alan Haney, Acting Chancellor Howard Thoyre, Mayor Scott Schultz, Representative Stan Gruszynski and Scott West saw them off in the snow

This year a proclamation from Governor Tommy Thomptrom Governor Tommy Thomp-son was read which praised the walkers for their preservation efforts and acknowledged the real value of keeping natural Wisconsin lands safe from de-veloment. velopment.

When you spend eight hours when you spend eight hours a day or more on the road for ine days with a small group of people you really notice what they say! Some memorable quotes from this year's Walk are: "Does anyone know where when geing or how we're get. are: "Does anyone know where we're going or how we're get-ting there?" "No! I won't walk anymore!" (from a nightmare), and "You guys, we'd be really burnmin' if there was a bull in this field!"

A nightly ritual on the Walk is to soak your feet in cold water to relieve and prevent swelling. While soaking one night a walk-er exclaimed, "'It's stupidly cold!"

Strangers you meet can say Strangers you meet can be the strangest things too. A bag-boy in the Hillsboro Piggly Wiggly said, "You're not from around here are you?" A young



Over hill, over dale the Eagle Walkers still prevail. Above is a shot of par-ticipants from the 1989 Eagle Walk as they return from a 200 mile jaunt for the preservation of the American Eagle.

boy in Boscobel observed, "Isn't college a long ways away?" Not everyone is a stranger though. Meals were cooked for though. Meals were cooked for the walkers by the good people, in Monroe Center, Woodman, Bloomington, New Lisbon, and Blue River. Terry Kendall of Richland Center once again bought lunch and donated to the cause. Cars stopped and friend-ly people inquired of destina-tions and purposes for this group of backpackers.

The Wisconsin Chapter of the The Wisconsin Chapter of the Nature Conservancy will be the recipient of this year's pledges. The Eagle Valley Nature Pre-serve had been a past receiver, but now the Kohler Company has purchased the Valley and we hope will insure its preser-vation. Word is expected this week on plans for the 1,200-acre property. Most think that the company will keep the land nat-ural and fund research projects on the ecological systems still intact at the Valley.

This was good news for the Walkers as a cloud of economic woes has been over the Valley for some time. All past and pre-sent walkers should now be able to breathe easier.

At Eagle Valley on Saturday night there was an awards cere-mony to cap off the trek. The mony to cap off the trek. The three TABs handed out certifi-cates for the Eagle Walk Soar-ing Awards. Some of the catego-ries were: Best Sustained Wit, Best Roadside Musician, Best Appetite, Best Eagle Walk Shuf-fle, Most Blown Out Joints In One Body, Best Sustained Bil-sters, Best Certified Eagle Walk M.D., and Most Determined Stride.

It was a good year for the Walk. Good people and fine weather made for a strong group that helped each other every step of the way. Now it's time to look forward to number 9, next Spring Break!

Forest Products Week

MADISON- Memories of last MADISON- Memories of last summer's heat and drought should prompt Wisconsin resi-dents to plant trees, "nature's energy-saving air conditioners," on their lots and lands, according to the state's chief fore

Joe Frank, who directs the Department of Natural Re-sources' Bureau of Forestry, encouraged Wisconsin residents to use the upcoming Forest Pro-ducts Week, April 24-30, as a time to "plan and plant for a greener Wisconisn."

Frank said strategic placement of trees around homes and in landscapes can reduce air conditioning costs by as much as 20 percent, according to some studies. In some circum-Continued on page 14

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So if a change doesn't occur, a change will be very hard to come by in the next five years. Action must be taken right now and we need your help.

and we need your help. You can help by boycotting styrofoam in all forms on cam-pus and elsewhere. Simply, tell the cashier you want a paper cup or you wish to have your sandwich wrapped in paper in-stead of styrofoam. Paper is biodegradable and recyclable. You can voice your opinion to food service. After all, we are the ones who buy their food and they have to please us or we'll go somewhere else like Har-dee's. go s dee's

It is time for a change. We are not going to take it any-more. This issue is not just a national issue anymore. It is

global. Isn't it time college stu-dents show America and the world that we are concerned and we are going to do some-thing about it. With your sup-port, we can make this happen. port, we can make this happen. Our future and our children's future depends on you and I to take action. SO LETS DO IT!

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enthusiast, a part-time crusauer, a half-hearted fanatic. Save the other half of yourselves and your lives for pleasure and adventure." What's the use of saving the earth if you don't enjoy it?

Abbey concludes, "Enjoy yourselves, keep your brain in your head and your head firmly attached to the body, the body active, and alive, and I promise you this much: I promise you

this one sweet victory over our enemies, over those deskbound men with their hearts in a safe deposit box and their eyes hypnotized by desk calculators. I promise you this: You will out-live the bastards." So long Cactus Ed, you didn't quite outlive them all.

Forest

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stances, a large tree is believed to be the equivalent of five air conditioning units. But even if the summer

1989 isn't as hot as 1988 and the electricity savings are less, Frank said planting trees is an excellent way to increase excellent way to increase property value.

"Federal studies show that trees can contribute an average of seven percent to the value of a half-acre home site and as much as 27 percent of the ap-praised value of the property," Frank said.

"Trees add beauty and value to Wisconsin and Wisconsin's economy," Frank said. "But just as we're grateful to those who came before us for planting the trees we enjoy today, we have to think of those who are still to come and plant trees for their benefit."

Frank reported that DNR for-esters around the state were finding a "great deal of inter-est" in Forest Products Week est" in Forest Products Week and Arbor Day activities that have the goal of enlisting a mil-lion Wisconsin residents in tree planting the week of April 24 through 30.

"The 'One of a million' cam-paign is off to a fine start," Frank said, "and the momen-

viduals, organizations and pri-vate businesses such as garden stores can get involved in the week of tree planting. Sponsored by the Governor's

Sonsored by the Goernor's Council on Forestry, the week has three criteria for those wanting to become "One of a Million" and earn a "One of a Million" sticker:

-Plant a tree-any kind or size.

-Assist in tree planting (such

-Assist in tree planting (such as shoveling, watering), -Participate in a tree plant-ing activity if there is a pro-gram, informational presenta-tion or demonstration.

The Forest Products Week Steering Committee dedicated the entire week to tree planting to help Wisconsin replace trees lost in last summer's drought and forest fires. But the new trees also will provide for futrees also will provide for tu-ture jobs, enhance Wisconsin's natural beauty, provide wildlife habitat, protect against soil ero-sion, clean the air and provide shade or windbreaks, saving

Some 250,000 people are em-ployed in forest management and forest products industries in Wisconsin.





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American Cancer Society esti-mates that a minimum of 30,000 lives could be saved in ten years from now if Americans would modify their dietary hab-

Ask yourself, do I enjoy two or three balance meals a day or am I sustaining my life on fatty foods, caffeine and the "Butter-finger group?" The vitamins foods, caffeine and the "Butter-finger group?" The vitamins found in a balanced diet have been shown to decrease our risk

of developing heart disease. Eat a balanced diet of carbohydrates approximately 60 per-cent of total calories, protein-30 percent and fat-20 percent, of total calories. Take in an adequate percentage of the essen-tial nutrients. By eating more that nutrients. by eating more fruits and vegetables, whole grain breads and cereals and poultry and fish in place of fat-ty red meats, you will have no problems with vitamin or min-eral deficiencies.

Get some exercise. According to the American Heart Associa-, "exercise training can in-ase cardiovascular function tion, capacity and decrease myocar-dial oxygen demand." A good exercise like cross aerobic exercise like cross-coun-try sking, swimming, running, bicycling, aerobics or walking, that elevates your heart rate for a prolonged period, is going to strengthen and help protect your heart muscle from disease. The better shape you are in, the more efficient your heart will be. This means your heart will be unis means your heart will pump more blood/heart beat

system.

Nutrition and exercise are only two of the ways to achiev-ing greater health. There are many other programs and activities that can help you in-crease your wellness and decrease your risk of developing coronary artery disease. They reward-cover the risk factors men- and heal tioned earlier; smoking cessa- Where tion, alcohol counseling, weight mation: management, and stress management programs.

A good way to ensure health and prevent coronary artery disease is to find a balance in everything that you do. In the words of wellness pioneer Don-ald Ardell, "...achieve an opti-mal state of wellness." Wellness is a process, a preventive proc-ess, that involves living a healthy, balanced life. This balance includes health in the ev-ery dimension of our lives—the physical, social, intellectual, occupational, spiritual and emo-tional dimensions.

These areas cover every aspect of a person's life, but aspect of a person's life, but more than w perhaps the one most important They are tra factor that you have control smoking cess over is your physical wellness. agement, nut The lifestyle choices you make right now will determine your range a small physical well-being later on in life.

Your heart won't tell you that a miracle-cure for this disease. third floor of the health center.

and lessen the stress on your But chances are, that won't happen. For now, preventive medicine is the best insurance you can invest in.

So take the time every day to be well. Make those positive lifestyle choices and you can feel confident that your efforts will offer you a very valuable reward—the reward of a long and healthy life.

Where to go for more infor-

The U.S. Department of The U.S. Department of Health and Human Service along with the National Institute of Health, publishes guidelines to good nutrition and disease prevention. They give sugges-tions to food choices that can increase your health and decrease your risk of developing coro-nary artery disease. They are available in government documents (6th floor LRC) or upon request from the American Heart Association.

The health center has dozens of informative handouts on diet, of informative nandouts on diet, exercise and many other fitness topics. Lifestyle assistants are more than willing to help you. They are trained in providing smoking cessation, weight man-agement, nutrition and alcohol presentations. RAs can help ar-range a small group for the LA

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THE MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA OF THE YEAR!

First annual Mardi Gras ball

by Kathy Phillippi

Features Editor

Remember when colleges and universities used to have oldfashioned proms?

On Saturday, April 1, the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point will host the first annual Mardi Gras Ball in the University Center.

"Here's your chance to dress up and attend a nostalgic col-lege prom night," said Don Greene, chairman of the Music Department.

Advertized as "the musical extravaganza of the year", the event will feature rock, jazz, dixieland, country and orchestra music

Things will get underway at 6pm in the Program Banquet Room with the John Radd Trio

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(and friends). Other scheduled events include: The Dixieland All- Stars, featuring UWSP faculty jazz musicians (7-8 pm

Program Banquet Room and 9:30-10:30 Heritage Room); Big-Band Express (8-10:15 pm and 11:30 pm-12 am Program Ban-quet Room); and a floor show by the Mid-Americans (10:30-11:15 pm Program Ban-11:15 pm Program Banquet Room

The rock band "Paris" will appear in the Encore Room from 7:30-10:30 pm and "South-bound," a country band will be appearing in the Wisconsin Room at the same time.

Tickets for the Mardi Gras Ball are \$12.50 for the general public and \$10.00 for students and senior citizens. Included in the ticket price is a cash bar and food.

So get out that old prom dress or dust off your high school graduation suit and put on your dancing shoes. UWSP's first annual Mardis Gras Ball is an event you won't want to miss.

From nage 12 Striking Out

Finally, a note to the NCAA- son play after a long absence. If you aren't going to allow The Gators were selected to the best team in the nation to play in the NIT tournament. host the championship series, And they played well enough perhaps you should consider there to be respectable. host the championship series, perhaps you should consider putting it at a neutral location. How about somewhere like Chicago, Detroit or South Bend, Incago, Detroit or South Bend, in-diana. These are all pretty much centrally located between the East and West Regions and give the fans from both teams an equal chance of attending the series.

Oh well..

One late note on the Badger Basketball season. Badger fans, take heart. Just three years ago, the University of Florida returned to post-sea-

This year, the Gators won the always tough Southeastern Con-ference with two weeks remain-ing in the season and were in-vited to play in the NCAA tourney.

Like that Florida team of 1985-86, the Wisconsin Badgers ended a long post-season drought and played in the NIT. drought and played in the NIT. Perhaps in just a couple more years, people could be looking at Wisconsin to beat out the likes of Michigan, Illinois, Indi-ana and Iowa in the Big Ten.



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66 Mom says the house just isn't the same without me, even though its a lot cleaner.99



Hundreds of collegiate minority leaders to convene at UW-Eau Claire

Eau Claire—Minority student leaders from colleges and universities throughout Wisconsin will share insights and experiences April 21-23 at the Sixth Annual American Minority Student Leadership Conference to be held at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire.

Wisconsur-Eau came. Titled "Diversity: The Minority Student Perspective on Economics. Politics, Education, Community and Spirtuality," the conference is expected to attract nearly 500 students from the UW System's 13 universities, plus others from private institutions in Wisconsin and schools in adjoining states. Registrations are due April 3.

Dr. Kenneth Shaw, UW System president will present the

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opening speech. Dr. Arnold Mitchem, executive director of the Washington, D.C. based National Council of Educational Opportunity Associations, will keynote the banquet on Saturday, April 22. The former minority affairs director at Marquette University, where he also taught, Mitchem now represents administrators, counselorg and teachers involved with Idw-income, minority and other disadvantaged students in educational opportunity programs.

Also addressing the conference will be Dr. Sara Melendez, vice provost and executive assistant to the president at the University of Bridgeport in Connecticut. She formerly directed special minority initiatives for the American Council on Education.

tion. "Wisconsin may be the only state to provide all minority college students an opportunity to organize and participate in a major professional conference with an agenda reflecting their interests," said Jim Vance, UW-Eau Claire's director of minority recruitment and retention.

by recruitment and recention. Sponsored by the UW System and the West Central Wisconsin Consortium (UW-Eau Claire, UW-Stout, UW-River Falls and UW-La Crosse), the conference has gained in attendance from 125 students to the more than 400 participants last year at UW-Stout. The event also attracts faculty and staff who work with minority students and programs.

Deborah Harris, minority student adviser and a coordinator of Educational Opportunities programs at UW-Eau Claire, is co-chair for the conference. She said student-written and presented papers, panel discussions and other programs will focus on "Design for Diversity," the UW System's program to increase its population of American ethnic students and faculty. Last fall, for example, some 7,600 minority students comprised only 4.7 percent of total system enrollment. Harris aid minority students

Harris said minority students on UW System campuses have until March 24 to submit papers, some of which will be printed in a bookle to be distributed at next year's gathering at UW-La Crosse. She said minority students also have until April 21 to submit their designs for a logo to represent the 1990 conference.

1990 conference. For more information about registration, logo submissions and other details about the conference, which includes numerous social events, contact Harris at the Educational Opportunities Office, L2086C, UW-Eau Claire, Eau Claire, Wi 54702-9004, telephone (715, 836-3367.





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